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Tahoka Public School Opens Monday--Strong Faculty--Record Attendance Expected



E. A. WHITE, Superintendent.

E. A. White was reared in Hamilton County where he finished the public school work at Pottsville, Texas and afterwards taught, and finished the course at the North Texas State Normal, which diploma ranks as a permanent State certificate. He has had nine years experience in teaching in the public schools of Texas.

SCHOLASTIC LAW, EXPENSE

Pupils who are between the ages of 17 and 21 and who reside in a district not maintaining a school of proper classification for them to attend, should be transferred to an adjacent or convenient district in which a school of proper classification is maintained. The transfers cannot be made by the county superintendent under the provisions of section 62 of the 1911 School Laws Pamphlet, since they cannot be enumerated on the census rolls of their district. Transfers for this kind should be made by the county board of education, and the county superintendent should be instructed by the board to transfer a sufficient amount of the funds from the district in which the pupil resides to provide free tuition for such time as the school of the district from which they are transferred are maintained.

Pupils over 21 years of age will pay \$2.50 per month.

Pupils under the scholastic age will be charged \$1.50 per month.

A laboratory fee of \$2 per quarter will be charged those in each branch of Science.

First class board may be had with private families at \$12.50 to 15.00 per month.



MISS WILLIE SLOVER.

Miss Willie Slover finished the course in the Tahoka public school and then went to Canyon where she completed a course which grants a diploma that is equivalent to a permanent State certificate. She has had one year's experience in the training school there.

LOST—One brown mare, about 14½ hands high, five years old, unbranded, collar marks on shoulder. Strayed or stolen from J. S. Wells' pasture about a month ago. Reward for information leading to her recovery—W. D. Nevels, Tahoka. 4-tf



MISS LUCY GATHINGS, Primary.

Miss Lucy Gathings did the work required in the Roscoe public school. She then went to Canyon, Texas, where she finished the teacher's course that ranks as a permanent State certificate. She has had a year's experience in the training department.

EXPRESSION—MISS EMMA NATION, INSTRUCTRESS.

The object of the study of expression is to train the student to arrive at a right understanding of literature and the appreciation of its spirit and essence; to inspire in him the constant endeavor to embody this spirit and to train the voice and spirit that they may perfectly reveal it.

We may best define this study as the culture of the mind, the body and the soul. Of all the arts, expression is the greatest because it offers the largest and fullest development which is the foundation of natural development.

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FIRST YEAR: Physical Culture, Voice Culture, Evolution of Expression, Vol. I and II, Sight Reading, Pantomime, Recitals.

Second Year: Physical Culture, Voice Culture, Evolution of Expression, Vol. III and IV, Gesture, Pantomime, Scene Work, Shakespeare, Recitals in Pantomime, Short Stories.

THIRD YEAR: Physical Culture, Voice Culture, Pantomime, Gesture, Perfective Laws of Art, Vol. I and II, Shakespeare, Recitals, Plays.

FOURTH YEAR: Physical Culture, Voice Culture, Gesture, Poetic Interpretation, Pantomime, Perfective Laws of Art, Vol. III and IV, Recitals, Plays.

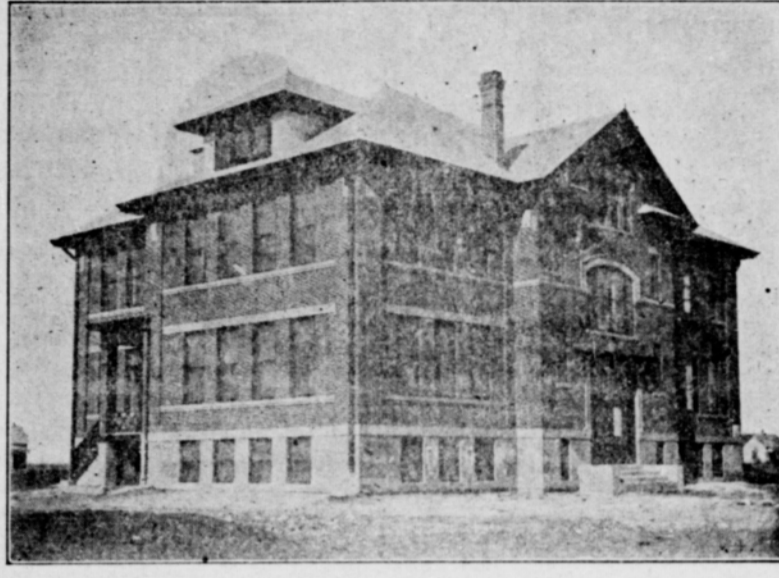
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TAHOKA PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING

Course of Study, Including The High School Department

FIRST GRADE

Reading; Arnold's Primer; Hill's Reader, Book One and Art Literature, Book One.

