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Commissioners

time set by the Commissioners' construction of the Lynn County \$60,000, courthouse. The Court various delays the Conrt met in the clerk's office in the rear of the post office building abont nine o'clock Monday night, and the five bids were then opened in an open session of the Court. The bids were opened in the order for the amounts by the dffer. ent biders as follows: A. Z. Rodgers, Tahoka, \$73,546.92; R. P. Taylor, Texarkana, \$82. 489 00; Reinhart & Donavan. Okahoma City, \$68,634.00 Taylor Building Co,, Fort Worth, \$77.500.00; J. C. Joplin & Bro., Houston, \$75,984.00. The different firms bidding were represented except the Taylor Building Co., by the following: A. Z. Rodgers in persons, Ralph P. Taylor of Texarkana, M. J. Reinhart of Oklahoma City, and J. C. Joplin of Houston. After the bids were opened the Court went into executive session with the clerk and County Attorney C. H. Cain and District Attorney G. E. Lockhart present to assist the Court. All the contestants had deductions in their bids for the substitution of cheaper material than that called for in the Architect's original plans and specifications. The only point decided Monday night by the Court, was that they would build according to the original plans or not at all. As this called for more money than the bonds provided, it was the unamious opinion of the Court.

that their constitutants would a bond of\$40,000 called for prefer an issue of warrants to Mr. Rodgers declaired to the \$100,000 Session cover the balance rather than Court that he hoped to be able the substitution of inferIor to turn the job over to them by Monday at five o'clock was th material or workmanship and the first of November and if he keep within the boud issue of has no delays in securing mater-Court to receive bids for the \$60,000. So as Mr. A. Z. Rod- ial he had no fear but what he gers was the lowest bidder by would succeed in doing so. W. \$2,436.08, was a home man and M. Rice of Amarillo, the archiwould likely use more home tect. will supeintend the encire was ready at the appointed time labor in the construction work, work and see that the contractor but on account of the local train he was awarded the contract comes right up to the scratch in being a couple of hours late it Tuesday morning, and an agree- every particular. Mr. Rodgers was decided to await its arrival ment signed up that the new informed the News man that he as some of the bidders were court house is to be completed expected to begin excavation said to be on the train, so after by the first day of May 1917, and work by the fifth of June.

MISS LILLYE HARISSON FOR COUNTY CLEBK

At the earnest solicitation of many friends, I have decided to been appointed Public Weigher make the race for the office of of Justice Precinct No. 1, for County and District Clerk of the season of 1916-17. announces Lynn County, Texas. I believe this week as a candidate for that I am fully qualified to fill office subject to the action of the office and I already have a the Democratic Primary, July good working knowledge of the 22, 1916. duties required by the office to which I aspire.

County, and I do not claim to business here during the harvest be a politician in any sense of of 1913, and is favorably known the word, but if a sufficient number of voters will give me their support I will endeavor to fill the office in a manner acceptable to the citizens and in a way to prove that service rather than politics makes a good official. Solask every voter in Lynn

County to give me their careful consideration, and if possible their vote; let's get out of the political rut into the broad clean path of service and reliatility and elect a lady clerk.

Yours appreciatively. Lillye Harrison.

Court estimate that the court house and furnishings complete will call for a warrant issue of possibly \$25,000.

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CANDIDATE FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER AT TAHOKA R. C. (Percy) Woods. having

Mr. Woods is a resident of this county only about five This is I believe, the first time months, but is by no means a a lady has ever made the race stranger among us; having been for a political office in Lynn engaged in the grain buying by many residents and the business men of Tahoka. He does not feel the least hesitancy in refering you to any business man in Tahoka for further information. Mr. Woods has had eight years experience in the cotton weighing buginess.

> FOR RENT--Four houses, two rooms each. New. convenient and close in. - Paul Miller. 39tf

Mr. Flack and sister Miss Vera passed thru Tahoka Sunday morning before daylight on their way from east of O'Donnell, to Slaton to catch the early train streets, just north of the Bapon their way to Woodward Okla- tist church. This with the yards homa, where they had a sister of Higginbotham-Harris & Co.' who a telegram informed them and A. G. McAdams Co , already had been severily injured in the cyclone of Saturday evening.

Mr. Galbraith of Amarillo, of the firm of Galbraith & Foxwell Lumber Co., was in Tahoka recently and purchased eight lots in North Tahoka on the north side of Lockwood street just north of the King Livery Stable. and it is reported that a full line of lumber is now on the road and will be installed thereon as soon as it arrives. C. E. Brown put thru a deal last week whereby J. L. Johnson, president of the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., became owner of fhree lots in Tahoka 100x140 feet each. These lots are numbers six, seven and eight, situated on the corner of King and Doak streets in the original town site, and are diagonally across the street from the Wood Wagon Yard. We understand that the Tahoka Luniber

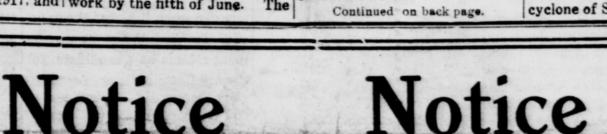
TWO NEW LYMBER YARDS

Co.' have seventeen car loads of lumber now enroute to Tahoka. The foundation work has already been begun for their sheds which will be of iron walls and roofs to conform with the City ordanances. The Tahoka Lumber Co's yard is situated on the corner of Porterfield and Doak established gives Tahoka three lumber yards now and two more to be installed at once making five lumber yards and it would seem that Tahoka should be able to sell lumber right alright.

Ten per cent discount on al. purchases of fifty cents or over Tahoka Drug Co. 39 p

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W Henry of the old Redwine place 14 miles south east of Tahoka, May eleventh, twin girls, of eight and one half, and nine pounds each.



Our Grand Free Automobile Contest, by far the biggest contest ever pulled off in Tahoka, is now run-166 ning in HIGH.

Get in and help your friends to win this beautiful Remember you get double votes on all Rexall car. and Nyalgoods of which we have just received a large supply.

Pay up your old accounts and get 1000 votes for Remember the place. every \$ paid.

Thomas Bros. Drug Co.

The new place on the old corner.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Marshall of sixteen miles northwest of Tahoka, Wednesday the seventeenth, a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lee of sixteen miles southeast of Tahoka, Friday the nineteeuth, a boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jacob of six miles north-east, of Tahoka, Monday the twentysecond a boy.

CLOSING NOTICE

Beginning Sunday May 28th, the meat market will close at 9 a. m. Sundays. This is in accordance with the state law, and we have been notified to observe same.

Yours for service. SANITARY MARKET 39-1t

INSURANCE FAL The Alm'anac predicts severe Hail Storms in 1916. In that a Hail Storm visited the North end of our county this week, it loo'ks like Lynn County is a victim. With Cotton and Grain selling at a high figure, conditions for a Crop Good, don't you think you should Insure. Our Company, the Largest Insurance Company in America, that takes Hail Risks, paid more than 1700 claims grain alone in 1915. The smallest was \$3.50, the largest was \$4,500.00. One Thousand Claims of More Than on If your crop should be destroyed by hail how good it would be to collect from an Insurance Company One Hundred Dollars Each. BE PRUDENT AND INSURE WITH OUR COMPANY Phone 139, Thomas Bldg., Jno. C. Woodall, Insurance Agency, Tahoka, TeX.

Lynn County News | Booster Piano Contest Is On Published every Friday by H. C. CRIE & CO. TAHOK

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TRY A WANT AD

The last issue of the Post City Post attracted our attention, by the neatness of makeup, and the smount of live news matter contained. We immediately looked at the mast head and there tound the explanation: the name of W. O. Kent as editor and publisher. We wish him all success.

Slaton announces a now two story passenger depot for that fair city. The South Plains is coming into its own. Let the good work progress.

