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## BIG REVIVAL DRAWS CROWD

Starnes Party Open Big Meeting At City Tabernacle Sunday Morning

The Revival at the City Tabernacle being conducted by the Starnes evangelistic party is in full swing.

The evangelist V. B. Starnes and the pianist, Lee Baum, arrived Saturday Services were announced for that night but the rain interfered. The first service was held Sunday morning. The singer, K. D. Turner, arrived Sunday afternoon.

On Wednesday night, when the first call was made by the preacher for the unsaved to accept Christ and for church membership, there were fourteen responses. Nine of these united with the Baptist Church and five of them asked for membership in the Methodist Church. Nine of those responding asked to be received upon letters from other churches while five came upon professions of faith.

Several prayer meetings are being held daily. Both the attendance and the interest seem to be growing each day. Wednesday night the tabernacle was filled almost to its capacity. The choir under the leadership of Mr. Turner is doing some fine singing and a junior choir consisting of about seventy-five children is adding much zest to this service each evening. Mr. Turner has a wonderful voice and is singing some solos in a most effective manner, while the pianist, Mr. Baum, is a master of his art.

The preacher has been delivering some most interesting messages in his own characteristic way. In his evening sermons he has been giving the stories of Old Bible characters, using modern day English and adding such embellishments as his imagination can conjure up. On Monday night he told the wonderful story of Sampson, how he bore away the gates of a city, how he slew a thousand Philistines with the jawbone of a donkey, how he was bewitched by Delilah and shorn of his strength, and finally how he pulled down the massive pillars of a temple and destroyed thousands of the enemy.

On Tuesday night he related some tragedies and other stirring incidents relating to the life of David: how David committed a heinous crime, how his sons became wicked plotters against each other, how Amnon wronged his half sister and was slain by her brother Absalom, how Absalom fled from the country in fear of David and how Joab persuaded his father to permit Absalom to return, how Joab and Absalom had a "falling out" and how Absalom set fire to Joab's barley field. The

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## Craft Studies Tailoring In The North

L. F. Craft, owner and proprietor of Craft's Tailor Shop, returned Monday from a trip to Kansas City and Chicago. In Kansas City he studied the latest methods of dry cleaning and his trip to Chicago was for the purpose of getting on the fall styles, materials, etc., of made-to-measure suits.

Mr. Craft says he now has one of the best plants to be found on the plains, and he is not sparing any means to give the people the best cleaning and pressing service and the best of made-to-measure suits for the money.

## NEWS STARTS ITS NEW YEAR

Volume XXII Of The Lynn County News Closes With This Week's Issue

This issue rounds out Volume 22 of The Lynn County News. In the early life of the paper there were some lapses or omissions which have been a little confusing to us in trying to compile the file numbers of the paper into volumes, but the paper is just about twenty-two years old. For a number of years, of course, it was a very small paper. It has enjoyed its greatest growth during the last six or seven years, the accelerated growth of the town during this period making the greater growth of the paper possible.

The people of Tahoka and Lynn county have always shown a high appreciation of the paper. We are grateful indeed for the splendid support which our business men have given the paper since the present owner has been here. Most of them have found its columns to be a profitable advertising medium and have also in many ways evinced a desire to see the paper grow and prosper.

We have sought to make the paper a real county newspaper, fit to enter every home. We have tried to stand for high ideals in the political, civic, social, and religious life of our people. If we have been of any service in any or all of these fields, we feel that is a part of our reward. We hope and shall strive to be of even greater service in the future. We want to make Tahoka and Lynn county a better place in every way in which to live and rear our families.

We start a new year thankful for the blessings of the past and hopeful for the future.

### Box Supper At South Ward

There will be a box supper at South Ward Friday night, August 27. It is also announced that a very entertaining program will be rendered, entitled "Ma and Dad." Everybody cordially invited.

## BIG ELECTION NEXT SATURDAY

Large Vote Expected To Be Polled In Run-Off Races For State Offices

The runoff primary election will be held throughout Texas next Saturday. The interest centers chiefly in the race for governor, though considerable interest has developed in the race for attorney general. In the first primary a little more than 820,000 votes were cast, by far the largest number ever polled in a primary election in Texas. It is not thought that so many votes will be polled this time. Some are estimating the vote as low as 600,000. But it seems more probable that, with favorable weather, not less than 750,000 votes will be cast.

In the first primary Moody received about 409,000 votes, Mrs. Ferguson about 283,000, and Lynch Davidson about 122,000. Moody received a larger vote than both of them but lacked 1770 votes receiving as many as all opponents. It is generally conceded that Moody will receive a large majority over Mrs. Ferguson in the run-off, the size of it depending largely on the whole number of votes cast.

In Lynn county there were nearly 2,600 votes cast in the first primary. There is no run-off for any of the county offices and there is no local interest therefore to induce the voters to come to the polls. There are runoffs for public weigher in the O'Donnell precinct and the Dr-w-Grassland precinct. It is believed that the vote here will be almost as large as in the first primary, but it is possible that not more than 2100 or 2200 votes will be polled.

The ballot is short and it is thought therefore that returns from over the state will come in early Saturday night. The official ballot for Lynn county is as follows:

- For Governor:  
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON of Bell County,  
DAN MOODY of Williamson County.
- For Attorney General:  
CLAUDE POLLARD of Harris County,  
JAMES V. ALLRED of Wichita County;
- For State Treasurer:  
W. GREGORY HATCHER of Dallas County,  
J. R. BALL of Fannin County;
- For Public Weigher Precinct No. 3 (Draw-Grassland):  
A. R. HENSLEY,  
J. R. (Jeff) YEARY;
- For Public Weigher Justice Precinct No. 4 (O'Donnell):  
D. J. BOLCH,  
MELL PEARCE.

## Hicks And Smith Going To Muskogee

At the Kiwanis Luncheon served by the Presbyterian ladies in the Baptist church Wednesday, Alvin Hicks and Happy Smith were elected to represent the Tahoka Club at the district Kiwanis meet to be held at Muskogee, Oklahoma, on September 5-6.

Among the guests of the Club Wednesday were Judge G. E. Lockhart of Lubbock and the three members of the Starnes evangelistic party now conducting a revival in the city.

A piano selection by Mr. Baum and a vocal solo by Mr. Turner of this party were much enjoyed. Rev. Mr. Starnes and Judge Lockhart each made brief talks.

## EQUALIZATION BOARD APPOINTED BY SCHOOL TRUSTEES

At a meeting of the school board Wednesday, a board of equalization was appointed to equalize tax values throughout the district. It will be necessary for this board to raise the total tax values at least twenty per cent to insure a school of nine months next year, even if the state apportionment is increased to \$14.00 per pupil, and possibly most valuations in the district will be raised. You need not be surprised therefore to get a notice asking you to appear before the board of equalizers to show why your rendition should not be raised.

## HEAVY RAINS OVER COUNTY

Rain Badly Needed In Places; Leaf-worms Are At Work In Lynn County

All Lynn county and many other west Texas counties were covered by fine rains which fell Saturday afternoon and night and Sunday morning. Every nook and corner of Lynn county was covered, though the precipitation was much heavier in some localities than in others. In Tahoka the rainfall amounted to almost exactly one inch, according to the U. S. rain gauge kept by the News. At O'Donnell, the rainfall was considerably heavier. At Draw, which has suffered intensely from the drouth, the downpour is reported to have amounted to three inches. At Grassland, which has likewise suffered from drouth, two to three inches was reported. At Tredway, just over the line in Borden county, about five inches of water fell, according to reports reaching Tahoka. Good rains visited Wilson, New Home, Dixie, West Point, New Moore, T-Bar, and Three Lakes.

Whether the rain will prove to be beneficial or hurtful depends altogether on the ravages that worms may make as a result of the ranker growth of the cotton plant. In many localities the cotton plant is already rank and this rain is calculated to keep it growing and tender, thus making ravages by the worms much more likely. In fact, worms have already appeared in considerable numbers in many localities in the county. It is feared that the second crop of worms, which appear about ten days or two weeks after the first crop, will prove to be much more numerous and destructive than their present numbers would indicate. A few farmers have already ordered poison and are preparing to fight the pests.

In most of the territory lying along the Tahoka-Post highway, rain was much needed. The plant had already stopped growing and had greatly deteriorated. It is believed that this rain will give the plant in this section new life and growth and will be very beneficial. If other rains should visit this section within a week or ten days, the yield will probably be doubled what it promised last week.

It can be safely said that if worms and other pests do not materially damage the crop, Lynn county will produce the largest crop in her history.

Much feed is already made and all late feed promises to be very fine. Cool, cloudy weather this week following the rains have been helpful in preserving the moisture and giving the crops the full benefit of the rainfall.

## Tahoka Band Is Still Going Strong

The local band is surely coming on in grand style. Every week improvement can be seen in their style of playing.

They gave two concerts this past week, one at the mass meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and one on the courthouse lawn last Monday night.

And it was surely noticeable the way they played their new music. This new music was received only two or three days ago and they played it in grand style. We are informed that they have received Monday of this week quite a number of new pieces and in this bunch there is some rather popular music.

They are issuing a warning that the other bands or musicians in Lynn County had better snip into it for they are intending to win the laurels at the Lynn County Fair this year.—Contributed.

## READ THE CLASSIFIED ADS

Before you lay your paper down turn to the last page and read the Classified Ads. Some of the best news always appears in the classified Columns, and there's never any telling when you'll find something there that is of vital interest to you.

## Must Observe Headlight Law Here

City Marshal M. C. Finch has asked that we call attention to the law requiring two headlights and one tail light on every car or motor vehicle operated on the public roads and streets and that said lights be kept in good order and be lighted at all times said car are being run on the roads or streets between thirty minutes after sunset and thirty minutes before sunrise. Every person violating these provisions of the statutes is subject to a fine. Keep your lights burning and do not get in bad with the law.

## BURKETT FAILS TO SPEAK HERE

Large Crowd Disappointed Monday Night When Ferguson Speaker Did Not Arrive

A large crowd assembled on the court house lawn Monday night to hear Joe Burkett speak in behalf of Mrs. Ferguson for re-election, but they were sorely disappointed by Judge Burkett's failure to come. No notice whatever had been received canceling the appointment but a news item was read from the Abilene Reporter stating that Judge Burkett was in a sanitarium at Abilene suffering from laryngitis.

The crowd is said to have been one of the largest that has assembled here this year for a political speaking. They came from all parts of the county, O'Donnell sending an especially large delegation. While deeply disappointed at the failure of the speaker to come it was clearly evident that the pent-up enthusiasm of the crowd was intense.

The local band entertained the crowd with music for quite awhile and a public collection was taken for the benefit of the band.

## SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL AT NEWMORE CLOSÉS

A very successful revival meeting closed at Newmore last Sunday night, according to Rev. J. F. Curry of that community, who was here Tuesday. There were 22 conversions and 17 additions to the Baptist Church as a result of the services. Rev. Tennyson Nixon of Eldorado, a young minister, did the preaching.

Dr. G. W. Williams and family returned to Tahoka last Friday night after an absence of about two months. They spent most of this time in Oklahoma and the north Panhandle. Just before returning home they made a trip out into New Mexico. The Doctor says he has been in eleven states and that he has found no place yet that he likes quite so well as Tahoka.

## ROUSING MOODY MEETING HELD

Judge Mullican Flays Ferguson; Uncle Ben Rogers Makes Mock Ferguson Speech

Addressing a crowd that filled the district court room Saturday afternoon, Judge Clarke M. Mullican of Lubbock unmercifully flayed the Fergusons and appealed to the citizens of Tahoka and Lynn county to come to the polls next Saturday and assist in putting an end to Fergusonism in this state.

