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SELECT COURT TERM JURORS

Grand Jury Will Meet Third Monday
In February; Petit Jurors
Are Named

Petit and grand jurors have been announced and summons issued to them to appear for service during the spring term of District Court which opens the third Monday in next month, February 16, according to W. S. Taylor, district clerk.

The first week will be devoted to civil cases, of which there will be a fairly full docket. Ten divorce cases and a half-dozen other civil cases are now on the docket. The criminal docket is short so far, but is expected to be added to quite an extent after the meeting of the grand jury during the first week of the term.

The following is the list of citizens selected for grand jury service: G. A. Brasfield, Wash W. Johnson, O. C. Roberts, J. R. Strain, C. T. Tankersley, B. M. Haymes, D. J. Balch, J. N. Scholer, J. E. Sherrell, J. W. Worrick, J. B. Ray, F. R. Crews, B. W. Baker, W. C. Huffaker, S. J. Kitchens, and T. J. Yandell.

The following is the list of petit jurors:

Second Week

Marion Bawle, L. I. Reeves, W. B. Corley, E. R. Tunnell, Paul Goch, L. P. Horston, E. H. Cunningham, C. R. Cargile, Winter Knight, R. L. Pirtle, C. B. Burdine, C. E. Stewart, H. A. Dial, Acie Bailey, A. O. Nixon, R. B. Milliken, Harlan Cook, W. S. Perry, A. J. Shepherd, B. H. Barnett, J. W. Slover, A. Z. Sewell, E. Evans, E. Roland, L. E. Robinson, H. O. Kornegay, J. W. Norman, R. B. Howell, E. J. Jennings, Bob Burdett, Wiley Curry, Geo. Ingram, O. O. Huff, R. F. Janak, Grady Lemond, Luther McMillan.

Third Week

H. A. Maasen, S. A. Cummings, H. A. Roberts, C. O. Carmack, L. B. Jones, Alfred Krause, J. E. Hammett, W. J. Shook, Will Breckner, H. E. Huffaker, Guy Bradley, J. C. McCarty, J. L. Tabor, H. B. McCord, J. B. Hoskins, Charley Morison, J. R. Hamilton, Ed Godard, Charles Lichey, Jr., L. G. Bain, O. A. Luallin, G. A. Nolte, Otis Harris, D. G. Phipps, J. M. Noble, Jr., P. E. Askew, A. R. Kimbrell, R. Bosworth, R. R. Ragan, J. E. Ramsey, Geo. Shumake, O. O. Sproles, Dean Nowlin, C. G. Jones, M. L. Handley, John Anderson.

Fourth Week

D. D. Odom, T. G. Dulen, N. M. Barham, John Parker, C. E. Short, Jack Link, A. F. Pitts, Louis D. Mueller, J. M. Lee, Borden Davis, Clyde Sargent, G. W. Lankford, Sam Floyd, M. C. Ritchey, C. L. Tyler, L. H. Mathis, Pat Swan, L. F. Craft, T. F. Moore, E. J. Bean, C. P. Church, J. R. Hawthorn, R. O. Minton, T. A. Harris, Frank Williams, W. B. Phillips, H. D. Vaughn, G. C. Neiman, R. W. Fenton, Jr., J. C. Gable, R. C. Forrester, J. W. Gates, J. H. Tate, L. M. Nurdyke, John McLaurin, A. R. Hensley.

High School Boys Sell, Plant Trees

Arrangements have been made whereby several high school boys have become agents for shade trees, Chinese elms in particular, and they will take orders, deliver the trees and set them out properly for a minimum charge, according to Taylor White, vocational agriculture teacher. Several boys are doing this to help pay their way through high school, he says.

Anyone desiring shade trees may call the agriculture department at the high school for prices.

"Bloody Bucket" Visitors Fined

The "Bloody Bucket," dance hall located several miles south of Tahoka, has been the scene of several fights at entertainments down there recently court records show.

Five charges have been entered against visitors to the dance hall for affray. Two men were lodged in jail the first of the week, and a third paid his fine. The owner of the "Bloody Bucket" was also charged with drunkenness and one of the fighters was also charged with theft of property valued at less than \$50.

More From Your Advertising!

Though times are hard, The Lynn County News has lost less than 50 subscribers this year. In fact, our list is within about fifty of its largest circulation in the paper's history of over twenty-seven years.

There's one thing the farmers read, they cannot do without it in their home—it's The News—and, as a whole, they do not cut it off during hard times. They read the news. They read the ads to find what they want in service and price, and they save money by so doing.

Is your advertisement in this paper? This week's issue, and every other one, goes into over 1,000 homes. (These figures are not boosted—you may count our mailing list.) Is there any way you can reach so many people and increase your business so cheaply.

SINGERS MEET AT LYNN FEB. 8

Plateau Annual Convention Will Be
Held Near Tahoka; Many
Singers Coming

The Plateau Singing Convention, composed of a large section of northwest Texas and eastern New Mexico counties will hold its annual meeting at New Lynn Sunday week, Feb. 8, according to Horace G. Krebs, secretary, of New Lynn.

The Advisory committee met Sunday with the Lynn county chairman, Fred Farris, and decided that because of the financial condition of the county due to the drought in this section it would be advisable to discontinue the practice of serving lunch to general public which attends the convention this year. All singers within Lynn county are to bring their own lunches, while singers from a distance will be cared for.

A large number of singers from all over the Plateau area as well as from this immediate section are expected to be present. John F. Taylor, Clovis, New Mexico, president of the organization, will be present, accompanied by a number of singers of that section. The Stamps-Baxter Music Co. has been asked to send a quartet.

Singing will start at 10 o'clock in the morning, and everyone has a cordial invitation to come and bring his friends, Mr. Krebs says.

South Ward Reports Number of Thefts

Thieves have been very busy at South Ward recently, according to a communication received by The News from one of the citizens out there.

He writes, in part, as follows: "All the better element seem to be lined up strictly the right way; but oh! the 'yeggs', they are here. They visit all the parties, get our coats, hats, etc. and pick the best. Oh my! the meat houses—in one place they got three pails of lard, three pieces of meat, sixteen gallons of gas, and one bag of sugar. Mind you, they broke the lock. At the next place they took six pails of lard and four pieces of meat. They robbed cars of about sixteen gallons of gas, breaking the locks on cars to get the contents. They go in the feed houses and get all the bags on the place to put their loot in. Good material for the grand jury."

CHARGED WITH SWINDLING

Charges have been filed against a young man for swindling, as a result of his having given a local filling station a bad check.

PAY YOUR POLL TAX IF YOU WISH TO VOTE

Those who wish to vote in any county election that might be held within the year 1931 must pay their poll taxes this week, not later than Saturday night, January 31, at the office of A. M. Cade, tax collector.

At noon Tuesday, only 1014 poll taxes had been paid.

GROCERS ENTER RED AND WHITE

Independent Merchants Organize To
Secure Larger And Better
Buying Power

Several Tahoka grocery stores will enter the Red and White stores, an organization of 20,000 independent retail merchants banded for the benefits of consolidated buying power, according to local grocery men who had representatives at a meeting in Denver, Colo., last week as the guests of Wooten Wholesale Grocery Company. The latter organization is sponsoring the organization of the Red and White System in West Texas, New Mexico and in Southwestern Oklahoma and expect to begin operations under the new plan about April 1st. Between 800 and 1,000 stores in this section expect to enter the organization.

The Red and White plan, as described to The News by local grocery men, is a union of wholesalers, manufacturers and retailers, banded for group buying and advertising. While the organization is a merger of purchasing power, there is no interfering with the member's method of doing business. He remains an independent merchant, using co-operative advertised brands. He can maintain his delivery and charge business, or adopt cash and carry methods. Uniform signs, store arrangement and advertising may be used. The plan brings further economy in that principal business goes through one supply system. Members are kept posted on market conditions, and have their own buyers in the field buying in large quantities.

The Red and White plan has been in use for about six years, and there are now 20,000 members of the organization in the United States and Canada. It is not entirely new in West Texas, since many merchants from Plainview north in Texas have found it successful for the past several years.

Tahoka merchants who will co-operate as members of the organization will be ready for announcement soon it is said.

Farm Records To Be Kept Free

Thirty farmers of Lynn county have an opportunity to get a farm book-keeping service for three years free, according to County Agent Ray E. Shaver.

The State Experiment Station at Lubbock is making a study of farm management, and in the study they desire the records of 150 South Plains farmers, 30 from Lynn county, preferably in the northern half and at absolutely no cost and without requiring much of their time. This is an opportunity for many to become familiar with a system of record keeping that will be of value long after the three-year period. A. C. Magee of the Lubbock station will have charge of the work, and desires that the farmers be located in groups in order that he may visit with them more readily.

