

THE LYNN COUNTY NEWS

LYNN COUNTY—THE HEART OF THE SOUTH PLAINS—THE HOME OF KING COTTON

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FAIR PROBLEM FELT SERIOUS

Success of Lynn County Fair And Fair Exhibits Depend On Co-operation of Citizens

What have the various committees done towards completing the plans for a fair this year? The Chamber of Commerce appointed the various committees week before last but as yet nothing has been done. Brown Bishop, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, stated Monday. "Lynn county is able to put over a real fair this year and can do so every year," he continued, "but it is necessary for all to work together in order to make it a success. This year is our opportune time to make a showing at Dallas that has never been made before. Our crops promise a bountiful yield and also the products promise to be of the highest quality. Merely making the assertion that we should make a showing at Dallas, Amarillo and other places will not get the exhibit together. The gathering and placing of agricultural products necessary to exhibit in a fair is not a matter of only two or three days. It takes time and energy and money upon the part of more than one person for a period of weeks to make a collection worthy of being shown. Shall we show at Dallas, Lubbock and Amarillo? Are you willing to do your part? Or shall we forget the whole thing and say that we will not have a collection of products for any fair, including our own county fair, which was set for September 18-19?" These are some of the questions that Mr. Bishop wants propounded to our readers. Are the citizens of Tahoka willing to dig up and put the fair across? Are you willing, Mr. Citizen, to do your part? If so, let's go.

Dan Cupid Shoots Another Fatal Dart

Dan Cupid has scored another victory, but for some reason best known to himself he kept the secret of his triumph concealed within his own bosom for more than a week after he had won.

This time Miss Inez Weatherford of Tahoka and Mr. Webb D. Williams of Wilson were the victims. For a year or two Miss Inez had been deputy county clerk in the office of Happy Smith, and as such she had issued numerous marriage licenses herself. She had seen many of the victims of the god of Love stand before the altar and pledge their troth one to the other. Then she felt a victim herself to Cupid's arrow, and consented that Mr. Williams should have her own name together with his on a document of this kind. Accordingly Mr. Williams went to Lubbock and procured the coveted instrument and the marriage took place in that city on Tuesday, August 18th.

Following the marriage the bride and groom went on honeymoon trip to Roswell and the White mountains of New Mexico. Their marriage was announced last week after we had gone to press, announcing that they would be "at home" in Wilson to their friends after September 1st.

Mr. Williams is a son of J. T. Williams, proprietor of the Wilson Mercantile Company of Wilson. The bride is the daughter of Tax Collector and Mrs. J. S. Weatherford of Tahoka. Both have a wide circle of friends and have been the recipients of numerous messages of congratulation and good wishes.

Johnson Relates Visit Through Oklahoma

Wash W Johnson and family returned Tuesday from a weeks visit with one of his sisters, Mrs. W. A. Merritt, at Ardmore, Oklahoma. They also visited the oil fields in Oklahoma. Mr. Johnson was struck with the vast number of poverty stricken people that inhabit the oil fields and the towns in the vicinity of the oil fields. He says there is much wealth on the part of the few and the most distressing poverty on the part of the many, and he thought that the conditions in that state were most deplorable. He reports that in much of the territory he visited the land is poor and the crops a failure. He came back a stronger booster than ever for the plains.

Copious Rains Again Fall In Lynn County

As we went to press last week we announced that showers had fallen and stated that prospects for more rain were good. We were not mistaken for the rain came. The rainfall up to the time we went to press last week amounted to .31 of an inch. The total rainfall for the week amounted to .85 of an inch in Tahoka. In the Three Lakes community and other localities southwest of town, the rainfall was much heavier. In other localities it was also heavy, while some portions of the county received very little rain. The precipitation was a great help to young feed as well as the cotton.

R. B. Floyd brought to the News office Wednesday a dozen or more roasting ears gathered from his field. He has corn which he believes will make 60 bushels per acre. He has twenty acres of maize that promises better than two tons per acre. Some of his cotton will probably make a bale per acre while some of it will make only a poor yield. On the whole his crops are very fine. He lives out three miles southeast of Tahoka.

GAME SEASON IS NOW OPEN

Season For Doves Opened Monday Duck and Quail Season To Open Soon

The hunting season in Texas opened September 1, when the ban on the shooting of mourning doves is released. The open season on other game in the northern zone of Texas follows closely that of doves.

The season on mourning or turtle doves is from September 1 to October 31. During this season not more than 15 doves can be shot by one person, and the number for a week seven days is limited to 45.

The quail season opens November 16 and closes January 1. The bag for one day is limited to 12, and the number that can be killed in a week of seven days is 36.

The season on ducks in the northern zone will open October 1, and close January 31. The shooting of this game is limited to 25 birds a day for one person and not more than 50 ducks shall be killed in one week by the hunter.

Only ten days are allowed for the hunting of prairie chicken. This is from September 1 to 10, inclusive. Five chickens may be killed in one day, but the total number that one person is entitled to shoot during the season is limited to 10.

The foregoing regulations apply includes that part of the state lying north and west of a line extending along the I & G. N., and T. P. railway running from Laredo, Texas to Texarkana.

All of Texas this year has an open season on prairie chickens. Donley, Wheeler, Collingsworth, Gray, Hemp-hill, Roberts, Lipscomb and parts of Dallam and Oldham counties have plenty of chickens, it is reported here. Terry, Cochran, Gaines, and Yoakum counties in the South Plains also are reported to have many chickens.

All hunters caught with quail out of season will be prosecuted to the extent of the law.

WARNER CLUB TO MEET

All members of the Phebe K. Warner Club are requested to meet at the office of Miss Millie M. Halsey on Friday, September 5, at 4 p. m.

AUCTION SALE

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, September 12, between 3 and 4 p. m., the trustees of the Joe Bailly common school district No. 11, will offer for sale and will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction for cash on the public school premises, the old frame public school building of said district, about 28 by 48 feet in size.

T. A. Harris, Secretary School Board.

Irl Peters of Coollidge has accepted a position with the City Market. Mr. Peters has been in the employ of Mr. Wills in the market business heretofore and comes highly recommended by his employer.

A TALK FROM THE SECRETARY OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Some man said that "Things just don't happen—they are made". So it is with every town or community. They do not happen. One town has demonstrated it by putting into action a slogan that "Towns don't happen—they are built." A community that starts out in existence is built just as far as its individual members are builders and no farther.

The Board of Directors of the local Chamber of Commerce has said by their endorsement that "WE MUST DO SOMETHING DEFINITE". They realize that nothing can be done without the financial and moral support of every person in the community. The financial status of the local organization was brought to the attention of the finance committee and directorship in session and a budget set for the coming year. Before long you will be called upon to do your bit and no doubt the first question that you will ask yourself is "What has it Done?" Now reader, before answering the question please ask yourself the question, "What have I Done?" The appointment of committees will not accomplish a thing if that committee fails to function. Now is the time to begin to declare to yourself and resolve that you will contribute more than you have ever done toward helping finance a cause that is indispensable in every community.

