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THE COUNTY'S FINANCES.

The annual report of County Clerk J. H. Bailey, which has already been published in this paper, shows that the outstanding indebtedness of Faulkner county on June 30, 1912, was \$53,833.27. To offset this there was in the hands of the county treasurer warrants subject to cancellation amounting to \$18,677.89, leaving the net indebtedness of the county \$35,155.38. This is an increase of \$3,303.68 over the net indebtedness of one year ago, the increase being occasioned by unusually large expenditures for circuit court costs and for roads and bridges, out of which fund alone about \$12,800 was drawn.

Six years ago, shortly before the present county judge assumed the office, the amount of outstanding county scrip was \$31,033.84, or about \$4,000 less than it was on June 30, 1912. It has been the ambition of Judge J. A. Lea to improve the highways and to bridge the streams of the county with permanent struc-

tures. With this slight increase in the indebtedness he has constructed steel bridges and culverts and made other permanent improvements, which were paid for out of the general county revenue, to the value of about \$50,000. The integrity of our county court is strikingly shown in the fact that this vast sum has been expended and not even a political enemy has ever hinted that the county did not get value received for every dollar. The many steel bridges will stand for generations as a monument to the progressiveness of Judge Lea.

Now that practically all the necessary bridges have been erected and the immediate needs in the way of permanent improvements have been met, it is to be hoped that the incoming county judge, John W. Holt, will be inspired by an ambition to free the county from debt and to make its warrants worth face value. Unless unforeseen expenditures are called for, he can during the four years he will probably hold the office, by limiting allowances to the actual necessary expenses of the county government, almost wipe out the indebtedness of the county. By so doing he, too, will have erected for himself a monument that will endure for many years.

THE NO HELL DOCTRINE.

The International Bible Students' Association, which recently informed the world that there is no hell and thereby secured for itself an incalculable amount of free advertising, is an auxiliary organization of the "Pastor Russell" syndicate of Brooklyn, N. Y. "Pastor Russell," who poses as the successor of De Witt Talmage, enunciates the same doctrine as to the absence of a place of eternal punishment for the unsaved and it is but natural that his disciples should agree with him. As to what other doctrines are contained in Pastor Russell's creed, the Log Cabin Democrat has not had the time or inclination to inquire, but he has developed a publicity bureau that challenges the admiration of the greatest press agent. He furnishes each week to thousands of newspapers copies of his sermon, either in abridged form or complete, and either in "plate" or printed copy, as the publisher desires. He also supplies a weekly Sunday school lesson in which the International lessons are interpreted in the light of Pastor Russell's belief. Not only are these published free by the newspapers, but in many cases the newspapers pay for the privilege of publishing them. Posing as traveling representatives of some "plate" or "ready print" houses, slick-tongued agents have been calling on the Log Cabin Democrat—and, of course, on the other papers of this state—about

twice a year, in an effort to induce us to use Pastor Russell's service. As the matter is offered at far less than cost and as the salesmen are evidently high-salaried men, it seems that Pastor Russell either finds that the advertising pays or else his syndicate is liberally endowed by his disciples.

The proposed bill of Representative-elect Robert Martin of Pulaski county to forbid the sale of "wild cat" mining and industrial stock is one of the few pieces of legislation for which there is a real need in the state. Thousands of hard-earned dollars in every county have gone into the tills of get-rich-quick promoters who, though dishonest as a burglar, have been out of the reach of the law. We no longer permit lotteries, betting on horse races or open gambling, yet these are less reprehensible than the sale of worthless stock certificates, for there is at least a small chance for the better to win, and there is none for the purchaser of the "wild cat" stock.

Democrats of Conway should organize a Wilson-Marshall club. Such organizations are being formed throughout the country and our city should not be without one.

QUITMAN HAS DAY OF EXCITEMENT

(From the Quitman Times.)
Yesterday evening about 3:30 a phone message gave the alarm that several parties started to the fire, some horseback, some on foot for C. A. Holland's dwelling was on fire. Mr. Holland's home is about a half mile north of town, but J. J. Memees being in town with his automobile in which several men seated themselves and in short time arrived at the fire. The fire was soon extinguished, with but little damage to the house. The fire is supposed to have started from a defective flue.