The speaking had been previously announced for the court house lawn and later at the city tabernacle, but a slow rain which began falling soon after noon made it necessary to hold the meeting indoors. Judge Mullican is judge of the seventy-second judicial district, which included Lynn county until the new 106 district was created last year, and he was among his friends and admirers here Saturday. Had the rain not interfered an immense crowd no doubt would have been present to hear him. In spite of the rain, the district court room was well filled, while a number of people stood in the hall ways and a few occupied seats in the gallery. Only a few ladies were present.

The meeting was opened and presided over by E. I. Hill, chairman of the Moody forces in Lynn county. Uncle Ben Rogers of this city and Hon. Pink Parrish, Mayor of Lubbock and district chairman of the Moody forces for the south plains district, made short address preceding the addresses of Judge Mullican. Uncle Ben's address was a burlesque speech in favor of Ma Ferguson, which elicited much laughter and applause. Judge Parrish spoke briefly but pointedly and his address was also apparently much enjoyed.

Judge Mullican declared that this is case no 7 on the great docket of The State of Texas against Jim Ferguson, enumerating the seven cases in which Jim Ferguson had been before the people of Texas for consideration. He confined his discussion almost entirely to the present case and the one just closed on July 24, in which the people of Texas rendered their verdict overwhelmingly against the Fergusons. He called attention to the six reasons given by Mrs. Ferguson for refusing to resign in accordance with her agreement with Dan Moody and for refusing to withdraw from the race in the run-off primary after announcing soon after the first election that she would do so. He showed the utter flimsiness of these assigned reasons and ridiculed them in a way that brought rounds of laughter and applause from the audience. He recited briefly the record made by the Ferguson.

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## CAN SUPPORT BAND ADEQUATELY BY SMALL TAX OF TWO MILLS

By G. H. NELSON

Sec'y. Chamber of Commerce  
People have always loved music. Some love one kind more than another but seldom is it that you find anyone who does not love and appreciate good band music. In the first place, we all rejoice in seeing or hearing the product produced by co-operative effort; second, we are prone to enjoy plenty of noise; third, it touches the heart of mother and father to see son or daughter the master of some instrument taking his or her place with the other boys and girls of the town; and fourth, we love band music for all of its finer qualities. Few things can afford greater recreation, enjoyment, development of the faculties, and actual benefit than the town band. Music is an education in itself, and engaging in it with a group of his fellows develops the very best qualities in the boy—manliness, initiative, co-operation, alertness, a spirit of "give and take," forethought, agreeableness, confidence, love of the beautiful, poise, harmony, mastery, and many other qualities which make for success in after life. Character is developed rapidly in a band where each individual must at all times consider his fellow member and the

organization as a whole. The competent player of any instrument is heartily welcomed wherever he goes. Music is universally recognized being the only language understood by all nationalities and proficiency in this line opens the doors of opportunity everywhere. The above are just some of the reasons why every child in Tahoka should have the privilege of taking band music. But you know there are some who are financially prohibited from taking any kind of music. Good music touches the soul of every man and lifts him to a higher plane. It makes us better people. So if we have the desire to be bettered in spirit and morals, we cannot get away from the fact that good music is a necessary part of our living. Now, a town is a group of individuals united for the betterment of the whole. We are recognized in law as an individual in many respects. Therefore what is good for the individual, as a general rule, is good for the town.

The above are just some of the reasons why the Tahoka band deserves the support of every man and woman in Tahoka, both morally

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## SCHOOL REGISTRATION WILL BE A FORMAL AFFAIR THIS YEAR

By M. L. H. BAZE  
Superintendent Of Schools

As a matter of safety to all concerned the registration of all pupils this year is to be a rather formal affair. The Tahoka Schools have reached the stage that some formality in registration is necessary in order for those in charge to get the machine to running with the least time lost. Three things are necessary before a boy or girl can be admitted and enrolled. Remember these three things and you will have no trouble. There must be a book card presented indicating that all books of last term or the summer session have been returned. We are under bond for all text books, and it is our purpose to keep the records straight. The second essential for entering school is a report card or some kind of record indicating that you are prepared for that grade or class. In the high school department this report card will not be necessary, but all pupils of grades below high school must present some record of their work last year. If you do not have any record, then we shall be glad to assist you in finding one. The third essential is an application for registration properly filled out.

No teacher will receive a child that does not have this application properly filled out by the parent. Remember this. The blanks can be obtained at four places in town, beginning Monday: The Thomas Drug Store, the Tahoka Drug Co., the Lynn County News Office, the Superintendent's office at the school building. Please call at one of the places and get a REGISTRATION BLANK for EASH of your children. Boys and girls of the high school will see that these are properly filled before applying for registration.

If you are an irregular student, it is best that you see the Superintendent before school opens. Classification this year is going to be very strict, and you will be placed where, in our opinion, you belong regardless of sentiment. A sophomore must have at least four high school credits; a junior, eight; a senior, twelve. Unless you have this number, you will not be classed with those particular grades. Remember this in the beginning, and thus misunderstanding may be avoided later. I shall be in the office practically all of next week and shall be glad to give assistance to those in trouble.

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**ALL FOR MOODY**

The News receives on its exchange list a number of papers published in the Panhandle, the South Plains, and other portions of west Texas which supported Lynch Davidson in the first primary. Without a single exception every one of these papers is supporting Dan Moody in this campaign. Among the fifty or sixty weekly exchanges that come to our table, not one of them is supporting Mrs. Ferguson. We think a lot of our west Texas papers and their editors.

**GREAT EDUCATOR DIES**

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, 92, one of the most noted educators of all time, died Monday.

For forty years Dr. Eliot was president of Harvard University, and for the last sixteen or seventeen years of his life he was president emeritus of the institution. He graduated at Harvard when he was 19 and became president of it when he was 35.

Not only was he a great educator but he was also distinguished as a man of affairs and citizen of the world. In politics he was an Independent. He strongly supported Woodrow Wilson and the League of Nations. He was also a staunch defender of the Volstead Act. In religion he was a Unitarian. After his retirement from the active Presidency of Harvard he compiled the famous "Five Foot Shelf" of books, the careful reading of which he claimed would make any person well informed. He was a prolific writer himself on many subjects and he wielded a wonderful influence upon the world through thought and politics.

One of America's most intellectual men has passed from the stage of action.

J. J. Massengale and family returned Monday from Killeen, Bell county, where they visited relatives and friends. Mr. Massengale was well acquainted with both A. W. Bonds, ex-sheriff of Bell county and Wiley Fisher, chief of police of Temple. Fisher was shot and killed by Bonds one the streets of Belton last Friday. Mr. Massengale thinks that while Bonds made his escape that it is his intention to surrender to officers as soon as the local excitement over the killing subsides. The editor was likewise well acquainted with both parties to the tragedy, having served in an official capacity in Bell county while Fisher was a peace officer. It was a terrible tragedy, of which most of our readers have read the account in the daily papers.

E. N. Ray of Sudan, Lamb county, who removed there from Grassland nearly two years ago, was in Tahoka on business Tuesday. He dropped into the News office to set his figures forward and had some exceedingly nice things to say about the paper, which we greatly appreciate. Mr. Ray reports plenty of rain and fine crops of all kind in his section.

T. M. Dobbins, banker, of Roscoe and Mrs. Dobbins were the guests the first of the week of their daughter, Mrs. G. M. Stewart. Mr. Dobbins says the leaf worm is working the cotton heavily in the Roscoe country and farmers are busy poisoning.

Charles Eubanks is slowly improving and his leg is healing. He is still in the Santa Fe hospital at Clovis, N. Mexico where he has been since he was injured about three weeks ago when a loaded motor car trailer ran over his leg.

Joe Thompson headed a party early Tuesday morning that went out south of town and ran down and captured two coyotes. There is often a wolf at Thompson's back door but it is always there without its own consent.

**REVIVAL BEGINS AT CENTRAL NEXT SUNDAY**

A revival meeting will begin at Central Baptist Church eleven miles east of Tahoka next Sunday. Rev. M. I. Davis, the pastor, will do the preaching. Everybody cordially invited.

Coleman Wells and family and Ruby Wells and family are spending the week at Christoval, pulling the fish out of the Concho and occasionally taking a plunge in the waters of the placid stream. They will be back in time to vote.

Coke Odom and family of Grandview spent last week here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Childress of the T-Bar Ranch. Mr. Odom was very much pleased with this country and will probably invest here.

Miss Ruth Nevels who underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Lubbock sanitarium last week was able to come home Wednesday.

J. H. Edwards and family are preparing to move back to town. They will move in early next week.

Sid Sanders and Charles Shook drove in the rain all the way from El Paso to Tahoka last Sunday, they say. They had spent several days at Hot Springs, N. M., just to have a few days outing and to enjoy the scenery.

Bill Thompson left Wednesday for Hubbard City, Hill county, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. S. F. Kay and B. F. Kay of that place and his mother-in-law, Mrs. N. A. Curry of Tahoka. Mr. Thompson expects to take the hot baths there for a few weeks for the benefit of his health. He is apparently in very delicate health, not weighing over 225 pounds and having muscles like a mule. Bill voted before he left.

**OFFICERS MOVING INTO NEW COURTHOUSE**

Jay Barrett, County and District Clerk moved into his large and well furnished offices at the new Court House last week, and the furnishings were completed for the Sheriff and Tax Collector early this week and they moved in. As these two officers will be more nearly connected with the coming term of District Court, which begins next Monday their offices were furnished first in order that they might get in and get the run of the new surroundings by next week.

We understand the other offices will be furnished just as fast as possible in order to let them move in. All furniture is now here, and is being installed at a rapid rate.—Terry County Herald.

See the world's greatest fire-fighters in action in "ONE OF THE BRAVEST," featuring Ralph Lewis.

W. G. Briley spent two or three days in Oklahoma City this week on business.

Plainview—The people of Stoneback Community are laying plans to enter an exhibit at the fair to be held in Plainview this fall. Sam Scaling is superintendent of the agricultural exhibit of this community and is getting together the material to make the Stoneback exhibit an outstanding feature of the fair.

Albany—The Albany men's club is boosting the plans for a new sewer system for this city. A bond issue to the amount of \$25,000 will be voted for this improvement, half of which was subscribed by members of the club at a recent meeting.

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# TWENTY-TWO YEARS OLD

With this week The Lynn County News rounds out twenty-two years of service to Tahoka and Lynn county. For that length of time it has been a booster for this section and has played an important part in the up-building of Tahoka. Under past owners and present it has always endeavored to stand for the right, to be of service to its readers, and to do everything within its power to build a better citizenship, a better Tahoka, and a better Lynn county.

On the eve of our new year and as one of the oldest business establishments in Tahoka and on the South Plains, we hereby pledge to continue that service in an even more energetic manner, to grow up with the country, and always be prepared to lend a helping hand in the development of the greatest section of Texas—the South Plains.

