

# LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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## A. & H. A. PROCEEDINGS

### Good Crowd and Keen Interest at Saturday's Meeting.

The Lynn County Agricultural and Horticultural Association met in the court house last Saturday afternoon with a fairly good crowd present especially considering how busy everyone is at present.

The constitutional committee reported their work incomplete, and more time was granted them.

Mr. J. C. Stanbro exhibited some splendid specimens of Lynn county corn, Kaffir corn and tomatoes. Those who think Lynn county lamb will not grow the best of everything ought to attend these meetings. Mr. Stanbro said some of the best of his Kaffir grew in the patches of blue weeds. He also showed some stalks of corn that had two large well developed ears of corn on them.

It was decided not to have any exhibit at the Fair this year by the Association but each member was encouraged to help any individual who may try to exhibit Lynn county products at the Fair.

The program for the next meeting is as follows:

- 1.—Opening Address (speaker to choose subject) ten minutes, M. M. Anthony.
- 2.—Prospects for Alfalfa in Lynn County, ten minutes, C. N. Hutto.
- 3.—Prizes for Best Products for 1909. Ten minutes, E. D. Skinner.
- 4.—Apple Orchards for Lynn County. Ten minutes for two speakers: Dr. J. W. D. Davis and T. C. Leedy.

All members will be permitted to discuss any subject two minutes each, after the addresses of the speakers assigned to each topic.

JOHN P. MARKS  
JOHN R. CHAMBERS } Program  
A. A. WHYTE } Committee

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Mr. Custis and Miss Jessie Outhouse of Lubbock were married at the home of the bride's parents, Sunday, October 4th, 1908 at nine o'clock A. M., Rev. G. S. Hardy officiating.

Mr. F. C. Wilson of Lubbock acted as best man and Miss Maude Nevels of Tahoka as bridesmaid. The bride was attired in a handsome traveling dress of champagne silk. Miss Nevels looked charming in a brown voile over brown tafeta.

The bridal party left Lubbock immediately after the ceremony for Tahoka where they partook of an excellent dinner at the Tahoka Hotel. A short visit to the home of Mrs. W. D. Nevels was enjoyed by the young people, after which they resumed their journey, their destination being Weatherford, where they will visit the parents of the groom. The young folks are both prominent in Lubbock society. The News joins their many friends in wishing them well.

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## Midway Dots.

Our Literary Saturday eve was good. The debate was by Misses Iva Cowan and Ino Anthony. The debate for next meeting will be: "Resolved That Columbus deserves more praise for discovering America than Washington does for defending it." The debate will be between the Midway and Draw boys, three to the side.

Mr. Black was out at his farm Wednesday with two prospectors.

Our school started Monday and is progressing nicely.

Miss Willie Gibbs and Mr. Arthur Harris attended church at Tahoka Sunday.

W. Cowan and wife of Alexander, Texas, who have been visiting their son, J. H. Cowan, returned to their home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom King spent the day Sunday with Mr. King's father, G. C. King of this place.

The singing at Mr. Izard's Sunday night was a very pleasant affair.

Mr. Cleveland and Jesse left for Big Springs Tuesday morning.

Hurry up, Sunbeam, or Johnson Brown is going to beat you.

### BUTTERCUP.

The best of everything to eat and wear at B. H. Black & Son's.

R. H. Cade and family have bought the Weathers house in the west side and have moved to town.

For \$1 you can have your horse shod at the City Blacksmith Shop, Jack Cumby, Prop.

Master Henry Wells presented the editor with a fine mess of sweet potatoes last Saturday afternoon.

If you want Salt of any kind, Tandy Coleman Co. Plainview, are always the lowest.

Mrs. De Priest of the Deuce of Hearts was in to see us Saturday afternoon.

Both hot and cold drinks served at Snooks Confectionery.

Mr. Cain and sister passed through Tahoka Monday on route for Lubbock where they will visit Mr. Anord and family. Mr. Cain is on leave of absence from the Navy.

Get your horse shod all around or \$1 at the City Blacksmith Shop Jack Cumby, Proprietor.

