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Keiser Brothers & Phillips Buy and Sell Panhandle Lands

HOFFMAN PARAGRAPHS.

The snow has put a fine season in the ground.

L. A. Pierce is sowing oats. He says his cattle are getting thru the winter nicely; fat enough for beef.

The boys of our community had an egg roast at Jesse Pierce's recently. They had a jolly time.

A. B. Cage and family and Annie Hoffman attended church at Umbarger Sunday.

Lena Hoffman attended Sunday School at Paloduro Sunday.

H. Neece's sister of Mo. visited him last week. She was enroute to her new home at Artesia, N. M. Ed. Harrold and wife and Birch Campbell and wife were guests of Mrs. F. Hoffman Friday.

The larks are telling us of spring. If humanity was as cheerful as the little birds, we would have a happy world.

B. T. Johnson attended the Mission Board meeting in Canyon the 20th.

Our bachelor nabor, Jesse Pierce, is improving his home by making a lawn in front of his house. Hope it will be contagious and more trees will be put out by everybody this spring.

Mr. Will Garrett from south of Umbarger has lately moved to the Hutson ranch. They are occupying the Skidmore house. We gladly welcome them to our community.

Quite a lot of sickness in our midst. Mostly colds, nothing serious.

Clyde Allred is wearing an unusually broad smile. He is addressed as "Papa"—it is a 9 pound boy. Mother and babe doing well.

TASSIE.

HAPPY ITEMS.

Miss Mattie Currie went to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McNaughton returned from their Canada trip after nearly a six months' visit.

Mr. Preslar of Canyon, was in Happy on business Tuesday.

Rev. Groves of Canyon, will preach in Happy Sunday, March the 1st.

D. F. Felton left for the North Monday. He expects to return on the next excursion with his wife and children.

On account of Arthur Todd's illness school has been dismissed for the week.

John Wiggins returned to Happy Tuesday.

Pete and Tom Wiggins shipped a car of baled millet last week.

D. G. Mabie was down from

Iowa with three land buyers from Cherokee county, Iowa.

The men were very much pleased with the country. Mr. Mabie went North Monday expecting to return next week.

The house recently occupied by Mr. Overholt is being remodelled.

Whitman Bros. were north-bound passengers Sunday, Feb. 26, '08. HAPPY.

Judge Haney has put in this week at Canadian attending district court.

Local Weather Record.

Cool, pleasant days tell the whole story of the weather from last Friday until our forms were closed yesterday evening.

In the crop line wheat is doing well and oats are being sown.

C. T. Bennett, who has been at Crystal Springs, Mississippi, visiting home folks for nearly a month writes that he will return by the first and resume his position in the drug store.

E. H. Ackley is a candidate for the Legislature—so he said yesterday.

Fort Worth is to have a chicken ordinance and there are some who want one here.

L. C. Lair down sick Wednesday and yesterday—may have smallpox but not sure yet.

W. B. Pierce, recently from Elgin, Illinois, is occupying the residence recently vacated by Dr. Latham.

Elmore Jordan, up from Roswell this week, says that his mother, who is there, is improving right along.

Mesdames R. L. Faulkner and S. E. Brown went to Amarillo yesterday with intentions to return home tomorrow.

Attention is called to smallpox report elsewhere, also to notice of city and county authorities. The disease, as stated last week, is very mild in form and our physicians seem to have it well in hand.

Lois and Hester Jordan on Tuesday went to Plainview to visit their sister, Mrs. J. W. Pipkin. Miss Anna goes this week to visit Miss Jessie Long at Cordell, Oklahoma, and Miss Lucile will visit at Forney. The Jordan household goods have been stored until such time, as Mrs. Jordan secures another location.

Keiser Bros. & Phillips expect to put in a farm of 900 acres this year and more next season. This home place, which is not for sale, comprises the Orr and Harrell sections and their purchase out of the Palo Duro club grounds, 1,700 acres in all. They intend putting extensive improvements in the way of buildings on the Orr portion this spring.

Married—Wednesday evening by Elder Sam T. Shore and at his residence A. B. Dills and Miss Imo V. Bogar. Mr. Dills is engaged in the banking business at Armington, Illinois, the former home of the Bogar family, and is a young man of excellent character. The bride has made friends of all her acquaintances here and the best wishes of all go with her and her husband to their future home—Armington, Illinois.

