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PERSONAL LOCALS

J. B. Lowe was here on business last Saturday.

Emma and Clifton Baker were shopping in Doucette Wednesday.

T. S. McGraw of Fred was a business visitor in the city Thursday.

J. D. Goolsbee of Chester was a business visitor here last Saturday.

Judge Tom F. Coleman was in Beaumont last Saturday on business.

W. E. Adams was in Kountze Friday of last week, on legal business.

J. D. Wickline and Cooper Young motored to Jasper last Friday.

Reginald Geisendorff has returned home to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Louise Cline of Bryan is the guest of Mrs. Annie Stryker this week.

Miss Dittie McNeil of Warren was a visitor in the city Saturday and Sunday.

S. W. Sholars, Jr., representative elect, was in Beaumont last week on business.

W. A. Barnes went to Chester Sunday to see his father who was reported very sick.

Ray Stewart went to Benford Sunday to visit his sister, Mrs. C. W. Evans, for a few days, returning Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Nancy Crosby and sister, Miss Mollie Howden came Thursday to visit home folks.

Miss Mary Barclay, who has been spending some time at Corpus Christi and other points, returned home Wednesday.

Judge W. A. Johnson was in Houston last week on business and also visited his brother, Dr. J. C. Johnson at Richmond.

Misses Allie and Esta Hooks of Kountze returned home Tuesday after spending a few days visiting Lewis Seale and sister.

Mrs. Duke and daughter, Theima, of Crowley, La., came Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Abbott.

Mrs. N. M. Vaughan of Lancaster, Texas, arrived Tuesday and will spend several days visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mary A. Davis, and sister, Mrs. Jimmie Hayes.

W. A. Barnes left Thursday evening in response to a telegram that his father, A. M. Barnes, was enroute to a Houston hospital via Corrigan.

Miss Kate Roberts returned to her home at Donna, after spending several weeks visiting relatives and friends. She was accompanied on her return by Miss Inez Wickline.

A. F. Owens of Smith Ferry was here the first of the week attending court and called at the Messenger office Tuesday and set his paper ahead a year.

John Alexander of Fort Arthur has been visiting his wife's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Corlino, and spending some time fishing and hunting with friends.

The Messenger office is in receipt of an agricultural bulletin, sweet potato curing in Texas, which can be had free by writing to the Commissioner of Agriculture, Austin, Texas. This bulletin should prove of value to our farmers, as it treats on the culture and curing of sweet potatoes, after improve methods.

Mrs. S. H. Reid and son Royce and daughter, Eloiza, Mrs. G. W. Hopsen and daughter, Georgia, Lela and Mrs. Averet motored to Sunny Dell last Saturday in the interest of the Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church. Mrs. Hopsen read a report of the work of the Ladies' Aid of last year. Mrs. Averett made a talk on the Ladies' Aid, its purpose, work and accomplishments.

Pope's Mill News

W. J. Read has accepted a position at Palestine, Texas.

J. P. Collier made a business trip to Warren Saturday.

J. P. Collier was a business visitor to Saratoga last week.

Wiley M. Pope, Jr. made a business trip to Hillister Monday.

Wiley M. Pope, Jr. made a business trip to Woodville Friday.

C. M. Williams of Town Bluff was a pleasant visitor here Sunday.

Wiley M. Pope, Jr. called on Miss Edyth Gardner at Fort Lindsey Sunday.

Miss Annie Neely is visiting her sister, Mrs. Marshall, at Colmesneil this week.

In District Court

The August term of the District court convened here Monday at 10 o'clock p. m., Judge A. E. Davis presiding and District Attorney W. R. Blackshear and County Stenographer R. Blake present. Visiting attorneys present were: Jos W. Thomas of Lufkin, John G. Logue of Houston, and C. D. Ferguson of Newton.

Grand jurors empaneled as follows: G. W. Allison, foreman; S. H. Reid, J. B. Jackson, S. P. Dean, W. H. Lewis, J. B. Pedigo, W. Richey, W. R. Gregory, Oscar Hooks, A. P. Swearingen, C. L. Wooley and J. F. Sturrock.

Door bailiff, Ed Pope.

The petit jury for the week was empaneled and excused until 4 o'clock in order the court to hear an injunction suit from Newton county, styled J. R. Chapman et al vs. S. W. Collins. Only the civil docket was called this week and what cases that were not continued were set down for the second and third week. The jury was excused Tuesday morning for the week.

11th District Farm Loan Bank

Fort Worth, Texas, July 27 - Interest in the location of the 11th District Farm Loan bank has been quickened by the announcement that Herbert Myrick, recognized as one of the leading authorities on rural credits in the United States, will address a mass convention in Fort Worth, August 7th on the subject of the bank's location in this district.