Claude Donaldson was in town Saturday visiting friends. He returned last Wednesday from Plainview where he attended Seth Ward College, the past term. Claude tells us that Plainview failed in her effort to rebuild Seth Ward. Lubbock and Floydada are applicants for the college. Floydada offers the property of the defunct Presbyterian College as au inducement, should Seth Ward be re-established there, we understand a dormitory for the boys would be the only new buildings it would be necessary to construct.

Lucile Treadway of Brownfield was met here Thursday evening by her parents. She was returning from the West Texas Normal at Canyon.

Miss Christine Swan returned home Saturday for the summer. She held the position as assistant in the Loyola school south of Lamesa under Major Rogers.

Prof. Turner of the Plainview school, Dawson, arrived in Taho-

Are You a Candidate?--Do You Want to Win a

Prize?

Who are the most ambitious ladies in this community is the talk at present, and from the large number or nominations indicate that the candidates are getting busy to try and win the title.

The beautiful \$400 Pierre Piano that we offer is sufficient to make any lady compete for it-Saying nothing about the Diamond Ring, Elgin Gold Watches and other prizes that we offer.

If you or your friend's name does not appear in the list of candidates remember that it is not too late to be nominated. Send in your name or that of your friend

immediately as the contest is just starting, and you have plenty of time to get in the tace and win. It costs nothing to enter and only a little effort is required in gathering ballots and coupons. Ballots to conform to the state laws govare had by clipping them from erning the sport.

this paper every week and are To whet the apetites of the onworth ten votes. Courons can be lookers, a couple of prominent had from the merchants on every vonng business men entered the purchase and are worth 25 votes | ring for a two round preliminary each. Get busy and ask your bout. It you were not there you friends to gather ballots and cou- will have to remain uninformed a pons for you and send them to to the outcome of this match,

this office as soon as possible. One Round Henry was out Below are the nominations sent weighed, and had less height and to this office, and many of the reach than Jack Johnson. He candidates would be surprised was out-pointed from the first, if they knew the large number of The result by rounds:

votes they have at the present 1st. R. 1 and 2 for "Jonson" time. We will publish the stand- 2nd " 4 " 5 " ing of the candidates Jnue 16 3rd " 1 " o"

thus giving those who are not 4th " Foul claimed by "Henry' nominated a chance to get in the 5th " Henry threw down the race and have a large number of gloves and Johnson announced votes to their credit when the winner.

standing is published. It also gives the ambitious candidates a Judge Thomas L. Blanton, chance to poll a large vote before candidate for congress from the we make the announcement. 16th district writes us this week Read the rules and regulations in to inform us he will speak in Tahoka, next Wednesday, May

Next week we will make a 31st at night. pecial offer and it will be to the Hon. R. N. Grisham. of Sweet-

Confidence Gained By Service.

This Bank has built up a large business among the most substantial citizen of this community by obtaining their confidence through satisfactory banking service. If you desire careful and intelligent banking service, we invite nterview with you concerning the facilities of this bank.

The First Nationl Bank of Tahoka,

Busy Bee Cafe

Hearn Bros. Props.

Monday evening at four o'clock he streams of pedestrians turned uddenly and flowed towards the rear of Ira Doak's barber shop. Drifting with the traffic, the cause of the cause of the excitiement was found to be an impending boxing match between "Jack Johnson" shine at Ira's barber shop, and 'One Round Henry,'' shine at Sumner Clayton's barber shop. The bout was to be seven rounds to a decision, and was conducted

Specialty of Lodge and Theater Parties Butterflake Bread, Pies and Everything That's Good to E Fresh Fish and Oysters on hand all the time.

Merchants Lunch 35c

South side of square.

Messers. Doak & Saunders of ors in Tahoka Tuesday. It seems that the News made a of C. H. Doak in the announcement column as a candidate for County Commissioner for Precinct Two as Mr. Doak lives m and is a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. Three the precinct of which Mr. H. T. Gooch is now Commissioner.

A. H. James, Jeweler at the Parkhurst store, happened to a painful, and what might have Furnifire

O'Donnell, were business visit. BREEDERS NOTICE

HARVEY MY MAMMOTH JACK MEASURES 1534 HAR mistake when it placed the name UNDER THE STANDARD, WEIGHS 1, 100 LBS., IS 41/2 YE OLD. NOW MAKING THE SEASON ON THE H. M. LAR PLACE 10 MILES SOUTH EAST OF TAHOKA. HAVE CO TO SHOW.

L. H. Moore

Short Order

Open at all hour



ka Saturday, and will make his home here during the summer. He was accompanied by his brother, who is out here on a visit.

Crouch & Nevill, carpentars, began the construction of a new four rocm cottage for Milton Anthoney on the north side of Lockwoood street just west of the Widow Roberts house, Tuesday.

PROFESSIONAL

Drs. INMON & TURRENTIN Physicians & Surgeons Offices in Shook Building over Fost Office Texas Tahoka.

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> Dr. J. H. McCoy Physician and Surgeon

Office over the Wells Store Office 3 Phone Res. 108

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Lawyer Office Up Stairs in the Larkin time? Nothing that we know of Building Tahoka Texas

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out and hustle coupons and ballots to receive the benefit of it. Ask your friends, neighbors and following the relatives to demand merchants'

auother column.

Candidates Beware

You can secure votes with every 25c purchase at your store and i they baven't got coupons, they can secure them for you, remem. ber that every vote counts and tor this reason you should insist on having them. They cost you nothing extra and means for you the winning of a prize,

Votes on Subscription

Two weeks beaee we will offer a fue inducement on subscription, ineretore, line up your triends and relatives and have them save their subscription money for you. No trouble at all to go out and collect on subscriptions as the new law now compels us to collect our subscriptitous in advance, and as we have not the time to attend to it we will give prizes to the ladies that can collect the most. The reward is great, the time is short, he roads are good and you can not help but collect a lot of money What will pay you better than one of our prizes for so short

If you are popular and ambitious and don't back them, it's your fault, so start now; do not wait, for others will get ahead of you.

The following are the candidates who have been nominated. Is your name among the popular list?

- NAMES OF CANDIDATES
- Miss Pearl Dawson Frances Tidwell
- Sady Dyer
- Eunice Smith Laura Fleming

interest of every candidate to get water, oponnent of Judge Blanton and Cong. Smith, was in Tahoka, May 11th, the day tradgedy that cast a cloud of gloom over the coupons for you, as they will in- entire county. Mr. Grisham crease your standing immensely. called on the News and said that

he had intended to speak to speak to the voters here, but in respect for the feelings of the people he had recalled his speak ing date, and spent his time in personal visits to as many of the voters as he could reach.

Ex-Gov. Colquit spoke here the 11th, also, and closing his speech, paid a fitting tribute to the dead and her friends by repeating Emerson's lines on friendship.