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**THE FOLLY OF CRIMINALITY**

When will young squirts ever learn that it does not pay to buck the law? Perhaps never. Up in Pueblo less than two weeks ago two brothers, eighteen and fourteen years of age respectively, decided to try out the Jesse James life. They made a raid on a tourist camp, robbing the tourists of their personal belongings, and then visited a Y. M. C. A. and at the point of their pistols took all the money they could find from fifty victims. They made their get away and for a few days enjoyed the notoriety that their bold crimes brought them. But four days after the crimes were committed the older one lay behind prison bars with a death sentence; or a life term in the penitentiary staring him in the face, and the younger one was pumped full of lead just as he was about to draw his gun to resist arrest by a policeman. In a dying condition he was picked up by an ambulance and taken to a hospital followed by a broken-hearted mother crying, "They have killed my boy." We are told that as soon as knowledge of the crimes spread over the city, half a dozen posses, equipped with tear bombs and an air plane at their disposal, set out searching the mountains and the highways and the by-ways of Colorado for the "by bandits." Officers throughout the state joined in the search. It was inevitable that the youths should be found and brought to an unknappy end.

There are two lessons that this incident should serve to impress upon the people and especially upon the youth of this country.

The first is, the far-reaching and baleful influence of a criminal life. It has been almost a half century since the James boys and the Younger brothers terrified Missouri and other western and southwestern states.

Yet down to this day their bold exploits appeal almost irresistibly to the imaginations of criminally inclined and notoriety-loving youth, and many a boy like these two Colorado kids have been lured into

crime by the example of the James boys and the Younger brothers.

The second lesson is that it does not pay to buck the law. Even the members of the James-Younger gang nearly all died finally with their boots on. In this day, when the telegraph, the telephone, and the radio can reach the farthest recesses of our country in an incredibly short time, there is nothing more foolish than for a young man to imagine that he can commit crime and escape the clutches of the law. The man who starts out to rob, to steal, and to kill is sure to land at an early day in a prison or an undertaking parlor.

What will it profit a man to rob a great bank and lose his own life? What are a million stolen dollars worth to a man with a bullet hole in his heart? How can even the most daring and cunning man, much less a mere boy, make war upon organized society and expect to get by with it? He is a fool who undertakes to buck the law.

There were five kids up in New York who decided that they would like the excitement and glamor of bandit life. They had no doubt read many newspaper accounts of daring robberies. Possibly they had read some dime novels describing the exploits of western desperadoes and depicting the criminals as heroes. Certainly they had been to the movies and seen the daring devils successfully or almost successfully resist the officers of the law. On the screen and in the newspapers and the dime novels, the life of the bandit was alluring to them. They decided to try it out. They robbed a bank and escaped with a large sum of loot. They robbed a hospital and got away with \$7,000. They were succeeding gloriously. It was great fun. But the officers of the law were at work. They gradually unraveled one by one and another and finally the five young bandits were arrested. The cruel police put them through a grueling examination. Finally in desperation the boys broke down and wept and confessed. Last week they were tried and convicted and sentenced to a long term of years in the New York state prison. Now they are learning the truth of those Biblical declarations which they have perhaps never read, "Whosoever sheds man blood by man shall his blood be shed," and "The soul that sinneth, it shall die." It does not pay to fight either against God or the government. A fight against either or both will in the end meet with disaster. Crime does not pay.

They have just had another successful revolution over in Greece without the firing of a gun or the spilling of a drop of blood. The premier went off to take a vacation and while he was watching the bathing beauties along the beach, another guy went in and took charge of his job and told the President where to head in. The President headed in, they announced a new one, and the old boat seems to be sailing on as smoothly as ever. Their politics is very tame over in Greece as compared with this Texas brand. Suppose, for instance, somebody should undertake to pull a stunt like that on Ma and Jim.

Jim Ferguson is whimpering like a spoiled child. As an excuse for breaking his promise that Ma would resign, he claims that the ballot boxes were stuffed in all parts of the state against him. To give color to his charge he points out that there were many more votes cast in the governor's race than in the races for other state offices and says "These excessive amounts represent in all probability the stuffing of ballot boxes." To show how ridiculous his charge is, we call attention to the vote in Lynn county. There were 2564 votes for governor in this county against 2249 for state superintendent, 2162 for attorney general, 2097 for land commissioner, 2095 for railroad commissioner, 2085 for state treasurer, 2043 for Judge of the Supreme Court, and 1983 for land commissioner. Why the difference? Just that: everybody that went into the primary voted in the governor's race while many knew nothing about the candidates in other races and had no choice. For instance, there were seven candidates for state treasurer. Few people in Lynn county knew any of them and few knew little about them. Nearly five hundred Lynn county voters, therefore, did not scratch any of the candidates for state treasurer, leaving all the names on the ballot, and hence their ballots were not counted in this race. There were six candidates for attorney general. There was a little more interest in this race than in the treasurer's race, but not so much as in the governor's race, and hence there were more votes cast for attorney general than for treasurer but not as many as for governor. The same is true as to other state offices. William Pierson, candidate for Supreme Court Justice, however, who had no opponent, received 2519 votes and, H. C. Randolph, candidate for the Court of civil appeals without an opponent received 2531 votes, and Marvin Jones for Congress 2531, nearly as many as were cast in the governor's race. These last names appeared on the ballot without any opponents, few voters scratched any of these names, and therefore the vote for these offices was virtually a full vote. Jim Ferguson well knows that this condition prevailed all over Texas and that this is the explanation of the fact that more votes were cast in the governor's race than for other state offices, yet he is whimpering "fraud" and "ballot-box stuffing." Does anybody believe that there was ballot box stuffing by the election officials in Lynn county? This is what Jim is charging. It is enough to make decent men sick at the stomach.

We think there is no earthily use for whiskey being peddled to thousands of people in the United States under the guise of medicine. We do not believe that one per cent of the booze bought under prescriptions is used for medical purposes—Lubbock Avalanche.

The fellow who liked his booze in pre-Volstead days is the fellow who seems to be always "ailing" and has to get a whiskey prescription from the doctor every few weeks or often. The fellow who never touched liquor when the saloons were running wide open rarely ever has to use it as a medicine since the saloons were closed. It's astounding how many people are in poor health these days, and there seems to be no hope of their final recovery. Some day there is going to be a nation wide shake-up in this whiskey-subscription business and some doctors and druggists will be calling for the rocks and the mountains to fall on them.

It seems altogether probable that the people of Texas will get a chance to turn Jim Ferguson down again in November. It will be no surprise to us if he or his wife is a candidate in the general election. He is now claiming that the primary election of July 24 was an illegal election, that thousands were permitted to vote who had no right to vote, that ballot boxes were stuffed, and fraud was committed in every part of the state. He will make the same claim probably with reference to next Saturday's election. In our opinion he is getting ready to cry fraud and to bolt. He is sure to do so unless the vote against him next Saturday is so overwhelming as to bar all hope. Let every good citizen go to the polls and administer to him a crushing defeat.

Every man and woman in Lynn county who expect to vote for Mrs. Ferguson will be at the polls next Saturday. Will the Moody folks be there?

The churches are the greatest force for good in this town. Attend church. Support the churches. Help make Tahoka a better place in which to live.

Yes, we believe that Claude Pollard is the best material for attorney general. Jimmie Allred was admitted to the bar about five years ago. After he had been practicing law two or three years he was elected district attorney at Wichita Falls. After serving about two years in this capacity he decided to resign. He and his brother Bennie went to Austin together. There Jimmie tendered his resignation to Governor Ferguson and Bennie was immediately appointed by Governor Ferguson to fill the vacancy. That happened about a year ago. Bennie is still serving as district attorney. Jimmie is running for attorney general, and noting the popularity of Dan Moody he has climbed into Moody's band wagon. Since the July primaries he has been proclaiming with quite a good deal of noise and flourish his devotion to Dan Moody's cause. Naturally one would expect Ferguson to strike back. A few days ago he did so. He gave his endorsement to Claude Pollard. Now Allred is trying to make political capital of that. Pollard immediately explained however, that while he appreciates support from any quarter, yet he wanted it distinctly understood that the Fergusons were under no obligations to him, that he had not supported them in any primary, and that on the other hand he was an original Moody man and was largely responsible for Moody's entering the race for attorney general two years ago. To us it seems that Claude Pollard is trying to play the game fair. We do not believe that Allred is overshadowing all this is the fact that Pollard is a mature, experienced, and successful lawyer, with a clean record and of a clean character, and we think he is by far the best prepared and fit in every way to represent the people of Texas in the courts of this state. Some of our friends may not agree with us but we are for Claude Pollard.

Honest men expect an honest man to keep his word. They have no use for a man who will make a dare and will then crawfish. They despise a braggart who will throw out a challenge and when it is accepted begins to hedge and to back down. Jim Ferguson has proven to be the biggest four-flusher that has ever came down the political pike. Let Texans go to the polls next Saturday and do their duty.

**HE'S NOT SHREWED**

Jim Ferguson once had the reputation of being a shrewd politician. His enemies conceded that. But since his recent willful violation of his promise to Texas voters, on more than one occasion, his own supporters are deserting him.

What has he in mind, they are asking. He must certainly realize the futility of the fight he is making; the handwriting on the wall is too visible for him not to know he will go down on August 28 under a veritable avalanche of votes.

He is helping to bury himself. His is like the drowning man clutching for the last straw in seeking to make an issue out of the Ku Klux Klan.

Political observers of this state are virtually unanimous in their opinion that Moody will lead Mrs. Ferguson by 200,000 or more votes. His majority in a field of six in the first primary was 120,000. Ferguson drew his full strength then. Those who voted for the other candidates are anti-Ferguson.

Some are of the opinion he will seek to unmesh the campaign in legal controversies but that is hardly possible now with the ballots already printed and in the hands of election judges in most counties.

Ferguson's decision to participate in the run off, after Texans had clearly made it plain to him that Dan Moody was their choice, and after he gave his word, that his wife would not enter the campaign, can not be understood.

Nevertheless, the one thing left for Texans to do is go to the polls Saturday week and give to Moody

such a majority that Jim Ferguson will never again raise his head in the political arena.—Amarillo News.

The people of Lynn county should be thankful. A good feed crop has been raised. A splendid cotton crop is in prospect. Unless the worms should do great damage perhaps the greatest crop in the history of the county will be gathered this fall, in spite of short crops in some localities on account of the long-continued drought. There will soon be a crying demand for cotton pickers and hundreds of people will be flocking to the county from the East. Great prosperity seems to be just over the hill. Let us be thankful.

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J. G. Price and family returned Sunday night from Frost and other points in Navarro county where they visited relatives. Mr. Price says that feed crops in that part of the state are very fine but cotton is not so promising. The weed is large but much of it is not well fruited. One stalk nine feet tall, he says was brought into a newspaper office while he was in that county, which had only three bolls on it. This condition of the crop is due to the ravages of boll worms, weevils, and the cotton flea. On the return trip, he found muddy roads from Stamford westward to Tahoka.

Texas has 520,000 telephones which is an increase of 1,700 per cent since 1900.

Thirty Indian tribes made their home in Texas, when the first white settlers came.

**Teachers To Attend S. Plains Institute**

Lynn county teachers will attend the South Plains Teachers Institute this year. The Institute opens in Lubbock on September 6th and continues through the 10th.

The following is the faculty for this year's Institute:

P. W. Horn, Conductor, President Texas Technological College; A. W. Evans, Assistant Conductor, Department of Education, Texas Technological College; C. L. Sone, Assistant Conductor, Superintendent City Schools, Slaton; M. E. Witt, Lubbock High School, chairman Committee on Homes; Miss Lila Baugh, Director of primary Section A, first and second grades Teachers' College, Kingsville; Miss Corinne Nash, Primary Section B, third and fourth grades, Primary Supervisor, Lubbock City Schools; J. M. Gordon, Intermediate grade section, Dean of Texas Technological College; M. H. Duncan, Supt. Section, Supt. Lubbock City Schools; A. H. Leidigh, Director of Rural Schools section, Dean of Agriculture, Texas Technological College; Miss Economics Section, Dean of Home Economics, Texas Technological College; Margaret Weeks, Conductor of Home legs; Miss Louise Ocker, Conductor of Music; Miss Mary Dunn, Chairman, Committee of Music; E. J. Lowery, with C. L. Sone, committee on Athletic and Social events.

