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Schools Will Open Monday, Aug. 29

ALL TEACHERS ARE SELECTED

Czech and Spanish Teacher Elected; Completing Plans For The Opening Day

The Tahoka public schools will open on Monday, August 29, according to action taken by the school board Tuesday night. This is one or two weeks earlier in the season than usual. The early date was set for the reason that the board may feel it necessary in the Fall to dismiss school for a few weeks in order that the children may help with the harvesting of the crops.

The board also completed the faculty by electing two new members. Mrs. Lucille Bludworth of Lubbock was elected as teacher of Spanish and English, succeeding Miss Jeanette Caveness, who has resigned. Mrs. Bludworth holds an A. B. degree from the University of New Mexico situated at Albuquerque and has done graduate work in Spanish and English at the Texas Technological College. She has had six years experience as a teacher in the public schools of New Mexico and Texas.

Mr. Arthur H. Hunter of Roscoe was elected teacher of Science and coach of athletics in the high school. He holds an A. B. degree from Abilene Christian College and for the past four years has been one of the College's athletes. He comes highly recommended as a gentleman and student.

Another new member of the faculty this year is Mr. X. R. Banks of Commerce, who was elected several months ago as principal of Central Ward school and teacher of the sixth grade. Mr. Banks has an A. B. degree from the East Texas State Teachers College and has had six years experience as a teacher, all of it in East Texas.

Supt. J. B. Pace states that a pro-

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Rev. Smith Will Conduct Revivals

An interesting innovation was enjoyed at the Methodist church Sunday night when an impromptu musical program was rendered in lieu of the regular service dismissed in the absence of the pastor. Rev. Smith went Sunday afternoon to Paducah to assist Rev. R. T. Breedlove in a revival meeting, following which he will be in a series with Rev. McReynolds at Levelland prior to the local meeting, dates for which will be announced later. While Brother Smith is away the local pulpit will be capably filled perhaps with the assistant lay-leaders of the district for the morning services, and thru the co-operation of the local workers for the night sessions. The presiding elder, Dr. C. A. Bickley of Lubbock, will preside the last Sunday of Rev. Smith's absence. Watch for definite announcements.

The service Sunday night, in addition to the special hymns and orchestra numbers, with Mrs. S. E. Reid and Fred Bucy as pianist and song-leader, respectively, consisted of musical features which included: a vocal duet by Misses Jessie Henderson and Maxine Jones; a xylophone solo played by Miss Mabel Lee; a voice number by Mrs. Layne Moreland; a mixed quartet sung by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bucy, Mrs. C. O. Carmack and Dr. C. B. Townes; and a piano solo by Miss Elizabeth Wyatt.

At the morning hour "Traumerel" and "Little Romance" by Schumann was the prelude offering, followed by a vocal solo by Miss Ruth Suddarth. C. O. Carmack served aptly as the director of worship, reading from Luke's version of the Sermon on the Mount and making a splendid talk on the Christian's dependence on God. The pastor preached on the rather unusual subject of "Drowning Possibilities", using for illustration and theme the familiar story of Peter's attempt at walking on the water. Mrs. Layne Moreland sang "He Hideth My Soul" as the special musical offering.—Reporter.

Lockhart Ahead In Final Count

Final and practically complete returns from all the counties of the 30th Senatorial district give Judge G. E. Lockhart a plurality of 541 votes over his closest opponent in the first primary, Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield. Returns from Borden and Yoakum counties in this contest are not complete. Returns from all other counties are complete.

According to the Texas Election Bureau, the figures are as follows: G. E. Lockhart of Lubbock 11,401; A. P. Duggan of Littlefield 10,860; Jess Levens of Lubbock 8,870; Clyde Thomas of Big Spring 8,065; Jas. H. Goodman of Lubbock 6,721.

New Lynn Lady Died Wednesday

Mrs. Louisa Taylor, 60, sister of Prof. H. P. Caveness of this city and C. B. Caveness of the Lynn community, died at the home of the latter at an early hour Wednesday night. Death came very suddenly and unexpectedly, thought to have been the result of heart trouble.

Mrs. Taylor and husband resided with Mr. Caveness for eight years, returning to Jacksonville to reside two years ago. They returned to Mr. Caveness' home on Wednesday of last week to remain indefinitely. Mrs. Taylor had been indisposed since her arrival but she was not thought to be seriously ill. Soon after Mr. Caveness and other members of the family returned from Church Wednesday night they heard Mrs. Taylor fall, and she was virtually dead when they reached her side.

Funeral services will be held here, probably Friday afternoon, depending on the time that Prof. H. P. Caveness can reach Tahoka. He and family had gone to San Saba county to enjoy a short vacation.

Hays Moving To Lubbock County

Prof. and Mrs. B. M. Hays have removed from Taoka to Wolforth, Lubbock county. Prof. Hays will be superintendent of the school there the ensuing year and Mrs. Hays will be one of the teachers. There are to be five teachers in the school there. School work will begin next Monday.

Mr. Hays has been a wholesale oil and gasoline agent here the past year. He was formerly principal of the high school here, while Mrs. Hays taught in the grades. Their work was of a high order and they were both popular not only as teachers but as citizens of the town. Hosts of friends here regret their removal from Tahoka and hope that their absence may be only temporary.

Mr. Hays says that extensive repairs have been made on the school building at Wolforth during the past summer and the district has an excellent building. He and Mrs. Hays are looking forward to a pleasant year's work.

Men's Bible Class Hears Special Music

J. E. Thompson, president of the Men's Bible Class which meets each Sunday morning at the American Legion Home, reports that special music was rendered at the meeting last Sunday morning. Miss Lucille Slaton favoring the class with a solo with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Rubie D. Suddarth. Special music will be rendered again next Sunday.

Attendance last Sunday was below normal but was a little larger than the preceding Sunday. The expositions of the Sunday School lessons being given each Sunday by the teacher, G. E. Hogan, are matchless, and all men not attending some other Sunday School class are invited to attend this one.

Misses Elsie Wooley, Lola Belle Edwards, and Evelyn Wells spent the week end in Brownfield visiting friends.

TO SPEAK FOR GOV. STERLING

Sen. Stuart Of Fort Worth Coming Saturday; Sterling Friday In Lubbock Friday

Announcement is made that Senator R. A. Stuart of Fort Worth will speak here at 11:30 o'clock Saturday morning in behalf of Gov. Sterling as a candidate for re-election. It was first announced that Sterling was to be here himself but he was compelled to cancel the engagement on account of poisoning from food. The speaking here will be on the court house lawn. Stuart is an able and entertaining speaker.

Friday evening a Sterling rally will be held in Lubbock at 8:15 o'clock, at which Stuart and others will speak, according to Judge John L. Ratliff, chairman of the South Plains Good Government League.

Ten thousand seats will be arranged in the street just east of Hotel Lubbock and there will be room for thousands of others at the back and sides. Following the rally at Lubbock speaking engagements have been arranged by the state headquarters at Plainview at 8:30 a. m. Saturday; Tahoka, 11:30 a. m.; Lamesa, 1:30 p. m.; Sterling City and San Angelo, Ratliff has announced.

"The meeting is expected to be the largest political rally ever held on the South Plains of Texas," Ratliff said.

National Air Races Coming To Lubbock

Lubbock, Aug. 10—Sixty to seventy of the fastest airplanes made today drop down at the Lubbock Municipal Airport Tuesday, August 23, competing for honors and prizes totaling \$10,000 in the National Air Races.

Following the arrival of the race planes, three stunt flyers of national fame will thrill the crowds for an hour and a half with daring air feats never heretofore equaled in Texas.

The race planes, the western wing of the Cord Cup Race of the National Air Races, starting immediately following the cross-country races at Cleveland, Ohio, will come to Lubbock from Roswell. They will spend the night in Lubbock, jump to Abilene and Bartlesville, Okla., the next day, then rush into Cleveland.

Several thousand people from Lubbock and the Plains section are expected here for the races and air show as Lubbock and Abilene are the only cotrel points in Texas.

Total Vote Given For Representative

Official returns as given out by the county chairmen of the nine counties comprising the 119th Representative district show that in the first primary John Thomas of Tahoka had a lead of 1,182 votes over his nearest opponent, Homer Winston of Brownfield.

The official returns for the nine counties show the following: John N. Thomas of Lynn 5,554; Homer Winston of Terry 4,372; Tom Carter of Lubbock 3,851; Al Hill of Lubbock 2,675; Elmer Adams of Lubbock 1,806.

4-H Bedroom Contest Winner Gives Description Of Room Improvement

(The following story by Miss Faye Estes, 4-H Club girl of the Joe Stokes community, tells how she won first place in Lynn county and third place in this twenty-two county district in the bedroom contest.) It has been the dream of my life to fix my bedroom up comfortable to meet my needs and also be an expression of my personality.

This spring when our home demonstration agent asked for a bedroom demonstrator in the Joe Stokes Club I immediately signed up for I knew his was my chance to make my dream come true, however at the time I had no idea I would do all I have done.

My room is a northwest room with three windows—two on the north and one on the west. A door in south side of room opens into the bath room and one in east side of room opens into the living room. This made my room hard to arrange out

State Ready To Pave No. 9 If Right-Of-Way Furnished

CROPS HELPED BY RAINFALL

Not All County Covered; Showers Are Great Help To Crops In General

Local showers have been falling in various localities in Lynn county the past week. Some sections have received good rains while others have received practically none. In Tahoka, the rainfall has been as follows, as registered by the Government rain gage: Thursday night, .52 of an inch; Sunday morning, .09; Monday, .48; Wednesday morning, .25; total, 1.34 inches.

Crops generally promise to be very fine, but in some sections not visited by rain feed crops are beginning to suffer.

Strange Fowls Are Displayed By Nevels

The Tahoka Produce Company has had on exhibition this week three strange-looking fowls, their peculiar aspect being due to the fact that they are half chicken and half turkey.

There were three of these birds. They were produced on the ranch of L. B. Nevels, who resides out southwest of Plains in Yoakum county, and they were brought to Tahoka by W. D. Nevels. The mother is said to be an ordinary hen, probably a R. I. Red, while the daddy is an old turkey gobbler. They are indeed rare birds, and if we had not seen them we would have sworn that there is "no such animal".

Miss Dell Winkler Weds Plainview Man

Miss Dell Winkler and Mr. Jack Vail surprised their many friends Sunday, July 31, when they motored over to Clovis, New Mexico, and were united in marriage by Rev. Nix.

Mrs. Vail is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Winkler of the New Lynn community and is well known in and around Tahoka.

Mr. Vail is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Vail of O'Donnell but was making his home at Plainview at the time. The young couple is undecided where they will make their future home.

Their many friends of Tahoka and O'Donnell wish them much happiness and success.

Pete Ort, F. L. Willingham, and R. F. Janak returned Thursday night from a trip to Quemado, New Mexico, near which place Pete has filed on a tract of land. Pete says that is a most excellent country, corn, oats, potatoes, beans, and other cereals and vegetables being produced in abundance. Quemado is just over the Divide on the western slope of the mountains, its altitude being about 5500 feet, and the annual rainfall is more copious there than here, Pete says.

Crop Estimate Sends Price Up

A cotton crop of only 11,306,000 bales was forecast by the Department of Agriculture Monday, which was almost a million bales short of estimates made by private individuals, and immediately the price of cotton made a sensational advance. The New York and New Orleans markets went up more than \$5.00 a bale, and the day closed with the market 88 points above the figures of the day preceding.

Two reasons were assigned for the low estimate: first, the ravages of the boll weevil; and second, the scant use of fertilizer during the present year.

Darby Baptist Speaker Sunday

By a vote of the church taken some time ago, the Baptists have decided to dispense with their preaching services next Sunday morning to attend services at the Presbyterian Church. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance at Sunday School, however, and at B. Y. P. U. services in the evening.

