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CANYON CITY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 28, 1902.

NO. 24

Earl Cobb

FIRE AND TORNADO INSURANCE.

Seven of the Best Old Line Companies.

Law Fixing Value of

Live Stock.

Kansas City Journal: It is an-

nounced from Pueblo, Col., that

the last legislature fixing the

railroad companies. The law

CANYON.

Commissioners Court,

In the commissioners court last week the following proceedings were

The reports of the county officers

were examined and approved. The delinquent tax list, prepared in the Comptroller's office by Mrs. T. S. Gathright, was partly examined and the examination and revision of same was ordered to be continued under the supervision of the county judge after which the county clerk is directed to record it and the Stayer year, but the railroads are givto publish it.

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In the matter of roads, the road from Canyon City in the direction of Dimmitt was ordered opened as petitioned for. The report of the jury The law provides that the ownof view on Canyon City and Run- er of stock killed shall make a ining Water road was rejected on the ground that a legal road already exists on the route recommended by said report. The Canyon City and company, asserting that he is ue. Hereford road was established from the owner of the stock, and the the west line of the county to a company may pay him the point where the P. & N. T. R. R. intersects the east line of section 55. block B5, but on account of difficulty in the right of way, was not extended from there to connect with the public road to La Plata but was left for future action.

Quite a number of claims were allowed, mostly against the road and bridge fund, and \$300.00 were transfered from the court house and jail fund to the road and bridge fund.

county Were created:

An order_was passed directing Judge Lair and A. N. Henson to prepare specifications and let contract for the erection of a public well, wind mill, tank, etc., in the court house yard.

The court occupied all the week all members being present except Commissioner Trigg.

Dry goods, all the latest sum mer novelties on exhibition every day. Prices the lowest at J. A. Wansley & Co.

In our announcement column will be seen the name of A. C. Barrett, as candidate for district attorney. Mr. Barrett is now county attorney of Donley Co. where he has done effective work against the law breakers. His record is clean, and he solicits the closest examination of it. He is always identified with the best people and makes warm friends. He believes in the enforcement of the laws, is a fearless and able prosecutor, and, if elected, will not alone reflect credit on himself but his administration will be a pleasure to the best people. The office is one of considerable importance to the people and every law abiding citizen should inform himself as to the merits of each candidate before voting.

Canyon City, Texas, and the Palo Duro canyon are inseparably connected and are becoming widely known as a great summer resort. While these are facts, L. G. Conner is one among many to sell you city property, ranch lands and cat-

In this issue will be found the card of the National Live Stock Commission Company, Mr. R. H. Elkins of Clarendon is their now buying fat stuff where ever he can get it.

Remember if you find any thing broke about your wagon or buggy or need your horse shod Harter is the man to do it quickly, neatly and at a moderate price.

animal, which shall be a bar to proceedings against the company for damages because of the loss of the animal. The schedule of the values as fixed LIVE STOCK by the law is as follows: American sheep, each, \$3.00

steers, 4 year-olds Colorado Legislature Passes

American yearlings......18.00 two.year-olds....25.00 steers, 3-yearstockmen and cattle shippers are just now taking a deal of steers, 4-year-olds of interest in the law passed by and over 35.00

The law provides that all went into effect June 19 of this Texas and Mexico cattle shall be classd as Texans and that en six months in which to fence half breeds shall be classed as coming liable for stock killed. bred cattle, milch cows and higher grades of American cattle, thoroughbred sheep and demand under oath upon the horses, mules and asses shall ticket agent of the railroad be paid for at their market val-

Consign your Fat Stuff to us. We are always ready to take it. THE NATIONAL

or goats . . . 2.50 Chicago, Kansas City and St. Louis. two-year-olds 17-00 wire R. H. ELKINS, Clarendon

steers, 3 year-olds 21.00 - Wall Paper, all designs at the Canyon City Pharmacy 5 cen's and over 25 00 up to 90 cents per roll. Incows 18.00 grains, crepe, pulp etc. Call and look at these samples. You can't help being pleased.

Somebody says that politeness is like an air cushion-there may be olds 33.00 nothing in it, but it eases our jolts wonderfully.-Our Dumb Animals.

For Sale.

One hundred stock cattle for CANYON CITY. sale, and 6 or 8 sections of good Brownwood. Tex.

their right of way before be- American cattle. Thorough- Reflections of a Bachelor. By rounding out the years youth

Love thy neighbors as they love

The safest thing for a man to do

who is afraid of getting married is to fall in love with several women. A woman's instinct makes her as sure that burglars have tried to get Furniture either at retail or in the house as if they had left their other column. He is now low price affixed by the law for the in car lots at Oscar Hunt & Co. You can never make a woman be cated here.

OUR PRICES COMMISSION COMPANY ARE ALWAYS

TEXAS.

grass to lease in Swisher coun- lieve that the best way to play whist T., I minute and 20 seconds; T. M. Address T. F. Nanny, is not to measure out the cards as if Latham of Plemons, Tex., 1 minute she were making custard,-New and 22 seconds. Mr. Latham is the

> We have stored 5,000 tons of Maitland coal. Come now and get your winter supply. Do not wait as you did last year, until stock runs down. Prices right, quality guaranteed

See Dr. Tadlock's ad in an-

father of Eldon Latham, the boy champion. Eight other cowboys falled .- Kansas City Star.

