

# FARMER'S CHAMPION

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## THE OLD RELIABLE

Is the place to lay in your fall supply of dry goods, groceries, shoes, hats and in fact everything needed to feed and clothe you. Come into our store and see for yourself.

L. C. COFFIN, PROP.

### VOVE FOR

**C. M. DEAN**

Candidate For

**COUNTY JUDGE**

LOW SALARY, ECONOMY

COMANCHE CO.

### A Hog Motor.

Those who visited the state fair this year had an opportunity to see what is called a Hog Motor. At first thought most persons wondered what such a thing was but soon found out by looking at it that it was correctly named.

A machine is so fixed that the hogs, by the use of their noses, grind their own feed—corn, kafir or whatever grain it may be. The grain is placed in a hopper with a feed grinder under it and the ground feed falls out below into little projectiles where the hogs can get it. When the feed is gone, the hog gives the projectile a push with his nose and more ground feed falls down for him.

The price of the machine was not lowered but it is a safe guess that one of them would pay for itself several times over on many of the farms around Elgin.

### Gin Pond Dry.

On Tuesday the Elgin Gin pond went dry so that they now have to haul water. About 35 pounds of nice fat fish were taken from the pond.

CHAMPION ads get results.

### Hunt-Brown.

Shay Hunt left Thursday for Altus where he was united in marriage with a Miss Brown of that place.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hunt and has been engaged in teaching school. For some time he has attended the state normal at Edmond where he met the young lady who is now his bride.

The bride is a native of Illinois but for some time has resided with her parents at Altus. She attended the state normal at Edmond for three years and graduated from that institution this summer.

They will soon take up their work of teaching, both being employed for the coming school term at the Goldenwood school near Searles. They have the best wishes of many friends.

### Gale Brings \$128.51.

On Thursday E. E. Waring delivered a bale of cotton in Elgin which broke the record on all previous bales in this locality this year. It weighed 128 pounds in the seed, ginned out 650 pounds of lint. The lint was sold at \$15.75 per hundred and the seed at \$40 per ton, bringing \$128.51. Who can beat it?

### Wanted—A House.

A man was here one day last week looking for a house, as he wishes to move here before the end of the year. He has a son to send to school and likes the church influence here. If any one knows of a house to be vacated soon, please report to this paper.

### Miss Ophelia Greer Married

On Sunday W. G. Sorrels, wife and two sons, Gaston and Leonard, Misses Jessie Cromer and Hazel Choens autoed to Mt. Park where they visited the family of W. J. Greer and attended religious services ten miles beyond there.

They had a nice trip, traveling 150 miles and making several stops. They report the Greer family as doing well and that Miss Ophelia was married one day last week to an industrious young man of that locality whose name they did not remember.

Later—the wedding occurred at Hobart on Saturday, Oct. 7. J. B. Denison, the county judge, officiating. The groom's name is Banks Romire.

### New Office.

On Saturday Dr. C. M. Martin purchased ten feet of ground adjoining the "Federal" building on the north where he will erect an office ten by twenty feet. This will place him in the business part of town, just adjoining the new location of the drug store, which makes an ideal location.

This venture on the part of the doctor shows that he has faith in the future of the town. Though he has been here only a short time, he has had a good practice and has been very successful in his work. In one forenoon he performed three surgical operations and had the best of success in each, one of the cases being the removal of adenoids.

## Now Is The Time

ELGIN IS THE PLACE

To have your wagon, buggy or plows repaired, and your horses shod.

**W. E. Clark, Blacksmith.**

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

## The Elgin Market AND RESTAURANT

Fresh Meats Always On Hand.

Cold Drinks And Cigars.

Good Hot Meals At All Hours.

Bring in YOUR PRODUCE.

Fresh Bread Arrives Every Day.

**L. D. SPARKS, PROPRIETOR**

## D. E. McAnaw

GRAIN, LUMBER, COAL

Grain bought at highest prices.

BUILDING MATERIAL, Building Hardware.

Car Plaster Cement just arrived

O. K. Portland Cement Always On Hand.

McAlester Nut Coal, \$6.00 ton

### A Statement.

Saturday Charlie Harrel called and requested this paper to make a statement in the next issue that there was no truth in the article about his being married.

However, it is believed that the young man was only trying to joke us and the editor of this paper has been in the newspaper business too long here and elsewhere, to be fooled by his readers with jokes.

Any one who wishes to verify the statements made in last week's issue can write the court clerk at Anadarko or to Rev. Simpson Hammrick, pastor of the Methodist church at that place.

### Campbell's Sale

You should not fail to read the sale bill of Chas. D. Campbell in this issue. He has for sale 23 head of extra good males and his cattle are of the red Short-horn stock and well bred. Don't forget the date, Thursday, Oct. 19.

He has three auctioneers, two of which are well known in this locality. The third is Col. Murphy of Hennessey. The editor of this paper has clerked a number of sales after him and can testify that he is one of the fastest talkers in the state of Oklahoma.

## CAMPBELL'S PUBLIC SALE

Mules, Horses, Cattle, Hogs, Implem't's

As I am making some changes in my business, I will sell at Public Auction at my farm 2 miles north 2 1-2 west of Elgin, 8 miles west and one half south of Fletcher, and 6 miles south of Apache, on

**Thursday, Oct. 19th**

Commencing at 10 a. m. as follows:

**33 Horses and Mules**

3 Grade Percheron mares; 2 other horses; 10 head work mules; 16 young mules.

**44 Head of Cattle.**

9 yearling heifers; 17 heifers, 2 to 3 years old; 11 cows; 4 yearling steers; 1 grade bull calf.

**53 Head of Hogs**

3 sows and pigs at foot; 20 gilts; 30 stock hogs.

All kinds, implements, saddles, harness.

1 Overland roadster, in good condition.

Terms: \$10 and under cash; over \$10, credit till Nov. 1, 1917, with 10 per cent. interest from date; 3 per cent off for cash.

The Ladies Cemetery Association will serve lunch. Bring your own cups.

(J. A. Cowan's Registered Short-horn Cattle Sale Wednesday, Oct. 18, 3 1-2 miles north east of Apache.)

**C. D. Campbell, owner**

Col's. E. F. Herriff, James Murphy, J. E. Williams, Auct's. First National Bank of Apache, clerk.

### Shorthorn Sale

Shorthorn breeders and others who are thinking of starting in that line of cattle will be interested in the sale bill in this issue of J. A. Cowan of Apache, to be held on Wednesday of next week, Oct. 18. At this sale will be sold as good stock as can be found in the state so it will pay you to attend and look them over.

Mrs. H. H. Meeker returned to Guthrie Saturday to be with her husband at the hospital, returning here Monday.

### Improved in Health.

As Mrs. A. W. Doekum was returning from her Enid trip she met a lady on the train from Gracemont who reported that Rev. D. L. Hinckley is now in better health than he has been for some time. His many friends here will be glad to know that he is improved.

Mrs. S. J. Willhite was taken to Oklahoma City Saturday where she has entered a sanitarium for treatment. She was accompanied by her son, J. H. Willhite, and her brother, S. A. White.

# SALES

If you are going to have a sale, call and see us

We want to show you how we can give good service.

We know how to satisfy you.

**Bank of Elgin**

## - The Elgin Gin -

Has been thoroughly overhauled and is now in fine shape to gin your cotton at a reasonable price.

Highest price paid for cotton in seed or bale; also cotton seed.

**J. M. Hinds, Mgr.**