Mr. Shaver was scheduled to have held a meeting at Wilson Wednesday afternoon to select a number of farmers to avail themselves of the service. Another such meeting will be held in Tahoka Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Thirty Enrolled In Free Night School

About thirty adults have enrolled so far in the free night school of home making and agriculture being conducted at the High School building by Prof Taylor White and Miss Floy Anglin, teachers.

Meetings are being held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings of each week at 7:30 o'clock. Both town people and farmers and their wives are invited to enroll for the work. The school will continue for six or seven weeks.

ERROR CORRECTED

Last week, in mentioning the names of the Central committee for the Red Cross, we inadvertently omitted the names Coleman Wells and W. B. Slaton, both of whom are members of this committee—just a mistake of the editor, for which we ask everybody's pardon.

OPEN BASKET BALL SEASON

Two Tahoka Teams Win Over O'Donnell; Games With Slaton Here Tonight

Basketball season has opened late in Tahoka, but started off with a bang this week when the High School Bulldogs defeated O'Donnell High Monday night 37 to 21. Though a bit unpolished, they showed the making of a team that may be expected to win a majority of their games during the next month or two. Last week they lost a practice game to the fast-stepping T-Bar team. Following the school game Monday night, the All-Stars defeated the O'Donnell Stars 34 to 27. They also lost their first game last week, to the Slaton Santa Fe quintet.

The school team is composed of Stevens, Tredway, Lester and Draper, forwards; Willingham and Benson, centers; Eastridge, Dean, Edwards, Janak and Ktner, guards.

The town team starters Monday night were: Short and Squires, forwards; Janak and Ktner, guards. Bridges, guards. Dean and Woosley also played. Others are expected to come out to strengthen the forces this week.

Tonight the Bulldogs meet Slaton High School and the town team plays the Slaton shop team in the local gymnasium. The town team plays O'Donnell again Friday night. The old Connolly Motor Company building has been rented by the school for a gymnasium.

PARRISH ON COMMITTEES

State Senator Pink L. Parrish has been placed on several important committees in the Legislature. He is chairman of the committees of Congressional districts, county boundaries and public lands, and a member of the committees on banking, educational affairs, enrolled bills, finance, nominations by Governor, public printing, representative districts, and state institutions and departments.

Mrs. Swanger Is Claimed By Death

Mrs. Eula Swanger of Grassland died at the home of her husband's father at Post last Thursday morning at 1:30 o'clock. She was the wife of Weldon Swanger and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warrick of Grassland.

The funeral services were held at the Nazarene Church of Grassland at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon by Brother Shelton in the presence of a large crowd, probably the largest crowd of broken hearted relatives and friends who ever assembled at that place on such an occasion.

Mrs. Swanger was a member of the Nazarene church and had lived a devoted Christian life. She is survived by her husband, Weldon Swanger; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warrick; one sister, Mrs. Bernice Gribble; and one brother, J. C.

Her many friends and friends of the family over this section mourn her passing, and we extend our sympathy to the grief stricken loved ones.

Red Cross Applicants Must Fill Blanks

Judge B. P. Maddox of the disbursing office of the local Red Cross requests that all who have been given aid must bring in to the office an accurate and complete list of provisions they have on hand before any more will be issued them.

Also, application blanks must be complete and properly filled in before aid is given. The office is swamped with requests and cannot lose the time by having to look after filling them in here.

Fort Stockton recently voted \$100,000, Galveston has \$1,655,000 available for new school buildings and equipment, Mauriceville recently completed a new building costing \$40,000, and Mercedes is at work on a new one costing \$100,000. Junction \$59,245 for building. Presido \$44,535 ditto. Hunt \$25,000. Palestine \$25,000. Cleburne \$22,000 (negro school).

Expect Federal Aid Blanks This Week

Subscribers, Pay Up Now!

The News has been making numerous appeals for our readers to pay up their subscriptions. A large percentage have done so within the last two or three months, and we greatly appreciate the fact for the newspaper is usually hard hit financially when the farmer reader is.

There are still a number who owe for their paper of the coming year, and we would greatly appreciate your renewal. Only a very few have dropped their paper yet. Come on in, brothers, the bargains carried in our columns will in one week offset the cost of your subscription.

SMITH NAMES CLUB WORKERS

Kiwanis Club Hears Applewhite And
Slaton Discuss Federal Loans
At Meeting

J. K. Applewhite, member of the Lynn County Federal drouth aid committee, explained the aim of the proposed loans and the procedure through which the farmers must go to get them at the regular meeting of the Kiwanis club Wednesday noon at the American Legion home. The benefits that may be expected were touched on. W. B. Slaton, a member of the state committee, also made a short talk. W. S. Anglin made a talk on the work of the Red Cross in Lynn county, and a reading was given by Miss O'Bera Forrester.

Committees announced by President Truett Smith for the year are: Under privileged children—J. W. Shepherd, chairman, Jack Applewhite, G. H. Nelson. Membership—T. J. Bovell, chairman, G. A. Brasfield, D. W. Gaignat. House Committee—F. A. Robinson, chairman; M. O. Bridges, R. W. Fenton, Jr., C. A. Thomas. Program Committee: O. J. Hull, chairman, C. B. Townes, W. S. Taylor.

Vocational guidance committee—B. R. Tate, chairman, W. B. Slaton, T. L. Price.

Public relations committee—E. I. Hill, chairman, C. H. Cain, A. J. Edwards, L. C. Haney.

Stevens Is Elected 1931 Football Capt.

Curtis Stevens, line-plunging full-back on Tahoka's 1930 football team, was elected captain for next fall at a meeting of letter men a few days ago. Stevens is one of the few regulars on the team that will be eligible for play next year, but is very capable of filling the captain's shoes.

Members of the squad awarded letters several weeks ago are: Stevens, Edwards, Short, Eastridge, Benson, Tankersley, Walker, Tredway, Willingham, Janak, Lester, Ketner, Redwine, Minor, Jackson.

Press reports from Austin giving the committee assignments of members of the lower House show that our own Representative, Judge G. E. Lockhart, has been placed on four committees, all of considerable importance. They are as follows: Committees on Banks & Banking, Congressional Districts, Judiciary, and Municipal and Private Corporations.

Successful 'Colored' Meeting Is Held

Rev. D. D. Johnson, Baptist missionary of this Association, reports that he held a very successful three-day meeting for the Tahoka colored population the latter part of last week.

The negro school house was filled to capacity at each service. There were five additions to the church and two conversions. The interest was excellent, he says.

FUNDS READY FOR FARMERS

Loans Will Be Made At 5 Percent
Interest For Feed, Seed
And Fuel

Application blanks and other necessary forms to the securing of Federal drouth aid are expected within the next day or two by the Lynn county committee composed of A. L. Lockwood, J. K. Applewhite, and Judge J. W. Elliott.

Sample blanks were received the first of this week and placed in the hands of all the banks in the county. The funds are now available just as quickly as necessary papers are prepared, approved and sent through the St. Louis office. The local committee has all the information at hand necessary, and on the arrival of the blanks will immediately be prepared to accept applications.

In no case will any farmer be allowed over \$600 in loan and as a usual thing will not likely be able to get near that much. After approval of the papers, the loan will be available to the farmers in three installments, the last two depending on the report of how the first was used. None but Lynn county residents need apply for loans in Lynn county. The applicant must furnish a correct and accurate description of his land, must procure a waiver of all outstanding mortgages against their crops and also of the landlord's lien where the applicant is a renter. The loans will become due Nov. 1st, 1931 and bear 5 per cent interest. Loans will be made for planting seed, feed for work stock, and fuel for tractors.

Boy Scout Meeting At Lubbock Tonight

Whether or not the organization of the South Plains Area Council of the Boy Scouts will be maintained throughout this year will be decided at the annual meeting of the district council in Lubbock this afternoon. Due to financial conditions, the council work may be dropped for the time being. However, suspension of the organization will not directly affect the work of Boy Scout troops at Tahoka and other South Plains towns.

J. P. Fitch, Executive of Region Nine, and D. T. Jennings, South Plains Scout Executive, have charge of the meeting.

Tonight a pageant "A Year's Scouting", will be given at the Lubbock high school auditorium and the general public is invited.

Cade Opens Branch Office At O'Donnell

Aubra M. Cade, county tax collector, announces that he has opened a branch office in O'Donnell for car registrations and transfers with M. B. Hood of the Raybourn-Hood Chevrolet Company in charge. Property and poll taxes must be paid at the court house office, however, he says. Up until Tuesday noon, there had been only 902 cars out of at least 3,000 in the county registered at the local office, Mr. Cade says. A number had registered at O'Donnell, however.