Spelling; New Century Spelling Book, pages 15 to 28.

Writing; New Outlook Book One.

Language; By direction of the teacher during the entire year.

Numbers; First Journeys in Numberland to page 82.

General Lessons; Physiology and Hygiene, Local Geography and Nature Study.

SECOND GRADE

Reading; Hill's Reader, Book Two and Art Literature, Book Two.

Spelling; New Century Spelling Book, Section 44, Page 36.

Writing; New Outlook Writing, Book Two.

Language; Our Language, First Book to page 95, in the hands of the teacher only.

Numbers; First Journeys in Numberland, completed.

General Lessons; Physiology and Hygiene and Nature Study.

THIRD GRADE

Reading; Hill's Reader, Book Three and Art Literature, Book Three.

Spelling; New Century Spelling Book, to page 65.

Writing; New Outlook Writing, Book Three.

Language; Our Language, First Book, from page 95 to end of book.

Numbers; Sutton and Bruce's Arithmetic, Lower Book, to

page 193. Supplement with Hopkin's Mental Arithmetic. Geography—World Geography to page 86.

General Lessons—Physiology and Hygiene, First Book of Health to page 81; Songs by the teacher and Nature Study continued.

FOURTH GRADE

Reading; Hill's Reader, Book Four and Elson's Book Four. Supplemented by the teacher.

Spelling; New Century Spelling Book to page 86 Each pupil should have a small dictionary and be taught to use it.

Writing; New Outlook, Book Four.

Language; Our Language, Second Book to page 119.

Numbers; Sutton and Bruce's Arithmetic, Lower Book to page 202. Supplement with Hopkin's and Underwood's Mental Arithmetic.

Geography; The World Geography, First Book completed.

General Lessons—Physiology and Hygiene, The Book of Health, completed; Nature Study.

FIFTH GRADE

Reading; Hill's Reader, Book Five and Elson's Fifth Reader. Correlated Beginner's History of Our Country.

Spelling; Complete The New Century to page 113. Use Large Dictionary.

Writing; New Outlook Writing, Book Five.

Language; Our Language, Second Book to page 234.



MISS JENNIE LOWE.

Miss Jennie Lower graduated in a public school in Oklahoma. She then finished the High School course in the Tahoka High School and now holds a first grade State certificate. She has had one year of experience in teaching in Lynn County.

Arithmetic; Sutton and Bruce's Lower Book to completion and Sutton and Bruce's Higher to page 62, supplemented with Hopkin's and Underwood's Mental Arithmetic.

Geography; The World Geography, second book to page 148.

Physiology; Human Body and its Enemies to Chapter 28.

General Lessons; Music and Memory Work.

SIXTH GRADE

Reading; Elson's Reader Book Six. Supplemented with Spelling.

History; A School History of Texas to page 376. Supplemented with Pennybacker's Texas History.

Spelling; New Century Spelling Book to page 105.

Writing; The New Outlook Writing Book six.

Grammar; Our Language Grammar to page 126.

Arithmetic; Sutton and Bruce's Arithmetic Higher Book pages 62 to 178. Supplemented with Hopkin's and Underwood's Mental Arithmetic.

Geography; World Geography Second Book to page 256.

Physiology; Human Body and its Enemies Completed.

SEVENTH GRADE

Reading; Elson's Reader Book Seven. Correlated with Grammar.

Civics; Texas and Federal. Complete the Book. Correlate with History.

History; Hall, Smith & Ousley's History, of Our Country.

Spelling; New Century Spelling Book to page 184.

Writing; New Outlook Writing Book 7.

Grammar; Our Language Grammar to page 261.

COURSE OF STUDY FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT LITERARY COURSE

FIRST YEAR.

English; Herrick and Damon's New Composition and Rhetoric to page 221, composition work in classics.

Mathematics; Wentworth's New School Algebra to page 205.

History; Andrew's English History.

Latin; Bennett's.

Physiology; Ritchie's Human Physiology, with Laboratory.

SECOND YEAR.

English; Herrick and Damon's New Composition and Rhetoric to page 426, correlated with composition practice with selections from English and American Literature.



E. F. PURYEAR, Principle.

E. F. Puryear has had both high school and college training together with five years of Summer Normal work. He has had four years experience in teaching, three years in Missouri and one in Texas.