Mrs. Fletcher spent Monday afternoon at the News office. She was accompanied by Master Frank and the twins.

Will Trade.—I will trade land or land notes for cattle. L. A. Robinson, Tahoka, Texas.

J. C. Babb and family arrived from Post City Saturday. They are occupying the Ben King house. Mr. Babb is a jeweler and will his home in Tahoka.

Mr. Waechter of the New Home community was in to see us Thursday.

Hot chocolate and cake—Shook's.

Miss Hattie McCall and Mrs. Anna Singleton of Colorado were visitors in Tahoka Tuesday. The ladies have been spending several weeks at the ranch in the west side of the county but will return to Colorado for the winter.

Joe Stokes is off for quite a trip. He will visit Emma, Dickens, Clairemont and and Rotan before his return home.

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## The Captain of the Kansas.

By LOUIS TRACY,  
Author of "The Wings of the Morning,"  
"The Pillar of Light," Etc.

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eted against the shimmering green of the water, was instinct with graceful strength. He looked a born leader of men, and, as though to mark his quickness of observation, no sooner had Elsie glanced over the side of the ship than he waved a hand to her.

She sighed. A bitter thought peeped up in her that he was perhaps a trifle careless in showing her these little attentions. She wished he would speak to her of that other girl who awaited him in England. A pleasant state of confidence would be established then. These secret twitches of sentiment were irritating.

She walked aft to obtain a nearer view of the operations. The sailors had already shut in a large portion of the promenade deck with canvas, and she noticed that loopholes were provided every ten feet or so to permit the effective use of the defenders' firearms. Thus at each step she was reminded of the precarious hold she had on life, and she was positively frightened when some mad impulse surged through her whole being, bidding her imperiously to abandon her ultra-scientific loyalty to a woman she had never seen. Why struggle against circumstance? If death were so near, what did she gain by prudery?

For an instant she stood aghast at the revelation which had come to her. She was in love with Courtenay. She was ready to die by his side, fearless and joyous, if only he would put his arms around her and tell her that she was dear to him. Ah, the fierce delight of that first silent surrender! Her heart beat as it had never pulsed before, even under the stress of the storm or the sudden terror of the night attack. Her eyes shone, and her breath came laboriously between parted lips. Golden dreams coursed through her brain. She was thrilled with an unutterable longing.



Then her swimming eyes rested on a group of men standing on the poop. Among them was Christobal, interested, like the rest, in the floating of the mine. And forthwith Elsie fell from the clouds and was brought back, shuddering, to cold reason again. She was sick at heart. She hated herself for her self-abasement. She must gird her with sackcloth and mourn, and the fight must be fought now without parley or hesitation unless the sweetness were to go forth from life forever and all things turn to ashes in her mouth.

So, marshaling the best qualities of her womanhood, she quelled the turmoil in her breast, forced herself to join the men on the after deck and said when the smiling Spaniard turned to receive her:

"Where do they mean to put the second contrivance?"

## News from Lynn.

T. M. Cosstephens and wife attended the revival services in Tahoka last week.

Mrs. Johnny Meacham and her small daughter, Veda Inez, made an afternoon call at T. A. Marchbanks' the latter part of last week.

Rev. H. S. Hatchett sold a quarter section of land last Monday to a Mr. Baker, of Rochester, Haskell county, consideration \$10 per acre. We understand the purchaser will improve the land this fall and winter.

P. B. Hall sold the house on his place near Salt Wells to J. P. Hatchett last week.

Several of our farmers attended the A. & H. Association in Tahoka last Saturday.

I. W. Meyer is hauling sand from Post City to put in the concrete foundation of his house soon to be built.

Mrs. Bessie Hatchett, who has been sick so long with typhoid fever, is some better at the present writing.

L. H. Faw and family are gone to their claim in N. M., having sold their crop to W. H. May and Frank Brown.

Feed cutting is in full blast in this part and the grain yield is good.

