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DRISCOLL NEWS ITEMS

Nearly Eight Hundred Bales of Cotton Have Been Ginned This Season.

DRISCOLL, Texas, Sept. 1.—Picking cotton is still the order of the day in this community. Driscoll now has nearly 800 bales ginned and still they continue to come in fast as ever.

C. Homer Yeiser is very ill at his home in this city.

Miss Blanche Turret of Bishop is visiting at the home of Mrs. Lab this week.

Walter Hollow is helping Mr. Hicks south of town pick cotton this week.

Mr. Pound, who has been at Corpus for past week, recieving medical aid returned home Sunday much improved in health.

Mr. A. R. Ladd, Mr. Hicks, Mr. Miller and Mr. Rawlings were shopping in Bishop Saturday afternoon.

Miss Fiona Shiller visited with the Swilling children over Sunday and attended Sunday school Sunday morning at this place.

Mrs. Rockview visited at Mr. Pounds' Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Pounds is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicks, who reside on one of the Bishop farms southwest of town, visited at the Balloo home Sunday.

Driscoll needs a new depot. This little building called a "depot" makes a fellow's heart sick and eyes sore. Wonder what we can say to the Friscoe railway company to encourage them in this work.

Mr. Warren Vickery, Miss Florence Westbrook and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Seidel motored to Kingsville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Grenred of Bloomington, Ill., were guests in the Westbrook home last week.

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BACKERS OF PRIVATE WATER CONTRACT ARE OPPOSING THE BONDS

MAYOR MILLER POINTS OUT THAT SAME BUNCH ARE FIGHTING PROGRESS.

Replying to Attacks Says That He Shall Continue to Do His Plain Duty Towards the People.

"Now that the campaign in behalf of 'the city plan' has been made and the authorization of the bond issue by an overwhelming majority is assured beyond peradventure of doubt, I desire to reiterate a statement which I have made several times during the campaign and which seems to have greatly peeved certain gentlemen, namely, that those who inaugurated the movement to secure a postponement of the bond election were persons opposed to municipal ownership; that what they have sought in fact was not a postponement but rather the defeat of municipal ownership," stated Mayor Roy Miller yesterday.

"There is an old saying that 'the hit dog howls.' I am willing to admit that I threw a few licks and judging from the confusion created, in certain quarters, got some results.

Some Have Been Misled.

"It must be conceded that some few citizens who are always actuated by a sincere purpose and honest desire to further the best interests of the city, have been fooled by children prattle about 'the excessive burdens of taxation,' but now that they understand that the tax levy for the current fiscal year has been made and that the first taxes on the new bond issue will not have to be paid until December, 1915, I am sure they will not be longer misled.

The Issue is Plain.

"The issue is now plain and clear cut. Are the people of Corpus Christi, after years of confusion and delay, willing to postpone the solution of the most important problem that confronts them when such a postponement cannot fail to seriously retard their city's growth? Will they permit themselves to be confused and misled by the specious arguments of the enemies of the people's rights, the vain mouthings of those self-same individuals who tried so earnestly, yet vainly, to saddle upon the people of Corpus Christi the most one-sided and iniquitous water contract ever suggested to an intelligent citizenship? No, the people know their own interests, they know the whole game and its ultimate intent.

Former City Attorney.

A former city attorney, who, if he had done his duty in accordance with the instructions of the City Council two years ago, and rendered an opinion relative to the city's rights on the Nueces river, would have made it possible for the city to have solved the water problem more than a year ago, discussed very learnedly upon the duty of the City Council with respect to tax levies. The present City Council is content to get its legal advices from other sources. The bonds will begin to bear interest from the date of their issuance. If, as the former city attorney fears, we shall not be able to sell the bonds for five or ten years, the bonds will not be issued and no taxes will be collected to meet the interest and sinking fund charges.

A Former Plan.

"Of course, the Council might, in the absence of revenues in the proper fund if the bonds are issued, do as the preceding Council did when 'the former city attorney' was city legal adviser in the case of the City Hall bonds and pay the interest charges out of the bond fund and then forget to pay it back when the taxes were collected, but the present Council will try to be more careful.

Doing Plain Duty.

