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Died At Tahoka

Information was phoned to Lubbock Sunday morning of the death of Mrs. T. J. O'Donnell, at Tahoka Saturday night. Sunday morning W. E. Robinson's embalmer boarded an auto and went to that place to embalm the body, preparatory to shipment to some other place for burial. A handsome casket was also supplied from this city.

Mr. O'Donnell is quite well and favorably known to a large number of the people of this place, having been identified for some time with the railroad grade and the building of a road from Stanton north. He has the sympathies of those who know him in this section.

The remains of Mrs. O'Donnell accompanied by her husband and C. E. Brown came in Tuesday morning and left on the 11:10 train for Perkins, Okla., where the funeral will be conducted.—Avalanche.

Hutto & Hutto received an immense butcher block the first of the week. It was so large that five men were required to lift it from the wagon.

J. B. Lowe and family moved Tuesday from the east side of town to the house in the west side recently vacated by Bro. McKenzie.

The Crank

The complete crank is a kind of collector of causes, and it is difficult to discover the principle upon which he collects them. A new religion and underclothing and some insipid kind of diet are all the same to him, and he advocates them all with equal earnestness. He wants men to change their lives in every particular and protests against all the ordinary usages of the world both in great and in small things. He does not believe that there is any instinctive wisdom in mankind or any value in past tradition and experience. For his wisdom has only just appeared among men, and she has revealed herself to very few.—London Times.

Explained.

"The ragman was here today," said Mrs. Sadlife.
"What does he come so often for?" asked Sadlife irritably.
"I suppose he sees me in my every-day clothes," she answered.—Buffalo Express.

Preparing to Swear Off.

Why does Fillemp wet his finger the glass every time he takes a drink?
"He wants to keep it moistened so it can turn over that new leaf on New Year's day."

Cold Absorbers.

Do you think those fur coats are really much warmer than the other things?
"They ought to be. They use up a whole lot more of cold cash."—Boston Herald.

Those Roadmaking Resolutions.
"The of the Imps Why so cheerful, majesty?"
"A Satanic Majesty—Ha, ha! New Year's is with us again. Soon we'll have another section of road paved."

Duel Dangers.

Why is everybody hurt in the duel?
"The moving picture operator, machine blow up."—Philadelphia Press.

Appropriate Music.

"When the Swallow Homeward Fly,"
"An Arctic Explorer," "Farewell,"
"A defaulting bank official," "It's Four Years,"
"The W. C. T. U.," "Drink to Me With Thine Eyes,"
"The real estate promoter," "There's a New Like Home,"
"The ballet girl," "Arise, My Soldier," "The Wright brothers," "Flee as a Dove,"
"The milliner," "Trust Her Not,"
"The critics," "The Anvil Chorus," "The stock exchange," "You Never See the Water,"
"The Boston girl," "Where Have You My Pretty Maid,"
"Father Burbank," "The Praties," "Here's Some Over There,"
"The host of us," "If I Had but Ten Cents a Year,"
"The baker," "Roll, Jordan, Roll,"

Man Injured

Tuesday morning about ten o'clock, Dr. Womack received a call to go out to the A. L. Kirkes camp on mile 14, about eight miles north of Tahoka, on the grade, to attend to a young man named Johnson who had been badly crippled by an explosion where they were blasting rock in a cut on the Santa Fe grade.

It seems that Johnson had just lighted the fuse to a blast and turned away to walk to a safe distance and he stooped to pick up a box of caps when they exploded with terrific force, literally tearing his left hand and the left side of his face into shreds; bursting the thumb and palm of his left hand wide open in a most shocking way.

Dr. Womack dressed his wounds and had the young man brought to Tahoka Tuesday evening and his father, J. B. Johnson, of Tulia, Texas, notified, who arrived here at three Wednesday morning accompanied by their family physician, Dr. H. D. Barbes, who assisted Dr. Womack and Wadham West Tuesday morning when they dressed the poor sufferer's terrible wounds.

The doctors think they will be able to save his hands and his right eye; the left eye is however entirely gone.

GRAND MA'S COUGH REMEDY is pleasant to take, instantly relieves that tickle in your throat, stops that hacking cough. With the first symptoms of throat or lung trouble buy a bottle of this celebrated Cough Cure and safeguard against that dread disease, Consumption.

