

# SHINER GAZETTE.

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## A. G. WANGEMANN,

DEALER IN

**Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots,**

**Shoes, Hats and Caps, Groceries.**

HARDWARE, WOOD AND WILLOWWARE, AND

**Gen'l M'ch'ndise.**

AGENT FOR NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE, WALTER A. WOOD MOWING MACHINES AND RAKES, JOHN DEERE PLOWS, CULTIVATORS AND STALK CUTTERS AND BANNER PLANTERS.

Also Stalk Cutters and Louisville Cotton and Corn Planter.

All kinds of Country Produce bought at highest market prices. Cash Paid for Cotton Seed.

## Joseph Ondrej,

HEADQUARTERS FOR

**Canned Goods, Pickles, Candies**

AND GROCERIES.

Lunch at all Hours.

Frank City Beer always on Tap.

## BISMARCK SALOON.

A. WAGENER,

DEALER IN

**LIQUORS, WINES, BEER, AND CIGARS.**

## PRIZE SALOON

(J. H. HUEBNER, PROPRIETOR.)

**WINE, LIQUORS, BEER and CIGARS.**

Politely served at the bar. I respectfully ask the old and new friends of FAVORITE and the public generally to give me a call.

TEXAS.

## SHINER GAZETTE

The farmers friend, the merchants friend, the citizens friend, and a TRUE FRIEND TO THE WELFARE OF OUR TOWN, COUNTY, STATE and COUNTRY.

A splendid advertising medium at a low figure.

It contains the town county and state news.

Bring your job work here for we can satisfy you by our neat work and prompt attention.

As we mean to add more advantages to our office in the near future, we guarantee satisfaction.

**Subscribe Now.**

**John Harwood's LIVERY AND FEED STABLE.**

Good Teams and Careful Drivers.

RATES: \$2 to Yoakum, Sweet Home and Monton. \$3 to Flatonia, Hallsville and Gonzales. Give Him a Call.

### THE TOWN OF SHINER.

Its enterprises and men of enterprising.

Nothing adds so much to the appearance of a town as fine brick buildings. Brick or stone is to be preferred in their construction. Business houses built of brick are more durable and are in danger in case of fire. Two of the best business men will see on the corner below the City a 30x80 brick building, to be as a general hardware store. The firm will be Wagener and land. They will carry a full of shelves hardware, plows, plumbers supplies, buggies, barbed wire, wind mills, etc. building will be erected as a satisfactory arrangement are with the contractors, and will a great improvement to the town. It will stand on the present the old office and storage ing which will be torn down.

Mr. Wendland was born in many in 1857 and came to country in 1872. In 1880 he in to Shiner and formed a partner with Louis Wagener in the wright and general blacksmith business. Mr. Wendland has been in the blacksmithing business eighteen years and is a first class workman. He is married and has six children, three boys and three girls. Louis Wagener was born Schelby in Austin county Texas 1855 and lived there until he was years old. In 1876 he removed Fayette county where he engaged

for six years. In 1882 he moved to Lee county and engaged in stock raising four years. Mr. Wagener removed to Lavaca county in 1885. The firm of Wagener and Wendland is awake to the interest of the public and is famous for promptness and square dealing.

WM. GREEN.

Mr. Wm. Green is one of Shiner's most substantial business men and is also a heavy land owner. Owning in the neighborhood of 4,300 acres of land. He is a native of Texas having been born and raised in Gonzales county. He was proprietor of a store at Winton P. O. for several years and has been in the stock business nearly all his life. Upon coming to Shiner Mr. Green formed a partnership with Williams and Saunders in the lumber business. Saunders shortly retired from the firm and the business was continued as Williams & Green, until the spring of the present year when Mr. Green sold out to Mr. Williams and found a partnership with C. H. Flato. Mr. Green has made a success of every business undertaking of his life and there can be no question about his being a thorough business man. He married Miss Julia Dickson in 1882 and his residence is in the western part of town.

CITY HOTEL.

This building was erected in the Autumn of 1888 and was thrown open to the public in Nov., 1888. The Proprietress is Mrs. Elizabeth Jungbecker who has had charge of the Hotel since it was first opened. Its accommodations are of the best and the Hotel is cool and commodious. August Jungbecker the builder of the house was born in Germany on the Rhine, 68 years ago. Upon coming to the U. S. he settled in Lavaca county Texas where he followed the vocation of a school teacher up to about two years ago, when ill health compelled

him to desert. He died the 17th of January, 1893. His son Albert is running a chair in A. C. Koepkes barber shop.

and Lavaca counties.

