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Roberts County Good Roads Day Does Good Work

Everybody Works and our roads are greatly benefitted. May have another day.

"Everybody works but father," and he worked too, Tuesday. Roberts County Good Roads day was a grand and glorious success. Practically every business house in Miami closed its doors at 8 o'clock and every man and boy in the county turned out early Tuesday morning and put in a full days work on our roads. The main forces were placed on the Amarillo-Wichita Highway doing much effective work.

Gang No. 1 went east from town, three-car loads of men, with enough good ladies to prepare dinner and worked from the Hemphill county line to town. All bad places in the road were fixed, chug holes filled up and crooked places straightened. Part of this gang actually ventured over into Hemphill county and did some work on their roads. This bunch was in charge of J. D. Lard and J. E. George who saw that everything was done in proper shape.

Gang No. 2 With Judge L. C. Heare worked the road leading north, using several teams and scrapers. Judge Heare is President of the "Never Sweat Club," and he reported Tuesday that himself and all members actually violated the most sacred and ancient tradition of the order.

Gang No. 3, with Ben Talley Captain worked south from town with possibly a half hundred men and a few teams. They did quite a lot of dragging, blasting and shoveling on the big hill toward Mobeetle and accomplished several hundred dollars worth of work.

Sheriff Hardin in charge of Gang No. 4 took the road leading west toward Pampa and Amarillo with near one hundred men and about fifteen teams, scrapers, plows, etc., accomplished more good on the road Tuesday than has been done on Roberts County roads in the past two years. This road was the worst road in the county Tuesday morning, and Tuesday night it was the best. It makes the connecting link between here and Pampa and is in excellent condition. This gang used a big quantity of blasting powder, picks, shovels, plows, etc., in getting one of the big hills down to high speed grade.

County Commissioner Kitchen also had several teams and men in his Presinct about fifteen miles out toward Pampa putting that end of the highway in better condition. And aside from the above mentioned groups, many smaller groups were scattered over all parts of the county doing a full days work on the roads.

When it comes to public roads

we believe that Roberts county leads the Panhandle in being willing to go after them. Monday of this week our recently voted bond issue was sold at par, and this money will be available in about six weeks which will be immediately placed on the roads. The main portion of this will be spent in presinct one which is the heaviest tax paying presinct and this will insure that the Amarillo-Wichita Highway through Roberts county will be in splendid condition.

Everybody in Roberts county worked Tuesday, and they worked hard. Now a movement is on foot to have a good roads day once a month until our roads are in perfect condition. If this should become a monthly thing, and as much work be done every roads day as was done last Tuesday, every road in Roberts county would soon be a 50 mile per hour road. The pessimist who is always present declared Tuesday morning that the day would amount to nothing, and when night came they had all left town and was exclaiming that our good roads day is the best thing the county ever had.

Counter Jumpers, hotel keeper, barbers, bankers, farmers, stockmen, ditch diggers, lawyers, doctors, prune peddlers, pill rollers and printers all donned their "Blue Serge" and did an honest days work. They have accomplished a great deal and are proud that they worked. The County Commissioners will at once put men and teams on the road and complete the work which was unfinished Tuesday, rounding it up, completing the drians etc., so that we may have some permanent and valuable work finished.

Good Place for City Park.

Tishemingo, Okla. Sept. 24th 1916.

Miami Chief;
Dear Sir: In your paper of Sept 14th, I noticed an editorial about a city park for Miami. As I have been in Miami several times and am a great admirer of your little city, Will you permit me to say that you already have a splendid place for a park, your Court-house grounds are ideal for a small City Park. Your shade trees there, it is centrally located and with a small expense it could be made into a beautiful place. With a band stand, seats and fountain, electric lights and perhaps a few swings, you would have a city park, that would be a credit, to a place much larger than Miami.

Yours Truly,
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CASH IN THE BANK

Water and Light Money

A local bank this morning received \$20,970 00 from their corresponding bank which pays the draft attached to our City water and light warrants. This is rather quick service on selling our warrants. The warrants were sold to J. L. Arlitt Company. Their representative when he promised that when the money would be in a local bank within forty days after a contract was signed. He has made every promise good, and the money is here exactly when he said it would be.

The Engineering Company who the City contracted with to draw the plans put a man to work yesterday making surveys for the light poles, etc. We are informed that the City will likely not contract the entire work to one contractor, and will possibly buy most of the lighting system direct.