C. H. Judd, Head of School of Education, University of Chicago, will speak twice daily to General Section. He will speak at 9 o'clock and 1:30. His subjects will be as follows:

Monday—Reading; Tuesday—Numbers Wednesday Afternoon—Geography; Thursday Morning—The results of Expansion of American Education; Thursday Afternoon—The Social Psychology as a Basis of Education; Friday Morning—Curriculum Reconstruction; Friday Afternoon, Scientific Studies in Education.

Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs will present the work of the State Parents and Teachers Association; Miss Katherine Hagquist will present the work of the State Health Department; Miss Nora M. Deaver will give special demonstrations for teachers of Penmanship; Dr. D. C. McIntosh of the A and M College, will present the work of Rural Schools.

During the course of the week there will be one evening lecture by Dr. C. H. Judd open to the public. On another evening there will be a music al entertainment.

There will also be present a representative of the Texas State Teachers' Association and also of the Inter-Scholastic League, and the State Superintendent's office.

Outline of Daily Program  
8:30 to 9:00—Open exercises; music devotional exercises.  
9:00 to 10:55—Section meetings.  
11:05 to 12:00—General meeting, Pavilion. Speakers vary from day to day.  
12:00 to 1:30—Noon intermission.  
1:30 to 2:30—Music and general meeting. D. C. H. Judd, speaker.  
2:30 to 3:00—Section meetings by counties and independent districts. Attendance of teachers taken at this last period.

Counties Co-operating Are: Bailey, Crosby, Cochran, Dickens, Dawson, Garza, Gaines, Hockley, Lynn, Hale, Lamb, Lubbock, Terry, Yoakum.

Suitable rooms will be provided at an expense of not more than \$1.00 per day. See G. N. Atkinson, chairman of committee in charge.

The general assemblies will be held in the Agricultural pavilion of the Texas Technological College. The section meetings and the meetings of counties and independent school districts will be held in rooms designated in the Administration Building.

To assist in meeting the expenses of the institute each teacher will be expected to pay a sum equivalent to one and one-half per cent. Of one month's salary.

O'DONNELL C. OF C. HOLDS UNUSUAL MEETING LAST WEEK

More than usual interest was manifested at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday in fact, it was a regular love feast of enthusiasm wherein the members present attested their allegiance to the cause of upbuilding O'Donnell and the surrounding country.

The business coming before the body consisted mainly of reports from committees on work assigned at the previous meeting. The committee on sanitation reported it was making some progress and believed that a thorough clean-up of the town was near at hand. The other committees asked for further time to complete their reports.

The Chamber has much work map

ped out which if put into execution will mean a great deal for O'Donnell, especially in the matter of building better roads leading to the rural districts, the building of community telephone lines, the securing of a county agent and inducing new enterprises to locate here. One of the new enterprises which a strong company has under consideration is the building of an ice factory, the only hith in the matter at the present time is a sufficient supply of water. Every member present pledged himself as a committee of one to work on obtaining new members and it is expected by the next meeting some new boosters will occupy some of the vacant seats at this meeting.—O'Donnell Index.

W. J. Turner of Sylvester, Fisher county, spent two or three days here and with his son-in-law, Alfred Barnes of Wells. Mr. Turner owns a farm on the banks of the Clear Fork near Sylvester and says that his cotton is taller than a man's head and has a bale to the acre on it. Cotton that large on the south plains would make four bales to the acre.

Mrs. Rafe Richardson is in a serious condition in a sanitarium at Lubbock.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
No. 638

In The 196th Judicial District Court In And For Lynn County Texas,

Robert T. Page vs. Vera Mae Page

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LYNN

TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF LYNN COUNTY:

GREETINGS

You are hereby commanded to summon Vera Mae Page, by making publication of this citation once in each week, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published in your county, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, TO APPEAR AT THE NEXT REGULAR TERM OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF LYNN COUNTY TEXAS, to be holden at the Courthouse thereof, in Tahoka, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in September, the same being the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered No. 638, on the docket of said Court, wherein Robert T. Page is Plaintiff, and Vera Mae Page is the Defendant, said petition praying for divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between said parties, the allegations in said Petition, being in substance as follows:

That Plaintiff is and has been a bonafide resident and inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of one year next preceding the filing of this suit, and of the County of Lynn for at least 6 months prior to the filing of same. That Plaintiff and Defendant were lawfully married to each other on February 6th, 1924, at Brownwood Texas and lived together as husband and wife until their final separation on May 20, 1924, since which time they have been hopelessly estranged. That at all times during the cohabitation of said parties, Plaintiff was a true and dutiful husband, but that the Defendant, immediately after said marriage, commenced a course of cruel and inhuman treatment toward Plaintiff, which increased with severity until their said final separation as aforesaid, and during said time, was continually quarrelsome, and cursed and abused Plaintiff, and applied to him the most vile, and insulting epithets, and would often leave Plaintiff and remain away for several days at a time, without Plaintiff knowing of her whereabouts, and on one occasion shortly prior to said separation, the Defendant admitted to Plaintiff certain improprieties with other men, and admitted that said improprieties were of long standing, all of which greatly distressed Plaintiff, destroying his happiness and peace of mind, and is such nature as to render their further living together insupportable, Wherefore Plaintiff prays for divorce from the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing.

HEREIN Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS

W. E. Smith, Clerk, of District Court, Lynn Co, Texas.

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## ENTOMOLOGIST TELLS OF OTHER REASONS FOR COTTON LEAFWORM

By R. R. REPPERT  
Entomologist, A. & M. College

The supply of calcium arsenate, Paris green, and lead arsenate as recommended by the Entomologist, for the control of leafworms, is apparently exhausted and farmers are

in need of another poison. Mixtures of white arsenic and soda compounds, unless very carefully used, will result in injury to cotton, and are ordinarily not recommended. However, in the present emergency it probably means either use of these materials with injury in some cases or the total loss of the crop by the attack of the insect, and we are giving below formulae which farmers have themselves used.

Boil together 5 pounds white arsenic with 5 pounds sal soda in 5 gallons water until all the arsenic is dissolved. Ordinarily this will be accomplished in about 15 minutes. If sal soda is not available, use instead, five cans of concentrated lye such as may be obtained from grocery stores for soap making. These five cans will be equal to about four pounds.

After boiling until the arsenic is dissolved, some water will have been lost by evaporation; more should then be added to make up exactly five gallons of the stock solution.

Two quarts of this stock solution should be added to fifty gallons of water for immediate application to the cotton. Large drops of this dilute mixture or excessive amounts of the liquid on the leaves will burn, consequently a machine should be used that breaks the liquid up into a very fine mist and so the foliage is merely moistened without running or dripping from the leaves. Farmers have reported using one quart of stock dip in fifty gallons of water with success, spraying in the same manner.

Experience on the part of farmers has indicated that if a gallon of

slack lime and three or four gallons of black strap molasses are added to fifty gallons of water, along with the stock solution, the danger of injury will be reduced.

In handling these mixtures the danger to the cotton foliage as well as to men and animals is so great that we decline to accept any responsibility for any injurious results.

Several companies in Texas handling arsenical poisons are preparing and have for sale, the mixtures as given above. These may not be in the concentration that we have named, and in diluting, persons should be guided by the directions given by each company for their own product.

## O'Donnell To Build Telephone Lines Into The County

To meet the demands of the growth of the town, W. G. Dingus, manager of O'Donnell Telephone Company, started in this week to make extensive improvements in the system. 2,000 feet of cable will be placed on 9th street and 1,000 feet on Doak street will take the place of the unprotected wires. Each cable will carry 200 wires. The old poles are being replaced by heavy forty-foot poles. Another unit is being added to the switchboard which when installed will give service to 400 drops.

The matter of extending the service to the surrounding country is being considered and it is expected that within a few weeks the greater part of the outlying district will be in this as it should be, as most of the calls from the country have to have direct service with O'Donnell, go through Lamesa and Tahoka. In giving service to the country, the lines will have to be erected by citizens served, but since there will be quite a number on each line, the cost to each will be small. The Chamber of Commerce proposes to help get these lines in operation and any information desired will be furnished by secretary McCarroll and Mr. Dingus.—O'Donnell Index.

## O'Donnell To Have Business College

No town can be better than her schools and churches. As O'Donnell has progressed, so has her schools and churches. With the completion of the \$65,000 high school building now under construction, the town will have solved the problem of taking care of the children in the scholastic age for some time to come. After our graduates have completed the high school course they have been compelled to go away from home to attend business colleges to fit themselves to take their places in the business world. In a short time all this will be changed. Mrs. M. C. Brock purchased three lots on 7th street this week on which she will erect a building to be used as a business college and when this is completed it will be equipped with everything for the successful operation of an institution of this kind and our boys and girls can receive a business education right here at home.

The building will be of stucco and constructed on the mission style and will occupy a floor space of 75x125 feet. The interior will be subdivided into class rooms with a large office space in front. Work will start on the building in the near future and it is planned to have the school in operation by the first of the year.

Mrs. Brock is a very capable lady and has had experience in business college administration. She plans to secure only the best talent in her corps of teachers. Until the building is ready for occupancy she has acceded to the demands of a limited number of pupils and is instructing a class at her home.—O'Donnell Index.

Breckenridge—Building permits for the month of July 1926, show a total of \$58,250 will be expended for improvements in the city. This total exceeds the one for July 1925 nearly \$8,000. More building was done in June of this year, however.

Crowell—The Foard County Fair will be held this year September 2-3-4. All committees have been at work on their plans for the event, which is expected to be the best in the history of the county.

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The Gomez postoffice was in connection with other business in the town a paying proposition until a few months ago when rural routes began to run out from Brownfield, when its business was doomed, and no one cared to risk the responsibilities of postmaster with the short receipts of a nearby rural route, not to mention the star route passing through the same section.

Gomez was the first real town in the county and named for the Cuban patriot of that time. When the county was organized, it made a gallant fight for the county seat, but lost to Brownfield. For years after the organizations, however, it was a larger town than Brownfield with a number of mercantile establishments, churches, schools, bank, telephone exchange, and even after the present owner bought the Herald more than seventeen years ago, a paper was established and supported there for a while, but with the advent of a rail road in Brownfield, the little town began to wane instead of grow.

When the writer first came to Terry county, the west side of the county voted the east side, and they generally put in their men for the offices, but unconsciously they were thereby aiding Brownfield, for after filling the office a few years, they nearly always established homes in Brownfield, except in the case of

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

W. A. McCARTY

Vs.

MARY McCARTY

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF LYNN  
To The Sheriff Or Any Constable Of  
Lynn Co.

### GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to summon MARY McCARTY, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published in your county, if not then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the Honorable District Court Lynn County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, in Tahoka, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in September, the same being the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926, and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1926, Numbered No. 639 on the docket of said Court, wherein, W. A. McCarty is Plaintiff, and Mary McCarty is Defendant, said petition praying for divorce from the bonds of matrimony and alleging in substance as follows:

That Plaintiff has resided for at least twelve months preceding the exhibiting of said Petition in the State of Texas, and for at least six months in Lynn County Texas, immediately preceding the filing of this suit, that Plaintiff was lawfully and legally married to Defendant on June 15, 1905 in Wise County Texas, and said parties lived together as husband and wife until on or about the 19th day of Oct. 1925, when without cause or provocation, the Defendant abandoned Plaintiff, and their children; That about one year prior to their said separation, the Defendant commenced a course of cruel, unkind, harsh and tyrannical treatment toward Plaintiff, which increased in severity, with slight intermission, until their said separation; That said treatment was not only accorded Plaintiff but to the children, and that indecent language was continually used by Defendant to and in the presence of their children, and other improper actions and conduct, all of which rendered their further living together insupportable, and renders Defendant an unfit person for said children's custody; Wherefore Plaintiff prays for divorce from bonds of matrimony, and for custody and control of children, etc.

HEREIN fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS: W. E. Smith Clerk, Dist. Court, Lynn Co Texas  
Given Under My Hand And Seal Of Said Court, in the city of Tahoka, Lynn Co. Texas this 7th day of August, A. D. 1926.

W. E. Smith, Clerk District Court  
Lynn Co. Texas.

Issued this 7th day of August  
A. D. 1926.

W. E. Smith, Clerk District Court  
Lynn Co. Texas.

tax assessor.

There are still a couple of stores, a blacksmith shop, three church buildings and a splendid school there, and always will be, and a set of as good old time citizens as you will find in the world.—Terry County Herald.

Mrs. Annie Stallings and Mis Bob Stallings of Fort Worth are the

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**THE FOLLY OF CRIMINALITY**

When will young squirts ever learn that it does not pay to buck the law? Perhaps never. Up in Pueblo less than two weeks ago two brothers, eighteen and fourteen years of age respectively, decided to try out the Jesse James life. They made a raid on a tourist camp, robbing the tourists of their personal belongings, and then visited a Y. M. C. A. and at the point of their pistols took all the money they could find from fifty victims. They made their get away and for a few days enjoyed the notoriety that their bold crimes brought them. But four days after the crimes were committed the older one lay behind prison bars with a death sentence or a life term in the penitentiary staring him in the face, and the younger one was pumped full of lead just as he was about to draw his gun to resist arrest by a policeman. In a dying condition he was picked up by an ambulance and taken to a hospital followed by a broken-hearted mother crying, "They have killed my boy." We are told that as soon as knowledge of the crimes spread over the city, half a dozen posses, equipped with tear bombs and an air plane at their disposal, set out searching the mountains and the highways and the by-ways of Colorado for the "baby bandits." Officers throughout the state joined in the search. It was inevitable that the youths should be found and brought to an unhappy end.

There are two lessons that this incident should serve to impress upon the people and especially upon the youth of this country.

The first is the far-reaching and baleful influence of a criminal life. It has been almost a half century since the James boys and the Younger brothers terrified Missouri and other western and southwestern states.

Yet down to this day their bold exploits appeal almost irresistibly to the imaginations of criminally inclined and notoriety-loving youth, and many a boy like these two Colorado kids have been lured into

crime by the example of the James boys, and the Younger brothers.

The second lesson is that it does not pay to buck the law. Even the members of the James-Younger gang nearly all died finally with their boots on. In this day, when the telephone, the radio, and the radio can reach the farthest recesses of our country in an incredibly short time, there is nothing more foolish than for a young man to imagine that he can commit crime and escape the clutches of the law. The man who starts out to rob, to steal, and to kill is sure to land, at an early day in a prison or an undertaking parlor.

What will it profit a man to rob a great bank and lose his own life? What are a million stolen dollars worth to a man with a bullet hole in his heart? How can even the most daring and cunning man, much less a mere boy, make war upon organized society and expect to get by with it? He is a fool who undertakes to buck the law.

There were five kids up in New York who decided that they would like the excitement and glamour of bandit life. They had no doubt read many newspaper accounts of daring robberies. Possibly they had read some dime novels describing the exploits of western desperadoes and depicting the criminals as heroes. Certainly they had been to the movies and seen the daring devils successfully or almost successfully resist the officers of the law. On the screen and in the newspapers and the dime novels, the life of the bandit was alluring to them. They decided to try it out. They robbed a bank and escaped with a large sum of loot. They robbed a hospital and got away with \$7,000. They were succeeding gloriously. It was great fun. But the officers of the law were at work. They gradually unraveled one clew after another and finally the five young bandits were arrested. The cruel police put them through a grueling examination. Finally in desperation the boys broke down and wept and confessed. Last week they were tried and convicted and sentenced to a long term of years in the New York state prison. Now they are learning the truth of those Biblical declarations which they have perhaps never read. "Whoever sheds man blood by man shall his blood be shed," and "The soul that sinneth, it shall die." It does not pay to fight either against God or the government. A fight against either or both will in the end meet with disaster. Crime does not pay.

They have just had another successful revolution over in Greece without the firing of a gun or the spilling of a drop of blood. The premier went off to take a vacation and while he was watching the bathing beauties along the beach, another guy went in and took charge of his job and told the President where to head in. The President headed in, they announced a new one, and the old boat seems to be sailing on as smoothly as ever. Their politics is very tame over in Greece as compared with this Texas brand. Suppose, for instance, somebody should undertake to pull a stunt like that on Ma and Jim.

Jim Ferguson is whimpering like a spoiled child. As an excuse for breaking his promise that Ma would resign, he claims that the ballot boxes were stuffed in all parts of the state against him. To give color to his charge he points out that there were many more votes cast in the governor's race than in the races for other state offices and says "These excessive amounts represent in all probability the stuffing of ballot boxes." To show how ridiculous his charge is, we call attention to the vote in Lynn county. There were 2564 votes for governor in this county against 2249 for state superintendent, 2162 for attorney general, 2097 for land commissioner, 2095 for railway commissioner, 2085 for state treasurer, 2043 for Judge of the Supreme Court, and 1983 for land commissioner. Why the difference? Just this: everybody that went into the primary voted in the governor's race while many knew nothing about the candidates in other races and had no choice. For instance, there were seven candidates for state treasurer. Few people in Lynn county knew any of them and few knew little about them. Nearly five hundred Lynn county voters, therefore, did not scratch any of the candidates for state treasurer, leaving all the names on the ballot, and hence their ballots were not counted in this race. There were six candidates for attorney general. There was a little more interest in this race than in the treasurer's race, but not so much as in the governor's race, and hence there were more votes cast for attorney general than for treasurer but not as many as for governor. The same is true as to other state offices. William Pierson, candidate for Supreme Court Justice, however, who had no opponent, received 2519 votes and, H. C. Randolph, candidate for the Court of civil appeals without an opponent received 2531 votes, and Marvin Jones for Congress 2531, nearly as many as were cast in the governor's race. These last names appeared on the ballot without any opponents, few voters scratched any of these names, and therefore the vote for these offices was virtually a full vote. Jim Ferguson well knows that this condition prevailed all over Texas and that this is the explanation of the fact that more votes were cast in the governor's race than for other state offices, yet he is whimpering "fraud" and "ballot-box stuffing." Does anybody believe that there was ballot box stuffing by the election officials in Lynn county? This is what Jim is charging. It is enough to make decent men sick at the stomach.

We think there is no earthly use for whiskey being peddled to thousands of people in the United States under the guise of medicine. We do not believe that one per cent of the booze bought under prescriptions is used for medical purposes—Lubbock Avalanche.

The fellow who liked his booze in pre-Volstead days is the fellow who seems to be always "ailing" and has to get a whiskey prescription from the doctor every few weeks or oftener. The fellow who never touched liquor when the saloons were running wide open rarely ever has to use it as a medicine since the saloons were closed. It's astounding how many people are in poor health these days, and there seems to be no hope of their final recovery. Some day there is going to be a nation wide shake-up in this whiskey-subscription business and some doctors and druggists will be calling for the rocks and the mountains to fall on them.

It seems altogether probable that the people of Texas will get a chance to turn Jim Ferguson down again in November. It will be no surprise to us if he or his wife is a candidate in the general election. He is now claiming that the primary election of July 24 was an illegal election, that thousands were permitted to vote who had no right to vote, that ballot boxes were stuffed, and fraud was committed in every part of the state. He will make the same claim probably with reference to next Saturday's election. In our opinion he is getting ready to cry fraud and to bolt. He is sure to do so unless the vote against him next Saturday is so overwhelming as to bar all hope. Let every good citizen go to the polls and administer to him a crushing defeat.

Every man and woman in Lynn county who expect to vote for Mrs. Ferguson will be at the polls next Saturday. With the Moody folks be there?

The churches are the greatest force for good in this town. Attend church. Support the churches. Help make Taboka a better place in which to live.

Yes, we believe that Claude Pollard is the best material for attorney general. Jimmie Alred was admitted to the bar about five years ago. After he had been practicing law two or three years he was elected district attorney at Wichita Falls. After serving about two years in this capacity he decided to resign. He and his brother Bennie went to Austin together. There Jimmie tendered his resignation to Governor Ferguson and Bennie was immediately appointed by Governor Ferguson to fill the vacancy. That happened about a year ago. Bennie is still serving as district attorney. Jimmie is running for attorney general, and noting the popularity of Dan Moody he has climbed into Moody's band wagon. Since the July primaries he has been proclaiming with quite a good deal of noise and flourish his devotion to Dan Moody's cause. Naturally one would expect Ferguson to strike back. A few days ago he did so. He gave his endorsement to Claude Pollard. Now Alred is trying to make political capital of that. Pollard immediately explained however, that while he appreciated support from any quarter, yet he wanted it distinctly understood that the Fergusons were under no obligations to him, that he had not supported them in any primary, and that on the other hand he was an original Moody man and was largely responsible for Moody's entering the race for attorney general two years ago. To us it seems that Claude Pollard is trying to play the game fair. We do not believe that Alred is overshadowing all this is the fact that Pollard is a mature, experienced, and successful lawyer, with a clean record and of a clean character, and we think he is by far the best prepared and fit in every way to represent the people of Texas in the courts of this state. Some of our friends may not agree with us but we are for Claude Pollard.

Honest men expect an honest man to keep his word. They have no use for a man who will make a dare and will then crawl. They despise a braggart who will throw out a challenge and when it is accepted begins to hedge and to back down. Jim Ferguson has proven to be the biggest four-flusher that has ever come down the political pike. Let Texans go to the polls next Saturday and do their duty.

**HE'S NOT SHREWD**

Jim Ferguson once had the reputation of being a shrewd politician. His enemies conceded that. But since his recent willful violation of his promise to Texas voters, on more than one occasion, his own supporters are deserting him.

What has he in mind, they are asking. He must certainly realize the futility of the fight he is making; the handwriting on the wall is too visible for him not to know he will go down on August 28 under a veritable avalanche of votes.

He is helping to bury himself. His is like the drowning man clutching for the last straw in seeking to make an issue out of the Ku Klux Klan.

Political observers of the state are virtually unanimous in their opinion that Moody will lead Mrs. Ferguson by 200,000 or more votes. His majority in a field of six in the first primary was 120,000. Ferguson drew his full strength then. Those who voted for the other candidates are anti-Ferguson.

Some are of the opinion he will seek to enmesh the campaign in legal controversies but that is hardly possible now with the ballots already printed and in the hands of election judges in most counties.

Ferguson's decision to participate in the run off, after Texans had clearly made it plain to him that Dan Moody was their choice, and after he gave his word, that his wife would not enter the campaign, can not be understood.

Nevertheless, the one thing left for Texans to do is go to the polls Saturday week and give to Moody

such a majority that Jim Ferguson will never again raise his head in the political arena.—Amarillo News.

