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Odell Will Probably Arrange For Community Fair

If Plans Materialize, Date for Event Will Likely be Set For Next Month

At a date next month a few days preceding that of the Wilbarger County Fair, business men and citizens of Odell are planning to observe a day here something along the order of a Community Fair. Full details and all final arrangements will be perfected by the Odell Commercial Club at its next regular meeting, which is Monday night September 11th.

If plans for proposed Community Fair is carried out according to the desire of those here who are talking and boosting the movement, premiums will be offered for the best agricultural exhibits and that of livestock.

It is the belief of a number in this section of the County that the Odell country's agricultural exhibits ought to rank first among those placed at the County Fair next month and for that reason it is their desire that this country be represented.

Should the Community Fair arrangements materialize, steps will be taken at a near date to advertise Odell's Fair at different sections of the country, by a "booster bunch" probably going from here and giving it publicity.

J. P. Tate has been hauling out lumber to his farm this week where he is doing some improvement work.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Sunday, September 3 1916
Scripture Lesson, John 21: 15-18—by Mamie Hardin.
Helping Introduction—by leader, Joe Mitchell.
The New Convert Needs Fellowship—by Nettie Thompson.
The New Convert Needs Watch care—by Annie Mae Shelton.
The New Convert Needs Encouragement—by Dawson Beach.
The New Convert Needs Instruction—by Mrs. Mason.
The New Convert Needs Work—by Mrs. Wolfe.
The New Convert Needs Training—by Abbie Starr.
Our B. Y. P. U. and the New Converts in Our Church—by Bro Beach.
Song.
Benediction.

Accidentally Shot Himself

Frank Gearhart, who is making home with his brother Mike Gearhart and wife, who live a short distance from town, accidentally shot himself last Saturday morning while out hunting. He was returning home and was within a short distance of the house when the gun accidentally fired, sending a load of shot through his right foot and inflicting a bad wound. The assistance of local physicians was immediately summoned and Frank is resting as well as could be expected at this writing. Two toes from the wounded foot were amputated by the doctors in their treatment.

We are sorry to report the baby child of Mr and Mrs. S. B. Sutton, which has been sick for the past week or more, not doing so well.

District Court to Convene at Vernon Next Mon.

List of Grand And Pettit Jurors For Fall Term of Court Given

The regular fall term of the Forty-sixth district court will convene in Vernon Monday September 4th, and the following list of grand and petit jurors have been summoned to appear.

Grand jury—Rex Boyd, A. C. Vaughn, R. B. Judd, T. B. Bourland, C. C. Hawley, S. T. Reeder, K. C. Barkley, M. A. Byars, E. L. McHugh, C. E. Basham, S. W. McLarty, W. T. Collins, S. E. Swim, C. S. Smith, O. L. Sharp, Ira Showers.

Petit jury, first week—J. P. Ayers, H. B. Atkins, C. A. Ashley, W. O. Anderson, R. F. Box, W. P. Banta, E. A. Birch, J. G. Bryant, B. S. King, R. L. Castleberry, J. L. Clark, J. A. Carney, Dan Coffey, Ira Skinner, R. P. Cooper, J. R. L. Merideth, C. C. Cox, Sam Lain, S. I. Davenport, Adam Donges, Tom Summerour, J. T. Dyer, J. D. Denny, G. P. Daniels, J. M. Edwards, C. V. Ford, Frank Farley, J. D. Liles.

Petit jury, second week—A. C. Boger, Bailey Swartwood, Guy Puckett, J. R. Ross, L. W. Ray, T. H. Richards, Willis Vaughn, Will Henderson, C. W. Taylor, G. S. Upshaw, H. I. Tucker, M. D. Rhoads, Lige Bourland, Dewey Wilson, J. M. White, W. W. Wright, Pat Nix, J. F. Hardison, A. F. Hope, T. R. Cooper, N. R. Heath, Joe Hackworth, Guy Ham, W. H. Hughes, J. C. Hicks, V. O. Morris, Will Evans, W. D. McElroy, T. J. McGill, and D. D. McCroskey.

