

The Odell Reporter

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ODELL, WILBARGER COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1913

ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR

Special Prices On Feed

Until March 1st I will make the following low prices on feed:

Cotton seed hulls, per hundred pounds	50c
Cotton seed meal, per hundred pounds	\$1.50
Mixed feed, 100 lb sacks, per hundred pounds	\$1.00

Prices will advance on March 1st.

I am yours truly,
W. M. SCOTT

Charlie R. Daniel Writes From The Philippine Island

Former Local Citizen Gives Experience of Soldiers In The Hills After Natives

Ft. Wint, Grandy Island, P. I. January 3, 1913.

Odell Reporter, Odell, Texas.

Dear Sir:—If the editor will allow me a small space I will write a few lines about one of my trips to the hills.

On October 20, we got word that the Mosoes and Negroes were going mad and killing everything and everybody they came in contact with. First I will explain what the Mosoes and Negroes are; they are a tribe of natives who never was and will never be civilized and their religion is, the more people they kill the quicker they get to heaven, they have a season for killing, which is in the fall and winter, although it is summer time here.

Now I will get back to my subject. On receiving that news, we were ordered to go into the hills and quiet them, I mean by quieting them, was to put the fear of Christ in them, as we call it. I was one among the sixty soldiers that made this trip. With a First Lieutenant we were all eager to get in a scrap with them, as we knew they had no rifles to amount to any thing and if they did they could use a bow

and arrow much better, so we had all the advantage, we had rifles that we could shoot 2750 yards accurately and two 45 army colts and plenty of ammunition. We hiked for five days, camping at night, by that time we were getting in among the head hunters as we call them. Of course we had our guard out all night to protect those that were sleeping.

Not being able to locate any of the natives or head hunters we spent the most of our time hunting deer, hogs and chickens, of course that was sport for us young men. There fell upon us an awful mishap, one of our men got killed and one very seriously wounded by the natives, they are sneaking brutes, I don't know any other name to call them but a brute, these men were out just scouting around and the natives sneaked from behind and killed one and wounded the other one so bad that he was over two hours getting to camp with only 425 yards to go, he had his leg broke and an awful bad gash across the stomach made by a Bolo, these weapons are their war implements, they are similar to a butcher knife.

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Will Give Ten Cent Social

In order to raise means for sending an orphan girl to school, the Ladies of the Home Mission Society of this place will give a ten cent social at Methodist parsonage Friday night Feb. 28.

The Ladies of the society invite the attendance of everyone who would enjoy a social of this kind, and are willing to contribute to a good cause.

Farmer Boy Struck Down By Lightning

Frank Lewis, a well known boy of the immediate country and son of T. J. Lewis, living on one of the T. L. Pierce places southwest of here, was the unfortunate victim of an electric stroke, which accompanied the local shower this morning about 10 o'clock, at their farm home. He and his father were going from the barn to the house when young Lewis was stricken down by the lightning, which left him unconscious. The assistance of a physician was immediately summoned, who reports him at this writing in somewhat of a bad condition, but does not think him dangerously ill.

County Farm Demonstrator Was Here

Lectures School Students in Regard to Boys Cotton and Corn Club --- Boys Interested

Wilbarger county's farm demonstrator H. J. Burkhalter was here Wednesday in interest of the Boys corn and cotton clubs that he is organizing over the county.

While here he made a visit to the public school and addressed the students in regard to the value to be derived from these clubs that are being organized over the state, and created considerable amount of interest among the boys. A number of the boys expressed a willingness to join a club which Mr. Burkhalter intends organizing at some future date and enter the contest for the premiums that is being offered by the Texas Industrial Congress for the best production of corn and cotton.

It will be remembered that a boys corn and cotton club was organized at this place last year, but for some reason no great interest was taken in the club by its members, and Mr. Burkhalter hopes this year with the encouragement of the citizens of the immediate country and by his being able this year to make more frequent visits to Odell to lecture the them on their work that they will achieve a greater success this season than the one past.

Measuring Social Success

The measuring social given at the home of Rev. H. C. Mason last Friday evening, by the young people of the church and others of the town for the purpose of raising funds to purchase new song books for the church was decidedly a success.

A large crowd was in attendance and each in their turn was measured paying five cents for every foot of their height and one cent for every additional inch over. The proceeds amounting to something over fifteen dollars which will be used for the desired purpose.

A Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Mary Archer living a few miles south of here on Chillicothe Rt. 1, entertained at her home Monday a number of her friends with a big turkey dinner in honor of G. W. Bucy's fiftieth birthday.

The invited guests report a nice time at this home, and that the dinner was of something of everything that anyone could wish for. Among those present were: Mesdames W. B. Bucy, D. C. Vassey, N. B. Bucy, A. A. Williams, Mrs. Burns and daughter Miss Beunie, Messers. G. W. Bucy and Mack Williams.

Parties wishing Tomb Stone or monumental work will save themselves money by figuring with W. W. Matthews, furniture man.

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The No. 11 Canton Lister is the best lister in the world, it gives entire satisfaction. Over 2000 Canton No. 11 Listers now in use in Wilbarger and Hardeman counties. Ask any farmer about them, most all good farmers use them.

Our prices and terms are right

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Chillicothe,

Texas

Plain View Items

BY PAPA'S BABY

The health of our community is very good except Willie and Charley Grimes.

Willie Thomson and wife are visiting their parents H. I. Thomson and wife.

J. R. Grimes happened to a painful accident Saturday, a cotton stalk hitting him in the eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb entertained a large crowd of young people on Sunday night with singing.

Bennie Scott of Estelene, is visiting his brother Earl, while here he is helping the latter pull bolls.

W. M. Riddle took a span of mules to Chillicothe Friday for which he got the dainty price of \$290.

Although cotton was late and badly damaged by the early freeze, W. M. Riddle says he is good for 40 bales on his farm.

J. S. Haynes and wife, J. E. Johnston and wife, and Andrew Grimes of Rockwall county, spent Sunday with W. W. Riddle and wife.

Miss Mary Ellen Crutchfield entered school at Plain View Monday. School is doing fine under the management of Miss Bettie Dennis.

Willie Crutchfield and wife of Tolbert visited their parents Saturday night, the former attending the I. O. O. F. Lodge at Odell with his father.

His Arm Broken

Jim Leake who recently moved from Vernon to the Holloway farm just north of town that he rented, had the misfortune Friday evening about eight o'clock to get his left arm broken just above the wrist.

He had been out to N. McDaniel that evening in Dr. Daniel's car to fix a pump, and was returning to town in company with Mr. McDaniel, when the car went dead on them about a mile from here; and in an attempt to start the car, the crank slipped and hit him on the arm. While it will be some time before he regains use of his arm, it has not given him any serious trouble since the accident.

The Reporter joins Jim's friends in wishing him a speedy recovery.

Wants to Meet Son of Scottish Parents in Debate

Local Talent Advocates Debating Society In Odell

Editor: With your permission I would like to say a word regarding a local debating society at Odell. I have talked to some of our leading talent, prominent among them my friend and neighbor, Mr. C. G. Thompson, and he with them expressed himself highly in favor of such an organization. It happened to be my good fortune, in years whose memory and recorded events have passed into history, to meet this Son of good old Scottish parents in public discussion, the memory of which brings pleasant anticipations to my mind, and I long for the time when I can again be the target for his crucial eloquence, or join forces with him and cannonade the other fellow.

What do you say, Brother Thompson, and others, shall we meet at an early date at the Auditorium of the School Building at Odell, and organize? I feel sure that such a literary society would be both entertaining and instructive—both at least to myself, and while I cannot promise to add much to the instructive force, I promise to add all in my power to make it a success by my attendance.

W. T. FLOWERS.

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CHARLES P. ROSS
Editor and Proprietor

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SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 A YEAR.

Display advertisement 12 1-2c per column inch each insertion. Locals 5c per line each insertion. **All advertisements will be run until ordered out.**

Silence is sometimes the best evidence of wisdom.

Do not loose faith in Odell, the builders hammer is continually heard.

The amount of gray matter in one's head is not always best judged by the size of the hat that covers it.

A war between the United States and Mexico, seems inveterate, and looks yet as if Uncle Sam will have to step in and settle the trouble that is now brewing in the old dominion.

If you want to produce an angelic smile on the face of your wife, tell her about the cost sale that is on in your country town, and present her with the necessary funds to supply her wants. But if you want to see the imp of his Satanic majesty depicted in her countenance tell her the hogs have eaten up her soap.

