

THE SUCCESS.

Of and For El Dorado and Schleicher County, All the Time.

EL DORADO, SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY, 21 1908. NO. 302.

T. L. BENSON COMPANY

General Merchandise,

A full and Complete Stock of DRY GOODS Notions and Ready Made Clothes, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS and SHOES. GROCERIES. FEED, HARDWARE, FARM IMPLEMENTS, WAGONS.

POST and LUMBER

Give Us Your Order.

W. B. SILLIMAN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

JOAB CAMPBELL,
COUNTY SURVEYOR

R. A. EVANS
SALSMAN

Silliman, Campbell & Evans

LAND, LIVE STOCK and LOAN AGENTS.

Eldorado, Texas

If your Ranch or any kind of Live Stock is for Sale, list it with us, and if priced worth the money, we can sell it for you. We are advertising in Central and Southeastern Texas, where the buyers come from. We will render your lands for taxes for you and notify you of taxes due, and you will not be bothered with delinquencies. If you will list your School Land with us, we will notify you when payments are due and remit for you and otherwise keep your School Land business up in good shape. Notary Public in Office.

Surveying done on short notice—every boundary line in Schleicher County should be established and agreed on and save trouble later. We want to do business ourselves and at the same time be of service to you. We need your business and will show our appreciation by giving it our best attention.

Very Absolutely Fire Proof, for safe keeping of your valuable papers, at no cost to you. SILLIMAN, CAMPBELL & EVANS.

W. F. FORD,
LAWYER AND NOTARY PUBLIC.

C. C. WEST,
SALSMAN.

FORD & WEST

Land, Live Stock and Fire Insurance Agents,
ELDORADO, TEXAS.

Do you want to sell your Farm, Ranch or Live Stock? If so list it with us, we will advertise it, and use our best efforts to find a buyer. If you are in the market for a Farm, Ranch or other property, write or call and see us.

Notary work a specialty.

FORD & WEST.

City Meat Market

LUNCH COUNTER

Will serve hot CHILLY and short order LUNCHEES.

C. E. Morris Prop.

I also buy Hides, see me before selling elsewhere,
Free delivery in town. Phone.....26.
Delivery hours from 8 to 10 a. m. from 4 to 6 p. m.

I Solicit Your Trade.

Edgar Bird left Monday for Mdscooge I. T. to except a position offered him at that place, Mr. Bird is a promising young man and we regret to lose him from our midst but we predict a return in the future.

W. T. Conner has decided to make the race in Schleicher county for treasurer. There are no better men than W. T. Conner, so they could get no better officer in Schleicher county than he will make.—Eden Echo.

TO TAX PAYERS.

It was ordered by the Court that the following notice be inserted in two successive issues of THE SUCCESS.

"We take this means of calling to the attention of the people of this County the new law enacted by the 30th Legislature affecting the valuation of taxable property, in order to save unnecessary trouble to the people, the Tax Assessor and the Board of Equalization.

This law provides that all property both real and personal shall be rendered at its reasonable market value.

The party given in his property, in every instance, subscribes to an oath that he has rendered all his property of every description and that I have true answers made to all questions propounded to me touching the same."

It is the assessor duty to ask the parties rendering, to fix the values and the people should bear in mind that when they thus fix the values, they do so under oath.

The oath that the Assessor is compelled to take provides that he, the Assessor, shall make a true estimate of the market value of all such property and attach the same to each assessment sheet made up and sworn to by the property owners and shall attach a memorandum of all facts bearing upon the true value of such property.

The oath that the County Judge and every member of the Commissioners Court must take provides that "I will not vote to allow any taxable property to stand assessed on the tax rolls of said County for said year at any sum less than its true market value," etc, and further provides that "I will faithfully endeavor and as a member of said Board will move to have each item of taxable property which I believe to be assessed for said year at less than its true market value or real value, raised on the tax rolls to what I believe to be its true cash market value," etc.

Under the criminal Statute, the party rendering his property for taxes, the Tax Assessor and every member of the Commissioners Court, for a violation of their

oaths, are subject to all the penalties of Perjury, and the late law especially provides that should the Tax Assessor or any member of the Commissioners Court fail or refuse to fix values in compliance with this act and all other laws, such failure and refusal shall be cause for his and their removal from office.

Acting under this stringent law, we call on the people of this County to render all their property at its market value and as such rendering will result in greatly increased values over former years, when we fix the rate of taxation for County purposes, we will only produce sufficient revenue to properly conduct the affairs of the County.

J. A. Whitten County Judge.
F. L. Cozzens Co Com. Prec. No 1
J. T. Jones Co, Com. Prec. No. 2
W. D. Ake Co. Com. Prec. No 3
J. W. Alexander " " " No. 4.

OLD MAIDS ENTERTAINMENT.

As was advertised in THE SUCCESS for the past few weeks the old Maids would hold a convention at the court house, Saturday night Feb. 15 at 7,30, when the time came for opening it was announced by C. C. Doty that 20 old Maids would soon appear, which was anxiously look for by a crowded house, the house was filled beyond its seating capacity. The convention was pulled off at the proper time and the neat sum of \$36 was taken in and we assure the ladies that took part in the play that it was the most laughable entertainment that we have had the pleasure of attending for some time, the proceeds will go to the Baptist church.

In setting up the type for the Teacher Institute last week, one subject was omitted by oversight, that of schools 50 years ago by Judge Bates, it is added to the program this week and will be listened to by the young teachers and people of to day with interest.

Attend the teacher institute that begins next Thursday, something will be said that will probably interest every listener.