Just when actual construction work will begin is hardly known, but it will start just as soon as possible.

Union Revival Accomplishes much.

The Union Revival services which is being conducted here this week by Evangelist E. O. Whitwell and singer Miss Fern Miles is creating much enthusiasm and doing an untold amount of good religiously for our town.

Extra large crowds have been attending the night services which are being held at the School Auditorium. The building which will seat near 500 is almost filled to its capacity every night. Day services are held at the Presbyterian church at 2:30 p. m.

Rev. Whitsells preaching has been very forceful and straight to the point. He is one among the most able evangelists on the road. Miss Miles, the singer has a splendid voice and she is directing the choir in a very successful manner. The sweet solos she has been singing and the much good music furnished by the chorus is adding much to the life of the meeting.

Already near 100 converts have shown their faith in the Lord and come out on the better and brighter side of life, and if the interest continues, there is not much telling how many people will be added to the various churches before the meeting closes next Sunday night.



MISS FERN MILES.
Conducting the song services for the revival at the Auditorium.

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Big Buffalo Hunt on the Goodnight Ranch

Colonel Charles Goodnight, one of the central figures of pioneers Texas history and who has the only remaining herd of buffalo in the State, is planning a "Buffalo Barbecue" for a number of his early day pioneer friends. In order that the people, generally, may have a glimpse of early day scenes, he has arranged to bring a band of Kiowa and Comanche Indians to his home and will get them to kill the buffalo in their aboriginal way. The hunt will be staged in the large ranch adjoining his home at Goodnight, and everybody will be permitted to see it. The herd of full blood Buffalo will be seen and one of the largest bisons will be killed. The Indians are very anxious for the event to take place as this is possibly the last chance they will have to make old memories real again before they pass to the "happy hunting grounds" forever. This hunt will take place Friday afternoon October 6th at 2 o'clock and everybody is invited to be on hand. Trains on the Denver run so that people may come and leave the same day and get the full benefit of the hunt. An informal program will follow the "hunt," in which the visitors will be addressed by some of the old Texas pioneers and others. Special invitations are out to the barbecue the next day, to which many of the prominent leaders of the state and a large number of pioneers have promised to come. Colonel Goodnight has spent 71 years of active life on the frontier land of Texas and has been one of the most prominent figures in their upbuilding.

He and his wife are of the old-fashioned strain of hospitality and they hope that all who possibly can will accept their invitation open house for the hunt and social features following on Friday, October 6th 1916 at 2 o'clock.

Canyon Man Killed.

Canyon, Tex., Sept 20—Coroner's inquest was held today in connection with the death of Sam Reynolds whose lifeless body was found yesterday afternoon in a pasture attaching to the Evans farm which the Reynolds family lived, a mile and a half from this place.

At the inquest it was developed that Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds had gone into the pasture to shoot rabbits, driving in a buggy and taking with them a rifle and shotgun. Testimony was offered to the effect that upon the approach of a cloud the pair started to return to the house when Mr. Reynolds, who was a one-arm man, said: "Hold, hold," grabbing the lines from his wife and stopping the horse. He then jumped from the vehicle and according to the statements of his wife, prepared to shoot a rabbit. She put her hands to her ears to deaden the sound of the shot and looked away.

When she looked around her husband exclaimed that he was killed and she drove hastily away to notify the neighbors. Mrs. Reynolds disclaims knowledge of the exact manner in which her husband shot himself. Mrs. Reynolds has been placed under bond.

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High School Foot Ball

Miami defeated Canadian last Saturday by the onesided score of 38-0. The visitors showed lack of coaching and practice, this is the worst defeat that Canadian has suffered since Miami's great term of 1913.

The game Saturday was just good practice for Miami Canadian never getting closer than the 55 yard line to a touchdown, and never completing one forward pass out of 28 attempts while the locals were successful nine out of eleven times.

Miami had no particular star, team work being noticeable. J. George at quarter ran the team well in his first game in this position. Carters linebacking and strong interference for his half backs on end run was good. Gray at half was a consistent groudgainer on off-tackle plays and pulled off some pretty end runs one which went 50 yards to a touchdown. The line held well on both defence and offence whice allowed the backfield to get their plays away smoothly.

The boys are hard at work preparing for Woodward who comes here Oct. 7.

Burial Saturday.