Chamlee, the jeweler, can and will fix your watch so it will keep good time, or if it cannot be fixed he will sell you a new one that is guaranteed. See him

A Few Names.

The poets have warbled of Maud,

sweet pet. In a tender and soulful way. But never of Maymle or Henryette, And never of Madge or Mae. They have told us tales of the love

For Mary and Jennie and Eleanore, But never, as I have remarked before, Of Maymie and Madge and Mae.

Tennyson staked his fame on Maud, But never on Madge or Mae. Her many charms he proclaimed

abroad. But nixee for Madge and Mae-

And Helen was praised to the limit by Poe, And Byron was daffy on Mary, you

But where, oh, where are the rhymes that flow For Maymie and Madge and Mae?

-St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Notice.

Any person who will pledge himself to the rules and regulations governing the Parmalee Circulating Library and will pay 25 cents every three months in advance to help the moving expense of the library may have free access to same.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT. Office of the Comptroller of The Currency,

Washington, D. C., June 11, '02. Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that "The Tulia National the county of Swisher, and state of Texas, has complied with all to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking: .

Now therefore I, Thomas P. troller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the "Tulia Naer of Llano, Tex., and "Tot" Black tional Bank" in the town of and state of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and enth day of June, 1902. T. P. Kane,

Deputy and Acting Comptroller

. No. 6298.

To make room for our FALL and WINTER Stock, for the

Next 30 Days we will Sell our Spring Two county line school districts and Summer goods AT COST and less

This includes Ladies and Gents Underwear, Ladies and Children's Oxford Ties and all classes of light weight shoes. Fans, straw hats, shirt waists and skirts. Lawns, Linens, Organdies, Dimities, THESE GOODS MUST SELL!

DON'T FAIL TO SEE US SOON,

WRIGHT & GAMBLE. CANYON CITY,

THE STOCKMEN'S NATIONAL BANK

OF CANYON CITY, TEXAS.

We invite you to open an account with us. We guarantee as liberal accommodations as are warranted by the account and prudent banking.

T. LESTER, President, W. A. DONALDSON, Cashler,

L. C. Lair.

Lair & Long,

REAL ESTATE AND LIVE STOCK AGENTS.

Canyon City, Texas. Buy, Sell and Exchange Panhandle Lands.

We Respectfully Solicit your Business,

agent for this section. He is See W. E. LAIR For

Companies Safe, Reliable and Conservative. Patronise a Home Concern.

A Boy the Star Cowman. ELDON LATHAM, AGED 13, IN ONE MINUTE THREW, ROPED AND TIED A STEER.

Eldon Latham, 13 years old, roped threw and tied a steer in one minute the right to a place among the most clever of the cowboys.

A crowd of several hundred people steers thrown and tied on the plains n Wild West show in the sense that their steers. there was any shooting or any stage coach robbery, but simply an exhibition of roping and riding.

who hails from the "JA" ranch in the Panhandle of Texas. Crawford performed the difficult feat of throwing a steer by hand. His first effort the performance and cheered the boy. was unsuccessful, his horse proving The world's record is 32 seconds. [SEAL) weel of office this eleva trifle too slow for the steer and The other cowboys did not show up failing to respond to the animal's well in their contests Sunday, quick turns as it charged about the almost all of them falling to get. field, Another pony was secured, their steer. Only two others sucand the rider this time performed his cooded in tying their steers. They of the Currency. icat. After considerable chasing he were Jeff O'Neil of Fort Thomas, A

brought his horse alongside of the steer, and then, with a quick leap from the saddle, he grasped the bull by the head and horns and threw it sprawling upon the ground

W. R. Bell, a cow-puncher at the Kansas City stock yards, showed Bank", in the town of Tulia, in flat Saturday afternoon at Exposi-himself to be an expert at riding a tion park. Latham carried off the steer. Several of the performers biggest prize at the first afternoon's succeeded in sticking to the backs of performance of the roping and riding bucking bronchos when it looked to the provisions of the Statutes contest, and established for himself the crowd as if the riders' necks were of the United States, required in imminent danger.

The second best time in the roping and tying contest was 1:10, made by witnessed the exhibition, which was both Jeff O'Neal of Fort Thomas, a performance worth seeing. . The Ariz., and T. M. Latham of Plen ball park was transformed into a mons, Tex., Henry Crawford scored minature range and pasture, on in 1:42, and Roy Kendall of Quanah, Kane, Deputy and Acting Compwhich men in broad hats and boots Tex., in two minutes flat. Otis and spurs showed how lariats are O'Neal of Plemmons, Tex.; Wade swung, bronchos "busted" and O'Neal of Deming, N. M.; W. L. Parkof Texas and Oklahoma. It wasn't shire of Lawton, Ok., failed to rope Tulia, in the county of Swisher,

On Sunday Eldon Latham lowered his record by finishing the job, in 55 seconds. He roped the steer, threw Next to young Latham the star of it to the ground, dismounted and sethe afternoon was Henry Crawford, cured the prostrate animal's feet nine of the Revised Statutes of with another rope in the time re- the United States. corded.