Mr. Myrick's services in accomplishing the first rural credits act the congress of the United States ever passed were recognized by President Wilson by the presentation to Mr. Myrick of the gold pen with which the president had signed the rural credit bill, thus officially making it law.

Mr. Myrick is president of the Orange Judd company, publishers of the Orange Judd Farm weeklies, which have a combined circulation of nearly half a million.

The influence of all these weeklies will be thrown to the support of three cities for the location of the Farm Loan banks in the south districts. For the district comprising the states of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, Mr. Myrick will recommend that the bank be located at Fort Worth.

So interested is Mr. Myrick in locating the Eleventh District bank in Fort Worth, which he sees is the logical place for it, that he volunteers to address a mass convention here, and the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce hastened to make arrangements for the convention and to send invitations broadcast throughout the state of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Bankers, farmers and business men of Texas and neighboring states are expected to come to Fort Worth for this convention to acquaint themselves with the importance and the details of the new rural credits law, that they may take advantage of its benefits.

The Best Laxative

To keep the bowels regular the best laxative is outdoor exercise. Drink a full glass of water half an hour before breakfast and eat an abundance of fruit and vegetables, also establish a regular habit and be sure that your bowels move once each day. When a medicine is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are pleasant to take and mild and gentle in effect. For sale by Minter's drug store.



SAVE DOLLARS

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Mobile Items

Mrs. Vicye Sears is the guest of relatives here this week.

Mrs. F. M. Sumrall who is sick is improving at this writing.

Miss Violette Kirkland of Huntington is the guest of I. O. Riley this week.

Miss Ruby Enloe of Woodville is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Effie Jordan is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Mann, this week.

Miss Ella Martin has returned home from Huntsville, where she has been going to school.

Miss Tency Cammack of Beaumont were the guest of Miss Ruth and Vicye Sumrall this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kirkland and children of Eaon, visited their

parents here a few days last week.

Most everyone from here attended the dinner at Sunny Dell Sunday and reported a good time and plenty of dinner.

Miss Ruth Sumrall accompanied by Miss Alice Reese and sister, Bertie, and Miss Mattie Duff of Warren were the guests of Miss Vicye Sumrall a few days.

Teething babies always have a hard time of it when this process occurs in hot weather. They not only have to contend with painful gums but the stomach is disordered, bowels loose and the body uncomfortable. The best help you can give the little sufferer is McGee's Baby Elixir. It corrects sour stomach, cools and quiets the bowels and helps digestion. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Minter's drug store.

CLOSING OUT SALE

We are still running our Closing Out Sale and will continue till the entire stock of

Dry Goods, Hats, Shoes, Drugs, Toilet Articles and Hardware

Is closed out, which includes bargains of all kinds in both Summer and Winter Goods.

Our Feed and Grocery Department

Our Feed and Grocery stock is complete and as cheap as you can buy anywhere.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET

- FOR PRESIDENT OF THE U. S.: WOODROW WILSON FOR VICE PRESIDENT OF THE U. S.: THOMAS. Nominees of the Democratic primary held July 22nd, 1916: For Governor: J. E. FERGUSON. For Representative 12th Dist.: S. W. SHOLARS, JR. For Chief Justice Court of Civil Appeals, Ninth Supreme Judicial District: L. B. HIGHTOWER, JR. For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, Ninth Supreme Judicial District of Texas, Place No. 1: A. E. DAVIS. For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, Ninth Supreme Judicial District of Texas, Place No. 2: A. G. BROOKE. For District Judge 1st Judicial District: W. R. BLACKSHEAR. For District Attorney, 1st Judicial District: T. H. DOWNS. For District Clerk: B. C. FULLER. For Sheriff: TOM A. LINDSEY. For County Judge: W. A. JOHNSON. For County Attorney: J. E. WHEAT. For County Clerk: EMMETT WINGLEY. For Tax Assessor: W. H. COBB. For Tax Collector: LEE NEAL. For County Treasurer: D. C. ENLOE. For County Superintendent: GEO. E. NEEL. For County Surveyor: O. G. SHIVERS. For Commissioner Prec. No. 1: C. D. OGDEN. For Commissioner Prec. No. 2: JNO. S. RILEY. For Commissioner Prec. No. 3: J. H. BENDY. For Commissioner Prec. No. 4: T. P. JORDAN. For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: R. M. SHIVERS.

