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Baptist Meeting to be Held One Month Earlier.

To Begin July 20, instead of Aug. 17.

The Baptist meeting will commence on Saturday before the third Sunday in July, instead of Saturday before the third Sunday in August when it was first said to commence.

This change has been necessitated by the fact that the Rev. Forrest Smith could not be here at the time appointed. So do not forget the correct date, Saturday before the 3rd Sunday in July.

The Tahoka Hardware Company sold a fine red wheel buggy to Ed Redwine last Saturday. Mr. Redwine has the distinction of having bought the first buggy sold by the new firm.

**Commissioner's Court**

Commissioner's Court, convened Monday with a full attendance as follows: J. E. Ketner, Com. No. 1; J. H. Cowan, Com. No. 2; B. Humphries, Com. No. 3; W. T. Petty, Com. No. 4; T. M. Bartley, judge; S. N. McDaniel, clerk and J. S. Wells, sheriff.

The petition of W. A. Waller and 23 others, for the creation of a new school district, just north of Six Mile, was approved, and it is to be known as, Bailey School District No. 11. The petition of R. A. Milligen and 25 others, approved, and Morgan School District No. 10, in the northeast corner of the county, was created. The petition of C. N. Huto and 11 others, approved and a new district created in the north part of the county to be known as, Minor School District No. 12. The report of C. H. Peters, justice of the peace for precinct No. 2, was approved, his resignation accepted and C. M. Whipp was appointed to fill the vacancy. The accounts of the officers were all examined and approved. A road was granted from the public road at the Chisum place, south of town, to run on the section lines to the Harris mills. Court adjourned Tuesday afternoon, after allowing the following accounts:

A. R. McGonagil, Labor,	\$8 75
J. A. Wilson, "	5 00
W. H. Fischer, "	2 25
J. F. Millman, "	9.00
V. C. Johns, "	4.00
W. W. Gaddy, "	5 00
Will McKenzie, "	3 85
R. D. Morris, Merchandise	.75
G. D. Barnhard & Co. "	5.83
Smith & King "	5 75
W. E. Porterfield, "	1.20
C. H. Peters, "	1.00
S. H. Windham, Paint etc.	49.05
R. A. Henderson, Painting Court House,	58.00
Clark & Courts, Stationery, and Furniture	28 33
Maverick Clark, Stationery	137.85
H. C. Crie & Co., "	54.65
Dorsey Printing Co., "	8.75
J. S. Wells, County Court and Affidavits	5.50
S. N. McDaniel, Express	7.15
A. S. Coughran "	1.00
J. O. Gore, Shingles	7 80
SCALPS	
B. H. Cade 1 "	.50
C. C. Kuykendall 3 "	1.50
J. E. Ketner 12 "	6.00
T. Noble 2 "	1.00
Eva Petty 10 "	5.00
Preston Majors 1 "	.50
Elmer Coughran 11 "	5.50
Edd Cade 1 "	.50
S. F. Singleton 2 "	1.00
J. S. Wells 2 "	1.00
T. B. Preston for Sam Jones 14 Lobo Wolf Scalps	70.00

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The finest and best made skirts and waists ever brought to Tahoka. At mail order prices, but where you can. Select just what you want.

Lots just as cheap and cheaper too. Come and see for yourself.

You might bring the old man with you for we can fit him out with everything he wants from a necktie to a pair of shoes. Boys and mens clothing, a specialty, a large new line just opened.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1907.

Several cases of small pox are reported in Mitchell county, and the disease is also reported to be north and east of us. We should all be very careful that it is not brought here, for while it seems to be in a light form, we do not need it in our town.

**A SHOOTING AFFAIR**

Two young men got into a squabble last Sunday, at a place about eighteen miles north of here, and one of them fired seven shots at the other at close range, none of the bullets having effect. Because of the high respectability of the families to which the young men belong we refrain from mentioning names. — Big Springs Enterprise.

If these degenerate scions of a noble stock wanted to get their names in the papers, they should have practiced shooting to hit.

**Daily Burned.**

Last Sunday about town Wayland Sanders, the younger son of Van Sanders, and Joe Brown, one of Bob H. Brown's boys, were very badly burned in the face by the explosion of some candles, which they found in a can at the Nicols hotel. They had been playing with it and by some means unknown to anyone it ignited and resulted as above stated. The boys deny having touched a match to the combustibles, but any way it is quite likely that they will not use such dangerous articles as play things again soon. Dr. Cretton treated their faces and they are at present getting along all right, and no permanent injuries will result from the burns, though their faces were blistered all over. — Lubbock Avalanche.

Mrs. Roberson of Meadow started Wednesday for Denton, to attend Commencement exercises, where her daughter has been attending school for the past year.

We have nothing else at do but sell land. — Lubbock Real Estate Co.

Breston Majors was in town Wednesday.

**Lubbock Locals**

From the Avalanche.  
Miss Ethel Cook is the guest of Miss Vera Caldwell this week.