Smallpox Quarantine.

Added to those quarantined last week are the residences of J. S. Harrison, H. J. Cavet, Mrs. Gatewood, S. A. Shotwell and J. E. Rogers.

Those released during the past week and up to yesterday were A. N. Henson, Mrs. Jordan's, Rev. Hawthorne and I. W. McClure.

SMALLPOX NOTICE.

Anyone residing in Canyon City who has smallpox, or any suspicious eruption which may be smallpox, and fails to report the same to the authorities violate the quarantine laws and are subject to a penalty.

D. A. PARK,
Mayor pro tem.
GEO. J. PARSONS,
City Physician.
D. M. STEWART,
County Physician.

Pleased With The News.

F. L. Cooper of Washta, Iowa, says he is well pleased with The News. Writing under day of February 21st, he says:

Through the courtesy Mr. S. E. Brown of the Panhandle Realty Co. I have had the privilege of looking over a copy of your weekly paper. I am quite well pleased with it, and as I have landed interest near Happy I will enclose the amount of revenue necessary to obtain one year's subscription. I visited your country last June and must say, from an agricultural view I believe you have a great country to be developed in the near future.

The News is not a large paper but it gives, so far as comes to its ken, all the doings worth recording in Randall county and its comment is usually upon subjects of direct concern to its citizens. This is just what its outside readers want. The News confines itself to the facts, too, and this also takes with them, and hence its popularity.

Earl Dunbar, Robert Rowan and Harry Lair returned Sunday from Dallas where they have been to Commercial colleges.

Claude Pangle, an old Burnet nabor of The News family, now of Mineral Wells, was in to see us yesterday.



WE HAVE ON DISPLAY

A COMPLETE LINE OF

Queen Quality Oxfords

LOW CUTS AND PUMPS

in all the Newest Styles--

Vici, Patent and Tans.

All the New Things in Novelties
Bags, Neckwear, Belts, etc.

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Company.

Seeing is Believing

Call--see our nice assortment of stock, get our prices and be convinced that lumber is not near so high as you've been led to believe

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We have been here longer than any other lumber company on the Plains.

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Desirably located in best residence portion of Canyon City and just outside of corporate limits. Near College and depot and about one mile from courthouse. Will sell in blocks from 3 1-8 to 100 acres.

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Two Row Planters

In our line of planters are included such well known and reliable makes as the

Parlin & Orendorff,
The Moline and
The John Deere.

These are 2-row planters and you can have them in either runner or disc openers.

We have a complete stock of all kinds of Implements, Wagons, Buggies, Eclipse Windmills, Pipe, Casing, Cylinders, Wire, Nails and Hog Fence. We also have in connection a first class Harness Shop and make all our fine harness by hand. We use nothing but the best material. OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.



One Row Planters

Our 1-row planters can also be used as listers and we carry only the best made--

Sweet William 2-horse
Rock Island 2-horse.

Special Prices on goods listed February 1st still hold good.

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SUBSCRIPTION.
One Year in County..... \$1.00
One Year out of County... 1.25
Six months..... .75
Two months..... .25

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For President,
WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN
- For District Attorney,
A. A. LUMPKIN
HENRY S. BISHOP
- For County Judge—
A. S. ROLLINS
A. N. HENSON, re-election
- For County Attorney,
R. A. SOWDER
WALTER E. CRANFORD
- For County and District Clerk,
J. A. TATE, re-election.
MARVIN P. GARNER
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector—
R. H. SANFORD
SAM B. LOFTON
H. J. CAVET
- For County Treasurer,
C. P. HUTCHINGS
P. H. YOUNG
S. V. WIRT, re-election
- For County Assessor,
JOE FOSTER (re-election)
- For County Commissioner and Justice of the Peace Prec. No. 1,
JOHN ROWAN
W. J. REDFEARN
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2,
E. W. NEECE

RANDALL COUNTY SENDS DELEGATE.

At a mass meeting of Randall county Democrats held at the courthouse last Saturday evening it was determined to send a delegate to the Fort Worth gathering of Prohibitionists which convenes tomorrow. John A. Wallace was chosen as representative for this purpose, the amount of twenty dollars being voted and collected by the secretary towards defraying his expenses, he, Wallace, proffering to foot the balance himself.

