

LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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2,000 Hands Wanted in Lynn County at Once---Maize Headers and Cotton Pickers

Storms Sweep Over Gulf Towns Monday

Cyclonic storms, which began on the coast of Florida the latter part of last week, reached Texas Gulf coast cities and towns Monday, causing the loss of many lives and several million dollars worth of property destroyed. At Corpus Christi and Aransas Pass, the storm did the worst damage. It is reported by daily papers that as many as 500 people have been killed and 3,000 left homeless and in need of help. The damage is estimated at \$10,000,000. Port Aransas was completely wiped off the map, the water reaching as high as the second story of the business buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. French, of Harris, are the guests of Mrs. French's parents, Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. J. J. Atkinson, this week. They formerly made their home in Lynn county. Mr. French renewed his subscription to the News for one year.

Mrs. Wayne Mullins and little son, Wayne, Jr., arrived Tuesday afternoon from Lubbock. Mr. Mullins is employed with the Fuller Gin Co., in Tahoka, and has been here several weeks. They are old friends of the editor and family.

The three gins in Tahoka will soon be in operation ginning the bumper crop of cotton that is going to be made in Lynn county. Every effort is being put forth to secure cotton pickers and maize headers to help gather the crop in our county.

H. H. Greene, head driller for the Tahoka Oil & Gas Co. left yesterday for Plainview on a business trip.

Marriage License Issue

Tillman Brooks and Miss Martha Elizabeth Grav. Herbert Carl Lewis and Miss Enice Mabel Edwards. Rayburn A. Metcalf and Miss Pearl Jones. James W. Savell and Miss Essie Coleman.

Miss Leland Means, of Belton, arrived the first of the week and accepted the position as piano and voice teacher in the Tahoka High School. She comes highly recommended and is securing a large class among the pupils of the school.

Burton Edwards and wife returned from Abilene yesterday where they took their daughter, Miss Pearl, to enter Simmons College for the term.

Mrs. J. E. Ketner returned yesterday, from Lubbock, where she went to visit with her daughter, Miss Etta, who is in one of the sanitariums in that city.

Several car loads of horses from Wyoming passed through Tahoka Wednesday enroute to parties at Lamesa.

Attorney G. E. Lockhart left for Plainview yesterday to transact legal matters.

Married

On Friday, September 12th., at the home of I. S. Doak, in the eastern part of the city, occurred the marriage of Mr. Rayburn A. Metcalf and Miss Pearl Jones, Rev. L. L. F. Parker, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. The young couple reside in the Draw community. Only a few friends witnessed the ceremony.

Rev. L. W. Williamson To Preach Here Sunday

Rev. L. W. Williamson, Baptist Missionary for the Brownfield Association, residing at Slaton, will fill the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening. Bro. Williamson is a strong minister of the gospel, and the church-going people of the town have a cordial invitation to come out and hear him next Sabbath day at 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.

Miss Leland Means, teacher of voice and piano, will sing a special song at the morning service.

Dr. J. R. Singleton and family attended the big round-up and barbecue at Lovington Friday and Saturday. The doctor carried with him a big lot of hand bills gotten out by Tahoka citizens stating that 2,000 hands were wanted in Lynn county to gather the crops. It is expected that many men will come here in search of work when they learn that top wages are being paid.

W. M. Harris, local manager of the Western Telephone Company, left Wednesday for Naples, Texas, where he goes to visit with his mother. This is the first vacation, Mr. Harris has had in three years. He expects to be absent about two weeks.

T. J. Bovel and family have returned to Tahoka to make their home and are located in the north part of the city. They have made their home in Johnson county for the past several months.

Mrs. Mary C. Knight returned to her home Monday at Eastland, after a six weeks visit with her son, W. L. Knight and family.

Miss Noble, of Dallas, arrived the first of the week, and has accepted a position in the Millinery department at the McCormack store in this city.

S. J. Smith and family left Sunday for Coleman on a visit with Mr. Smith's mother at that place. They expect to be absent about one week.

Misses Mary and Bulah Dunn left this week for Sweetwater, where they will teach a class in music this year.

Rev. L. L. F. Parker left Tuesday for Molano Junction, where he goes to hold a two weeks meeting.

