

A Cost System For Farmers.

The Texas Industrial Congress has just mailed to each of its 11,000 contestants a blank form upon which a report is to be made of the prize crop yields and all items of cost, including rent of land (charge is to be made therefor whether the land is owned by contestant or not); cost of breaking land, preparing seed bed, seed, planting, replanting, thinning, each cultivation, commercial fertilizer and animal manure and cost of applying same, gathering, weighing, etc., and all other items. The man labor is to be charged at 10 cents per hour and the horse-labor at 5 cents per hour in each case; and in computing the credits the corn will be counted at 80 cents per bushel, the cotton at 12 cents per pound, cowpeas at \$20 per ton, and kaffir and milo at \$20 per ton. By requiring every contestant to charge himself \$5 per acre for the land used and counting everyone's corn, cotton, cowpeas, and forage at the same rate, all contestants are placed on an equality. The statement closes with a certificate on honor by the contestant as to yields and cost.

Teaching the young farmers of the State how to use a cost system is not the least important of the various lessons which the Texas Industrial Congress gives in its course of instruction; and it is as important and just as possible for the farmer, by taking the necessary time and trouble to keep books on his crops and livestock, to know where he stands financially as it is for the banker and the merchant to know where they stand.

Tahoka Ships 75 Cars of Maize

Tahoka has already shipped 75 cars of maize heads and Percy Woods, of Hubbard, who has bought 30 of them and shipped down to his part of the state, says we will ship at least 50 cars more before the season is over. At the beginning of the season we made the statement that Lynn county would ship out \$30,000 worth of feed and 125 cars at \$240, the average price so far means that Tahoka alone will ship that much. Mr. Woods has bought and shipped two cars of baled sorghum at \$10 per ton and if it does not rain too much 8 or 10 cars more will be shipped from here.

The Thomas Bros Drug Co. have installed a gasoline pump this week, making the third one for Tahoka. The Tahoka Hardware Co. got theirs installed first, then came the Parkhurst Broken \$ Store and now Thomas Bros. Drug Co. Who will be the next?

Rev. J. Nichelson, pastor of the Baptist church in Tahoka, avails himself of this opportunity to announce that he will preach at Three Lake Sunday October the 19th. Every one who can, is cordially invited to attend.

Wednesday afternoon when the south bound train got a few miles this side of Slaton the engine began to give out on them and they had barely enough steam to get back to Slaton. This train should have been in Tahoka by four twenty, but did not get in until six forty. They brought down nineteen freight cars besides the two coaches when they did come however.

BUNCO MAN COMES FISHING AND EVERYBODY BITES

Several years ago a couple of painters came along and persuaded us to part with \$250 to have a card put up in the hotel with a bunch that represented nearly every business in town. We traced one three months, 25 cents, subscription to this \$2.00 "advertisement?" And it was on the hotel office wall a couple of years or more. Nearly two years ago we paid \$150 to have our card put on the curtain of the stage in the school auditorium. It is there yet and all the good it has ever done us, is to remind us that we once gave \$1.50 to the school, which we have never regretted. Now comes along a guy that lets us down for 85 cents. From now on our card can be seen with the rest of the bunch in the North Side Barber Shop. When you read this card let it remind you that the "Lynn County News" does all kinds of printing except bad."

Try KIN-LAX for a lazy liver. Guaranteed by Thomas Bros. Drug Co. 7-tf

Mark Keith and family left Friday of last week for Shamrock, where Mrs Keith will visit relatives and Mr Keith will go to Mobeetie where he is witness in a case.

Mr and Mrs. Paul Miller accompanied by Paul Jr, spent Monday night in O'Donnell.

Burt King shipped out three head of horses Tuesday morning to B. H. Black at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bishop came in on the morning train Monday, spent the day in Tahoka and returned home in the afternoon.

Tahoka To Have Creamery In Near Future

E. A. White, Secretary of the Young Men's Business Club, has been corresponding for some time with Mr. R. Boe, Mgr. of the Flatonia Creamery Co. a large concern that already half-a-dozen or more plants in operation, and Mr. Boe came in today and had a conference with the directors and expressed himself as being very favorably impressed with Tahoka and Lynn county.

Mr. Boe makes the following proposition: "It takes 1,000 pounds or more of butter fat per week to make a creamery a paying proposition. Generally speaking 400 cows will be required to produce this amount of butter fat." He also stated, "Tahoka will have no trouble in securing the creamery if the farmers will agree to furnish the required amount (1,000 pounds) of butter fat per week."

Now, Mr. Farmer, it is up to you! If you will furnish the

400 HEAD OF SHEEP

C. W. Slover, of two miles south of Tahoka, arrived home Friday of last week with 400 head of sheep which he drove through a distance of 70 miles in five days. Mr. Slover has an ideal ranch for sheep; plenty of grass, water and dry rocky hills and with muttons selling at \$5 a head he should have no trouble making good.

