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Mr. Walter Pinnell of the McDonald neighborhood, was in town Thursday with a large load of nice sorghum, and his father-in-law Mr. Henderson brought in another load for him. Mr. Pinnell uses the Lynn County News to advertise for one of his work mares, that got lost last summer while he was sick. He delivered this fine feed at the News office to pay for advertising, the Drilas News and subscriptions to the Lynn County News for he not only takes this paper for himself but sends off three copies and will send off another one. It is just this class of men that enable us to publish a paper at Tahoka.

Wells & Welcher have the largest, cheapest, and in every way the best line of Winter Gloves in town. Let us show you.

Another Doctor.

Dr. A. F. Upton of Dublin left for home on the stage Wednesday. Before starting for home the Dr. paid for six months of the Lynn County News, and he informed us that he would be located here before the six months are up. Dr. Upton says he has practiced 23 years and that he will bring gilt-edge recommendations with him.

Mr. C. M. Whip and family of Jack county are visiting at Mr. S. N. McDaniel's and Mr. McDaniel thinks they will locate here. The more, the merrier.

Merry Christmas.

As this is the last issue that we shall get out this year we will take advantage of this opportunity to thank our many friends for the hearty support they have given us in our efforts to publish a paper in Tahoka. This is a sparsely settled county in which to run a paper and it would be impossible to do so if it were not for the fact that many of our Lynn county subscribers seem to understand this and make it up by taking several subscriptions and sending them to relatives and friends, in that way keeping in close touch with them and interesting them in our county and town. Some of our citizens send away four and five yearly subscriptions and many more would do so if they just realized how much it would help to develop the country, and the amount of pleasure it would give the old folks at home to read about the surroundings and happenings way out on the Plains where son, daughter, brother, sister or friend are located. We will not issue a paper Christmas week, so we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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Railroad Rumors.

It is hard to tell these days what to believe about the railroad building. In another place in this issue we quote the Canyon City News, as to the contract for building the road from Canyon City to Plainview, which they think authentic, and yet, we hear by word of mouth that the road was just a land agent scheme, and that the road has fallen through and will never be built.

Of course these rumors about the north road has a tendency to discredit the south road which has lately been chartered from Kerrville via Big Springs to Amarillo. Our own opinion is that a north and south road will be built before long; however our readers can rest assured that we will give them the facts as near as we can, be they favorable or unfavorable.

Before railroads can be built there must be surveys made; therefore, let us encourage surveys all we can, and we will get a railroad sooner or later.

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LOST—One grey work mare 15 hands high, no brand, wire cut on top of right shoulder, has been gone about three months. Liberal reward for information of her whereabouts.—**Walter Pinnell**, 12 miles southeast of Tahoka.

L. P. Taffinder who for several weeks has been investing his time and cash at Texico, returned home last week. Just before leaving there he finished a house which is now bringing him \$80 a month rent.—Canyon City News.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1905.

Contract Let.

The News has information from a reliable source that a Mr. A. M. Moore from "up North" has, through the Santa Fe, secured the contract to build the railroad from here to Plainview and that work will begin soon after Christmas if not before.—Canyon City News.

Mrs. Leedy and two of the children, Miss Mandy and Grace, arrived in Tahoka Tuesday on the hack from Big Springs, and are stopping at The Cosmopolitan until their household goods get here.

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First Holiday Party.

Mrs. King began the Holiday festivities by giving a party Monday night. All the young folks and some of the old ones went and had one of the gayest times of the season. Games and goubers were indulged in until about eleven o'clock, when the guests departed, thanking their hostess for a pleasant evening.

NOTICE.

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We positively will not extend open accounts beyond that date.
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Feed Scarce Around Gail.

B. Wood of Gail was up here Wednesday after feed for the hack teams. The Hale brothers bought 10 tons of heads of A. L. Lockwood, part of which will be used here and the rest will be taken to the change station between here and Gail, where Jim Rogers is batching and looking after the teams. Mr. Wood tells us that feed is getting scarce around Gail. There is still plenty of feed in Lynn county at reasonable prices.

