

THE SUCCESS.

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

EL DORADO, SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL, 10, 1908. NO. 309.

When the Spring-time Comes

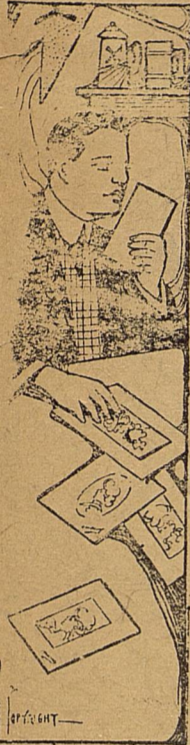
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Eldorado, Texas

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A LETTER FROM GOVERNOR CAMPBELL

M. reb 21, 1908,
Hon. W. B. Silliman,
Eldorado, Texas.

My dear Friend:—

Your letter of the 27th instant received and in reply will say that I expect to visit Sonora on May 1st, and do not know of anything now that will prevent my going. I can address the people at Eldorado on that trip, and would prefer doing so on the return trip. I would not like to speak on the way out but would rather address the people of Eldorado upon my return.

I do not know whether I would have time to put in a day at San Angelo or not. Of course I would be glad to do so, if I find later on that I have the time.

I believe it is the duty of the Governor of this state to go out among the people of the state when his official duties will permit and discuss with them the conditions of the State's affairs and the operation of our laws. This I have done as often as possible and not only feel conscious of having performed a duty, but really enjoy it.

Your friend,
T. M. Campbell,

While some of our businessmen were in San Angelo this week, they met parties from Gains county who lived near the (once) Schleicher county school land, and these men told the gentlemen that had the land been cut up in small tracts at a low interest on 40 years time it would have sold from \$8.00 to \$20.00 per acre. The man who told this knows every foot of land under discussion. He also said had the land been advertised to sell in a whole there would of been several prospective buyers from that section.

P. W. Sewell and family were shopping in the city Monday.

List of District Court Jurors.

List of grand and petit jurors; District Court, Schleicher County, Spring term A. D. 1908.

GRAND JURORS.

W. T. CONNER	J. H. JACKSON
A. M. FREEMAN	W. E. BAKER
W. M. BEARCE	J. H. BRANON
J. T. BURLERSON	T. G. CHANEY
W. F. CLARK	J. H. DELONG
CARL McWHORTER	LEE KNIGHT
W. B. ROBERTS	C. L. MEADOR
M. B. McKNIGHT	BOB HEXT

PETTY JURY

J. A. ALLISON	AUTHAR OLIVER
B. B. ALEXANDER	J. H. BOOTH
C. S. BRAMBLETT	G. E. COBB
J. F. CRAIG	FRANK DOUGLASS
O. K. ENOCHS	J. E. ESTES
W. L. EDWARDS	R. A. FREEMAN
W. W. BARBEE	A. D. HOBBS
R. P. HINYARD	JOHN HILL
CHAS. SPENCER	T. M. HUNT
TOM JOHNSON	GEO. NEILL
A. F. LUEDCKE	OTIS SIMS
JOHN ROACH	PAT ELDER
GEO. MSDALE	E. F. CHICK
J. H. DISMUKES	TOM WILLIAMS
A. B. THOMASON	BRICE DABNEY
FRANK THOMSON	WILL HILL
JULE RAMSEY	A. E. NALL
T. L. BENSON	PETE WHITLEY

Silliman Campbell & Evans sold this week for Thomerson to Murchison and Silliman 30 head of 3 and 4 year-old steers at p. t.

Silliman Campbell & Evans sold this week for Freeman and Roberts 45 head of three-year-old steers at p. t.

Ollie Alexander and wife spent Sunday out on the ranch. Mr. Alexander has a fine lot of two-year-old steers and says they are looking fine.

J. D. Garvin was in from his stock farm Monday he says a fine large turkey gobbler is at his ranch that came from another range and he has been unable to find where he strayed from.

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CAPITAL	STOCK
\$15,000.00	
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Absolute Safety	is Our Motto

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Official Depository of Schleicher County.

BEGIN NOW.

No able bodied, sound minded man should be satisfied with a mere living. Any other animal will strive for that. When old age comes, with its attendant feebleness of mind and body, he should have enough capital laid up to keep from being dependent on other people for the necessities of life.

NOW is the time to begin this work of laying up for "A RAINY DAY." One of the best ways to do this is to place in the bank the money you now have, even though it be a small amount, and add to it at every opportunity. Soon you will ultimately lead to success.