L. C. Lair was chairman of the mass meeting Saturday and Judge Henson was secretary. There was a fair turnout and on the question being submitted as to whether or not State wide prohibition should be an issue in the July primaries it was decided aye.

A considerable number of Democrats attending this meeting were of the opinion that the decision there called for was a

flat declaration for or against prohibition. Such was not the case. In this they were badly mistaken. If The News knows what it is talking about. It is merely a demand by Democrats who favor state wide prohibition that the question as they see and feel it, be made an issue in the party primaries. Made an issue in this way, and all right thinking Democrats, anti or pro, surely can find no valid objection to such a test, it decides the policy of the party in this state so far as this question is concerned. If submitted, and it carries, it goes, of course, into the party platform; if lost it simply puts the Democrats of Texas, as a party, on record as against state wide prohibition at this time. And this is all there is to it.

The News, for the life of it, can't see why any Democrat should object to having the question passed upon at the July primaries.

FULL RENDITION SUSTAINED.

The County Judges and Commissioners' association, in session at Dallas last week, put in the whole of Friday on the full rendition law, its good and its bad points. There was a great deal said concerning it, but after all was in the general conclusion was that as a law of the State, it should be lived up to. The resolutions expressing this result, adopted by unanimous vote, read as follows:

1. That we, the members of the association, individually and collectively, pledge ourselves to loyally support and maintain the letter and spirit of the law known as the full rendition bill.

2. That with an abiding confidence in the integrity, courage and fidelity of our brother officers of the state not in attendance, we call upon them to cooperate with us in the maintenance and support of law, to the end that the assessment and rendition of the taxes of the entire state may be equal and uniform and that justice may be done.

It was generally conceded that during the first year under this new law it would be difficult to get a uniform and equitable value on lands thruout the State. That it was largely "a matter to be left to the conscience and judgment of the judges and commissioners under whose supervision the different assessments were made."

And now coming to us: It is thought by some of our best informed citizens that in Randall county the minimum price on Plains land—all good and clear of bone—should be put at five dollars per acre.

GETTING AFTER THE PHYSICIANS.

The state law requires all physicians to report births and deaths to the county clerk. There is a penalty for failure to do so. Physicians so far have been slow to comply in this particular and now State Health Officer, Brumby, is out with a letter saying that this law must be complied with. Addressing the physicians of Texas, under date of February 8, he says:

The purpose of this letter is to call your attention to the law enacted by the Twenty-seventh Legislature requiring physicians to make reports of all births and deaths of which they are cognizant, to the county clerk within thirty days after its occurrence under a penalty for failure to do so of five dollars for each birth and of not less than five or more than fifty dollars for each death. It is not my purpose to antagonize the members of the profession, but your duty in this matter is very clear and if you do not realize it, it will be necessary for me to place the matter in the hands of the county attorney. "A hint to the wise is sufficient." I have had blank certificates of births and deaths printed at the State's expense and they are now in the hands of the county clerks, and can be obtained by

the physicians without cost. They are there for your use and there is absolutely no excuse for non-compliance with this law. There has been a steady increase in the number of physicians that are reporting, but partial reports are far from satisfactory, and I intend to see that the recalcitrant brother is prosecuted for non-compliance with the law. Trusting that you will realize your duty in this matter without the intervention of the law, I remain,

Yours sincerely and fraternally,
WM. BRUMBY,
State Health Officer.

W. J. Redfearn.

W. J. Redfearn announces this week as a candidate for county commissioner and justice of the peace for precinct No. 1.

Mr. Redfearn came here years ago from the good old Tarheel state of North Carolina; he is one of this county's oldest and best known citizens and is not new to the position he seeks, having served the people heretofore in that capacity. All precinct No. 1 knows 'Squire Redfearn, as he is called, his record is before them and by that record he is willing to be judged at the polls.

Be a News subscriber.

PLAINS & PECOS VALLEY Lands For Sale

Improved or unimproved, in Canyon City or in the country. We can fit you up with almost any size tract and at the very lowest prices as we Only Handle Bargains. We also exchange property and deal in live stock. If you have property for sale List With Us. If you desire to buy or make an exchange, SEE OUR PROPERTY LIST.

The Plains Land and Brokerage Company
South Side Square, Canyon City, Texas.

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Abstracts carefully prepared and on short notice. Satisfaction assured.

