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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

First National Bank Elects New Officers and Directors And Increases Capital Stock.

The stockholders of the First National Bank of this city met in the offices of the bank Tuesday afternoon and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

J. J. Whately, president; W. T. Eldridge and B. Leysalt, vice presidents; Fox Stephens, cashier and T. W. Shugart, assistant cashier.

The new board of directors elected includes: B. L. Vineyard, A. M. Waugh, B. Leysalt, M. D. Flowers, Fox Stephens, J. U. Frazier, W. S. Strickland, J. J. Whately and W. T. Eldridge.

The capital stock of the bank was increased from \$25,000 to \$40,000.

Tribute of Respect.

WHEREAS In our Woman's Home Mission Society there is one more absent and dearly beloved face, one more sweet voice hushed, one more place vacant in our midst, inasmuch as Mrs. M. E. DEATON for four years our efficient and consecrated corresponding secretary, our ever willing helper and co-laborer in the dear Lord's vineyard, on February 16, 1907, went to heaven to live. Therefore

RESOLVED: That we shall ever reverence and cherish her memory. Though absent, the sweet influence of her spirituality shall be ever with us, and that as "bread cast upon the waters" shall return with the flow of every tide and on the crest of every wave as inspiration to our little band. Also be it

RESOLVED: That we shall ever strive to "follow after" whose cheerful, charitable, helpful hand and her able pen have smoothed many rough and rugged places and marked the mile stones along the "Home Mission" route to that beautiful city where she is resting so sweetly. Also be it

RESOLVED: That we offer our heartfelt sympathy to the sorrowing husband and children and to her loved ones. Home is so lonely without the dear loved presence. Hearts grieved and sad we commend to the mercy of our Lord, who doeth all things well. "His not death, but God's own rest." "He giveth his beloved sleep." "His sweet to rest in the Lord safe from all sorrow and suffering.

Then let us gather flowers in the shining hours—Sweet flowers of charity, seeds of love. Make it bright with an beams of light. Twine in kind thoughts like the stars above. This wreath so sweet we lay at her feet As she beckons us from her home on high. Rest on dear heart, we'll surely meet. We shall never, never, say good-bye.

Be it further RESOLVED: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, the Eagle Lake Headlight, Texas Christian Advocate, the Advertiser, and that they shall be enrolled in the minutes of the Woman's Home Mission Society.

Mrs. W. H. Korthaur,
Mrs. Paul Gordon,
Mrs. B. Mohle,
Mrs. S. S. Lott,
Mrs. Mattie Jenkins,
Mrs. E. S. Winfree,
Mrs. M. C. Yates.

THE DEATH SENTENCE.

John Armstrong Sentenced to Hang in Columbus on April 29th.

District Judge M. Kennon last Friday afternoon passed the sentence of death on John Armstrong, setting the 29th day of April the date of his execution.

John Armstrong is a black negro about 24 years of age, convicted at the last September term of the district court for the murder of his wife, Catherine, in a negro restaurant on Main Street in this city last spring. He appealed from the findings of that jury, but the court of appeals affirmed that verdict.

When asked if he had anything to say why the sentence of death should not be made, Armstrong produced a written statement which he read. The statement depicted with a graphic confession he has made and the district judge told him that it contained nothing that would warrant him in staying the sentence. Armstrong then asked if his case could not be carried to the United States supreme court and was told that no federal issues were involved. In passing the sentence Judge Kennon made the statement that he is opposed to capital punishment.

Listen

and remember the next time you suffer from pain—caused by damp weather—when your head nearly bursts from neuralgia—try Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will cure you. A prominent business man of Hempstead, Texas, writes: "I have used your liniment. Previous to using it I was great sufferer from rheumatism and neuralgia. I am pleased to say that now I am sure I owe this to your liniment." Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.

The Demon of Worry.

Worry is one of the most fatal of all transgressions. It is a demon whose pressure is felt upon the heart. A man who worries is slowly draining the springs of life. He not only stunts himself but he makes it harder for others to grow and blossom. Depression is a vice, and, like all vices, it must be dealt with firmly and with vigor.

What is the effect of your pressure in your home? Does your look fall like a sunbeam or a shadow across the breakfast table? Does your conversation be like a step of summer sky or a patch of midnight across the family life? Upon what subject do you speak with largest freedom and the keenest relish—your aches and failures, or the things which are beautiful and fine and high? For your own sake and for the sake of others you ought to bring your soul into a jubilant mood. All Christian virtues grow best under a sky filled with sun, and the man or woman who persists in being gloomy and sour and moody will have his home filled at least with weeds and brambles and briars.

