# Canyon City News.

VOL X.

CANYON CITY, RANDALL CO., TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1906.

# TO DELICATE WOMEN

You will never get well and strong, bright, hap-py, hearty and free from pain, until you build up your constitution with a nerve refreshing, blood-making tonic, like

# It Makes Pale Cheeks Pink

It is a pure, harmless, medicinal tonic, made from vegetable Ingredients, which relieve female pain and distress, such as headache, backache, bowel ache, dizziness, chills, scanty or profuse menstruation, dragging down pains, etc.

It is a building, strength-making medicine for women, the only medicine that is certain to do you good. Try it.

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### WRITE US A LETTER

freely and frankly, in strictest confid- of mine," writes Mrs. F. L. Jones, of ence, telling us all your symptoms and Gallatin, Tenn.:
troubles. We will send free advice "For since taking Cardui I have

### "YOU ARE FRIENDS

(in plain sealed envelope), how to gained 35 lbs., and am in better health cure them. Address: Ladies' Advisory than for the past 9 years. I tell my Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., husband that Cardui is worth its weight in gold to all suffering ladies."

### Rainfall on the Texas Plains

From U. S. Records at a point eighteen miles from Canyon City. MONTHLY AND ANNUAL PRECIPITATION.

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### THE TEXAS PLAINS and ITS RAINFALL.

tory of this, "our country," the of the pure fresh water sea that United States, all that portion west of the "Father of Waters" -the Mississippi River- was considered as dry, arid soil unfit for almost any purpose save grazing and as a breeding place for grasshoppers. This contention gradually gave way to experience but later on the same position was taken with regard proven successful, almost an to that vast scope of country covered by what is known as the "Louisiana Purchase." "Where not swamp, it is a dry, barren wilderness," said one of here for any length of time are this country's great men in Con gress at the time negotiations If this knowledge extended to were being carried on with Na. folks of the Middle States, we poleon for its purchase. His tory now refutes this also. Even people down here to buy homes Llano Estacado-the Plains where, but they don't know the Country. On account of its real condition of things here size and supposed sterilty, it and it remains for us who seek as the "Great American Desert." the facts before them One of to be true. As recent as twenty best way to do this is by comyears ago, Texans accepted this parison.

ing so long practically unknown as to climatic conditions, even to Texans, lay in the fact that during some season of the year water was not to be had on the major portion of it. Twenty Not very far back in the his-years ago nothing was known underlayed the. Texas Plains and it is to this discovery more than any other that the development of these vast prairies began. Then came the railroads, towns sprang up as if by magic, people began to turn the virgin soil and test its capacity and now the experiments have empire in size extends the welcome hand to farmers-i search of homes.

Those of us who have bee familiar with all these things would witness such a rush of worse things were said of the as was never before seen anywas put down on the early maps to develop this country to bring And the strange part of it is the first things to impress upon that even until recent years, their minds is, that we have within the memory of some who sufficient rainfall to insure are yet young, this was taken staple crops. And perhaps the

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FRIEDMAN'S SHOES lead---the world over. We have others.



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Majestic Chief 156063 Armour Dale 156843

Stock located in Pasture 1 mile north Canyon City Depot-Texas

### STOCK FOR SALE

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season, April to September in more than compensated for from clusive. This tabulated state ment shows that we really have more water for the crops, at the time actually needed, than the same authority shows for the Central Western portion of Texas, which is now and has been for years a proved agricultural section. Again in comparison, take the Government report for properly prepared to receive it. the same period of time at the following points and the showno made is as follows.

ng made is as follow	·
Topeka, Kansas	24.7 in.
Cincinnati, Ohio	22.4 in.
Louisville, Ky	23.9 in.
Indianapolis, Ind	22.7 in.
Chicago, Ill	19.7 in.
Davenport, Iowa	21.6 in.
St. Louis, Mo	
Detroit, Mich	18 7 in.
Milwaukee, Wis	18.9 in.

