

# THE AVALANCHE.

Motto: "What shall it profit a nation if it gain untold wealth and its people lose their liberty."

VOL VI.

LUBBOCK, Lubbock County, TEXAS, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1905.

NO. 22

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## Treasurer's Quarterly Report.

Quarterly Report of Jno. F. Robinson, County Treasurer of Lubbock County, Texas, of receipts and expenditures, from August 15th, 1905, to November 14th, 1905, inclusive.

### JURY FUND.—First Class.

Balance,	\$211.51	
To amount received during quarter,	3.56	
By am't paid out during quar., Ex, "A,"		\$189.75
By per ct. commission on am't rec'd,		.08
By per ct. commission on am't paid out,		4.74
Amount to balance,	20.50	
	\$215.07	\$215.07
Balance,	\$20.50	

### ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.—Second Class.

Balance,	\$358.30	
To am't received during quarter,	31.27	
By am't pd out during quarter, Ex, "B,"		\$302.15
By per ct. commission on am't rec'd,		.78
By per ct. commission on am't paid out,		7.55
Amount to balance,	79.09	
	\$389.57	\$389.57
Balance,	\$79.09	

### GENERAL COUNTY FUND.—Third Class.

Balance,	\$816.68	
To am't received during quarter,	14.18	
By am't pd out during quarter, Ex, "C,"		\$723.96
By per ct. commission on am't rec'd,		.35
By per ct. commission on am't paid out,		18.10
Amount to balance,	88.45	
	\$830.86	\$830.86
Balance,	\$88.45	

### C. & J. FUND.—Fourth Class.

Balance,	\$690.69	
To amount received during quarter,	6.26	
By am't pd out during quarter, Ex, "D,"		\$129.57
By per ct. commission on am't rec'd,		.16
By per ct. commission on am't paid out,		3.24
Amount to balance,	563.98	
	\$696.95	\$696.95
Balance,	\$563.98	

### C. & J. SINKING FUND.—Fifth Class.

Balance,	\$1857.45	
Amount to balance,		\$1857.45
Balance,	\$1857.45	

Respectfully Submitted,

JNO. F. ROBINSON,

County Treasurer, Lubbock County, Texas.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the 14th day of  
November, 1905. C. F. STUBBS,  
Clerk County Court of Lubbock County, Texas.

### AFFIDAVIT TO COUNTY TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT.

The State of Texas, } In Commissioners' Court,  
Lubbock County, } November Term, 1905.

Before me, C. F. Stubbs, 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 Jno. F. Robinson, county treasurer of said county, for the quarter ending the 14th day of November, 1905, 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, by certified check, and other assets in the hands of said treasurer are as follows, to-wit:

Total amount of cash in the various funds belonging to the county: Twenty-six Hundred, Nine and 47-100 Dollars (\$2609.47).

Geo. R. Bean, County Judge, Lubbock County.

County Commissioners, Lubbock County } L. M. Knight, R. C. Burns,  
J. T. Brown, W. S. Elkin.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 14th day of November, 1905.

C. F. STUBBS, County Clerk, Lubbock County.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carlisle, one of the most prominent and respected families of Kaufman, will leave in a few days for Mineral Wells at which place they will make their future home. Mr. Carlisle has been an important figure in the history of Kaufman for the past twenty-five years, having been engaged in the banking and mercantile business during the greater part of his long residence here, but on account of failing health he has concluded to leave our midst. They have always enjoyed distinction in social circles of Kaufman, and are held in the highest esteem by their numerous friends. Both are prominent members of the Methodist church, and take an active interest in religious matters. The Herald, together with their many friends, wishes them a profitable and pleasant change. —Kaufman Herald.



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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1905.

## The Concert.

On the 29th of November, Miss Lulu Campbell of this city entertained a large number of people at the court house with an old time singing school concert. Her music school, assisted by others, entertained the audience for more than two hours with singing, recitations and instrumental music. Miss Campbell possesses great talent as an instructor, and displays wonderful ability in carrying out a program. The entertainment was given to assist the ladies of the Methodist church in adding needed improvements to the Methodist parsonage. The small sum of 25c was charged as admission, which was a low rate for such high grade entertainment. Miss Campbell and those who assisted her deserve much praise.

The proceeds amounted to \$36, and were donated by Miss Campbell to the W. H. M. S., who, in return, presented her with twenty-five per cent of same. After expenses were paid there remained \$20, which will be used as stated above. The W. H. M. S. are profuse in their thanks to Miss Campbell for the donation.

## Institute Meeting.

The Lubbock County Institute convened December 1st and 2nd, 1905, in the town of Lubbock.

Friday evening's program began with a beautiful song by Misses Campbell, Phenix, Wilson and McGee.

Judge Bean, in a few well chosen words, welcomed the friends and visitors, after which P. F. Brown gave a pleasing response.

The fire prevented several who were on the program from being present, among whom was Miss Ruby McCrummen.

A few papers were read, including an excellent one on supplementary work in reading and language, by Miss Maggie Ray.

Prof. Brown filled a vacancy with a recitation which afforded much pleasure.

The Query Box produced several interesting questions which evoked quite a lively discussion.

Saturday morning found several teachers present, but

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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For Tax Assessor:

JOHN C. COLEMAN.

G. O. GROVES.

S. C. SPIKES.

only two visitors. However, those present spent a profitable time and adjourned to meet again at Lubbock the last Friday and Saturday in January, 1906.

## Grovesville Locals.

J. G. Hardy is off to Canyon and Amarillo this week on business.

James Vance and family, of Cochran county, are visiting in these parts.