R. D. Morris, merchant of Tahoka, spent Wednesday in our city.

W. D. Nevels, of Tahoka, cashier of the First National Bank, was attending court here Tuesday.

E. L. Hunt, cashier of the First National Bank of Canyon, accompanied by his family, are visiting relatives in Lubbock.

H. C. Randolph and J. W. Dalton, two of Plainview's able attorneys, were here as attorneys in the district court.

Easton Woffarth, ex-sheriff of Lubbock county, but at present a ranchman of Terry county is visiting friends and relatives in Lubbock this week.

District Attorney R. L. Perry is with us this week for the first time in this capacity, having only recently been appointed to succeed S. C. Williams, the former attorney. Mr. Perry is a hustling young lawyer, and seems to be meeting with the general approval of the people of the district.

**LET'S GRADING CONTRACT**

With an Part of Short Line to be finished in four months.

Special to the Dallas News.  
Hereford, Tex., May 9.—J. H. Ransom has let the contract to Miller & Jefferson for grading the first fifty miles of the Britannia Short Line Railroad. This piece of work is to be completed within four months from date. The road is to be built from Hereford to Stanton, on the Texas and Pacific.

**QUARANTINED.**

One Mr. J. Brooks of near Silverton came to Lockney Thursday on the Estaline track and put up at the Childers hotel. His complaint of being sick Friday morning and was found to have small pox. Several were exposed. The sick patient is out of town now and at present Lockney has no small pox. Those exposed are quarantined in the aforesaid hotel. Our doctors and citizens will do all they can to prevent the spreading of the disease.

Mrs. Reed and daughters Misses Georgia and Maud were in town Wednesday visiting Mrs. Reed's daughter, Mrs. P. B. Hall, who has recently moved to Tahoka.

Lumber, lumber, lumber, just in off it. Go to the Tahoka Lumber Co., for lumber. They have it in stock to build any thing from a hotel to a bird trap. See, C. E. Brown, Manager.

C. M. WHIPP.

L. M. HUGHES, Surveyor.

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These Bulls are yearlings past and will be sold at reasonable prices, and good terms if desired.  
Apply at my place 1/4 miles north of Tahoka.

**A. L. Lockwood.**

**The Maltese Jack DAN**

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Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State, or in case any previous election shall be had in the State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified tax paying voters. And the sum of \$2000, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the treasury of the State of Texas for the purpose of submitting this proposition to a vote of the people of the State of Texas. [A true copy.] L. T. DASHIELL, Secretary of State.

#### Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Creating the Office of Commissioner of Agriculture.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 27, providing for a Department of Agriculture, with a bureau of labor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas.

SECTION 1. That Article four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding thereto Section 27, when a majority of the qualified electors of the Legislature of Texas at an election for that purpose shall vote in favor of the amendment, shall read as follows:

Section 27. The Legislature shall provide for the office of Commissioner of Agriculture, who shall be either elected by the qualified voters of the State, or appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of two-thirds of the Senate as the Legislature may provide; whose term of office, duties and salary shall be prescribed by law; in which department there shall be established by the Legislature a bureau of labor, when required by the public interest.

SEC. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this resolution to the qualified voters for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas, as an amendment to the Constitution of Texas, to be voted upon on the first Tuesday in August, 1907. All persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, as follows: "For the amendment to the Constitution, providing for a Department of Agriculture and a Bureau of Labor." And those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, as follows: "Against the amendment to the Constitution, providing for a Department of Agriculture and a Bureau of Labor." And the sum of (\$2000) two thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publications, proclamation and election.

[A true copy.] L. T. DASHIELL, Secretary of State.

#### A NARROW ESCAPE.

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant, of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it but I would not consent. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at the Tahoka, Drug Store.

Mr. Butler, of Draw, was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Joe. Stokes of the Tahoka Hotel is clerking for Ousley & Alley.

Alice S. Farmer, of DeLeon, joins the News Readers for the coming quarter.

Mrs. A. M. Ellis was in town Monday to have some teeth extracted.

Mr. Luttrell, of McDonald, was in town Saturday trading with our merchants.

George Riley was sick the first of the week and came to town for treatment.

H. C. Smith has bought the McKenzie residence. Mr. Mc. will travel for a while this summer.

Better get a new suit at Ousley & Alley, they have gents clothing for a millionaire, and prices fit for your pocketbook be it ever so small.

Andy Long, of Borden county went through Tahoka Saturday on his way home after having delivered a bunch of cattle at Oxshers ranch north of town.

Walter Robison and family came in town Monday afternoon. Mr. Robison to attend commissioner's court, Mrs. Robison and the children to visit friends.

Mrs. George Curtis passed thru Tahoka last Saturday enroute for her home in Lubbock. She had been visiting her parents and also her brother and his family in Garza county, while there her other brother visited them and they had a reunion of nearly all the family.

Mrs. Lewis Robinson entertained the "Sweet sixteen" set, last Saturday evening, in honor of Miss Hattie Robinson of Lubbock who has been visiting her for some time. All who went report a very enjoyable time.