Notice to Wood Haulers

Any one cutting or hauling wood out of the Llano Pasture in Garza County will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. No one has any permission to get wood in this pasture.
J. T. Lofton.
Manager.

Good Apple Country.

Mr. G. B. White of Lockney is visiting at Mr. Kings in east Tahoka. Mr. White has sold his beautiful home, orchard, and his drug store at Lockney and is here prospecting. He says he sold over 500 bushels of apples from his orchard this year, and if he buys here he says he will set out a large apple orchard as he thinks this a better fruit country than it is at Lockney.

FOR RENT—1600 acres of good land in blocks to suit, and on your own terms.—Lewis Robinson, Tahoka, Texas.

D. Gilmore returned from Gains county Monday afternoon. D accompanied the Woodman organizer to Gains where he will put the lodge through a lot of new degrees. Mr. Griffith spent ten days here with the Woodmen, and took in lots of new members.

Boy's and men's sweaters, and men's overshirts at Wells & Welchers. You just ought to see them.

Tom Owens started north to Amarillo Monday noon to take the train for his old home near Aledo, Parker county where he will spend Christmas with home folks.

Go to Taylor's for patent medicines and pure drugs.



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George-Nevilla.

Mr. Elton George and Miss Callie Nevills were married by the Justice of the Peace J. H. Cowen, Dec. 21. Miss Callie is one of the loveliest young ladies in our little town and has a host of friends here who wish her a long and happy life. Mr. George is one of the T— boys and deserves his good fortune in winning Miss Callie for a wife.

Miss Ethel Cook left for Big Springs Tuesday to spend the Holidays.

Why Not Subscribe For The News Now

Mrs. Williams of the T— is spending the latter part of this week with Mrs. Walter Robison.

Mr. W. R. Hampton is making his dwelling a Christmas present of a coat of white paint.

We are always receiving, and selling, fresh, pure drugs at Taylor's, west side square.

Mrs. L. L. Forrester, of the Meadow neighborhood, is lying at the point of death with catarrhal fever. Mr. Will Forrester of Snyder passed through here Thursday on the way to his mothers bedside.

On account of some mistake at the freight depot at Big Springs, Mr. Gilmore has failed to get in his Christmas goods, as yet.

Boots! Boots!! Boots!!! You, must come to Wells & Welcher's and see our boy's and men's boots.

Mr. Smith who has bought the H. C. Smith place, paid the News a pleasant visit Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Robert Forrester returned the first of week, from a visit to her mother Mrs. Hughs of Litwalton.

The finest line of Christmas Candies in Tahoka at W & Ws.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson accompanied by Mrs. Brown went to Snyder the first of the week. Mr. Patterson carried some corn to mill and the ladies will visit their mother Mrs. Sherrod formely of this place.

Mr. T. M. Caton of near Stamford, Jones county, is visiting his daughter Mrs. Matt Williams of the T— community.

Mrs. Lum Woods went to Gail Thursday to spend Christmas with the home folks.

Fine Candies and all kinds of Nuts at Taylor's.

Mr. McReynolds of Moores draw was very sick with appendicitis, the first of the week, but he was reported slightly improved today.

The weather was so bad today that Mr. McMahon of Litwalton who is to furnish the Christmas tree, put off bring it until Saturday.

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An Idyll of Oyster Bay

CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK

Harriet lest I should see Mr. Douglas and give up every thing for him. Let me tell you all about it quickly, for the minutes fly and Hans may soon be here.

I told you last week how much I was seeing of Mr. Douglas, and how much I wished I were free to care for him. Clara, I have been a fool, a weak fool, and have let myself drift with the tide of my feelings, without a thought, to the sharp rocks on which I might be drifting.

Harriet has been with us all the time, Harriet has approved of him, and there has been nothing to warn me that he thought any thing more of me than of an ordinary acquaintance until to-night.