The membership and finance committee of the local chamber or commerce has adopted a budget and plans have been worked out for the purpose of increasing our efficiency along Chamber of Commerce lines. A drive will be started soon and you will hear more of it, but in the meantime take time to look around you and see the many things that must be done that falls within the realm of the office of a Chamber of Commerce Secretary, and if you will look at the things squarely you will make up your mind as to what you are asked to do for the perpetuation of the work of the Chamber of Commerce in Tahoka this coming year.

Brown Bishop, Secretary.

"Border Legion" New Zane Grey Paramount Film

"The Old West" has come back! Once again in the far north country where Zane Grey wrote the novel "The Border Legion," cowboys in picturesque garb ride through the great stretches where wire fences have not come.

Once again the tingle of spurs and the creak of saddle leather break the lazy rush of mid-day.

Once again in a cloud of dust that darkens the sun, great herds of cattle move through the sage-brush wilderness with the steady rumble of a thousand hoofs.

Once again the rolling hills hear the shrill "coo-ee" of the cowboys, riding herd with one knee thrown nonchalantly over the saddle horn. The "Old West" was re-born for the picturization of the "Border Legion" in localities personally selected by Zane Grey. Far in the north country a selected cast of players headed by Antonio Moreno, Helen Chadwick, Charles Ogle, Rockcliffe Fellows and Gibson Gowland, brought to life the characters that lived long ago.

Approximately 100 minor players, chiefly cowboys, take part in the spectacular production, directed by William Howard.

"The Border Legion" which opens at the Star Theater on Monday and Tuesday, September 7th and 8th was filmed true to life.

The story adapted to the screen by George Hull, has to do with the activities of a band of ruthless outlaws who preyed upon settlers and gold towns in the early days of Idaho.

A replica of one of the great cattle drives of the early days is a striking sight.

Here is, perhaps, one of the greatest of all Zane Grey tales, produced as it fitting such a story, with a cast that approaches perfection. Moreno and Miss Chadwick have featured roles, and others, besides those already mentioned, include Charles Ogle, James Corey, Edward Gribbon and Luke Cosgrave.

Alvin Wyckoff did the photography.

Mrs. E. I. Hill, Jr. has returned from visiting Young County relatives.

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

On our editorial page appears a protest on the part of the editor against the bringing of a carnival to our town. Since the printing of this editorial, we have the assurances of the committee having the matter in charge that they will demand and compel obedience to the law on the part of the carnival company. We believe that this committee means exactly what it says and that it will do all in its power to see that any immoral or illegal concessions with this carnival shall be barred or suppressed if they undertake to run in our town. In this undertaking, however, they will need the united support of our officers and the citizens of the town. We hope that every citizen, male and female, rallies to the support of the committee and of the officers in the enforcement of the law in the event that the carnival comes. There can be no objection to a merry-go-round, and similar amusements, but the people of Tahoka should forever put their stamp of disapproval upon the gambling device and the immoral show.

Judge and Mrs. G. E. Lockhart are moving this week to Lubbock where the Judge will be associated with Tom Garrard, former assistant attorney general, in the practice of law. The Judge has many interests in Tahoka and Lynn county, however, and will divide his time between Tahoka and Lubbock. Hosts of friends here very much regret that the Judge and Mrs. Lockhart are changing their place of residence.

J. H. Goodnough and Irvin Bradley left Tuesday afternoon for Fort Worth to attend the state convention of the American Legion in session there Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Morgan Women's Club Reports Of Good Year's Work

Morgan Women's Home Club met with Mrs. Vernon Crews on Aug. 19. Frozen desserts was the subject. Several kinds of ice and ice creams were made and enjoyed by all present. Eleven members and six visitors were present.

The next meeting will be September 16 at Mrs. Aubrey Milliken's home at 2:30 p. m.

Home work reported since last meeting is as follows:

Canned vegetables, 8 qt.	\$2.40
Canned fruit, 62 qts.	\$31.00
Preserves and jellies, 76 qts.	68.40
Fruit juices, 32 qts.	12.80
Pickles & radishes, 351 qt.	175.50
Meats, 14 qt.	7.00
Total value	297.00
Clothing, five dresses	35.50
Grand total	332.50

Miss Mattie Hancock Wilson, Texas

Our Public School Will Open Monday

The Tahoka Public School will open next Monday. All the teachers are in Lubbock this week attending the institute and they will all be here ready for their work. Monday morning, according to Superintendent G. H. Nelson.

There will be a short program consisting of talks by the superintendent and members of the faculty as well as some of the citizens of the town, interspersed with music.

Mr. Nelson is very anxious that all of the patrons of the school be present at the opening exercises. Everybody cordially invited.

E. E. Grimes, a real estate man of Temple and brother-in-law of this editor, accompanied by his son, Winfred Grimes and friend Harold Childress, were visitors in the editor's family the first of the week. They took advantage of the opportunity while here to see much of Lynn county and they were delighted with our splendid crop prospects and fine land. They left Tuesday morning for points further north on the plains.

Local Baptists Close Successful Revival

The revival meeting, which has been conducted at the Baptist church for two weeks, came to a close Sunday night.

As a result of the meeting there were 33 additions to the church, 14 of which were by baptism. The baptismal service was to have been held at the close of the preaching service Sunday night, but upon investigation it was found that the new baptistry had sprung a leak and that practically all of the water had drained out. The baptismal service will probably be held next Sunday night.

Rev. W. A. Bowen did the preaching and the song services were conducted by his assistant, L. E. Payne. Both the preaching and the singing were super-fine. Brother Bowen was compelled to return to his home on Saturday morning, however, and the services Saturday night and Sunday were conducted by the pastor, Rev. B. N. Shepherd.

At the morning service Sunday an offering was taken for the benefit of the visiting preacher and singer, which amounted to a little more than \$400. A fine spirit prevailed throughout the meeting and the church was greatly helped in every way.

EDITOR TAKES SPREE MONDAY

Editor Visits Over County Monday With Visitors—Notes Community Progress

In company with some visitors here from Temple last Monday, the editor took a swing around the circle just to see the crops and to show the visitors the country. In fact we took two swings. The first one took us by T-Bar School house, thence almost to O'Donnell, back to Wells, on to New Moore, back by Three Lakes and thence to the home. The second one took us out through T-Bar pasture, out by Dixie and New Home, thence back to Wilson and from there to Tahoka.

On these trips we saw some wonderful crops. There is cotton in several of the communities visited that stands a good chance to make a bale per acre. There is some, however, that will probably not make over a quarter of a bale to the acre. We believe that in all of the territory traversed, the average yield may be conservatively placed at two-fifths of a bale per acre. Some claim that it will average half a bale, but we are trying to be conservative. If there is an acreage of 125,000 in the county then we place the production at not less than 50,000 bales. Of course it may reach 60,000 bales or even more, depending on conditions from here on out. We saw very little signs of worms. We had heard considerable fear expressed lest worms damage the crop, but since taking this trip we do not believe that the menace from this source is imminent. Most of the maize and other feed crops are likewise fine, except some of the old maize which suffered beyond redemption during the dry hot weather of July.