Inertistic Criticism.

Artist (proudly)—I am taking this view from nature.
Spectator—I don't believe nature will miss anything.—Boston Herald

Rev. McKenzie and family left the first of the week for Little Rock, Ark., where they will reside in the future. Rev. McKenzie, with three co-laborers has charge of the Evangelistic work of the state, with headquarters at Little Rock. Bro. McKenzie has been pastor of the Baptist Church at this place for some time, and has endeared himself to all who knew him. The people here are sorry to lose him but wish him God Speed in his new undertaking.

We are expecting a fine time at our Literary next Saturday night. Some good speakers have promised to be present.

Carrying Out Orders.

On Lord Dufferin's estate, near Belfast, there once stood a historic ruin, a castle which had been a stronghold of the O'Neils. One day Lord Dufferin visited it with his steward, Dan Mulligan, and drew a line with his stick round it, telling Mulligan that he was to build a protecting wall on that line. And then he went to India, feeling secure as to the preservation of the great historic building. When he returned to Ireland he hastened to visit the castle. It was gone. He rubbed his eyes and looked again. Yes, gone it certainly was, leaving not a trace behind. He sent for Dan and inquired, "Where's the castle?"
"The castle, my lord—that ould thing? Sure, I pulled it down to build the wall wid."

Those Back Pages.

Mr. Purist—I tell you our modern literature is deteriorating very rapidly.
Uncle Hiram—Well, I guess, you can't read the patent medicine advertisements nowadays without having them all broken up by the blamed continued stories in between.—Brooklyn Life.

In 1912.

Uncle Josh—You don't find chestnuts under these trees like you used to.
Uncle Ezra—No, by heck! These here blamed aeroplane fellows just pick them off every time they pass.—Chicago News.

Mrs. McIntyre left Sunday for Fluvanna to take the train for Hamilton county where her brother is very sick.

J. L. Russell and wife moved to Tahoka Saturday and are building on lot 2 in block 16 north of the Swan place. Mr. Russell used to run a well drill here with W. L. Davis several years ago.

Dr. W. A. Womack and wife and son, of McCauley, Texas, arrived in Tahoka two weeks ago and have moved into the G. W. King house in the east part of town. Their residence phone is No. 6. Dr. Womack has his office in the Thomas Bros. Drug Store and will practice in all parts of Lynn County and Tahoka. His card will be found in the professional column of the News this week.

J. L. Roberts, of Lubbock, Missionary for the Firm Foundation church, was in Tahoka last week conducting services at the Methodist church. Elder Robertson is an able exponent of the gospel, but owing to cold weather and sickness his congregation was small.

A Prejudiced Juror.

An English statesman campaigned Wales lately and used story telling tactics to lighten up his serious arguments. A favorite story concerned a man who served upon the jury in a murder case. Before leaving home he instructed his wife to get a salmon for supper, and to make sure of a good meal he told her to fry one half of it and boil the other. During the trial he frequently refreshed himself from out of a black bottle, and when the jury retired he was asked in his turn by the foreman, "Well, John Jones, what are we going to do with the prisoner?" In a thick, guttural voice came the reply, "Boil one half of him and fry the other."

A Sailor Superstition.

"It's funny," remarked an old skipper on the water front, "how ancient superstitions cling to the men who go to sea. Take, for instance, that shark's fin nailed to the tip of the flying jibboom of that windjammer. There's hardly any of the people who come down to the docks on a Sunday afternoon that don't look and wonder at it. But few know what it means to seafaring men. It's a superstition as old as the art of sailing and one in which all seamen believe." They think it takes the ginger out of heavy seas when the ship is showing her nose under, and they also believe that so long as the shark's fin holds the vessel will never be in a collision. It is a mascot which brings all good, besides adding speed to the ship. A sailor would as leave see the masts go by the board as to see the shark's fin lost off the jibboom."—San Francisco Call.

Easy.

"Do you think that you can make my daughter happy?" asked Mr. Cumrox.
"She has been happy with you, hasn't she?" rejoined the confident youth.
"I think so, sir."
"Well, if she's that easy to please there ought to be no difficulty."—Washington Star.