Mathematics; Wentworth's New School Algebra completed and reviewed.

History; Meyer's Ancient begun and completed.

Latin; Three Books of Caesar.

Physical Geography; Tarr's New Physical Geography with Laboratory experiments.

THIRD YEAR.

English; Herrick and Damon's New Composition and Rhetoric completed, Composition practice and History of American Literature.

Mathematics; Wentworth's Plane Geometry, Books I, II, III and IV.

History; Myer's Mediaeval and Modern History completed.

Latin or Chemistry; Latin, One Book of Caesar and Four Orations of Cicero.

Chemistry; First Principals in Chemistry, Brownlee, Fuller, Hovecek, Sohon and Whitset.

FOURTH YEAR.

English; History of English Literature, Halleck, begun and completed. Text and a study of selections from English Classics.

Mathematics; Wentworth's Plane Geometry completed, solving all originals. Review advanced arithmetic and algebra.

History and Civics; American History, Doub's History of the United States and Towne's Civil Government.

Latin or Chemistry; Cicero's The Manilian Law; Vergil's Aeneid, three books.

Chemistry; McPherson and Henderson, an Elementary Chemistry.

Physics; Carhart and Chute's First Principals of Physics with laboratory experiments.



MUSIC—MISS GERTRUDE JOHNSON, INSTRUCTRESS.

Miss Johnson's preparation for music has been thorough and practical. She has been a student under Miss Parkhouse, who is a graduate of Boston Conservatory of Music; a student under Prof. W. A. Bucklin, now instructor of music in the Industrial Col-

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The Plains counties will, most of them, come out losers on the five cent tax for Confederate pensions. The Plainview News says that Hale county will pay out \$4,500 and only get \$300 back. Lynn county will furnish \$1,489, and we get back \$120.

We are in receipt of a letter from H. B. Murray, of Post City, editor of The Post and traveling representative of the Department of Agriculture for the state, in which he states he has definitely decided to enter the race for representative to the next legislature.

The Times, published at Canal Winchester, Ohio, had in its issue of September 18, two columns of Plains boosting matter taken from the Lynn County News, Yoakum County News and Terry County Herald. It is curious to note how papers published in other states can print complimentary clippings taken from West Texas papers, but who ever heard of an East Texas paper ever printing any thing good about this country?

Democrats of West Texas do not propose to be overlooked in 1914. Hon. Thomas M. Bartley, of Lynn county, will be a candidate for land commissioner, and Sheriff T. F. McClure, of Jones county, will be in the race for state comptroller of accounts. Mr. Bartley, as chairman of the house committee on public lands, made a record at Austin during the regular and special sessions, while Sheriff McClure is one of the best known officers in the Texas. The latter will begin an active campaign Feb. 1, 1914, and will establish headquarters in one of the North Texas cities—Fort Worth Record.

As to Mr. McClure, all the News knows about him is that Rev. Nicholson, the incoming pastor of the Tahoka Baptist church, vouches for him, which is enough for us; as he is a West Texas man, we're 'fer' him. As for 'Tom' as he likes to be called, we have known him intimately for ten years

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and have been 'fer' him every time; not so much on account of personal friendship, as for the fact that we knew him to be fully qualified to fill every office he has asked for, and he has more than filled our expectations, as school teacher, county judge and legislator. Tom Bartley will open his campaign for land commissioner about the first of the year, and we wish to go on record as saying, that no man in Texas is better qualified to fill the office of land commissioner than Hon. Thomas M. Bartley, of West Texas.

Wednesday afternoon of last week, B. M. Baker, proprietor of a hotel in Graham, was shot four times and Leonard Graves, who lives north of Graham, surrendered to the authorities and was released on \$1,000 bail. The shooting occurred on the north side of the square and a cheap 38 caliber pistol was used. One shot took effect in the front of the leg below the knee, another struck the back of the leg near where the other emerged. One shot took effect in the left shoulder, the other in the left side of the back under the shoulder blade. The physicians announce that while serious, the wounds are not necessarily dangerous.

Baker was under \$7,500 bond to appear in court the next day to answer to the charge of rape and a sister of Graves is the prosecuting witness.

A full line of school supplies at Parkhurst Broken \$ Store. 4-6-2

Garza county will hold an election on October the 11th, to see whether or not road improvement bonds to the amount of \$50,000 be issued and a tax levied to pay the interest and furnish a sinking fund to retire the bonds in 40 years from date of issue.

Murray for Representative.