Mr. Whipp was appointed Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 2 by the Commissioner's Court the first of the week. Mr. Whipp was almost overwhelmed by his honors, but he seems to be getting used to them without any trouble.

Elmer Coughran and Emmet Fleming went hunting with their dogs, the first of the week. They discovered a wolf den, caught the old one and then dug out eleven young ones, which they brought to town, selling four of them immediately, the others they killed and scalped. The catch netted them six dollars in bounty and purchase money. These young gentlemen and their dogs should be encouraged in the good work. This catch alone has saved a good many frying size chickings.

Mr. John McLaurin and his bride were in Tahoka Saturday.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Stokes of Gail is sick in bed.

Mr. S. M. Weather is building a new house in the west side of town.

See that Phonograph at Ousley & Alley's For \$40. cash purchase.

Two of H. J. Coughran's children have been quite sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Knighton, of Lynn, spent the night with Mrs. Peters Wednesday.

Read our ad about the Talking Machine and cost Sale on the fifth page Ousley & Alley.

Mr. Beeman was in town Thursday and tells us his wife has been suffering with rheumatism.

Last Sunday afternoon little Raymond Shook, while playing on the stairs fell from the banisters and received a painful bump, though not a serious one.

Mr. and Mrs. Huckabee were in Tahoka Thursday. They have sold their place to Mr. Donaldson of Crockett county a brother to J. D. Donaldson of Lynn County.

Ousley & Alley have instituted a system of coupons by which the cash purchases of their customers entitle them to a Phonograph when they purchase \$40. worth of goods. This is an innovation for Tahoka, and Ousley & Alley are to be congratulated upon their Enterprise.

John McCloud left Tuesday morning in a surrey for Big Springs. He took Mrs. Hooker and children down to take the train for their home in Sterling City. Mrs. Hooker has been visiting her father Mr. M. E. Gilmore who has been sick for some time. John will meet Mr. McCloud's Mother from Cedar Rapids Iowa and his daughter Mrs. Tefteller of Ft. Worth, both ladies are coming to make an extended visit to the Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. William Powell of Lubbock who were married about three weeks ago are making an extended tour of some of the Eastern states, they will visit Mr. Powell's relatives and a while at the Jamestown Exposition and visit other points of interest. The young people will not return until the middle of the summer. The Bride who was Mable Penney is a very popular young lady of Lubbock and has a wide circle of friends who will welcome her home. The wedding was one of the swellest affairs ever in Lubbock. The array of presents was something dazdazing there being nearly a hundred very handsome gifts, cut glass and silver being in the predominance.

## News Want Column.

WHITE WYANDOTTE eggs for sale \$2.00 per 15.

Mrs. Horace Hale, Gail, Texas.

WE-- are the well drillers. Wilson & Napier, 75c and \$1.00 per foot. Just try us.

For Sale— 50 bushels of fine home raised Bohemian Cotton seed at my place 10 miles north of town at 40 cents per bushell W. T. Fenn,

FOR SALE.—German millet seed good clean home raised, at \$1.25 per bushel, at Wells & Welcher's.

FOR SALE.—One buggy at the Phenix Blacksmith Shop.

FOR SALE.—Registered Poland China brood sow, large, young and a bargain.—W. P. Phenix.

### Notice

#### Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Lynn.

By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dallas County, on 9th day of April A. D. 1907, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Texas Moline Plow Company versus W. M. Morgan, W. W. Ballew trustee and Lewis Carpenter Recorder, No. 24088, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in June A. D. 1907, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Lynn County, in the town of Tahoka, the following described property to wit:

Three hundred and twenty (320) acres of land known as the south half (S½) of Survey number thirty one (31) situated in Lynn County, Texas, in block A1 abstract No. 382, lying 12 S. 67 W. from the center of the County by virtue of scrip No. 1441 issued to East Line and Red River Rail Road Company by the Commissioner of the General Land Office May 23rd 1879 and transferred to Thaddeus C. Reed May 26th 1879.

Beginning at a stake the S. W. corner of survey, No. 22 in block 1436 this Co. thence S. 1900 varas to a stake for S. W. corner of this survey, thence E. 1900 vara S. E. corner of this survey, thence N. 1900 varas to a stake for N. E. corner of this survey, thence W. 1900 varas to beginning. The above described 640 acres of land was conveyed to Thaddeus C. Reed by the State of Texas in a patent dated Feb. 7th 1881 and recorded as No. 46 Vol. 60. The south half of this 640 acre tract was conveyed to W. M. Morgan on 20th day of July 1901 and reference is here made to Vol. 3 page 452 deed record Lubbock Co., levied on as the property of W. M. Morgan to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2,609.14 in favor of The Texas Moline Plow Company, and costs of suit.

Given Under My Hand, this 1st day of May A. D. 1907.

J. S. WELLS, Sheriff.

Mr. Black began the foundation of his big bousness house ten feet too far back on his lot and folks were afraid he would get so far back that he would think he was in the country and he was assisted to the edge of his lot so we feel easy now.



