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## MAKING PLANS FOR ELECTION

Candidates Are Assessed By County Committeemen In Session Monday

The county Democratic executive committee met Monday and assessed the county and local candidates and determined the order in which their names should appear on the official ballot. They also made arrangements for the printing of the ballots and appointed election judges.

The assessments made against candidates for the various offices are as follows:

Candidates for county judge, \$50.00; sheriff and tax collector, \$50.00; county and district clerk, \$50.00; county attorney, \$40.00; tax assessor, \$40.00; county superintendent, \$40.00; county treasurer, \$40.00; county commissioner, \$20.00; justice of the peace, \$10.00; constable, \$10.00; public weigher, O'Donnell, \$40.00; public weigher, Tahoka, \$40.00; public weigher, Wilson, \$30.00; public weigher, Draw, \$10.00; public weigher, New Home, \$10.00. If all the candidates remain in the race and "kick in" with their assessments, the total amount will be about \$1,500.00.

The above assessments must be paid to the county chairman, H. M. Larkin, not later than next Monday, June 25.

The committee also adopted a rule, as heretofore, requiring a majority vote in order to nominate, and hence there will be a run-off for county offices as well as for state offices in August in those races in which no candidate gets a majority of all the votes in the first primary. This run-off primary will be held in August, just four weeks after the first primary.

Election judges and associate judges for the various election precincts were named as follows:

Prec. 1. S. J. Smith and N. C. Easley;  
Prec. 2. J. E. Richardson and Clifford Young;  
Prec. 3. G. W. Hickerson and J. W. Edwards;  
Prec. 4. J. H. Smith and W. H. Hunt;  
Prec. 5. C. C. Johnson and Grady Leonard;  
Prec. 6. W. S. Swan and S. E. Bell;  
Prec. 7. C. H. Doak and L. G. Phillips;  
Prec. 8. W. J. Burkhart and Price Thomas;  
Prec. 9. Ed Milliken and W. R. Osbell;  
Prec. 10. J. B. Hoskins and O. R. Cook;  
Prec. 11. J. M. Nobles and J. F. McManis;  
Prec. 12. L. F. Goad and Bob Pharr;  
Prec. 13. J. D. Sossoman and J. O. King.

## Guy King's Car Runs Into Truck

As Mr. and Mrs. Guy King and little daughter of Levelland and Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. G. W. Samford, of Tahoka were on their way to Abilene Saturday afternoon, the car which Mr. King was driving collided with a truck on the highway near James. All the occupants of the car received minor injuries. Mrs. Samford, who is an elderly lady, was more severely injured than any of the others. Besides receiving some painful bruises, she also sustained a fracture of one of the bones of the forearm. She was taken on to a hospital in Abilene for treatment. Mr. King later took Mrs. King on to Abilene to remain with her mother until he and his little daughter could make the trip to Dallas and return.

## LEE RETAINS POSITION AS NIGHT WATCHMAN

At the election held last Thursday to determine who should serve hereafter as night watchman for the city, W. M. Lee, who has been holding that position for the past several years, won by an overwhelming majority. There was a larger vote polled than most people apparently were expecting, the total number being 308. The result, as given out by election officials, was as follows: W. M. Lee, 199; W. S. Swan, 92; J. H. (Dad) Dunning, 17.

## MAN TRIED BY JURY FOR DRUNKENNESS; ACQUITTED

A young man whose home is in the Redwine community was tried in the justice court here Monday morning on a charge of drunkenness, but was acquitted by the jury which tried him.

His offense was alleged to have been committed several weeks ago at a social gathering at a private residence in the Redwine community.

Brownfield—A new compress is being constructed here.

## Johnson Sells Out 'The Limit'

C. T. Johnson consummated a deal Tuesday whereby he sold his business "The Limit" to Frank Gresham of Lamesa. Mr. Gresham took charge of the business immediately. His son will operate it and he removed here from Lamesa Wednesday. Leroy Knight has accepted a position with the new proprietor. Mr. Gresham, we understand is a cousin of George Knight.

Mr. Johnson has not announced his plans for the future.

## Musselman Loud In Praise Of School

It will be remembered that Dr. H. T. Musselman, editor of the Texas School Journal, made the Commencement address to the graduating class of the Tahoka High School in May. It seems that Dr. Musselman was well impressed with our town and school during his visit, for in the June issue of the Texas School Journal he had this to say about Tahoka and her school:

"At Tahoka I found Supt. M. L. H. Baze 'carrying on' in as fine a school building as you will find in a month of Sundays. Away out yonder near the border line of Texas civilization one would be surprised to find such a modern and beautiful school building. Any small town figuring on a new building would do well to send its superintendent away out to Tahoka to see that school building. It is a gem inside and out. The town arose up and voted bonds to house their school work in a real fashion. I haven't any doubt but that folks seeking to move to West Texas will be attracted to the region of Tahoka because of their chance to give their children good school privileges. Already the school is beginning to widen its field of service as will be seen in that there were twenty-four in the graduating class this year, and a fine group they were. To help carry on his work Mr. Baze is blessed in his help-mate, Mrs. Baze. She is an experienced school teacher with the love of her work in her heart. In fact it was her love for the work that led Baze to enter the field of education. He is a red-blooded man that ought to and will get somewhere in the game. I was delighted with my visit to his school."

## High Winds Do Damage To Crops

Thousands of acres of cotton were destroyed in the sandy lands of Terry and other counties west by the high winds of Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Monday. Residents of Terry county say that at least fifty per cent of the acreage was destroyed in that county, and planters are now busy planting the barren fields in cotton and feed. Considerable acreage was also destroyed in the New Moore community and other communities in the west part of Lynn county but comparatively little damage was done elsewhere in this county. The loose sand, driven by the high, scorching winds, cut the tender plants down, leaving nothing but stubs.

## BARBECUE AT T-BAR RANCH

Mrs. Eva Petty Lesure is Honored By Many West Texas Friends Saturday

Mrs. Eva Petty Lesure of San Diego, California, was the honor guest at a barbecue at the T-bar headquarters Saturday night. A few of her many friends were present and enjoyed the square dance during the evening. Buffet supper was served to the following: Mrs. Eva Petty Lesure, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wells, Scott Davis, Bill Nevels, Walter Slaton, J. H. Edwards, S. N. McDaniel, Elton George, L. C. Hanes, S. W. Sanford, Dr. and Mrs. Townes, Charles Boles Farris, Lubbock, B. L. Boles, Lubbock, Roland Farris, Lubbock, Bunch Fullingim, Lubbock, Neil Goddard, Lubbock, Elmo Blake, Lubbock, J. E. Bonner, Lubbock, R. C. Roerts, Tahoka, Mrs. Van Swafford, Lubbock, Mrs. Esten Wolforth, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fullingim, Lubbock, Joe Helton, Lubbock, D. A. Childers, Tahoka, R. T. Bucy, Midland, Clinton Schaffer, Tahoka, Misses Virginia Sanford, Laville Slaton, Lorene Childers, Mr. Williams, Lubbock, Elizabeth Comer, Frank W. Wills, Frances McCoy, Elizabeth Trigg, Fort Worth, Opal Link, Georgia B. Boles, Lubbock, Messrs. R. F. Williams, Lubbock, Roland Farris, Lubbock, Pat Harris, Lubbock, Harold Edwards, Tahoka, Goddard Edwards, Tahoka, Jack Childers, Tahoka, David Childers, Tahoka, Jack Swafford, Tahoka, Billie Swafford, Tahoka, Mrs. Minnie Chapman, Ft. Worth, John Wallace, Tahoka, Mrs. Helen Wooten, Fort Worth, Charles Townes, Lubbock, Lottie Joe Townes, Tahoka, Judge Cain, Tahoka, Mrs. and Mr. Hallmark, Tahoka, Mrs. Hart, Lubbock, Mrs. Williams, Lubbock, Mrs. Elton George, Tahoka.