The people of Lynn county should be thankful. A good feed crop has been raised. A splendid cotton crop is in prospect. Unless the worms should do great damage perhaps the greatest crop in the history of the county will be gathered this fall, in spite of short crops in some localities on account of the long-continued drought. There will soon be a crying demand for cotton pickers and hundreds of people will be flocking to the county from the East. Great prosperity seems to be just over the hill. Let us be thankful.

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J. G. Price and family returned Sunday night from Frost and other points in Navarro county where they visited relatives. Mr. Price says that feed crops in that part of the state are very fine but cotton is not so promising. The weed is large but much of it is not well fruited. One stalk nine feet tall, he says was brought into a newspaper office while he was in that county, which had only three bolls on it. This condition of the crop is due to the ravages of boll worms, weevils, and the cotton flea. On the return trip, he found muddy roads from Stamford westward to Tahoka.

Texas has 520,000 telephones which is an increase of 1,700 per cent since 1900.

Thirty Indian tribes made their home in Texas when the first white settlers came.

**Teachers To Attend S. Plains Institute**

Lynn county teachers will attend the South Plains Teachers Institute this year. The Institute opens in Lubbock on September 6th and continues through the 10th.

The following is the faculty for this year's Institute:  
P. W. Hurn, Conductor, President Texas Technological College; A. W. Evans, Assistant Conductor, Department of Education, Texas Technological College; C. L. Sone, Assistant Conductor, Superintendent City Schools, Slaton; M. E. Witt, Lubbock High School, chairman Committee on Homes; Miss Lila Baugh, Director of primary Section A, first and second grades Teachers' College, Kingsville; Miss Corinne Nash, Primary Section B, third and fourth grades, Primary Supervisor, Lubbock City Schools; J. M. Gordon, Intermediate grade section, Dean of Texas Technological College, M. H. Duncan, Sup't Section, Sup't Lubbock City Schools; A. H. Leidigh, Director of Rural Schools section, Dean of Agriculture, Texas Technological College; Miss Economics Section, Dean of Home Economics, Texas Technological College; Margaret Weeks, Conductor of Home lege; Miss Louise Ocker, Conductor of Music; Miss Mary Dunn, Chairman, Committee of Music, E. J. Lowery, with C. L. Sone, committee on Athletic and Social events.

C. H. Judd, Head of School of Education, University of Chicago, will speak twice daily to General Section. He will speak at 9 o'clock and 1:30. His subjects will be as follows: Monday—Reading; Tuesday—Numbers Wednesday Afternoon—Geography; Thursday Morning, The results of Expansion of American Education; Thursday Afternoon—The Social Psychology, as a Basis of Education; Friday Morning, Curriculum Reconstruction; Friday Afternoon, Scientific Studies in Education.

Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs will present the work of the State Parents and Teachers Association; Miss Katherine Hagquist will present the work of the State Health Department; Miss Nora M. Deaver will give special demonstrations for teachers of Penmanship; Dr. D. C. McIntosh of the A and M College, will present the work of Rural Schools.

During the course of the week there will be one evening lecture by Dr. C. H. Judd open to the public. On another evening there will be a musical entertainment.

There will also be present a representative of the Texas State Teachers' Association and also of the Inter-Scholastic League, and the State Superintendent's office.

Outline of Daily Program  
8:30 to 9:00—Open exercises; music devotional exercises.  
9:00 to 10:55—Section meetings.  
11:05 to 12:00—General meeting. Pavilion. Speakers vary from day to day.

12:00 to 1:30—Noon intermission.  
1:30 to 2:30—Music and general meeting. D. C. H. Judd, speaker.  
2:30 to 3:00—Section meetings  
3:05 to 3:30—Separate meetings by counties and independent districts. Attendance of teachers taken at this last period.

Counties Co-operating Are: Bailey, Crosby, Cochran, Dickens, Dawson, Garza, Qlines, Hockley, Lynn, Hale, Lamb, Lubbock, Terry, Yoakum.

Suitable rooms will be provided at an expense of not more than \$1.00 per day. See G. N. Atkinson, chairman of committee in charge.

The general assemblies will be held in the Agricultural pavilion of the Texas Technological College. The section meetings and the meetings of counties and independent school districts will be held in rooms designated in the Administration Building.

To assist in meeting the expenses of the institute each teacher will be expected to pay a sum equivalent to one and one-half per cent. Of one month's salary.

**O'DONNELL C. OF C. HOLDS UNUSUAL MEETING LAST WEEK**

More than usual interest was manifested at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday in fact, it was a regular love feast of enthusiasm wherein the members present attested their allegiance to the cause of upbuilding O'Donnell and the surrounding country.

The business coming before the body consisted mainly of reports from committees on work assigned at the previous meeting. The committee on sanitation reported it was making some progress and believed that a thorough clean-up of the town was near at hand. The other committees asked for further time to complete their reports.

The Chamber has much work map

ped out which if put into execution will mean a great deal for O'Donnell, especially in the matter of building better roads leading to the rural districts, the building of community telephone lines, the securing of a county agent and inducing new enterprises to locate here. One of the new enterprises which a strong company has under consideration is the building of an ice factory, the only hitch in the matter at the present time is a sufficient supply of water.

Every member present pledged himself as a committee of orator to work on obtaining new members and it is expected by the next meeting some new boosters will occupy some of the vacant seats at this meeting.—O'Donnell Index.

W. J. Turner of Sylvester, Fisher county, spent two or three days here and with his son-in-law, Alfred Barnes of Wells. Mr. Turner owns a farm on the banks of the Clear Fork near Sylvester and says that his cotton is taller than a man's head and has a bale to the acre on it. Cotton that large on the south plains would make four bales to the acre.

Mrs. Rafe Richardson is in a serious condition in a sanitarium at Lubbock.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
No. 638

In The 106th Judicial District Court In And For Lynn County Texas;

Robert T. Page  
Vs.  
Vera Mae Page

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF LYNN  
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF LYNN COUNTY:

GREETINGS

You are hereby commanded to summon Vera Mae Page, by making publication of this citation once in each week, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published in your county, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, TO APPEAR AT THE NEXT REGULAR TERM OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF LYNN COUNTY TEXAS, to be holden at the Courthouse thereof, in Tahoka, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in September, the same being the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1926, in a suit numbered No. 638, on the docket of said Court, wherein Robert T. Page is Plaintiff, and Vera Mae Page is the Defendant, said petition praying for divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between said parties, the allegations in said Petition, being in substance as follows:

That Plaintiff is and has been a bonafide resident and inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of one year next preceding the filing of this suit, and of the County of Lynn for at least 6 months prior to the filing of same. That Plaintiff and Defendant were lawfully married to each other on February 6th, 1924, at Brownwood Texas and lived together as husband and wife until their final separation on May 20, 1924, since which time they have been hopelessly estranged. That at all times during the cohabitation of said parties, Plaintiff was a true and dutiful husband, but that the Defendant, immediately after said marriage, commenced a course of cruel and inhuman treatment toward Plaintiff, which increased with severity until their said final separation as aforesaid, and during said time, was continually quarrelsome, and cursed and abused Plaintiff, and applied to him the most vile, and insulting epithets, and would often leave Plaintiff and remain away for several days at a time, without Plaintiff knowing of her whereabouts, and on one occasion shortly prior to said separation, the Defendant admitted to Plaintiff certain improprieties with other men, and admitted that said improprieties were of long standing, all of which greatly distressed Plaintiff, destroying his happiness and peace of mind, and is such nature as to render their further living together insupportable. Wherefore Plaintiff prays for divorce from the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing.

HEREIN Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS  
W. E. Smith, Clerk, of District Court, Lynn Co. Texas.

Given Under My Hand And Seal of said Court, in the City of Tahoka, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1926.

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## ENTOMOLOGIST TELLS OF OTHER REASONS FOR COTTON LEAFWORM

By R. R. REPPERT  
Entomologist, A. & M. College

The supply of calcium arsenate, Paris green, and lead arsenate as recommended by the Entomologist, for the control of leafworms, is apparently exhausted and farmers are

in need of another poison. Mixtures of white arsenic and soda compounds, unless very carefully used, will result in injury to cotton, and are ordinarily not recommended. However, in the present emergency it probably means either use of these materials with injury in some cases or the total loss of the crop by the attack of the insect, and we are giving below formulae which farmers have themselves used.

Boil together 5 pounds white arsenic with 5 gallons sal soda in 5 gallons water until all the arsenic is dissolved. Ordinarily this will be accomplished in about 15 minutes. If sal soda is not available, use instead, five cans of concentrated lye such as may be obtained from grocery stores for soap making. These five cans will be equal to about four pounds.

After boiling until the arsenic is dissolved, some water will have been lost by evaporation; more should then be added to make up exactly five gallons of the stock solution. Two quarts of this stock solution should be added to fifty gallons of water for immediate application to the cotton. Large drops of this dilute mixture or excessive amounts of the liquid on the leaves will burn, consequently a machine should be used that breaks the liquid up into a very fine mist and so the foliage is merely moistened without running or dropping from the leaves. Farmers have reported using one quart of stock dip in fifty gallons of water with success, spraying in the same manner.

Experience on the part of farmers has indicated that if a gallon of

slack lime and three or four gallons of black strap molasses are added to fifty gallons of water, along with the stock solution, the danger of injury will be reduced.

In handling these mixtures the danger to the cotton foliage as well as to men and animals is so great that we decline to accept any responsibility for any injurious results. Several companies in Texas handling arsenical poisons are preparing and have for sale, the mixtures as given above. These may not be in the concentration that we have named, and in diluting, persons should be guided by the directions given by each company for their own product.

## O'Donnell To Build Telephone Lines Into The County

To meet the demands of the growth of the town, W. G. Dingus, manager of O'Donnell Telephone Company, started in this week to make extensive improvements in the system. 2,000 feet of cable will be placed on 9th street and 1,000 feet on Oak street will take the place of the unprotected wires. Each cable will carry 200 wires. The old poles are being replaced by heavy forty-foot poles. Another unit is being added to the switchboard which when installed will give service to 400 drops.

The matter of extending the service to the surrounding country is being considered and it is expected that within a few weeks the greater part of the outlying district will be as it should be, as most of the calls from the country have to have direct service with O'Donnell, go through Lamesa and Tahoka. In giving service to the country, the lines will have to be erected by citizens served, but since there will be quite a number on each line, the cost to each will be small. The Chamber of Commerce proposes to help get these lines in operation and any information desired will be furnished by secretary McCarroll and Mr. Dingus.—O'Donnell Index.

## O'Donnell To Have Business College

No town can be better than her schools and churches. As O'Donnell has progressed, so has her schools and churches. With the completion of the \$65,000 high school building now under construction, the town will have solved the problem of taking care of the children in the scholastic age for some time to come. After our graduates have completed the high school course they have been compelled to go away from home to attend business colleges to fit themselves to take their places in the business world. In a short time all this will be changed. Mrs. M. C. Brock purchased three lots on 7th street this week on which she will erect a building to be used as a business college and when this is completed it will be equipped with everything for the successful operation of an institution of this kind and our boys and girls can receive a business education right here at home. The building will be of stucco and constructed on the mission style and will occupy a floor space of 75x125 feet. The interior will be subdivided into class rooms with a large office space in front. Work will start on the building in the near future and it is planned to have the school in operation by the first of the year. Mrs. Brock is a very capable lady and has had experience in business college administration. She plans to secure only the best talent in her corps of teachers. Until the building is ready for occupancy she has acceded to the demands of a limited number of pupils and is instructing a class at her home.—O'Donnell Index.