The general average for all of dogma as gospel truth, and only By referring to the tabulated these points in round numbers ten years back the Plains coun-statement at the top of this ar- is 21 inches and while the gentry was considered as only fit ticle, it will be observed that eral average of the Plains for for pasture purposes. The chief the Plains rainfall comes, the the time cited is a little below reason, no doubt, for its remain- bulk of it, within the growing this, yet this discrepancy is

the fact that the days and nights are much cooler here and the evaporation not near so rapid as in lower altitudes. Then, again, the rain on the Due to Trust Companies Plains is more evenly distributed as to amount falling at one time and the overflow or waste need be little if the ground be

These conditions taken in connection with a soil that is unsurpassed for fertility, ought to and will make of this Plains country a good farming belt.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The First National Bank AT Canyon, in the State of Texas at the close of business, April 6, 1906.

\$301,565.46 Loans and discounts. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured

9,581,50

U. S. bonds to secure circu-Premiums on U. S. bonds... Banking house, furniture, and fixtures.

Due from national banks (not reserve agents)... Due from State Banks and bankers

Due from approved reserve

78,667,63

1,125 39

1,200.00

17,392.80

5,000.00

6,550.00

100,000.00 10,000.00

5,420,94

23,156.62

208,284.42

357.20

78.41

Checks & other cash items Notes of other national

banks Fractional papercurrency. nickels and cents.

Lawful money reserve in bank. viz: Legal-tender notes 8,421.00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation). Due from U. S. Treasurer,

other than 5 per cent redemption fund. Total 557,479.37

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in .. Surplus fund Individed profits, less expenses and taxes paid National bank notes out-

100,000.00 standing Due to other nat'l. banks. 106,460.19 Due to state banks and

bankers and Savings Banks. Individual deposits subject

Time certificates of deposit -3,800.00Total

.557,479.37 State of Texas, County of Randall, ss: I, D. A. Park, eashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. A. PARK, Cashier. Correct Attest:

L. T. LESTER Directors. R. G. OLDHAM JOHN L. HOWELL. Subscribed and sworn to before me

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### CANYON CITY NEWS.

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Six months, ..... 50

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Election November 6, 1906;

For State Senator: JNO. W. VEALE

D. E. DECKER. For District Judge 47th Judicial District

J. N. BROWNING. For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

M. F. SLOVER For County Judge:

J. M. VANSANT A. N. HENSON

For District and County Clerk: J. A. TATE

For Tax Assessor: P. H. YOUNG

### A FAMILIAR TEST.

Down where the editor of The News hails from, the Twentieth Senatorial district, it has, ever since the day of the old Greenback party, been a battle ground royal in politics. The "Greenbackers" were much in evidence for about four years, beginning with 1882, sending Col. G. W Jones to Congress and electing many other officers. Then the Democrats got it in for each other. It was Cleveland and Anti Cleveland, goldbug and free silverite 16 to-oners. Then came the Hogg and Clark bitterness, followed by Populist victories here and there. Four years ago Populism was in the evening of its finish and two years past, under the name "Independent ticket," it entered the night of its oblivion in so far as the old Twentieth is concerned.

Many good citizens who had followed the fortunes of popu lism until all hope departed, had determined to cast their lot with Democracy this year; some of them have even announced for office, subject to primary action, but, alas for them, the powers that be refuse the olive branch—they insist on the old familiar test, as follows

" I am a white man and a Democrat; I did not vote against the nominees of the Democratic party in the last general election, and I wil not oppose or vote against the nominees of the Democratic party in the next gen eral election.'

"Which test shall be printed at the top of each ballot, and no ticket shall be counted if said test is torn off, mutilated, or defaced; said ballots shall be prepared by the primary committee as provided by Sec. III of the general election law.

"Be it further resolved that by the term "Democrat," as used in the test, is meant one who subscribes to the principles of the Democratic party and afnational, state and county."

Looking over the paper in which this test was published, The Burnet Bulletin, it was ob- prohibition, the populist or the has no direct concern. It would with him on this point. At any mill-best bargain in town. Right

### Mr. House-holder

It has always been my desire to se tomers the best of everything at the lowest possible price.

As regards paint in particular, I am pleased tr announce that after thorough investigation have accepted the exclusive agency for Hammar Condensea Paint, which is guaranteed for five years with, back of this

guarantee, the great St. Louis House of Hammar with a half million dollars cash capital and a third of a century reputation for honorable dealing.