Tahoka Hotel Installs New Electric Sign

The Tahoka Hotel, under the management of J. E. Stokes this week, installed a new electric hotel sign, which is quite attractive as an advertisement for the house. E. L. Howard, of the Tahoka Light & Power Co. erected the sign, and speaks very highly for his workmanship. Mr. Howard also put in a street light for the News this week!

Sam Dunn left Tuesday morning for Meridian, where he will enter college for the term. Sam has many friends in Tahoka who wish him well in his studies at Meridian.

S. B. Hatchett returned Wednesday from Ranger and Eastland, where he had been in the interest of the West Texas Real Estate.

M. M. Herring and family are spending several days at Matador, visiting with Mr. Herring's parents, who reside in that city.

Three Lakes Pound Rev. J. B. Vinson

Rev. J. B. Vinson, of Kress, who has been pastor of the Three Lakes Baptist church, but recently resigned the pastorate, received a genuine pounding from the congregation in this community. Rev. Vinson writes in regard to the pounding as follows:

"Poundings like this don't hurt. After serving Three Lakes as pastor for four years, on giving up the work the church and community expressed their appreciation of my work, or my leaving, by a gift of over One Hundred Dollars worth of clothing, eatables and pigs. G. W. Hickerson capted the stack with a 32 pound ham (nicely capted).

"Rev. L. L. F. Parker had been preaching great sermons for 10 days and God gave us a great meeting. The best church and the best community on the plains is Three Lakes. Many thanks to everyone that had a part in this gift that made us happy."

J. B. VINSON AND WIFE."

Four Pages This Week

The News comes out this week with only four pages, owing to our Western Union Ready-print service failing to reach us on time.

Charley Shook and family are packing their household goods preparatory to moving to Eastland, where Charley has secured a position as machinist in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Edwards have returned to their home in Fort Worth, after spending several weeks on the T-Bar Ranch west of the city.

E. E. Miller, of Burkburnett, was a visitor in our city the first of the week. Mr. Miller was a pleasant caller at the Public Schools while here.

Joe Rebson, of Dallas, arrived the latter part of the week, and has accepted a position as tonorial artist at the Sanitary Barber Shop.

Misses Birdie and Jewell Doak, of O'Donnell spent the week-end in Tahoka, the guests of their uncle, Ira Doak and family.

Charley Doak, of Seagraves, was the guest of his uncle I. S. Doak and family the latter part of the week.

Mesdames H. C. and James Crie are visiting the latter's mother in Plainview for a few days.

Geo. Riley returned home from Lamesa Thursday, where he had been working the past few weeks.

Bill Duncan was a passenger on the northbound train yesterday for Lubbock.

Messrs. F. E. Redwine and Pat Northcross made a business trip over in the Post country Monday.

Bruce Williams left Tuesday for Eastland and other oil towns in that section.

J. N. Adams Sells Residence In Tahoka

A deal was made the first of the week whereby J. T. Baldrige, of O'Donnell, became owner of the J. N. Adams residence property in the north part of town, consideration \$3500. Mr. Baldrige and family are now occupying their newly acquired property. Mr. Adams moved with his family to the residence just north of the Charley Brown place.

Rain Fall Amounted to 3 Inches Over County

Rain! rain! rain, every where, Lynn county received the best general rain this year, which began last Monday morning and continued incessantly till Wednesday, a fall of 3 inches. The rain seems to have been general all over the South Plains and the greater portion of the state.

The continued wet weather did some damage to grain crops in the county. Farmers are expected to begin to arrive regularly with their cotton to be ginned during the next week.

Mrs. J. H. McCoy and daughter, Miss Irene returned to their home in Desdemona, Saturday. They had been here packing their household goods for removal to that city. Mrs. McCoy ordered the News for twelve months, that they might keep up with happenings in Lynn county.

T. H. French and wife, of O'Donnell, spent Saturday in the city. Mr. French is manager of the Thomas Brothers Drug store in O'Donnell.

Mrs. G. E. Lockhart, and son, Jesse, accompanied by Mrs. R. B. Haynes, daughter, Juanita, and Carroll Hargis, spent Saturday in Lubbock.

Messrs. J. W. Seth and C. M. Henderson, of Joshua, Texas, came in Wednesday, and are the guests of W. M. Waldrip, of the T-community.

Marshall Swan is in the city from Abilene this week.

