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## U. S. S. Memphis

Santa Domingo City, D. R.  
Sept., 17th 1916.

Dear Pa and Ma Heare: If you have read the papers lately you have learned of the storm that struck us and of the awful disaster to our good old ship. She is a veritable wreck, high and dry on the rocky coast of Santo Domingo, a monument to those whose died to save her.

All told we lost over forty men. Many have died since the wreck, bringing the total up to about that amount. Some were washed off her decks, some were drowned in capsizing boats, some were killed by being struck against the bulkheads by the great torrents of water that swept from side to side as she rolled in the heavy seas; The rest were scalded to death in a hell of sea and steam in the fire and engine rooms. It was only by the grace of God that any were saved: Had we not washed ashore we would have sunk, and had we not washed ashore in the very spot we did, it would have been impossible to get lines ashore. It is remarkable that we should have drifted to the only spot on the rocky shore where we could have saved our men. As it happened, we got five or more lines from ship to shore and took eight hundred off in the short space of three hours, and we didn't lose a man in the handling, when at times the ship was almost completely lost to sight by the water that passed over her.

Can you imagine a 14,000 ton ship drawing 15 feet of water carried over a reef with only 12 feet above it, and swept a quarter of a mile farther in to shore, through water from 12 to 15 feet varying in depth; or can you imagine the same ship lifted 80 or 100 feet into the air and then dropped so that she stuck bottom in the trough of the wave in water, that when smooth, was 60 feet deep. I never was before, and will frankly say, hope I never will be again handled so roughly as we were handled in that storm.

I would like to give you a complete description of what it was like, with many of the interesting incidences that I noted that day, but that would take me several hours, and I reckon my spare moments in minutes these days. I think I saw all stages of it. I was first in the engine room, the worst stage of it all. If you can imagine yourself in stygian darkness with water up to your neck, the very bottom being pounded out from under you, fifty or sixty pound bars and rods falling from above, all around you, with the temperature some where around 200 degrees, and not a fresh breath of air to be had, lest steam be inhaled, you have some what of an idea of what we went thru in the engine rooms, and in the fire

rooms it was worse, for there it was hotter.

From the engine room I got to the Berth deck, then to the gun deck, and I walk the entire length of the gun deck trying to find an opening to the top side. Naturally every thing was battered down tight. The ship was rolling over forty degrees, and each time she would roll the immense quantity of water on deck (it was up to my waist on that deck) together with three hundred pound shells which had been thrown from their racks, spare armature boxes, tables, chairs, pianos and what not, would drop from one side to the other, and the only way to save yourself was to watch for the coming roll, and grab on to a rod overhead and hang on for dear life until she rolled the other way. For the space of half a minute you would be under water, held tight against the deck above you like a drowning rat in a cage. For conditions so serious I never saw such little excitement. That part of it was the most remarkable thing of it all. Men obeyed orders as if they were merely at drill. On the gun deck I had about fifteen men with me. While the roll was away from us we secured a two by four scantling, and between rolls we worked to get a hatch open so that we could get out. I left fourteen men working at that and I took one with me and went to the brig to see if any prisoners had been left confined. Luckily they hadn't. It took me nearly fifteen minutes to go the distance of 200 feet to get to the brig. When I returned, my men had succeeded in bursting thru a deadlight in the deck above and we soon got out.

I didn't know, until then, where we were, and it was my opinion that no one was left on the topside, I judging from conditions below. At that I thought it a little chance to be washed overboard and trust to luck to get ashore; than to be kept between decks with the certainties of drowning sooner or later staring you in the face.

Some few of those who washed over board were thrown upon the beach, or I should say the rocky shore of Santo Domingo, clear of all the rocks. The most of them, however, were dashed to pieces against the rocks. It was an appalling sight to see a human body thrown with terrific force against pinnacles as sharp as knives and simply cut to shreds.