Rain This Week Totals .39 Inch

Rain which began falling Monday and continued throughout that night and most of Tuesday in a slow drizzle totaled .39 of an inch. Wednesday skies were still cloudy and prospects were that the rain was not over.

The rain this week will be of benefit to wheat patches and adds to the already excellent season in the ground. Many say that they never have seen the ground in as good condition at this time of the year. Everything points to a good year in 1931.

Read the ads and profit!

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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

With dozens of lawyers in the
House of Representatives at Austin,
that body has employed a lawyer as
a legal adviser, according to press
reports. Presumably he is to aid in
drafting proposed legislation so that
the measure passed may be constitutional
and valid. Possibly he is also
to give his opinion as to the constitutionality
of pending bills. What are
the lawyers there for? Can't they
trust themselves? Can't the other
members of the House trust them?
Doesn't the Attorney General, when
called upon, assist in the preparation
of important legislation? We have
often heard criticism of the legislature
on the grounds that too many
lawyers are there and that they control
legislation. And now comes one
branch of the legislature and employs
a lawyer to give the body advice.
It's funny.

Up till now the leading prospects
for the Democratic nomination for

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convenient means of sending
cotton and other products to
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President in 1932 are Franklin D.
Roosevelt, governor of New York,
Owen D. Young, multi-millionaire
and director of "Big Business", and
Newton D. Baker, man of affairs
and former member of the Wilson
cabinet. All three of them are dripping
wet. If either of these is nominated
on a wet platform with the
liquor question as the paramount issue,
we are wondering what such
drys as Morris Sheppard and Joseph
Daniels and Carter Glass and
Dan Moody will do about it. Of
course they are not expected to
commit themselves thus far in advance,
but if the wet Democrats of the
North and East undertake to carry
out their present program at the
next Democratic National Convention,
we are predicting that there
will be the biggest cat fight ever
pulled off in a convention.

About the only result likely to
flow from the report of the Wickersham
commission is to accentuate the
fact that Prohibition is to be the big
issue in the Presidential campaign
of 1932. The wets seem determined
to press the battle. They seem to
be in the majority in the Democratic
party while the drys seem to be in
the majority in the Republican party,
although a very large fraction of
the Democrats are dry and a large
fraction of Republicans are wet. It
seems inevitable that party lines
will be broken down everywhere two
years from now, and that the next
battle will not be a fight primarily
between Democrats and Republicans
but a fight between wets and drys.
We deeply regret that this is the
prospect—but it is the prospect nevertheless.

The Nolan County News, Sweetwater,
pulled a new stunt recently.
It offered a five-dollar william as a
prize to the person who could exhibit
the biggest and best grin. There
was a whole army of contestants—
just miles of smiles—and Sweetwater
for the time became a city of
grins. The News had a lot of trouble
in picking the winners but finally
compromised and split the pot between
a young lady cashier at a coffee
shop and a Plum Creek farmer.
What we can't understand is
how that ruddy-faced farmer, in
this season of short crops and punk
prices, could compete successfully
with a beautiful, vivacious young
lady. By the way, boys, who were
the judges?

Why not go to church next Sunday?
It might do you good. It might
help you to fight the battles of
life. It might help you to be a
better man or woman—a more useful
citizen. It might help you to be
more optimistic and happy. Take
your children with you. Very few
children were ever graduated from
the Sunday School or the Church into
a life of crime. "Train up a child
in the way he should go and when he
is old he will not depart from it."

Highway bonds are being defeated
just about as regularly as elections
are being called in West Texas
counties. Our opinion is that any
state highway bond proposal would
meet with a like fate. We believe
that Governor Sterling and the State
Highway Commission will have to be
content to build and maintain the
highways of Texas with a gasoline
tax. We're willing.

Opinions Of Our Readers



MATTHEWS DISCUSSES POLITICAL ISSUES

Mr. Editor:

From present indications these subjects
will be the leading issues in the
legislature: Regulation of buses
and trucks, control of cotton acreage
and changes in election laws.

General opinion is that more or
less drastic legislation will be made
regulating the weight and capacity
of trucks and busses. Trucks and
busses operating parallel to railroads
may suffer more drastic legislation
than other lines.

Commissioner of agriculture McDonald,
Representatives Garrett and Pope
are advocating cotton reduction
by legislature. Probably nothing
will come of it. The question will
provoke much controversy. If cotton
is cheap this fall then the next
legislature will probably pass reduction
laws. If cotton is a fair price
then nothing will be done. If a law
is passed then it would be defined to
become effective if four states passed
similar legislation. It may take
a constitutional amendment to make
a law of this nature effective.

Speaking of constitutional amendments
our solons apparently will
submit a few to be voted on in a
special election held in July. Our
legislators should submit amendments
to be voted for on general
election days only. Amendments are
always defeated when offered in a
special election.

Election law reform may receive
considerable attention but the writer
considers nothing important passed.
Senator Woodward in senate
bill No. 66 advocates nominating all
judicial officials except county judges
through conventions. Representatives
Farmer and Adkins in house
bill No. 134 advocate reducing poll
tax to one dollar. These bills are
sensible.

Representative Satterwhite of Odessa
favors the state convention or
state central party executives nominating
two candidates to be selected
and the choice of the two to be
nominated in a primary. In the writer's
opinion a substitute for this bill, to
eliminate two primaries, should be
to follow the Iowa system. Any state
candidate in Iowa receiving less than
forty per cent of the primary votes
is eliminated and the officer must be
selected at the state convention.

Dan Moody favors the short ballot.
This means the governor, lieutenant
governor and attorney general would
be selected in a primary. The balance
of the state ticket would be selected
by the governor. James E. Ferguson
and Earle B. Mayfield advocate
nominating highway commissioners
through the primary. Robert L. Henry
and Louis Wardlaw favor
presidential primaries. George Robinson
and Wm. E. Talbot favor nominating
all state officers through
state conventions. Thomas B. Love
believes the state convention should
be held before the primaries and the
platform adopted. Mr. Love also
believes in a freedom of conscience bill.

Ohio, Illinois, and Indiana presidential
primaries are consolidated. In Ohio,
presidential and state primaries
are held the second Tuesday in
May. During an off-election year
the primaries are held on the second
Tuesday in August. The Ohio statutes
require a voter if challenged to
state whether the last general election,
he voted for a majority of his party's
nominees or did not vote for a majority
of his party's nominees. The New York,
Pennsylvania, Indiana, Washington
and Nevada party loyalty tests are
identical to the Ohio test. Illinois,
California, Kansas, Nebraska, Massachusetts
and Wisconsin have no party loyalty tests.

Texas and Louisiana are the only
states requiring a primary pledge
printed on the ballot. Our primary
pledge should be repealed or read
"intend to support the ticket generally."

If we maintain state primaries,
we should also hold state presidential
primaries and they should be
consolidated. Our state presidential
and state conventions should be consolidated.
Delegates should be nominated
on a secret ballot. The same delegates
should be required to act as both
state and state presidential delegates.
Thirty days should be sufficient
residence in a county or precinct
to be allowed to vote. Twenty-nine
states require thirty days or less
in a precinct for privilege of voting.
All county elections should be
non-partisan.

FRED MATTHEWS

The European corn borer has
spread over about 200,000 square
miles of the United States since it
was first found near Boston thirteen
years ago.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable
of Lynn county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to
summon Vernon Turner by making
publication of this citation once in
each week for four successive
weeks previous to the return day
hereof, in some newspaper published
in your county, if there be a newspaper
published therein, but if not,
then in the nearest county where a
newspaper is published, to appear
at the next regular term of the District
Court of Lynn county, to be
held at the court house thereof,
in Tahoka, Texas, on the 3rd Monday
in February, A. D. 1931, the
same being the 16th day of February
A. D. 1931, then and there to answer
a petition filed in said court on the
13th day of January, A. D. 1931, in
a suit, numbered on the docket of
said court as No. 848, wherein Mrs.
Nola Turner is plaintiff, and Vernon
Turner is defendant, and said petition
alleging that the plaintiff is a
bonafide resident of Lynn county,
Texas, and has been such for six
months next preceding the filing of
this suit and has been such resident
of the State of Texas for more than
one year; that plaintiff and defendant
were married on December 24th,
1921 and separated on October 1st,
1929. Plaintiff alleges that during
the marital relation she was kind
and affectionate to defendant but
that defendant prior to the separation
was cruel, unkind and used
harsh treatment toward plaintiff.
That the defendant often kept company,
and had affairs, with other
women, often staying out with them
until late at night and at one time
while this plaintiff was away the
defendant and another woman stayed
with him at this plaintiff's house.
That the defendant was bad about
drinking intoxicating liquor. That
one child, a girl, Lana Turner, aged
six years, was born and plaintiff is
the proper person to have the custody
and control of her. Plaintiff prays
for judgment dissolving the marriage
relation and custody of the child.