On every side were evidences of prosperity and progress. At Wells, we found carpenters and brick-layers busy constructing a commodious school building. It is to contain six class rooms and a large auditorium. In the community are many new farms, numbers of small farm homes, and some handsome homes. But even before the new comers had provided themselves with comfortable homes we find them erecting this handsome school building for their children.

At New Moore we found two stores and a new gin. The gin will be completed in time to take care of the crop in that vicinity.

At Three Lakes a splendid four room brick school building with an auditorium has been constructed this year and is ready for the opening of school this fall. It is built of blue brick and is one of the most attractive and commodious rural school buildings in the county.

At Dixie we also found a new school building in the course of construction. It will contain four class rooms and a large auditorium and will be ready for use when school opens this fall. It is being constructed of tile and brick and promises to be one of the most handsome school buildings on the south plains. There are a num-

FARM BUREAU MAN TO SPEAK

Prominent Bureau Expert To Speak Here Friday On Co-operative Marketing

Announcement is made that J. D. Coghlan, assistant Field service director for the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, will speak in the court house in Tahoka Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Coghlan is said to be an authority on the co-operative marketing of cotton and perhaps knows more than any other man about the subject. The Farm Bureau Cotton Association has grown to be a great organization and last year it handled one and a half million bales of cotton, according to the officers of the association.

Mr. Coghlan is anxious that as many farmers as possible as well as the business men of the county shall be present and hear his discussion. It should be of great interest both to the farmer and the business man. You are invited to come.

SMITH HAS PAINFUL ACCIDENT

When returning home from Arkansas last week, R. L. Smith was in an accident that came near being serious. He had stopped in the road near Mineral Wells to mend a tire, when two cars meeting on the road where he was ran together. One of the cars was thrown over on Mr. Smith and, though he escaped any serious injury or broken bones he has suffered from the scratches and bruises.

Mr. Smith and family report a wonderful and pleasant trip. They say, however, that they saw no land that they liked better than their home in the Wilson community. Boosters for their county? Rather.

—Wilson Pointer

Tahoka Young People Married at Plains

Everybody knows that Marshall Swann and Miss Thelma Love were married on Sunday, August 23. We had a good, juicy news story about this little romance last week, but since accidents frequently happen in the best regulated newspaper offices, we inadvertently omitted this story from our news columns. These popular young folks procured a marriage license from the county Clerk, Happy Smith, and then stole away over to Plains where the accommodating county judge of Yoakum Co. tied the nuptial knot. Then they innocently slipped back to Tahoka, but hardly had the gotten back until the news had spread over the city. At the instigation of warm friends of the couple, Happy Smith drew up an indictment charging them in the Anti-Matrimonial Court, with the offense of launching out upon the sea of matrimony, without malice aforethought, and without having first sought or obtained the advice of their best friends. A very spirited trial was promised Tuesday afternoon but for various and sundry reasons the trial had to be postponed and the happy couple are still unpunished.

Mr. Swann is proprietor of the Pioneer Abstract Company and enjoys a lucrative business. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. M. E. Lowe of this city. Both have a wide circle of friends, who have been showering them with congratulations.

ber of new farms in the T-Bar ranch between Tahoka and Dixie, and upon all of them are to be found most excellent crops.

New Home has two stores and a large cotton gin. We found a nice stucco residence being constructed by one of the merchants and other improvements being made in the community. The ginnings at New Home will doubtless far surpass those of last year.

The crops around Wilson are likewise good, and the prospects are that the cotton receipts at the local yard will be almost double what they were last year. Wilson is a progressive little town and has one of the best school buildings of any town its size to be found anywhere. The school began at Wilson last Monday morning, with every prospect of a successful term.

It was a trip that both the editor and the visitors enjoyed. Our crops and our country was a revelation to them.

Line Car In Creek Rise At Justiceburg

One of the Lubbock - Sweetwater line cars was caught in a rise while crossing Sand Creek at Justiceburg Saturday night and was almost completely demolished, according to reports of travellers passing through that place Sunday. It is said that when the car went down into the bed of the creek, which is 300 or 400 feet across, there was little water flowing over the concrete roadbed across the stream. But after the car had gotten down into the bed of the creek a two or three feet rise came and while the driver was striving to extricate the car from the swirling waters a second rise struck which carried the big car down the stream. The car carried only one passenger, a man, and both he and the driver succeeded in escaping from the car and swimming to the shore without being seriously injured.

L. P. Adair and children, Oliver and Misses Ruth and Eva, a newspaper man from Breckenridge, was a week-end visitor with his sister, Mrs. H. C. Crie, who first started the Lynn County News in its present six column size. While here Mr. Adair made a trip to New Mexico with a view to investing in some of the cheap land in the shallow water belt near the end of the Santa Fe line. Mr. Adair states that irrigation results, pumping from strong soft-water wells 30 to 40 feet deep, are remarkable cotton yielding a bale per acre with from one to two acre feet, with a dollar or two an acre for fuel oil. Mr. Adair predicts that since this land can be bought at grazing land prices a land boom is liable to break out over in Lea county at any moment.

WILSON NEWS

Crop are fine in our country now, and most all the farmers are wearing a sunny smile. But we are living in a wonderful country.

J. R. Hamilton and family are visiting in Frath county.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Williams are enjoying a lovely honeymoon.

Mrs. Laura Dulin and Miss Ruth Dulin returned Friday after a few days visit in Sweetwater.

James Dulin's tonsils were removed Saturday at the West Texas Hospital at Lubbock. He is doing nicely at present.

School begins Monday morning.

Rev. Johnson preached Sunday morning and evening at the Methodist church.

Brother Darby baptised several Sunday afternoon in the Lumsden tank.

Most everyone has planted a fall garden.

We are so glad to see large crowds at Sunday School. The people in and around Wilson do believe in going to Sunday School.

News is rather scarce this week, but we hope we can write more next time. So, don't forget to look for our letter in the best paper, The Lynn County News. We like our paper, and if we don't like it, how can we expect others to like it? Always remember that home is the most wonderful place in the world.—Aunt Martha

C. W. Slover showed up in the News office last Thursday, almost before the ink on our paper had dried, with three big fat heads of maize just to show us that Uncle Billie Crouch is not the only farmer who has raised some cracker jack maize this year. He says that he has a lot of it on his place of this fine quality. We'll bet that his pigs and colts stay fat this winter.

Music School Held At The Church of Christ

A music school is being held at the Church of Christ by Prof. H. P. Cooper of Frederick, Okla. The school began last Monday and will continue throughout this week and next. The class is in session from 3 to 6 each afternoon and from 8 to 9:30 each night. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

ROOM FOR RENT

I have for rent one large room, furnished for light house keeping. Miss Meda Clayton.