On last Sunday, Rev. Graves Darby of Cross Plains, formerly pastor at Wilson, filled the pulpit at both the morning and evening hours, bringing two of the finest messages ever heard from this pulpit. Brother Darby's deep consecration and spirituality, his broad learning, and his fine intellect, together with his remarkable familiarity with the Scriptures, make him one of the most intensely interesting pulpit speakers in all West Texas.

On Wednesday evening of this week, the Church entered in earnest upon the task of calling a pastor. Another meeting to consider this matter will be held on Wednesday evening of next week and a full attendance of the membership is desired.

Henredson's Car Was Found Monday

Sheriff B. L. Parker and W. O. Henderson ran over into New Mexico Monday and recovered Mr. Henderson's car, which was stolen early last week.

They found the machine standing beside the highway twenty-five miles north of Tatum, where the thieves had abandoned it. The clutch had been stripped and the car put practically out of commission. Messrs. Parker and Henderson were compelled to pull it in. The damage had doubtless been done, Mr. Parker thinks, when the car became mired in deep sand.

Following the theft of this car, Mr. Parker phoned many peace officers in this section of the state and sent out cards describing the car. It was through these efforts that it was located. Mr. Parker is also very confident that the thieves will be apprehended at an early date.

Holding Revival Services At Wilson

Rev. Graves Darby, a former pastor at Wilson, is doing the preaching in a revival meeting which was begun by the Wilson Baptist Church Monday night, to continue two weeks. R. E. Key of this place is leading the song services.

Reports are that the minister is bringing some very fine messages and that interest has been excellent from the first service. Tahoka people are invited to attend the services.

Will Install New Legion Officials

At the meeting of the Marion G. Bradley Post of the American Legion to be held Thursday night of next week, the officers recently elected will be duly installed. Other matters of business will also come before the body and it is desired that a full attendance of the membership be had.

COURT OKEYS LOCAL SURVEY

Route Would Cut Off Court House Square; Money Not Available For Right-Of-Way

Preliminary surveys of highway No. 9 have been completed through Lynn county and a contract for the county to furnish a right of way 100 feet in width has been presented to the commissioners court here for its approval and signature. The matter of signing this contract is being held in suspense, however, until such time as means can be devised to raise the funds with which to purchase the right-of-way, according to county judge G. C. Grider. The county treasury is now empty and the commissioners thus far have been unable to figure out just where the money will come from to pay for this right-of-way. Judge Grider estimates the cost of the land and the necessary fencing at \$10,000.00.

The state highway commission proposes to bear all the expense of grading and drainage structures and the paving of this highway through the county from the Lubbock county line on the north to the Dawson county line at O'Donnell provided the county will furnish the right-of-way. It has also indicated that it may be ready to begin work late in the Fall provided the county is able to furnish right-of-way, complete, by that time.

The paved highway, according to present plans, will follow the existing highway throughout most of its course through this county, but all sharp turns and railway crossings are to be eliminated. It will follow main street southward into Tahoka, as the present highway does, but the state highway engineers demand that the right angle turns at the court house square in the heart of the business section be eliminated and that a right-of-way be granted by the county diagonally through the court house lawn, entering near the middle of the north line, passing within a few feet of the northwest corner of the court house and emerging near the southwest corner of the square. The pavement through the court house lawn is to be forty feet wide, and this will require the destruction of many of the fine trees now growing on this lawn and will cut off the northwest corner of the square from the remainder of it—in the opinion of many greatly marring the beauty of the lawn.

Going north from Tahoka, instead of jogging westward two miles north of town at the Lockwood place, as the existing highway does, the new

Noted Sleuth Is Tahoka Visitor

J. Frank Norfleet of Hale Center, now a member of the state ranger force, was a visitor at the sheriff's office here Monday afternoon.

Norfleet has probably made the record of all time as the nemesis of con men and crooks. Investigated out of about \$40,000 by four of them a number of years ago, he determined to run them down and bring them to justice. He not only succeeded in hounding every one of them either to prison or to his death but landed about forty others of the same type behind the bars. His book relating his experiences in chasing down these crooks was to be found on all the news stands for a year or two. He is a natural born detective, and as a member of the Texas rangers he is in his native element.

Mr. Norfleet was accompanied to Tahoka by his brother, Bob Norfleet, who is also a resident of Hale county. Asked if he was also engaged in running down criminals, the latter gentleman replied most emphatically that he was not. "I am engaged in raising the sleekest cattle, the woollest sheep, the fastest horses, and the fightingest chickens on the plains, and I have the prettiest wife and the biggest bunch of kids in all West Texas", he declared.

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WHO WILL GO TO CONGRESS?

On August 27 the people of Texas
are to decide not only who is to be
governor of Texas but also who are
to go to Washington for the next
two years as congressmen-at-large.

There are six candidates, three to
be elected.

For place No. 1 Pink Parrish of
Lubbock and George B. Terrell of
Rusk, Cherokee county, are the op-
posing candidates, one from the
plains of West Texas, the other
from the heart of the piney woods
of East Texas. In the first primary
Terrell led Parish by a vote of ap-
proximately 5 to 4. Terrell has been
commissioner of agriculture and a
member of the lower house of the
legislature. Parrish has served as
county judge of Crosby county, may-
or of the city of Lubbock, and state
senator from this district. Terrell
has always been rated as a dry but
recently announced in favor of re-
submission of the Eighteenth
Amendment and would probably fa-
vor its repeal. Parrish has long
been listed as a dry but has never
been regarded as a dry leader and
this week announced in favor of sub-
mission of the Eighteenth Amend-
ment. There is probably little choice
between the two as to Prohibition.
Parrish carried Lynn county and all
West Texas in the first primary and
will probably carry this section of
the state by a heavy majority in the
run-off.

In place No. 2, Joseph W. Bailey
Jr. and Cyclone Davis are the op-
posing candidates. Bailey resides in
Dallas, where he practices law, and
Davis resides in Sulphur Springs,
Hopkins county. Bailey is a pro-
nounced wet, opposing national pro-
hibition, as his distinguished father
did, on the grounds that it is viola-
tive of the principle of states rights
and local self-government. He is also
an ultra-conservative or reactionary
in politics. He represents in the
Democratic party what the "stand-
patters" represented in the Republi-
can party a few years ago. All this
is in line with the views of his fa-
ther, Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey,
who for years was one of the ablest
members of the United States Sen-
ate and who was a political storm
center in Texas. In the recent pri-
mary, Bailey led all his opponents,
receiving 199,131 votes against 122,
906 for Davis. Much of his strength
was due to the reputation of his
father. "Cyclone" Davis is an old
war horse in politics. Many years
ago he was one of the national lead-
ers of the Populist party. Then when
William J. Bryan rose to leadership
in the Democratic party, Davis was
one of his most devoted friends and

followers, and he stumped the nation
for Bryan, in more than one of his
campaigns for the Presidency. About
twenty years ago Davis was elected
as one of the congressman-at-large
from Texas, on the Democratic tick-
et, serving until the state was re-
districted. In politics he has always
been a progressive, even a radical,
the exact antithesis to Bailey. In
contrast to Bailey also, he has al-
ways been an ardent dry, and he
helped to banish the saloons from
many a county in Texas in "local op-
tion" days. Then he fought for state-
wide prohibition and for National
Prohibition. Although an uncompro-
mising dry, he has been a relentless
critic of the Hoover administration,
directing his shafts particularly at
Andrew Mellon. So these two men,
so unlike in every respect, are pitted
against each other in this contest for
congressman-at-large.

In place No. 3, the contestants are
Sterling P. Strong of Dallas and Joe
Burkett of San Antonio. Strong has
long been a dry leader in this state.
Like Cyclone Davis he helped to
make many a Texas county dry be-
fore state and national prohibition
came and he did his part to make
the state and the nation dry. Four
years ago he was a candidate for
lieutenant governor and received a
most flattering vote but was defeat-
ed by Edgar E. Witt. In the recent
primary he ran for ahead of all his
opponents for congressman-at-large,
his vote being 170,996 against 97,
250 for Joe Burkett. While a very
young man Joe Burkett was elected
district judge at Eastland. Later he
served as state senator and then
made a poor race for governor. He
was appointed a member of the state
highway commission by Mrs. Mi-
riam A. Ferguson, serving two
years. Later he moved to San An-
tonio, where he has been practicing
law since. In early life Burkett was
a dry but later became affiliated with
the wets and is listed as a wet in the
present campaign.

New Home

The Baptist revival meeting will
begin Friday night. Bro. Richburg
will do the preaching. Everybody is
cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Izard and fam-
ily are on their vacation to points
in New Mexico. They will visit Mrs.
Izard's brother at Gallup while gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Acie Bailey and Na-
talia returned Friday from Hot
Springs, New Mexico, where they
have spent a month's restful vaca-
tion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Ratliff and
son returned last week from a ten
days visit with relatives in Anson.

Miss Isabel Adams is home from
a visit of several days with friends
and relatives in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McCormick
parents of Mrs. Cy Hamilton, visit-
ed here last Friday.

Miss Lois Weakly of Post, who
will teach here this term, and her
sister, Miss Mae Weakly, visited in
our community Monday.

Mrs. Virgie Jone and Betty Lu
and sister, Miss Mildred Edwards of
Waco, visited in Ruidoso, New Mex-
ico, last week. Miss Mary Robinson
accompanied them.

Miss Mildred Edwards of Waco,
who has been visiting her sister,
Mrs. V. Jones, returned home Tues-
day morning.—Reporter.

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Baptist Church House

The people of the Baptist Church
of this place have money enough to
buy the lumber and build their new
church, provided they can get the
hauling done. Now then, let all
the Baptist brethren report for duty
immediately and express their loyal-
ty to their church by the amount of
lumber they will haul. We have one
church in Tahoka which is a credit
to any town, and now we want an-
other just as quickly as we can get
it.

The meeting just closed under the
able management of Brother Smith
has livened up the church and put
them to work in earnest. G. W. Reed
is chairman of the building commit-
tee, and he requests those who will
help to report to him Wednesday,
August 7.

Surveyors In Tahoka

Mr. Hans Helland, the chief engi-
neer of the Panhandle Short Line
Railroad surveying corps, and his
crew came in last Friday and
straightway made themselves at
home: * * * They have run three
lines (surveys); one from the south-
west corner of the town section, one
from the southeast corner, and an-
other about midway between, and
so far it looks as though the east
route may prove the most practical
of all. * * * Tahoka is situated 75
miles from the nearest railroad.

Lynn Items

Alec Wylie of Seldon is visiting
his uncle, H. S. Hatchett, and family.
J. A. Shaw is building a nice resi-
dence on the place he recently pur-
chased.

We had good rains the first of
the week and everything looks flourish-
ing.

J. E. Ketter started to Big Spring
the first of the week with a bunch of
fat cattle for the Ft. Worth market.
R. A. Rankin sold his home section
last week to G. W. Pillely of Haskell
City. He also sold a 320-acre tract
to C. A. Coleman of Haskell. Messrs.
Pillely and Coleman will make their
home here.

Don Hatchett and Miss Clara Mil-
liken attended church in Tahoka last
Saturday evening.

Mr. Walter May and family were
at church in Tahoka Sunday last.

The Lynn correspondent signs
himself as Ax Eye Dent.

Draw Items
Mr. Redwine is looking for 2,000
pounds of groceries in every day.
Some farmers of this place have
laid their crops by. Very little cot-
ton is expected to be made.

Prof. W. B. Bishop, who taught
the Scappere Hill school, left this
community last week, intending to
visit his brother soon.