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It isn't ready mixed. You can mix it yourself, and all you need to do it with is a stick Paint lives only so long as the oil in

When you mix the paint with oil vourself, which takes but a minute, we absolutely guarantee it to wear for five years and to look well at the end of

By purchasing the fresh oil separately and taking a minute's time to mix it with Hammar Paint you save 25%, which means in a nutshell that you have not paid for canned oil at

One gallon Hammar Paint and one gallon linseed oil covers six hundred square feet of surface, two coats, which is the closest sticking, farthest spreading, and longest tasting paint in the

Come in and talk it over. There is nothing else like Hammar Paint. S. V. WIRT, CANYON CITY, TEX

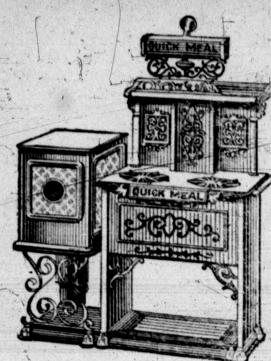
are announced subject to Democratic primary action, and that at least tive of them were at no very distant time leading Populists. The News man is well acquainted with each one of them and knows them to be as good citizens as any in the county and as well qualified for the offices sought as they need be, but in view of the test adopted they had as well give up the fight right now.

### Senator D. E. Decker.

This week The News adds the name of Senator Decker to its announcement column. He is serving his first term and desires re-election. Like his opponent, Judge Veale, he is a native Texan. Upon leaving Georgetown University, where he finished his education, he entered business life through the country newspaper' channel, founding the Tribune at Quanah. He next entered the profession of law in which he has been quite successful. He has stayed with Quanah a u d Northwest Texas and the people have stood by him in all his political aspirations. He has been county attorney, district attorney and Representative, and his people said "go up higher" and he entered the State Senate where, he says, he wants to remain for another term. In so far as The News knows, he has done his whole duty as a public servant; his ability is unquestioned and he seems to have used it for what he believed to be the best interests of his constituency. He has some ideas about legislation which The News indorses and some it doesn't, but then it is hard for men to agree upon all things-nnreasonable even to expect it .- On the Terrell election law monstrosity, he lined up with The News exactly when just before the late special

"The thing that the legislature should do when it meets in shall nominate candidates. If state to control the primaries of where who desire to know of state and then adjourn. The brains enough to secure votes. deny." state has no business undertak. I am opposed to the state meding to tell the democratic, the dling with things in which it

session he said:



A stove that is always ready!

A stove that makes no smoke, smell or

A safe stove! An economical stove! A clean stove!

A stove that requires no skill to oper-

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JOHN HUTSON,

D. A. PARK CASHIER. TRAVIS SHAW ASS'T. Cas.

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J. L. HOWELL,

F. M. LESTER. R. G. OLDHAM, We invite you to open an account with us. We guarantee as liberal accommodations as are warranted by the account and prudent banking.

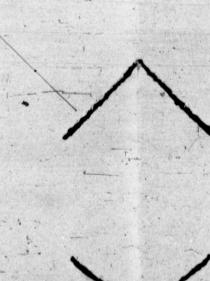
Austin is to repeal all that por- a party has not sense enough to the democratic party that the filiates with its organization, tion of the Terrell election law know how to nominate a candi- democratic party is in need of a that covers all elections not date, it is not endowed with guardian. This I emphatically

Others no doubt will disagree served that all the candidates republican parties how they appear from the effort of the rate, Senator Decker realizes now, \$1050 buys it. This office.

that in the present campaign he is going to have the fight of his life and he has entered into it with all the vim of his strong personality, promising a canvass of the district and a thorough airing not only of his past official record, but of his intentions if returned as State Senator.

The News' local weather department will be continued throughout the year. It may not be of any great interest to home people but the information contained therein should be of value to News readers else-Plains climatic conditions.

For Quick Sale-In good residence portion of town a four-room house, freshly painted and finished inside and out, good well and wind-





# TOWN & COUNT

Good Friday today.