Yesterday morning about 11:45 a team belonging to a Conway liveryman ran away with, and completely demolishing the buggy to which it was attached. The horses took about mile chase before being caught. This runaway caused no little excitement down town, as only a few minutes previously church had been dismissed and women and children were on their way home, yet no one was hurt. It is to be hoped that in the future our phone man will not permit any team hitched to the telephone poles. And hereafter drivers should drop all traces when leaving their teams.

REDDING BOLTS B. MOOSE PARTY

Little Rock, July 23.—Sid B. Redding, clerk of the United States court in Little Rock and prominent in Arkansas Republican politics, has deserted the Roosevelt third party advocates and says he will remain in the Republican fold. Mr. Redding was one of the leaders in the Roosevelt movement in Arkansas and spent some time in Chicago endeavoring to secure recognition for the Roosevelt delegates in the Republican National Convention.

He was selected for the national committeeman to succeed Gen. Powell Clayton by the Roosevelt state convention, which met a few days before the Chicago convention. He says he declined to attend the Orchestra Hall convention in Chicago, which inaugurated the third party movement, and made up his mind after President Taft's nomination to support the nominees of the convention.

ROBERT JOHNSON ARRESTED.

Robert Johnson, who was indicted by the Faulkner county grand jury in January, 1911, was arrested in Perry county and brought to Conway for trial this morning.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

E. V. Johnston, 47, and Mrs. Mary J. Shaw, 43, Conway.

R. W. Smith, 21, and Ester Brady, 15, Naylor.

Geo. W. Houston, 26, and Ida Graham, 19, Mt. Vernon.

MILITIA COMPANY DRILLS.

The local militia held a good drill last night and the boys believe they are rounding into fine shape for the encampment at Alexandria, La., next week. The company will leave Conway for Alexandria next Saturday afternoon.

Private Willie Gaines of Hot Springs, a member of Company A., First Regiment of Arkansas National Guard, will arrive tonight to drill with the company preparatory to attending the annual encampment at Alexandria, La.

Personals

Barnes, Photos, phone 93.

Hartford Life is better.

G. A. Watkins has returned from Little Rock.

T. W. Allinder spent yesterday in Little Rock.

R. A. Reynolds is spending the day in Little Rock.

Ingram Hartje went to Russellville this afternoon.

WM. CADDY, the baggage man. Phones 321, 113.

Boys' slippers at less than cost. See Wilson Bros.

That Hartford policy is a winner. See R. L. Jackson.

For fine peaches at 50c per bushel, call 163. J. J. Hiegel.

The event of the season—slipper bargains at Wilson Bros.

Miss Angie Harton of Searcy was the guest of Misses Theresa Sloan Sunday.

Found—A gold cuff button. Owner may obtain same at this office by paying for this ad.

Finest peaches ready for delivery about July 22. Telephone orders to Bob King, phone 319.

317 of them and they are all beauties, and the prices are marked down—men's oxfords at Wilson Bros.

The final Clean Sweep Sale of all low cut shoes ought to interest you. Wilson Bros.

Mrs. J. M. Downing and Miss Gene Duncan left this morning for a visit to friends at Alma.

S. R. Ethridge will represent the Faulkner county fair at the big Blue and Gray reunion at Bee Branch tomorrow and Thursday.

You will want another pair of slippers before the summer is gone. Buy them now. Wilson Bros.

Mrs. G. A. Simmons has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Greenville, Miss., and Trenton, Tenn.

The ladies of Conway can find something of special interest to them in oxfords and pumps at Wilson Bros.

W. A. Wilson went to Lamar this morning. While in that city he will be engaged in the peach picking industry.

Wanted—Twenty young men to help with the peach business in Johnson county. See J. I. McClurkin for particulars.

Spirella corsets in the net material for summer means comfort, hygiene, freedom of movement. Mrs. W. B. Hines, representative.

For Sale—Finest Jersey cow in the county. Will be fresh July 24. At the fair three seasons; won six blue ribbons. J. D. Collier.

R. D. Howell spent yesterday in Little Rock arranging for a new film service, which he says will be far superior to anything ever shown in Conway.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Juanita Hines of Booneville entertained 14 of her young friends at the Hines hotel, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Rhoton of Little Rock.

Ten acres of land one-half mile east of Hendrix College for sale on easy terms. All in cultivation, and especially adapted to truck-farming. Apply to Dr. H. E. Cureton. 6d-2w

Keep cool! Use McCulloch's ice, made in Conway from pure, sparkling distilled water. Delivered in any quantity. Can now saw 50 or 100 pound deliveries in solid blocks to fit your refrigerators.