Prof. R. A. Duckworth is having
the lumber hauled for a new house,
which he expects to build on the
school grounds.

Little Miss Mollie Fowler was
quite sick last week. It is thought
she was poisoned with water from
the well at Draw, matches having

been drawn out of the well a few
days later.

Mr. Charlie Gray received painful
injuries Sunday evening, when the
horse he was riding stepped into a
dog hole, throwing him from the
saddle and dislocating his shoulder
and inflicting other injuries. The
pony's shoulder was also thrown out
of place.

The Draw correspondent signs as
"Rosebud".

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Doak and
Mrs. Ira Doak, all of Big Spring,
have been spending the week in Ta-
hoka with friends and relatives. They
left Thursday morning for their
home accompanied by T. A. Brown,
who has been here visiting his son
Charlie for some time.

Miss Ada Carter of Belton is here
visiting her sister Mrs. C. E. Don-
aldson, west of town.

Walter Lupton bought of H. E.
Randall 15 cows at \$15.00 and 10
heifers at \$13.00 around.

B. B. Wise was the recipient of a
fine black-headed boy last Friday
night. Mr. Wise says he is the finest
boy in the county.

C. E. Brown's new automobile
came in Monday evening. It is a new
1907 Reo, 20-horse power touring
car, weighs 1830 pounds, and cost
\$1373.00 complete with top. With
this new auto Charlie will show pros-
pectors where the good land is all
right.

Mrs. C. E. Donaldson was in town
the first of the week, visiting her
friend, Mrs. Swan. Mrs. Donaldson
and both Mr. and Mrs. Swan were
friends during their childhood. Mr.
Donaldson bought the place owned
by Mr. Huckabee about two months
ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Shook of Wood-
ward, O. T., arrived Thursday to
visit their son, B. L. Shook.

Tom Higgins started up the Jolly
restaurant Wednesday morning. The
place is nicely equipped and will, we
think, give their patrons good ser-
vice.

J. S. Welcher, the Tahoka gin-
ner, tells us that there are about 1,000
acres of cotton in the county, and
with a reasonable season from now
on, the gin here is good for 600 or
700 bales this fall.

Dr. McCoy had the misfortune to
lose his mare "Prince" Tuesday night
while returning from a call. She was
dead before he got the harness re-
moved, and the supposition is that
frost bitten corn is what did the
mischief.

J. D. Donaldson of east of town
was in Sunday attending the pro-
tracted meeting.

Ira Doak, a former resident of
Tahoka, is driving the mail hack
from Big Spring to Buzard Wells.

Hall Robinson is in Big Spring un-
loading a carload of buggies for his
firm. He will attend to loading out
the bill of lumber for their new
building soon to be erected on the
east side.

Grassland

(Delayed)
Lynn and Verner Lee Crossland
and Dorothy Loveless of Slaton
spent the week end with Ray and
Erlene Norman.

The Baptist meeting at Central
began Wednesday night. Bro. Stiles,
pastor of the church, is in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham and
family, who have been visiting in
Dallas, have returned home.

The Nazarene meeting begins at
Grassland Friday night. An evange-
list from Arkansas is to conduct the
revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richey and
Miss Bulah Starks of Pleasant Val-
ley visited in this community Sun-
day.

The B. T. S. from Central went
to Cross Roads Sunday evening and
rendered a program.

The next Kid Singing Convention
will meet at Central on the fifth
Sunday in October.

The lawn party sponsored by
the League at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Bernice Cook Wednesday night
was enjoyed by a large crowd. Many
peppy games were played but the
special feature of the evening seem-
ed to be the watermelon feast.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bowen of Wa-
co is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard are the proud
parents of a baby boy born several
days ago.

Florney Tew was recently operat-
ed on for appendicitis at a Lubbock
sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Greer have
been attending at camp meeting at
Hye, Texas.

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Semi-Weekly Farm News, both pa-
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Wilson

If nothing happens to ruin the
crops of this community, Wilson
will harvest one of the best that has
ever been gathered here. Maize
heading is now in progress and we
never saw any better grain nor larg-
er heads. Cotton is fast coming to
the opening stage and in a short
time of three weeks at the outside,
there will doubtless be some picking
done. The gins are being overhauled
and will be ready to take care of
the cotton when it comes in.

The Baptist meeting is in full
swing and large crowds are hearing
Rev. Graves Darby at both morning
and evening services. You are invit-
ed to be in these services. Come and
bring your neighbor.

Rev. J. W. Partin returned home
from Loop Monday where he had
been doing the preaching in a re-
vival. He reports a fine meeting with
14 conversions and reclamations.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson and
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Scott of Lub-
bock are attending the revival this
week.

We want to call your attention to
the fact that school is to start the
22nd of this month and you are ur-
ged to have your children there on
that date.

The Methodist meeting that had
been in progress for two weeks clos-
ed Sunday night and we feel that
this meeting has been a great bless-
ing to this community and lasting
good will come of it.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Finley enter-
tained Mr. Finley's sister of Abilene
over the week end.

Johanne Mae Heck left Sunday for
Texon, where she has been employed
for several months. She had spent
her two weeks vacation in the home
of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
Heck.

New Lynn

Many are attending the meeting
which is in progress at the Baptist
Church. The meeting will continue
through this week and probably
longer. Everyone has a cordial in-
vitation to attend these splendid ser-
vices.

Mrs. Martin Stone and two daugh-
ters, Pearl and Marvella, of Lubbock
and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tombs of
Littlefield visited their mother, Mrs.
L. I. Jones and family over the
week end.

Mr. Offord Barton of San Jose,
Calif., is visiting his brother, R. W.
Barton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Stone and
family, who have resided in Missis-
sippi and at Longview for the past
seven or eight months are in our
midst again. Many friends and rela-
tives welcome them home.

The Epworth League was well at-
tended Sunday night with nearly all
members present. There was no pro-
gram rendered so all could assemble
for the song services at the Baptist
Church. We are proud of our League
which is one of the largest in the
neighborhood.—Reporter.

Draw

Draw school opened Monday. We
have a good enrollment. There are
several new pupils which we are glad
to have, most of whom are transfers
from Redwine school.

We have the same school faculty
with the exception of Mrs. Tinley,
who did not accept last year. Mr. P.
C. Williams is serving in this place.

Monday morning we had a large
number of parents present at the
opening of school. A good program
was rendered.

Regular services were held at the
Draw Methodist Church last Sunday.
Rev. Hart of O'Donnell preached for
us during the morning our. At 9:30
Sunday evening there was conducted
by Rev. Hester an old time love fest.

The Young People's Union met at
the regular hour and a good pro-
gram was rendered. Everyone on
the program was present.—Reporter.

Three Lakes

Brother J. B. Vinson and grand-
son, O. T. Vinson, of Brownfield vis-
ited Carroll Edwards Monday on
business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson and
family of O'Donnell spent Sunday
evening in J. Wright Edwards's home.

June, Gary and Gladys Gibson of
O'Donnell are spending a few days
with Ruth Edwards.

Miss Honell Jordan of Crawford,
who has been visiting her sister,
Mrs. J. A. Edwards, is now visiting
in Canyon.

There was a party at Mona Rae
Edwards Saturday night.

Elmo Halsel happened to an acci-
dent Monday while working on the
windmill he cut one of his fingers
off.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ellis left Sun-
day morning for New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Curtis and
family of O'Donnell spent Sunday
with Claude Sparks.

G. M. Duckett of Central was in
our community Friday.

Elmer Sikes of Amarillo visited
W. E. Sikes the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hamilton came
in from Gladewater Saturday to visit
relatives here—among them, Robert
Jackson, a brother, and Mrs. Evans,
a sister of Mrs. Hamilton.

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SOCIETY

Club and Church News

Nowlin Family Has Big Reunion

The home of J. K. Nowlin in the Edith community five or six miles east of Tahoka was the scene of a family reunion Sunday, the occasion being the celebration of Mrs. Nowlin's birthday, which fell on the preceding Wednesday however.

The gathering came as a complete surprise to the honoree, since she had received no previous warning from the participants in the affair. The visitors brought well-filled baskets and at the noon hour a splendid feast was enjoyed.

Those present were the aged couple, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Nowlin, Mr. and Mrs. Deen Nowlin and little daughter of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Wood of Lubbock, P. A. Nowlin and Miss Opal Cooper of Tahoka, Carl and Claude Nowlin of the home, J. D. McIntyre and Mr. and Mrs. Swanson of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McIntyre of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Carl McIntyre and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Fortenberry and children, all of Tahoka.

MILT FINCH HONORED ON 44TH BIRTHDAY

Milt Finch, the man who maintains the peace and dignity of the City hereabouts, usually known as "the law", was honored with a mys-

tery party on his 44th birthday, which important event occurred on last Saturday. The party was held at night, and the scene was Finch's Cafe, formerly known as Bart's cafe.

As each guest entered the place, a mask was placed over his face and he was given a miniature gun with which to hold up the honoree. Then they pulled some stunts at Milt's expense, engaged in some thrilling contests, and finally got down to the eats. Among these was a magnificent cake prepared for the occasion.

Happy Smith, the man who is to be known hereafter as His Honor, Judge Smith, offered a toast, the text of which is not before us, but it is said to have been very humorous.

Guests were Happy Smith, E. H. Boullioun, L. F. Craft, Pete Coleman, John Beard, W. M. Lee, B. E. Faulkner, Joe Aycox, Emmett Fleming, and Joe Bovell.

NEW LYNN CLUB VISITS MORGAN WOMEN'S CLUB

The New Lynn Club received an invitation from the Morgan Club inviting all the New Lynn Club to visit them on "Guest Day".

On Tuesday, July 12, at 2:30. The Club left home for Morgan arriving at the home of the hostess, Mrs. Thompson, were met at the door by a receiving line. There followed a most delightful hour of games and songs. After which came refreshments of sandwiches, angel food cake and lemonade.

It was with regret that all realized it was time to leave for home. Those from New Lynn Club were: Mmes. J. A. Jaynes, C. W. Krebs, Lee Fay Cox, Pete Wetsel, R. W. Barton and Miss May Levey. All reported a most enjoyable visit.

MRS. LARKIN ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB WITH PARTY

Mrs. Frank Larkin entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club Wednesday of last week. Mrs. J. B. Pace scored high during the games. A color scheme of white and yellow was carried out in the table accessories and refreshments.

The hostess served peach ice cream and yellow and white cake to the following: Mmes. J. B. Pace, C. B. Townes, Oscar Roberts, Clay McCoy, J. H. Powell, A. D. Sanders Jr., Raymond Weathers, L. C. Haney, Karr Wells, L. E. Turrentine, E. A. Houston and Julia Berry.

Misses Leta Frances and Betty Ruth Wyatt are visiting their aunt, Mrs. James G. Carr, in Albuquerque, New Mexico, this week.

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STATE READY TO PAVE NO. 9 IF RIGHT-OF-WAY GIVEN

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route will probably continue almost due northward across two sections and will then veer to the west uniting with the present highway a mile or two further on, according to Judge Grider. This will not only shorten the distance but will keep the highway on higher ground and avoid lakes. It will also be a saving to the county from the fact that the Wilson road can follow this highway two miles further and thus eliminate a portion of the expense of keeping this road in repair.

Going south out of Tahoka, the old highway will be followed to the first turn and will then pass diagonally through the Ray and Slover places to a junction with the present highway, thus shortening the distance and eliminating two right angle turns.

In order to eliminate railway crossings and avoid narrow streets through O'Donnell, the highway will miss the business section of that town entirely, going through the town on the west side of the railway. A gin at this edge of town and a cemetery at the southwest of O'Donnell in Dawson county stand in the way, however, and the highway will doubtless be compelled to swerve around these two obstacles, though we have no definite information on this point.