Easter Sunday, day after tomorrow.

### The Buggy Peddler.

The buggy peddler is in the country again. He may have good vehicles, The News can't say as to no pay. that, but of one thing it is sure, they are no better than those kept in stock by Stringfellow-Hume or the Canyon Hardware Co. And, again, The News has taken the pains to investigate and is now ready to wager two to one that the local dealers named will, quality considered, undersell these buggy peddlers.

The News is not one of these papers that insist on buying everything at home regardless of price, but it does say and insist that everything else being equal, or nearly so, we should patronize our home people.

The buggy peddler like the catalogue house does nothing for either you or yours except take your cash. He neither helps your churches nor your schools, nor does he consume your produce or assist in any other way in building up your community. In fact he is a positive injury to the country and if all bought goods from this class. of dealers Randall County would soon become a financial grave yard.

say trade with Stringfellow Hume or the Canyon Hardware Co. any how and at any old price, but it does say try them first and give them the preference.

Remember, The News is ready can be purchased of our local dealcheaper, than from these peddlers.

The News is constantly gaining ground in the way of getting new Randall County subscribers.

Wilson carries a nice line of Tablets, Pencils, Pens. Ink. etc.

new residence this week. I. L. Hunt is preparing to outdo

all of his nabors in the way of a yard fence. All kinds of Racket Goods,

School Supplies and Confectionery at Wilson's. Try us.

Let us price you some of our Paints-we have Oils too. Canyon Lumber Co.

\$1,000.

Geo. Furness, the operator tak ing Rogers' place at, the depot, is from Michigan, single-but wants to marry.

Dr. Harrison, the Hereford Dentist, will be in Canyon City the second and fourth Mondays in each month.

For Sale-Eggs from full blood Brown Leghorn Chickens, cooped separately, 15 for 50 cents. Mrs. Joe Foster.

Florence, Texas, but now in Ama-ford Brand. rillo, visited his aunt, Mrs. Montgomery, Sunday.

tion at Amarillo next week Jake him by a Portales grand jury and not have let his property go so Weller will have on exhibition there will get a speedy trial and short cheap. his Oklahoma Steel Tank and it shift if the prosecution and public full of water. Go see it.

CANYON CITY.

Here to stay after April 15, '06. All work guaranteed. Crown and Bridge work a specialty. Teeth extracted without pain.

### Welt, Windmill Work.

I will dig your welf and erect your Windmill, clean out your well and repair your pump-good service or

Cheapest Man in Town. W. J. HALL.

Every newspaper treasures up in its memory the names of its friends, and likewise those of its enemies. It seldom overlooks an opportunity to assist the former, but it never goes out of its way to help the latter. Human nature is pretty much the same elsewhere. People who show the newspaper kindness never make a better investment or one that is more likely to pay a hundred fold sooner or later. As it has been truly said, there comes a time in the life of every man when he needs his home paper and needs it badly -Big Springs

### Consumption is a Germ Disease. How Can it Start With a Cold?

This is a reasonable question and one that must arise to the mind of almost everyone when Mind you, The News does not the claim is made that consumption starts with a cold. The cold simply, prepares the system for the reception and development of germs of that disease, that would not otherwise have found lodgement. It is to wager two to one that buggies the same with diptheria, scarlet fever and measles. They are ers for cash just as cheap, if not most likely to be contracted when the child has a cold. That is why a cold should never be neglected. The longer it hangs on the greater the danger. As a quick cure for colds Chamberlain's Cough Remedy can al ways be relied upon. Its re-A. H. Thompson moved into his markable cures have won for it a world wide reputation and an immense sale. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by S. V. Wirt, Druggist.

In this issue The News has been quite lengthy in discussing Senator Decker. It must not be construed from this that The News leans more to him than to Judge Veale, for it doesn't. There are several matters likely to come up for legis-J. B. Thomas sold his residence lative action before the next Legis-(Taffinder place) to L. L. Powers lature and The News wants to of Engineer McGee's staff, at know just how each of these gentlemen stand before committing itself. It wont take side then, at least not editorially, unless the vital interests of Canyon City or Randall County is threatened.