MRS WEST MOVING TO LUBBOCK

Mrs. West has traded her property in Wilson for the site of the West Texas Orphans home in Lubbock and will locate in Lubbock the latter part of September. She is moving to Lubbock in order that her sons and daughters may attend the Tech.

We are glad that the Messrs. and Misses West are to attend the Tech and we feel that it will be a wonderful opportunity and we rejoice with them even though we are to lose them. They are not leaving Wilson for good however, for they have many interests here and will be with us often. —Wilson Pointer.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lynn County, Texas, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Royal A. Ferris, Carrie A. Slaughter, E. Dick Slaughter individually and as president and a director of the C. C. Slaughter Company, a corporation, at the time of its dissolution, and Robert L. Slaughter, if living, and if any of said defendants are deceased, the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives, respectively, of the said Royal A. Ferris, Carrie A. Slaughter, E. Dick Slaughter and Robert L. Slaughter, deceased, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lynn County, to be holden at the Court House of the City of Tahoka, Texas, on the 3rd. Monday in September, A. D. 1925, the same being the 21st. day of September, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer the petition of plaintiff filed in said court on the 22nd. day of May A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered 573 on the docket of said court, wherein the City of Tahoka, suing for the use

and benefit of Wm. G. Morrison and J. P. Coleman, partners, composing the firm of the Plains Paving Company and Vance W. Mills, trading as V. W. Mills and Company, is plaintiff and H. C. Schumacher, Grover C. Bland, E. Dick Slaughter, individually and as Trustee of C. C. Slaughter Company; R. H. Stewart, Roy A. Ferris, Carrie A. Slaughter, Minnie Veal, George T. Veal; Dela Wright, Gilbert G. Wright; Carrie B. Dean, John H. Dean, Nellie L. DeLoache, Ira P. DeLoache, Robert L. Slaughter, C. C. Slaughter, Alec A. Slaughter, Allie D. Slaughter, George M. Slaughter, Jr., Joe Dick Slaughter; Eloise Slaughter, D. T. Rogers and G. E. Lockhart, and the unknown heirs, their heirs and legal representatives of said Royal A. Ferris, Carrie A. Slaughter, E. Dick Slaughter and Robert L. Slaughter, if deceased, are defendants, the nature of which demand is as follows to-wit:

Suit for the collection of certificates of special assessment, No. 55 for the sum of \$819.08, and No. 57 for the sum of \$202.41, payable to the Plains Paving Company, and portion transferred to V. W. Mills & Company, issued by the City of Tahoka under date of May 25, 1923, by virtue of ordinance passed by said city on January 11, 1923, and other ordinances and resolutions of said city, whereby a special assessment was levied against Lot No. One (1), in Block No. Twenty-One (21), Original Town of Tahoka, in Lynn County, Texas, for improving the highway abutting said premises, and a personal liability and charge against the real and true owners of said property, whether named in said proceedings or not, said certificate being payable in three equal installments, one thirty days after acceptance, which plaintiff alleges was May 24, 1923, and one on or before one and two years after said date, respectively, with interest at rate of eight per cent per annum, payable annually, and providing if default be made, holder at his option may declare full amount due, together with reasonable attorney's fees and costs of collection, if incurred, declaring said assessment to be a first and paramount lien, superior to all other liens, except taxes; that said installments are in default and have been declared due and suit brought for the collection thereof, together with foreclosure of said special assessment lien wherein plaintiff prays for judgment for amount of said certificates, interest, reasonable attorney's

fees and costs of collection, and for foreclosure of said lien. HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you then and there before said Court, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. WITNESS, W. E. Smith, Clerk of

the District Court of Lynn County, Texas. GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court in Tahoka, Texas, this 18th day of August, A. D. 1925. W. E. SMITH, Clerk of District Court, Lynn County, Texas.

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Come in and let us show you why

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You see before you purchase what you are paying

Here are a few of our regular, not special prices

No. 2 1-2 table peaches	33c
11 oz. El Food salad dressing	39c
P. & G. laundry soap	5 for 25c
Bold Bar Alaska Red Sockeye salmon	32c
No. 2 tomatoes	13c
No. 2 fancy Country Gentleman corn	22c
Old Dutch Cleanser	10c

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Groceries and Hardware

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Winona Wagons

and METAL WHEEL TRUCKS

A car load just arrived.

Don't fail to look them over before you buy.

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STAR THEATRE

Fri. Sept. 4th
Harry Carey
"The Night Hawk"

Sat. Sept. 5th.
"TOM MIX"
in
"OH YOU TONY"

Mon. & Tues.
SEPTEMBER 7-8th
Zane Grey
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The story that has been read and re-read by millions, now a screen classic.

Another of those clean, virile, pulse-stirring dramas for which Zane Grey is famous.

The author himself supervised the production—you know its done right!

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SEPTEMBER 9-10th

"ANY WOMAN"
Featuring
Alice Terry

Fri. and Sat.
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IN ALL THE NEWEST MODELS

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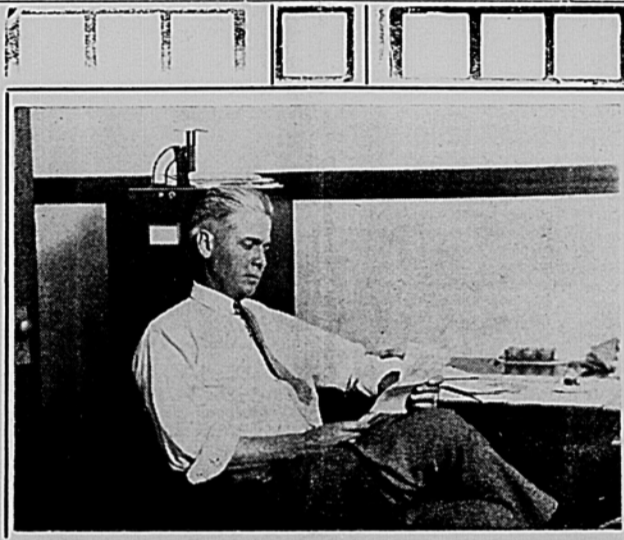
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Why kiss your \$\$\$ completely goodby. Spend them at home and you will see them again. Your home town merchant spends part of the money you pay him in supporting your schools, churches and in paying good roads taxes etc. Your money sent to mail order houses is gone forever. It never comes back to Lynn Co.

B. H. Hall ROBINSON

Farm, Ranch & City Loans, and Insurance



Always in the market for Loans on School or Patented Land regardless of location or quality.

I have just returned from the EAST and have made arrangements to represent the largest Loan Companies operating in West Texas. These companies have ample funds to make immediate payment on all Loans (They are not in the brokerage business whereby they are forced to sell all loans before paying out on same, and causing any delays whatever in paying out).