Oscar King left Wednesday morning for Lockney where he will visit J. W. Lile formerly of Lynn county. Mr. King expects to return this afternoon.

butter fat, you can have a market in Tahoka instead of some distant city. Not since we have had our railroad has such an important proposition been put up to the people of Lynn county. In order to facilitate this matter, we print the following coupon which we earnestly request the farmers to cut out of the paper, fill in the blank lines properly and hand or mail to Prof. White at once.

Postoffice _____ Tex
October _____ 1913

Prof. E. A. White,
Sec. Y. M. B. C.,
Tahoka, Texas,
Dear Sir:-

I will agree to milk _____
cows that I estimate will furnish
_____ pounds of butter fat
per week.

I live _____ from Tahoka in
a _____ direction

Yours for a Creamery.

LOST—From the livery stable yard a 300 pound, black bear. Kindly inform me of his whereabouts.—Ben King. 7-tf

Wednesday morning the town of O'Donnell shipped out on the north bound train, four cars of maize, one of cotton seed and another car we did not learn what it was. Six cars on one train is not so bad. No wonder they are clamoring for a station agent. It is reported that they will get one in a few days.

R. F. Hester, of O'Donnell, spent Wednesday in Tahoka looking after business matters.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BRINGS ANOTHER INCH RAIN

Wednesday night about seven-thirty or eight, it began to rain, continuing well into the night, and Thursday morning the gauge measured .98 of an inch, and this morning another .01 of an inch was measured up. For the month so far we have had 9.85 inches of rain. These rains we are having now, are damaging feed stuff and cotton but the water is soaking deep down into the soil where it will help out wonderfully next year. Come to Lynn county where we have such splendid prospects for a good crop next year.

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

FEEDING FOR STOCK SHOW

About the last of this month Dr. S. H. Windham will put 49 or 50 head of white face bull calves into a pen where he will feed them up for show purposes. This is an exceptionally good bunch of coming year olds and Dr. Windham expects to take some prizes with them at the National Stock Show in March.

Judges Spencer and Ferguson came in from Plains with Atty. G. E. Lockhart in his car Tuesday evening and left on the Wednesday morning train for their homes in Lubbock.

Tuesday afternoon 450 head of Jno B. Slaughter U2 steers were loaded at the stock pens here and shipped to Fort Worth.

A TOWN TRUCK PATCH

R. D. Morris has a house on Lockwood street and has two lots 100x200 feet fenced with net wire. On the corner lot he has his three room house, shed, lots, well and windmill and several fruit trees, and he sold \$30 worth of fruit off of his small orchard this year. He had one five year old plum tree that he measured the plums in a 10 pound cottolene bucket and sold at 35 cents to the amount of \$6.90. Mr. Morris has also 12 rows of sweet potatoes on the second lot that are not over 175 feet long; he has gathered 12 bushels from five rows. He raised considerable more garden truck than he and Mrs. Morris could use; selling beans, peas and tomatoes.

Notice to Hunters.

Anyone hunting or wood cutting in the Tahoka Lake pasture without my consent will be prosecuted.

J. T. Lofton.

The Parkhurst Broken \$ Store which has been charging quarters from the old ramshackle two story wooden building on the corner of Porterfield and Main streets to the west end of the two story brick building, have just about gotten nicely settled. They have an opening into the postoffice lobby and one to the north on Harper street, where their automatic gasoline pump is situated ready to supply the public with clean, filtered gasoline.

Try KIN LAX for a lazy liver. Guaranteed by Thomas Bros. Drug Co. 7-tf

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

Born to Mr and Mrs. Temp. Skinn r, Monday October 13th, a son.

Mrs. Hall Robinson and little son left for Dallas Thursday morning to visit friends and relatives.

Post Office Moves to Shook Building

Saturday night of last week the postoffice fixtures were moved from the old wooden building on the north side of the square where it has been for years to the two story brick building about 200 feet west and north on the corner of Main and Harper streets. The new location for the postoffice is a great improvement over the old one. It is in the lower story of the A. D. Shook new two story brick building, facing east with a plate glass front, handsomely finished, with cement floor, steel ceiling, making it practically fireproof. The lobby is light, roomy and comfortable. In front is a wide cement sidewalk that extends around nearly three sides of the block making the postoffice very accessible in bad weather. Jack Alley, the postmaster is arranging every thing so as to be able to handle the work expeditiously and accurately with a minimum amount of labor to himself and assistant.

One by one, slowly perhaps, but nevertheless surely, Tahoka puts on city manners and conveniences, until we are already far ahead of the majority of Texas towns of our size and many times our age. Come to Tahoka.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coughran, recently of Abilene, returned to Tahoka Friday of last week, and Elmer was busy Saturday at his old job of helping Sumner Clayton, of the North Side Barber Shop.