Mr. Shropshire, a P. E. and C. U. organizer from Big Springs, held a meeting at Lynn Thursday evening for the purpose of getting the Union organized among Lynn farmers once more. The organization once held its meetings regularly here, but for lack of interest has not met recently. We have not learned the result of Mr. Shropshire's effort Thursday eve.

### AX EYE DENT.

"About there," he said, indicating a point on the surface of the bay eastward of the canoe. His right arm was extended, and he placed his left hand on her shoulder. Courtenay, bailing Walker, saw the two leaning over the rails in that attitude. Perhaps one of the two hoped that Courtenay would see them. Elsie, as part of her punishment, did not shrink away, though the touch of Christobal's hand made her flesh creep. But Joey, whose mind was singularly free from complexities, leaped up at her. He wanted Elsie to tell him what Courtenay was doing out there, so far away from the ship. She stooped and picked him up. Christobal had no excuse for a second career.

"Bark, Joey," she whispered, "bark and call your master. If anything happens to him, you and I shall never see England again. And I am longing for home today."

### CHAPTER XIII.

CHRISTMAS day arrived and maintained its kindly reputation by finding affairs on board the Kansas changed for the better. Mr. Boyle was so far recovered that he could walk. He even took command of two watches in the twenty-four hours, but was forbidden to exert himself lest the wound in his back should reopen. Several injured sailors and firemen were convalescent. The two most serious cases were out of danger. Frascuelo, hardy as a weed, dared the risk of using his damaged leg and survived, though his progress along the deck was painful. Nevertheless on Christmas morning he presented himself before the captain and asked leave to abandon his present quarters. He felt lonely in the fore-castle and wished to berth with the other Chileans in the neighborhood of the salon. Although his luck was bad in some respects, the coal trimmer was endowed with the nine lives of a cat, for there could be no manner of doubt that he dragged himself aft just in time to avoid being killed.

Yet never was day less ominous in appearance. The breezy, sunlit morning brought no hint of coming tragedy. The fine weather which had prevailed since the Kansas drifted into the estuary seemed to become more settled as the month wore. Suarez said it was unprecedented.

But the miner from Argentina never wavered in his belief that the Indians would soon muster every adult for an assault on the ship. The elements might waver, but not the hate of the savage. From the rising of the sun to the going down thereof Suarez was ever on the alert.

Every other person on the ship held the opinion that the Alaculofs would attack by night if they were not afraid to attempt the enterprise at all. So Suarez slept soundly while his companions were on the qui vive for a call to repel boarders. Were it not for the strain induced by the silent menace of their savage neighbors the small company suffered no ill from their prolonged stay in this peaceful anchorage. There was work in

## THE REVIVAL MEETING.

### Closed Tuesday Night With 70 Conversions, 42 Additions.

The great revival which Rev. C. M. Shuffler has been holding at the Methodist church here, closed Tuesday night after 10 days of unflagging interest, and the great spiritual uplifting of the entire town and county. Over seventy conversions and reclamations were reported, and 42 have joined the Methodist church, 10 gave their names for membership in the Baptist church, and 2 for the Christian church.

The above are only the visible results; the invisible results will make their influence felt for good in Tahoka for years to come in the fraternal and Christian spirit engendered in the hearts of all who attended this, the first great revival ever held in Lynn county.

While Rev. Shuffler is a highly gifted revival preacher and endeared himself to a great number of people, nevertheless, much of the success must be attributed to the earnest effort, and true Christian spirit shown by Rev. Thos Hanks, the Methodist pastor, and Rev. M. C. Bishop, the Baptist pastor. These two Christian men have worked lovingly and earnestly together for a revival of religion in our town this summer, and the gratifying results of this meeting are largely attributable to their efforts.

### NOTICE.

Rev. Edgar Owens will fill the Baptist pulpit the 2nd Sunday the 11th inst. in absence of the pastor. Everybody invited to come.

plenty for all hands. Walker was re-enforced by a trio of firemen whose technical knowledge, slight as it was, proved useful when he began to fit and connect the disabled machinery. For the rest, the promenade deck was walled with strong canvas, while Courtenay and Tollemache gave undivided attention to the fashioning of several other floating bombs which could be exploded from the ship. They also provided flexible steam pipes in places where a rush might be made if the Indians once secured a footing on the deck, fore or aft. Steam was kept up constantly in the donkey boiler not alone for the electric light and the daily working of the pumps, as the Kansas had not blundered over the shoal without straining some of her plates, but for use against the naked bodies of their possible assailants.