**Draw Locals.**

News of the Draw Community;

The pie supper at the Draw school house Saturday night May 11th was a most enjoyable feature for the young people.

Rev. J. O. Gore preached a real interesting sermon at this place Sunday morning May 12th.

The new school house is almost completed and when finished will be real nice.

There is to be a literary society here Saturday night May 18th and every body is invited to come. The society though small is improving fast and Tahoka had better go to work or we will beat them ten to one.

Rain is needed very much in this part of the county, some farmers have a good stand of corn but if it doesn't rain soon it will all wither away.

Miss Maude Cantrell and Aunt, Miss Thomason expect to spend Sunday under the foot of the plains.

We learn with regret that Mr. Will Alexander who has been working for Mr. Oscar Jones is absent from our community.

Mr. Jim Brown who has been residing with Mrs. McDonald is now working on Slaughters ranche.

**ROSEBUD**

We are glad to welcome Rosebud to the columns of the News, come often Rosebud with a nice letter and let the folks know how their friends at Draw are getting on. Editor.

The Tahoka Drug Co. have a nice new line of wall paper.

Miss Elsie Bellair is visiting the Montgomery family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lamon, Thursday, May 16th., a boy.

Master John Earnest Whipp visited Master Richard Crie the last of the week.

Dr. McCoy informs us there is a fine boy at J. D. Donelson's who arrived May 13.

Mr. J. E. Stokes left on the back Thursday for Big Springs to visit his daughter Mrs. Minnie Doak.

Mr. and Mrs. Peters left Thursday for a trip of several weeks through the southwest part of the state.

The court yard is being plowed again this week. Mr. Wells, our sheriff is to be congratulated on the way he is having the trees taken care of and the growth they are making.

We were very glad to see Len McCormick down town last Saturday for the first time after an illness of several weeks. He is to be congratulated upon looking so well after so long a seige.

Bill Scarborough passed through Tahoka with his outfit Saturday enroute for his home in Dawson county after having shipped a nice bunch of cattle from Amarillo to the northern markets.

Just as we go to press we are pleased to see Prof. Walker who with his wife has just returned from a visit to relatives at Aspermont. The professor called on the News and seemed pleased to be home again. He reports a pleasant trip and that Aspermont looked natural.

Mr. Will Smith visited at Black's Sunday

Mr. Morehead, who bought the steer yearlings of the T—, Curry Comb, and Llano ranches, left Tahoka Friday.

John James of Bovina was in Tahoka this week representing the James bros. Mr. James bought the Llano heifer yearlings at \$12.00 around.

Mrs. J. S. Wells got a large incubator Thursday which will accommodate 250 eggs, this with the one she has will give a large hatching capacity.

C. O. Edwards of Tarrant county owner of the T— left for his home Friday after a stay of several days in Lynn county looking after his extensive property here.

Mr. A. A. Timmons, of Meadow, has bought a half section of Terry county land of A. L. Tinker for his brother R. H. Timmons of Young county who will move out here next fall. Mr. Timmons renewed his two papers one for himself and one for his father.

Miss Cleo McGonigal went to Lampasa last Sunday to a singing convention and had a very pleasant time. She visited her aunt Mrs. Miles a few days and returned to Tahoka Wednesday accompanied by her cousin Miss Lelia Miles. Both the young ladies paid the News a pleasant call Wednesday

**MORE THAN THEY EXPECTED**

Messrs. Turner and Menches, of Mentone, Indiana, visited the News Monday. These gentlemen have property in Lynn and Lubbock counties which they did not think of any great value, and were agreeably surprised at the prices on real estate. Texas ways and customs were a puzzle to them, they said they were surprised that the people were just as well up in the ways of civilization as they were in the old states. An apron party, an account of which they read in the News, which took place in Tahoka about three months since, was a new item in entertainment to them. Roads are about the only thing where the Plains are behind Indiana, and if we keep increasing the number of autos we will soon be ahead of them on roads. Mr. Turner hopes to come in the fall and bring his wife.

**Litwalton Rumbles,**

H. M. Simmons of Ft worth is transacting business here.

Mrs. Maggie Ivies has been quite sick but is better at this writing.

Miss Vena Elkins is teaching music at Litwalton.

E. T. Ambler has returned to his home in Ft Worth. He made a short stay with us this spring.

John Bouldin of Sedalia Mo. is paying his brother E. S. Bouldin of this place a visit.

There are several prospective candidates around.

Mr. Thomas the Hotel man at Litwalton has gone to Big Springs

Our farmers are very busy with farm work so we are short on news.

A Nester on the Cap Rock.



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Two Hundred Thousand pairs now in actual use. Over Seventy-five Thousand pairs sold last year.