J. T. Jowell this week purchased the 16-acre block upon which M. W. Shelley's large home was destroyed by fire last year and will Hereford and we almost envy Mr. Jowell, thus far in advance, his Robert Shoffner, recently from home when it is completed .- Here-

ductor Curtis, has had an indict can obtain possession. Farr must During the Stockmen's conven- ment for murder returned against be going to leave us or he would sentiment counts for anything.

### CANYON HARDWARE CO.

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R. G. OLDHAM.

Successors to Canyon City Hardware & Grain Co.



BUGGIES of the Latest Styles and the best that money can buy.

here is no longer any reason why you should order your Buggies from some catalogue house or buy them from some slick-tongue traveling agent going through the country claiming to have buggies superior to any one else, when you can buy better Buggies from us at about onethird less.

We guarantee our Buggies to be made of the best material, and we are here to make our guarantee good, should anything prove not to be absolutely alright. We have just received a car load of the best we could get. We want you to see our large and well assorted line before you buy; we can suit you and save you money.

Our stock of wood Star, Standard, and Leader Windmills, Pipe, Casing, John Deere and Standard Implements, Wire, Nails and General Hardware is complete.

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## CANYON HARDWARE CO.

By special act of the Legis

itary purposes. Now is a good

time to think about and discuss

Croup Quickly Cured.

Cough Remedy bring surprising

results when a child shows

symptoms of croup. There is

no cause for alarm when this

medicine is in the house as it

rarely takes more than three or

four doses to bring about a com

plete cure. It has never failed

even in the most severe and

dangerous cases and no home

where there are small children

can afford to be without it. For

We are having a rush on paints and oils-the price is do

sale by S. V. Wirt, Druggist.

ing it. Canyon Lumber Co.

A few doses of Chamberlain's

a measure of this sort.

### YOUR PATRONAGE.

We desire to please all who trade at our store, for we realize that a pleased customer is the best advertisement any business can have.

Our policy is to keep the best Merchandise--Dry Goods and Groceries--money can buy, and content ourselves with a small profit.

WE WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD.

## Yours For Business, SEYDLER MERCANTILE CO.

J. A. Wallace formerly of Memphis, but late of Canyon City, will lature we could incorporate Thomas, the Literary Society has perhaps locate at Clarendon. - Hall Canyon City for school and san County Herald.

A. Ernsberger and wife, Misses Donald and Long attended The Panhandle Teachers' Association that was held at Amarillo Friday and Saturday, April 6 and 7.

Many of our citizens, especially begin at an early date the erection those of the West end, are setting of a modern residence. This is one out trees along the side-walks, or of the most desirable additions to rather we might say, where the side-walks ought to be. This is commendable.

Dr. J. B. Latham has purchased the W. A. Earr residence at \$2000, E. L. Price, the slayer of Con- and will move there as soon as he

> Holland's Magazine and this paper one year \$1.75.

We are glad to welcome spring with her gentle breezes and sweet perfume.

Hoffman Paragraphs.

Misses' Ora Cage and Vida Kinehart spent last week with Mrs. George Day.

Several head of cattle were lost in this community during the cold rains and bad weather of last week.

Walter and Pitts Hamilton and families left last Saturday for California. We regretted their departure as they were good neighbors and much liked by our people.

Wheat, rye, oats and barley are looking fine. Farmers are very busy preparing for another crop. B. T. Johnson's family spent

Sunday in Canyon City. Jake Hoffman and sister, Miss Emma, who have been attending

school at Amarillo have come home

L. A. Pierce who has been on the sick list is able to be out again. Mesdames J. M. White and Blair visited in our community Monday

On account of the sad death of one of its members, Mr. Jeff disbanded.

TASSIE.

The Baptists expect to hold a series of revival meetings beginning the fourth Sunday in May.

For Sale-Full blooded Red Durham yearling bull. Large, in fine shape and cheap.

J. Rusk.

"Old lady" Tipton, living down on the canyons, died suddenly Sunday night. She had just fluished a hearty supper when with a gasp she passed away. The funeral was at Claude Monday." ...