Otus Kaigler, is in the city from Gorman, this week.

Brown Bradley has accepted a position with Thomas Brothers Drug Company.

Lockhart And Edwards Buy Abstract Business

Attorney G. E. Lockhart and J. H. Edwards have closed a deal whereby they become the owner of the M. M. Herring Abstract business in Tahoka. The abstract office is located at present in the Tahoka Oil & Gas Co., building, but will probably be moved to another location at an early date. Marshall Swan will have charge of the abstract work.

T--- News

We are having some more rainy weather at the present. Mrs. R. F. Bohannon, Miss Certie King and Mr. and Mrs. Henry are on the sick list this week.

Miss Winnie Ferguson spent Sunday with Miss Pauline Bohannon.

There was no prayer meeting here Sunday night on an account of every one having bad colds.

Dave Estes and family spent one day the first of the week at the Waldrip home.

R. C. Wood had a very fine mare to get cut very badly in the wire fence last Sunday night.

G. R. Bohannon and family are visiting his brother and family R. T. Bohannon.

George Henny visited at the home of Mr. Bohannon one day this week.

Pauline Bohannon and Rebra Tunstall spent a while in the home of Mr. W. M. Waldrip Tuesday morning.

Nearly every body in this community are suffering with a bad cold this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nelms spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of W. L. Kuykendall and family last Sunday.

Come out to see Martha Ann all of you little folks and we will make mud pies to our hearts content.

MARTHA ANN.

Contributors To First Bale of Cotton

The following business men of Tahoka contributed to the first bale of cotton, brought in by L. C. Johnson, of the Redwine community last Friday:

First National Bank,	\$5.00
Guaranty State Bank,	5.00
Knight & Brashear,	5.00
H. M. McCormack,	5.00
Edwards Brothers,	5.00
H. M. Larkin,	5.00
J. E. Ketner,	1.00
B. H. Robinson,	1.00
F. E. Redwine,	1.00
R. E. Ketner,	1.00
J. C. May,	.50
C. B. Townes,	.50
E. E. Callaway,	1.00
Thomas Brothers,	2.00
Lynn County News,	2.00
I. S. Doak, hair cut and shave.	
Total	\$40.75

First Bale Brings 28.60 Cents Pound

The first bale of cotton brought to Tahoka by L. C. Johnson, brought the owner, 28.60 cents a pound. The bale was bought by Knight & Brahear of this city. Mr. Johnson received quite a nice bonus on top of this amount, for having been the first man to bring in a bale this season.

J. S. Clem, of Lynn county, has concluded a trade with B. K. Bowen, by which on approval of title he became the owner of the Bowen wagon yard a farm north of town and a nice residence in town. He will move here about the 1st of October.—Post City Post.

D. C. Gibson, of Eastland, formerly a citizen of Tahoka, is transacting business matters here this week. While here he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Weaver.

Messrs. and Mesdames Bob and John Penney, Mrs. Kid Powell, and son, and Oscar Slaton, were down Sunday and Monday, the guests of Mr. and J. E. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Weathers, are spending the week at Lockney visiting with their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mrs. Weathers, of that city.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. M. Weaver, returned to their home in Coleman, Friday after spending several days in Tahoka visiting with their son, Frank H., and family.

Misses Myrtle and Ruth Dunn left Wednesday for Meridian, where they will enter college for the term. Miss Myrtle will teach violin in the school.

Miss Mable Harris returned to her home in O'Donnell yesterday, after a visit with friends here.

B. F. Montgomery returned from a business trip Ft. Worth yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Boyd returned Thursday from a trip in the northern states.

Mrs. F. E. Redwine returned Monday from Amarillo, where she spent several days on a visit.

H. T. Hogan, State Bank examiner, was in the city Wednesday and Thursday.

K. F. Knight left Monday for College Station, where he will enter A. & M. for the term.

Mrs. H. M. Clark, of Terrell, Okla., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. F. Montgomery.

S. E. Reed and family have returned from a few weeks visit at Oglesby, Texas.

Bring In Your Agricultural Exhibits

Lynn county's Agricultural exhibit, which is being arranged in the Directors room at the First National Bank, to be sent to the Dallas Fair and the Waco Cotton Palace lacks many articles to make it complete in order to give the county credit for what she really has. We have been requested to urge the farmers of Lynn county that have not contributed to the booth, to please bring in a sample of their products at once, as the time is short in which to arrange the display. It is also pointed out that you bring a generous quantity of each article contributed. Let the farmers and others get busy and make the exhibit what it should be. Fruits and vegetables can be used to advantage, as well as many other products. Help advertise your county with little expense, and then watch us grow.