Tahoka's Exhibit Gone To Dallas

W. J. Crouch left on the Tuesday morning train for the Dallas Fair where he will have charge of the Lynn county exhibit that was shipped Monday. We have a splendid exhibit and Mr. Crouch is fully capable of displaying it to the best advantage, and we will derive untold benefits from this display of Lynn county products.

A NEWS WANT AD GETS RESULTS. TRY ONE

ITS A POOR RULE THAT WONT WORK BOTH WAYS

Advertising don't pay, you all know it. "Everybody knows where I keep," is repeated every day. "I'm cutting down expenses," and nobody reads the paper anyway has been repeated until some of the merchants actually believe it. But one thing is certain. J. B. Keever fully believes that "adverse advertising" does harm. In our issue of September 12 we told the people that Keever was paying 15 cents for eggs, which was the top at that time and it would seem as though some few read the paper for his egg trade double the next week. Two or three weeks afterward he ordered the price changed to 20 cents. Through an oversight we failed to do so, until Monday Mr. Keever said, "You just must 'kill' that 15 cent egg local. I can't get an egg as long as people think I am only paying 15 cents." The same local that built up his trade in eggs, destroyed it. Why? Because people do read the paper and trade with the merchant who advertises the best inducements.

OUR HOME INDUSTRIES



III—FLOUR.

"The foreign miller ships into Texas one million barrels of flour per annum, while our Texas millers are compelled to seek a foreign market with four millions barrels of their products per annum."—Commercial Secretaries.

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Don't Wait

for the rush, but prepare for the harvest by getting your corn harvester now. We will sell the "Old Reliable" McCormick machines and extras again this year.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY
McADAMS LBR. CO., TAHOKA

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LURBOCK, TEXAS

THE HOG A REVENUE PRODUCER

Pork and Its Products Increasing in Demand.

The razor-back hog has been forced by the thoroughbreds to flee to the mountains and the distance they have traveled each year is measured and recorded by the judges of the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show. For eighteen years the National Feeders' and Breeders' have held the tape line of progress on this industry and the exhibits on November 22-28 promise to more nearly approach perfection and extend through a much wider range of breeds than any previous exhibits.

No other animal ever made such concessions to the market as has the hog. He has given half his life to meet the demand for young stock and has surrendered the freedom of forests for the shackles of the pen where fat can be produced with the greatest economy. The human race has made no such sacrifices for success as has this dumb brute.

The new hog has become so popular with the housewife that we consume all of our home production and ship in \$24,000,000 of pork and its products per annum. He is one of the best revenue producers in the animal kingdom, and has shown an increase in value per head during the past five years of \$2.80. The statistics of the Federal Department of Agriculture pay a glowing tribute to the growing popularity of the Texas hog, and show a decrease of approximately a million head in number and an increase of over \$2,000,000 in aggregate value. We are traveling rapidly on the road of extermination of the swine industry in Texas, and the National Breeders' show that will seek to turn the tide. It is one of the missions of the management to balance production and consumption, and no more effective methods can be employed to encourage hog raising than to exhibit the leaders of the swine family to the farmers of Texas.

King Cotton has had the audacity to counterfeit some of the by-products of the hog, but Uncle Sam caught him in the act and passed a pure food law and the subjects of the king are now compelled to march under their own flag and parade under their own colors.

produced in Texas; 509,419,977 in the United States and 2,695,732,000 in the world. We furnish less than one-half of one per cent of the world's supply and 3.2 per cent of the United States production. Wool is produced in 207 counties in Texas. The farm price per pound of wool last season was 28 cents under an eleven cent tariff, which has since been removed. The annual production per capita in Texas is 2.6 pounds and the average consumption per capita is 5.75 pounds. The world's average consumption approximates one pound per capita.

The report of the United States Department of Agriculture shows we had on January 1st, 2,073,000 sheep valued at \$6,012,000. During the past ten years our sheep herds have doubled in number and value per head.

WATER! WATER!

The Discovery of Subterranean Lakes and Impounding of Rainfall Reclaiming Arid Regions.

The cry of Water! Water! as it echoes throughout the arid regions of the state and this abundant liquid gushes to the surface to moisten the parched earth, is a welcome sound to every farmer. Subterranean lakes are so frequently discovered and rainfall so easily impounded, that water has become largely a question of effort.

Water has caused more trouble by its abundance or scarcity and has more often become a welcome or a disagreeable guest, than any other element in nature. Its proper distribution has baffled even the skill of divinity and getting it in the right place at the right time is one of the greatest problems that confronts the people of today.

The solution of this important problem insofar as human ingenuity has been able to solve it, will be demonstrated at the exhibits of irrigating machinery at the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, Oct. 18th to Nov. 2nd. Machinery adapted to every need and condition from pumping water into the kitchen sink to irrigating a league of land will be shown and its utility proved.

These exhibits are as interesting to the housewife as to the ranchman.

POULTRY ATTRACTION

Chickens That Have Cackled and Crowed in the Presence of Kings Will be Shown at Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show.

Roosters that have crowed in the presence of kings and hens that have pecked at the judges of poultry shows on both continents, will be exhibited at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, November 22-28.