I will make and give immediate inspections, on all applications and am in position to make any corrections that may be caused by defective titles, as I am connected with the oldest Abstract firm in Lynn County, who have a complete title to all lands in Lynn County, and are prepared to give prompt service.

If you have any Second Lien Notes that you care to give a reasonable discount on, I will always be in the market for same if the security is good first class property.

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Phone No. 288 or No. 5

The Following Progressive Firms Made This Campaign Possible:

Brashear & Son

Exclusive Dry Goods and Clothing Merchants

Hogan Dry Goods Co.

The Quality of Our Goods are Unexcelled

Tahoka Drug Co.

Member Texas Qualified Druggists' League

The Limit

The Drug Sundry Store
COMPLETE LINE OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES

City Bakery

Bread, Cakes, Pies, as good as the best

Craft's Tailor Shop

No Better Equipped Shop on the South Plains

Smith's Tailor Shop

Careful Cleaning and Pressing—The Shop of Service

Hall Robinson, Insurance

Loans and insurance—I loan money, Insure Everything.

Sullivan & Coughran, Real Estate

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm or corporation, that may appear in the columns of the News, will be gladly corrected when called to our attention.



By all means a public road should be opened and graded from Wells eastward to an inter-section with the Tahoka-T-Bar road at the very earliest date possible. Such a road three or four miles long would shorten the distance from Wells and New Moore to Tahoka seven or eight miles. These people are entitled to a more direct route to their county seat and the chief trading point in the county. The commissioner of that precinct should be importuned by the people of Tahoka and Wells unceasingly until such request is granted. It would be little less than an outrage for present conditions to be allowed to continue long. What is Tahoka going to do about it?

The News has heretofore expressed the hope that no "Carnival" would ever again be brought to Tahoka. We are still hoping, notwithstanding the fact that we understand a contract has been signed with a carnival company to show here during the fair. Of course the management promises they will bring nothing but clean shows. We never have seen a "carnival" that carried many of that kind. Most of their so-called shows are unclean and most of their other "concessions" are gambling devices. They will make any kind of a promise usually in order to get into a town, and once in, they go just as far in indecency and in flouting the law as the officers will permit them to go. We believe that this thing should be kept out of Tahoka if possible, and that it should be made to respect and obey the laws if it should come.

I read in the papers that a protest has been lodged with the governor of Illinois against holding rodeos. It is alleged that a rodeo involves cruelty to animals of an outrageous and brutal sort. This matter of rodeo cruelty arose in London England, some time ago when at the Wembley Exposition a steer had its leg broken. The Society of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals brought the matter into court. The person was an American citizen. The laws of Illinois forbid cruelty to animals, but so do those of England. The difficulty seems to be the definition of cruelty. Broken limbs and sundry disfigurements occur at prize fights & football matches but there is a difference in voluntarily suffering injuries for the sake of a game, and subjecting tame animals to maltreatment for the purpose of making them wild. No entertainment involving the suffering of dumb animals is likely to make much headway with the American section of the American people.—Dearborn Independent.

The people of Three Lakes and New Moore are clamoring for a more direct public road to Tahoka. We believe that they are entitled to it. Three Lakes is one of the most progressive communities of the county, having recently constructed one of the best rural school buildings in Texas. New Moore is rapidly developing, and thousands of acres of land have been placed under cultivation within the last few years and a gin has been constructed. Yet neither of these communities has a direct road to Tahoka. We understand that the road has been mentioned in the commission of the Tahoka-T-Bar road.

pendent in opening and grading this much needed road. Some concerted action should be taken in the matter. What are we going to do about it?

ABOUT OUR LAW-MAKERS

Hatton W. Summers, congressman from the Dallas district has written a series of articles which have been published in the Farm and Ranch dealing with government problems. Below is an excerpt from his article appearing in the issue of August 29, which to us seems so sensible that we pass it on to our readers:

"In my judgment, we are going to have to pay some of our officials connected with the State Government more money. I do not know what you think about the governor's salary but I would be glad to pay the price of a package of chewing gum every two years to increase that salary. That would be more than enough for each of our grown people to pay."

"A good many people think it is smart to poke fun at our State Legislature. I have never seen a Texas Legislature that did not have many men of ability in it. Unless members are wealthy, they must work at making a living right up to the time the session begins. What time have they to study the problems of the State before the session begins? They ought to be giving practically all of their time, it seems to me, to a study of state problems, to know exactly how our tax money is being expended and trying to learn how to get more value for every dollar we put in."

"Texas is a many-hundred-million-dollar corporation. It has many activities and many great interests. The State Government alone spends many million dollars of our money per year, and yet we send, to sit on the Board of Directors to make rules governing ourselves and private property and State activities, persons who have a little more time to learn what they ought to do until they are actually seated at the 'directors' table' and begin to rush through with their work before they reach the end of the \$5.00-per-day period and have to begin living in Austin on \$2.00 per day out of which they must either send something back home for their dependents or draw on their savings accumulated before they left home. The result, of course, is much bad legislation, much tinkering with the laws—much duplication of the mistakes of other states, which mistakes could be avoided if legislators had had a chance to keep informed as to what the other States had done, and the result. It takes sense, integrity and time to do properly the serious work of running our Government."

"If ever a people were guilty of a penny-wise and pound-foolish policy, we are guilty of it here. I do not mean that we should pay our State representatives enormous salaries, of course, but I do mean salaries that would hire the necessary ability and give it a chance to do our work, just as common sense would tell us to do if we had any other important job which we had to hire somebody to do for us."

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By Chris L. Adair

Some crime wave questions should now be seriously considered. Can the crime wave ever reach West Texas? Will armed outlaws ever raid, burn and rob our towns in broad daylight this cotton season as they did last cotton season back in central Texas? Could our 100-odd local crack shots make just as good targets when called upon by the sheriff to head off a gang of bank looters as they are now making on doves and rabbits? In view of our five million dollar cotton crop being nearly ready for market would a local rifle and pistol club act as any deterrent to those stick-up gentry? Could our Isaac Walton Club members find any better means of proving to the public that much of the proposed anti-gun legislation is wrong than by the immediate formation of such a club to act as minute men in harmony with the local officers? Does anyone know that criminals do not gravitate to places where money circulates the freest? Can anyone devise a more workable plan for protection from the great international criminal league?

OUR WEEKLY SERMONETTE

By R. E. Shugart

A man that has friends must show himself friendly. "There is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother." Making friends is a fine business. We don't get far on the road to success without friends. We can't estimate the value of friends. Their smiles and kind words spur us on to greater usefulness. They brace us up so that we can stand the storms of life.

The friendship between Jonathan and David was so strong that it just broke out in an overflow of love. They would have laid down their lives for each other.

The only mission Jesus had was to make friends, and he made them out of his enemies. Jesus is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother. He wants to be your friend. He wants to help bear your burdens in this world. He wants to live with you in the world to come. What a friend we have in Jesus!