G. W. Pilley of Wilson and his son George, were in Tahoka monday trading and meeting Mr. Pilley'a old friends here.

- Edith Weathers **Vivian Bouchelle** Davidson
- Viola Roberts
- Minnie Rhoades Clara May
- Nina Belle Donaldson
- Vera Pilly
 - Margaret Van Hook
- Vera Scott
- Edith Bishop Eva Coughran
- Mrs. M. E. Keith

Miss Edna Montgomery

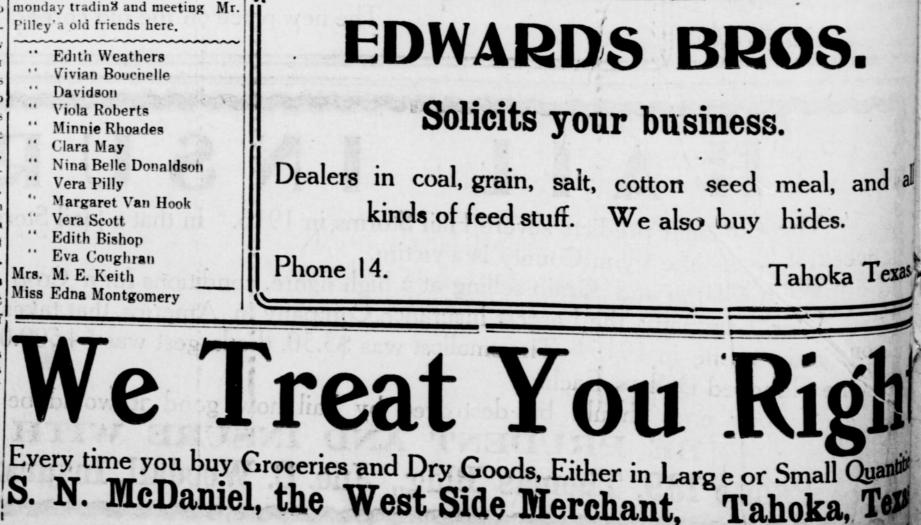
been a very serious accident. While repairing a broach he leaned over his desk and stuck the pin into his abdomen about two inches. The pin broke off were near enough Plainview Ford enroute for Throckma just under the skin, and broke off just under the skin, and broke into two pieces. Dr. Inmon made an incission Sunday. and removed the pin. Mr. James was back in the store Monday.

Drs. Inman and Turrentine works system. operated upon Lester Hamlin,

nephew of Uncles Frank and The boys' classes in the Bay-Aleck Vaughn, Tuesday of last tist and Methodist Sunday week, Dr. C. F. Card of Justin, Schools at Floydada have organ- country has just receiveds Texas, administered the anesthetic. Mr. Hamlin was discharged from the sanitarium this season, a victory for each five coming. Range cond Monday morning feeling fine. I team.

Lockney sustain ed last week E. Lam and F. L. Kelly a \$20,000 loss by fire. They last Thursday in the for that they might have been suc- county to bring Mr. Ke cored by the fire company there family to Tahoka. Mr. I had an adequate water supply has purchased lots west of The money that went up in Weathers place in West The smoke would have gone a long and will make his home an ways towards installing a water us permently. He is the ti

in Tahoka. They arrived in Tahoka Friday. Mr. tells us that, that part of ined ball teams in each school. rain and they had to pull They have played two ga mesmiles of mud going and seve there, he tells us, are fine.





S thin partition which separatad the tailor shop of Morris burg from the tonsortal arior of Annibale Lomonte a sounding board between -hlishments. All through when Morris poised his goose ng of his customers' fray. ats, he could hear Annibale in the joyous siapping of razor

for Aunibale, he had discarded orm clock when Morris took up quarters behind his store, for at haif past 7 each morning and his phylacteries on foreand arm and grew -ocal with His petition ascended with un and routades as though the reng angel were at the head of the at stair with straining ear to sich the devout sound.

in Annibale, however, it provoked smile. "Geensburg a," he would had executed to its seller. ric to his early customers with a

dat was every morning.

Then Annibale would take a battered wiar from the corner and raise a to pepolare in his thin Sicilian onti- the next customer ar rived.

Simultaneousiy Ginsburg would turn his assistant and spit out on the sheives. ground a form of biblical profanity. "Tpbocee," he would exclaim; "dot te makes me sick."

vertheless Anuibale entertained a me respect for Morris. When stood, each at his open door on er evenings. Appibale eyed not t envy the buige in Ginsburg's nd tronsers pocket. He know hat it evidenced a roll of bills as big and as a hickory branch and that the inter wrapper was yellow, for ever on Morris pulled it from his periet and counted it slowly over. drawing each bill toward him twirt a loring thumb and finger.

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The operation finished, he returned it to its hiding place and scratched his stragging beard, calmly awaiting the witable question from Annibale. Many times he had gone through the nam, and not once had the question failed of utterance.

"Saa.v." Annibale remarked, "vou orech a man, so much a mon', I just proved to contain an invitation to the or like know what's a matter you no ret shave a ?"

ris sarurand and smiled.

You ask me ah question." he replied with the Talmudical singsong inflee ton. "vot is doch ab foolish question." "You teil me," he concluded. I'll tell you." And with another



"Ah million, I ain't got it," Morris would reply.

000 would fall due on the purchase money mortgage which the syndicate

In vuin did Ginsburg cover the back of his head in the direction of the of his envelope with intricate computadred odd dollars confronted; for what looked like a retiring competency to Annibate, represented the paltry sum of \$125.

The distracted landowner glanced around the little store and mentally appraised the woolen piece goods on the

"Stickers," he bissed; "not a bundred dollar bill in der whole store, und dot gentile sings yet!"

The melody, came in shrill gusta through the scantling partition. This time it was a popular Neapolitan song, and Annibale threw back his head as he trolled forth the romantic stave: "Occht uert, perche mi sorridete," he sans: "occhi nert, perche mi sorri"-The entrance of the mail carrier caught him midway in the refrain, where he paused to receive a letter inclosed in a line envelope.

Annibale's schooling had been of such primitive order that he was unable to decipher script and could only read Roman capitals with some diffi plity He made out the postmark to he New York, but obviously this could not be the gas bill, for it was too early in the month, and, besides, the gas bill came in a white envelope. Once before he had received a letter other than the gas company's missive, which,

grand ball of the Societa San Rocco df avoia di Lucania. What a sensation he had created in

his bired dress suit, which fitted him as though he really owned it! . It had been a most enjoyable occasion from He tapped Annihale playfully on the avery point of view. There had been excellent music and the usual quota if good looking girls the whol

msinuate that Ginsburg's apathy was founded in a fear of the secular law.

"Might you already got a wife in Russland?" he said bitterly after the presentation, on paper, of his tenth candidate, for your east side schatchen is nothing if not persistent. Morris grinned.

'Might," he replied enigmatically. Anyhow I ask you ah question. Must I get married?"

The schatchen nodded vigorously. "Sure you must," he retorted. "It is

doch a law from old times yet." "Und if I vouldn't" said Morris, shrugging, "who could do me something? Teil me dot! This was the matchmaker completely sileaced.

But now Ginsburg was obliged to admit to himself that he might have made a mistake in so long remaining single. With an established business and a one-twentieth interest in a tenement house, he could demand a dowry of almost a thousand dollars, to say nothing of the furniture for a flat.

His prayers concluded, he made an attempt at simpler, but without avail. Only two weeks and that \$250 must be forthcoming or his career as a landowner would incontinently cease. The thought of Freedman, the schatchen, with his innumerable candidates, recurred in his musings, and at length he resolved to consult the marriage broker on the morrow.

The next morning broke clear and cool. A smart breeze blew from the river and, entering the rear window of Ginsburg's store, bore with it the characteristic odor of "mone" seed and her. rings. To Morris this was the spice laden wind of the Scriptures, and he managed to add to his morning devotions one or two extra roulades and cadenzas of such penetrating timbre that the tenant in the flat above sought to stem the flow of melody by stamping

on the bars floor. As Morris concluded, his assistant knocked at the door of the store, and

Ginsburg unlocked it on the instant. You know Freedman, der schatch-"" he asked his employee

"Vy pot," the youth replied. "Ain't if everybody knows him?"

"Nie, make words about it." Morris eried impatiently; "I vant it you should go und tell him he comes by me quick. Y'understand?"

'Vy not?" the assistant answered imperturbably, and shambled down the strpet

Morris was wiping away the crumbs of his frugal breakfast when his as sistant returned with the schatchen. Sholom alal chem, Meestaire Freedman," he exclaimed, which is the concentional oriental greeting-"Peace be with you.

"Alai chem sholom." Mr. Freedman responded and sat down heavily in a rickety chair.

"Nice weather," Morris remarked by way of preamble. "Ain't it?"