Mm. Brooks who died last week in a sanitarium in Nevada, Mo, was buried here Saturday afternoon. His remains reached here Friday night. Mr. Brooks was an old timer of this part of the Panhandle. He has a half brother at Pampa, Henry Lovett. He left this country five or six years ago and has been traveling around considerably for his health. He was about 55 years old and single. Quite a number of Pampa people were down for the funeral.



REV. E. O. WHITWELL.
Evangelist conducting revival at Auditorium.

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Sewell-Weckesser.

Tuesday evening at six o'clock at the home of the brides parents, Miss Emma Louise Weckesser and Mr. Rufus Sewell were married, Rev. S. C. Osborne officiating.

Immediately after the ceremony and a splendid supper which Mrs. Weckesser had prepared, they left for Wheeler County where they likely will make their future home. The young bride is a Miami girl from childhood and the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boots Weckesser, and is a young lady with many friends. Mr. Sewell has lived at Miami for the past several years, and has been in the haberdashery business here, but sold a few months ago.

The Chief joins with their many friends in wishing them a long and happy married life.

Williams Buys Back Store

Friday of last week B. Z. Williams closed a deal with Locke and Stockstill whereby he becomes owner of the Dry Goods store which he recently sold. Invoice is taking place this week and Mr. Williams will take charge at once. The Chief force has been pretty busy lately trying to keep up with the owners of this store, and about the time we were ready to give up the job as impossible, Mr. Williams informed us that we would have no trouble in the future. He is there to stay.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Following is a list of nominees of the Democratic Primary.

For Representative:
R. L. Templeton
For District Judge:
W. R. Ewing
For District Attorney:
E. J. Pickens
For County Judge:
J. E. Kinney
For County Clerk:
M. M. Craig, Jr.
For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
O. B. Hardin
For Tax Assessor:
S. E. Fitzgerald
For County Treasurer:
Dan Kivlehen
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
W. F. Patton

White print paper has taken another big raise in price the past week. If this continues for another year, one-cent postage stamps will be selling for a dime.

A young man who had been patronizing a "boot-legger" was carried before a court and swore a lie to clear the boot-legger. Boasted later that he did not show the "white feather." But he did show the "white feather" in that he turned traitor to the laws of his country, traitor to his mother's will, traitor to his father's will, traitor to himself and traitor to the will of Christ.—Ex.

A boomerang is not only a small wooden instrument that returns from the place from whence it was thrown. There are other boomerangs. When we violate the laws of nature it returns, when we violate the laws of God it returns, when we violate the laws of our own conscience it returns, and when in a business way we think we are slipping one by a friend it usually returns. "Whoever a man soweth that also shall he reap" is mighty true and there is no way under Heaven of dispensing with this rule. Think, every time you do or say—what are you sowing, what will the harvest be?—think hard, ask your conscience, then proceed.

When it comes to everlastingly staying with it, always trying and never giving up, regardless of consequences, we believe the Miami band takes the cake. Some of the boys have stayed with the band for five or six years, and are still sticking. Success has crowned their efforts at times, and failure has been present on many occasions, yet the band continues to try. The boys now have a nice organization with about fifteen members, with a few new ones, and if another disastrous failure does not happen in a few weeks, they will give us a little street music.

The man who says that the world owes him a living generally shows marked deficiency in his mathematical training.

"Delivering hogs by auto" says a headline in one of our exchanges, and remarks that it is something new. Not for this country is it new. We have hog farmers near Miami that have been delivering and receiving hogs by Ford for two or three years. And by the way, that reminds us, that it is time to sell our car and get a flying machine. Nobody goes to be classed down with the same transportation as a hog.

"I would just give anything if I could do that" is a remark you have often heard made, and made yourself, when you would hear some sweet singer sing, some noted musician play, or a dozen others of the finer arts performed. Nine chances to one when you said those words you were a liar. If you had meant what you said when you wished to do such things, you would have spent some time and red hard work at learning. When you see a real artist performing, you may know that they have spent years of hard work and study in accomplishing what they have. You could do the same thing if you would only set your heart on it and give it the same or babyless attention that the one you have been talking about.

How long should a girl of eighteen wear her skirts? asks an exchange. We are no authority on fashion, admits the Stanton Reporter, but we think it would be entirely appropriate for her to wear them as long as she remains in company.—Charleston News.

The population of our city and county has been steadily increasing for the past three years until we would not be missing it very far should we say that the counties population had doubled and the City has at least thirdd itself. Sure we are growing.