## FARM HOUSE BURNS IN DRAW COMMUNITY

A farm house on the Dr. Callaway place near Draw, occupied by H. S. Marcan and family, was totally destroyed by fire Sunday. The entire household goods were also destroyed. It was only a small two-room house but was practically new.

The fire resulted from the explosion of a coal oil cook stove. Mrs. Morgan was at the house at the time of the explosion but her husband was out in the field. The flames spread so rapidly that it was not only impossible to save the building but also to remove the contents.

## Style Show Was Declared Success

The Style Show given by a number of Tahoka merchants, directed by Mrs. Paul Miller, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, assisted by John R. Thompson of the West Texas Gas Company, at the Star Theatre on Thursday night of last week was pronounced successful in every way. The entertainment was fine and the display of styles was excellent. Twelve young ladies of Tahoka served as models. Three young men gave a burlesque style performance which was much enjoyed.

## MISS CELENE WELLS AS "MISS TAHOKA"

Miss Celene Wells as "Miss Tahoka" was introduced, and all agreed that Tahoka was to have a most charming sponsor at Fort Worth. Mr. Thompson gave his soldier story "The Itinerary of the American Soldier," an original production of Mr. Thompson's which proved to be very humorous.

The show was given to a full house and the proceeds of the event were very gratifying. The performance was given not only for the benefit of the local merchants but also to assist in financing the trip to Fort Worth.

## Congress Candidate To Speak Saturday

J. Ross Bell of Paducah, candidate for Congress, announces that he will speak in Tahoka at 2 o'clock next Saturday afternoon, June 23. The speaking will be at the court house.

Mr. Bell served several years as district attorney of his judicial district and is said to be an able speaker. His appointment is being widely advertised and it is expected that a large crowd will be here to hear him.

## J. K. WESTER IS SPEAKER HERE

Candidate For State Representative Outlines Qualifications To Tahoka Voters

Hon. J. K. Wester of Lubbock, candidate for representative from this district in the legislature, spoke here in the district court room Saturday afternoon to a comparatively small crowd.

Mr. Wester reviewed at some length his work in the legislature in the past, having served three or four terms heretofore, and called attention to some of the important measures he had introduced and succeeded in having passed. He also gave his views fully on some of the pending issues.

He declared himself in favor of liberal appropriations for the Texas Tech, praising this new institution and stating that no other school in the United States had had a growth comparable with that of the Tech.

He claimed credit for the creation of this judicial district, the 106th. It was created during the Ferguson administration. Ferguson had declared against the creation of any new districts but Wester procured the data showing the need of such a district, and took the matter directly to the Ferguson and succeeded in inducing them to relent, and the measure was approved.

With reference to the highways, he declared that he favored the division of the state into four or five highway districts and electing a commissioner from each district. This commission spends a vast amount of money and there is no telling how much "graft" is connected with the expenditure of these funds, he declared, and he favored making the offices elective so as to make the commissioners responsible directly to the people.

He insisted that some of the departments at Austin should be combined and a lot of traveling expenses cut out.

On the liquor question, he stated that if the church members would quit buying liquor, that would solve the "boot-legger" problem. He contended that the buyer is equally guilty with the seller and said that if the law punished the buyer the same as the seller the business would stop.

While the crowd which heard him was a small one it was very enthusiastic, and he was greeted with much applause throughout his address.

## Baptist Revival Starts July 11th

On Sunday night at the Baptist Church it was decided to hold the regular summer revival in July, beginning Wednesday night, July 11, and closing Sunday night, July 22.

Rev. L. L. Cooper, Stewardship and Finance Evangelist, will do the preaching. He is reputed to be a most interesting speaker.

## LARKINS HAVE GREAT TRIP THROUGH SOUTHERN STATES

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Larkin returned last Thursday night from a 5,000-mile trip which took them thru Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Arkansas, and a large portion of Texas.

Leaving here about six weeks ago they went via Houston, New Orleans, Mobile, to Win. Park, Florida. After spending some time there, they proceeded northward by Atlanta and Stone Mountain to Winchester, Tennessee. After several days visit there they proceeded homeward. Mr. Larkin says that they spent a whole day in New Orleans seeing the city. They also spent some time at Stone Mountain. They had a wonderfully delightful trip.

Mr. Larkin also says that after entering upon the paved highway at the Jones county line they traveled over paved or gravel highways the entire trip back to that point with the exception of six miles in Bowie county. Paved highways are making travel a real pleasure.

Say! You know me and I know you So let us keep this fact in view: That you have faults—and I have too; And both have virtues, tried and true!

## Firemen Are Called To Gas Station

Fire was discovered Tuesday morning at the Pierce wholesale gasoline station. The cause of the fire is undetermined but it is supposed to have resulted from friction of the pump. The fire boys responded promptly to the call. Since it was gasoline that was afire, they were compelled to fight the flames with dirt instead of water and it required about forty minutes to completely extinguish the fire. The damage and loss were small.

## News Employee Is Married Saturday

Pfingler Wampler, linotype operator for the News, and Miss Nita Marie McCall of Lorens were united in marriage in Slaton at five o'clock Saturday afternoon. From Slaton they proceeded to Snyder, where they joined the Tahoka delegation to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting in Fort Worth.

Mr. Wampler being a member of the Tahoka Concert Band which has been doing its part to keep things lively in Fort Worth this week. From Fort Worth they expected to go to San Antonio on their honeymoon trip and will return to Tahoka within a few days and make their home here.

Mr. Wampler has been linotype operator for the News almost two years and during his residence in Tahoka he has made a host of friends here. He was practically reared in Lorens, where his parents still reside.

Mrs. Wampler is a member of one of the prominent families of that community. She has been a student in the West Texas State Teachers College the past two years. Mr. and Mrs. Wampler were school mates during their childhood and were members of the same graduating class in Lorens High School three or four years ago.

The News can testify that Pfingler is a "fine old boy", and a large circle of friends here and at Lorens join in wishing the happy young couple the very richest joys of life.

## To Give Legion Benefit Party

Thursday evening, June 28, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alley will give a benefit party at the Sunshine Inn for the American Legion. A large number of tables will be arranged for "42" on the lawn, which will be lighted with torches furnished by the West Texas Gas Company. Other amusements will be had including music by the Tahoka Band and also some string music. Refreshments will be donated by the West Texas Gas Company. The price is in the reach of all, 50c. per couple or 25c. per person. See the ticket agent and get your ticket and be there as we are assured of a big time for all.

Reporter

## WHITE GOES TO AUSTIN ON IMPORTANT BUSINESS

Prof Taylor White, accompanied by Mrs. White and niece, Miss Lois Smith, left for Austin Wednesday to attend an important committee meeting called by state Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs. The committee referred to is the Committee on Classified and Accredited High Schools. It is composed of ten educators representing as many colleges and high schools in this state, as follows: State Supt. S. M. N. Marrs, E. J. Matthews, registrar of the University of Texas, C. E. Friley, registrar of the A. & M. College, Mr. King of the C. I. A. faculty, B. R. Cobb, superintendent of the Waco schools, L. V. Stockard, High School Supervisor, of Dallas, Dr. C. E. Nichols of the S. M. U. faculty, A. L. Day of the East Texas State Teachers College, C. E. Evans of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College, and Mr. White of the Tahoka School. Each of these represents some particular phase of school work. Mr. White represents high schools having less than 1,000 students.

Supt. Marrs, in his call for the meeting, indicated a number of important matters that would be presented for consideration.

Mr. White and family will return to Tahoka early next week.

## MANY GO TO WTCC MEETING

Tahoka's Delegation, Headed By Band, Makes Good Showing In Fort Worth

Tahoka was well represented at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting in Fort Worth this week. We have been unable to get a complete list of Tahoka folks who attended, or the exact number, but there were 50 to 75 Tahokaites attending the festivities.

