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

EL DORADO, SCHLEICHER COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL, 17, 1908. NO. 310.

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

The First National Bank,
Eldorado, Texas.

MAY 5 AND 6.

Sonora will entertain the people of Sutton and adjoining counties on May the 5th and 6th.

They have arranged to have a nice program prepared, among the speakers will be Gov. T. M. Campbell, Hon. W. B. Smith congressman for this sixteenth district, C. B. Hudspeth senator for this the 25th district, Hon. W. B. Silliman Representative of the 102nd district. Will all make addresses, and the addresses to be non partisan. They have also extended invitations to Mrs. Lar hold Chase a violinist of National fame, who lives in Crockett county, and Mrs. Eugene McKenna, of Val Verde county a cornetist of National fame to be present and render some selection of their own choice. Go to Sonora and enjoy the hospitality of the Sutton county people.

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
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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. TISDALE	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

Ivy Ellis sold to H. M. Stonebraker about 800 twos, threes and fours at \$20 \$25 and \$28 respectively. Mrs. Anna Martin & Sons and C. L. and Max Martin sold to H. M. Stonebraker about 1800 3's and 4's at \$25. W. J. Wilkinson sold to Stonebraker 79 3's and 4's at \$24. These steers were nearly all 3's and they were taken to the railroad by the buyer. Jim Bevans sold to Reid & Evans of Muskogee, Okla. 300 stock cattle at \$17. Sam McKnight sold to Rolla White about 1500 threes and fours at p. t. Perry McConnell sold about 200 threes to Stonebraker at \$23.50.—Menardville Mesenger.

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STOCK NEWS.

Martin & Wardlaw the commission men sold for G. W. Whitehead & son of Sonora, to L. L. Russell of Menardville, 700 steers at \$22, for 3's and \$27.50 for 4's and up. Bob Martin will receive and ship them at Del Rio.

J. A. Cope & Co., the commission men sold for H. P. Opp of the J. W. Reiley ranch, 400 3 and 4 year old steers to W. A. Glasscock of Sonora at p. t. They also sold for Walter Oliver of Schleicher county to W. A. Glasscock of Sonora, 270 head of 3 and 4 year old steers at p. t. delivered at McKavett.

W. W. Barbee of Eldorado, has probably bought all the yearling in Middle Valley at \$14, per head with ten per cent cut, to be delivered on the 18th of April. The following are the names of those and the number sold: Sam E. Jones 60; C. S. Bramblett 35; Tom Nix 20; J. D. Jones 20; J. A. Allison 25; G. C. Crosby 20; J. H. Lindsey 10; Bert Page 30; Will Noguess 30; J. H. Dabery 20. This was the top price paid this season to date.

L. L. Russell of Menardville was in Sonora Tuesday and bought the Whitehead steers. Mr. Russell had been out to Sanderson shipping out the Big Canyon steers which he bought about two months ago. Lee Russell is said to be the best judge of cattle range to block, in Texas. He is President of the Russell Commission Co. of Ft. Worth and his knowledge of range cattle enables his house to get top prices for their costumors and his personality and extensive acquaintance has brought the Russell Commission Co. to a leading position among live stock commission firms of Texas. He is as friendly as when he lived in the "good old town of Sonora." —Devil's River News.

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A. T. Wright, Editor and Prop.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

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Read THE SUCCESS for the news.

In the Judges reply last week he said I wouldn't do so and so we wonder if he is the whole court.

The Judge seems to think because the school land brought \$6.50 per acre and he is satisfied that others ought not to say anything, but the Judge will learn people will say.

THE SUCCESS never said in its issue of April 3rd that Evans & Co. had been wronged, we said the court erred by not accepting their bid. But if any one is wronged by the courts action it's the school children of Schleicher county and not Evans & Co. any farther than they used them as a prize pole.

The editor of a northern paper states that a merchant of his town upon being seen recently by a solicitor for a job printing establishment, made the foreign printer house drummer feel ashamed of himself by telling him: "I believe in my printing being done at home. We have a good office here, the work is perfectly satisfactory and the prices very reasonable. The more money I spend with my home printer the more money he will have to spend with me.

Besides this, it enables him to employ more help in his office, and the money paid to these employees will find its way into the home channel of trade. If I give you an order for printing, it means just that much money taken out of town. Even if you do it a little cheaper than the home printer, I am compelled to pay express charges on the work, which even up matters. The home printer lives among us and helps to keep up our institutions; he is my neighbor friend and patron, therefore, I propose to give him my printing as long as I am in business."—Ex.