College of Industrial Arts

The editor received this week a copy of the catalogue of the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, Texas, and announcement for the session to begin September 12, 1916. This college is one of the state institutions of higher learning, and is the only college of industrial arts for women in the southwest. In organization and work it represents the most modern thought and practice in the education and training of women, and is very unlike the traditional educational institutions. Instead of educating women along identical lines that men are educated, the College of Industrial Arts makes the American home the central thought in its work. Hence, the preparation of young women for the duties and the responsibilities of

home life and for vocations for which they are especially adapted are the leading purposes of the college. Both literary and industrial courses are offered, in the belief that the right combination of the two kinds of training results in the soundest culture and the highest degree of efficiency. The catalogue announces that a greater number of subjects and courses of study especially designed for young women are offered by the college than are offered by any other educational institution in Texas. The following is a list of the regularly organized courses of study offered by the college: The household arts course; the literary course; the fine and applied arts course; the manual arts course; the rural arts and science course; the home-makers course; the commercial courses; the music course, singing piano, voice and violin; the expression course. Certificates of proficiency, diplomas of graduation, and the bachelor's degree are awarded. The college first opened its doors to receive students in 1903, and has had a most marvelous record of growth. During the regular session this year, 805 students were enrolled, and during the summer session of the present year 440 students, making a total of 1245 young women who have received education and training in the College of Industrial Arts during the current year. Texas is proud of the College of Industrial Arts and the work it is doing for the young womanhood of Texas. Its whole organization and service tend to dignify the American home and to elevate ideals of service.

Boost

Boost your city, boost your friend, Boost the lodge that you attend, Boost the street on which you're dwelling, Boost the goods that you are selling, Boost the people 'round you, They can get along without you, But success will quicker find them If they know that you're behind them. Boost for every forward movement, Boost for every new improvement Boost the man for whom you labor Boost the stranger and neighbor, Cease to be a chronic knocker, Cease to be a progress blocker, If you'd make your city better, Boost it to the final letter. —Exchange.

Late News of Interest

Early July 30th the whole of New York City, Jersey City and the surrounding country was shaken by a series of terrific explosions of ammunition awaiting shipment to the entente allies and stored on Black Tom Island, a small strip of land jutting into New York Bay off Jersey City. The loss of life will not be determined definitely until workmen employed on the island and on boats moored nearby are checked up. Cause explosions unknown. The property loss is estimated at \$25,000,000. Six men of Troop F, Eighth U. S. cavalry, and a hospital corps orderly under Lieut. Charles Telford, with Custom Inspectors Wood and Dean went from Hancock about five miles southeast where bandits were reported in hiding and surrounded a house. Carranzista soldiers from across the Rio Grande came to the U. S. soldiers assistance when the fight began. Four bandits were killed, two U. S. soldiers killed and one wounded. San Antonio is making preparations to entertain not less than 2000 Texas Good Roads enthusiasts at the meeting of the Good Roads Congress, to be held there August 17, 18 and 19. According to Secretary D. E. Colp, who is touring north Texas in the interest of several good road projects

unusual interest is being evidenced in the meeting and its possibilities for the united efforts of all good roads forces in the state.

At the Epworth League encampment held at Port O'Connor, Texas, Rev. Joseph Bodes, in charge of the Bohemian work in Brazos county, last Saturday, prayed in Bohemian, and asked the congregation to join in singing the chorps in languages represented by those present. This was done in English, Bohemian, Italian, Spanish and German. It was estimated that 2,000 visitors were on the ground last Saturday.

At Mount Houston, the body of J. G. Loddings, an aged farmer, was found lying on the ground close to a one room cottage he lived in all alone. A bank book and deeds were found in the house. The bank book showed he had several hundred dollars on deposit and the deeds that he had considerable property. At the inquest it was decided he came to his death from unknown causes.

In the middle of the camp of Co. A, Third Texas Infantry at Harlingen, a large building has been put up by the Y. M. C. A. for the accommodation of the Texas militia on the border. The building is used as a reading and writing room. It is in charge of E. L. Jones, formerly of Houston. He has plans for camera clubs, debating clubs, chess and checker tournaments to pass away the time.

For the last fifteen or twenty days the heat in the middle west and east has been so intense that hundreds of people have died and hundreds prostrated. In Pennsylvania a great number of factories have shut down. In the middle west, Chicago, Ill., Milwaukee, Wis., Des Moines, Iowa, and Omaha, Neb., the thermometer ranged from 95 to 105 degrees in the shade.

Villa only escaped a Carranza column pursuing him in northern Durango by a few minutes several times in the last few weeks according to reports from Gen. Ernesto Garcia in the Penoles district. His command has killed more than eighty Villistas since July 11.

Charles J. Kirk, secretary of the state democratic executive committee, last Tuesday, announced the program for the meeting of the State Democratic convention to be held in Houston beginning next Tuesday, Aug. 8.

At Orange, Tex., the keel for the second five masted schooner was laid at Swail's ship yard No. 2, on the Texas side of the river, and a four-masted schooner will be started soon by the same ship yards.