Bill Thompson, wife and children, arrived the latter part of the week from Hubbard City, Texas, where they have resided the past year, and will again make Lynn county their home. Like many others who have returned here, they are glad to get back once more.

Messrs. and Mesdames W. R. and Percy Spencer spent Friday and Saturday in Tahoka, returning to their home in Lubbock Saturday afternoon. The Judge was here winding up the session of the District Court.

Miss Hellen and Glenn Brashear left Wednesday for Meridian College for the term. They attended the school last year.

Grassland Notes

Martin Bildstein and son Walter, of Vernon, were here the past week looking their farm interests.

L. B. Armstrong, of Lamesa, who has been working with his uncle, J. F. Armstrong for some time, left for home Saturday.

Frank Beasley and family, of Stockman, have moved to this community.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Thomas Thursday.

George Herd, of Fost, was joy riding out this way Sunday.

Dr. A. J. Moon, of Simmons College, and brother David Moon, of Hillsboro, visited their cousin Mrs. Burkhalter the past week.

Price Thomas returned Sunday from Aiken where he and Miss Gracie Choate were married Thursday, Sept 14th. Mr. Thomas came here three years ago with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomas and is engaged in farming and the gin business and has made many friends here. He just recently returned from overseas service. The bride comes from one of the oldest and most highly respected families of Shelby county and numbers her friends by the score. The writer joins their many friends in wishing for them a long life of happiness and usefulness. SCRIBE.

Slumber Party

A slumber party was enjoyed at the Williams Hotel Tuesday night. Cake, cream and pie was served to Mesdames Sadie Sanders, Ross Ketner, and Misses Edith Weathers, Willie Davidson, Georgia Mae Hill and Quace Davis. All report a most enjoyable evening.

Perhaps we Ought to be Satisfied

With the achievements of this bank, but you know "The more a man gets the more he wants" and this is true with a business institution. So we are possibly justified in soliciting new business, and especially so since we are so well equipped to handle it. Ask those who deal with us they will tell you what good service we give them.

OLDEST BANK IN LYNN COUNTY

The First Nat'l Bank

A BANK WHOSE RESOURCES ARE FOR THE BENEFIT OF ITS CUSTOMERS

TAHOKA, TEXAS

FORD CARS

Are important servants everywhere. They help the family enjoy life, bring pleasure and business advantages of town nearer the farmer and give practical service every day at a very small cost. You cannot afford to be without this convenience on the farm.

We have just received a new shipment of casings and will be pleased to equip your car with one or a full set.

Bradley-Tahoka Auto Co.

TAHOKA, TEXAS

COAL, GRAIN, FEED

We can supply your needs in any of these articles. Order your coal now while you can get it. We may not be able to fill your orders later.

Edwards Brothers

COAL AND GRAIN TAHOKA, TEXAS

Lynn County News

R. B. HAYNES, Mgr.

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The Lynn County News, published at Tahoka, has arrived at the mature age of 15 years—years filled with boosting for Tahoka and Lynn county, for good roads and good farming methods, for better schools and better times—in short for everything that might be for the up-building of that section. R. B. Haynes, who bought the plant a little more than a year ago, has every reason to be congratulated on his success and the splendid outlook for the future.—Southwest Plainsman.

The Yankee Robinson Circus which

ECZEMA!

Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Cure is guaranteed to stop and permanently cure that terrible itching. It is compounded for this purpose and your money will be promptly refunded without question if Hunt's Salve fails to cure Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Ring Worm or any other skin disease. See the box.

For sale locally by Thomas Bros. Drug Co.



ARE YOU PREPARED TO SAVE YOUR CROPS?

Have you provided feed houses and such like for saving your grain crop? It will be worth taking care of and if you do not protect it from the weather much of it will go to waste.

Figure with us on a lumber bill for this purpose.