G. W. Carsey is now prepared to teach music on the following instruments, piano, guitar, mandolin, and all band and orchestral instruments. Studio at the old Herring home North of the Baptist church.

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 rests 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 full of energy and ambition always win in the battle of life. Without doubt 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 over the heads of students of other colleges and earn from \$15 to \$25 more a month right out of school, because you will be so much better drilled in your work. The shorthand system is the easiest and quickest system discovered. Easy terms by mail. \$100 dollar scholarships are now being awarded. Telegraphy \$35. Three dollar scholarships in any department. Address Hill's Business College, El Dorado, Texas, or Memphis, Tenn.

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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.

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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.

COFFINS coffins

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.

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

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Letter to TREA. MCCORMICK
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Dear Sir: Every job Devoo is done with less gallons than ever before with any other paint.

S. J. Field, Indianola Fla. says: "All houses here are painted Devoo. The hot air is too trying for other paints. One coat Devoo is better than two of any other paint, so far as we know."

Less gallons, less cost.

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F. W. DEVOR & Co.
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For quick and good services call on me.

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Frank Austin and father of Pearl Texas, are visiting C. L. Meador and family near town. Mr. Frank Austin is a brother-in-law to our worthy ranchman C. L. Meador, Burn—to Mr. and Mrs. Harry McClain on the Meador ranch a girl on April 4th.

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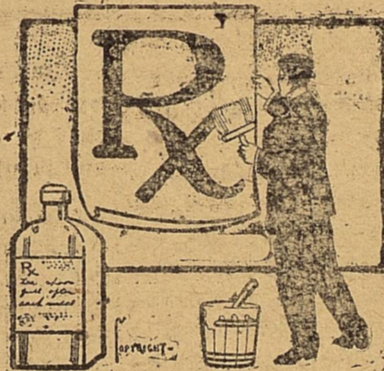
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Cor., 1st & Main. Phone.....44

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. Woolver, of Le Rayville, 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.

Paint Your Buggy for 75c.

to \$1.00 with Devoo's Gloss Carriage Paint. It weighs 3 to 8 ozs. more to the pint than others, wears longer and gives a gloss equal to new work. Sold by I. H. Elder & Son.

They Wouldn't Lay

A bashful young woman from a backwoods county in Virginia went into a store carrying three chickens. She inquired the price of chickens and at the same time put them on the counter. "Will they lay there?" asked the clerk, who did not know that the chickens' legs were tied. She bit her handkerchief in embarrassment a moment and said: "No, sir; they are roosters."

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.

WINES AND LIQUORS

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Bark Saloon, Sonora, Texas.

Plenty of Trouble

is caused by stagnation of the liver and bowels, to get rid of it and headache and biliousness and the poison that brings jaundice, take Dr. King's New Life Pills, the reliable purifiers that do the work without griping or griping. 25c. at I. H. Elder & son's drug store.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH **Dr. King's**
New Discovery
FOR COUGHS
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GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.

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Proprietor,

Your Patronage Appreciated.

Hot and cold bath's on tap.

B. E. EARLE,

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Prescriptions Carefully and

Correctly Compounded.

Full Line of Proprietary

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Etc.

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El Dorado, Texas.

Club Rates.

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Scientific American	\$3.36
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
Balveston semi-weekly News	1.75
Houston semi weekly Post	1.75
The Delinquent	2.00
Fort Worth Record	1.75
S. Lamby's Harpoon	\$1.7
The New Idea	\$1.50
Fredericks Gazette	2.25

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Stock News.

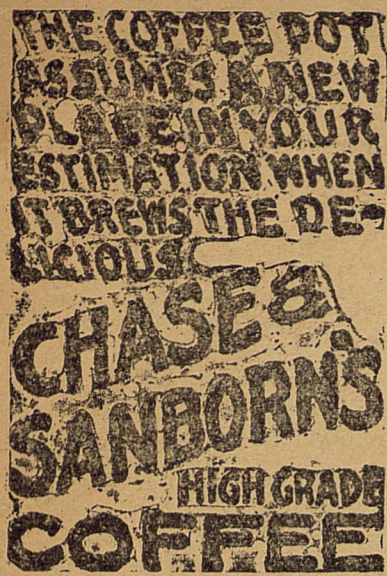
Chas. Spencer bought this week from Lon Cowser of Sonora 12 head of Jerseys cattle for \$240 for the herd.

