

# LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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**DENTIST**  
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 LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

The editor heard a visitor to Tahoka designate the puddle around the south water trough as an, "Ungodly mess," that was common to all little plains towns. Now Tahoka is an uncommon town, so why tolerate a "mess" that belongs only in a common town.

The new Methodist church is looming up fast, and is beginning to look like a sure enough church.

The lumber yard is being moved from the old stand to a point nearer the square,

## Don't Advertise.

Many of our exchanges from neighboring towns are carrying large ads from the real estate dealers in their respective cities. This indicates that the real estate agents are fully alive to the possibilities of advertising and have a proper appreciation of the fact that the newspapers are the greatest factor in disseminating knowledge of the resources of this great southwestern country.—Lampasas News.

The News evidently does not peruse the Stamford papers, else it would discover that the real estate men are conspicuous by their absence in their columns. We have never seen a town with as much promise, in so rich a belt of country, and with so many real estate men who profit by the constant influx of immigration that no doubt the Stamford papers help to bring here, eclipse Stamford on the lethargy with which the real estate men appreciate the value of the newspapers. There are at least a dozen real estate firms in Stamford and not one carries an advertisement in either of the papers. The Tribune goes all over the state and could be of great benefit to the real estate men if they but realized its value.—Stamford Tribune.

## THE FUNNIEST VALENTINES BY THE FUNNIEST PEOPLE.

There was a young fellow named Allen Tyne  
 Who proposed to the lovely Miss Ballantyne;  
 When the lady said "Yes,"  
 He said "Well I guess!  
 Miss Ballantyne's Allen Tyne's valentine!"

*Carolyn Wells.*

"I send her a present," said he,  
 "On the 14th of February!"  
 And—but, no; it is best  
 To leave out the rest.

For that valentine came C O D!  
*Walter Pulitzer.*

A Scotchman whose name was Ibister  
 Had a maiden giraf he called 'Sister'  
 When she said "Oh be mine,  
 Be my sweet valentine!"  
 He just shinned up her long neck  
 and kissed her.

*Ellis Parker Butler.*

"Dear Lady, I cannot" he said,  
 "Make valentines out of my head.  
 So I have licked and stamped good  
 On my rival who could;  
 He's mail, and I sent him, though  
 dead!"

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PAID UP CAPITAL, \$10,000.00.

### TAHOKA, TEXAS.

We would be pleased to have every farmer, stockman, merchant and professional man in Lynn and surrounding counties, open an account with us. Come right in.  
**Only Incorporated Bank In Lynn County.**

## G. W. Reed, L. A. Robinson, REED, & ROBINSON, REAL ESTATE,

CHOICE LANDS IN LYNN AND ADJOINING COUNTIES  
**\$2.50 TO \$10.00.**  
 MAKE YOUR WANTS KNOWN TO  
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WAGON YARD. Agents for Racine Buggies. HIDES BOUGHT

## The Best Is The Cheapest

No matter what you buy, but when it comes to what you eat—fresh meat for instance—you can't be too careful about quality. When you buy from

## The City Meat Market

you get the best meat, the best skill in cutting it up and the best and promptest service in handling. Worth paying extra for, but our prices meet all competition. Try us once and see.

**L. S. BIGHAM PROP.**  
 Southwest Corner Square, Tahoka, Tex.  
 (WE PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICES FOR HIDES.)

## TAHOKA LIVERY CO. MERLE SKINNER, Prop.

**Livery, Feed & Sale Stable**  
**Wagon Yard In Connection.**  
 Highest Cash Prices Paid For Hides.  
 EXPRESS AGENTS. TAHOKA, TEXAS.

## LUBBOCK, TAHOKA, GAIL, BIG SPRINGS, HACK LINE MAIL, PASSENGERS and EXPRESS.

Lubbock to Tahoka \$2; round trip \$3.50; Lubbock to Gail \$4; round trip \$7; Lubbock to Big Springs \$6.50; round trip \$11. From the other direction same price.

Tahoka to Gail \$2; round trip \$3.50; Tahoka to Big Springs \$4.50; round trip \$7.50. The other way same prices.

Gail to Big Springs \$2.50; round trip \$1. Same both ways. Grip baggage carried free. Courteous treatment assured.

**HALE & HALE Proprietors, Gail, Texas**

# LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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Mrs. H. C. CRIB, Editor

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FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1907.

What has come over the daily press of Texas? First the Fort Worth Record opens a crusade on "Hell's Half Acre", in which it is to be hoped that they will succeed, and now the Dallas News starts in against the general habit of tobacco users spitting on every thing in sight, especially in the street cars. Perhaps these are only New Year's resolutions, that they will fight against crime and filth wherever they find it, if so, we hope they will fight and faint not.

We wish to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of the Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times, a great paper from a great state, which was sent us by Mr. A. D. Shook.

