

The Lynn County News

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COUNTY GINS 27,000 BALES

Crop Is Probably Three-Fourths Gathered; 6,778 Baled Ginned in Tahoka

Approximately 27,000 bales of cotton had been ginned in Lynn county up to Thursday noon, according to statistics gathered by the News. We procured the exact figures for Tahoka, Grassland and New Lynn, and the approximate number at Wilson. The figures for O'Donnell, New Moore, New Home and Gordon are estimates, but from previous reports obtained it is believed that these figures are approximately correct. According to these reports and estimates the total number of bales is ginned is 27,098, counting round bales as half bales.

The report in detail is as follows:

Tahoka	6,778
O'Donnell	7,100
Grassland	3,775
Wilson	2,750
Draw	2,085
Gordon	1,900
New Lynn	1,460
New Home	900
New Moore	350
Total	27,098

Practically the entire crop has been gathered at Grassland and Draw we are informed. Possibly 75 per cent of the crop in the county has been gathered. The total crop, it is believed, will not run far in excess of 35,000. Prices run from 18.50 to 19 cents.

The weather has continued ideal for the gathering of the crop. Wednesday and Thursday of this week brought the nearest approach to winter weather this season, but picking has continued without interruption except possibly for a few hours at a time.

LADIES OF EASTERN STAR TO VISIT O'DONNELL LODGE

Members of the Eastern Star here have been invited to be the guests of the lodge at O'Donnell next Monday night, and we understand that a number of them have accepted the invitation and will attend. A special program has been prepared for the occasion.

CHIROPRACTOR TO LOCATE HERE IN NEAR FUTURE

Drs. Boone & Johnson, Chiropractors, of Lubbock, announce that they are establishing a branch office in Tahoka. There are several members of the firm and one of them will be found hereafter at one of the hotels here. They will make further announcement later.

MEETING OF ANTI-THEFT ASSOCIATION CALLED

A meeting of the Anti-Theft Association of Lynn county will be held in the court house on Saturday, December 10, at 2:30 p. m. All members and all others interested are urged to be present.
M. A. DORMAN, Pres.
H. P. CAVENESS, Sec'y.

Floor Sweep Being Made At Lubbock

LUBBOCK, Dec. 2.—A new South Plains industry is manufacturing floor sweep and all by-products to be marketed over the section.

The Lubbock Floor Sweep Manufacturing Company here, A. L. Stovall, took over the Plains Floor Sweep Compound Company last week. The plant is to be enlarged. John McKinzie, who has had years of experience in similar plants at Dallas, Oklahoma City, Eureka and other points in factory manager and will have 12 or 15 men working with him in the plant. Five or six salesmen will work the territory from San Angelo to Roswell, to Amarillo and over to Wichita Falls.

Floor sweep, polish oil, wax, varnish and other products made from South Plains materials are being marketed by the company, through Wholesale houses. Several wholesale houses in Lubbock, Slaton and other South Plains cities are placing the products with their retail customers.

Hibdon Says Cutting Was Accidental

Bill Hibdon, proprietor of the dance hall north of town, at which an affray occurred recently as reported in last week's issue of the News, says that the cutting referred to was purely accidental. One fellow was trying to enter the hall without paying his way, according to Mr. Hibdon, and another fellow undertook to assist the door keeper in preventing his entry. In the encounter that ensued he says that one of them was accidentally cut. This is his version of the affair. Mr. Hibdon claims further that he is doing his best to preserve good order out at the dance hall and says he is doing so.

LOCAL PEOPLE OFFER THANKS

First Thanksgiving Service in Number Of Years Held Here Last Thursday

The first union Thanksgiving service in Tahoka, at least the first one that has been held for a number of years, was held by the various churches of the town last Thursday in the Baptist Church. All denominations were represented and a good-sized crowd it was that gathered to participate in the services.

A chorus of many voices sang a number of anthems, led by Mrs. W. E. Suddarth, with Mrs. Jack Jackson at the piano, and this service was most inspiring and beautiful.

An out-of-town pastor had been invited to preach the sermon of the day but he failed to appear, and at the last moment Rev. B. N. Shepherd was called upon to deliver the discourse, and he did so in a most acceptable manner.

It was impossible for the editor to be present, but we hope that the plan of having an annual Thanksgiving service here is not abandoned soon.

EYE ACCIDENTALLY INJURED FROM SHOT

While standing by and watching a transient professional marksman do some stunt shooting Tuesday, Porter Fredway received an injury to one of his eyes which may cause the loss of his sight in that member. The marksman was shooting at bricks and other missiles hurled into the air and evidently a particle from one of these missiles shattered by a bullet struck Mr. Fredway in the left eye. Medical treatment was immediately given and it is hoped that the sight may be saved.

Noted Baptist Is Here This Week

Rev. R. A. Scanton, Budget Director of the Baptist denomination under the direction of the State Board, will speak at the Baptist Church in Tahoka on Thursday and Friday nights, and on Sunday morning, afternoon and at night. His discussions will relate to the financing of the church and its work.
Rev. Mr. Scanton is an able and forceful speaker and his messages are always inspiring. It is expected that good-sized congregations will hear these discussions. All Baptists are urged to be present and all others cordially invited.

LYNN COUNTY COUPLE MARRY AT CROWELL

Hubert E. Davis residing ten miles east of Tahoka left for Crowell, Ford county, on Tuesday of last week, and upon arrival he and Miss Fuby Smith of that place were married. After their return to Lynn county, they were tendered an "in-laws" dinner on Sunday at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davis.

Hubert is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Davis and is a native of Tahoka and has a host of friends in this county. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smith and formerly resided with her parents on one of the G. E. Lockhart farms near Tahoka. She is a niece of Mrs. Lockhart. She too has many friends here as well as at Crowell, who will welcome her back to Lynn county.

MAN HELD UP WITH BOTTLE

Alleged Robber Armed With Whiskey Bottle Takes Clothes From Cotton Picker

Two men armed with nothing more deadly than an empty whiskey bottle are charged with having held up and robbed J. B. Smith, a cotton picker, as he was proceeding along the highway, afoot, in company with his two boys about three miles north of town Saturday night. The loot consisted of a shirt, a pair of underwear, and a pair of socks, all valued at \$4.50, according to complaint filed in the Justice Court. It is said that Smith had about \$55.00 in money in his pockets but the hi-jackers failed to search his pockets.

The two men charged with the offense are Sam Miller and Albert Donny, both of whom have resided in Lynn county for some time. Donny is said to have worked in a tailor shop here at one time but more recently has been at work in the country. Miller has also been in the employ of a farmer near South Ward.

It is said that the two men were sitting by the side of the road and as Smith and his two or three small boys were in the act of passing by the two men leaped to their feet, one of them drew an empty whiskey bottle from his hip pocket and pressed the neck of it against Smith's stomach, demanding Smith's bundle of goods. The wearing apparel was promptly delivered but it seems that the hi-jackers made no effort to search Smith's pockets. Officers were later notified and it is said that they found the goods in the possession of one of the men.

Complaints were filed in the justice court and the men placed in jail. Their bonds have been fixed at \$1,000 each.
Judge Metcalf says that if the whiskey bottle had been loaded with the usual boot-leg concoction he would have considered it a very deadly weapon, but since it was empty he does not think the robbery was a capital offense.

Singing Convention Is Well Attended

Many communities were represented at the meeting of the Lynn County Singing Convention held in the Baptist Church here Sunday afternoon, and the main auditorium was almost filled to its capacity.

The convention was apparently greatly enjoyed by everyone present. Quite a number of leaders were present and each took his turn at leading in the singing of some favorite selection. A few of the good old songs were rendered but most of the selections were of the lighter, lively variety that fill some of our modern song books. A number of quartets were arranged and entertained the congregation. Among these was one composed of the three McCord brothers and their uncle, a man of eighty winters but almost as spry as a lad.

Central Church was selected as the next place of meeting, which will be in May.

NEWS PRINTS BIG JOB THIS WEEK

The News force has been busy this week. In addition to our regular run of business, we printed The Baptist Builder, The Meadow Review, and four thousand four-page circulars for J. A. Brashear & Son, advertising their big sale, which begins today. The order for the circulars was given by "That Man Mayfield," who is directing the big advertising campaign, and he expressed himself as being well pleased with the job. Brashear & Son are running two pages of this circular in the News this week as an advertisement.

Miss Ola Belle Singleton, who recently finished a business course in Brantley's Business College at Fort Worth, returned to Tahoka Wednesday night, after visiting friends in Abilene and Sweetwater for a week.

County Clerk Happy Smith was a business visitor this week in San Angelo, Abilene, and Dublin.

KIWANIS HEARS R. T. BREEDLOVE

Talk By Methodist Pastor Is Feature Of Wednesday's Program Of Club

Rev. R. T. Breedlove was the speaker at the Kiwanis luncheon Wednesday and he said some things that it might be well for all of us to ponder. "There are certain inalienable rights, certain privileges, that every American citizen claims for himself," the speaker said. "One of these is the privilege of criticizing our public officials. We criticize them freely and frequently and often unjustly," he thought.

"Another privilege we claim is that of complaining about the weather. We are rarely ever justified with the kind of weather we have.

"A third privilege we claim is that of doing just as little possible in any public or community undertaking. Our attitude is to 'Let George do it.' Many of us refuse to do our part because we think the other fellow is not doing his part.

"My criticism is that we are not giving our public schools our undivided and hearty support. We do not attend the school entertainments nor interest ourselves in the school's activities as we should. Our schools and their activities should have the whole-hearted support of the entire community.

"When we find a fellow in the community who is willing to work, we over-work him. We let him do all the work."

The speaker included himself among the general mass subject to the criticisms which he voiced. His address was well received and heartily applauded at its conclusion.

The entertainment feature of the Wednesday meeting consisted of a brief musical program consisting of a piano solo by Marjorie Wells and a couple of saxophone numbers by Wells Edwards with Miss Cleone Wells at the piano.

Dr. Townes read the list of names of those nominated for the various offices of the Club, the officers to be elected at the next meeting.

Holloways Dine Gin Employees

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Holloway entertained Thursday noon in honor of the gin force of the Holloway Independent Gin Company, and their customers, with a turkey dinner. Turkey with all Thanksgiving treats and trimmings was the center piece. The table was tastefully spread and decorated in the Thanksgiving colors and favors.

Several courses of the most delicious good things were topped with cake, fruit and ice cream. About forty gin employees and customers who brought cotton to the gin on Thanksgiving day were served to this novel and unique spread. After a gorgeous time all left hoping next year would find them lucky enough to have cotton in town on Thanksgiving Day.

POPULAR TAHOKA COUPLE MARRIED WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Elbert E. King and Miss Wilma Brashear were married Wednesday night at the residence of Rev. R. T. Breedlove, pastor of the Methodist Church, who performed the ceremony.

Miss Wilma is the popular daughter of J. A. Brashear and has been reared in Tahoka. She is a young woman of high accomplishments and has a host of friends here. Mr. King is a most promising young business man, being local manager of Hogan Dry Goods store at this place.

The young couple are receiving the congratulations of many friends.

After having been suspended for a few weeks to enable the pupils to assist in gathering the cotton crop, the school at Dixie resumed work last Monday morning, according to county superintendent H. P. Caveness. Prof. Hood is the efficient superintendent of the school.

The Jones Dry Goods Company is announcing a big December Sale in this paper. Read their ad., and come to Tahoka to buy your merchandise.

Extension Granted On Route One

Postmaster D. A. Parkhurst announces that the Department of the Postmaster-General at Washington has granted an extension of Route 1 out of Tahoka, which extends through Lynn, Magnolia, and Grassland communities, the change becoming effective Dec. 1, adding eight miles to the route and serving eight families. The extension comprises the following mileage: Beginning at what is known as the Eastridge corner, thence north two miles, west two miles, south two miles, and east two miles back to the place of beginning. This loop, it will be seen, extends two miles north of the present route in the direction of Wilson.

Mr. Parkhurst is to be congratulated upon his success in procuring this extension.

FIRE DESTROYS MAIZE STACKS

15,000 Bundles Of Maize Belonging To C. H. Wakefield Burned Tuesday Night

A maize stack consisting of 15,000 bundles belonging to C. H. Wakefield residing two miles southeast of town was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon and night. The loss amounted to several hundred dollars in value.