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church will give a pie supper at Geo. C. Long's residence Friday night, April 27. Charges,

Try the News for Job Work.

### TOWN & COUNTY

PERSONAL AND OTHER MATTERS

Good Friday today.

### Local Weather Record

From Friday of last, to and including Friday (publication day) of this week.

### SATURDAY

Friday night brought another fine rain. Saturday was clear with a strong breeze from the southwest. SUNDAY

Warmer, clear and rather windy.

MONDAY

Was a nice wash-day with a good drying wind.

TUESDAY

Prettiest day so far this week WEDNESDAY

speak of.

THURSDAY

morning shifting to north by night. FRIDAY

many letters from "up north" in inquiring about the country. Some enclose stamp for reply and some forget to. If in the land business, this would be all right either way. but as The News is not engaged in that traffic, stamps must be sent to cover postage if information direct from this office is wanted. The News will publish a series of articles on North west Texas and the Plains country—land prices, climate, etc., that should prove mighty interesting reading to prospectors. The first of these articles will be found in this Issue on first

### Miss Ladd's Class Recital.

A good house greeted Miss Ladd's entertainment at the Methodist Church Tuesday night. There was "a great deal of, fun" sure enough; it really surpassed the expectations of friends and seemed to be thoroughly enjoyed by all-big, little, old and young The printed program was carried out to the letter and done in such a way as to be highly creditable to teacher and pupils alike. With training, Canyon City could have wife, a girl. talent that would rank with high class professionals. And our little girls such as Kathleen Stewart and Hazel Park, well, they can't be beat anywhere.

The proceeds from the sale o tickets, between sixty and seventy dollars, was a donation by Miss Ladd and her class to the new Methodist parsonage. The admission price, 50 cents, was, prior to the entertainment, thought to have

Pittsburg Electric Weld hog fence, American hog fence and chicken fence-widths 20 to 46 inch and at right close to factory prices.

### Stringfellow-Hume.

Before buying Paints and Oils see Canyon Lumber Co.

Dallas Daily News is on sale at the Post Office.

Comer Thomas' baby has been quite sick this week.

### We Feel Sure

of our ability to handle your banking business to your satisfaction, and shall be glad of an opportunity to show you.

x++++++++++++++

CANYON NATIONAL BANK CANYON, - - TEXAS.

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### J. R. Smith Probably Drowned.

Sheriff Slover lost his man, J. R. Smith, that he went to Ashville, N. C after. While in the Mississippi bottoms, near Moscow, Smith U. S. bonds to secure circueither jumped out of the passenger Warm for the season with spring car closet window, or got out Banking house, furniture, rain clouds and an electric display through the hole in the car floor. just after sun-down but no rain to Sheriff Slover says there is no escape from this conclusion as he and the conductor were standing at Good breeze from southwest in the door. Stopping at the next station, Slover secured help and went back to the point where his Wind from northwest and rather prisioner disappeared but found no traces of him although the ground was soft. There were several deep Redemption fund with U. The News office is still receiving holes of water along the railroad and Sheriff Slover says the local officers were of the opinion that Smith had headed into one of them and finished his earthly career. Their opinion was based upon the theory that the impact of the body on the water, the high speed of the train considered, would be such as to deprive a person of the ability to get out before drowning, and the Demand certificates of defurther fact that no tracks could be found in the vicinity of the escape.

> Stringfellow-Hume have a lot of Sulky Plows, Planters, Steel Star and Red Cross Windmills for sale at greatly reduced prices.

### For Sale

A Broad Cast Binder; one Row Binder; i Steel two-section Harrow; I Riding Lister, and one Riding Cultivator.

> J. F. SMITH, Canyon, Texas.

### BIRTHS.

April 8-to R. M. Peeler and wife, another boy.

April 9-to Geo. Black Jr. and

Mesdames Judge and Claude attending to telephone business. Harrison left Monday for a visit to relatives and friends at their former homes, Corsicana and Hutto respectively.

