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Of and For El Dorado and Schleicher County, All the Time.

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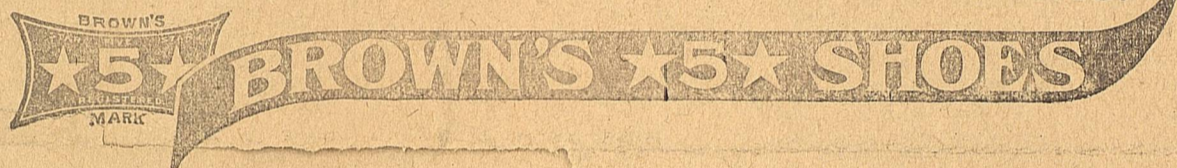
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HOW SAN ANGELO OFFICER TREATS A TRAVELING MAN.

On September 15th in the early hours of the morning while standing in front of the Landon hotel in San Angelo awaiting the break of day, after a long journey from Red River county, one J. P. Veech was approached by a deputy sheriff of San Angelo, and after being quizzed by the man who is allowed to "take a pistol" for some time, he told the officer where he was from, who he was and where he was going. After the officer (George Norton) and Dock Moss had spent some time in the rear end of the Hotel, the officer returned and found Veech still patiently waiting and disturbing no one. He approached the stranger and told him that he would have to search him, the stranger objected of course as he knew he had done no wrong or disturbed the peace, but the officers swiped out his big gun and proceeded to search the stranger who has just arrived in the city (a good imitation to the city wasn't it) about 30 minutes before, the stranger still resisted however, and the officer had to deputize two other men to help him, so after some hotel trouble of scuffling and pounding around with a six shooter the men who were deputized, finally got the stranger to say he would go to jail and thus a strange man in a strange land, who had done no wrong was landed in jail for his first time in life, without doing a wrong or having molested no one. Shame to the city of San Angelo for having such officers. Young Veech was not dressed up like a man who was worth lots of money, nor was he a suspicious looking character as one of the leading Dailey papers of that city has said. We wonder

The Eldorado STATE BANK ELDORADO, TEXAS.

TWENTY ONE MILLION DOLLARS

on deposit with Texas State Bank, and not one cent loss to depositors.

We call your attention to the report rendered by Hon. N. S. Graham, Chairman of the committee on Information and Statistics to the Texas Bankers Association in session at Ft. Worth Texas June, 4th, 1908, in which he says. "There are in operation today 314 State Banks, that were organized under the Texas State Bank law that became effective August 14th, 1905.

The results have been most gratifying, and it is the pleasure of the committee to state that upon information obtained from the Department of Banking not a single depositor in any State Bank in Tex, has sustained the loss of a single cent. The total aggregate of deposits under this call May 14th were **TWENTY ONE MILLION DOLLARS.**"

We are one of the institutions chartered under this law, and solicit your accounts on the merits of this report, and the accommodations we are prepared to extend you.

Come and see us. **ROBERT BAILEY** President.

NOTICE

We have purchased from C. E. Morris the City Meat Market and Restaurant and will keep, at all times, the best meat that can be bought, and Serve Meals at all hours.

Also wish to say our terms are Strictly cash 30 days.

E M & W W Barbee

why the papers of San Angelo didn't publish the trial and evidence that was brought out in the trial when young Veech was tried for his awful conduct, we don't blame them though, for the man who committed crime was not the one that was arrested, but the man who made the arrest. Young Veech is a cousin to our townsman I. H. Elder, and is of a three per centage peaceful young man and was on his way to our city to visit his relatives here, and probably locate here, Having reached San Angelo in the early morning about 3 o'clock he decided he would not go to bed but would wait there at the hotel for day light, and as above stated he was thrown in jail, he was given a trial and no evidences produced to hold

NEW SHOP

I have opened a Black smith and Machine shop next door to THE SUCCESS office and am ready for business with the Tools and Machinery to take care of your requirements.

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S. H. Andrews

him, he was released, and after being released he brought suit against Sheriff McConnell for his deputies acts.

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W. H. McClain made a business trip to San Angelo last week, Frank Meider has accepted a position as clerk at Mrs. T. P. Felton store and wishes to have his friends call on him at that place.