The fire was first discovered about 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The alarm was given and the Tahoka Volunteer Fire Department went out with the truck and fought down the flames, using all the water that was available and leaving the fire apparently under control. But a high west wind was blowing and at about 9:30 o'clock the fire broke out afresh. The Fire Boys again responded to the call and fought the fire faithfully until Wednesday morning. It was impossible, with the water available, to save the stack of feed that was afire but the boys did succeed in saving another stack near by which would also have burned except for their efforts. This stack contained from 9,000 to 12,000 bundles of maize. Adjacent barns and sheds would also have been destroyed had the boys ceased their fight to save them.

The origin of the fire is unknown. It is thought that the feed was possibly ignited by little children playing. In this connection, it should be stated that the state fire marshal is warning farmers against stretching wires across feed stacks, as the static sometimes becomes sufficient to ignite the dry feed.

Farmers Advised To Sell Turkeys Early

The Christmas market will practically close on turkeys on December 10, according to local produce dealers. All turkeys sold after that date will be shipped by express, they state, and unless the market advances after that date they will not command as good prices as they will if sold before December 10. Many people make the mistake of holding their turkeys until two or three days before Christmas and then expecting to get as high a price as others who sold earlier.

Dealers also say that the market for light turkeys is not very strong. They therefore advise farmers to sell all their heavier turkeys and keep the lighter ones to raise from next year.

MANY CLUBS HAVE ENTERED CONTEST

Quite a number of the women's and girls demonstration clubs have entered the News Subscription contest and are enthusiastic in the work. The contest began on Wednesday of last week, but some of the clubs did not begin work until Monday of this week. We are not publishing the standing of the contestants this week, therefore, but will do so next week and each week thereafter during this month.

If your club has not entered, it is not too late to do so yet. This is one contest in which you cannot lose, for each club gets a liberal commission.

NEW FORD IS A LARGER CAR

Full Description Is Given; May Revolutionize The Automobile Industry

The new Ford is on the market. It is being displayed for the first time in ten Texas cities Friday. Chester Connolly, the local dealer, is expecting to have one or more of these cars in his place of business here within the next week or two. He is already taking orders and expects to be able to fill them soon.

In describing this car to the News, Mr. Connolly called attention to some of its outstanding features.

Its speed is marvelous, being able to attain 55 to 65 miles per hour with ease.

Its four-cylinder engine, at 2200 revolutions per minute, develops 40-horse power, which proves that the engine is unusually efficient.

It has a wonderful pick-up, some types being able to accelerate the speed from 5 to 25 miles in 8 1-2 seconds.

The engine is so constructed as to be practically vibrationless.

The car will make 20 to 30 miles per hour on a gallon of gasoline.

The oiling system is unique, being a combination of pump, splash, and gravity feed.

The new Ford is hard to over-heat; only abuse will overheat it.

The ignition system is extremely simple and will give the minimum of trouble.

The new Ford is equipped with standard gear shift. It has three speeds forward and one reverse. Gears are easily and noiselessly shifted.

The steering of the car is exceptionally easy.

The new four-wheel brakes are an exclusive Ford development.

The clutch is easy to operate.

The springs are made of the finest spring steel.

The car is equipped with the finest type of hydraulic shock absorbers.

It has Ford-designed steel-spoke wheels.

The bodies of the new Ford are beautiful in design, made of steel, with upholstery of durable material, deep cushions, with generous seat space and leg room, nicked door handles and window lifts.

The color combinations are most artistic. Four colors are offered for each body type, Niagara Blue, Arabian Sand, Dawn Gray, and Gum Metal Blue. It has an enduring finish, not affected by heat or cold.

The new car is so built as to afford quietness and comfort. In fact, it is a most elegant, durable, and serviceable car for the money that has ever been placed on the market, according to Mr. Connolly, and he expects the demand for them to be unprecedented.

The various types and their prices, f. o. b. Detroit, follows:

Tudor sedan	\$495
Fordor sedan	\$570
Coupe	\$495
Sport coupe	\$550
Phaeton	\$395
Roadster	\$385
Roadster with pickup body	\$395
Chassis	\$325

Teachers To Meet Here Saturday

The teachers of Lynn county, all of whom are members of the Lynn County Teachers Association, will meet in Tahoka Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. Supt. A. L. Faubion of Wilson is president of the association this year. The association is to have three meetings during the year. An interesting program has been arranged for this first meeting. Dr. J. W. Hunt of McMurry College has been engaged to deliver the principal address. All teachers and patrons are invited to be present at the meeting, which will be held at the high school building.

The New Ford Car will sell at a SURPRISINGLY LOW PRICE

Complete details of the new car which will be
officially announced
this FRIDAY

The minute you see the pictures of the new Ford car you will be delighted with its low, smart lines and the artistic color combinations. There, you will say, is a truly modern car.

But a still greater thrill awaits you when you slip into the roomy seat behind the wheel and start away for your first ride. Then you will know that you have found the most unusual value ever offered in a low-price car.

You will like the feeling of speed and power that the new Ford gives you—the comfortable, prideful feeling that comes from having a car worthy of any occasion and equal to every emergency.

You will like the flexibility and safety of the new Ford car as you weave in and out of city traffic—its flashing pick-up as the light turns green and says "Go." You will like its smooth, quiet steadiness on the open road where you can lazy along according to your mood, and do 55 and even 65 miles an hour if you desire. The new Ford has unusual speed—no doubt of that!

A smart, low, speedy car that has been built to endure

The new Ford will climb hills that you never thought a low-price car would climb on high. It will pass cars that you never thought you could pass. The longest trips will seem easy, for here is a car that puts new joy in motoring.

There is still another reason why the new Ford car is the most out-standing value ever offered in a low-price car. Another three word reason that means a great deal to you—*endurance—durability—long life.*

The new Ford car is made to stand up under thousands of miles of steady running over all kinds of roads. It has even more stamina than the Model T Ford because we have learned to make every part stronger and sturdier without increased weight or great increased cost.

Many of the Model T Ford cars are still in active service after 75,000, 100,000 and 150,000 miles. This new Ford will do even better. In the words of Henry Ford: "It is our ambition to have every piece of machinery or non-consumable product that we turn out so strong and so well-made that no one ought ever to have to buy a second one."

Four-wheel brakes and standard selective gear shift

On the right we are printing, for the first time, the complete details of the new Ford car. Read them over carefully, especially the paragraphs dealing with the new engine, the new bodies, the new standard, selective gear shift transmission with roller bearing, the new four-wheel brakes, the new hydraulic shock absorbers, the new mechanical design ignition, the new oiling system, and the new dry-plate, multiple-disc clutch.

Then decide that whatever else you do Friday you are going to set aside at least fifteen minutes to get the full story of the new Ford car. It is more than a new automobile. It is the advanced expression of a wholly new idea in modern, economical transportation.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
Detroit, Michigan

FEATURES OF THE NEW FORD

55 TO 65 MILES AN HOUR

The new Ford has unusual speed. It will do 55 to 60 miles an hour with ease. This is a conservative statement. In many road tests it has exceeded 65 miles an hour. So well does the new car hold the road that you can travel at high speed for long stretches with a new feeling of comfort and safety. Even bad roads may be taken at a fast pace. You will be delighted too with the way the new Ford climbs the hills. You will face the steepest grades with confidence, knowing you have power and power to spare to climb them all without greatly reduced speed, without strain, or unnecessary shifting of gears.

40-HORSE-POWER ENGINE

At 2200 revolutions per minute, the new Ford four cylinder engine develops 40 horse power. This r. p. m., or revolution speed, is low for such power and shows that the engine is unusually efficient. It also means long life, for the lower the speed of the engine, the less the wear on its parts. The bore is 3 7/8 inches and the stroke 4 1/4 inches. (S. A. E. and N. A. C. C. rating for license purposes 24.03 horse-power).

REMARKABLE ACCELERATION

The new Ford is remarkably quick on the get-away. In tests in high gear, with a Tudor sedan body and two passengers, it has accelerated from 5 to 25 miles per hour in 8 1/2 seconds. This acceleration is an outstanding feature of the new Ford car.

PREVENTING VIBRATION

The engine in the new Ford is practically vibrationless. This is due in part to its lower r. p. m., the statically and dynamically balanced crankshaft, and the aluminum pistons. To insure quiet, the timing gears are made of bakelized fabric instead of metal, and the cams on the camshaft are so designed that the valve push rods follow them closely, preventing valve clicking.

GASOLINE ECONOMY

You will get from 20 to 30 miles per gallon of gasoline, depending on the speed at which you drive. Feed to the carburetor is by gravity from a unique welded onepiece steel tank integral with the cowl.

UNIQUE NEW OILING SYSTEM

The oiling system is distinctly Ford in design, being a combination of pump, splash and gravity feed. The pump delivers the oil to the valve chamber, from which it flows by gravity feed to the main bearings of the crankshaft. An oil dipper is provided on each connecting rod bearing cap, so that the force of rotation of the crankshaft drives oil into the connecting rod bearing, as well as splashing oil over all working parts within the engine. This is a simple but entirely dependable system, assuring proper lubrication of each bearing and each cylinder without pressure.

PERFECTED COOLING

The new Ford car has a centrifugal water pump, and large radiator. The fan runs on the pump shaft and is made according to airplane propeller design. It is exceedingly difficult to make the new Ford engine overheat; only abuse will do it, such as running without enough oil.

IGNITION SYSTEM OF NEW DESIGN

The ignition system of the new Ford is unique in mechanical design, extremely simple, and will give the car owner exceptional performance with a minimum of trouble. There is only one coil, in a water-proof case. The distributor is located on top of the engine where it is accessible. Connections are made to the spark-plugs by short bronze springs. The coincidental lock on the new Ford is placed in the ignition circuit. It not only replaces the regular ignition switch, but in the "off" position grounds the entire circuit. From the switch to the distributor a steel cable protects the primary current wire, this wire being grounded to the distributor casing, thereby making it impossible to wire around the device. The new generator is of the power-house type.

STANDARD, SELECTIVE GEAR SHIFT

The new Ford transmission is of the selective sliding gear type, with standard shift. It has three speeds forward and one reverse. The main shaft runs on ball bearings, the countershaft on roller bearings, and the reverse idler on a bronze bearing. This is the highest type of bearing mounting and is usual on light cars. All gears are made of heat-treated chrome alloy steel. You will be delighted with the easy, noiseless shifting of gears in this new transmission. You can go from one to another easily, silently, with the pressure of a finger.

EXCEPTIONALLY EASY TO STEER

The steering gear on the new Ford car is irreversible. Shocks are not transmitted back to the hands of the driver. You need not grip the wheel tightly. A light touch is enough to guide the car safely. Large steering wheel is made of steel covered with hard rubber. Light switch and horn button are conveniently located on top of wheel.

NEW FOUR-WHEEL BRAKES

The brakes on the new Ford car are an exclusive Ford development. They are of the mechanical, internal expanding-shoe type and are self-centering. This is the most reliable and the

simplest type of four-wheel brake and the easiest to adjust. All adjustments are made from the outside without removing any parts. No special tools are needed. Uniform, correct adjustment on each wheel is quick and easily obtained. The brake pedal and the hand lever each operate all four brakes. Total braking surface is 168 square inches. All brake working parts are cadmium plated to make them rust proof.

MULTIPLE DRY-DISC CLUTCH

The clutch in the new Ford is of the multiple dry-disc type, which is the most reliable. It is also the easiest to operate, for it takes hold gently and smoothly. It has four driving discs and five driven discs.

COMFORTABLE TRANSVERSE SPRINGS

The springs are of the transverse, semi-elliptic type, designed and built for the new Ford. This type, which was used in the Model T, was adapted to the new car because no better spring type could be found. They are built of the finest spring steel and the leaves are wide and thin. Each spring is built up of varying sizes and number of leaves to give proper flexibility and to meet riding requirements of the different body types. The size and number of leaves used in these springs is one of the reasons why the new Ford is such a comfortable car. The construction of the transverse springs also contributes to the safety and efficiency of the 4-wheel brakes.

HYDRAULIC SHOCK ABSORBERS

The finest type hydraulic shock absorbers are standard equipment on the new Ford. These combine with the low center of gravity, the minimum unsprung weight, and the easy riding qualities of the transverse springs to make the new Ford one of the most comfortable cars on the road today.

THREE-QUARTERS-FLOATING AXLE

The rear axle of the new Ford is of the three-quarters-floating type. The axle housings are made entirely of steel, built up by welding steel forgings to steel tubing. The differential housing, to which these housings are bolted, is made of rolled channel steel. The axle shafts carry none of the weight of the car, the wheels running on roller bearings on the housing. All bearings in the rear axle are of the roller type. Drive is by spiral bevel gear.