I truly believe I am leading a charmed life else I would have been killed long ago. Since I been down here I have been missed by one bullet by not over a foot and by a second not over six inches. There was a boiler explosion in one of our steam launches while making a trip from ship to shore, and I got out of that safely. Another

## Successful Meeting

Closes

Sunday night a very successful revival meeting closed at the auditorium. The meeting, conducted by Rev. E. O. Whitwell of Norman, Okla., was one of the most enthusiastic and co-operative meetings ever held in Miami and ended most gloriously with 130 conversions, 25 of which came the last night. People who seemed most sin hardened, at last gave their hearts to God and came out on his side.

Miss Miles did her share of the work in the song service and is due a good portion of the credit for the success of the revival. Both the Singer and the Evangelist made many friends in Miami, and are welcomed to return to Miami.

A nice purse of \$450.00 was made up and paid the Evangelist and Singer, and they departed Sunday night for their respective homes at Norman and Guthrie, Okla. We did not learn the exact number of people joining the various churches but there were members added to most every church in town during the meeting and the fellowship now existing between the churches is greater than ever before. Let it so remain.

## Shooting at Ochiltree.

Ochiltree, Tex., Sept. 30 This town was the scene of much excitement when Dr. W. J. Brewer and R. T. Correll, both well known men of this place, renewed a dispute which ended in the street in front of the drug store, with a number of shots exchanged, resulting in Dr. Brewer receiving a broken leg and Judge Correll a bullet in the stomach. He was taken to Liberal, Kansas hospital where an operation was performed but the bullet could not be removed and he is not expected to live.

## Sunday Wedding.

Sunday at 12 o'clock Noon, Rev. Wilsford united in the holy bonds of matrimony Mr. J. C. Daughette and Miss Lillie Wells, both prominent young people of the South Plains.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wells and the groom is a well known young man to Miami people. The Chief joins with their many friends in wishing them all the compliments of life.

time I weathered a storm in a thirty foot steamer, when a forty foot launch sunk within two hundred yards of me in the same storm.

I'm beginning to get leary of this place, especially since our good old ship was landed high and dry upon the rocks.

I don't expect to be here longer than another month, I hope to get back to the States within that time. Perchance I will get a months leave then. We have received no orders yet as to where we will go. Of course we will go no where until the Board of Investigation has finished with us, and until the ship is salvaged or broken up.

Write me as soon as you can with all the news from that section. I am very anxious to hear from you, and being just a little bit low in spirits, at present a letter will help a lots, not a sympathetic letter you know, but just one with lots of news.

As ever,  
Dallas Dupree.

## School Notes.

About two thirds of the children enjoyed a quarter day holiday last Friday, because they had been neither absent nor tardy for a month.

The first month of the school year closed Friday with an attendance of 312 and every body down at work.

Rev. Walter Cook conducted an interesting chapel service Monday morning.

A course in Spanish is being offered this year, for the first time. A class of twenty nine are working fine progress under the instructions of Prof. Potts. This is the most important of the modern languages for Texas people who have the Mexicans to deal with. Several other Panhandle schools realize this need and are taking up the study.

## HOUSEHOLD ARTS DEPARTMENT OPENS.

The Household Arts Department opened this week with two full classes of tenth and eleventh grade girls and a few town girls. The classes in cooking are on Monday and Tuesday mornings, the sewing on Wednesday and Thursday and a "Household" management lecture on Friday.

We now have one of the best equipped Household Arts Laboratories of any High school in the State, in towns twice the size of Miami, the Laboratory accommodate classes of twelve.

A two year course is offered, which gives two credits of work in the High school course of the girls.

The Department wishes to express their thanks and appreciation to the girls of the "Friendship Club" for the hemmed tea-towels and large open faced clock which was so kindly presented to the Department this summer.

## Highway Meeting

Tuesday.

Tuesday of next week is the date for the Highway meeting of the Amarillo-Wichita Highway association. It will be well to remember this and everybody be ready to give what assistance is necessary to promote this highway. Delegates from all the towns along the line are expected here.

## Every Citizen in County Building Sidewalks.

The above heading is rather a broad statement, however it is true. Every citizen in Roberts county is building sidewalks this week. However they are all putting them in the same place. A new walk is being laid on the north of the court house block.

