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SAN SABA HIGH CONTINUES TO WIN

Grab Fifth Straight by Defeating Burnet High 8 to 0 on Their Home Grounds.

San Saba High still wins—"Sweet Woids!"

San Saba High continued her winning streak Saturday by defeating Burnet to the tune of 8 to 0. Considerable engine and tire trouble delayed the arrival in the sleepy little town of Burnet and the boys were all fagged out from pushing the cars, and mending punctures. They barely had gotten in uniform, and reached the field when referee Taylor and umpire Cooper started the game.

San Saba kicked off at 3:30, and it was immediately seen that she was up against a team that had the edge on her. Burnet had heard of the record of the locals, and though anticipating defeat, were determined to hold the score down as low as possible. San Saba showed a lack of pep; and on most every play the Burnet players got the jump on them. The touchdown came early in the second period when Big Bill Ellis bucked over the goal line. Walker failed to kick goal. In the last quarter Burnet attempting a punt in the shadows of her goal posts, fumbled and as the fullback recovered the ball behind his own goal line, Davenport of San Saba threw him, thereby scoring a safety and two points. The game ended with San Saba holding the ball in Burnet territory.

The features of the game were the defensive playing of Painter, right end for Burnet, the line bucking and end running of Walker, the only San Saba man who seemed to have any life in his playing, and the excellent refereeing of Taylor. A peculiarity was that not a single offside was called during the game. There was only one penalty; and that was received by Burnet for calling time out three times in one quarter.

The lineup:
San Saba (8) Burnet (0)
Carroll Painter
R. End
Sanderson L. B. Hazel
R. Tackle
Davenport Holland
R. Guard
Hunter Glimp
Center
Terry Galloway
L. Guard
Estep Ramsover
L. Tackle
Walters Fry
L. End
Walker Baker
R. Half
Massey (Capt.) L. Hazel
L. Half
Smalensky Hester
Quarterback
Ellis Hendrick
Fullback
Touchdown: Ellis.
Officials: Taylor, referee;
Cooper, umpire.

There is no denying the fact that the low score made by the locals in the Burnet game was disappointing—but they won against heavy odds. Having had little practice the previous week the hard trip took all the life out of the players; but notwithstanding this fact, they won. There is no doubt but this is a blessing in disguise. This game came at a time when San Saba was becoming a little overconfident, and this slender margin of victory will give added impetus to their practice and playing, and impress the word fight deep into the minds and determination of all players.

The business men of the town boosting for an all-victorious season, have secured the services of Arnold Kirkpatrick, of Brownwood, to whip the team in shape for the Comanche game on the 18th. Kirkpatrick is a former University of Texas star and all will remember his share in defeating A & M in 1911.

Next Saturday Hamilton High will invade San Saba for a game with the locals, and everyone is urged to come to the fair grounds and see the home team win their sixth straight.

MAJESTIC SCENE OF AN ENTHUSIASTIC ASSEMBLY

Election Returns Flashed on Curtain Alternately With Bluebird Feature

Tuesday evening the Majestic Theatre was packed to its capacity, the announcement having previously been made that election returns would appear on the canvas alternately with an attractive Blue Bird feature, starring Dorothy Davenport.

The management of this theatre was the subject of much commendatory comment on account of this enterprising service to the public, but disclaiming all the credit, Manager Dofflemeyer mentioned to a Star reporter Messrs. Knight Rector, Jr., and H. C. Coryell as coming in for a share of the praise, for it was they who in actively giving their assistance brought the plan to a consummation. Others rendering assistance were Mr. W. A. Dickerson, manager of the S. W. Telephone Company, who installed the telephone for service, and Mr. Frank Hall who furnished the lights and fans, Mr. G. L. Kelley of the Western Union was loyal in his efforts to get the earliest and most accurate returns possible over the wire.

After the crowd had assembled, the following clever comments coming upon the screen created much amusement:

1. "Number of electoral votes in electoral college: 531—necessary to elect: 266."

2. "Vance McCormick and Tan predict a landslide for Wilson."

3. "Arthur Hill, noble republican, says Hughes' minimum electoral vote will be 277."

4. "Knight and Hicks say that Arthur Hill got the wrong brand last time."

5. "Hurrah for Cowan and House—they came home to vote."

6. "The BIG question: Whom did Andy and doctor vote for?"

7. "Emmett would be here making a big Wilson noise, but he's busy counting our majority."

8. "Everybody for Hughes stand up."

9. "Who will our next postmaster be?"

10. "Listen, please do not tear up the seats."

11. "One groan for Hughes."

12. "Three cheers for Woodrow—Everybody!"

The crowd lingered until 11:30 up to which time the returns showed Hughes leading, and connection with some of the leading dailies seemed to verify the count up to that hour. To say the least, the Majestic introduced an innovation and all concerned deserve the thanks of the public.

Villa Bandits Cut Off

Ears of Carranza Soldiers. Villa bandits are reported to again be engaged in the playful pastime of cutting off the ears of Carranza soldiers who fall into their hands and sending the greswome trophies back to their commands as a warning to other Carranza soldiers according to the story of a Mexican refugee, who reached El Paso recently from Jimenez, Chihuahua. He claimed to have seen sixteen soldiers at Jimenez with their ears severed from their head.

The refugee said he had been told by one of the mutilated soldiers that a total of eighty-three Carranza soldiers had had their ears cut off by Villa bandits at Santa Rosalia. These sixteen soldiers he said had reached Jimenez from Santa Rosalia on their way to Torreon and they reported that Villa bandits had looted Santa Rosalia and had impressed many citizens of that town.

New Santa Fe Operator and Clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kelley arrived the first of the week from Giddings. Mr. Kelley is to fill the position of operator and clerk at the Santa Fe station, left vacant by the resignation of Mr. Woodruff.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley have rooms with Mrs. Eva Murray.

VICTORY FOR DEMOCRACY

Latest Reports Indicate President Wilson Has Been Re-elected Beyond Question of a Doubt



The Star had a big sleek, corn fed rooster—a regular old-fashioned Democratic chanticleer

—with which we had intended to adorn the top of our column of election returns, but he got so sick when those first reports came in Tuesday night that he has been unable to utter a single crow since then. The rooster we are using is a much smaller bird, but is crowing lustily in celebration of the victory, which seems now almost unquestionably to have been won by the Democratic candidates.

It was a sick and disappointed crowd that sought restless beds about 12 o'clock Tuesday night. At that time it looked like Hughes and Fairbanks had a lead that could not possibly be overcome. Democrats had the dry grins while Arthur Hill, Dr. Rimmer, J. I. Carson and a few other staunch Republicans, with beaming countenances, "rubbed it in."

Knight Rector, Jr., was about the only Democrat who did not give up, contending all the time that the wires must have got crossed. So certain was he that good news must be on tap somewhere, that he boarded the train Wednesday evening for Dallas, and has been standing in front of the bulletin board at the News office ever since with nothing to eat but a bag of peanuts.

The following telegram, addressed to J. W. Longley, was received from Knight this morning: "Associated Press reports received at Dallas up to 9 a. m. this morning (Thursday) give Wilson 256 electoral votes, Hughes 243. This much we think is certain. California, Minnesota, Washington, and Idaho are not included in the above figures."

"Hughes leads in Minnesota by 100 votes. Wilson leads in California by 800 votes. With 570 out of 5597 precincts missing, of the 570 precincts 143 are in southern California, reported Republican and balance in northern California reported Democratic. Idaho and Washington will take complete vote to decide. Democrats have a recount in New Hampshire, which Associated Press gives Hughes by 161 votes. In face of 8,000 majority for Hughes, Democratic committee claims Indiana, but Associated Press concedes it to Hughes. Will wire any definite news. Too close for comfort."

"KNIGHT RECTOR, JR." At 5 o'clock this afternoon, Clarence Gosch phoned the Temple Telegram, but was unable to learn anything definite, though the news is still favorable for Wilson. According to the latest reports received by the Telegram Hughes was leading by 300 in New Mexico, and 800 in Minnesota, while Wilson was still in the lead in California and has carried North Dakota.

Vance McCormick claims the Democratic ticket safely in the lead, and has wired the Democratic campaign managers in all the states to get their brass bands and red fire ready to celebrate a victory for President Wilson.

In view of the very encouraging reports the Star feels justified in crowing, even if we have to take it back next week. We can't do worse than the Austin American, which came out Wed-

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 9, 5:05 p. m.

J. W. Longley, San Saba, Texas:

California gives Wilson 5,000 majority, only 175 boxes out. Dallas News extra in thirty minutes will say Woodrow Wilson elected president of the United States.

J. K. Rector, Jr.

nesday with the unqualified statement that Hughes and Fairbanks had been elected, with the front page smeared up with a three-column photograph of the Republican candidates, together with a chronological synopsis of their careers.

The race is going to be one of the closest in the history of the country, and it is going to take an official count in some of the states to decide it, but with the lead the Democratic candidates now have, there is good reason to believe they have won by a safe majority.

Results in Congress

New York, Nov. 8.—With thirty congressional districts to be heard from at 10:45 p. m., 202 Republicans, 199 Democrats 2 Progressives, 1 Independent and 1 Socialist have been elected to the house of representatives for the sixty-fifth congress.

Of thirty G. ricts yet to be heard from, fifteen are represented by the present congress by Democrats and thirteen by Republicans. Should these districts be unchanged the next house will be composed of 216 Democrats, 214 Republicans and 4 scattering who might elect to affiliate with either side. The senate will remain under Democratic control by a reduced majority of ten or twelve, dependent upon the outcome in New Mexico where A. A. Jones, Democrat is maintaining a slight lead over Frank A. Hubbel, nominated by the Republicans to succeed Senator Carton. At this hour the senate stands, Democrats, 53; Republicans 42; undecided 1.

In the senate four present Democratic members according to the latest indications have been defeated. They are Senators Kern and Taggart of Indiana; Martin of New Jersey; and Chilton of West Virginia. Three Republican senators, Lippett of Rhode Island, Clark of Wyoming and Sutherland of Utah have lost their seats on the basis of the returns.

The defeat of Senator Kern of Indiana by Harris S. New, former chairman of the Republican national committee, takes from the Democratic organization its floor leader. Among Democratic senators mentioned for succession are Saulsbury of Delaware, Martin of Virginia, Walsh of Montana, and Underwood of Alabama.

Cherokee Junior College Buys Additional Piano

The music department of the Cherokee Junior College has made an attractive addition to its studio by the purchase of a Lyon & Healy piano from Hoyt's Music House of this place. President McDonald has taken especial pride in building up the different departments and the purchase from Mr Hoyt met with approval by the trustees, and student body.

It is generally known that the Lyon & Healy piano is one of the best makes, the company taking pride in turning out only first class instruments.

Menard Boys Are Manhandled.

Dan Westbrook and Otis Walker, two Menard boys, had close calls last Saturday night at Cole Bros. Shows. Dan Westbrook was struck twice on the head with an iron bound stake pin and kicked severely in the stomach while on the ground, and Otis Walker who was with Dan attempted to help him was cut several times around the throat.

It seems that the boys had just paid their way into one of the sideshows and were going in when the show closed and they met the crowd coming out. The show man stopped them and when they started to explain, one of them struck Dan Otis tried to help and was cut. The man who hit Dan was held by J. E. Keeler, a special policeman, but the other escaped. The sheriff and his deputies made every effort to apprehend the man, who did the cutting, but also several men were detained, not one of them could be identified.

Otis was taken to the local drug store, where he was examined and his wounds although profusely bleedings were found to be not dangerous. Dan was taken home and for a time it was feared he could not recover. However, after forty eight hours of suffering in which he was unconscious at intervals, he finally began to mend and is now pronounced out of danger. —Menard Messenger.