Mr. H. B. Murray, of Post City, is a candidate for representative of his district. The people of the Plains are fortunate in having a gentleman of his ability who will make a campaign for the position, as the limited salary makes the holding of the office a sacrifice for anyone who is qualified for it. Mr. Murray is eminently fitted for the position, having been in turn a teacher in the public schools, County and District Clerk, editor of the Post City Post, and traveling representative of the Department of agriculture, all of which positions call for an active participation in public affairs. He is probably the best informed man in West Texas concerning its needs, and it is doubtful if anyone could be found who would be able to do more for the country. In the course of his duties with the Department of Agriculture, Mr. Murray has visited our city several times, and he has impressed all with whom he has been associated by his ability and attention to the needs of our farmers. We sincerely hope that Mr. Murray will be elected, as such men are of benefit to the whole of Western Texas.—Toyah Enterprise. [Adv.] 4-11

On February 22nd, 1914, Parkhurst Broken \$ Store will give away absolutely free an Elgin gold filled Watch and Fob for the greatest number of 5 cent coupons; your 25 cent coupons will equal five 5 cent coupons etc. These coupons will be given with school supplies only. 4-6-2

CITY BUILDING NOTES

(By L. M. Ward, President Texas Commercial Executives Association)

Every man is master of his city's destiny. Pay your poll tax and qualify as a booster. Progress rests upon incentive to individual effort. No one can prosper today by using the methods of yesterday.



Cleanliness is next to Godliness, but fly swating is divine

If opportunity does not knock at your door, advertise for it.

Make your city capable of measuring up to every opportunity.

The town knocker is the most undesirable in our social fabric.

Co-operation is a most vital factor in town progressiveness.

Individual interests interfere immeasurably with the development of some communities.

Work for the upbuilding of our city and state—either pull in the traces or roll at the wheel.

The most selfish thing a citizen can do is to assist in the general upbuilding of his community.

First impressions are lasting—Are the surroundings of your railroad station attractive?

It is as important to keep some industries out of your community as it is to endeavor to secure others.

GOOD ROADS REDUCE EXPENSE.



By Homer D. Wade, Secretary Texas Good Roads Association.

"Over the Roads to the market," is the ever sounding cry of the nation. It reverberates along the highways of commerce and finds its way into the minds of men.

To reduce the cost of transportation and make farming more remunerative is the thing that is attracting the attention of those who strive for the uplift of mankind. In Texas the evolution is going steadily onward. So far this year over \$4,000,000 in good roads bonds has been issued, an amount sufficient to improve 1,000 miles of public highways.

The farmers of Texas will market this year over ten million tons of products, entailing a highway expense of approximately \$21,000,000. If all our roads were in first class condition this enormous expense would be reduced one-half, as the cost of hauling freight over the mud hole and through the sand is 43 cents per ton mile while the cost over improved highway is 23 cents per mile.

Good roads reduce expense and distance as well.

HOW MUCH IS THE WOMAN ON THE FARM WORTH?



(By Mrs. E. P. Turner, Chairman, Home and Schools, Texas Farm Life Commission.)

Is the woman on the farm worth as much as the horse, cow or the poultry with which the first class farm is equipped?

Before the farm woman is fully appreciated, in many instances, she must be educated to a fuller appreciation of her own value and economic waste attending the doing of work in inconvenient surroundings. When the housewife on the farm comes to a full understanding of her worth, it will be an easy matter for her to impress her husband with the fact that she is entitled to up-to-date equipment with which to carry on her household duties, and that the modern conveniences will mean dollars in his pocket, as well as a wife that is not over-worked and prematurely old.

It is the duty of every farmer's wife to know her own value in

order that she may make the most of opportunities in her everyday life.



A HINT TO THE HOUSE WIFE ON AD READING.

(By W. H. Harris, Chairman Mercantile Committee Commercial Secretaries Association.)

The tendency of the average woman to buy everything a cheaply as possible, and her success in life depends largely on the way she spends the family earnings. Her dollar is the yardstick by which all bargains are measured and her pocket book governs her expenditures. Before she places an order she meditates and investigates. She welcomes any suggestion intended to decrease the high cost of living or increase her purchasing efficiency.

The advertisements in this paper are an open mine of reliable information on purchasing problems of the housewife. They represent a service rendered by the merchant to the consumer and every advertisement you read in this paper is the expression of a dealer whose methods and goods are honest. Get the ad reading habit and increase the purchasing power of your dollar. You will be well advised if you accept their suggestions.

A 16 year old Mexican boy was drowned while bathing in the Clear Fork river near Roby Wednesday of last week. The Mexican, with others were picking cotton on the Crouch farm a few mile west of Roby.

