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The News is glad to hear that there is some talk of lynching the man who evolved this toast: "Our fire-engines, may they be like old maids—ever ready, but never wanted." The old maid is indispensable and instead of trying to push them off the face of the map, we ought to raise more of them. Because a young lady will not allow some pimple faced, pinhead sport of a boy to slobber over her, she gets the name of being an old maid with foggy ways. Give us more old maids. We need them in the reclamation work of straightening out the boys.—Davidson News.

A number of weekly newspapers are being duped by Pastor Russell, into using his so-called "Religio-Scientific Sketches on Human Progress." The editor must pay for this "stuff" and it is nothing more than an advertisement to promote their graft and be able to sell some more of the Pastor's miraculous wheat. Talk about "gall," if the Pastor's gall bladder should burst it would drown him if he was standing on the pinnacle of his tabernacle. This Pastor Russell is one of the biggest, if not the biggest grafter and impostor that has had to deal with the American people.—Cement Courier.

Wednesday Elgin Markets

Corn	78
wheat	1.30
Oats	.45
Kafir Corn	1.40
Hogs	6.90
Cream	17-20
Butter	16
Eggs	13
Hens	11
Cox	4
Springers	20

Klondyke, the French Coach stallion, will make season of 1915 in Elgin, Okla. \$10.00 to insure colt to stand and suck.
 T. O. Miller, Owner.

FRESH MEAT
 Bread, Pies, Cake, Cookies.
LUNCH COUNTER
 J. F. BALLOU, Proprietor.

Mistletoe Pickups.
 The hail storm that struck this part of the country last Tuesday night did a lot of damage; gardens and the fruit crop are almost ruined and so is the wheat and early oats.
 Sid Williams and Miss Sallie Bentley attended a singing convention at Chickasha Sunday.
 Uncle Tom Richardson and Fred Stauffer and wife were visitors at the home of Millard Richardson Friday.

Mistletoe has a fine Sunday school now; there were 57 present Sunday.
 Miss Ruth King is visiting her sister near Rush Springs
 J. T. McCraw and family visited at the home of Mr. Mandell Sunday.

Misses Blanche Richardson, Lizzie Dotson, Pearl Underwood, Cora Lee, and A. B. Sperling were visitors in the wood reserve the latter part of last week.
 L. P. McCraw had a valuable pair of horses killed by lightning Tuesday night.
 Mrs. Montgomery made her weekly trip to Ft. Sill Monday.
 Miss Christine Sheetz will leave Wednesday for Edmond where she will attend the state normal.

Millard Richardson and family, J. T. McCraw and wife and Walter Miller, attended the surprise given at the home of W. C. Hunt last Wednesday night in honor of his son Shay who left Thursday for points in the northern part of the state.
Neighborhood News.
 The Mt. Park Mercantile Co. claims to have bought 75 cases of eggs and a car load of chickens on the first Monday in May.
 The excavation work is in progress for an elevator at Chattanooga, which the town has needed for some time.
 It is said that the hail was a foot deep on the ground between Olustee and Eldorado after the hail storm last week.
 The Tipton Times reports a singing convention near there as a "howling success" which may not be saying much for a singing convention. It says at one time 68 autos were lined up in front of the building.
 A street carnival has just closed at Grandfield.
 The sheriff, county judge, and county attorney of Cotton county are rounding up the bootleggers in good shape and recently made a quick trip to Temple to investigate conditions there.
 The junior class of the Temple high school presented a play entitled, "The Sears-Roebuck Minstrel."
 Two deputy sheriffs in Grady county landed on W. S. Winters of near Rush Springs, locating several quarts of whiskey and 30 quarts of beer, all of which was turned over to the sheriff with the owner.
 A store at Nianekah was recently robbed of some meat and canned goods.
 The Walter New Era charges the commissioners of Cotton county with allowing 131 illegal claims from December, 1913 to January, 1915.
 A Caddo county booster club has been organized at Anadarko to go to Oklahoma City to boost for the county fair. Nearly 100 autos have already enrolled.

State of Oklahoma, County of Comanche.
IN THE DISTRICT COURT.
 Waddell Investment Company, Plaintiff,
 vs.
 Willis V. Chapin, Eleanor Chapin, A. H. Chapin, and E. L. Wilson, Defendants.