DON'T WAIT, but commence now. Place your business with us and we will help you.

The First National Bank,
Eldorado, Texas.

Rev. Robert Payne came up from Sonora Sunday to fill his appointment. He announces that district conference will meet at Ozona the 15th he also announced that he with the assistance of an evangelist would start a meeting here the 4th Sunday in May, every body should try and make arrangements to come and stay through the meeting.

Miss Angie Alexander is assisting in the phone office this week she wants to learn how to operate the switch board.

G. W. Carsey and children arrived on the stage Monday, Mr. Carsey is instructor for the Eldorado Band and will take charge of the band at once and soon have the boys playing "Dixie." Mr. Carsey lost his home and all household good by fire just previous to his coming.

Mrs. J. L. Savage and grandson were in from the ranch the first of the week visiting and shopping.

Grandpa McKee passed to the Heaven of Rest Wednesday eve, of which we will give a full account next week.

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Sunday was a beautiful day and our Sunday Schools was pretty well attended, but there should be no excuse for any one not attending the Sunday Schools on such a beautiful day as Sunday. It will make you feel better to get out and meet each other and have a friendly chat. There is not any thing more up building than the Sunday School, so we urge that all parents come and bring their children, and try to attend both as much good may be derived from either of these Sunday schools, and I am sure no harm will happen you, come and see.

G. M. Brown returned from San Angelo Monday with a four horse load of fine cotten seed for himself, R. P. Hinyard and Jim Mc Kee, these seed were some these gentlemen ordered and are very fine and will doubtless show the farmers of Schleicher that it pays to get the best when the harvest time comes. These seed will be planted by the above named parties and if the season permits they will doubtless bring in 10 fold to those who planted them.

Wm. Bevans is in Brady overseeing the shipping out of that 2450 herd of his steers which passed through here Wednesday. When he finishes attending to this, Mr. Bevans has some cattle business on hands, sure enough. He is going from Brady down to the Kerrville country to pass upon and receive the 10,000 steers which he bought about six week ago from Mr. Schreiner. -Mardville Messenger.

Schleicher county, we see from the Eldorado Success, has sold her school lands for \$115,123 at five per cent interest. This will bring in the annual sum of \$5,759.40 and will give for the present scholastic census of that county \$7, or \$8.00 per capital after all expenses of the fund are paid. In all, Schleicher county without a special tax will have from \$14 to \$15 per scholastic pupil. This will cause more good desirable citizens to go to into Schleicher than any other one thing. -Eden Echo.

ABILITY WINS.

Life is what we make it. We can make a success of life's work or we can make a failure of it. The whole thing rest with us and we are responsible for the choice we make. This is an age in which the young business man is measured by what he can do. Ability tells the whole story. He must be trained to do things easily, quickly and the best way. Those who are thoroughly trained in the business branches and are full of energy and ambition always win in the battle of life. Without doubt and without question Hill's Business College is one of the best places in the world to learn bookkeeping, shorthand and typewriting as they are used in business houses. You will be able to walk right over the heads of students of other colleges and earn from \$15 to \$25 more salary a month right out of school, because you will be so much better drilled in office work. The shorthand system taught here is the easiest and quickest system discovered. Easy terms by mail. Dollar scholarships are now being given. Telegraphy \$35. Three dollar scholarships in any Department. Address Hill's Business College, El Dorado, Texas, or Memphis, Tenn.

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I have put in a line of Coffins and will keep a complete Stock.

I also will keep a up-to-date line of

HARD WARE

and will sell at close prices. I have some Farming Implements, such as Cultivators, Disc Harrows and Plows now on hand, and ask the public to call and see me if in need of anything in my line.

W. M. Bearce

Blacksmith Shop in Connection

COST SALE

For 30 days, beginning April 1st next, I will sell at strictly Cost

'FOR CASH'

my entire stock of SADDLES

Saddles Previously Sold for \$65.	Now \$55.00
" " 57.50 "	48.
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" " 45. " "	35.
" " 42.50 "	32.
" " 35. " "	28.50

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J. K. THOMPSON BEST JACK.

will make the season of 1908, one mile East of Eldorado on the SPEER place. Terms very reasonable, for particulars see C. F. Speer.

C. F. SPEER, Owner.

Letter to J. F. ISACSA
Eldorado, Texas.