Proving His Love.

They were "sitting out" the dance when Miss Luylwun glided silently by, waltzing most gracefully.
"Oh, Algy," said the girl, "don't you think Miss Luylwun quite the nicest girl in the room?"
"Why, yes, May, darling, if you think so."
"And her eyes—aren't they just delightful?"
"Perfectly, pet!" Algy agreed.
"And hasn't she the prettiest mouth and the sweetest face imaginable?"
"Simply charming!" quoth Algy.
"And don't you think she's awfully clever too? Knows French, and—ho—ho—ho—"
Poor Algy's face went ghastly white.
"Why, darling," he exclaimed, "what-ever's the matter? Are you ill? Shall I—"
"Oh-o," sobbed May, "I—thought you—loved me—you loved me best, Algy."
"So I do, darling!"
"W-w-well, how can you talk so about that ugly, vulgar Luylwun girl?"

G. F. Shattuck, of Post City was in Tahoka Thursday.

Irvin Shattuck was in town Thursday.

S. F. Singleton was in Tahoka Thursday.

Clifford Thomas went to Post City last week.

See Wells and Welcher for all kinds of fresh clean garden and field seeds.

W. E. Porterfield, of Post City was in Tahoka Thursday shaking hands with his friends.

D. A. Parkhurst put up sidewalk signs this week for B. L. Shook & Son Real Estate agents and the Lynn County News.

For Millet, Corn, Kaffir, Maize or Sorghum Seed.—See Wells & Welcher, southwest corner of the square, Tahoka.

Joe Stokes has been working in the Thomas Drug Store during the absence of Clifford Thomas in Post City.

Frank McGonagill, Call Griffin S. L. Fleming and Mr. Hilburn all came in Tuesday evening from Big Springs via Gail.

Ab Kirkes, one of the grade contractors north of town had a difficulty last week with J. R. Killian, who had worked for him part of a day, which resulted in Killian getting an ugly cut on the head and one finger, from a monkey wrench that Kirkes had in his pocket. They sent Killian to town where a doctor had to be called. Kirkes was made to appear at the expense of the County Court.

Choice Kansas Prairie Hay; single ton or car load. See R. H. Pringle, Big Springs, Tex., at Gary & Burns Co.

THE YOUNG GAMBLER.

He Had an Even Chance, but Fate Was Against Him.

I remember one handsome young fellow whom I used to meet occasionally on the staircase who captured my youthful fancy. I met him only at midday, as he did not rise till late, and this fact, with a certain scrupulous elegance and neatness in his dress, ought to have made me suspect that he was a gambler. In my inexperience it only invested him with a certain romantic mystery.

One morning as I was going out to my very early breakfast at a cheap Italian cafe on Long wharf I was surprised to find him also descending the staircase. He was scrupulously dressed even at that early hour, but I was struck by the fact that he was all in black, and his slight figure, buttoned to the throat in a tightly fitting frock coat, gave, I fancied, a singular melancholy to his pale southern face.

Nevertheless he greeted me with more than his usual serene cordiality, and I remembered that he looked up with a half puzzled, half amused expression at the rosy morning sky as he walked a few steps with me down the deserted street. I could not help saying that I was astonished to see him up so early, and he admitted that it was a break in his usual habits, but added, with a smiling significance I afterward remembered, that it was "an even chance if he did it again."

As we neared the street corner a man in a buggy drove up impatiently. In spite of the driver's evident haste my handsome acquaintance got in leisurely and, lifting his glossy hat to me with a pleasant smile, was driven away. I have a very lasting recollection of his face and figure as the buggy disappeared down the empty street. I never saw him again. It was not until a week later that I knew that an hour after he left me that morning he was lying dead in a little hollow behind the Mission Dolores, shot through the heart in a duel for which he had arisen so early.—Bret Harte's "Under the Redwoods."

Oil Paintings.

If you have a valuable oil painting do not hang it in a place where heat is liable to wrinkle the canvas.

NOTICE.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders and Directors of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Railway Company.

Notice is hereby given that the annual stockholder's meeting of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific Railway Company will be held as provided by its by-laws at the General Office Building of the Company in the Director's rooms thereof in Quanah, Hardeman County, Texas, on Tuesday, the Nineteenth day of April, A. D. 1910 at 11:00 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and transacting such other business as may come before such meeting.