## Over the Plains.

Towns along the Rock Island are now sparing no effort to get the Ozark Highway down that line.

People from all over the Panhandle are preparing to attend the buffalo hunt at Goodnight tomorrow.

The Clarendon business men made a booster trip last week to their neighboring towns. Booster trips are becoming a common thing for Panhandle towns, and they are accomplishing much good.

Hereford will have a Better Babies contest during their

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Agricultural and livestock Fair, Oct. 13 and 14th.

Ochiltree has another railroad boost. A road leading from Amarillo to their town, and another from Cheyenne, Okla., is looking out the route that way.

Actual construction work is expected to start on the Shattuck to Ochiltree county branch of the Santa Fe railroad soon.

Hugh Grisswood a small boy was bitten last week near Shamrock by a rattle snake. He is reported getting along nicely. Several children have been bitten by rattle snakes over the Panhandle this fall.

According to the Headley Informer that town has set apart a day in every month to work the roads. Headly is on the south line of the Ozark trail and is one of the several towns on the route who have had good road days. Mangum, Okla. put 475 men on the road one day, and 162 teams. Hobart has had 300 men and tractors at work.

The Mayor of the City of Higgins has been standing guard lately to see that no one breaks the automobile traffic ordinance. Speeding, turning the wrong direction, etc.

## Green Lake Items

Gerard Ramsey and wife, mother and sister moved out to his place last week.

Mrs. Minnie Jones visited her sister Mrs. Bebee Sunday.

J. E. Seitz and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hoskins. Clarence Lyons and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. McNeil.

Frank Pursley and wife spent Sunday with his mother.

E. M. McCrackens brother and friend, Mr. Morrison from Okla., visited him last week.

Mr. Kitchen, Broadus and Turley went to Miami Saturday. Jake Forman and family shopped in Miami Saturday.

G. T. Wiley spent Saturday night with Erv Black.

The Hay Hooks shipped six cars of cattle Saturday from Pampa.

Rube Curtis shipped a car of hogs Saturday.

R. D. Dunivan and wife spent Friday with Mrs. Pursley.

Henry Weckessers men is finishing up the new school house on the Bye Williams place this week.

Hoover is going to build a new depot.

W. D. Christopher was in Miami Saturday.

Mrs. Charley Contles has gone to Oklahoma on a visit.

W. D. Christopher and Erv Black sold R. D. Dunivan a bunch of hogs Tuesday.

## County Court

The Honorable county court of Roberts County is in session this week. Opening Monday morning.

The case of W. H. Coble et al vs L. C. Heare suit for debt, mistrial.

J. P. Wright vs J. J. Carr, suit for debt, verdict for plaintiff, \$234.

Locke Bros. vs John Short, suit on account, verdict for plaintiff.

C. A. Wichet vs Earl Talley suit on account, judgement for defendant.

A. M. Renner vs Geo. J. Nash, suit on note, continued.

John Short vs E. M. Giblette, suit on note, dismissed.

J. E. Oaks vs W. S. Winning on trial today.

Dial Bros. vs James Dobbs, suit for taxes on school land continued.

Dial Bros. vs First State Bank, of garnishment pass to winter term.

Walter Bothamew vs Roy Taton, suit for debt.

Long Merc. Co. vs J. W. Moore and W. E. West, garnishment.

Locke Bros. vs J. H. Crabtree, suit on note, judgement for plaintiff \$313.

J. R. Durrett vs N. S. Locke, suit for commission, will come to trial this week.

J. R. Durrett vs J. W. and M. E. Wells, suit for commission, coming to trial this week.

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L. G. WAGGONER, Editor & Owner.  
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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Following is a list of nominees of the Democratic Primry.

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

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The barn of W. P. Couch of Higgins was completely destroyed by fire last week. The loss was considerable with no insurance.

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Frank Haggart who was tried at Panhandle last week for statutory rape was acquitted. This case has been in court several months. Starting at Amarillo. One Jury gave him a life sentence, two more were unable to agree, another gave him five years and the last have acquitted.