A crowd of 1,200 people witnessed

JOHN HUTSON, Vice President, D. A. PARK, Ass't Cashier G. C. Long.

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For anything in the DRY GOODS or GROCERY Line

He Carries the nicest and most up-to-date line of DRY GOODS, MILLINERY AND SHOES in

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FOR DISTRICT JUDGE. Hon. Ira Webster.

Hon. H. H. Wallace. FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY. A. C. Barrett (Clarendon.)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

L. C. Lair.

M. S. Park.

A. N. Henson

FOR COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK J. H. Garrison.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR. W. J. Luna.

FOR SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR

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FOR TREASURER.

R. B. Redfearn

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT

NUMBER 1.

J. C. Pipkin.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT

NUMBER 2. J. T. Service.

Rev. J. A. Cahill, pastor of the C P. church at Wichita Falls, made us a pleasant call Tuesday. He is camping on the Palo Duro enfoying a summer outing and, recuperating. The reverend gentleman thinks this is an ideal summer climate, much superior to Colorado in many natural conditions and wonders why Canyou City does not make her many attractions more widely known.

worth Lumber Company, Dalhart, der our feet. We hope this will elicit was in town Monday to see his brother, J. C. Galbraith, of Burton-Lingo Lumber Company.

For first class jewelry of all kinds see Chamlee Jewelry delay as possible, we are Company.

Mr. J. A. Thomas, editor of The Leonard Graphic, paid us a pleasant call last Saturday. He has been spending a week with the family of G. N. Caylor, of Happy. Mrs. Thomas will remain a week or two longer enjoying the Panhandle breezes and the society of her father's family.

Say friend, try me on dry goods or groceries. I think you will save money."

A. L. Anderson. Mr. Frank Roland has returned to Canyon City after something over a years absence

For Men Only.

summer goods at less than they September 5th. at 1 o'clock actually cost.

THAT ARTESIAN WELL.

Editor "Stayer"

residents of Randall and adjoining terested in the speedy development of our beautiful and coming country, beg leave to trespas on your in dulgence for space in the "Stayer" in which to call attention to, or renew the agitation for boring a test well for artesian water.

It may be asked what reasonable obtainable at any reasonable depth, them to himself. of to say, from 800 to 1,200 feet, to which we beg to reply, that from our limited, personal observation, of what here is called deep wells, say from 300 to 500 feet deep, and those sold on reasonable terms. Ap ranging from 90 to 140 feet, called ply to shallow wells; that the first, or upper strata of water doesn't rise per-Display ads, one inch, \$1.00 ceptibly above the level at which it per month. Liberal reduction for is tapped; whereas the second and third stratas, as a rule rise much above their level, where reached, coming in some instances within a few feet of the surface. This leads us to reasonably conclude, that by Manufactures going down the aforesaid depth of 800 or more feet, that we can get a strata that will give us a copious supply of living water at the sur-

> In view of this desirable end, we hereby take the liberty of submitting the following suggestion relative thereto, to the careful consideration of all who are like interested with us Rock Springs, Texas has located in the matter; and trust that some tangeable arrangement may be ar rived at.

In the first place it will be well to have a public meeting called at. Canyon or some other convenient center, where the pro and con of the matter can be discussed. If we can get together in a co-operative mood for a noon at 3:30 sharp the Republicans the death of Mrs. James B. We are needing rain, getting tions, who shall have attained the little space, we can soon have a test of Randall county assembled in con- Younger at Bowie, which sad very dry. well but down by voluntary subscription, i. e., let us agree to subscribe whatever estimated amount it will take to put down the well; and deposit it in some bank, subject delegates to the state convention at visiting her daughter Mrs. L.G. Sad news again. Katie Reed months within the district or counto the draft of whatever committee Fort Worth and congressional con- Conner arrived in Bo wie the 23 passed away on the 15th of this may be elected to superintend the business till the work is finished.

however, is, or should be; that in chair. the event of a flowing well at the surface, that they revert again to in case of the well failing to flow, We think this nothing but justice, as the man on whose premises the well is bored has a full right to pay for the object if it is attained; if not then we all have a right to go down into our pockets, and pay our subscribed amount, ngit is not to be exundertake, single handed, to sink a well, the results of which the country at large will receive the same benefit from ENHANCED values caused by his individual enterprise, that , he will receive himself. As mortals are not made that way, and the sooner we get together to shoulder each our share of responsibility in the risk it incurs, the sooner we will know what we have, covered up un press correspondence and enable us to get together on some basis that will be acceptable to all. Hoping that some one will take the initial lead and call a meeting with as little

_. With due regard, W A Donaldson,

J C Pipkin,

R G Oldham, Joe Foster.

F P. Wilson;

T C Thompson Whitman Bros.,

C A Sanford. I B Edwards & Son,

J A Edwards.