J. H. Booth and W. H. Douglass shared their sheep this week. Mr. Douglass also sheared his goat, the sheep averaged 7 lbs of wool per head.

J. W. Alexander sold this week to Bob Russell 325 head of two-year-old steers at \$20 per head.

W. B. Silliman left on last Thursday stage for San Angelo to oversee the shipment of the Murchison & Silliman steers to be shipped out of that city on the 12th.

LOCALS



T. L. Benson Co.

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

WHITE WYANDOTTES,
(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.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Chaney were in the city Saturday shopping and trading.

STRAYED OR STOLEN

From Schaefer Ranch 10 miles East of Eldorado about April 2nd, one bay mare 7 or 8 years old 15 hands high, brand Y 4 connected on left thigh. Phone or write any information to
Dr. C. H. Murphy,
Eldorado, Texas.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Williams on Tuesday morning a baby boy, the infant never gained life after birth, it weighed 14 pounds.

Those who attended the Bailey speaking at San Angelo from our city, was E. C. Bates Sr., Mrs. G. L. Lewis, Jim Lewis, Miss Lizzie McCartney, Judge J. A. Whitten, Robert Bailey and S. L. Wright, all who heard the Senator are well pleased with the trip and think they were well paid for going.

Chas. Spencer is running O. A. Savage barber shop, while he is canvassing the county in behalf of his candidacy.

A FINE RAIN.

On last Thursday night a fine rain visited our county and every thing was in fine growing condition to begin with and the rain will be worth thousands of dollars to the Schleicher county citizens. The rain that fell Thursday night amounted to about an inch or more, and the farmers who has his seed in the ground is the man who was prepared for the rain, and will get an early start with the crops.

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 Girls for Jimmie.

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

PRIMARY ELECTION NOTICE.

I hereby call a Democratic Primary Election, to be held at all voting places in Schleicher county, Texas, on the 2nd day of May, 1908, for the purpose of the selection of Delegates at large to the National Democratic Convention.

There being some question as to whether there will be elections held at all the voting places in the county, for the reason that it might be impossible to get judges and clerks of said election to serve with out pay it has been decided by the Chairman and Committee, that every qualified Democratic voter in Schleicher County, will be allowed to vote at any voting place in said county, provided there is no primary election held in his voting precinct.

For information relative to said election, for any particular precinct, call on the following members of the Democratic Executive Committee; W. F. Ford, of precinct No. 1. Sam E. Jones, of precinct No. 2. R. P. Hinyard of precinct no. 3 and A. Oliver of precinct no. 4.

Joab Campbell,
Ch. Dem. Ex. com. Schleicher Co.

CARD OF THANKS.

Through the columns of this paper we desire to return our warmest thanks to our neighbors and friends and especially those who live near us, for the assistance rendered us during illness and death of our father. May Gods Omnipotent Hand guide you all, all through life.

Jim McKee and family.

We received a card from John Conner the first of this week, and he said he would be at home in a few days. Mr. Conner has been teaching school at Richland Spring for the past several month.

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 firstaturday 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.

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 may 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.

STATEMENT BY W. B. SILLIMAN.

It has come to me through various sources that some parties are persistently putting out the report that I am the author or at least am responsible for the article that appeared in THE SUCCESS concerning the sale of Schleicher County school land. In answer to such report and in order that the people may not be misled by false reports, I desire to say through the columns of THE SUCCESS, that I had nothing what ever to do with the article in question, or with any other editorial in THE SUCCESS.

I have no connection whatever with THE SUCCESS in either its business or editorial management.

Whenever I see fit to lay any matter before the people through its columns, it will be over my own signature. Moreover, the parties who started the report that I wrote the article, know that the report is untrue.

As to the little slurs cast by Judge Whitten at me in his reply, I will answer face to face with the people when opportunity may offer at some public gathering, and when the time comes I want him to remember that he made the first attack.

W. B. Silliman.

SCHLEICHER DIVIDE GETS A SOAKING.

Monday evening another fine rain fell through out all our county, cattlemen and farmers are rejoicing once more. As we predicted last fall there would be a oat crop for those who planted this spring, so this rain will insure oats to mature. Some hail fell Monday but not large enough here in town to do any damage. Schleicher county is the Banner county of the west and if any one could see it now they would think they were in the garden of Eden.

S. I. Nicks one of Schleicher prosperous ranch owners and an old timer, having lived in this section for the past 17 years, and has accumulated a nice snug little sum of money, is going to erect a new home in the West addition of town. This home will cost about \$2,500 when completed, and will be well finished. Mr. Nicks came to this county to live and make a home, and we are proud to have such good substantial citizens from ranches to move in our city and build a nice home.