Petit jury, third week—S. F. Clark, W. B. Castleberry, Albert Simmons, T. C. Clement, J. A. McClure, Seth McGill, Charlie Neal, S. A. Taylor, John Neibruegge, H. W. Norwood, T. J. Youngblood, J. A. Puckett, S. L. Page, J. H. Petit, W. R. Piper, J. N. Parsley, Mell Pickens, A. P. Pate, E. M. Powell, S. R. Pinkston, H. M. King, Chris Krebs, W. F. Key, Ernest Hampton, T. R. Baker, T. W. Lester, E. L. Ladd, A. J. Liles, W. J. May, G. C. Morris, Dave Mason, H. F. McKibbins, S. L. Mallow, C. A. Muller, W. P. Martin and W. D. Hale.

Petit jury, fourth week—Harold Smith, J. R. Renfro, Robert Keyes, R. S. McConihe, W. E. Clark, J. W. Jordon, Tom Conger, W. C. Johnson, W. W. Bennett, W. W. Gilbert, Clyde Watts, J. A. Napier, O. T. Nix, J. W. Oller, J. T. Oats, J. A. O'Neal, D. C. Matthews, R. L. More, J. Minarik, F. L. Massie, A. H. Murchison, E. P. Hicks, L. T. Mansel, J. E. Mears, J. R. Messick, J. T. Murphey, W. P. Martin, W. L. Moseley, John Y. Scott, C. T. Smith, Daniel Bond, W. L. Smith, Harry Stalcup, J. D. Summerour, R. B. Sherrill, Cy Long.

Miss Grace Godby of near Doans is visiting her sister Mrs. W. H. Britton.

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Local Merchant Considering Military Examination

C. E. Foster Requested to be Examined For Captain of Reserve Corps

C. E. Foster local business man, received a communication from military quarters at Washington, D. C. this week, asking him to go and be examined for a commission as Captain in the Officers Reserve Corps.

Mr. Foster at this time is yet undecided about the proposition, but says he will likely go to San Antonio some time soon where he will take the examination for the position.

Considering the fact that Mr. Foster has had considerable military experience, as he was one of the enlistments through the Spanish American war and spent several weeks in the Citizens Training Camp at San Antonio this summer, should he decide to apply more of his time to military duty, the proposed examination for a Commission in the Reserve Corps, no doubt would be an easy one for him.

Socialist Lady to Lecture

The Reporter has been requested to announce that Mrs. Mary Klue, a Socialist lady lecturer with quite a reputation in the party she represents, will lecture at the local school auditorium Friday night.

Mrs. Klue's subject will be, for her date at Odell, "White Slave Traffic." An invitation is extended to everybody to go out and hear her.

Wilbarger County Gives Culberson Majority Vote

Odell Gives Colquitt The Defeated Candidate a Majority Both Elections

Considerable interest was manifested here in the Senatorial Primary held over the State last Saturday, in which election O. B. Colquitt and Charles A. Culberson were candidates for United Senate.

While the total votes polled for the Senatorial candidates was not as heavy here as in the first Primary, yet there was much enthusiasm expressed in Odell as over the entire County.

Out of 136 votes polled here, Colquitt received 83 and Culberson 53. In the first Primary election, at which time there were six candidates in the field for the Senatorial toga, Colquitt received 79 votes and Culberson 6, Odell box giving Colquitt a majority vote in both elections.

In Wilbarger County there were 1262 votes polled Saturday for the Senatorial candidates. Of the amount, Culberson received 742 vote and Colquitt 520, the County giving Culberson a majority of 222 votes.

John Taylor and wife and Miss Ida Cotham returned Friday from a visit at Omaha, Texas. They were accompanied home by Misses Richie and Towles, the latter being Mrs. Taylor's sister.

A. S. Ross and wife and Shannon Smith were here from Vernon Tuesday to visit relatives.

J. P. Hamilton, J. G. Ayers and J. A. Jones R. N. Coffey
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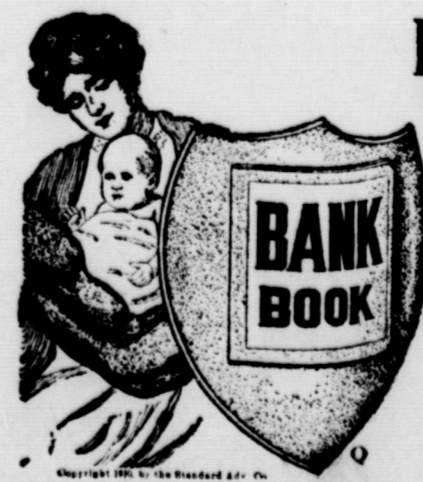
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For Sheriff:

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For Public Weigher of County:

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For County Superintendent:

L. A. HOLLAR

For County Judge:

E. L. MCHUGH

For County Treasurer:

R. W. WALKER

For District Clerk:

C. A. RICHIE

For County Attorney:

S. A. L. MORGAN

For Commissioner Precinct Number 3:

C. G. THOMPSON

For Public Weigher of Odell, Precinct No. 10:

W. W. MATTHEWS

Well, it was Culberson.