Dear Sir: What will it cost to sow ten acres half wheat and half daisy mixed? and what'll the crop be worth? We don't know what daisy seed cost, nor how bulky it is; we suspect half wheat and half daisy would make a big crop of daisies and last a long time; the wheat might be short. The parable throws some light on the cost of a paint half whitewash. Whitewash, mixed half-and-half with paint, is all paint in look and feel; indeed nine-tenths of the "paint" in the stores is part whitewash: some half, some more, some less.

Paint has to be spread with the brush, the surface prepared the ladders scaffolds pulleys and ropes arranged and moved, there's a great deal of labor in putting paint on; it costs \$2 to \$4 a gallons to do it. What does it cost to paint whitewash? Just the same. Half whitewash? Just the same. It doesn't seem worth while, for the whitewash does harm, not good. Will the paint hold the whitewash fast? or the whitewash loosen the paint? Better paint, pure paint, least-gallons paint, least money paint, Devoe.

Yours truly
F. W. DEVOE & Co.
L. H. Elder & Son sells our paints.

Geo. Hamilton and family of Sutton county were visiting in our city the first of the week, they were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murchison.

H. Got What He Need d.

"Nine years ago it looked as if my time had come," says Mr. C. Farthing, of Mill Creek, Ind. Ter. "I was so run down that life hung on a very slender thread. It was then my druggist recommended Electric Bitters. I bought a bottle and I got what I needed—strength I had one foot in the grave, but Electric Bitters put it back on turf again, and I've been well ever since." Sold under guarantee at I. H. Elder & Son's drug store. 50c.

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No Gloss Carriage Paint Made will wear as long as Devoe's. No others are as heavy bodied because Devoe's weigh 3 to 8 ounces more to the pint. Sold by I. H. Elder & Son.

Rabbit Slaughter

On Tuesday March 31 in South Ballinger a rabbit hunt came off in which there were 1,100 rabbits slaughtered. There were fifty guns in action. Dinner and supper was served on the ground one man (Will Dunlap) got 110 rabbits during the day, a fine time was had by all participants.

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Your prescription will be safest in the hands of those familiar with these drugs, and you are always sure of scientific service at fairest possible cost.

I. H. ELDER & SON
Cor. Square and Main
ELDORADO, TEXAS.

Get it at Elder's.

Notice to All Woodmen.

All Woodmen who subscribed money to the building of the new hall, will please pay same to W. M. Holland between now and May the first and he will receipt you for same.

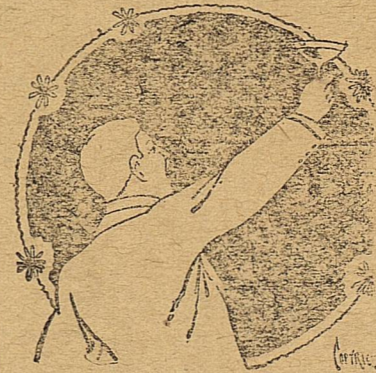
A Twenty year Sentence.

"I have just completed a twenty year health sentence, imposed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve which cured me of bleeding piles just twenty years ago," writes O. S. Woollever, of Le Raysville, N. Y. Bucklen's Arnica Salve heals the worst sores, boils, burns, wounds and cuts in the shortest time. 25c, at I. H. Elder & Son drug store.

While Bob Martin of Sonora was going to San Angelo with about 2,500 big steers last week, he stopped at the A. E. Shepperd trap to spend the night, during the night the steers became frightened and began to run and struck the Anson fence on the north side of the trap and broke it down and the next day the steers were found in several different pastures, we learned that most all the steers were found, but it will take several day to repair the fences that were broken down by this stampeded herd.

J. Keeney dropped in the office the first of the week and said a good rain within 10 days would insure him about \$350 or \$400 worth of oats.

To the People of Schleiches, County



JUST ONE GLASS

of our wines or liquors will be enough to demonstrate their excellence. They cannot help being good for they are absolutely free from adulteration or dilution.

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sold here bear the U. S. Government stamp of purity, showing that all the provisions of the pure food law have been complied with. Try our W. H. Kirby.

Trainees Bros.
Bark Saloon, Sonora, Texas.

M. B. McKnight and T. L. Benson went to San Angelo the first of the week, to buy the lumber for the K. P. and W. O. W. Hall.

Albert Bailey and wife from Crockett county, were visiting in the city this week.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH Dr. King's New Discovery FOR COUGHS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. PRICE 50c & \$1.00. Trial Bottle Free. GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.

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El Dorado, Texas.