Capt. W. R. Craddock who died very suddenly at Gatesville, was buried at the old family burying ground, Cactus Hill, near Bridgeport, Texas. He was the personal representative of Gov. Ferguson.

The notification committee of the republican party notified C. E. Hughes of his nomination as republican nominee for president of the United States in New York July 31.

Athens, Tex., and nearby points have shipped 175 cars of Elberta peaches during the season just closed. The prices ranged from 65c to \$1.00 per bushel.

Gov. Ferguson made the opening address at the twelfth annual reunion of the Old Settlers' association of Williamson county, at Georgetown, Aug. 1.

Frank Britton, president of the Cotton Belt railroad, died in St. Louis, Mo., July 28. Edwin Gould was elected president to succeed Mr. Britton.

Gen. E. P. Nafarrate, recently removed by Carranza as military governor of the state of Tamaulipas, has resigned from the army.

John H. Clarke of Cleveland, O., took the oath as associate justice of the supreme court of the U. S. Aug. 1st.

Oscar Johnson, of the Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., died very suddenly in St. Louis last week.

The Texas Florists' State convention will convene in Houston August 14.

Victory for Cardui

We are rejoiced at the great victory won by Z. C. Patten, Jr., and the Chattanooga Medicine Co., at Chicago. The jury returned a verdict in favor of the makers of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and held the American Medical Journal guilty of libel for publishing that Cardui is a nostrum without merit. In short, the United States court has placed the seal of its approval upon the remedy Cardui after one of the most exhaustive trials in the history of the country.

All Chattanooga will rejoice, and the verdict will attract national wide attention.—Editorial in "Hamilton County Herald," Chattanooga, Tenn., June 23, 1916.

This has been a long drawn out and hard fought case in which the Cardui people have been successful in proving that Cardui was truly a woman's tonic and not a nostrum.

Cure for Cholera Morbus

"When our little boy, now seven years old, was a baby he was cured of cholera morbus by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Mrs. Sidney Simmons, Fair Haven, N. Y. "Since then other members of my family have used this valuable medicine for colic and bowel troubles with great satisfaction and I gladly endorse it as a remedy of exceptional merit." For sale by Minter's drug store.

WANTED At Woodville, Texas, 200 MEN to make Sap Pine and Hardwood Ties. Apply to W. A. Barnes.

Just the Thing for Diarrhoea

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted over a week," writes W. C. Jones, of Buford, N. D. "I became so weak that I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Many druggists recommend this remedy because they know that it is reliable. For sale by Minter's drug store.

Paper Shell Pecan Trees

Buy from your home Nursery and save the Agents commission Write Sabine Valley Pecan Nurseries, Toledo, Newton County, Texas.

Liver Trouble

"I am bothered with liver trouble about twice a year," writes Joe Dingman, Webster City, Io. "I have pains in my side and back and an awful soreness in my stomach. I heard of Chamberlain's Tablets and tried them. By the time I had used half a bottle of them I was feeling fine and had no signs of pain." For sale by Minter's drug store.

Mules for Sale

Two heavy mules and one medium sized. Apply to J. D. Brown, Woodville, Texas. 714

BETTER FARM METHODS.

Rural credits, whether of the national, state or private brands, are all very well in their way, but, after all, are they as important as the general adoption of American farms of better farming methods? There is a general disposition on the part of most of us to demand too much and expect too much of the law. Law is, after all, no more than crystallized public opinion, and when opinion seems it may fail to work as intended. Rural credit laws of themselves are not going to make farmers more prosperous. They will aid greatly if intelligently drawn and ably executed, but the hope of American farms must lie in better farming methods and better marketing plans. That is where the future great increase in agricultural wealth must find its source.—Farm Progress.

FARM MANAGEMENT.

It Considers Farming as a Business and Looks For Efficiency. (Prepared by United States Department of Agriculture.)

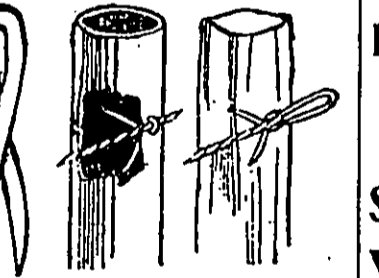
The farm management investigator gets his information direct from the farmer. The solution of many of the practical problems of agriculture are found to have already been solved generations ago by large groups of farmers. Particularly is it true of farm management and organization. Every farmer is of necessity more or less of an experimenter. The results of thousands of such experimenters gathered by the farm management investigator, classified and interpreted in their bearing on the community's problems and on the individual farm's problems, yield not only many fundamental, broadly applicable principles of good farm organization, but also show in more or less detail in just what respect a successfully operated farm differs from one which is a failure or only moderately successful.

