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## **Guaranty State Bank** Of Tahoka, Texas.

## **Highway Logging Party** Thru Tahoka Saturday

D. E. Colp. of the Good Roads Highway reached Tahoka Satur- state highways and latterals. day, last, after having covered The Hon. Hernan is a speaker 363 miles of the trip.

Hon. Hernan to Speak on Good Roads Tues. Night

Hon. J. B. Hernan, dirrector Ass'n., accompanied by J. C. general of the National Highway Mabry, publicity man and photo- Ass'n, of America, will speak at grapher, and E. A. Kingsley, ci- Tahoka Tuesday night, Septemvil engineer, San Antonie to Lub- ber 19 at 8 o'clok on the imporbock, on a survey and log of that tance of the construction and part of the Psget Sound to Gulf maintanence of permanent inter-

of national prominence and is

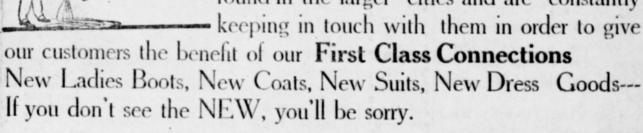
and farmers, among which were the county judge elect, three retiring commissioners and two commissioners elect.

The experimental sub-station is of great value to any county, but to Lynn county, located as it is in a comparatively new country, whose agricultural possibilities have not been developed and into which immigrants are pouring from sections of the country where agricultural conditions are radically divergent the station would be boubly beneficial. We need it, a little co-operative community, brought the season's effort will secure it. Why not get it.

matter this session, owing to the Eusiness men made up a prem- wise been had not a slow rain Would give terms. -O.M. Shook. press of other business, but we are informed by a prominent The bale weighed 584 pounds member of the court that it will come up for action in the very ler on the Ketner cotton account near future.

Consider the performance given by the Georgia Smart Set and ompare it with any other. Com- Sell me your Maize Heads, get arisons may be odious but this their worth. how courts them.





## **Knight & Brashear**

## Tahoka's First Bale Friday, September 8th

ium of \$59 including ginning.

totaling \$155.36.

and was purchased by Paul Mil-

**Tahoka Public School Opened Monday**  **Classified** Column

**RESIDENCE FOR SALE-9** room residence, water connection, on quarter block, well, windmill, barn, service house and convenices. Young orchard and vineyard: an ideal home.

State land leases for sale by J. U. Williams of Tatum, New Mexico.

in gaod running order and nice looking, will trade for Sudan Grass Seed. If you want a bar-3-1t

Hall Robinson.

For Ranch Property in Eastern 49tf

30 pupils and has increasd daily. Eastern New Mexico, see J. U. If you want to buy a ranch in We are informed that the Williams, of Tatum, New Mex-Board of Trustees will meet the ico. 49-tf latter part of the week to elect

CHARTER STREET, STREET W. A. Waller, of the Draw Tahoka public school opened Monday morning with brighest prospects the institution ever first bale of cotton in last Friday. had. The opening was hardly as Fuller Gin Co. ginned the bale The court did not act on the gratis, and Tahoka's progressive or pupils as it might have otherwell attended by either patrons

> been falling. A formal opening was dispensed with on account of the entire faculty of the previous year being retained with the addition FOR TRADE-Model C-25 Buick for 16.50, the bale netting \$96.36 of one teacher, Both 'teachers Premimum and purchase price and pupils stepped into their old places and the new ones fell into line with little confussion.

School opened with 227 pupils gain, see me. 1t-p on roll at the morning session. Fifty-two in high school divided among thre teachers; 175 in the lower grades divided among four New Mexico, see J. U. Williams, teachers. The evening session of Tatum, New Mexico. increased the enrollment 20 or

the eighth teacher, as the prima-

eastern route. Mr. Mabry, be- construction. our highways.

Here is a proposition that need are of double importance-first cial club.

or will we awake to the necssary dollar per capita per town. action and get in behind a bond issue and put our roads in condition. The engineer with this party estinates that \$50.00 per mili would put Lynn counties roads in an a-one condition. Mr. must to keep this highway.

Individuality-something classy, and something different, the line shown by Mrs, Ogden at Larkins.

**Card of Thanks** 

We wish to express our heart, during the 24 days of illness and eath, we wish them Gode rich- Office Stokes Hotel. est blessing, and hope that they,

band and brother. ILY,

The parts returned by way of thoroughly posted on facts and Post City and points along the figures pertaining to good roads

ing connected with one of the The citizens of Lynn county San Antonio papers visited the are urged to hear Mr. Hernon, News office and chatted a while because the maintanence of the with the editor. He tells us that two interstate highways that in view of the activity in road cross at Tahoka is of vital imbuilding in the countiee on the portance to the entire citizeneastern route, and the lack of ship. To the rural communities same this way, that the route is these highways would be trunk liable to changed unless we get lines to market to which laterals busy along the line and improve could be built at a nominal cost To the townspeople these roads

the attention of a lively commer- as trade feeder; good roads draw trade as surely as the magnet Without co-opertion nothing a- draws the steel; second they are long this line can be accomplish- far from a despicible source of ed. Will we sit idly by and make revenue, it being a matter of no efforts to retain this highway record that motorist spend one

> I will buy your Maize Heads, Paul Miller. 1t-p

of Tahoka Ice Cream, has moved doctor and Tahoka citizens. Marby went eo far as to say that into his new brick next door for this sum they could be made south of Ketner's store, and has veritable speedways. We will installed one of the "swellest" fore the ass'n can change the set of fixtures it has been our route and it is not a day to long pleasure to inspect. Charley is for us to accomplish what we a live wire and is in business to put Tahoka on the map and incidently put a little coin of the realm in his "jeans." We hope he does both.