Press reports and personal reports indicate that Tahoka made a good showing. The band was one of the many good bands there and attracted much favorable comment both by the crowds and by the press.

Then there was Mrs. Miller, who, as Miss South Plains, represented fourteen cities and towns in this section of the state, and in her brilliant attire and charming manner she elicited much praise for herself and her section.

Miss Cleone Wells, as Miss Tahoka, was one of the most beautiful and charming princesses there.

The following paragraphs relating to the part that the South Plains section, including Tahoka, played in the activities were published in the Star Telegram and a string of West Texas dailies.

The South Plains district has made a decided hit with representatives of other sections in the co-operative headquarters innovation. Mrs. Paul Miller, secretary of the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce, is in charge of the headquarters, with Lubbock, Slaton, Post, Floydada, Plainview, Otton, Crossburn, Tahoka, O'Donnell, Lockney, Levelland, Lamesa, Littlefield, and Kalls all represented. Headquarters is located in the spacious Ellison furniture store.

Bands—bands—bands.

In the language of the poets, Ft. Worth is chock full of 'em. Lubbock, Floydada, Tahoka, Slaton, Plainview and Post have bands from the South Plains section, while Lamesa's famous Bluebonnet Chorus and Crosbyton's Ukulele Girls also are very much on deck. In addition to these musical organizations there must be at least 30 others, and music, or its equivalent, rises from all quarters.

## PENTECOSTAL REVIVAL AT THE CITY TABERNACLE

Pastor-Evangelist E. R. Winter of Draw, of the Assembly of God Church, began a revival meeting at the City Tabernacle here Saturday night. We are not advised as to how long the meeting will continue.

The following announcement of the services has been made:

Message: Salvation, Rom. 10:10  
Baptism of the Holy Ghost, Acts 2:38-39.  
Divine Healing, Mark 16:18  
Second Coming of Christ Acts 1.  
A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend.

## W. M. Harris Wrecks Car At Sylvester

The car in which Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Harris of this city were driving to Fort Worth Sunday turned over on the highway near Sylvester and was completely wrecked. Mr. and Mrs. Harris each received many minor cuts and bruises and it required several stitches to close one of the wounds received by Mrs. Harris. The wounds were treated by a physician at Sylvester. The car was completely wrecked, and we understand that Mr. Harris traded or purchased a new car in which to make the remainder of the trip.

In a telephone conversation with Jack Applewhite Sunday night, Mr. Harris stated that he could not explain exactly how the accident occurred. He noticed that the swaying on the car was about to come off and he reached out to get it. About the next thing he knew, the car had gone topsy-turvy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris left Tahoka a few hours after the main delegation had left for the W. T. C. C. meeting with the expectation of overtaking them somewhere on the way, and it is presumed that Mr. Harris was driving at a pretty good clip when the accident occurred.

Friends here feel that they are to be congratulated upon the fact that their injuries were not more serious.



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**Locals**

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. English were again called away from Tahoka on Wednesday of last week by the death of a brother. Mr. English, brother of D. B., lived at Frost, Navarro county and he died Wednesday of last week. Mr. English was called to Albany less than two weeks prior to that by the death of another brother. The Grim Reaper seems to be making frequent calls in the English family.

W. D. Nevels returned Friday from Fort Worth and Abilene, where he went on business. He says there has been too much rain in all that section of the state for cotton and small grain. Cotton is little farther advanced than here.

Uncle Jack and Charley Smith were Lubbock visitors Monday, and they report that Raymond Edwards, who has been in such serious condition the past week from an attack of appendicitis followed by an operation, is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Weathers returned Monday from Celeste, Hunt county, where they spent several weeks visiting relatives. That was their old home and they greatly enjoyed the visit.

A. L. Lockwood has been quite sick this week but his physician hopes for a speedy recovery.

Misses Opal Ree and Lydia Givens of Sweetwater are here visiting Mrs. H. W. Calaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Larkin are visiting friends in Abilene.

L. D. Anderson of Abilene spent the week-end here visiting Miss Dovie Colleenback.

Mrs. R. C. Wood and daughter, Rose, were in Slaton Friday visiting Mrs. Earl Wilson.

Keep Tahoka clean!

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Neyland and their son, Herbert Neyland, and his two small children left for their home at Teague Wednesday morning after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Neyland here. Mr. Neyland has long been a successful and prominent business man of Teague. He stated to the News that there are two sections of Texas which are always very fascinating to him, one is the lower Rio Grande valley and the other is the Plains. If Mr. Neyland will pay us another visit along about August, September, or October, we will show him one of the most alluring and marvelous countries in the world.

Uncle Jimmie Fleming has been importuning the News to start a movement to have the City place cushions on all the street seats. He contends that since the city has paved the streets, for the benefit of car drivers, it ought to cushion all the street seats for the benefit of the Sons of Rest. Uncle Jimmie says such action is necessary not only for the ease and comfort of himself and other local politicians who are members of the above society but also in order to preserve the seats. He says that he and a few other "raw-boney" fellows are about to wear the seats out.

T. I. Tippitt returned home Monday after a two weeks visit with relatives in Sasakwa, Okla., and Coryell county, Texas. His mother who resides near Gatesville, accompanied him home for a few weeks visit. Mr. Tippitt says that Lynn county certainly looks good to him. They were having too much rain in most of the territory through which he passed and the weeds and grass were about to "take" the cotton fields. Corn, however, was good.

J. J. Bishop, county auditor of Cameron county, of which Brownville is the county seat, was the guest Sunday night of his old-time friend, J. J. Massengale, and called around to see the editor, another old-time friend, Monday morning. Mr. Bishop was for many years a business man and prominent citizen of Killeen, Bell county. He had been as far west as Santa Fe, N. M., on this trip and had visited a number of towns on the south plains. He was greatly pleased with our country and our town.

G. M. and Robert Reid and their families returned last mid-week from their vacation spent at DeQueen, Dierks, and Glenwood, Ark. The boys say they had a great time—caught some fish but let all of the big ones get away. G. M. says that every rose has its thorn and every garden its weeds. As soon as he got home his wife put him to hoeing the garden and kept him at work a whole day. It was awful.

Prof. W. F. Garner of Nacogdoches, candidate for State Superintendent of Public Instruction, was here Friday in the interest of his candidacy. Prof. Garner and County Superintendent H. P. Caveness were reared on adjoining farms in Cherokee county and are fast friends. Prof. Garner is now Professor of Social Science in the Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College at Nacogdoches.

The News had a communication Monday from H. J. C. Koehn of Welmer renewing his subscription. Mr. Koehn owns some land in this county and desires to keep informed as to conditions here. He has been a reader of the News several years. He says that the corn crop there is very fine but that the cotton needs dry weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Farris and son and daughter, Buster and Zelma, of Sweetwater were here Tuesday, and Mr. Farris called at the News office. He owns a farm near Meadow and says that the hail a couple of weeks ago utterly destroyed the crops. His tenants had to plant over. Mr. Farris thinks that Sweetwater is on the eve of a new building boom, but he is in love with the plains. He knows a good country when he sees it.

E. B. Terry, who lives in the New Lynn community, has returned from De Leon, where he visited relatives. He reports that crops look much better here than at any place he saw along the route. Too much rain has been had in the De Leon country.

S. S. Howard of Plainview spent last week end here visiting his son, E. L. Howard.

**PUBLIC WEIGHER SCALES INSTALLED**

The public weigher's scales, which has been out of business since the Jones Grain and Coal house burned, has been repaired by an expert and is now in operation, with G. W. Knoy, who is an experienced weigher.

**T-Bar**

The community is in pretty good spirits, although we believe if we could get just a little rain instead of so much sand every one would feel better.