Notice Of Sheriff's Sale.
 Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of sale issued out of the office of the Court Clerk of Comanche County, Oklahoma, on the 11th day of May, 1915, in an action wherein Waddell Investment Company was plaintiff, and Willis V. Chapin, Eleanor Chapin, A. H. Chapin, and E. L. Wilson were defendants, directed to me the undersigned sheriff of Comanche County, Oklahoma, commanding me to levy upon and sell without appraisal the following described real estate, situated in Comanche County, Oklahoma, the same being described as follows, to-wit:

SOUTH EAST QUARTER (S. E. 1-4), SECTION THIRTY FIVE (35), IN TOWNSHIP ONE (1) NORTH, RANGE TEN (10) WEST 1 M., to satisfy a judgment of foreclosure in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendants obtained and made in said court on the 5th day of November, 1914, for the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Thirty Two and 40/100 Dollars (\$1632.40), together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. (10 per cent.) per annum, payable annually from the 5th day of November, 1914, until paid, and the further sum of One Hundred Forty Dollars (\$140.00) attorney's fees, and the costs and disbursements of suit.

I will therefore, on Monday, the 14th day of June, 1915, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said date, at the front door of the court house, situated in the City of Lawton, Comanche County, Oklahoma, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the property above described or so much thereof as will satisfy said judgment with interest and costs.
THOS. RICHARDSON, Sheriff of Comanche County.
 By J. R. HEFLEY, Undersheriff,
 MCELHOES, FERRIS & RHINEFORT, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

DIRECTORY.
 District Judge..... Cham Jones
COMANCHE COUNTY OFFICERS.
 County Judge..... R. J. Ray
 County Attorney..... T. B. Orr
 County Clerk..... Charla Critcher
 Court Clerk..... R. B. Compton
 County Treasurer..... J. L. Porter
 Co. Supt..... Mrs. Jennett Crosby
 Sheriff..... Thos. Richardson
 County Surveyor..... S. A. Joyner
 County Assessor..... E. L. Gordon
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.
 Dist. No. 1..... W. O. Weaver
 Dist. No. 2..... Jake Talmadge
 Dist. No. 3..... J. J. Davis
ELGIN CITY OFFICERS.
ELGIN POSTOFFICE.
 Postmaster..... H. P. Wettengel
 Carrier Route 1..... E. H. Buckley
 Carrier Route 2..... R. B. Lanley
 Carrier Route 3..... John Cost
 Substitute Carrier..... H. L. Crumer
LODGES.
 M. W. A. Camp No. 11350, meets first Saturday night of each month.
 S. Stone, Consul; R. C. Choens, Clerk.
 Eastern Star, meets second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month.
 Mrs. Mamie Coffin, Worthy Matron; L. C. Coffin, Secretary.
 Yeoman, meets first Tuesday night of each month. T. O. Miller, Foreman.
 A. F. & A. M., meets second and fourth Saturday nights of each month.
 J. M. Hinds, Master; W. D. Pugh, Clerk.

ELGIN GOSPEL TEAM.
 Chairman..... H. P. Wettengel
 Secretary..... J. H. Willhite
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 16.
 Trustee..... W. F. Wolcott
 Clerk..... R. C. Choens
 Treasurer..... T. Ryan
 Principal..... J. H. Willhite
 Intermediate Teacher, Miss Cora Ray
 Primary teacher, Miss Blanche Calyer

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Railroad Time Table

FRISCO	
EAST BOUND	
No. 10 leaves.....	8:58 a. m.
No. 112 leaves.....	4:00 p. m.
WEST BOUND	
No. 9 leaves.....	12:35 p. m.
No. 407 leaves.....	9:17 p. m.

Local News Items
 E. H. Buckley was a caller in Fletcher Sunday.
 J. F. Ballou made a business trip to Lawton Friday.
 W. S. Jordan of Lawton was here on business Friday.
 Mrs. W. J. Grier went to Cement on business Tuesday.
 Thos. E. Bills is doing some painting in Fletcher this week.
 H. P. Rosacker of Sterling was a business caller here Tuesday.
 Sheriff Richardson and wife of Lawton were callers here Friday.
 C. E. Price and wife visited over Sunday with relatives at Sterling.
 For Sale—Whipporwill Cow Pens, \$2.50, per bushel. Anton Horstman.
 Mrs. D. E. McAnaw and Miss Alta Hoffer made a business trip to Lawton Friday.
 J. R. Campbell and family of Lawton visited Sunday with J. H. Willhite and mother.
 Rev. L. H. Shockley of the Letitia neighborhood was a business caller here Monday.
 Miss Elzena Rose left Monday for Edmond where she will attend the state normal during the summer.
 Miss Elzena Rose has been employed to teach the coming term of school in a district near Chattanooga.