Every year the blooded hens and high-browed roosters from all over the world assemble at the show, chatter about the premiums, cackle and crow over the blue ribbons, return to the barnyard boasting of their triumphs and spread the fame of the Stock Show throughout the length and breadth of the land.

The hen will be one of the leading attractions of the show and she is a splendid entertainer. Her form is exquisitely molded in all shapes and sizes from the ornamental to the useful. Her attire is the pink of perfection and her form and color are of latest design. In utility she is without an equal in the Texas barnyard. Her cackle is as musical as the clink of gold dollars, she buys the baby new dresses, keeps the family in groceries and pays off farm mortgages. She has put on a shell game that has driven the fakers from the fair grounds in shame and she has netted the housewife millions of dollars.

For years she has maintained her supremacy as a star performer and this year she will put on a show that will rival all previous exhibits. In giving the largest returns on the amount invested, she takes sweep-stakes. The markets of the world are clamoring for the Texas steer; the packers are loudly calling for more hogs; the sheep boasts of the demand for its fibre, but they must all bow down before the Texas hen. She lays three times her value per annum, raises annually a brood of chickens worth ten times her value and then lays down her life to appease human hunger.

The poultry industry in Texas has reached mammoth proportions. During the past year the total production, including eggs, approximated \$25,000,000. The egg output alone was worth \$18,000,000. We have approximately 25,000,000 domestic fowls. We have more turkeys and geese than any other state in the Union.

Drawing water from the well is one of the most back-breaking of household duties and the shifting of this burden to machinery is one of the educational features of the Fair. There are a million homes in Texas that should be equipped with the latest modern conveniences in these labor-saving devices.

We have 5,238 farms under irrigation in the State, containing 451,000 acres. The bulk of our irrigated lands is devoted to the culture of rice, the total acreage devoted to this cereal being 287,000. Alfalfa is the second important irrigated crop and 13,780 acres are devoted to its culture while corn takes third place with 9,063 acres. The cost of construction of Texas' irrigation systems is estimated at \$13,500,000 by the Federal Census Bureau. It costs approximately an average of \$3.50 per acre to irrigate land, depending upon the character of the crop. The yield per acre of crops under irrigation approximates 45 per cent higher than that of those raised under natural methods.

FOR SALE—Wagon and team at a genuine bargain. See C. P. Gentry, at Thomas Bros. Drug Co's store. 5-11



TAN-NO-MORE,
THE SKIN BEAUTIFIER,
IT HAS NO EQUAL,
IT HAS NO COMPETITOR,
IT STANDS IN A CLASS TO ITSELF,
IT IS UNIVERSALLY COMMENDED
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Cleaning and Pressing Of Ladies' and Gents' Clothing Is Our Hobby

TAHOKA, TEXAS Oct. 17, 1913

Dear Sir =
Your winter suit is ready for you. Kindly come in and get it. Our suitings are unequalled for style and wearing qualities.
Very truly yours,

TAHOKA, TAILOR SHOP

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There are times in every woman's life when she needs a tonic to help her over the hard places. When that time comes to you, you know what tonic to take—Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is composed of purely vegetable ingredients, which act gently, yet surely, on the weakened womanly organs, and helps build them back to strength and health. It has benefited thousands and thousands of weak, ailing women in its past half century of wonderful success, and it will do the same for you.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER ORDER OF SALE.

State of Texas }
County of Lynn } In the District Court of Lynn County, B. L. Shook plaintiff vs. Mrs. Roy Neblett et al, Defendants.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1913, in favor of the said B. L. Shook and against the said Mrs. Roy Neblett and husband Roy Neblett, J. W. Whitt, W. T. Garrett, and A. J. Herrington, No. 130 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1913, at 11 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the County of Lynn, State of Texas, and belonging to the said J. W. Whitt, Mrs. Roy Neblett and husband Roy Neblett, W. T. Garrett and A. J. Herrington, to-wit:

All of survey No. 34, Block A-1 certificate No. 1442, E. L. & R. R. Co., in Lynn County, Texas, and on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Mrs. Roy Neblett and husband Roy Neblett, J. W. Whitt, W. T. Garrett, and A. J. Herrington, in and to said property.

Dated at Tahoka, Texas, this the 1st day of October, A. D. 1913.

J. H. EDWARDS, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas.

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Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1913, in favor of the said B. L. Shook and against the said W. F. Humphries, William Cushing, C. A. Stewart and W. E. Humphries, No. 167 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1913, at 11 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the County of Lynn, State of Texas, and belong to the said W. F. Humphries, William Cushing, C. A. Stewart and W. E. Humphries, to-wit:

Being all of Block number thirty-four in Shook's second addition to the town of Tahoka, said Block containing twelve lots and is part of survey No. 484 Block No. 1, Certificate No. 463, E. L. & R. R. Co., and on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said W. F. Humphries, William Cushing, C. A. Stewart and W. E. Humphries in and to said property.