These new side walks are looking good.

Down at Richardson a man was placed in jail for insanity, kept there eighteen months and now it is discovered that he is not insane nor has he ever been. The county attorney is asking that he be released.

And then, just as we were hoping for the dawn of a new day in the clouded field of popular intelligence, some budding genius suggests that we ask congress to investigate the high prices of paper, and we have to revise our whole estimate of mankind's brain power.

"Gone but not forgotten" reads a sigh over the desk of a traveling jeweler and optician that recently blew into Ochiltree and went out the same direction. This is usually the case with the traveling good skier, let him patronize a traveling optometrist or dentist. We could also say this truthfully of about half the other traveling peddlars.

Congressman Stephens is certainly taking care of his family during his last days in Congress. Since his defeat in the primary he has recommended and secured the appointment of his son-in-law as postmaster at Vernon. And now has just recently had his brother-in-law appointed at Canyon. Another brother-in-law is now serving as postmaster at Amarillo.—Lockney Beacon.

BAD HABITS
Those who have breakfast at eight o'clock or later, lunch at twelve and have dinner at six are almost certain to have indigestion. They do not allow time for one meal to digest before taking another. Not less than five hours should elapse between meals. If you are troubled with indigestion correct your habits and take Chamberlain's tablets, and you may reasonably hope for quick recovery. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform the functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.

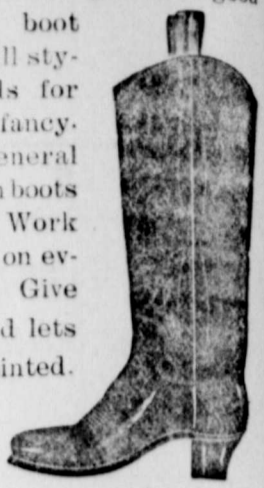
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Slayton and Chas. Heare left Sat-
 urday for Austin and Galveston for
 school this winter. Slayton will
 enter the University at Austin and
 Charlie will go to Galveston where
 he will enter the Medical depart-
 ment of the school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Newman came
 down Saturday from Ochiltree and
 visited friends a few days. Mr.
 Newman said things in the Ochil-
 tree country are looking good and
 that he is doing quite a lot of real
 estate business.

H. Russell, L. B. Broadus and
 W. F. Patton left Sunday night for
 Amarillo where they go to attend
 Federal court as Jurymen.

Miss Helen Baird left Sunday
 for Denton where she will enter the
 C. I. A., for the coming term.

H. J. Hurnley of McPherson,
 Kans is here this week looking af-
 ter his land interests.

J. O. McCracken of Ames, Okla.,
 is here this week visiting his broth-
 er, E. M.

Ed Fletcher, an old timer of the
 Panhandle who lived down on the
 Wichita died very suddenly Fri-
 day of last week and was buried at
 Canadian Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wisley of
 Slaton left Friday after a short visit
 at the Jim Johnston home.

CARD OF THANKS To those
 many friends who gave us their un-
 tiring assistance and many kind
 words during the continued sick-
 ness and death of our beloved
 daughter Elsie, we wish to offer our
 deepest thanks of appreciation.
 May God bless you ten folds for
 every kindness is our prayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Tell W. Walton
 came in last week and are visitors
 at the C. S. and J. L. Seibers homes.

Mrs. Walton is a sister to the Seiber
 boys. Mr. and Mrs. Walton are on
 their return home to Guthrie Okla.,
 from a several months trip over the
 Western States, Manitoba, etc.
 They spent the entire summer
 traveling.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ewing and
 Mrs. Ewings father, R. C. Fitch left
 last week for Ft. Worth where Mr.
 Fitch will receive treatment in a
 sanitarium. Frank Cox of Oklahoma
 who was visiting the family went
 as far as Groom with them.

Work was started Monday on Dr.
 Gunns five room residence near Mr.
 Moriah.

J. J. Peety and J. E. Hill of
 Amarillo, of the Panhandle Lumber
 Company were here last week look-
 ing over the local yard. Local
 Manager Certain went with them to
 Mobeetie to inspect that yard.

Paul Certain has accepted a posi-
 tion with the Panhandle Lumber
 Company at Canadian and went up
 last week to begin work.

L. B. Cross came in last week
 from Tennessee where he and wife
 have been visiting. Mrs. Cross
 will arrive in a few days.