F. H. WATSON.

P. I. ELDER

Feed, Livery and Sale Stable
Good Teams and New Buggies

We are now prepared to serve the public with anything in our line prices reasonable.

WATSON & ELDER

M. B. McKnight Pres.

Wm. Bevans Vice Pres

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF
ELDORADO, TEXAS.
CAPITAL STOCK, \$300,000.00

We Solicit your Banking business and influence. Our Vault is a safe depository for your Notes Deeds and other Valuable papers. No charge.
J. B. Christian, Cashier.

ROBERT BAILEY, President. W. L. ALDWELL, Vice Pres.
ELDORADO STATE BANK
El Dorado, Texas.
CAPITAL STOCK \$15,000.00

Surplus and Profits \$1,776.65
Respectfully solicits your accounts and is willing to extend at all times any accommodations consistent with sound banking.

Absolute Safety is Our Motto

J. A. WHITTEN, Cashier.
Official Depository of Schleicher County.

When You Want Dry Goods and Groceries

Call on me, as I will make you CLOSE PRICES and Promise You FAIR TREATMENT.

W. L. MCWHORTER,

DEALER IN

General Merchandise.

EL DORADO, TEXAS.

SUCCESS

ISSUED EVERY FRIDAY.

Wright, Editor and Prop.

Entered as Second Class matter July 9th, 1906, at the Post Office at El Dorado, Texas, under Act of Congress of March 3rd, 1879.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year.....\$1.00
Six months..... .75
Three months..... .35
Single copies..... 5 cts each

Advertising rates on application.

We are thankful for the many who have settled up their subscription accounts and there remains only a few who are behind and we believe every reader of THE SUCCESS has received his dollars worth during the past year, we stood for what we thought to be right and tried to make our paper as newsy as possible. We are still here trying to furnish the people of Schleicher a paper worth the money and appreciate ever kindness shown us by our patrons.

That business meeting we had last week was a "corker."

Eldorado will some day have a fine fire protection if our business men keeps on at work.

The Eldorado businessmen intend to have a business meeting "someday."

The amount of money saved in one year on fire insurance, by having a 4 inch main from the town tank and down Main street, would pay for the cost of putting it in inside of twelve months, so lets have it.

Letter To C. E. Morris, Eldorado, Texas.

Dear Sir: If you should bake bread that people like better than any other, and at less cost by the day, you'd have a pretty good business, wouldn't you?

We have just such a business as that in paint; a gallon goes further than any other gallon of paint in the country—that's bread at less cost by the day; but the difference isn't so small as it is in bread. And a job wears longer—that's bread at less cost by the year. People hate to paint; it costs money to paint; and they hate the fuss. They like our bread by the year.

If your bread is better than any body else's and costs too, you've got a good trade; for people do like good bread; and the people like money. It doesn't take long to find-out; give 'em time.

But you can't bake better than any body else's bread for half the usual price for a breakfast, can you?

Devoe is just such paint as that. The price by the gallon or loaf is no matter. Count by the day week month year lifetime. Devoe is the bread. We hope yours is as good.

Yours truly

W. F. Devoe & Co.

P. S. I, H. Elder & Son sell our paint.



FRIEND TO FRIEND.

The personal recommendations of people who have been cured of coughs and colds by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have done more than all else to make it a staple article of trade and commerce over a large part of the civilized world.

There Will Occur at Paul's Wagon Yard in San Angelo Monday, March 9

THE COMBINATION SALE OF High Class Herefords

Sixty five Head, all Registered and of Both Sexes.

For one day only, Monday, March 9th, 1908, beginning promptly at nine o'clock a. m., the undersigned will hold a bona fide auction sale of Registered cattle at which time sixty-five head of both sexes will be sold under the hammer, absolutely without reserve, to the highest bidder.

Good stuff is going cheap, that's a certainty. We need the money, and propose to sell these registered cattle at the bidder's prices, for we need the cash, cash, cash.

This is an absolutely bona fide auction sale and will be conducted in an honest and straight-forward business manner. Buyers are not going to get something for nothing, but the buyers will get the best stuff at very cheap prices, and the breeders of Herefords, who fail to take advantage of this auction, will regret it.

Yours Sincerely,

J. E. Boog-Scott,
Ely & Salyer
H. Albert Shaw,
Lee Brothers

All stock offered will be halter-broke and in best condition for future usefulness. Three head, some show material, comes from J. E. Boog-Scott; eight head of strong, useful cattle from H. Albert Shaw; twenty head, the kind rangemen like, from Ely & Salyer; and thirty head, all good ages, some with show records, from the prize winning herd of Lee Brothers, proprietors of Leedale Stock Farm. Do you want a catalogue containing all particulars and pedigrees. If so, address Phil C. Lee.

LEE BROS.

Proprietors of Leedale Stock Farm, the Home of Herefords.

Get it at

THE ELDER DRUG STORE

Jos. H. ELDER, Ph. G.

Compounding prescriptionist. Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded.

We handle all the well advertised patent medicines and keep a good stock of them for the trade in general, a large and excellent line of Toilet articles, stationery, Jewelry and such articles as keep in our line.

Cigars Ect.

Also a splendid up to date line of the best Paints and Varnishes. Also Roof Paints, Wall-paper Paint brushes and painters supplies.

Give us a call, Phone 48

The San Angelo Weekly Standard is peculiarly suited to the farmer, the ranchman and the merchant of west and southwest Texas. It covers by telephone and telegraph the news of the territory for 150 miles west, southwest and south and for 80 miles north of San Angelo. It carries the farm news, the livestock news, the development notes of the entire section. West Texas is just entering upon its greatest period of development and the Standard will keep you in touch with it. The subscription price is \$2 per year. You can get the standard and THE SUCCESS 1 year for \$2.25.