The highway is to pass over a new route entirely from O'Donnell to Lamesa in Dawson county, passing along the west side of the railway. The commissioners court of that county signed a contract with the state Monday, according to press reports, to furnish the right-of-way through that county from O'Donnell on the north line through Lamesa to Ackerly on the south line, a distance of 35 miles. The right-of-way through that county will entail much heavier expense than will the right-of-way through Lynn county.

Negotiations are also being made with Swisher and Howard counties for right-of-way through them, and it is expected that a contract with Swisher county will be signed at an early date. More difficulty is being encountered, it is understood, with the commissioners court in Howard county.

4-H GIRL TELLS HOW SHE WON BEDROOM CONTEST

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them up. I added window shades in the natural tan and glass curtains in natural tan with side curtains of figured material, medium tan background with pink and yellow figures in it. I also overstuffed an old Morris chair using for slip cover the material same as curtains. The chair had been discarded but if you were to see it now you would never suspicion there was ever anything wrong with it. I then gave my bed a coat of ivory to freshen it and covered it with a yellow bedspread. This was just what I needed to bring out the yellow in the apple green walls and to harmonize with my curtains. This is one time that I believe the charm of color worked for when Miss El Fieda Harrison, County Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on color in the home she said, "A feeling of friendliness and expensiveness is created by orange and yellow, so much that it is called the spending color. It loosens both the heart strings and the purse strings." After my room color scheme was worked out and was made up, Daddy loosened his purse strings and heart strings and bought for me a white pine bed table, book case, book shelves and writing desk. This when grouped together makes the study center. The next thing was a clothes closet he had made for me of panel veneering and white pine, with the shelves for my underclothes, the rod for my dresses, the shelf for my hat and the rack for my shoes. The next thing was a dresser to be purchased, but instead I took the old one we had but were not using because it was practically in pieces. Daddy fixed bottoms in the dresser drawers, took the mirror off, cleaned the varnish off, and gave the whole thing two coats of flat paint and a coat of ivory, hung the mirror and as a result I have a modern piece of furniture.

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Mrs. T. C. Boucher and children removed from Tahoka to Abilene Tuesday.

Locals

C. A. Thomas and family returned Tuesday night from a week's trip which carried them as far south as Mercedes in the lower Rio Grande valley. Messrs. C. A. and W. O. Thomas have a twenty-acre orchard of oranges, lemons, and grape fruit near Mercedes, and C. A. went down to take a look at it. He says it is very beautiful notwithstanding the fact that the late freeze this year destroyed a part of the fruit and there will not be a full crop. Cotton in that portion of South Texas through which they passed was not very promising, Mr. Thomas says.

R. A. Hoover is preparing to leave Sunday morning for Abilene, where the managers of the various Jones stores will gather and will proceed from that place to market. Mr. Hoover says that Mr. Jones and his representatives in this section have confidence in the future and believe that business will be good this Fall. They are therefore planning to buy large stocks of goods.

J. G. Pfcie, who lives at the southwestern outskirts of Tahoka, reports that on Tuesday of this week he found a bloom in cotton that he planted on June 24, which was three days less than seven weeks from the day he planted it. He destroyed his first planting and he was compelled to replant his entire crop.

The News has received a communication from Olin Culberson, candidate for railway commissioner in the recent primary, thanking the voters for their support and announcing that he will be a candidate two years from now. Culberson was reared in Hill county but now resides in Jackson county.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Sherrod left Wednesday to spend a few days visiting relatives at Whitney, Hill county. Rumors emanating from the vicinity of the Connolly Motor Company are to the effect that G. B. expected to bring back a load of canned goods, the gift of kind hearted kin-folks.

O. B. West came in Thursday from Colorado Springs, Colo., where he and family have been spending the summer. His son, B. B. West, left Tahoka for that place Friday to remain during his father's absence, which will possibly cover a period of two weeks.

Mrs. S. R. Cade of San Angelo came Sunday to spend a week or ten days here with her son, Aubra M. Cade. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Russell of Arden near San Angelo were visitors in the Cade home here last week, Mrs. Russell being a sister of Mr. Cade.

J. E. Thompson and family made a trip to Big Spring, Midland, and Stanton last week. They were accompanied by Miss Dottie Turrentine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCall of Kansas City are visiting Mrs. McCall's mother, Mrs. E. R. Munn. They expect to be here for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jones and children, accompanied by Miss Ruth Shaffer, visited relatives in Littlefield Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Larkin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burleson, Will Hale, and Mrs. Julia Berry returned Tuesday from a visit to El Paso, Juarez, Mexico, Carlsbad Cavern, and intermediate points. They explored the Cavern and enjoyed its wonders.

Mrs. T. H. Speight and son Jack returned Friday from a visit of a few days with Bill Speight at Las Vegas, New Mexico. He returned home with them for a visit of a couple of days here.

Frank Crim of Huntsville, Ala., spent last week here visiting relatives. He is a nephew of Mrs. R. B. McCord. He left Monday morning for Los Angeles, California, to visit other relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Holloway and daughter, Mrs. Faye Ruth Williams, left Friday for Falfurrias in the Lower Rio Grande Valley to spend a month with Mrs. Holloway's son who resides there.

J. H. Colleenback has been quite seriously sick this week but his condition is said to be improving.

Miss Viola Ellis left Saturday to spend two or three weeks visiting her parents at Christoval.

Mrs. A. M. Cade and children are visiting her parents at Friona in Palmer county this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Kemp were here from Post Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Kemp.

Judge and Mrs. G. H. Nelson and children are visiting relatives in East Texas.

TAHOKA SCHOOLS WILL OPEN MONDAY, AUG. 29

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gram is being arranged for the opening day, announcement of which will appear next week. It is hoped and expected that school will open with a large attendance. The total enrollment last year, Mr. Pace states, was 562, not including the school for colored children, in which there was an enrollment of 16. The scholastic census this year shows that there are 654 scholastics in the district as compared with 669 last year.

The complete faculty for the ensuing year is announced as follows: J. B. Pace Jr., Superintendent. High School: M. J. Weaver principal and teacher of mathematics;

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Mrs. Lenora M. Tunnell, history and English; Mrs. Lucille Bludworth, Spanish, English, and composition; Arthur H. Hunter, science and coach of athletics; Miss Floy Anglin, home economics; Miss Hazel Connolly, seventh grade.

Central Ward: X. R. Banks, principal and sixth grade; Miss Ruth Childs, fifth grade; Mrs. James Clinton, fourth grade; Mrs. D. V. Smith, third grade; Mrs. W. O. Henderson, second grade; Mrs. A. B. Swan, primary; Mrs. L. F. Craft, primary.

South Ward: Alex Taylor, principal and teacher; Mrs. Alex Taylor, supply teacher.

Colored School: Charles Deo, teacher.

Mrs. J. K. Applewhite, music teacher; Miss O'Berger Forrester, expression teacher.

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Schools Will Open Monday, Aug. 29

ALL TEACHERS ARE SELECTED

Coach And Spanish Teacher Elected; Completing Plans For The Opening Day

The Tahoka public schools will open on Monday, August 29, according to action taken by the school board Tuesday night. This is one or two weeks earlier in the season than usual. The early date was set for the reason that the board may feel it necessary in the Fall to dismiss school for a few weeks in order that the children may help with the harvesting of the crops.

The board also completed the faculty by electing two new members. Mrs. Lucille Bludworth of Lubbock was elected as teacher of Spanish and English, succeeding Miss Jeanette Caviness, who has resigned. Mrs. Bludworth holds an A. B. degree from the University of New Mexico situated at Albuquerque and has done graduate work in Spanish and English at the Texas Technological College. She has had six years experience as a teacher in the public schools of New Mexico and Texas.

Mr. Arthur H. Hunter of Roscoe was elected teacher of Science and coach of athletics in the high school. He holds an A. B. degree from Abilene Christian College and for the past four years has been one of the College's athletes. He comes highly recommended as a gentleman and student.

Another new member of the faculty this year is Mr. X. R. Banks of Commerce, who was elected several months ago as principal of Central Ward school and teacher of the sixth grade. Mr. Banks has an A. B. degree from the East Texas State Teachers College and has had six years experience as a teacher, all of it in East Texas.

Sept. J. B. Pace states that a pro-

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Rev. Smith Will Conduct Revivals

An interesting innovation was enjoyed at the Methodist church Sunday night when an impromptu musical program was rendered in lieu of the regular service dismissed in the absence of the pastor. Rev. Smith went Sunday afternoon to Paducah to assist Rev. T. T. Breedlove in a revival meeting, following which he will be in a series with Rev. Reynolds at Levelland prior to the local meeting, dates for which will be announced later. While Brother Smith is away the local pulpit will be capably filled perhaps with the assistant lay-leaders of the district for the morning services, and thru the co-operation of the local workers for the night sessions. The presiding elder, Dr. C. A. Bickley of Lubbock, will preside the last Sunday of Rev. Smith's absence. Watch for definite announcements.

The service Sunday night, in addition to the special hymns and orchestra numbers, with Mrs. S. E. Reid and Fred Bucy as pianist and song-leader, respectively, consisted of musical features which included: a vocal duet by Misses Jessie Henderson and Maxine Jones; a xylophone solo played by Miss Mabel Lee; a voice number by Mrs. Layne Moreland; a mixed quartet sung by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bucy, Mrs. C. O. Carmack and Dr. C. B. Townes; and a piano solo by Miss Elizabeth Wyatt.

At the morning hour "Traumeri" and "Little Romance" by Schumann was the prelude offering, followed by a vocal solo by Miss Ruth Suddarth. C. O. Carmack served aptly as the director of worship, reading from Luke's version of the Sermon on the Mount and making a splendid talk on the Christian's dependence on God. The pastor preached on the rather unusual subject of "Drowning Possibilities", using for illustration and theme the familiar story of Peter's attempt at walking on the water. Mrs. Layne Moreland sang "He Hideth My Soul" as the special musical offering.—Reporter.

Lockhart Ahead In Final Count

Final and practically complete returns from all the counties of the 30th Senatorial district give Judge G. E. Lockhart a plurality of 541 votes over his closest opponent in the first primary, Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield. Returns from Borden and Yoakum counties in this contest are not complete. Returns from all other counties are complete.

According to the Texas Election Bureau, the figures are as follows: G. E. Lockhart of Lubbock 11,401; A. P. Duggan of Littlefield 10,860; Jess Levens of Lubbock 8,870; Clyde Thomas of Big Spring 8,065; Jas. H. Goodman of Lubbock 6,721.

New Lynn Lady Died Wednesday

Mrs. Louisa Taylor, 60, sister of Prof. H. P. Caviness of this city and C. B. Caviness of the Lynn community, died at the home of the latter at an early hour Wednesday night. Death came very suddenly and unexpectedly, thought to have been the result of heart trouble.

Mrs. Taylor and husband resided with Mr. Caviness for eight years, returning to Jacksonville to reside two years ago. They returned to Mr. Caviness' home on Wednesday of last week to remain indefinitely. Mrs. Taylor had been indisposed since her arrival but she was not thought to be seriously ill. Soon after Mr. Caviness and other members of the family returned from Church Wednesday night they heard Mrs. Taylor fall, and she was virtually dead when they reached her side.

Funeral services will be held here, probably Friday afternoon, depending on the time that Prof. H. P. Caviness can reach Tahoka. He and family had gone to San Saba county to enjoy a short vacation.

Hays Moving To Lubbock County

Prof. and Mrs. B. M. Hays have removed from Taoka to Wolfforth, Lubbock county. Prof. Hays will be superintendent of the school there the ensuing year and Mrs. Hays will be one of the teachers. There are to be five teachers in the school there. School work will begin next Monday.

