

—In response to the call for a meeting to organize a literary society a goodly number of representative citizens assembled at the Courier sanctum last Saturday evening and made good headway. A temporary organization was effected by making David Bartlett chairman and F. C. Holmes secretary, when the work of adopting a constitution and by-laws was undertaken. No name for the society was chosen and the regular officers will not be elected until the first Wednesday in September, when it is expected the society will be as flourishing as a palm tree. An informal meeting will be held at the school house next Wednesday evening, and it is expected that an entertaining program will await the public, who are cordially invited to be there at 7:30 sharp. This is an organization that promises to result beneficially in more ways than one to our thrifty place, and we trust our people will be prompt and hearty in their recognition of its worth. It is a correct move in the right direction which promises to develop much latent ability that perchance sleepeth in our midst.