Herein fail not, and have you before
said court, at its aforesaid next
regular term, this writ with your
return thereon, showing how you
have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal
of said court, at office in Tahoka,
Texas, this 13th day of January,
A. D. 1931.
(SEAL)
W. S. TAYLOR, Clerk,
District Court, Lynn County.
21-4tc.

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County line.—Authority: Van Horn
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July 2—Advertising for girl stenographer \$.50
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July 18—Lunch for Miss Smith \$ 10.00
July 21—Violet's salary \$ 25.00
July 24—Theatre and supper with Violet \$ 22.00
July 25—Fur coat for wife \$ 825.00
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A Little Improvement Will Help A Lot!

Just a touch of paint, or varnish, or
some new wall paper will sometimes
greatly improve the appearance of your
home. Or some sidewalks and curbs will
help. Mend up the fences, or build new
ones. A few dollars spent here and there
will work wonders.

And, anything that you can spend
now will help the employment problem,
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your share toward bringing about
the return of prosperity.

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Tahoka,

Texas

School Superintendent Discusses State of Texas Accrediting Policy

(BY J. B. PACE)

The directory for classified and accredited high schools issued annually by the State Department of Education is off the press. The standards for all the high schools in the state are listed in this bulletin. These standards are made by a committee of fifteen teachers of the state selected from among city superintendents, small town superintendents, county superintendents, college representatives and the State Department. The committee meets annually at Austin and passes upon the high schools seeking additional affiliation, the reports of the various schools as to equipment for doing work, and the manner in which the work is being done. In some instances schools are taken off the approved list because of failure to adhere to the required standards in the matter of maintaining satisfactory equipment or in the manner in which the school work is done.

Many factors are involved in making and maintaining standards. The preparation of teachers, teacher experience, standard degrees, libraries

in both high school and grammar school, laboratory equipment, number of pupils in classes, number of classes per teacher, number of pupils in grade rooms, length of recitation periods, maps, charts, globes, length of term, and many other items enter in the question of determining a school's classification.

One of the perplexing problems of the present educational system in Texas is the matter of students entering college from high schools which are not affiliated. The colleges will not accept work done in unaffiliated schools except upon examinations which they give at the time of entrance. The State Department of Education undertook several years ago to cure this defect in our system by holding annual examinations for students in unaffiliated schools. The questions for these examinations are sent out in April of each year to the county and city superintendents. Pupils that pass these tests which are graded by department officials at Austin may secure recognition for each unit of work passed. The State of Texas issues a high school diploma to any student who passes a required number of these tests. By this means students in unaffiliated schools may gain entrance to college without an entrance examination.

For some reason the schools of the state without accredited standing have not availed themselves of this method of preparation for college as much as they might have done. It is not known whether this is a matter of neglect on the part of those in charge of such schools or not, but the fact remains that many students make application to enter many accredited high schools without having secured state approval on the work they have already done in the schools of lower rank. This should not be the case since a way has been provided by which units of work can be certified to by the state through its system of examination. This whole question presents a difficulty to the standardized high school since it has certain rules that it must observe if it is to retain its accredited standing. The new directory mentioned above has the following to say with reference to admitting students from unaffiliated schools.

"1. The committee recommends that, on all complete units of work, pupils transferring from unaffiliated high schools be required to present certificates of credit from the State Department of Education or be required to pass satisfactory examinations given by the accredited school to which transfer is sought.

"2. The committee discourages the practice of giving pupils conditional credits from unaffiliated high schools except in continuous courses which the pupils pursue in the accredited school.

"3. The committee recommends definitely that no credit be accepted without examination from unaffiliated high schools offering more than two years high school work."

In the light of the quotation above

from bulletin No. 272 from the State Department of Education Tahoka is going to accept the work of the eighth and ninth grades from unaffiliated schools without state credits or special examination by the Tahoka School. If coming from unaffiliated schools it may be had with the presentation of state credits for work done beyond grade nine or upon special examination given by the Tahoka High School.

We are interested in rural students to the extent that we will meet them half way upon the matter of units accepted from unaffiliated schools. This I think is very liberal for this school has to certify to four years of high school work when its graduates go away to college when in reality the student only did one or two years here. Thus the school subjects itself to the danger of unsatisfactory reports upon such students in college to the State Department of Education.

A condition with respect to the work accepted from grades eight and nine is that a certificate of work must be made out and signed by the Superintendent or Principal from which the pupil comes or a certificate of work signed by the County Superintendent.

A county accrediting system for schools that are not accredited by the state would do much to solve this problem and would relieve the accredited schools from the burden of entrance examinations as suggested in Bulletin 272.

This article is written at this time that students in unaffiliated schools may have due notice as to the future policy of the Tahoka school should students contemplate attendance here at some future date.

Edith

Almost all the people in the neighborhood are through moving now.

Mrs. Lillian Greenhouse and daughter, Billie, of Lamesa visited Mrs. L. Greenhouse's mother-in-law, Mrs. Greenhouse and Mr. and Mrs. Bearden and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Richard and daughter, Mrs. Roy Esslinger and her husband from Wheeler visited H. O. Hargett and H. H. Dearman and families Saturday night, January 24. Sunday the visitors and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hargett and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dearman visited Lacy Richard and family of Ragtown.

Mr. Bryan Faulkner who has been off at work arrived at home Tuesday night, January 20.

Mrs. E. D. Payne and son, Mr. Ralph Payne went to see Mr. Charlie Campbell of Wilson who has been seriously ill and they took his mother, Mrs. J. C. Campbell who is staying a few days with him.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindley visited his parents and his brother all of Tuesday last Thursday.

Miss Dorothy Payne visited her cousins of O'Donnell last week.

Little Imogene Hargett who has been ill for the past few days is improving now.

We had an extra fine singing last Sunday evening.

A few of the old and young folks of the community went to the singing at New Lynn Sunday afternoon and all reported a good singing.

Reporter.

4,608,000 ACRES TERRACED IN TEXAS UP TO JANUARY 1

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 20.—The growth in Texas of science's counter attack against soil loss and depletion of soil fertility by erosion, arch enemy of the land, is told in a report on terracing in this state compiled recently by M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service. Up to Jan. 1, 1931, a total of 4,608,000 acres had been terraced in Texas, Mr. Bentley shows in his summary of the work which was outlined before the recent soil conservation conference held at Waco on call of Governor Dan Moody.

A total of \$19,315 acres was terraced in Texas in 1930 as compared with 609,065 acres in 1929. The long step forward in this work is emphasized in comparing the totals for these latter years with total of 56,486 acres terraced in 1916.

Twenty-five Texas counties each have 50,000 or more acres terraced or contoured, the report shows. Runnels County leads the list with a total of 181,215 acres and Jones County is second with 152,570 acres.

Some terracing has been done in 207 of the 254 counties of the state, exclusive of rice levee work and borders for irrigation.

One of the recent developments in terracing work is the rapid increase in the number of county tractor and grader outfits used in the past two years. During 1928, according to estimates of Mr. Bentley, only twelve of fifteen counties showed use of the big outfits for terracing while in 1929 they were used in about forty counties and in seventy-five or more counties in 1930.

SLATS' DIARY

Friday—Well we went to a concert at the church tonight and listened to 3 girls singing in a recital of music and etc. mostly ect. One of the girls has a very rich voice and the other girl has a very rich father so about 1/2 of the singers was sent so much to listen to for a hour and a half.

Saturday—1 of the printers witch work on the noose paper wheat pa wirks quit his job today and went to

Springfield wear he is a going to work on a house organ. Ant Emmy sed she was surprised to hear that becus she never thot this fellow had much musick in him.

When Blisters came to Sunday skool this a. m. he had a offe looking black eye and when he ast him whut the matter was he kinda laffed and sed. Wal this is whut I get for being faithful and the teacher sed Whut do you mean Blisters and he replied and sed Well I got this black eye because I believed in the old saying about the Misseltoe and she laffed noingly.

Munday—Joe Hix has sold his little dog witch was a Scotch terrier and has bought himself a gray houn so all six of his kids can pet him at 1 time.