Everyone will admit that the non-progressive citizen is a drawback to his town, so far as his influence goes. Why not apply the same rule to the non-progressive business man or firm? Of what possible benefit can a business man or firm be to the uplift of a town who never contributes to the support of its enterprises? This should engage the thought of every enterprising citizen. —Ex.

That man in business to-day, "deceives himself", who expects to do a great business, when he fails to contribute or support any movement that is a

help to his town; he need not believe that such close action on his part is only known by one or two, when the interest of the town and its people are at stakes but the self centered manner of his conduct is discussed among its citizens and like wild fire spreads abroad devastating his trade and portraying to the minds of all, that he is not willing to "live and let live," there is but little room in the world for such a man, much less a town, he is only occupying the business place of some one who probably would have the interest of his town at heart.

Last week's issue of the Vernon Call came out with volume XXV, No. 1, and could boast at the celebration of its anniversary as being the oldest publication in west Texas without change in management. Under the proprietorship and with its same editor, D. D. McConnell, the Call started out for another year, adhering to that policy which has always been the policy of its pages, that is: to work for a better Vernon, a better Wilbarger, and for a better people. One of the peculiar characteristics of the Call as a news paper, and one that makes it different in some degree from other publications; is it always brings its well selected moral reading matter, which has its weight in shaping the lives of the readers; this besides its local news. The Reporter feels no hesitancy in saying, nor does it believe it any mis assertion on its part, when it affirms the Call has been an instrument in doing a great good among its readers, and we join the newspaper fraternity in wishing its editor the celebration of twenty four more anniversaries among us.

Wants Reporter Another Year

Charles P. Ross,
Odell, Texas.
Dear Friend:—Well Charles, I will drop you a few lines. We are all well and getting along alright.

I have got my crop about planted, such as corn, beans and Irish potatoes are up. sweet po-

tatoes planted, cabbage, onions tomatoes, peas, turnips, beets, etc., are looking well. I can furnish you folks in garden truck the year round, just name what you like best and I can furnish the goods.

Well Charles, it is raining today, but is not cold. I see you have been having some bad weather, you people had better move down in God's country where it is perpetual paradise and where storms and chilling blasts are unknown. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gearhart are visiting us, have been here a couple of days, sure was glad to see them.

Charles, I am sending you a check for \$1.00 to renew my subscription to the Reporter for another year, we almost fight over the paper when it comes as it gives us the news of our friends. Your friend,
W. M. Stalcup.
Feb. 7, 1913. Sinton, Texas.

Let us print your Stationery

LEASING OF LATERALS URGED BY TRUMBULL.

England's Example Cited—Separate Management Required For Each Line.

Houston, Texas.—When the railroad industry of Texas is built up to the high standard we all so much covet, it will be done by railroad men, and their views on our transportation problems are, therefore, instructive. We may, if we choose, differ from them, but it is well for the public to listen to what they say. Recognizing the importance of their co-operation in our industrial progress, the chairman of the Texas Welfare Commission invited the leading railroad men of the nation to appear before it; when asked for his views on consolidation of lines, Mr. Frank Trumbull, executive head of the Katy system, said:

"I think that consolidation of end-to-end lines or lateral lines, or the leasing of them not only ought to be permitted but ought to be encouraged. They go much further in England; they encourage working agreements between competitive lines and the amalgamation of them, as they call it. I don't think you need go that far; I don't see any more objection to a railroad acquiring an end-to-end line by consolidation than it is to a man buying an adjoining farm, and it is in the interest of public service that that should be done. Having to form a different corporation every time you build a few miles of railroad perfects the holding company proposition, not only encourages it, but it forces it. You have three or four staffs of men when one ought to suffice; you can't get the unification of service, of standard; you can't get locomotives and cars because when they are under the same ownership there will be petty competition."

Mr. E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe, also gave his experience with the present law:

"We have twenty-six miles of railroad running from the New Mexico state line to El Paso; it is our little dead end on which we reach El Paso. Under the laws of the State of Texas we have to maintain a full force of offices and a separate organization for the twenty-six miles of railroad at El Paso. We have also the Texas & Gulf over here and the Gulf, Beaumont & Kansas City and the Gulf and Interstate. We have to maintain separate organizations; they are all parts of one system and they are all end-to-end."

To The Farmers

Of the Odell country. Gentlemen, when in need of any kind of blacksmithing, repairing, work or horse shoeing, call on

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All work guaranteed.