Owing to the three weeks or more of dry weather, the Reporter is ready to admit that the cotton crop in this part of the county does not look as promising as it did sometime back, but with all this, the traveling public say, the fleecy staple crop in our community is the best they have seen anywhere.

Odell is now on the verge of her fall business, which is always the busiest part of the year with us, as well as with all other towns in this western country. The business men of this place should leave nothing undone to encourage trade from Oklahoma, for as usually the case those farmers in that country put lots of their cotton on the market here.

Judging from reports that have reached us this year from different cotton growing sections of the South, the cotton crop will undoubtedly be light this year. But why should we worry? For at the price cotton is selling at today, it will mean an equalization of all things in the windup. A short cotton crop at a good price, usually puts as much money in the hands of the farmer, as a big crop at a low price.

A number of exchange papers come to the Reporter office and nearly all of these papers are la-

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Peter Radford

ON GOVERNMENT BY SELFISHNESS.



Ever since the serpent in the Garden of Eden turned Hell loose on earth mankind has been ruled by emotions, good or evil—mostly evil. Trace the human race from the time history raises the curtain upon mankind to the present hour of extreme peril and we will find the frailties of human nature struggling for the mastery, and greed, properly restrained, the motive power that has moved civilization to its towering height and unrestrained, has hurled government to destruction and mankind to barbarism. Visit the cemeteries of civilization and we find written upon the time-stained monument of Egypt, pride; Macedonia, ambition; Persia, conceit; Rome, conquest; Greece, envy; and upon the tombstone that marks the newly-made grave of the past generation, selfishness, and in this age we are chiseling as our epitaph, organized selfishness.

The peril of this nation today is organized selfishness. The individual has been swallowed up in organization and the unit of government has shifted from the citizen to class and in the transition we have lost many of the elemental virtues of the human race and developed many of the traits of the beast. Organized selfishness is leading civilization from divinity to the dens of animals. Classes, clans and sections tear at each other with the ferocity of savages and seek to disembowel and disintegrate government that dares to limit class liberty. Self-restraint is being driven from society; honesty has become a viewpoint and might a predominating factor in right. Patriotism never suffered more from commercial paralysis than at the present hour. There never was a time in the history of the human race when creature comfort was at a higher premium or the ideals of human success more primitive than at present, for organizations that are swung around selfishness, call into action only such emotions as are felt by animals that roam the forest and selfishness suppresses the nobler qualities of human life. The squirrel that gathers a bountiful supply of nuts to its den is thrifty but it makes no contribution to society; the fox that outwits its neighbor has great ability but it has never helped others; the lion whose roar makes the animal kingdom tremble has great powers but has never used it to uplift civilization; the cannibal clans have fought desperate battles for supremacy but victory ended with the flesh pot.

Man is an animal and government should encourage and protect him in indulging every emotion that moves the heart of a beast but when a flash of divinity lit his soul, God Almighty expected something more of him than animal activity. He ought to try to do something an animal can't do. A voice should call him to nobler deeds. In society, place his fellowmen above self or class and in government "citizenship first."