FORD DESIGNED STEEL-SPOKE WHEELS

Original design and great strength are two features that mark the unique, Ford-designed steel-spoke wheels. Each wheel is assembled by welding, and becomes one piece of metal. Spokes cannot work loose. Each spoke has a tensile strength of 4,000 pounds. Outside spokes do not cross, so that the wheels are easy to clean. There are 30 spokes in each wheel.

BEAUTIFUL NEW LOW BODY LINES

There is a bit of the European touch in the coachwork and contour of the new Ford. Bodies are steel. Fenders are of the full crown type. Appointments and hardware are of a luxurious type seldom found in a low-price car. Upholstery is of rich, durable material. Cushions are deep and easy. Door handles and window lifts are fully nickel-plated. Speedometer, gasoline gauge, ammeter and ignition lock are mounted on an instrument panel of satin finish nickel, illuminated by a lamp in center. Headlamps and radiator shell are fully nickel-plated. Closed cars have the new military-type sunvisor and crown roof. Great care has been taken in designing the new Ford to provide generous seat space and ample leg room. Clear, unobstructed vision is assured at front by unusually narrow pillars and at sides by specially designed doors with large windows.

CHOICE OF FOUR COLORS

The color combinations used on the new Ford are especially artistic and attractive. Four color choices are offered for each body type—a most unusual feature in a low-price car. Purchasers may choose any one of the following colors—Niagara Blue, Arabian Sand, Dawn Gray, and Gun Metal Blue. Bolt and reveals are finished in contrasting colors, with attractive striping. The finish is pyroxylin lacquer, one of the finest and most enduring finishes for automobile bodies. It is not affected by heat or cold, withstands all kinds of weather conditions, and is not easily marred or scratched. The lustre actually improves with washing.

A QUIET CAR

In designing the new Ford, every precaution was taken to prevent squeaks, rattles and drumming sounds. Body panels and frame sections are welded and riveted together wherever there is possibility of the body weaving. In all structural details the new Ford bodies are built to afford the utmost quietness and comfort.

GREASE GUN LUBRICATION

The chassis of the new Ford is lubricated by the pressure grease gun system, the simplest and most effective method of lubrication.

STANDARD EQUIPMENT

Starter	Dashboard
Five Steel-Spoke Wheels	Mirror
Windshield Wiper	Rear and Stop Light
Speedometer	Oil Gauge
Gasoline Gauge	Ignition Lock
Door Lock	Complete Tool Set

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New Home

Girl's Basketball Games
On Friday, November 18th, the Wilson girls came to our school for a game of basketball. The teams were well-matched, but at the end our girls were winners. The score was 6 and 34. The game was very interesting. On the following Friday our girls went to Wilson. Our team for the second time came out winners. The score this time was 27 and 2. All who attended the game enjoyed it immensely.

Boy's Basketball Games
On Friday, November 18, the Wilson boys came to our school for a game of basketball. Both teams played a good game but it seemed that Wilson played better, for at the close of the game the score was 13 to 9 in favor of Wilson.

The following Friday we returned the game. This game was the more interesting. However, our opponents gained a second victory. The score of this game was 18 to 8.

Church Notes
Rev. R. E. Bost will fill his regular appointment next Saturday night and Sunday.

B. Y. P. U. begins at seven o'clock next Sunday night. Everyone be present and on time. We would like to have many visitors.

Last Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, the Church was dedicated. Services began in the morning at 11 o'clock. Bro. Will Izard gave the history from the time the church was organized until the present time. Then Bro. S. L. Smith told of the pastors of the church from the beginning until now. By this time everyone was hungry and we spread lunch.

In the afternoon Bro. Good and Bro. Bost made speeches. Bro. Graves Darby of Wilson, preached the dedication sermon. Many visitors from Wilson, Peety, Lakeview, and Slide were present. We were very glad to have them.

Last Sunday we had Sunday school and the attendance was not so large. We hope to have a large number next Sunday. All visitors are welcome. The singing Sunday evening was enjoyed by all.

Musical Program

Misses Addie Jane Hancock's and and Villa Davis' pupils, assisted by the Women's Choral Club, gave the following program Friday night preceding the box supper:

Heigh Hol—Merry Maiden Glee Club.
Piano Solo—Irene McWhorter.
Piano Solo—Neta Minor.

Trio—Night Song—Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman and Mrs. Fulton.
When You and I Were Young Maggie; Carry Me Back to Old Virginia—Women's Glee Club.
Reading—"The Quilter"—Jack Hancock.

Solos—The Big Brown Bear; Before You Came—Maurine Fulton.
Piano Solo—Lenna Minor.
Piano Solo—Margarette Bossay.
Reading—Woodrow Balch.
Piano Duett—Esther Smith—Miss Doris.

Fond Lillies—Merry Maiden Glee Club.
Piano Solo—Esther Smith.
Solos: Indian Dawn; By Waters of Minnetonka—Miss Addie Jane Hancock.

Reading—Ila Verne Swift.
Piano Solo—Ava Minor.
Sand Man—Merry Maiden Glee Club.
Solos: Flee as a Bird; Lassie O'

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Mine—Mrs. Jim Eubanks.
Duet—America—Margaret Bossay and Villa Davis.

Box Supper
Last Wednesday night we had a box supper for the benefit of our school. All the girls and ladies of the community and many others from other communities brought beautiful and well filled boxes. Something like \$68.50 was collected. Everyone had an enjoyable time and plenty of delicious foods. We were certainly glad to have so many visitors, and we appreciate their help very much.

Local News
Mr. Junior Roberts spent the week end with his home folks last week. Mrs. A. A. Michael of McCamey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Minor from Saturday till Tuesday.

Miss Bulah Smith and Mr. Truett and Chester Smith visited home folks during holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morrison, students of Tech College, visited in the S. L. Smith home Sunday.

Mr. Byron M. Hays from Albany, Texas, visited with T. H. Hancock and family during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Aubrey Smith was honored with a birthday party Saturday night at his home. Those present were Jim Woods, Buster Thomas, Delman Bradley, Wanda Bradley, Delavern Swift and Marguerette Bossay.

Misses Tenney and Velma and Mr. E. E. Hancock visited home folks during the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heck and little son, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Calloway and Miss Dimple were also guests at the dinner.

Misses Opal and Lois Lawler, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Oxford of Lubbock were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawler.

Mr. Tom Clements of Oklahoma visited his brothers, Mr. J. W. and F. C. Clements.

There was a reunion of the White family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack White near New Home. Bill White came up from McCamey, C. D. Crouch and wife and Elzie White from Rankin, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Estes from Clovis, N. M. Other friends and relatives attended whose names we did not get.

Church News
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The Senior B. Y. P. U. of Central Baptist Church rendered a very interesting program at Close City (Rag Town) Sunday night at 7 o'clock.

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It is reported that Miss Ester Browning and Clarence Carpenter were married last Sunday morning. Miss Ruth Uzzle and her father visited in the Bearden home last week.

Redwine
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Traweck and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Stewart Sunday evening.

Miss Hythen Tunnell spent the day Sunday with Miss Mildred Holloway.

Fred Mathews visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Henry visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Stewart last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chatman visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bland and family last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Henry visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Traweck Sunday. Misses Jack and Della Hunt spent Sunday with Miss Mildred Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Taylor and Miss Bertha McAllister spent the week end in Abilene and Brownwood visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holloway and Mr. Jim Holloway went to Levelland on a business trip last Monday.

Mr. Charley Barnes and family spent the week with Mr. R. E. Bland and family.

Everyone who were present enjoyed the singing at Redwine last Sunday afternoon.

We wish to invite the folks in this community out to Sunday school next Sunday. Also we invite you to our B. Y. P. U. at 3 o'clock each Sunday afternoon.

South Ward Items
The box and pie supper at the school house Saturday night was well attended and the people of the community, realizing the need of playground equipment for the children, were very liberal in contributing to the cause and a good sum of money was netted. The results of the proceeds will soon be visible on the playground. We are very thankful to the patrons of the community for the part they took in helping us. We are proud of the fact that we have a very efficient auctioneer in our community and this is no one but Henry Reed, who showed great skill in the disposing of the boxes and pies to the highest bidder.

The attendance at school is slightly increasing in the last few days. New pupils are enrolling to begin their year's work here. We hope that every child will be able to be with us again after the Christmas holidays if not before.

Mrs. J. D. Liles and children of Abilene Texas, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Taylor. The farmers in this community consider themselves fortunate in having such a pretty fall to gather their crops. Nearly all the maize has been harvested but there seems to be much cotton remaining in the fields. We are needing a good rain on our wheat and on the roads especially. The roads have been very difficult for the loaded wagons to pass over.

Miss Myrtle Murry and Miss Hal sey visited our teacher, Miss Fox last Wednesday evening.

Frank and Jesse Grigg were in our midst last week, visiting home folks. Blackie Bragg was a business visitor in Post last week.

Mr. H. Chapman and family leave Wednesday for East Texas where they will visit friends and relatives.

Mr. W. R. Greer and family visited relatives in Justiceburg this week end. Cotton picking is about a thing of the past in this community as there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Haney spent Thanksgiving day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Haney, at Roscoe. L. C. says that practically all of the cotton has been gathered down most every one is up with their picking. The candy-breaking, which was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Langford, was well attended last Saturday night. The young people all reported a good time.

—REPORTER.

Grassland

School News
Everyone is rejoicing over the great success of the box supper which was given last Friday night. The total amount collected was \$130.42.

We wish to thank the good people of this community for their help in securing this money, and especially do we wish to thank the business men of Grassland for their liberal contributions. We also want to thank Mr. Happy Smith for his services.

School work has started off very nicely this week with several new students.

The pupils of the sixth and seventh grades with the help of their teacher, Miss Gladys Fox, rendered the chapel program last Wednesday morning. Their program was enjoyed very much. The high school students will have charge of the chapel exercises next Thursday morning.

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The following illustration serves to show what is an equal turnout for ACCO, or round bales, when compared with square bales.

"A" brings 1350 pounds of seed cotton to the gin and gets 500 pounds of lint. It is put up in the square bale, with 20 pounds of bagging and ties:

500 pounds lint
plus 20 pounds wrapping.
Total 520 pounds

He sells this bale for 20c per pounds, realizing \$104.00.

"B" brings 1350 pounds of seed cotton to the gin and gets 500 pounds of lint. This is put up in two 2) ACCO, or round bales, using only 2 1-2 pounds of wrapping to each bale, or 5 pounds of wrapping, all told, thus:

500 pounds lint
plus 5 pounds wrapping
Total 505 pounds

He sells this bale for 20.60c per pound, realizing \$104.03.

How much more lint did "A" Receive than "B"?
How much more money did "A" receive than "B"?
How Much Profit did "A" Make on the so-called "Better Turnout"?

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shock absorbers are standard equipment with the low center of gravity, and the easy riding qualities of the new Ford one of the most...

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the three-quarters-floating axle entirely of steel, built up by... The differential housing, which is made of rolled channel... of the weight of the car, the... on the housing. All bearings... type. Drive is by spiral bevel...

WHEEL-SPOKE WHEELS
There are two features that mark these wheels. Each wheel is assembled in one piece of metal. Spokes... has a tensile strength of 4,000... across, so that the wheels are easy on each wheel.

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69c

SPECIAL

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\$2.29

SPECIAL

FINEST NEW FEMININE FOOTWEAR IN THE NEW STRAPS, TIES PUMPS AND DRESS OXFORDS

SALE PRICES

\$2.79

\$3.69

\$4.49

BLANKETS

ONE LOT 66x78 COTTON DOUBLE BED SIZE BLANKETS

\$1.59

FINE WOOL MIXED 66 x 90 FANCY TRIM HIGH COLOR PLAID BLANKETS

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Boy's Moleskin Lumber Jax

SOLID COLORS

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SPECIAL

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Mens' Best Work Shoes

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BOY'S NEW SWEATERS

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\$2.49

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For Men

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We have no fight to make on any man; but we do have fight to make on the kind of business conducted by some men. We truly sympathize with any man who has the responsibility of supporting a large family of children, especially if he is a poor man. But we do not believe that it is necessary for any able-bodied man in this section of our country to engage in any business that is either a menace or a nuisance to the community at large in order to make a living. We do not believe that a public dance hall is a good thing for any community. The people of Taboka, if they are wise, will be sure that their sons and daughters stay away from the one near Taboka. Safety first is a good rule to observe in this case.