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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
Readers Gazette	2.25

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Solicits Your Patronage.

Cor. 1st and Main Street.

Stock News.

Silliman, Campbell and Evans sold for I. H. Elder 352 head of three-year old steers, to Murchison and Silliman at \$24 per head.

Martin and Waadlaw of Sonora sold through Silliman, Campbell and Evans of Eldorado, 335 head of 4 and 5-year-old steers to Murchison and Silliman, of Eldorado at \$29 per head no cut.

Murchison and Silliman will ship from San Angelo about April 12 about 18,000 head of three and four year old steers, to Oklama.

Tom and Max Russell of Menardville, were in the city the first of the week looking for two-year-old steers. They bought from J. B. Christian 240 head at \$20 per head.

LOCALS

THE COFFEE POT ASSUMES A NEW PLACE IN YOUR ESTIMATION WHEN IT BREWS THE DELICIOUS CHASE & SANBORN'S HIGH GRADE COFFEE

T. L. Benson Co.

Miss Bura Lohmann was in the city Sunday accompanied by her brother Adolph.

Adolph Lohmann is going to clean out the Thomson head quarter ranch well, he began working on Monday.

Charley Green was in from the ranch Saturday, buying supplies.

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

WHITE WYANDOTTS,
(From Celebrated Duxton train.)
Eggs for hatching, \$1 per setting.
Apply to Dr. H. H. Murphy
Eldorado, Texas.

John Bailey came over from Crockett county Saturday, he is looking for steers yearlings to buy.

J. D. Ramsey left for San Angelo Monday.

W. H. Finley was in the city Monday shaking hands with his many friends.

Tom Holland and wife were in the city Sunday attending church and visiting.

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.

Frank Douglass passed through town Saturday in route to the Murchison and Silliman ranch to help gather and ship their steers.

John Flechter who has recently bought a big steam well drilling machine, has moved his machinery to the Bruton Stockfarm and will drill a well for Mr. Bruton.

S. W. Holland, who was a citizen of Ballinger many years, but for the past six years, of Schleicher county, was here Tuesday after cotton seed to plant on his farm. Sam, as his friends here call him, has prospered in Schleicher county and shows to be in very fine health, his weight being 225 pounds.—Ballinger Ledger.

C. L. Meador was in the city Saturday shaking hands with the boys, and receiving over the gentle showers that visited this country in the last few days.

D. H. Kirkland
Dealer and Maker of
Saddles and Harness
Landis Machine in Shop.
Repairing Neatly and Promptly Done.
I respectfully Solicit Your
Patronage.

Twin Girl is for Jimmie.
Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. James Weddell, March 27.—San Angelo Standard

The citizens of Sutton county have offered several prizes for worth scalp killed in Sutton county. The man who kills the largest No. of wolves within Sutton county during the next seven months will get a reward of \$75, the second largest No. \$50, the third \$25, and the fourth largest No. will receive \$10. The ranchmen of Sutton county are after the wolves and will doubtless get rid of lots of them, as the county pays a bounty on wolf scalp, the ranchmen are offering 4 prizes to assist in exterminating these animals. And as Sutton county has quite a number of sheep and goats the wolves can do a great deal of damage.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Court house in the town of Eldorado, in said Independent School District on the first Saturday in May 1908, the same being the second day of May 1908, as provided in section 56 chapter 47 special laws of the 30th Legislature, for the purpose of electing four school trustees for said independent school district, to take the place of C. O. West, J. B. Christian, J. E. Jones and C. H. Murphy whose terms will expire.

Said election shall be conducted as provided by General Laws for the election of trustees for independent school districts, and W. F. Ford, is hereby appointed manager of said election.

O. H. Murphy
Actg., President of Board,
E. M. Barbee
Secretary.

Protect your own town and thereby show that you are in favor of protection. If protection is good for the nation it is good for the town. As town-people we should favor our town above every other, as the growth and development of it is what will enhance the value of all property both in and about it. Then buy your dry goods, groceries, hardware, furniture, etc., at home; have your printing, your blacksmithing, your shoe-making done at home; patronize home in every instance that you can. The success of our merchants and mechanics means new business houses and residences, additional demands for labor of various kinds. To the farmer a first-class town affords a better market for his produce, a better trading point, and such a town is bound to increase the value of his land. Unquestionably "in union there is strength." Let us protect our town.—Ex.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Will Finley on Saturday April 4th an 8 pound daughter.