**DESCRIPTION:** Made in all sizes. It is lively and easy riding, very durable and lined inside with a special quality of rubber, which never becomes porous and which closes up small punctures without allowing the air to escape. We have hundreds of letters from satisfied customers stating that their tires have only been pumped up once or twice in a whole season. They weigh no more than an ordinary tire, the puncture resisting qualities being given by several layers of thin, specially prepared fabric on the tread. That "Holding Back" sensation commonly felt when riding on asphalt or soft roads is overcome by the patent "Basket Weave" tread which prevents all air from being squeezed out between the tire and the road thus overcoming all suction. The regular price of these tires is \$8.50 per pair, but for advertising purposes we are making a special factory price to the rider of only \$4.80 per pair. All orders shipped same day letter is received. We ship C.O.D. on approval. You do not pay a cent until you have examined and found them strictly as represented.

We will allow a cash discount of 5 per cent (thereby making the price \$4.56 per pair) if you send **FULL CASH WITH ORDER** and enclose this advertisement. We will also send one nickel plated brass hand pump and two Sampson metal puncture closers on full paid orders (these metal puncture closers to be used in case of intentional knife cuts or heavy gashes). Tires to be returned at OUR expense if for any reason they are not satisfactory on examination.

We are perfectly reliable and money sent to us is as safe as in a bank. Ask your Postmaster, Banker, Express or Freight Agent or the Editor of this paper about us. If you order a pair of these tires you will find that they will ride easier, run faster, wear better, last longer and look finer than any tire you have ever used or seen at any price. We know that you will be so well pleased that when you want a bicycle you will give us your order. We want you to send us a small trial order at once, hence this remarkable tire offer.

**COASTER-BRAKES,** built-up-wheels, saddles, pedals, parts and repairs, and everything in the bicycle line are sold by us at half the usual prices charged by dealers and repair men. Write for our big SUNDAY catalogue.

**DO NOT WAIT** but write us a postal today. **DO NOT THINK OF BUYING** a bicycle or a pair of tires from anyone until you know the new and wonderful offers we are making. It only costs a postal to learn everything. Write it NOW.

**HEAD CYCLE COMPANY, Dept. "JL" CHICAGO, ILL.**

**WINCHESTER**

**"NUBLACK"**

Loaded Black Powder Shells

Shoot Strong and Evenly

Are Sure Fire,

Will Stand Reloading.

They Always Get The Game.

For Sale Everywhere.

**GREASE EXPLODED**

A pan of meat drippings caught fire in the oven of the Hotel range, and caused an explosion and quite a fire in the kitchen. Mr. Stokes got hold of the burning pan and carried it out of doors while Mrs Stokes closed the doors to prevent a draught. The kitchen caught from the burning grease making it impossible for Mr. Stokes to get back in. Mrs. Stokes promptly threw water on the fire from the dining room door, after which the smoke soon cleared away so they could get in and finish the fire. No very serious damage was done to the building except the looks of the kitchen was considerably damaged, but it was a narrow escape.

**WE ARE NO CHEAP JOHNS.**

What with our large amount of home advertising and local news we are publishing, our business manager had to turn down the advertising proposition of a foreign paint house this week. The agent talked to us with tears in his eyes and told us that we were about the only paper in the west that would not take their contract. He expressed great surprise at getting turned down in Tahoka, but we explained that Tahoka and the Lynn County News were no common propositions. As long as Tahoka and Lynn county advertise in the News, we won't run after cheap John advertising.



### Laundry

Sent off the first and fifteenth of each month, all work is neatly done and returned promptly. Satisfaction assured. Give us a Trial.

**J. R. HONEA, Proprietor,**  
**North Side Public Square**  
**TAHOKA, TEXAS.**

### Have you tried the Drug Store of H. J. COUGHRAN?

If you have not, it is about time you did so, for you can find every thing in the drug line that you can possibly want, and all of the very best in the market.

All kinds of stationery, cardies and cigars: In fact every thing carried in a first class drug store.

Prescriptions carefully and accurately compounded from pure drugs.

North-east corner square  
**Tahoka, - - Texas.**

**Give us a trial.**

### W. L. Self

Work done in Tin and Sheet Iron  
 Flues, Guttering, Rain Proofs,  
 Cresting, Ridge-Mold Tin Roofing

### TINNER

Order your tanks and gutters of us. We will put them up right  
 All Lynn County Work Solicited.

**Big Springs, Texas.**

### The Hackberry Herd

Of Pure Bred

### RED POLLED CATTLE

(THE FARMERS BREED)

Bred by

**La Verne Kershner**

LYNN, - - - TEXAS.

### Workman & Montgomery

### PAINTERS

DECORATORS & CONTRACTORS  
 IN THREE TOWNS

Lamesa, Tahoka, Brownfield.

**Satisfaction Guaranteed.**

### KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH **Dr. King's**

### New Discovery

FOR CONSUMPTION  
 COUGHS and COLD  
 Price 50c & \$1.00  
 Free Trial.

Swiftest and Quickest Cure for all  
**THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES,**  
 or MONEY BACK.

Charlie Turmond the bookkeeper for the Tahoka Lumber Co. returned to Big Springs Monday after a stay of several days in Tahoka.

Miss Gladys McGonigal is helping to preside over the dry goods department at W. E. Porterfield's.

Mr. Dosh was in town last Saturday and had a little black mule colt leading beside its mother and it was a dandy.