A. G. McAdams Lumber Co.

W. S. Moore, Manager

SERVICE—QUALITY AND PRICE TAHOKA, TEXAS



Mark Well the Last Resting Place—

If your deceased relatives, if their lives have been a blessing to you, make their memory also a blessing by putting a permanent monument over their grave. See us for designs. Write us for prices and information.

Lubbock Marble Works

J. K. SHIPMAN, Prop. Lubbock

ABOUT LYNN COUNTY PEOPLE HERE AND THERE

From Lubbock Avalanche:
From some of the returning business men of this city, who have been in the Wilson community on business this week we find that village to be prosperous, crops of fine feed stuffs never better, and plenty of cotton that will return many dollars. It is estimated in the Wilson community by people who live there that about twenty-five hundred bales of cotton will be raised and gathered in that community. There is a movement on foot, we understand, for a banking institution to be located at Wilson, thus Wilson is putting itself on the map.

W. M. Shaw, formerly a bookkeeper for the Avalanche, but now a resident of Abilene was here a short time the latter part of last week, visiting with acquaintances and attending to his property interests. Mr. Shaw is now manager of the National Business College of Abilene.

Ben T. Brown, of Tahoka, has recently accepted a position with the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co. of this city. We understand Mr. Brown will arrive here this week to take up his position.

W. R. Standefer, whose pioneer surveying on the south plains is one of the earliest records we have, is in town today visiting with old acquaintances and attending to business matters.

W. B. Slaton and A. L. Lockwood, of Tahoka, were here the first of this week, looking after business matters.

P. L. Downs, vice-president of the First National Bank of Temple, whose business it is to select representatives of the Texas Bankers' Association, to attend the World's Cotton Conference to be held at New Orleans, Oct. 13-16, has selected the following to represent the South Plains counties: C. E. Maedgen, president of the Security State Bank and Trust Company of this place, who is also on the Agricultural committee for the Texas Bankers Association; W. B. Slaton, cashier of the First National Bank of Tahoka, will represent Lynn county; S. Smith, President of the First National Bank of Crosbyton, for Crosby County, and J. E. Barron, president of the First National Bank of Lamesa for Dawson County.

Miss Etta Ketter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ketter, of Tahoka, was here a short time the latter part of last week, consulting with local physicians.

Miss Bernard Greenhill, of Monroe, returned Saturday from a two weeks visit with friends and relatives in Lynn county. Her sister, Miss Gertrude, who was with her, went to Sweetwater, where she will attend school the coming term.

Judge Cain and Ben T. Brown, of Tahoka, were among the many visitors here the latter part of the week.

Mesdames Hall Robinson, of Tahoka and Jack Ally, of Shallowater, spent Sunday with Mrs. L. S. Mast.

When the bowels feel uncomfortable and you miss the exhilarating feeling that always follows a copious morning operation, a dose of HERBINE will set you right in a couple of hours. If taken at bedtime you get its beneficial effect after breakfast next day. Sold by Thomas Bros.

200 DISABLED SOLDIERS TO BE GIVEN A. & M. TRAINING

Two hundred disabled soldiers are to be instructed at A. & M. College this year, President W. B. Bizzell announced recently. These men are to be sent under the direction of the Federal Board for Vocational Education. Although assignments have not been announced as yet, it is understood that the men to be sent here are all Texas boys.

Smaller groups of disabled soldiers also are to be sent to the Grubbs Vocational College at Arlington, and John Farleton at Stephenville. Educational facilities at the Prairie View State Normal also have been offered the Government for giving instruction to disabled negro soldiers. These three schools are branches of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas. A large number of wounded men already are studying at Arlington.

The contingent to be sent to A. & M. will specialize in bee keeping, poultry and animal husbandry and farm tractors, though other courses will be arranged for those desiring them.

SURGEONS agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds, the FIRST TREATMENT is most important. When an EFFICIENT antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the IDEAL ANTISEPTIC and HEALING AGENT. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by Thomas Bros.

Now the coal operators are accused of a "famine plot" to sky the price. We have no sure proof of this, but we all know that coal mining is a dark underground business.

New York's strike of cigar makers is said to be causing a shortage of 4,500,000 cigars a day. How many brown-stone houses saved from going up in smoke does that represent?