CO Whitman

K F McRae,

J M Black, 1 W Schurman,

G C Long,

J F Smith. J.D Gamble, 4

Wright' & Gamble, .. After a short consultation

among the foregoing subscrib ers it was decided to call a meeting of the citizens interest-Dont let your wife know that ed to be held at the court house Wright & Gamble are selling in Cauyon City Saturday week

Clearing sale at Wright & Gam-

at almost your own price.

on the North side and it will be one of the neatest and best built houses in town when he gets it completed. When a widower builds a pretty house people always suspect him of

For Sale.

A fine upright piano, new and in first class condition will be

Frank Henderson, Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co

BAKES

Bread, Cakes, Pies, Etc.

Pure Candy Hot rolls for supper without having to cook over the hot

The patronage of the city and day except Sunday. country is solicited.

R. A. Sowder, an attorney from here and will practice his profession. See our stock of tine flavoring extracts.

Thopmson Drug Co.

Republican Convention.

Oscar Hunt stated the object the meeting to be the election of chairman and secretary and to elect

vention at Amarillo. In absence of Hon. W. C. Kenyon, chairman, Os-The basis of these subscriptions, car Hunt, secretary, assumed the Earl Cobb and W. C. Kenyon were

elected by acclamation, delegates to the donors, and are only to be paid the state convention at Fort Worth. Oscar Hunt were elected delegates to groceries. the congressional convention at Am-

It was then moved and seconded that W. C. Kenyon and Oscar Hunt be elected chairman and secretary of Gold the Republican party in Randall pected that any one individual will county. The gentlemen were unanimously elected for the ensuing term. A motion to adjourn was next in rings. order and was promptly voted on. Adjourned sine die.

> When you need anything in the druggist's line go to

Thompson Drug Co.

We have received our calendar samples, and they are beauties. Do not buy till you see them.

This week S. V. Wirt sold to U. S Gober W block of land in Canyon City. Consideration \$160.

Earl Cobb sold to S. V. Wirt block at \$145.

Wolock at \$200.

We have stored 5,000 tons of ness trip to Oklahoma City. Maitland coal. Come now and We are glad to announce to get your winter supply. Do not the many friends of Mr. Geo. M. Rush's near Wright. wait as you did last year, until Reynolds that he is greatly imstock runs down. Prices right, proved, being now lable to sit up get ripe. Mrs. McCune has quality guaranteed

ble. Dont fail to see how cheap you City can now be made by we note, in advertisements and they have been buying their anyone. Views around the otherwise, many names of onegoods. All summer goods going home—the cute little scenes we time citizens of Canyon City. have so often wished for, wish particularly we note the name John Turner is finishing his home ed we had a kodak so we could of John Houser as a candidate has moved his cattle from Mr. get a snap shot without having for district and county clerk of Wilkes' to A. G. Green's to to draw any slides or stretch out Sherman county. Few young the camera body like "rubber men have grown up in Randall neck." A magazine camera is county with a more enviable matrimonial intentions, but if John just right, you can take twelve record, every body knows him grounds for believing flowing water has any ulterfor motives he keeps pictures in as many seconds if and he has not an enemy, so far you wish. Learn all about us as we know, in the county. He ing it in two minutes. M. S. is honest to the verge of cranki-Lusby has just received a new ness, truthful to a fault, tem- carbuncle on the back of his up-to-date camera for this work perate in all things, outspoken neck. and you can rent it from him in defence of what he believes for only 35 cents per day. He right, in fact he has proven himwill let you have dry plates at self a man to be trusted and we, catalogue price. Finish your hope he will be elected, feeling own work if you wish or he will sure be will serve the people CANYON CITY BAKERY finish it cheaper than you can well and honor his friends at the yourself. Just the thing to take old home by his course. down the canyon for views and get your friends in laughable positions. If you did not want to know this much, thank you for your kind attention. If you want to know more call and see M. S. Lusby at the gallery any

> Take a day off and go shooting with a twelve shot camera.

Furniture for every body either cheap or the very best ust as you want it at Oscar Hunt & Co.

At the court house Tuesday after- family will be sorry to learn of all directions. residence last Friday, the 22. melons wont do any good unless in this state one year next preced-Mrs. J. H. Younger, who was we get a rain soon. his four of need.

J. A. Wansley & Co. are head. quarters for the best, purest C. M. Houser, W. J. Clarke and and freshest staple and fancy

> We are prepared to sell at reasonable prices anything in the jewelry line you want. watches, necklaces, chains, both ladies and gentleman's, solid gold, plain and set

Give us a call when you want a nice piece of jewelry. Thompson Drug Co.

Misses Sweaza and Williamson made us a pleasant call Monday. Pretty girls are always welcome vistors to this office. lers.

Go to the Canyon City Pharmacy for Mound City Mixed Paints, one of the heaviest mixed paints made. Read their

Mr. Earl Cobb is home after W. G. Conner sold to J. D. Bratton a business trip to St. Louis and other points and a special busi- has been

Interesting pictures at Can. In looking over our exchanges

Wanted.-Board in private 4 th., 1902. family by a single gentleman, for particulars call at Wright & Gamble.

get a shave, shampoo and a to a poll tax to have paid a poll tax bath and feel like you are somebody and to hold a receipt for same before

Wright.