In previous decades the agricultural investigator largely concerned himself with the study of how to accomplish certain ends—how best to feed a pig or a cow, how best to raise potatoes or fruit. The farm management investigator is concerned with determining whether to keep cows or pigs, whether to raise fruit or potatoes, and, if an industry be found to be desirable, to what extent it should enter into the farm organization and with what intensity it should be pursued. All of these problems have in the aggregate been solved by the farmers. Farm management is merely a science for classifying and interpreting the collective experience of the farming people as to what constitutes business efficiency in farming.

Farm management considers farming as a business. It attempts to analyze the various factors having to do with the success or failure of that business as it is found conducted on the individual farm and in so far as possible to determine the broad outstanding factors for efficiency which admit of general application for a region.

Automatic Fence Staple.

A new fence staple for which patent has been allowed is made like an ordinary staple except that the prongs instead of being parallel are bent side-wise and curve to converge, the effect being that of twisting the staple into a spiral with a quarter turn. The points clear each other about one-quarter of an inch. As the staple is driven into a wooden post the points drive diagonally past each other, with the result that



the staple is securely locked in place and can only be removed by the tearing of the wood or by the application of sufficient pulling power to bring the prongs back to their original shape as they are withdrawn. When the staple is driven into the hole in a steel post the same locking effect is produced, the prongs being forced into a diagonal position by the action of the steel against the shoulders of the staple. This action also results in the forming of a loop at the head of the staple which binds the fence wire securely in place.—Farm Progress.

Nitrogen Essential For Fertility.

It has been declared that unless there is some way of returning to the soil the nitrogen we remove from it with the crops we will soon be on the road to starvation. Fortunately there are a number of ways fertility can be restored to the soil. One is to take nitrogen out of the air. Another method is through the use of nitrate of soda, which is mined in Chile. Nitrogen in the form of nitrate should not be applied until the beginning of the growing season. If applied too early much may be lost by leaching out of the soil before the crop assimilates it. It is many times best to apply the nitrate in two or three partial applications, say one-third at the beginning of the growing season, one-third two weeks later and the last third two weeks later.

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Farm and Garden

KEEPING CABBAGES.

Can Be Stored For Winter Use in a Barrel Out of Doors.

When the cellar is too warm and you must devise a plan to keep a few cabbages for family use try putting them in a barrel out of doors, says a contributor to the Iowa Homestead. Put a headless barrel into the ground, leaving the top slightly above the surface, and put in the close trimmed heads. Leave room enough at the top to put in a little clean straw or hay—or papers—and spread an ocloth over it or some boards to keep the rain out.

It does not harm even if the cabbage freezes, and you can open your cache any time in winter and take out a head.

But one may say: "Oh, that's no good. I've tried it and they all rotted." The answer to that is, "You may have tried it, but you didn't do your work carefully." Failure will follow shiftless disregard of rules.

In following any such plan, use a little good horse sense. You must plan to keep water out of the barrel, so let it be tight enough to keep out seepage. Then so fill up and level the surface that the drainage will be away from



CABBAGES WORTH STORING

the barrel. Another point is that the cabbage must be carefully trimmed, removing every broken or decaying leaf and putting in only sound, smooth heads. If you put in any rubbish you not only invite decay, you make it certain.

It is well to put a few sticks in the bottom to leave an air space. And do not try to see how closely you can pack them, but rather lay them in loosely and so place them that there will be air spaces all through.

If you aim to keep the frost out it will require considerable covering, and if you do that you will be likely to make your cache too warm and that will induce rot. The best way is to plan to keep the cabbage close to the freezing point and far better have it frozen than too warm. But if it freezes it must be kept frozen, for it will never do to have it freezing and thawing out a half dozen times during the winter.

After the cabbage is in and you have filled up the top of the barrel with a little clean straw or hay, rounding it up in the center, then put over a piece of ocloth or heavy canvas, this is to turn off the water. Have it large enough so that all of the dripping will be outside the barrel. Then turn a square box over it and it is done. The box should be just big enough to hold the cloth in place.

Barryard Manure. Barryard manure has value on the farm as well as that as a fertilizer. It improves the physical conditions of the soil and makes it easier to handle. Its decay produces heat and its presence aids chemical and bacterial processes. Moreover, it absorbs and holds a large amount of water and helps to aerate the soil. The benefits of these indirect aids to plant growth are in some cases worth as much as the fertilizing power of the manure.

These are observations made by F. L. Kennard, agronomist in the north-west experiment station at Crookston, Minn., in response to numerous questions received from farmers.

When it is added that barryard manure is worth perhaps \$2.50 a ton and that each farm animal produces from five to seven tons per 1,000 pounds of live weight each year, it is easy to see that as a fertilizer the material should not be wasted.

The best practice is to haul the stuff directly from the barn to the fields. If this is done there is little loss through fermentation or leaching.

