NEW RAMEOAD TALK
New Surveys and Extensions Being Made All Over West Texas---Time to Work for Tahoka Road.

## THE STANTON-LAMESA

 The following extracts from th Stanton Reporter of last weel leads one to believe that the ral Lamesa bave been laboring wit yet terminate in a raltoad, ma Reportier says:"E. G Salser, owner of Brown lee, has just placed in the Fiist National Bank a note for $\$_{30}, 00$
payable to T. T. O' onnuell, payable to T. J. OD Donnell, th promotor of the road from here
Lamesa. This note calls for railroad within a specified time ove the grade now almost complete to Lamesa.
"Wealso understand a move is on foot upon the part of some
Stanton capitalists by which the Stanton capitalists by which the the bank at once calling flaced in same road.
There are Hereford, Colorado and Gulf play!ng around on several surves s. These surveys may spell something for Stanton and they may not, bu the Stantor-
and our peopie st
ing by on the othe
line as yet is only a preliminary one and in due tume we suppose Stanton is not antagonstic and when the time cones she will show on she is capabie of digariag up she may be asked for.
Citizens of Stanton, every ma. we're coming
patiently waiting. The people of West Texas are
really anxious tor the lestilature really anxious tor the legislature pass some kind of a bill that retard the building of railroa through this sparsely settled stction of the state. A dispatch from Brownwood says: Brownwood says
enily believed here that if tor dirry-first quits business withoui interests of the railıoads of the state that Browawood will see the Texico cut-off built this year by Texicu cut-ofi built this year by that work on this link in a urans continental line is being held up until it is ascertaing held up will be done with Governor Campbell's demand for two cent fares,"
If the ahove be true and
If the ahove be true and we do der that the people it no wonare that the people of the west that "August Body." The people of Lubbock are also greatly this line of road, as it ispletion of -line through our city, and a very important one too. It is the general opinion of the people of this begin on this connecting link of the Santa Fe this year.
We are of the opinion that thes Will not fear that a two cent fart egi per bod epresentative do nothing more than quarrei mong themselves, and draw their -a-day.-Lubbock Avalanche. SURVEYORS HERE AGAIN The surveying crew of the
Southertion Com pany arrived in Lubbock the lat-
ter part of last wees, and have
en surveying the town, since their arrival here. They have not re-run the former lines through the Overton addition, and it is the the route which they will finaliy doubt know for sure "where no are at" in another week which will place us all in position to act has been given out as yet to rive anything definate from, in re gard to the location of the right of-way thr
Avalanche

## DISTRICI CONFERENCE.

The Plainview District Con outh, will convene
W. S. Swan and T. M. Bartle are ex-officio members of tha Conference. The delegates elec are Lee A. Womack, H. C. Crie
W. E. Porterfield, and S. C. Mc Carley, with C. G. Alford an o. A Coughran alternates.

The :ndividnal personal benefit:
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ing to outsiders that the
of the Church in Tahoka are no ignored. Last year Tahoka had gathering, and, being one wh was in a position to know. I can amplimentary to Tahoka Methodism.
Let each d legate begin now t make preparation to go, so tha when the roll is called, excuses rahoka
J. T. Howell, Pastok.

Good Money in Raising Millet O. C. Axtel, of Sp-ing Lak neighborhood, and whose farm in Dimmitt Monday to market hi nillet, which brought $\$ 150$ pe Off of 80 acres he thrash narke' $\$ \mathrm{r}, 650.00$
This was on sod land and the and cost $\$ 15$ per acre; breakin of land $\$ \mathbf{2}$ an acre; cutting $\$ 1$ an acre and a whole c
$\$ 1,528$ on the 80 acres.
After paying for the land and all costs of planting, harvesting hrashing, etc., he cleared $\$ 122$. and the straw, which is not figured with the above
on the ground.
n the ground.
This is one of the many hun red of proofs that the first crop will pay for land and all expense besides making a good profit on Plainsman.
Mrs. Cowan and daughter, Miss Annie, went to Big Springs Tues-
day to visit Mrs. Will Humphries, day to visit Mrs. Will Humphries,
Mrs. Cowan's daughter. Mrs. owan will go to Colorado and visit ber son, Troy Cowan, befor

Queen High Patent Flour give satisfaction to duzens of regular
users. $\$ 3.35$ a hundred at. Jack Alley's, west side square, Tahoka.
Dr. Ballinger, of Lubbock has ought the building from Dr . fahoike Drug Co. The building wess firm in the near future.