CHRISTIAN WAGENER.

Mr. Wagener was born the 9th day of October 1855 in Fayette county Texas, and lived there until 1892 when he moved to Shiner and purchased the Bismarck saloon, the fixtures of Otto Koehler and the building of H. H. Hoffman of Breslau. He married in 1883 and has had four children. His infant son died only a short time since. Mr. Wagener is doing a good business and has no lack of friends in Shiner.

PAUL STURKE & CO.

Paul Sturke was born at High Hill Fayette county Texas, in 1866, and came to Shiner in 1889 when he entered the employ of R. G. Seydler and remained a year and a half. In 1892 he purchased the saloon of Mr. Seydler. Mr. Sturke married Miss Mary Eschenburg in 1891 and has one child. His saloon is situated two doors north of Walters Bros. Store.

J. H. HUEBNER.

J. H. Huebner, the proprietor of the Favorite Saloon, is 33 years old having been born in Austria in 1860. He came to the United States in 1876 and engaged in farming in Fayette county where he remained several years. In 1891 he removed to Shiner and purchased the Favorite Saloon, R. H. Lossin, our present manager. Mr. Huebner married Mary Bergman in 1881 and has four children. He does a thriving business in wines, liquors, beer and cigars.

ED. COLEMAN.

Ed. Coleman is a native of Great Britain having been born in London. He emigrated to this country in 1853 and has lived in Shiner since. He has been married in Lavaca county in 1874. He was in business four years prior to settling in Shiner. His place of business is next door to the City Barber Shop.

MARION ELLINGER.

Mr. Ellinger was born in Fayette county Texas in 1867 and lived there until 1891 when he removed to Shiner. He was in lumber business eight years in Fayette county and after removing to Shiner he became the Agent of the San Antonio Brewing Association, which he still represents. Mr. Ellinger married in Fayette county in 1891 and has four children, two boys and two girls.

SHINER LODGE NO. 111.

A. G. E. W.

This lodge was instituted in Shiner the 20th day of January 1890, with the following officers in charge.

J. C. Bohm, M. W. George Seydler, Foreman H. H. Hoffman, Overseer Ed Wagemann, Recorder Albert Turner, Financier M. E. Walters, Treasurer R. G. Seydler, Guide Louis Wagener, Inside watchman Henry Weller, Outside watchman J. Walters, Post master workman Max Walters, H. H. Hoffman, W. Wendland, Trustees Dr. Eidson, Medical Ex. The Lodge consists now of 29 members and it meets every second and fourth Monday in each month at Morris's Hall. The proceeds

building and is popularly reported to be one of the best conducted Hotels on the line of the Aransas Pass. Mr. Wiseman was born and raised in Texas and is a popular and genial land-lord. The Wiseman house is in plain view from the depot and probably has the coolest location of any building in town.

WAS INSTITUTED IN SHINER IN 1889

with the following members:  
Stel. Holschak D. F. Kramer  
E. Hildebrandt J. Koenig  
Fritz Koehler Albert Mosler  
August Pfell Leop. Hummel  
M. E. Walters E. Wagemann  
J. Mundermann John Euler  
Moritz Richter R. G. Seydler  
Chas. Liak J. A. Walters  
W. Kazetky H. Harms  
Ant. Thormahlen Fried. Schmidt.

The present officers of the lodge are as follows:

Rx Pres. Louis Wagener  
Pres. M. E. Walters  
Vice Pres. Moritz Richter  
Sec. Alvin Hummel  
Treas. Aug. Marton  
Trustees } Wm. Zander  
              } Wm. Wendland  
              } Gus Larsson  
Guide F. J. Mayer  
Inside Watchman Otto Beithauer  
Outside " " Charles Juenger.

The lodge meets the first Sunday and third Monday in every month in Morris's Hall. The membership is 67 and it is the strongest lodge in the town.

ABOUT STEPHAN.

Mr. Stephen ginned last season 2,100 bales of cotton and made heavy shipments of cotton seed. He uses the Ames system of ginning machinery and his gin has a capacity of 100 bales per day. He has been in the business eight