B. Z. Williams traded his car
 last week for a new Hudson Super
 Six and drove it back from Amarillo
 Saturday.

Pursley Bros. are erecting a big
 barn in Coffeyville this week. It
 will be about 30 by 50 feet.

R. P. Lomax of Denton is here
 this week visiting the H. M. Lomax
 family.

Ira McNeil was in from the Green
 Lake country Monday hauling out
 supplies.

Junior Class, Mrs. Wilsford tea-
 cher.

Subject--Blessing the world.
 Scripture reading, Jno. 1-1-12 by
 leader, Lucy Talley.

Prayer--Song
 Deciple all nations--Mat. 28; 19-
 20. Robert Lyons.

Preach to every creature, Mark
 16; 15-16, Florence Weckesser.

Cover All territory, Act. 1; 8
 Lucy Gill.

Missionary Chain. Rom. 10; 11-
 15, Lela Gill.

The power of the Gospel, Rom.
 1; 16, Osborne Anderson.

Final results, Rev. 5; 9-10, Lena
 Huber.

Our duty to the world, Ersel
 Rhodes.
 Evangelistic work, Flora Philpot.
 Song, Business, Benediction.

Walter Cook came in Monday
 from Panhandle where he has been
 singing for a protracted meeting.

Dr. Shelton reports the arrival of
 a new boy at the Geo. Graham
 home on the 14th.

Frank Doan, an old timer of the
 Panhandle, but now of Arizona is
 here this week shaking hands with
 his old cowboy friends.

De Len Vickers, H. M. Lovett and
 wife, John Henry, J. F. Crawford
 Sr., and Jr., Sam Case and Tom
 Lane of Pampa attended the fune-
 ral here Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Stribling and child-
 ren left Tuesday for home after a
 months visit with Miami relatives.
 Mrs. W. Coffee accompanied her
 as far as Amarillo.

Mrs. L. B. Cross came in Sunday
 night from her summer visit in
 Tennessee. Mr. and Mrs. Cross
 will live in Miami this fall.

Chris Brown came in Tuesday and
 is visiting friends in Miami. Chris
 says his father and family are now
 living at Dalhart. Where Mr.
 Brown is carpentering.

I wish to thank the many Miami
 friends who gave their assistance
 and offered consolation through the
 burial of my brother in Miami Sat-
 urday. Henry Lovett, Pampa, Tex.

W. S. Paris was in the city yester-
 day and renewed the Chief to
 Mrs. Annie Boney, Ideal, Texas.

Mrs. Rouch who has been visiting
 her sister, Mrs. T. R. Saxon this
 summer left last night for her
 home. Mrs. Saxon went as far as
 Childress with her.

R. D. Duniven sold his 200
 head of calves to the Hammond
 Cattle Company Tuesday and will
 deliver about Oct. 15th.

Leo Fitzgerald went to Canadian
 last night to help Editor Jamison
 out of a tight in the printing office
 for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Edge left
 last night for Denver, Colorado
 where Mrs. Edge will receive surgi-
 cal treatment.

J. R. Webster and Shelt Pryor
 went to Amarillo last night after
 Mr. Websters automobile which he
 left up there last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles O'Loughlin
 made the round trip to Canadian
 yesterday afternoon.

Uncle Thos. O'Loughlin has been
 on the sick list this week.

Miss York of Amarillo is a visi-
 tor with Mrs. J. H. Kelley this
 week.

Harry A. Nelson was in this
 morning and said that he wanted to
 say a good word for the good roads
 day. He came to town this morn-
 ing with his wife in the rear seat
 of the car and when he reached the
 bottom of the big hill was greatly
 surprised to find that she was
 still there.

Be sure to get some of that
 lovely honey from Stahmann &
 Co's Apiary. 60 lb can extrac-
 ted 9c lb. 60 lb can comb 13c
 lb. At Miami Produce.

Notice

All parties that have land to
 sell, will do well to see me, and
 give me a list of same. I have
 several buyers coming soon.
 Am prepared to handle any size
 tract of either ranch or farm
 lands.

Yours for business
 J. W. Burks.

Farm Loans

Quick Service. No Red Tape.
 Christopher Bros.

FOR SALE, Some full blood
 Jersey heifers, see R. H. Elkins
 at the Fitch Hotel.

Give me a list of your land if
 you want it sold.

J. W. Burks

NOTICE, I will prosecute
 any and all parties found haul-
 ing wood from my pasture on
 Indian Creek. Please take note.
 Ray Morrison.