Walter Gainer made a trip to Tahoka after groceries last week and got back Sunday evening. Our town (Gomez) for several days was out of flour, meal and sugar and right now is preserving and sweet pickling time.—Terry County Herald.

Monday of last week, Duck Dobbs, a young man of near Afton, Dickens county, was accidentally shot with a twenty-two rifle in the hands of Walter Stokes. The boys were out hunting when the gun was discharged the ball striking young Dobbs in the side and he is reported in a critical condition.

The Staked Plains Baptist Association met with the Calvary Baptist Church in Plainview from Tuesday afternoon to Friday noon of last week.

There are thirty-one Churches in the Association, situated in seven counties, twenty-eight being represented at this session. It being considered to large, the Association was divided at the Floyd

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places next year, thus striking at the root of the evil.

J. S. Rogers, the district feed inspector, was a visitor in Tahoka Thursday and Friday of last week looking after things in his department and keeping things straight. Mr. Rogers says he finds very few men out in this country who are intentionally breaking the pure food laws, but once in a while he finds those who through misunderstanding of the law do those things that fall short of the letter of the law, but everyone in this county are willing to do right if only shown how it should be done.

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KATY IMPROVEMENT WORK SUSPENDED.

Credit of Road Impaired by Hostility on Part of the State.

The announcement of President Schaff of the M. K. & T. Railway that his road would suspend extension and improvement work pending settlement of the \$105,000,000 lawsuit, it is understood, has affected the expenditure of several million dollars on their properties and the litigation has created a feeling of distrust in railroad and financial circles.

The Katy railroad operates 1,610 miles of line in Texas, it touches most of the important cities, penetrates the most productive region of the state and one-half our population is tributary to its tracks. It is such an important factor in the industrial affairs of the State that its affliction is felt by a large number of our people and the litigation becomes one of general interest to the public.

The Attorney General seeks to prevent the Katy from leasing the Texas Central lines, alleges an unfair division of the rates on interstate business and claims violation of the general office law. In discussing this feature of the litigation, President Schaff said: "The action of the Governor and Attorney General in preventing the M. K. & T. of Texas from availing itself of this legislation has been most discouraging, especially in view of the overwhelming demand from all sections of the State for the passage of this law." Concerning the division of rates he calls attention to the offer made to the Texas Railroad Commission to co-operate with them in an investigation of this subject. It is a well known fact that the M. K. & T. Railway Company of Texas has its general offices in Dallas and that the president and general manager of the road reside in the State.

In discussing the effects of the suit upon the future policy of the road, Mr. Schaff said:

"All work of improvement and extension will necessarily have to be suspended, as we cannot afford to take the responsibility of expending additional money for improving and extending railroad property in Texas in the face of the hostile attitude of the State administration manifested in his litigation. The suit has destroyed the credit of the road in the money markets of the world until the company's rights have been determined in court."

plan to sprinkle the grain drill with the liquid before putting the seed into it. Exercise every precaution not to bring the treated seed into contact with grain that has not been treated, avoiding the use of bins that have contained smut infested wheat. The wheat should be treated but a short time before sowing.

SOWING

Sow all wheat with some good, reliable grain drill and cover with a press wheel attachment if possible. This press wheel attachment "firms" the ground above and immediately around the seed, and insures a better stand. If a press wheel attachment can not be had, a roller will do a great deal of good if used immediately after the drill. The roller must be followed at once with a common harrow. The seed should be sowed deep enough to come in contact with the moist soil, but this should not be over two to four inches deep. Wheat can be sowed slightly deeper in sandy soils than in heavy or tight soils.

WHEAT ACERAGE

It is far better to sow a smaller acreage, and do it rightly, than to sow twice as many acres on ground that has been but half prepared. We cannot afford to "Hog-In" our wheat.

H. M. BAINER, Agricultural Demonstrator, Santa Fe Railway Company, Amarillo, Texas.

NOTICE--The school books do not belong to us, so please do not ask to have them charged. 3-4 2 THOMAS BROS. DRUG CO.

Sam Higgins, his daughter, Mrs. Mary Risinger and her two children, came in from Merkle Monday and will make their home here with Mr. Higgins' son Tom, who runs the Snider float team. Tom says that after nearly 28 years he is again keeping house, in the Joplin house just southwest of the depot.

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We have fifteen cotton mills in Texas representing an investment of \$2,229,000, running 112,404 spindles and having a capacity of 40,000 bales, a yearly output valued at approximately \$2,250,000 and giving employment to 1,900 people.