The people are still coming out to Sunday School regular, but we urge more to come.

Brother Henderson did not fill his regular appointment here Sunday. We have not learned why he was not here.

There will be a Children's Day program here next Sunday, beginning at 10:30 o'clock. We will have Sunday School that morning and a few pieces and will then turn out for inner. That evening there will be a program and the Methodist pastor will preach. There will not be dinner on the ground. Every one will go home for lunch.

There was not much of a crowd at the singing Sunday night but pretty good singing. They practice on several quartettes.

Irvin and Posie Henderson came home last Sunday evening from the oil fields.

The Home Demonstration clubs, both girls' and women's, will meet Monday. The girls will meet in the morning and the women that evening. Both meetings will be at the school house. All members are wanted to be present. Mrs. J. A. Beasley was voted to go to College Station this year from T-Bar. The girls will not send any one.

Arlice Lindley and Tommie Hicks are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Preacher Lindley this week.

Faye McMakin took dinner with Mildred Crews Sunday.

Mr. Pete Page and family took dinner with C. D. Henderson and family Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Crews spent Monday over at Mrs. John Moore's. They were canning turnip greens for winter use.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Beasley took dinner with J. B. Vickery Sunday.

Apple Blossom

**Three Lakes**

We are having some real farming weather now and there is plenty of work to do in these fine growing crops out this way.

Grandma Strong has been real sick for several days. Everything is being done that hands can do. She and Uncle Charlie are such kind and good neighbors, they have lots of friends.

Raymond Edwards, son of Wright Edwards, has been in the Lubbock Sanitarium for several days. He is doing as well at present as could be expected.

Jack Ellis, the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ellis, is real sick, but we hope he will be up soon.

G. W. Hickerson Jr. narrowly escaped a serious hurt last Sunday. It seems that he was standing on the running board of a moving car when he lost his balance and fell. The car ran over his foot and leg. The car was heavily loaded.

Mrs. Bryant of Brownfield spent the week end with her brother G. M. Duckett.

Carroll Edwards and family were shopping in Tahoka Friday afternoon.

Fred McGinty spent Sunday night with Archie Johnson.

Enough hands came Wednesday to work the Church crop by noon.

Mrs. W. A. Yates is on our sick list this week but we are glad to report she is much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Jeffries and family and Myrtle Hill spent Monday in Lubbock.

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**SLASH-L CLUB HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM**

The laies club of Slash-L met at the school house Monday afternoon.

A very interesting and instructive program was enjoyed by all. Miss Halsey was present and gave a most interesting talk on the beginning and present status of

Home Demonstration work and some accomplishments of the club women of Texas.

Miss Halsey also discussed Home Demonstration Club aims and the number of people reached by Club work.

Mrs. L. E. Milner discussed the members of the Texas Home Demonstration staff and their work. There were two visitors present, Mesdames Horace Goodman and Pete Anderson.

Members present were: Mesdames R. E. Seay, J. D. Pharr, Thomas, Edd Anderson, A. S. Perry, Val Perry, L. E. Milner, and Miss Bernice Anderson. Re porter.

**BOY SCOUTS**  
About thirteen members of the local Boy Scouts organization were guests of the Kiwanis at their luncheon Wednesday, together with assistant scoutmaster, Jesse Eubanks.

Mr. Eubanks first gave a musical number on the guitar and followed this with a five minutes talk on scout work, which was much enjoyed.

D. A. Parkhurst, who had charge of the program for the day, himself gave a rather dramatic reading, which was likewise greatly appreciated.

Then the boy scouts gave some demonstrations in rope making, using ordinary binder twine, and the rope which they made within a few minutes time was of the firmest and strongest type. Their performance elicited the keenest interest on the part of the Kiwanians. In fact, this was a "jam-up" good program.

**HI-LEAGUERS HAVE A VERY ENJOYABLE PARTY**

Members of the Methodist Hi-League and a few other invited guests were entertained Tuesday night by Miss Kathryn Poer at her hospitable home out east of town.

The early part of the evening was given over to a business session of the League Council, when plans for the new year's work was discussed and adopted, and also the usual devotional service was held.

Music and games furnished entertainment until a late hour when refreshments of ice cream and cakes were served to the two dozen assembled guests. Miss Kathryn is chairman of the League Recreation department which sponsors a monthly social feature, and after this enjoyable party every member is looking forward to next month's good time.

League Reporter

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If you are going to celebrate Fathers Day we suggest that you begin by letting the old boy sleep late. Then he is sure to wake up with a grouch. There will be no hot water for his shave and the Sunday paper which you have let the kids have to keep them quiet will be in a mess. Give him cold friedeggs for breakfast and the day will be utterly ruined.

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You don't have to have the ready cash to finance that improvement you want to make on your home. Let us tell you how you can do this.

We sold one of our good townsmen a

materal bill today He is going to build his wife a modern home.

It is a great time to paint up and clean up now. We have paints for every kind of work

Doctor Turrentine says "sleep in the open air". Can't very well do that without a sleeping porch. I wouldn't take \$5,000.00 for my porch says one man we know.

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She was only a poor telephone girl but she kept plugging on.

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Upon the incarceration of a negro
in the city jail at O'Donnell two
weeks ago for an alleged attempt to
do violence to a twelve-year-old
white girl, quite a crowd naturally
gathered around the jail to see the
negro and to vent their wrath upon
him in denunciation and epithet. To
guard against possible mob violence,
officers at Tahoka and Lamesa were
notified and the Lynn County Sheriff
hurriedly took the prisoner from
the city jail and whisked him off to
Tahoka, where he was placed in jail.
This was what happened and just
about all that happened, according to
local officers. Yet, somebody sent the
sensational story in to the daily
newspapers that a mob gathered and
stormed the city jail and the officers
with "stones, sticks, bricks, and
other missiles." According to this
story, the officers faced an infuriated
mob, which plainly showed its intention
to "get" the negro. All of
which is far from the truth and is
calculated to do the little city of O'Donnell
and her citizens a rank injustice.
There was no mob violence.
There was no assault with stones,
sticks, or other missiles. There was
only such a gathering as would likely
occur anywhere in the South under
the circumstances, and the situation

was apparently or at least possibly
a bit menacing. Officers properly took
all necessary precautions to avert any
kind or degree of violence to the
prisoner, but neither the conduct of
the aggrieved citizenship nor of the
officers justified anybody in scattering
the news to the four winds that
a violent mob had gathered intent on
murder. We think that the newspapers
which have been publishing these
sensational stories should retract and
correct the error.

It may be that you do not believe
all the precepts of the man in the
pulpit. It may be that you doubt
the literal inspiration of the Bible. It
may be that you even doubt the
divinity of Christ. It may be that
you can't believe in miracles. Whatever
your views on these matters,
you will certainly admit that the
Bible is the surest and best moral
and spiritual guide yet given to man.
Without its lofty precepts and standards,
the world would doubtless be
a much more wicked and unhappy
place than it is. Without the churches
which have been organized to hold
it up to the world and to lead men to
nobler living, what would our nation
be? Who can answer? Who
would dare to attempt an answer?
Without the influences of the Bible
and the Church upon your life, what
would your life be? When we individually
answer these questions in our
own hearts, then we will have less
criticism for the Church and for
those who are propounding her doctrines.
Why not attend church next
Sunday?

There are two boys that Jim Ferguson
is bent on putting over. Never
an issue of Ferguson's For-run
comes off the press without a doct or
two for Owsley for Senator and
Wardlaw for Governor. If Jim can
get these two boys in and can help
Al Smith into the Presidential Chair,
he will be just about as near Heaven
as he ever expects to be, here or
hereafter. He's going to get mighty
little help from real "drys" in any
of these underakings—unless a lot
of us vote for Al for the sake of party
regularity.

There is enough salt in the ocean
to make a cover a mile and a half
thick for the United States.