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We believe in amusements, and entertainments of the right kind. Every normal human being is so constituted as to demand a certain amount of fun and entertainment. We would not abolish the picture show if we could. While many of the pictures shown are silly and some positively hurtful to the morals, there are others that carry great lessons and stir the deepest and noblest emotions of the heart. We would not destroy the "movies" because many pictures are baneful any sooner than we would destroy all literature because many books are bad. We would try to keep both as clean and helpful as possible. Likewise we would not abolish athletics in our schools simply because boys often get hurt and occasionally one gets killed in the rough games. We think that school athletics, properly safeguarded and controlled, are very helpful to the boys. But we believe in amusements of the right kind. While dancing under certain conditions and restrictions may not be harmful, yet we have never seen a public dance hall that we thought was conducive to good morals, to good health, or to the peace of the community. Most of them are breeding-grounds of vice and breaches of the peace. That's why we are against this kind of a business. Are the people of Taboka for it, against it, or just indifferent?

The Rogers News observes that the "cleavage must eventually come between the East and the South and the East and the West, and it may be best that it come quickly, for the logical alignment is between the South and the West—the two great agricultural sections." It is universally recognized that there is little in common between a Southern dry Democrat and a Tammany wet. There is little in common between a stand-pat Republican on Wall Street and a progressive Republican on a farm in Iowa. If Al Smith should be nominated by the Democrats next year, the paramount issue of the campaign will be prohibition, whether the Republicans nominate an outstanding dry or a straddler. And when prohibition is made the dominant issue, there will be a breaking of party lines throughout the country and a political realignment in almost every state. It might be well for the West and the South if a permanent alignment of these two great agricultural sections of our country could be effected.

That Burns detective agency is being shown up in a sorry light. This outfit was employed, it seems, by a puppet of Sinclair's to influence some members of the jury that was selected to try him for that big oil land steal from the Government, or rather to gather information about the financial condition of the individual jurors, their habits of life, character, etc., so that Sinclair might be able to pick the right man to be influenced. One of the jurors talked too much, stating that he expected soon to be driving a car as long as a city block. This brought on an investigation. Now indictments have been returned against Burps and three or four of his employees. The filthy cur that would undertake to corrupt a juror and to pollute our courts of justice should be sent to the penitentiary for life, and we hope that some appropriate punishment is dealt out to that arch criminal, Sinclair, and the dirty detectives who undertook to do the job for him. Send 'em to the pen.

Cotton has been a fairly good price this year and the cotton crop has paid well. But what of next year? Everybody will be inclined to increase the cotton acreage, and cotton may sell next fall for ten cents or less. Better continue to diversify. This is not advice; it is just plain, common sense.

A public dance hall in town, under the glare of electric lights, and under the eyes of peace officers, is had enough, but in our opinion a public dance hall far out in the country, in the darkness of the night, where lighting facilities are scant, and where it is difficult for peace officers to keep it under observation, is much worse. We would advise parents who are concerned about the moral welfare of their sons and daughters to know where these spend their Wednesday nights and Saturday nights.

As the janitor of the Hamlin High School entered the boiler room of the building a few mornings ago to build a fire, he was greeted with the ominous music of a big rattle that had found its way into the place to take up winter quarters. It is said that while the serpent sang the janitor prayed. He finally found a club and answered his own prayer by delivering a terrible blow on the head of the unwelcome guest. The janitor held a regular thanksgiving service after the prayer meeting.

Twenty thousand people saw the A. & M. College lick the University in a football game on Thanksgiving day, while 5,000 to 7,000 are said to have watched the Canyon Teachers lick the Tech. It seems that football is coming to rival the great American game of baseball in popularity; that is, everywhere except in Taboka. A football game here will hardly bring out a dozen people outside of the school pupils.

Lynn county will take her place again this year as one of the big cotton producing counties of West Texas. The yield will not be nearly so large as last year but it will be satisfactory. The price has been relatively good and prosperity has come again to most of our people. The whole south plains has reason to rejoice. Will we make the best use possible of the wealth that is being lavished upon us by a kind Providence?

Well, we guess it's time to begin to warn people to do their Christmas shopping early.

Had you thought about it?—Christmas is just a little more than three weeks away!

WHY SCHOOLS COST

(Among the many agencies that are helping to bring about better school conditions and a better adjustment of schools to present day needs, the Better Schools League of Chicago occupies a prominent place. I am passing on for publication a recent bulletin issued by this body.—M. L. H. Baze.)

In reflecting on increased school costs in recent years consideration should be given to other items besides the decreased purchasing power of the dollar and the increased school enrollment. These and similar items do not tell the whole story.

Our schools have become veritable "shock-absorbers" in that they have been forced to assume many activities far remote from the early conception of school functions.

They have developed into sensitive instruments recording our social and economic tendencies, accurately reflecting the peoples' changing habits, tastes and needs. Step by step they have added to their scholastic labors varying functions, a partial enumeration of which will serve to illustrate the part they play in our everyday lives.

The schools responded with recreational facilities when these were found necessary as vent for the excess of youthful energy and leisure. When adults courted similar privileges school community centers came into existence.

The moral development of youth being everybody's concern, the schools, therefore, must supply character training, teach ethics and make possible religious instruction.

It is emphasized that discipline has disappeared from the home, so the schools are turned to for the fostering of respect for law and order. Where physical welfare is neglected, the schools must safeguard health by assuming medical supervision of the pupils; since many shortcomings are traceable to defective teeth, schools must have dental clinics.

There is a wide variety of talent amongst pupils, therefore the schools must attempt individual instruction; they must discover and satisfy individual inclinations and interests. This has resulted in the Junior High School. A school of one thousand children touches five hundred homes at their most sensitive point, hence each child must be schooled as if he were the sole object of education. Childhood's personal problems, too, must be confronted, hence the establishment of the Advisory System. Where the homes are reluctant to co-

operate with the schools, it has necessitated the establishment of the Visiting or Home Teacher Department.

Boys and girls must be prepared for gainful occupations, hence Vocational Training. Girls are seldom taught sewing and cooking in the home, so the schools provide a Domestic Arts Department. Where boys must be kept close to the farm, Agriculture must be taught.

As High School pupils vary in personal choice of college, admission requirements of diverse institutions have to be met. The schools are required not only to give intensive training to prepare pupils for their colleges but at the same time give general training for those planning otherwise.

Methods of instruction and subject matter are constantly changing, making it imperative for instructors and school executives to devote a goodly portion of their out-of-school time to study, to keep abreast of these changes.

A multiplicity of special weeks have become a part of the school program, such as "Safety First Week," "Fire Prevention Week," "Accident Prevention Week," "Thrift Week," "Clean-up Week," all of which, with many others, are commendable.

Yes, our schools have become "shock-absorbers" in the effort to stabilize thought, conduct and action. If this bulging and complex program has increased school costs and become an added burden to the taxpayer, the greater weight has fallen on the school executive and Board of Education. It is not a nine or ten months' job, as popularly supposed; it is a perpetual labor.

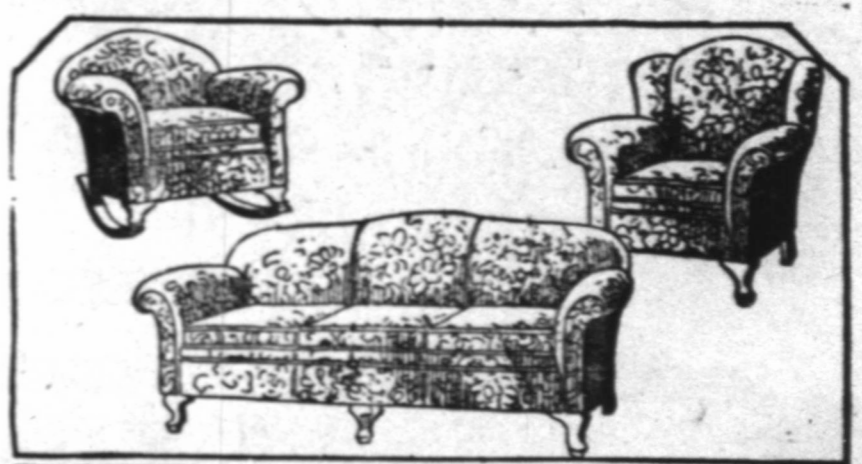
SURPRISING HER

A farmer brought some produce to the city and sold it. Thought he, "I will surprise my wife." So he bought a suit of clothes, a hat, and a pair of shoes and put them under the back seat of his wagon. On his way home he stopped at the river and, taking off his old clothes, threw them in the water. Then he looked under the seat for his new outfit. It was gone. Finally, he got into the wagon and said, "Giddap, Maude, we'll surprise her anyhow."

Miss Dovie Colleenback, who is teaching in the Ballinger public schools, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Colleenback.

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Rev. R. T. Breedlove and family spent Thanksgiving day with relatives at Colorado. Mrs. Breedlove having a sister there in the person of Mrs. E. R. Elliot.

Maurice Small, who is manager of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Yard at Sudan, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Small.

The BULLDOG

Tahoka Defeats O'Donnell 12 To 0

On last Wednesday the Tahoka Bulldogs defeated the O'Donnell Eagles 12 to 0 in a hard fought game. The Bulldogs outplayed their opponents and kept the ball well within the enemy's territory most of the time.

The first score came early in the game as the result of an off-tackle play. The ball was carried over by Fuzzy (Harold) Edwards; extra point was tried for but missed by Evans. The other score came in the second quarter, and was carried over by "Sugar" (Edgar) Edwards. The extra point was missed again.

Harold and Edgar Edwards were the outstanding players for Tahoka. Short, of Tahoka, was also good at receiving passes and getting punts. Clayton, a former Bulldog, starred for O'Donnell.

TEACHERS RETURN FROM STATE TEACHER'S MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Craft, Miss Galloway, Mrs. Swan, Mrs. Tunnell, Miss Edwards, Miss Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Baze returned Sunday night from Houston, where they attended the meet of the Texas State Teachers Association Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Tahoka had the honor of sending the largest per cent of her teachers the greatest distance of any school in the state in her class. Many interesting school problems were discussed in this teachers meeting, and much good will no doubt come of it. About eight thousand teachers were in attendance.

Each teacher attended her respective section Friday morning and got many helpful suggestions. Many of the addresses in the assembly were outstanding. Among the most important were those of Dr. H. Y. Benedict, Pres. of the University of Texas, Governor Dan Moody, Dr. J. F. Kimball of Southern Methodist University, and others from Chicago and Columbia Universities.

Many courtesies were extended the teachers by the city of Houston, including a boat ride to Galveston.

Miss Bleifuss, who was in attendance the entire week also returned Sunday night. She reports a splendid session of the home economics department.

PROGRAM RENDERED IN CHAPEL AT CENTRAL WARD

The following program was rendered Thursday morning in chapel at the Central Ward School building:

Devotional—Rev. B. N. Shepherd.
Reading—Mildred Davis.
Song—Battle Hymn of the Republic.
Reading—Lavada Handley.
Playlet: Fire Imps—Third Grade.

SLATON AND CANYON TO DECIDE TITLE FRIDAY

The Slaton High School and the Canyon High School will meet Friday afternoon on the former's gridiron to decide the championship of district one and two, class B, of the Inter-scholastic League football contests. This promises to be a real classic, and from all reports it will be hard fought throughout. It is really a contest between the South Plains and the North Plains.

PARENT-TEACHERS TO HAVE SOCIAL TUESDAY NIGHT

The Parent-Teachers Association is to have its regular social meeting Tuesday of next week in the basement of the Central School building. This social is to be in the nature of

a forty-two party. During the evening's entertainment the following program is to be rendered:

Midget Quartet: Wells Edwards, Wilson Dixon, Billy Hill and Jack Coughran.
Reading—Mrs. Nat Williams.
Vocal Solo—Arranged by Mrs. Jackson.
Saxophone Solo: Wells Edwards, accompanied by Valarie Wells.
Chalk Talk: Miss Edwards and Mr. Baze.

PROGRAM OF LYNN COUNTY TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

Song—"Onward Christian Soldiers"—Assembly.
Devotional—Rev. B. N. Shepherd.
Arousing Interest In Interscholastic League Work—M. L. H. Baze.
Vocal Solo—Miss Velma Dawson.
High Points in the Elementary Course of Study—Supt. H. P. Caviness.
Vocal Solo—Clifton Janak.
Address—Djan James Gtrdon, Texas Tech.

J. F. Williams, who resides one mile west of Central and ten miles east of Tahoka, stated to the News Saturday that he had already gathered 50 bales of cotton off of 100 acres and that he had five or six bales yet to pick. More than 1-2 bole per acre is pretty good for any year. Mr. Williams is one of our best farmers.

Miss Charlotte Barnett returned Monday from San Antonio, where she attended the Baptist State B. Y. P. U. convention, which was in session there last week.