SEEK \$300,000 IN BACK TAXES

Little Rock, July 22.—The suits that have just been brought at Fort Smith against Sebastian county corporations for a total of \$305,303.46 in back taxes, is a part of the general campaign that has been inaugurated throughout the state to force corporations to pay arrears on fraudulent or excessively low assessments during the last ten years. There are seven companies involved at Fort Smith, the suits having been drawn by Assistant Attorney General Wm. H. Rector, upon information furnished by the State Tax Commission. The largest individual sum asked for is \$229,636.42, alleging that the company has not paid on the prevalent basis of assessment since 1906. Little Rock, Helena, Fort Smith and Hot Springs are the cities that are principally concerned so far, but other suits are planned that will let few counties escape.

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Eight courses: A. B., B. S., Piano, Voice, Violin, Art, Expression, Domestic Science.
Splendid Faculty. Moderate Charges. Beautiful Surroundings.
No death has ever occurred among the boarding students of the College.
Address, GEORGE H. CROWELL, President.

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Grounds, building and equipment represents \$1,000,000 expenditure.

Courses in all the arts and sciences, in Agriculture, in Civil, Electrical, and Mechanical Engineering.

Positive Christian influences. Free tuition. No preparatory department. Address,

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WAMPINE MEDICINE COMPANY

Big Bottle, \$1.50. LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

COTTON CONDITION IS POOR IN EAST

GOOD PROGRESS IN WEST

IMPROVEMENT THIS SIDE OF RIVER OUTWEIGHED BY EAST DETERIORATION.

Memphis, July 22.—The Commercial Appeal's weekly summary of cotton conditions says today:

The cotton crop duplicated its performance of the previous week and made progress west of the river and lost ground east of the river during last week.

Western progress was at least balanced by Eastern deterioration and probably outweighed.

In some parts of the section east of the river progress was made, due to the scattered nature of the rains which have visited that section during the last three weeks. In large portions of states nearest the Mississippi river the precipitation has not been excessive, and in these districts the crop made good advance. But the deterioration in the portions of these states where rainfall was too heavy added to the almost solid deterioration farther east overbalanced the gains made in the good sections and caused a general deterioration on the whole. The plant in this section is generally gone too much to weed; is sappy and tender and poorly prepared to withstand dry weather. Cultivation has been arrested and fields are full of grass and weeds, many acres having been

abandoned on this account. Open weather is needed though correspondents fear any lengthy dry season on account of the sappy nature of the plant.

West of the river progress was excellent, especially in Oklahoma and Texas, where the splendid conditions of the last fortnight was maintained. A drought is threatened in parts of this territory, but so far no actual damage has resulted from the dry weather. Plants are fruiting splendidly and are in clean, well-cultivated fields.

Complaints of boll weevil are rather few, with very little damage so far. Complaints of grass worm and kindred insects were made from some sections, considerable damage from this source having been reported from the East.

Miss Sallie Harton has returned to her home in this city after a visit to friends in Pine Bluff.

We are now prepared to save you money on your building. See us.

Major & Dawson Contractors

A Tip About Bugs

Ross' "Dead Quick" Spray will kill any old bug the moment applied. Chicken lice, mites, ants, fleas, moths, bedbugs, etc. Can be killed and the premises freed of them in a day. It is like a whirlwind among mosquitos. Sold in Conway by your druggists. W. C. Ross Medicine Co. Little Rock, Ark.



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Days every week

We Bake GOOD THINGS to Eat

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They are built best, wear best, are best, and never disappoint. We have them in rubber tired for town driving.

The Sun Never Goes Down on The Studebaker.

Frauenthal & Schwarz

FREE Beauty For You For The Asking

ON Tomorrow, July 24th drop in at our store and get, FREE, this jar of Wilson's Freckle Cream. Beginning this day, we will give a jar this exact size to the first 50 ladies who ask.

We could not make this liberal offer if we did not know that a trial of Wilson's Freckle Cream would establish it permanently on your toilet table.

Wilson's Freckle Cream

Is positively guaranteed to remove freckles, tan and sunburn and restore the natural beauty of your skin, blonde or brunette.

It is soothing, cooling and of dainty, delicate fragrance. Harmless, and will not make hair grow.

We have arranged with the Wilson Freckle Cream Co. of Charleston, S. C. to make this splendid offer.

Don't miss it.

Greeson Drug Co.