Has Foot Cut Off.

Last Sunday while engaged in his duties as brakeman for the H. & T. C. railroad, Ben Woodward suffered the loss of one of his feet. A freight car passed over his foot and literally ground it to small fragments.

From what we can learn it appears that Woodward was in the act of uncoupling one of the cars and in some manner his foot was caught between the rail and wheel.

No one witnessed the accident and it was not possible to ascertain just how it happened. The car was of different construction, we are told, from the average freight car, the wheels being placed further toward the end of the car than ordinary, being a dump car which operated from the bottom.

A special was immediately sent out by the railroad officials to take the unfortunate man to Austin. Dr. Darnell accompanied him. —Llano News.

Zandia Crippled at Angelo Races

Zandia, favorite running horse, belonging to Henry Harkey of this place and in charge of Travis Locklear, was crippled last week at the San Angelo fair while on the track.

A number of other horses had been entered for the race, and in the jam in starting, Zandia was kicked on the leg.

Mr. Harkey had decided to sell the horse as a flattering price had been offered, but was so confident of winning in this race that he would not give possession until a try out was made.

While she will not be able to be put on the track this season it is believed in due time other records will be made.

It May Come to This.

A San Saba farmer, who had stopped his wagon in the road, was noticed to be carefully searching the wayside. A bystander curious to know the object of his search, asked: "Lost your pocket book, neighbor?" "Naw," was the reply, "a cotton seed fell off my wagon."

While they are not yet being used as ornaments for stick pins with cotton seed selling at \$50 per ton, they are a pretty precious product. And it has not been so many years since they were so valueless as to be used for fuel at the gins.

Myra Nell Johnson Burned.

Myra Nell, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Johnson, received painful injuries Tuesday afternoon. She was playing in the kitchen and in some way pulled a kettle of hot water off the stove and burnt her face and throat. While the injuries are painful the physicians are confident that she will be all right in a few days.

Doings in the Temple of Justice

Marriage Licenses. T. C. Jones and Miss Tommie McCarley.

Automobile Registrations. 390. W. R. Gregg, Cherokee, Ford.

391. S. C. McCarley, San Saba, Briscoe.

392. G. W. Templeton, Hall, Buick.

393. Frank Crouch, Richland Springs, Ford.

Births. George H. Stewart and wife, San Saba, son.

Deaths Recorded. R. P. Terry and wife to W. W. Sanford, tract of land on Richland Creek; consideration \$3200.

D. R. Terry and wife to R. P. Terry, tract of land in San Saba County; consideration \$5600.

A. N. Crane and wife to T. M. Burselon, 42 acres of land on Wilbarger Creek; consideration \$1600.

J. T. McFadden and wife to A. N. Crane, 126 acres of land in San Saba County; consideration \$1700.

Riley Cedar Co.

Resumes Activities.

The Riley Cedar Co., which has been working a partial force of men the past few months, on account of the yards having become overstocked, is now preparing to resume operations on a large scale.

Five thousand circulars have been printed and mailed out advertising for one hundred and twenty-five experienced cedar choppers and haulers. The company is one of the largest shippers of cedar in the state, and owns the best cedar in this section. It is one of San Saba's most important industries, and furnishes employment at good wages to a large number of men, during the winter when ordinarily work for men and teams is difficult to find.

That the company is forced to advertise for men in other sections of the state is evidence of the general prosperity that now prevails throughout this county.

Theatre Management

Deserves Praise.

One of the highest priced numbers of the Dixie Lyceum Course is the Rounds Lilies Orchestra, which will appear at the Majestic Friday evening, November 24th.

The management is receiving much commendation from the show going people for its untiring efforts in producing pleasing attractions.

The various serials now being shown are drawing large crowds and the other features including Bluebird plays are greeted with interested spectators.

New Restaurant on Square.

Judge J. T. Hartley, John Calloway and W. T. Tinsley have leased the Simmons & Gosch building adjoining the post office and are fitting it up for a restaurant. The firm is composed of wide-awake men, Mr. Calloway especially being well versed in this line of work.

Mr. Hartley is the retiring County Judge, and Mr. Tinsley formerly held a position with T. C. Henry as salesman.

Davis Wins at Angelo.

Travis Locklear made a showing at the Angelo races last week with Davis, Miss Nila and Waco, running horses, who have many admirers.

Davis took a \$100 purse in a four and one-half furlong race, and the others made good records.

Mr. Locklear spent Sunday here with his family and left the first of the week for Waco with the same horses, where they will be put on the track during the Cotton Palace.

Another New Residence.

D. Bodziner has sold the residence recently purchased from J. E. Sorell on Commerce Street, to John McDowell. Mr. McDowell is having the residence moved to his lot in the Lindley Addition and Mr. Bodziner is to have a modern six room residence erected in the near future. San Saba is growing.

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And the women—sweet creatures—helped to do it.

Hughes' vote was No. 13—that of President Wilson, No. 55. Few people are willing to risk anything on 13, and 5 times 11 would look good in a crap game.

The Harrison Theatre Co., like the ducks, is now headed south and will probably not again visit San Saba before next fall. The company is playing this week at Belton.

Villa is reported by press dispatches to be "hunting" supplies. Strikes us that this has been his principal occupation for the past three years—varied, of course, by an occasional incursion for the purpose of adding to his collection of ears from the heads of Carranza soldiers.

The new lhotype, which has been working steadily the last two months chewing up hot lead and spitting out type slugs, decided the other day that it wanted a change of menu, and tried to bite off the finger of the manager and convert it into bologna sausage. The next time it looks like it has indigestion, and craves a change of diet, we are going to feed it a monkey wrench on a column of plate matter.

The choic of the American people for president would, according to custom, take the oath of office March 4, 1917, but that day comes on Sunday, and Washingtonians, vastly interested, are curious to know whether the ceremony will be on March 3rd or March 5th. Authorities in the congressional library state that the two recorded precedents show Rutherford B. Hayes was inaugurated March 3 and Zachary Taylor on March 5. Apparently it is a matter for the successful candidate to settle for himself.

Better Yet

YOU hear it said of some men that their word is as good as their bond, and it's a fine thing to say of any man.

BUT did you ever stop to think that no matter how good your word may be, there is something better? If you owe a bill at the store and pay it in cash and the merchant tries to collect it again, your word might be good that you had paid it. But suppose you had an account at the bank and paid by check. The cancelled check would speak louder than your own word. It pays to pay by check. No getting around that.

SAN SABA NATIONAL BANK

If Dr. Dumba had only been dumb, he might still be the Austrian ambassador to the United States.

Now that women are being given an opportunity to talk about the political candidates, maybe they will quit talking about one another.

An 80-mile wind is reported to have "marred" the saturnalia of murder on the European battlefields one day this week. Pity they don't have a cyclone over there every day.

The eight hour day for laborers has been adopted by the state of Sonora, Mexico. However, it is not likely that the new law will cause any serious disarrangement of economic conditions, as there is nothing in the statute to prevent citizens "revoluting" 24 hours a day.

When the kids pestered the prophet Elijah he had the bear eat them up. The modern way is to use a pistol. At least that was the plan adopted by Rev. Henry Healgrem, pastor of the Swedish Church in Harlem, N. Y., who shot 10-year old Jas. Long, while playing in the street in front of the parsonage. The pastor when arrested said the children had been annoying him.

At one time Poland was the Mexico of Europe, but the people revoluted themselves out of existence as a nation. Germany is now going to set them up in business again, and it is to be hoped that they will now be good and live up to the best pages in the history of their glorious past when the fame of such men as Sobieski and Kosciusko resounded around the world.

The ballot of a dead man was polled in the election at Sioux City, Iowa. Clarence Peterson secured an absent voter's ballot at the county recorder's office Monday afternoon, filled it out and left it with the recorder. Shortly afterwards a runaway horse plunged into Peterson's automobile, causing injuries from which he died early Tuesday morning. The law provides that the ballot shall be counted.

Six and one-half tons of silver bullion from the mint at San Francisco were unloaded in New London, Conn. Tuesday at the railroad station by an express company and transported to the German merchant submarine, Deutschland, moored at the state pier, for shipment across the ocean. The metal was conveyed through the streets in five open wagons without armed guards, and few persons who saw the wagons suspected that \$150,000 worth of property was being moved in that fashion.

Hotel to Have Park.

The management of the Hotel Franklin at Llano has secured five acres of land fronting on the lake which they will convert into a park that will be connected with the hotel by a wide boulevard. The park will have a dance pavilion, band stand, rustic seats, bath houses and boats on the lake for the free use of the guests of the hotel. A crew is now at work improving the hotel property.

MOTHER SINGS TO DEAD BABY

In this great and prosperous Christian land, overflowing with plenty, and where charity prevails to such an extent that millions of dollars are being sent to war sufferers in Europe every month, it seems almost inconceivable that such instances of inhumanity as that recently reported from Garden City, Kan., could occur.

Deserted by her husband, Mrs. C. A. Hansen and her six destitute children were shipped back to their home in Council Bluffs, Iowa, by the local authorities, that they might not become a charge on the town. As soon as they reached Council Bluffs the local officials there insisted on returning them to Garden City. Then the Garden City authorities shunted them back to Council Bluffs. Mrs. Hansen and her children arrived there the second time Wednesday night of last week, the mother carrying a dead baby in her arms. Little Edna May, 4 months old had died on the train just after leaving St. Joseph, and for nearly five hours the mother had held the little body close to her breast and hidden her grief while she sang to the dead baby to keep other passengers from knowing of its death for fear if it became known they would put her off the train.

This inhuman practice of shunting the sick, dying or destitute from place to place is becoming so common in many portions of the country, and our hearts are so overburdened for the suffering Armenians, Belgians and other foreign people, that distress of these unfortunates right here at home hardly arouses a pang of pity. If a person has reached a depth of poverty where he can no longer find work or obtain the means of sustenance in his home town, he cannot better his condition elsewhere, because wherever he attempts to stop, he is seized and hustled back to the inhospitable confines of the place from which he sought to escape.

The Agricultural Department has issued a warning against the pink boll worm, the most dreaded of the many insects that ravage the cotton plant. This insect is a native of Egypt but has recently made its appearance in Mexico, less than 200 miles from the border. A strict quarantine against Mexican cotton has been established but when it is remembered that the boll weevil also originated in Mexico, and slowly but surely swept northward despite every precaution, it is not improbable that Southern farmers will have this new pest to combat with in the next few years.

Letters carried by automobiles, which Saturday, completed a relay run along the Meridian Highway from Winnipeg to Laredo, reached San Antonio 22 hours and 40 minutes ahead of Uncle Sam's letter mail service. Duplicates of a letter to the mayor of Laredo, Texas, sent by the lieutenant governor of Manitoba via the motor cars, were mailed at the Winnipeg postoffice at the time the cars started on their journey. These copies reached San Antonio at 9:05 o'clock Sunday morning.

C. H. Appleton, Alderman. In the election held Tuesday of this week, C. H. Appleton was elected to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of Gordon Mackey. The election was quite, but seventy-two votes being polled.

The people of the city of Llano are to be congratulated on securing Mr. Appleton on the Council. There are many big things to be taken up within the coming few weeks and Mr. Appleton will very materially assist in working out these problems.—Llano News.

Since moving to San Saba and taking charge of the Corner Drug Store, of which he owns a one-half interest, Mr. Mackey is being pushed into the public service. He is a wide-awake business man, and we are glad to number him with our progressive citizens.

Sufferer from Indigestion Relieved.