L. V. Goodrich came over from his home at Jayton last Saturday to visit his brother, S. B. Goodrich of this place. Mr. Goodrich says that crops are good in practically every part of West Texas which he has visited, though in some localities they are spotted. He is a booster for the West generally but especially for his own little home town of Jayton. He says that it is the best place on earth. Like the Irishman,

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lynn County—Greeting. You are hereby commanded to summon, Mrs. Ettie Wickliffe, Charlie B. Wickliffe, a minor, Ethel Wickliffe, a minor, M. M. Sterring, and J. R. Balch, by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Lynn County, Texas, to be holden at the court house thereof in Tahoka on the third Monday in September A. D. 1925, the same being the 21st day of September A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of August A. D. 1925. In a suit on the docket of said court No. 589, wherein W. J. Long is plaintiff, and Mrs. Ettie Wickliffe, Charlie B. Wickliffe, Ethel Wickliffe, M. M. Herrin and J. R. Balch are defendants, said petition alleging that heretofore, to wit, on or about the 1st day of January, A. D. 1925, the plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit: All of the North one half of the North East One Fourth of Survey No. 407, Cert. No. 473, in Block No. 2, H. E. W. T. Ry Co. containing 80 acres of land situated in Lynn County, Texas, and that on the day & year last aforesaid, the defendants unlawfully entered said premises and ejected the plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of five hundred dollars, that the reasonable rental value of said land premises is the sum of one hundred dollars, and the plaintiff prays for judgment for the title and possession of said land and premises for the cost of suit and for general and special relief. Herein fail not but have you before said court on the first day of

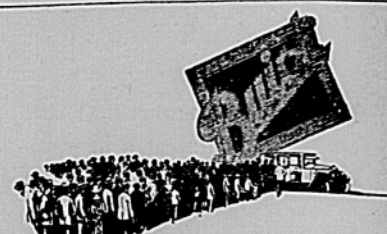
the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness, W. E. Smith, Clerk of the District Court, Lynn County, Texas. Given under my hand and seal of the district court in the town of Tahoka, this the 20th, day of August A. D. 1925. (Seal) W. E. SMITH, Clerk District Court Lynn County, Texas. Miss Carmice Mayfield of Lamesa is visiting Pearl Moore of this week.

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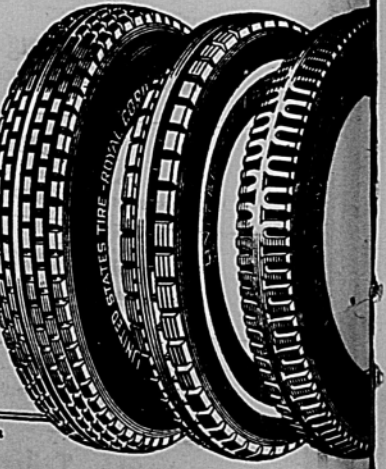
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Jack Inman On Visit Gives Praise To Eden

Jack Inman of Eden, Concho county, was here Tuesday and Friday of this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Inman of South Ward, and while here dropped into the News office to sing the praises of Eden for verse or two. He declares that the little town of Eden is situated in the original garden of the same name, from which the old Serpent as long since disappeared. He likes babbling brooks and its shade trees and cotton and maize being only secondary matters. He says his little own ginned about 2000 bales of cotton last year, however, and that it will gin more than that this year. Jack is employed in a gin there.

It takes self-denial in many instances to be a good citizen. Many a man who at heart is not a prohibitionist and does not belong to any anti-saloon league is such a firm believer in the Constitution of the United States, knows that he must live up to the eighteenth amendment. He will not buy bootleg liquors, does not serve any liquor in his home, nor drink any liquor that is offered to him by friends. This is a high standard, but it is the only standard that a truly patriotic man can take. Every man who violates that standard is helping to sow the seeds of corruption among the young people of the land and is doing his utmost to break down respect for the Constitution and for the laws upon which his own personal safety and his property rights must necessarily depend.—Big Spring Herald.

KILLS WILD CAT AND TWO KITTENS RECENTLY

In conversation with Dolphus Young the first of the week, he told of killing a wild cat that was discovered while he was dealing misery to his chickens. A few days after that a kitten was killed while plying the same vocation; and then on last Sunday he killed another kitten that was noticed as he was driving along the public road. He secured a rock and soon chucked this one out of the wild cat world. Wednesday afternoon while Rufus White was driving through Sugar Loaf Gap, a few miles north of Killen, he sighted a wild cat running

along a gulley. He leaped from the car and being handy with stones soon put it out of business. It was a kitten about half grown.—Killen Herald. (Editors Note: It must have been Sugar Loaf Gap or Hog Mountain near Killen or some of the other "Wilds" of central Texas where Jack Patton, the rising young cartoonist of the Dallas Journal, spent the night and got his inspiration for that cartoon which he drew & in a moment of absent-mindedness labeled it Tahoka, Texas. There are places down in Central Texas and even over in the vicinity of Dallas where the wild cats are still wild, while grown men reared on the plains would not know a wild cat from a wild boar. We have a few tom cats and occasionally a pole cat, both of which species must have emigrated from the east, but this has never been a wild cat country. In days gone by it was the home of the graceful Antelope and the lordly buffalo, but no wild cat ever made his lair on these plains. We don't even have wild cat whisky out here very often. The only wild thing we have is a wild cat oil field, and it may not be wild very long. That wild dream that Patton had must have been down in the Killen country, or somewhere a little closer to Dallas.)

HEAD W. T. S. T. C. ENGLISH ON THE LUBBOCK INSTITUTE

CANYON, August 31, 1925.—Prof. R. P. Jarrett, head of the education department of the West Texas State Teachers College, is in Lubbock this week where he will be a member of the Institute faculty for that county. He will return to Canyon September 4 and on September 7 will open the Panhandle—Plains Counties Institute here, which will be attended by the teachers of twenty-two counties of the Panhandle region. Professor H. M. Cook is spending this week working in the Institute of Bowie county. For the five-day period beginning September 7th he will lecture to the teachers of Red River County; from there he will go

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Block No. 50, in the original town of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, together with all improvements situated thereon and levied upon as the property of G. B. Higginbotham, and that on the first Tuesday in October 1925, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Lynn County, in the city of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.m. & 4 p.m., by virtue of said levy and said Judgment and Execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said G. B. Higginbotham. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Lynn County News, a newspaper published in Lynn County. Witness my hand, this 19th day of August 1925.

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Special Presbyterian Services For Sunday

Rev. W. K. Johnston, D. D., of Lubbock was here Tuesday on his way home from a meeting of the Synod at Kerville, which was in session last week, and he requested that we announce services here next Sunday at the Primitive Baptist Church, both

at 11 o'clock in the morning and at night. He will bring a great message concerning the meeting and the work of the Synod. Dr. Johnston states that it was a great meeting and that all enjoyed the work very much. He was one of the speakers at the Synod his subject being Religious Work On The Frontier.