Breckenridge—Building permits for the month of July 1926, show a total of \$58,250 will be expended for improvements in the city. This total exceeds the one for July 1925 nearly \$8,000. More building was done in June of this year, however.

Crowell—The Foard County Fair will be held this year September 2-3-4. All committees have been at work on their plans for the event, which is expected to be the best in the history of the county.

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## Gomez Post Office Officially Closed

At twelve o'clock Saturday night, one of the oldest postoffices in the county officially went out of business and Postmaster John Scott turned over the fixtures and other appliances to the postal department.

The Gomez postoffice was in connection with other business in the town a paying proposition until a few months ago when rural routes began to run out from Brownfield, when its business was doomed, and no one cared to risk the responsibilities of postmaster with the short receipts of a nearby rural route, not to mention the star route passing through the same section.

Gomez was the first real town in the county and named for the Cuban patriot of that time. When the county was organized, it made a gallant fight for the county seat, but lost to Brownfield. For years after the organizations, however, it was a larger town than Brownfield with a number of mercantile establishments, churches, schools, bank, telephone exchange, and even after the present owner bought the Herald more than seventeen years ago, a paper was established and supported there for a while, but with the advent of a rail road in Brownfield, the little town began to wane instead of grow.

When the writer first came to Terry county, the west side of the county voted the east side, and they generally put in their men for the offices, but unconsciously they were thereby aiding Brownfield, for after filling the office a few years, they nearly always established homes in Brownfield, except in the case of

tax assessor.

There are still a couple of stores, a blacksmith shop, three church buildings and a splendid school there, and always will be, and a set of as good old time citizens as you will find in the world.—Terry County Herald.

Mrs. Annie Stallings and Miss Bob Stallings of Fort Worth are the

guests this week of Mrs. Robert H. King. They are the mother and sister respectively of Mrs. King.



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## CITATION BY PUBLICATION

W. A. McCARTY  
Vs.  
MARY McCARTY  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF LYNN  
To The Sheriff Or Any Constable Of Lynn Co.

**GREETINGS:**  
You are hereby commanded to summon MARY McCARTY, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published in your county, if not then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the Honorable District Court Lynn County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, in Tahoka, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in September, the same being the 20th day of September, A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1926, Numbered No. 639 on the docket of said Court, wherein, W. A. McCarty is Plaintiff, and Mary McCarty is Defendant, said petition praying for divorce from the bonds of matrimony and alleging in substance as follows:

That Plaintiff has resided for at least twelve months preceding the exhibiting of said Petition in the State of Texas, and for at least six months in Lynn County Texas, immediately preceding the filing of this suit, that Plaintiff was lawfully and legally married to Defendant on June 15, 1905 in Wise County Texas, and said parties lived together as husband and wife until on or about the 19th day of Oct. 1925, when without cause or provocation, the Defendant abandoned Plaintiff, and their children; That about one year prior to their said separation, the Defendant commenced a course of cruel, unkind, harsh and tyrannical treatment toward Plaintiff, which increased in severity, with slight intermission, until their said separation; That said treatment was not only accorded Plaintiff but to the children, and that indecent language was continually used by Defendant to and in the presence of their children, and other improper actions and conduct, all of which rendered their further living together insupportable, and renders Defendant an unfit person for said children's custodian; Wherefore Plaintiff prays for divorce from bonds of matrimony, and for custody and control of children, etc.

HEREIN fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS: W. E. Smith Clerk, Dist. Court, Lynn Co Texas  
Given Under My Hand And Seal Of Said Court, in the city of Tahoka, Lynn Co. Texas this 7th day of August, A. D. 1926.  
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**Fire Boys To Sponsor Show Next Week**

"One of The Bravest" the latest fire picture which will show at the Star Theatre September 1 and 2, under the auspices of the Tahoka Fire Department, ranks right at the head of the class of thrill melodramas. It is a sort of screen "Abie's Irish Rose," or at least it contains all the elements that made that stage play such a hit plus a series of movie thrills which will make the average movie fan shout for joy.

Ralph Lewis, the star, has one of those "made to order" parts as the hearty old fire battalion chief and his performance is as fine a bit of acting as has been seen here in many a day. To see Lewis scale a burning building to bring down his panic-stricken son who is also a fire.

There is what might be called a supreme thrill de luxe at the finish of this picture when Edward Hearn and Pat Somerset leap together from a burning roof into a life net held seven stories below by a sturdy gang of husky firemen. If this does not make you hold your breath nothing ever will. This scene has no trick stuff and is the genuine article. It will make anyone think twice before taking up the movie hero business as a career.

Oh yes, there is also a plot, and incidentally a good one, about the Irish fire laddie in love with the pretty daughter of old Levin the tailor, together with some missing funds stolen from Claire McDowell by Pat Somerset, the villain. This is interesting but it's the real fire stuff that makes this picture something worth going a long way to see.

The trade mark of Gotham Production has become synonymous with good pictures but without a doubt the best offering from this concern is their latest subject, "One of the Bravest," which is to be shown at the Star Theatre.

The story deals with a family of fire-fighters. Men who have long held honorable records in one of the most dangerous and honorable callings. Then disgrace falls upon the family only to be driven away as the clouds of smoke are cleared away from flaming buildings.

The star of the picture, Ralph Lewis, has been associated with many similar types of screen productions but "One of the Bravest" is both his best picture and his best characterization.

The seeker of thrills will not be disappointed here. There is the swift, mad rush through the streets by the shiny brass and steel apparatus, the rapidly rising scaling ladders and then the daring rescues. The climax of this picture is a double leap for life from a seven story building into a life net.

Mr. Lewis has able support with his cast of screen players which include Ed. Hearn, Claire McDowell, Pat Somerset, Marian Mack and Sid Franklin, all of whom contribute excellent characterizations.

"One of the Bravest" is one of those pictures which will inspire a flock of imitators but it will be a long time before this subject will be equalled in the field of thrill dramas.

E. C. Price of Corsicana is here to spend the fall with his uncle, J. G. Price.

**Mexican Orchestra To Play At Lubbock**

One of the biggest musical attractions that has ever come to the South Plains will be at Lubbock September 8 when the Imperial Symphony Orchestra of Mexico will play there at the Texas Tech Pavilion under the auspices of the South Plains Music Teachers' Association, according to a letter just received from Miss Mary Dunn, of Lubbock who is president of the Association.

The orchestra is making its first American tour and is meeting with hearty applause everywhere it plays. One minute the listener is delighted with the freshness of the popular Mexican airs, to be soothed a moment later by the sweetness and solemnity of the classics of the Southern Republic. Standard semi-classical numbers grand opera selections, popular ballads and old time melodies have their pace on the evening's program.

The forty piece orchestra is under the direction of Robert L. Rechy, graduate of the Mexican Conservatory of Music. He played for President Diaz when he was ten years of age and was pronounced a genius by the President. In addition to the Orchestra proper, the Symphony party includes a number of prominent soloists of Mexico. Felix Marines, first Violinist, a graduate of the Conservatory of Music of Milan, Italy is receiving the acclaim of American audiences wherever the Symphony Orchestra appears.

Among the numbers on the program is "The Overture from William Tell," "The Hungarian Rhapsody of Litz," "A selection from Carmen" and many others.

The orchestra will be at the Tech Pavilion during the South Plains Teachers Institute and in addition to the teachers who will attend, a large number of music lovers from the entire South Plains section are expected to hear the program which will be the outstanding musical attraction in this section for a long time.

**Local People Attend Big Baptist Meeting**

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wells and Mrs. Charley Brown returned Sunday from Floydada, where they spent the last half of the week attending the primitive Baptist Association for this section.

Mr. Wells says that the attendance was good, there being fourteen preachers of the denomination present. The association will meet next year in Tahoka. The date will be Thursday before the fourth Sunday in August, closing on Sunday. This is the first time in many years that the association has met in Tahoka.

The Wes Texas Primitive Baptist Association is composed of twenty-five or thirty west Texas counties. It was organized seventeen years ago. While the denomination is not strong numerically yet these annual meetings are always well attended and Tahoka may expect many people here from all over the west and other parts of Texas, Oklahoma, and even New Mexico next August, in attendance upon this meeting.

**AN APOLOGY**

It is impossible for me to state just why the T-Bar community was not listed in the fair catalogue along with the other communities. An effort was made on my part to see that every community in the county was accounted for. I want to assure the people of T-Bar that it was purely an oversight not an intentional omission. We all know of the progress that the T-Bar community has made, we know that you are progressive out there, and that you will furnish some of the best products that can be raised in the county for the fair on October 8 and 9. I hope that you will accept this full apology.

It does not matter particularly who is appointed to see after the products from your community. The thing that does count is that every man and woman get behind the man that is appointed and co-operate with him to the limit.

Mr. Alvin McMillan, I believe, will make you a good leader. Let everyone do his part to see that T-Bar has a good exhibit at the fair.

G. H. Nelson

Miss Edith Coe of Denton is the guest this week of her sisters, Mrs. T. H. Speight and Miss Mabel Coe. She has been attending the North Texas State Teachers College and will teach this fall and winter near Dalhart.

Flames all around them. Escaped cut off. The ground a hundred feet below and the floor beneath them giving way. Only one thing left to do. Jump for it. You'll get the thrill of your life in "One of the Bravest."

The 1924 Bridge Club met with Mrs. E. H. Boullion last week, with three tables in attendance. The lovely home of Mrs W. E. Swann was a fit setting for such a delightful afternoon.

Dainty refreshments of Apricot Ice and White cake baked heart shaped were served to the following: Mesdames Larkin, Robinson, Allie, Calloway, Halloway of Silsbee, Nash, Slaton, Stewart, Hill, Lemond, Turrentine, Hamilton, Marshall Swann, Buford Swann, W. E. Swann. Mrs Calloway won high score.

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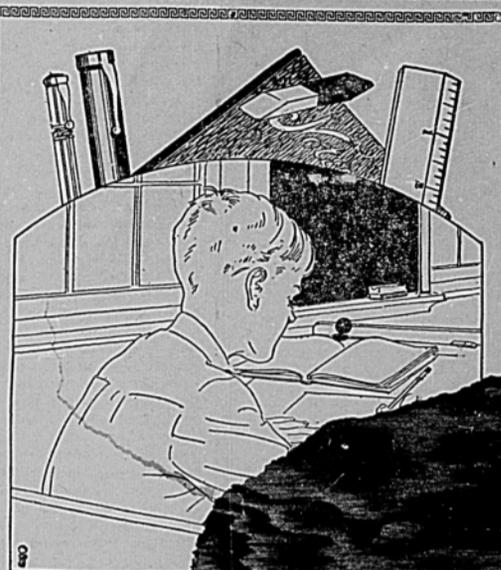
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**Just To Remind You**

We wish to again call your attention to the fact that we have a full line of the best groceries. Others are buying their groceries here and are highly pleased. Why not you?

Always improving our service for the benefit of our customers.

**WELCH GROCERY AND STORAGE**

Phone 211.

We give Trades Day tickets. Call for them.

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## FOR SALE OR TRADE

**FOR SALE**—The east half or about 335 acres of my section of land 2 miles west of Grassland. Any one selling this land at \$60.00 per acre, with one-third cash, by Dec. 1, 1926, will receive \$300.00 for their services. Mrs. C. H. Jones—52-5tp.