Dated at Tahoka, Texas, this the 1st day of October 1913.

J. H. EDWARDS, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The State of Texas }
County of Lynn } No. 422

The Lubbock State Bank vs J. J. Rushing et al.

In Justice Court Precinct No. 1 Lubbock County, Texas.

Whereas by virtue of an Alias Execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Lubbock County, Texas, in a judgement rendered in said court on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1912, in favor of the Lubbock State Bank and against J. J. Rushing, B. E. Rushing, W. B. Rushing and J. E. Rushing, being cause No. 422 on the docket of said Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Lubbock County, Texas, I did on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1913 at 4 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tract or parcel of land to-wit:

Situated in Lynn County, Texas, and being the East 1/2 of Section 38 Block "E" Certificate No. 833 issued to the E. L. & R. R. Co., containing 320 acres of land, being 13 miles North West from the town of Tahoka, in Lynn

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION.

State of Texas, }
County of Lynn, } In the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Lynn County, Texas, W. L. Nevals et al, Plaintiffs, vs. J. W. D. Davis, Detendant.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Lynn County Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 28th day of July, A. D., 1913, in favor of the said W. D. Nevals, G. W. Small and J. R. Chambers, Trustees, for the Lynn County Bonus Guarantee Committee, and against the said J. W. D. Davis, No. 201 on the docket, of said court, I did on the first day of October, A. D. 1913, at 2 o'clock, p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the county of Lynn, State of Texas, and belonging to the said J. W. D. Davis, to-wit:

All of the South-east one-fourth Section No 426, Block No. 9, Certificate No. 401, E. L. & R. R. Co., being located in the South east part of Lynn County, Texas.

And on the 4th day of November, A. D., 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. W. D. Davis in and to said property.

Dated at Tahoka, Texas, this the last day of October, A. D. 1913.

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County of Lynn } In the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, B. L. Shook Plaintiff, vs W. F. Humphries et al.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1913, in favor of the said B. L. Shook and against the said W. F. Humphries, William Cushing, C. A. Stewart and W. E. Humphries, No. 167 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1913, at 11 o'clock a. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the County of Lynn, State of Texas, and belong to the said W. F. Humphries, William Cushing, C. A. Stewart and W. E. Humphries, to-wit:

Being all of Block number thirty-four in Shook's second addition to the town of Tahoka, said Block containing twelve lots and is part of survey No. 484 Block No. 1, Certificate No. 463, E. L. & R. R. Co., and on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday of said month between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said W. F. Humphries, William Cushing, C. A. Stewart and W. E. Humphries in and to said property.

Dated at Tahoka, Texas, this the 1st day of October 1913.

J. H. EDWARDS, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The State of Texas }
County of Lynn } No. 422

The Lubbock State Bank vs J. J. Rushing et al.

In Justice Court Precinct No. 1 Lubbock County, Texas.

Whereas by virtue of an Alias Execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Lubbock County, Texas, in a judgement rendered in said court on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1912, in favor of the Lubbock State Bank and against J. J. Rushing, B. E. Rushing, W. B. Rushing and J. E. Rushing, being cause No. 422 on the docket of said Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Lubbock County, Texas, I did on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1913 at 4 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tract or parcel of land to-wit:

Situated in Lynn County, Texas, and being the East 1/2 of Section 38 Block "E" Certificate No. 833 issued to the E. L. & R. R. Co., containing 320 acres of land, being 13 miles North West from the town of Tahoka, in Lynn

Druggist Gives Money Back

Dodson's Liver Tone Gets a Four Square Guarantee from Thomas Bros. Drug Co.

When an article is sold a druggist who is willing to give it his personal guarantee, it's a mighty good proof of real merit.

That's exactly the case with Dodson's Liver Tone. It's a pleasant tasting, vegetable remedy for a slow and sluggish liver. Since Dodson's Liver Tone came on the market the sale of calomel has gone 'way down. The reason is simply this: Dodson's Liver Tone is safe and harmless and guaranteed to be satisfactory—Calomel is often uncertain, sometimes dangerous, and no druggist wants to guarantee that it won't knock you out of a day's work and maybe send you to bed.

Thomas Bros. Drug Co. sells Dodson's Liver Tone and guarantees it. For you and your children, it's a good thing to keep a bottle always in the home.

Thomas Bros. Drug Co. will give you your money back if you think Dodson's Liver Tone is not worth the price. "Keep your liver working and your liver will not keep you from working," is good advice to go by.

winning and unforgettable manner.

The whir of the machinery as it takes the fibre from the boll and transforms it into a beautiful garment for the wardrobe of mankind, is one of the most instructive and important lessons in Twentieth century civilization.

The turning of cottonseed from waste into profit is the most wonderful industrial achievement of the age. The seed, considered worthless a quarter of a century ago, now brings the Texas farmer \$10,000,000 per annum. The by-products of this marvelous seed are legion and they will be on exhibition at the Palace, each telling a simple story of usefulness and power.