W. S. Elkin and family visited Mr. Wright and family last Sunday.

Neighbor Wright left Monday for Canyon after ranch supplies.

Our singing was attended by a large crowd last Sunday evening and everyone seemed to enjoy the good singing.

Fine weather—just cold enough to make a fellow work hard in order to keep warm.

Our Literary and Debating Society met Thursday night with a good crowd present. An interesting program was rendered, reflecting credit on all who participated.

People in these parts are busily engaged in stacking feed, but it will be some time before all the feed is cared for. The Lord has blessed us in many ways this year, and we should not forget the duty we owe Him.

Our school is progressing nicely with a good attendance. Several families of other districts are boarding their children near here for the benefit of our school. This certainly speaks well for our teacher, Miss Mary Mahoney.

We are glad to learn that our friend, Sam Spikes, is going to grind our corn, and we hope the people will keep him busy. Shady.

## Lost.

Jink Penney says that if the gentleman who borrowed his coat from the hotel last summer will return same, the favor will be appreciated. The coat was built by the Continental Tailoring Co., and is of gray complexion.

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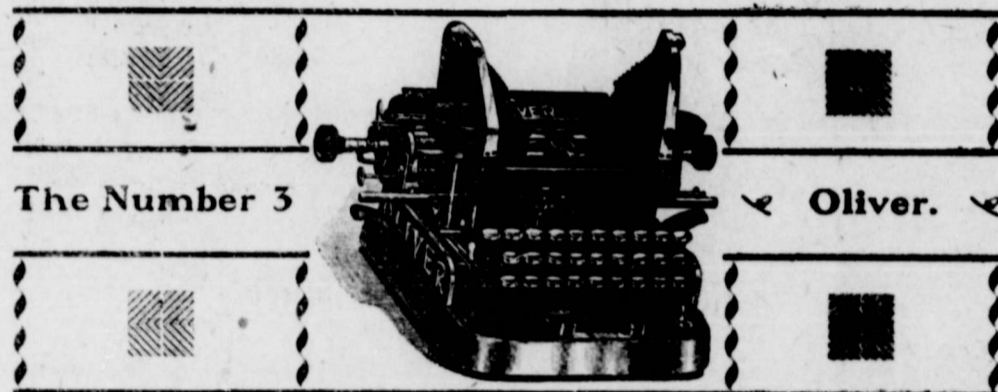
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## Local and Personal

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H. D. Beal was in the city Monday of this week.

Dr. J. W. Carter, of Emma, is in town on business today.

H. B. Reed was in the city on business Thursday.

Lee Cowan, of Hockley county, was in town with a bale of cotton Friday.

Eastin Wolfarth, of Terry county, was in town Wednesday of this week.

Rev. J. P. Callaway, the Methodist minister, arrived Saturday of last week.

Born, to Butler Reiger and wife, December 6th, a boy. Mother and son doing well.

J. H. Clark is painting his house, which he recently moved to the north side of the square.

W. G. Nairn was seen on the streets Friday.

Hardin Long, of Terry county, was in town on business Tuesday.

J. W. Winn, of the southwest portion of the county, was in town Monday.

M. L. Williams, of Block Twenty, was in town Thursday, and will read the Avalanche from this date.

Born, to Edgar Meredith and wife, December 2nd, a boy. Mother and child doing well at this writing.

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H. L. Kokernot, of Alpine, was in town several days the first of the week looking after his ranch interests.

J. E. Foreman was in from Terry county Monday, and while here purchased a bunch of registered cattle from Geo. M. Boles.

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### Passed Away.

Died, at his home four miles north-west of Lubbock, Friday, December 1st, 1905, William David Davis.

Mr. Davis was born Dec. 26th, 1850, and came to Texas when about eighteen years of age. In 1875 he was married to Miss Jennie Kelchner, who, with seven children, survives him.

Heaven, in kindness, spared him the lingering pains and agonies of a long illness, gently calling his spirit away almost without a pang of pain in dying, and his freed spirit passed swiftly up through the "Gates Ajar." Earth is poorer but Heaven is made richer by his death, and we would not call him back again to a life of pain and suffering.

A heartfelt sympathy goes out to the bereft and sorrowing family, and may they find consolation in the hope of a reunion "over there."

Mr. Davis had been a consistent member of the Christian Church since his early boyhood and was an honorable, upright citizen, a devoted husband and an indulgent father.

Mr. McGee conducted the services at the grave and the body was laid to rest to await the resurrection.

To the sorrowing ones we would say, though God may sometimes lead his children through chambers of sorrow and uncertainty, yet thinned feet will step with more elastic spring on the bright shores of unending deliverance. Contributed.

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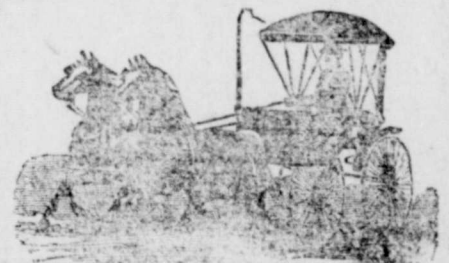
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"	Amarillo	2 00 p.m.	"	"
"	Washburn	2 40 "	"	"
"	Panhandle	3 30 "	"	"
"	Pampa	4 50 "	"	"
"	Miami	5 50 "	"	"
"	Canadian	7 00 "	"	"
"	Higgins	8 30 "	"	"
Arrive	Woodward	11 00 "	"	"
"	Wellington	8 00 a.m.	Tuesday	Sunday

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