Miss Ethel Cook is on the sick list this week.

The two months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones, who live on the A. D. Shook place, is very sick this week.

Mr. O. G. Kershner sold two nicely improved sections of school land to Mr. R. A. Milligin for \$13,200. Mr. Milligin moved out to his new place last Monday.

Rev. Miller filled his usual appointment Sunday.

The young people are taking lots of interest in the singings.

## Laundry

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

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

## W. L. Self

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

## TINNER

Order your tanks and gutters of us. We will put them up right.

All Lynn County Work Solicited.  
Big Springs, Texas.

## THE FUNNIEST VALENTINES BY THE FUNNIEST PEOPLE.

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Oh, you would I fondly purloin,  
That our hands and our hearts we  
might join.

Oh, maiden of grace,  
Whose most beautiful face  
Smiles so tender and sweet on the  
coin.

R. K. Munkittrick

Said a Celt to his colleen so fine,  
"Begorry, I'm your Valentine,  
But she said, "You're a liar—  
"You're Dwyer McGuire.

"D'ye think, me dear sir, that I'm  
blin'?"

Charles Battell Loomis

There once was a lovable Saint  
Who answered each amorous plaint:  
And I thought, till to-day,  
When your smile came my way.

The old fellow was dead—but he  
ain't!

Celett Burgess

A hip-po-po-tamus named Amos  
Was loved by a chorus girl famous;  
All the other girls eighed  
As they looked on, and cried:

"Please tame us a hip-po-po-ta-  
mus!"

Tom Mason

From The Delineator

Miss Trixy Swan arrived in Tahoka Wednesday, to spend winter with her uncle W. S. Swan.

Mr. C. M. Gann, who lives southeast of town has a new girl, who took up her abode with them Saturday morning.

Mrs. Grace West of Big Springs is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Ray of this place.

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### Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It has now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 lb., and coughing by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King New Discovery and continued this for about six months when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to normal weight 176 lbs. Thousand of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at Tahoka Drug Store. Price 50c.

## New Hotel For Gail

Mrs. J. B. Stokes and son, of Gail are visiting Mrs. J. E. Stokes of this place. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stokes have just arrived from south-east Texas and will establish a new hotel in Gail. We congratulate Gail on the establishment of this new enterprise, which speaks prosperity and development of the town. Mr. J. E. Stokes has such a nice hotel in this place, we are confident the people of Borden county will be pleased with his brother in the same capacity.

I have quit washing until spring, so please don't bring me any more washing till then.—Mrs. Jessie Brown.

Lewis Robinson moved into his new house this week. This is the second house Lewis has built in Tahoka and he says it is for sale as soon as finished. That is the way to build up the town, so let others try it.

### NOTICE

To the people who are in debt to the Tahoka Lumber Company: Please call and adjust your accounts, as we have bought out all the stockholders of the Company. Call on C. E. Brown at office on west side in regard to accounts and to purchase lumber.

Very respectfully,

C. E. Brown manager.

Charley Bradshaw, a brother of Mr. Cowan, bought a half section of land down near Mr. Warren's place. The half section men are the ones who develop the country, consequently the ones we are glad to welcome.

### Wise Council From the South.

"I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer from lame back and kidney trouble," says J. R. Blankenship, Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bitters will positively cure this distressing condition. The 1st bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more I was completely cured so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." Sold under a guarantee at Tahoka drug store price 50c.

## OPPORTUNITY Knocks But Once At Each Gate.

The knock can be heard at your gate while you are reading this advertisement. The Panhandle of Texas is fast settling up, with an enterprising, energetic class of people who knew a "Good Thing" when they saw it.

### They Heard The Knock

There are opportunities in the Panhandle of Texas for Homeseekers, Investors, Professional Men, Tradesmen, and Laborers of all classes.

### Did You Hear The Knock?

Reduced rate tickets can be purchased to points in the Panhandle. Ask any Santa Fe ticket Agent for rates, dates, etc., and if there is any further information wanted, write me.

D. L. MEYERS, Traffic Manager,  
Southern Kansas of Texas,  
Amarillo, Texas.



## FRESH MEAT

WHEN EVER

YOU WANT  
TO  
ORDER IT

At Cowan's Market

IN THE WOODMAN BUILDING

I. S. Doak of Snyder brother of our townsman C. H. Doak arrived in the city this week and will make this his future home.—Big Springs Herald.

Sewing, Cleaning and pressing done at John Thomas's, by Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Jessie Brown, at reasonable prices. Give us a trial.

### WORK SOON TO BEGIN

Mr. George Curtis passed through town on his way to Lubbock, Wednesday. He informed me that he expected to begin work on the Tahoka exchange. Welcome the lucky day!