"OLD TIME RELIGION"
UP TO DATE

The next morning after Hoover
was nominated a bone-dry, anti-
Smith, Tahoka Democrat was heard
singing some lines that ran about
like this, to the tune of "Old-Time
Religion":
'Tis the old-time Herbert Hoover,
'Tis the war-time Herbert Hoover,
'Tis the good-time Herbert Hoover
And he's good enough for me.
He was good enough for Wilson,
etc.
He helped Wilson feed the soldiers,
etc.
He helped Pershing whip the Kaiser,
etc.
He will lick Smith to a frazzle, etc.
He will skin Al Smith's old Tiger,
etc.
There might have been some other
verses, but these are all we can re-
call just now.

A good friend of ours who is a
strong supporter of Judge Wardlaw
complained the other day that in
criticizing Wardlaw's speech in Tahoka
we neglected to mention his
criticism of Moody for vetoing the
appropriation of \$36,000 made by the
legislature at the behest of the W.
C. T. U. for enforcing the prohibi-
tion law. Well, we couldn't publish
Wardlaw's entire speech. We could
not mention all the criticisms he
made. We don't know whether
Moody was right or wrong in ve-
toing this appropriation. He vetoed
it in the interest of economy. If he
had approved it, we would be cit-
ing it as an example of Dan's ex-
travagance. Wardlaw is making this
campaign as the echo and satellite
of Jim Ferguson, and we have never
heard of Jim spending very much
money to catch bootleggers. In fact,
he is an implacable enemy of prohibi-
tion and is continually heaping
ridicule upon the law, and the more
the prohibition laws are violated and
discredited, the better it suits Jim.
His man Friday, Louis Jeremiah
Wardlaw, is criticizing Moody for
vetoing this appropriation, but our
friend perhaps noticed that Ward-
law never at any time stated that he
himself would ask the legislature to
make such appropriation if he should
be elected governor. His tears over
Moody's failure to approve the ap-
propriation are enough to touch the
hardest heart. Let's all weep.

If the bug-hunters should unfor-
tunately find a few live pink boll
worms anywhere on the south plains
this summer or fall, which we do not
believe they can do, and if the Gov-
ernment should thereupon undertake
to destroy the cotton crop of an en-
tire county on that account, we are
wondering just what would happen.
It would be a severe test for any
farmer with a promising cotton
crop in the field to stand by and see
it destroyed on the ground that a
single pink boll worm had been found
somewhere in his county, even with
the prospect of being paid some time
in the future a sum not exceeding \$10
per acre. We are perfectly loyal to
our country, but we would shudder to
see it undertake to enforce such an
order. Surely the wise ones at Wash-
ington are too sensible and discreet
to undertake such a radical proceed-
ure.

The indications are that the oppo-
sition to Smith will be overwhelmed
at Houston just as the opposition to
Hoover was submerged and buried at
Kansas City. There will be some de-
fection from the Republican candi-
date in the West on account of dis-
appointment over the fate of the Mc-
Nary Haugen bill and rejection of the
equalization-fee feature by the Re-
publican convention, and there will
be some defection from the Democ-
ratic candidate in the South on account
of his "wet" views; but in the end
it will be found that Smith has car-
ried the Solid South and some of the
wettest states of the North and East
and that Hoover has carried the rest
of the country with overwhelming
majorities. Smith will be defeated
badly, and that will be his end as a
Presidential aspirant.

Rising Star—A vocational agricul-
ture teacher will be employed here
jointly by the chamber of commerce
and school board.

Comanche—Local merchants are
cooperating in support of the Com-
anche jelly plant by selling home
products on a special day.

The numerous signatures appended
to the petitions recently circulated
in Lynn county requesting the
commissioners' court to employ a
county farm agent would indicate
that there is a rather general dis-
satisfaction among the farmers for such
an agent. There are those who contend
that such an agent is not worth the
price. Before the experiment was
undertaken there were also many
people in this county who did not be-
lieve that a home demonstration
agent would be worth the price.
Where is the man or the woman in
Lynn county now who would make
such a contention today? There are
many who did not think that a voca-
tional agriculture teacher in the pub-
lic school would pay. But Prof. Taylor
White has made believers out of
many doubting Thomases. We be-
lieve that the court ought to yield
to the desires of the farmers and put
on a farm agent. A good agent, we
believe, would be worth many times
the cost.

If any one will visit the black
land counties of Central Texas in the
winter or spring, he will note with
pain that much of the soil has been
washed from the hillsides and the
fields left barren and unproductive
over a large portion of their terri-
tory. Proper terracing would have
saved many fields that have been
almost ruined. But the county had no
farm agent, and there was no one
who knew how to terrace or how to
direct terracing work. As nearly level
as the surface is in Lynn county
and in spite of the scantier rainfall,
there is scarcely a field in Lynn
county that would not be helped by
proper terracing. Not only would its
productiveness be prolonged over a
period of years but it would be made
more productive each year. A farm
agent in Lynn county could not only
be very helpful in this respect but
also in a score of other ways. We
believe the county judge and the com-
missioners' court should resolve the
doubt, if any, in favor of the farm-
ers.

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**NECESSARY INEQUALITIES**

Mr. Louis J. Ardlay, in his campaign for Governor, charges inequalities of benefits from the highway law exist under the present administration. Speaking in Hillsboro Thursday he said that certain counties were receiving back from the State more than they pay in to the highway funds. Mr. Wardlaw charged that several counties in the vicinity of Houston were receiving undue favors at the hands of the Highway Commission, and cited Fort Bend county, immediately joining Harris, as an example. The Highway Commission recently has spent in that county, said Mr. Wardlaw, \$45,000 more than it has received from that county, whereas, he pointed to residents of Hill county, where he was speaking, that they had paid in to the State on account of the highway law \$150,000 more than they had gotten back by roadbuilding appropriations. Mr. Wardlaw charged that this condition existed because of the favoritism shown by the Highway Commission, and its chairman, R. S. Sterling, of Houston, to counties in the neighborhood of the chairman's home.

There may or may not be favoritism on the part of the Highway Commission in making roadbuilding appropriations. The chances are that there have been instances of favoritism, since it is next to impossible to conduct any kind of business without a slight admixture of sentiment. But it does not appear that the mere showing of a discrepancy between the relative amounts expended in counties for road work establishes the fact of such favoritism. There are many counties in the State where state highway expenditures are greatly in excess of state revenues from those counties for highway purposes. Every county in the State wherein is a city of considerable size pays into the State for highway purposes a great deal more than it ever receives back in the form of roads. This is inevitable and natural. The populous counties have the automobiles, and it is the automobiles that supply the revenues of the Highway Commission. Tarrant county remits to the Highway Commission each year a huge sum, with state road expenditures in this county always far below that sum. Moreover, each large city annually remits huge sums to the State without a chance of getting back more than a fraction of it. If we come down to the basic facts, most of the automobiles whose ownership and operation provide the State's highway building funds are owned and operated in cities where little or none of the State's highway funds are expended.



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Peeco—Work on the new Graham Hotel is expected to be completed early in July.

Asperment—Fourteen high grade bulls and six heifers are being shipped into Stonewall county to improve local Jersey herds.

Sonora—23 new lights are to be installed in the residential section of Sonora.

Benjamin—Considerable terracing has been done in this territory for the season.

Big Spring—Daily publication has been started by the Big Spring Herald; T. E. Jordan is editor.

**SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN**  
Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unobedient. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The sure remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by THOMAS BROTHERS.