B. T. Johnson called and furnished us a new subscriber Wednesday, his brother, J. B. Johnson of Rapids, Kentucky.

Travis Shaw is painting his new premises and also his new purchase, been too high, but all who went, the Lochridge house. With his including our reporter, say it was waterworks already arranged, the well worth the money—and more next thing ought to be that new

> Frank Ames, through W. C Baird, has sold his four sections to C. O. Keiser, the purchaser of the Dr. Black land.

> Oscar Hunt left the first of the week for Mineral Wells where his wife has for some time been testing the virtue of the waters.

> Best fence there is and cheapest--will last forever--our "Electric Weld" Stringfellow-Hume.

T. J. Cochran has given his residence a fresh coat of paint.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Canvon National Bank.

AT Canyon, in the State of Texas at the close of business, April 6, 1906.

Loans and discounts \$36,947.72 Overdrafts, secured and un-

835,39

7,500.00

5,761.24

13,350.33

13,662.18

25 00

350.00

11.10

5,228.50

375 00

84,297.24

30,000.00

957.67

lation Premiums on U. S. bondsand fixtures: Due from national banks (not reservengents).

Due from approved reserve agents Checks & other cash items Notes of other national banks Fractional paper currency,

nickels and cents. Lawful money reserve in bank. viz: Legal-tendernotes 2,080.00

S. Treasurer 15% of circulation). Total

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in. ndivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid National bank notes outstanding.

7,500,00 Due to other nat'l. banks. 6,600.00 Individual deposits subject to check 36,237 42

3,000.00 posit. Cashier's checks outstanding. 2.15 Total.

297:24 State of Texas, County of Randall, 88: I. I. L. Hunt, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the

best of my knowledge and belief. I. L. HUNT, Cashier.

Directors.

Correct Attest: R. W. OKEEFE F. P. WILSON

W. C. BAIRD Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of April, 1906.

J. A. TATE, Co. Clk. Randall County, Texas.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

My Jack is now ready for service. Terms, \$10 to insure a foal; also a fine Shetland stud. \$5 to insure a foal.

R. E. Foster.

Harry Howelll returned this week from Plainview where he has been

moved here this week occupying the house he recently bought from also cotton, billious and other fevers Rev. L P. Smith.

Sheriff Slover has purchased the interest of Geo. Seydler in the Seydler Mer. Co. Mr. Seydler, tis said, will engage in the colonization business.

L. G. Conner purchased from B C. Adams of Kansas City, the lot upon which his office is situated at \$600. \$200 was the price six months back.

"To be, or not to be," that is what the new Palo Dura Club was, through its committee, wrestling with Wednesday and the decision tallies with the latter portion of the quotation.

A Clean-up Sale at reduced prices. It includes Steel Star and Red Cross Windmills, and a lot of Sulky Plows, Planters, and such like. Best barthem at

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### Panhandle

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### QUICK ACTION



are advisable, as speculators have investigated and are fast purchas ing with a knowledge of quickly developing opportunities to sell to others at greatly increased

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Cattle For Sale-100 head of she cattle from two-year olds up, 25 young calves in the bunch. Also 1 pair of gray work horses; 1 3 year old broke mule; 3, year-old mules; 5, yearold horse colts and 3 mares.

John Knight, Canyon City, Texas,

J. A. Grundy and family will leave in about two weeks for El mer, Chickasaw Nation, where he and his brother have purchased a general mercantile business. The Joel Preslar, of Florence, Texas, country is O. K. for farming, fine corn is raised there and lots of it, and no end to chills.

J. B. Thomas will move into the Pete Davidson house as soon as it is vacated by Dr. Latham who expects to get into his purchase, the last of this week. Mr. Farr will move in the J. A. Wansley house.

W. H. Hicks is going over his front fence and premises, generally in the line of repairs and preparing to put on another coat or two of paint all around.

J. W. Prichard has secured unto himself two railroaders-painters, who, he says, can paint windmills without ladders, "being as they are five feet and eighteen inches tall.'

Miss Sadie Montgomery returned last Friday from Briscoe county where she has been teaching school for the past seven months.

James Mannering of Osage, Ill., gains ever offered. See returning home from an extended CANYON CITY, - - visit to relatives in California, was the guest of his nephew, Judge Stringfellow-Hume's. Henson, Thursday of last week.

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