A Woman Tells How to Relieve Rheumatic Pains.

I have been a very great sufferer from the dreadful disease, rheumatism, for a number of years. I have tried many medicines but never got much relief from any of them until two years ago, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I found relief before I had used all of one bottle, but kept on applying it and soon felt like a different woman. Though my advice many of my friends have tried it and can tell you how wonderfully it has worked.—Mrs. SARAH A. COLE, 140 S. New St., Dover, Del. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes rest and sleep possible. For sale by B. E. Earle.

The Lucky Quarter

Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. Ling's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than jewels. Try them for headache, biliousness, constipation and malaria. If they disappoint you the price will be cheerfully refunded at I. H. Elder & Son's drug store.

PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

Miss Lizle Jones and John Shepperson Are Happily Married.

At the pretty suburban home of W. C. Jones in North Angelo Wednesday evening occurred the marriage of his accomplished and charming daughter, Miss Elizabeth to Mr. John Shepperson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Siler in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends and was followed by the hearty felicitations and best wishes of the assembled guests.

The bride is a most gracious and popular young lady, admired by a large circle of friends, and the groom is one of the hustling and reliable young business men of the city, at the head of the furniture store of Shepperson Bros. He is popular in business and social circles and his firm is building up a fine business in the city and surrounding country.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepperson will reside in San Angelo and the best wishes of all friends will be spoken for this happy and auspicious union of hearts and lives.—San Angelo Press-News.

In answer to a letter that W. B. Silliman wrote for the Sonora people to Gov. Tom Campbell to see if he could get him to come to Sonora on May the first and address the people of Sutton county. In reply, Mr. Campbell says he will be at Sonora on the date mentioned, and speak to the people there. Mr. Silliman also requested, if he could spare the time to stop and address the people of Schleicher county, and he said he would, so look out for the date and day which will appear in later in THE SUCCESS. Mr. Campbell letter to Mr. Silliman will probably appear in this issue. It is not known yet whether Mr. Campbell will speak on his way to Sonora or on his return, but think likely it will be on his return every body in this county and adjoining counties should hear the Governor of Texas speak on this visit, his speech here will probably be May 2nd, the exact date is not known but will be published later, this will be the first visit of any Governor to West Texas, that is in this section and the people will no doubt come to hear him.

Murchison and Silliman have 13 men employed to help them get their 1,800 big steers to the stock pens at San Angelo.

Subscribe for THE SUCCESS and keep up with Schleicher county happenings.

Wanted—To buy a few first class Vendors Loan Notes,
J. A. Whittan,
Eldorado State Bank.

STOCK NEWS.

S. H. Stokes of Sonora bought from D. B. Cusenbary 100 cows delivered at Sonora at \$11.50.

S. H. Stokes bought from Roy Hudspeth of Sonora, 75 cows at \$11.50 per head Sonora delivery.

John McCleary of Sonora sold to Jack Allen of Edwards county, 70 head of stock cattle at \$12.50 around.

G. S. Allison of Sonora sold to T. D. Newell 1000 muttons, 700 at \$4 wool on, and 300 at \$3.50 wool off.

J. O. Taylor of Beaver Lake sold to Murchison and Silliman, 300 head of steers 4's up at \$29 delivered at the Murchison ranch north of Sonora.

O. & A. Gunter of Sonora sold to Eric Cloudt of Sutton county, 50 head of three-year-old steers, on cut, at \$22.50 delivered at their ranch.

Martin & Wardlaw sold for Caleb Smith & sons of Sonora to Hancock & Russell of Menardville, 75 Territory cows and 100 Territory cows for John McKee delivered at McKavett at \$12 per head.

Martin & Wardlaw, commission firm of Sonora, sold for J. J. North of Sonora to J. R. Hamilton of Val Verde county, 2,300 muttons, wool on, \$4, with ten per cent cut at \$3.50 per head. The muttons to be delivered at Die Rio.

J. A. Cope & Co., sold for Peacock & Glascock of Sutton county 150 territory cows; and for Joe Turner of Val Verde county, 75 territory cows to be delivered at Sonora to C. C. Yaws & son at \$11.62 1-2. 150 cows for Dock Simmons of Sonora to C. C. Yaws & son at p t, 100 cows for E. G. Fowler to C. C. Yaws & son, delivered at M. Kavett at p t.

J. H. Felps of Sheffield sold to J. M. Shannon of Crockett county, about 100 head of three-year-old steers at \$22 per head.