The Call of Opportunity-How Will You Answar Il? nent during the past quarter century has m. And it sems more than likely that
ultivation.
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irrigation have turned vast areas of waste land into
The demand for land for home. -making increaes da
f some place where those of moderate means may become independen:
To those seeking such an opportunity,
plains of West Texas, is the proper place
million acres of proven agricultural land is
settlers at an average price of about $\$$ io
time. This land, while cheap in price
ies per acre, all kinds of farm, garden and
he middle and northern United States, and that
from their first $t$ wo years' crops to finish paying for
All kinds of poultry and domestic animals thri
plenty of natural food and shelter and very few dise
easily put in cultivation and the farmer gets better
easily put in cultivation and the farmer gets better
expended than anywhere in America. The rainfal
excessive, while the nature of the soil and the
provide perfect drainage and make floods and
Nowhere in the world are life and property
County. Our people are of the best
with a small per cent of the better class of foreigne-s.orn American negroes, vagrants, paupers or professional criminals here. By their ballots, Lynn County's citizens have outlawed the dramshop and there by the evils which accompany it. In Lynn County no death has ever been caused by suicide or assarsination, none of convicted of felony and misdemanor cases are rare. conducive to healthfulness and the death rate is remarkably low. noticeable feature of this country is the general good health of it
women and children. There are no dangerous wild animals and the ew poisonous reptiles and insects are disappearing rapidy as country settles up. Storms, floods, forest fires, dropths, ice-facks snow-slides, earthquakes and epidemics ars unknown

## Every individual and every business enterprise which will con

 uunity will receral welfare and assist in the upbu:lang time to come and see forcitizens and their number
the world are finding out about we
building everywhere. One will soon build thit
Tahoka, our county seat will become a modera
oor Youe now, so as to avoid the rush and
LEGISLATIVE PROCE DINGS
Austin, Feb. 24th-The announce-
ment of Speader Kennedy of the
House to the effect that the part
platform demaeds will in the futur
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the Thomas lobbying sensation, with the appointment of a com m:ttee to investigate these charges and a mild discussion of the lobby ng question in the House, were he most interesting feature
Speaker Kennedy flatly told the solons that they must pay mort attention to the Democratic Plat torm demands and party pledges and the Speaker is in a position $t$ make his words bring forth deeds. So far not one of the platform de mands has been enacted into law. Though not strictly a platform demand, the bank deposit guarant bill is a party pledge. There wil
de a fight on the floor of the Hous oe a fight on the floor of the Hous reported adversely by the majorit of the committee and favorably b a minority.
The charges of Senator Thoma that there had been one thousan specific violations of the anti-lobby law, came in the foreground agai law, came in the foreground again
when the investigation committee reported. Senator Thomas re iterated his, charges so the Senat decided that a regular investigation with witnesses and all other ad juncts, should be made. A com mittee and official stenographer to take testimony were appointed and the hearings beyan Tuesda night. Senator Thomas has employed Monta J. Moore of Cameron is counsel to represent him at the nvestigation. Whether or not senator Thomas will be able to make good his sharges remains make good his sharges remains to
ne seen Interest in this matter is over-shadowed hy other ma
importaut affairs of legislation.


## A POULTRY SHOW Would Help to Advertise Our Resources--Ladies Want Poultry Show-A Nice Letter About It.



## DON'I FORGEI IT.

## The I.ynn County News is pub- lished for the purpose of letting

en, talk chicken, read chicken and ream chicken, and we should like
add if we do all of these thing hen we we do all of these things who will be the pext to write chicken; don't be bashful; most of those who are interested in poultry are most 100 grown up to be at fected that way. We won't mind if everpbody speaks at once, we're preity nimbie when it comes to listening, if we are nearly forty We don't show our age in our ears. We used to be a chicken raiser ourself and could hear a hen cackle as far as far off as any one and in our young days we could beat every "suck-egx pup" on the place to the nest and get the egg too
Now let's make wa: on pup, cos ottes, and polecats and haves ch cken show next fall that will be sacn a good one that we will be every cue strive for purity of breed and excelence in individual fowls. Who will write the next letter?
ind Editor
I think you bave suggested ood topic when you hit on poultry show this fall. Now let's in th I who are concerne in this. I, for one, am in favo of it and will eiter two different beeds, White wyandotte and Rhode Island Red. Would be giad if someone who understand this matter to give us some inforad all get together and if we can't have a Show that this Fall.

Mrs. M. E. Welis.
two snns, John Weddington, a son by a former marriage, and Craw ford Edwards, both of whom live here - Record
Mrs. Sallie Edwards, wife of C O. Edwards, died Thursday at their home four miles west of Fort Worth Mrs Edwards was 62 years old and is survived by two soas, John Weddington and Crawford Edwards. The funeral will he from the house at $o$ clock Saturday morning with services at the Brooklyn Heights 3aptist church at in o'clock. In cerment will be made in Mt. Oliver cemetery-Telegram.

18, 24 and 30 inch poultry net ing at The Hardware for good

The Tahoka Restaurant changed ands last week. Mr. Wilson, vo has been proprietor for several months, sold oat t ) Walter Gaddy. We wish Mr Gaddy all success in nis new business.

Keep your chickens at home ith some 24 inch poultry netting rom The Hardware at good prices.
Cuarley Smith, a brother-in-law Mr Lee Womack east of town, came in Saturday from N. M., Through some technicality he land. his land and has come to Lynn County to make his home for the year.