Notice is further given that at such meeting, authority will be asked of the stockholders to amend the Charter of said Railway Corporation authorizing the construction of an extension of its railway from the town of Paducah, in Cottle County, Texas, its present terminus, through the Counties of Cottle, Motly, Dickens, Crosby, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Lubbock, Hockley, Cochran, Bailey, Lynn, Terry and Yoakum to a point in the Eastern boundary line of New Mexico Territory, and to issue stocks of said Company in the sum of not less than One Thousand Dollars per mile for the entire line now constructed and to be constructed, and not to exceed a total capital stock of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Notice is further given that authority will be asked of the said stockholders meeting to make, execute and deliver by the Company a first mortgage on all the property both real and personal of the company now owned and that may be hereafter acquired by it, and to arrange for the payment of outstanding bonds. Also for authority to make, execute and deliver its first mortgage on its proposed extension from Paducah to the New Mexico line. The said stockholders to determine which of said mortgages shall be executed, and in either event, it is proposed to issue bonds of the Company in an amount not to exceed Thirty Thousand Dollars per mile of the constructed road of said company, such bonds to bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, interest payable semi-annually and to become due not more than thirty years from their date; said bonds to be issued and registered under the direction of the Railroad Commission of the State of Texas from time to time as the railroad is constructed, also for authority to the directors of said Company to make application to said Railroad Commission of the State of Texas for authority to issue bonds under said mortgage or mortgages.

Notice is further given that an annual meeting of the board of Directors will be held at the same place and immediately after the assembling of the stockholders, for the purpose of electing and appointing officers of the Company, for the transaction of such other business as may come before them, and to carry out the instructions given them by said stockholder's meeting.

Witness at Quanah, Texas, this 14th day of February, 1910.

SAM LAZARUS, President.

Attest: E. K. HAWKINS, Secretary.

TEXAS BRICK IN NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 20.—Edgar L. Marston, formerly of Texas, president of the Texas and Pacific Coal Company of Thurber, Tex., is experimenting with a view to greatly increase the market for Thurber paving brick.

A considerable consignment was received here today via steamer from Houston and turned over to leading architects in this city to be tested as to their availability for general building construction. They are said to be used to some extent for ornamental trimming and exposed chimneys, but it is desired by Mr. Marston to bring them into general use for building purposes as well as street paving.

The Distinguished Man.

It was the second time they had dined at the cafe, which was somewhat imposing with its vaulted ceiling and its German decorations of plaques and steins. A man kept walking back and forth through the room. He did this several times before he finally disappeared.
"It seems to me," she whispered, "that I have seen that distinguished man before somewhere. Haven't I?"
"Yes," said he. "You saw him here the night you came to dine with me. He's the head waiter."—New York Press.

The Tahoka Way

The plucky little town of Tahoka, Lynn county, last August started out to secure a branch of the Santa Fe railroad. A delegation of its citizens met with the officials of the road and a proposition was submitted by the railroad company that if the citizens would donate right-of-way, depot grounds and a bonus of \$50,000 the road would be built. The committee came home, called a meeting of the citizens of the town and county. The matter was taken up and in less than a week a man was on his way to the headquarters of the officials of the road, the contract was accepted and a surveying crew placed in the field. Town lots doubled in value in less than two weeks. Dirt is now being moved and by the 1st of May cars will be speeding into town. This was all accomplished in a town very little larger than Richland Springs, and in a county whose taxable values are not one-third that of San Saba county. One secret of the success of those people is that they are united in their efforts to build up their town and country and a visitor never hears many doubting Thomases shooting off their bazooks about the dire calamities which are going to come upon the town or country.—Richland Springs Eye-Witness.

The people who do not take The News, may miss some bargains.

Ed S. Duncan, of Brighton, Texas, has taken his Lynn county and Tahoka property off of the market and has ordered a well drilled on his residence property in east Tahoka.

Ira Doak's new residence in the south part of town is nearing completion.