To Organize A Missionary Baptist Church.

San Angelo, Fed. 18 1908.

The undersigned will be at the Robert Bailey Ranch, Schleicher Co. Texas, the 3rd Sunday and Saturday in March 1908, to organize a Baptist church. Let all members have their letters and be on hand, Saturday at 11 o'clock so we can know their wishes on the subject, so the real organization may take place Sunday.

Bring dinner Sunday, so we can stay all day.

J. M. Earls

A letter was received from L. E. Taylor this morning, who lives at Herford Texas, saying that every thing in his section was getting a long fine and the people of that section expected to raise a large wheat crop. Mr. Taylor is a constant reader of THE SUCCESS and sent in the where with to keep it coming, he sends his best regards to all his old Schleicher friends.

Mrs. Joab Campbell left for the Alexander ranch Tuesday, she will go from there to visit her brother Dr. Alexander at Knickerbocker, she will be accompanied from the ranch by J. W. Alexander and family.

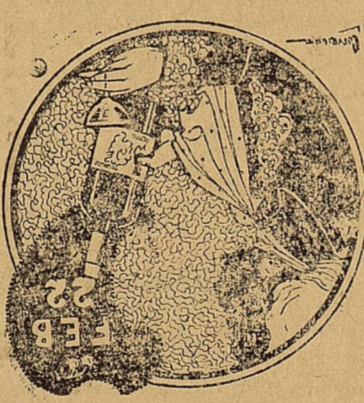
Wall Paper

We have just received our new sample books of wall-paper and will take pleasure in showing them to you.

If you are going to decorate your home let us figure with you on your order. Call and see our new samples.

The Success.

We Have the Best



DRINK TO WASHINGTON'S MEMORY.

in a glass of our excellent wines or liquor. Don't drink to a good man with an inferior beverage.

THE WINES AND LIQUORS sold here are absolutely pure. They are not compounds of chemicals. They have a natural flavor and aroma obtainable only by proper handling and long aging. A supply in the house will be useful in any emergency.

Trainee Bros.

Bark Saloon, Sonora, Texas,

Good nice writing paper at THE SUCCESS office, also plenty of visiting cards, Kid and Linen finish Oall and see us.

Lost, Strayed, Stolen or Missed—placed one B flat Clarinet book of music, and any one finding, hearing or knowing of it whereabouts will confer great favor to the Eldorado Band by sending, bringing or telling them of its whereabouts.

Eldorado Band,

Annual Exhibit of County Finances, ANNUAL EXHIBIT

Of the Aggregate amount received and paid out of each Fund for the year ending February 11th 1908, and the balance to the credit or debit of each Fund, and indebtedness of Schleicher County, Tex.

Jury Fund First Class.

	Dr.	Cr.
By balance Feb. 12th 1907		\$153.58
To amount received during year, including Treasury commission.	\$541.36	
Amount to Balance,	19.44	
Total	\$560.80	\$560.80
Balance, end of year		19.44

Road and Bridge Funds. Second Class.

	DR.	CR.
By balance, February 12th 1907		\$5,014.20
To Amount received during year, including Treasury commission,	\$2,055.21	
To amount transferred to other Funds	1,000.00	
Amount to Balance,	3,456.25	
Total	\$6,511.46	\$6,511.46
Balance, End of year,		\$3,456.25

General County Funds. Third Class.

	DR.	CR.
By balance, February 12th 1907		\$2,729.22
To Amount received during year, including Treasury commission,	\$3,872.08	
Amount to Balance,	5,026.15	
Total	\$8,898.23	\$8,898.23
Balance, End of year,		\$5,026.15

Jail Fund. fourth Class.

	DR.	CR.
By balance February 12th 1907		\$1,166.14
To Amount received during year, including Treasury commission,	\$416.23	
Amount to Balance,	1,783.30	
Total	\$2,199.53	\$2,199.53
Balance, End of year,		\$1,783.30

School Fund

	DR.	CR.
By balance February 12th 1907		\$1,769.92
To Amount received during year, including Treasury commission,	\$3,384.03	
Amount to Balance,	1,331.25	
Total	\$4,715.28	\$4,715.28
Balance, End of year,		\$1,331.25

Amount of Indebtedness of County.

To Whom	For What	AMOUNT	Date of Accrual
			Month Day Year.
School Fund,	Jail Building,	\$9,057.00	July 10 1905
State of Texas,	Forty years 4 opp Bonds, redeemable within 5 years from July 10 A. D. 1905.		

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER, The foregoing is a true and correct exhibit of the finances of said County for the year ending the Tenth day of February 1908. Dated at Eldorado, Texas, this 15th day of February A. D. 1908. F. C. Bates Jr., County Clerk, Schleicher County, Texas. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of Feb. A D 1908. J. A. Whitten, County Judge, Schleicher County, Texas.

MRS. T. P. ROBINSON DEALER IN DRY GOODS, GROERIES and FURNITURE. Hamilton. Brown Shoes a Specialty.

W. B. Silliman left Thursday night for Oklama to see if he could make arrangements to put cattle in that section this spring.

Brice Dabney returned this week from a ten days visit to his father at Wallace Texas.

J. E. Tisdale was in the city Tuesday joking the "few" candidate that are in the field in this county he seemed to be enjoying life, real life at that.

If you want good stock read the Lee Bro's add and attend their sale on March 9 at San Angelo.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH **Dr. King's New Discovery**

FOR COUGHS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES.

GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.

West End Barber Shop. O. A. SAVAGE.

Proprietor, Your Patronage Appreciated.

Hot and cold bath's on tap.