Very Serious
It is a very serious matter to ask for one medicine and have the wrong one given you. For this reason we urge you in buying to be careful to get the genuine—

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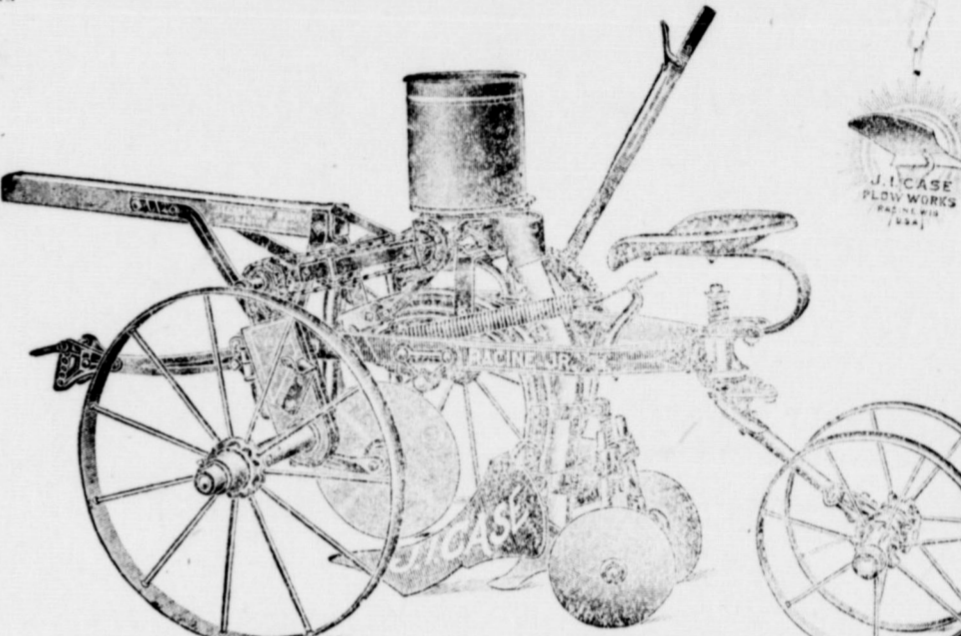
The reputation of this old, reliable medicine, for constipation, indigestion and liver trouble, is firmly established. It does not imitate other medicines. It is better than others, or it would not be the favorite liver powder, with a larger sale than all others combined.
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List your other orders with us. We are headquarters for hardware, queensware, implements, curries, buggies, wagons, stalk cutters etc. We are also prepared to repair your shoes, harness, etc. Yours truly,
W. B. BEACH & BRO.
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Successors to J. D. Handley & Co. Odell, Texas

Public Wash Day at B. D. Smith's Store Wednesday, Feb. 26.



We will have a demonstrator with us on the above date to give a demonstration of the celebrated **WONDER WASHER** washing machine. We especially invite the ladies of Odell and surrounding country to attend this demonstration, and if there is any men around here who have to do the washing we invite them also. Bring some dirty clothes with you as we propose to wash anything from a lace curtain to a greasy pair of overalls.

Don't forget the date, Wednesday, February 26.
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"If it's Hardware, we have it"

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"Try Cardui," writes Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I was in a very low state of health, and was not able to be up and tend to my duties. I did try Cardui, and soon began to feel better. I got able to be up and help do my housework. I continued to take the medicine, and now I am able to do my housework and to care for my children, and I feel as though I could never praise Cardui enough for the benefits I have received."

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Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. J 56

Mr. Man

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Yours truly,

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W. T. Collins
President

L. G. Hawkins
Vice-President

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\$10,000 in Gold Prizes

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Name

R. F. D. P. O.

Write name of this paper on above line.

We Need More Home Owners in Wilbarger County

The need of home owners in this county is vividly presented in the Federal Census report of Wilbarger county recently given out from Washington and there is an element of alarm in the percentage of gain of the tenant farm owner. Many of our most substantial farmers desert our farms annually for the advantages and comforts of the city and the opportunities of the city lure many of our brightest young men from the farm. Their places are filled by the tenant farmer and the hired hand, but another half century of rural transition and our farm population in this country will be a land of peas-

ants.

In Wilbarger county the Federal Census reports for 1910 show a total of 1435 farms. Of this number 555 farms were operated by owners, 878 by tenants and 2 by managers. The form of tenancy was divided into four classes, 348 farms were worked on shares, 10 on a cash basis, 1 on cash and share basis and 19 no basis specified. The census for 1910 shows 636 farms and 374 were operated by owners and 262 by tenants and managers.