"So far as the aspersions cast against me personally are concerned, I have nothing to say. They are as cowardly and pusillanimous as their authors. I have only to say that in this, as in every other public question, I have only endeavored to do my plain duty, as I saw it, toward the people whose servant I am and I believe I would be a faithless and unworthy servant if I failed to urge the people to decide this great question now by voting for the bond issue."

LATE MARKET REPORT.

(By Associated Press.)

FORT WORTH, Sept. 2.—Cattle—Receipts 3100; steady; beeves $5.50 to $7.85.

Hogs—Receipts 2505; lower; bulk $9.35 to $9.50.

Sheep—Receipts none; active. Lambs $6.50 to $7.50.

(By Associated Press.)

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 2.—Hogs—Receipts 6000; higher; bulk $9.20 to $9.25.

Cattle—Receipts 6000; steady; southern steers $5.50 to $7.50.

Sheep—Receipts 7000; higher; lambs $7.00 to $7.40.

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NO TAX LEVY FOR SIXTEEN MONTHS WILL BE NECESSARY STATES CITY ATTORNEY

CITY ATTORNEY SAVAGE REPLIES TO STATEMENT MADE BY FORMER CITY ATTORNEY AND POINTS OUT THAT MR. POPE AS ATTORNEY WITH LICENSE TO PRACTICE LAW SHOULD KNOW PROVISIONS OF THE CITY CHARTER.

Replying to a statement made yesterday to W. E. Pope, former city attorney, who is opposing the issuance of bonds, for the purpose of providing Corpus Christi with an abundance of good water, City Attorney Russell Savage yesterday made the following statement:

"With his usual willingness to misstate facts, and his usual ability with his vivid imagination to read into the law provisions that exist only in his own mind, blind to public interest and all else but his selfish purposes, W. E. Pope has tried to mislead the people by his article in the afternoon paper into believing that the council must levy a tax this year to support the water bond issue.

Section One of Article 4 of the charter provides that "The ordinance authorizing any bonds to be issued shall provide for the creation of a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at maturity and make provision for the payment of the interest thereon as it matures." This much of Mr. Pope's article is true and that is about all that is.

"The council will pass that ordinance and provide for the levying of a tax in 1915 and each year thereafter so large as is necessary to comply with the provisions of this article and that is all that is necessary.

No tax levy can be made for the support of this bond issue for 1914 and none will be made. Not one cent of taxes can be nor will be collected this year for this bond issue.

If Mr. Pope were an ignorant man, one could pass over his wild statements. But he has license to practice law and is supposed to know the law. He has been city attorney, has passed upon similar issues and has construed the law as we do now.

The council will act within the law and will collect no taxes to support this bond issue this year. As to how it will make the interest payments, the council will meet them in accordance with law.

They will admit no subterfuges such as characterized a former council under Mr. Pope's guidance.

I want to say something about the personal attack on Mayor Miller. It is laughable to see a man like Mr. Pope trying to besmirch a man like Mr. Miller. Must this city be deprived of an adequate water supply because Mr. Miller owns no real estate in the city?

What act started you out as a capitalist in this city, Mr. Pope? And from whence did you derive your present fortune?"

WHY CALALLEN IS BEST SITE FOR PUMPING PLANT EXPLAINED BY FRENCH

PROMINENT RESIDENT TELLS OF INVESTIGATIONS MADE MANY YEARS AGO AND WHY DECISION TO BUILD CITY PUMPING PLANT AT CALALLEN WAS FOUND TO BE THE BEST FOR CITY.

A statement that shows why Hearn's Ferry and other points were not favored in the establishment of the city pumping plant along the Nueces river and why the plant was established at Calallen, was made yesterday by A. M. French, a pioneer resident of Corpus Christi, and an engineer who is personally familiar with the Tule Lake, Oso and other projects that have been mentioned from time to time.

The statement by Mr. French follows:

"I think the city council acted wisely in ignoring any petition to postpone the bond election, as it seems to me the best way to let the whole people decide by voting tomorrow whether or not they are ready for the bond issue. I hope every one will go and vote and show their interest in the matter.

The people have been kicking, and our visitors as well, about the quality and quantity of the water for over two years, and now let them say if they were in earnest or not.

I notice it always takes several months after an election carries to get the bonds ready for the market, and let us all hope by that time the war will be over.

In regard to the present location I can come to say something.

It is not probably known to the newcomers that the present location was selected after a careful investigation of every project that has since been discussed or mentioned.