Martin and Wardlaw sold 75 yearling steers for B. M. Halbert to R. H. Martin at \$12.75. They sold for D. K. McMillan of Val Verde county, 100 territory cows to C. C. Yaws & son delivered at Sonora at \$11.50. They sold for C. S. Holcomb 22 head of two-year old steers to R. J. M. Fett of Fletcher, Okla., delivered at Sonora at \$18.—Devil's River News

Cured of Rheumatism.

Mr. Wm. Henry of Chattanooga, Tenn., had rheumatism in his left arm. "The strength seemed to have gone out of the muscles so that it was useless for work," he says. "I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and wrapped the arm in flannel at night, and to my relief I found that the pain gradually left me and the strength returned. In three weeks the rheumism had disappeared and has not since returned." If troubled with rheumatism try a few applications of Pain Balm. You are certain to be pleased with the relief which it affords. For sale by B. E. Earle.

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Father Pettit's sermon was on heaven and the means of reaching there. He had just come to the end of a passage—"How then shall we reach heaven?" he asked and paused in a solemn manner. Just then came floating through the church window in highkeyed voice: "Slide like the devil, slide."

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No Operation

Mrs. Malinda Akers, of Basham, Va., writes: "I had what doctors call 'prolapse,' and couldn't stand sflight. I had pain in my back and shoulders, and was very irregular and profuse. Doctors said an operation was needed, but I couldn't bear the thought of the knife. After taking three bottles of Wine of Cardui, I could walk around. Can now do my housework and am in splendid health."

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WINE OF CARDUI

The Truth as to How Schleicher County Sold Her School Land

As we too, are interested in Schleicher County, and the good people who lives therein, we submit the following facts, in order that the good people may know the truth, and not be misled by such editorials, as appeared in the last issue of THE SUCCESS.

As the lease expires on the 4 leagues of Schleicher County school Land situated in Gains county, in July 1908, the Commissioners Court decided to send some one to see this land, and ascertain as near as possible the value of same, and report to the court, said court having decided to meet at call, for the purpose of hearing the report, and then deciding what was best to do in the matter. E. M. Barbee was employed to go and see the land, the court allowing him five dollars per day, him to bear his own expenses, after Mr. Barbee's return, I called the court to meet on the 25th day of March 1908, and at that date at about 10 o'clock a. m., the court was duly called, and all the members were present, I as presiding officer of the court made the following statement to the crowd of citizens, and was present.

"Gentlemen, this special session of the court has been called for the purpose of hearing the report of E. M. Barbee on the school land, and then to take any action the court may think best in selling or leasing the land." Mr. Barbee made his report to the court, which by motion, and second was duly accepted, and his account for eight days services \$40 allowed.

W. L. Saye of Comanche Tex., J. B. Murrash of San Angelo, Lee Martin of Rudd, and W. B. Silliman of this place had all been to see this land, with a view to buying same, except (possible Silliman) and all corroborated the statement made by Mr. Barbee except W. L. Saye, although a prospective purchaser, valued the land much higher than Barbee, who stated he thought five dollars per acre a fair price for the land, Mr. Lee Martin said in his judgement the land would be well sold at three dollars per acre.

Before the court decided to sell the land, W. L. Saye presented a bid in writing of five dollars per acre, five per cent interest, 40 years time, to the court in case they decided to sell the land, then the every ready with advice W. B. Silliman asked permission to address the court a few minutes, in regards to the manner, in which the courts should sell these land, permission being given he proceeded to make his little statement in which he advocated the putting up in small tracts, and received bids at some future date, and sell to highest bidder.

Mr. J. B. Murrash stated to the court if they would sell, he would give one hundred thousand dollars flat, with 04 percent which was about \$5.65 per acre. At this stage of the proceedings the court stated emphatically they would not receive any bids with less than five percent interest, then arose, M. M. Beavers, spokesman for the Evans, Beavers and Sweatt corporation, who the court has greatly wronged, so says THE SUCCESS, with a bid of \$5.75 per acre, five percent interest without yet deciding to sell or to not, the court adjourned until 1 p. m. at which time Capt. W. L. Saye bid \$6.50 per acre five percent interest \$2,500 cash, eight draft payable 129 day from that date for balance of the years interest in advance. R. A. Evans member of the temporary corporation above mentioned, produced the court with a deed, in which he stated that he knew to be alright, and this deed as THE SUCCESS calls it, he used in contracting with the

bond for the remainder of the years interest, of course any fair minded person, can see that W. L. Saye's bid was the safest, and best bid, the court having decided to sell, if they could get seven dollars per acre, recinded their action in this matter, and decided that they could not beat this bid should they advertise the land six months, made the sale to W. L. Saye at the price above stated, the court granted Mr. Saye if he so desired, that he might at the expiration of five years pay any amount not less than five thousand dollars at any one time on the principal sum for which the land was sold.