Our cotton mills use less than one per cent of our cotton production; the remaining ninety-nine per cent seeks the foreign factory. The people of Texas consume approximately 220,000 bales of cotton per annum and yet out of the 40,000 bales manufactured in Texas, at least seventy per cent of it must find a market outside of the State, due to our failure to patronize home industry. It would require 1,500 cotton mills of the capacity of our present factories to consume the product of our farms, call for an investment of \$250,000,000, give employment to 150,000 people and add approximately a quarter of a billion dollars in value to our cotton crop.

These desirable conditions can only be obtained through co-operation and by fostering and encouraging this important industry.

The cotton mill and the cotton farmer are inseparable comrades and in promoting the prosperity of the former we build up the latter.

MILLION BARRELS OF FOREIGN FLOUR IS SOLD IN TEXAS ANNUALLY.

Texas Millers Heavy Purchasers of Oklahoma and Kansas Wheat.

Industry Susceptible to Marvellous Development.

The flour mills of Texas constitute one of the most important industries in the State. According to the Federal census report of 1910, we have 238 mills, employing 1,899 people and representing an investment of \$13,219,000. The industry has shown an increase of 118 mills and an increase of investment during the past decade of \$9,236,000 and now ranks third among our industries as to capital and second in value of its output.

We have a flour milling capacity of 7,800,000 barrels annually. The average consumption per capita is about one barrel per annum or approximately 4,000,000 barrels, leaving 3,800,000 barrels to seek an export market. A few mills not able to enter the export trade have been compelled to shut down for want of a market, although a million barrels of foreign flour are sold in Texas each year. The patronage of home industry would open these mills and give employment to 500 people and increase the demand for wheat raised by the Texas farmers.

The miller is perhaps the only manufacturer in Texas that has outgrown the raw material produced on our farms. We produced last year 11,025,000 bushels of wheat which is 25,000,000 below the annual capacity of the mills. The Texas millers are heavy purchasers of Oklahoma and Kansas wheat. A number of the Texas mills have built up an extensive export trade with Central America, Cuba, Porto Rico, and quite a few of them go to England and the Continent with a considerable bulk of their output.

The opening of the Panama canal will enlarge the marketing zone of the Texas output and call for an increase in the area of our wheat fields, but both the farmer and the miller need the friendship of the consumer in building up our flour industry.

Some Pointers on Wheat Seeding

H. M. Bainer, Santa Fe Demonstrator, Gives Formula For Smut Treatment. Some Other Valuable Information

We know that early deep preparation of land for wheat is advisable. Ground that has been well plowed or listed in July or early August, and properly cared for after that time, will show a better yield than land prepared later than the dates mentioned. August plowing or listing is better than plowing or listing done in September for wheat. Ground prepared after September first must be plowed shallower, and it will likely not make as large a yield as that plowed early and deeply and well placed. The land that is prepared late should be well packed with a sub-surface packer. If the sub-surface packer cannot be obtained, the common smoothing harrow used two or three times over the field, immediately after the plowing, will do much good. The harrowing, together with the tramping of the horses used in drawing the harrow, will aid in "firming" the ground. We must remember that wheat requires a firm seed bed.

TIME FOR SEEDING

The time for seeding wheat must necessarily vary according to the season and location.

For Kansas and Oklahoma conditions, the best wheat crops usually come from sowing from September 15 to October 15, provided that the season is favorable.

For Northwestern Texas conditions, later sowing has proven more successful, the time being from October 1 to November 1, depending on the season. Sowing as late as December 1, often produces good results.

GOOD SEED

Too much cannot be said in favor of good, pure seed. Much of the wheat used for seed this fall will doubtless be badly mixed and of an inferior quality. It pays to sow good seed, even if it has to be secured at prices above the average market. Turkey Red and Kharkof wheats will be found as good varieties as may be obtained for our conditions. These are both hardy winter varieties of excellent milling and good yielding qualities.

QUANTITY OF SEED TO SOW

Wheat raisers continue to make the mistake of sowing too much

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Flows made any size, wagon and boggy work done. Satisfaction Guaranteed at

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seed. For Kansas and Oklahoma conditions 45 pounds of seed per acre is usually sufficient, provided that the wheat is sown in season in well prepared ground. Under no conditions should we sow more than one bushel per acre. For Northwestern Texas conditions, 30 pounds of seed per acre is sufficient, if sown in well prepared ground, and 25 pounds per acre is usually enough. We must give the wheat a chance to stool, which it cannot do if sown too thickly.