A. D. McKnight who lives on the Collins ranch, was in the city Monday buying supplies.

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

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

PASSED BEYOND.

One more of Texas Grand Noblemen passed to the sweet beyond Wednesday, April 8 1908, when Mr. McKee the father of our neighbor and countryman Jim McKee, died at the age of 78. Mr. McKee was born in Lexington Ky., in 1830. Moved to Texas at about 22 years of age, he was married at Danley Ky. before coming to Texas. To this union was born 5 children of which all or dead except Jim McKee who lives near our city at who's home the deceased spent his last days. Mr. McKee came to Texas in the early days and landed in Bell county when that county was practically a frontier, he moved from Bell to Bexar county where he lost his wife, after some time he moved to Seguin, Guadalupe county, where he lived for many years, and was married to his second wife here. Here he spent many days with our Grandfather J. L. Cochran who lives at Christoval, Texas. To Mr. McKee and his last wife were born 7 children of which five are still living, two sons at Seguin, one in San Antonio and one son Jessie McKee at Ft. Stockton formerly Editor of the Orzona Kicker, and one daughter Mary Lue Fulcher of Menardville, this daughter was with him during his last hours. Mr. McKee was a man of excellent habits, fine moral character, and study constitution and he continued to be active in his accustomed pursuits still long past the age at which men ordinarily drop out of the ranks of the workers, one remarkable thing he possessed was that he never had to use eye-glasses during his life, as his eye sights never failed him and he had a splendid memory. Mr. McKee moved to Schleicher county about 5 years ago with his son Jim, his remains were laid to rest by his many friends in the Eldorado cemetery Friday at 4 o'clock a. m.

Jim Craig and wife were in from his ranch near Rudd Saturday, they were the guest of Ed Jones and family while in the city.

Born—to H. H. Whitley on the Henderson ranch, on April 13, a daughter. Mother and daughter is doing nicely and Papa got a job nursing.

Cured of Rheumatism.

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Hon. W. B. Silliman returned from the Queen city on Wednesday's stage, they had some trouble in getting their steers to San Angelo.

Charley Hensel was in from the Thomson ranch Thursday and had us enroll his name on the ever growing list of THE SUCCESS.

Will Watson who lives at Christoval and once lived here had us his name as a reader of THE SUCCESS this week also B. G. Hill who lives in the Queenly little city on the Concho listed; may these to old friends of ours be constant readers of THE SUCCESS for many years to come.

J. E. Mills and daughter was in the city Wednesday trading and shaking hands with their friends.

Bud Douglass who is helping on the road at the hill 15 miles north of town dropped in the office Saturday and said that they were doing some nice work on the road.

EUREKA!

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Sam Hill was in the city Friday on business he taken one of the mexicans that were in jail back to his ranch.

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

EDITOR OF THE SUCCESS

GETS A LAMBASTING CALLED AN IGNORAMUS

and Misled by County Judge J. A. Whitten.