World Works.

ECZEMA and PILE CURE
FREE! Knowing what it was to suffer, I will give FREE OF CHARGE to any afflicted a positive cure for Eczema, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Piles and Skin Diseases. Instant relief. Don't suffer longer, write R. W. WILLIAMS, 404 Manhattan Avenue, New York. Enclose Stamp. [5-15-07]

OIL NEAR CHESTERTVILLE.

Well Flowing Solid Two Inch Stream Said to Have Been Brought In.

The HEADLIGHT has been informed on authority which it considers perfectly reliable that oil in paying quantities has been struck near Chesterville. The well was brought in about ten days ago, so our informants say, by Mr. S. D. Felt who has been drilling at this well off and on for nearly eighteen months. The well is located about five miles northeast of the town of Chesterville, just across the San Bernard creek in Austin county. The well is a two inch casing and is said to have been flowing a solid stream of oil of an excellent quality before it was capped off.

The bringing in of this well has been kept in the dark but now disclosed with a positive confession he has made and the district judge told him that it contained nothing that would warrant him in staying the sentence.

ARMSTRONG'S WIFE
Mary had a little lamb, its fleece was white as snow; it strayed away one day, where lambs should never go. And Mary sat her quickly down, and tears streamed from her eyes; she never found the lamb because she did not advertise. And Mary had a brother John who kept a village store; he sat him down and smoked his pipe, and watched the open door. And as the people passed along and did not stop to buy, John sat still and smoked his pipe and blinked his sleepy eye. And so the sheriff closed him out, but still he lingered near; and Mary came to drop with him a sympathetic bear. How is it, sister, can you tell why other merchants here, sell all their goods so readily and thrive from year to year? Remembering her own bad luck, the little maid replied: "These other fellows get there, John, because they advertise."

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WITH FORTY STOCK-HOLDERS Identified with our section's progress, THE EAGLE LAKE STATE BANK Offers to its Depositors ABSOLUTE SAFETY. Call on us and let us talk it over.

PUBLIC SALE!

of personal property of the

DUNOVANT ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the administrators of the Dunovant Estate will sell all of the Personal Property of said estate at Public Auction at the Southwest corner of the public square in Eagle Lake, Texas, on Saturday, 9th day of March, 1907. Said sale will begin at 10 o'clock A. M. and will continue until the property is all sold. The property offered for sale consists of:

One Traction Engine, One Rice Thresher, Cane Cultivators, Cane Shavers, Cane Stubble Diggers, Rice Harvesters, Plows, Trace Chains, Collars, Hames, Three Safes, Letter Press, Two Wagons, Two Horses, Farming implements, harness and tools of every description.

ARE YOU SATISFIED? With the Flour you are using now? And the price you are paying? YOU ARE NOT? Well, then, the next time you need any tell LANDA to send you a sack of "TIDAL WAVE" It pleases everybody and its reputation has existed for 20 years. It is made by the Texas Star Flour Milling Company, Galveston, Texas. LANDA is the distributor for them in this vicinity. Used Once Used Always.

S. S. ROBINSON, M. D. G. A. FOOTE, M. D. Diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. ROBINSON & FOOTE PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS. (SUCCEEDING DR. FITZGERALD AND DR. FORREST.) OFFICE: FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING. Phone Calls to Calvert's Drug Store.

WINTER SERVICE BETWEEN NEW ORLEANS AND SAN FRANCISCO TWO TRAINS EACH WAY EVERY DAY. SUNSET ROUTE SUNSET EXPRESS AND CALIFORNIA FAST MAIL. ELEGANT NEW EQUIPMENT: OIL BURNING LOCOMOTIVES. WRITE FOR PARTS LIST. C. K. DUNLAP, Traffic Manager HOUSTON, TEX. T. J. ANDERSON, Gen. Pass. Agt.

G. M. JACKSON, Contractor and Builder. Plans and Estimates Furnished on all Work FREE OF COST. I am also prepared to move or raise houses, and do all kind of repair work. Office and Shop with A. C. McClanahan Lumber Company.