Marketing and Co-operation. It is not enough to grow a good crop or even to grow a good crop at low cost. To make a big crop a business success it must be disposed of as efficiently as it is grown—must be graded and packed as to meet market standards and so marketed as to bring the farmer the highest current price. The farmer who is too suspicious to act together with his neighbors in order to do co-operatively what no one can do alone is sure to pay dearly for his incapacity for team work.

Cherokee and Bethany

Uncle Sam Barnes of Enon visited relatives here last week. George Hammond is improving after several weeks' sickness of fever.

Everybody around here are very busy trying to get caught up with their work.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bryant and children visited their son and daughter here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Durham visited Charlie Phillips and family Sunday. They also called on Mrs. Goode in the afternoon.

Willie Lockhart purchased himself a buggy this week from W. J. Barnes. That's right Will I am in favor of all men providing a way to carry their wife, ha.

Lee Stewart went to Steger's mill and Doucette last week to get a job, but he got one just like father got wool when he went to the goat pen, (you know how that was.)

Mrs. Joe Goode is very sick at this writing. She has been confined to her bed for several months. Dr. Cade motored out to see her Sunday. We hope she will get well, they have the sympathy of the community.

Grandma Marshall of Angelina county is here to spend the summer with her children and other relatives. Her son, Dan, came along but will return to his home at Retriever, Texas, after spending a few days here.

W. E. Cruse informed us he has five acres of cotton on good bottom land which he will not get a bale of cotton from. This cotton is waist and shoulder high but is dying very fast. Arthur Platt of Sunny Dell reports a good deal of his cotton dying.

Unless something very serious happens, Cherokee and Bethany will be well represented at the Tyler County Fair this fall. We are all going to try to be there and bring something with us to exhibit. I myself have nothing of much importance, only a fine three year old baby girl that I think would surely take the prize for good looks, if nothing else (for most everybody says she resembles me very much.)

A large crowd went from here to Sunny Dell Sunday to the fifth Sunday meeting. Everybody said it was the largest crowd ever at Sunny Dell. Bro. Johnny Sargent preached in the forenoon and Bro. Swearingen in the afternoon. Bro. Sargent is just blooming into manhood, but is a fine preacher. His young brother, Dave Sargent was here, he is a minister also, and equals his brother preaching. Bro. Swearingen's sermon on mission work could not have been any better.

Remember our meeting starts at Bethany Saturday and continues through the week. We are looking forward to a grand meeting, expecting to get the devil by the collar and pitch him out of our church on his head. We have some good people here but there is a little too much devil on Billums creek. We want some of you people that have almost quit coming to church to come, and I am sure you will get so much good out of our sermon you will come all week. I am satisfied the devil will put up some mighty clever talk to you, but shut your fist and knock him down and come to our meetings, it will do you good to shake hands with the preachers and friends.

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COMMITTEE ON INDUSTRIAL PREPAREDNESS OF THE NAVAL CONSULTING BOARD OF THE UNITED STATES

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Killing Hog Lice

(By C. M. Evans, Chief Animal Industry Division, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas.)

A large number of hogs in Texas are not doing as well as they should these warm days for the reason that they are made miserable by innumerable vermin. The most common insect pests for hogs are lice and fleas. The lice not only cause a great deal of irritation, but they draw considerable blood and make the hog restless, so that it is impossible for them to do their very best.

Lice increase very rapidly in warm weather. Due to the fact that most of them increase on the body of the hog, it is fairly easy to get rid of them. The easiest way to do this, is simply to apply crude oil. This can be done with a brush or by tying old sacks around the posts in the hog lot and saturating them with crude oil. When the louse bites, the hog rubs that spot on the oiled post and the trouble is soon over.

A great many patented hog oilers are also on the market. Any of the coal tar stock dips may be used in a 2 per cent to 3 per cent solution and they carry with them the value of disinfection in addition to killing the insect pests. These dips cannot be put on of sufficient strength to kill the lice and nits, so a second or third dipping eight or ten days apart is necessary. With crude oil the nits are killed with the first application.

There is some danger, however, in covering the entire body of the hog with crude oil on a hot day. If the hogs are large and fat it is better to brush half the hog one day, and the other half the next day. In the meantime it will rub in the mud and dirt sufficiently to relieve the danger.

Perhaps a better plan for ridding hogs of insect pests, is to build a concrete hog wallow. This should be made in the shade and should be made about 12 inches deep, four feet wide and long enough to accommodate as many hogs as necessary. The bottom should slope upward toward the sides so that the hogs will have no trouble in getting out. This wallow should be filled with water once or twice a week, and in this water may be placed some of the coal tar dips, or crude oil, to disinfect the water and kill the lice. This wallow has been called a "sanitary bath tub" for the hogs and, because it makes the hog comfortable, it will pay for itself several times over during the season.