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T. L. PRICE (Re-election)

**For County Judge:**  
G. C. GRIDER  
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B. R. (JAKE) HOLCOMB  
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BEN KING  
J. W. SIMPSON (Re-election)  
SAM SANFORD

**For County Attorney:**  
G. H. NELSON  
L. C. HEATH (Re-election)

**For County Tax Assessor:**  
J. S. (JIM) WEATHERFORD (re-election)  
T. W. BROWN

**For County Superintendent:**  
H. P. CAVENESS (Re-election)

**For County Treasurer:**  
MISS VIOLA ELLIS (Re-election)

**For County and District Clerk:**  
W. E. (HAPPY) SMITH (Re-election)  
E. W. HOLLOWAY  
TRUETT B. SMITH

**For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:**  
FRANK EDWARDS  
W. O. HENDERSON  
R. W. FENTON JR.  
W. P. BUSSELL  
R. C. WOOD (Re-election)

**For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:**  
W. J. FAIRES  
R. E. (BOB) FINLEY

**For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:**  
W. Z. FLORENCE  
R. B. MCCORD (Re-election)

**For Commissioner, Precinct 4:**  
E. G. GEORGE

**For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1:**  
I. P. METCALF (Re-election)

**For Public Weigher, Precinct 3 (New Home):**  
C. W. SETH  
W. L. BALCH

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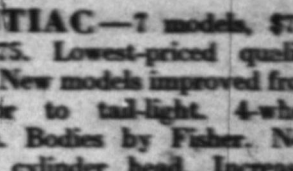
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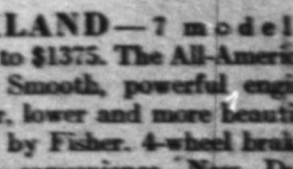
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ing stores at City Cafe and Sim's Shoe and Harness Shop. While in O'Donnell, visit little self-serving store at Campbell Service Station. Others in Lamesa and Snyder.

**Locals**

Homer Harrison and Roy Taylor returned Wednesday afternoon from two big conventions which they attended last week and this, the State Fireman's Convention held in Denton and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention held in Fort Worth. They say the Firemen's convention was great and likewise the WTCC convention but they left Fort Worth before the latter was over. Homer says that he scattered all the leaflets printed by the News giving the "dope" on Tahoka and Lynn county, and that invariably the people who read them expressed surprise at Tahoka's size and progressiveness. He thinks they will do good.

W. J. Crouch was one of the number who accompanied the band and Chamber of Commerce representatives to Fort Worth, taking with him a big bunch of the leaflets printed by the News setting forth some valuable information about Tahoka and Lynn county. Mr. Crouch is a great booster for Lynn county. He resided in Fort Worth fifty years ago and he said he expected to be about the only visitor in Fort Worth this week who enjoyed that distinction.

Rev. and Mrs. B. N. Shepherd and daughter, Gertrude, returned Thursday night from their vacation trip. They were accompanied by Bro. Shepherd's mother and also Miss Mattie Will Seroyer from Cleburne back home.

F. M. Billman and family arrived from Roanoke, Denton county, on Monday and they will make their home here hereafter. Many friends here are glad to see this good family come back.

Mrs. I. J. Peek of Jayton arrived Sunday to spend a few days here visiting her son, S. B. Goodrich, and family.

Prof. and Mrs. Taylor White, Vernon Smith and Misses Lois Smith, Ethel Campbell, and Berta Hill visited in Lorenzo Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Yates was taken to Lubbock Monday for an operation, and she is now reported to be doing nicely.

Miss Reta Lois Colleenback visited friends in Waco last week.

Mrs. Bill Burleson is visiting in Abilene this week.

G. E. Hogan of Brownfield was a Tahoka visitor Sunday afternoon.

Prices "cut in two" at Cooper Merc. Co.

E. E. Allen was here from Abilene Tuesday on business.

Chester Connolly went down to Dallas Monday on business.

Tom Tredway has been sick this week.

**NOTICE FOR BIDS**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Wilson Independent School District will receive sealed bids for a Delco-Lighting plant up to and including June 30. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Address all communications to the secretary, J. R. Kalich, Wilson, Texas. 42-3tc

**TWO-ROW GO-DEVIL** with all attachments, practically new. Cotton seed for planting, also lots of pure lard for sale.—Will Montgomery. 42-2tp

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Gives you Pep.  
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Special Prices To First Time Customers  
**M. A. GORDON**  
P. S. Mr. G. G. Adams or Mr. W. A. Yates can have their car washed or greased free of charge any day next week.

**FREE SHOW**  
We invite you to be our guest at a FREE show at the STAR THEATRE  
Friday Afternoon, June 29 2 p. m.  
Eight reels of pictures, very interesting and instructive  
"The Horseless Farm"  
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Two complete shows during the afternoon.  
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**HAROLD LLOYD**  
**"Speedy"**  
A Horse Ahead of the Funniest Comedy Ever Made!

HAROLD LLOYD—Hitched to the Most Hilarious Comedy Vehicle Ever Created.  
A Year Full of Laughs in an Hour Full of Lloyd.  
Clang! Clang! Here's the Gang!—Lloyd—Babe Ruth—and Chic Ann Christi—a Comedy Shebang.  
A Laugh-As-You-Enter, Roar-As-You-Leave Comedy Romance.  
Admission arranged by the Producer, played on per centage basis. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

**Saturday Matinee**  
RICHARD DIX  
In  
**"The Gay Defender"**  
A Spanish Type Picture, full of action.

**Monday & Tuesday**  
June 25-26  
**"Crooks Can't Win"**  
A crook melodrama, with an outstanding cast.

**Wed. & Thurs.**  
June 27-28  
**"Adam and Evil"**  
With  
LEW CODY and EILEEN PRINGLE

You have heard of Adam and Eve all your life. See this picture and you will know still more of them, if your ribs don't split your sides laughing

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Donaldson of Moody are here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Donaldson. They will proceed from this place to California for a visit there. Mr. Donaldson is a banker at Moody and is a brother of John and Charley of this place.  
New shipment of m&g-summer hats at Cooper-Noble's.  
Miss Lulu Moore and little nieces Robbie Catherine and Jean Moore, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. W. D. Nevels. Their home is at Lampasas but they are on a return trip from Warren, Arizona, where they have been visiting other relatives. Miss Moore will spend the summer here.  
District Attorney T. L. Price was here from Post Wednesday. He says that the courts in this district are through with their work now until some time in August, when court will open again at Brownfield.  
Prices "cut in two" at Cooper Merc. Co.  
W. O. Henderson has been in Dallas the past several days at the bedside of his mother, who is seriously ill. Reports received from him are to the effect that there is apparently no chance for his mother to recover.  
Van B. Hill, a post office employee at Chillicothe, spent a few days here over the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hill, on the Post highway near the Lynn county line.  
Miss Kathryn Poer is to have an enforced vacation in the Lubbock Sanitarium following an operation for appendicitis to be performed this week. Her friends trust it will be a very short and not too unpleasant stay.  
S. D. Lofton will preach for the Church of Christ at Grassland Sunday, the 24th at 11 and at night. Come and hear him; he's fine.  
New numbers in silk dresses at Cooper-Noble's.  
L. M. Nordyke, who has been in bad health for some time, has gone to Abilene again for treatment. He expects to be there several weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Floener of Andrews spent the week end here with Mrs. Floener's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker.  
Mrs. Henry Brady of Flynn, Leon county, is here visiting her cousin, R. H. Turner.  
Bill Burleson was confined to his room a day or two this week with erysipelas.