RAND MA'S TEA is a most pleasant palatable laxative. Cures Constipation, Purifies the Blood, Cures Sick Headache and Biliousness. It will quickly remove pimples, beautifying the complexion and giving the skin the freshness of youth.

J. W. Luttrell of south of Tahoka was a pleasant caller at The News office Tuesday.

If you want good hay, see R. H. Pringle, Big Springs, Tex., at Gary & Burns.

W. S. Swan moved his family and household goods to his farm north of town the first of the week.

G. C. King, of Draw, was in Tahoka Tuesday and called on the News office.

FOR SALE—One 2nd hand J. I. Case corn planter, in good repair; Cheap.

Jack Alley, Tahoka, Tex.

Lennie Bigham and Jim Hutto, proprietors of the The Tahoka Meat Market, have moved into Mr. Wise's building west of the Printing Office.

Phone or write R. H. Pringle, Big Springs, Tex., for choice Kansas Prairie Hay. Special prices on car loads. At Gary & Burns Co.

J. N. McGill, having a nice residence built in Tahoka west of G. W. Oughan's. It is to be aungalow, and when completed will be one of the prettiest houses in town.

FOR SALE—Two tents 12x14 complete, plank and all; One tent 14x16 complete; Two heaters; One cook stove, six eye, Complete set cooking utensils for same; Ten axes; Twelve grubbing hoes; Three lanterns; Grindstones, in fact every thing needed for a grubbing camp outfit of 20 hands.—Cheap for cash.—C. E. Brown, Tahoka, Texas.

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We will greatly appreciate it if you will call us up and tell us the local news (OFFICE PHONE NO. 25. RESIDENCE PHONE NO. 14.)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For District Attorney, 9th District. (RUBEN M. HILLERD, L. C. PENNY.)

For Sheriff and Tax Collector. (J. H. EDWARDS, W. H. MILLEE.)

For County and District Clerk. (J. W. HILLIOTT, O. B. SHOOK, C. M. WHIPP.)

For County Judge. (G. W. PERRYMAN, (Re-election), J. P. MARRS.)

For County Tax Assessor. (E. E. IRDWAINE, (Re-election).)

For County Treasurer. (MOMMUL CLAYTON, (Re-election).)

Oscar Roberts is leaving to set type in The News office.

Professionals And Business Cards.

G. W. Perryman
Lawyer, Notary, and Conveyancer. Complete Abstract of Lynn county lands to date.
Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas.

W. D. BENSON.
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Tahoka, - - - - Texas.

W. A. Womack
PHYSICIAN and SURGEON
OFFICE
Thomas E. & Co. Drug Store
Residence Phone No. 6

Guy King began drilling a well on W. D. Nevels' lots in the Bartley Addition Friday morning.

For County Clerk

We are authorized in this issue of The News, to announce C. M. Whipp as a candidate for the office of County and District Clerk of Lynn County, Texas. Mr. Whipp is a native of Kentucky, came to Texas in the year 1876, and has since resided the greater part of the time in Jack county, Texas, where he was elected County Clerk in '96 and re-elected in '98. This gives him a practical knowledge of the duties of the office to which he aspires. Mr. Whipp came to Lynn county in 1905. He asks you to consider him kindly, and solicits your influence and your vote.

W. L. Lansford and J. W. McNeil, who are hauling freight from Lubbock for the L. M. Kitkes Commissary here, came in, unloaded and went to the bank and cashed their checks last Saturday. They got into a dispute, it is said, over a five dollar bill which quick resulted in a rapid exchange of blows. The boys were soon parted and went over to see the Justice of the Peace, and paid him \$8.70 each as fine and costs.

T-Bar News

For two weeks.

Health of the community is good, the weather has been fine for the past week, and most of the farmers are ready for the planting season to roll around. There will be a good deal of spring oats sowed in this part of the county.

The young people of T-bar report a nice time at the masquerade party at Mr. Randall's Friday night.

The singing at Ed Baldrige's Sunday night was enjoyed by all.

There will be preaching at Wells School House next Sunday at 11 a. m. and at night.

Mr. B. Humphries had a good mile to die last week.

Mr. Milliken, the Tahoka Tamer, came out and did some repair work on a cistern on Geo. Small's place last week.