Gentlemen and ladies who ever reads this sheet, we ask that you not only read these lines as written but consider the connecting thought. Here is the sale of Schleicher County School Land as told by Hon. F. L. Cozzens, commissioner of precinct one. Court called to order on time previously stated. Purpose of meeting stated by J. A. Whitten, report of E. M. Barbee as to what he thought to be a valuable market price which was \$5 per acre, was received by the court. While the court was considering the matter of selling the 4 leagues of land, One Capt. W. L. Saye of Comanche put in bid for \$5 per acre before the court had decided on what they would do, after this bid was received by the court, J. B. Murrah of San Angelo put in his bid at \$5 65 04 percent, these two bids were as before stated, then R. A. Evans, E. P. Sweatt and M. M. Beavers put in their bid at \$5-75 per acre, at this time the court stopped the bidding until something definite could be decided upon or to what terms the court would sell if they decided to sell at this meeting, and if they sold at this time what would be the fixed price, the court then decided not to accept any bid that did not bear 05 per interest, and adjourned until after dinner. After noon court was called and after some time the court opened up for bids, we believe the bids had run as high as \$6 per acre before dinner but J. A. Whitten told the people that the court would not accept any bid then made and was ready for new bids and all bids must be accompanied with \$2,500 cash or cash and bond. Saye then bid \$6.50 and wanted the court to compel the bidders to furnish one year interest in advance, at this moment J. B. Murrah who had bid on this land before dinner but who stated that he did not think the court should force a bidder to pay all cash but to require a certain amount of cash and a bond for the balance which the court agreed to accept. Then came the bid from Evans, Sweatt, Beavers and E. M. Barbee, (as Mr. Barbee had made a arrangements at noon to go in with the above stated firm, and they agreed a monge themselves to bid as high as \$7.05 provided the Evans terms was accepted) for \$6 50 05 percent 40 years the same as W. L. Saye only they wanted the terms to be \$1,000 cash and a bond for the remaining interest for the first four month which would make the annual payments in November, while Saye's terms was \$6 50 with privilege to pay the whole thing out within five years with same interest as the above firm, then Evans & Co. bid \$6.60 on the same terms and at this time is when J. A. Whitten, Judge Ake and John Jones first claimed they did not understand Evans & Co. bid. Cozzens and Alexander claimed that they both understood their terms. Then the court informed Evans, Sweatt Beavers and Barbee that the court had decided not to take less than \$7 per acre for this land, which Evans & Co. refused to give as they considered they had in the highest bid, then the court sent Sheriff Murrah after W. L. Saye to see what he would do: upon the arrival of Mr. Saye Judge Whitten told him the court had decided not to take less than \$7 per acre for this land, and he Mr. Saye said he didn't want it at that price, then Judge Whitten informed Mr. Saye that his bid had been raised Evans & Co. 10 cents on the bid, (this we learned from Mr. Cozzens since our first publication it was done just to prize Mr. Saye to a higher price but a man got outside as was I only a

listener would conceive from the proceeding of the court that Evans & Co. had in the highest bid as the Judge told Saye his bid had been raised from \$6 50 to \$6 60 by said Evans & Co.) Mr. Saye then thanked the gentlemen who raised his bid and left the court room, and soon after others left as the price had been fixed by the court at \$7, but had not been offered. But the court resented their actions and sent after Saye and sold him the land at \$6.50. The above was told me by Hon. F. L. Cozzens and read to him before published and is a true and correct statement.

Now kind readers we want to call attention to the article published in the last issue of THE SUCCESS written by County Judge J. A. Whitten and contains some very misleading thought.

First, Judge Whitten says he doesn't remember having a conversation in the evening after sale of this land with the Editor of this little ignorant sheet, but futher admits that what the Editor said, he said was true.

Second, Judge Whitten admits that he told Capt. W. L. Saye when he was here on March 11th to come back on March 25th, but he didn't tell how come him here on March 11th, and it a fact people that Judge Whitten told Mr. Saye as to the meeting of the call term of court before he told the commissioners and probably any of them, and we would like to know how many Schleicher county men he told if any before the court met. Now as to how J. B. Murrah and Lee Martin found out this land would probably be sold we will tell the readers of this little "ignorant sheet" just as Sheriff Murrah told us. Mr. J. B. Murrah was in our city after the court had decided to send E. M. Barbee to see this land and he asked Dan his brother if he could give him any idea as to when the court would probably meet, stating that he wanted to bid on this land and here is what our sheriff told him, he said J. B. If you want to bid on that land, you had better go at once and look at it for their intent any telling when the court will meet, and when they do meet I think they will sell, J. B. says well I will go and look at it and when you find out just when the court will meet you wire me at my expense, if I am in the State of Tex. I will come for I want to bid on this land, so he went to see the land, and the next time he and our sheriff met was a few days previous to the 25th of March, in San Angelo when J. B. asked Dan our sheriff if he had ever found out the time for the meeting of the court, Dan said no, but told him to phone Whitten at once as he thought it would be pretty soon. So Murrah phoned Whitten then and found out the date. Mr. Dan Murrah also told Lee Martin.

Third, The Judge admits that Evans & Co. offered to pay 4 months lease in advance whether it was all cash are part bonds, it doesn't matter, this 4 months lease was to be paid in advance which according to Evans & Co. terms would make the annual payment due in November, and under these terms the court did accept bids, and made W. L. Saye raise a bid except the last one, when part of the court claimed they did not understand Evans & Co. terms, Evans & Co. object was to make the annual leases due in November so as to give the farmers who they sold to, time to gather their crops and sell same to make their annual payments. At the 1st of November Evans & Co. was to pay a year interest in advance.