Tuesday—Ma is having a berthday party tonight and I ast Jane if she 2nd berthday. This is the 1st berthday party she has had for fore years and when she seblabrated her twenty-ninth berthday. She says she speeks sum of the wimen witch she has en- vited will say sum offe things about her back of her back when she is out of heering.

Wednesday—Ma says Filus Jones has changed a offe lot in the last few years and Ant Emmy ast whut she ment and ma sed Well she use to marry men witch she wodent even play golf with nowadays since they struck oil on her farm down in Texas recently. Witch was gave to her by her 5th husband when he settled his alimony.

Thursday—Went to a boy and girl party tonight and I ast Jane is she wood set out a dance with me and she sed Yes if you will promise not

to get fresh and I promised and when I went to luk for her I found she was setting it out with Pog Stevens. I bet he diddnt promise nothing like that. So she choosed him and it don't pay to be no gentelman.

RECEIVE 5,000 CHINESE ELMS IN LAMESA

Five thousand Chinese elms were delivered this week to V. B. Wilson of Lamesa, who has just taken the agency for state certified elms in this territory.

These trees were sprouted from

seed imported from China, raised in the state of Washington and were grown last year by a farmer near Plainview, Roy Davis.

They were taken from a stock of 85,000 trees, all inspected and graded by state officials—Lamesa Reporter.

IMPOUNDED

One brown horse 16 hands high with smooth mouth and little white in face. Will be sold Monday, Feb. 9th, for pound fees if not called for. 23-2tc MILT FINCH, City Marshall

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For Friday and Saturday

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New Virginia Harts
All new patterns, 3 for—
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59c

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24c Yard

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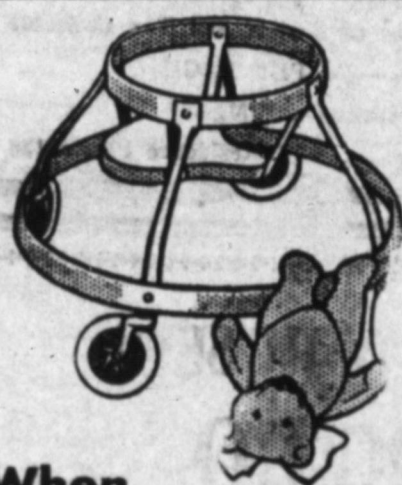
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"Prices Talk"

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are candidates for office at the city election to be held Tuesday, April 7, 1931:

For City Marshal:
GUY SHERROD
MILT FINCH (Re-election)
J. J. BOYDSTUN



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BABY ill and ailments seem twice as serious at night. A sudden cry may mean colic. Or a sudden attack of diarrhea. How would you meet this emergency—tonight? Have you a bottle of Castoria ready?

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| Oats | 25c | Cheese lb., | 25c |
| — FOUR PKGS. FOR— | | | |
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| Prunes, 4 lbs. | 30c | Raisins, 4 lbs | 30c |

Spuds 12 lbs. for— 25c

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PORK ADDED, LB.— PER LB.—
Loaf Meat, 12 1/2c **Rib Roast, 12c**
Sausage, lb., 15c **Steak, lb., 15c**

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SOCIETY

Club and Church News

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MET LAST MONDAY

Members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church spent all day Monday in the study of the Foreign Mission book "Reminiscences, or Twenty-Five Years in Brazil" by Loren M. Reno and wife. This proved to be one of the most interesting Mission studies in which we have ever engaged. One reason for this was the unique method employed by Mrs. O. J. Hull, the efficient teacher, in presenting the subject matter. Some days ago she assigned outlined topics to the various members of the class with instructions to prepare them for presentation during the class period. All to whom topics were assigned cooperated faithfully in this preparation, and the individual manner in which each presented her part furnished variety as well as edification to the recitation period. The teacher had on display several interesting pictures made in Brazil and other foreign mission fields which made the study more emphatic and impressive. At the noon hour the pastor led a beautiful devotional service which included a trio sung by Misses Estelline and Evelyn Jeffreys and Mrs. Bryan Hull, with Mrs. J. K. Applewhite at the piano. Another special number enjoyed by all was a vocal duet by Mesdames Wells and Durham, Mrs. Applewhite accompanying.

At twelve o'clock an appetizing lunch brought by the ladies was served. Of course this period was extremely decorous, no unnecessary conversation and laughter.

Thirty-two women took part in this study, and will take examination on the book at the close of the Missionary program next Monday afternoon.—Publicity Chairman.

AMERICAN CHEESE

When the Home Demonstration agent placed an American Cheese demonstration in the 1930 Yearbook, the club women wondered how it

would ever be done.

Anyway in October the demonstration was given. A mold was made from a gallon, bucket, house jacks, fly wheels, bricks and anything that had a little weight being used to press the cheese.

Anxious women awaited the outcome of the four week process. Enthusiastic club women put what they saw into practice.

Mrs. J. B. Lowe of New Home has made ten pounds. Mrs. Joe Poindexter five pounds, Mrs. R. L. Littlepage thirty pounds, Mrs. Cleveland twenty pounds, Mrs. J. T. Owens, five pounds, Mrs. R. E. Townzen thirty pounds, Mrs. C. M. Greer ten pounds, Mrs. C. W. Greer ten pounds and Mrs. John Moore thirty pounds.

The program of work for this month has been on scoring of cheese and butter. Many women have seen and tasted the cheese. There are a large number of the women who have never tried who say they are going to make some real soon.

Mr. D. T. Rogers of Tahoka got a taste of some of this cheese and the agent helped him and his wife make some last week. We will wait to see what Mr. Rogers says as "the proof of the pudding is in the eating."

YOUNG WOMEN AT MORGAN ORGANIZE A 4-H CLUB

Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 20, Miss Thelma Greenwade, our county home demonstration agent, met with the girls at the teachers' home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Townsend, for the purpose of organizing a Morgan 4-H club. There were eight members enrolled.

The officers were elected as follows: president, Mollie Cato; vice-president, Juanita Cranfill; secretary, Edna Voigt; reporter, Ermyne Blevins; recreational leader, Juanita Cranfill; and club sponsor, Mrs. J. N. Townsend. Our next meeting is to be held the second Tuesday in February.—Reporter.

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PARENT-TEACHER ASSN. WILL MEET WEDNESDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held as usual, in the Central Ward Auditorium at 4:00 o'clock, on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 4th.

The program, which promises to be both entertaining and instructive, will consist of the following features: a selected musical number by Mrs. Marcus Edwards, a reading by Miss O'Bea Forrester, and a talk by Dr. C. B. Townes on "Contagious Diseases", a very pertinent subject since there have recently developed some cases in the community.

Parents interested in the welfare of their children, their schooling, and their school should make every effort to attend and benefit by the meetings of this "mutual aid" organization. Let every one sacrifice, if necessary, to give this one hour, once a month, to whole-hearted co-operation with the school and its efficiency corps of teachers who so conscientiously assume so much of responsibility for the right training and living of our children.

Be present Wednesday promptly at 4:00 o'clock and bring a neighbor or other friends with you.

METHODIST CHURCH

We were delighted with our fine congregation at both the morning and evening hour last Sunday. It is a very encouraging feature to observe the growth and interest of his congregation to a pastor.

The evening hour was especially interesting and delightful to all present, consisting of a number of musical selections by the orchestra, solos, both vocal and instrumental, duets and other numbers, put on by our young people. I appreciate young people who will improve their God-given talents and then use them for His glory. I am for the young people 100 per cent. The second part of the program consisted of a talk by Mrs. Fenton and a dramatization of a Biblical scene by Meses. Callaway, Weaver and Shepherd, to the delight and benefit of all present.

The church stands for the best things! Line up!

THE PASTOR

WEST POINT HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MET

The West Point Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday January 27th with Mrs. C. T. Tankersley. We had 12 members present, one new member and one visitor.

The ladies spent the day canning beef for the Red Cross, 25 No. 2 and 33 No. 3 cans were canned. The beef was donated by Mr. W. D. Nevols. We understand we are the first club to take part in helping the Red Cross in their work of helping the less fortunate than we and we are certainly glad of the opportunity. We especially extend thanks to Mr. Nevols for the beef.

In the afternoon the club observed the making of a hot bed under the direction of our county agent, Miss Greenwade. The following program was rendered.

Club Etiquette

Club Do's and Don'ts—Mrs. H. J. Bulman.

How We can make our club the Best—Mrs. H. J. Jeffreys.

The Model Club Meeting—Mrs. Bragg.—Reporter

MIDWAY 4-H CLUB MET

The Midway 4-H Club met Jan. 23, with Mrs. Littlepage, our sponsor. We had twelve present. Miss Greenwade was present and gave a demonstration on pillow cases and finishes of pillow cases.—Reporter.