Randall County Land Co.
Canyon City, Texas.

No. 5238.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The First National Bank

At Canyon, in the State of Texas at the close of business, Feb. 14, 1908.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$215,446.71
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	19,577.71
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	4,746.65
Bonds, Securities, etc.	50,000.00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	9,655.00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	11,045.60
Due from State Banks and bankers	7,850.68
Due from approved reserve agents	98,610.19
Checks & other cash items	2,111.51
Notes of other national banks	365.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	309.10
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	4,311.55
Legal-tender notes	8,979.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	550.00
Total	\$533,558.70

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,472.21
National bank notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to other nat'l. banks	41,646.65
Due to state banks and bankers	4,403.41
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	190.18
Individual deposits subject to check	201,264.25
Time certificates of deposit	4,588.00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	50,000.00
Total	\$533,558.70

State of Texas, County of Randall, ss:
I, D. A. PARK, cashier 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
R. G. OLDHAM } Directors.
J. F. SMITH

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Feb., 1908.

W. D. SCOTT,

Notary Public Randall Co., Texas.

A. N. Henson.

The News is authorized to announce County Judge A. N. Henson as a candidate for re-election to that office. No man in Randall county, as a citizen or as an officer, has made a better record than has Judge Henson. In all the various duties of his position, the most important within the gift of the citizens of any county, he has performed his part conscientiously and with ability and if re-elected the people of Randall county may rest assured that, as in the past, he will make them an excellent county judge.

County Court.

Called Monday morning and adjourned to Monday of next week for the jury docket. The jury was discharged until that time.

TOWN & COUNTY

PERSONAL AND OTHER MATTERS THAT CONCERN OUR CITIZENS.

Uncle Tom Foster in much better.

Next Monday, March 2nd, is Trade day.

The ground is still in fine condition for putting out trees.

A. H. Thompson is among those setting out trees this week.

Tree planting this week around the Methodist church and parsonage.

R. A. Sowder, Esq., was at Hereford this week attending district court.

Marriage license was issued Saturday to A. B. Dills and Miss Imo V. Bogar.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shelnut on Feb. 12, a boy weighing nine pounds.

Mrs. Stanley of Detroit, Michigan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Travis Shaw.

Mrs. S. V. Wirt and son, Lorenza, returned home Saturday from Mineral Wells.

Miss Emma Harder returned Monday from a few days' visit to friends at Amarillo.

The Canyon Coal company has installed a 12-horse gasoline engine for grinding purposes.

Mrs. — Keiser and daughter, Miss Mary, left on Saturday for their home in South Dakota.

Geo. L. Abbott talks of going to Haskell and Abilene this week to look after his lumber interests there.

Bob Steen left Tuesday for Cordell, Oklahoma. He says he may stay there if he likes the country.

Last week The News reported Harry Stone as going to sleep on his claim in New Mexico—he moved there.

W. C. Baird is about town this week. Says that with grip and smallpox together he was never so sick in his life.

Elbert Shelnut, of Hico, a brother of C. P. Shelnut, came in Saturday. He is prospecting for a location.

The Canyon City bank statements published in this week's News show quite an improvement over the last publication.

Kansas Democrats in state convention assembled on Feb. 21, instructed delegates to the Denver convention to cast a "solid vote" for William J. Bryan for President.



The Pick of the Season...



This is what we are giving the early buyers. We have received our Spring Line of Dress Goods and have all of the newest designs in

Voiles, Panamas, Suitings, Cordura Cloth, White Goods, India Linons, Prussian Lawns and Swiss Embroideries.

In this line we have succeeded in getting the largest and prettiest line that we have ever shown.

All of the Latest Styles in **FOOTWEAR** Both in Tans and Blacks.

We are glad to inform our customers that in many lines the prices are cheaper than they have been for a good while, especially in domestics, calicoes and percales. We will appreciate a look whether you buy or not.

Canyon City Supply Co.

The firm of Rollins & Cranford has dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Cranford will office in the firm rooms, Mr. Rollins at the courthouse.

J. L. Howell Jr. from Lake Arthur, N. M., is in town this week to see his father. Very little change in the Doctor's condition from last week.

The Light plant company is making arrangements, by the sale of unsold stock amounting to \$10,000, to get in the machinery for the manufacture of ice.