"Before taking Chamberlain's Tablets my husband suffered for several years from indigestion, causing him to have pains in the stomach and distress after eating. Chamberlain's Tablets relieved him of these spells right away," writes Mrs. Thos. Casey of Geneva, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

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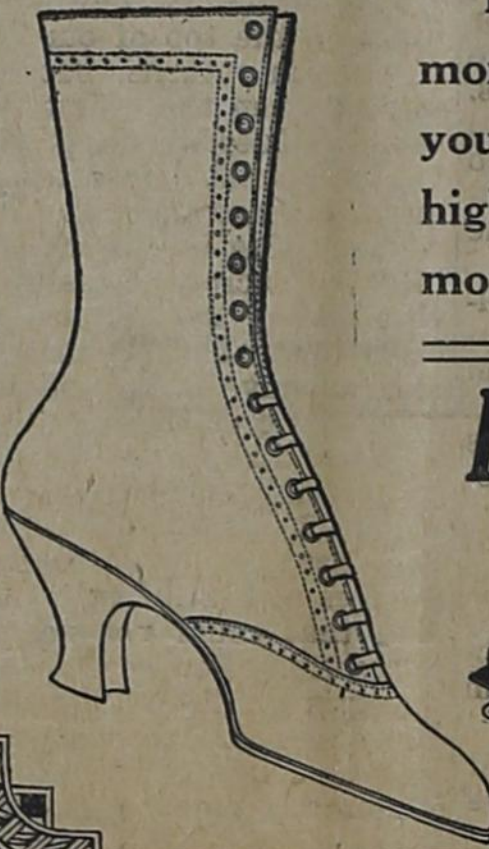
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Texas Publishers to Discuss the Paper Situation

Lee J. Rountree of Georgetown, ex-president of the National Editorial Association, and now chairman of the legislative committee, has issued a call for all Texas publishers who are interested in the newspaper stock situation, to meet in Waco Friday, Nov. 10, which has been designated by the officials of the Texas Cotton Palace as press day.

"The smaller publishers of Texas," says Mr. Rountree, "are now facing a crisis that they do not fully realize; those who know the situation fully say that paper has only made its initial advance and will go higher. It is absolutely necessary that they get together and take some steps toward bulk purchases that will eliminate some of the extra expense or they will go out of business."

W. V. Crawford, publicity chairman of the Texas Cotton Palace, promises a great press day full of entertainment from top to bottom.

Buys Ranch Near Eden.

Enno Behrens has bought the Mullin ranch near Eden consisting of 2200 acres, and expects to move to his new home about December first.

Surveyor Dismuke returned the first of the week where he had finished running out the lines.

We regret losing Mr. Behrens and his estimable family, but wish for them success and prosperity.

Now Look Out!

When a cold hangs on, as often happens, or when you have hardly gotten over one cold until you contract another, look out, for you are liable to contract some very serious disease. This succession of colds weakens the system and lowers the vitality so that you are much more liable to contract chronic catarrh, pneumonia or consumption. Cure your cold while you can. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation. It is relied upon by thousands of people and never disappoints them. Try it. It only costs a quarter. Obtainable everywhere.

BOLL WEEVIL HINTS

By M. E. Hays, Assistant Entomologist, Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas.

This is one subject that never gets old to the progressive Texas farmer. Yet in traveling through many sections of this state at this time we find that practically 90 per cent of the cotton fields are still untouched. Eighteen cent cotton has caused the growers to take a vacation. We may, or may not, have eighteen cent cotton next year, but we know that we will have the boll weevil, so why not take advantage of the situation and begin to destroy as many as possible at this late date. The cotton fields now, with some fall cotton, are serving as an excellent pasture for the numerous crops of boll weevils that we have on hand. They will feed as long as there is any green cotton plants in the fields, breeding all of the time, which will mean that there will be more mature weevils to go into the resting condition a month from now than at this time; also, from now until the winter freezes begin more boll weevils will be in condition to pass the winter. It has been found by experiments that in fields where stalks are destroyed October 15, 3 percent of boll weevils passed the winter while in fields that were not turned under until December 15, 43 per cent of the weevils lived through the winter. This shows the importance of destroying the stalks at this time. The crop should be plowed under as deep as is practical in your soil.

The question of burning cotton stalks has received a great deal of attention. While it is true that many boll weevils will be killed by burning stalks, yet it is a bad practice for the average Texas farmer, because it destroys too much valuable vegetable matter which the soils of this state need. It is a lazy man's method of trying to rapidly destroy this pest. The plowing method will be found more advantageous in every case. Also, by fall plowing, we are able to start our spring operations earlier in the season than we would otherwise, thereby enabling us to have early

planted cotton, which is one of the best methods of fighting the boll weevil.

The writer recently visited a section of the state where March planted cotton made three-fourths of a bale to the acre, while in another section of the same field, on a 70 acre tract where the land was not broken in the fall and the spring rains delayed the work until early summer, and the cotton was planted the 1st of July, the grower estimated that he would not have a bale of cotton. Just another instance of the value of fall preparation of the land as an aid in early planting.

Her Son Subject to Croup.

"My son Edwin is subject to croup," writes Mrs. E. O. Irwin, New Kensington, Pa. "I put in many sleepless hours at night before I learned of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mothers need not fear this disease if they keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house and use it as directed. It always gives my boy relief." Obtainable everywhere.

City Taxes must be paid before December 1st, 1916.

BURNEY BRALY,
City Collector.

BRACE UP!

Liv-Ver-Lax Will Make You
Feel Better

That tired feeling, dull headache and lasting grouch are most probably due to a clogged liver. Now, don't make your self feel worse by taking nasty, disagreeable calomel, but clean out that bile and make yourself feel brighter and better generally by taking Liv-Ver-Lax. It acts safely, surely and pleasantly, and is made entirely of harmless vegetable material. Liv-Ver-Lax is guaranteed to give satisfaction or your money will be returned without question. Insist on the original, bearing the likeness and signature of L. K. Grigsby, for sale here in the 50c and \$1 size. THE CORNER DRUG STORE

Here and There

(By Star Gazer.)

Old Horn

(Dedicated to William Lee Ellison and his gold Beson cornet)

Old Horn, Old Horn, you've been a friend to me;
Aye, more than any friend—
You've been a comforter, you've been my love;
You shall be to the end!

Old Horn, Old Horn, we've kicked 'em, haven't we,
From Texasland and war-torn Mexico,
Throughout our sunny Southern land
To pines of Idaho?

We've quit the road, Old Horn, and settled down,
Yet things seem sort o' slow,
Without much work to do save now and then
A dance, town band, or movie show.

Sometimes a trick hits our little burg—
The boys form in a ring
And they burst in on "Troopers" or "Old Chy,"
And hymns you used to sing.

You seem to look and plead with me, Old Horn:
"Please take me from this case!"

And do you know, Old Horn, the reason why
I always turn my face?

I hate for you to know that I am weak
For I was strong, you know,
Back there. You never saw a tear upon my cheek
When I was on the show.

I never beefed because the scow was shy;
Sometimes, though, I got blue;
So, when you plead, "Please take me from this case!"
I turn my head from you.

You're not the brightest horn that's in the world—
Your gold don't shine
The way it shone eight years ago,
When first I called you mine.

Your valves don't work as quick as they did then—
But your old tone
Still soothes this troubled soul,
Old Pard,
And you're my own.

Your voice has cheered me' Pal,
When all the world
Had turned its back on me;
I've poured my soul out to you;
and in return
You've loaned me sympathy.

That's why I've learned to love you, Pal; although
You've lost your shiny "new."
That's why, Old Horn, there ain't enough of dough
In all the land to purchase you!

Our Poem.

The poem, "Old Horn," which starts our column, today, was published, recently, in "The Bill Bord"—America's greatest Amusement weekly.

Broken Glass Points the Way.
There is no trouble for a stranger to drive to Llano. What chance is there to take the wrong road when all he has to do is to follow the broken glass.

Other Attractions

The Llano county part of the road that leads from San Saba to Llano made us think of that "rocky road to Dublin". We presume that Llano figures that she has attractions that are more of a drawing card than good roads, and that people will travel there whether roads are good or bad.

We Don't Dispute Him
H. Addington Bruce writes to the effect that the vivid coloring of autumn leaves—contrasting happily with the grey of the autumn skies, the dreariness of

the harvest fields—assuredly kindles sentiments of hope and confidence and good cheer in the hearts of men, at a time when they otherwise would be depressed and discouraged. In this matter of the fading of the leaves, as everything else, the great Architect of the universe had a definite plan which he has splendidly carried out.

The Scrub.

When your team is out there battling
All their might to win the game,
And the cheer-squad's shouting madly
Fifteen rahs to some-one's name,
You should not forget the fellow
Who has stood the daily rub;
Then's the time you ought to halloo
For the old forgotten scrub.
When your team has tasted victory,
And your hearts are rife with glee,
And you do your "snake dance", shouting
With a joyous ecstasy,
There's a much deserving fellow
Who is far from any dub;
He's the poor, forgotten scrub.

When the season is all ended
With a record for your team,
And you sit about a table
With your faces all a-gleam,
And you toast the different players
Calling each by his "nick-name,"
Giving each his share of glory
And to each his share of fame
There's another fellow-being,
Who by rights should share your grub,
And your glory; he's the fellow
You refer to as the scrub.

Flowers for the Living.

We were just wondering how we were going to finish this column when Mr. F. Forrest Edwards stepped up, shook our hand nearly off, and said: "I just want to thank and compliment you for taking an interest in our football boys, but more especially do I want to compliment you for that poem, 'Dad's Photograph.' That old Daddy poem was great; and you must have a heart in you to write like that," he added with a friendly slap upon the shoulder. Words like this amply repay us for all our efforts, poetically and otherwise, especially when they are spoken as sincerely as Mr. Edwards spoke them. When Emmett Lee Rountree gets tired of his job, we would like to nominate F. Forrest Edwards as president of the "Flowers for the Living Club".

False Report.

A report is being circulated that the Kandy Kitchen has raised the price of chili to 15c. This is incorrect. Absolutely untrue. The price remains 10c, and will unless we are forced by the continued advance in material to raise the price. We want to thank the public for their very liberal support and ask a continuance of same.

I am gratefully yours,
W. S. WRIGHT.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out all obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE,
Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Cooking and Heating Stoves.
I have a good assortment of Cooking and Heating Stoves. Call and see for yourself. I can repair your stoves and put up stoves at the same time. Sam Taylor, the man you can depend upon for safety.

Horse, Buggy and Harness for Sale at a Bargain.
A good gentle horse, buggy and harness nearly new, for sale at about half their value. See W. C. Hutchinson at Star Office.

Notice to Customers.
After Nov. 1st, there will be no delivery service from my wagon yard, but will be glad to have customers call at yard and buy feed.

J. S. SMITHWICK.

POSTED.

Positively no hunting or trapping allowed in my pastures in San Saba and McCulloch Counties. Trespassing must stop.—J. E. SORELL.

Collection Notice.

We have gotten the service of a collector this fall. This won't cost our customers one cent more than he owes. What we are after is to get payments early this fall. Cotton and other products are a good price, and we need our money. So don't get ruffled up when our man asks you for a settlement, as we want to make it as handy as possible to pay us. He will have his instructions to slight no one, as we are not in position to carry you over. Our obligations are due, and we can't take our own time about paying them. All we want is a settlement once a year, and don't think that is asking too much.

So if you don't want to settle with our collector, it will be well for you to come in and settle at our office at once, and don't come asking for an extension, as we hate to refuse you. We thank you for the business given us in the past and hope to have a share of your business in the future.

Yours truly,
SAN SABA MFG. CO.
G. A. Arhelger, Mgr.

Caterpillar Truck to be Sent to Big Bend.

A caterpillar tractor of the same make that has been adopted by the English for their famous "tanks" or armoured cars now in use on the western front in Europe, will be placed in the Big Bend district along the Mexican border to solve the transportation problem in a section where there are no roads.