Taking the entire state there are 195,863 farms operated by owners, 319,575 operated by tenants and 2,332 by managers. The tenant farmer has increased at the rate of over 5000 per year and the farm owner less than 3000 per annum.

The study of this subject has aroused many thoughtful citizens who have the interest of Texas at heart and the Texas Farm Life Commission was organized to suggest a solution for the problem as relates to the state as a whole, but the difficulties of Wilbarger county are peculiarly, our own and the progressive citizens of this county should organize and solve them in so far as local action can meet the situation.

There are many difficulties

that stand in the way of the tenant farmer becoming a land owner which require co-operative action to surmount. The rate of interest is too high; the method of marketing too uncertain and our economic system has many other defects which must be corrected. Likewise if we are to hold our successful farmers on the farm we must make country life as satisfactory as city life and the business of farming must be made more remunerative.

The greatest thing a human can do is to build a home and those who own homes should assist in making it easy for others to secure them.

Too Many Large Farms in Wilbarger County

"There are too many large farms in Texas and the average Texas farmer is trying to do too much," said Judge S. A. Lindsey of Tyler, who, as Chairman of the Texas Farm Life Commission, is directing the work of that body.

The Commission will begin an investigation into the causes that maintain this undesirable condition at an early date and Wilbarger county will come within the scope of the inquiry as the Federal Census Reports show 115 farms in this county that contain more than 500 acres.

The average size of a farm in Wilbarger county is 187.1 acres, which is 18 acres over the State's average. We have a total of 1435 farms in this county while the total number of the State is 417,770.

The average size of a Texas farm is 269 acres while those of Ohio and Indiana contain 71 and 78 acres, respectively, according to Federal Census figures recently compiled. There are 23,956 farms and ranches in this state that contain more than 500 acres and Texas ranks first with other states in the Union in this respect. A large number of these tracts are said to be held for speculative purposes and only a small portion are being used. The classification by size is shown in the following table for Wilbarger county:

Size	Number
3 to 6 acres	15
10 to 19 acres	8
20 to 49 acres	51
50 to 69 acres	250
100 to 174 acres	558
175 to 259 acres	195
260 to 499 acres	243
500 to 999 acres	84
1000 acres and over	31
Total	1435

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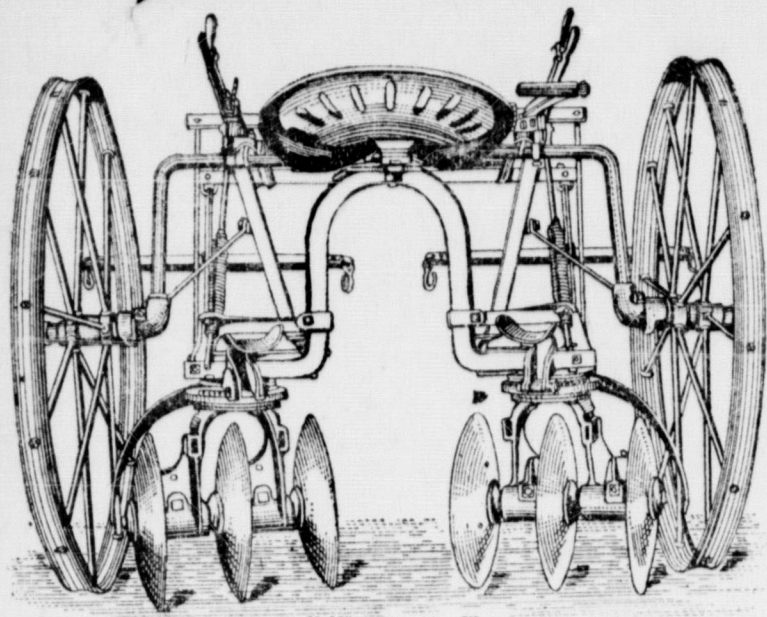
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Odell, Texas

Locals and Personals

Car Colorado coal at the gin, adv W. M. Scott.

Mrs. P. C. Bell was at Vernon Friday attending to business matters.

