O'DONNELL, THE COTTON TOWN OF THE PLAINS

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The Chamber of Commerce **Re-organize to Boost O'Donnell.**

The Chamber of Commerce development of the town. There held a meeting Tuesday night will be no salaries paid anyone and a thorough reorganization of and the money realized from the O'Donnell's boosters was had membership dues will be exand tentative plans laid for the panded in advertising the town future. C. H. Mansell was re- and in other ways the directors elected president, and Ben T. may see fit. John Hardberger is Brown will serve another year chairman of the soliciting comas secretary and John Hardber | mittee and will have two assisger was elected treasurer. The tants and when they call upon directors who will preside over you for your membership, do not the destiny of the organization hesitate, for this is a time when are, E. T. Wells, F. C. Hart! R. the aid of everyone interested in E. Painter, C. A. Baldwin and making the town the best on the W. L. Christopher. T. J. Kellis South Plains is needed.

end Tuesday of each month.

Lociro I that

was made an honorary member! It was decided to renew the and appointed to serve as publici- membership of the organization ty man. It was agreed to hold with the West Texas Chamber of the regular meetings on the sec- Commerce, and the following that office at the close of my sec- class. seadily paid their prorata of the Realizing that nothing is worth dues: Higgenbotham - Bartlett while unless it costs something Lumber Company, Frost & Baiand that to carry on the work ley, The First State Bank, Corfunds must be had, a small fee ner Drug Store, Morris Sanderof \$10 per year or \$1 a month was son, Mansell Brothers Hardware

assessed against firms and fifty Company, Jones Dry Goods, cents a month for individual mem O'Donnell Mercantile Company, bers. The majority of the busi- J. B. Curtis & Son. Christopher ness houses of the town have al. Drug Store and Hars Mercantile addition to therying on with our himself, he can get someone to ready come in with their mem. Company. bership and assessment and it is | If you are interested in the

"Downell and - boos-

C. H. Cain Announces J. W. Boyle Praises O'Donnell for County Judge. Best Town on South Plains.

After mature deliberation and in consideration of the earnest solicitation of a goodly number of substantial citizens of the county, I have decided to submit my candidacy for the office of County Judge to the Democratic voters of Lynn County in the coming primary election. I do not feel that introductory statements are very necessary, as most people who have resided in this county gleaned from the best reople of for a very considerable length of che country around it. The old time know that I am a native timers who landed here bullt a

ond term in office, on December

1.7 5 # 1st, 1920.

times experienced by this new country as a result of the war candidate for office to declare a

ceived last week from J. W Boyle, a former resident of O'Donnell showing his appreciation of the hospitality shown him during his residence hore. people to be found than are around O'Donnell, they are

Texan, and that I have resided tity that any man would be in Lynn County since 1911 and proud to live in and only perserved the county as its County mitted the best of other coun-Judge from 1916 to 1920, and tries to locate here sending oththat I voluntarily retired from ers on to a location among their any place esa boast, you will a

'The merchants and farmers go hand in hand and are build. for good bas will return and t Those of the voters who were thig a real country as well as look forward to the time who here during the time from 1916 town. During the rush while we shall once more be with you." to 1920 will recall the trying cotton was coming in several

and a severe drouth coming upon platform of good principles. If us at the same time, and that in he does not know how to write it full quotas in the war activities, write it for him, but the serious we successfully administered a question with you is whether he will endeavor to perform in accordance with his declared plat-form. As to this, I trust that in all of the you will pardon me in referring to my former administration as the best assurance I can give for

The following letter was re- | hundred bales per day the merchants could not buy things fast enough to supply the demand, they only charged a reasonable profit and hold the interest of the town and surrounding country at heart. By doing this they "I will say there are no better have gained the patronage and confidence of their enstomers.'

> Our stay was one of picasare and we spent many pleasant days in G'Donnell.'

'In closing this letter will say to the party who is thinking of locating in a country where so have as good land as can be fo anywhere and as fas people : well to stop at O'Donnell.

"We have not quit O'Donnel

J. W. Boyle & Best

School Bond Election Carries 7 to 1

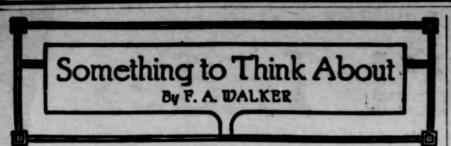
The election held Me March 17, to yote \$25,900 board for the construction of a set school building for O'Dean was carried by a majority soven to one.