The tractor outfit consisting of an engine and four trailers were shipped from Peori, Ill. They will be placed in service at Marfa, Texas. All of the equipment has the caterpillar tread and the trailers have a combined cargo capacity of 100,000 pounds.

According to Col. Harry L. Rogers, chief quartermaster of the southern department, on whose recommendation the outfit was purchased by the government, the caterpillar train can operate over territory in which motor trucks and wagons are of no service.

The Big Bend district is the most difficult section to patrol along the border. There are no roads and the country is very rough.

City Taxes Are Due Before Dec. 1st.

The following order was duly passed at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the City of San Saba on October 13th., 1916:

It is hereby ordered that all city taxes due for the year 1916 must be paid December 1st., 1916, and that a penalty of 5 per cent will be added on all taxes not paid by that date, and interest thereon at six per cent per annum.

Taxes are payable at the office of the City Clerk.
BURNAY BRALY, Clerk,
City of San Saba.

Don't Neglect Your Cold.

Neglected colds get worse, instead of better. A stuffed head a tight chest must be relieved at once. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is Nature's remedy. Honey and glycerine heal the irritated membrane, antiseptic tar loosens the phlegm, you breathe easier and your cold is broken up. Pleasant to take, Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is an ideal remedy for children as well as grown-ups. At your druggist, 25c.

Cotton Report

The report from the ginners show to be 6877 bales of cotton ginned in San Saba County from the crop of 1916 prior to Oct. 18, 1916, as compared to 5404 bales ginned to Oct. 18, 1915.

Respectfully,
DAN MILLER.

FOR SALE

Good brood mare. Will work anywhere.
Apply to Mrs. T. J. PHILLIPS.

S. E. KELLEY

FIRE

INSURANCE

Office Over Quality Corner

TODAY.

Sure this world is full of trouble
I ain't said it ain't.
Lord, I've had enough and double
Reason for complaint
Rain and storms have come to fret me,
Skies were often gray;
Thorns and brambles have beset me
On the road—but say,
Ain't it fine today?

What's the use of weepin',
Makin' trouble last?
What's the use of always keepin'
Thinkin' of the past?
Each must have his tribulation—
Water with his wine;
Life, it ain't no celebration;
Trouble—I've had mine—
But today is fine.

It's today that I'm livin',
Not a month ago;
Havin' losin', takin' givin',
As time wills it so;
Yesterday a cloud of sorrow
Fell across the way;
It may rain again tomorrow,
It may rain, but say,
Ain't it fine today?
—Clipped.

Will Gray Buys Half Interest In Franklin Hotel.

G. W. (Will) Gray has recently purchased a one-half interest in the Franklin Hotel from C. E. Shults of this city. These gentlemen have already a force of men at work repairing the building preparatory to placing same in a first class condition with a view of offering the traveling public hotel accommodations second to none in this part of the State.

The Franklin Hotel is a sixty-room brick building, originally costing \$60,000, and, as often stated through the columns of this paper, would be a credit to a city several times the size of Llano. The trouble heretofore with this magnificent structure is that it has been owned by parties living in other cities who have been holding same for speculative purposes only and who have no interest whatever in our city except for what they could get out of it in dollars and cents. Now since the building has been purchased by two of Llano County's most successful and prosperous stockmen, we are absolutely certain it is going to be remodeled, opened up and made a go. If not then it will be the first thing that Charlie Shults and G. W. Gray undertook that didn't make a success.
—Llano Searchlight.

Cumberland Services

Sunday school at 10 a. m., Burney Braly, Superintendent. Services 11 a. m., and 7:15 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. D. H. Kirkpatrick. The Church has recalled Bro. Kirkpatrick for another year and next Sunday will be his first sermon for the new year. He is anxious for the entire membership to be present and a cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., Dr. C. C. Berry, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. At the morning service we will continue our study of the parables. You are invited to all of these services.

B. D. D. GREER, Pastor.

W. R. Baxter Erecting Modern Residence.

W. R. Baxter, who resides near Harkeyville, has let the contract to L. D. Bromloe for the erection of a modern residence on his farm. Mr. Baxter is a progressive farmer, and believes in doing things right.

Missionary's Announcement.

I will be at Bethel second Saturday at 3:30 and 7:30 p. m., and second Sunday at 11 a. m., and 3:30 p. m. I will be at Wellsview on the third Saturday night and Sunday night.

O. F. SMITH.

Makes Improvement at Wagon Yard.

Jim Smithwick has completed the erection of a large barn at his wagon yard which will be used as a hide house at the opening of the hide and fur season he will be in the market.

Charlie Chaplin Thursday night, Nov. 16th. in "His Prehistoric Past" at Majestic, 5 & 10c.

Farmers' Restaurant, Fresh Oysters every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Butter Krust Bread; it can't be beat. Model Bakery.

LANDS FOR SALE

—BY—

RECTOR & RECTOR

- 2344 acres 8 miles southwest of San Saba on Wallace creek, 1-4 good farming and balance good grazing land, 300 acres in cultivation, good ranch improvements, 2 silos. Watered by creek, well and tanks. All farming implements go with the place. Price \$16 per acre.
- 1200 acres 10 miles north of San Saba on Goldthwaite road, 1-4 good farming, balance good grazing land, 250 acres in cultivation, 200 acres under irrigation by gravity from a large reservoir; 2 silos, 3 renters houses, fronts on Colorado river. Price \$20 per acre.
- 1000 acres 9 miles west of San Saba adjoining the Algerita R. R. Station, fronts on San Saba river, 3-4 good farming, balance good grazing land, 300 acres in cultivation, fine residence and good renters house. Price \$30 per acre.
- 950 acres six miles east of San Saba on the San Saba river, 1-4 good farming and balance good grazing land, 90 acres in cultivation, 60 acres under irrigation from 2 pumping plants, one 6-1-2 horse power engine and one 20 horse power engine, 14 acres in alfalfa, 3 renters houses, fine pecan timber. Price \$15,000.
- 640 acres 14 miles north of San Saba, most of it grazing land, small field in cultivation, good house and large barn, fenced sheep and goat proof. Price \$12.50.
- 1100 acres 6 miles north of town on Goldthwaite road, 125 acres in cultivation, 75 acres more farming land, balance grazing land, fine residence and rent house, watered with tanks. Price \$15 per acre.
- 490 acres 3 miles northwest of San Saba 400 acres good farming, balance good grazing land, 300 acres in cultivation, 2 good rent houses with barns, watered with tank. Price \$30 per acre.
- 640 acres about 6 miles from Hall and 7 miles from Mercury, about 100 acres in cultivation, 200 acres more good farm land, balance good grazing, small rent house. Price \$15 per acre.
- 150 acres 2 miles from San Saba, all good farming land, 125 acres in cultivation, fairly good improvements. Price \$40 per acre.
- 160 acres 8 miles north of San Saba near Fairview school house, most all good land, 75 acres in cultivation, 4 room house, well and tank. Price \$20 per acre.
- 196 acres, 1-2 good land, balance grazing, 65 acres in cultivation, small house, good tank. Price \$3,200.
- About 200 acres on San Saba river near Darnoc, all good farming land, about 75 acres in cultivation and under irrigation from a 20 horse power gasoline engine, good improvements, pecan timber, on river. Price \$4000.
- 200 acres on San Saba river, 8 miles west of San Saba, all fine San Saba valley land, good pecan timber, about 75 acres in cultivation. Price \$40 per acre.
- 160 acres about 11 miles north of San Saba on Horse Creek, 65 acres in cultivation, good well, 3 room house. Price \$20 per acre.
- 1700 acres 3 miles from Cherokee on Cherokee Creek, 100 acres in cultivation, good improvements, good pecan orchard, watered by creek and well. Price \$25 per acre.
- 300 acres near Fairview school house, 135 in cultivation; 3-4 good farm land, balance good grazing; good improvements, watered with cistern and tanks. Price \$25 per acre. Will trade for smaller place and get difference.
- 100 acres 9 miles north of town on Goldthwaite road, all good land; 60 acres in cultivation, good improvements; well and windmill. Price \$3500.
- 200 acres 1 1-4 miles south of Locker on Richland Springs road; 7 room house and good barn, well in yard; 30 acres in hog pasture, 90 acres in cultivation, good orchard; tenant house. Price \$4000.
- 50 acres on Bull Creek 3 1-2 miles southeast of Goldthwaite; 35 acres in cultivation, 3 room house, fine well. Will trade for San Saba town property.
- 488 1-2 acres 15 miles north of San Saba, 90 acres in cultivation, good house and barn, well and windmill, four room dwelling with large barns, rent house; Price \$16 per acre.
- 160 acres about 1-2 mile west of Neal School house, 60 acres in cultivation, balance good grass land, 4 room house, good barn, small orchard, fine tanks. Price \$2500.
- 222 acres 1 mile south of Holt, 125 acres in cultivation, two improvements, two orchards, 100 acres fenced rabbit proof. Price \$4000.
- 700 acres 4 to 6 miles north of San Saba on Goldthwaite road about 3-4 good farming land, 150 acres in cultivation, house and tank. Price \$20 per acre.
- 130 acres 4 miles north of Richland Springs, most of it good farm land and over half in cultivation, good residence and barn, fine shallow well, good orchard. Price \$4000.
- 218 acres 2 miles north of Richland Springs, 40 acres farm land. Price 25 per acre.
- 100 acres on Colorado river in Show Bend, good house and barn, well; 75 acres in cultivation, good pecan timber, all good farm land. Price \$4000.

Other lands and town property in San Saba and Richland Springs.

John Deere Plow Tools.

We have a good stock of the following Van Brunt Grain Drills. This will increase your grain yield at least 25 per cent. Disc Harrows with Seeders and Tongue Trucks, Heavy and Pony Disc Breaking Plows. Stag Sulky's with quick detachable shares. Walking plows Mowers and Rakes. You can save 30 per cent by buying your

Planter or Cultivator now. Farm Wagons, 3 inch, 3 1/4 and 3 1/2 inch, also Farm Truck. One Surry and 12 Buggies at bargains.
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Under stress of these unusual conditions, The Star-Telegram has been forced to increase its "Bargain Days" rate from \$3.25 to \$3.65. An increase of 40c per year (3 1-3c per month) or 12 per cent. Based on the conservative estimate increase in production cost of 100 per cent, under this price the division of added expense will be as follows:

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Largest Submarine

The Fore River Ship Building Corporation, Quincy, Mass. says The Iron Trade Review, has started construction work on the Schley, which when completed, will be the largest submarine in the United States Navy. She will be about 270 feet over all. The Schley will have an ordinary radius of action of about 2,500 miles without replenishing her fuel tanks. If necessary she will be able to carry oil to take her twice that distance. Diesel engines will give her a surface speed of about 20 knots and electric motors will give a submerged speed of about 11 knots. Using only her storage batteries, the Schley will be able to travel completely submerged for a day. The vessel will cost about \$1,400,000.

Nickel Store Improves.

Manager Stobaugh of the Nickel Store has had the show windows of his classy store repainted and decorated. The windows always deserve commendation, but they are unusually striking now.

THE ELECTION IS OVER

NOW FOR

T. C. HENRY

to purchase my fall and winter dry goods. He has the stock and his prices are O. K.

Dry Weather Store.

DISTRICT COURT

District Court will convene Monday, November 13th., at 9 o'clock A. M. Following is the docket:

Criminal

State vs. C. F. Streich, assault with intent to murder, continued from last term. Set for Tuesday at 9 o'clock a. m. of the first week of court.

State vs. D. H. Patrick, embezzlement, two cases.

Civil

Geo. E. Montgomery vs. Richard Oil Co., suit in garnishment.

Bexar Construction Co. vs. H. H. Shelton, et als., suit on contract and for damages.