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A. T. Wright, Editor and Prop.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

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The Iron County Record has once more come a live with D. M. West and L. P. Henslee at its helm. Mr. Henslee will be the Editor and Sherwood should do all in its power to obtain the Record, a town that won't support a news paper is a back number.

A MATTER OF WORDS.

"Now, children," said the teacher, "I'm going to give you all this afternoon in which to write an essay upon motor cars. You can say whatever you like and treat the subject just as you please. Write 250 words; and mind your grammar."

This subject delights the soul of eight-year-old Aminta. Of obtaining full marks she saw confident, for had she not only the day before been for a motor drive in her own father's auto?

So she wrote this: "My father has a car. While going up the hill the other day the motor car busted. I think this is about fifty words. The other 200 are what father said while repairing the car."—Ex.

Miss Angie Alexander and Mrs. W. L. Edwards were in the city Wednesday shopping. Miss Alexander will leave for Brady the latter part of this week, accompanied by her brother.

Prof. J. B. Smith, principal of our high school, dropped in our office Wednesday evening and reports the school to be getting a long nicely, he said the enrollment had reached 165.

In the coming election in November a very important matter will come before the voters of the State of Texas. This is the amendment of section 3, article 7 of the constitution which will permit rural districts to vote a special school tax not to exceed 50 cents by a majority vote. And in most cases where an amendment is submitted to the voters, a majority of the voters or conservative about voting any change in the constitution, and especially do those that do not understand, and in lots of cases these vote hits all right, but in this case we urge and ask every voter to consider well the amendment that will be voted on in November. Unless the constitution is amended the children of the country schools will always be behind those of independent districts in educational lines. Under the present law it takes two thirds of the votes cast to carry an election, to vote a tax. Now this is the most important tax, and we believe its the only law that requires a two-third vote, so lets amend this part of the law in our November election. Surley a man wouldn't object to paying a tax when his own children would get the benefits of it.

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J. C. Goodwin, of Reidsville, N. C. says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure enough knocker for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns etc. 25c. at I. H. Elder & Son's drug store.

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The Mayer Telephone Company wishes to thank the liberal-hearted, enterprising businessmen and citizens of Eldorado who contributed to the building of their phone line from Eldorado to Mayer. Mayer Telephone Co.

The new telephone line from here to Mayer has been completed and you can call up your friends in that neighborhood and talk business to them. The Mayer Telephone Company have a card of thanks in this issue to the citizens of Eldorado, for their assistance, but its only a business act for our business men to be connected with the Queenly little city of Mayes.

Author Goodson who left for Brady last week to be with his sister who was sick and reported dead, has returned as for as San Angelo and reports his sister to be much improved, of which his newly made friends in our city will be glad to learn.

Another clubing rate offer. Subscribe for the San Antonio Semi weekly Express. with \$1.75 you can get the Express and THE SUCCESS for twelve months, subscribe now and keep ported on the National Campaign.

O. A. Savage was in from his ranch Saturday attending to business and buying supplies.

\$177,000 RANCH FOR FORT WORTH DIRT

Yesterday J. W. Breathwit, one of the promoters of Arlington Heights Realty company, closed deal with Dr. A. L. Taylor of Hereford and Dr. L. F. Taylor, of Farwell, whereby Mr. Breathwit comes into possession of 17,712 acres to a Bailey county ranch in exchange for one-fourth interest in the Arlington Heights Realty company and \$19,000 in cash. The stock in the Arlington Heights Realty company was placed at \$81,000 making the first payment \$100,000. The land was transferred at \$10 per acre, making the total valuation \$177,000.

It is the purpose of Mr. Breathwit to cut up this land into small tracts and sell to farmers.

Another deal is said to be pending of property located in Garza county.

Messrs Taylor will move to Forth Worth and erect home on Arlington Height,—Fort Worth Record.

It will be remembered that the Taylor's bought the land they sold from Sutton county, it being the Sutton county school land. The land was bought about two years ago at \$2 per acre at state rates. Dr. L. F. Taylor lived in our city for several years and practiced medicine and has many friends here will be glad to learn of his fortune. A. F. Taylor practiced medicine for a number of years at Sonora in Sutton county, from which county he purchased this track of land.

