

# LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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METHODIST. Rev. J. O. Gore,  
Tahoka, 1st Sun. McDonald, 2nd Sun.  
Litwalton, 3rd Sun. T— 4th Sun.

HOLINESS. Rev. V. S. Coughran,  
Ira, 1st Sun. Holly Tank, 2nd Sun.  
Tahoka, 4th Sun.

## Court Directory.

The 64th Judicial District is composed of the following counties: Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Floyd, Hale, Lubbock, Lynn, and Terry.

DISTRICT COURT Convenes in Tahoka, on the twenty-first Monday after the first Mondays in January and July, and may continue in session two weeks.

COUNTY COURT Convenes the fourth Monday in January, April, July and Oct.

COMMISSIONERS COURT Convenes the second Monday in February, May, August and November.

## Official Directory.

L. S. Kinder, District Judge, Plainview.  
R. M. Ellerd, District Attorney, Plainview.  
T. M. Bartley, County Judge.  
S. N. McDaniel, County & Dist. Clerk.  
C. H. Doak, Sheriff & Tax Collector.  
W. H. Robison, Treasurer.  
A. S. Coughran, Tax Assessor.  
J. E. Ketner, Commissioner Precinct 1.  
J. H. Cowan, " " 2.  
B. Humphries, " " 3.  
W. T. Petty, " " 4.

Mr. McLoud the new postmaster has ordered 12 new keyles letter boxes, 10 of them being twice as large as the ones now in use, and the other two, twice as large as the 10. The News has spoken for one large one, who gets the other?

Dont forget next First Monday.

## Commissioner's Court Transacts Heavy Business.

### County School Land Brings \$2.35 Per. Acre.

The Hon. Commissioner's Court of Lynn county, convened Monday February 12, and continued until Thursday evening when they took a recess until Saturday when they will finish a verry heavy session of the court.

Monday was passed attending to regular routine business, receiving and approving reports, treasurer's, sheriff's road overseer's and others. It was early decided to put off considering the school land business until Wednesday. It was rumored that the court was about evenly divided as to whether it would be advisable to sell the land now or not, and as Lynn county is fortunate enough to have commissioners and a judge who all have their own opinions, think for themselves and vote for what they think best for the county, there were quite a number of interested spectators in attendance most of the time.

Tuesday, the report of the two juries of view for the road to run southeast and then south and the one that run from it, east, were received, but as parties along both roads put in claims for damages aggregating about \$2000, the commissioners decided to pay the costs already incurred, something like \$51, charge it to experience, and wait until the citizens wanted the roads enough to stand some of the cost themselves.

The farious accounts were then considered and allowed as follows:

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W. M. Moore "	1.00
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A petition was handed in asking the court to order an election for this school district to raise the

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tax from 15c, the present rate, to 20c in order to issue bonds to build a new school house. At the present rate of taxation this would enable this district to raise \$500 or \$600, which with the house we now have would put our school in good shape. The court ordered the election.

Wednesday came at last and the court received bids for the four leagues, or 17,713 acres of school land situated in Gains county. It soon became apparent that either A. D. Shook of Lynn county, or Ulysees Dalmont the present lease who leased the land October 3rd., 1903, for 5 years at 3½ cents per acre per annum.

After a great deal of caucusing all day Wednesday and most of Thursday, the commissioners voted unanimously to accept Mr. Dalmont's last bid, and the land is sold to him for \$2.35 per acre, on 40 years time at 5 per cent paid annually in advance. This means something over two thousand dollars a year for our schools for 40 years. Mr. Dalmont gave a check for \$1,693.71, the interest for this year less the unused lease money. The check to remain in the bank until the papers are examined and approved by Mr. Dalmont's lawyers.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1906.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- For District Judge, 64th Jud. Dist.  
**L. S. KINDER.**
- For District Attorney, 64th Jud. Dist.  
**C. S. WILLIAMS.**  
**A. W. CALLAHAN.**
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The following are the rates for announcing candidates in the Lynn County News:  
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Some one handed me half a dollar last Thursday, in the court house hall, telling me to send him a neighboring paper. Who was it?—H. C. Crie.

When you have to buy drugs, you want a pure, strong, cheap, compound. That is just what you can get at Taylor's Drug Store.

Mrs. B. H. Black who lives south of town, gave a farewell party to her son Arthur, who has gone to Waco to attend a business college. Every one enjoyed themselves at the party and wished him success in his undertaking.

We are always receiving, and selling, fresh, pure drugs at Taylor's, west side square.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ethridge, a daughter, Tuesday, Feb. 13th, 1906.

## No More Wood Hauling out of the T-Bar Pasture.

All wood cutting on the T-Bar lands must be stopped.

Any one cutting or hauling wood out of the T-Bar Pasture will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

**W. T. PETTY,**  
Manager.

## Principally Personal.

The young folks enjoyed a valentine party at Mrs. Cowan's. There were lots of valentines given and received and much merriment was the result.