Mrs. Mattie Bradley is visiting her son, Irving, at San Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Meads, parents of J. L. Meads, and Mr. and Mrs. Ren Jackson, his brother-in-law and sister all of Jones county, were here visiting the first of the week. They report a pretty good cotton crop down there, all gathered.

Wayne King and Roy Turner of Archer City are spending a few days here with the former's brother, Elbert King of the Hogan Dry Goods Co. Mr. King is interested in the oil game and a well was recently brought in on one of his leases.

M. R. Sparks and two sons, Harris and Milton, of Celeste, Hunt county, are here visiting their old-time friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Weather.

Bernie Shook of Waco, who visited relatives here a few days, left the first of the week for Phoenix, Ariz., where he expects to locate. He was accompanied over into New Mexico by his brother, Chas. F. Shook.

C. H. Richardson arrived with his family and household goods from Freestone county last Friday. He is temporarily residing on the Nance farm south of Tahoka. He expects to farm somewhere in this vicinity next year.

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Car of new flour just received. Call and get sample sack. Ex. High Patent \$2.00. High Patent \$1.90.—Cream Meal 75c

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Silk, cotton and wool hose for all the family.—Mens' Ladies' and children's.

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Sponsored by High School Football boys to help buy honor sweaters. A clean, thrilling, human story. You will enjoy it.

Saturday Matinee Only
Buck Jones
in
"Good As Gold"
A stirring story of a white horseman of the Plains.

Saturday Night Only
Fred Thompson
And the horse with a personality, Silver King,
in
"DON MIKE"

Monday & Tuesday
Dec. 5 & 6
The Gingham Girl
With
Lois Wilson and Geo. K. Arthur
You all know Lois Wilson, who took the leading role in "The Covered Wagon," and Geo. K. Arthur, who had a leading role in the "Rookies," recently shown here.

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Friday and Saturday Nnights, Dec. 9-10
ROUGH RIDERS
Portraying the life of Teddy Roosevelt and the stirring events of the Spanish-American War.

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Of Backache and Weakness Helped by Cardui.

Because she wants other women to know about Cardui, Mrs. Ina Mae Jnrigh, Route No. 2, Troy, Ala., says this:

"Mostly, I was afflicted with bad spells of backache. At times I felt as if my back would break. I would drag one foot after another, in a helpless sort of a way, and once I got down in bed.

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We are now ready to assist you in your prosperity.

Any advice we can give you is yours for the asking.

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I have bought Katherine Knoy's Hemstitching Machine and I will be prepared to give you the very best service in both hemstitching and sewing. Call 232 or

MRS. N. M. WYATT
Tahoka, Texas

Mr. Farmer

The Christmas market is open for your turkeys. Now is the time to sell. We have until December 4 to buy on this contract. Bring in your turkeys and get the good price. We want to buy them. See us before you sell. You can't tell what we will do until you see our price.

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TATE-LAX

For constipation, headache, biliousness, rheumatism, impurities of the blood; for weak and run-down condition of the system. Guaranteed satisfaction or money back at Thomas Bros. Drug Co. 35-26tp

FOR SALE—80 acres 1 1/2 mi. S. W. of Dixie, \$45.00 per acre, small cash payment, 10 years to pay with 6 per cent int. Will consider some trade, work stock or cows preferred.—J. O. Allen, Rt. 4. 14-2tp

WORK MULES—Two span of good 7-year old heavy work mules for sale. See the mules 11 miles east of Tahoka.—B. J. Emanuel. 14-4tp

REGISTERED DUROC HOG—For sale. Bred sows, gilts, pigs and fat hogs. Also want men to do grubbing by acre.—Will Montgomery. 14-2tp

FOR TRADE—Have clear Abilene property and Taylor county farms to trade for plains farms. Will assume debt. E. G. Utzman, 873 Grape St., Abilene, Texas. 13-2tp

FOR SALE—160 acres of land, cheap, 10 miles southeast of Tahoka, cash or terms. Also some town lots in Tahoka, located near High School Building—J. Y. Thompson. 13-2tp

FOR SALE—One-fourth section of land on west side of my place, 8 miles east of Tahoka, on Post and Tahoka highway. One two-room house goes with place. At \$40.00 per acre. Part of it can be carried at 4 per cent.—E. S. Brown. 13-2tc

FOR SALE—158 acres improved farm—1 1/2 miles from Grassland, \$45 per acre.—J. C. Allen. 13-4tp

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor All mechanical condition, three disc Oliver breaking plow, P. & O. tractor planter practically new. Will sell worth the money.—C. B. Gregg, near Grassland. 12-4tp

TRUCK for sale or trade for good milk cows. Or will buy cows.—C. M. Myrick, 5 mi. east of Tahoka on Post highway. 12-4tp

REMINGTON PORTABLE TYPE WRITERS, Standard keyboard and with carrying case, \$60. Easy terms. Call on us for a demonstration. Lynn County News, Phone 35.

RADIO—Crosley Super Tridyn, loud speaker and tubes for sale at bargain.—H. C. Story, Phone 19. 11tc

FOR SALE—At bargain—5 room stucco with bath in N. W. Tahoka—See E. L. Richardson, City Light Plant. 11-4tp

FOR SALE—Make me cash offer for Lots 7 and 8, Block 41, original town of Tahoka, and lots Nos. 2 and 3 in Block No. 29, O. T. Tahoka.—E. O. Smith, Lubbock, Texas, Phone 118. 11-6tc

LOTS FOR SALE—Near new High School Building on easy payment plan.—See W. C. Walls.

HEATING STOVE for sale, first class condition. \$10.00. M. L. H. Baze 10-tfc

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FOR SALE—Central Cafe, good location, good equipment and doing good business.—T. W. White, Tahoka, Texas. 10-c

REPORT CARDS—For Common and Independent School Districts, 2c each in small quantities.—The Lynn County News.

The Lynn County News can still be had for \$1.50 per year—52 issues. We are also still offering the combination of The News and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News for only \$2.00

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TATE'S Blistol

The King of Blisters. Tse's Cholera Relief and Antiseptic Healing Oil For Sale by TAHOKA DRUG CO. 35-13tc

WANTED

WANTED—Good second-hand piano cheap.—T. I. Tippitt. 14-2tp

WANTED—Good Milch cow—C. M. Myrick, 5 mi. east of Tahoka on Post highway. 12-4tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One 2-room house and one 7-room house. See J. C. Welch. 11-tfc

FARM FOR RENT—Teams and tools for sale. 1 mile north Midway school—J. D. Brixey, Tahoka Rt. 2. 12-3tp

LOST

FOUND—Small amount of money in Piggly-Wiggly store on Saturday. Owner may have same by property describing it and paying for this notice. 14-1tc

STRAYED—Two mare mules, black in color, 4 years old, 14 1/2 and 15 1/2 hands high, branded L on jaw. \$5.00 reward for information as to their whereabouts. Notify S. J. Akin, O'Donnell, Texas. Rt. 3. 11-4tp

LOST—Two mules out of pasture near Lakeview, branded 7 on left shoulder; one brown, 15 hands, one sorrel 14 1/2 hands, both horse mules. \$5.00 reward for each mule.—Lonnie Williams, Slide Texas; Phone 9006-F3, Lubbock. 10-4tp

MISCELLANEOUS

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HORSE MULE with "C" brand on left jaw taken up Feb. 1927. Owner may have same by inquiring of B. F. Hodges 7 mi. S. of Tahoka. 14-2tp

WANTED—Good incubator, in A-1 condition. Mrs. A. T. Bertling, Tahoka, Rt. 4. 14-1tp

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B. Y. P. U. Has Social Meeting

Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock the Senior B. Y. P. U. was entertained by Miss Eleanor Barker at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coltenback.

As the first entertainer Miss Charlotte told her experiences while on her trip to the B. Y. P. U. convention, which was held at San Antonio.

Next the group was given a chance to prove their quick-mindedness by deciphering the names of cars. Miss Barnett and Mr. Rector won the prize for this stunt. We also had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Rector propose to Miss Barnett. This was very amusing, for he contracted that she would accept him before he proposed.

Each person was given an Indian head penny and was told to find 14 listed articles. Only twelve of the articles were found. This game also proved alertness of mind and quickness of sight.

Not long after refreshments were served the fire siren interrupted our fun. Two of the boys raced to town but gave the report that they found nothing that even resembled a fire. Everyone reported an enjoyable evening. Those present were: Misses Campbell, McCord, Rector, Barnett, Coltenback and Barker, and Messrs. Rector, Eubanks, McCord, Brother Shepherd, and Mr. and Mrs. Coltenback.

SLASH - L WOMEN'S CLUB HAS BUSY MEETING

The Slash-L club met in regular session Friday evening, November 18. The house was called to order by the president. After the roll call and reading of the minutes, a short business meeting was held. It was decided to have a pie supper at the school house Saturday night, December 3, for the benefit of the club. Mrs. A. L. Perry was elected as Home chairman. Girl's club work was discussed, and it was decided that if the girls have a club they should have a local leader.

The following program committee was appointed: Mrs. P. D. Pharr, Mrs. H. T. Thomas, and Mrs. R. R. Seay. The committee will arrange a program for the pie supper.

A few members paid in the money for the year book. The club had an addition of three new members.

After the business session adjourned, Miss Halsey gave a very useful and helpful demonstration on tailoring finishes. —REPORTER

UNCLE IKE MARRIES TWO COUPLES THANKS GIVING

Two young men of Lynn county felt that they certainly had something to be thankful for on Thanksgiving day. On this day two fine young ladies entrusted their future happiness into the keeping of the two young gentlemen aforesaid.

Elijah Shewmake and Miss Allene Duckett, both Three Lakes, stood before Uncle Ike, J. P., in his office while that dignified jurist pronounced the short but impressive ceremony which joined them together as husband and wife. Accompanying these two were Bud Hanes and Miss Lillian Shewmake, who reside east of Tahoka, and they too were armed with a marriage license which the groom presented to the Judge and asked him to proceed accordingly. The Judge did so, and these twain also became as one. The Judge says that he thus made four hearts beat as two, but they beat like sixty. Here's congratulations and good wishes to both happy couples.

CARD OF THANKS

"A friend in need is a friend indeed." We can not express our thanks and appreciation in words to the Tahoka Volunteer Fire Department, our neighbors, and friends, for their help in the fire Tuesday night. The Fire Department fought faithfully until 4:30 Wednesday morning, and in our misfortune we come to know and appreciate our friends better. C. H. Wakefield and wife. Jim and Gus.

DRAW COUPLE MARRIED HERE THURSDAY

Just as the clock was striking the noon hour Thursday, Tom Ellis and Miss Lillian Cook of Draw plighted their troth one to the other in marriage at the residence of Uncle Ike Metcalf, who pronounced the solemn ceremony. These are splendid young people of the Draw community and will continue to reside there.

J. J. Boydston leaves Friday to spend a week or ten days at Killen, Bell county, visiting relatives.

UNCLE IKE MARRIES LAMESA COUPLE TUESDAY

Mr. Liney Scott and Miss Nova Lee Burleson of Lamesa came to Tahoka Tuesday armed with a marriage license issued there and hunted up our "marrying squire," Judge I. P. Metcalf, who was easily found, and he proceeded to speak the solemn words which made them husband and wife. The ceremony was performed in the office of the county clerk, with just a few witnesses present. Immediately after the ceremony they left for their home town, where they will continue to reside. They have our best wishes.

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"Black-Draught has been our main medicine in the house now, for about twenty-five years. We take it for biliousness, colds and almost all minor ills. It's the first thing my folks and I think of taking when we feel bad. We recommend it very highly."

Try it for the ills Mr. Parker mentions. For sale everywhere. Insist on the genuine.

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I want to buy your Turkeys—Will pay as much as any one.