John Veech who has been in our city for the past week visiting and prospecting left Thursday for his home at Clarksville, Red River county, while here he was the guest of his cousin I. H. Elder. He says he will be back in the near future to the Divide City, he likes the out look of Seneca county.

E. M. Barbee has a notice in this issue to the cotton growers Mr. Barbee has bought him a fine pair of cotton scales and will be in the market to buy your cotton

Don't be afraid to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to your children. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. It always cures. For sale by B. E. Earle.

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Youths Companion	2.50
San Angelo Standard	2.50
San Angelo Press	2.25
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New York World	1.75
Saint Louis Republic	1.75
Atlanta Constitution	1.75
Texas Farm and Ranch	1.75
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Galveston semi-weekly News	1.75
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The Delineator	2.00
Fort Worth Record	1.75
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The New Idea	\$1.50
I readers Gazette	2.25

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Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Frankfort, Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." These painless purifiers sold at I. H. Elder & Son's drug store. 25c.

For So-e Feet.

"I have found Bucklen's Arnica Salve to be the proper thing to use for sore feet, as well as for healing burns, sores, cuts and all manner of abrasions," writes Mr. W. Stone, of East Poland, Maine. It is the proper thing too for plie. Try it! Sold under guarantee at I. H. Elder & Son's drug store. 25c.

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I will be in Eldorado the 27th with 150 Merino Delaine Rams. only for a short time. Prices reasonable.

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I have for sale or trade some BUGGIES and SURREYS, cheap Also Grain & Hay.

I have a fine lot of seed Oats now on hand call and get prices.

A Fine Milch Cow For Sale Cheap.

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T. M. Williams.

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Mr. John White, of 38 Highland Ave., Boulton, Maine, says: "Have been troubled with a cough every winter and spring. Last winter I tried many advertised remedies, but the cough continued until I bought a 50c. bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery; before that was half gone, the cough was all gone. This winter the same happy result has followed; a few doses once more banished the annual cough. I am now convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best of all cough and lung remedies." Sold under guarantee at I. H. Elder & Son's drug store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE.

El Dorado, Texas.

Sub scribe for THE SUCCESS.

Only one dollar a year.

Judge McNight has been having some trouble with his pump jack this week, but reports a nice gain on his ranch Monday.

All persons who have not paid up their monthly payments for caverger work are requested to settle at once, Mr. Whitfield will receipt you for same.

Dr. G. L. Lewis,
Dr. C. H. Murphy,
W. F. Ford,
Committeemen.

The San Angelo Daily Press-News has greatly reduced its price and has enlarged to twice its size, and we have a special clubing rate, with THE SUCCESS, you can get the Daily Press-News for \$3. Two good papers for \$3, bring us your order at once, while this special offer is made.

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"My Young Sister"

writes Mrs. Mary Hudson, of Eastman, Miss., "took my advice, which was, to take Cardui. She was staying with me and was in terrible misery, but Cardui helped her at once.

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It Will Help You

"Last spring," Mrs. Hudson continues, "I was in a rack of pain. The doctor did no good, so I began to take Cardui. The first dose helped me. Now I am in better health than in three years."

Every girl and woman needs Cardui, to cure irregularity, falling feelings, headache, backache and similar female troubles. Cardui is safe, reliable, scientific. Try Cardui.

AT ALL DRUG STORES

LOCALS

Ike Honig was a pleasant caller in the city Wednesday.

T. G. Chancy and wife were in town Wednesday, after supplies.

Charley Spencer bought this week from W. W. Strothers, one pair mules for \$150. He also sold to Mr. Strothers one bay mare for \$125.

Mrs. Mogford and Sister Miss Geter will be at T. L. Benson Co., on October 2nd and 3rd with a full line of Ladies Hats.

J. P. Hodges was in from the Doty and Campbell ranch Wednesday, and reports every thing going fine on the ranch.

Mrs. O'Hair and grand daughter Miss Berry, who have been visiting her daughter Mrs. S. I. Nicks for several weeks returned home the first of the week, via Del Rio.

Mr. E. C. Haynes returned home Wednesday, from a three or four month visit to relatives at Dallas and other places.