We heard there was a crazy man and two tramps in town the first of the week. If this was so, some one should have caught and displayed them as the first of their species to be found in these parts.

Mr. J. V. Dyer, of east of town, bought a J. I. C. disc harrow of Wells & Welcher Tuesday. Farm tools of this kind are a guarantee of this years prosperity, and a proof of the fine crops we enjoyed last year.

Lewis Robinson and Judge Perryman went to Lamesa last Sunday where Lewis has a law suit in court Judge Perryman went down to represent him and as is always the case the Judge said the right thing in the right place and made things all right for his client.

Mr. P. B. Hall will name the livery business which he has just bought, The Hall Livery Stable. Mr. Hall, who is a son-in-law of G. W. Reed, comes to us from Lynn, and we are glad to note while we gain a good citizen we are not called upon to lose one as the firm which he succeeds will remain in Tahoka. Mr. Hall will put in a wagon yard in connection with his livery business, and will shortly move his residence from his farm into town thereby making this his permanent home.

STRAYED — one mottled face red cow branded O on left hip and O O on left side. Has white faced heifer calf. Also one spotted cow branded R + on right side. Any one knowing the whereabouts of these cows please notify E. S. Bouldin, Litwalton, Texas.

### ANOTHER MERCHANT FOR TAHOKA.

Lonnie Bigham has bought the Morris Grocery Store and took possession Saturday, while we are sorry to lose Mr. Morris, we are glad to welcome Mr Bigham to the circle of Tahoka business men.

Lonnie was in the butcher business last fall and won many friends and patrons by his prompt attention and kindly accommodation. We wish him all the success possible in his new undertaking.

### WONDERFUL ECZEMA CURE.

"Our little boy had eczema for five years," writes N. A. Adams, Henrietta, Pa. "Two of our home doctors said the case was hopeless, his lungs being affected. We then employed other doctors, but no benefit resulted. By chance we read about Electric Bitters; bought a bottle and soon noticed improvement. We continued this medicine until several bottles were used, when our boy was completely cured." Best of all blood purifiers and body building health tonic.

Guaranteed at The Tahoka Drug Store 50c.

# Ousley & Alley

## Selling OUT AT Absolute COST

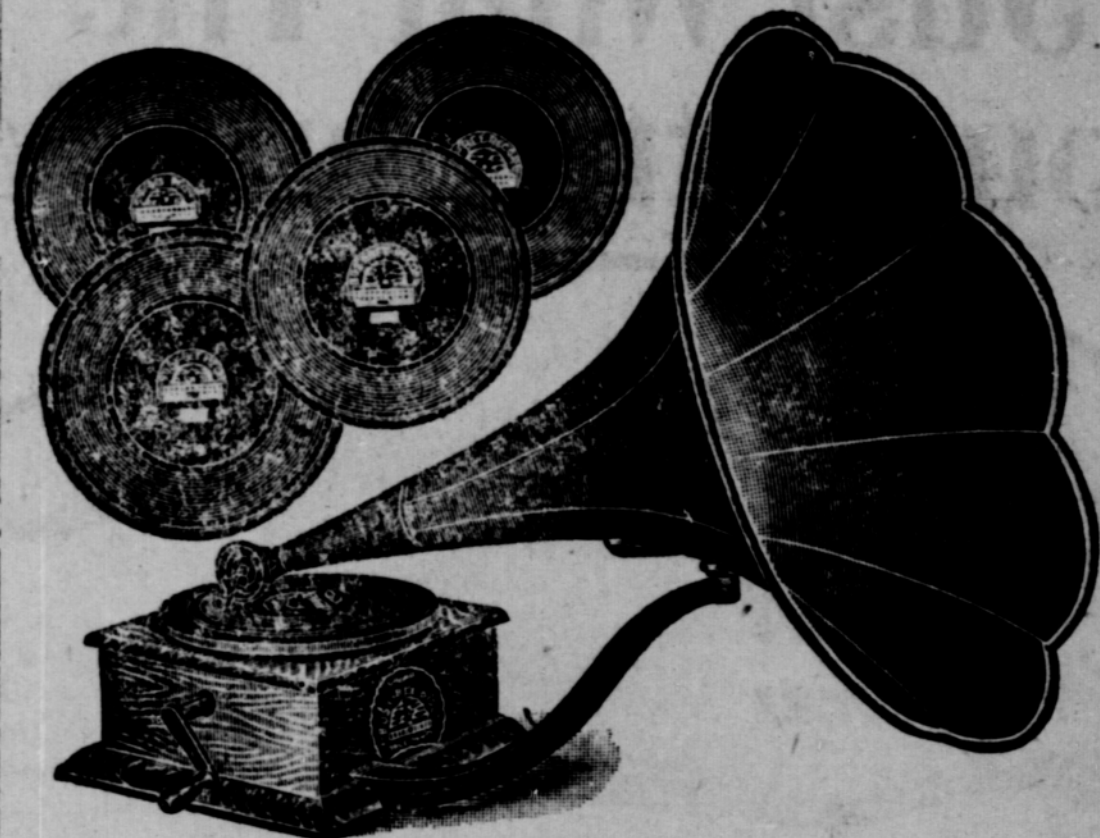
### Having Decided To Close Out Our Entire Stock of Clothing

to make room for other lines, we are going to sell our entire stock of the same at absolute

## COST for CASH; we mean what they cost us.

In offering these goods we wish to say that We Have Some Of The Nicest Suits Ever Brought To This Country.