Bry and hot, but the wind blows enough to be pleasant, so we can have a cold drink of water when we want it, that beats east Texas.

Farmers are busy harvesting read as follows: The many friends of the their crops. Binders going in

event took place at the family Potatoes, turnips and water States, and who shall have resided

too late to render any assistance month and was buried near male person of foreign birth subject but in time to be with her son in Wright Saturday. Rev. R. C. to none of the foregoing disqualifica-Wright conducted the services tions who not less than six months at the grave. Katie was a good before any election at which he ofgirl and loved by all who knew her. She was a Christian but

> Sad news from Plainview. Mrs. Carter dropped dead Sat. year next preceeding such election urday morning about nine o'clock with heart trouble.

had never joined any church.

Mr. M. L. Bryant, of Plainview, is not expected to live, election precinct of their residence: the doctors have given him up provided, that electors living in any to die. Appoplexy is the trouble. The old will die and the young must die.

is good.

Protracted meeting now a Wright, conducted by Rev. Hol-

were over yesterday.

had to come back.

Geo Rush and wife came up to without the necessity of further legsee Col. Rush and wife at B. A. Islation.

Peaches have commenced to canned a nice lot.

Several are fixing to go to the Barbecue at Plainview the 26th. and 27th of this month.

Mr. McGough has decided not to go to Mexico just now. He pasture for awhile.

A temperance lecture is to be given Monday night by a gentleman, whose name we did not learn, at Liberty.

Grandpa Denson has a large

Must close with many kind wishes to the readers of the good old Stayer.

Cricket.

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution, to be submitted to vote of the people on Tuesday, November

JOINT RESOLUTION.

Amending Article 6, Section 2, of the Constitution, of the State of stands for Coulter's where you Texas requiring all persons subject they offer to vote at any election im this state, and fixing the time of payment of said tax.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section k That Article 6, Section 2, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter

Sec 2. Every male person subject to none of the foregoing disqualificaage of twenty-one years and who shall be a citizen of the United ing an election and the last six in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector and every fers to vote, shall have declared his intention to become acitizen of the United States in accordance with the Federal Naturalization laws, and shall have resided in this state one and the last six months in the county in which he offers to vote, shall also be deemed a qualified elector; and all electors shall vote in the unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which said county is attached for judicial purposes; and provided fur-The health in our community ther, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he offers to vote at any election in this state and hold a receipt showing his poll tax paid be-Rev. Frank Moore and family fore the first day of February next preceeding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced We see Ed Clifton, on the said tax receipt, he shall be entitled plains again. He has been out to vote upon making affidavit before in Mexico for quite awhile but any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made Not so much visiting now as in writing and left with the judge of the election, and this provision of the constitution shall be self-enacting

> Sec. 3. The Governor of this state is hereby directed to issue the necesproclamation submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election



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Following shows partly the building and improving going on in Canyon City and country tributary to it:

The following persons bought lumber since our last issue

M. T. Jones Lumber Co.

Thursday Mr. W. D. Snow, of Tulia to make improvements on his place at Tulia.

Thursday Mr. E. G. Knight, of Fanchon, to make improvements on his place near Fanchon

Friday Mr. W. L. Powell, of Lubbock, to improve his ranch at Lubbock.

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Monday Mr. I. C: Jenkins of Canyon to make improvements on his ranch near Canyon.

Saturday the Murray Lumber Co., of Plainview, to replenish his stock.

Tnesday G. F. Tomlinson, of Tulia, to improve his ranch near Tulia.

Monday Mr. D. E. Wise, of Twist, to build a residence on his place at Twist.

Wednesday Mr. John Burson, of Silverton, to replenish his side line.

Tuesday Mr. F. M. Hyatt, of Milo, to improve his ranch

Wednesday Mr. J. A. Scott to build a store house at Tulia. Tuesday Mr. Jess Pierce, to improve his ranch in Randall

Tuesday Mr. G. E. Patterson, to build a school house in Swisher county.

Wednesday Mr. W. C. Din widdie, to make improvements on his ranch at Twist.

Wednesday Mr. W. O'Brien to build a residence on his ranch Wednesday Mr. Duvall of Running Water got lumber to improve his ranch at Running

Wednesday Mr. P.L. Crawford to build a residence on his place at Silverton

Wednesday Mr. J. W. Orr to improve his place at Canyon. Thursday Mr. J. R. Baird of Canyon, to make improvements on his place near Happy.

Wednesday Mr. L. V. Scott to improve his place at Tulia. Wednesday, Mr. H. E. Wesley to build a residence on his ranch near Ceta

Canyon Lumber Company. Jeff Thacker, of Tulia, to make improvements on his

ranch. make improvements on his

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THE STATE OF TEXAS) IN COMMISSIONERS' COURT, improve his place. Randall County.