TREATMENT FOR SMUT

It is a good plan to treat all seed wheat for smut, whether the seed appears to be free from it or not. The "Formalin Treatment," as set out in the following, is considered most reliable:

Secure a 40 per cent solution of formalin at a reliable drug store. One pound of this 40 per cent formalin solution, carefully mixed with 40 gallons of water, is sufficient to treat from 2,000 to 2,500 pounds of wheat. The seed may be treated by dip-

Use of Calomel Practically Stopped

For Bilious Attacks, Constipation and All Liver Troubles. Dangerous Calomel Gives Way to Dodson's Liver Tone

Every druggist in the state has noticed a great falling off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is often dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results," says Thomas Bros. Drug Co.

Dodson's Diver Tone is personally guaranteed by Thomas Bros. Drug Co. who sell it. A large bottle costs 50 cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of sluggishness, you have only to ask for your money back. It will be promptly returned.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. A bottle in the house may save you a day's work or keep your children from missing school. Keep your liver working and your liver will not keep you from working.

ing or sprinkling. To dip, the seed may be placed in a gunny sack and submerged or covered in the solution, the liquid being in a barrel or tank. The bag or sack should be allowed to remain immersed in this solution at least ten minutes, after which it is taken up, allowing the liquid to drain back into the tank or barrel for a short time. The wheat should then be emptied onto a clean place and covered with sacks or blankets for two hours, after which it should be thoroughly dried before sowing.

To sprinkle, prepare a clean place on a canvas or smooth floor, and thoroughly sprinkle the space to be occupied by the wheat, with the solution, before the seed is emptied upon it. Now spread the wheat upon the space thus prepared for it, and sprinkle the solution all over it, shoveling the grain in such way over and over, so as to insure that all of the seed will be uniformly moistened with the liquid. Having thoroughly dampened the wheat with the solution, shovel the grain into a pile and cover with sacks or blankets for two hours, after which it should be thoroughly dried before sowing. Do not allow the wheat to remain wet too long after treating, as the germinating qualities may be injured.

Place the dried wheat in sacks that have been dipped in the solution, and it will be found a good

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MUSIC—MISS GERTRUDE JOHNSON, INSTRUCTRESS

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lege of Louisiana; and a student under Prof. Thomas Daws, recently of Germany, and other able and competent instructors. Her work will be piano and theory.

Music is a succession of sounds which please the ear or awaken pleasing emotions, also the art of producing such sounds and the science which treats of their properties and relations.

All sounds are the result of very rapid regular vibrations of some elastic medium, usually the air set in motion by a sounding body, transmitted through the intervening space in the form of waves and striking the mechanism of the ear. If the vibrations are fewer than sixteen or more than 8192 in a second the sound ceases to be a musical sound. It is a mere noise.

Musical tones vary in three respects, pitch, intensity or loudness and timbre or quality.

The history of music is naturally divided into two great periods, Ancient and Modern, distinguished by two facts: The Ancient knew nothing of harmony, that is, of the results produced by sounding several notes together: They also knew nothing of the key.

The oldest records of music are those of ancient Egypt, dating to about 400 B. C. Among the Hebrews and Assyrians the important phase of music was its religious significance. It was left for the Greeks to give the first great impetus to the study. Their music was inseparably linked with poetry. The next great epoch in the history of music begins with the rise of Christianity, the first great name being that of Gregory the Great, to whom is due the Gregorian Chant.

In the 16th century another revival took place, and among the names of musical importance of that time are Martin Luther and Palestrina, probably the greatest musical genius in Italian history. Numerous musicians have become widely known and today our system of music fills a great place among our freedom loving people.

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On February 22nd, 1914, Parkhurst Broken \$ Store will give away absolutely free an Elgin gold filled Watch and Fob for the greatest number of 5 cent coupons; your 25 cent coupons will equal five 5 cent coupons etc. These coupons will be given with school supplies only. 4-6 1

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I will buy all your fat Jersey and off-colored calves and yearlings.—Lyall McGonagill. 2-tf

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Get a contract with the National Equitable Society, a loan company incorporated under Texas laws. One-half million capital stock, \$108,000 on deposit with State as a guarantee fund. Real Estate loans 5 per cent interest. We make town loans on improved, unimproved or to be improved property. We take up 8 or 10 per cent loans and extend at 5 per cent. Here for ten days, 3-4-2
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How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold

Mrs. N. Leavitt Dead

Mrs. Leavitt, of the Slide community, died Monday afternoon about five o'clock. Mrs. Leavitt was 76 years old and had been in feeble health for some time, but he death, nevertheless, came as a sudden and severe shock, to loving ones doing all in their power to prolong the precious life.