**Come early and avoid the rush.**



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The O'Neil-James Co., of Chicago, the well-known dealers in Talking Machines, has placed us in a position to give to every family who trade at our store, one of the

### Grand Busy Bee Disc Talking Machines ABSOLUTELY FREE

This machine is equipped with all the latest improvements.

Model's wonderful sound box and Morning Glory Horn that gives a wonderful volume of music, reproducing the human voice in all its rich, sweet tones. In addition to giving you the Grand Busy Bee Disc Talking Machine **Free**, we are going to give with additional purchases one of the Busy Bee Disc Records **free**. We ask you to call and inspect our complete stock of goods and assure you full value for every dollar spent at our store.

### BE SURE AND ASK FOR COUPONS Call a r e e U s and ear some of These Records

We are giving away one of these high grade machines Free with \$40.00 in coupons and a 7 inch record with each additional \$5.00 in coupons. Call in and see this machine and hear some excellent music.

**Yours for Business,**  
**Ousley & Alley**



Mr. Morehead of Montana was in Tahoka the last of last week on his way to the T-Bar ranch where he has bought the T-Bar cattle. We hear that he also bought the Curry Comb bunch and another bunch we failed to get the name

Mr. B. Humphries and family were in town last Saturday.

The Tahoka Lumber Company have just received a car load of doors and windows beside 75000 ft. of lumber, at their yard in Big Springs, with 125000 feet more on the road and 3 cars or about 350000 shingles. This puts them strictly in the front of the market with an up-to-now stock of lumber.

Mr. Standifer the Lubbock Surveyor was in town last Saturday.

J.T. Lofton went south on the hack Wednesday.

**Don't Pay Alimony**  
to be divorced from your appendix. There will be no occasion for it if you keep your bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Their action is so gentle that the appendix never has cause to make the least complaint. Guaranteed by the Tahoka Druggist. 25c Try them

**MY BEST FRIEND.**  
Alexander Benton, who lives on Rural Route 1, Fort Edward, N. Y., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is my best earthly friend. It cured me of asthma six years ago. It has also performed a wonderful cure of incipient consumption for my son's wife. The first bottle ended the terrible cough, and this accomplished, the other symptom left one by one, until she was perfectly well. Dr. King's New Discovery's power over coughs and colic is simply marvelous." No other remedy has ever equaled it. Fully guaranteed by the Tahoka Druggist. 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.

A. M. Ellis was in the city Wednesday.

**A Woman's Inconsistencies.**  
A woman will yank up the guy ropes of her corset until she almost squeezes her immortal soul out of place, put a dead bird on her hat and go strutting around town sell-tickets for an entertainment to raise money to help in sending a lot of missionaries to some foreign clime for the purpose of teaching civilization to the heathens who have never known what it is to wear a corset, and who have been struggling along in the ignorant belief that birds were made to sing instead of being worn on the hat. Lubbock Leader.

But a man is consistent of course; when he receives the bill of \$10 for his wife's new hat he goes off and drowns his soul in alcohol just as though he did not know it was made to burn instead of to drink.

Then when the pretty girl, with the corset figure and bird on her hat that some other man has paid \$20 for, comes in and asks him to donate to the missionary cause, he just smiles and hands her a check for \$30.

Mr. Holland of Brownfield was in Tahoka last Saturday and went home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gouch, accompanied by their invalid daughter, were in town last Friday to see the doctor.

Mr. Weathers had to leave his freight about thirty miles from town last week, on account of rain and heavy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowan left Tahoka, last Friday for a visit to relatives and friends in Colorado.

# Wells and Welcher

are the "Only People" when it comes to handling  
Just What The Farmers Want.  
You better hurry! They are going!



**TEXANS!**  
*This Cultivator  
Is Built  
for You*

Texas is a big state in many ways—big in area, big in crops, big in the quality of its citizens, big in its appreciation of the J. I. Case line of agricultural implements.

The excellence of our goods has gained us hosts of friends in Texas, and it is the number of these that has made it possible and profitable for us to build this J. I. Case Texas Case Jr. Cultivator "specially for Texas."

Our other cultivators will do good work in Texas—they will do good work anywhere, but the Texas Case Jr. is an implement that is distinctively Texan—one that is built for you.