**INDIGESTION**  
And Other Common Troubles Helped by Black-Draught.

"I think we owe the remarkable healthy record of our family to the use of Black-Draught," says Mrs. J. H. Luther, 514 W. Becknap St., Ft. Worth, Tex.  
"I was suffering from an attack of indigestion. Somebody recommended Black-Draught to me, and I got some and tried it. I felt so much better, after I had taken it, that I used it the next time I was sick, and then the next. I soon found it to be a dependable medicine to use for my family."  
"Whenever the children had colds, or an upset stomach, I treated them with Black-Draught."  
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We will not pay your neighbor one price and you another price for your poultry products. Neither will we buy below the market price. We get the markets every morning; therefore you will always find our prices the top.  
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Yes, we still sell—  
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**CASH STORE**  
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**for 20 cents a day you can buy**  
1 bunch celery  
4 coca colas  
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**YOU CAN SAVE 20c a day and buy a white-enamelled New Process Gas Range with Lorain Red Wheel Self-regulating Oven.**  
Why put it off any longer? Have your New Process Gas Range installed now. Enjoy all the saving of time and work made possible by the automatic control of the oven heat by means of the Lorain Red Wheel.  
Come in and see the many sizes, designs and finishes we have on display. Ovens at right or left to suit your kitchen. You'll be surprised at our reasonable prices and convenient terms of payment.

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WE KNOW YOU HAVE BEEN WONDERING WHEN JONES WAS GOING TO HAVE A SALE

Our custom is to take an inventory in July. We find our stock too heavy for this season of the year. A CLEAN-UP SALE is the method we decided upon to REDUCE OUR STOCK.

## EVERYTHING REDUCED

We are quoting no prices. But we only ask that you visit this sale. You will find NO BAITs THROWN OUT to get you to come in. But you will find every item in our store reduced below all former prices.

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Come. We will make it worth your while. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity.

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### Draw Items

TAHOKA, June 20—Hot dry winds have blown over this area for several days and rapidly sapping the moisture in the fields. Cotton is doing the day but revives during the night. Farmers generally are up with their work, but not appreciable moisture soon.

A number of local club girls left last week in a truck for an outing in the White Mountains. They will be away about a week. Their destination was Ruidoso Springs, near Old Baldy. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. Berry.

Thomas J. Williams, pioneer of this area, has been critically ill for several days. He is suffering from pneumonia and stomach trouble, according to physicians.

Representatives of the local gin owned by Plainview men were here last week conferring with the committee from the farmers looking to the latter purchasing the plant or building a new one here—a co-operative plant.

Attendance at Sunday School and preaching services Sunday was restricted due to so many young people and others being away from Draw. At this time, John Wesley, founder of the Methodist church, was born June 17, 1703, and the day and the Young Ladies Prayer meeting. The pastor reviewed his life and told of the progress of the great church which he founded.

Officials of the Draw Methodist church will attend the third quarterly conference of the Draw-Grassland churches at Post City next Monday June 25. Post will entertain about 200 officials of the Methodist church from Tahoka, Wilson, Southland, Gariym, Slaton, New Lynn, Grassland, Draw, Gossett, Post and other places. Dean Boyd McKeown of McMurry College, who also is conference lay leader, and Judge Hughes of Lubbock, will be principal speakers. Dr. D. B. Doak, presiding elder, will preside at the conferences. The Post City church will serve luncheon at noon.

The Young Men's Prayer meeting was used to commemorate that event, held each Wednesday evening, have been merged and hereafter will be held at the Methodist church every Wednesday evening. Singing will be a prominent feature of the services hereafter.

### DEFEATED CANDIDATE'S SPEECH

When the future doesn't have a rosy tint and things seem so badly out of joint that we are nearing the slough of despond, we usually try to think of the speech of an old fellow who was defeated for office in Tennessee many years ago, said he:

"Fellow Citizens: On the money question I am in favor of gold and silver and green backs, and national bank notes, and nickel and copper, and if necessary, a little more counterfeit."

The old fellow covered too much territory in his money platform, and he was defeated. Feeling that the country would go to the dogs and that he was ruined world without end, the old fellow determined to commit suicide. He went to the store and bought

a rope, a can of coal oil, a box of matches, a dose of arsenic and a revolver. He went to the river, pushed his boat from the shore and waded down to where a limb hung over. Then he got up in the bow of the boat and tied one end of the rope around the limb and the other around his neck. He saturated his clothing with the coal oil, lighted a match and set his clothing afire, took the dose of arsenic, put the muzzle of the revolver to his temple, pushed the trigger. But the bullet glanced and cut the rope above him, and he fell kerwallow into the river. The water put out the fire; the old fellow got strangled and coughed up the arsenic, then he arose and waded out. Safe again, he declared himself a candidate for the legislature on the reform ticket and was elected.

The moral of this is easy to find.

There are ways out of the worst muddles, and all the ways for killing or ruining a fellow sometimes fail.

—Henry Grove Signal

Cloths — New telephone lines are being strung between Clovis and Roswell.

A new ultra-violet ray machine reveals otherwise invisible erasures and alterations in important documents and checks.

Rotan—Postal receipts for Rotan show a thirty per cent gain over those of last year.

### CITY LOANS

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### How Far Ahead Are You Looking?

Some can only see to the coming fall with its probable prosperity.

Others not only look to this fall but to years in the future. Through present prosperous times they are preparing for a life-time of prosperity.

Diversification, economical living and saving now means independence in the future.

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**USED CARS**  
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**Red "O.K." Tag Protects You**

Attached to the radiators of the best reconditioned used cars we offer for sale is a red "O.K." tag which is the purchaser's assurance that worn units have been replaced by new ones—and that the price quoted represents actual value. Look for this tag when you buy a used car—and know that your investment is protected.

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**Look for the Red Tag!**

This Car has been carefully checked as shown by ✓ marks below

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**CLASSIFIED RATES:**—First insertion, 10c. per line; subsequent insertions, 5c. per line. No ad taken for less than 30c., cash in advance. The News is not responsible for errors made in ads, except to correct same in following issue.

### FOR SALE OR TRADE

#### 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. 34-20tp

See Jack for Battery Service. He satisfies. 30-32tp

FOR RENT—Nice four-room house, with bath. J. R. Strain. 43-1fc.

CORN FOR SALE at Roy E. Appleby's Rt. 3, near Redwine school. 42-2tc

FOR SALE—Pure Shumake cane seed. A. R. McGonagill. 41-3tp

FOR TRADE—A smooth-mouthed mule to trade for maize, 1 mile south of Midway school house. C. H. Richardson, Rt. 3. 42-2tp

PLENTY POTATO SLIPS—Now on hand, 35c per 100.—J. K. Nowlin. 404-2tc

FOR SALE—Carbide light plant of the very best make and in perfect condition, used less than two years, cost \$420. Has \$45.00 set of fixtures also iron and all piping. A bargain if sold now. Price \$150.00.—W. Z. Florence, Draw, Texas, or inquire at this office. 39-7

A few well bred pigs for sale, weaning size, and 100 lb. shot. Prices reasonable while they last.—D. A. Parkhurst. 39-1fc

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

### NOTICE, LADIES!

We repair all makes of phonographs; have any parts you need. Mail your motor or bring it to us. We sell all makes of talking machines. We also exchange for old records. Machines \$5.00 up. LAMESA MUSIC CO.

### WOOD—WILSON

The marriage of Miss Mary Wood of this city to Mr. Earl Wilson of Slaton on May 12 has just been announced to local friends by the couple, who have been keeping the union secret since that date.

Mrs. Wilson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wood of this city and is very popular among the younger set. She attended the Tech

BOOKS—for sale—Lakespear's complete works in 8 volumes, \$10.00; Scott's Waverley Novels in 8 volumes, \$5.00; or, the two sets for \$12.50.—Frank Hill at News office, phone 35 or 244.

TYPEWRITER Second sheets 3 1/2 x 11, good grade, 75c per 500 at The Lynn County News.

BATHING—Bathing pool now open, 2 miles north of Tahoka. Come out and enjoy a nice, clean bath in the largest pool on the plains. Admission: Adults, 25 cents; children, 15 cents; with bathing suits furnished, 35 and 25 cents.—Bill Hibdon, Tahoka, Texas. 39-4tp

FOR SALE—B-flat tenor saxophone to reach, well worth the money. Inquire at the News office.