Mrs. Leavitt was one of the old fashioned Christian women and was greatly loved by all who knew her. She leaves a husband, two years older than herself, several children and grandchildren to feel the vacancy her death has made.

The burial took place at the Tahoka Cemetery Wednesday noon.

McAdams Co. sell the old reliable McCormick Harvesters and Extras. 45-tf

Isaac Collum, of New Mexico, spent Friday night of last week with his cousin, Mrs. R. J. Roberts, of this city.

WANTED—Your eggs. Will pay 15 cents a dozen in trade.—J. B. Keever. 2-tf

ATTENTION FARMERS

I have a new, all steel, perfect working, hay press and want to do your baling of all kinds. 4-5
HERMAN O. CROUCH.

NEW LINE JEWELRY.

We have just gotten our new line of Jewelry; every thing new in Neck Chains, Locketts, Loyaliers, Cameo Bronches, Bar Pins, Stick Pins, Watches, and lots of other new and beautiful things. We are proud of our selections and want to show you. 3-4-1
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SCHOOL BOOK NOTICE

Please bring in your old books for exchange when you come for your new books. Also bring cash to pay the difference.
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The Commissioners Court of Dawson county have ordered a pool hall election to be held on Saturday October the 4th.

I. N. Howell, of 15 miles north-west of Tahoka, was in town Monday transacting business with the merchants.

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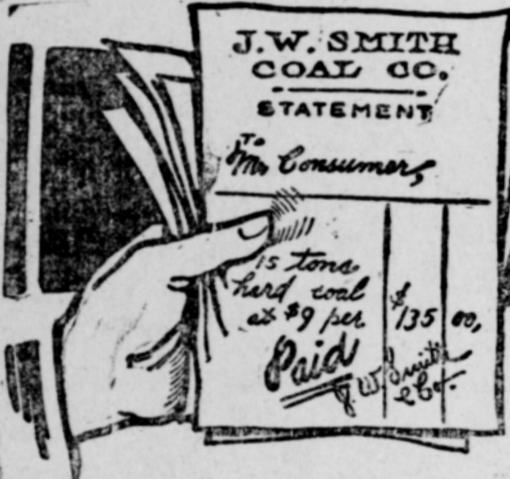
J. G. Scott, of the Draw community, came in Friday of last week and began weighing cotton at the yard. Mr. Scott has bought the Tahoka Cotton Yard from Paul Miller.

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WANTED—Good, Fresh Butter, any quantity, at the Cash Meat Market.—Lyal McGonagill. 2-tf

TO TRADE—For good herd of sheep, all or any part of 50 good brood mares, all bred to jacks, and 2 good young jacks, also have a lot of young horses and mules will trade, sell for cash, or upon time with good paper. Address at once P. O. Box 805, Plainview Texas. 52-4



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One-half of your coal—and it did you no good. Hard luck that. But there is a way to fix it. Here's how:

That stove of yours has seen its best days. You need a new one. You know it—but you have let things drift along.

Meanwhile, you have been losing HALF of every hod of coal you have put in it. Of course, you knew it, but you did not think of it that way. You know that half of every lump is gas. Fail to burn that gas and it is like throwing into the ditch half of every dollar you spend in coal.

Rather extravagant? Yes? The ordinary stove made of a lot of separate castings leaks air. They leak air at the wrong place. Places you can not control.

RESULT—the best part of your coal—the 14,000 cubic feet of common illuminating gas that is in the average ton of \$3.00 soft coal—goes up the flue unburned.

You have lost it. It has gone up in smoke. Save that gas—mix it properly with air and you have the hottest kind of a blue flame. But there is only one way to do this—

Buy the only heater that is made tight—holds tight—stays tight.

Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater



It leaks no air. This is the heater that mixes the gas and air and gives you all the heat in the coal.

This is the heater that burns any kind of coal and makes a ton of \$3.00 soft coal do the work of \$8.00 hard coal in a high priced base burner.

This is the heater that is a joy and comfort to the housewife. It makes no dirt or smoke in the house.

This is the heater that saves labor—fix it in the morning and at night and FORGET IT THE REST OF THE TIME.

This is the heater that gives a steady, constant heat from soft coal or lignite.

This is the heater that will hold its fire untouched for a day and a half.

This is the heater we sell you under a guarantee that is as "good as old wheat at the mill." Burns soft coal, lignite, slack, hard coal or wood.

It is just the kind of a heater you want. Come in and see it.

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