Mr. Freedman shrugged angrily, "Ah question," he snorted. He had been brought from his bed at an unheard of hour and was indignant in thre of bashfulness. proportion. "I'm only saving." Morris hustened

to explain extending an anologetic palm, "I mean business dis time." The schatchen's face lighted up immediately

Morris and his prospective father-inlaw was arranged for the following Friday night at the synagogue on Nor toik street.

At precisely neon on the Friday in question Annibale left his store clad in all his Sunday finery, with his guitar case under one arm and bearing a valise in his bedlamonded right hand. He entered his neighbor's tailor shop.

"I just come for sake-a bands with you," he announced to Ginsburg. like for ask-a you a favor."

"Nie," Morris replied, "vat's der matter? You ain't sick?" Aunibale evaded the question.

"I like for ask-a you," he continued, "please make a writing on this card. just for some one is a dead. I want for put on my door."

Morris took the card and wrote in a large serawt, "Closed For a Death." "Dot's a misfortune." he murmured in sympathetic accents. He shook Ap-

uibale's proffered hand. "Might your faster is dead?" he inquired. Annibale nodded gloomily

"Anybow," Morris continued, "vor tomorrow again, ain't it?" "I d'uo," Annibale replied: "maybe

res, marbe no." He affixed the card to his door and

after turning the lock made haste down the crowded sidewalk, but not in he direction of Mott streat.

The Sabbath evening services at the Sorfolk Street synagogue commence in inne at 7 o'clock, for as soon as thre stars twinkle in the firmament the Sabbath, on rabbinical authority, is held to have duly arrived. Accordingly at a quarter to 7 Morris locked up his store and repaired to his place of wor ahin

His Sabbath attire, of his own con struction, was a modification of the frock coats respectively known as the Prince Albert and London walking less tribe of people. suits. A slik hat of ancient vintage completed the costume, and when Morris, secure in the knowledge of his standing as a business man and prop erty owner, entight sight of hintself it a plate glass window he felt as though he were already engaged to the rich Miss Beckie Adelstein.

The impression was heightened upo his arrival at the synagogue, for as b entered the boys' choir was midway in the chanting of "Come, My Beloved, to Meet the Bride," the song of Solomon which is a part of the ritual for the Sabhath eve. Indeed, so personal was the humn's allusion that he could no forbear to blush, and to cover his em hurrassment be bowed and swayed vigorously, as though in the ecstasy o

prayer for the rest of the service. At its conclusion be met Mr. Freed man, who stood in conversation with his proposed father-in-law.

"A number vun," he beard the schatchen murmur, and, applying the flattering term to himself, he com menced to glisten with a gentle mois

The schatchen greeted him effu stvety. cried

"Meestaire Geensburg," he "dees is \feestatre Adelstein."

"Pleased to meet you," Morris croak

Revenue From Income and Inherit. ance Tax Should Be Utilized for Defense.

By J. S. Cullinan. Chairman Texas Economic League

The three important subjects which the Texas Economic League has listed for first consideration are Citizenship, Administration of Justice and Preparedness. Probably the most important of these is Preparedness. Government is a triangle and Preparedness, Administration of Justice and Citizenship are the component parts with Preparedness as the base. Unless we prepare there will be no Citizenship, no Justice, no government

Our government is now passing through a supreme test of efficiency. and it is for the citizen to say what he expects of government. In my opinion, government should do some thing more than collect taxes and issue warnings it is the duty of gov. ernment to protect its citizens on land and sea, and our government has no more right to refuse to do so than a citizen has a right to refuse to pay taxes. It is not a question of opinion -it is one of necessity, but no nation can protect its citizens unless it has the guns.

The President is correct in his polfey of preparedness and protection and no thoughtful citizen can afford to invite national peril through inefficiency. When our government permits liberty and freedom of its citizens to go by default, it has violated its peldge to the people, as much as if it took lieerty and free. dom from them by force. There can be no government without force. A court without a sheriff is nothing more than a debating society, and a modern government without an army or navy is no government at all. It is a help-1

Real men are animals-not angels They always have and they always will fight. The causes of war will never of our people. he removed until the human race is! dismissed from mankind, for in every 1 infant it will be born again Many psychological causes have been ad Irish tradition that following a dancing craze the world will either pray or ment concerned in the psychological sibly Canada, adopt a policy causes of war, as stern realities dearound and fixed his quendam prospec-"Meestaire Adelstein," he replied, "I am a business man and a property wher." He pansed for one impressive moment. "Und." he added, with telling emphasis, "mein store is insured for \$2.000." "Hear, ob, children!" the schatchen

rled. "Two thousand dollars and a total lass!

The sneer on Adelstein's face merged at once into a conciliating smile "Nie, nie," he said meltingly. "I vas

miv loking."

mand first attention, for the liberties and rights of a citizen guaranteed by the Constitution have been denied our seople.

Nation's Duty to Protect Citizens.

Government is organized physical force, and without force there is no government. No man can peaceably possess a, thing of value unless in some manner he can defend his title by force. Our government denies the citizen the right to use force, and in disarming the individual enters into a contract to protect the rights of a citizen by force, and, if necessary, to kill and destroy persons or nations that interfere with the rights of its citizens. It has no option in the matter. It is its first obligation.

This nation is facing a world crisis, and world opportunities. The destinies of the human race are at the moment more nearly in the hands of the American people than any other earthly power, and our government should adopt a policy in dealing with the forces of civilization that will establish permanent world peace. So fer as this continent is concerned, in my indement, the twenty one Reput lics should be organized for: First. peace and protection. Second, each Republic should assign not exceeding one per cent of its population to army and navy duties. Third, that at least sixty per cent of the male population of each such Republic should be trained to military discipline and duty; such training period not to exceed two years, to be held thereafter as reserves in case required for the defense of their country or the defense of the continent

It would further seem highly desir able that applied to the United States a declaration of principles be made covering Federal policies; such, for instance, as the Monroe Doctrine from which no State should be permitted to depart after such have been voted on and approved by a majority

The President's plans, as I under removed. Human nature cannot ha stand them, call for an investment of \$500,000,000 over a period of five rears. I do not think that is sufficient. It seems to me we should shape plana vanced for wars. There is an old for a continuing expenditure, if need he, of \$5 000,000,000 for such period. and by co-operating with the other fight. The League is not at the mo- twenty American Republics, and posmatching dollars with the balance of the world for the purpose of defense, and protecting liberty, life and proptive father-in-law with a terrible glare. | erty, at much less cost than undertaking to defend the nation against one of the modern powers as now organized.

Congress in my judgment, should fasue Bonds and use the revenue from the income and an inheritance tax only for the purpose of retiring these Bonds. I would further favor universal military training for our young men, adequate provision for our first line of defense, the Navy, substantial, ly increasing our Army, and providing Onast defense.

te re-entered his store. "Ss a-craze," Annibale ejaculated to all and sought the consolation of his battered guitar.

a perhaps the colloquy took another

"I just for like know." Annibata nsburg's pocket, "how much a at you got?"

"Ab million. I ain't got it." Morris mid reply, "aber I ain't eggs-ect-if t. y'understand."

the would turn to Annibale, and a movements of his ragged heard could be deduced that he smiled. "Friends is friends." he would say arly, "und good friends is also s Aber money-dot's der best

est filend, und don't you forget it." The apportsm invariably left poor cale without retort. It struck ome, for the jovial Lomonte was so ed in the installment system hat his financial survival

even to himself His store fixtures, the diam er-a fine canary colored stone. awtess the very clothes on fcuit of apprehension is back, were purchased and owed for the weekly payment plan, while that the thought of the first of the month

with its rent and gas bill, bathed him

To his poverty stricken imagination, rg, with his roll of bills and his rided one.twentieth interest in an peated mechanically. ot tenement, represented the (the Black Hand). mance of the name impelled him plications. oward his guitar. Soon his falsetto ness of his plight.