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"Why Not Trust The People?" Chris. L. Adair Asks Readers

(By Chris. L. Adair)

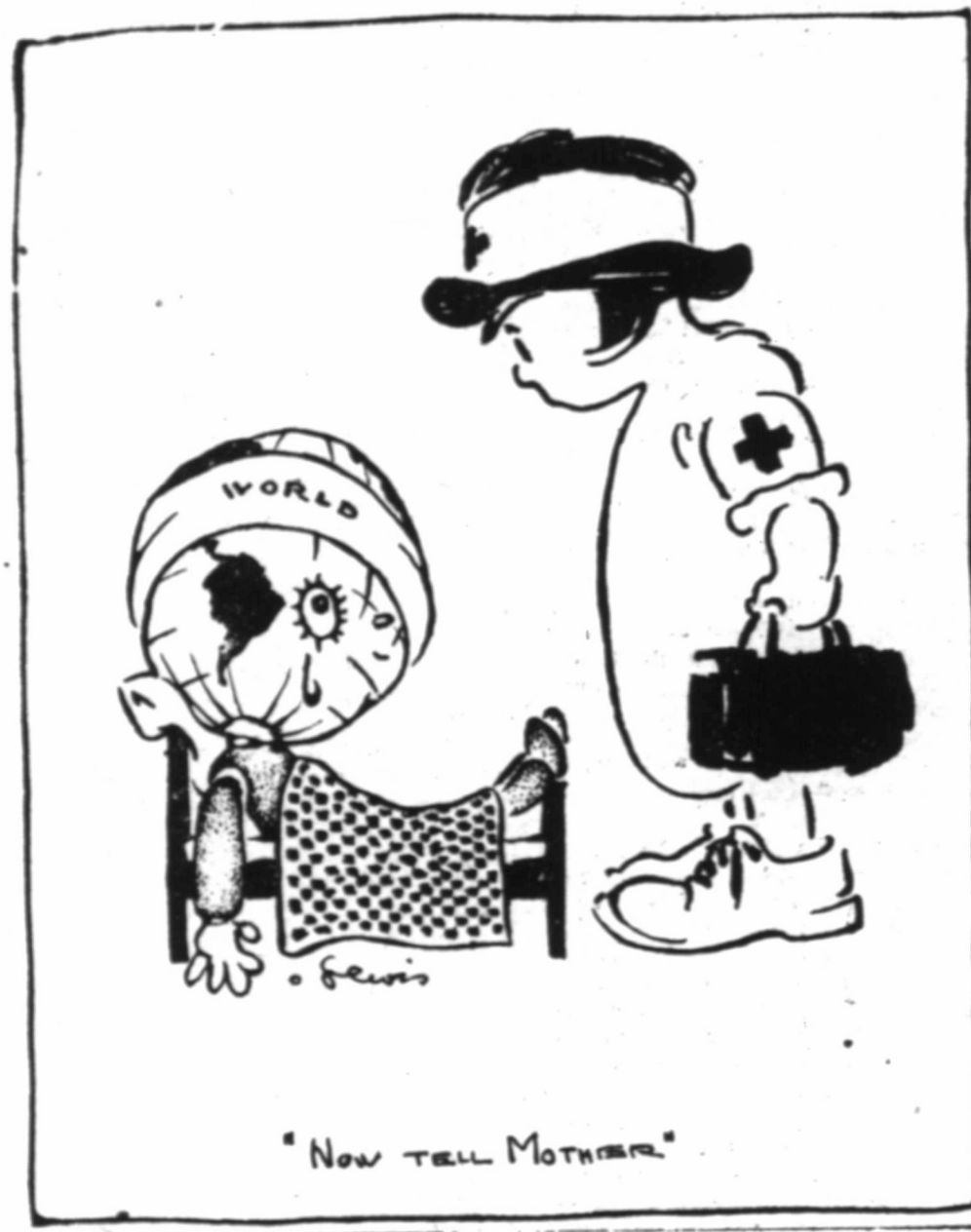
It is easy for anyone to get discouraged and wonder if they ever had a part in doing anything worth while to even a small part of the world. But a look on the inside of last week's News helped to ease some of my own personal misgivings on this subject. As most of our readers know, it is barely seven months since the voters of Tahoka emphatically told the world that they did not want to sell our municipal light, power and ice plant for \$85,000 on the ten year installment plan and now the power trust comes back direct with an offer of \$100,000 cash so counting interest, depreciation and the natural growth of the city, it seems that Tahoka is a small fortune to the good by following my printed advice to hold onto the good thing they already had and doing so to the tune of 152 to 60. But for some mysterious reason which should be apparent to the dumbest of us, this plant sale question will not stay down any more than would Bannock's ghost and like the traditional cat of our childhood days it dutifully comes back to vex the voters before the year is out, and just to think of the mental complex which would perpetuate a bitter political controversy in a peaceful community just at Christmas time when all should be peace and good will. But nothing is sacred to the power trusts, some of their surveys for proposed dams involve flooding the graves of some of our noblest pioneer heroes and wiping from the map some of the most sacred sites and shrines in Texas history. The action of the power trust in bringing on this ill-timed contest for Christmas week is somewhat similar to the land agent who attended the funeral. Down the road a few miles the minister had tire trouble or else his limousine tried to hit on all four cylinders at once. As the minutes lengthened into hours, the crowd grew restless and at last the minister arose and told the audience he deemed it a proper time to make a few brief remarks on the climate of Southern California.

One of the noblest characters in a community is the merchant who earnestly tries to sell the goods his customers need the most. Some of the most heroic figures in modern and ancient history have been salesmen of one kind or another and the first convert to Christ in Europe was a saleslady in a clothing store that catered to the very rich. Judas Iscariot, Annanias, Benedict Arnold and more recently a man named Fall are some very tragic historic examples of the class who either sold themselves or tried to sell something they had no right to sell. Every high school student has heard the story ending with the words: "The name of Lee is not for sale." Many years ago the supreme court decided that no legislature could barter away the public health and morals; not even the people themselves had the right to do so. Ice and electricity were formerly luxuries for the very rich but today they are considered highly essential to the health, happiness and welfare of millions of people and it is a matter of doubtful expediency to allow one big outfit to monopolize the source of supply. The sale of this plant is a step backward, for some of the most progressive communities on earth have all public utilities in public ownership, and in the memory of many people now living, the highway, postal service and school system were partly or wholly in private ownership or control. Public ownership of public utilities was advocated by such great men as Lincoln, Bryan, Roosevelt, Wilson and La Follette, so why vote for such a reactionary measure unless it is simply a matter of life and death to the credit of the City itself? It is true that a year of cheap cotton, cheap oil and a very short wheat crop has hit all of West Texas pretty hard but most people who know, claim that the worst of the hard times has past, so why worry about selling a money-making plant for about 1-1/2 its real value? Now, if it is the Jonah that some of our best minds seem to think it is, it might be the best to unload it on the power trust as soon as possible, though it would not be exactly honest to do so unless we first informed them just how much our people were losing on the thing

every year. Now, if as suggested by Judge Walker some months ago, our city government had taken the proper and legal pains to keep us all informed just how near the financial rocks we were drifting, we would be in better shape to cast an intelligent vote on the subject, so having failed to do this, it is up to each voter to personally visit our splendid modern little plant and check their observations with some of their own children's school books on electricity and kindred subjects.

Now the facts are about like this: A ten watt bulb will give a better light than the number two kerosene burner and a kilowatt hour costing eighteen cents will keep such a globe burning 100 hours, but since eight kilowatts is the least anyone may pay for a month we can burn four such lights six hours each day in the month for \$1.50, the minimum. Of course most folks use on an average twenty-five watt and the best homes and business houses fifty watt bulbs. Two of the latter size burners both at once five hours a day cost less than \$3.00 a month at our present rates which are too high and would wield more profit to us all if they were reduced at least thirty per cent. If we hold onto our plant we can reduce these rates in another year, but if the power trust gets our plant, then we can simply kiss ourselves goodbye and when they want to raise it above their contract price they will find legal means to do so. Judge Grace, our own City Attorney is a lawyer of outstanding ability and deserving of the fullest measure of public confidence, but if he single-handed can beat the fine array of legal talent that the power trust keeps always on its payroll then he ought to be Attorney General of Texas. A 100 horsepower engine will run 24 hours on \$10.00 worth of fuel and lubricant and produce 1,400 or more kilowatt hours of electricity worth over \$70.00 at 5 cents per kilowatt-hour. Now since our own plant is triple this capacity, it seems only a matter of marketing and collecting for all the current we can produce. Now, as a matter of fact, the plant is now loaded to the limit for an average of ten hours a day, three hours of which it delivers \$50.00 worth of current to small consumers of high price lights. Running the remaining seven hours on current selling for an average of four cents a kilowatt-hour its intake should easily exceed \$50.00 more. Let no one feed you the bunk that our own municipal plant is a pile of obsolete junk. On the contrary, its equipment is some of the finest and most efficient of its size made anywhere in the world today. The handful of men who keep the thing going night and day are cheap only in the contemptibly low wages paid them and the slavishly long hours exacted of them. Our leading citizens are nearly all Masons but the 12-hour day is anti-Masonic. Most every voter in town belongs to the church or reads the same and some both and the same Bible that says "Thou shalt not steal," says a few more chapters on "Thou shalt not oppress the hiring in his wages." Henry Ford believes and practices both precepts and finds it actually pays to follow the Bible. Honestly it seems that we should vote to hold onto our plant a few more years so as to set ourselves right on this very subject. To vote to sell it right now would be just as if the thief on the cross had died of pneumonia a few days before he was crucified—that noble hymn our Baptist friends seem so fond of might never have been written.

If this plant is sold, then a high-line from O'Donnell to Slaton will be built at once and that will keep a small force busy for a month or so. Then the power trust will have no further use for our plant nor for the men who now operate it. Perhaps one man will be on duty here all the time but when he gets behind with his work a truckload of men will be sent down from Lubbock and in a few days will go to another place to work. All the current the city uses will be generated in large plants at Borger, McCombs, Lubbock and Odessa and the local plant will be held in reserve to be operated a few days at a time by an extra gang when there is a sudden demand for all the power that can be generated. Talk about keep-



ing our money at home; then vote to keep the plant in public ownership so that these men who are now living here and spending their money in our own local stores may continue to do so. If you think five more vacant houses are a beautiful ornament to our city, then vote to sell it, so that the \$20.00 or more profits the plant does or should yield each day may go to swell the dividends of the power trust instead of to pay the interest and singing fund on \$100,000 worth of improvement bonds. You will then have to pay this yourself out of increased taxes on vacant rent property. This proposed sale would help Lubbock and Slaton a great deal but I am for Tahoka first of all.

Grover Cleveland said: "Public office is a public trust," and the Democratic party has always stood for the rule of the people. Now gentlemen, if you really believe that, just why did you spring this deplorable election on us in less than a year after the people had buried the sale proposition by more than two and a half to one? It seems that the men who want to see our money spent but of town decided that so many people would be away on their Christmas vacations and would thereby lose

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PROGRAM Of The Worker's Council to be held With The Baptist Church Dec. 6th, 1927, Wilson Texas

- Brother R. A. Scranton will be with us.
- 9:45 a. m. Devotional—Clyde Shaw
- 10:00 a. m. Connection between Scriptural Giving and Spiritual Power—Judge W. W. Price.
- 10:20 a. m. Our System of Church Finance; Its Merits and Demerits—Rev. B. N. Shepherd; Rev. F. N. Allen; Rev. M. I. Davis
- Suggestion as to How to Meet These Demerits—R. A. Scranton, Dallas, Texas.
- 11:20 a. m. Sermon—Dr. R. A. Scranton
- LUNCH—
- Board meeting called by Moderator.
- Ladies will have the afternoon. Their subject is SERVICE
- 2:00 p. m. Devotional—Mrs. W. W. Price
- 2:15 p. m. Christians that Count—Mrs Edwards, Meadow.
- 2:30 p. m. What Service Means to Me—Mrs. Winter
- 2:45 p. m. Special Music—
- 3:00 p. m. Compare Spiritual Service with Material Service—Mrs. L. J. Dunn, Brownfield.
- 3:15 p. m. Address—Mrs. McDonald, Brownfield

COME!

Scope Of Home Demonstration Club Work In Lynn County Is Extended

In Home Demonstration Club work members are all working toward a well rounded homelife. The four big aims in Home Demonstration work are sometimes stated in this way:

- To make the home economically sound.
- To make the home mechanically convenient.
- To make the home physically healthful.
- To make the home spiritually satisfying.

In the beginning of Club work in Lynn County we put the greater emphasis in Club work upon the first two aims, that is we stressed raising our living at home and making our own clothing. Then we stressed improving our home kitchens, using modern equipment for cooking and canning. This year we have studied the question of keeping well by using the proper balance in our daily diet.

In 1928 all three of these phases of home making will be used, but in addition to these perhaps the greater emphasis will be placed upon making our houses, their inner contents, and their outer surrounding more satisfactory places in which to spend our lives and rear our children.

With this aim in view the women of the County have decided upon a Yard Improvement Campaign and a number of them have entered the State Living Room Contest.

The State Living Room Contest is being carried on jointly by the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News and the Extension Service of A & M College. The Contest begins December first and closes the last week in April.