Chief and Dallas News \$1.75



Our Fountain

If you know the care we use in
 the selection of the material for
 our flavoring syrups you would
 know there must be a reason and
 you wouldn't drink a soda from
 anywhere else but our fountain.
 A pure glass of soda water is
 beneficial, and we don't want to
 talk about the other kind.

A. M. Jones Drng Co.
 Phones 33 and 166

School Books Cash

All State contracts require that
 school books be sold for cash. Not
 until Saturday night or the first of
 the month which often means indef-
 initely. So the only way we know is
 to send the money for the books.
 This is the only rule the State will
 recognize, or have a deposit with us
 and we will charge the books on it.
 S. C. Osborne and Co.

Notice

Weights, Measures
 and prices guaranteed
 G. M. MOON

WANTED: I would like to
 lease my small pasture near
 town. Will lease for one, two
 or three months, beginning Mon-
 day. See Mrs. R. W. Wright.

NOTICE, Oct. 3 and 4th
 there will be a car of Mo. apples
 in Miami for two days only.
 These are good apples. No 2nd
 or wind fall. Everybody want-
 ing apples should make it a
 point to see this car.

Get some of that delicious pure
 honey from Stanham & Co's
 Apiary, gathered from mesquite
 and other blossoms. 60 lb can
 extracted 9c a lb. 60 lb can
 comb 13c a lb. Miami Produce

When in Canadian have your
 eyes fitted by Miller the oculis-
 t at Miller's Jewelry Store.
 Satisfaction guaranteed. We
 duplicate any lense. Save the
 the pieces.

List your land with me if you
 want to sell it.
 J. W. Burks

FOR SALE OR TRADE, One
 hundred and sixty acres good
 tillible land no lakes or waist
 land 3 miles from Santa Fe Ry.,
 Price \$18.50 per acre, good
 terms, to suit buyer, owner will
 take in Ford car as part pay-
 ment. Write to John Young
 Pampa, Texas.

For Farm Loans

SFE

L. B. Robertson

Try one of those special Sun-
 day dinners at the Fitch Hotel.

The Telephone Speaks for Itself

Time-saver
 Error-runner
 Letter-writer
 Efficient helper
 Protection of
 Home and business
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 Night and day worker
 Easy way to travel

Miami Telephone
 Company

KATE LARD,
 Chief Operator

FOR SALE A nice residence in
 Miami. Good house, good loca-
 tion and a fine place. See me at
 the Miami Market.

H. C. Hill

THE HART OF TAKING COLD
 With many people taking cold is a
 habit, but fortunately one that is easily
 broken. Take a cold sponge bath
 every morning when you first get out
 of bed--not too cold, but at tempera-
 ture about 92°F. Also sleep with your
 window up. Do this and you will sel-
 dom take cold. When you do take
 cold take Chamberlain's Cough Rem-
 edy and get rid of it as quickly as pos-
 sible. Obtainable everywhere.



Are You Looking Around
 for the best place to buy gasoline
 and oils? Well, look everywhere
 else first and then come here.
 What you have seen will enable
 you to compare our gasoline and
 lubricating oils with others. The
 comparison is bound to result in
 our favor, whether you judge by
 quality or values. Next time you
 won't have to look around. You'll
 come here first.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE Well
 improved section one mile from
 Panhandle, 587 acres in good
 state of cultivation. All fenced
 and cross fenced with 4 wire no
 lakes or waste land. Price \$85.
 per acre, will take some good
 Miami residence property in on
 this deal and \$2,000. in cash as
 first payment, balance in 2-4-6-8
 years at 6 per cent. For further
 information write to John Young
 Pampa, Texas.

CLENLINESS

IS NEXT TO GODLINESS
 and those who buy their meats from
 the City Market know that their meat
 is handled in a sanitary way. We have
 home killed meats, fat and fine. I also
 have a shipment of pure Honey from
 Llano county. We will have Fish and
 Oysters regular every Thursday now.

Dont forget that we do not open
 the Market on Sunday, but put your
 order in Saturday, we will deliver your
 goods.

The City Market

W. E. LUTZ



The Very Best Bracer
is a glass of our cherry, lemon or orange phosphate. If you have been up late the night before or become tired or fagged out during the day try a glass of our phosphate. It is good for man and woman. It is a stimulant with no after effects. A refreshment for both body and brain. And you get a good big glass for five cents.