'Ogni sera di sotto al mio balcone." wailed, and rolled his eyes, while regaled with the appro burg, on the other side of the partitine, emitted a succession of "phoo- tone. the walls of his store.

dle through the scantling party wall, source than his song; for this He was, indeed. tient landlord that laboriouswied figures on the back of an

wnership of an undivided oneh interest in a tenement house age, he had neglected to take unto

free-for-all fight be bad ever witness ort five casnal ties, with a mortality of 40 per cent. Perhans, he reflected, there was to

In that event he outd utilize the diamond ring, which had a convertible setting, as a shirt a Signature's when the start back and After all, youth is the time for njoring oneself Let Glashurg have his bank roll and tenement house; he domonter would be merry while he

fitm

He. Lomonte, would show-he continned to reflect as he tore open the arelone - would show that premature Iv aged Hehrew that be. Lomonte. was inclosed shoet no be withdres No indeed he-"Santa no fossil Rosalie." he shricked as he spread the unfolded paper on his knee

Almost its entire surface ston of a human laid with the imn from beneath hand in printer's ink. which there grinned a skull and crossuted in carmina It hones neatir eran bore an Italian legend in capital letters, the import of which even Lomonte's agitation could not render dif-

The time, next We demand \$500 1111 The place, in front of Friday, at noon. the restaurant of the three Abruzzi, o one witt say to Mott street. Speak of this to not Monta Pallegrine." woman nor ch LA MANO NERA

acaney and re-Annthale stared into La Mano Nera while his throa pinnacle of financial soundness, grew parched and his heart thumped In Palermo, this humble tatlor might wildly in his breast. He sank into a a veritable prince he reflected; a lethargy of panic from which he was with the prince in Palermo-the bars aroused by Ginsburg's bedtime sup-

Apparently Morris could perform no Tas uplifted in temporary forgetful office of his daily life without sanctifying it with ritualistic color. Did he wash his bands, then Annibale was riste blessing rendered in Ginsburg's strong bart-The sait herring and potate. to the bolts of woolen that lined which formed Ginsburg's evening repast, were preceded and concluded by

Had his neighbor been visible to An sacred song in the traditional notation ervice, for Merof the Polish Jewish se sight might have afforded him ris was strictly orthodox in his views. a virtuoso in the performance of his faith's innumerale tenets save in one respect. though he was more than a decade older than eighteen, the prescribed,

antages. They-that is himself a wife. ay, the syndicate of twenty, had In vain had the marriage brokers of real estate to sell at a quick the neighborhood approached him with at and not as an investment, but an i flattering offers. He rejected them all. nely slump in prices had frustrat-, One Freedman, a schatchen in a large ans. Only two short weeks way of business, had gone so far as to

e before a payment of \$5

Business," ha echoed: dot's some thing else again."

He paused and knitted his brows in deep reflection. Mentally he passed in review all the young ladies of his

clientele "Yah!" he efaculated in sudden re number von. You know Adelstein, der

cloakmaker?" "Nie.

You know his daughter Beckie?" "Big?" Morris inquired, his hand raised some six feet from the floor Freedman nodded.

Fat?" Morris continued. extended gesture with both arms as

though preparing te embracea hogs head Freedman nod ded again, more vigorously.

> "Ga on" Morris encourag ingly. The schatcher forward forward



citiously. vant to tell toursand lars goes mit her." something. 107 Meestaire Freed.

I am a proper ter and a business man, ain't it?" Mr. Freedman notded once more Und a good Jew, ain't it?"

Again the schatchen assented.

'Den vat's der use of talking foolishness!" Morris cried in tones of final-"It must pos-i-tive-iv be one thousand five hundred!"

Mr. Freedman sein tth the air of a man who, havanna ing seen his s nds of the entire feet and made matter he street door a stately progress a the threshold and was almost when Morris rushed forward.

"Vait a minute!" he cried excitedly and laid a restraining hand on the

schatchen's arm: Mr. Freedman was readily persnaded to reseat himself, and before he

'Dot's all right." Mr. Adelstein sale airily, "don't mention it." "Und how is your daughter Beckle?"

Morris inquired. "Thank Gawd!" Mr. Adelstein re

plied pionsly, meaning that the young lady was well. Here the conversation membrance, "I got something extra A languished until Mr. Freedman jumped into the breech

"Ain't it a fine weather." he declared. "Ve go home by your vay, Meestaire Geensburg."

He undged the aspiring son-in-law h the ribs.

"Ain't you deef and dumb." he hise ed sotto voce. "Speech a little some thing!"

They had proceeded as far as the corner of Ginsburg's street. "Und how is business?" Mr. Adel

stein asked by way of encouragement. "Rusiness." Mortis echoed, "is um broofen good."

He might as well have omitted the said evil dispetting term "umbroofen," for no sconer were the words out of his mouth than a tremendous explosion shook the ground.

'Of gewoldt!" they exclaimed in as though to im-"Vot is dot?" chorus. part a fact of

Morris followed the throng great secreor in the direction of his place of busi-One tousand ness and arrived in time to view An ollars goes mit nibale's barber shop and his own tailor her" he whisper ing establishment burst into flames. ad and then drew

The Black Hand had carried out back the better to their threat in good earnest. Before note the effect of the fire apparatus appeared both stores were gutted, and the Sabbath meal, Morris elevated with its attendant ceremonies, was forgotten by Adelstein and Freedman.

who stayed to view the stubborn progress of the flames. The entire building was involved in the destruc-

tion "Vell, gantlemen," Mr. Adelstein said at length, "I guess you excuse me. must go home to my supper. My fam-Ily vaits for me."

The schatchen turned an anglons face toward his client.

"Ain't you going to ask Meestaire Geensburg as vell?" he whispered. "Vot!" Mr. Adelstein exclaimed in

horrifled accents. "I guess not." Obviously he directed the remainder of his sentence at Morris. "My Beckle," be concluded, "ain't for no beggars und bankrupts."

outraged Ginsburg wheeled The



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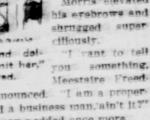
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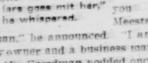
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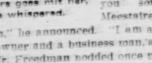
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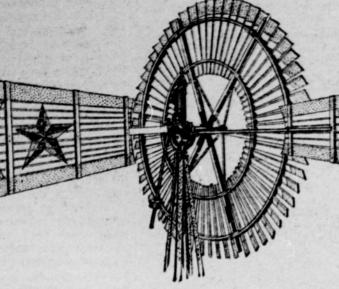




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Tahoka 13; Post 5

Sunday soon after dinner there was an exodus of cars towards the east. The attraction was a game of base ball between Tahoka and Pest City at the latter place. The home boys had reorganized their team and strengthened it considerably and went to Post with the intention of delivering the goods and the local fans rallied to their support and attended enmass.

The locals had first bat and the first two men were retired, Weathers connected with the horsehide for a single and died on second when Gassaway failed to make a landing at first. There was nothing bad about this, but when Post came to the bat and the first man up, B. Duren, found Powers for a homer and the next two swatted the pill for safe ones, fourth man was retired, the inte landed a clean safe hit, the sixth man retired, the seventh made a safe one and the eighth man retired. Result: Eight men to the

Grassland Notes

Grasslands community is sure growing some, we have just completed a large church and school house of two locms connected by folding doors.

The First Baptist Church of FOR COUNTY JUDGE: Grasslands has been organized, and a flourishing Sunday School with an enrollment of 108, with D. W. Reed as superintendent. Prots. Hood and Beasley are

conducting a singing class here now.