Before me, J. H. Garrison, county clerk of the county court in and for said county, personally appeared the members of the Commissioners' court, whose names are below subscribed, who, upon their oaths, do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV. of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the regular session of the Twenty-fifth Legislature, have in all things been fully complied with, and that the cash and other assets mentioned in the quarterly report made to and filed in this court by R. B. Redfearn county treas urer of said county, for the quarter ending the 31st day of July, 1902, and held by him for said county, have been fully inspected and counted by them at this term of said court; and that the amount of money and other assets in the bands of said Treasurer are as follows, to-wit:

Total amount of cash in the various funds belonging to the county, three thousand eighteen dollars and ninety-three cents,

(\$3018.93.) Total amount of assets other than actual cash to the credi of the county (school fund) sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00)

-L. C. Lair, Co. Judge, Randall Co. A. N. Henson, Co. Com., Randall Co. C. M. Houser, Co. Com., Randall Co. T. F. Gilleland, Co. Com., Randall Co.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th. day of Aug.

J. H, Garrison, Co. Clerk, Randall Co.

For the Round Trip to Roswell Fair from Canyon City. Tickets on sale Sept. 22-25 inclusive, with limit of 15 days for return.

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One will leave Fort Worth at 9:45 A. M., the other, 11:10 P. M., after the arrival of all evening connections. For guests who wish to retire early, a sleeping-car will be ready each

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. The this doubles the thru train service to Colorado from this territory Dr. H. D. Barns, of Tulia, to there is still "ONLY ONE ROAD" which has any at all. We have also the only direct Colorado line; make the best time, and haul very nearly everybody who goes. And, using our line, "YOU DON'T HAVE

TO APOLOGIZE," you know.

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N. B.—The rate, from all Texas points, is one fare plus two dollars the round trip, good, returning, till October 31st, on sale all summer, every day. Tickets routed over our line more stop-over privileges than any other read can offer, too.

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U. S. Gober, of Canyon, to build a residence north of W. A. Donaldson's.

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of Canyon. Frank Smith, of Canyon, to build a house on the Orr place

south of town.

Burton Lingo Lumber Co. S. H. Baker, to make improvements on his place at

Wright. T. B. Ketner, to improve his

place near Canyon. T. F. Reid, to improve his place near Canyon.

I. C. Jenkins, to make improvements on his place west of Canyon.

J. W. Orr. to make improvenents on his place in Canyon.

J. R. Potter, to make im-

provements on his place in I. S. Gregory, make improvements on his ranch near Can-

Heberd Smith, to improve

some property in Canyon. The above is only partial lists We hope after this week to be able to get a full list from each

Chamlee has a beautiful little solid gold watch that some lady will be proud to own. Go see it and you will be surprised to see how cheap a really valuable watch can be sold.

Cattle Shipped

ON THE 23RD.

Tudor & Sons, of Wright shipped four cars mixed fat stuff to Kansas City.

cars mixed stuff. M. Z. Smissen, Fort Worth, six cars mixed steers and cows. ON THE 24th.

yearlings and cows,

George Long two cars cows. G N. Caylor, Happy, one car of Pipe and Casing is the Largest in the west.

Jinks Curry, Happy, one car steers.

ON THE 25th. Sam Cox, Swisher county, two cars cows and yearlings.

J. R. and J. T. Evans, Fan chon, two cars mixed fat stuff. J. M. Ledingham, Wright one car fat stuff.

A. S. Parker, Tulia, one car mixed stuff.

W. F. Heller, one car cows nd heifers.

Cattle are reported a little off

Mr. C. W. Word shipped one car of horses to St. Louis on the 24th.

Mr. L. T. Lester has gone to Portales on a business trip.

Oscar Hunt & Co. are showing new samples of carpe the time to buy them when they can be made in between season time. You can ay them when it gets cooler.

Mrs. Leota Sypert Clark will grade also. sing from Friday night until the close of the meeting, now being conducted by the Christian brethren at the Baptist church.

Roswell Fair.

This is where you will go n September. The Fair will be Pecos Valley Lines will put on Ry .- Less than One Fare. Tickets will be on sale September 22 to 25, with final limit of

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Miss Fannie Williamson is Messieurs found(?) the waterhome again after a delightful visit with her friend Miss Sweaza of Castro County

and 121 cents.

We have the best and most complete line of ladies and gentleman's fine gold watches, ever shown in Canyon.

Thompson Drug Co.

Our old friend, Mr. J. L. Crum, of Castro county, made us a pleasant call. We are always glad to have our friends call and see us. Mr. Crum is a gentleman of sterling qualities and will make a good citizen for any county

Dr. and Mrs. Parson's and baby are visiting the Doctor's mother at Snyder, Texas.

Picnic plates, for sale at this office light; clean and neat not easily broken, 15 cents a dozen call and see them. The Stayer

Picnic.

The young society smart set enjoyed a delightful hay ride to Barrel springs and a days outng Tuesday. The young Misses provided the dinner and the melons and cantalopes. Those present were: Misses Bertie and Sue Wilson; Fannie, Margie and Louise Overhuls, Minnie Long, Laura Orr and Nettie Messrs. Milton and Burette Burrow, Willie Street, Penon Reynolds and Merideth Crumley, Hayden Donaldson. They were chaparoned by Mrs. M. J. Overhuls, Mrs. Mary Reeves and Misses Lettie Whitmire and Ona Long.