B. E. EARLE, THE DRUGGIST,

Prescriptions Carefully and Correctly Compounded.

Full Line of Proprietary Medicines, Toilet Articles, Stationery, Etc.

DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE.

El Dorado, Texas.

Club Rates.

The following papers and magazines can be secured in combination with THE SUCCESS at the price mentioned after each. Your subscription to any paper published will receive prompt attention.

- scientific American \$3.56
- Review of Reviews 3.00
- Youths Companion 2.50
- San Angelo Standard 2.50
- San Angelo Press 2.25
- Devil's River News 2.50
- Bryan's Commoner 1.75
- Confederate Veteran 1.75
- New York World 1.75
- Saint Louis Republic 1.75
- Atlanta Constitution 1.75
- Texas Farm and Ranch 1.75
- Texas Stockman 1.75
- Dallas semi-weekly News 1.75
- Galveston semi-weekly News 1.75
- Houston semi weekly Post 1.75
- The Delineator 2.00
- Fort Worth Record 1.75
- K. Lamity's Harpoon, \$1.7
- The New Idea, \$1.50
- Erederers Gazette 2.25

Any one wanting to buy wall paper will do well to call and see our new sample books.

A Safe Combination.

Read Your Home Paper.

No argument is needed to prove this statement correct. You also need a paper for world-wide general news. You cannot choose a better one—one adapted the wants of all the family—than The Dallas Semi-Weekly News. By subscribing for the (The Success) and The Semi-Weekly News together you get both papers one year for \$1.75, no subscription can be accepted for less than one year at this special rate and the amount is payable cash in advance. Order now. Do not delay. 1908 will be Presidential Year.

50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE

PATENTS

TRADE MARKS DESIGNERS & ETC.

ANYONE sending a sketch and desiring any advice or information, one opinion free without obligation. We will also examine your patent applications, and if successful, we will secure for you the best protection possible. Prompt action through Bureau & Co. receive 25¢ per week, without charge, in the

Scientific American.

A handsomely illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms, \$5.00 per year in advance. Single copies, 10¢. Sold by all news-dealers.

BUREAU & CO., 231 Broadway, New York

LOCALS

Mrs. J. M. West has nice clean beds for rent at 25c each.

W. W. Strothers was trading in town Monday.

A. H. Schuessler was in from the ranch Monday buying supplies.

Don't forget to call on Eddie Myster when in San Angelo.

Baled Sorghum Cheap! See McWhorters.

Beds for rent, 25c each at Mrs. J. M. West.

WHITE WYANDOTS,
(From Celebrated Duston Strain.)
Eggs for hatching, \$1 per setting.
Apply to Dr. C. H. Murphy
Eldorado, Texas.

When you go to Angelo you are chilled and feel disagreeable, but just drop in at Eddie Maier's and get yourself a drink of good whiskey and you will feel better.

Lost stray or stolen one red roan mare branded L A R on left thigh with other brands on shoulder will pay \$5.00 for any information of her whereabouts.
R. A. Evans.

When you want windmill work done call on N. C. Hudgens are phone 31 and he will do it for you.

Barbee & Isaacs have moved the remnant of their stock to the McCormick building and will sell it out, see their add in this issue.

C. C. Doty our tax assessor is busy assessing taxes for the Independent School District, and according to law a man must give in his property for what it's worth or perjury him self.

John Earnest spent Sunday and Monday in our city.

Nick Hudgens the windmill man has been busy this week fixing windmills, he repaired one on the S. A. Williams farm, one for T. G. Chaney and one for Doty and Campbell, the latter mill was blown of the tower during the high wind Friday.

Joe Garvin who ranches near Mayer was in the city the first of the week.

Will Holland spent Wednesday out at his father ranch, helping him round up and Vaccinate his yearlings.

Will Isaacs was in from the ranch Wednesday buying supplies.

I. N. Brooks and wife were visiting and trading in town Saturday, they were the guess of B. F. Anderson and family.

Hugh Richardson was in the city Tuesday.

H. M. Mills the handy wood man was delivering wood in the city Monday.

We call attention to the Lee Brother add in this issue.

In the case of M. L. Shelton v. s. W. W. Tandy an J. S. Pelt in which judgement for plaintiff against W. W. Tandy was rendered in county court, W. W. Tandy applied for new hearing Wednesday before Judge Whitten, a new hearing was granted on account of new evidence being found.

This is a case where M. L. Shelton lost 150 head of sheep, and afterward found them in Tandy flock; Tandy claims that J. S. Pelt sold the sheep to him a few days previous to the finding. A Jury of six men rendered a verdict against Tandy after being out only a few minutes at last term of county court, but said Tandy has been granted a new trial which will probably come up at the next regular term of county court.

FIRE SALE

AT COST EVERYTHING AT COST

Except Samson Wind-mills, we are in the McCormick Building and have considerable Hardware left, Cook-stove, Coal-oil Stoves, Heaters, Carpenter Tools, Enamel ware, wind-mill-oil, Rope, nice line of Cutlery, Hose, Rakes, Shovels, Plow Shapes and a complete line of Farming Implants all at cost.

BARBEE & ISAACS

C. I. Hutto who has been confined to his room for three weeks is slowly convalescing, which will be glad news to his many friends. Mr. Hutto was also very sick for a few days but is able to be up now.

H. H. Whitley was in from the Henderson ranch Monday. Mr. Whitley reports stock doing well in his section.

S. A. Williams of San Angelo was in the city this week on business, he once lived in our midst, he says there is lots of changes in the way of improvements since he left here.

Rev. Robert Payne filled his appointment Sunday at the Methodist church, the attendance was good and the services were good.