We have organised a base ball team that will soon make the name of Grasslands famous,

G. R. Jones of Chilicothe, has opened up a large general store.

Mrs. L. O. Ross is on the sick ist but is improving right along. Everyone here has finished planting their sod crops and are busy building ience and established

the new toads The box supper of Saturday to heip seat the cuutch was well attenden and a great success in evey way. The proceeds amounting to \$64.10. Une box brought

Announcements

- FOR TAX ASSESSOR J. N. Themes (re-election) FOR TREASURER
- C. T. Beard (re-election)
- FOR SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR F. E. Redwine (re-election)
- J. H. (Jim) Cowan.
- C. H. Cain. J. L. Stokes. (re election.) FOR DISTRICT JUDGE, 79TH JUDI
- CIAL DISTRICT. W. R. Spencer. (re-election.)
- FOR COMMISSIONER OF PRE. 2. H. J. Vinson. W. L. Tunnell
- FOR COMMISSIONER OF PRE 3. C. H. Doak.
- PUBLIC WEIGHER

W. B. Phillips, at O'Donnell Texas. COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

Miss Lillye Harrison

NOTICE TO CREDIORS The State of Texas.

County of Lynn. Notice to creditors on the Es

Fertsch, deceased.

tate of Ed. Fertsch, Deceased.

original letters of administration shape again. upon the estate of Ed. Fertsch

DECORATION DAYS

Tuesday, May 30th is national debosation day.

Tahoka.s cemetery is the resting place of only a few of the honored dead of the Civil war, never-the-less, we might spend a portion of the above date in the city of the dead, and lend our hands to its beautification.

Monday, June 5th, is W. O. W decoration day.

There are several soverigns burried here, and it should not only be the pleasure of the fraternity to decorate the graves of our departed soverigns on this date, but it is their solemn duty.

Owing to the fact that the Woodmen have been taking a vacation from the lodge room it is impossible to suggest to the camp in session, any plan for the observance of decoration day; so thru this medium, we suggest that some time during he next week the Woodmen make arrangements to observe decoration day, and further suggest, that they invite all who have ties in the silent city to attend and participate in doing honor to those who have crossed the chilly waters.

J. T. Stricklen of Lubbock, Church of Christ, will begin a meeting in Tahoka under a tent June the 10th, two weeks or more, will bring a singer with him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harris, left tor Mineral Wells Friday with the expectation of being gone about a month.

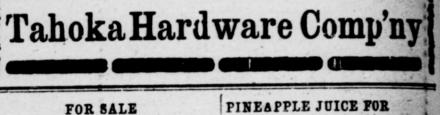
Lenoard skinner the eighteen Gin bave just been finished, a months old son of Mr. and Mrs. large Store, Post Office and Temp Skinner of the Southland Blacksmith Shop is being built, community, got hold of some potash and proceeded to eat it. Mrs. Skinner and her sister. Miss Lura Howell, gave the family. Price of section \$8200, child the juice of several lemons and neutralized the poison so that when Dr. Henry of South-1 to 4 years, with 8 per cent inland arrived in a few minutes terest. Notice is hereby given that he soon had the child in good acceased were granted to me, the Temple Skinner of the Southland community. went up on his wind mill tower Saturday about noon during the high wind that blew all day to tie in a couple of sections of the mill that had be to present the same to me within come loose. While up there a whirl came and swung the mill around hitting Temp a terific blow on the back of the head, Administrater of Estate of Ed. knocking him unconcious upon the platform. He remembers nothing more untill he found himself upon the ground going toward a house that in his muddled condition he fancied to be his home, but which in reality belonged to a neighbor. His wife says that he came down the lader to the tower and started toward this neighbor's house and she called to him to come into the house, but he thought it was one of the neighbor's daughters and kept going away from home, so Mrs. Skinner and her sister, Miss Lura Howell. went out and helped him home. Temp was in Tahoka Monday and told the News man that he was feeling about alright since the doctor had stuck a knife into the back of his head and let out the puss that had gathered there. Temp said it was the back of his head that received the blow, but it was his face that looked like he might have attended a Sunday base ball game.



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This preparation is sold by u 1.2 section \$4100., 1.4 cash, bal- on a positive guarantee of money ance in 4 equal payments, due in back if not satisfactory. It is a wonderful medicine, having pioperties possessed by no other, Don't take my word for it, but prove it by a trial. 50c and \$1.00

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bat, four scores and one died on second. The odds were not in our favor. But the first of the second the locals turned the tables in their favor. Nine men faced the Post City man on the mound aud Tahoka marked up six scores, Tahoka rose to par.

Powers for Tanoka, again olimbed the mound when Tahoka took the field in the last of the second, and from there out held Post in the hollow of his hand,



he Held 'Em in the Palm of His Hand.

There was only one clean hit to the outfield after the first inning. plan of selling, and will buy and By inwings Powers held them sell anything that one might wish as follows: Second, one hit, three to acquire or dispose of retired; third, one hit, three reseventh, one hit, three retired; store,

nearly nve dollars.

About htty or sixty of our peo- undersigned, on the 24th day of ple ment over to Edith Sunday April, 1916, by the County Court atternoon to singing and to hear of Lynn County, Texas. Bro. Ledger the Methodist partor persons having claims against at Tahoka. He will preach here said estate are berety required Sunday afterncon June 11th. A. R. McGonagill has just fin- the time prescribed by law. My

shed building four miles of fence residence and Post Office addres made necessary by the opening of is Hallettsville, Lavaca County, the public road he has been try- Texas, Chas. Fertsch. ing to have opened up for more

than a year. This fencing cost him \$70.00 a mile.

CITY MAYOR of Grassland, The old court house is at resi eighth, one hit, three retired; in on the concrete foundation rethis inning Taboka's twirler cently put down by L. L. Wil crossed his back stop and the ball liams ou the corner of Main and Lockwood streets, Carpenters was passed allowing the only score are at work remodeling the struc Post got after the first bat to come in. Nineth, three retired. ture and before many days pass the Hotel St. Clair will be located Post's pill tosser had good inin its new home.

tentions alright, but he just couldn't seem to fool the swatters from here. The Tahoka squad scored every inning but three, and made half a dozen in one ime up.

Rest.lt by innings:

Tahoka 0-6-2-1-1-0-1-0 2-12 Post 4-0-0-0-0-0-0-1-0-5 Lineups:

Tahoka: O. Roberts, St. Clair, R. Weathers, Gassaway, Ketner. L. Powers, pitcher, Ramseur, Lemond, Powers. S. Weathers and Dunnigon on the bench.

Post: B. Duren, J. Loyd, P. Duren, Malory, Duckworth, J Duren, Walton, Beasley, Hayes.

July first Paul Miller will open a second hand store where the H. M. Anthoney Cash Grocery is now located.

Paul believes in the installment

Mr. Authoney will move to his tired; fourth, three retired; fifth, brick on Main street, now occuthree retired; sixth, three retired; pied by Ed. Meyers' furniture

Ed Estes and Miss Annie Wilson went to Lubbock Sunday and procured a marriage license, The ceremony was performed about four miles this side of Lub bock. Both of the young people are well known in the New Home community, and their friends wish them all the joys possible during their voyage thru life.

The ery of fire, startled the residents of west Tahoka Sunday morning about nine o'clock. A box of trash sitting against the east end of the house occupied by Mr. Theison caught afire and set the house. Part of the east end

and a few shingles were charred before the flames were extinguished.

> **Contestants Ballot** GOOD FOR TEN VOTES

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Point Pleasant, W. Va. Uncle Tom - Bown, who is batching with his two sons, on

BENJ. FRANKLIN JR.

Section of smoothe Plains

land, known as No. 521, located

about 12 miles East of Tahoka,

Post County Road, 4 miles from

the corner of King and Doak streets, is on the sick list this week.