Mr. Hays has been a wholesale oil and gasoline agent here the past year. He was formerly principal of the high school here, while Mrs. Hays taught in the grades. Their work was of a high order and they were both popular not only as teachers but as citizens of the town. Hosts of friends here regret their removal from Tahoka and hope that their absence may be only temporary.

Mr. Hays says that extensive repairs have been made on the school building at Wolfforth during the past summer and the district has an excellent building. He and Mrs. Hays are looking forward to a pleasant year's work.

Men's Bible Class Hears Special Music

J. E. Thompson, president of the Men's Bible Class which meets each Sunday morning at the American Legion Home, reports that special music was rendered at the meeting last Sunday morning. Miss Lucille Slaton favoring the class with a solo with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Robie D. Suddarth. Special music will be rendered again next Sunday.

Attendance last Sunday was below normal but was a little larger than the preceding Sunday. The expositions of the Sunday School lessons being given each Sunday by the teacher, G. E. Hogan, are matchless, and all men not attending some other Sunday School class are invited to attend this one.

Misses Elsie Wootley, Lola Belle Edwards, and Evelyn Wells spent the week end in Brownfield visiting friends.

TO SPEAK FOR GOV. STERLING

Sen. Stuart Of Fort Worth Coming Saturday; Sterling Rally In Lubbock Friday

Announcement is made that Senator R. A. Stuart of Fort Worth will speak here at 11:30 o'clock Saturday morning in behalf of Gov. Sterling as a candidate for re-election. It was first announced that Sterling was to be here himself but he was compelled to cancel the engagement on account of poisoning from food. The speaking here will be on the court house lawn. Stuart is an able and entertaining speaker.

Friday evening a Sterling rally will be held in Lubbock at 8:15 o'clock, at which Stuart and others will speak, according to Judge John L. Ratliff, chairman of the South Plains Good Government League.

Ten thousand seats will be arranged in the street just east of Hotel Lubbock and there will be room for thousands of others at the back and sides. Following the rally at Lubbock speaking engagements have been arranged by the state headquarters at Plainview at 8:30 a. m. Saturday; Tahoka, 11:30 a. m.; Lamesa, 1:30 p. m.; Sterling City and San Angelo, Ratliff has announced.

"The meeting is expected to be the largest political rally ever held on the South Plains of Texas," Ratliff said.

National Air Races Coming To Lubbock

Lubbock, Aug. 10—Sixty to seventy of the fastest airplanes made today drop down at the Lubbock Municipal Airport Tuesday, August 23, competing for honors and prizes totaling \$10,000 in the National Air Races.

Following the arrival of the race planes, three stunt flyers of national fame will thrill the crowds for an hour and a half with daring air feats never heretofore equaled in Texas.

The race planes, the western wing of the Cord Cup Race of the National Air Races, starting immediately following the cross-country races at Cleveland, Ohio, will come to Lubbock from Roswell. They will spend the night in Lubbock, jump to Abilene and Bartlesville, Okla., the next day, then rush into Cleveland.

Several thousand people from Lubbock and the Plains section are expected here for the races and air show as Lubbock and Abilene are the only control points in Texas.

Total Vote Given For Representative

Official returns as given out by the county chairmen of the nine counties comprising the 119th Representative district show that in the first primary John Thomas of Tahoka had a lead of 1,182 votes over his nearest opponent, Homer Winston of Brownfield.

The official returns for the nine counties show the following: John N. Thomas of Lynn 5,554; Homer Winston of Terry 4,372; Tom Carter of Lubbock 3,851; Al Hill of Lubbock 2,675; Elmer Adams of Lubbock 1,806.

4-H Bedroom Contest Winner Gives Description Of Room Improvement

(The following story by Miss Faye Estes, 4-H Club girl of the Joe Stokes community, tells how she won first place in Lynn county and third place in this twenty-two county district in the bedroom contest.)

It has been the dream of my life to fix my bedroom up comfortable to meet my needs and also be an expression of my personality.

This spring when our home demonstration agent asked for a bedroom demonstrator in the Joe Stokes Club I immediately signed up for I knew this was my chance to make my dream come true, however at the time I had no idea I would do all I have done.

My room is a northwest room with three windows—two on the north and one on the west. A door in south side of room opens into the bath room; and one in east side of room opens into the living room. This made my room hard to arrange but

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CROPS HELPED BY RAINFALL

Not All County Covered; Showers Are Great Help To Crops In General

Local showers have been falling in various localities in Lynn county the past week. Some sections have received good rains while others have received practically none. In Tahoka, the rainfall has been as follows, as registered by the Government rain gage: Thursday night, .52 of an inch; Sunday morning, .09; Monday, .48; Wednesday morning, .25; total, 1.34 inches.

Crops generally promise to be very fine, but in some sections not visited by rain feed crops are beginning to suffer.

Strange Fowls Are Displayed By Nevels

The Tahoka Produce Company has had on exhibition this week three strange-looking fowls, their peculiar aspect being due to the fact that they are half chicken and half turkey.

There were three of these birds. They were produced on the ranch of L. B. Nevels, who resides out southwest of Plains in Yoakum county, and they were brought to Tahoka by W. D. Nevels. The mother is said to be an ordinary hen, probably a R. I. Red, while the daddy is an old turkey gobbler. They are indeed rare birds, and if we had not seen them we would have sworn that there is "no such animal".

Miss Dell Winkler Weds Plainview Man

Miss Dell Winkler and Mr. Jack Vail surprised their many friends Sunday, July 31, when they motored over to Clovis, New Mexico, and were united in marriage by Rev. Nix.

Mrs. Vail is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Winkler of the New Lynn community and is well known in and around Tahoka.

Mr. Vail is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Vail of O'Donnell but was making his home at Plainview at the time. The young couple is undecided where they will make their future home.

Their many friends of Tahoka and O'Donnell wish them much happiness and success.

Pete Ort, F. L. Willingham, and R. F. Janak returned Thursday night from a trip to Quemado, New Mexico, near which place Pete has filed on a tract of land. Pete says that is a most excellent country, corn, oats, potatoes, beans, and other cereals and vegetables being produced in abundance. Quemado is just over the Divide on the western slope of the mountains, its altitude being about 5500 feet, and the annual rainfall is more copious there than here, Pete says.

Crop Estimate Sends Price Up

A cotton crop of only 11,306,000 bales was forecast by the Department of Agriculture Monday, which was almost a million bales short of estimates made by private individuals, and immediately the price of cotton made a sensational advance. The New York and New Orleans markets went up more than \$5.00 a bale, and the day closed with the market 88 points above the figures of the day preceding.

Two reasons were assigned for the low estimate: first, the ravages of the boll weevil; and second, the scant use of fertilizer during the present year.

Darby Baptist Speaker Sunday

By a vote of the church taken some time ago, the Baptists have decided to dispense with their preaching services next Sunday morning to attend services at the Presbyterian Church. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance at Sunday School, however, and at B. Y. P. U. services in the evening.

On last Sunday, Rev. Graves Darby of Cross Plains, formerly pastor at Wilson, filled the pulpit at both the morning and evening hours, bringing two of the finest messages ever heard from this pulpit. Brother Darby's deep consecration and spirituality, his broad learning, and his fine intellect, together with his remarkable familiarity with the Scriptures, make him one of the most intensely interesting pulpit speakers in all West Texas.

On Wednesday evening of this week, the Church entered in earnest upon the task of calling a pastor. Another meeting to consider this matter will be held on Wednesday evening of next week and a full attendance of the membership is desired.

Henredson's Car Was Found Monday

Sheriff E. L. Parker and W. O. Henderson ran over into New Mexico Monday and recovered Mr. Henderson's car, which was stolen early last week.

They found the machine standing beside the highway twenty-five miles north of Tatum, where the thieves had abandoned it. The clutch had been stripped and the car put practically out of commission. Messrs. Parker and Henderson were compelled to pull it in. The damage had doubtless been done, Mr. Parker thinks, when the car became mired in deep sand.

Following the theft of this car, Mr. Parker phoned many peace officers in this section of the state and sent out cards describing the car. It was through these efforts that it was located. Mr. Parker is also very confident that the thieves will be apprehended at an early date.

Holding Revival Services At Wilson

Rev. Graves Darby, a former pastor at Wilson, is doing the preaching in a revival meeting which was begun by the Wilson Baptist Church Monday night, to continue two weeks. R. E. Key of this place is leading the song services.

Reports are that the minister is bringing some very fine messages and that interest has been excellent from the first service. Tahoka people are invited to attend the services.

Will Install New Legion Officials

At the meeting of the Marion G. Bradley Post of the American Legion to be held Thursday night of next week, the officers recently elected will be duly installed. Other matters of business will also come before the body and it is desired that a full attendance of the membership be had.

COURT OKEYS LOCAL SURVEY

Route Would Cut Off Court House Square; Money Not Available For Right-Of-Way

Preliminary surveys of highway No. 9 have been completed through Lynn county and a contract for the county to furnish a right of way 100 feet in width has been presented to the commissioners court here for its approval and signature. The matter of signing this contract is being held in suspense, however, until such time as means can be devised to raise the funds with which to purchase the right-of-way, according to county judge G. C. Grider. The county treasury is now empty and the commissioners thus far have been unable to figure out just where the money will come from to pay for this right-of-way. Judge Grider estimates the cost of the land and the necessary fencing at \$10,000.00.

The state highway commission proposes to bear all the expense of grading and drainage structures and the paving of this highway through the county from the Lubbock county line on the north to the Dawson county line at O'Donnell provided the county will furnish the right-of-way. It has also indicated that it may be ready to begin work late in the Fall provided the county is able to furnish right-of-way, complete, by that time.

The paved highway, according to present plans, will follow the existing highway throughout most of its course through this county, but all sharp turns and railway crossings are to be eliminated. It will follow main street southward into Tahoka, as the present highway does, but the state highway engineers demand that the right angle turns at the court house square in the heart of the business section be eliminated and that a right-of-way be granted by the county diagonally through the court house lawn, entering near the middle of the north line, passing within a few feet of the northwest corner of the court house and emerging near the southwest corner of the square. The pavement through the court house lawn is to be forty feet wide, and this will require the destruction of many of the fine trees now growing on this lawn and will cut off the northwest corner of the square from the remainder of it—in the opinion of many greatly marring the beauty of the lawn.

Going north from Tahoka, instead of jogging westward two miles north of town at the Lockwood place, as the existing highway does, the new

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Noted Sleuth Is Tahoka Visitor

J. Frank Norfleet of Hale Center, now a member of the state ranger force, was a visitor at the sheriff's office here Monday afternoon.

Norfleet has probably made the record of all time as the nemesis of con men and crooks. Inveigled out of about \$40,000 by four of them a number of years ago, he determined to run them down and bring them to justice. He not only succeeded in bounding every one of them either to prison or to his death but landed about forty others of the same type behind the bars. His book relating his experiences in chasing down these crooks was to be found on all the news stands for a year or two. He is a natural born detective, and as a member of the Texas rangers he is in his native element.

Mr. Norfleet was accompanied to Tahoka by his brother, Bob Norfleet, who is also a resident of Hale county. Asked if he was also engaged in running down criminals, the latter gentleman replied most emphatically that he was not. "I am engaged in raising the sleekest cattle, the wooliest sheep, the fastest horses, and the fightingest chickens on the plains, and I have the prettiest wife and the biggest bunch of kids in all West Texas," he declared.

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WHO WILL GO TO CONGRESS?

On August 27 the people of Texas
are to decide not only who is to be
governor of Texas but also who are
to go to Washington for the next
two years as congressmen-at-large.

There are six candidates, three to
be elected.