RAILROAD LEGISLATION. Millions of Dollars Wasted in Complying With Useless Legal Requirements.

Many criticisms have been made against the railroads for abuses permitted or practiced during the past quarter of a century, and the management of railroad properties has been largely taken from the owners and given to commissions representing the government. With the change in control comes new forms of abuses, many of them as stupid and burdensome as those imposed upon us under the old regime.

Mr. J. Kruttschnitt, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific in discussing this subject said:

"The lawmakers and commission have been imposing upon the railroads numerous requirements which have further increased their expenses and often in ways that have actually reduced the railway servants' efficiency. The legislatures of many states have decreed that additional men shall be employed by the railroads in excess of their necessities, whether viewed from the standpoint of economical operation or of public safety. As a result of this legislation, millions of dollars has been wasted in hiring useless labor.

"Again, laws have been passed to compel the railroads to use special patented headlights on their locomotives. Expensive acetylene headlights of high efficiency and closely approaching the electric headlight in brilliancy and power were already in use. The railroads were forced to discard them and incur heavy additional outlays for specialties promoted by inventors and private corporations.

"The personal injuries are largely due to unrestrained personal carelessness. The fatalities to trespassers could be prevented by the passage and enforcement of proper laws. There was a time when the people took little interest in the details of railway operation. During that period there were many abuses, but the development of railways went forward at a rate which has never been equalled in any other country. It was justifiable and necessary that the public should assert itself to stop the abuses. But it was not necessary to destroy the efficiency of the railways and sap their financial strength. The public should understand that in exercising the power, it cannot shirk the responsibility of the master."

A NEW WANT AD GETS RESULTS. TRY ONE.

Let us sell you coal for your cook stove. We have the **GENUINE NIGERHEAD NUT COAL** The best coal for cooking purposes on the market today. Ask those who have tried it. We have the Rockvale and Rugby Lump coal for general purposes. Can fill any size order. Also Plenty of Rock and Crushed Salt. Plenty of Oats and Bran always on hand at the Lowest Market Prices. Will have cottonseed cake on hand soon **G. W. SNIDER, North of Square, Tahoka**

WITHIN THE LAW

Whether the Attorney General in filing the so-called anti-trust suits is within the law has no bearing upon the immediate effects accompanying such litigation. The fact stands out boldly that corporate investments in Texas have been thrown in the hands of a receiver without a hearing and a railroad is now being tried for high crime for alleged minor offenses. Perhaps the statutes may justify and duty demand such action, but in the chancery court of industry, a verdict must be rendered that the law of common sense has been violated.

Leaving the statutes for the interpretation of lawyers and eliminating from the discussion the personality of all public officials past or present, there is no escaping the power of men in the affairs of government. Standing at the source of every movement, good or evil, in government is a man, and upon the wisdom and experience of those who wear the mantle of authority depend our final destinies. Our progress, and indeed our safety, is in the hands of those who guide the ship of state. It is upon their knowledge of the high seas of commerce, their experience in seamanship, that we must depend to keep us off the reefs of destruction and in the roadstead of success. It is through our leaders that we must knock at the door of opportunity to enter the gate to the cemetery of despair.

There is no more noble purpose in life than a desire to be useful and no one for a moment questions the motive of our public officials, but the pathway of civilization is strewn with the wreckage of good intention and pinned under its timbers are the people whose leaders have displayed more courage than wisdom.

Those who have torrents of energy to turn loose in the name of the state should realize that folly has its limits as well as its rights and that the public can reasonably expect those whom it honors to do something more than meddle with fate and shuffle with progress.

As a rule responsibility steadies rather than intoxicates public officials, but the surest way to promote our prosperity is to elect to office men seasoned in business affairs and who have had experience in actual transactions. Government is a big business institution and only those who possess masterful qualities can properly manage it.

\$100 Reward, \$100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. This Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and leaving the system restored to its normal condition. It is a powerful purgative and cleanser, and its use is recommended for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: HALL'S CATARRH CURE CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, Etc. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The circulation of this paper is not confined to this locality.

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As easy to sell your property by long distance as by personal sale.

KRAZY KOLUMN BIRTHDAYS

The first thing to do if a child is born on a very cold day in December is to get it some warm clothes.

FOR HOT WEATHER



Two bellhops were sitting on the bench smoking expensive cigars (5 cents straight) when the clerk called one and said "If that young man sitting over there and his sweetheart were to get married secretly, would the hotel?"

HEALTH and BEAUTY

For the Complexion—Mix one cake of green soap in a basin of water for 3 minutes. Bathe your complexion with this (2 minutes more). Then dry. Result complexion

DAILY PUZZLE



ANSWERS TO QUERIES

SCHOLAR—Cannot say if the world is round like your head, because you may have a square head.

FASHION COLUMN



NOTE—A silk night evening gown, which shows the figure off beautifully. Trimmed with American beauty roses.