**REGISTERED Jersey male, Double Majesty strain, from famous Lassater herd, at my farm at Grassland. Terms reasonable. Cattle for loading. H. P. Burkhalter 51-2tc.**

**ONE GOOD FORDSON and 4-disc plow to sell or trade; also Jersey cow, fresh, for sale. C. W. Slover. 52-5tp.**

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—One labor of land near Tredway; one labor 2 miles north of Sudan in Lamb county, half section 7 miles from Petersburg, Hale county; quarter section Eye, Tuxedo, Jones county; Two of D. D. CROSS, Kern belt. All improved. Kansas Ave. 51-2tp.

**G. M. TERRY D. D. S.**  
Dental and Oral Surgery  
and X-Ray

**L. L. MARTAIN, D. D. S.**  
Assistant Dental and Oral Surgery

**MISS EDNA WOMACK**  
Technician

**T. J. KELLER**  
Beautiful building  
D. Brown 51-2tc.

**Dr.**  
East half or about  
section of land 2 1/2  
Grassland. Any one  
land at \$50.00 per acre  
1-3 cash by Dec. 1, 1926 will  
receive \$300.00 for their service.  
Mrs. C. H. Jones, 51-8tp.

**FOR SALE**—26 shares stock Security State Bank, Tahoka, Texas, par value \$2600. Will take \$2350 cash. Ben T. Brown—O'Donnell, Texas

**FRESH VEGETABLES**—at T. C. Leedy's garden. He will try to do you right 41-6tp.

**FOR SALE**—Three room house with two lots. Near new High School Site. —Chas. Tunnell 51-3tp.

**LOST**  
A black pig with white feet between Redwine and Tahoka—R. H. Grubbs Rt. A. 50-2tp.

**FOR RENT**  
Balcony space in store for Millinery and Art Shop. W. L. Knight & Son. 47-c.

**FOR RENT**—Two front rooms, furnished or unfurnished, Mrs. Jim Wetzel. 52-2tp.

## THE TALE OF A HORSE

There once was a French scientist who bought a horse. Each day he reduced slightly the food given him. This progressed for several weeks and the experiment did fair to be a great success, but just as the point was reached where no feed was given, the horse died.

We occasionally encounter an advertiser who seems to be trying the same old experiment. He has a thriving business which he has strengthened and fed with a normal amount of advertising. However, his "feed bill" looks rather large and he begins the cutting down process. The business is strong and for a while goes along pretty well on its reduced advertising ration. The owner, just like the Frenchman, is much pleased with himself—he has made a money-saving discovery. But we should remember that the laws of business are much like the laws of nature. The horse dies, which points a moral stock dip which needs no comment. If with success would be successful with manner. Our business do not emulate Experience tale of the horse—The has ind. Ambassador.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**SEE B. F. (UNCLE BEN) ROGERS** for farm loans at 5 per cent. Why pay more. 52-c.

**LUBBOCK AVALANCHE**  
Buy the Morning Avalanche at the Limit It arrives in town early in the day on the same date that it is printed it brings the first news to town every day. adv.

**LEGAL BLANKS**—We can furnish you with blank Notes, crop and chattel Mortgages, Car and Cattle Bills of Sale, manuscript covers, second sheets, and typewriter paper. The Lynn County News.

## WANTED

**HOUSEWORK WANTED**—Young high school girl wants to do housework for her board during school term. Notify the News office. 52-1tc.

**WANTED**—Horse to pasture. Phone 208 or see Wylie Fortenberry. 52-1tp.

**PLOWING WANTED**—Have two 15-30 tractors. If you have plowing to be done, see J. B. Nance 52-2tp.

**WANTED**—Sewing of any kind to do. Prices reasonable. Phone No. 267. Mrs. J. Y. Thompson 52-2tp.

## CAN SUPPORT BAND BY A SMALL TAX

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and financially. These are just some of the reasons why we should make the town band a permanent organization and make it possible for any and all who desire to play some kind of an instrument to do so.

Our band can be made one of the most effective mediums of advertising the town, provided that we do make it a permanent organization. But so long as the band depends upon monthly donations from public spirited business men alone we will never reap any of the benefits that come with permanency in organization. In the first place, the expense is too great on the few who have to bear the burden. This accounts for the fact that contributors eventually drop from the rolls. In the second place, it is not right for a few to be compelled to bear the expense of anything from which every man, woman, and child in the community derives a benefit; and in the third place, it is a difficult matter to secure a competent instructor if he knows he is to depend on donations for his salary and for the success of the band organization.

For these reasons why not put the organization on a sound basis, make it permanent, a relieve the present supporters of the band of at least two-thirds of their obligation, and place no appreciable burden on anyone by voting a tax on the property within the corporate limits not to exceed three mills on the dollar valuation. Since we have about \$1,400,000 assessed valuation on the city property, it would not take over two mills on the dollar to produce the amount of revenue needed to carry on the work, pay a full time instructor, and offer free of charge the individual music lessons to all who desire to take the same. Two-tenths of a cent on the dollar valuation as taxation is due to receive comparatively little consideration with the good that will be derived from the expenditure of the funds. Of course I know that it is not a popular thing to do to speak of more taxes. It is not my purpose to bring about that situation if the people do not want it, but I am offering this plan as a means whereby we can do the things that we are now doing and do it more effectively and efficiently.

## Uncle Tom Writes Lynn City News

We are having some improvements in the town. Mr. Rowland has built a new residence in the city and Mr. Carmack has moved his house closer to town.

Our school is running along nicely with about 107 pupils in attendance. Our gin is ready to run. Come along with the cotton. We do the work and give satisfaction.

We have not had much excitement until the last few days. Dan and Ma have been the talk but no one has been killed over it yet.

A lot of folks went to Tahoka Monday night to hear Joe Burkett speak in behalf of Ma and a report came in that he was in a hospital, and had a bad case of Danbeatus. I am no doctor. I can't tell whether it is very dangerous or not but I expect it is very hard on the heart. If Ma and Dan were half as bad as we hear they are they are not fit for trustees of Lynn school much less governor of this great state of ours. Uncle Tom went along with the rest of the crowd expecting to hear a great speech. No speech, but we heard the band play some good music.

We are glad that our town has a band. We think we have got as good a band as any town, and as good looking boys and girls. Well, we had a nice rain out here. Cotton looks better. We hope we make a good crop and get 40 cents for it, and we get on our feet again. Uncle Bill Bartley is going to kill a beef, and if Uncle Tom can get a piece and get by for a few more days, he says his wife's brother is coming from Kentucky in a few days and he will have to keep enough to feed him on. But we will have to have a mess any way. We have not eaten any meat in so long that we hardly know how it tastes.

Well, Saturday will close another election. So, everybody vote like your Uncle Tom and all will be well, that is, vote as you please, May the Lord's blessings rest on us all. Uncle Tom.

Oscar Roberts and C. G. Welcher, accompanied by the former's mother, returned from Ruidoso Sunday night and reported rain all the way.

Every time you hear the fire gongs ring and the siren shriek, give a thought to the brave firemen, every one is "One of the Bravest."

## MULLICAN SPEAKS HERE FOR DAN MOODY

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sons during the past two years and declared that they had made Texas the laughing stock of the nation. He said that he had traveled through several states this summer, and almost every place he stopped some fellow would notice the number on his car and walk up and say, "I see you are from Texas, how are Jim and Ma getting along?" and would then give a derisive laugh, and he almost got ashamed to acknowledge that he was from Texas. In the most lurid language, he denounced Jim Ferguson for his misconduct and maladministration of the affairs of this state and declared that the time has come when even "Ma", though a woman, was no longer entitled to the charity with which her part in the affairs of this state had been heretofore discussed, and he unmercifully scolded her recent statement to the people of Texas in which she expressed the hope that God would give her the courage to do her duty. "In the face of such a record as she has made and over a string of broken promises and repudiated pledges, I would be afraid to call on God for help," he declared. "I would be afraid that he might strike me dead. If I were going out to commit a crime, I would be afraid to call on God to help me."

He briefly recounted the splendid record and achievements of Dan Moody and declared that his public and private life had been above reproach. "When he becomes governor, the people can point to their governor as a man of stainless character and life," he declared. "They can point to that little red-headed, freckle-faced dickens and say with pride He is our governor."

The Judge closed by appealing to the people to come to the polls next Saturday and write the word "finish" to this reign of misrule and misgovernment. "I noticed in the papers," he stated, "that in El Paso they have decided to ring the bells and blow every whistle in the city at intervals of thirty minutes next Saturday in order to remind the people of their duty as citizens and as an appeal to them to go out and vote. I wonder why the same thing could not be done in Tahoka?" he asked.

At the close of his speech Judge Mullican was kept busy several minutes shaking hands and receiving the congratulations of his auditors. He was accompanied to Tahoka by his wife, formerly Mrs. Penny, who lived here a number of years and who likewise has numerous friends here.

Following the speaking here Judge Mullican went to O'Donnell, accompanied by a number of Tahoka citizens, where he delivered an address on the streets in the interest of Dan Moody.

## BIG STARNES REVIVAL IS DRAWING CROWDS

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last incident was the story which the preacher emphasized and he illustrated the point of the sermon by setting fire to a turtle and made him move out, to the great delight of the kiddies.

On Wednesday night he spoke of Moses, and particularly of the incident in which Moses was commanded to cast his rod on the ground and he did so, and when he picked it up it became a serpent. The preacher had a toy serpent with which he vividly illustrated the story, after which he made a powerful appeal to men and to women to hear the voice of God, accept Christ, and live righteous lives. At the close of the sermon the first invitation of the meeting was given.

The services will continue throughout next week.

R. H. Shepherd and R. E. Ellis of Hico, Hamilton county, spent Wednesday night here as guests of the former's uncle, Rev. B. N. Shepherd. They are looking for a location some where on the plains and expressed themselves as being well pleased with Lynn county.

George W. Small returned Tuesday night from Dallas, where he went on business. He brings back the same report that many others are bringing from north and central Texas, namely, that the worms have made terrible ravages on the cotton crop.

Cecil Shaw, manager of the Lumdsen ranch lying along the border of Lynn and Terry counties, was in town Wednesday and reported that the rain out there was just the finest ever and that the grass is green and growing.

## Our Business Is Growing Daily

We attribute our success to our modern dry cleaning plant.

Try us and be convinced.

## CRAFT TAILOR SHOP

The Lynn County News 1 year For \$1.50

## We Have The Meat You'll Enjoy

We care not what your meat taste may be, we can satisfy it. Only the best grades of choicest meats are ever allowed in our shop.



Just Step to your phone and call 49

## Parks Market

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

As Near As Your Telephone

## KINCAID CASH & CARRY STORE

Laundry Soap, 6 for	25c.
Prince Albert Tobacco, 2 for	25c.
Garrett Snuff, per bottle	30c.
Cream Meal	35c.
Good Vinegar	35c.
Best Blackberries, per gal.	80c.
Best Flour	\$2.25

Everything in Proportion.

Cotton Pickers Sacks and Knee Pads

## KINCAID & SON

Help Yourself!

# FORD SERVICE

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You can get over 32,000 Ford Service Stations in the United States. You can get Ford service at as many places as you can get your mail—service that is reliable and dependable.

Bring your car in or phone us and we will put your car up in first class shape at a very nominal price.

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# Connolly Motor Company

Phone 26

Beginning Friday, Aug. 27



## Wm. Rogers & Son Silverplate

"Absolutely Free"

By trading at our store you secure coupons redeemable in The Famous Wm. Rogers & Son Silverplate.

In order to show our appreciation of your patronage we are giving you an opportunity of getting a nice set of silverware free.

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"The Dependable Store"