SENT FREE Booklet entitled "Dr. Draughon's Eye Opener." It will convince you that Draughon's Colleges are by their SUPERIOR and COPY RIGHTS methods, teach you more BEST systems of SHORTLAND. DRAUGHON'S PRACTICAL BUSINESS COLLEGE. \$300,000.00 capital; 28 Colleges in 16 States; 17 years' success. POSITIONS secured or money refunded. Written contract given. For Catalog and "Eye Opener," call, phone, or write Jno. E. Draughon, President, at the places below mentioned. Prices on HOME STUDY. Dallas, Ft. Worth, San Antonio, Tyler, Austin, Waco, Galveston, El Paso, Denison, St. Louis, Nashville, Memphis, Kansas City, Knoxville, Etc.

THE "SAP" DOUBLE DAILY SERVICE Remember the Davy Crockett leaves Eagle Lake at 4:38 A. M., giving you fourteen hours in Houston, and lands you back in Eagle Lake at 11:10. G. F. LUTTON, A. G. P. A. J. C. REISBERG, LOCAL AGENT.

The Volunteer Cultivator We originated this type of Walking Cultivator. It is applied to the practical farmer, creating such an enormous demand that nearly every manufacturer of farming implements in the United States attempted to duplicate it. But its original exclusive features were copied by us into it for a purpose to say at its expense. You will, therefore, get best results by buying the Original Volunteer. The Victor Walking Cultivator is also a world beater. If your dealer does not supply you, write us direct for circulars and special prices. We are headquarters for everything that is best in implements, wagons and vehicles. If it is a standard implement or machine we are sure to have it. Write us. PARLIN & GRENORFF IMPLEMENT CO., DALLAS, TEXAS.

P. P. PUTNEY, Lawyer. AND NOTARY PUBLIC. Office second floor Norris Building.

Messrs. Isadore Nathan and N. V. V. Barrow have our thanks for renewal subscriptions handed in this week.

This is Worth Remembering. Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package. Eagle Lake Drug Co.

Mr. Walter De Verges spent a couple of days with Mr. Cotton out on the Sandmeyer ranch the first of the week.

Don't Complain. If your chest pains and you are unable to sleep because of a cough. Buy a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and you won't have any cough. Get a bottle now and that cough will not last long. A cure for all pulmonary diseases. Mrs. J. — Galveston, Texas, writes: "I can't say enough for Ballard's Horehound Syrup. The relief it has given me is all that is necessary for me to say." Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.

Miss Leta Leyendecker left Tuesday afternoon for her home in Houston after a pleasant visit to Mrs. A. M. Waugh.

Itch cured in 30 minutes by Woodford's Sanitary Lotion. Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.

A Baby should be sunshine in the home, and will be if you give it White's Cream Vermifuge, the greatest worm medicine ever offered to suffering humanity. This remedy is becoming the permanent fixture of a well regulated household—a mother, with children, can't get along without a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge in the house. It is the purest and best medicine that money can buy. Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.

"I had heard of the Eagle Lake country for many years," said a visitor from Kansas the other day, "but no one could have made me believe it possessed the great natural resources it does until I came and saw for myself." And as a result of what this man saw others will come and see for themselves. This is all that is needed. Just as soon as the people in the other sections of the United States find out for themselves what the wonderful resources of this section really are, thousands of them are coming, and they'll bring plenty of capital with them, too.

If you have anything in the nature of advertising for the HEADLIGHT or something in the way of job printing, and are too busy to call at the office, just call for phone number 88, and give us your order. It requires personal attention or explanation a representative of the office will answer your request instanter. We want your business and this is what we are here for.

GIVE US A TRIAL ORDER WHEN YOU NEED JOB PRINTING! New Process! New Type! Latest Faces! Experienced Printers! Headlight Printing Office.

RICE PLANTERS ATTENTION: NOW is the time to secure GOOD SEED RICE. We have several choice lots for sale at reasonable prices. The LAKESIDE RICE MILL.

Mrs. S. H. Paschall visited relatives in Rock Island last week. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. Eagle Lake Drug Co.

Mr. Marcus Truitt of Houston spent several days here the first of the week with his family.

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Mr. Leland Montgomery of Columbus came down last Saturday afternoon to see his best girl. A severe cold that may develop into pneumonia over night, can be cured quickly by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It will cure the most obstinate racking cough and strengthen your lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package. Eagle Lake Drug Co.

Mrs. Leta Lewis left Friday afternoon of last week for an extended visit to relatives in the State of Kansas.

Notice to our Customers. We are please to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. Eagle Lake Drug Co.

Mrs. Sallie Vincent and little daughter of Mart, came in Tuesday for a short visit to relatives and friends here.