Central Drug Store



IT IS APPETISING
to see our bread and pastry as it comes from the oven. It not only looks good but is **Very Healthy** because it is made of the very best material and well baked. Let us be your bread and pastry cook this summer and you will find it a saving of money and labor.

MIAMI BAKERY

City Barber Shop

First Class Service
Hot and Cold Baths
Agent for Amarillo STEAM LAUNDRY
Your Patronage Solicited
H. U. Harrah PROP.

Green Lake Items

M McCracken's father from Oklahoma is visiting him for awhile.
W. D. Christopher and family went to Miami Saturday.
J. E. Seitz and wife visited at the Simpson home near Mobeettie Sunday.
Mr. Hogan went to town Monday.
W. B. Kitchen attended Commissioners Court Monday.
Luens Broadus and wife and Homer Allen went to Miami Saturday.
Ira McNeil went over on the South Plains Monday after feed.
Claude Ledrick and mother, Rob Brown and Dave Pope ate dinner with Mrs. Pursley Saturday.
H. P. Glass and Mr. Miller went to Miami Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. George Benton has a fine boy at their home.
Green Lake people went to the road working and took their dinner and worked the road all day.
Mr. Cooper and family went to Mexico on a visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Sheffy started to their home in Mexico Monday.
Erve Black made the trip to Pampa Tuesday.

PASSENGER TRAIN TIME CARD

17—West Bound	8:13 p. m. daily
21—West Bound	2:37 a. m. daily
22—East Bound	2:35 p. m. daily
14—East Bound	10:14 p. m. daily

Water Hauling Notice!

To whom it may concern; be it known, that on and after this date, water hauling from my wells and wind-mills, or driving of stock thereto will be positively forbidden; any party or parties, violating this Notice, will be liable Prosecution, to the full extent of the Law.
Samuel Edge.

Over the Plains.

Claude is to have three new brick buildings. Contracts were let last week.
District Court of Carson Co. is in session this week, beginning Monday.
The St Francis Postoffice, located between Amarillo and Panhandle has been abolished, according to the latest reports.
The Mail route from Mobeettie to Wheeler has been changed from a thrice a week service to daily, beginning Oct. 1st. This makes a direct daily mail line from Miami to Shamrock, via Mobeettie and Wheeler.
We have noted carefully the statements of the different banks over the Panhandle and all show prosperity. Every town in the Panhandle seems to have lots of money.
Oscar Smith, charged with killing Claude Powell at Canyon a few weeks ago was tried and acquitted there last week.

Hereford, Deaf Smith county is going to pull off a big Fair Oct. 13th and 14th. \$300 has already been raised to finance the enterprise.
Heavy rains are reported over all sections of the Panhandle this week. Wheat planting is going on full tilt.

On October 14th Collinsworth county will vote on whether or not they will issue \$100,000 road bonds.

W. P. Rogers last week purchased 780 head of cattle from J. T. Close near McLean, and 5600 acres of land in Wheeler county, with headquarters near Lela.

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Lawyers,
GENERAL PRACTICE
OFFICE IN CHRISTOPHER BUILDING
Miami - Texas.

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"We all know a barking dog never bites, but does the dog know it?"

Did you hear that story about Jones? How he was going to save a lot of money by getting his lumber and building material all complete from a mail order house? He got the lumber all right, also the doors, sash and other finishing materials. Then he began to put up his house and his troubles commenced. Knotty and uneven boards, bad fitting doors, careless finishing and a hundred other things that made Jones wish that he had placed his order in his home town.

You will find prices, materials and everything right here.



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Lumber, building material Coal
Fencing, posts,
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The new South American refreshment, all fountains

Get Rid of Rats

Texas has 4,348,000 people. Also Texas has 5 rats apeice, or 21,720,000. Its costs \$1 per year to feed a rat, even if he wastes nothing. The waste is still greater. Further it bears from 9 to 19 to the litter. Rats have fleas and are the carriers of the dreaded plague.

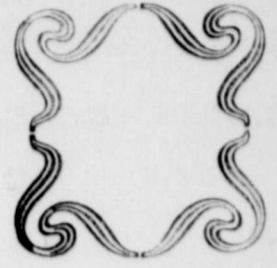
There are three distinct kinds in Texas; those that live under buildings, those that climb and live in roofs and lofts, and those that live in fields. To get rid of them their runs and homes must be located and destroyed. buildings resting on the ground must be rat-proofed. Waste that will furnish food must be cleaned up. Feed houses and bins must be kept closed so they can not get in. No hope and no food causes the rat to migrate.