In order to carry on this Home Improvement work in the best possible way a local committee will assist the Home Demonstration Agent with the scoring in December and again in April.

In addition to this scoring Committee each club has a local Home Improvement chairman who will assist in every possible way in putting over the Home Improvement program in her own community. These Better Homes Chairmen are as follows:

- Lynn—Mrs. A. V. Price, Tahoka, Rt. 1.
 - Edith—Mrs. R. W. Fenton, Tahoka, Rt. 1.
 - Draw-Redwine—Mrs. Tom Smith, Tahoka, Rt. 2.
 - Midway—Mrs. C. M. Robertson, Tahoka, Rt. 2.
 - O'Donnell—Mrs. J. F. Campbell, O'Donnell
 - Slash L.—Mrs. G. W. Perry, O'Donnell, Rt. 3.
 - T-Bar—Mrs. J. B. Vickery, Tahoka, Rt. 3.
 - Lakeview—Mrs. E. F. Swartz, Lubbock, Rt. 4.
 - New Home—Mrs. J. E. Lowe—Tahoka, Rt. 4.
 - Wilson—Mrs. R. A. Metcalf, Wilson.
- Names may be sent in for the Yard Contest up to January first. All names for Living Room Contest must be in by December first.
- All living rooms in the Contest will be scored right away. Find your name on the following list and the date when your room will be scored. If you have given me your name and you do not see it here notify me at once, and I shall notify you when I can see your room. Also, if for any reason, you find that you cannot go on as you had planned notify me so I can give the time to those who expect to stay in the Contest.
- Living Room Scoring Schedule for Lynn County:
- Nov. 29: Mrs. H. R. Minor, Mrs. E. F. Swartz, Mrs. C. C. Nettles, Mrs. L. H. Moore.
 - Nov. 31: Mrs. J. H. Kuykendall, Mrs. Tom Smith, Mrs. I. M. Draper, Mrs. J. R. Strain.
 - Dec. 1: Mrs. Claude Wells, Mrs. Pharr, Mrs. Edd Anderson.
 - Dec. 6: Mrs. A. L. Faubon, Mrs. R. A. Metcalf, Mrs. L. Mueller, Mrs. J. E. Richardson.
 - Dec. 8: Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. W. H. Vasey, Mrs. Ben Moore, Mrs. J. L. Schooler, Mrs. N. T. Singleton.
 - Dec. 9: Mrs. J. K. Nowlin, Mrs. Willis Pennington, Mrs. John Berry, Mrs. Marvin Eldridge.
- Yours for Better Homes in 1928,
MILIE M. HALSEY, C. H. D. A.

Master of the Rolls Once Not Empty Title

In the days before printing, the old records were always written in a form which made them literally a roll, says the Dearborn Independent. One sheet of parchment was used and the next one was sewed to its bottom edge, and the process repeated until a document might consist of a hundred or more sheets, or skins, as they were then called, all sewed together in one long strip. A piece of wood was then fastened to either end in the manner of a modern map and the strip rolled up from the bottom into a great roll or bundle. The reader began at the top, slowly unrolling one end as one rolled up the other end on another stick.

From this form rolls came to stand for manuscripts, particularly official manuscripts or court records. The keeper or master of the rolls was then the high officer who kept the records of the English courts of justice. Today the president of the chancery division of the high court of justice in England, ranking next to the lord chief justice of England, is called the master of the rolls. Originally the master of the rolls had the custody of the records, but in the course of time this charge became merely nominal.

Fantastic Titles Given to Court Favorites

Among the whimsical titles which appear on the pages of national history few are more apparently frivolous than the duke of Marmalade, the count of Lemonade and the earl of Brandy. They are, or were, however, real titles bestowed by a genuine monarch on three favorites during the last century.

In 1811 a revolution occurred in Haiti, and Christophe, a negro, declared himself emperor. Through conspiracy and plot he retained power until 1820, preserving to the last the appearance of a royal court and creating numerous nobility.

Among them were the three mentioned; and far from being instances of the frivolity of the African character, they were names of places, the first two being originally plantations, but latterly towns of some importance.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Howell spent the week end at Midland, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hicks.

Geologists Locate At Brownfield

A large group of "rock hounds" who with their helpers number some twenty-five or thirty men, came in last week, and are making Brownfield their headquarters for the time being. It is our understanding that they are to give this vicinity the real once over for oil and gas and report their findings to their superiors, who ever they are, but who are believed to be some of the big oil companies.

So far as the Herald is aware, no geologist has ever visited the county and made any investigation but believe there is plenty of oil and gas hereabouts, and these men, we understand, are to make a thorough investigation and report the depth as near as possible, together with the most favorable formations and locations. In doing this, they are equipped with the best and latest improved implements and materials for making such findings. Big oil companies are now convinced that the next big pool perhaps the biggest yet found, will be located some of these days in this vicinity, and they are sparing no expense in finding the best of human endeavor just where to dig.

These geologists and helpers are a great asset to this city, although here only temporarily, for they are men who draw good money, and generally speaking are good spenders, and Brownfield certainly bids them welcome to our little city. The only thing one might have against them, and that is no fault of theirs, they absolutely give out nothing to the public, but they are not in the public employ.—Terry County Herald.

W. E. Rutledge, Arch Bruce, Tom Farris, and little son Buster, Sweetheart friends of the editor, were here Tuesday on business. Mr. Farris owns a tract of land near Meadow. This was Mr. Bruce's first trip to Lynn county. The only thing he didn't like about it was the wind, the same thing that the noted Miss Dorothy Scarborough didn't like about Sweetwater.

Draw Items

On Wednesday night, November 23, the teachers and pupils gave a very interesting and appropriate Thanksgiving program in the school auditorium. The entire community seemed to enjoy the service and program. We are indeed thankful for the many blessings that we are enjoying. Every pupil in the school had a part on the program.

Preparations are being made to have a play given in the school auditorium before the Christmas holidays. The high school dramatic club is getting up the play, "Safety First!" Watch for further announcements about this play, for you do not want to miss seeing it.

Most of the children are in the school now, and they are all doing some good school work.

Farmers are about to catch up with their work and everyone seems to be in fine spirits.

New officers and teachers were elected in the Sunday School and Epworth League last Sunday. If you want to know who they were, come out to the services next Sunday and find out. Be sure and come next Sunday, for our new pastor, Bro. Wright will preach for us.

A number of the people of Draw attended the singing convention at Tahoka last Sunday. They reported a fine time and some good singing. We invite all the singers of the county to come to Draw on the Second Sunday afternoon of December and help us sing.

(Delayed)

Our Sunday School and preaching services were well attended Sunday. Rev. Hamilton Wright, our new Methodist pastor, was with us and preached two wonderful sermons. Bro. Wright comes to us from the Lamesa circuit. We are building a new parsonage here at Draw so that our pastor can be at home among us. We invite the visiting communities to come and be with us in our preaching services on the First and Third Sunday of each month. Our Sunday school is also increasing in membership. Next Sunday is the time that we elect new officers for the ensuing year. If you live near our church be sure to be at Sunday School next Sunday.

Our Armistice program was well attended and every one seemed to enjoy the day's program. Classes were heard till 10:30, then the Armistice program was rendered by the school. Several of the parents were present. There was a general Thanksgiving program given at the school house on the evening of Wednesday, November 23rd. We all feel that we have very much to be thankful for this fall. Crops are good and prices have been fair, and we have had an unusually fair fall for harvesting it. Our people are living together in a friendly and neighborly way. We feel that indeed we have much to be thankful for.

A number of the young people of our community attended the singing at South Ward last Sunday. They reported a good time and a good singing. We invite the neighboring communities to come to our singings on the second and fourth Sunday afternoon of each month. We have the new Vaughn song books, and are trying to learn a few new songs, so come and help us out.

Mrs. Janie Ellis has been visiting her children and sister at Pecan Gap. When she came home this last week, her sister, Mrs. Phillips, came home with her to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Manes, of our community.

It is reported that Mrs. Jim Cook who has been at the Sanitarium at Lubbock for the last few weeks, is rapidly recovering and will soon be

at home with us again. Her many friends here are delighted to hear this.

Roy and Dola Evans are visiting his father, Mr. A. C. Evans, this week. They live at Hollis, Oklahoma. Mr. Maurice Evans has been at Jayton for the last few weeks.

Misses Berlum Ash and Oneda Beattie came home on Wednesday of this week for the purpose of spending the Thanksgiving holidays at their homes in this community. These young people are attending school at Ropes.

The people of this community wish to express their appreciation to the editorial staff of the Lynn County News for their publication of our Draw Edition of the paper. We think we have one of the best county papers found on the south plains.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

Services at Presbyterian Church Sunday morning and night. Every member wanted and our friends are cordially invited to all of our services. At the 11 a. m. service, Rev. W. K. Johnston of Lubbock will preach, "Worth While Living" will be the subject. A good song service mandated. At night plans are to have a fine service with a men's gospel team from Lubbock, conducted by Dr. E. R. Gordon Dean of Tech and others. Good speakers and a most attractive program. This is the first time this fine team will be with us. Let's give them a good hearing Sunday. Also let us have a fine song service. You always find a most comfortable church and a cordial greeting at the Presbyterian Church. And we will be glad to meet you in our services next Sunday.

W. K. JOHNSTON.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

(Continued)

As that wherever the term or expression "light system" is used or occurs in this contract, it shall be construed to mean and refer to the above described real estate, together with the improvements thereon, and all other property, real, personal, and mixed, herein described, mentioned and or referred to as property to be conveyed by the City of Tahoka to Texas Utilities Company, except the following property located on the above described real estate, belonging to the water department of said City of Tahoka, to-wit: Two surface water reservoirs, one booster station for water-works and two wells.

That wherever the term or expression "ice plant" is used or occurs in this contract it shall be construed to mean and refer to the ice plant complete, now owned by the City of Tahoka and property connected with the ice plant, as aforesaid, including compressors, condensers, receivers, brine tank, cans, hoists, cranes, motors, blower, pump and accessories, ice conveyances and teams, and all and everything connected with the operation of said ice plant, as well as all tools and property belonging to and used in connection with the electric department, as aforesaid.

Seventeenth:— It is agreed by and between the City and the Company that this clause of this contract shall be construed as a lease of the necessary grounds from the City to the Company during the term of this contract for the operation of any property belonging to the Company and located on the ground of the City.

At the expiration of the term of this contract, unless the same be renewed, the Company shall have the right to remove any of its property which may be on land belonging to the City of Tahoka.

Eighteenth:— The City agrees to proceed at once to submit this contract to the qualified voters of the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, and do all things necessary to secure a ratification of this contract, as speedily as possible, under the laws of Texas, and to pass all statutory resolutions and ordinances required or necessary to carry out the provisions of this contract.

Nineteenth:— This contract is executed in triplicate originals at Tahoka, Texas, where this contract is performable in all of its terms, this day and year first above written, and it is agreed that this contract contains all the covenants and agreements made by and between the parties on the subject matter hereof, and that no part of this contract shall be in any manner amended, abrogated, superseded or altered, unless done in writing and signed by the parties hereto, acting by and through their duly authorized agents.

One copy of this contract is delivered to the City Secretary of Tahoka, Texas, for the use and as the property of the City, and one copy hereof is delivered to the President of the Texas Utilities Company, and one property of said Company, and each of the parties hereto hereby acknowledge receipt of this copy hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF the said City of Tahoka has caused these presents to be executed in its corporate name by its Mayor and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed by its City Secretary in the City of Tahoka, Texas, this day and year first above written by authority of the City Council of the said City of Tahoka, Texas.

City of Tahoka, Texas

By J. R. SINGLETON, Mayor.

Attest:

FRANKIE WELLS, City Sec'y.

And the said Texas Utilities Company accepts this contract on this date.

TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY

By I. R. KELSO, President.

And whereas the laws of the State of Texas provide that the light system and ice plant described in said contract shall not be sold until such sale is authorized by a majority vote of the qualified voters of the City of Tahoka, voting on said proposition at an election held for that purpose; now,

Therefore, for the purpose of authorizing the sale of said light system complete and ice plant complete, as described in said contract, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, a special election shall be held within the City of Tahoka at the time and in the manner hereinafter set out, submitting to the qualified voters of the City said proposition, as hereinafter set out by ordinance, to-wit:

"An ordinance calling special election to be held within the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, at the time and places and in the manner hereinafter set out, for the purpose of ratifying and confirming a certain contract of sale of November 21, 1927, by the City of Tahoka of the electric light plant and system complete and ice plant and system complete, owned and operated by the City of Tahoka, including tangible and intangible properties, to Texas Utilities Company, a Texas corporation, upon the price, terms, and conditions set out in said contract of sale of November 21, 1927."