Bob Hext, from the east end of the county was the city Tuesday shaking hands with friends. Mr. Hext father (Uncle George Anderson) has been very sick for several days.

Cure of Lung Trouble
"It is eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at Elder & Son drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Do you read it if not why not? Only one \$ a year will bring it to you, help LEE SUCCESS to be a success by being a subscriber.

Elder Hotel
Solicits Your Patronage.
Our 1st and Main Street.

How to Cure Chills.
"To enjoy freedom from chills," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me. "I apply Roberts' Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed for fever sores, indented ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases. 25c at Elder & Son drug store.

Get Your Work Done at Home.
For Cheap Printing and Quick Service Don't overlook
THE SUCCESS.
We guarantee our work to suit you in ever respect.
All job work promptly and neatly done.
All Trade Solicited.

TOM WILLIAMS
I wish to inform my many friends that I have again gone into business and would appreciate a share of your valuable patronage.
Call and see me.

WOOD WOOD WOOD!!
I have a good lot of wood for sale, already cut, both Heater and Stove. Will sell at ranch or deliver in town.
Heater wood delivered in town \$3.75 At ranch \$2.00
Stove wood delivered in town 4.00 At ranch 2.25
All orders filled Promptly. When in need of a good load of stove wood phone
H. M. MILLS

Women's Pains
"I was a total wreck," writes Mrs. Beulah Rowley, of Champoeg, Oregon, "from pains I had suffered, for 4 years, every month. Sometimes I would be unconscious for 12 hours at a stretch. I did not know that anything could stop the pain entirely, but Wine of Cardui did. I advise all women suffering with painful periods to use Cardui and be relieved."
It does this by regulating the functions and toning up all the Internal female organs to health. It is a pure, specific, reliable, female remedy, with a record of 70 years of success. It has benefited a million others. Why not you? Try it.
FREE ADVICE
Write us a letter describing all your symptoms, and we will send you Free Advice, in plain sealed envelope. Address: Ladies' Advisory Department, The Chertkov Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Sold by Every Druggist in \$1.00 Bottles.
WINE OF CARDUI

Program For Teachers Institute.

Eldorado, Thursday, Feb. 27, 9 o'clock a. m. Welcome Address, Judge J. A. Whitten.

Relation of Rural Schools to the High School, Discussion led by S. D. Campbell.

Necessity of thorough Language work in Lower Grades, Miss Minnie Hayes.

Percentage, J. P. Smith, NOON RECESS.

1:30 p. m. Geography, Miss Pearl Bailey.

Can Rural Schools be Placed on a Graded Basis? H. L. Meredith. Benefits to be Derived from a mother and Teachers Cooperative Club, Miss May McCormick.

Are Friday Afternoon exercises Helpful? Miss Kittie Chancey, Thursday Evening 7:30 at Baptist church.

Necessity of Industrial education, W. B. Silliman.

Students Preparation Necessary for High school work, J. B. Smith.

The school Fifty years ago, Judge Bates.

FRIDAY FEB. 28 9 A. M.

Reading, Miss Laura Hays.

How to Teach Divisions of Decimals, Miss Alpha Murrah and S. D. Campbell.

How to Teach Parts of Speech, Miss Kittie Chancey and Mrs. Maud Gattis.

NOON.

1:30 p. m. How to Secure attention, Miss Hattie Stidham and J. B. Smith.

Correlation of the work of the Governness with that of Public Schools, Misses Hanna and Davis.

How to Teach Spelling, Misses Susie Bailey and Stella Bird.

Some people over look good things, others don't, if you come to town don't fail to call on E. L. Benson Co. for good bargains this store can not be beat, see their add on front page.

ANNOUNCEMENT

All candidates will be admitted at the following rates.

FOR CASH	
Congressional.....	\$10.00
Representative District....	7.50
Judicial District.....	7.50
County.....	5.00
Precinct.....	3.00

We are authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

- For County Judge, J. A. WHITTEN
- W. B. SILLIMAN
- For District and County Clerk, W. C. BENTON
- F. C. BATES JR.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector: DAN MURRAH
- W. M. HOLLAND
- B. F. ANDERSON
- For Tax Assessor, C. C. DOTY
- H. W. FINLEY
- For County Treasurer: O. A. SAVAGE
- F. H. WATSON
- REX MCCORMICK
- D. H. KIRKLAND
- A. T. WRIGHT
- W. T. CONNER
- For Commissioners, Prec. No. 3, LEE MARTIN
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4, LEE WILLIAMS

Miss Lula Wamock has been called away from school at present to go home to stay with her mother who lives near the John Rea ranch, her mother has been very ill for the past 10 days with la grippe, some better at present, Miss Lula regrets very much to lose the time from school, hopes to return soon back to Eldorado to her Grand Mothers ready for school. Every thing moving on all right in the west end with the exception of some sickness.

Wise Counsel From the South.
"I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer with lame backs and kidney trouble," says J. R. Blankenship of Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bitters will positively cure this distressing condition. The first bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more bottles, I was completely cured; so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." No under guarantee at Elder & Son drug store. Price 50c.

Get Acquainted With the Soil



Grow the best of everything for pleasure and profit. FARM AND RANCH will introduce you and direct you on the road to success.

It tells you how in combination with soil and climate to grow the best of everything—it tells you how to harvest what you grow, and more important still, tells you how to market with greatest profit what you have produced.

It has departments of special interest to each member of the family—father, mother, son, daughter—and each department contains clean, reliable, interesting, instructive, original matter, prepared specially for FARM AND RANCH. No second hand or done over articles printed first in other editions or publications.

No whisky, patent medicine or other injurious, fraudulent or unclean advertisements.