### TATE'S Blistol

The King of Blisters. Tiae's Cholice Relief and Antiseptic Healing Oil For Sale by TAHOKA DRUG CO. 35-13tp

### WANTED

WANTED—Practical nursing; confinement cases a specialty. Call Larkin's Store. Ask for Mrs. Cox. 41-4tp

WANTED—Second hand sacks, 5c each.—Wyatt Bros. 16-1fc

KODAK FINISHING—Send your kodak work to Waffle Studio, Lamesa, Texas. 31-1fc

FOUND—A black pony. Apply at News Office. 39-4tp

### MISCELLANEOUS

LUBBOCK AVALANCHE Buy the Morning Avalanche at the Limit it arrives in town early in the day on the same date that it is printed it brings the first news to town every day. adv.

The Lynn County News can still be had for \$1.50 per year—32 issues. We are also still offering the combination of The News and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News for only \$2.00

two years, where she was popular in student circles. Mr. Wilson is a well known young business man of Slaton, where the couple are now making their home.

Fort Davis—Poisoned bait is proving effective in killing coyotes on ranches in this section.

Petersburg—Work is underway on Petersburg's new depot.

### Edith

Most of the farmers have their cotton and feed knifed and some are swinging the "goose-neck" this week.

The trustees met at the school house Saturday night to vote on teachers for the coming term of school. The teachers elected were: Mr. N. E. Wood, Miss Lola Nowlin and Miss Dora McGonagill. We think we have a fine body of teachers for this term.

Mr. O. L. Sanders' sister, Mrs. Hattie Hefferson, and daughter from eastland visited him last week. Uncle Frank Vaughan is visiting relatives in Lubbock this week.

Mr. N. E. Wood, who is attending summer school at Tech, spent the week end with A. R. McGonagill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Campbell and family visited relatives in the Dixie community last Sunday.

Mr. Raymond Tucker from Eastland county is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Tucker, this week.

Sunday School was well attended Sunday. Next Sunday (Brother Breedlove will preach for us at 3:30. Everybody is invited to come.

There was a large crowd at singing Sunday night and we had a fine singing. We had several visitors from other communities. We invite you to come back and bring somebody with you.

### NOTICE

To all post office patrons and mailers both rural and city:

On August 1, 1928, letters may be sent by air mail for 5c. per ounce for the first ounce but 10c. per ounce for each additional ounce. This rate includes postage both to and from the air route.

There has also been a general revision of postal rates effective July 1, 1928. These rates may be obtained and explained at the P. O. window.

One of the changes is that postage for mailing cars or post cards is reduced from 2c. to 1c.

Also the department will assume indemnity on registered letters from \$50.00 to \$1,000.00 at rates ranging from 15c. to \$1.00.

D. A. Parkhurst.

### TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF TAHOKA

I take this method to thank the people of Tahoka for the support given to me in my campaign as night watchman for the City of Tahoka and will do my utmost to show my deep appreciation of the confidence placed in me by honoring me with this position. Any time I can be of any service to you, you have but to make your wishes known and I will be ready to serve you at any time.

Yours very truly,  
W. M. LEE, Night Watchman

### THE PUBLIC SAFETY QUESTION

(Chris L. Adair)

A few days ago while playing in the yard with one of my little nieces I got painfully though not seriously injured by coming in contact with an overhead guy wire while running a-bout nine or ten miles an hour. Since the wire struck me squarely in the mouth, it made the disposal of several defective teeth a much easier matter. A doctor running over the same ground to save a life or a fireman to save a burning building might have met the same fate. Such wires are dangerous and should be eliminated everywhere. Then there is the matter of the big upholstery tacks, short roofing nails, broken glass and short boards with nails in them that are a constant menace to public safety. All these things are an endless source of danger and worry to the motorists, most of whom see nothing funny about a flat tire. But a year or so ago a bright little boy stepped on such a nail and was buried a few days later. Having known both parents since the year they entered high school when Tahoka was only a small dot on the map, it was naturally a source of grief to me. Some very good people have such a nice way of saying that such occurrences are the direct will of the Almighty and thereby sidestep their own responsibility for the public sentiment which tolerates the setting of so many death-traps around such a pretty little town as ours. It seems that all of us should have a better opinion of God than to say such hard things about Him. Some things might be said about the numerous reeking garbage heaps that form typhoid fly hatching-places all over the city. Then there is the public parsimony which prevents the installation of a sewer system. Some folks seem to think that since this would improve the public health, it would be a hard blow to the doctors, but doctors seem to enjoy such practice as well as a truck driver enjoys hauling garbage or as well as a carpenter likes to build with scrap

lumber. Sonora, a much smaller and poorer town seventy miles from the railroad has recently built such a much-needed public improvement, so why not Tahoka?

Broke, broke, broke is the ready answer of those who claim to know, and with much the same accent that a busted crap-shooter would use in mooching a feed. When the power plant was sold for about 400 pounds of gold coin many forward-looking people hoped that the money would be well spent, but—well there was a run-down oil town that offered some "grit-edged" securities dirt cheap and now the money is gone and there is a law suit on Grover Cleveland once said: "Public office is a public trust", but I can say one far more appropriate to the case in point than that and here it is: Carlie Chaplin, Harold Lloyd and Will Rogers are trying to make an honest living by doing and writing funny things, therefore it seems so sad for people who already have it made to cut into the chosen field of these three worthy men and do funnier things free of charge than they do for the money. "A man may be down, but he is never out," says the Salvation Army, so after the unpleasant litigation is favorably set-

led to our own best interests, let us hope that some of the brightest minds of Tahoka may devise some civilized sewer system.

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## TAHOKA WINS CUP AT C. OF

Had Largest Delegation From Largest Distance; Claude Wells Is Director

The Tahoka delegation to the meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce held in Fort Worth week came back last week with the proud possessors of the coveted cup given for best attendance at the convention. Tahoka had the best attendance coming to its population and was from Fort Worth of any city in Texas. There were more than 90 people there from Tahoka; 96 of them registered. All of them came to the convention and in praising the city of Fort Worth the hospitable manner in which entertained.

The Tahoka people say that in getting much publicity for our little city. With Mrs. M. "Miss South Plains", with Claude Wells as "Miss Tahoka", a band that never failed to attract attention and draw the crowds, thousands of leaflets distributed by attention to the resources, possibilities, and the recent developments in Tahoka and Lynn county they feel that the money spent on the trip was not spent in vain. Tahoka people were also loud in praise of the showing made by other cities and towns of the South Plains.

The convention next year will be held in El Paso. Waco was her rival for the honor and she withdrew before the vote was taken. A. Boardman of Vernon was elected President for the ensuing year, leaving Dr. P. C. Coleman of C. Wells was elected a member of the board of directors.

Below are a few of the items of interest to Tahoka and the Tahoka people that appeared in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram during the convention:

Tahoka won the silver loving-cup awarded by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for the largest delegation from the South Plains section. The Tahoka Chamber of Commerce was represented by 81 men and women who drove here in a car caravan.

The delegation was led by J. Wells, vice president of the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce. It included "Miss South Plains of Texas", Mrs. Paul Miller, secretary of the chamber and president of the Extension Association, composed of members of the various chambers of commerce in the south Plains. It was accompanied by a 25-piece band.

The Kiwanis Band from Tahoka was one of the colorful entries in the parade.

Members of Tahoka's delegation back in their chairs at headquarters—the clubroom of the Ft. Worth National Bank—when they had a chance to rest from strenuous convention activities and challenge those who happens to pass by to point out there are more ardent hotelers than they.

The Tahoka ambassadors to the convention—90 in number—left for the city at 5 a. m. Sunday, stopping at the town enroute to meet the convention and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Flags were made at Snyder, Gray, Breckenridge, Mineral and Weatherford.

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