RANDALL COUNTY TO LET PAVING CONTRACT SOON

CANYON, Jan. 28.—County Judge S. B. Orton has announced that preparation of all papers has been completed for the Randall County commissioners to request the State Highway Department to let the contract on the paving which will extend from Canyon south to the county line.

It is expected that this contract will be let early in February.

C. R. Kuykendall of Midland spent Tuesday night in Tahoka with his mother, Mrs. L. S. Kuykendall.

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LYNN COUNTY HAS GINNED 27,843 BALES

There were 27,843 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Lynn County, prior to Jan. 16, 1931, as compared with 29,446 bales ginned to Jan. 16, 1930.

There were 34,450 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Dawson County, prior to Jan. 16, 1931, as compared with 32,523 bales ginned to Jan. 16, 1930.

RED CROSS IN NEED OF MORE QUILTS, CLOTHING

The local Red Cross chapter is in need of more clothing and quilts for the needy people of Lynn county. Girl's clothes are especially needed.

Anyone having such articles are requested to get in touch with the Red Cross immediately.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Baldrige of Clovis, N. M., former residents of Tahoka, were visitors here last week and called at the News office Friday. Mr. Baldrige says that the wheat is looking fine in his country. They have had a lot of snow there this winter and there is a fine season in the ground. Mr. Baldrige is very hopeful of the future. He says that our trouble is that we have all been running in the high too much, and when we hit the grade we found we were out of gas and then had to pull it in the low. He thinks we will all finally make the grade, however, but advises that we run a little more slowly and look a little further down the road as we go along.

J. J. Massengale and daughter, Paye, and E. I. Hill are in Temple this week, leaving here Sunday. The former were called to the bedside of Mrs. Massengale, who has been under treatment in a Temple sanitarium for several weeks. The last report was that she was slightly improved but still in a very serious condition. The editor visited relatives and friends in Bell county.

Mrs. M. L. H. Baze was here from Lubbock last Saturday visiting friends and looking after some business affairs. She is teaching in the Lubbock schools this year and is well pleased with her work. Mr. Baze is doing some work in the Tech, but is not yet able to work with his old-time vigor, Mrs. Baze says.

Hardy Montgomery, brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, the latter a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wheelock, the latter a niece of Will Montgomery were all visitors in his home last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Henderson remained over several days this week.

O. J. Jackson and Anson Coughran returned Monday from a business trip to Temple. They were greatly pleased on their return, having sat in their car in a bar pit twelve miles east of Roby all Sunday night during a rain.

Mrs. Myra Cook of Plainview is here this week visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. S. Swan, and family. Mrs. Cook is well known by many people in Tahoka, she having resided here twelve or fifteen years ago.

Mrs. C. H. Wakefield, who with her husband and family moved to Abilene two weeks ago, writes that they can't do without the Lynn County News. She seems well pleased with their new location.

Miss Lois Belle Johnson, who has been attending Texas Tech since Christmas, spent last week-end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Johnson.

J. E. Holcombe is nursing a badly sprained wrist which he received last Thursday when a horse on which he was riding fell. The accident happened down in Borden county.

Edgar Hays employed by the News for over a year, has been here the first of this week helping out in the absence of the editor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson of Dalhart have been here since Sunday visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Johnson.

Miss Augusta Seth, teacher in the Lubbock schools, spent the week-end here as the guest of her friend, Mrs. A. D. Seth.

V. L. and H. M. Cade and families of Slaton visited in the home of their brother, A. M. Cade, tax collector, Sunday.

E. H. Boelloun and little son, Elbert Jr. have been confined to their home this week with the influenza.

See our Nursery ad in this issue. Brownfield Nursery. 28-1tp

BOYDSTUN ENTERS RACE FOR CITY MARSHALL

J. J. Boydston has asked us to enter his name in our announcement column as a candidate for city marshal of Tahoka. The election will be Tuesday, April 7.

Mr. Boydston came here seven years ago from Bell county and is well known. He says this is his first time to ask for any public office of any kind. He feels that he is fully capable of handling the duties of the office and promises to give the very best service that he possibly can. He will appreciate your vote and influence, and asks that all citizens of Tahoka give his candidacy thoughtful consideration before casting their ballots.

TAHOKA ALL-STARS WIN FROM WELLS TEAM 20-12

In a rough and tumble game of basketball in the local gymnasium Wednesday night, Tahoka all-stars won over Wells all-stars 20-12. Accurate goal shooting of Hegi in the first half enabled Tahoka to score 12 points before Wells was able to score a one, but after that Wells held her own.

As a curtain-raiser, Lynn came from behind in the second half to take a hot game from Morgan 18 to 14.

W. M. Kaykendall of Southland visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. L. S. Kuykendall Monday.

Tahoka, Texas,
Jan. 29, 1931.

Dear Friends:

This has been some busy place the last few days.

I keep telling the boss it's the advertising that's bringing in all these hats to be cleaned and blocked, but he doesn't warm up much to the suggestion. When business is quiet he says my ads are losing their punch. When business is good he says it's the high quality of work done at Craft's Taylor Shop. Can you beat that? Wish you would tell him you are reading these ads. He is a nice fellow and all that, but I think he's holding out on me.

Yours truly,

Ben Sime

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Tahoka, Texas,

West Side of Square

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Morgan

The Rev. James Raybourne of Slaton preached an interesting sermon for us Sunday afternoon.

We had several new ones in Sunday school.
Our boys and girls' basket ball team played Lynn Friday. They fought a hard game but were defeated. We will meet again in Tahoka Wednesday night, January 28. Miss Hull spent the week end at her home in Tahoka.

Miss Wilkes visited her homelinks at New Hope.
Miss Juanita Cranfill spent Saturday night in Slaton.

Alph Perdue visited Berta Lou Collings Wednesday night.

Mrs. Ed Milliken spent last week in Idalou where her brother-in-law, Dr. D. H. Holchett was very sick. Her mother, Mrs. Beulah is slowly improving.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Tabby Reaves has been real sick with croup.

H. H. Bailey has been down with a severe pain in his shoulder something like rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Crews entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night.

Mr. M. Rackler from Mexico visited his brother, Freeman Rackler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McAnnally gave a singing last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner of Lynn visited Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McGee Sunday evening.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Milliken and boys Sunday night were: Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lancaster, and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Collings, Herschell and Juanelle, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shaw and children of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lancaster and boys, and H. H. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend had company from New Hope Sunday.

Several are sick with bad colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lancaster and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Lancaster near Slaton.—Reporter.

West Point

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Schmitt and son came in Friday night from Post Oak where they had been visiting relatives but left Saturday afternoon for Archer City where they will make their home.

Brother Vinson filled his regular appointment Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Both Sunday School and Church services were well attended.

Mrs. Robert Noble and Bobby returned home Sunday from Brownfield where the boy has been under the care of a doctor for several days.

Brother Vinson and wife spent Sunday night at the C. F. Tankersley home.

Mrs. Robert Rusk has been real sick for the past few days, but is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bond and son, Earl Bond and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Tankersley and Tom Hall and family all took dinner at the Yates home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Riley were shopping in Brownfield Saturday.

As the crops are about all gathered most of the farmers are starting to list up their land for another year.

Presidio voted \$60,000 for a new high school, and Odessa \$170,000 for the same purpose.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lynn county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon W. M. Harris by making publication of this Citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lynn county, to be held at the court house thereof, in Tahoka, Texas, on the third Monday in February, A. D. 1931, the same being the 16th day of February, A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 12th day of November, A. D. 1930, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court as No. 841, wherein Ruby Harris is Plaintiff, and W. M. Harris is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on or about the 15th day of March, 1927, plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in Dallas county, Texas, and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 13th day of December, 1929, when, by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff, she was forced and compelled to abandon defendant, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife; that the maiden name of plaintiff was Ruby Reed; plaintiff alleges that she was in no way the cause of the separation; that about the 18th day of December, 1929, plaintiff caught defendant living in adultery with one Agnes Hutchinson, and had previous to this date found defendant in the said Agnes Hutchinson's room under circumstances which led her to believe they were having sexual intercourse; that defendant's actions toward plaintiff generally are of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable; wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, for judgment dissolving said marital relations, for restoration of her maiden name and for all costs of suit.

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Tahoka, Texas, this 13th day of January, A. D. 1931. (SEAL)

W. S. TAYLOR, Clerk,
District Court, Lynn County.
21-4tc.

BY AN ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT, OF LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS.

At a regular term of the commissioners court held at Tahoka, Texas, the same being the second Monday in November, A. D. 1930, with the County Judge G. C. Grider presiding and all members of said court present the following order was passed.