Pump-Jack see S. H. Andrews

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Will make you a new Flue or Trough or line your old ones, or make you a Tank as cheap as any one. All work guaranteed.

WHITE WYANDOTTES,

(From Celebrated Duston -train.) Eggs for hatching, \$1 per setting. Apply to Dr. C. H. Murphy Eldorado, Texas.

Don't forget to get that exhibition for the fair at San Angelo, lets show what fine crops Senleicher county will produce.

N. C. Hudgens and Lewis Holland has bought the meat market from Mr. Wilson at Christoval and Mr. Hudgens and family will move to Christoval about October 1st.

W. H. Williams the post master of Thorpe was in the city Sunday visiting his family who is here for school purposes.

Plenty of Seed Oats, Wheat and Rye at T. L. BENSON CO.

Having purchased a fine pair of cotton scales, and made arrangement for a limit every day, I am prepared to buy all cotton brought to Eldorado promising to pay every cent it is worth, less \$1 per bale for freight to rail road. E. M. Barbee.

E. A. Nall was in the city Monday with a bale of cotton and sold it to E. M. Barbee at 9 cents, this is a pretty good price and we believe it to be best, to sell as long as such prices are offered. Mr. Nall says he thinks his cotton will average better than half a bale to the acre.

J. E. Tisdale was in the city the first of the week shaking hands.

Pete Whitley was trading in town Tuesday.

Mr. J. T. Veech of Red River county is visiting his cousin I. H. Elder. Mr. Veech is out on the Elder ranch this week looking at the country, he is well pleased with the Divide land and will probably locate in this county.

O. A. Rolker was in from his ranch Monday, buying supplies and shaking hands with friends.

The Baptist meeting that started last Thursday night week, was brought to a close Monday night on account of the people being so busy, gathering their crops, and tending to stock and pumping water.

HIDES FURS AND PECANS.

J. W. Caldwell & Bro.

Location, in the Caldwell Wagon yard Block, San Angelo, Texas, No 361 East Concho Ave.

Will Evans was in the city Monday trying to get Bob to go out and run the engine.

Tom Williams spent Saturday visiting his brother Sam on the ranch.

Jeff Enoch was in from the ranch Monday.

A. K. Bailey and son Oliver were in the city Monday.

J. W. Alexander and son Ollie sold this week, 34 head of 2 and 3 year old steers to W. F. Drake of San Angelo at \$20 per head.

FOR SALE—One pair of mules, wagon and harness, for futher particulars see Nick Hudgens.

Tell the Women Folks!!

That a full and complete line of MILLINERY will be at T. L. Benson Co's in charge of Mrs. Mogford and her Sister Miss May Geter, On October, Second and Third two days only.

LADIES HATS AT T. L. BENSON Co. Oct. 2nd and 3rd.

W. E. Baker and family left Monday for Junction City to visit relatives. Mr. Baker ranches West of town about 14 miles in the Elder ranch neighborhood.

F. L. Cozzens returned from the Elder ranch neighborhood Sunday, he reports the new school house in that neighborhood just about completed. Mr. Cozzens went out last week to assist in building it.

A. G. Murphy was in from his ranch Monday shaking hands with friends, and reports killing two very large rattlers on his ranch last week.

John White was in from the Dabney ranch Sunday, he has just about completed a new residence for Mr. Dabney.

Mrs. A. E. Shepperd who lives about 18 miles north of town was very sick the first of the week.

Ollie Alexander left Tuesday for his new home in Upton county, we regret very much to lose him and his good lady from our midst, but our loss is up on gain.

James B. Harris Staff Correspondent for the Dailey Standard was in our city this week looking after the interest of the Standard.

Dr. C. H. Murphy has growing in his yard a cotton stalk that has 281 bolls of cotton on it. The Dr. has been watching the stalk with interest to see what it would do but the worms has taken hold of it and by there only being the one stalk they will probably damage it considerable.

Virge Tisdal was in the city Tuesday, he has just finished moving the Bates house he bought from Henderson, it was the Sam Bates house and not the J. S. Bates old home, as was published last week.

G. P. Estell has moved his children out from San Angelo and has moved into the house with G. W. Carsey, Mr. Carsey is contemplating moving from our midst in the near future.