For place No. 1 Pink Parrish of
Lubbock and George B. Terrell of
Rusk, Cherokee county, are the op-
posing candidates, one from the
plains of West Texas, the other
from the heart of the piney woods
of East Texas. In the first primary
Terrell led Parrish by a vote of ap-
proximately 5 to 4. Terrell has been
commissioner of agriculture and a
member of the lower house of the
legislature. Parrish has served as
county judge of Crosby county, may-
or of the city of Lubbock, and state
senator from this district. Terrell
has always been rated as a dry but
recently announced in favor of re-
submission of the Eighteenth Amend-
ment. There is probably little choice
between the two as to Prohibition.
Parrish carried Lynn county and all
West Texas in the first primary and
will probably carry this section of
the state by a heavy majority in
the run-off.

In place No. 2, Joseph W. Bailey
Jr. and Cyclone Davis are the op-
posing candidates. Bailey resides in
Dallas, where he practices law, and
Davis resides in Sulphur Springs,
Hopkins county. Bailey is a pro-
nounced wet, opposing national pro-
hibition, as his distinguished father
did, on the grounds that it is viola-
tive of the principle of states rights
and local self-government. He is also
an ultra-conservative or reactionary
in politics. He represents in the
Democratic party what the "stand-
patters" represented in the Republi-
can party a few years ago. All this
is in line with the views of his father,
Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey, who
for years was one of the ablest
members of the United States Sen-
ate and who was a political storm
center in Texas. In the recent pri-
mary, Bailey led all his opponents,
receiving 199,131 votes against 122-
905 for Davis. Much of his strength
was due to the reputation of his
father. "Cyclone" Davis is an old
war horse in politics. Many years
ago he was one of the national lead-
ers of the Populist party. Then when
William J. Bryan rose to leadership
in the Democratic party, Davis was
one of his most devoted friends and

followers, and he stamped the nation
for Bryan in more than one of his
campaigns for the Presidency. About
twenty years ago Davis was elected
as one of the congressman-at-large
from Texas, on the Democratic tick-
et, serving until the state was re-
stricted. In politics he has always
been a progressive, even a radical,
the exact antithesis to Bailey. In
contrast to Bailey also, he has al-
ways been an ardent dry, and he
helped to banish the saloons from
many a county in Texas in "local op-
tion" days. Then he fought for state-
wide prohibition and for National
Prohibition. Although an uncompro-
mising dry, he has been a relentless
critic of the Hoover administration,
directing his shafts particularly at
Andrew Mellon. So these two men,
so unlike in every respect, are pitted
against each other in this contest for
congressman-at-large.

In place No. 3, the contestants are
Sterling P. Strong of Dallas and Joe
Burkett of San Antonio. Strong has
long been a dry leader in this state.
Like Cyclone Davis he helped to
make many a Texas county dry be-
fore state and national prohibition
came and he did his part to make
the state and the nation dry. Four
years ago he was a candidate for
lieutenant governor and received a
most flattering vote but was defeat-
ed by Edgar E. Witt. In the recent
primary he ran for ahead of all his
opponents for congressman-at-large,
his vote being 170,996 against 97-
250 for Joe Burkett. While a very
young man Joe Burkett was elected
district judge at Eastland. Later he
served as state senator and then
made a poor race for governor. He
was appointed a member of the state
highway commission by Mrs. Mir-
iam A. Ferguson, serving two
years. Later he moved to San An-
tonio, where he has been practicing
law since. In early life Burkett was
a dry but later became affiliated with
the wets and is listed as a wet in
the present campaign.

New Home

The Baptist revival meeting will
begin Friday night. Bro. Richburg
will do the preaching. Everybody is
cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Izard and fam-
ily are on their vacation to points
in New Mexico. They will visit Mrs.
Izard's brother at Gallup while gone.
Mr. and Mrs. Acie Bailey and Na-
talia returned Friday from Hot
Springs, New Mexico, where they
have spent a month's restful vaca-
tion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Ratliff and
son returned last week from a ten
days visit with relatives in Anson.
Miss Isabel Adams is home from a
visit of several days with friends
and relatives in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McCormick
parents of Mrs. Cy Hamilton, visit-
ed here last Friday.

Miss Lois Weakly of Post, who
will teach here this term, and her
sister, Miss Mae Weakly, visited in
our community Monday.

Mrs. Virgie Jones and Betty Lu
and sister, Miss Mildred Edwards of
Waco, visited in Ruidoso, New Mex-
ico, last week. Miss Mary Robinson
accompanied them.

Miss Mildred Edwards of Waco,
who has been visiting her sister,
Mrs. V. Jones, returned home Tues-
day morning.—Reporter.

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Baptist Church House
The people of the Baptist Church
of this place have money enough to
buy the lumber and build their new
church, provided they can get the
hauling donated. Now then, let all
the Baptist brethren report for duty
immediately and express their loyal-
ty to their church by the amount of
lumber they will haul. We have one
church in Tahoka which is a credit
to any town, and now we want an-
other just as quickly as we can get
it.

The meeting just closed under the
able management of Brother Smith
has lived up to the church and put
them to work in earnest. G. W. Reed
is chairman of the building commit-
tee, and he requests those who will
help to report to him Wednesday,
August 7.

Surveyors in Tahoka
Mr. Hans Helland, the chief engi-
neer of the Panhandle Short Line
Railroad surveying corps, and his
crew came in last Friday and
straightway made themselves at
home. * * * They have run three
lines (surveys); one from the south-
west corner of the town section, one
from the southeast corner, and an-
other about midway between, and
so far it looks as though the east
route may prove the most practical
of all. * * * Tahoka is situated 75
miles from the nearest railroad.

Lynn Items
Alec Wylie of Seldon is visiting
his uncle, H. S. Hatchett, and family.
J. A. Shaw is building a nice resi-
dence on the place he recently pur-
chased.

We had good rains the first of
the week and everything looks flourish-
ing.

J. E. Ketner started to Big Spring
the first of the week with a bunch of
fat cattle for the Ft. Worth market.

R. A. Rankin sold his home section
last week to G. W. Pilley of Haskell
City. He also sold a 320-acre tract to
C. A. Coleman of Haskell. Messrs.
Pilley and Coleman will make their
home here.

Don Hatchett and Miss Clara Mil-
liken attended church in Tahoka last
Saturday evening.

Mr. Walter May and family were
at church in Tahoka Sunday last.

The Lynn correspondent signs
himself as Ax Eye Dent.

Draw Items
Mr. Redwine is looking for 2,000
pounds of groceries in every day.

Some farmers of this place have
laid their crops by. Very little cot-
ton is expected to be made.

Prof. W. B. Bishop, who taught
the Scrapper Hill school, left this
community last week, intending to
visit his brother soon.

Prof. R. A. Duckworth is having
the lumber hauled for a new house,
which he expects to build on the
school grounds.

Little Miss Mollie Fowler was
quite sick last week. It is thought
she was poisoned with water from
the well at Draw, matches having

been drawn out of the well a few
days later.

Mr. Charlie Gray received painful
injuries Sunday evening, when the
horse he was riding stepped into a
dog hole, throwing him from the
saddle and dislocating his shoulder
and inflicting other injuries. The
pony's shoulder was also thrown out
of place.

The Draw correspondent signs as
"Rosebud".

Locals and Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Doak and
Mrs. Ira Doak, all of Big Spring,
have been spending the week in Ta-
hoka with friends and relatives. They
left Thursday morning for their
home accompanied by T. A. Brown,
who has been here visiting his son
Charlie for some time.

Miss Ada Carter of Belton is here
visiting her sister Mrs. C. E. Don-
aldson, west of town.

Walter Lupton bought of H. E.
Randall 15 cows at \$15.00 and 10
heifers at \$13.00 around.

B. B. Wise was the recipient of a
fine black-headed boy last Friday
night. Mr. Wise says he is the finest
boy in the county.

C. E. Brown's new automobile
came in Monday evening. It is a new
1907 Reo, 20-horse power touring
car, weighs 1830 pounds, and cost
\$1373.00 complete with top.

With this new auto Charlie will show
prospects where the good land is all
right.

Mrs. C. E. Donaldson was in town
the first of the week, visiting her
friend, Mrs. Swan. Mrs. Donaldson
and both Mr. and Mrs. Swan were
friends during their childhood. Mr.
Donaldson bought the place owned
by Mr. Hucklebee about two months
ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Shook of Wood-
ward, O. T., arrived Thursday to
visit their son, B. L. Shook.

Tom Higgins started up the Jolly
restaurant Wednesday morning. The
place is nicely equipped and will, we
think, give their patrons good ser-
vice.

J. S. Welcher, the Tahoka ginner,
tells us that there are about 1,000
acres of cotton in the county, and
with a reasonable season from now
on, the gin here is good for 600 or
700 bales this fall.

Dr. McCoy had the misfortune to
lose his mare "Prince" Tuesday night
while returning from a call. She was
dead before he got the harness re-
moved, and the supposition is that
frost bitten corn is what did the
mischief.

J. D. Donaldson of east of town
was in Sunday attending the pro-
tracted meeting.

Ira Doak, a former resident of
Tahoka, is driving the mail hack
from Big Spring to Buzzard Wells.

Hall Robinson is in Big Spring un-
loading a carload of buggies for his
firm. He will attend to loading out
the bill of lumber for their new
building soon to be erected on the
east side.

Grassland

(Delayed)
Lynn and Verner Lee Crossland
and Dorothy Loveless of Slaton
spent the week end with Ray and
Erlene Norman.

The Baptist meeting at Central
began Wednesday night. Bro. Stiles,
pastor of Slaton, is in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham and
family, who have been visiting in
Dallas, have returned home.

The Nazarene meeting begins at
Grassland Friday night. An evan-
gelist from Arkansas is to conduct the
revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richey and
Miss Bulah Starks of Pleasant Val-
ley visited in this community Sun-
day.

The B. T. S. from Central went
to Cross Roads Sunday evening and
rendered a program.

The next Kid Singing Convention
will meet at Central on the fifth
Sunday in October.

The lawn party sponsored by
the League at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Bernice Cook Wednesday night
was enjoyed by a large crowd. Many
peppy games were played but the
special feature of the evening seem-
ed to be the watermelon feast.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bowen of Wa-
co is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard are the proud
parents of a baby boy born several
days ago.

Florney Tew was recently operat-
ed on for appendicitis at a Lubbock
sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Greer have
been attending at camp meeting at
Hye, Texas.

Wilson

If nothing happens to ruin the
crops of this community, Wilson
will harvest one of the best that has
ever been gathered here. Maize
heading is now in progress and we
never saw any better grain nor larger
heads. Cotton is fast coming to
the opening stage and in a short
time of three weeks at the outside,
there will doubtless be some picking
done. The gins are being overhauled
and will be ready to take care of
the cotton when it comes in.

The Baptist meeting is in full
swing and large crowds are hearing
Rev. Graves Darby at both morning
and evening services. You are invit-
ed to be in these services. Come and
bring your neighbor.

Rev. J. W. Partin returned home
from Loop Monday where he had
been doing the preaching in a rev-
ival. He reports a fine meeting with
14 conversions and reclamations.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson and
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Scott of Lub-
bock are attending the revival this
week.

We want to call your attention to
the fact that school is to start the
22nd of this month and you are urg-
ed to have your children there on
that date.

The Methodist meeting that had
been in progress for two weeks clos-
ed Sunday night and we feel that
this meeting has been a great bless-
ing to this community and lasting
good will come of it.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Finley enter-
tained Mr. Finley's sister of Abilene
over the week end.

Johnnie Mae Heck left Sunday for
Texon, where she has been employed
for several months. She had spent
her two weeks vacation in the home
of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
Heck.

New Lynn

Many are attending the meeting
which is in progress at the Baptist
Church. The meeting will continue
through this week and probably
longer. Everyone has a cordial in-
vitation to attend these splendid ser-
vices.