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor vs. Tom Taylor, et als., suit for partition and division of property.

J. A. Carter vs. W. P. Lambert, suit to recover real estate, and to cancel deed.

J. W. Fry vs. G. M. Smith, Jr., and J. E. Odiorne, suit for damages.

Mrs. Emma Kuehn vs. R. W. Kuehn, suit to set aside an agreement and for damages.

A. B. Wilson vs. R. W. Kuehn et als., suit for professional services and \$500 interest.

A. Behrens vs. Charlie Behrens, et al., suit for damages for personal injury.

C. W. McClellan vs. J. R. Daniel, suit to cancel conveyance for damages and for injunction.

W. J. Barber vs. J. L. Dailey, et al., suit on promissory note and for foreclosure of Daad of Trust.

James Flack vs. O. D. Slaughter, et als., suit on note and foreclosure of Deed of Trust Lien.

J. T. Stiles vs. Z. T. Maxwell, suit for debt.

San Saba Mfg. Co. vs. A. G. Vanderhider, et als., suit on notes and foreclosure of mortgage lien.

N. E. Cannon et als. vs. W. C. Cannon, et als., suit in partition.

E. C. Stockdick vs. P. A. Watson et als., suit on note.

J. T. Stiles vs. J. L. Simms, suit in garnishment.

J. H. Broadway for benefit of his son, Alfred Broadway, vs. Vermont Marble Co. of Texas, suit for damages.

Benton Taylor et als., vs. Geo.

W. White, suit to try title and for damages.

Mrs. L. B. Rector vs. F. F. Rutherford, suit on note.

M. H. Reed vs. W. W. Watkins suit on note.

Mrs. Addie Ward vs. F. F. Rutherford and J. B. Phillips, suit on note.

G. M. Smith, Jr., vs. H. C. Galloway and J. E. Odiorne, suit on note.

Miss Callie Harris vs. Mrs. Lillie Harris, et als., suit to partition real estate.

T. B. Harrell vs. Brown Stockton, suit to try title and for damages.

G. M. Smith, Jr. vs. J. W. Fry suit on note.

G. M. Smith, Jr. vs. San Saba Mill and Elevator Co., suit in garnishment.

G. M. Smith, Jr. vs. J. W. Fry, et als., suit on note.

H. E. Draper vs. C. R. Green, suit to cancel deed for an accounting and for damages.

Mrs. Bessie Thompson vs. C. A. Weldon, et als., suit in partition.

F. A. Taylor vs. F. H. Stewart suit to try title.

Young Pierce vs. T. A. Baker, et als., suit for appointment of receiver.

Mrs. Hattie Ledbetter vs. J. F. Wallace et als., suit for partition and divorce property.

Addie Wood, Guardian, vs. W. A. Hardin, et als., suit on note.

O. H. Hall vs. T. L. King, et als., suit on notes.

W. H. Gibbons vs. J. O. King, et als., suit on note.

J. E. Odiorne vs. G. C. & S. F. Ry., suit for damages.

J. C. and E. L. Avery vs. G. C. & S. F. Ry., suit for damages.

J. E. Odiorne et als., vs. G. C. & S. F. Ry., suit for damages.

J. E. Odiorne vs. Tex. Mex. Ry., suit for damages.

C. R. Green vs. H. E. Draper, suit to cancel contract for damages and injunction.

Divorces

Julia May Scuddy vs. Jas. A. Scuddy.

Estelle Teague vs. J. H. Teague.

Isaac O. Williams vs. Bessie Williams.

Davie Lamon vs. J. C. Lamon. Josie Seago vs. J. S. Seago.

W. R. Poindexter vs. Myrtle Poindexter.

Maggie Stephens vs. W. C. Stephens.

Martha McLendon vs. Mather McLendon.

Mrs. Annie Bowers vs. J. A. Bowers.

L. J. Warren vs. J. L. Warren.

Matter Easily Fixed.

Congressman Charles R. Davis of Minnesota relates that one afternoon a train on a western railroad stopped at a small station, when one of the passengers in looking over the place found his gaze fixed upon an interesting sign. Hurrying to the side of the conductor, he eagerly inquired:

"Do you think that I will have time to get a drink before the train starts?"

"Oh, yes," answered the conductor.

"But suppose," suggested the thirsty passenger, "that the train should go on without me?"

"We can easily fix that," promptly replied the conductor, "I will go along and have one with you."

W. A. Smith left today to spend a few days at the Cotton Palace.

Builds New Home.

John H. Moore is to be numbered with the progressive citizens in erecting a pretty new residence on the corner of the lot he purchased recently from his father, S. M. Moore. The residence is one to be proud of and makes a striking addition to that part of the city.

Services at Catholic Church
Father F. X. Gagnon will conduct regular services at the Catholic Church Sunday, November twelfth.

Miss Myrtle Godwin of Brown wood spent a few days her first of the week on business.

GUS YOUNG

Wants a share of your hauling business. Does all kinds of heavy or light hauling. Prompt service reasonable charges. Headquarters at Wm. Kaiser's Furniture Store.

Capt. Wilson Tells of

Trip to Old States.

Manager of the San Saba Star:

After an absence of four months, I am back again. An outing for anyone is always invigorating. Tho' the San Saba country is as healthy as any in which I have ever lived, yet a change in climate, air and water of freestone quality is apt to add something to one's weight and vivacity. But still I confess to having become a little homesick. Really there is no place like home. Tho' I have always been a kind of cosmopolitan nomad yet there are strong ties that drew me back to San Saba. I have been here too long to consent to an entire separation in my declining years.

My trip to the mountains of N. Carolina was a pleasant one. That Switzerland of America has been a summer resort for lo these many years. Small villages have grown into towns, and towns into large cities. Public improvements have added largely to the growth of the country financially. Every place is evidence of thrift and advancement. A spirit of enterprise is visible everywhere, and its manufactories are creating this revolution. East of the Blue Ridge the land generally is not half so good as right here in San Saba County. Little or no cotton is raised there. Pine trees and broomsedge grass are in evidence almost everywhere, and yet the whole country is springing into activity. And why this marvelous change? Simply because men of enterprise have determined to convert the cotton and wool into cloth, and hence the whole country is springing into activities. And what is being done there can be done here in our town. We have the cotton, the water, the rock, the lime, the men, the women, the means, and all we lack is the will and the vim. Now if our men of means and enterprise will only determine to stir themselves into activity, San Saba town and county will soon put on a new dress and flourish as a garden of roses in the month of May. We have a good railroad, and all we need and can't make can be shipped into our midst. Our rent houses will all be occupied and more will be demanded. More school facilities will be needed, and our churches be better filled. Wick- edness may slightly increase, but thank God a united Christianity can throttle it and bring good out of evil. Right is right, and truth and righteousness will ultimately prevail.

On my return from the Old North State I had the pleasure of visiting friends in Nashville. This city is truly a great educational center, and also a thriving business place. Fine buildings abound and many modern improvements and advantages are plainly in evidence. A kind young lady friend, who is an excellent chauffeur whirled me over hill, bridge, and boulevard with perfect ease, skill and safety. A speedy drive to the noted Hermitage of Gen. Andrew Jackson was enjoyed with two other noted ladies in the swift easy going auto. The Hermitage is twelve miles in the country. The old home of old Hickory as he was called, is a palatial residence, and is just as it was when he was president of the United States. A committee of ladies have it in charge, and a matron is always there to look after its safe keeping, keep off intruders, and admit visitors for a small fee to keep up the place. Going into the house one sees the same costly furniture that the old hero furnished for his devoted wife and his honored friends.

The parlor, the family room, Gen. La Fayette's room that was occupied by this distinguished visitor many years after his heroic aid given to America when it was struggling for its independence. He was invited by the old hero of New Orleans to share the hospitalities of this palatial residence. On the outside of the house we found the tomb of Jackson, the graves of his adopted son and family, and that of his old negro servant, all close together.

Jackson was not only a fighter for civic rights, but a lover of rural life and its advantages. His farm is evidence of this. It has been cut up, but the home and necessary surroundings are there, and also his old coach with sign of four fine horses. In this coach he went to Washington City, taking 24 days for the trip. There were no rail-

roads then, no telegraph lines, and the trip had to be made on horse-back or by stage coach. Jackson's wife was a Presbyterian and he became one himself and died in 1845, his wife preceeding him some ten or twelve years.

W. J. WILSON.

Business Changes.

A deal was closed Friday of last week by which J. J. Urquhart sold his stock of groceries to McConnell & Son and W. R. Harris.

The change came as a surprise to the many customers and friends of Mr. Urquhart, who had been in the grocery business in San Saba for over eighteen years. Serving an apprentice as clerk and delivery boy Mr. Urquhart was well prepared to take charge of a business of his own. Being so widely known it is amiss to mention the success he has achieved. He is undecided as to what he will do, but the many friends will be glad to learn that he and his good family will continue to reside here.

McConnell & Son have leased the building occupied by Mr. Urquhart and will in the near future move their stock which will only be one door east of the present location. They are not ready to give out as to what use the McConnell building will be put to, but we predict from all indications that it will not be vacant very long.

San Saba offers rich opportunities for those who are in search of same.

Musical

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend a musical at the High School Auditorium Thursday evening, November twenty-third, beginning at eight o'clock.

Model Market Moves.

The Model Market has leased the McConnell building on Wallace Street west of the Sloan building and after putting in new flooring and working over the walls, have moved to same.

H. A. Hector has recently taken charge of the market, buying from F. P. Knight.

Millinery Reduced.

Our entire stock of millinery is going at greatly reduced prices.—Mesdames Maultsby & Minton.

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DRY GOODS

SHOES

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Used Automobiles

Anyone wanting to buy a used automobile, will do well to see us, as we have several on our list for sale.

G. A. ARHELGER

Look Over YOUR PANTRY SHELVES

And make a list of what Groceries they lack. Then telephone and have us supply the needed articles. You will find to your delight that you have bought Better Groceries for Less Money than you could buy elsewhere.

We Pay Highest Market Prices

For Cotton, Pecans, Poultry, Eggs and Butter.

Whether you wish to buy or sell, it will always pay to see us first

J. W. McCONNELL & SON

Watches Brooches
Rings Gems
Diamonds Silverware
Etc. Etc.

All of the Highest Class at
Lowest Prices.

“The goods which please are already half sold,” runs a French proverb.
Our reliable goods have long pleased this community because they combine the qualities of durability, utility, value and beauty.

W. H. KIMBROUGH

THE JEWELER

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Josie Allen is visiting friends at Lometa.
We want your eggs at 25c per dozen.—W. R. Harris.
Mrs. Rook Williams is visiting relatives at Killen.
BARGAIN DAY every Monday at the Nickel Store.
Remember, we have Monday sales at the Nickel Store.
“Peg O’ The Ring” every Wednesday night at Majestic.
Wilburn Hoyt is spending a few days with homefolks.
25c per dozen for eggs. We want them.—W. R. Harris.
Bryan Baxter spent the week end with friends at Brownwood.
Bring us your eggs and receive 25c per dozen.—W. R. Harris.
Father F. X. Gagnon spent a few days this week at Lampasas.
Make the Nickel Store your headquarters for Xmas shopping.
When in town call and see us at the Nickel Store for bargains.
Mrs. Percy Roberts of Lometa spent Friday here between trains.
R. A. Sears is having a two story barn erected at his new home.
We want all the eggs you have at 25c per dozen.—W. R. Harris.
Homer Elkins has returned from a visit with relatives at Ft. Worth.
Floyd Massey left last week for a visit in Oklahoma with relatives.
LOST: Gold cuff link, wreath pattern. Return to Star and get reward.
Mrs. Ed Bales has returned from a visit with relatives at Bertram.
Dr. O. M. Walters, veterinary surgeon, made a trip to Lometa this week.
Jesse Brown has returned from a hunting trip to the border country.