Rev. P. D. Swift was among those that was short of water on his ranch this week, and also had to pull his valves Tuesday, when ever water gets scarce it looks like some always happens to the wells, the well was soon fixed and now Mr. Swift says he is ready for the wind to blow.

ELDORADO As Seen by Press-News Correspondent.

From San Angelo Press-News.

The drive from San Angelo to Eldorado, a distance of 48 miles, is a revelation to the florist, the naturalist, the geologist and inspiration to the artist and also the economist whose prophetic mind can but forecast the unlimited possibilities of this subdivision of Concholand, tributary to San Angelo.

In many of the valleys through which winds the public highway from San Angelo to Eldorado there is a profusion of flowers of richest hue adding their charm to the landscape, and in these delightful vales the florist could while away fleeting hours classifying these rarest gems of nature. The everlasting hills, graceful in every outline, and at this season clad in a mantle of haze that softens and mellows every tint and leads a fascinating prospect to every view; the geologist could revel among the foot prints of time, and from the frowning fronts of beetling cliffs read the mute record of the ages. At the pretty village of Christoval the traveler finds himself on the banks of the South Concho, a purring, sparkling, limped stream, fed by innumerable natural fountains that pour forth their crystal treasures from the caverns of the mountains, forming a stream that in classic lands would have long since have been celebrated in song and story. Here at Christoval the rushing waters are harnessed by the ingenuity of man and turned into the avenues of industry.

For miles below, the smiling valleys is dotted with pretty homes and flecked with fields whose dark outline is in pleasing contrast with the light brown of the hillsides and the pink and violet haze that mantles the landscape.

From Christoval to Eldorado, twenty seven miles, the road leads up the valley of the South Concho and as one pursues the route, he could but marvel at the possibilities this wonderful section may hold in store for the future development. Here are broad valleys now carpeted with luxuriant grass springing from a soil as fertile as that of the Mississippi delta, with water and timber convenient can not be surpassed by that of any other country in America.

Along this route, a number of large ranch holders and small farms are passed. Agriculture is among the latest experiments along the uplands in this section, and is proving eminently successful in every instance where correct methods are employed. The Eastern farmer who sows early and works late, who plows deep and plants in seasons, regardless of the phases of the moon or the prognostications of the local weather-prophet, is the modern evangel of Ceres, and is demonstrating the agricultural possibilities of this favored land, and once the home of the bison; next the range of the longhorn, and yet to become the abode of oncoming thousands of tillers of the soil.

Some two years ago, Green Chaney, a hardy son of toil, with slender purse but strength of brawn and muscle, located on a track of school land on the San Angelo road some 8 or 10 miles out from Eldorado. Alongside this road he has his 60 acres of cotton in a field as level as a parlor floor, and I venture to say that no farm on the Brazos or anywhere within the bounds of this State can boast of a finer prospect for cotton.

The plant is in many places shoulder high to the average man, has a rich, healthful color, is heavily fruited to the

topmost twig, and the branches, bending under their weight of fully developed bolls, overlap between the rows.

Mr. Chaney modestly estimates his yield at three fourths of a bale per acre while the know-nothings declare he will gather sixty bales from the sixty acres.

Seri O'Conne, an experienced agriculturist and cotton culturist, whose farming operations have been conducted, on paper, these many years, honestly believes that Mr. Chaney will gather a bale to the acre from his cotton field still further up the draw is the elegant farm and ranch of our worthy townsman and fellow citizen, Dr. Patton, who from a small acreage has had 3,000 bushels of oats this season and who has a large acreage in cotton, the yield of which promises no less than that of Mr. Chaney's. As to corn, this year's yield full, demonstrates the adaptability of the soil in this region to the culture of that king of American breadstuffs. Forty bushels to the acre is the average yield for this year's crop, and I hear of one man who has gathered forty-five bushels to the acre and left enough in the field to fatten his hogs.

For a village of beautiful homes, refined and cultured people, stately ladies and broadminded, enterprising men commend me to Eldorado. Seri O'Conne has visited many of these cultured homes during his brief sojourn, he has met quite a number of old-time friends and acquaintances of early days on the frontier, and he finds the Press-News a welcome guest in most of the homes where its coming is always awaited with fond expectancy.