Fourth, Judge Whitten admits that Capt. Saye did bring a deed

with him and that this deed had been used in contracting with Mr. Saye, and that this deed had been passed on by the best lawyers in Texas. We will state here that W. B. Silliman was asked to pass upon the deed, his reply was, I will if W. F. Ford will assist me, these two gentlemen did take the deed of Mr. Saye and change many parts of it and we presume the one Silliman and Ford drew was the one that was recorded. The deed brought by Mr. Saye had been passed upon by good lawyers but not just as he had copied it until Silliman and Ford passed upon it.

THE BUYERS DID COME.

Fifth, The buyers did come and did buy the land, so says the "all wise Judge." Who were the buyers at last, and what show did they have. J. B. Murrah, one of them, was knocked out of bidding because his bid only carried 04 percent, Evans & Co. knocked out at the 11th hour by part of this court not understanding their terms. Capt. Saye the man who is said to be representing a railroad cooperation with out opposition "did buy the land."

SIGNED UNDER OATH.

Sixth, Its not a matter of law dear readers, wether this court signed this deed under oath or just acknowledged to it. The County Clerk who swore them says they raised their hands while he said, will you swear to the facts set fourth ***, he says they sure swore to it.

INSIDE TRACK.

Seventh, "The all wise Judge" says that Saye did not have the inside track and who ever says he did tells a flatfooted falsehood. This we believe is a pretty bad falsehood and especially if the foot had not recently been washed. But to show the people our reason for saying what we did in our issue of April 3 we will call your attention to these facts, that Capt. Saye found out from the "all wise Judge" the time set for this call term of court before part of the commissioners did, he also was informed as to the time Mr. Barbee was to go and look at this land, or else he just happened to go to see the land on the same day, it seems to us though "ignorant we are", that Mr. Saye got on to this land deal even before his first trip to Eldorado. How many days before this court met did R. A. Evans, W. L. McWhorter, W. F. Ford, M. B. McKnight, T. L. Benson, I. H. Elder or and body that belongs to the click or gang found out when the court would meet. People we do not say that Saye had the inside track, for if

we did we would be a liar according to the "all wise Judge" statement, but people, we ask you to inquire into the real facts of this, before you brand the Editor of this little "ignoramus sheet" a liar.

AFTER MY SCALP.

Now kind readers take the meaning of these words, "its my scalp that they are after," this statement made by Judge Whitten, in last week issue of THE SUCCESS we will denounce as being absolutely false without foundation, as Judge J. A. Whitten knows as well as the one who writes this article that its not in our minds nor has never been in our minds to scalp him. This kind of treatment left Texas with the Indians.

THE GANG OR CLICK.

Now readers bear in mind that the "all wise Judge" has informed the people that there is a gang and click in this county in which he innuendates that THE SUCCESS Editor is a member. The only time we remember being in a gang is when a gang of men was trying to petition the Commissioners court to appropriate something like \$2,500 out of the road and bridge fund of this county to be spent in repairing the county roads, but the "all wise Judge" and the people, set down on the gang. This gang was composed of 152 members and counting two of the commissioners, Alexander and Cozzens with the gang, a 1 who had a chance to join the gang did so with the exception of two. Now the commissioners was divided on this proposition, two and two, so it was up to the "all wise Judge" either to go with this gang or click or stay with the (two) people and he stayed with the people.

Every Ready With Advice Silliman.

Well—well—well—we will just leave this for Silliman, as the "all wise Judge" and Silliman fight is not ours.

OUR IGNORANCE.

Now readers the "all wise Judge" did not have to tell the people of this Editor ignorance for all who read THE SUCCESS can see it, but here is our answer to that as the old saying is: "The pot calling the kettle black." Now to those who read the article which was published in issue of April 3 we wish to say, that we did not criticise Judge Whitten any more than we did the balance of the court, nor do we consider him the commissioners court, and we call the readers attention to the fact that he says, "I would never consent for this land to sell until it brought \$6 per acre. Now

readers the people should know that the Judge is not the court, and has no say unless the vote is a tie between the commissioners, he is to furnish law for them when they need it, and preside over the commissioners while in session. Now kind readers if we did publish any thing misleading about the court in our first issue by not understanding the court intention the "all wise Judge" should not have taken it all upon his self as he is a very small portion of the court.

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Sam Hill was in the city Friday on business he taken one of the Mexicans that were in jail back to his ranch.

F. L. Cozzens and Nick Hudgins returned from the Meador ranch Saturday, where they had been putting up a Samson windmill for Mr. Meador, Mr. Meador aims to keep water this summer.

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COURT CONVENES.

DISTRICT COURT—Meets Fourth Monday in April and November.
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