> · Get prices on Maize from others 1t-p then I'll buy. Paul Miller.

Dr. I. E. Smith, Eye, Ear, felt thanks to the many friends Nose and Throat Specialist will who helped us to watch over our be in O'Donnell Sept. 20th-Tadarling son and brother, Ples, hoka Sept. 21st. Have your school children's eyes examined.

Lave not suffered the sorrow and The Guaranty Bank is installpain from the loss of one so dear ing the fixtures in its sumptous to them as our darling son hus- new home on the corner of Main and Porterfield. The fnrniture MRS. PLES CROUCH, MR. AND in this building is best described MRS. Y. T. CROUCH AND FAM- by a common slang phrase-"they are sure classy."

fruit juices in our sodas are the purest, the freshest, and the most delicious that the market affords. But that dosent make the cost any higher. We charge no more than others do for the donbtful kind, so why be vexed as to the proper choice? For your health's sake go : : : : : : :

## D. A. Parkhurst--Jewelry and Confections

### Buckner Children Grateful

Embroidery Club

Dr. E. H. Inmon recently took up a contribution among Tahoka of Mrs. Charles Shook, the em- school in the class. people for the children in Buck- broidery club spent a delightful Last week a list was ciruclated ner Orphans Home, Dallas, in afternoon Wednesday.

Lach of space forbids us quot- Owing to the shortness of the ing the letter.

W. J Crouch, Contractor and will meet next week at that Builder. Well finished substan- hour with Miss Montgomery. tial work. Let me figure on your building. No charges for esti-1-tf mates.

In the market strong for Cot- others finished. Remember the reet from G. W. Kings. Paul Miller. 1t-p date is never changed. ton Seed.

## **Unsulphating Batteries**

We have the agency for the only unsulking Battery on the market. These Batteres are guaranteed by manufactuer to run 18 months to 3 years, according to service required

Why take your batteries to an experimentor when an expert electrician is at your command. Mr. Shepard has had several years experience and is thoroughly competent to rebuild or repair magnetos, generators or anything pertaining to car electrics

Dow & Shepard

at Tahoka Garage

and the natural increase will raise the enrollment beyond the maximum number it is possible for the present force to handle. The board has ordered fixtures for the labatory to bring it witpthe state requirements for a school of the first class. At the pretty suburban home faculty and patrons to keep the

Paul Miller.

TO GRAPE

by the board to raise funds to response to their plea thru the Victrola music enhanced the fence and level the school yard. press for funds to care for the enjoyment of the afternoon. The presidente of the board, Mr. typhoid patients in the home. Milk chocolate and angel food Meyers stated that they were Dr. Inmon raised \$53.07 which cake were served. Mesdames fairly successful and the work he remitted to them. He re- Marlin Jordan, A. E. Herring, would be done. The three lumceived this week a letter of ap- Misses Pauline Ramsey, Mae bur yards of Tahoka agree to fupreciation from Mr. Buckner on Ellison, Era Wood, Ollie Knight, rnish the school with the materi-C. W. Green, manufacturer behalf of the children to the and Edna Montgomery were the al necessary if the patrons would raise the funds to do the work.

## afternoons, the meeting hour Knight Will Build

W. L. Knight, of the firm of Knight & Brashear, will begin In the market strong for Cot-Quality first, then quantity: the construction Monday of a ton Seed. the greatest in both. Georgia brick residence on his property Smart Set started where the in north Tahoka, across the st-

> J. W. Wallis, has the contract for this residence which will contain five rooms, bath, pantry, and porches. There will be rooms which will not be finished up at present.

> Street hats and dress hats. ready to wear, or milinered to suit the individual customer-See Mrs. Ogden at Larins.

> Jess Murrah, was in Tahoka last week attending court. Jess told the News man that he had about thirty-five acres of cotton that would be good for half bale, ane that he never saw feed looking better than his was.

FOR SALE OR TRADE-Horry rooms are now over crowded ses, Mares, & Mules-apply Bowers & Vinson. 1-tf

> FOR SALE-Twelve weaner pigs, see, Mrs. Jeff Fleming, in North Tahoka. 3-tf

FOR SALE or trade-City Blacksmith Shop, located in corof Woods' Wagon Yard east of

Tahoka Public school is now square. Building 24x28 feet. classed in the first class and the Well equipped. address J. C. effort is being made by board Welch, owner, Tahoka. 2-tf

> WANTED-Two rooms for light house keeping. Phone News Office. 3-1tp

BRING YOUR HIDES to Woods wagon yard for high prices. 3-tf

FOUND-Key ring and keys. Owner can secure same by describing, and paying for this local. Call at News Office. 3-2t

Geo. M. Wright, of Sweetwater, has located among us and has purchased the sheet metal tools belonging to the Tahoka Hardware Co., He will manage the Brick Residence business of the Tahoka Sheet Metat & Plumbing Co.

Paul Miller. 1t-p



was fixed at 3:30 and the club

members present.