Eldorado is a city of stockmen. Here they maintain elegant residences tenanted by their families during the school term, which is nine months in the year, and at the close of the term many of these residences are vacated to be occupied by others during the interim, and the ranchman's family joins him in the free, easy and fascinating life on a ranch. The total valuation of property in Schleicher county, as shown by the latest assessment, is \$3,190,925. The State and county tax rate is only 49.712 on the one hundred dollars. By the sale of her school lands in Gaines and Dawson counties, Schleicher is enabled to maintain her schools for a nine month term, and longer if necessary, since her scholastic per capita is \$22.50.

The Eldorado public school, under the able supervision of Prof. J. B. Smith, has in actual attendance 180 pupils and many yet to enroll. Prof. Smith is an experienced teacher, an erudite scholar and has a corps of excellent teachers to assist him in training the young Eldoradoan idea. Mrs. Smith, the accomplished wife of Principal Smith, is a polished musician and teaches a large class in the art. Prof. and Mrs. Smith read and appreciate the Press-News. Eldorado has two banks, solid as the foundations of the hills of Concholand, and these monetary institutions carry a large capital but do a splendid business. Judge M. B. McKnight, an old time friend of Seri O'Conne, is president of the First National Bank of Eldorado. The Judge owns one of the best ranches in the county and his connection with any financial institution would lend it solidity.

The Woodmen and the Knights of Pythias have but recently completed an

School Books Get Them At ELDER'S Drug Store

after schools opens and you know what you need.

Below is a copy of a letter sent us by the State Depository—as follows:

Aug., 28 1908. Dear Sir:—I trust the books shipped you on consignment account arrived promptly.

It is expected that you will sell these books for cash strictly, please so advise all your clerks.

Texas School Book Depository. The above letter is on file at our store for proof of same and we will have to ask cash for all books before they leave the house.

Elder & Son.

elegant two-story building, the upper story being used for lodge meetings. The Woodmen organized here about six years ago and they have an active membership of seventy-five. A leading Woodman informs me that during all the six years of the Woodmen's lodge or camp here they have never had occasion to bury one of their brothers, for the reason that none has died. This in itself is the highest testimonial that could be offered in proof of the healthfulness of Eldorado and its environs. The Baptists, Methodists and the Christian denominations all have neat and attractive churches here and most of them have regular services. At this writing Presiding Elder Renfro and Pastor Paine are holding services at the Methodist church preliminary to the quarterly conference which will be held Saturday and Sunday.

At present Eldorado has but one hotel owned and operated by that prince of jolly good fellows, I. H. Elder, whose motto is, "Eat less and pay more," but when the weary traveler falls into his hands and is led to a table supplied with the best the country affords, mine host forgets his motto and tells his victim to "eat, drink and be merry if you never pay." All guests find home comforts at the Elder Hotel, and for this they are indebted largely to Mrs. Elder and her charming daughters whose grace and kindly forethought make this one of the most popular hostels in Concholand. The Press-News is always found on their center table.

Seri O'Conne has been approached by a number of leading citizens here who inquired concerning the arrest of John Veach by San Angelo officers Monday night and some indignation was manifested over the affair. Mr. Veach, I learn, has a number of relatives here, and these are quite prominent in local circles. Although in appearance a very plain man, he has considerable property in Red River county and is held in great esteem. Conservative men regret the occurrence and express the hope that the generous people of San Angelo will, in the future, as well as in the past, accord protection to the harmless stranger within their gates. Mr. Veach is highly pleased with the Eldorado country and will probably locate here.

In addition to the many attractions and literary accomplishments of Eldorado, another newspaper is to make its advance upon the placid sea of journalism. Mr. Charles Champie, a young man possessed of a high degree of intelligence and literary attainments, has his press and fixtures on the road and will soon issue his first installment of the Eldorado Times.

FOR SALE.

I have two good young Jacks, I will sell either of them. One is 4 year old, the other 6 year old, will take \$350 for youngest and \$225 for oldest; both black with white marks, 13 1/2 hands high, will trade for cattle or horses at cash prices. For further information write or phone, J. E. Estes, Eldorado, Texas.

Oliver Bailey while in the city Monday, bought a new saddle from D. H. Kirkland.