Mrs. Martin Stone and two daugh-
ters, Pearl and Marvella, of Lubbock
and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tombs of
Littlefield visited their mother, Mrs.
L. I. Jones and family over the
week end.

Mr. Offord Barton of San Jose,
Calif., is visiting his brother, R. W.
Barton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Stone and
family, who have resided in Missis-
sippi and at Longview for the past
seven or eight months are in our
midst again. Many friends and rela-
tives welcome them home.

The Epworth League was well at-
tended Sunday night with nearly all
members present. There was no pro-
gram rendered so all could assemble
for the song services at the Baptist
Church. We are proud of our League
which is one of the largest in the
neighborhood.—Reporter.

Draw

Draw school opened Monday. We
have a good enrollment. There are
several new pupils which we are glad
to have, most of whom are transfers
from Redwine school.

We have the same school faculty
with the exception of Mrs. Tinley,
who did not accept last year. Mr. P.
C. Williams is serving in this place.
Monday morning we had a large
number of parents present at the
opening of school. A good program
was rendered.

Regular services were held at the
Draw Methodist Church last Sunday.
Rev. Hart of O'Donnell preached for
us during the morning our. At 9:30
Sunday evening there was conducted
by Rev. Hester an old time love fest.

The Young People's Union met at
the regular hour and a good pro-
gram was rendered. Everyone on
the program was present.—Reporter.

Three Lakes

Brother J. B. Vinson and grand-
son, O. T. Vinson, of Brownfield vis-
ited Carroll Edwards Monday on
business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson and
family of O'Donnell spent Sunday
evening in J. Wright Edward's home.

June, Gary and Gladys Gibson of
O'Donnell are spending a few days
with Ruth Edwards.

Miss Hunell Jordan of Crawford,
who has been visiting her sister,
Mrs. J. A. Edwards, is now visiting
in Canyon.

There was a party at Mona Rae
Edwards Saturday night.

Elmo Halsel happened to an acci-
dent Monday while working on the
windmill he cut one of his fingers
off.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ellis left Sun-
day morning for New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Curtis and
family of O'Donnell spent Sunday
with Claude Sparks.

G. M. Duckett of Central was in
our community Friday.

Elmer Sikes of Amarillo visited
W. E. Sikes the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hamilton came
in from Gladewater Saturday to visit
relatives here—among them, Robert
Jackson, a brother, and Mrs. Evans,
a sister of Mrs. Hamilton.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Lynn. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honorable District Court of Mitchell County, on the 14th day of June, 1932, by J. H. Ballard, clerk of said District Court, for sum of Four Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety & 09/100 (\$4890.09) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment foreclosing a Vendor's Lien, in favor of Floyd Shock, Plaintiff, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 5273, and styled Floyd Shock vs. M. S. Gunn et al, placed in my hands for service, I, B. L. Parker, as Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas, did, on the 17th day of June, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Lynn and Terry Counties, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being all of the Southwest quarter (S.W. 1/4) Survey No. Twenty-Five (25) in Block 0 as surveyed under and by virtue of Certificate No. 72 issued to the H. & O. B. Ry. Co., and containing 160 acres of land, and being the same land as conveyed by and described in the deed from Earl Morrison et ux to M. S. Gunn, dated, April 19, 1929, and recorded in Vol. 46, on page 232 of the Deed Records of said Lynn County, Texas; said land being located about ten miles S. W. of the county seat of said County, and being commonly known as the M. C. Hamilton tract; said judgment being for the foreclosure of the Vendor's Lien on said land as it existed on, from and after April 10, 1929, and against the defendants M. S. Gunn, Lydia Gunn, M. C. Hamilton, Lennie Mae Hamilton, W. A. Bell, W. H. Guthrie, doing business as Guthrie Mercantile Company, Lamesa Motor Company, a corporation, G. B. Hutchins, The First National Bank of O'Donnell, Texas, a corporation, the Magnolia Petroleum Company, a corporation, and levied upon as the property of the Defendants, M. C. Hamilton, and that on the first Tuesday in September, 1932, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Lynn County, in the City of Tahoka, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said judgment of foreclosure and said order of sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said M. C. Hamilton and the other named defendants.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Lynn County News, a newspaper published in Lynn County. Witness my hand, this 3rd day of August, 1932. B. L. PARKER, Sheriff Lynn County, Texas. 51-3tc.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lynn County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs and legal representatives of F. P. Cook, deceased, 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 holden at the Court House thereof, in Tahoka, on the 3rd Monday in September A. D. 1932, the same being the 19th day of September A. D. 1932, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 11th day of July A. D. 1932, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 928, wherein R. Y. Eckels is Plaintiff, and Mrs. Cora Cook, The Wilson Mercantile Company, Inc., a corporation, O. W. Splawn and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of F. P. Cook, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on August 1, 1931, F. P. Cook and wife, Cora Cook, executed and delivered to Temple Trust Company six notes aggregating \$3000.00, being five notes for \$200.00 each, and one note for \$2000.00 due, respectively, January 1, 1932 to 1936, inclusive, and January 1, 1942, all payable to Temple Trust Company and bearing 6 per cent interest, and providing for the usual 10 per cent attorney's fees; that to secure payment of said notes said F. P. Cook, et ux, executed a First Mortgage or Deed of Trust upon all that part of the West one-half (W 1/2) of Section Twelve (12), Block Seven (7), Lynn County, Texas, lying East of the P. & S. F. Ry. Co. right-of-way; that said notes were additionally secured by a vendor's lien upon said land; that the note for \$200.00 which became due January 1, 1932, and interest aggregating \$75.00 due on such date is delinquent and unpaid; that F. P. Cook is dead, and no administration was had on his estate; that the note and interest which are

due were transferred to plaintiff by Temple Trust Company; that The Wilson Mercantile Company Inc., and O. W. Splawn are claiming some interest in the property, which is inferior to the lien of plaintiff; that the notes held by plaintiff have been placed in the hands of attorneys for collection, whereby the 10 per cent attorney's fees accrued. Plaintiff asks for foreclosure of his lien to the extent of his debt, interest and attorney's fees on the above land against all of the defendants, subject to the notes held by the Temple Trust Company yet unmatured, and First and Second Mortgage liens assuring payment of same. (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 same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Tahoka, Texas, this 11th day of July, A. D. 1932. W. S. TAYLOR, Clerk, District Court, Lynn County. 47-4tc

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Lynn. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 51st District Court of Tom Green County, on the 8th day of June, 1932, by Jesse T. Couch, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of Six Hundred Forty-One and 78/100 (\$641.78) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Findlater Hardware Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 8196-A and styled Findlater Hwd. Co. vs. C. C. Hancock et al, placed in my hands for service, I, B. L. Parker, as Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas, did on the 14th day of July, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Lynn County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being all of the south 24 1/2 acres of section No. 10, Block 8, Certificate No. 645, E. L. & R. R. Co., original grantee, in Lynn County, Texas, said judgment reciting that said land be sold and that the judgment against C. C. Hancock be satisfied and that should there be any remainder after the payment of said judgment, cost of suit and cost of sale, that it be delivered to the defendant, C. C. Hancock; and levied upon as the property of C. C. Hancock and J. M. Kuykendall and that on the first Tuesday in September, 1932, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Lynn county, in the town of Tahoka, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said C. C. Hancock and J. M. Kuykendall.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Lynn County News, a newspaper published in Lynn county. Witness my hand, this 14th day of July, 1932. B. L. PARKER, Sheriff, Lynn County, Texas, by J. H. Ballman, Deputy. 90-3tc.

The State of Texas, County of Lynn. In the Justice Court of Lynn county Texas, Prec. No. One. G. A. Haney and John Earls, trading and doing business under the firm name of Highway Garage, vs. Dora Fuller and her husband, M. Fuller, defendants. Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the Hon. Justice Court of Prec. No. One, Lynn county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1932, in favor of the said Highway Garage and against the said Dora Fuller, No. 107 on the docket of said Court, I did on the first day of June, A. D. 1932, at 8 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the town of O'Donnell, Lynn county, Texas, and standing in the name of the said defendant, Dora Fuller, to-wit: All of lots Nos. One, Two, Three and Four in Blk. No. One; All of lots Nos. Four, Five, and Six in Block No. 113 and all of Lot No. One and 20 feet off of Lot No. Two in Blk. No. 114. All of said Lots are situated in the town of O'Donnell, Lynn county, Texas; and on the sixth day of September, A. D. 1932, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said date, at the Court House door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Dora Fuller in and to said property.

Dated at Tahoka, Lynn county, Texas, this 8th day of July, A. D. 1932. B. L. PARKER, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas. 50-3tc.

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S. J. R. No. 26 PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 11, of Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended by a vote of the people by virtue of Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, passed at the Regular Session of the 41st Legislature, be, and the same is hereby amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 11. In order to enable the Legislature to perform the duties set forth in the foregoing Section, it is hereby declared all lands and other property heretofore set apart and appropriated for the establishment and maintenance of the University of Texas, together with all the proceeds of sales of the same, heretofore made or hereafter to be made, and all grants, donations and appropriations that may hereafter be made by the State of Texas, or from any other source, except donations limited to specific purposes, shall constitute and become a Permanent University Fund. And the same as realized and received into the Treasury of the State (together with such sums belonging to the Fund, as may now be in the Treasury), shall be invested in bonds of the United States, or in School Bonds of municipalities, or in bonds of any city of this State, or in bonds issued under and by virtue of the Federal Farm Loan Act approved by the President of the United States, July 17, 1916, and amendments thereto; and the interest accruing thereon shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature to accomplish the purpose declared in the foregoing Section; provided that the one-tenth of the alternate Sections of the lands granted to railroads, reserved by the State, which were set apart and appropriated to the establishment of the University of Texas, by an Act of the Legislature of February 11, 1858, entitled, 'An Act to establish the University of Texas', shall not be included in, or constitute a part of, the Permanent University Fund.

Section 2. Said proposed amendment shall be voted on by the electors of this State qualified to vote on Constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932. (A correct copy.) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 5 PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 7, of Article 11, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Article 11, Section 7. All counties and cities bordering on the coast of the Gulf of Mexico are hereby authorized upon a vote of a two-thirds majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon at an election called for such purpose to levy and collect such tax for construction of seawalls, breakwaters, or sanitary purposes, as may now or may hereafter be authorized by law, and may create a debt for such works and issue bonds in evidence thereof. But no debt for any purpose shall ever be incurred in any manner by any city or county unless provision is made, at the time of creating the same, for levying and collecting a sufficient tax to pay the interest thereon and provide at least two per cent (2 per cent) as a sinking fund; and the condemnation of the right of way for the erection of such works shall be fully provided for."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1932. (A correct copy.) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 6 PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 1-a be added to Article VIII, of the Constitution of the State of Texas to read as follows:

Article VIII—Section 1-a: Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for State purposes; nothing herein shall apply within these counties or other political subdivisions now receiving any remission of State taxes, but upon the expiration of such period of remission this Section shall become applicable within such counties and political subdivisions.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932. (A correct copy.) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 1 PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. The following classes of persons shall not be allowed to vote in this State, to-wit: First: Persons under twenty-one (21) years of age. Second: Idiots and lunatics. Third: All paupers—supported by any county. Fourth: All persons convicted of any felony, subject to such exceptions as the Legislature may make. Fifth: All soldiers, marines and seamen, employed in the service of

the Army or Navy of the United States. Provided that this restriction shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, or enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps."

Section 2. That Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 33: The Accounting Officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps."