Mr. Tom Humphries had a run-away several mornings ago. He had started to town and his team made a run, turning over the buggy and throwing him out, but not hurting him. The buggy was wrecked considerable, but the team was unhurt.

Wishing The News prosper in its new quarters, I will exit.

NEW CORNER.
Everything is moving along nicely in this community.

Rev. Wright preached a good sermon at the Wells School House Sunday.

We are expecting a fine time at our literary next Saturday night. Some good speakers have promised to be present.

Sunday school and singing were well attended at T-bar Sunday, and the interest is growing.

Mr. B. Humphries left for Mexico last Friday.

Messrs Williams and Short made a trip to Lubbock this week.

Mr. Jno. McLartin went to work on the new R. R. Monday.

Well as the sand is moving so rapid out side, I will not tarry long this week.

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They began grading on the Tahoka "town section" yesterday and we have been told that they will very likely begin laying steel at Tahoka Junction sometime next week. This sounds good to us. We have lived in Tahoka for nearly five years and we have done every thing in our power to help bring a railroad to our town and the nearer it gets the harder it seems to have to wait for it to get here. This railroad is only the beginning of what The News wants and will continue to work for. We want more railroads, we want factories, schools and many more things, but we want more farmers most of all, and we will do all that any newspaper can to help bring and locate them here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown returned Thursday with T. J. O'Donnell, who has been to Oklahoma to bury his wife, who died here last week. Mr. O'Donnell's brother, A. F. O'Donnell and wife, returned with him and will keep house for him. We are pleased to welcome them and hope they will make Tahoka their permanent home.

Charley Pierce, Walter Norton, Joe Penney, Paul Sellman, and Douglas Pounds came down from Lubbock Tuesday to secure members for a K. of P. Lodge here. They will come again in about six weeks and organize the Lodge.

Guy King is drilling a well in the Bartley Addition.

The Way of It.
The New Year--Sorry for you, on this day, but every day has its day, you know. By the way, you look pretty fit.

The Old Year--That's because I've just been rung out.

Utilizing Them.
"Made any new good resolutions for this year?"
"Didn't have to. Had a lot of old ones I made last year and never used. They're just as good as new."--Brown's Magazine.

The Annual Holiday.

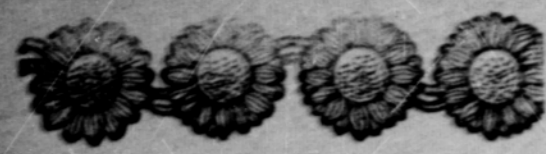


He--Are you going to give up anything for the New Year?
She--Not on your life! I've already given up everything but my skin.

A FATAL ROOST.

THANESGIBIN night I tried to catch the turkey, but I couldn't. On Christmas night I was just as dumb.
He jaw awfully woudlet.
But when he went to roost last night He dug out ten feet lower.
And jace upon the New Year's morn He gobblin' days an' o'er.

What's in a Name?
Papa--Boys, what do you want for Christmas?
Billy--I want a boboloid.
Bobby--I want a billygoat.
Papa--Suppose you swap.



Our Cash Store

Price List, No. 1.

MEN'S FINE DRESS SHOES.
We give the Old price. New price.
Button patent leather \$5.00 \$3.25
Blucher " " 4.50 3.00
" vici " 4.00 2.75
Low quarters all styles 50 cents off
Gun metal Blucher 3.50 3.00
Vici " 4.00 3.00
Tan calf " 5.00 3.25
Heavy work shoes 2.75 1.50
Heavy tan blucher 4.00 2.85
Tan calf boots 7.50 5.50
Black calf boots 6.50 4.75

LADIES FINE SHOES.
Patent leather cloth
top blucher shoes 3.50 2.50
Patent leather blucher 3.25 2.50
Gun Metal Blucher 2.75 1.75
Gun Metal blucher 3.50 2.25
Low quarters all styles
50 cents off.