Clifford Womack son of T. K. Womack left this week to enter the State Normal at Huntsville, he attended this school last year and thinks by hard studying he will finish this year, we wish Clifford the best of luck in his studies, and hope he will succeed in his effort to finish.

J. E. Mills was in the city Tuesday.

NOMINEES

of the Democratic Primary.

For Representative of 102nd District

BROWN F. LEE, (San Angelo.)

For District Attorney of the 61st Judicial District.

L. H. BRIGHTMAN

For District and County Clerk,

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For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

W. M. HOLLAND

For Tax Assessor:

H. W. FINLEY

For County Treasurer:

W. T. CONNER

For Commissioner Prec. No 1

JOHN RAE

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4

LEE WILLIAMS

PROTECTION FOR DEPOSITORS.

Just now, while the question of guaranty of bank deposits is being so much agitated, we would like for the people in this county to know something about the protection the law governing National Banks gives its depositors. For the contracts, debts and engagements of a National Bank the stockholders are responsible to the extent of their holdings in stocks at its par value in addition to the amount invested. In other words every stockholder of the First National Bank of Eldorado is liable to depositors for twice the amount of stock owned. A National Bank is required to make a complete statement of its condition to the comptroller at least five times a year, and is examined twice a year, or more, by a man appointed for that purpose by the Government. In addition to these inspections by the Government the Directors must meet once a month and confer on the affairs of the bank, and examine its loans and securities. These are only a few of the many safeguards thrown around a National bank depositor by the Government. We have their protection, to offer you, and in addition promise you kind, courteous treatment and all the accommodation consistent with good business methods. Come to see us.

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From the Devil's River News.

Will Sultemeyer of Sonora, purchased 16 head of saddle horses and mares from Eric Clout of Kimble county at p. t.

D. K. McMullan sold 125 head of 2 year-old steers to -- Freeman of Schleicher county, at \$20 per head.

Theo Savell bought the Benson property where the lumber yard is for \$600. The lot is 100 x 200.

Mrs. M. Debitsch and daughter, of Washington, D. C. arrived in Sonora Friday, and will spend the winter with their son and brother Henry Diebitsch on Lis ranch 8 miles west of Sonora.

From the Menardville Messenger.

Mrs. J. R. Hext was in the city last Friday, the guest of Prof. Allison's family. Saturday morning she received a phone message that her father George Anderson, was dangerously ill. She and Prof. Allison went to Hext at once. The old gentleman had greatly improved before they arrived, and was able to accompany them back to Menardville. Mr. Anderson is one of the most interesting characters in Texas. He has been in the state ever since 1832, was a soldier in the Texas war with Mexico and knew Houston, Burleson, Austin and many of the other heroes of those stirring days.

Willie Noguess sold to Mrs. Wilhelm 117 head of 2 year old steers, the price paid was \$20.00 per head; he also sold 91 fat cows to Fritz Wilhelm at \$18.15 per head. The steers sold to Mrs. Wilhelm were driven through here Saturday for delivery at the Wilhelm ranch.

Mears & Wilkerson this week bought from Louis Decker 50 head of stock cattle. Terms private.

Mike and Sam Alin sons of J. L. Alin of Rock Springs were in the city the first of the week, they report George Arnett (their brother in law) who got shot a few weeks ago at rock springs by Buck Gardner, to still be doing nicely. Arnett has gone to San Antonio to have the bullet which lodge in him cut out. We sincerely hope that the young man will

We failed to mention in our last issue that Miss Lena Whitfield had taken charge of her school near the Thomerson ranch the school began Monday Sep 14th, we believe the patrons of that school will be well pleased with Mrs Whitfield as teacher.

There is a rooster in San Angelo which is a perfect ventriloquist, and when he crows the sound appears to be some distance from the bird. That chicken has been the cause of the death of two respectable negroes of our city. They walked themselves to death trying to locate the rooster. —San Angelo Standard.

At last the negro question is solved. For many years the paramount question to many great minds has been, "What shall we do with the negro?" Some have advocated sending him back to Africa. Others predicted a race war in which the negro would be exterminated. But how much simpler and easier will it be just to raise a number of ventriloquist roosters of San Angelo strain mentioned in the Standard, scatter them throughout the United States and forever rid ourselves of the negro by his own self-destruction. The beauty of this method is, the burden of guilt lies on the negro's soul and leaves the white man with a clean conscience. —Clifton Enterprise.