Now I have stated the facts as they were, and I believe every man present will bear me out, with possibly the exception of a few of the wise gang, who beg leave to differ with any mans fair actions, and now I will perceive to notice some statements made in last weeks SUCCESS.

First: They say that I told them that I did not know the court would offer the land for sale at this time. I do not remember this conversation but I state here, that I did not know the land would be sold, neither did any other member of the court, for that was the purpose of the meeting of the court to decide what was best to do in the matter, and this question was decided upon by a unanimous vote of the court, and I was in favor of it.

Second: They say just how Mr. Saye found out the land was going to sell we have never been able to find out. Mr. Saye didn't know so far as my knowledge is concerned that the land would be sold, I told Mr. Saye when he was here some time ago, that the court would meet on the 25th day of March, and decide the question, and he said that he would be here and come before the court. J. B. Murrash, M. M. Beavers, Lee Martin and in fact every body that knew anything at all about the matter, knew that the court was considering the matter of selling the school land, and it sounds "fishy" to me, THE SUCCESS should be so ignorant, and claims to be wise.

Third: They say and sure enough he bought it and over home men at \$1,771.20, more than Saye give, the terms being better, and the interest annually in advance" there was never such a bid made to the court, and THE SUCCESS knows it as well as I do, and I can prove it by as good men as there is in Schleicher county, Mr. Evans made the bid here to be mentioned, only offering to pay interest for four months in advance and emphatically refused to pay any more, or give any kind of bond or security for the payment of same, and told the court that if they did not accept his terms, not to consider his bid, and the court took him at his word and rejected his bid, wholly on his terms. Mr. Evans did propose for the note to run full forty years. The court acted on their judgment in this matter, and I believe they did the proper thing, when they sold to Mr. Saye.

Fourth: They say that Mr. Saye brought the deed to the tracts of land with him., Capt. Saye told me that he had bought about sixteen leagues of county school land in that country, and had, had the deeds passed on by the best lawyers in the state, and before he left he blocked out a deed copying the ones he had used in the former purchases, leaving numerous blank spaces to be filled in so that in case he did buy the land he would have a deed that he knew to be alright, and this deed as THE SUCCESS calls it, he used in contracting with the

court, thereby saving much time, and expense to the court, and the deed was then made from this contract or copy, and this was not the deed used in the sale of the land and THE SUCCESS knows it.

Fifth: "Duly advertised and published" this is a regular form that appears in the deed, and whether or not the land was advertised, it matters not, the bidders, and even buyers came from all over the country and did buy the land.

Sixth: "They signed it under oath" this is another misrepresentation as every one that knows anything, knows the difference between said oath and an acknowledgement, in an oath you swear to the facts set forth, and in an acknowledgement you only acknowledge that you signed the same for the purpose and consideration therein expressed, and do not swear to anything.

Seventh: As to Mr. Saye having the inside track. I have this to say that any man or set of men, that says I gave Mr. Saye any advantage in this matter, or acted in any way against the interest of the county or any individual knowingly tells a flatfooted falsehood, and I believe that I can say the same for each member of the court, we tried to do what we thought was the best under the circumstances as citizens and officers, and I believe that we did it. The land in my opinion is well sold and the people who I have seen, are well satisfied except the same who are looking for some thing to kick about, I believe you can look up the sale of the entire state and you will not find a better sale of school land, all things being considered. I am not surprised at this one half sheet of abuse of the commissioners court of our county, and you need not be surprised at anything that may follow for its my scalp that they are after. I have made this statement of facts, because I want the people to know the truth, and when this is done I am done, for I will not be a party to a newspaper controversy, I am above it.

One word as to a statement in an issue of THE SUCCESS before this noted one. They said that the home people offered to put up part of the money and give bond for the balance of the one years interest, this is another windy and they know it as well as I do; Now why will they make such statements when they know them to be untrue, I leave you who read this article to say.