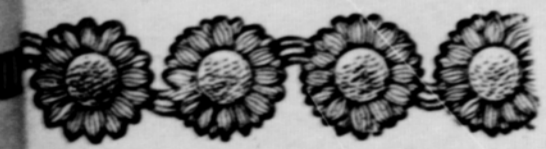
OLD LADIES' COMFORTS
Extra Heavy 2.00 1.25
Congress shoes 2.00 1.10
CHILDRENS SIZES
Barefoot sandals 1.40 .50
Slippers 50 cents off
Infants shoes .75 .40

MEN'S PANTS.
Fine wool pants 4.00 2.50
" " " 3.00 1.50
" " " 2.50 1.00
Overalls 1.25 1.00
Overall pants 1.25 1.00
Jumpers 1.00 .75
MEN'S FURNISHINGS.
Fancy shirts 1.50 .85
Work shirts 1.00 .39
Work coats, duck 2.50 1.50
" " " 2.00 1.00
Overcoat 8.00 4.00
Sweaters, wool 1.50 .75
" " " 1.00 .50

MEN'S HATS.
Dress 3.50 1.75
Dirby 3.00 1.75
Wide brim 3.00 1.50

BOYS' FURNISHINGS.
Suits 3.50 1.50
Good suits 2.50 1.00
Buster Brown suits 1.50 .75
Shirts 1.00 .50
Flannel shirts 1.75 .50
Hats 3.00 1.75
Caps 1.00 .50
Caps .75 .35
Childrens' hose .15 .12 1/2
" gloves .75 .25
Boys underwear .50 .25

LADIES' FURNISHINGS.
First grade Neva dress
linings per yard .20 12 1/2
Tican serge suiting all
colors 1.00 .75
WATCH FOR OUR No. 2 PRICE
LIST, NEXT WEEK.
BETTER KEEP THIS PAPER



The Kid's New Year Wish.



"Hey, pop!"
"Well?"
"Kin I stay up and see the old year?"
"No."
"Hey, pop!"
"Well?"
"Kin I stay up and see the new year?"

GRAND MA'S TEA is a most pleasant laxative. Cures Constipation, Biliousness. It will quickly remove impurities, beautifying the complexion and bringing the skin the freshness of youth.

Tahoka Tailoring Co.

Fred McDaniel, Prop.

We take orders for The Royal Tailors full line, guaranteed all wool
MEN'S and LADIES' CLOTHING.
Cleaning and Pressing done in the best and neatest possible manner.
North Side Square, Tahoka, Texas.

New Line Dry Goods, The Latest, And Best Line Of Shoes Just Arrived. New Line Spring Hats To Arrive 1st Of March

16 CHINA SETS LEFT 16

With Every \$1.00 Cash Purchase At Our Store You Will Receive A Coupon Which Entitles You To A Chance At A Beautiful Dinner Set. One Given Away Every Saturday Evening At 4 p. m. Keep These Coupons, They Take A Chance On Every Set And The \$30.00 China Cabinet Given Close Of Contest.

J. E. KETNER, TAHOKA

West Side Barber Shop

IRA DOAK, PROP.

SMOOTH, CLEAN SHAVE

NEAT, SMOOTH AND ARTISTIC HAIR CUT

KEEP RIGHT ON COMING

TO THE

Tahoka Blacksmith Shop.

J. N. McREYNOLDS, Prop

Horse Shoeing Is Strictly Cash

THE SAME SHOP THE SAME MEN YOU HAVE BEEN USED TO AND THE SAME GOOD WORK.

Tahoka Saddle Shop

We have purchased the the Tahoka Saddle Shop and reopened it in the Cowan building on the West side square. Shoe and Harness repairing a specialty if you need any thing in our line you are ordualy invited to call and see us on the West side square.

TAHOKA SADDLE SHOP.

G. R. MILLIKEN Prop.

M. M. HERRING, Mgr. J. C. COPE, Sec. and Treas.

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We have recently bought form Judge Perryman his system of Abstract Books, know as the "Lynn County Abstract Co." We expect to do first class work and give complete satisfaction. Let us prove it by doing some work for you

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1st. Because when we list our land with them we know they will sell it.

Is that the only reason? No.

2nd. They have correspondents from the North Pole to the South Pole, and can find you a buyer when any one else can't.

Is that the only reason? No.

3rd. We find them to be Ideal Salesmen and they can get more for your land than any one else.

Is that all? No.

4th. We find that they are in contact with more people than any one else, and have friends writing them every day to look up something for them.

Any other reasons? Yes.