Will Ashby wants your butter and eggs at the New Cash Store. Highest prices paid.
Dr. H. H. Taylor was called to Eastland this week on professional business.
Bob Holcomb of Cherokee was here Tuesday enroute to Lampasas on business.
Will R. Smith has returned from San Angelo where he attended the fair.
Attorney Jas. H. Baker made a business visit to Lometa the first of the week.
Civil Engineer H. A. Rogers is spending a few days at Temple on business.
Mrs. Blanche Hooks has returned from a visit with relatives at Cherokee.
Wilburn Hoyt, Brock Ashby, and Jos Turner are at Waco for the Cotton Palace.
Carl Rye of Cleburne spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rye.
“Secret of the Submarine” every Friday and Saturday nights at Majestic, 5 & 10c.
Paul Nichols is numbered with the salesmen at McConnell’s Grocery Store.
Miss Hattie Fry is at home from an extended visit to relatives in New Mexico.
H. E. Love was called to Lometa Saturday on account of the illness of his mother.
Frank Hooks has returned from a business and pleasure visit to Hopkins County.
W. A. Hudson of the Eden country is here on business and for a visit with relatives.
Paris Johnson was among the San Saba people to attend the San Angelo fair last week.
Blue Bird Feature “Saving the Family Name” at Majestic Tuesday night, Nov. 14th, 5 & 10c.
R. D. Robertson and family have moved to our city from Eden. He is a plumber and tinner.
Mrs. A. V. Riley is at home from Temple where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.
H. D. Parker has returned to his home at Decatur after an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Smithwick arrived the first of the week from Lampasas for an extended visit with her sons.
Mrs. S. H. Sanders and children are at Lampasas for a visit with her mother, Mrs. H. J. Broadway.
Rev. W. J. Wilson of Lometa attended Methodist Protestant Conference at this place last week.
J. J. Joiner has returned from San Angelo where he attended the fair and visited relatives.
If you don’t come every day, drop in Monday and see our Bargain Counter.—The Nickel Store.
Huts Owen and Charlie Behrens returned the first of the week from a business trip to Ft. Worth.
Mrs. Emmett Johnson and son, Emmett Jr., have returned from a visit with relatives at McGregor.
A. J. Wise, J. D. Johnson, and R. A. Gardner were business visitors from Ricland Springs last Friday.
Miss Oma Hendrick has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Faris Miller at Ricland Springs.
Mrs. M. J. Chamberlain has returned from a visit with her daughters, Mesdames McDowell and Lewellen.
C. L. Elkins has returned to his home at Garland after a brief visit with his mother and other relatives.
R. E. Senterfitt was called to Austin last week on account of the illness of his brother, Rodney Senterfitt.
Miss Beulah Kirkpatrick, of Brownwood is the guest of her sisters, Mesdames W. R. Baxter and Otis Harkey.
T. B. Duggan of Abilene, representing the Temple Trust Co. is here on business and meeting his many friends.
E. C. Simmons left yesterday for Eastland in response to a message announcing the serious illness of a sister.
S. S. Rooney, traveling passenger agent for the Gulf Coast Lines, spent Friday of last week here on business.
Mrs. Travis Locklear of this place and Mrs. Sud Locklear of Ricland Springs expect to leave Sunday for Waco.
Miss Virgie Estep of Cherokee was the guest of Mesdames J. D. and Raymond Estep the first of the week.
Miss Myrtle Kirby has returned to her home at Lometa after a visit in the home of her uncle, D. A. Autry.
Mrs. Lon Paris, Misses Lydia Carlyle, Edna Reynolds and Tom Harkey are attending the Waco Cotton Palace.
Willie White has returned from a visit with Capt. and Mrs. James Boyd at Belton, and the Cotton Palace at Waco.
John Callaway and family have moved to what is known as the Marley residence in the southern part of town.
Miss Bertie Sweetman has returned to her home at Llano after a visit in the home of her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Lundy.
Bargain Day at the Nickel Store every Monday is drawing large crowds who go away satisfied with purchases made.
Mr. and Mrs. George Nagle and little daughter, Annie Ruth, are visiting the former’s aunt, Mrs. P. J. Hill at Bertram.
Misses Fay Wall of Brady and Archie Crowley of Ft. Worth were the guests of Miss Annette Moore the first of the week.
Ben Henry, of Weatherford, spent yesterday here on business and for a visit with his nephews, T. C. and C. F. Henry.
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Laughlin, and son, Warley, of Chadwick, are guests in the home of the former’s son, Webb Laughlin.
Dutch Magill returned last week from Sherman and is again with the Corner Drug Store at the cold drink fountain.
Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Arhelger, and children returned the first of the week from a visit at Gatesville and the Waco Cotton Palace.
Mr. and Mrs. John Stephenson have returned to their home in Bosque County after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Harris.
R. L. McConnell was here from San Antonio the first of the week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McConnell.
Dee McCombs and Mr. and Mrs. Will Thornberg left the first of the week for an extended visit with Mrs. Mary Tilley at Slaton.

FURNITURE!

Carloads of new furniture arriving, bought a long time ago and just now coming in.

This addition to our already large stock puts us far in the lead in the furniture and household furnishing business of this section.

WE HAVE THE GOODS

We Have the Prices!

The one thing we wish to impress on the minds and memories of the public is that: Whatever comes from W. A. Martin’s store is dependable.

A straightforward system of doing business with honest goods and with prices as they ought to be.

W. A. MARTIN

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller of Lampasas were here the first of the week on account of the illness of the latter’s sister, Annie Ruth Rye.
Lee Jones of Brady spent Saturday here between trains with his brother, C. T. Jones, while enroute to Houston to look after his oil interests.
Miss Emma Rochelle has returned from a visit with her relatives at Goldthwaite. Her cousin, Miss Bettie Lee Jackson, accompanied her home.
Ollie and Earl Flood, Penn Brown and Edgar Hubbert left last week in a car on a prospecting and pleasure trip to west Texas and New Mexico.
W. F. Sullivan and son, Barney, and Rainey Moore left this week for Comstock where they will visit the former’s son, Pat Sullivan, and enjoy a hunt.
Lee Grumbles went to Austin last week to accompany his brother, Ernest, home. The latter had been at Austin for an extended visit with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Williams and Carl Johnson motored to Lometa Saturday to meet Mrs. Arthur Williams of Dallas who will visit with relatives.
James Brown, Oscar Kunitz, Lewis Sanders and John Grantham have returned to their home at Brownwood after a visit with relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Holm and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brayly of Oklahoma, are guests of the ladies’ sister, Mrs. Taylor Harkey, and father, J. W. E. Samson.
R. C. Turner has returned from Eureka Springs, Ark., where he accompanied his daughter, Miss Beatrice, who will spend some time there for treatment.
Rev. A. J. Barnett, Protestant Methodist Minister, and family left this week for Duffau where he was sent by the conference which convened in this city last week.
Miss Lucy Taylor has returned to Ricland Springs after a visit with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Williams accompanied her home Friday, returning the same day.

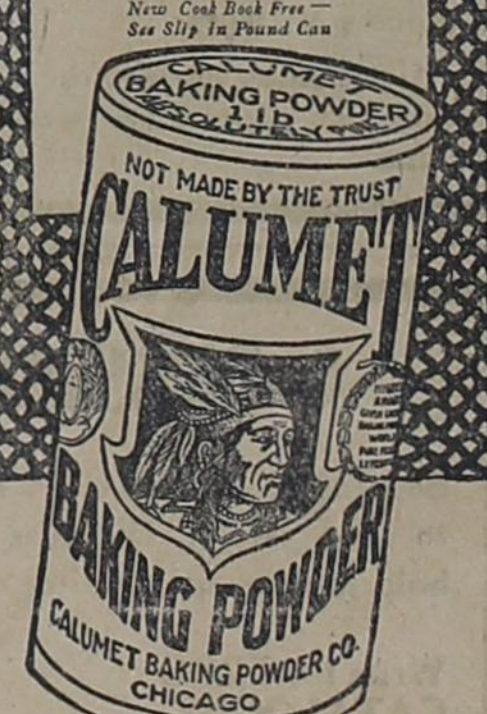
Mrs. Sid Quayle of Hillsboro was the week end guest of Mrs. J. P. McCaskill. She left Monday accompanied by Mrs. McCaskill for Waco where they will attend the Cotton Carnival.
Hons. W. D. Cowan and E. B. House, Chief Clerk of the Warehouse Department and State Revenue Agent, respectively, were here from Austin Tuesday casting their vote for Wilson.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Winkle and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Winkle have returned to their home at Llano after a visit with the former’s son, A. H. Winkle. They also visited relatives at Ricland Springs.
R. C. Lunsford went to Brownwood Saturday in response to a message announcing the death of his brother-in-law, J. P. Holcomb. He will remain for a several weeks visit with his sister and children.
Mrs. J. A. Davis and baby have returned to their home at San Antonio after a visit with her father, James Burns, who is suffering from a stroke of paralysis. We regret to report that Mr. Burns is not improving.
Mrs. J. N. Malone left last week for Temple to spend a few days and from there will go to La Pryor, her former home, to have the household goods shipped to this place where she and Mr. Malone are making their home.
A. V. Riley, president of the Riley Cedar Co., is spending the week at Bertram where he contemplates opening cedar yard No. 2. He met Dr. Thomas Vaughn of Taylor, who owns about 2,000 acres of cedar in Burnet County.
Mr. and Mrs. Gus Ellison arrived the first of the week from Lockhart and will make this place their home. Mrs. Ellison is a daughter of B. D. Sullivan. We are glad to number them with our citizens.
Rev. G. W. Light, pastor of the Baptist Church, went to Aspermont last week in response to a call from that church to give them a hearing. He returned Tuesday and after the urgent recall from the members of the church, decided to remain at San Saba.

Monday of each week is BARGAIN DAY at the Nickel Store.



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LOMETA ITEMS.

(From Reporter.) John Shelton now occupies his new residence in the Kirby addition. W. T. Moore made a business trip to Richland Springs this week. Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stokes returned Monday from a visit with relatives in San Saba. Jesse Richards of Waco was here last week on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Marley. Miss Eva Jackson entertained a number of the young people with a party the first of the week. F. M. Hendley reports the sale of the Earl Reed farm. We are glad to report that Mr. Reed will not leave the Lometa country. H. E. Cone returned Monday from a business visit to Dallas. He informs us that while away he purchased a line of holiday goods. Matt Roach, who formerly lived here, was in the city the first part of the week visiting his brother, R. J. Roach and other relatives. J. J. Brown left this morning for Marlin where he is under treatment of a specialist. His many friends hope he will be restored to his former good health. Miss Martha Kring, of Chapel, returned Tuesday from Temple where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. The many friends of the family will be glad to know that she is rapidly recovering. Contractor H. Wilson reports having completed one of the new houses that is being erected by Geo. Bryant on the Dr. Townsend property. Mr. Wilson has the contract to erect three of these houses. Last Saturday night the fire alarm was sounded and before the people could realize that there was really a fire, the Burton & Smith gin was practically destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown as there was no one at the gin when it caught. The property was valued at about \$5,000 with \$3,000 insurance. Mr. Burton informs us that he is not certain that they will rebuild, but it is likely that they will. Mrs. Wm. Lowe was the victim of a rather peculiar accident last Saturday night while walking down the street. Having recently moved to their home in the Fulton addition, Mrs. Lowe supposed some of her chickens had strayed back to the old home and it was while passing near a fence where a gentleman was cutting wood that the accident occurred. From what we have been able to learn of the accident, the axe slipped from the hand of the man, and as it was swung with a great deal of force it went some distance, striking Mrs. Lowe on the back of the neck, inflicting a serious, but not dangerous wound. Medical aid was summoned, and at last reports she was resting nicely, with no prospects of serious consequences.