The increase in the enrel of the school has made it is many that more room be pre-and with the money re-

alty to my convictions and refformance of my



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SOME OTHER TIME

THE individual who defers action, puts off until "some other time" what should be done now, is marked by the gods as being of no weight or worth.

At his best he shrinks from everything that calls for manliness and diligent endeavor, always a stumbling block to those high-powered souls pressing on to blaze across the skies a record of a heroic life.

He cannot see himself in his true light, or estimate his faults. He is affronted at the kindly advice of friends and dejected at his inability to make progress.

What he has done year after year without getting results, he continues to do with his customary complacency. He is never quite ready to go to bed at night or to get up in the morning; his likes and dislikes are easy

THE THINGS

WORTH WHILE

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH ***** THE things worth while are not a

The things worth while are not so

With all our labor, all our guile,

With all our doing, all our dreaming,

All day we know the competition

We follow flercely our ambition,

But, if we battle on undaunted,

Of other men on other guests,

Whatever else, there isn't any

many,

great;

wait.

while.

smile,

as an old shoe, for he experiences no commanding emotions, no hurt or de-pression of feeling in the hours of disappointment. He is neither a fighting man nor

a man of peace, being as limp and lifeless as a wet rag, lacking the energy and mettle that stir men to go to battle.

Jazz, with its jumps and jerks, is his favorite music. As for literature or art he has no preference, for he seldom takes time to read a worthy book or look upon a painting. He

credit, he will frankly teh you so if he finds you are disposed to listen. And such a man without suspecting it, acts as a warning signal to the earnest men and women who give heed to their engagements or consider it a sin to break them.

He is the bane of his wife's existence, being always late at dinner, making trouble in the kitchen and driving away her carefully trained servants.

That he is alive, yet dead, is unbelievable except to those who know him, and the ease with which he will with the utmost seriousness make a promise and forget to keep it.

Nobody will take him on trust. Having failed to learn that punctuality is the chief ingredient of confidence, he is woefully lacking of friends from whom he has unconsciously cut off his means of profitable communication by being habitually late and untrustworthy. "Some other time" has wrecked millions! has no ideals, and be it said to his 1 (by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)



Will Your Family Be Happy This Spring?

If yours is one of the few remaining families lacking an automobile, no doubt you have finally decided to get one within the next four months.

A low-priced modern automobile like the Chevrolet has be-come indispensable to the family of ordinary income. A million other families can easily prove to you that the better way is with Chevrolet. The beauties of nature, the interesting and educational features of other places and ways of living, remain things to read about or seen dimly in cold photographs until you are free to get to them at your convenience and pleasure.

But, suppose you have definitely decided to buy a Chevrolet this spring. This does not necessarily mean you are going to get it. Anyone posted on conditions in the automobile business will tell you that thousands of families are going to be unable to get cars this spring. This has been true almost every spring for the last ten years. There are just two ways of making sure of getting your Chevrolet for use when the flowers and balmy breezes of spring lure you to the country roads-buy it now or order it now.

If you do not want to pay for it in full at this time, any Chevrolet dealer will arrange terms to suit your convenience. You will be surprised to learn how easy it is to pay for a Chevrolet and use it while you are paying for it.

Please realize these statements are made by us in good faith and we mean just what we say about the possible difficulties of getting a car delivered to you this spring if you wait until then to order it. The only way to be sure of a Chevrolet this Spring is to order it NOW.

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| Superior 4-Pass. Coupe 725 Utility Express Truck Chassis Fisher Bodies on all Closed Models | | | | | | 330 |

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That Head Hum

Sounds which are too rapid or too guish are plainly audible by means of id-fire restaurant.

Her Identity "Stuff's off between Yvette and faint for the human car to distin- Slats," announced Heloise of the rap-

a new type of electric microphone. By "Why, I sure thought she was the use of it even the finer vibrations of bride-to-be," returned Claudine of the the human body, as in the brains and compared the state of the



wanted-And yet may miss the things worth while.

We yet may win the things we