Satisfaction or No Pav

## Lynn County News

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### Four Issues Counted a Month

And now some simlinheaded republican is advancing the idea that Wilson will keep all the northern militia on the Mexican border until after November to keep them from voting for Huges-West Texas News.

Well why not, everthings fair in love and war, and some gink added in business and politics.

Out in Lynn County, where Billy Crduch homelogates, they are building a \$125,000 Court House. Must be expecting Bill to start something-San Saba News.

We don't know exactly what kind of a crime "homelogates" is but if Crouch is guilty, we are in favor of deporting him, as an undesirable citizen. Reacon about the worst thing we could do to him would be to send him back to San Saba.

Swift & Co., wholesale packers of Chicago, announce their intetion of opening a poultry plant in Amarillo to purchase all poultry available in this portion of the southwest. They will handle creamery and poultry products.

Have you seen Mrs. Ogdens line of sport hats? They are all the go, and are going too. Better make your selection now.

### **Fresh Fish and Oysters**

We recieve a shipment of fresh Fish and Oysters every Friday. 3-tf Sanitary Meat Market.

If you fail to see me when yov have poultry or grain to sell, we Why see Mrs. Odgen at Larkins poth lose money.

## **Business Moves**

N. D. Goree, manager for Carter Bros., mercantile establishment on the west side of the square purchased the fixtures of the old Gillam Drug Store and has moved them from the building occupied by that firm to his store and put his grocery line in the cases. This impravement has added much to the neatness and sanitary appearance of this store. J. N. Jones, owner of the old building occupied by the Gilliam Drug Store has moved his furniture stock into the building. He will use this new location for a show room, and retain his old building on the south side for storage.

Top Price for Maize Heads. Paul Miller. lt-p O. M. Shook returned last week from a trip to El Paso, on which he was accompanied by Ovid Louallen. Otho tells us Ovid has cast his lot with Uncle Sam, and ere long will sail the briny deep aboard one of his fighting ships.

## We are Here To Serve

We served quite a few farmers last year in the capicity of ginners, and were instrumental in boostidg pries. The more we do business with the farmers who come to Tahoka, the more we appreciate them and are prepared to offer even better service than last year. Our plant has bsen completely over hauled and is ready for service at a moment notice. Give us a trial,

Fuller Gin Co.,

2-tf

W. T. Raybon, Mgr.

Dr. King, who purchased the Black farm south of Tahoka a year or so ago, has built a neat little bungalow in North Tahoka which will be occupied by his wife and childing during the school term.

Where to get your fall hat? 2-tf Store Of course. Hats for any B. F. Montgomery. and all occasions, and priced reasonable too.

## OUR PUBLIC FORUM

### V. A. Collins ON THE RELATION OF CAPITAL AND LABOR.



V. A. Collins, Chairman of the Labor Committee of the Texas Economic League and a recognized friend of organized labor, discussing the relations between employer and employe, says: "Most of the friction between Capital and Labor is

the result of misunderstanding between them. This lack of proper understanding often results from the fact that large investors do not, or cannot, follow up their investments, but are forced to operate through hired men, known as 'managers.' The capitalist or investor, possibly knows no laborer in the employment or the enterprise, and consequently knows nothing of his environments, his needs, his hopes, or aspirations-they are as

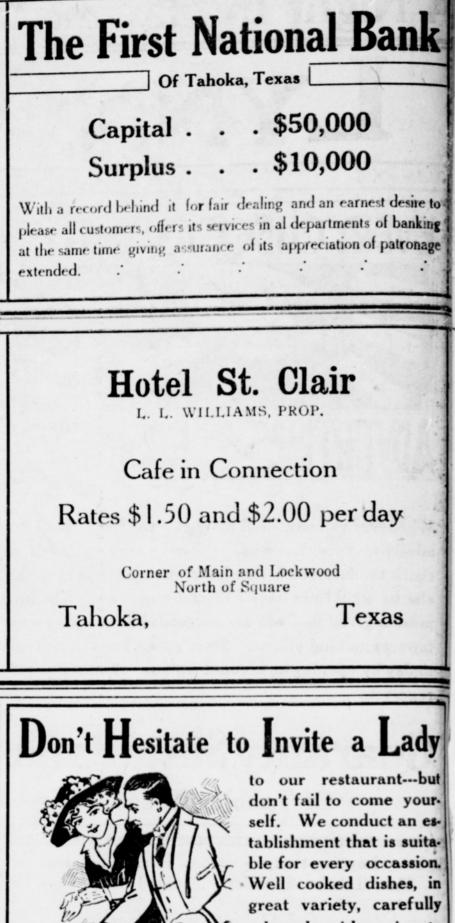
separated as Dives and Lazarus. Their situation is not such as to create any sympathy one for another-the capitalist knows nothing of the trials and difficulties of the laborer, and the laborer cannot see that his employer may also have great difficulties to encounter in 'keeping the mill Let the capitalist put himself in the place of the laborer and the going.' Let the capitalist put himself in the place of the laborer is laborer in the place of the capitalist and study each other's problems.

Be it said to the credit of many employers, they would like to make more favorable working conditions and pay better wages, but they have competitors in the same line of business who will make no change for the betterment of their labor and a man in business can scarcely make concessions which his competitors will not make, but when a change is demanded by labor, it cannot be convinced that the employer would be glad to make the change if his competitors would do likewise.