S. A. Naylor was at Dallas this week buying his spring line of dry goods.

L. E. Piper, cashier of a bank at Chillicothe was a business visitor in Odell Saturday.

WANTED—All kinds of sewing to do. Prices reasonable. Mrs. P. C. Bell.

O. C. Duncan returned Sunday from a prospecting trip out in Wheeler county.

Arthur and Harry Stalcup of Vernon, spent Sunday in Odell visiting friends.

Mrs. Charles Withers and children are visiting relatives at Vernon this week.

For Singer Sewing Machines, see or write, W. G. Collier, adv -3. Vernon, Texas.

Mrs. T. A. Hamilton and two children are visiting the former's parents at Crowell this week.

Ira Allen received a telegram Sunday from Garland, stating that his aunt, Miss Leonard had died that day.

Ward Baker and wife visited relative at Olustee, Okla., the last of the week, returning home Sunday night.

Don't forget that I carry a full line of coffins, caskets and shrouds all sizes carried in stock at prices that will be a saving to you. W. W. Matthews

J. H. Gobbell was at Vernon Saturday, while there he attended the trial of John Beal Sneed, who is being tried for the murder of Al. Boyce, Jr. at Amarillo last fall.

Car Colorado coal at the gin, adv W. M. Scott.

Try a sack of that Belle of Cherokee or Queen Flour. It is the best on the market. Webb Bros. Grocery Company.

J. P. Smith left this week for Jack county, to be at the bedside of his father-in-law, who is reported real sick.

J. R. Harrison and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of twin girls at their home that was born Feb. 13.

Just received, a large shipment of both kinds of onion sets, pure Triumph Seed Irish Potatoes at Webb Bros. Gro. Co.

B. D. Smith and W. W. Matthews were Olustee, Oklahoma, visitors Sunday, the trip being made in the former's car.

Sewing machines - Guaranteed to last through this life and half the life to come, sold by W. W. Matthews on terms to suit buyer.

J. J. Youngblood and wife were at Quanah this week, where they went to consult a physician in regard to the latter's health.

Mrs. Harden Ross and Miss Hattie Ross are visiting the former's parents W. E. Chastain and family at Ouanah this week.

W. E. Buttrill and Sam Cannon two of the Tolbert Rt. I farmers was in Odell Wednesday with loads of corn the former raised.

Come in and let me fill your spring bill of furniture, I will compete with any and all prices. adv. W. W. Matthews

Editors Ray and Nichols of the Vernon Record were Odell visitors Saturday, in an auto, going from here out to the oil wells a few miles south of Odell, where they had some business to attend to relative to the oil situation.

Clyde Watts of Vernon, who owns a farm near Doans, was here Saturday looking after the loading of a car of corn that he had sold.

Miss Louie Carrol, one of the teachers in the Medicine Mounds school visited relatives and friends here the last of the week, returning home Sunday.

Joe Greene and wife moved this week from Odell to the Round Timber ranch, the former has accepted a position with W. T. Gibbins, its manager.

Those who know themselves to be indebted to me will please call at the gin and settle at once.

Yours Respectfully, adv W. M. Scott.

Heber Tinsley and wife of Blair, Okla., who married at that place Sunday, was here this week visiting the former's sisters, Mesdames. Scott and Allen.

Prof. R. J. Belcher and wife of Vernon is visiting relatives here this week, the former is engaged in teaching a school near Vernon, but which is suspended this week on account of measles in the community.

Thomas Evans and wife of Vernon visited J. F. Mayfield and wife the last of the week and attended church services here Sunday. While here Mr. Evans called at our office and renewed his subscription to the Reporter for which he has our thanks.

J. P. Hamilton who was the first subscriber of the Reporter to enter his name on the Reporter mailing list, handed us the required amount for another year's subscription for the Reporter and Atlanta Constitution this week.

D. M. Kendall received a telegram Tuesday that his father at Elmore City, Oklahoma, was dangerously ill, he left the same day to be in attendance, but his father's death occurred before his arrival; Dave's two sisters Misses Effie and Ellen returned home with him.

Notice to Tax Payers

To those who I have failed to see after calling at your home, you are hereby notified, that you will find blanks at the Bank of Odell, where you can be assessed.

P. C. Spears, Deputy Assessor.

Nine Year Old Boy Dies

Clarence Kays the nine year old son of Tom Kays and wife of Cordell, Oklahoma who with his mother was visiting his grand parents, H. C. Dooley and wife, died at their home in east Odell Tuesday night of heart trouble.