Elgin Barber Shop
 First class work done
 Agent for
 Crystal Laundry, Lawton
A.P. Harney, Prop.

John Cost and wife visited over Sunday with her brother, who lives north of Fletcher on the the Frank James farm.
 50 gallons Oil.....\$3.50
 5 gallons Oil......40c
 Oil charged or paid for in produce is 10c straight—E. Stone, adv.
 Orange Putney, True Baker, Claud Wiggins and Misses Dott Wolcott and Nona Hayes were callers in Lawton Saturday evening.
 W. E. Weems, who had been visiting relatives here, left Saturday for his home at Blue Mt., Ark., accompanied by Athel Stone.
 Mrs. M. J. Vawter visited over Sunday in Lawton with her son, Arthur Vawter, who is working for the Hasenbeck grocery.
 The flour with a reputation, "Queen cherokee" unexcelled. The ideal family flour for bread, biscuits and pastry. For sale by E. Stone, adv.
 Mrs. V. L. Knowles and daughter, Mrs. N. B. Sparlin, moved here recently from Wichita, Kan., and are occupying the residence of Mrs. James Eads.
 Mrs. James Eads went to Lawton Thursday to assist at the Texas Rooming House while Mrs. Kennemur visited her son in Oklahoma City for a week or more.

Fresh cookies, cakes, crackers and candy all fresh from the best bakery in the land. Come and enjoy the delicious foods, get the best, it costs no more. E. Stone, adv.
 Charlie Tigg of the Mt. Scott neighborhood visited over Saturday night with J. F. Ballou. He had just returned from Cushing, where he had been working in the oil fields.

CREAM PATRONS
 Please deliver your cream on Wednesdays and Saturdays by
3 O'CLOCK
 on account of the present train service.
 Respectfully,
J. E. BYRD, PROPRIETOR

No. 907. Publisher's Report of the Condition of the

BANK OF ELGIN

of Elgin, Oklahoma, at the close of business, May 15, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$25,114.97
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	202.58
Stocks, Bonds, Warrants, etc	506.88
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	1,650.00
Due from Banks, and Cash in Bank	1,699.74
Total	\$29,174.17

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In	5,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes Paid	150.14
Due to Banks	487.75
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	17,523.81
Time Certificates of Deposit	2,820.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	295.02
Notes and Bills Rediscounted	1,897.95
Total	\$29,174.17

State of Oklahoma, County of Comanche, ss:
 I, W. W. Brunskill, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, so help me God.
 W. W. BRUNSKILL, President.
 F. M. English,
 B. M. Brunskill, Directors.

Correct—Attest:

Miss Mattie Cox, who had been visiting at the home of W. J. Greer, returned to Cement Monday.
 J. P. Kennemur was here Sunday from Lawton. He stated that he has sold out his rooming house there.
 Misses Jodie Wiggins, Stella and Ethel Harney left this evening for Weatherford, where they will attend the state normal during the summer.
 G. M. Malvern of Sterling was here Monday to meet George Elsass and family of Wellington, Kan., who came for a visit with relatives at Sterling.
Meat From Sterling.
 J. F. Ballou was in Sterling Tuesday and made arrangements with Ed Casey to furnish him meat. Mr. Casey will do the butchering and furnish Mr. Ballou what meat he wants, so that both towns can be supplied with meat. The first meat, one half of a beef, was hauled over from Sterling this morning by Freighter Halbrooks.
Races Matched.
 Grady Hopkins, winner of the 100 yard and the 220 yard dashes, class B, in the county contest, has challenged Ernest Kitsmiller, winner in class A, to a contest to be held Friday at the picnic given by the Beaver Bend school on its closing day. Said challenge has been accepted, if Ernest can get away to go.
It Poured.
 It didn't take time to rain this afternoon, it just poured.
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Any Insurance?
 This is the first question to be asked after a fire. Some answer "yes" with a light heart while others have to say "no" with a sigh. Another important question asked is
What Company Issued The Policy?
 There is no worry about the settlement when the policy has been issued by the HOME or the COLUMBIA. If insuring live stock a Columbia policy insures them anywhere, whether on or off the premises on which you live.
H. P. Wettengel
 ELGIN AGENT

DRAYING
 Is our business. We do it at Live and Let-Live prices.
C. F. BRANDON