FARM AND RANCH don't claim in the reading matter to be honest and then through its advertising columns lure you into the clutches of those who will rob you of your money, health or character.

Its Correspondent's Department contains specially prepared articles by successful men and women who fill the soil and know what they write about.

Its Household Department is edited by a woman of experience and ability, who is assisted by many of the most learned, and able and refined women in the Southwest.

The Children's Department is presided over by a mother, assisted by other mothers who know how to make this department more interesting than any similar department in any other publication. It is not necessary to warn the children not to read the advertisements.

Its Feed and Feed Stuffs Department is conducted by editors who have made the subject a special study; its veterinary department is in charge of leading veterinary surgeons.

That is why the most successful livestock breeders and feeders of the Southwest file each issue of FARM AND RANCH away for future reference. The Editors of every Department are employed because they are known to possess ability and superior knowledge about the topics upon which they are to write.

Its Department of "Farmers' Organizations" is intended to aid in building up organizations run honestly in the interest of actual farmers.

Editorially and every other way its proprietors and editors fight for the right of the producers, and will continue to do so. It has no interest in any other publication or business not in direct line with this policy. FARM AND RANCH is the honest man's friend, the home builder's guide. Every home would be benefited by its weekly visits. It costs nothing to learn all about this great family, farm and stock journal. Why not try it in your home.

Write for free sample copy and home test proposition.
FARM AND RANCH PUB. CO.,
Dallas, Texas.

of Commissioners Court
 The commissioners met Monday 10 1908 in regular session with all officers present.
 The first thing taken up by the court was the claim docket, A. E. Aikens was released from duty as county attorney, All reports of the different road overseer were approved and new overseer were appointed on all public roads in the county. Upon petition of W. L. Isaacs and seven others a new school district was established out of district No. 2 The court expended the time until April 1, in which to pay the road tax which is \$3, this exempt any one from road duty until Feb. 1909.
 All quarterly reports were approved by the court.
 A petition was presented to the court by T. K. Womack an nine other asking the court to create a new voting precinct in what is known as the school district No. 7 in voting prec. No. 1, and as this was not the proper time for said court to act on said petition, the petition was not considered, the proper time for such action being at the August term of court. The court approved the bond of H. W. Gordon for the sum of \$5,000 as deputy surveyor for Schleicher county.
 The following commissioners were allowed the following amounts out of the road and Bridge funds to be spent on improving the condition of the roads F. L. Cozzens was granted \$350 and J. W. Alexander \$300,
 The court transferred from the road and Bridge fund to the Jury fund \$250.
 The claim for \$78 damages presented by N. R. Cole for road crossing his land was rejected by the court as said person was legally notified at proper time.
 E. M. Barbee was appointed by the court to go to Gains and Dawson counties and look at the Schleicher county school land, for the purpose of selling same, he is expected to make a written report at a call session of this court, he was allowed \$5 per day for expenses and the county will pay county surveyor if employed.
 The court ordered that the commissioners to be paid \$12 each, for four days service in the court.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
 We are authorized to announce B. F. Anderson as a candidate for Sheriff and tax collector of Schleicher county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. Mr. Anderson has been a citizen of this county for several years and would make an efficient officer should the voters see fit to elect him, and we ask the voters to consider his claim at the ballot box in July.
 In this issue of THE SUCCESS will be found the announcement of Lee Williams for commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Mr. Williams has been a citizen of this county for 17 years and is an enterprising man, he says he doesn't expect to make a tour over the district but that he is for W. J. Bryan, that enough to satisfy us, we take pleasure in submitting his name to the people of district No. 4 and ask the voters of that district to consider well his claim at the primary election in July. Mr. Williams says if elected he will look after the best interest of his neighbor and friends.
 D. M. West Editor the of San Angelo Press News, past through the city Wednesday in rout to Sonora in the interest of his paper.

Why Suffer from Rheumatism?
 Do you know that rheumatic pains can be relieved? If you doubt this just try one application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It will make rest and sleep possible, and that certainly means a great deal to any one afflicted with rheumatism. For sale by B. E. Earle.

San Angelo Business College
 Successors to
 WOOLVERTON PRACTICAL Business College.
 GREGG SHORTHAND Young as it is, holds the highest authentic record for combined SPEED and LEGIBILITY.
 Will Revolutionize Shorthand
 We began the use of GREGG Shorthand only after a very extended invitation as to the results obtained by our friends, and our experience with it could not have been more satisfactory. We have not only been able to get a larger proportion of our students to take up the study, but have been enabled to turn out more satisfactory stenography than when we used the Pitman and Graham. We believe your most practical system will revolutionize shorthand in America. J. M. Wade, President Pennsylvania Business College, Lancaster, Pa.
 OTHER COURSES
 Draught's famous course in Bookkeeping, Banking, new system, Double Entry made easy, Graham Standard Shorthand. Telegraphy by an experienced operator. Touch typewriting by an experienced teacher.
 H. C. Chitwood, Manager
 Telephone No. 581 San Angelo, Texas.

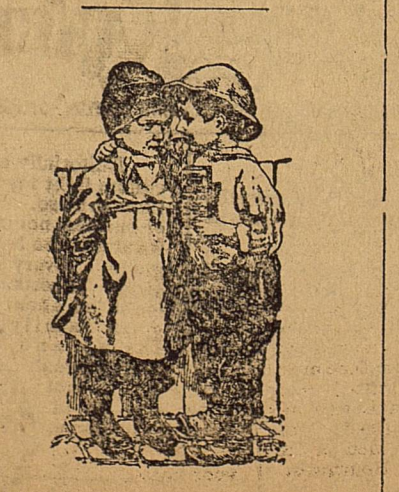
CHRISTOVAL HOTEL
 A Fine Summer Resort
 The place to stop when on your way to San Angelo.
 Nice Cool Rooms and Charges Reasonable.
G. M. Holland Prop.