They Take The Kinks Out.

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for many years with increasing satisfaction. They take the kinks out of stomach, liver and bowels, without fuss or friction," says N. H. Brown of Pittsfield Vt. Guaranteed satisfactory at I. H. Elder & Son's drug store 25c.

O. A. Savage was in from his ranch Saturday attending to business and buying supplies.

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To the People of Schleicher County



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Verge Meadow and wife were in from the McKnight ranch Tuesday visiting and trading.

A Traveling Man's Experience

I must tell you my experience on an East bound O. R. & N. R. R. train from Pendleton to LeGra de Ore, writes Sam A. Garber, a well known traveling man. "I was in the smoking compartment with some other traveling men when one of them went out into the coach and came back and said, 'there is a woman sick up and death in the car. I at once got up and went out, found her very ill with cramp colic; her hands and arms were drawn up so you could not straighten them, and with a deathlike look on her face. Two or three ladies were working with her and giving her whiskey. I went to my suit case and got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy (I never travel without it), ran to the water tank, put a double dose of the medicine in the glass, poured some water in it and stirred it with a pencil; then I had quite a time to get the ladies to let me give it to her, but I succeeded. I could not see the effect and I worked with her, rubbing her hands, and in twenty minutes I gave her another dose. By this time we were almost in Le Grande, where I was to leave the train. I gave the bottle to the husband to be used, to ease another case should be needed, but by the time the train rolled into Le Grande she was all right, and I received the thanks of every passenger in the car." For sale by B. E. Earle.

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W. L. Bannister and family have rented the home of J. H. Dismukes for 12 months and have moved in. We are glad to have this family located in our midst, and hope that Mr. Bannister will succeed in getting a ranch near town. Mr. Bannister and family came from San Saba where they resided for many years.

How to get Strong.

P. J. Dalrymple, of 127 W. Congress St., Chicago, tells of a way to become strong. He says: "My brother, who is old and feeble, is deriving so much benefit from Electric Bitters, that I feel his duty to let those who need a tonic and strengthening medicine about it. In my mother's case a marked gain in flesh has resulted, insomnia has been overcome and she is growing stronger." Electric Bitters quickly remedy stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at I. H. Elder & Son drug store 50c.

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R. W. Murchison of San Angelo was visiting in our city this week. Mr. Murchison was one of Schleicher's earliest settlers and is still a property holder, he owns some valuable property near town.

T. L. Benson while in Sonora last week sold some property for \$600.00, the property consisted of a lot 100 x 200 feet, he sold the property to Theo Savell.

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COURT CONVENES.

DISTRICT COURT—Meets Fourth Monday in April and November.

COUNTY COURT—Meets First Monday in February, May, August and November.

COMMISSIONERS COURT—Meets Second Monday in February, May, August and November.

JUSTICE COURT—Precinct No. 1, Meets Third Monday in each month.

CHURCHES.

METHODIST—First and Third Sunday in each month, morning and night. Rev. Robert Payne, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN—Services Second Sunday in each month, morning and night. Rev. F. R. Keele.

BAPTIST—Services Second and Saturdays and Sundays in each morning and night. Rev. Clem, Pastor.

Presbyterian—Rev. F. A. Barrow will preach at the Methodist Church the 2nd Sunday in each month at 10 o'clock and at Sam Holland ranch after noon at 3:30.

SOCIETIES, LODGES, CLUBS, ETC.

KNIGHTS OF THE MCCABES—Eldorado Tent No. 129, meets on Friday night after the full moon in each month.

J. F. McKee, Commander.
Rex McCormick, R.

LADIES' PIONEER SOCIETY—Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday in each month, at the Methodist Church.
Mrs. P. H. McCormick Pres.
Mrs. Will Whitfield Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Meets on the first Saturday in each month at the Alexander Hall. J. B. Smith, W. Holland Clerk. Commander.

A. F. & A. M.—Meets on Saturday or before the full moon in each month. J. M. Peck Sec. W. C. Benton W. M.

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