The greatest of all newspapers is the Daily Globe-Democrat of St. Louis, Mo. It has no equal or rival in all the west and ought to be in the hands of every reader of any Daily paper. It costs by mail, postage prepaid Daily including Sunday, one year, \$6.00; 6 months, \$3.00; 3 months, \$1.50; Daily Without Sunday, one year, \$4.00; 6 months, \$2.00; 3 months, \$1.00; Sunday Edition—a big big newspaper and magazine combined, 48 to 76 pages every Sunday, one year, \$2.00; 6 months, \$1.00. A subscription for the Globe-Democrat, at these prices, is the best possible newspaper investment. Send your order To-Day or write for Free Sample Copy to Globe Printing Co., St. Louis, Mo. See special "long time" campaign offer of the "Twice-a-Week" issue of the Globe-Democrat. Two Years For \$1.25, elsewhere in this paper.



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We make Sewing Machines to suit all conditions of the trade. The "New Home" stands at the head of all High-grade family sewing machines.

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The New Home Sewing Machine Co. Dallas, Tex.

# Sells' Bro's Enormous R.R. Shows

will not be in Tahoka before the R. R. is built but in the meantime for the almighty dollar in hand, you can get some of the **HOTTEST BARGAINS** at **THE FAIR**, that were ever offered in Tahoka.-FOR INSTANCE-

Extra High Patent Flour per 100 lb \$3.20, High Patent Missouri Flour 3.10, High Patent Texas Flour 3.00, Arbuckle and Porto Rica Coffee 5 pkgs. .95, 15 lbs. sugar 1.00, Galvanized wash boiler 1.00, Galvanized wash tubs .60, Galvanized 10 qt. bucket .20, Galvanized rain proofs .35,	<b>THE FAIR</b>	Can peaches, strawberries, cherries, tomatoes salmon and etc., 12½c Blueberries, peas and etc., 15c 12 nutmegs and grater 10c Egg-o-see, Scotch oats, puffed rice per. pkg., 10c 30 balls sewing thread 25c 8 day clock \$2.50 Dishes, tinware, glassware and enamelware cheap Notions of all kinds at lowest prices.
	We will have your watches and jewelry repaired and guaranteed, at about one- half regular jeweler charges.	

We are agents for Alfred Peats noted wall papers-M. Boons fine clothing and Butterick Patterns.

Big line of Shoes, Dress Goods, Mens and Boys Hats, and Boys Clothing  
**Soon to Arrive**

Sweet-Oris Fine Shirts-Mayfield Woolen Mills Pants

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**E. D. SKINNER**

For Prices on 160  
Acre Blocks of Choice  
Land on the Plains.

TAHOKA, Lynn Co.,  
TEXAS.

rather scarce article out here, and he comes high too, most of them get from \$1.75, to 2.00 a day for all the time they can put in.

**How To Cure Chillsblain.**  
"To enjoy freedom from chillsblains" writes John Kemd East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum white excellent re Guaranteed to cure fevers sores indolent ulcers piles burns wounds frosts bites and skin diseases. 25 c at Tahoka drug store

International Stock Food for sale at the Tahoka Drug Store.

Tuesday morning we received word by telephone that it was misting and freezing at Canyon City and raining at Big Springs and it cold and misting at Tahoka with the wind from the north east.

S. W. Cowan, of Erath county is visiting his brother J. H. Cowan of south of town.

The blacksmith shop is having an addition built to it at the back. Everything grows in Tahoka.

Read our Advertisements.

**KILL THE COUGH  
AND CURE THE LUNGS**

WITH **Dr. King's**  
**New Discovery**

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

Surest and Quickest Cure for all  
THROAT and LUNG TROUB-  
LES, or MONEY BACK.

LEFT OVER LAST WEEK.

Mr. Merriwether, of Lockney, has been in town for about a week.

Mr. H.S. Wigle, of Fort Worth is in town this week, representing the Fort Worth Life Insurance Co.

The Tahoka gin continues to draw cotton from the surrounding counties, which shows what a good gin run by a good man can do.

One of our merchants sold 108 gallons of coal oil this week just as fast as he could pump it out, and then did not have enough to go around among the town folks.

We had a big rain Tuesday night and another Wednesday night. Our rains nearly all come at night and Sundays, so the hired man can't rest. Although the hired man is a

# THE J. I. CASE PLOWS, CULTIVATORS and LISTERS

For Sale By  
**WELLS & WELCHER**  
GENERAL MERCHANTS, TAHOKA.

La Verne Kershner informs us of the purchase of 36 head of registered red polled cattle for which he paid \$52.50 around. The cattle are all young. Mr. Kershner is helping his county as well as himself. The packers are anxious for the wellbred cattle, when they will hardly handle scrub stuff. When one gets a start of good stock, the cost is no more to raise them than scrubs and the profit infinitely greater. We are glad to hear that so many good cattle are being brought to this county.