STOCK NEWS.

R. A. Williamson of the Twin Hell ranch, sold to G. Whitehead & son, 75 Shorthorn bull calves at \$25 each,
 J. A. Cope & Co sold this week for E. M. Kirkland to McKenzie & Ferguson 1250 head of muttons 3 and up at p t. This lot of sheep will go up in the San Angelo country for spring shipment,
 Roy Hudspeth bought from R. A. Williamson ten shorthorn bulls 3 to 5 years old at \$67.50 each. He sold two of these bulls to G. W. Whiteheads Sons at \$75,
 J. A. Cope & Co, the Sonora Land and Live Stock agents, sold this week for E. M. Kirkland of Sonora, to Russell & Hancock of Menardville, one car of fat cows at \$16 per head.

The mutton will be fat early and go to market about May the first. The only bother is that the country has not enough of them. There is only about 30,000 in the Sonora Country.
 Wm. Bevans & Co., of Menardville bought 9,000 three year old steers from Obas, Schreiner of Kerrville, at private terms. The transaction involves over \$200,000 The steers will go to the Osage country.
 L. L. Russell of Fort Worth, recently bought 3,500 steers, two and three year old, from the Big Canyon Ranch Co., at \$17 and \$22 They will probably go to Kansas as they are now above the line.
 Ira L. Wheat returned from the Osage country Friday where he leased grass for 2,000 steers that he will move there from his ranch 30 miles south of Sonora.—Devil River News.

L. L. Russell of Fort Worth, recently bought 3,500 steers, two and three year old, from the Big Canyon Ranch Co., at \$17 and \$22 They will probably go to Kansas as they are now above the line.
 Ira L. Wheat returned from the Osage country Friday where he leased grass for 2,000 steers that he will move there from his ranch 30 miles south of Sonora.—Devil River News.



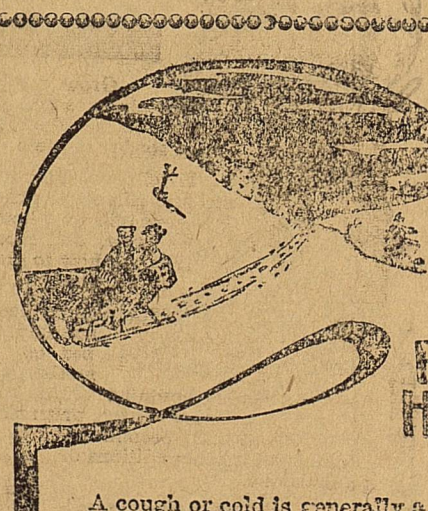
FRIEND TO FRIEND.
 The personal recommendations of people who have been cured of coughs and colds by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have done more than all else to make it a staple article of trade and commerce over a large part of the civilized world.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a Safe Medicine for Children.

In buying a cough medicine for children, never be afraid to buy Chamberlain's cough remedy. There is no danger from it, and relief is always sure to follow. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and there is no better medicine in the world for these diseases. It is not only a certain cure for croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. Whooping cough is not dangerous when this remedy is given as directed. It contains no opium or other harmful drugs, and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by B. E. Earle.

Bad Stomach Trouble Cured.

Having been sick for the past two years with a bad stomach trouble, a friend gave me a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They did me so much good that I bought a bottle of them and have used two bottles in all. Today I am well of a bad stomach trouble.—MRS. JOHN LOWE, Cooper, Maine. These tablets are for sale by B. E. Earle.



WINTER COLDS you need not fear them if you use BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP
 A cough or cold is generally a forerunner of many serious sick ailments. It should not be neglected, the human breathing system is a combination of tubes and cells, which must be kept in order to insure good health.
Ballard's Horehound Syrup CURES COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING COUGH, CROUP AND ALL PULMONARY DISEASES.
 Cured of a Chronic Cough.
 J. H. Ellis, Butte, Mont., writes: "I cheerfully recommend Ballard's Horehound Syrup to all people afflicted with chronic coughs. I suffered for years with a chronic cough which would last all winter. Ballard's Horehound Syrup effected an immediate and permanent cure."
 25c, 50c and \$1.00.
Ballard Snow Liniment Co.
 509-562 North Second Street, ST. LOUIS, MO.
 Sold and Recommended by **B. E. EARLE.**

County Commissioners Quarterly report under Art. 276 P. C.

JURY FUND 1st Class.

	Dr.	Cr.
Balance last Quarter,	\$258.83	
To Amount received during Quarter,	47.31	
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex.		\$286.20
Amount to Balance,	\$305.64	\$305.64
By Balance,	\$ 19.44	

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND. 2nd Class.

	Dr.	Cr.
Balance last Quarter,	\$3,734.08	
To Amount received during Quarter,	1,439.09	
To Amount transferred from other Funds,		\$1,000.00
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex.		716.92
Amount to Balance,	\$5,173.17	\$5,173.17
By balance,	\$3,456.25	

GENERAL COUNTY FUND 3rd Class.

	Dr.	Cr.
Balance last Quarter,	\$306.96	
Amount received during Quarter,	4,995.57	
To Amount transferred from other Funds,	1,000.00	
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex.		\$1,276.38
Amount to Balance,	\$6,302.53	\$6,302.53
By Balance,	\$5,026.15	

JAIL FUND. 4th Class.