The humming birds were singing and the air was filled with air, and some squirrels were having their noonday meal of boneless nuts. One said, "If an old maid wanted to go to the country, would a letter carrier?"

Now's The Time
to set out your fruit trees, they will be sure to grow and do well. This is a good fruit country, as this year proved. I will have all standard varieties of apples, pears, peaches, plums, cherries, apricots, grapes and small fruit. SEE ME BEFORE BUYING NURSERY STOCK **T. C. LEEDY, Nursery in South Tahoka**

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The Biggest Offer Ever Made Our Customer
Here I am waiting with Dry Goods, Groceries and Notion, Racket Goods and Silverware. With every \$1.00 purchase you are entitled to one piece of this set, save your coupons. Entire set free with \$25 purchase, this is a serviceable and attractive set. Just think of what you get by making your purchases at our store. Remember we charge no more for our goods than if we were not making this extraordinary offer. This is for Cash. **CARTER BROS**
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S. S. Ramsey, of North Tahoka, who has been traveling through Texas, Louisiana, Tennessee and Arkansas for the past five months constructing and installing cotton gins for the Continental Gin Co., came in on the Wednesday evening train accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Allan Rutledge and three small sons, of Wichita Falls, Texas. Mr. Ramsey says that the Mississippi river is reported to be lower at Memphis than it has been for many years.

There were three outside cotton buyers in Tahoka one day this week and our local buyers bought the cotton just the same as though they were not here. We overheard one of the three say, "This is the first town I was ever in, that I could not buy even one bale of cotton." The local buyers of Tahoka are just simply topping the market, as this incident fully proved.

Seventeen cars of cattle were shipped out of here Thursday night for Kansas City, by Billy Brandon and Box Cathey. The train that took them out had thirteen cars from Lamesa also.

Mrs. Harrell, of Cisco, came in Monday to visit Mr. Harrell's sister, Mrs. W. K. Ray, of South Tahoka. Mrs. Harrell returned home Wednesday morning.

The Seven Wise Men.

The names and characteristic aphorisms of the seven wise men of ancient Greece are as follows: Solon of Athens, "Nothing in excess;" Thebes of Miletus, "Suretyship brings ruin;" Pittacus of Mitylene, "Know thine opportunity;" Bias of Priene in Caria, "Too many workers spoil the work;" Chilon of Sparta, "Know thyself;" Cleobulus of Rhodes, "Moderation is the chief good," and Periander of Corinth, "Forethought in all things."

Father's Inconsistency.

Father will splash around in two feet of water and ruin a good suit of clothes to save articles in a stranger's house during a thirty cent fire. But if the pan under the icebox flows over he will go upstairs and wake mother so she can come down and mop it up.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

However mean your life is, meet it and live it, not shun it and call it bad names.—Thoreau.

INDUSTRIAL ENTERTAINMENT.

The Largest Models of Agricultural Implements and Machinery on Exhibition at the Texas Cotton Palace.

The sun never sets on the dominion of King Cotton and he rules supreme over the most fertile, most profitable and most desirable portion of the globe.

Cotton has recast the occupation, remodeled the wardrobe and brought into life more industries than any other product the world has ever known. Since the brilliant genius of Eli Whitney gave us the cotton gin, mammoth manufacturing plants have been constructed to make gins, compresses, cotton mills, cotton oil mills, plows, cultivators, wagons, harness, railroad equipment, steamships, and all machinery needed in cultivating, manufacturing, transporting and marketing the crop.

King Cotton will sit on his throne at the Waco Cotton Palace November 1st to 16th and review a grand display of the latest improved models of agricultural implements and machinery that the world possesses.

King Cotton spends annually in the markets of the world one and one-quarter billion dollars for machinery and equipment to cultivate and harvest the crop. The king purchases annually two million agricultural implements; one thousand gins; compresses and mills, and spends millions of dollars in transportation equipment. This Monarch of Agriculture will inspect the exhibits in the Mechanical and Implement Department and manufacturers from all over the globe will exhibit the best products inventive genius and that mechanical skill of the age can devise, all seeking the good opinion of the king.

These exhibits will address the throne in tongues of iron and steel, and in language mute and powerful, tell an eloquent story of their efficacy, utility, strength and economy.

It is a liberal education in mechanical science and a course of instruction in business to hear these masters of mechanics converse with the king and demonstrate how time and labor will be saved to the cotton fields of the South by giving them an opportunity to become royal servants. It will be one of the most interesting and engaging industrial entertainments that will be staged in Texas during the year and no one should miss it. The farmers will be especially benefited by visiting the palace and inspecting the subjects and servants of the king.

A philosopher says, "A man worships what he cannot understand." If he is referring to women he is correct.—New Orleans Picayune.

Election Returns.