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAHOKA, TEXAS:

Section 1: That a special election is hereby authorized and ordered to be held in the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, on Tuesday, the 27th day of December, 1927 at the polling places hereinafter mentioned and determined for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said City the question of whether or not the light system complete, consisting of electric light plant, electric distribution system complete and ice plant complete shall be sold to TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY in accordance with terms, conditions and provisions set out in a certain contract heretofore entered into by and between the City of Tahoka and Texas Utilities Company and referred to as contract of sale of November 21, 1927.

Section 2: That at said election, to be held on the 27th day of December, 1927, the following proposition shall be submitted: "Shall the City Council of the City of Tahoka, Texas, be authorized to sell to Texas Utilities Company, a Texas corporation for the consideration of \$100,000.00 the light system complete, consisting of electric light plant and light system complete and ice plant complete now owned and operated by the City?"

Section 3: That said election shall be held at the County Court House in the City of Tahoka, Texas, and the following named person is hereby appointed manager of said election, to-wit: W. C. Wells; and said election shall be held under the Constitution and laws of the State, particularly the provisions of the laws of the State of TEXAS governing the holding of elections in cases of the issuance of municipal bonds by the City of Tahoka and only qualified voters shall be allowed to vote. That the judges and clerks of said election shall be selected as provided by the ordinances of said City concerning city elections and in pursuance of the laws of the State of Texas, as aforesaid.

Section 4: That the tickets or ballots shall be prepared and printed for use at said election which shall be substantially in the form set out in this section. All voters who favor the proposition of the sale of the light system and ice plant complete shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the sale of the light system and ice plant complete, consisting of electric light plant and light system complete and ice plant complete now owned and operated by the City."

Those opposed to the sale of said light system and ice plant shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"Against the sale of the light system and ice plant complete, consisting of electric light plant and light system complete and ice plant complete now owned and operated by the City."

The manner of holding the election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas regulating general

elections. Section 5: That a copy of this Ordinance, signed by the Mayor of the City of Tahoka and attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

Section 6: That the Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be posted up at the City Hall and at one public place in each of the voting places of the City of Tahoka, Texas, for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election. That the Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice published in Lynn County News, a newspaper of general circulation published in said City of Tahoka, and which notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the date of the first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to the date of election.

Section 7: That the returns of said election shall be canvassed and certified to by the election officials and the proper officers of said City, as now required by the laws of the STATE OF TEXAS and the ordinances of said City, for canvassing and certifying to returns in cases of City elections held in cases of issuance of municipal bonds by said City; and, if a majority of the qualified voters, voting at said election, vote in favor of the sale of said property, as aforesaid, then the contract made and entered into by and between the City of Tahoka and Texas Utilities Company as aforesaid, on November 21st, 1927, shall be in force and effect thereafter in accordance with the terms and provisions of said contract of sale of November 21st, 1927.

Section 8: That if a majority of the qualified voters, voting at said election, vote in favor of the sale of said property, as aforesaid, the City Council of the City of Tahoka, shall execute, or cause to be executed, such deed or deeds of conveyances, and other instruments of writing, as may be necessary to transfer and deliver to said Texas Utilities Company said property, and shall deliver, or cause to be delivered, all of said property to Texas Utilities Company, in accordance with the terms and provisions of said contract of sale of November 21st, 1927, by virtue of the authority given by a majority of the qualified voters of said City under the laws of the State of Texas.

Section 9: That, after the vote of said election has been delivered to the City Secretary by the election officials as required by law, the said vote shall be canvassed and certified to by the City Council of the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, on Monday the 2nd day of January, 1928, and the Mayor shall declare the result of said election. The result of said election, when ascertained shall be spread upon the minutes of the meeting of the City Council of the City of Tahoka, Texas.

Section 10: That the City Council finds and declares that such an imperative public necessity exists as to

create an emergency requiring the suspension of the rule which requires that Ordinances be read at three separate council meetings, and that the rule be, and the same is hereby, suspended and that this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed and approved at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, this 21st day of November, 1927, and by the passage hereof the same shall be immediately put in force and be in effect for and after its passage.

J. R. SINGLETON, Mayor City of Tahoka.

Attest: FRANKIE WELLS, City Sec'y.

CITY OF TAHOKA, TEXAS, November 21, 1927.

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 21st day of November, 1927 at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Tahoka, Texas,

there came on to be considered the adoption of the sale contract by the City Council of the sale of the City's electric light plant and system and ice plant to Texas Utilities Company, a Texas Corporation, for the sum of \$100,000.00 in cash.

Alderman Applewhite duly seconded by Alderman Stewart, moved the Contract of Sale as submitted by Texas Utilities Company and considered by the Council be executed by the Mayor and attested by the City Secretary on the part of the City.

The motion carried unanimously.

Alderman Applewhite, duly seconded by Alderman Stewart, moved further that the money received as the proceeds from the sale of said electric light plant and ice plant to Texas Utilities Company be expended for the purpose of retiring the public debt of the City of Tahoka.

J. R. SINGLETON, Mayor City of Tahoka.

Attest: FRANKIE WELLS, City Sec'y.

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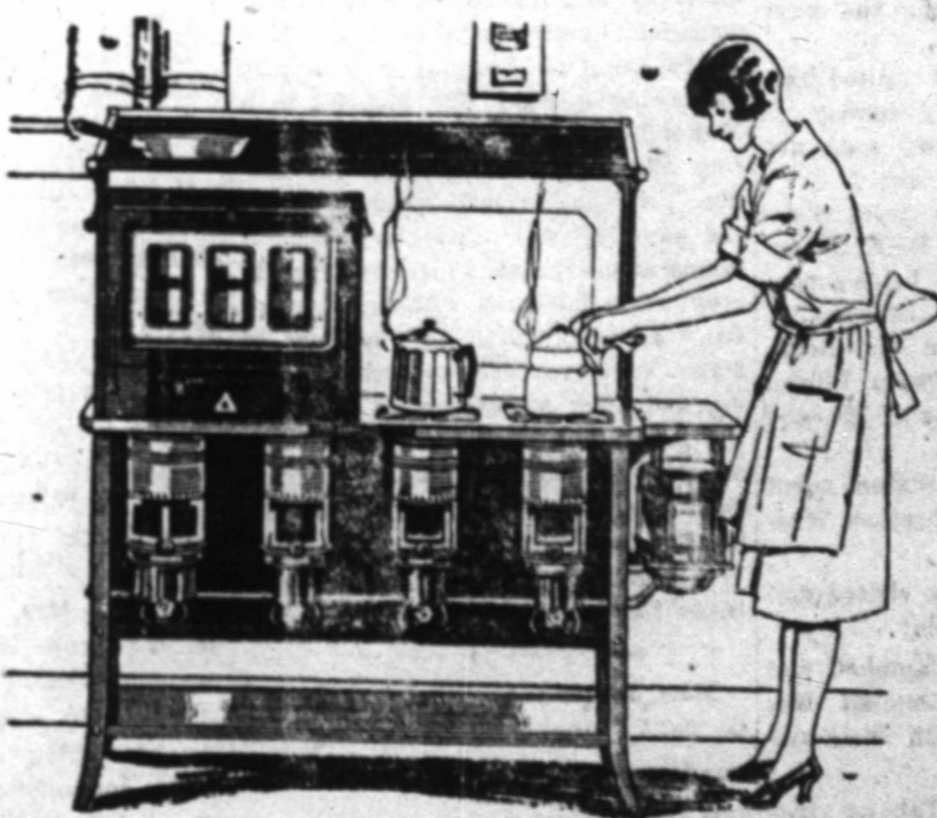
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Edith News

Last Saturday night a box supper was given by the people of the community for the benefit of the school and the Club girls. A large crowd was present and everyone seemed to enjoy the occasion very much. The proceeds of the evening amounted to \$69.40, one third of which was given to the club girls.

Music was furnished by Mrs. C. E. Campbell and the Boyce brothers.

Miss Pearl Kees spent the past week in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Pritchett visited relatives at Pleasant Valley Sunday.

Mrs. John Wilson's two sons are spending the week with her.

On November 12, Miss Azlee Stevens was married to Mr. E. E. Whelan at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stevens.

Last Sunday afternoon Mr. Leonard Jones and Miss Beatrice Wilson were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stevens.

Earnest Boyce from Slaton spent the past week with his brother Warren Boyce.

Mr. Harter and family visited relatives at Magnolia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Campbell are spending a few days with their relatives at Stamford.

Mrs. Dean Nowlin of Tahoka visited

in the Nowlin home Sunday and Monday.

—REPORTER.

Two alleged bank robbers were killed at Odessa a week ago when they were apparently in the act of entering a bank. Peace officers had received a tip that a big job was to be pulled and they were on the grounds ready for the bandits. Just as the door of the bank was shattered by the burglars the officers opened fire. One of the men was killed instantly and the other was fatally wounded, dying the next day. The Texas Bankers Association promptly forwarded a check for \$10,000 to a Midland bank to be divided among the four officers participating in the killing.

It's a terribly severe remedy for banditry and burglary but it seems about the only effective way to stop such business. Nearly every daily paper contains an account of some bank robbery or other hold-up, and such a warfare on thugs as the Bankers Association has instituted will probably result in reducing their number and putting fear into the hearts of those that escape death. We shed no tears over the death of those two Odessa thieves.

Miss Dolphia Carmack returned to Tulia, where she is teaching, on Sunday, after a few days visit with relatives here.

T-Bar

No rain yet and very little cold weather so far—really had some real warm days lately.

Cotton picking and pulling is the order of the day, and everybody will soon be done. We had a hard freeze in some parts of the country and that has helped to open the cotton earlier than usual. We had our first light frost the last week in October and a hard freeze November 15—some later than common.

Our new Methodist pastor, Rev. J. T. Weems of O'Donnell, filled his appointment here Sunday afternoon. Also the ladies missionary society met after church.

Rev. Shumake of Bethel, formerly of Post, will preach next Sunday afternoon, that being the first Sunday.

Charley and Clarence Leverett came in Friday for a visit with his brother here. They went to Lamesa on business before returning home.

Mrs. J. W. Nichols' brother, Mr. Farrell, who resides east of Tahoka, visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols' family have decided again to move from their present location.

R. L. Moore and family are talking of moving to Cleburne soon.

Our community was well represented at O'Donnell Saturday night at the carnival.

Some of the ladies of our community have raised a nice bunch of turkeys. Mrs. J. W. Nichols has sold \$150.00 worth and still has some to sell. Mrs. J. A. Bessley has sold \$54.00 worth and Mrs. R. E. Townsend has seventy-five or more to sell.

Jim Adams came by on his way to Big Spring last Tuesday and spent a couple of days visiting relatives and friends.

Ridal Nichols left the past week for the oil fields.

Layton Payne and wife and little daughter made a visit to his parents at Joe Bailey Sunday.

The ladies C. H. D. C. will meet at the school house next Thursday.

J. M. Johnson and family took dinner with Frank McElroy and wife near Post.

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Mrs. A. D. Shank and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Trantchold, left for their home at Waco Monday morning, after a week's visit with relatives here.

PETTY NEWS

We have had pretty weather to gather our crops this fall and most of the farmers of the community are up with their fall work.

Mr. R. E. Overstreet was down seeing after his farm interests this past Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Smith, Mr. Joe Bird and Warren Smith took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Thad Smith at Anton.

Miss Ansel spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Brook Smith.

The social gathering at Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Berrillings was enjoyed by all present, the refreshments consisted of apples, cake and coffee.

We heard that Mr. Rovin had a bale of cotton stolen from his field last Friday night.

There was a large crowd gathered at the Petty School House last Sunday night for preaching, but the preacher failed to show up, so all were disappointed.

Mr. R. W. Whitley went to Lubbock on business Monday.

We are sorry to learn that our good friend Mr. John Beaty and family are leaving.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hoffman, left for Williamson county this past week.

Two of Mr. Archie Vanlew's brothers visited him Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. G. C. Beaty and family visited New Home and Meadow last Saturday eve.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith was destroyed by fire the morning of Nov. 21st.

—REPORTER.

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C. M. Phillips, who has just returned with his family from Ladonia in Fannin county to the Lynn community in this county, was in the News office a few days ago and stated that he expected to raise many chickens next year in connection with his farming operations. He has the White Plymouth Rocks and brought quite a flock with him.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to take this method of sincerely thanking our many friends and neighbors for their many acts

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