DRESS MAKING.

and see me at the Stokes Variety Store, South of Square Tahoka MISS BERTHA ELLIOTT. 35tf

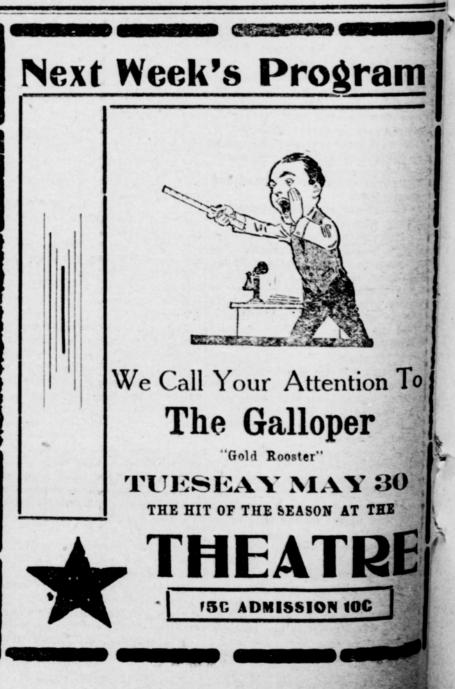
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Piwonka of Caldwell, came in Tuesday morning to visit their son Lewis of and price. See us at once. south south of town.

Uncle Alec Vaughn of seve miles east of Tahoka, is suffer ing with an attack of grip will complications, this week. Hi brother. Uncle Frank, says that And all kinds of fine sewing he should see a doctor; but the done at reasonable rates. Call "Alec is proud of the fact the he has not taken a 'dose of do tor's stuff for sixty years and h

sizes.

We buy and sell hogs, any ! Bowers and Vinson.

hates to give in at this late day.



TELY INSTRUCTIONS TO POLITICAL CANDIDATES

Time 5-Candidates for party nomizations for office to be filled by a vote of the state at large shall file applications on or before this date for place on the primary election ballot. Applications may be filed by any twenty-five citizens. Deposit of such applications in the United States mail by registered letter within the time limit is deemed sufficient.

June 5-Casdidates for office in districts composed of more than one county shall file applications with district chairman or the respective county chairmen by this date. Twenty-five citizens may file.

June 17-On or before this dat canidates for offices to be filled by the voters of a single county or portion thereof must file applications for place on primary' ballot with county chairman. Twentyfive citizens may file.

June 19--Connty Executive committee meets to determine order of names on ballot, to name and to transact other business.

June 26-On or before this date caudidates in primary election must pay ballot fees,

July 10- Subcommittee of the county executive committee meets worked over to perfection. to make up ballot.

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July 19-If presiding judges of reasonable. election have not been furnished certified lists of qualified voters by this date they "shall send for and procure them."

precinct convention day. Primary chairmen on or before this date. election opens at 8 a. m. and closes at 7 p. m.

THE COWBOY'S REUNION AT LAS VEGAS, N. MEX. FOOT Las Vegas, New Mexico, May 2.-Providence and barbed wire fences will have to take care of New Mexico cattle during the period beginning July 4, and ending well atter midnight on the morning of July 8, for there wont be a ranch owner or hand in a radius of 500 miles of Las Vegas, New Mexico who will be working on those days. The whole gang, accompanied by their wives, kid-

does, best girls and friends, will be at Las Vegas, to attend the annual loundup of the New Mexico Cowboys' Reunion Association And the general public-the folks who never had on a pair of chaps in their lives-will be here to witness the exhibition of roping, riding, steer-bulldogging, and stage coach and chuchwagon racing that fill the four days beginning the fourth and ending on the seventh.

The Richland Springs Oil Co. report the bringing in of an oil well of more than 100 barrel capacity last week on their holdings sub-committee to make up ballot in the Humble field. This has enthused the local people who have stock in this company .-San Saba News.

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July 26-Precinct election judges July 22-Primary election and must make returns to county July 29-County Executive committee canvasses returns. County conventions held.

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REST HOSIERY AFFIDAVIT OE COMMISSIONERS COURT TO TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT

IN THE MATTER OF COUNTY FINANCES IN THE HANDS of C. T. BEARD, TREASURER of Lynn County, Texas.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS, IN REGULAR QUARTERLY Session, May Term, 1916.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, as County Commissioners within and for said Lynn County, and the Hon. J. L. Stokes, County Judge of said Lynn County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this the toth day of May A. D. 1916, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of C. T. Beard Treasurer of Lynn County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 1st day of February A. D. 1916, and ending on the 30th day of April A. D. 1916, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by his present report and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 30th day of April A. D. 1916, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as reof Texas, as amended by an Act of the Twenty-hfth Legislature of

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected the assets in hands of the said Treasurer belong. ing to Lynn County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this the 10th day of May A. D. 1916, and find the same to be as follows, to wit:

TUDY PUND

JURY FUND Dr.	Cr,
Overdraft as shown by Treasurer's Report on the	2
1st day sf February 1916	615.87
To amount received since said date	9.01
To amount transfered 1,000.00	
By amount disbursed since said date	
By amount to balance 160 78	716 66
Total	
Balance to debit of said JURY FUND as actually inspected	1.332.53
by us on the 10th day of May A. D. 1916, and includ-	
ing the amount debit by said Treasurer at the date of	
the filing of his report on the 30th day of April A. D.	
1916, and the balance between receipts and disburse-	
ments since that day, making a total overdraft of	160.78
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND Dr.	Cr.
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By amount to balance	4.340.04
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third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth prizes-Each one, Elgin Gold Watch.

4 The winner of the Grand Prize cannot compete for others

In the event of a tie a like prize for the one tied for will be given each candidate in the tie.

6 Votes once deposited in the ballot box cannot be transferred to another party.

7 Special prizes will be offered from time to time for special work.

8 Au Awarding Committee of two of our business men will be appointed to make the final count and distribution.

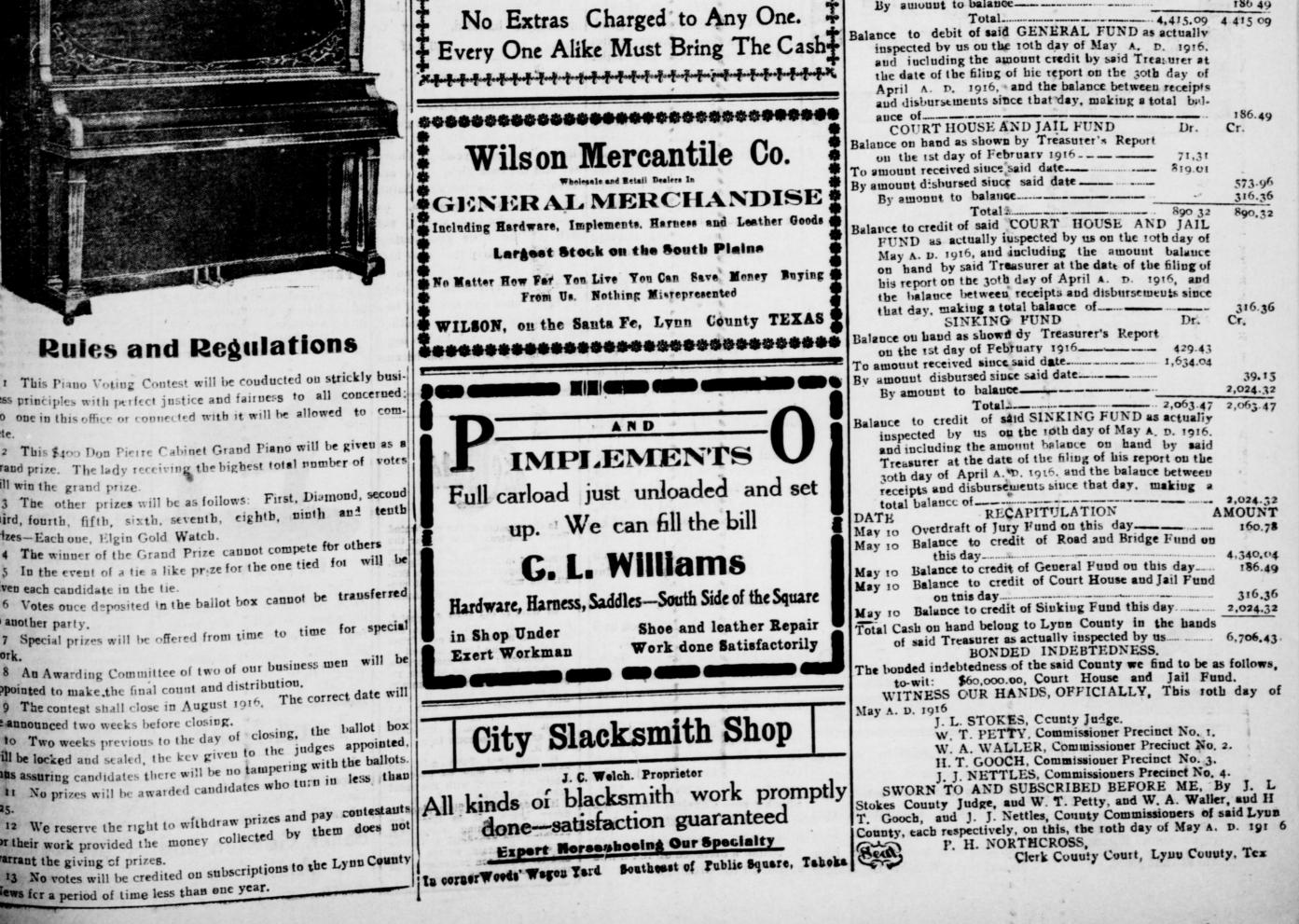
9 The contest shall close in August 1916. The correct date will be announced two weeks before closing.