SEND IT BY WIRELESS

MESSAGE SENT FROM BRADY TO SHIP AT SEA. Reply Received in Fourteen Hours—Message First Wireless Sent From Brady. Brady sent her first wireless message last Tuesday night and by Wednesday morning a reply was received to the message from a ship half way across the ocean. The Western Union Telegraph & Telephone Co. has long established a reputation for service, but the returns on Brady's first wireless message were so prompt as to be astounding. Mrs. Belle Morgan, local operator for the Western Union, takes great pride in the dispatch with which the message went through, and still greater pride in the fact that the Brady office was the only one which could handle the message. A Mason man was author of the message. He desired to communicate with the steamship, New York, then 60 hours out at sea—practically half way across the big pond. He tried to get Llano to handle the message, but the operator there did not know how or could not—in fact would not handle the message. He tried other points, but without success. Then he called up on Brady. The message left here at 6:00 o'clock Tuesday night, and at 8:00 o'clock Wednesday morning a reply was waiting for the Mason party.—Brady Standard.

LAMPASAS ITEMS.

(From Leader.) The football team of the Lampasas High School defeated the Lometa High School team Saturday afternoon by a score of 12 to 7. Both teams did fine playing and it was a good exhibition of football. Invitations are now out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Bernice Elizabeth Clements and Dr. Norman B. Taylor on Tuesday, Nov. 14, at the home of Miss Clements' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clements, at 9:30 in the morning. Champion Bros. are now in camp on property of H. T. Hill, about two miles southwest of Nix, and will begin drilling for oil on this property in a short time. They shipped their drilling outfit to Elgin and will begin work as soon as it arrives. Rev. and Mrs. Thos. Gregory, and two children, Miss Hilda and Rupert, have arrived from San Marcos. Bro. Gregory is the new presiding elder of the Methodist Church for the Lampasas district and he and his family will receive a hearty welcome from the Lampasas people. R. J. Edwards and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of San Saba, were guests here Tuesday night and Friday in the home of Mr. Edwards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Edwards. They were enroute home from Dallas where they had been attending the fair. Miss Elizabeth remained here for a visit of a few days. Scoutmaster Hardison and his company of Boy Scouts returned Friday night from Dallas where they had been to attend the state fair. Lampasas had the largest company at the fair, and none of the other companies would drill against the Lampasas boys, which is quite a compliment to the boys. It is needless to say that they enjoyed every minute of the trip and gained considerable knowledge during their stay in the big city of Dallas. Some bones were unearthed in the cesspool which is being dug in the courthouse yard, and they are the subject of much discussion and comment as to what kind of bones they are. At the depth of ten feet a jaw bone of some carnivorous animal, with very large and sharp teeth, was dug out of the sand. Another bone which appears to be from a large human being or some animal was also found. This goes to show that years ago the city was very much lower than at the present and has filled up and built to its present height above the sea level by the washings from the hills around. Do You Have Sour Stomach? If you are troubled with sour stomach you should eat slowly and masticate your food thoroughly, then take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. Obtainable every where. Rounds Ladies Orchestra. Friday night, Nov. 24th. At Majestic.

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MASON ITEMS.

(From News.) Dr. Lewis was called to Pontotoc yesterday morning in consultation with Dr. Hutchinson to see Mr. Jewett's little boy, who had developed Tetanus caused by sticking a mesquite stick in his foot, but he was too far gone to be relieved and died in the evening. Dr. P. A. Baze had a Ford roadster stolen from him while in San Antonio last week. Dr. Baze went to San Antonio with L. F. Eckert, the local Ford dealer last week and intended driving one of the cars home. Dr. Baze did not return to Mason with the other parties, but decided to remain over Saturday and probably Sunday to visit his son Seth, who is in school there. On Saturday night he drove the car up to the theatre on Alamo Plaza and when he returned after the show found the car gone. The police were immediately notified but up to the present all efforts to recover the stolen car have been useless. As the roadster was a 1917 model which had not been used at all it may prove easier to locate than would an old second hand Ford.

SLOAN SIFTINGS

(By Rip Van Winkle.) Corn and cotton have been gathered and some have sown oats and wheat. It is too dry for small grain to do any good. Of course it will stand still for some time with little if any injury. Pecan gathering is the order of the day in this community. Some have a pretty fair crop too. Rev. D. H. Kirkpatrick of San Saba filed his regular appointment here Sunday at 11a. m. The Bro. said that in driving from San Saba out here Sunday morning a motorcycle frightened his buggy horse so badly that the horse suddenly turned around and broke the buggy shafts. Borrowing a buggy, the good brother came on and safely reached his appointment on time. Henry Taylor, wife and child of the head of Deep Creek were in on the river Sunday. The recent sick people of this community are rapidly convalescing. Road Overseer, W. R. Doran, had his hands out Monday and Tuesday of last week and helped his section of the road by throwing out the loose stones. Miss Effie Terry, who teaches the public school at this place for the coming year, will not begin school until Wednesday on account of having to give way Tuesday for the general election. We hope very strongly to see Wilson at the head of government another term. We know that he has a rocky time keeping us out of war, but has done so, and nobody knows what the other fellow will do along this line until he is tried. For my part I don't care to take any chances just now. Stock water is getting scarce in parts of the county. A good big rain at this time would do a world of good. Sloan's Liniment for Neuralgia Aches. The dull throb of neuralgia is quickly relieved by Sloan's Liniment, the universal remedy for pain. Easy to apply; it quickly penetrates without rubbing and soothes the sore muscles. Cleaner and more promptly effective than mussy plasters or ointment; does not stain the skin nor clog the pores. For stiff muscles, chronic rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sprains and strains it gives quick relief. Sloan's Liniment reduces the pain and inflammation in insect bites, bruises, and bumps and other minor injuries to children. Get a bottle today at your druggist, 25c.

THE OUTLOOK FOR COTTON

By Clarence Ousley, Director of Extension Service A. & M. College of Texas, College Station, Texas. College Station, Texas, Oct. 19, 1916.—With Cotton selling at 18 cents with predictions of 20 cents or more, there are those who seem to think that there is no limit to the price at which cotton may sell. Possibly it will go higher even than present expectations for a momentary period or for the remnant of the present crop. In fact no man may say with good reason what price cotton may or may not reach before another crop is gathered. A spinner who is regardless of his contracts to deliver cloth at a given future date, may buy cotton at such a cost and sell dry goods at such a price as will result in a net loss on the operation, but the spinner will not long continue to do so. I am thinking more now of the next crop and of permanent conditions than of the present temporary and more or less speculative conditions. The National City Bank of New York in its October report of the economic conditions, remarks, "Advices from Manchester show that the cotton goods trade over there, is very much disturbed over the outlook, as present prices for cotton are thought to make prices for cotton goods that will be prohibitory to much of the British foreign trade." This is a condition which owners of cotton should recognize, and which our farmers especially should consider in determining their course both as to selling the present crop and as to planting the next. There is a very decided difference between what the consumer will pay for necessities, and what he will pay for luxuries; between what he needs for cotton shirts and what he may do without in mercerized silk (cotton) between the number of socks he will wear into holes, and throw away, at one price, and the number he will have darned at another price. A large number of the consumers of English made cotton goods live in the semi-tropics of southern Europe, Asia, and Africa, where wearing apparel at the best is very scanty. These people will not hesitate when prices go high, to dress in a single garment or even breech cloth. Between the extremes of necessary consumption and luxurious consumption there is a margin of perhaps 25 per cent, possibly 33-1-3 per cent of the whole American crop. Therefore it is easily possible under existing conditions, for the consumption of the present crop to be curtailed to such a degree as to disappoint expectations of much higher prices for cotton this season. In my judgment, a farmer who has cotton will have no difficulty in disposing of it at prices now prevailing, hence he is in little danger if he wishes to hold for a somewhat higher price, which many operators confidently expect, but speculation at the present levels is very hazardous and not to be encouraged. So much for the present. As to the future, it is the truth of all business experience that no commodity will sell long at a large profit above the cost of production, without developing sharp competition. The cost of raising cotton in the south is 9 cents to 12 cents per pound, making only modest allowance for the farmer's labor and for the interest upon the investment, and a selling price above 15 cents maintained for long will both curtail consumption and stimulate competition. In South America, Asia and Africa there is much more land available for cotton than there is now in cultivation in the south. Even under present conditions, Turkey is furnishing a considerable supply of cotton to Germany and Austria, as was stated a few days ago by the Hon. Arthur Kuffler, the greatest of the Teutonic manufacturers. Russia was producing before the war about one million bales per year and China, under the domination of Japan, is rapidly expanding her cotton production. If the European war should end and before another crop is planted it is easily possible for these countries to increase their cotton output in the aggregate two to three million bales. It is a sad mistake for the South to assume that 18 cent cotton or even 15 cent cotton, can be maintained in spite of supply, or that the South is the

Preparedness Is one of the big questions of the day. Are you prepared to meet the difficulties that may come to everyone some time or other? You cannot readily prepare at the last minute; it should be done in advance. What better preparation than an account with the City National Bank, and NOW is the time to start. We serve and take care of our customers. Ask them. THE CITY NATIONAL BANK CAPITAL, \$100,000.00 SAFETY SERVICE SILENCE

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only place on earth where cotton can be grown at a profit. Having advised farmers before the opening of this season to market slowly and having expressed the opinion several weeks ago that cotton would reach at least 18 cents per pound, I feel that these facts should be brought to their attention. About this time in 1914 we were selling cotton at 7 cents per pound. We have the same war now as then. We then had a sixteen million bale crop; we now have a twelve million bale crop. As our mental panic and lack of foresight then caused us to sell our cotton at less than it was really worth, so excitement and lack of careful observation may now cause us to make a disastrous plunge into speculative production.

Slump in Reading. We haven't time for magazines, nor patience with romances, for touring cars and limousines have altered circumstances. We used to sit before the gent who punish sounding lyes and all that bunch of fellers. We read up Homer, Milton, Bill—old Bill, the bard of Avon, and strained our intellects until we had to rub some salve on. The bookstores got our extra change, when we went forth a shopping; but now alas—'tis sad and strange—old customs we are dropping. Ere I went daft on gasoline, and tires and clutch and starter, I bought the words of Anna Green and Bertha Clay and Carter, I read all kinds of helpful tomes indorsed by the church and college, I read the tales of Sherlock Holmes, and stored the knowledge in my mind. But now my books have vanished clean with all their buckram facings; they had to go for gasoline and inner tubes, and casings. I gave John Milton for a tire and Pope to fix a puncture; I go to soak my priceless lyre to buy gas, at this juncture. —Walt Mason.

I am prepared to do either plain or fancy sewing and will appreciate a share of your patronage. Mrs. Emma Kuehn, South of School Building. 5c pies makes a nice lunch. Model Bakery.

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Stop the First Cold. A cold does not get well of itself. The process of wearing out a cold wears you out, and your cold becomes serious if neglected. Hacking coughs drain the energy and sap the vitality. For 47 years the happy combination of soothing antiseptic balsams in Dr. King's New Discovery has healed coughs and relieved congestion. Young and old can testify to the effectiveness of Dr. King's New Discovery for coughs and colds. Buy a bottle today at your druggist, 50c. Judge Seiders at Houston. The State Meeting of the Building & Loan Associations convened at Houston Wednesday of this week, and Judge John Seiders of the local association who holds the office of State Treasurer, is in attendance. The chief topic for consideration is needed legislation for the Building and Loan Associations. Among other topics, Rural Credits and Farm Loans will also be discussed. Having bought part of the grocery stock from J. J. Urquhart, we are better prepared to serve our customers.—W. R. Harris. Billie Burk in "Gloria's Romance" every Monday night at Majestic. J. E. Odiorne shipped five cars of cattle from Eden Tuesday.—Eden Echo.