	Dr.	Cr.
Balance last Quarter,	\$800.09	
To Amount received during Quarter,	934.76	
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex.		\$ 1.52
Amount to Balance,	1,734.84	1,734.84
By Balance,	\$1,733.30	

SCHOOL FUND

	Dr.	Cr.
Balance last Quarter,	\$298.88	
To Amount received during Quarter,	2,016.85	
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex.		\$984.48
Amount to Balance,	\$2,315.73	\$2,315.73
By Balance,	\$1,331.25	

J. A. Whitten Presiding officer
 F. L. Cozzens Comm'r Prec. No 1
 J. T. Jones Comm'r Prec. No 2
 W. D. Ake Comm'r Prec. No 3
 J. W. Alexander Com. Prec. No 4

Sworn to and Subscribed before me by each of above Members of the commissioners court within and for said county, this the 13th day of February A. D. 1908.
 F. C. Bates Jr,
 County Clerk Schleicher county Texas.

"TO KEEP WELL"

The whole year through," writes L. A. Bartlett, of Rural Route 1, Guilford, Me. I and my family use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They have proven most satisfactory to all of us." They tone the system and cure biliousness, malaria and constipation. Guaranteed at Elder & Son drug store, 25c.

STEVENS
 The difference between Hitting and Missing is the difference between an Accurate and an Inaccurate Aim. Choose wisely—discriminate! Get a STEVENS! Forty years of experience behind our tried and proved line of
RIFLES, PISTOLS, SHOTGUNS
 Rifle Telescopes, Etc.
 Ask your dealer and insist on the STEVENS. If you cannot obtain, we ship the entire STEVENS line, complete preparation and packing, including: Ammunition, Etc.
 Beautiful three-color Aluminum Hanger will be forwarded for so cents in stamps.
J. STEVENS ARMS AND TOOL CO.,
 P. O. Box 4996
 CHICPEE FALLS, MASS., U. S. A.

FROM THE ANTILLES.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Benefits a City Councilman at Kingston, Jamaica.
 Mr. W. O'Reilly Pogarty, who is a member of the city council at Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies, writes as follows: "One bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy had good effect on a cough that was given me trouble and I think I should have been more quickly relieved if I had continued the remedy. That it was beneficial and quick in relieving me there is no doubt and it is my intention to obtain another bottle." For sale by B. E. Earle.

GENERAL DIRECTORY.

DISTRICT OFFICERS.
 J. W. Timmins, Judge 51st District.
 L. H. Brightman Attorney 51st District
 F. C. Bates Jr., Clerk.

COUNTY OFFICERS.
 J. A. Whitten, Judge.
 Joab Campbell, Surveyor.
 F. C. Bates, Jr., Clerk.
 Dan Murrah, Sheriff and Tax Collector
 C. C. Doty, Tax Assessor.
 P. H. McCormick, Treasurer.
 F. C. Bates, Sr., J. P. Precinct No. 1.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.
 J. A. Whitten, County Judge.
 F. L. Cozzens, Precinct No. 1.
 J. T. Jones, Precinct No. 2.
 W. D. Ake, Precinct No. 3.
 J. W. Alexander, Precinct No. 4.

COURT CONVENES.
DISTRICT COURT—Meets Fourth Monday in April and November.
COUNTY COURT—Meets First Monday in February, May, August and November.
COMMISSIONERS COURT—Meets Second Monday in February, May, August and November.
JUSTICE COURT—Precinct No. 1, Meets Third Monday in each Month.

CHURCHES.
METHODIST—First and Third Sunday in each Month, morning and night. Rev. Robert Payne, Pastor.
CHRISTIAN—Services Second Sunday in each month, morning and night. Elder W. P. Skaggs, Evangelist.
BAPTIST—Services Second and Fourth Saturdays and Sundays in each month morning and night. Rev. J. M. Earls, Pastor.

PROG. CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Preaching at the Methodist church every Fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and also Saturday by Rev. K. B. Watson.
Presbyterian—Rev. F. A. Barnes, Past. Will preach at the Methodist Church the 2nd Sunday in each month at 11 o'clock and at Sam Holland ranch in the afternoon at 3.30.

SOCIETIES, LODGES, CLUBS, ETC.
KNIGHTS OF THE MAGGAREE—El Dorado Tent No. 129. Meets on First Saturday night after the full moon in each month.
 J. F. McKee, Commander.
 Rex McCormick, R. K.
LADIES' HOME MISSION SOCIETY—Meet 2d and 4th Thursday in each month, at the Methodist church.
 Mrs. R. C. Haynes, Pres.
 Miss May McCormick, Sec.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Meets on the first Saturday in each month at the Alexander Hall. S. D. Campbell J. B. Smith, Clerk. Commander.
 A. F. & A. M.—Meets on Saturday or before the full moon in each month
 E. M. Barbee, Sec J. A. Whitten, W. M. K. of P. meets second and fourth Friday night in each month.
 W. B. Silliman Chan, Commander.
 W. J. Earls Keeper of Records

WORM REMEDY
 THE GUARANTEED WORM REMEDY
 THE CHILDREN'S FAVORITE TONIC.
 BEWARE OF IMITATIONS. THE GENUINE PREPARED ONLY BY **Ballard-Snow Liniment Co.** ST. LOUIS, MO.
 For Sale by B. E. Earle.

BUY THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE
 Before You Purchase Any Other Write THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY
 CRAIG, MASS.
 Many Sewing Machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the "New Home" is made to wear. Our guarantee never runs out.
 We make Sewing Machines to suit all conditions of the trade. The "New Home" stands at the head of all high-grade family sewing machines. Sold by authorized dealers everywhere.
 FOR SALE BY