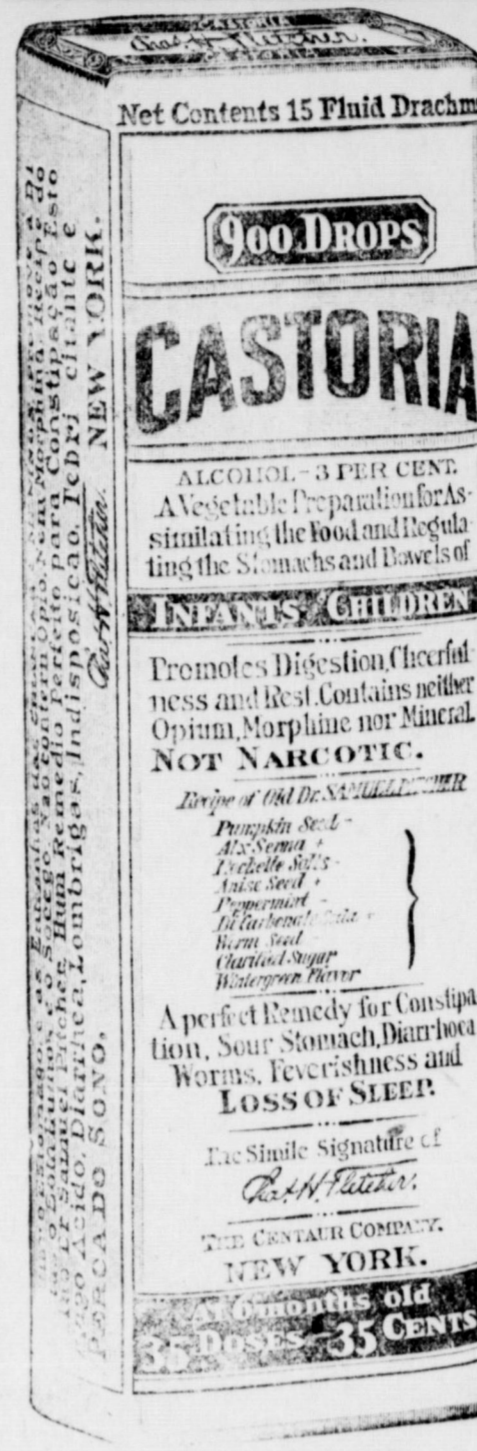
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Now as both Primary elections are over and there will not likely be anything come up for awhile at least, to give cause for heated discussions in politics, those here who have been taking such an interest in who should represent them in the Senate Chamber at Washington, should now turn their attention to home affairs and look after Odell's interest in various ways. While the Reporter has always contended that every citizen ought to take enough interest in Governmental affairs to read, listen and discuss matters in order to vote intelligently. But at the sametime, it is an evident fact, that our local affairs is of more real importance to us, than what Culberson may do for us at Washington or what Colquitt might have done.

A lot of our exchanges are now coming out with a "bum" print. This makes us feel better. The Post has been looking like an amateur had had hold of the presses for the past few weeks. We knew what the trouble was but did not care to explain. Since we see other papers that always

have a good print—coming out in the same manner we have no hesitancy in saying that it is the grade of ink we are getting. I seems that the war has raised the price of everything about double—even to lamp black, and they are putting off a bum grade on us at that. We will certainly be glad when this war trouble is over. Perhaps the manufacturers can't find another excuse for raising the price on everything. —Paducah Post.

Considerable talk is now being heard among different business men of the town, with reference to applying oil on main street in order to check the dust that arises, which dust accumulates by so much traffic over the passway. The sandy and broken condition of this street was done away with to some extent, when the coat of clay was recently applied, but the question that we have now to meet, is how to keep the street in a firm and unbroken condition and keep down the dust. A number here who are acquainted with different places where crude oil has been applied on drive ways and streets as a dust preventor, say, that oil will go a long ways. So considering the judgement of these men, if the business men here intend to do anything further toward the preservation of main street, it seems to the Reporter to apply oil would be the cheapest and most logical way. And should we undertake the movement the Reporter believes it is one proposition in the way of public improvement that every business house on the street should be interested in. Not merely stopping by giving their approval for the work to be done, but by putting their shoulders to the wheel and help by financing the work.



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Country Correspondence
Local News From Various Neigh-
borhoods Around Odell



Sherwood Items

Miss Josie Morris is visiting Miss Annie Davis.

Miss Viola Burns spent Sunday night with Miss Annie Davis.

Miss Sally Mae Sherrill visited Miss Ira Davis Sunday.

Dewey and Ruby Maroney spent Friday night with S. C. Martin and family of Red River.

Miss Tiny Killeit spent Thursday night with H. A. Ross and family.

Miss Joyce Sears is visiting her uncle H. A. Ross and family this week.

Several in our community went to the baptising at Maple Hill Sunday afternoon.

W. F. Bell and family visited A. C. Davis and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Robie, who has been visiting J. W. Umbarger and family left Tuesday for her home in Quanah.