Poison is the best way to get rid of them. One part of Barium Carbonate, with four parts of meal or flour mixed in a stiff dough, or the Barium may be sprinkled on moistened bread butter, or may be added to water and put where the rat will get it. Or arsenic may be used in the same way. Handle baits with gloves so the rats will not smell your hands and keep away. Rough on rats may be used in the same way. Be careful to place the rat poison where children and animals can not get it.

Forty Million Dollars For Legal Battles.

The latest Federal Census reports show that we have 4,577 lawyers in Texas. We have one lawyer for every 850 population. We have almost three times as many lawyers as bankers. We have an average of 18 lawyers to every Court House in the State. We have more lawyers than peace officer. We have no Government records available on legal expenditures, but it is safe to estimate that we spend annually approximately \$40,000,000 in legal controversies in Texas. This vast expense, directly or indirectly reaches the back of those who toil. It is equal to 20 per cent of the value of the cotton crop of this State. When the farmer markets his cotton he must stop at the Court House and unload one bale out of every five and divide it between the lawyers, judges, witnesses, juries, etc.

ELECTRIC SUPPLIES



We wish to inform the public that we will soon open an electric store in Miami and will also have in charge an experienced electrician to do house wiring, etc.

We guarantee that if you save your work for the home man that it will be done right, and we will meet prices made by any one.

Let us do your house wiring



LOCKE BROS.

Miami Market To-day

The Chief 1 yr.	\$1.00
Wheat No. 2	1.45
Oats	.65
Corn	.95
Maize per dwt	1.65
Heads	20.00
Hay Sudan	15.00
Alfafa	20.00
Butter	.25
Eggs	.23
Hens	.07 to .11
Fryers	.14



SPECIAL TRAIN
To the Panhandle State Fair
Amarillo, leaving Miami 8
m. arriving Amarillo 10:30
September 13. Old Settlers
Passengers will use regular
returning. Ask for rates, etc.

J. M. KEFFER, Agent

Santa Fe Improvements

The Santa Fe have recently added a water pipe line to their stock pens in Miami, making a much needed improvement to the shippers who have to hold livestock in the pens.

A gang arrived last night and this morning began erection on the new steel water tank which we presume will be ready for service in a few days.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.
CHURCH OF GOD—Meets to
singing every Friday evening
7 p. m. Bible lesson every
day of the week at 10 a. m.
ing on 1st and 3rd Sundays
month.

PREBYTERIAN CHURCH—Bible
meets promptly at 10 o'clock
Lord's Day; suitable classes
ages. You are invited to attend.

Everybody Likes Good Eatables.
Bell of Wichita Flour will please and
alton Steel cut Coffee is the best,
with every other article their equal is
what you will find at

G. M. MOON'S

A Complete line of everything good
to eat, all Fresh and the very best.
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WE ARE LOOKING FOR YOUR BUSINESS

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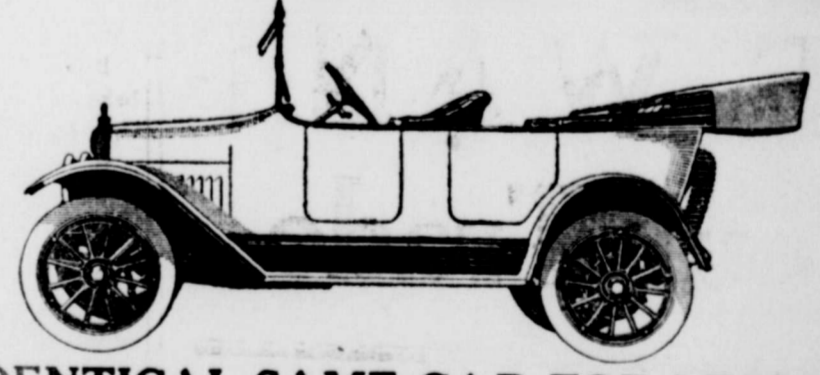
The highest grade flour that has ever been introduced here. Will have free samples here soon.

Also Cake, Meal, and Hay, Chops and Bran

Ask for prices, whether you want to buy or sell.

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THE IDENTICAL SAME CAR FOR LESS MONEY

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