If the laborer hears of his employer at all, it is most probably through the press where he sees an account of his being abroad in company with Kings or princes, displaying his wealth that he may be admitted into royal society, or perhaps he sees where his employer his just given a million to the church or charities, while the wife and children of him whose calloused hands helped to produce that million are in the most direful circumstances. It needs no argument to prove that this is not calculated to create a genuine sympathy on the part of employe for his employer. I am persuaded that it is more charitable for employers to distribute the earnings of their industries above a reasotable return on their money among the men who co-operate with the machine is producing his wealth than to contribute large sums to charity and sound the bugle that the gift might be noted in the press.

Employers visit your enterprises and your laborers and see the discomforts and even the misery they sometimes endure and your charity may be kindled towards them. Employes, make the success of your employer's bustness your chief object and then demand a just share of the success you have made for him. See the Christ ideal of 'love thy neighbor as thyself' between capital and labor and the necessity for the militia to quell riots will never be known again and the race will grow wiser and better and the 'peace that passeth understanding' will prevail throughout the land.





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be, including the service. Glance at the menu for yourself and note that our prices are not excessive.

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**Meeting At Wilson** 

The Meeting meeting at Wil son will begin October 1st, the same being the first Sunday in he month. C.B.Townes

Rev. C. H. Ledger, pastor a Tahoka will assist Rev. Richardson, the local pastor in the services.

Don't sell your Maize Heads till you see me. lt-p Paul Miller.

Southland Grows Apace

Pap Moore, of Morgan community was in Tahoka Monday, and while within our gates, passed the time of day with the News

He tells us that Southland. their nearest town locatsd in the extreme northwest corner of Garza county, now boasts cf a hotel, five mercantile houses, and will soon be doing business at a local bank.

The country about Southland to the south, east, and west, will averege a family to every quarter section, and new farms are being opened every week.

## 'Lest You Forget

If you have a fine watch or any piece of jewelry that you wish repaired so it will be as good as new, bring it to me at Thomas Bros. Drug Store and you will find my work satisfactory and charges reasonable. 47-tf J. C. MAY.

C. Daughtery, the blind piano tuner of Ft. Worth was in Tahoka this week and left the later part of this week for his home. He makes this place about once a year.

Joe Elliot and family moved and one third, Open to All.

Paul Miller. 1t-p Agent. ton Seed.

Anyone might wish to be eleven is little over a half inch wide and is again to wear such wonderful mil- used in light pink and light green, linery as that which is shown in the about the crown and brim. At the picture. Since the making of hats back each ribbon band is finished with for little girls has developed into a a tiny flat bow. A pink rose is set business which has become a distinct in small ragged daisies at the front. branch of the manufacture of millinery the hats of "little miss" are a wire frame covered with chiffon. things to awaken the admiration and The top crown is covered with a small envy of her elders. They are less simple than they used to be, and the crown with a woven band of it. There hand of the specialist is evident in are three ruffles of plaited chiffon them.

Two of these pictured and pictur- foliage is mounted at the side. esque models are made of white hair braid-of all millinery braids the most exquisite. It is a pure, shining and translucent white and is woven bow, with one sash end, made of very in flat braid or in lace patterns or in combinations of the two

The hat at the center of the group bunch of velvet fruit and foliage rests is made without a supporting frame at the front. of any sort and is therefore flexible. The braid is moderately narrow with one fancy edge and a little ruffle running along its surface midway of the width. The straight edge is corded and the close-set threads of hair braid make it wiry. When the hat is made by sewing the braid row on row this wiry edge proves sufficiently stiff to hold the shape.

Narrow faille ribbon, with picot sible to wear them over the corset, in edges, is used to give the hat color. It the form of corset covers.

The Cost of Unpreparedness

Every battlefield of the war of 1861 gave proof to the world of the valor of the disciplined American soldier; but in achieving this reputation the nation was nearly overwhelmed with debt, from which we are still suffering, while nearly every family in the land was plunged into mourning. UPTON.

## **Round Trip Excursion Fares**

Fall buying season, Dallas Texas, Second Meeting August 13th to 22nd. Third Meeting August 27th to September 5th. Fourth Meeting September 10th to 19th. Fare one

last Thursday to Abilene, where Ten Days Summer Excursion Fares Aransas Pass, Corpus Christi, hey will make their future home. Galveston, Palicos, Port O'Connor And Rock-Port. One fare plus one dollar. On sale August 18th, & 25th, Sedtember 1st, 8th, 15th, In the market strong for Cot- 22nd, & 29th. Several other excursion tickets on sale. Ask the J. L. Heare, Agent.



If you haven't figured on what you are going to do to-night, spend an hour at the Star Theatre. We are presenting one of the most interesting bills of the Season.



...New Fall Goods ...

We have a good variety of patterns in all the new colors and combinations and owing to the fact that we bought our goods before the recent rise, we are able to put interesting prices on them.

Carter Bros., N. D. Goree, Mgr. Fresh, Seasonable Stock of Staple and Fancy Gtoceries. Displayed in Dustless Sanitay Glass Cases

Julia Bottomley

Waist Lines. There 's a waist line to some of the

envelope cnemises, for they are held

in with tucks, shirrs and gathers.