When day followed day without any sign of hostility not a man on board save Suarez and Tollemache paid much real heed to the shoreward peril. Walker, with his hammers and cold chisels, screw jacks and wrenches, was the center of interest. And Walker's swarthy visage wore a permanent grin, which presaged well for the fulfillment of his promise.

Elsie devoted herself to the hospital. She was thus brought more in contact with Christobal than with any of the others. Nor did he make this close acquaintance irksome to her. Always suave and charming in manner, he exerted himself to be entertaining. Though she knew full well that if the Kansas reached the open sea again he would ask her to marry him, he was evidently content to deny himself the privileges of courtship until a proper time and season.

She was far too wise to appear to avoid Courtenay. Indeed, she was studiously agreeable to him when they met. She adopted the safe role of good fellowship, flattering herself that her own folly would shrink to nothingness under the hourly castigation thus inflicted.

After the midday meal on Christmas day—a sumptuous repast, for the due preparation of which Elsie had come to the Chilean cook's assistance in the matter of the plum pudding—Suarez suddenly reported that a new column of smoke was rising from Guanaco



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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4.  
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- For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 5.  
**J. N. Le Mond**

## SAVE THE BOYS AND PROTECT THE GIRLS.

The Taylor County Grand Jury has undertaken to reform the world, and in doing this the august body has got slightly mixed on the matter of ethics. They believe that girls should be better protected by law from the enemies of virtue and purity, and so far as they have gone we heartily agree with them.

Only on one point do they approach the most vital part of the question at issue and that is when they say: "The young men of our country should be noble, manly men, and should be the guardians rather than the despoilers of the virtue of the young girls who are entrusted to their company by confiding parents."

That is commendable, but how shall they be taught this great lesson of life? Not by the present attitude of society on this question, by which the professional seducer is received on equal terms with the young man of clean life who feels a higher sense of honor. As long as no town can feel itself assuming the proportions of a city without its newspapers and public men beginning to prate about a "necessary evil" and demand that a certain district be assigned a special fall for unprotected girls and untrained boys, just so long will the majority of young men fall short of the high standard of manhood advocated by the Taylor county grand jury.

How can any grand jury or any other body of intelligent men hope for such a high standard to be realized until the conditions which make for a lower standard are removed? That "evil communications corrupt good manners," was never truer than today. How about the smutty jokes and obscene stories which are told every day by older men in the hearing of young men and boys in nearly every public building in Texas? Do the millions of indecent and suggestive pictures of girls and women which disfigure all kinds of public places in the form of calendars, advertis-

ing posters and art panels; which flood the mails in the form of post cards and which are everywhere flaunted before youthful eyes by magazines and newspapers, do anything to increase the respect of young men for the young girls entrusted to their company by confiding parents? Call to mind the fact that no show or opera troupe ever exhibits anywhere without some vulgar insinuation being forced on the audience in the form of a joke, and you may get some light as to why grand juries have such a habit of picking flaws in the conduct of the rising generation. Wonder why grand juries can't do something to correct these conditions instead of so much generalizing?

A printed article on dress reform could hardly be gotten up without giving offense to many who are not aware of its important bearing on the subject in hand, but since so many talented speakers have told the story so well, our efforts would be superfluous. In conclusion, we would say that no erring girl was ever reclaimed nor any wayward young man ever reformed solely through legal means. We must find the causes of the evil and correct it by their removal, if we would make the world better. To lift up the fallen is a noble work, but it would be doing just as much good and accomplish more in the long run if we took some time to remove the stumbling blocks from the path of the young.