Why not keep your neighbor's hickcas out with some of the 30 nch poaltry netiing for sale
Mrs H. E. Baldridge was in Thopping.

American Reauty flour has no

## Death of Mrs. C. O. Edwards,

The sad intelligence reach
eath of Mrs. C. U. NAwards,
frietds here as Aunt Sallie.
Her death came as a grierou
shock to quite a number of peoplt
loved her. Mr. Edwards owns ths T-Bar Ranch which has been so T. Petty. Mr. and Mrs. Edward:
Ther the magement of have visited Mr and Mrs. Petty
trequently and have endeared hemselves :o a great many poop'c Petty spent most of his boyhood the home of Mr. Edwards, Aun Sallie having been a foster moth o him for a good many years anc hoss of a triend.
We clp from the Fort Wor
ive all the particulars we hat been able to gain:
Mrs. Sallie Edwards, aged 6
years, and wife of C O. (Cas) Ed wards, died Thursday night at the family residence, four mites west of town; on the Stove Foundry
road. She had been ill with an attack of grip for several days, and it was thought that she would soon be well, but early in the night she
was seized with a violent coughing pell and passed away in less than lit an hour.
Mrs. Edwards was one of the
dest settlers of Tarrant county and she and her husband were
witely known in this section. She ijely known in this section. She
suryived by her husband and


## Selections

ABOUT MAUD
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Wo have heard of Ma wh on a hot t
mer day, who raked, barefooted,
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cow with the of the rusting corn and the
spring; but of all the lays, of her hay the Texas hen began
ere the ere the nilik maid stit up aud laid an eag! The corn must t
tie, the flowers spring if tie, the flowors spring, if they hold the is needing a hat or ring hustle her hay to to store and obtains her suit with a bo to
full of fresh the full of fresh hen fruit with a back maid's beau makes a Sunday
does not feed him mill up egss in a custard pie; op egss in a custard pie; druggist a load of corn? he aimply robs the nest, goes, you know the rest. He hore and taiks perchance, while
poor wite stays at ho poor wile slays at home and scowls, but
is saved rom want by fowls, for while her huse self san there, she watches the cacklie hinge with care, and gathers the egzs hen these she will hide, till she saves enould to stem the tide. Thea hail, a! hail, t all male. Tbrow up your ha make Rome hew
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Corn may be king, but its plainly seen that the

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Rose of Summer, Rose of Summer, Old Oaken Lucket,
Etar Spangled Banner, Vacant Etar Spangled Banner, Vacant Chair
Those Erening Bells, Tramp, Tramp Those Erenng Bells, Tramp, Tran
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Mrs. Redwine, of Draw, was in own saturday, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Brown Bishop, who lives ten miles north of L mesa, and is visiting her mother
Miss Lula Cowan returned Mon day from Plainview, where she had been visiting her friends, the Misses Suiter, who were formerly of Tahoka. Miss Lula expressed herself as delighted with her visit in particular and Plainview is general.
Mrs. Tefteller, of Ft . Worth who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. McLoud, of this place for he past two months, ireturned bef home Saturday. Mrs Tefteller her stay among us, who regret bts departure.
W. D. Wells moved a pretty two room house to town Tuesday and located it in the Southeas portion of town. We are giad in seg the residence increasing in good investment.
La Yerne Kershner has moved to his new home in the east side of town

WANTED,-To know the whereabouts of Dean Livergood; age 17 years, light complexion.
Any informaticn concerning him y information concerning his brother,

John Livergood, Big Springs, Texas.

## Jack Alley

## Dry Goods, Grocerles and Furniture

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Thursday we learned that a Garza county mav, whose name no one seemed to know. had got
nis thumb jerked off. The Post ais thumb jerked off. The Post
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Road Notice to Land Owners.







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#### Abstract

DRAW LOCALS. Mrs. Walier and Mrs. Vassar called on Mrs, LeMond Monday. Several of the Midway people attended church at Draw Sunday. church at Draw Sunday. Rev. T. . Willett, of Post City, was through our conmunity 1 hursday and Friday euronte to Wells school house Misses Wriliter sumd was wis the guest of the Mis. Mr aud Mrs. Hepkins dined with Mr and Mis. Jones Sunday. Mr. W. M. Me.tiaun, of Snyder, was in this part the past week. O. L. . O. L. Jones and Albert. Vassar were in the county capital Monday. Messers. Luke Rilly and Albert Ed- warus, of Central, attended churrh here Mrs. W. B. Bishop and son Master Ed- die sanders returned to die sanders returued to their home at Iride Mouday, atter several daye ristit wilh Mrs, bishop's 名ents, with Mrs. bishop's parents, Mr. and Mrs, Cox, of Oklahoma, are also visitnt Mrs. Cox, of Oklahoma, are also visiling Mrs. Cox's pareuts Mr. and Mrs. RedMrs, C wine. Misses Willie and Sadie Wailer called on Mrs. Ada Lansford the firt of tho week. Susbean.