Section 3. That Section 40 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as, to read as follows:

"Section 40. No person shall hold or exercise, at the same time, more than one Civil Office of emolument, except that of Justice of Peace, County Commissioner, Notary Public and Postmaster, Officer of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, unless otherwise specially provided herein. Provided, that nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to prohibit an officer or enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, or an officer in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, or an enlisted man in the Organized Reserves of the United States; or retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, from holding in conjunction with such office any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, or from voting at any Election; General, Special or Primary, in this State when otherwise qualified."

Section 4. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next General Election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932. (A correct copy.) JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

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JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

Edith

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Wood of Lubbock and Mrs. Fortenberry of Tahoka visited Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Nowlin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hargett and daughters are visiting in Wheeler county this week.

Mr. J. O. Pharr made a business trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eria Tippit and family have been visiting in Haskell county the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenton of Tahoka spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Lindly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Tippit and family are visiting Mr. Tippit's mother in Gatesville this week.

Paul Rudd of Abilene has been visiting his cousin, Luther Rudd, the past two weeks.

Grandma Anderson and Inness have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Culfer this week end.

Edgar, Beatrice, and Arthur Hammonds went after their grandmother Hammonds in Haskell county Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryson spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Woods and family.

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SOCIETY

Club and Church News

Nowlin Family Has Big Reunion

The home of J. K. Nowlin in the Edith community five or six miles east of Tahoka was the scene of a family reunion Sunday, the occasion being the celebration of Mrs. Nowlin's birthday, which fell on the preceding Wednesday however.

The gathering came as a complete surprise to the honoree, since she had received no previous warning from the participants in the affair. The visitors brought well-filled baskets and at the noon hour a splendid feast was enjoyed.

Those present were the aged couple, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Nowlin, Mr. and Mrs. Deen Nowlin and little daughter of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Wood of Lubbock, P. A. Nowlin and Miss Opal Cooper of Tahoka, Carl and Claude Nowlin of the home, J. D. McIntyre and Mr. and Mrs. Swanson of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McIntyre of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Carl McIntyre and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Fortenberry and children, all of Tahoka.

MILT FINCH HONORED ON 44TH BIRTHDAY

Milt Finch, the man who maintains the peace and dignity of the City hereabouts, usually known as "the law", was honored with a mys-

tery party on his 44th birthday, which important event occurred on last Saturday. The party was held at night, and the scene was Finch's Cafe, formerly known as Bart's cafe.

As each guest entered the place, a mask was placed over his face and he was given a miniature gun with which to hold up the honoree. Then they pulled some stunts at Milt's expense, engaged in some thrilling contests, and finally got down to the eats. Among these was a magnificent cake prepared for the occasion.

Happy Smith, the man who is to be known hereafter as His Honor, Judge Smith, offered a toast, the text of which is not before us, but it is said to have been very humorous.

Guests were Happy Smith, E. H. Boullion, L. F. Craft, Pete Coleman, John Beard, W. M. Lee, B. E. Faulkner, Joe Aycox, Emmett Fleming, and Joe Bovell.

NEW LYNN CLUB VISITS MORGAN WOMEN'S CLUB

The New Lynn Club received an invitation from the Morgan Club inviting all the New Lynn Club to visit them on "Guest Day".

On Tuesday, July 12, at 2:30, The Club left home for Morgan arriving at the home of the hostess, Mrs. Thompson, were met at the door by a receiving line. There followed a most delightful hour of games and songs. After which came refreshments of sandwiches, angel food cake and lemonade.

It was with regret that all realized it was time to leave for home. Those from New Lynn Club were: Mmes. J. A. Jaynes, C. W. Krebs, Lee Fay Cox, Pete Wetsel, R. W. Barton and Miss May Levacy. All reported a most enjoyable visit.

MRS. LARKIN ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB WITH PARTY

Mrs. Frank Larkin entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club Wednesday of last week. Mrs. J. B. Pace scored high during the games. A color scheme of white and yellow was carried out in the table accessories and refreshments.

The hostess served peach ice cream and yellow and white cake to the following: Mmes. J. B. Pace, C. B. Townes, Oscar Roberts, Clay McCoy, J. H. Powell, A. D. Sanders Jr., Raymond Weathers, L. C. Haney, Karr Wells, L. E. Turrentine, E. A. Houston and Julia Berry.

Misses Leta Frances and Betty Ruth Wyatt are visiting their aunt, Mrs. James G. Carr, in Albuquerque, New Mexico, this week.

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STATE READY TO PAVE NO. 9 IF RIGHT-OF-WAY GIVEN

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route will probably continue almost due northward across two sections and will then veer to the west uniting with the present highway a mile or two further on, according to Judge Grider. This will not only shorten the distance but will keep the highway on higher ground and avoid lakes. It will also be a saving to the county from the fact that the Wilson road can follow this highway two miles further and thus eliminate a portion of the expense of keeping this road in repair.

Going south out of Tahoka, the old highway will be followed to the first turn and will then pass diagonally through the Ray and Slover places to a junction with the present highway, thus shortening the distance and eliminating two right angle turns.

In order to eliminate railway crossings and avoid narrow streets through O'Donnell, the highway will miss the business section of that town entirely, going through the town on the west side of the railway. A gin at this edge of town and a cemetery at the southwest of O'Donnell in Dawson county stand in the way, however, and the highway will doubtless be compelled to swerve around these two obstacles, though we have no definite information on this point.

The highway is to pass over a new route entirely from O'Donnell to Lamesa in Dawson county, passing along the west side of the railway. The commissioners court of that county signed a contract with the state Monday, according to press reports, to furnish the right-of-way through that county from O'Donnell on the north line through Lamesa to Ackerly on the south line, a distance of 35 miles. The right-of-way through that county will entail much heavier expense than will the right-of-way through Lynn county.

Negotiations are also being made with Swisher and Howard counties for right-of-way through them, and it is expected that a contract with Swisher county will be signed at an early date. More difficulty is being encountered, it is understood, with the commissioners court in Howard county.

4-H GIRL TELLS HOW SHE WON BEDROOM CONTEST

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them up. I added window shades in the natural tan and glass curtains in natural tan with side curtains of figured material, medium tan background with pink and yellow figures in it. I also over-stuffed an old Morris chair using for slip cover the material same as curtains. The chair had been discarded but if you were to see it now you would never suspicion there was ever anything wrong with it. I then gave my bed a coat of ivory to freshen it and covered it with a yellow bedspread. This was just what I needed to bring out the yellow in the apple green walls and to harmonize with my curtains. This is one time that I believe the charm of color worked for when Miss El Fleda Harrison, County Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on color in the home she said, "A feeling of friendliness and expansiveness is created by orange and yellow, so much that it is called the spending color. It loosens both the heart strings and the purse strings". After my room color scheme was worked out and was made up, Daddy loosened his purse strings and heart strings and bought for me a white pine bed table, book case, book shelves and writing desk. This when grouped together makes the study center. The next thing was a clothes closet he had made for me of panel veneering and white pine, with the shelves for my underclothes, the rod for my dresses, the shelf for my hat and the rack for my shoes. The next thing was a dresser to be purchased, but instead I took the old one we had but were not using because it was practically to pieces. Daddy fixed bottoms in the dresser drawers, took the mirror off, cleaned the varnish off, and gave the whole thing two coats of flat paint and a coat of ivory, hung the mirror and as a result I have a modern piece of furniture.

My furniture is grouped for rest, for dressing, for study, and for storage, and my room has been changed from a restless and uncomfortable one to a restful, cheerful, convenient and more pleasant place to stay, all for \$28.93.

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Mrs. T. C. Boucher and children removed from Tahoka to Abilene Tuesday.

Locals

C. A. Thomas and family returned Tuesday night from a week's trip which carried them as far south as Mercedes in the lower Rio Grande valley. Messrs. C. A. and W. O. Thomas have a twenty-acre orchard near Mercedes, and C. A. went down to take a look at it. He says it is very beautiful notwithstanding the fact that the late freeze this year destroyed a part of the fruit and there will not be a full crop. Cotton in that portion of South Texas through which they passed was not very promising, Mr. Thomas says.

R. A. Hoover is preparing to leave Sunday morning for Abilene, where the managers of the various Jones stores will gather and will proceed from that place to market. Mr. Hoover says that Mr. Jones and his representatives in this section have confidence in the future and believe that business will be good this Fall. They are therefore planning to buy large stocks of goods.

J. G. Price, who lives at the southwestern outskirts of Tahoka, reports that on Tuesday of this week he found a bloom in cotton that he planted on June 24, which was three days less than seven weeks from the day he planted it. Hail destroyed his first planting and he was compelled to replant his entire crop.

The News has received a communication from Olin Culberson, candidate for railway commissioner in the recent primary, thanking the voters for their support and announcing that he will be a candidate two years from now. Culberson was reared in Hill county but now resides in Jackson county.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Sherrod left Wednesday to spend a few days visiting relatives at Whitney, Hill county. Rumors emanating from the vicinity of the Connolly Motor Company are to the effect that G. B. expected to bring back a load of canned goods, the gift of kind-hearted kin-folks.

O. B. West came in Thursday from Colorado Springs, Colo., where he and family have been spending the summer. His son, B. B. West, left Tahoka for that place Friday to remain during his father's absence, which will possibly cover a period of two weeks.

Mrs. S. R. Cade of San Angelo came Sunday to spend a week or ten days here with her son, Aubra M. Cade. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Russell of Arden near San Angelo were visitors in the Cade home here last week, Mrs. Russell being a sister of Mr. Cade.

J. E. Thompson and family made a trip to Big Spring, Midland, and Stanton last week. They were accompanied by Miss Dottie Turrentine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCall of Kansas City are visiting Mrs. McCall's mother, Mrs. E. R. Munn. They expect to be here for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jones and children, accompanied by Miss Ruth Shaffer, visited relatives in Littlefield Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Larkin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burleson, Will Hale, and Mrs. Julia Berry returned Tuesday from a visit to El Paso, Juarez, Mexico, Carlsbad Cavern, and intermediate points. They explored the Cavern and enjoyed its wonders.

Mrs. T. H. Speight and son Jack returned Friday from a visit of a few days with Bill Speight at Las Vegas, New Mexico. He returned home with them for a visit of a couple of days here.

Frank Crim of Huntsville, Ala., spent last week here, visiting relatives. He is a nephew of Mrs. R. B. McCord. He left Monday morning for Los Angeles, California, to visit other relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Holloway and daughter, Mrs. Faye Ruth Williams, left Friday for Falfurrias in the Lower Rio Grande Valley to spend a month with Mrs. Holloway's son who resides there.

J. H. Coltenback has been quite seriously sick this week but his condition is said to be improving.

Miss Viola Ellis left Saturday to spend two or three weeks visiting her parents at Christoval.

Mrs. A. M. Cade and children are visiting her parents at Friona in Palmer county this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Kemp were here from Post Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Kemp.

Judge and Mrs. G. H. Nelson and children are visiting relatives in East Texas.

TAHOKA SCHOOLS WILL OPEN MONDAY, AUG. 29

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gram is being arranged for the opening day, announcement of which will appear next week. It is hoped and expected that school will open with a large attendance. The total enrollment last year, Mr. Pace states, was 562, not including the school for colored children, in which there was an enrollment of 16. The scholastic census this year shows that there are 654 scholastics in the district as compared with 669 last year.

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Central Ward: X. R. Banks, principal and sixth grade; Miss Ruth Childs, fifth grade; Mrs. James Clinton, fourth grade; Mrs. D. V. Smith, third grade; Mrs. W. O. Henderson, second grade; Mrs. A. B. Swan, primary; Mrs. L. F. Craft, primary.

South Ward: Alex Taylor, principal and teacher; Mrs. Alex Taylor, supply teacher.

Colored School: Charles Deo, teacher.

Mrs. J. K. Applewhite, music teacher; Miss O'Berger Forrester, expression teacher.

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