On the date and term aforesaid the court aforesaid passed an order demanding all land owners that had prairie dogs thereon to be killed before the first of March, A. D. 1931.

This county has ordered a large quantity of poison to be made and the same may be obtained at the actual cost.

If any land owner fails to comply with this order it shall be the duty of the sheriff to immediately destroy said prairie dogs by the use of practical and economical methods in general use, he shall report his

acts with an itemized bill of cost to the commissioners court and the same shall be entered as a lien against said land. Said court may pay the sheriff not exceeding \$5.00 per day for each day he has performed actual service in supervising the destruction of said prairie dogs.

If the owner of any land against which cost and expenses have been assessed by the commissioners court shall fail to pay the same within thirty days of such assessment, the county attorney of such county shall bring suit to enforce payment thereof. The county attorney shall in each suit, brought by him for said purpose, be allowed a reasonable fee to be fixed by the court trying the same to be taxed as cost in the cause and upon rendition of any judgment for such an expense, execution and order of sale shall issue and be executed as in other cases.

In compliance with Article 191 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas.

Issued the 12th day of January, A. D. 1931, and signed officially by the County Judge of Lynn county, Texas.

G. C. GRIDER.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PECOS AND NORTHERN TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY:

You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the stockholders to be held in the City of Amarillo, County of Potter, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company on the 10th day of February, 1931, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage or deed of trust to be called "general mortgage" or by such other name as may be determined, on all of its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in series, so much of such bonds as may be necessary to be used from time to time in paying or exchange for the bonds and other indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition, construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned and for other lawful corporate purposes, each series of

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The co-operation of the insuring public in this connection will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

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bonds to be issued to mature at such time and provide for the payment of such lawful rate of interest, to be tax free or not tax free, to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board, and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said meeting.

14-9tc J. N. FREEMAN, Sec'y.

STATED MEETINGS of
Tahoka Lodge No. 1041
the first Tuesday night in each month at 7:30. Members urged to attend.
Visitors welcome.
C. R. RILEY, W. M.
J. L. HEARE, Sec.

Sulphur Springs—An average of 83 calves have been sired during the last two years by the eight registered Jersey bulls in Hopkins county dairy bull circles, and 62 per cent of the calf crop consisted of heifers, making an average of 51 heifers per bull. Charles H. Harvin, farm demonstration agent, estimates that these heifers at present prices paid for butterfat, are worth \$20 more than ordinary calves because of their future increased production. At this rate the bulls are worth \$4080 yearly to their joint owners.

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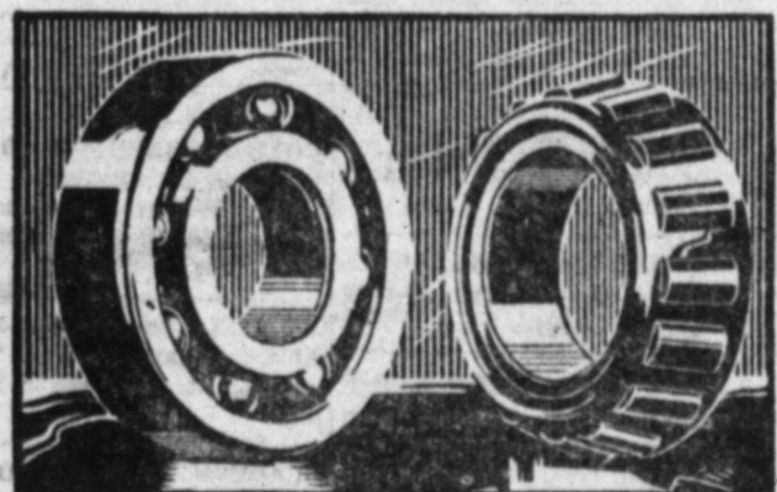
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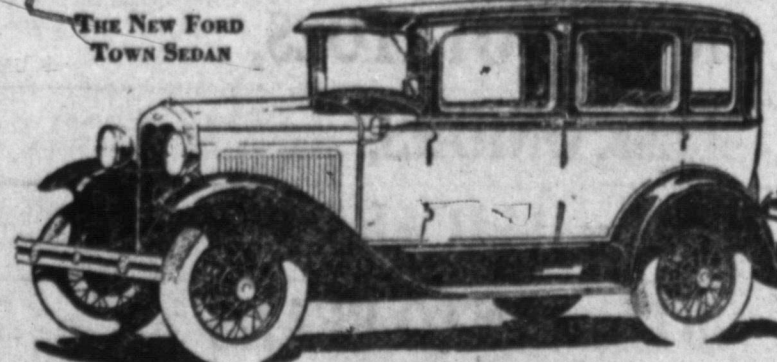
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second-year half-and-half, from Pet-
tit at Vernon. F. M. Roberts, 10
miles west. 21-6tp.

I HAVE A practically new Bruns-
wick talking machine, a "Hoosier"
kitchen cabinet and a nice refrig-
erator, that I have no use for. Could-
n't use the money either, but could
use a milk cow, hogs, pigs, chickens,
mules, corn (in the ear) or other
feed, or almost anything you have to
offer. J. J. Boydston. 17-tfc

BALED HEGARI and MAIZE, 45c
per bale. See Howard Tunnell or Roy
Appling on my place 9 miles S. E.
of Tahoka. H. M. Anthony. 22-3tp

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Motor Company.

MAIZE HEADS, bright, \$18.00 per
ton. J. P. Unfred, 5 miles west of
New Home.

SEED OATS—Have limited amount
red rust-proof oats for planting.—
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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two '29
model Chevrolet trucks and trailers,
six wheels; and '28 model sedan, all
in good shape. When your time
comes to move, you lose money when
you don't call 918H, New Home. J.
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500 for 75c at The Lynn County
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FOR SALE—1500 bu. Half & Half
Cotton Seed, Vernon variety. Has
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graded. Staple from these seed run
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sale or trade. J. S. Wells & Sons.
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I have some seed I raised last year
from pure Mebane seed. This cotton
ginned 40 percent lint and had 15-16
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FOR SALE—One car load Mebane
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Orpingtons. Mrs. L. P. Jeffreys, Ta-
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ROOSTERS—5 large, young Rhode
Island Reds at a bargain. Mrs. A.
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FOR SALE—Sweet Milk, per qt.,
10c; butter milk, per gal., 20c; but-
ter, per lb., 40c. E. J. Cooper, Phone
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tice.—The News.

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out rent for good Jersey milk cow.
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acres cultivated three miles north of
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well and windmill on road, ten acres
free to suitable renter. T. A. Smith,
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FOR RENT—Two furnished light
housekeeping rooms. Mrs. Sid San-
ders. 17-tfc

FOR RENT—Nice two room house,
newly papered, piped for gas; has
kitchen sink and closet. In nice
part of town and convenient to
school. Frank Hill at News Office.

FOR RENT—Nice 4-room house
with bath. See Skip Taylor. 23-tfc

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COTTON SEED GRADING—Im-
proves staple and makes seed plant
better. Will grade your seed for the
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WANTED—Large place on halves.
Able to finance self. J. W. Moore,
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BLACKSMITH WANTED—Have
good proposition for blacksmith with
own shop at T-Bar Store. McCarley
and Alexander. 23-2tp

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—All owing for McNeess
products please pay to N. G. Emer-
son, collector, or at my residence,
the first house west of Camp Max.
A J Looe, McNeess dealer. 21-tfc.

NOTICE—Any person caught get-
ting wood out of the Ranch without
permission will be prosecuted. T-Bar
Ranch. 22-3tp

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Wilson

The Wilson Red Cross Auxiliary
Very Busy

Every officer and committeeman
of the Wilson Red Cross, as well as
many members have been working
faithfully every day to help alleviate
the destitute circumstances of some
of our citizens, made so by the
drouth situation, and unemployment
problem which seems to be prevail-
ing throughout Lynn County.

Mrs. L. Lumsden, who is our local
disbursing agent has an office in
town and is giving her entire time to
this phase of the work. Rev. Thurst-
on and Rev. Partin are giving their
aid faithfully every day possible.

The Investigating Committee, con-
sisting of Mrs. A. L. Faubion, R. E.
Finley and Mrs. J. D. Cook are kept
going constantly to visit the needy
homes. There probably will be an-
other committee appointed to assist
in this much needed work.

We urge all those who have not
joined the Red Cross to do so at
once, thus helping a very worthy
cause.

Wilson Loses To Meadow 29-21

The Wilson Mustangs played the
Meadow quintet at Tahoka Friday
night and went home with the short
end of a 29-21 score. The Mustangs
were at a disadvantage in the low
gymn, and they could never get
started to playing until about the
middle of the third quarter. The
boys did some mighty fine playing in
the last quarter but Meadow had too
much lead on them.