(Last week's news)

David Burns spent Monday night with Claude Davis.

Miss Maude Ammons and Shelton Shaw spent Sunday with Miss Thelma Mason of Fargo.

Miss Viola Burns spent Monday night with Misses Annie and Ira Davis.

The Fargo Baptist meeting closed last Sunday night with a good success.

Misses Ira Davis and Tina Killeit took dinner with Mrs. L. G. Hamilton Sunday.

Mrs. Roby of Quanah is visiting J. W. Umbarger and family this week.

Bro. Doss and wife spent Saturday night with L. G. Hamilton and wife.

Everyone in our community would appreciate a good rain at present.

The Pleasant Valley Chapel meeting began Sunday August 27. Everybody is invited to attend.

A large crowd attended the baptising at Mr. Cannon's tank. There were fourteen candidate baptized.

A. C. Davis and wife and son Claude, also Miss Annie Davis attended meeting at Big Valley this week.

Read the Reporter 1 year.

Maple Hill News

Hal Olive and family are visiting relatives in Foard County.

We had a nice shower here Sunday morning but crops are needing a good rain.

A. B. Hughes left Thursday to attend the Primitive Baptist Association at Bowie.

Joe Hackworth of Vernon spent Sunday with W. H. Armstrong and family.

Miss Euna Killingsworth and Lloyd Bell attended church at Odell Saturday night.

Miss Flora January spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Willie Phillips.

Miss Mary Priddy has returned home from a visit to her sister Mrs. Frank Sanders and family of Wellington.

Buford McDougal and sister Miss Clara and Manford Flowers spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Lola Humphrys.

S. E. Humphrys and family, W. R. Phillips, wife and three children visited S. Humphrys and family Sunday.

Miss Irma Hughes, of Odell, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Etta and Mary Priddy.

Fargo News

J. Stafford is visiting relatives in Kansas.

D. L. Green is attending to business in this section.

John Miller and family visited J. L. Hall and family Sunday.

Julius Ketchersid and wife took dinner Sunday with J. B. Swanson and family.

J. F. Richardson and family also Miss Irma Richardson left Monday morning for Lugart Oklahoma.

Misses Minnie Shuman of Bugscuffle and Mary Owens taken dinner Sunday with Miss Bessie Simmons.

The Christian meeting which is being conducted by Elder Mansfield is progressing nicely, having 32 additions up to this writing.

Mrs. Iyell and children of Hico, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. B. L. Graham and family, left Tuesday for her home, her father, Grandpa Yourie returning with her.

J. B. Bolton, J. E. Meek, S. E. Meek and Eve Bellman returned home Monday morning from Bowie where they had been attending a Primitive Baptist Association.

The Outlook For Cotton

The last report of the Bureau of Statistics, United States department of Agriculture, shows considerable deterioration in the forecast for 1916. The forecast is for a crop of 12,916,000 bales weighing 500 each. On June 25 the forecast was 14,266,000 bales. It will be seen that the present outlook is less promising than a month ago by 1,350,000 bales.

Drought in many localities, with floods in others, accounts for the less promising yield at this time. The cotton belt east of the Mississippi is much less favorable for a cotton crop than the Southwest. In fact, the Southwestern states in most instances make a better average than other states except California.

—Farm And Ranch

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BACK TO THE CONSTITUTION

COURTS HAVE CIVILIZATION BY THE THROAT.

Chairman of Economic League Charges Government With Tyranny.

By J. S. Cullinan.

As I see it, the courts have civilization by the throat today just as the churches had it a few centuries ago, which reached its climax with the Spanish Inquisition. Fortunately for the civilization of that day many religious leaders looked with alarm upon the clergy clad in robes of State, legally censoring divine rights of men, and who were authorized by law to deprive any person of their life, liberty or honor. The capable element of the clergy more than any other influence assisted in removing their high priests from the bench to the pulpit, and stopped the legal holocaust of human life that shames the pages of history.

Happily for our welfare today there are many good citizens who seriously doubt the wisdom of government making honest and necessary business transactions a crime, and many capable members of the legal profession who look with alarm upon a lawyer clothed with power of State having authority to legally lynch honest property or illegally protect criminal property. Such concentration of power was never contemplated under our form of government, and it is un-American, unwise and destructive to organized society. To force honest property to confess guilt, and permit criminal property to escape punishment, reverses the genius of American government.