Beautiful New Furniture and lots of it at Oscar Hunt & Co. A clergyman was much suprised one day at receiving a basket of potatoes from an old woman in his parish, with a message saying that as he had remarked in his sermon on the previous Sunday that some 'common taters' (commentators)

did not agree with him, she had sent

him some real good ones.-Our

Farm Implements

Ours are the best made: P. & O. and John Deere Plows, Disc and Lever Harrows; / McCormick, Plano John French, of Tulia, two and Walter A. Wood Harvesters and Binders.

Wind Mills and Pumps

Eclipse and Star, Steel and Wood, the best that are Campbell Bros., five cars made. Marcy and Cook Cylinders, the best made, We also have a lot of cheap Cylinders for those who do not wish to pay the price of the best. Our stock

Wagons and Buggies

Luedinghaus, Bain, Mitchel, State and Lansing Wagons. If you are posted no more need be said. Columbus Buggies, the best on the market. We also, have a cheaper grade for our trade.

Stoves and Ranges

The Majestic Range and Buck's Stoves, Standing in the Front Rank. In this line as in nearly all others we carry a cheaper grade.

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Lisk's Patent Anti-Rusting Tinware, every piece is waranted right, that is, if at any time a piece rusts it will be replaced free of charge. Also a nice line of common tinware for those who wish it. We have Enameled ware of every sort called for; also Galvan-Azed ware without limit. We call your attention to our stock of Aluminum ware, it is probably the best ware made.

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Alsways a complete line of the very best and a cheap

The reputation of our Harness and Saddles for being buy is well established. the best that Money can kinds of repairing done.

held September 23 to 26. The General Hardw

a rate of \$5 for the round trip to Roswell from Amarillo, Canyon City and Pecos with corresponding low rates from all ware store. Should we fail to have wh engine, we other points on the Pecos system in our stock, from a canvass tack to an and Southern Kansas of Texas will take pleasure in securing it for you.

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Sweet summer has gone

And left us with a few broken lines of Dry Goods, Ladies', Children's and Babies' Shoes that we are anxious to close out and to that end we will sell

At cost for cash for 30 days

Our Spring and Summer Goods, sandals, slippers shirt waists, gent's. furnishings, straw hats, gent's. underwear and our entire stock of millinery. Now is the time to make

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We have some beautiful Percales and Ginghams, just the thing for early fall wear. And don't forget that we have the

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Story.

war that the Indians in one of ing sustenance to appearse its boy's hand in his and quickly their raiding parties emerging hunger. It was a girl infant, receded, and then the band in this instance from the Indian and he carried it tenderly to a mounted and disappeared, driv-Territory, came across Red neighbor's and left it to be cared ling their stock with them at full river and committed more than for kindly by loving hands, who sweep. It was more than a ordinary havoc among the live knew it and its unfortunate year before this boy came back was seen crossing that she to the hapless whites in their ed out of the settlements, taking long time a guard had to be kept tethered her steed with a lariat ruthless track. They kept up with them a brother to this in over him, and often he would these raids till the year 1874, fant some six years of age, and be found standing out on the this being their last in Wise a beautiful young widow as cap, prairie alone in solemn savage county, home of the colonel, and tives, she was staying with the revery. This shows the savage catur to Jacksboro, where a late, with the result here detail. The infant is now a young Starr in command, formerly of and when the Indians came as a horror all allusion to this able force, he left the main road was forty ponies. The neigh story, "tell me, if you can, the and struck out westward, guided bors from sympathy for the factouse of this borrid feeling I by day, and by such natural land the forty ponies and had them covered, and that instant it van-Babb, near the public road, that mothered him. During the this infant radiated from it, and rails, be discovered the dead brace, but even would run behind something like / the wireless not so much from fright as from placing one hand above the the train flies." And the colona strange nervous trembling, other and looking toward sun- el did as follows: unaccountable to him. On look rise, which meant to say after Story of the Beauty in Dis ing into the room, which was sleep and two hours by sun the tress:- "This beauty of the praidark, he beheld shining over boy would be delivered over and rie, this prairie flower, yet lives beyond the dead body of the un the ponies taken in exchange. or did at last accounts, and here fortunate victim a pair of eyes, Next morning at the appoint is her story: The Indians took something like cat's eyes, and ed time the Indians were on her and the boy and a very fleetwhich had a tendency to in hand with the old hag and the footed race horse owned by crease the shivering horror he boy. She advanced toward the Babb, the pride of the prairies,