Prof. Sanders Returns With His Recent Bride

Prof. and Mrs. Sanders were in the city Wednesday looking for a place to board during the coming school year. Both he and Mrs. Sanders are members of the Tahoka school faculty, Mr. Sanders as principal and Mrs. Sanders as teacher in one of the grades. When Mr. Sanders left last June he intimated to friends that when he came back his bride would come with him—and she did. Mrs. Sanders was formerly Miss Faye Ball of Abilene and has been a student in Simmons College. Their marriage occurred recently in Abilene. They are attending the institute in Lubbock this week.

Former Tahoka Man Writes In Washington

The News has received the following communication from I. W. Meyer a former citizen of this county, whose home is now at Yakima, Washington. The letter is dated, Yakima, August 21st, 1925, and is as follows: "You will find enclosed \$1.00 on my subscription to keep my paper coming. It is like getting a letter from home. You see, I lived there so long I like to know what is going on there. We came to Lynn County in 1901. We were the fifth white family to settle in the county. We lived there seventeen years. We had many hardships at the beginning in helping to settle the country. I bought 160 acres of land at \$1.00 per acre and then took up two sections of land at \$1.50 per acre adjoining Lynn school house on the west. I was the first to plant cotton in Lynn county. I first planted a few hills in my garden in 1901 and it did very well. So in 1903 I planted three acres for a test and it made 1 1/2 bales. I loaded 1,500 pounds on my wagon and drove

onto the streets of Tahoka to show it, and the people made up a little purse of about \$9.00, and the editor gave me his paper for one year. His name was Lilly. Then I drove back home and got ready for the gin, sold the other seed cotton to Mr. Sprout, and the next morning I started for the gin at Snyder only about seventy miles away. I was gone about five days, sold the cotton for \$10.10, and on the same three acres I sold \$70.00 worth of watermelons. So you see that the three acres replaced the money I gave for the 160 acres of land. But I finally got tired of the drought and sand storms, and when I had to part with my cattle I sold out and came up to Idaho and bought an irrigated farm. I lived there 5 years and then came here to Yakima. I am still irrigating. This is a fine fruit country.

Glad to know that you have had rain. Best wishes to all.—I. W. Meyer.

Horace Hale Appointed County Game Warden

Horace Hale of this city was notified last week of his appointment as deputy game warden for Lynn county, and he qualified by making bond and taking the oath of office last Friday. For the present his territory will consist of only Lynn county, but it is expected that his jurisdiction will be extended later so as to embrace other south plains counties. He receives a salary of \$125.00 per month. Lynn county is peculiarly fortunate in procuring this appointment for one of her citizens. Iraak Walton Clubs were recently organized at Tahoka and O'Donnell, and since these clubs work in cooperation with the state game and fish commissioner, it is believed that these clubs working in cooperation with Mr Hale can do much towards re-stocking our grazing lands with game birds and some of the lakes with fish.

I read in the papers that Michigan's secretary of state proposes that all automobile taxes be included in a 3-cent gasoline tax. It is a suggestion that smacks of common sense. One tax is always to be preferred to two or three, and a use tax is just State protection of ownership by registration will be carried on as now, but the cost of license collection will be obviated.—Dearborn Independent.

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TAHOKA BOY SCOUTS ON VISIT TO O'DONNELL

Rev. John Eldridge, Scoutmaster W. R. Lacey, and thirteen Tahoka boy scouts were entertained at O'Donnell Tuesday night by the O'Donnell Scout Troop and citizens of O'Donnell. The program consisted of talks, stunts and water melons, according to W. R. Lacey. The O'Donnell band dispensed music for the occasion. The Tahoka boys were entertained royally and they greatly appreciated the entertainment. The O'Donnell troop consists of 27 boys, with Ben Brown as the scoutmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Dobbins came up Saturday from Roscoe to visit their daughter, Mrs. G. M. Stewart. Mr. Dobbins returned home Monday, accompanied by Malcolm Dobbins, Jr. who has been visiting here several weeks. Mrs. Dobbins remained to spend a few days here with her daughter.

Bids Wanted

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Tahoka Independent School District, at its meeting to be held on the 25th day of September, A. D. 1925, will receive proposals from any Banking Corporation Association or Individual Banker in Lynn county that may desire to be selected as the Depository of the funds of the said Tahoka Independent School District.

Any Banking Corporation, Association, or Individual Banker in Lynn County desiring to bid shall deliver to E. I. Hill, president of the Board of Trustees of said Tahoka Independent School District, on or before 8 o'clock p. m. on the 25 day of September, 1925, a sealed proposal

stating the rate of interest that said Banking Corporation, Association or Independent Banker offers to pay on the daily balance of funds of the said Tahoka Independent School District, payable every thirty days, for a term of two years and until a successor is duly and legally selected.

Said proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check for not less than One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars as a guaranty of good faith on the part of the bidder, and as a guaranty that if his or its bid should be accepted said Banking Corporation, Association, or Individual Banker, as the

case may be, will enter into a bond as provided in article 2771 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the thirty-ninth Legislature; and upon the failure of said Banking Corporation, association or individual banker, that may be selected as such depository to give bond as required by law, the amount of such certified check shall go to the Tahoka Independent School District as liquidated damages, and the said Board of Trustees shall re-advertise for bids

Given under our hands at Tahoka, Texas, on this the 31st day of August

A. D. 1925.

E. I. Hill,
President of Board of Trustees of Tahoka Independent School District.

Attest: J. S. Weatherford,
Secretary.

1-3c

A. L. Cantrell has opened an office as a chiropractor over the Variety Store. He is a graduate of a chiropractic school of Washington, D. C., and for the past two or three months has been located at Lamesa, from which place he comes to Tahoka.

SOUTH WARD ITEMS

ello, Everybody! Here we are after a long absence. But we still on the map and feeling fine. Crops are looking great after the rains.

B. Cowan has decided that he not have room for his good feed so he proceeds to build a new

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chandler of lo and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. M. Chandler of Brownfield are with us again week. Brother Chandler is conducting a revival meeting, which will through this week and probably

We extend a hearty welcome very one to come be with us and us to have a great revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vance of wine were South Ward visitors day and Sunday night.

Jack Inman, Bud Fenton, and Sam th came up Thursday from Concho county. Jack returned to Concho day, but after all their travels and Sam think Lynn County is for them.

Sunday School and Prayer-meeting well attended Sunday.

Sunbeam.

SKATING RINK NOW OPEN

The new skating rink was completed last week and opened for business day night. It has been well patronized by the young people of the town in the afternoons and at night. It is popular, and is proving to be a very popular place of amusement.