H. M. McCORMACK

TAHOKA, TEXAS

Come Home to Real Heat and Big Fuel Economy

What a satisfaction to get next to real heat after that cold trip home. No more fruitless hugging a radiator. High fuel prices seal the doom of extravagant, fuel wasting heating plants. If you want a perfectly heated home and greatly reduced fuel bills you will invest in

Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater

BURNS CHEAPEST COAL CLEAN AND BRIGHT. USES ANY FUEL.

It will save the nation millions in fuel money this winter. Act now.

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STAMFORD MAY GET 2 BALES PER ACRE

Stamford will have two bales of cotton per acre this year.

A group of Stamford farmers were in Fort Worth Wednesday and Thursday, hunting pickers. They declared that the cotton around Stamford would make two bales to the acre easily, and possibly more.—Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

WEST TEXAS DENTAL ASSOCIATION AT PLAINVIEW

Friday and Saturday of this week the West Texas Dental Association will be in session at Plainview, and quite a large attendance is expected. Friday night a banquet will be given at the Ware Hotel in honor of the visitors.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lynn County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cite all persons interested in the welfare of Burnie D. Shook, a minor, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for 2 successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 72nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 72nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Lynn County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Tahoka, Texas, on the 4th Monday in October, A. D. 1919, the same being the 27th day of October, A. D. 1919, and to contest, if they see proper to do so, the application of A. D. Shook, which has been filed in said court, for the guardianship of the estate of Burnie D. Shook, a minor.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, B. H. Robinson, Clerk of the County Court of Lynn County. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Tahoka, Texas, this 5th day of September, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) B. H. ROBINSON, Clerk, County Court, Lynn County.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Sold by Thomas Bros.

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All Kinds of Building Material

You need not go further than our yard to get all the building material that will be needed to put up any kind of business house, residence, barn or sheds. We keep on hand a large and well assorted stock.

We can also supply your needs with Windmills and water supply materials. See us before you buy. We will make it interesting for you.

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TAHOKA, TEXAS

We Do Not Care--

What the make of car is, our workmen can put it in first class running condition. We also have casings and accessories for your car.

We handle the Eveready batteries and we will be pleased to equip your car with a new one when it needs it, or will repair the old one, recharge it and put in fine shape if it can be repaired.

Howell's Garage

General repair workers and battery doctors
TAHOKA, TEXAS

A Bigger Store and a Bigger Stock

Both might be found in the west, but you will have to hunt a long time before you will find a better assortment of Drugs and Drug sundries. If you are not our customer now become one and buy where you will find what you want.

We try to keep a complete stock all the time.

Thomas Bros. Drug Co.

TAHOKA TEXAS O'DONNELL

WANTED

Chickens, Hides, Eggs, Packing Butter, Sacks, Old Casings and Inner Tubes. Located in old Cleve Williams stand, south side.

Billie Brandon

Swellings of the flesh caused by inflammation, cold, fractures of the bone, toothache, neuralgia or rheumatism can be relieved by applying BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It should be well rubbed in over the part affected. Its great healing and penetrating power eases the pain, reduces swelling and restores natural conditions. Sold by Thomas Bros.

FOR SALE—Good shop-made saddle, bridle, blanket and spurs. Price \$55.00. Worth more. See or write R. B. Haynes, care Lynn County News, Tahoka, Texas. 12tf

CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot..."

I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial. J. 11

CLOTHING TRADE TO TELL PUBLIC THE PRICE FACTS

All that is now known about prices by wholesale and retail clothiers will be told to the public throughout the country shortly. The executive committee of the National Association of Clothiers, at a recent meeting, completed plans for a co-operative campaign of placing the facts about clothing prices before consumers in every part of the United States through a series of advertisements in the public press. In this effort the National Association of Clothiers is prompted by misleading statements about profiteering in the men's clothing industry, made by uninformed persons. It is also felt that considering the present national movement for lower prices and the advancing costs which are taking place in the manufacture of clothing, the public will want an explanation. Hence the decision to take the public into confidence and tell them the why and wherefore of the higher prices.

Only the plain, unvarnished truths about the conditions which have brought about the advanced clothing prices will be told to the consumer. The National Association of Clothiers feels that no more than that is necessary to vindicate the clothing industry of the country of the charge that it is profiteering. It will be recalled that the National Association of Clothiers recently offered every facility at its command to Attorney-General A. Mitchell Palmer for investigation of the conditions that now exist in connection with the production, distribution and the price of ready-made clothing.