An Automobile owners association has been organized in Armstrong county for the promotion of better roads.

Amarillo is raising \$5000 for the promotion of the Ozark Highway which will be spent in advertising it.

Col. W. H. Harvey, President of the National Ozark Trail Association is visiting all the towns on the proposed routes from Oklahoma City to Amarillo.

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 Any goods charged will be regular price

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Any \$1 can coffee	.85
6 lbs. Rio bulk coffee	1.00
4 lbs. 30c Pea Berry coffee	1.00
5 lbs. 25c	1.00
10 Texas comb honey	1.35
5	.70
8 lbs. good potatoes	.25
No. 10 peaches, per can	.40
apricots	.45
black berries	.45
apples per can	.35
Logan berries	.50
7 bars Russian soap	.25
7 bars Crystal white	.25
New crop dried peaches, lb.	.10
apples	.11
apricots	.17½
raisins	.11

We have just unloaded a car of Bran Shorts and Corn Chops. Will have a car of nice prairie hay next week. See us for prices.

## Miami Merc. Co.

We sell Seal, Flake White and Honey Bee Flour

P. P. Corcoran was over Saturday from Mobeetie visiting his father.

Atty. Dial and Baker of Canadian are attending court here this week.

Dr. F. N. Reynolds has purchased the residence he now lives in of Mr. Christopher. The Doctor is a full fledged citizen of our city and we are glad to note the purchase of a home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reid, S. D. Park and Wm. Durham of Mobeetie were in the city yesterday afternoon.

Thos. E. Durham of Lockney came in yesterday and visited Miami and Mobeetie friends. Mr. Durham has recently sold his banking interest at Lockney which he purchased three years ago, and states that he will likely go to Lubbock and enter the cattle and loan business.

Gus Ehman was in town yesterday with his usual smile and yearly subscription to the Chief. Mr. Ehman states that he will finish planting wheat tomorrow, getting in 375 acres in the best condition he has had a crop planted since coming to the Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Seiber and Mrs. Hall went to Canadian yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral of Rev. Guyer who was buried there. Rev. Guyer used to preach at this place.

Dr. Gunn says that few men in the Panhandle are as rich as Jim Wells thinks he is now. A brand new boy arrived in the city yesterday morning and announced that his home would be with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wells and that his name would be John Pender Wells.

Dr. G. N. Powell was in the city yesterday from the South Plains.

Earl Talley of the west part of the county was in the city this week attending county court.

Elliott Coble returned Saturday from Kansas City where he went with three car of calves. W. H. Coble and son shipped.

Missionary Society met at the church at 3 o'clock for its regular business session. Next meeting will be bible study. All members are urged to be come. Dinner will be served on general election day by the Society.

C. C. Gillis left this morning by auto for Oklahoma City where he will join his family in a months visit with relatives.

Mrs. A. Young left yesterday for her home in St. Louis after visiting her sisters, the Johns girls.

Mrs. W. M. Daughette is on the sick list this week.

Erve Black and Mrs. Pursley were in city yesterday trading.

Postmaster Whatley is on the sick list and has been confined to his bed for two days.

Mrs. Anna Varnett and son of Winchester, Ky., came in last night and are visitors at the J. W. Fletcher home.

W. M. Cotton is over from Wheeler county today.

### Standing of Candidates Week ending Oct. 5

#### J. L. Seiber Auto Contest

No.	Votes
1	490,235
3	482,830
5	292,555
7	451,145
9	541,375
10	288,960
11	283,305
12	256,570
13	208,795
14	1,163,580
15	538,565
16	1236,300
17	264,900
18	225,745
19	202,910
20	213,472
21	549,245
22	201,165
23	362,100
25	692,870
26	214,665
30	435,650
44	310,175

This campaign closes Nov. 15, 1916. Send or phone in your votes by the 12th.

Your friends are boosting for you, are you helping yourself, get busy and help your friends help you.



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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.