His father was immediately notified who arrived here Wednesday to be at the burial of his son who was laid to rest Thursday evening at the Pleasant Valley cemetery, the Reporter joins its readers in extending its deepest sympathy to the bereaved parents and other relatives.

Weekly Report

Of The Odell Public School For week ending Feb. 14, 1913.

High School

	Males	Females
Total enrollment	15	13
Weekly attendance	15	10
Days present	74	57
Days absent	1	8

Intermediate School

Miss Doughtie, Teacher

	Males	Females
Total enrollment	16	24
Weekly attendance	15	20
Days present	75	98
Days absent	5	22

Primary School

Miss Hazard, Teacher

	Males	Females
Total enrollment	28	21
Weekly attendance	23	18
Days present	116	91
Days absent	24	14

Respectfully,

J. R. HUIE, Prin.

BARGAINS IN SHOES

To Close Them Out

We are overstocked on shoes, and to move them out we will make some very close prices on them for the next 30 days, these are the celebrated Sun Flower shoes, THE BEST. We will also give you bargains on most everything in the house.

We have a full line of garden seed. Onion sets per gallon. Would like to quote prices on all goods but like of space forbids, come and see for yourself. "We need the money, you need the goods."

J. M. GIBBINS

Photograph Studio for Odell

R. B. Clifton, manager of the Smith Studio of Vernon, will open a temporary photograph gallery in Odell in a short time.

Everyone in this section is acquainted with the high class work turned out by this Studio, and all pictures made here will be of the same excellent quality that has earned their reputation for good pictures and fair treatment. The new Magnesia Lighting Machine will be used in Odell, the same that is now in use in the Vernon Studio. Pictures made day or night. adv

Three Prescriptions And The Menace for \$1.00

I am offering my prescriptions for Blood Trouble, Catarrh, and Sweating Feet, and The Menace one year all for \$1.00.

I have used these remedies from 20 to 25 years, and am so confident of the merits claimed for them that I propose to refund the money paid for them if they fail to give satisfaction.

Leave orders with the Odell Reporter. W. T. Flowers.

Tidwell-- Lewis

Mitt Tidwell and Miss Effie Lewis two of the well known young people of the Jackson Spring were united in marriage here Saturday evening, Rev. H. C. Mason performing the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of T. J. Lewis and wife, and is an industrious girl of many friends.

While the groom who has been an employee of P. C. Spears of the same vicinity for some time, is a young man that is spoken well of by all who know him.

The Reporter with its readers extends congratulations, and wishes for both of them a life of much happiness.

Fargo News

Born to T. J. Belselman and wife, a boy.

Milton Cannon made a business trip to Vernon Wednesday.

Fay Collier left Wednesday for Arizona on a prospecting trip.

The little child of J. A. Clifton's, who has been real sick, is improving now.

Uncle Charlie Deberry is reported to be very sick at his home this week.

W. W. Adams filled his regular appointment at Maple Hill Saturday and Sunday.

E. A. McRae and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a 11 pound girl at their home.

Edd Shere had the misfortune to loose his fine buggy animal the other day with blind staggers.

Billie Barnes, the W. T. Rawleigh agent of Wilbarger county, made his appearance on the north side Wednesday.

Cam Tucker and family have moved to Vernon, where Mr. Tucker has accepted a position at the Starr Restaurant.

Lola Humphrey, Kate Lessley, Richard Patterson, J. E. Humphrey and family took dinner with H. N. McDougal and family Sunday.

We regret very much to mention the fact that we can scarcely have a singing or any kind of an entertainment at night here lately but what some one comes up looser of a buggy whip or a lap spread. The writer insists that these little rascals need something worse than whips and spreads, and that is a good four year old sprout applied to the southwest corner of their anatomy.

Did You Order Coal! Coal!! Coal, John? Coal!!!



A big supply of the best grade of coal always kept in my bins, buy your next ton from me.

Yours for good coal,

John evidently did NOT. But a quick phone call to us will prevent the slightest bit of curtain lecture.

S. B. SUTTON

Notice to Good Dressers

In order to advertise my business I will make the following prices from now until March 1st:

Suits pressed 50c
All cleaning charged for according to work done.

All work guaranteed.

Give me a trial and be convinced that I mean business. Yours for a square deal,

Odell Tailor Shop

R. H. WALL, Prop.