On this day came on to be examined the returns of an election held in Common School District No. 2, for the purpose of determining whether or not a majority of the qualified voters of said common school district No. 2 desire to prohibit the operation of pool halls in said common school district No. 2, and it appearing to the court that there were seventy four votes cast at said election, and that forty four votes were cast for the prohibition of pool halls, and thirty votes were cast against the prohibition of pool halls, and it also appearing to the court that there was a majority of fourteen votes cast in favor of prohibition of pool halls.

It is therefore ordered by the court that said returns be approved and that notices of said election be published according to law.

It is also further ordered by the court that the maintenance of pool halls and pool rooms as defined by Chapter 74 of the General Laws of the State of Texas as passed by the thirty third Legislature of the said State of Texas shall hereafter be prohibited in accordance with the terms of said law, and any person violating said law shall be subject to the penalty in said law provided.

THE STATE OF TEXAS }
COUNTY OF LYNN } I,
J. W. Elliott Clerk of the county court, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioner's Court, in and for Lynn County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order approving the returns of an election held in Common School District No. 2, of Lynn County, Texas, on the 4th day of October A. D. 1913, as the same appears from the minutes of said court, Vol. 1, page 389.

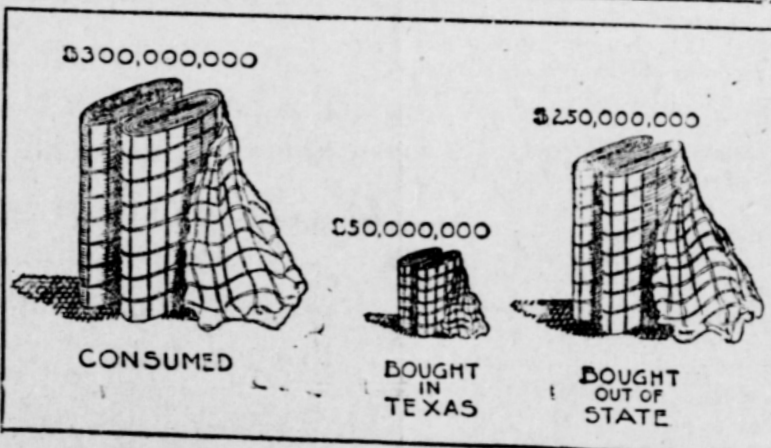
Witness my hand and seal of said court at office in Tahoka, Texas, this 16th day of October A. D. 1913.

J. W. ELLIOTT, Clerk of the County Court, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioner's Court, Lynn County, Texas.

In accordance with the above and foregoing order of the Commissioner's Court, declaring the result of election and the law in such cases made and provided, I, J. L. Stokes, County Judge of Lynn County, Texas, hereby give notice of the result of the said election held on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1913, to determine whether or not pool halls and pool rooms should be prohibited in Common School District No. 2, Lynn County, Texas; and that said election was in favor of prohibiting pool halls and pool rooms in said common school district, and that the operation and maintenance of pool halls and pool rooms, as defined by Chapter 74 of the general Laws, passed by the Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Texas, passed at its regular session, are prohibited as prohibited as provided by said law.

J. L. STOKES, 79
County Judge.

OUR HOME INDUSTRIES



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We consume \$300,000,000 worth of dry goods and notions per annum and of this amount \$50,000,000 is purchased from the Texas jobber and manufacturer and \$250,000,000 from out-of-state jobbers and manufacturers.—Commercial Secretaries.

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Will soon be here. Place your order now and let us fill your bin before the "winter raise" in the price of coal.

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S. N. McDaniel, The man on the track

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Every farmer who owns a hundred acres or more ought to have printed stationery, with his name and the name of his farm and his postoffice address properly given. The printed heading should also give the names of whatever crops he specializes on, and whatever varieties of seeds he breeds, or hogs or cattle, or poultry he keeps. Printed stationery gives you a standing with whatever person or firm you are writing to and gives you a new dignity besides insuring that your name and address will always be given properly and in full.

Moreover, such printed stationery increases your credit. A prominent advertiser wrote one of our readers the other day saying: "We usually require cash with order for our goods, but we have found that it pays to trust a man who uses printed stationery as you do; so we are shipping you your order at once."

If you want to write your congressman or member of the legislature; or if you have a request to make of your county superintendent of schools; or if you wish to get information from any business house, in any case your letter will have increased weight and get you prompt attention if you use printed stationery.

Even if you use postal cards, buy 200 to 500 at a time and have your name and address printed in the corner.

Get the habit of using printed stationery. The next time you go to town, why not drop into one of the job printing offices and give an order for 1,000 sheets of printed note paper and 500 envelopes to match? It will be one of the best investments you ever made in your life.—The Progressive Farmer.

Word has been received here of the death of Hon. L. W. Dalton, of Plainview, yesterday, Thursday, morning at two o'clock, as the result of an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Dalton was one best known attorneys on the Plains as well as one of the most successful.

Hon. T. M. Bartley came in Thursday evening to gladden his many friends with his pleasant smile and hearty handshake.

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