Colonel Picket's Indian this mystery of the shining eyes not look at his father, but kep could mean, he approached the his gaze bent towards the earth, bedside, and beheld an infant and she advancing in somewhat with face all bloody, where it of a stage strut, by slow, halthad clung to the mutilated ing steps; suddenly sprang to-It was a year or so after the breast of the dead mother seek- wards the father, she placed the scene of the awful tragedy he Babb family at the time. One instincts in man, and no wonder related. It was about the year of the most beautiful of women it crops out ever and anon by 1876 they made the bloody she was, Mr. Babb, the father, freaks of savage fury we read record in question. The colonel was from home, and returned in about in bad men from Bitter had occasion to travel from De- a day or so to find himself deso- creek. squadron of United States soled. It was some fourteen months lady, and is yet my neighbor,' diers were stationed, Major before the boy was discovered, said the colonel, "and avoids the officers commanding here at down and negotiated with the awful tragedy. The boy, is a Fort Worth till they left here in settlers for an exchange of white useful citizen at Wichita Falls. 1858. Hearing that the Indians captives by barter, the prices "Now," said the colonel in were in Wise county in consider. fixed for the ransom of the boy conclusion of this branch of the by the stars at night and the sun ther who had lost all, made up endured till the child was dismarks as he, an old frontiers herded at an appointed rendez ished. Can you do it?" + man, well knew. About twelve yous. The Indians came bring. I replied that the societies miles west of Decatur the colo- ing the stolen boy, while the fall of psychical research in this nel was led by some strange in ther with tears streaming down country and in the old, which stinct of impending trouble that his cheeks, looked on at a dis had been of late years studying

seemed to possess him in a man- tance. The boy togged out In- these psychological problems, ner be could not explain, to dian fashion, knew him not but would class this as thought make for the home of a Mr. clung close to the old squaw transference. The horror of The nearer he approached Babb's short interval of little more than swept into space over the subtle the greater his nervous pertur. a year this boy had lost all con- ether that is its medium, and bation increased, till on emerg sciousness of his people, and an impact of its thought waves ing from the brush and riding had degenerated to the sayage, touched his censory nerves in a over the low yard fence, sur He would not hear to his father's like state of apprehension of rounded by a cordon of fence entreaties to rush to his em danger from his environment, body of Mrs. Babb, lanced in the old hag when so solicited, telegraphy we have reduced to two places by Indian spears, But the time had not come for commercial value of late in a and with breasts horribly the final exchange of boy for similar field of research, but tilated, lying upon the bed in ponies. The chief made signs different in kind. the house, the ordinary frontier by resting his head in the palm "But, colonel," said I, "I am cabin. Hestill felt his unspeak of his hand and closing his eyes, anxious to know the fate of the able horror, a sort of shivering, which meant sleep, and then beautiful widow. Do tell me as

then felt more sensible than father, holding the struggling too, in the animal line, as was ever. Determined to see what boy by the wrist, who would she in the line of her sex and

kind. They crossed Red river and let him graze, waiting for news of her strange adventure into the wilds of the Indian night to come, when she would was published far and wide. Territory, and struck camp, ride across the wide waste of This drew to her many people They placed the beauty in a prairie unseen. But exhausted with presents enough to give tent to herself, but guarded by nature could bear up no longer, the pretty widow a fair dowry an old hag of a squaw who and she fell asleep, and she was for a frontiers woman's fortune. brought her tood and told her roused some time during the This dowry and the far richer in three moons she would be day by a band of Comanches, dowry of her beauty attracted purified from her white contam another tribe, who surrounded a Kansan, and she was at last ination and be ready to become her and horse. She was taken accounts living in Kansas as the wife of the chief-such was northwest this time, towards his wife. So ends my story, her doom, and the old squaw the Panhandle country. They said the colonel. - Fort Worth could not understand why a pale put her under guidance of an Register. face could not be proud of being other old squaw. This time such a grand lady. But this she was to be the chief's wife beauty was determined not to after a purification of "two live with the beasts, and one moons, but she again eluded dark night before one moon had them on her swift charger. The waned she crept out of her tent faithful animal seemed to know while the old hag slept and what was wanted, and she turnmounted the fleet footed [racer ed his head in the night time and was off south towards Red northward, knowing in the rear, yelling and bellowing with She eluded them completely rage at the discovery of her es- and soon fell into a military cape. When she reached Red road, which led her to the fort river it was bank full from re- of her soldiers, and she was cent rains. She hesitated to restored to civilization. The plunge into the dark water, ed her, but it was that or a life worse than death. The intelligent animal sympathized with it by pawing the earth in resttery abyss. He did not love Injuns any better than she did. So she gave him the halter. This was all she had on him, no saddle, no bridle-she bestrode him with the halter alone for a guide; and he was kind to her and seemed to fly on the journey to this point, and leave the redskins with neighing delight. The brave steed plunged in. The first stroke of the water carried both under to both of their necks, but he soon righted himself and swam bravely over and carried her to a safe land-

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Arrive	Amarillo	10:50	"
Leave	Amarillo		"
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	Pampa	2:10 "	••
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"	Canadian	4:15 "	,,,
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",	Whitehead		
Arrive	Woodward		" .

Where connection will be made with Train No. 428 on the A. ing on the Texas side. Then T. & S. F. Ry. We shall make every endeavor to run this train she rode south all night till promptly on above schedule, but this notice is not a guarantee morn began to break, and then that we will do so. Shippers should file orders for cars at least she found herself emerging from three days before the date on which they expect to load.

the woods at the edge of a wide The Fort Worth & Denver City Co. will run' a similar train prairie: She knew that if she to connect with our train at-Washburn at midnight Monday.

We will continue to handle trainload shipments, with proper stock, and dealing out death mother. The Indians had vanish to his natural ways, and for a would be recaptured, so she notice, on any day of the week, as suits shipper.

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