This arrangement would make it pos-

Another hair braid hat is made over

plaque of the braid, and the wide

about the upper brim, and a rose with

The quaint poke bonnet is covered

with brocaded silk and the brim bound with old blue braid. There is a big

wide blue ribbon, at the back. Against

the rich background of brocade a



pen to know that." "Maybe I'd better go over and give him a chance to hire me." Suppose I go with you.

Helen and Storm found Rhinelander

the bulletin, Georgie," directed Wood. At Oceanside, the directors of the road were in session. Capelle, representative of Seagrue, leader of the enemy camp in the cut-off race, learned from them that morning of the new



Helen Attached Her Instrument and Sent a Hurry-Up Message.

route which he habitually used in sneaking from one camp to the other, Spike made his way to Seagrue's hut and reported what he had just read on the bulletin board.

Seagrue regarded him with amuse ment. "There are no more ties coming to Rhinelander," he explained patient-"His supplies are cut off." ly.

Before Seagrue could say more, there was a knock at the door and his foreman, Bill Delaney, appeared with Capelle. Seagrue lost no time in asking the news and Capelle, with the best face he could summon, told him how they had lost out on stopping Rhinelander's credit. Men .that had known Seagrue a long time could never remember seeing him as angry as he was at that moment.

"Why wasn't the credit stopped?" he demanded furiously, "as you said it was?"

Capelle answered bluntly: "Rhinelander's new credit was granted during my absence."

No explanation served to allay Seagrue's rage. He pointed wrathfully at Spike. "Tell him what you saw about ties."

While Capelle, humiliated, listened, Spike repeated once more the bulletin board message.

"Had you followed my instructions," cried Seagrue, regarding Capelle scornfully, "the ties would not have been furnished." Capelle turned sullenly away, refus-

ing to talk further. "I did the best I could," was all he would say.

Seagrue, himself, was in no



### Rapped the Convict Over the Head.

he dropped lightly from the last car hastily away on it. and waiting for the caboose, which was empty, swung up by the hand rail

and went inside the car. He grabbed the waybills from the rack box and examined them. Finding those for the cars of ties, he carefully erased Rhinelander's name from each of them and taking his time inserted Seagrue's. Having done what struck him as an artistic job on these, he replaced the

bills and climbing into the cupola looked outside.

It was then by good fortune that the conductor and one of the two brakemen spotted him. To get back quick they flagged the engineer--the train was going at a pretty good clip-and started for the side. But this suited Spike's own game, for as the train slowed he dropped off and the crew, thinking themselves well rid of a nuisance, signaled their engineman ahead.

The train was running not far from Beaman when Spike left it, and slinking into the woods adjoining the right of way he made his way as fast as he could up to the Beaman telegraph office, where he sent this message to Seagrue

Changed the two ties you thought Rhinelander wears for two that suit Seagrue.

'Say, where's the nearest livery stable in this place, mister," Spike asked the agent.

He hardly waited to hear the answer

o, one time they had made their plans; given him before he was on his way and were ready for a forcible laying out of the office. And without losing on of hands Spike's work was done. a minute he got a horse where he Watching the trainmen walk forward, had been directed for one and rode

Helen, a few moments later, took Spike's message to Seagrue. When she handed it to Lyons he said he would deliver it. Placing the duplioate on file, Helen resumed her crochet work.

Passing the Tidewater camp, Lyons saw Rhinelander, Storm and Wood in conference over unloading the expected ties.

"You don't need me over at the station," said Wood to Rhinelander. "I'll send Storm with the men to look after the unloading. I'll stay here with these lazy graders."

Seagrue himself took the message from Lyons. He read it with secret satisfaction. The moment Lyons had left, Seagrue called Delaney, his foreman, told him to get the gang together to unload four cars of ties the instant the local freight pulled in.

But in the interval the Tidewater camp leaders, Rhinelander and Storm, were not losing any time in looking after the shipment themselves, and they appeared together at the station

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## To Call. WHEN WE BOUGHT OUR HARDWARE WE 'COMBED' THE MARKET AND FOUND MANY THINGS NO OTHER HARDWARE STORE IN THE

CITY CARRIE. THIS BRUSH-ED ASIDE ALL COMPETI-

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they are cached. Her father's estate back by involved by his death, Helen goes to work on the Tidewater. Searue helps Bpike to break jail and uses him to se fire to a powder train hauled by Storm's engine. Helen saves Storm from a horri-ble death. Helen recovers the survey plans from Seagrue, and though they are taken from her, finds an accidentally made proof of the survey blue print.

### FIFTH INSTALLMENT

hardly have been more peacefully en. young fellow. Either go to work here, raged than she was at the moment or take a dressing down yourself." George Storm threw open the office door and paused on the threshold.

"What are you doing over here this morning?" demanded Helen.

"Looking for a job."

Tahoka,

hard at work. It was the first time he had seen Storm since the night on the launch and he greeted his visitors with a hearty laugh. " 'Licked ?' " He echoed, after Helen had repeated her companion's threats. "Why, George, I could whip my weight in wildcats this morning. I'll have steel half way up the pass if I can get hold of a few cars of ties this week. And something THE FIGHT AT SIGNAL STATION always happens when I feel this way. I'll tell you right now," he pointed & The operator at Signal station could stubby finger at Storm, "it's up to you.