POSTED. Having purchased the Ramsey ranch this is to notify all hunters and trappers that said property is posted. Will prosecute any offender. This means you. F. F. EDWARDS.

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School supplies, books that boys and girls love to read, candies, the famous Sears home made ice cream, cold drinks, chili, etc.

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Society

Her Little Brother.

That Mr. Brown 'at comes to see
Our Nell most every night
He thinks an awful lot of me—
'At's what he does all right.
Cause when I stayed las' night
in there

Where him and her wuz at,
He made me git up on his chair,
To have a little chat,
It's late fur me to be about,
He sez, an' pats my head,
An' asks me ain' I tired out,
An' wants to go to bed.
I told him "No indeedy, sir,
I'd ruther be with you."
He laughs and then he sez to her
"I've won your brother too,"
Nell smiled at him. It made her
look

Real pleased. I guess 'at she
Wuz really truly glad he took
An interest in me.
"My boy," he sez, "I thank you
for

Your splendid compliment,
Just run around to the candy
store
An' spend this bright new
cent!

Here take it, don't you hesi-
tate."
Sez he, an' he gev me one,
I tell you what, I didn't wait
But jist said "Thanks!", an'
run.

But while I wuz a-lookin' for
The place I left my hat,
I couldn't help look in the door
Where they wuz sittin' at,
Nell had her lips turned up to
his
An' his wuz close to Nell's,
An' then first thing you know,
gee whiz!

I seen 'em kiss theirselves
I guess Nell kissed him jist to
show
How pleased she wuz 'at he
Had been so very nice, and so
Real generous to me.
—Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

Brilhart-Smith.

Invitations have been received by friends of the approaching marriage of Mr. David Brilhart and Miss Vedia Caroline Smith, at the home of the bride at Mason, November sixteenth.

Miss Smith is well known in our city, having visited here a number of times. They will make their home at Lathrop, Mo.

Celebrates Birthday.

Saturday afternoon Matha Behrens celebrated her thirtieth birthday by inviting a number of her friends to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Behrens, for a party. The afternoon was ideal for such an occasion and many games were played and enjoyed on the lawn. In cutting the cake, Daisy Lee Taylor found the nickel, Mamie Lou Harber, the button, Rosa Lee Kirkpatrick the thimble, Kathryn Long the tooth pick, and Heywood Edwards, the pin. Refreshments consisted of hot chocolate and cake. When the parting hour came each declared they had spent a most delightful time and wished for the honoree many happy returns of the day. The following were present: Rosa Lee Kirkpatrick, Edith Allison, Katie Fagg, Maude Johnston, Mamie Lou Harber, Kathryn Long, Daisy Lee Taylor, Lela Behrens, Vera Dean, Matha Maas, Heywood Edwards.

Dance at the Club Rooms. With the Brownwood colored orchestra to furnish the music, the following enjoyed a dance at

the club rooms Wednesday evening:

Misses Fairybel Walters, Naomi Smalensky, Annette Moore, Blanche McConnell, Nobia Miller, Armour Leigh Burleson, Alice Gray of Cherokee, Adeline Little and Nina Burks of Goldthwaite, Beulah Kirkpatrick of Brownwood, and Lillie Wolf of Brownwood; Messrs. Joe Clark, Otto Harkey, Dick Miller, Dr. G. A. Wilson, John T. Canipe, Geo. Clark, J. T. and J. P. McConnell, Arthur Kirby, Roy Inks and John Watkins of Llano, Walter Weathers and Whatley of Goldthwaite, Bruce Low, Arnold Kirkpatrick and Harry Robertson of Brownwood.

Ninth Birthday Celebration.

Pauline Scott was at home to a few friends Friday afternoon November third, in celebration of her ninth birthday. Outdoor games were played to the delight of all and fruit was passed throughout the afternoon. Before the parting hour came, ice cream and cake were served. In cutting the cake the ring went to Charlie Scott, the dime to Mamie Lou Harber, and the button to Orine Rhodes.

The list included Grace and Mamie Lou Harber, Nan Beaumont, Frances Crain, Elizabeth Huchingson, Lois Gose, Frances Sullivan, Cordie Burleson, Euphia Collins, Eunice Loucks, Orine Rhodes, Alice Lee Faver, Clara and Genevieve Halden, Flora Belle and Cleburne Whitt, Pauline and Charlie Scott.

Eastern Star Banquet.

Tuesday evening at the regular monthly meeting of the Order Eastern Star a number of candidates were initiated, resulting in a rousing good meeting. The hall was decorated tastefully, the color motif being in keeping with the favored colors of the order, and potted plants and cut flowers lent grace and beauty.

A number of visitors from the Richland Springs order received a hearty welcome and assisted greatly in the secret work as well as the social side of the occasion.

The dining room with its long table covered with snowy Damask and laden with good things to eat, proved an inviting spot, and the refreshment committee was the recipient of many complimentary remarks.

The Star is doing excellent work and the meetings are looked forward to with the greatest interest by its large number of members.

Which Was Hit?

A solicitor somewhat notorious for his sharp practice, represented an old Irish laboring man recently in an action against a business house. The suit was for injuries received by the Irishman from a brick which had struck him on the head during a high wind, the missile having been dislodged from the roof of the firm's business premises.

To avoid litigation, the defendants compromised the matter by sending a check for \$250 to the prosecuting attorney.

When the following day the old Irishman received a letter to attend at the solicitor's office, he conjured up visions of receiving vast wealth as a salve for his injuries.

"Well, Mr. Z—," said the wily lawyer, "I got \$250 out of —'s firm; but of course you'll quite understand that my out-of-the-pocket expenses have been very heavy. In fact I have been to so much expense and so much waste of time over this trivial matter that I think it will be fair if I now hand you \$25 for your share of the money I received from the defendants."

"Thank you, sorr, for yore generosity," quoth the son of Erin, with deep feeling, "but would ye pardon me axing ye one question—which of us did the brick hit?"

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Chef with sixteen years experience. Every order served to taste.

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BURNET ITEMS.

(From Bulletin)

That okra stalk, fourteen feet and three inches high that has been in front of the Bulletin office part of this week was grown in the irrigated garden at the Sheridan Copper Mine. We do not believe any body can beat it.

Ernest Bouchard member Provisional Headquarters Department stationed at Corpus Christi, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bouchard. The young man makes a fine looking soldier, and is in splendid physical condition. His numerous Burnet friends are delighted to meet him again.

The Graphite Mining Company has one of their mills in operation and before many weeks will no doubt be shipping ore. Water is piped from the Colorado River three miles distant from the mill. Machinery is being installed for the erection of an additional mill, which will be of greater capacity than the mill now in operation. Great things are expected of this property when the mills get to running good.

BRADY ITEMS

(From Standard.)

Matt Allison and Jas. Dofflemyer were business visitors from San Saba Wednesday.

Mitch Johnson, accompanied by a party of San Saba folks was in Brady Monday enroute on a hunting trip.

Acosta Bros. report having sold 229 acres out of the E. E. Willoughby tract located eight miles west of Brady on the Whiteland road the purchasers being Mathews and Robbins. The price was \$22.50 per acre, and the deal totaled over \$5,000. The property is a splendid one, including two houses, with other improvements, and has 175 acres in cultivation.

Cashing forged checks brought a Mexican named Vollettine Sanchez to grief Monday. The name of R. K. Findlay was signed to a number of checks, which the Mexican passed among local merchants Saturday, but when he presented one at the Broad Mercantile Co. Monday, its genuineness was questioned by Ed Broad, and when taken to the bank, it was pronounced a forgery. Jas. and A. M. Findlay also pronounced the signature unlike that of their father. As a consequence the Mexican was taken in charge by the local officers, and now is languishing in the county hotel awaiting the action of the grand jury.

Workmen last week began the excavation for the basement of the new home to be erected by W. E. Campbell on the north side. Brick, sand and other material is already on the ground and building operations will be in progress as soon as the masons finish the foundation. The location selected by Mr. Campbell for his residence is on the north side of Crothers avenue between the residence of W. D. Crothers and J. E. White. The site is an ideal one, giving ample room for the residence and an unobstructed frontage.

Mr. Campbell has disposed of two lots and the residence on

the south end of the block purchased by him some time ago in southwest Brady to E. B. Ramsay. Mr. Campbell retains possession of the north part of the block, but has not fully decided upon his building plans or the exact disposition of the property in question.

Four States Going Dry

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 8.—Oliver W. Stewart, national prohibition campaign manager expressed gratification over the result of wet and dry fights in states today. "Returns show that the drys have added four states—Michigan, South Dakota, Nebraska and Montana—to the dry column," said Mr. Stewart. "We saved Arkansas to the array of nineteen dry states with which we entered the campaign. The election of Bamberger as governor of Utah, a democrat favoring prohibition, I think means prohibition by statute out there. With the swinging into the dry column of the four states noted above, twenty-three of the total of forty-nine states of the Union are now dry. And since large portions of the remaining twenty-six wet states were under local option, this means that considerably more than half of the United States will prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors from now on, or rather from the date on which the new law becomes effective in the newly dry states.

Stock Notes.

Owen & Kelley shipped seven cars of cattle to Ft. Worth. A. Behrens shipped two cars of cattle to Ft. Worth. A. E. Moore shipped one car to Ft. Worth. J. V. McCoy shipped five cars to Calvert. Pete Sloan received one car of Black Angus calves from Richard Selman this week. They are indeed beauties and brought fancy prices.

Horse, Buggy and Harness for Sale at A Bargain.

A good gentle horse, buggy and harness nearly new, for sale at about half their value. See W. C. Hutchingson at Star Office.

POSTED.

Positively no hunting or trapping allowed in my pastures in San Saba and McCulloch Counties. Trespassing must stop.—J. E. SORELL.

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Maybe It's a New Hat

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Just come right in and be fitted up and then say to us, "Mr. sent me here. Said it was the place for me to get full value and that he was so glad to dig up this Suit, Shoe or Hat, as the case may be.

A. R. MOSLEY

McCall Patterns

THE BUSY STORE.

Eiffel Hosiery.

Sister Dies at Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Noble and son, Bob, left Tuesday for Mullin in response to a message announcing the death of Mrs. Noble's sister, Mrs. Minnie C. Hodges. She was only sick for a few hours, and the news came as a severe shock.

Mrs. Hodges is survived by a husband and four children, besides a number of other relatives and friends. We extend sympathy to those bereft.

FOUND: Keys on ring, with chain attached. Call at Star office and pay for this notice.

If it's in the baking line, give us your order. We can make it.—COOPER BAKING CO.

Wanted to Trade or Sell.

Would trade my small irrigated farm three-fourths mile from Court House square for larger place; would like a place of about three or four hundred acres.

Would sell the property. This is an ideal place for truck farming, besides a fine peacan orchard on place. See, write or phone me.

G. A. ARHELGER.

Junk Wanted.

I will be at the Smithwick Hotel Wednesday, November 15th, to buy Rags, Brass, old Auto Casings, and old Rope, etc.

H. STORBECK.

Worn Out?

No doubt you are, if you suffer from any of the numerous ailments to which all women are subject. Headache, back-ache, sideache, nervousness, weak, tired feeling, are some of the symptoms, and you must rid yourself of them in order to feel well. Thousands of women, who have been benefited by this remedy, urge

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Have a Tendency to
Roughen the Skin

An ounce of prevention is worth any amount of cure. Before going out if you will treat your face to a thin coating of "HARMONY COLD CREAM" you will be agreeably surprised at the results.

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