We were all sitting on the porch watching the sun go down. He had rowed us home, and at Harriet's request stayed to supper. Clara, when I am old and all the life and passion has died out of my heart, I shall still remember the red glow of that sunset, the little ruddy dimples each stroke of his oar made on the glowing bosom of the tide, the fleecy clouds overhead, deepening from pearl to rosy tints until they reached the water, when they were taken up and continued in deeper, stronger hues, till they reached our boat and enveloped us too in their glory and splendor.

Sunset has undone more lovers than ever the cold, prudish gleam of moonlight.

Harriet was in the waist of the boat, he in the bow, and I steering. Over Harriet's shoulder he gave me one look. Clara, if that is the way all men look at the women they love, I no longer wonder at the power men have over us. It was as though some one had struck me. I was powerless to speak or even move! I sat silent, hardly daring to breathe and if my life had depended on it I could not have raised my eyes.

Harriet must have seen my face and interpreted its meaning. She was singularly pleasant to Mr. Douglas, and would ask him to supper when I was longing for him to go that I might be alone to fathom if I could the strange terror that possessed me.

Throughout the meal I did not speak, and I could have cried aloud when Harriet insisted on his sitting on the porch with us for awhile.

We were hardly seated when I found out her meaning.

"We'd better make the most of this evening," she said, "for to-morrow my niece and I have to go away."

I started, and so did he.

"Yes," she continued, quickly, before I could say a word. "It's time that my niece went back to her people; she's getting kind of notiony out here, and the notions she's getting won't be good for her;" then getting bolder as we both maintained silence: "I didn't say nothing to you about it, Nan, but I put your bits of duds together this afternoon, and we'll start by the first train to Long Island City in the morning."

I was silent, and for a few moments not a word was said; then from the cowshed came the voice of William Sayer:

"Harriet! Harriet! Come here! The old cow's a-dying, sure!"

The old cow was the apple of Harriet's eye, and without a word she rose and ran to the shed. In an instant Mr. Douglas was on his feet.

"A blessing on the old cow! And may she need all-night treatment. Nan! Nan! I must speak to you! Come with me, quickly!"

He hurried me down the bank to the boat that was beached below us, and in a trice we were off and rowing for dear life to round the point before Harriet should come back and miss us.

There was not a sound of the oar in the rowlock now; silent as death and as swift, we sped out into the darkling waters. A moment—two—and then we had rounded the point, and, stretching to his work with long, easy strokes, we were soon under the shadow of old Firefly.

Not a word did he speak as we sped along, only as we passed the rock which had been the first means of bringing us

together he rested his oars, and, leaning forward, took my hand and kissed it. Silently he beached the boat, lifted me out, and, taking my hand, led me



"WE'D BETTER MAKE THE MOST OF THIS EVENING."

toward a spot we both had often loved. A spring came down from the heights above to mingle with the waters here, and over its mouth a great tree had fallen, leaving a branch that had served us for a bench many a time.

As we walked my feet slipped on a stone, and involuntarily I grasped his shoulder for assistance; when I would have withdrawn my hand he placed his on mine and held me fast, but spoke no word till we reached the seat. Then he stood before me and spoke:

"Nan," he said simply, "I love you! I love you with my whole soul. I ought not to tell you so, because your aunt told me two weeks ago that you were already promised to a young farmer near your own home. Hush, Nan, don't speak. You have been all that was sweet, womanly and modest, and had I not known this I should have had to leave you long ago, for I, too, am promised to another; I knew my love could not harm you, or I would have put the whole Atlantic between us days ago! But I could not let you go away forever without telling you. It can never do a woman harm to know that a man loves her and would make her the pride of his home if he were able. I feel, somehow, that I must tell you, Nan, and that I can do so without wronging the man to whom you are bound, or forfeiting whatever esteem you may have for me."

He was silent a moment, holding my hand in his and caressing it. Then he spoke again:

"You have always struck me as being so much above your position, Nan. It seems strange to find a girl of such fine sensibilities among such people as yours, and it is this gentle nature of yours that makes me feel that you will understand me to-night. You have been kind to me, Nan, and had we both been free, I think I could have made you love me, but it is better as it is, only, Nan, I want you to think of me sometimes; I want you to

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