to Two weeks previous to the day of closing, the ballot box will be locked and sealed, the key given to the judges appointed, thus assuring candidates there will be no tampering with the ballots. 11 No prizes will be awarded candidates who turn in less than

525.

for their work provided the money collected by them does not

13 No votes will be credited on subscriptions to the Lynn County warrant the giving of prizes. News for a period of time less than one year.





Taylor. Monday evening County Com missioner H. T. Gooch loaded TRY A WANT AD Judge J. L: Stokes and Commissioners W. A. Waller and J. J. The Woman's Tonic THE CITY MEAT MARKET Nettles and the News man into Texas.' his caf and carried the party Miss Amelia Wilson, R. F. D. No. 4, Alma, Ark., Is now owned exclusively by down on a tour of inspection of s: I think Cardul is the greatest medicine on earth, the Tahoka-O'Donnell road to M. G. Muston and only the best FOR SALE-Six casings 30x Singleton and W. E. Porterfield for women. Before I began to take Cardui, I was so weak and nervous, and had such awful dizzy 31/2 inches, in good shape, at the where Wilson Edwards is grad- of meat is handled. Try us spells and a poor appetite. Now I feel as well and ing it from the southwest cornef as strong as I ever did, and can eat most anything." nce. 36 p-tf of the town section five miles square, Begin taking Cardui today. Sold by all dealers. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Doak of the south. The road is being graded Has Helped Thousands. south part of town, gave their 32 feet wide with water ditches children a birthday party Saturon each side 8 inches deep. If day at which twenty-one guests the county will get a split log grown at honest prices. Our were present, all little folks, RE drag and after each rain drag this strech of road it will soon the boy was eight years old Thursquality seeds will please you it you want the best in Texas. 500 be the best piece of road in the day and the iwin girls. Eva and Neva, were six years old Saturcounty. Tuesday thr Commissioners instructed Mr. Edwards day. Pop coru, peanuts, ice delivered your office. to continue the road grading cream and cake were served, and another three miles making each of the little guests said it eight miles in all. As soon as was the best party they ever had. Make your family the county can afford it, the Mrs. Doak said that she put in FRESH COOKED BARBECUE. Commissioners intend to grade most of the afternoon consoling Shost Orders, Bread. Pies, etc. proud of their home this road clear thru to O'Don- the little ones who had their feelat the Bar-B-Q tent on Lockwood

nell.

retention untill I can get him, of and 4:00 o'clock P. M. on sak a bird dog, answering to name day at the Court house door of "Frank." Lost about 10 the town of Tahoka, in Lynn County, Texas, I will offer for miles east of Tahoka on May 7. sale and sell at public L. F. Neeb, Cross Plains, auction for cash all the right 39-1t p title and interest of the said T. M.

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and was struck in the head by one of the tent poles and was dead before her brother and sister arrived. Twenty-five rersons were injured in the storm at that place.

it seems that Mrs. Peebles was cyclone of Saturday. a lecture by Martin D. Hardin at 6:30 in the evening.

Dr. I. E. Smith, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, of Snyder will make his regular visit here Wednesday June 7th Office Stokes Hotel. 39-40

Paul Miller began the construction this week of four rent houses in North Tahoka on a block just east of the Jeff Fleming residence. These houses will be completed by the last of the week and ready for occupancy. They are each 12x28 feet. Tahoka needs rent houses and we are glad to see locai man get into the game.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shook and Mr. Shook's sister, Mrs. W. S. Swan, left in a car Snnday morning for Amarillo to catch the 7:40 train for Woodward, Oklahoma. They received a message Sunday morning from that city stating that their sister, From information received Mrs. H. B. Peebles, had been from the scene of the disaster, killed py a scantling during the Mr. attending a Chautauqua tent car which left here at ten o'clock Shook's son, Charles, drove the meeting in which about 1500 in the morning and arrived in persons were assembled to hear Amarillo, a distance of 184 miles

ings hurt in one way or another, but about sun set she had to begin sympathising with them because they had to go home.



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in and to the above described property. Vulcanizing Shop, south of the Witness my hand this the 10th 39-1t-p day of April A. D. 1916. F. E. REDWINE Sheriff, Lynn County, Texas, The purest, cleanest, best seeds NOLICE OF SHERIFF'S SAM UNDER ORDER OF SALE. THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LYNN. kinds to choose from. Frost S. J. McFarland, Plaintiff, Vsl1 proof plants only 30 cts. per 100 M. Bartley, G. W. Small and W T. Petty, Defendants. C. E. WHITE SEED CO. In the District Court of Dallas Plainview, Texas, County, rexas, 14th Judicial District of Texas.

Bartley, A L. Lockwood S. I

WHEREAS, by virtue of an Orde of Sale issued out of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas, @ the judgment rendered in said Court on the 9th day of March 1916, in favor of the said S. J. McFarland against the said T. M. Bartley G. W. Smil and W. T. Petty in said cause num bered 21517-A, on the docket of said Court

I did on the 8th day of May A. 1916 at 10 o'clock A. M., levy up the following described tract or p cel of land, to wit:

One hundred thirty acres out section 27, certificate 654, Block 8, L. &. R. R. Ry. Co., survey, St being described by metes and be as follows; Beginning at the N. corner of said survey; Thence en along the north line of said survey. about 1186 vrs. to the northwest ner of 160 acres deeded by Thomas and wife to B. F. Welch deed dated February 1, 1909, rec ed in Vol. 9. page 595, records Deeds etc., of Lynn County, Text Thence south along the west line aid tract of land deeded to B. Welch 634 varas to a stake for com Thence west Parallel with the not line of said section about 1186 vrs. a stake in the west boundry line is a good smooth animal 15 said section; Thence north 634 m hands high.

being located in Lynn County, Tel And on the 6th day of June A. 1916, same being the first Tuesday said month between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. on said day at the Court house do in the town of Tahoka, in Lynn Cor tv, Texas, I will offer for sale and at public auction for cash all Special rates on large ranch right, title and interest of the T. M. Bartley, G, W. Small and Vendor's lien paper purchased. T. Patty, in and to the above desc ed property. Baker, Grayum and Witness my hand this the 8th of May A. D. 1916. F. E. REDWINE

Sheriff, Lynn County, Texas. Texas.