> "My hands are up," said Storm. "I'll go to work. What have you got?" Rhinelander turned to his foreman. They took only a minute to confer. 'Wood has a job for you right now,"

construction credits granted to Rhinelander. In the directors' room there had been a stormy scene when Capelle denounced the action they had taken. But his angry protest came too late and he was forced to carry his wrath and the bad news out to Seagrue.

Storm lost no time in posting the bulletin. While he wrote it out men gathered about and one, in especial, read the announcement with keen, snaky eyes:

"Flying gang will be at Signal station at 9 a. m. to unload ties."

This one was Spike, Seagrue's spy in the Rhinelander camp. Restless, conscienceless, teeming with crooked instincts, as devoted to mischief as the devil to men, Spike printed the substance of the bulletin on his memory, and turning from the men around "You might take mine," suggested announced Rhinelander to Storm. him left the scene. By a circuitous

Texas

to listen to excuses had there been any more to offer. Paying no more attention to Capelle's presence he whirled angrily on Spike. Few words were ever needed or exchanged between these two men. "Those ties"-Seagrue looked significantly at his tool -"must never reach Rhinelander."

With a great deal of thought and very brief expressions, the two conferred apart. What they worked out no one knew. But a few moments later Seagrue gave Spike a liberal supply of money and Spike left the hut. Calling to Capelle, Seagrue resumed his abuse.

Spike, without delay, hastened to Signal station, bought a ticket from Helen and took the local passenger train for Oceanside. He had the day and the night before him to figure out schemes to prevent the delivery of the ties to Rhinelander, and by morning he had more than one ready.

The easiest one he tried first, and he might have been seen in the morning, early, in the out-freight yards at Oceanside watching the make-up of the freight train that was to take the four cars of ties to Signal. He kept in the background every moment, but had continually within his eye the preparations to get the train under way. When at length the brakeman entered the :aboose to place the waybills on the desk, Spike watched him closely, only taking care to get away before he was observed himself. Sneaking up toward the head end he caught sight of the conductor, and to avoid him dodged in between two box cars. But the conductor had seen him and scenting a knave summoned a yard policeman. The two descended on Spike with scant ceremony. The detective dragged him from his hiding place, questioned him, warned him, and marching him off shot him out of the yards on a goose step. But Spike, as strong for resources as a cat for lives, had only begun to work when he was ordered to "beat it." He did beat it, but to such good purpose that he got down to the bridge ahead of the freight train. When the train drew near, Spike handily boarded the head end.

Some moments later the hind-end brakeman, sitting on the caboose, saw a tramp in the door of a box car. The brakeman started forward to investigate and had he been able to see all that occurred just a moment later, he would also have seen the tramp clinging to the side of a car of ties removing Rhinelander's name from the billing card and substituting therefor the name of Seagrue.

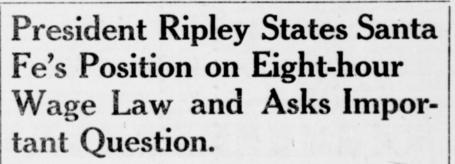
One after another of the billing cards on the four cars of ties Spike manipulated in the same way. In the meantime the two brakemen, one of whom had caught a glimpse of him, were consulting as to how to get him. But

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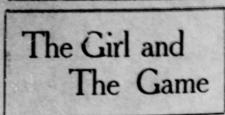
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to get track of it. Lyons, in response to Rhinelander's inquiries, said he did not know what the local freight was carrying.

"You find out, will you, Helen?" asked Rhinelander. And as he made the request he showed her his letter advising him the ties would be on the local.

While Rhinelander, Storm, Helen and Lyons were thus engaged, Seagrue and his foreman, Delaney, entered the office. Seagrue seemed at his best, very affable and friendly with everybody and was soon asking questions as to what ties were coming for him that morning. Helen took his inquiries and Rhinelander, overhearing. explained that the ties coming in on the local freight train that morning were for the Tidewater work, not for Seagrue. Seagrue declared him mistaken. A dispute flared up, which in a moment involved practically every-

body in the room. Of these, the opposition bosses for the unloading jobs, Delaney and Storm, became the most beated and seemed about to come to blows. But Rhinelander, checking Storm's indignation, advised restraint and referred the whole thing to Helen, asking her to find the real fact out from the dispatcher. Helen sent a hurry-up message and the answer came from the dispatcher's office within a few minutes:

"Local will set out four cars ties at Signal for Rhinelander's construction H. C. W." gang.

Lyons, without comment, passed the message to Rhinelander, who read it and showed it triumphantly to Seagrue. Seagrue entered an emphatic dissent. "I don't care what those boobs at Oceanside say," he snapped. "Those ties are for me and you'll find out I know what I'm talking about."

Fast words followed. Storm and Delaney again eyed each other fiercely. Then the sound of a freight train pulling in started everybody in the room out for the platform. The moment the train stopped the disputants crowded forward, each side eager to reach the conductor first. The conductor, a man of peace, listened unmoved to the violent contentions addressed to him. At length he produced the waybills for the property in dispute. Seagrue got hold of them first. To his delight he saw that, as expected, they read to him as consignee, and he showed them with an injured air to Lyons. Rhinelander, reading the doctored bills over Lyons' shoulder, was confounded.