5th. We find that they have land all over Lynn county, and will trade with you themselves.

Any other reasons? Yes.

6th. We find that they are strictly REAL ESTATE MEN and don't pretend to do any thing else, therefore they push all trade.

If you want to sell, buy, or trade, we are in a position to turn your property quicker than any one. We also have some bargains for sale, and we have 500 lots for sale or trade in the Shook Addition, on the east side of the railroad. Come and see us, 1st building west of First National Bank. Yours for business, B. L. SHOOK & SON.

Our Austin News Letter

The experiment stations locating board has finally decided to locate two station in the rice belt and has established one at Angleton and one at Beaumont. In each instance the citizens have donated the land and buildings and the state undertakes to maintain the stations.

The contract has been let for the construction of the buildings for the West Texas Normal school at Canyon City, the successful bidders being Martin, Holderness & Coats of Stamford, the price being \$89,000. The contract for the heating, wiring and plumbing is to be completed within one year.

Two new railroads have just been chartered. The first is the San Antonio, Rio Grande & Tampico Railway Company of San Antonio, with a capital stock of \$90,000. This road is to be constructed from San Antonio in a southerly direction, through the counties of Bexar, Atascosa, La Salle and McMullen to a point in the latter county midway between the Frio and Unaces rivers. The other road is the Denver & Gulf Railroad of Texas, with its head office in Texhoma, Sherman county. The capital stock is \$100,000. The road will extend from Texhoma westward to the north boundary of Sherman county at the edge of Oklahoma

GRAND MA'S COUGH REMEDY is pleasant to take, instantly relieves that tickle in your throat, stops that hacking cough. With the first symptoms of throat or lung trouble buy a bottle of this celebrated Cough Cure and safeguard against that dread disease, Consumption.

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for in this office for the month ending Jan. 31, 1910. GENTLEMEN.

King, J. T. McAdams, R. V. Yorker, — Sr. Manuel Salzar, Sr. Girmo Le.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office Mar. 1st 1910 if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "Advertised" giving date of list. A. B. McCloud, P. M.

No need of that pain in the stomach why writhe, groan and suffer? Take **GRAND MA'S DIARRHEA REMEDY.** It affords quick relief and is a positive cure for Diarrhea, Colic, Dysentary, Bloody Flux and relieves vomiting and purging.

Man Run Over

F. E. Kirkes happened to a very severe accident, being run over by his team, and had his face and hand badly mashed up. While leading his team through the gate at the Commissary on East King street, the horses became frightened and jirked away from him, running around the lot came back right toward him. Mr. Kirkes was unable to get out of the way and they just lay back their ears and ran over him bruising him badly but luckily breaking no bones.

When full of aches and pains there is nothing which affords quicker relief and is a more effective cure than **GRAND MA'S LINIMENT.** Best for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Cuts, Bruises, Insect bites and Soreness of the Limbs.

You cannot afford to do without the Lynn County News.

New Year's Compensations.

Mr. Charge—My brother is just half-way around the world from us.

Mrs. Charge—How lucky! You get your New Year's wishes half a day ahead of him.

Mr. Charge—Yes, but his Christmas bills fall due half a day later than mine.

The ladies of Tahoka will sell pies all day next Saturday the 5th of March, and will give a pie supper at night, the proceeds all to go to the Tahoka Base Ball Team. We hope the ladies will make a grand success of this enterprise.

P. B. HALL W. R. MAJORS
Tahoka Livery, Feed and Sale Stable
HALL & MAJORS, Proprietors. PHONE No. 9
We have good teams, good rigs, and our prices are reasonable. We sell all kinds of feed and will deliver anywhere.
North of the square, Tahoka, Texas.

South Plains Wagon Yard
GEO. SMALL Prop.
BEST ACCOMMODATIONS FOR TRAVELERS
Wholesale & Retail Feed Dealers
One Door South of Tahoka Real Estate Office
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First National Bank
TAHOKA, TEXAS
\$25,000.00 Capital.
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The only safe oil for lamp and stove use. Accept no other FOR SALE BY THE FOLLOWING LEADING MERCHANTS
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Strauss Brothers
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The Spring line comprising over five hundred latest novelties in woollens is now on display. Call and see it.
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