Shallow wells were proposed at the Grim and Robertson ranches, and considerable money spent on this investigation, but no adequate supply found.

The Oso proposition was investigated and abandoned on account of its expense, and I had something to do with his part of the proposition.

Hearn's Ferry and the Tule Lake propositions were both investigated and turned down from fear of salt or brackish water in dry seasons.

The present site was finally chosen as the best under all circumstances partly because of the natural reservoir in the river, and also because of a good location for a reservoir for the overflow when the city should need it.

Yeager and McMullen spent some months in the investigation, and they were engineers and men of large experience in putting in waterworks for cities of from five to thirty thousand people.

Mr. J. S. Peter, present general manager of the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway, was at that time city engineer."

-: City News in Brief :-

Dr. L. Krafft, of this city, residing at 323 Artesian street, is probably the only survivor living in this city of the Franco-Prussian war of forty-four years ago. In that war he served in the German army which captured thousands of French soldiers at Sedan. Yesterday was the anniversary day known in Germany as Sedanfier Day.

A sale of home cooked foods, under the auspices of the ladies of the German Catholic Church will be held Saturday at the Alcove Confectionery, corner of Mesquite and Peoples streets. Cakes, pies, bread, salads and other good things will be sold, the proceeds to go to the church treasury.

Mrs. Ida Crouch-Hazlett, probably the most skilled and experienced woman debater in the American socialistic movement will spend today in Corpus Christi and this evening at 6:45 o'clock at the Artesian Park will deliver an address on Socialism, to which the general public is invited to attend. Mrs. Hazlett is a university student of economics and sociology, a skilled historian, a trained thinker and an experienced and pleasing lecturer and it is certain that her address this evening will be well worth hearing. While in the city Mrs. Hazlett is stopping at the Horne Apartments.

The body of Fred Kaler whose death occurred Tuesday noon in Albuquerque, New Mexico, was yesterday morning shipped to this city for burial. Funeral arrangements will be announced tomorrow. It is likely that the services will be held Saturday.

The sale and delivery of a Ford roadster to A. J. Blucher of this city was yesterday reported by the Glover-Johns Auto Company.

The condition of John W. Stephens and his five year old son, who were struck by a switch engine late Tuesday afternoon, yesterday was reported as being highly encouraging by attending physicians. Mr. Stephens and son were riding in a buggy when the horse was frightened, resulting in the buggy and occupants being struck by the engine. The accident occurred at the Mesquite street crossing, and as a result of the accident, agitation for the establishment of gates or the placing of a watchman at the crossing has been started.

The regular weekly meeting of the Commercial Club will be held tonight at 8 o'clock. The attendance of all of the directors is urged and other members of the club are also invited to attend the meeting. A number of matters of importance to the city doubtless will be taken up at tonight's session.

Edwin Flato will be the toastmaster at today's regular luncheon-weekly session of the Rotary Club, to be held at noon at the Nueces Hotel. Speakers will be Maxwell P. Dunne, who will discuss "Troubles" and O. H. Johnson who will speak on "Investigations." Following the two addresses, a number of the Rotarians will give short biographical sketches of themselves.

The Simpson Philathea Class of the First Methodist Church will entertain the Young Men's Bible Class of the same church this evening at the home of Leslie McClanahan 224 South Carancahua street.

Tarpon in Corpus Christi Bay was proven yesterday morning and afternoon when hundreds of the silver kings were seen jumping in the water. From the Beach Hotel, especially the fish that tests the skill of expert fishermen in landing were seen in large numbers. It was a novel and highly interesting sight to the guests of the Beach Hotel, the majority of whom are from inland points.

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S. W. DeWolf of Laredo, general superintendent for the Texas-Mexican Railway Company is in the city on a business trip.

H. C. Franks of San Antonio, freight agent for the San Antonio and Aransas Pass was here yesterday.

September Records

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17607—Bregeiro Tango—Mocke Cassel's Society Orchestra
Mexe e Remexe—Maxixe—Cassel's Society Orchestra
Old Cremorne (Le vieux Jardin)—Victor Military Band
17616 Value Noble—Waltz Hesitation—Victor Military Band
Hacienda—Society Tango—Piano Solo—Felix Arndt
17608 Desecration Rag—Classic Nightmare—Felix Arndt
66021—When It's Springtime Down in Kentucky—George McFarlane
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