Seagrue meant to let nothing of his advantage slip for lack of action. He whirled on Delaney. "Get our ties off those cars. Bill, and do it quick."

office and once outside and away from Helen he protested vigorously. Rhinelander, behind him, told Storm to keep cool. At that moment Delaney, breaking in, almost precipitated a riot. "Get out of this thing," he bellowed at Storm, "and keep out! Do you get that? You're talking too much." With the words, he pushed Storm

back. It was the wrong moment to lay hands on the stalwart young engineman, now greatly wrought up. His arm shot out and his fist caught Delaney on the jaw. The big foreman staggered.

Seagrue, glad enough to find himself outside the center of the brawl, walked away only to encounter Spike as the latter, dashing in from the highway, sprang from his horse and hurriedly beckoned Seagrue to him.

The two conferred in quick undertones together and Rhinelander, who stood with Helen and Lyons, watching them, saw them run to the tie cars, remove the billing cards and bring them back. Seagrue, with the air of a man aggrieved, showed the cards to Rhinelander.

"What do you say to this?" he demanded, in the confirmation of his claims. "Call off your men. They're starting a riot here to keep me from taking possession of my own property.'

Rhinelander, as near angry as he ever got, stamped his foot. "I tell you those ties don't belong to you. It's some trickery and thievery your gang has put up on us. This way, Lyons!"

Accompanied by the agent, Helen following, Rhinelander entered the station. Helen went to her desk to wire for a confirmation of the dispatcher's message. As she did this, her eyes fell on the clip on which had been filed the duplicate of Spike's message to Seagrue. Across it she had thrown her crochet work and her eye was now met by the words of the cipher message as Spike had meant the secret message to be read by Seagrue:

"Changed ties Rhinelander to Seagrue."

Startled, she called to Rhinelander. With Lyons, the latter read the massage as she now pointed it out to them. The two men saw the import at once. But outside the station Spike and Seagrue were listening. "You see you're caught," muttered Seagrue to Spike. "They'll wire for confirmation and help. We're in for trouble."

"No trouble at all," declared Spike coolly. "I'll save them the work of wiring. "How?"

"By clipping their wire. Just keep cool, Seagrue. I'll get you through." Spike, without delay, climbed a pole and with a pair of clippers made good his threat.

Helen, sitting at the instrument, was trying to call. She stopped. "The wires are cut," she exclaimed.

Seagrue and Spike on the platform passed the window. Storm, at this juncture, ran in from the field of bat-"There's too many of them," he tla said in disgust. "Every time knock one dago down, two Greeks The engineman catching him by the come in to take his place. The way to wind this thing up, Mr. Rhinelander, quick and clean, is to capture Seagrue and lock him up. We can do it. Stick him in the freighthouse here and pile a couple of dozen bags of cement on him. No? I say, yes!!! Some-



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Storm called into conference the handiest of his men-men who cared neither for the law nor the devil-and giving brief and hurried instructions, ran from the station at the moment that Seagrue with his outfit were rushing the outnumbered Tidewater gang.

Pushing straight through his own demoralized forces to the thick of the scrimmage, knocking men right and left when he had to and dodging in between when he could, Storm, his two trusties at his elbows, struck, shoved and jumped his way straight to where Seagrue was urging his fighting men on. The latter, busy with the

the engineer's seat in time to halt the train opposite Rhinelander's camp, and without losing a moment she ran over to headquarters, where she gave the alarm to Wood and asked him to hurry the remainder of the construction gang over to the train before the care should be stolen again by their active enemies. Wood, who would rather fight than eat, responded like a whirl, wind, and heading his men, started them across the fields on the run for the kidnaped train.

Storm had, meantime, dropped . rope around Spike's neck. He ted him to the engine cab just as Helen, with her reenforcements, reached



gine. the tie cars and the men hurriedly

began the unloading. They were not to have an easy time of it. Seagrue, with his rioters, bad already climbed the hill and was un ing them forward. Not a soul on the engine had a weapon, and as Sea grue's men came on it looked as i the train would be taken then and there by force of numbers. Helen however, was not without reserves.

"Give them the live steam, George and a lot of it, "quick," she cried "Don't let them capture us."

Storm needed no more than the hint. Turning on the valve he let loose a hot cloud that drove Seagrue and his gang gasping from the engine The foremost of the men caught in the white fog were glad to get away unhurt, and halting at a safe distance

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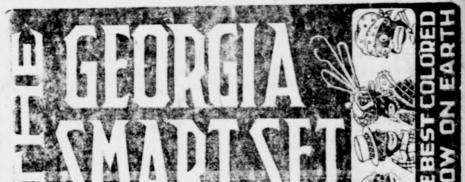
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Storm took a hand in. He felt his side was beaten, but would not quit. "Hold on," he said gruffly. "Not yet. This thing is in dispute. Take your time," he added to Delaney, and a significant look lent strength to his words.

Again Rhinelander quieted Storm down. Delaney began giving orders to his men, and while Seagrue kept a guarded eye on them, suspicious of some counter-move, Rhinelander and Storm accompanied Lyons and Helen into the station.

Seagrue's men, crowding after their triumphant foreman, gave the laugh to the Tidewater gang, who stood with their hands in their pockets, and started after the ties.

Inside the office a perplexed and disgruntled group gathered around Helen. She showed the dispatcher's message to the conductor. Seagrue, not to be outfaced, came inside to watch the proceedings and demanded to know again of the puzzled conductor whether the ties were not plainly enough for him. In the face of the conflicting evidence the conductor did not know what to decide. "Fight it out yourselves, boys! I give it up." was all that could be got out of him. And Seagrue, declaring he would unload the ties anyway, left the office. Once outside, he again spurred Delaney to haste.