It is not the mission of the League to legally fix responsibility between the law and the Administration of the law, but the citizen has a contract with government for life, liberty and justice, and it is the right and the duty of the citizen to say when government crosses the border line and trespasses upon his Constitutional rights as they are—not as public officials interpret them. The citizen—not the office holder—is the one to say when government violates its pledge to the people. In the name of the Texas Economic League I this day charge that government is guilty of tyranny, injustice, favoritism and incompetency in its relation to productive industry. We shall not at the moment undertake to separate responsibility as between the Legislative, Administrative and Judicial branches of government, but the man who leads a legal mob is a worse criminal than he who leads an illegal one, and deserves more severe punishment, no matter to what department of government he belongs. 37-a

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Locals and Personals

Carl Wynn has returned home from Dallas County.

S. A. Jeffcoat was noted in town Wednesday.

John Moore was in town Tuesday after lumber to build sheds out at his farm.

W. W. Jackson of near Vernon was attending to business in Odell Wednesday.

Dr. A. C. Daniel, R. T. Dooley, R. N. Coffey and H. C. Dooley were Vernon visitors Monday.

W. T. Collins and W. P. Starr were at Quanah Tuesday on business.

C. G. Thompson and family have returned home from a visit in Oklahoma.

Miss Lizzie Bryant left for Sweetwater Saturday night her future home.

Mrs. T. H. Holloway is the owner of a new Studebaker car she recently purchased.

Mrs. Wright has returned to her home at Dublin after an extended visit with her sister Mrs. W. T. Collins.

Elder Fisher, pastor of the local Primitive Baptist Church, closed a three day meeting at the church Sunday.

The young people of Odell and country surrounding enjoyed a singing at Mr and Mrs I. M. Eulcher's Sunday night.

C. D. Shelton made a business trip to Fort Worth last week and returned with a big Chalmers Car he bought while there.

C. D. Hart and family, Sidney West and two sisters, Misses Novie and Noddie Belle left Tuesday in their car for a visit on the Plains country.

P. H. Bingham and family returned Friday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis at Fort Sumner New Mexico and relatives at Silverton Texas.

T. J. Watson and family returned Friday from Morris County where they spent several days visiting relatives. They were accompanied home by the former's niece, Miss Cook.

Miss Eunice Turner arrived this morning from Whitewright for a few days visit with her brother, H. B. Turner and family before going to Goodlett to take charge of a school.

The following Odell parties spent Tuesday on Grosbeck fishing: N. B. Bucy and wife, G. W. Bucy and family, C. E. Foster and family, W. B. Bucy and family, Misses Alma Beach, Effie Kendall, and Messrs. Buron and Arthur Vassey.



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DEAR LUCILE:-

I regreted very much that you couldn't be at the entertainment given by the Ladies' Aid Society last Wednesday evening. We had a most enjoyable time. Hubby says the refreshments were the finest that ever came his way. We had Ham sandwiches, ice cream, cookies, punch, cocoa and coffee. They were prepared to a queen's taste, and, as hubby says, "they taste good yet."

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H. A. Ross, J. A. Ammons and F. E. Shaw, trustees of the Sherwood School, are in Odell figuring with the manager of the local lumber yard for material to build a new schoolhouse.

Rev. R. E. Burns is conducting a revival meeting at the Pleasant Valley Chapel. The revival we understand will close last of the week and Rev. Burns will commence a meeting here Sunday.

FOR SALE—A good 143 acre farm adjoining Odell townsite, with good improvements, two sets of houses, 1-4 acre in alfalfa. Terms to suit purchaser. See or write Mrs. L. E. Britton Odell, Texas.

T. B. Priddy returned Sunday from Dawson County, where he bought 320 acres of land in that country near Lamesa. Mr. Priddy is now advertising his farm in this country for sale and contemplates moving to his new home some time next spring. Read his ad in this issue of the Reporter.

M. A. Smith and family left this week for their future home in Terry County. Mr. Smith leaving Monday by rail with household goods and the remainder of the family leaving Tuesday overland in their car. Their many friends in Odell wish for them prosperity at their new location.

A Nice Shower

Just before the Reporter went to press today a nice shower of rain fell and indications are good that more rain will follow.