Wilson journeyed to Meadow Sat-
urday night and defeated Meadow in
one of the fastest games that have
been played in this district. The
score 38-22 shows that the Mustangs
gave the Meadow quintet a very de-
cisive beating. The game was a
very clean game with only a few
fouls being called. Leroy Crews was
high point man for Wilson with 15
points but he was closely followed
by Traweck with 14 points. Simpson
was high point man for Meadow.

Every substitute played a good
game.

Twenty-seven people from Wilson
went to Tahoka Sunday to the B. Y.
P. U. Zone meeting, but failed to
bring back the attendance banner as
we had been doing the past two
months. If we had brought it back
this month it would have been ours
for keeps. But O'Donnell took us on
surprise and brought 47 folks from
their little village. So we can see
we will have to get busy if we win
it three successive months.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Ledbetter of Tahoka
spent last week end in the home of
their nephew, Mr. Brady Nix.

Mrs. H. B. Crosby underwent a
minor operation in Lubbock last
week, and is now doing nicely.

Bobbie and Vernal Hughes of
Carlsbad, N. M., are visiting in
the home of their aunt, Mrs. R. C.
Forrester, this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Phillip McGahey
and little Phil visited in Wilson last
week. We are always glad to have
these good people visit in our com-
munity.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heck spent last
week end in Rannels County.
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. King attended
church services in Wilson Sunday
evening.

Rev. Partin left Monday for New
Mexico to be with relatives who are
ill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Finley motored
to Seagraves Sunday to look after
stock they have in that part of the
country.

Rev. Roth was quite ill last week
with "flu", but is much better at
this writing.

Mr. Mardis Cook of Hale Center is
visiting his brother, J. D. Cook this
week.

Mrs. Fannie Dawson, entertained
the Lumsden and Hobbs families
with a turkey dinner Sunday.

Little Miss Virginia Bea Methvin
of Tahoka, who has been visiting her
aunt, Mrs. J. D. Cook, for the past
three weeks returned to her home
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hobbs informed
us that they were expecting their
son, Bernice and wife in from Sweet-
water where they went the first of
the year to make that their home,
but decided that the Plains looked
better to them.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking
the good people of Post and Grass-
land, and everyone else who extend-
ed any help or sympathy during the
sickness and death of our darling
girl, Eula Warrick Swanger; also,
for the beautiful floral offerings.
May God's richest blessings be with
you all, is our prayer.

Weldon Swanger
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warrick
Bernice and Leonard Grebbie
J. C. Warrick
Mr. and Mrs. Swanger

Texas shipped 2,575 cars of pota-
toes in 1929 and 5,269 cars in 1930.

T-Bar

We were very much disappointed
in Brother Duncan failing to fill his
regular appointment Sunday after-
noon. But we are sure it was be-
cause he was out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Crews moved
to the place where Mr. Ingle lived
this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCarley gave
J. C. Jr., and Christine Henderson
a birthday party last Friday night.
Refreshments were served to a large
crowd.

There was a fairly large crowd
out to the musical program Monday
night. One fourth of the admission
fees will go to the school for play
ground equipment.

Miss Florence Perry won the wrist
watch in the ticket selling contest.
Miss Mildred Crews won the string
of pearls and Willard Moore won
the knife.

Miss Mildred Crews gave Miss
Phamie Weenis a farewell party last
Saturday night. Miss Weenis re-
turned home Sunday after an ex-
tended visit with relatives and
friends here.—Reporter.

Midway

The Senior boys and girls went to
Southward Friday afternoon and
played basketball. The South Ward
boys won their game, while the girls
were defeated.

There are many in our community
who are sick this week. We hope
they will soon be well.

Mabel Draper of the Wells com-
munity spent the week end with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Draper.
Mr. H. Richardson's family have
recovered from diphtheria.

The young people of this commu-
nity, met Sunday evening and had a
short Bible program.

The Parent-Teacher's Association
will have a regular meeting next
Friday night. A short program will
be given.

The McClintock family spent Sun-
day visiting relatives at Redwine.

Mrs. I. M. Draper spent Saturday
and Sunday visiting relatives in
Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pollard spent
Sunday with friends at Redwine.—
Reporter.

West Point

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Barnett, Eu-
gene Barnett and Lella Batchelor of
Lubbock spent Sunday at the J. H.
Barnett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bond visited
relatives over west of Brownfield
from Saturday until Monday.

What could have been a very se-
rious accident happened Sunday when
Mr. Henry Bulman was using a blow
torch to start his car the torch ex-
ploded and blew the oil cap off hit-
ting him in the face and cutting
some gashes. His face and one of
his eyes was also pretty badly
burned, but he is improving nicely
at this time.

Mr. Lylas Dean of our community
and Eloa Smith of East of Tahoka
were married Monday, January 26th.
They will live on the J. M. Noble
place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Yates spent
Sunday at Pride with their son, Ma-
dison Yates.

IN RE GUARDIANSHIP

In Re Guardianship of Juanelle
Windham, a minor, No. 129.
In The County Court of Lynn
County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, Lin-
nie R. Windham, guardian of the es-
tate of Juanelle Windham, a minor,
have this day filed my application in
the above entitled and numbered
cause for an order of the County
Judge of Lynn County, Texas, auth-
orizing me as the guardian of the es-
tate of said ward to make a mineral
or oil and gas lease upon such
terms as the court may order and
direct of the following described real
estate belonging to the estate of said
ward, to-wit: all that tract, piece or
parcel of land lying and being sit-
uated in the County of Bandern,
State of Texas, and known and de-
scribed as survey No. 25, Abstract
No. 2402, Cert. 1829, and containing
443 acres of land.

Said application will be heard by
No. 2402, Cert. 1824, and containing
in the city of Tahoka, Texas, on the
6th day of February, A. D. 1931.

LINNIE R. WINDHAM,
Guardian of the estate of Juanelle
Windham, a Minor.

The maintenance cost of 7,287,
904 square yards of asphalt maca-
dam in Massachusetts decreased
from two cents per square yard in
1927 to one and three-fourths cents
per square yard in 1929; and of 2,
749,951 square yards of asphaltic
concrete from one and three-tenths
cents per yard in 1927 to nine-
tenths of a cent in 1929.

TEXAS MADE COTTON GOODS FALL OFF FROM 1929 TO 1930

AUSTIN, Jan. 28.—Cotton goods
produced by Texas mills during 1930
amounted to 23 per cent less than
the 1929 production, according to the
Bureau of Business Research at the
University of Texas. Production for
1930 was 54,204,000 yards, compar-
ed to 75,465,000 yards in 1929.
"Sales of cotton goods in Texas

amounted to 48,174,000 yards, com-
pared to 60,415,000 yards in 1929,"
the Bureau's report said. "The mar-
gin of production over sales was ap-
proximately 6,000,000 yards in 1930
as compared to 15,000,000 yards in
1929.

"Unfilled orders at the close of
1930 represented 3,464,000 yards,
compared to 7,031,535 yards on the
corresponding date in 1929.

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| Libby's Crushed or Sliced No. 1 Flat, 2 for Pineapple 27c | Fancy Delicious, dozen— APPLES 24c Medium sized |
| Spanish Sweets, Pound— ONIONS 3c | American Wonder No. 2, 2 for PEAS 25c |
| Corn Silver Leaf No. 2 Can Each 10c Doz. \$1.15 | |

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| Hillsdale, No. 2 1/2 can, 2 for— Peaches 33c No. 10 Can | Libby, No. 2— SPINACH 14c QUART. SOUR PICKLES 23c Medium Can— SPAGHETTI 10c Five Pounds— Prunes 39c |
| Hershey, 1/2 lb. can— Cocoa 14c Four Lbs.— Apricots 50c | |

Meal Pillsbury Best Cream Meal 20 Pound Sack—55c

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| Pure-Ribbon Cane, No. 10 can Syrup 79c Medium can— Hominy 7c DOZEN—79c Louisiana Cane, 10 lb. Can— Syrup , 79c Rice, 5 lbs. 29c | Winner, 6 Boxes— Matches 14c LARGE PKG.— Borax 19c Big HN, High Grade, 3 lb. pkg. Coffee 49c Per Sack Bran \$1.19 |
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| 10 Lbs. POTATOES, | 19c |
| 4 Lbs. ONIONS, | 10c |
| 3 Pkgs. MACARONI | 19c |
| 10 Lbs. PINTO BEANS | 43c |
| Pink SALMON, | 11c |

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