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La Verne Kershner

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robinson of Lubbock, accompanied by Mrs. Babcock and children of Fort Worth, Mrs. Jack Robinson's sister came in Friday night to visit the family of Lewis Robinson. They stayed until Monday noon, when they all returned home. Mrs. Babcock has been spending the summer with relatives at Lubbock.

## Horse Shoeing \$1.00.

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Ray & Feamy.

Charley Doak, of Lamesa, was in town Tuesday, with his father. They were accompanied by Mr. O'Donnall, the railroad man, and a couple of eastern bankers who were railroad prospecting. When the R. R. gets busy Tahoka is prepared to deliver the good.

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Mr. and Mrs. Newton Weathers are occupying the Marvin Coughran house.

Do you want to make your wife smile for a long time? If so, buy her a racine buggy at the Tahoka Hardware Company.

Rev. B. A. Evans, of Jonesboro, was in Tahoka this week and held a service at the Methodist church Wednesday night. He was a classmate of Rev. Thos. Hanks, of this place.

Don't ride in that old rattle trap, when you can go to the Tahoka Hardware Company and get a brand new buggy.

Miss Hettie McCarley left Sunday in company with her brother and family, for Big Springs where they will make their home for the future. We are certainly sorry to lose Miss Hettie from among us.

FOR EXCHANGE:—One of the most up-to-date homes in Brownwood, Texas, for western lands. Prefer Dawson or Lynn counties. What have you to offer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob. Forrester were visitors at the home of Mrs. Roberts the first of the week.

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Mr. Keeth and family were in Tahoka Tuesday.

## TO METHODISTS.

Dear fellow workers:—

You will rejoice to know that more than 30 have joined the Methodist church in the last ten days, and more than 70 have professed faith in Christ

Now since God has blessed us with spiritual victory, let us all word earnestly to help evangelize the world.

Our missionary money, orphanage, Bible, and money to help advance the Kingdom of Christ, as well as for our church seats are past due, and should be paid at once.

Every member, both the old and young members of the church are most sincerely urged to please come Sunday October 11, at 11 a. m. as that is our communion day, and many of the young, will take the sacrament the first time in life.

Rev. G. S. Hardy will be here Saturday October 17, and Sunday 18, at our fourth quarterly conference, and it is very important to pay in full all of our obligations by that day. Please do your duty at once.—Your pastor,  
 Thos. Hanks.

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## NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LYNN

A. H. CURRY, Plaintiff in Judgment, JOHN REED, Defendant in Judgment Whereas by virtue of an alias execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Taylor county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on May 2nd, 1908, in favor of A. H. Curry against John Reed, No. 3978, on the docket of said Court, I did on the 28th day of September, 1908 at 9 o'clock A. M., make a levy on the following described land situated in Lynn county, Texas and belonging to said John Reed, to wit:

South one half of survey No. 30, containing 320 acres of land in Block A1, surveyed for the E. L. & R. R. by Co., by virtue of certificate No. 1449, situated in Lynn county, Texas.

On the 3rd day of November 1908, same being the 1st Tuesday in said month between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, I will offer for sale at public auction for cash, at the Court House door of said county, all the right, title and interest of said John Reed, in and to said property.

Dated at Tahoka, Lynn county, Texas this 2nd day of October 1908.  
 J. S. Wells, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas.

Lew's Robinson and J. B. Walker have bought the automobile owned by Ernest Reid, and they will use the car in showing prospectors around the country.

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### Morgan Items.

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Mr. Robinson of Tahoka has bought  
Mr. John Fancher's crop and moved last  
Monday.

Miss Sadie Fancher will go back east  
in a few days to live with her sister,  
Mrs. Lee.

Mr. Frank Cruse spent Sunday very  
pleasantly with Mr. Edgar Milliken.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Claiborne visited  
Mr. and Mrs. Pilley last Sunday.

Mr. Pilley and Daughters, Clara and  
Fdea were trading and visiting in Taho-  
ka last Saturday. Miss Verda Plenix  
came out home with them to spend a  
few days visiting friends.

The young men of Morgan are help-  
ing Mr. Lumsden round up and brand  
this week.