I have been abused because I would not sell the land, and now I am abused for selling it, "so let her go Bill" I have said at all times that I would never consent to the sale of this land until it brought as much as \$600 per acre, at which price I figure it will run the schools for several years without any special tax to the people, the land brought the price and I am satisfied. The court was asked to sell this land five years ago at \$2.00 per acre and they refused to do so, thereby asking for the school fund \$97,704.00 of which fact the people as a rule are proud. When this was leased the court was called as it was in this case and the court was offered five cents per acre, and the people said advertise, and we did, in the Dallas News and other papers and at the same time set to receive bids 4 1-2 cents was the best bid put in, and had the court advertised this with the same result, the people would have said that the court was a set of fools and ought to have taken the \$650, when it was offered. What I have said I have said in self defenses and I hope that I have used no language that will offend any one and in conclusion I ask that before you condemn the court for their action get the facts and when this is done I am willing for you to decide the matter. This is my first in the news-paper business and I hope it will be the last.

Yours truly
J. A. Whitten, County Judge,
Schleicher County, Texas.

The above will be answered and corrected next week, Editor.

Truth crushed to earth; will rise again. Our next issue will contain some more truth in regard to the sale of our county school land.

Lom Roberts was in the city Wednesday buying supplies.

Mrs. J. E. Dayton was visiting Mrs. E. A. Nall Monday.

NOTICE

I will have to charge extra for irrigating water so those that don't want to pay for same will please not use the water for that purpose.

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State of Texas, County of Schleicher.

To S. H. Henderson and S. M. Simmerle Non Residents of said Schleicher County Texas.

We the undersigned Jury here-to-fore appointed by the Commissioners Court of said Schleicher County, to view out, establish and assess damages on a public road of the third class, Commencing at Northwest corner of section No. '16' Block A H. E. and W. F. Ry. Co. and running in a South easternly direction and ending at E. Sharps store house in Middle Valley, Texas, hereby given notice under art. 4376 Revised Civil Statutes, that we will proceed according to law to lay out said road above described, on the 5 day of May A. D. 1908, and this shall be and is intended as your notice to file such damages if any you claim on said date.

Witness our hands this 12th day of March, 1908.

G. O. Crosby
W. F. Edmiston
Bert Page
G. B. Spears
A. E. Nall

Don't Was On His Heels.

Jessie P. Morris, of Skippers, Va. had a close call in the spring of 1906. He says: "An attack of pneumonia left me so weak and with such a fearful cough that my friends declared consumption had me, and death was on my heels. Then I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It helped me immediately, and after taking two and a half bottles I was a well man again. I found out that New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and lung disease in all the world." Sold under guarantee at I. H. Elder & son's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

The State of Texas, Schleicher County.

We the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of Schleicher county Texas, duly appointed by the Commissioners court of Schleicher county Texas at its February term of court 1908, to view out and assess the damage on a third class road from the west line of the Keele pasture, beginning at the North west corner of Survey No. 142, Blk. A, H. E. & W. F. Ry Co. thence East to the Eldorado and Sonora road at the north east corner of the S. A. Williams survey, and having been duly sworn as the law directs hereby given notice that we will on the 15 days of April 1908, assemble at Eldorado and thence proceed to lay out, and assess the damages incidental to the opening up of said road, we do hereby notify D. C. Hill, S. A. Williams and any and all other persons owning land through which said road will run, that we will at the said time proceed to lay out, and assess damages incidental to the opening up and establishing said road when they may either in person, or agent or attorney present to us a written statement of damages if any claimed by them.

Witness our hands this 6th day of March 1908, A. D.

D. J. Garvin
H. W. Finley
John F. Isaacs.

R. U. Taylor was in from his ranch Monday shaking hands with friend, J. S. Pelt and wife were in from the ranch the first of the week.



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COURT CONVENES.
DISTRICT COURT—Meets Fourth Monday in April and November.
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SOCIETIES, LODGES, CLUBS, ETC.
KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES—El Dorado Tent No. 129, meets on First Saturday night after the full moon in each month.
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Rex McCormick, R. K.

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Will Davis arrived Monday from Buffalo N. Y. where he went for the benefit of his health Mr. Davis is very much improved, Mr. Davis reports having a nice trip while gone and says that Buffalo is a nice city.

Frank Murphy from the Mayer neighborhood was in the city Monday on business.

Chris Hage's line one of West Texas largest land dealers was in the city the first of the week, and while here made the remark that he would of given \$100.00 to of known that Schleicher county wanted to sell her school land. They are others!

Joe Burterson was in from the fancy sheep camp Thursday and report the sheep doing fine.

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