**The Right Name.**

Mr Agust Sphere the popular overseer of the poor at Fort Madison, Ia., says "Dr King's New Life Pills are rightly named they act more agreeably do more good and make one feel better than any other laxitive." Guaranteed to cure biliousness and constipation. 25c at Tahoka drug store.

**NOTICE NOTICE New Lumber Yard.**

The Board has sold to H. J. ...  
 All who own ...  
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Mr. ... the new ...  
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**Lynn County Bank.**  
 INCORPORATED.  
 The Lynn County Bank is well  
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 We promise fair treatment and  
 will make liberal loans to our  
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 W. K. ...  
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**Grading at Roscoe.**  
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**ESTRAY NOTICE**  
 In compliance with law and upon the  
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**NOTICE**  
**Sheriff's Sale**  
 The State of Texas, County of  
 Lynn  
 By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued  
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**TWO YEARS FOR \$1.25**  
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**THE TWICE-A-WEEK ISSUE**  
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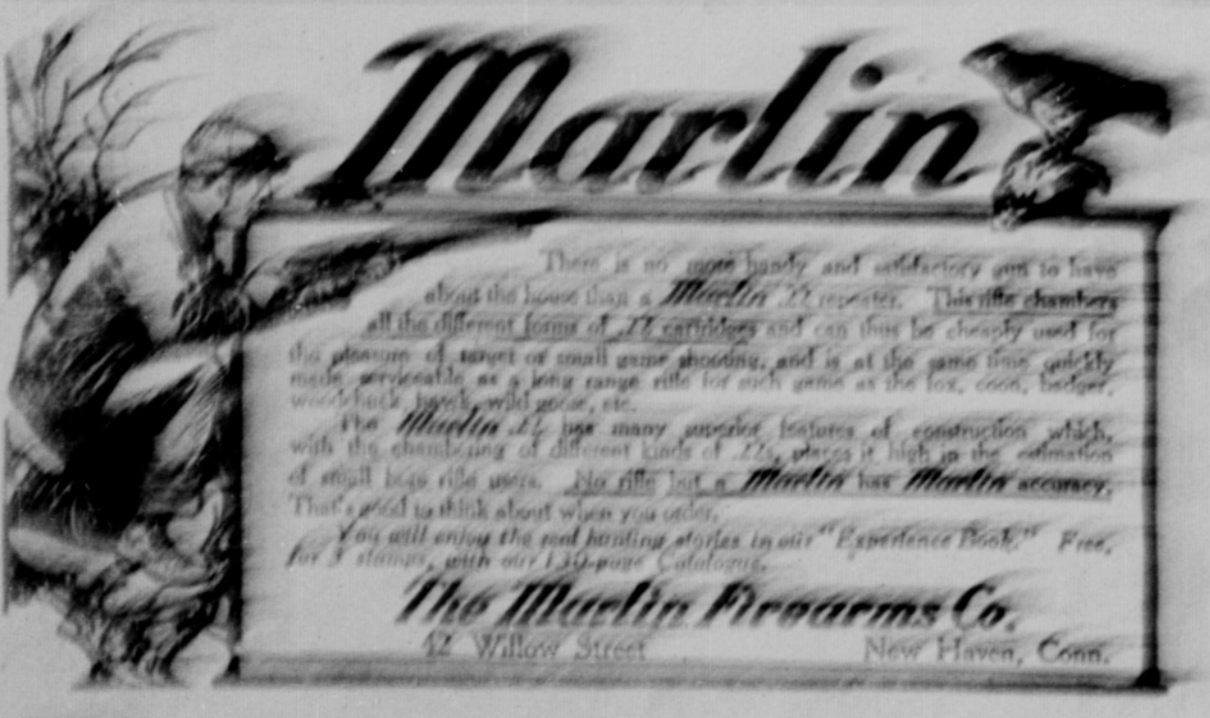
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**Kinchloe's Stage**  
 From Tahoka to Big Springs via Lamesa.  
**OFFICE AT THE FAIR.**  
 Fair to Big Springs \$4.00.  
 Good Roads, Good Teams, Best Accommodations.  
**J. H. KINCHLOE PROP.**

**M. E. GILMORE & SON,**  
**LAND AGENTS.**  
 We place a SURVEYOR and NOTARY at your service.  
 List your land with us and it is as good as sold, for we will find you a buyer at once.  
**WRITE or CALL on US at TAHOKA.**

**Go to PETERS & ALFORD for**  
 Lots of Feed, Lots of Shade, Lots of Satisfaction, For but little Money, At the  
**PLAINS WAGON YARD**  
 All Kinds of Leather Repair Work Done While Your Team Eat Their Feed  
 WIRE STEEL SADDLERS, HARNESS and LEATHER GOODS  
**South West Corner Square, Tahoka, Tex.**

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 offers full and complete instruction in Bookkeeping, Banking, Corporation and  
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