A. M. Smith went to Ft. Worth Tuesday. He will visit his mother and other relatives, attend the I. O. O. F. convention and maybe stay until after the Fat Stock Show.

G. W. Dison, a brother of our two carpenters of that name, came here last week from Nacogdoches. Mr. Dison is a cabinet worker and carpenter and is looking for a location.

Born—On Feb. 22nd a daughter was born to Prof. Moore and wife at their home in Deaf Smith county. Mr. Moore will be remembered as principal of our school last year.

J. A. C. Howell and his son, T. A. Howell, of Altus, Oklahoma, came in last week to see Dr. Howell who is a brother of the first named. T. A. Howell returned to Altus Monday leaving his father who will remain with his brother, the Doctor, for sometime.

The Young Men's Democratic club of Hereford has been converted into a Joe Bailey boosting machine.

School resumed Monday morning with an attendance of about four-fifths of the average prior to closing.

Born—Monday to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thompson, a 10½ pound daughter. A. H. is somewhat disappointed about it not being a boy, but says he wouldn't take \$10,000 for the girl.

The News expects, in a week or so, to show a picture of the new courthouse as it will appear when finished. R. G. Kirsh, the architect, has promised a cut for this purpose on completion of his drawing.

Col. R. M. Wynne, of Fort Worth has announced for Attorney General. He as well as Senator Looney is a strong Bailey man and on Wynn's announcement Senator Looney withdrew from the race, declaring he would support him.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pipkin returned from their St. Louis trip Monday. While away they purchased the spring stock for their house, "The Mercantile," and ere long News readers may expect some store notes concerning this spring stock which has already begun to arrive.

The Hereford city council has granted a franchise for an electric light plant to be installed within six months. It is to be of sufficient power for 2,000 incandescent lights within 12 months. The city is to have three large lights free of charge and the right at the end of fifteen years to buy the plant.

It is claimed that "the Democrats" who meet in Fort Worth tomorrow will have choice of two roads looking to State wide prohibition—the submission of a Constitutional amendment, or the direct enactment of a prohibition statute by the next Legislature. This is denied by some well informed people altho the contention is not without strong support in law. In the case of Bell vs. State, 12 S. W., Judge Hart, rendering the opinion, seems to indicate that the Legislature is not without this power.

The News family acknowledge its indebtedness to Mrs. B. T. Johnson for some excellent sausage of her own making. Better sausage The News editor never ate and of all the good eatables on earth there is nothing he likes better than sausage. The ancient Egyptians were skillful in making sausage and The News is inclined to think that it was for this more than for anything else that the children of Israel were more than willing to forsake the Lord and return to the fleshpots (sausage) of the land of the Pharaohs.

The Modern Woodmen of America is the first one of our local lodges to insert a card in The News. Such a course indicates, among other evidences of progress, a desire to keep not only fresh in the minds of members the times of meeting, but also to apprise visiting brethren of the open door and cordial welcome waiting for them in Canyon City. We have many visitors in Canyon City—car loads every two weeks—some of them Woodmen, no doubt, and they will be only too glad to find just such a fraternal welcome as this local camp extends.

S. V. Wirt.

The News is authorized to announce S. V. Wirt as a candidate for re-election as treasurer of Randall county. Mr. Wirt is one of the early settlers of the county and one of our best citizens. As county treasurer he is now serving his first term, he has proven himself a capable officer and if re-elected there is no question but what he will continue so to do. Like the other candidates for the same office he is a Democrat and if primaries be had he submits his name thereto.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Wanted—A Jersey cow fresh in milk. B. FRANK BUIE.

Fresh Pork—Half or whole hog, small or large, at 7 cents.

CANYON MARKET.

Green ground bone for sale. Nothing better for fowls.

CANYON MARKET.

Wanted—Roomers. Ladies or gentlemen. Apply to Mrs. C. A. Hitchcock.

Red Rust Proof seed oats at the Canyon Mercantile & Hardware Co. for sale at 60 cents per bushel.

Will buy, sell or rent town lots, houses or lands. See me if you want either. Office opposite the postoffice. JASPER N. HANEY.

Do You Want Mules?

I have about 60 head of fine young mules, from three to four years old, some broken and some unbroken, which I desire to sell. Call at my ranch ten miles southeast of Tulia. J. R. SNAPP.

Specialist.