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WEEK END MENU.
SATURDAY-BREAKFAST. Orange, Creamed Hamlet, Coffee, Toast.
LUNCHEON. Date and Cheese Sandwiches, Scalloped Rice, Nuts, Cake, Cocoa.
DINNER. Oyster Bisque, Crackers, Browned, Roast Goose, Currant Jelly, Olives, Celery, Sweet Potatoes, Creamed Cauliflower, Ice Cream, Coffee.

SMALL MUTTON PIE.—Mince a quarter of a pound of beef suet, then melt it in a pan and when it boils pour in half a pint of milk. Allow this to come to boiling point and then strain through hair sieve on a pound of flour, with a little salt. Work the mixture to a smooth dough and divide into seven parts. Keep one aside for the lids. Shape these into rounds about three inches high and form them into pie shape. Some people do this round the bottom of a jar. Take some mutton cut into pieces—some people like the meat minced—season it with pepper and salt and fill it into the pies, adding a little gravy. Cover with lids of pastry, wetting the edges to make them soft, and make two holes in each to let out the steam. Cook in a quick oven.

Stew For the Children.—Put a pound of flank of lean mutton into a stewpan with two sliced onions. Brown nicely and pour in two pints of boiling water. Cover and stew gently for two hours. Add a teaspoonful of rice and a seasoning of salt and pepper. Simmer again for about an hour or until the rice is tender.


Savory Vegetable Pie.—Wash and peel a pound of potatoes and cut them into thick slices. Boil two eggs quite hard, slice them, cut a Spanish onion into slices. Arrange a layer of potatoes at the bottom of a pie dish, then one of the onions and eggs, then another of potatoes till the dish is full. Pour in a cupful of stock. Cover with pastry and bake in a hot oven. This makes a good and savory luncheon without meat.

Oyster Soup With Crackers.—Twenty cullins chopped fine, a quart milk, a cupful diced potatoes, a teaspoonful chopped parsley, a teaspoonful butter, a teaspoonful flour, a teaspoonful salt, dash white pepper and dash paprika. Put the milk on in top of a double boiler. When boiling add the potatoes, which have been boiled; oysters, salt, pepper, paprika, parsley, butter and flour rubbed together. Boil three minutes. The oysters and clams are bought the day they are used.

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The Tyler County Fair will be October 4, 5, 6 & 7

AUGUST 16

The Election is Over--Get Ready for the Tyler County Fair, October 4, 5, 6 and 7, 1916.

Official Vote of the Primary Held July 22, 1916.