To Lay all the Cards on the Table. The plans of the National Association of Clothiers will be placed in detail before the convention of the National Association of Retail Clothiers in Chicago. They will point out that, while the movement of the government to lower prices and stabilize wages is a very commendable one, inexorable economic laws make lower prices of men's and boys' clothing this fall impossible, while these same economic laws indicate that next spring will see clothing prices at their peak.

All the cards will be laid on the table for the public to see. The consumer will be given an insight into the fact that a suit of good quality which cost manufacturers \$9 for conversion in 1914 now costs \$20.36; that the same suit, by conservative estimate, will cost \$27.36 for conversion for the spring of 1920. The consumer will be told of the radically curtailed working hours, namely, a reduction of from 55 to 44 hours per week, and the effect that this reduction has had in increasing the cost of the finished garment; also about the reduced production which has taken place beyond the proportionate reduction in working hours.

To Prevent Mistaken Conclusions. The public will be acquainted with the increased costs of woollens—that piece goods which formerly sold at \$1.50 and \$2 a yard now is selling at \$4 and \$5 a yard; the increased cost of trimmings and all the other score and one increases.

All the difficulties in the clothing manufacturing industry which are so well known to wholesalers and retailers will be placed before the public. It is felt that this is but common justice to the manufacturers, retailer and consumer. Particularly is this imperative, it is felt, in view of the mistaken conclusions of profiteering likely to be drawn by the public from the prevailing prices at a time when such nation-wide sentiment has been aroused by the government for price reductions.

No Lower Prices for a Year at Least. It is regarded by the National As-

sociation of Clothiers as extremely unfortunate that at such a time as this it is unable to see any promise for lower prices for at least another year. This position is based on the cost of piece goods for 1920 spring and summer clothing and the unpromising outlook of any reduction in labor.

As a matter of fact, it was again pointed out that the clothing prices this fall will be cheap, considering the costs under which they are now being produced. And the only reason for this cheapness is the post-armistice depression of last winter, when the prices of this fall's clothing were figured—and figured so incorrectly that a large number of manufacturers have been compelled to go hat in hand to the retailer for a 10 per cent increase on orders placed—an action that has brought the wrath of the retailer down upon his head. Those manufacturers who have not advanced their prices on orders placed admit that they are doing so at a positive loss.

For the spring, 1920, piece goods prices already have come out. These are vastly higher than the prices for the current fall season. It was estimated recently that they approximate an advance of 40 per cent. Labor costs, in addition to the advances during the last five or six months, are going still higher. And for the spring of 1920 manufacturers can hardly be expected to operate another season at a loss.

Beyond that the association cannot foresee. No other human agency can. But the public will be told why clothing prices are going up until fall, 1920, and not coming down in spite of the much desired reduction—desired as much by clothing manufacturers and retailers as anyone else. It is felt that the men's clothing industry can well afford to state its case and stand in the light, and avoid the suspicion, dissatisfaction and ill feeling bred by rising prices, especially at a time like this, when the entire country is engaged in a movement to lower them.

Emphasis was stressed on the fact that the clothing industry is in hearty sympathy with the movement to lower prices and stabilize industrial conditions, and that if manufacturers could be shown a way whereby they could co-operate in this without serious injury, they would gladly embrace it. But the clothing industry is confronted with conditions, not words, and until the fall of 1920, sees no way of bringing about any material downward trend in prices.

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Bank Call Issued

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business on Friday, Sept. 12.

State Bank Call

AUSTIN, Sept. 15.—The Texas Banking Commissioner today issued a call for statements of financial conditions of the 930 State banks and trust companies on Sept. 12.

FOR SALE—18 young pigs; Six, three months old, weight 25 Lbs. Four sows; 70 Lbs. D. N. Harris, O'Donnel, Texas, 2-2t

FOR SALE—Good young mares, horses and mules. All well broke. Jao. A. King, 10 miles east of Tahoka. 524t

WANTS OIL NEWS

We had a letter this week from one of our northern readers, asking us to give them some oil news and asks if the Lynn and Gaines county holes are dry ones. The Herald does not purport to be a national or even a state weekly; only a local paper, and those who want oil news, we would respectfully advise them to subscribe for one or more of the half dozen oil papers in the oil belt. If there is any oil in Lynn or Gaines counties it has not been smelt over this far yet and until we do begin to see and smell it, we shall give out nothing. The fact of the business is brother, we try to print facts. He goes on to say that "oil news" is ten times more important than the "potash" business. Perhaps sir, it is three hundred miles east of here. Texas is some State, my friend, when you go to putting the tape down on it. But locally friend, to our notion, the potash industry will always be ten thousand times more important than every the oil business is—this is just our opinion, just like you express yours. But everybody has a better opinion than the editor.—Terry County Herald.