This immediate section was favored with a nice shower Sunday, which proved a great help toward cooling the atmosphere and benefiting cotton crops.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Plainview Items

The health of this community is fine.

Thomas Cannon spent Saturday night with Willie Grimes.

We had a very nice shower of rain Sunday morning which revived cotton and late feed.

Cass Crutchfield took the train Sunday night for Prisdio Texas where he is on guard duty.

Home Henry and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Z. M. Crutchfield and family.

Misses Nora and Florence Collier took dinner with Miss Mary Ellen Crutchfield Sunday.

Willie Hart and wife, of Odell, visited the latter's father A. M. Hilliard last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Scott also Mr. and Mrs. Fed Tooley spent Sunday afternoon with their parents A. M. Lanham and wife.

Carpenters who have been at work building a large corn crib on J. G. Ayers' farm here, have their work about complete.

Miss Nora Horn, who has been visiting Miss Clara Horn and attending meeting here, returned to her home near Chillicothe Saturday.

Mrs. Lena McBee and little daughter Edith of Altus, Oklahoma, visited her aunts Mrs. W. M. Riddle and Mrs. Horn here the past week.

The revival that has been going on here this week conducted by Rev. Darnall has been largely attended, had fine sermons and excellent behavior.

Walter Riddle and family moved to Chillicothe last week where he intends working in a Garage with the Wofford brothers, and be near a good school. We regret losing our good neighbors, but wish for them success.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

has not affected our job printing prices. We're still doing commercial work of all kinds at prices satisfactory to you.

Mrs. Ella Watson and daughter Miss Onie, returned to their home in Kaufman County this week, after completing a month's visit with Z. M. Wilson and family.

To Rural Telephone Subscribers

You are hereby notified that your Telephone dues for the past 3 months will be due September 1. Please take notice of this and come in and settle. Further you are requested to repair your boxes and lines as in this way we will together be able to get better service.

Odell Telephone Exchange,
J. D. Belcher, Mgr.

Odell School Announcement

A subscription school will begin in the public school building next Monday, September 4. If attendance justify the school will continue until the free school begins, which is Oct., 30, thus giving two months of pay school. The subscription price per month is as follows: for the 1 and 2 grades \$1.50; for the 3 and 4 grades \$2.00; for the 5 and 6 grades \$2.50, and for the 7, 8, 9, 10, grades \$3.00 payable in advance or arranged for personally. Thos. J. Doss, Prin. (Advertisement)

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Offers courses of training which will fit your son or daughter for positions of usefulness, responsibility and power in the industrial world. The school has a strong faculty of professionally trained teachers from the better Universities and colleges who demand efficiency in every department of work

COURSES OF STUDY

While the school emphasizes the fundamentals of an education and maintains Primary and Intermediate departments, it offers High School, Teacher-Training and College Courses.

COLLEGE DEPARTMENT

Beginning with the opening of next session the school will offer a full two year's College Course which will give it the rank of Junior College. This work in addition to High School mathematics will include College Algebra, Spherical Trigonometry, Surveying, Navigation, Analytical Geometry. Sciences will include Advanced Physiology, Astronomy, Chemistry, Geology, Physics, and Zoology. History and Literature will each be equally as comprehensive. Latin and Spanish are the languages offered. Students are permitted to select their own courses and are privileged to progress as rapidly as they are capable of doing. This enables them to complete their work in the shortest time possible.

GRADUATION

All pupils who complete 15 units of High School or College work will be granted diplomas of graduation. A class of 5 received diplomas last session and 203 were enrolled. Twenty three pupils attended by means of automobile, coming from 5 to 15 miles daily, and 20 were boarders.

EXPENSES

Board can be obtained from \$15.00 to \$20.00 per month. Tuition is due in advance at the following rates: Beginners, \$5.00 per quarter of 2 1-2 months, or \$2.50 per month if not paid quarterly. Intermediates, \$9.00 per quarter of 2 1-2 months, or \$4.00 per month, if not paid quarterly. Advanced grades \$12.50 per quarter of 2 1-2 months, or \$5.50 if not paid quarterly. College Department, \$18.75 per quarter of 2 1-2 months. Next session will open Monday, September 4th. For information, address the principal,

E. F. HOLCOMB, A. B.
Vernon, Texas.