Sunday School is to be reorganized at  
Morgan next Sunday.

Some few have commenced picking  
cotton.

### MABEL CLAIR.

### JUST IN.

A nice lot of fruit and nuts, ba-  
nanas, oranges, apples, pears,  
grapes, lemons, pecans and almonds,  
Shook's Confectionery.

Howard Harrison was in to see  
us Thursday and bid us goodbye  
as he is leaving for Lehigh, Okla-  
homa, where he has a fine position  
offered him on a newspaper. Mr.  
Harrison is a fine printer and is a  
valuable aquisition to any paper  
fortunate enough to secure his ser-  
vices. we are sorry to have him  
leave Lynn county.

Buy the SIMON PURE, "Nigger-  
head," Coal: No Slate, No Slack,  
all coal. Get it of Tandy Coleman  
Co. Plainview, Texas.

Judge Bartley and wife left  
Wednesday for Floydada where  
they will visit relatives and attend  
the county fair, in progress now.  
Mrs. Reno who has been visiting  
them for a couple of weeks, return-  
ed to her home in Floydada.

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Grip baggage carried free. Courteous treatment assured.

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T. M. Bartley has bought the famous Kentucky Bred

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People desiring his service will find him 1 mile  
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## DON'T PICK COTTON

in baskets but get  
READY MADE COTTON SACKS OF  
WELLS & WELCHER

## DON'T DRINK WATER

when you get any brand of  
COFFEE AND IN ANY QUANTITY OF  
WELLS & WELCHER

## Don't Eat Trash

when you can get extra nice new crop  
DRIED FRUIT FOR 12 1/2 CENTS OF  
WELLS & WELCHER

WHO HAVE GOT IN 1200 POUNDS OF THE BEST YOU EVER SAW

## Don't Go Naked

WHEN YOU CAN HAVE YOUR PICK OF A FULL AND  
COMPLETE LINE OF PANTS SO CHEAP YOU WILL FORGET  
YOU HAD TO BUY THEM.

## DON'T HURT YOUR FEET

buy wearing shoes with holes in them but get a new pair  
of WELLS & WELCHER. Full line of Selz Shoes and  
Hickory Calf work shoes.

## Don't Get Mad

when the children ask for a new school tablet. Go to  
WELLS & WELCHER'S and buy a dozen 5 cent tablets  
for 50 cents or a dozen 10 cent tablets for \$1.00.  
LIBERAL DISCOUNT BY THE GROSS

### Don't Go Hunting

Without plenty of ammunition, for  
Wells & Welcher have both shot  
and rifle cartridges, in all sizes.

### Don't Forget

That you can supply all your table  
and household wants at our  
store at any and all times.

## WELLS & WELCHER

# Clothing,

WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF  
CLOTHING to fit any size man, boy or child. Before buying your  
school suits elsewhere, call and get our exceedingly low prices and  
examine our up-to-date line.

### SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

WE have a big line of shoes too, of all kinds and sizes from a small  
baby shoe to number eleven and can fit any size foot. Prices Right.

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NICE line of novelty and staple Hats Stetson, Red Cross and "Jopaco"  
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We also have a complete stock of Groceries. Everything fresh  
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### Edith Items.

As Pat has gone to the land where the  
"woodbine twined and the whangdoodle  
whangeth," for his future abode, he has  
persuaded me to hitch myself to a pencil  
and chronicle the "doings" about Edith,  
and I here make my debut.

Our citizens met at J. R. McIntyre's  
Saturday morning for the purpose of  
completing arrangements, specifications and  
location for our school house. After  
the whereas and wherefores necessary,  
committees were appointed and started  
to work. It was decided to build the  
house near the Joe Sanders place.

Wesley Hickson and wife visited the  
family of Joe Allison in the Deuce of  
Hearts country Saturday and Sunday.

Monroe Hickson and family and Irvin  
Shattuck spent Sunday at G. W. Harrison's.

Miss Lillie Harrison left Saturday for  
T-bar, where she will stay with her  
brother, J. H. and attend school.