I treat all diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, also have glasses and pay special attention to fitting them. Consultation and examination free.

Canyon City March 5 and 6. I. E. SMITH, M. D., Weatherford, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that the law firm of Rollins & Cranford has been by mutual agreement hereby dissolved. The office occupied by the old firm will be retained by Mr. Walter E. Cranford. Mr. A. S. Rollins will move his office to the courthouse. A. S. ROLLINS, WALTER E. CRANFORD.

MONTHLY MISERY

is one of woman's worst afflictions. It always leaves you weaker, and is sure to shorten your life and make your beauty fade. To stop pain take Wine of Cardui and it will help to relieve your misery, regulate your functions, make you well, beautiful and strong. It is a reliable remedy for dragging down pains, backache, headache, nervousness, irritability, sleeplessness, dizziness, fainting spells, and similar troubles. A safe and efficient medicine for all women's pains and sickness.

Mrs. J. L. Broadhead of Clanton, Ala. writes; "I have used Cardui for my disease, which was one peculiar to women, and it has completely cured me."

AT ALL DRUG STORES, IN \$1.00 BOTTLES

WRITE US A LETTER describing fully all your symptoms and we will send you Free Advice in plain sealed envelope. Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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R. A. SOWDER,
Attorney-at-Law and Notary.
Complete Abstracts of
Randall County Lands.
Office Over Canyon Supply Company
Phone No. 222.

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CANYON CITY, TEXAS.
Court Practice a Specialty. Titles
Examined. Notary in office.

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-DENTIST-
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LAWYER
CIVIL PRACTICE SOLICITED.
Office in Courthouse.

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Complete Abstract of All
Randall County Property
R. A. TERRILL, - MANAGER

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Bread and Butter, Fresh Vegeta-
bles, Celery, etc., Lunch Meats
and Fancy Table Delicacies.
Phone 172.

From Miss Bowyer.

A letter from Miss Emma Bowyer, containing a piece of Uncle Sam's legal tender for a renewal of The News and directing that it be now forwarded to Walnut Springs, Texas, where she has secured a situation as milliner, referring to her many friends and acquaintances here, says in part:

"While not entirely among strangers, I cannot hope to find a place and people who will take the place of dear old Canyon and the many friends I am leaving. All have grown very dear to me during the almost three years time I spent there, especially so with those with whom I was associated daily in business. It would be almost impossible for me to believe a more congenial and hospitable people exist than those of Canyon City."

Canyon City people have the highest regard for Miss Bowyer and feel disappointed that the fates decreed not her return this spring.

Want Sentiment of the County.

A phone message from W. T. Helms at Wayside, Thursday, states that the citizens of that part of the county are desirous of getting the sentiment of those living on the north side of the canyon touching the question of their withdrawal from Armstrong county for the purpose of forming a new county or attaching that territory to another county.

Mr. Helms states that a thorough canvass of the south side shows virtually a unanimous sentiment in favor of the change, and should no serious opposition develop in other parts of the county steps will be taken to the end sought.

The citizens of the south side do not wish to put the county to useless expense, therefore they ask that should any opposition exist on this side of the canyon the same be made known through the columns of The News. The paper is open for a free discussion of the question. Red River is the proposed dividing line.—Claude News.

J. C. Pipkin has been sick several days; was confined indoors yesterday. Fever and very bad feelings from sore arm been vaccinated.

Fulton Brown returned Tuesday from his visit to his father and mother at Washington, Arkansas. He says they are doing well and satisfied with the change.

John Teebken of Wisner, Nebraska, and J. E. Winkleman of Jefferson, Iowa, are new settlers, coming in this week. Both bought land of Keiser Bros. & Phillips. Mr. Teebken has a section out of the old Abbott ranch near Umbarger and says he will put in 400 acres this spring. Mr. Winkleman's car arrived yesterday. His place is north of town near Mr. Weber's.

Canyon City will soon have a postoffice building fully up to it not beyond the present requirements. As stated some time ago the two rooms back of the Canyon National Bank have been made one. It is now ready for the fixtures, and these, ordered fitted in the North, are expected in every day. From the plans shown The News reporter the interior accommodations and finish of the new office will be a credit to the town.

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET

The quotations here given are from the Canyon City grain dealers and show the market the day before the issue of this paper. The prices are for grain in sack unless otherwise stated.