CANDIDATES	Woodville	Donacota	Shiloh	Warren	Woolly Mill	Camp Ground	Chastain	Mobile	Emile	Colmesneil	Rockland	Smith Ferry	Town Bluff	Spruce	Fred	New Hope	Total
Congressman, 2d Dis																	
C. A. Ricks	4	3	1	1	1	4	4	8	8	1	1	2	1	8	1	1	44
C. W. Howth	68	42	2	8	1	14	50	25	25	34	12	4	22	17	7	6	332
Martin Dies	152	48	30	73	20	30	57	48	53	67	21	30	20	65	61	16	795
Representative, 12th																	
S. W. Sholars, Jr.	168	68	21	64	14	30	58	51	69	67	29	81	39	79	60	18	858
J. M. Rich	54	20	18	19	8	18	41	19	14	30	7	6	8	9	6	8	278
Dis. Judge, 1st. Jud.																	
J. A. Mooney	188	68	28	58	14	20	77	60	62	71	38	29	40	86	61	15	895
W. R. Blackshear	48	29	6	29	6	29	40	16	25	41	6	14	7	6	9	9	317
Dis. Atty, 1st. Jud.																	
T. H. Downs	72	10	15	26	6	12	18	14	22	26	16	8	25	62	21	14	362
J. B. Lewis	37	18	4	6	1	6	21	5	6	17	12	6	3	16	10	7	170
G. E. Richardson	106	68	11	45	15	29	80	56	58	59	7	28	13	11	37	10	618
For District Clerk																	
E. C. Fuller	226	92	38	81	28	47	117	77	89	109	89	48	47	98	71	24	1211
For County Judge																	
Tom F. Coleman	97	33	9	31	15	28	68	28	58	56	28	24	17	40	9	20	556
W. A. Johnson	125	56	24	54	8	22	50	52	34	54	16	18	26	51	62	4	855
For County Attorney																	
W. E. Adams	69	47	19	31	9	18	34	81	82	41	19	24	28	56	41	11	519
J. E. Wheat	181	47	20	49	14	31	86	45	59	70	20	18	22	38	29	14	691
For County Clerk																	
Emmitt Wigley	79	37	6	21	4	31	21	59	21	27	81	59	21	25	38	34	518
Charlie Phillips	89	29	27	49	16	12	25	29	11	17	5	11	19	5	14	17	441
Tom I. Sheffield	45	15	1	1	1	4	7	6	1	16	8	2	1	2	8	1	117
Matt Willson	18	9	5	8	3	68	16	1	17	9							144
For Sheriff																	
E. T. Parsons	102	44	7	28	1	20	40	51	49	66	21	18	23	30	12	5	509
C. T. Griffin	36	6	4	8	8	14	7	5	9	11	7	5	9	31	18	2	165
Tom A. Lindsey	87	44	22	58	19	27	65	22	39	39	18	14	17	31	40	15	556
For Tax Assessor																	
O. A. Norton	28	10	21	16	11	2	5	8	8	11	2	2	2	14	4	1	141
Bishop Barclay	42	19	1	3	3	17	62	9	39	28	2	8	4	4	8	1	241
W. C. Sumerlin	27	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	42
E. R. Rawls	11	8	1	1	2	2	21	31	20	21	22	5	21	20	1	1	179
Frank McDonald	4	1	8	40	1	3	3	2	1	2	4	1	2	21	7	1	98
W. H. Cobb	79	6	5	14	6	13	32	7	11	29	6	16	18	29	21	1	290
Gus Holoman	20	48	9	6	1	6	10	27	8	14	8	2	11	2	1	5	255
Tom Bostick	12	8	1	1	8	3	3	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	5	2	52
For Tax Collector																	
Lee Neal	228	91	34	84	28	50	122	77	98	110	88	48	47	89	72	25	1236
County School Supt.																	
Geo. E. Neel	65	26	20	28	1	18	52	49	51	54	28	28	14	40	29	11	507
Grover C. Lowe	102	23	8	11	20	14	81	10	8	6	8	7	5	30	33	13	324
Will Deaton	59	45	5	52	2	18	39	20	39	54	5	8	28	22	9	1	408
County Treasurer																	
D. C. Enloe	108	30	11	32	18	5	60	31	24	44	27	35	14	48	41	7	525
W. T. Ramey	14	10	7	8	1	7	12	21	8	24	1	2	2	11	6	5	104
Jerome Knight	16	30	3	22	6	7	28	21	10	21	2	1	8	11	7	1	188
Jesse W. Lazenby	87	20	12	21	8	31	21	4	55	20	6	4	25	26	17	13	367
For County Surveyor																	
T. M. Hyde	105	32	8	28	4	9	41	20	36	50	16	21	18	30	28	10	451
C. G. Shivers	121	60	26	52	19	41	74	58	56	59	23	21	28	61	41	15	760
For Com. Prec. No. 1																	
J. E. Kiebold	63	32	5	35	6												141
C. D. Ogden	85	31	11	8	18												148
B. R. Triplett	68	19	7	8	2												104
J. R. Matthews	11	7	11	31	2												62
For Com. Prec. No. 2																	
W. T. Flowers						17	62	39									118
Jno. S. Riley						31	57	39									127
For Com. Prec. No. 3																	
F. M. Johnston									47	34	9	8					98
T. F. Abbott									25	12	11	9					60
J. H. Bandy									16	64	10	8					98
Jerry Davis									1	7	28						31
For Com. Prec. No. 4																	
W. L. Tucker													18	21	17	15	71
J. M. McDonald													5	29	10	8	47
T. P. Jordan													23	40	44	7	114

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O. B. Colquitt	891																
Chas. A. Culberson	264																
S. P. Brooks	117																
John Davis	92																
T. M. Campbell	333																
R. L. Henry	568																
For Chief Justice Supreme Court																	
Nelson Phillips	784																
Chas. H. Jenkins	246																
For Associate Justice Supreme Court																	
R. W. Hall	642																
J. E. Yantis	384																
For Governor																	
C. H. Morris	356																
H. C. Marshall	28																
Jas. E. Ferguson	778																
For Lieutenant Governor																	
W. P. Hobby	1087																
For Attorney General																	
Chas. T. Rowland	148																
Jno. W. Woods	407																
B. F. Looney	482																
For Railroad Commissioner																	
Aulton Mayfield	637																
Rufus B. Daniel	136																
Jno. W. Robbins	258																
For State Treasurer																	
Jno. W. Baker	524																
W. E. Munn	78																
J. M. Edwards	407																
For Judge Court Criminal Appeals																	
A. J. Harper	704																
W. O. Morrow	305																

For Com. General Land Office																	
J. T. Robison	717																
Charles Geers	126																
H. Ellis Hill	178																
For State Supt. Public Instruction																	
W. F. Boughty	1049																
For Com. of Agriculture																	
Fred W. Davis	745																