We have the testimony of thousands of more-than-satisfied users to bear us out in the statement that there is no cultivator on the market today which is so perfectly adapted to the peculiarities of Texas soil, as the

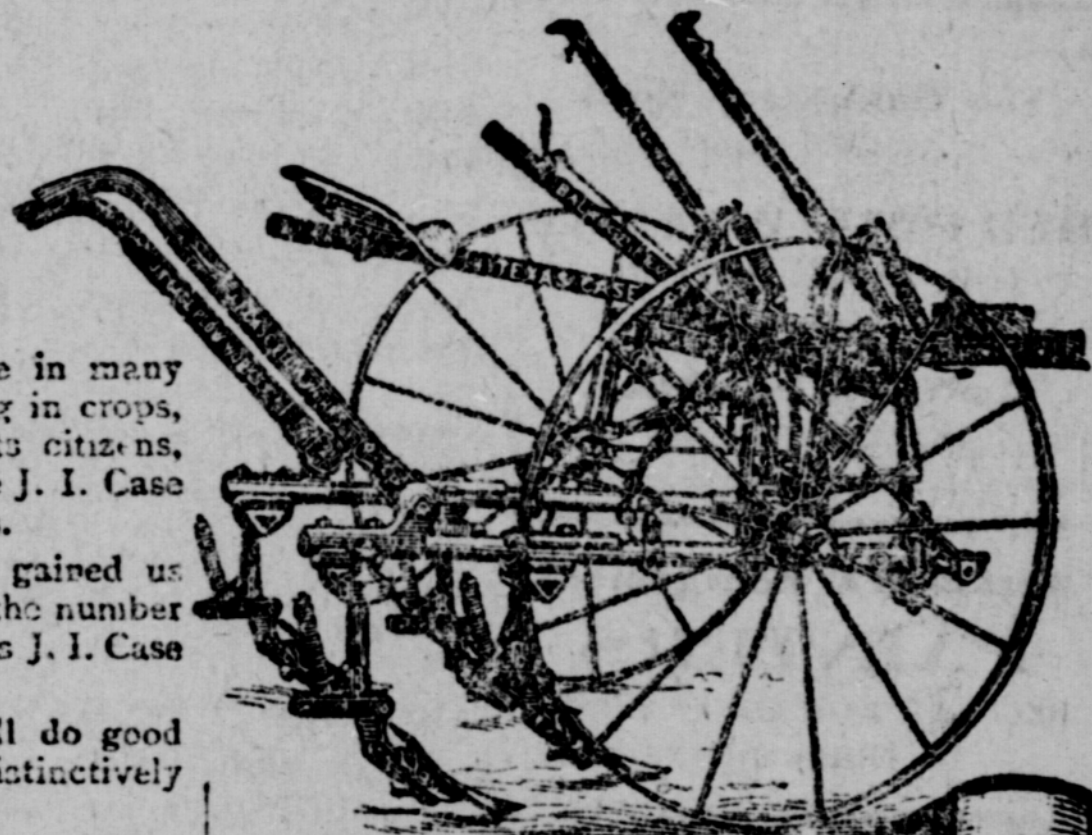
## J. I. Case Texas Case Jr. Combined Cultivator

It is economical and efficient beyond all other similar implements because it is different from them. When we say that the Texas Case Jr. is built for Texans, we mean that Texas experience has been built into it—that its exclusive features and its variations from conventional design are the result of calculation based on actual work in Texas fields.

We cannot describe the Texas Case Jr. satisfactorily in this advertisement—in fact we are not sure that even our catalogue does it justice—only an actual test in the field can do that. But the catalogue does tell a lot more about it than we've told here, and if it doesn't give you a clear insight into the main points of the implement we'll find some other means that will.

Write for the catalogue today (it's FREE) and remember while reading it that the Texas Case Jr. is remarkable not alone for what it is, but also for what it isn't—it is entirely free from those complications sometimes called "improvements" that look good on first acquaintance, but cause you trouble and expense afterward. Read our valuable Free Offer in the column opposite Address

**J. I. CASE PLOW WORKS, Dept. RACINE, WIS.**



### FARMER'S ENCYCLOPEDIA FREE

You need this valuable volume, no matter how large or small your farm, no matter what line of farming you do, or how the weather may be. This book was compiled especially for you, and we are distributing the first edition to those of our friends who care to read it for cents for postage and packing. The book consists of 164 pages, 4 1/2 x 7 1/4 inches, small enough to be placed in the pocket and carried around for immediate reference. It is fully illustrated and substantially bound in red cloth, and has been endorsed by many experts as being one of the most thorough and authoritative farm reference volumes ever printed. It is packed from cover to cover with all kinds of useful information. It is not a reprint of an old book, but is brand new from cover to cover. When you go to it for information about grains, seed, soil, cultivation, raising, feeding or breeding stock, veterinary suggestions, or what not, you may depend upon the information being in accord with present-day methods. The Farmer's Encyclopedia, in short, is a complete exposition of husbandry down-to-date that should be in the library of every progressive farmer. If you have not yet received a copy of this valuable work, simply tell us what implements you will need this season, enclose ten cents in stamps for postage and packing, with your name and address, and the volume will go forward by return mail. We advise promptness, as there is a big demand for the book, and this offer will probably be withdrawn as soon as the present edition is exhausted.

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