Wheat, No. 2, bushel	\$00 90
Oats, best, bushel	50
Corn, best	60
Maize, threshed, bushel	40
Kaffir corn, threshed, bushel	50
Maize and Kaffir in heads, new crop, ton	11 00
Millet hay, per ton	10 00
Johnson grass hay, ton	10 00
Alfalfa, per ton	15 00
Chickens and Eggs	
Fryers, per dozen	\$3 00
Eggs, per dozen	15

**No. 7961
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
The Canyon National Bank.**

At Canyon, in the State of Texas at the close of business, Feb. 14, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 76,013.05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	405.81
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	508.59
Bonds, Securities, etc.	49,989.69
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	7,059.24
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	9,579.06
Due from State Banks and bankers	4,916.06
Due from approved reserve agents	29,627.14
Notes of other national banks	1,820.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	72.65
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	5,951.00
Legal-tender notes	3,760.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	625.00
Total	\$199,827.29

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,233.60
National bank notes outstanding	11,550.00
Individual deposits subject to check	89,175.76
Demand certificates of deposit	650.00
Time certificates of deposit	19,176.40
Cashier's checks outstanding	41.53
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	15,000.00
Total	\$199,827.29

State of Texas, County of Randall, ss: 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.

Correct Attest:
W. C. BAIRD,
J. M. BLACK } Directors.
R. H. WRIGHT }
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Feb., 1908.
A. S. ROLLINS, Notary Public.

News Roll of Honor.

Under this heading will be found the amounts received on subscription to the News since last report, and names of the parties paying. This will serve as a receipt to those of our subscribers forwarding money by mail.

John Houser	\$1 25
I. L. Hunt	1 00
G. G. Foster	1 00
R. A. Campbell	1 25
F. L. Cooper	1 25
Jim Foster	50
Dr. Winsett	1 25

Scale Books at this office.

Lodge Directory.

Modern Woodmen of America
Canyon Camp
No. 12032
Meets every Thursday night. Visiting neighbors cordially invited to attend.

Maize Heads - Kaffir Corn

We buy them, heads or threshed.
We crush them for you.
We sell the ground feed.

Highest Market Prices Paid and the "other fellow" never undersells us.

Star Mill and Elevator Co.

DEPOT—CANYON CITY, TEXAS.

L. T. Lester, John Hutson, J. F. Smith, D. A. Park, Travis Shaw
President. Vice-Pres. Vice-Pres. Cashier. Asst. Cash.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

CANYON, TEXAS.

At Close of Business, February 14th, 1908.

STATEMENT CONDENSED FROM REPORT TO COMPTROLLER

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$235,024.42	Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	104,746.65	Surplus	30,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	550.00	Undivided Profits	1,472.21
Banking House and Fixtures	9,655.00	Circulation	100,000.00
Ft. Worth City Bonds	50,000.00	Bills Payable	20,000.00
Cash	133,582.63	Deposits	282,086.49
Total	\$533,558.70	Total	\$533,558.70

I certify that the above is correct.

D. A. PARK, Cashier.

COAL FOR EVERYBODY

GRAIN AND HIDES WANTED!

Highest Cash Price Paid for Hides, Hay, Maize, Kaffir Heads, etc.

We are a Strictly Home Concern and desire your patronage.

Canyon Coal Company

R. W. O'Keefe, Pres. J. M. Black, V. P.
I. L. Hunt, Cashier. R. H. Wright, Ass't Cash.

The Canyon National Bank
Canyon, Texas

Capital \$50,000 Surplus and Profits \$15,000

Conducts a Safe, Conservative Business.

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JOHN BEGRIN

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER

ESTIMATES CHEERFULLY FURNISHED ON BRICK AND CEMENT WORK

25 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN THE BUSINESS

L. G. CONNER,

FARMS, RANCH LAND, CITY PROPERTY,
STEERS & STOCK CATTLE.

Loans on Real Estate—Abstracter and Notary in Office.

Canyon City—the place for a great city. Abundance of running water; natural drainage; located on the Santa Fe, now being made the trans-continental line from Chicago to California. The Santa Fe (Gulf line), is now building South from Canyon City. Randall, is the best county in the Panhandle. The general price of land is from \$7 to \$25 per acre. Property in town a specialty. Don't fail to see me.