Rev. G. F. Shattuck filled his regular  
appointment at Draw Sunday. He was  
accompanied by Mr. Waechter of New  
Home.

Mrs. Shattuck and Miss Horace at-  
tended church at Tahoka Sunday.

Miss Willie Dyer visited her sister,  
Mrs. Will Shepherd Saturday.

Miss Ruth Shattuck was a guest of the  
Misses Dyer Sunday.

Mr. Dyer is now occupying his new  
residence, which was completed last  
week.

O. C. Stanbro visited at G. W. Harrison's  
Sunday.

France Beeman was hauling a supply  
of wood from the brakes last week.

Mrs. Will Shepherd attended church at  
Tahoka Saturday night.

Mr. Waechter spent Sunday night  
with Irvin Shattuck.

Frank and Alex Vaughn visited the  
county capital Monday.

J. B. Reese left Sunday morning for  
Abilene, where he has been summoned  
to attend Federal court.

G. P. Womack and family were out at  
preaching in Tahoka Saturday night.

Mrs. J. R. McIntyre has moved to  
town and will reside there during this  
term of school.

Miss Mab'e Womack is attending  
school at Tahoka.

Howard Harrison and Joe Elliott at-  
tended the revival services in Tahoka  
Sunday night.

### Loco.

### A Cowboy's Last Drive.

A few years ago a lonely cowboy drove  
a small herd of Texas Longhorns across  
the fertile prairies that your homes now  
acorn and after many lonesome nights  
and days of watching, with no neighbors  
but the coyote and prairie owl, he sold  
his herd and went back east. The  
money obtained from the sale of his  
cattle he put into a small stock of goods  
and is now one of the leading merchants  
in East Texas.

The days of opportunity for the Long-  
horns and the Easterners have passed;  
in their place, we have the Whitefaces  
and the Typical Western ruf of vim  
and push. Competition in commercial  
circles has become keener and keener  
and the young person who gets a busi-  
ness position today must be qualified.  
Preparation is the magic key that un-  
locks the store house of success. Let  
this be an invitation to you to attend  
the great school in the West and pre-  
pare yourself for a life of usefulness.

We get positions for our graduates  
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Gatlin, Edwards and Poole, Co-Prins.

### Church Directory

METHODIST: Rev. Thos. Hanks, pastor  
Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and  
8:30 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m.  
Junior League 4 p. m.

BAPTIST: Rev. M. C. Bishop, pastor.  
Services First and Second Sundays at 11  
a. m. Union Sunday School every Sun-  
day at 10 a. m.

### Lodge Directory.

W. O. W. Lodge No. 1003 meets 2nd  
and 4th Saturday night in each month.  
H. M. LARKIN, Council Com.  
F. C. MELLARD, Clerk.

### Court Directory

THE 64th Judicial District consists of  
Briscoe, Castro, Floyd, Hale, Lubbock,  
Lynn, Swisher and Terry counties.

DISTRICT Court convenes in Tahoka, on  
the 21st Monday after the 1st Mondays  
in January and July, and may continue  
in session two weeks.

OFFICERS: L. S. Kinder, Plainview, Judge  
L. C. Penry, Plainview, Attorney, S. N.  
McDaniel, Tahoka, Clerk.

COUNTY Court convenes the 4th Monday  
in January, April, July and October.

OFFICERS: T. M. Bartley, Judge, S. N.  
McDaniel, Clerk, J. S. Wells, Sheriff, and  
Tax Collector, J. W. Elliott, Deputy  
Sheriff, W. H. Robison, Treasurer, A. S.  
Coughran, Tax Assessor, W. E. Porter-  
field, Surveyor, no County Attorney.

JUSTICE Court convenes the 1st Monday  
in each month: C. M. Whipp, Justice.

### Home Notes.

Never let a child or infant sleep in  
the room with a sick person.  
If there is but one electric light in

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the room, place a mirror near it and get  
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it to look stiff. Place over it a smooth  
piece of thin muslin, then iron.

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moire paper. They can be marked on  
the back with india ink.