Storm followed Seagrue from the

thing's got to be done.' Can't you get a message through somehow?" asked Rhinelander of Helen in agitation.

"Yes," she answered, unhesitatingly, "I can. I'll get one through for you." So saying, she caught up an extra instrument, ran out on the platform and climbed the pole Spike had climbed, to cut in with her pony above the break.

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### main encounter, saw Storm too late. collar whirled him unceremoniously around, pinioned him before a blow could be struck and with his helpers

dragged him victoriously off. Bedlam was let loose. Seagrue's men, seeing the trick too late, ran in with a yell to rescue him. Back and forth the fight swayed, while Helen, above at the depot, attached her instrument and sent to the dispatcher her hurry-up message.

"Seagrue has the ties. Send Help. H."

But whoever had the ties, Storm had Seagrue, and his men were now easily standing off the onslaughts of Seagrue's men on the platform. The latter, needing help, sent for re-enforcements, and a moment later the entire gang, leaving the unloading of the tie cars ran down the track to join in the fight. The train was left deserted. Storm, seeing this, turned his prisoner over to his men and chose a moment when he could break away to run to the engine. Gaining the cab, he immediately started to back the train up to Rhinelander's camp, where the main body of their men still were. As the train drew past the station, Helen, having finished, sprang recklessly from the pole to the top of a box car and running forward met Storm, who had started back, and showed him a message from the dispatcher:

### "Will send sheriff to Signal."

While the men were still fighting in front of the station, Spike managed to tear himself loose from the fray in time to see the freight train backing up the hill. He knew what this meant and realized the move must be stopped. Running to his horse he mounted and spurred after the receding train. But his intervention had turned the fighting in favor of Seagrue's men, and they were fast beating Rhinelander's gang off. By a sudden rush on the freighthouse they even recaptured and released Seagrue himself.

The latter, covering the situation at a glance, saw, as Spike had seen, the real danger: Storm now in possession of the ties was running away with them

Yelling to his men, Seagrue bade them drop the fight and follow. Spike on his horse was fast overtaking the train.

Running his horse close to the moving train, Spike sprang from the saddle to the engine itself and started back. As he came over the top of the cab, Storm on the tender confronted him and the two grappled. Helen had at once taken the throttle, but Spike, fighting Storm back into the coal quickly put him at a disadvantage. He was, in fact, overpowering him when Helen came to the rescue and rapped the convict smartly over the head. She jumped back to

rallied for orders.

Delaney, whose fighting blood was just getting warmed up, saw a further chance and called to his men to follow him around the cut. The gang divided and Delaney's part of it, starting over the hill, met Rhinelander's men. For a time there was a hot mix-up. As the enemy came on in ever increasing numbers, Wood and his men were soon getting the worst of it, but fresh shouts were heard down the hill and at the moment the sheriff's posse-now arrived-running in, took the side of Rhinelander's men and helped them beat Seagrue's gang back

Outnumbered, driven from their vantage ground and disheartened at the unexpected diversion of the enemy. Seagrue's men sullenly gave way even Bill Delaney's fiercest efforts failed to rally them. It was only a few minutes before the sheriff's men were making prisoners right and left rounding up the stragglers and marching them down the cut. The hill had been won and lost, but the ties had been firmly held and were safely in Rhinelander's possession.

The moment the fight was decided Storm, with Helen, went back to the engine to get their personal prisoner the redoubtable Spike. They took him back to where the sheriff was giving his orders for the disposition of those under arrest. Helen explained to the sheriff very forcibly just what Spike had done.

"Well," demanded the official jocularly, "what'll we do with him? String him up right here in a box car?"

"No," exclaimed Helen, indignantly 'You can do better than that." She pointed to Seagrue, now also under arrest. "Put those two men at work unloading these ties for our camp. They are the ringleaders in the whole affair. If they had their deserts, they would both be in the penitentiary. Make them work, sheriff. That's the last thing that pair want to do." Rhinelander came up with his men as she Anished.

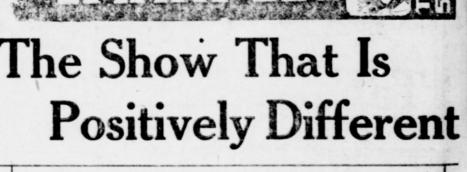
"You're right," declared the shei good humored over the outcome. From the look of 'em, what these guys need is a dose of good, hard work." He turned to his deputies and pointed to the ties. "Get those fellows up on the flat cars and see they both work every minute till the last tle is unloaded.'

"Suppose they refuse to work,' suggested a deputy.

"Refuse?" echoed the sheriff, savagely. "If they do, find a pump that will work and give 'em the cold water.'

But Seagrue and Spike did work. When Helen, Rhinelander and Storm left the scene the two, beading with sweat, were pitching ties in record time.

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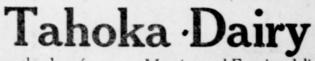
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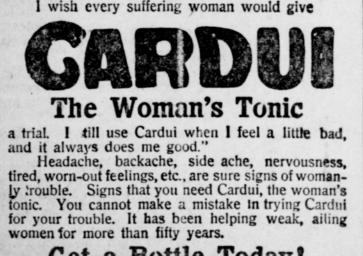
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