Correct, Editor Stricklin, you have smelled no "ile" from these parts for there "hain't," none so far as we know, however, there is as much of the golden liquid in Lynn as anywhere else in western Texas where wells have been spudded in. Most of them have just "spudded" and that's all. We too, receive quite a number of inquiries asking all about the "big oil" in Lynn county, and, like you, we tell it straight, for there is no use in boosting something that is not to be found here. We agree with you that the potash industry is far more important to the South plain section of the state than oil will ever be. Write the northern brother to come down and look over the situation and satisfy himself that we are playing square when it comes to giving the "oil news" in Lynn and Gaines counties.

Charter No. 8597.

Reserve District No. 11.

Report of the condition of

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Tahoka, in the State of Texas,

at the close of business on September 12, 1919.

RESOURCES.		Dollars.	Cts.
1. a Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c)	\$243,157.14		
	Total loans.....	245,157.14	
	Deduct:		
b Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) (see Item 55a)	\$35,357.76		
f Foreign Bills of Exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank, not shown under Item d, above, (see Item 55c)	\$35,357.76		
2. Overdrafts, secured, \$.....; unsecured, \$ 1,454.73		1,454.73	
5. U. S. Government Securities owned:			
a deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	\$12,500.00		
f Owned and unpledged.....	3,656.00		
h War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned.....	1,002.50		
	Total U. S. Government Securities.....	17,152.50	
6. Other bonds, securities, etc.:			
e Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks), owned and unpledged.....	\$2,664.05		
	Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.	2,664.05	
8. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription).....	1,800.00		
9. a Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered \$7,000.00		7,000.00	
b Equity in banking house.....	3,000.00		
10. Furniture and fixtures.....	13,737.70		
12. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	62,968.58		
14. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks.....	21,888.42		
15. Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14 and 15.....	54.45		
17. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 16).....	\$4,911.45		
18. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items.....	305.63		
19. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	342,450.50		
	TOTAL.....	342,450.50	
LIABILITIES		Dollars.	Cts.
22. Capital stock paid in.....	50,000.00		
23. Surplus fund.....	10,000.00		
24. a Undivided profits.....	\$10,504.74		
b Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid.....	3,336.28		
25. Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned—(approximate).....	1,500.00		
28. Circulating notes outstanding.....	12,500.00		
33. Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding.....	400.00		
	Total of Items 30, 31, 32 and 33.....	\$400.00	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):			
34. Individual deposits subject to check.....	211,446.77		
35. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed).....	2,700.00		
	Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39.....	\$214,146.77	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):			
40. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	16,729.27		
48. Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank, (including all obligations representing money borrowed, other than rediscounts).....	30,000.00		
	TOTAL.....	342,450.50	
55. a Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d).....	35,357.76		
	Total contingent liabilities (57 a, b, c).....	35,357.76	

*Of the total loans and discounts shown above, the amount on which interest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those permitted by law (Sec. 5197, Rev. Stat.), exclusive of notes upon which total charge not to exceed 50 cents was made, was \$..... None. The number of such loans was..... None.

State of Texas, County of Lynn, ss:
I, W. B. Slaton, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. B. SLATON, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of September, 1919.
BEN T. BROWN,
Notary Public.

L. C. Johnson, of the Redwine community, becomes a new reader of the News this week.

Mrs. Martin and children spent Saturday between trains at Wilson.

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Do men choose their wives, or do the girls and women just let them think they do? See "Choosing A Wife" Star Theater. Saturday, Sept. 27th.

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Does modesty in woman pay? See "Choosing A Wife" Star Theater, Saturday, September 27th.

Durock service boar at W. C. Cowan's for a few days. 2-It

FOR SALE—Good Kentucky drill; practically new; two drag harrow; six mules; two good cows. J. N. Adams.

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