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Dr. and Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. H. H. Elkins left this morning for Goodnight to attend the Buffalo hunt.

Quite a number of people from Miami are going to attend the Goodnight Buffalo hunt. B. Z. Williams is having a terrace wall built on his lot recently purchased of Mrs. Hogon.

NOTICE. All parties are requested to take their cattle out my pasture as I have to use it for my own stock. C. Coffee.

FOR SALE OR TRADE A good buggy. J. K. McKenzie.

NOTICE to parties who have spoken to me regarding removing of adenoids from children. Will please call Saturday morning at 8 o'clock. J. K. Kelley, M. D.

More novelty acts than any other shows. The Alabama, at Miami Sat. Oct. 7th.

Everyone enjoys a good Negro Minstrel once in a while. You will see it if you attend the Alabama, Sat. Oct. 7th.

NOTICE There will be services at the Baptist church Sunday at 11 a. m. and Sunday night. Baptising at 3 p. m. Lets those who desire to be baptised, please be ready to be baptised at this time. Every body is invited to come and worship with us.

The Alabama Minstrels, new people, new acts, this season. Miami, Sat. Oct. 7th.

HOW CATARRH IS CONTRACTED Mothers are sometimes so thoughtless as to neglect the colds which their children contract. The inflammation of the mucus membrane, at first acute, becomes chronic and the child has chronic catarrh, a disease that is seldom cured and that may prove a life's burden. Many persons who have this loathsome disease will remember having had frequent colds at the time it was contracted. A little forethought, a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy judiciously used, and all this trouble might have been avoided. Obtainable everywhere.

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NOTICE. Our business from now on will be run a strictly thirty day account basis. We expect all customers to pay promptly on the first day of each month. Your cooperation in this will greatly assist us. Yours Very Truly. J. R. Webster.

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### ABSTRACT

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### Notice

Weights, Measures and prices guaranteed G. M. MOON

D. H. Thompson moved to town last week and is occupying his home near the depot. He recently sold his farm.

J. T. McEntyre went to Snyder last week and spent a few days wind up some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stocker spent Friday of last week in Amarillo.

Miss Eileen Wren visited Miss Pauline Baird at Panhandle first of this week.

D. B. Stribling made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. A. L. Maney came in Saturday from Wichita where she underwent an operation.

Presiding Elder Hall of the M. E. Church was here Saturday and held regular quarterly conference.

Frank Pursley has purchased a new Buick Six and is seen daily at the wheel.

A large number of Green Lake ladies met with Mrs. Pursley last Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and organized a Needlecraft Club. While each lady brought some needlework with her, we were also delightfully entertained with music and dainty refreshments. With many expressions of praise to their hostess the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Broadus next Thursday. A Guest.

Mrs. Giblett left Saturday of last week for her home in Iowa. Mrs. Giblette visited her son in Miami several months this summer.

W. Coffee of White Deer visited relatives in Miami Sunday.

Dr. Kelley reports the arrival of a new boy at the Lawrence Maddux home Saturday.

L. G. Christopher and family left Monday for Cook county in their car and will visit a month with relatives and friends in that county, going from there to the Dallas Fair.

Walter Cook made a business trip to Canadian Monday, returning Tuesday.

J. E. Oaks was over this week from Mobeetie on business matters.

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J. W. Burks

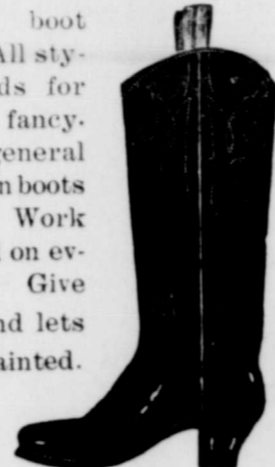
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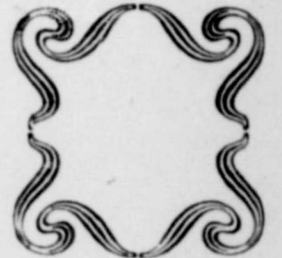


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