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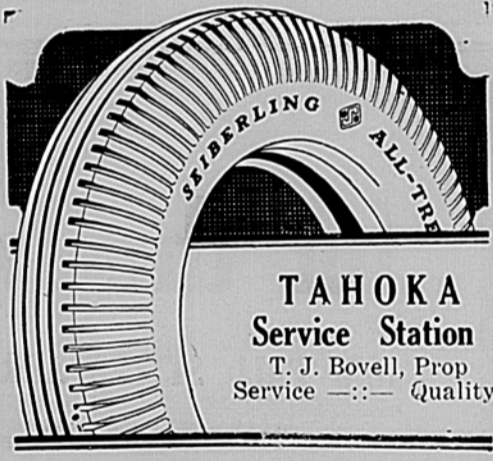
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**Men's Bible Class
Condemns Carnival**

At a meeting of the Men's Bible Class of the Baptist Church Tuesday night, a motion was made to the effect that the class go on record as opposing the bringing of a carnival to Tahoka. The motion was carried without a dissenting vote, about 20 men being present and participating. That brought on more discussion, however, whereupon a second motion was made and passed by unanimous vote to the effect that the "concessions committee" be requested to cancel the contract recently signed by its members with a carnival company to show here during the fair. Various members of the class expressed themselves in no uncertain terms concerning carnival shows and the membership left no doubt as to where they stand on the proposition.

These resolutions were passed in view of the action which had been taken by the concessions committee Tuesday in signing a contract with the Alamo Shows of San Antonio to be here during the fair. The members of this committee state, however, that they took every precaution in this contract to prevent the running of gambling concerns and immoral shows, and made it plain to the show people that no such show or concession would be tolerated, and that if they put on any such show or concession it would be at their own risk. On Wednesday morning this committee re-considered, however, and wired the company that owing to public sentiment here it would be best for them not to come at all. Just what the result will be yet remains to be seen.

If the carnival does come and puts

on any objectionable shows or concessions the committee will see that the guilty parties are prosecuted and so stated in the contract. What the committee meant to get was the merry-go-round, ferris-wheel, and other innocent amusements, and we feel sure that the committee is going to see that the company complies with its contract in this respect.

LYNN NEWS

I wonder how everybody is feeling since the splendid meeting. We are so thankful to report a wonderful meeting, Brother Darby having rendered some very interesting themes. Some 35 or 40 additions to the church 10 or 12 of which were candidates for baptism. The candidates from this community went to Wilson Sunday afternoon to join the Wilson candidates, where they were baptised at the Lumsden tank at five o'clock.

The Baptist people of this section are planning to build a new church in the near future. They have also called Bro. Graves Darby of Wilson for their pastor. Let us hope for a great change in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland and little son Hugh Wilson and Mrs. Honea made a business trip to Lorraine Friday, returning Sunday afternoon.

John Barrett has been suffering from wound in his eye, caused from a nail's hitting him in the eye.

Arthur Honea and Harvey Williams visited in Brownfield Sunday.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Russell on the sick list again this week. Mrs. Wyl's brother, Mr. Hatchett, of Arizona is visiting here this week. Lester Hatchett and wife are visiting relatives near Brownfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Covington returned

Monday to take up duties as teachers in our school. Let everybody get behind the teachers if you want a real school.

Mrs. J. T. Wade and Mrs. J. A. Honea visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Maxey of Slaton Sunday afternoon. Prof. Ellis of Oklahoma is now conducting a singing school at the Methodist church. He is an efficient teacher, and you will not be disappointed if you attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter, Emmett Dillard and father left Tuesday morning for Childress to spend a few days with relatives.

E. R. Terry made a trip to New Home Tuesday.

Miss Lena Barber of Lynn has returned from an extended visit to relatives at Plainview.

A number of high school pupils in this district enrolled in the Wilson school last Monday.—Correspondent.

G. C. Sargent and family have just returned from a trip down east. They report a good time but say that crops are generally sorry in that part of the state.

**Negro Girl Drowned
In Stream Near Post**

Parties coming through Post Sunday report that a negro girl was drowned in a swollen stream a mile this side of Post Saturday night. A negro man in whose car she was riding drove into the stream, when the swift waters upset the car and washed it down stream several yards where it hung on some kind of an obstruction and was almost totally demolished. The body of the girl was found several yards down the stream two or three hours later. The negro man seems to have escaped from the waters uninjured.

**Tahoka Teachers
Attend Institute**

The teachers of the Tahoka Public Schools are in attendance upon the institute in session in Lubbock this week. Various members of the faculty report that the attendance is unusually good. There were 788 enrolled up to Tuesday night, according to one of the Tahoka teachers attending.

Dr. Y. D. McMurry of Lamesa has located in Tahoka and will practice dentistry with Dr. Singleton.

Want Ads

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 1924 Ford Truck, 3 in. body. This truck has been completely overhauled and is in A1 condition, a real bargain. Briley Grain Co., 51-c.

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IRRIGATED LAND: Costing \$20. per acre raises bale of cotton per acre. Only a few tracts left at this price. Address Box 11, Tahoka, Texas.

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FOR SALE: Two used wagons and Ford truck.—A J. Thomas at Boulion at the Thomas Store. 1-2c

FOR RENT: A half dug-out room three blocks from the square; concrete floor, walls and ceiling, has water and electric lights. Just the thing for a young couple, or one or two teachers. At the Parkhurst Home. Inquire at the Postoffice. 1-11c

**Baptist Association
Meets At New Home**

The Brownfield Baptist Association will meet at New Home, fifteen miles northwest of Tahoka, next Tuesday and will remain in session two or three days.

This Association is made up principally of the churches of Gaines, Lynn, Terry, and Yoakum counties, and there will possibly be seventy-five or a hundred messengers in attendance. Many of them will drive over from their homes each day, however, returning at night. Quite a number of Tahoka people are expecting to attend, we understand.

**Boy Scouts To Have
"Stunt Night" Soon**

Scoutmaster W. R. Lacey announces that the Tahoka Boy Scouts are planning a "stunt night" to be held soon, possibly Friday night of next week. This is expected to be quite an enjoyable affair. All of the fathers and mothers of the boys are urged to be present and other citizens are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Jordan and children of Waco are here visiting Dr. Chas. Shook and S. D. Sanders family. Mrs. Jordan is a sister of Dr. Shook and Mrs. Sanders.

LEGAL NOTICE

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lynn County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Melvin Francis, by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Lynn County, to be held at the court house thereof in Tahoka, on the third Monday in September, 1925, the same being the 21st day of September A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of August A. D. 1925, in suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 288, wherein P. W. Crawford and Addie Francis, are plaintiffs and Melvin Francis is defendant, said petition alleging that

heretofore to wit, on or about the 24th day of May A. D. 1925, plaintiff Addie Francis, the daughter of the plaintiff P. W. Crawford, was a child under the age of fifteen years, and the defendant was a man of mature years, and the defendant through false and fraudulent representatives, and over persuasion, induced the plaintiff Addie Francis to marry him; that she never lived with the defendant as his wife; and plaintiffs pray that judgment be rendered annulling said marriage, that the maiden name of the plaintiff Addie Francis be restored, and for general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your soon as the plaintiff P. W. Crawford, learned that his daughter had left with the defendant for the purpose of marriage, he on the next day after said marriage took his

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