If I was wearing shoes like you are, I would go to Wells & Welcher and get me a new pair. Do it now while their stock is complete. You had better hurry up.

Mrs. Randall of Lynn, paid the editor a pleasant visit Wednesday afternoon.

I'll tell you what is a fact, if you will go to Conway's store and look through his fine stock of men's and boy's suits you will be sure to find something you want.

## Walker-Colwell.

Mr. H. I. Walker, of Arizona and Mrs. Laura Colwell were married, Wednesday the 14th. at Mr. Howell's of the Lynn neighborhood, Rev. Coughran officiating. A sumptuous supper was served to which all did justice. The couple will leave today for their new home in Clarendon.

## NOTICE.

As we have sold out and are going to move away, we ask every one who know themselves to be indebted to us, to come right in and settle, for all accounts left unsettled when we leave will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

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## Holley-Embry.

Mr. Lee Holley and Miss Grace Embry were married in Tahoka at the parsonage Wednesday Feb. 14 1906, Rev. J. O. Gore officiating. Miss Grace is loved by all who know her and will be a loss to the community. Mr. Holley is an old Llanno boy, is a fine young man and will make a good citizen where ever he goes. They will make their home in Garza county. The News with their many friends wish them joy and success.

Get your express at Simmons stable.

By the way, the next time you come to town why not bring Mrs. — with you and let her stop at Conway's store? She would put in the time with pleasure to herself and profit to you.

Last Friday night a little lady with black hair, came to Ed. Henderson's to stay all night and liked the folks so well she decided to make her home there. Mr. Henderson thinks she is the finest girl in the county. Her little brother says he wont trade her off for a boy because he is going to take her to parties when she gets big.

## Let's Get Acquainted Now.

To the people of Tahoka, and Lynn county, we will say that we want you to come and trade with us. We are now doing business at Hamptons old stand with a good clean stock of groceries, dry goods, hardware and implements. Come and see if we can't sell you what you want at a fair price and on 30 days time if you had rather. We will try and please you in every way for we want you to get in the habit of coming here for every thing you need. Yours for trade,  
**G. W. COUGHRAN & SONS.**

The First National Bank of Lubbock gets the Lynn County deposits for six per cent daily balance. We are pleased that this bank secured the deposits, for they are not only safe but they are also accomodating and nice people to deal with.

You can get any style of a Stetson hat, from Wells & Welcher.

We had another little snow squall Monday morning, but it did not last long and the rest of the week has been beautiful weather.

You must not forget that Conway handles furniture, also.

Dont forget next First Monday.

Why Not Subscribe For The News Now You Will Have To, Sooner or Later

## HYDROPHOBIA PREVENTED.

**New Method of Vaccination Which Is Said to Be Very Effective.**

Pasteur's vaccination method for the prevention of hydrophobia in people bitten by mad dogs is employed at the institute for infectious diseases at Berlin. The "Cultus" ministry has just published a statement with reference to the cases of persons bitten by mad dogs which have come to the knowledge of the authorities during 1905, and which permits a judgment on the merits of such vaccination based upon authentic facts, states the Scientific American.

In the year 1903 307 persons were bitten by 194 mad dogs or dogs suspected of madness; in 140 of these dogs hydrophobia was afterward proved beyond a doubt, while 13 were found to be healthy; the rest could not be examined. The 307 persons lived in eight different provinces—226 of them in eastern Prussia, western east Prussia and Silesia, which are close to Russia. Thus Russia is again shown to be the breeding place of this plague. Of those bitten 281 proceeded to the institute for infectious diseases and were vaccinated. Four of them died of hydrophobia and one recovered after a slight attack. Deaths took place on the thirty-eighth, fifty-sixth, one hundred and tenth and one hundred and thirty-fifth days, respectively, after the bite.

Vaccination has not proved an absolutely certain remedy, even when applied right after the bite. The statistics show, however, that of 281 persons vaccinated only four died; that is, one and one-half per cent.; while of those not vaccinated but treated medically six per cent. died, and of those neither vaccinated nor treated 11 per cent. died.

"In view of these figures," the statement proceeds, "it is earnestly to be recommended that all persons having the misfortune to be bitten by dogs either mad or suspected of madness at once submit to vaccination. The value of such vaccination is being more and more recognized. During the last six years the percentage of persons bitten who submitted to vaccination were 29, 80, 82, 78, 90 and 90, respectively, and it is to be hoped that in the future every bitten person will avail one's self of it."

## Economy Taught in Youth.

It has ever been an object with French parents to teach a child to be provident and economical. A child of three can become a member of the mutuality by giving only two cents a week; one cent will entitle it to get ten cents a day when it is ill and the other goes toward getting a pension when it is at a certain age. No one knows how long a child can live, but what does the contribution amount to? A boy of 18, giving 34 cents a month to the society, will, when he is 60 have a pension of \$72 a year.—Brooklyn Eagle.

## Learn the Words.

Every boy can whistle "Yankee Doodle," but how many can repeat the words that go with the tune? A schoolmaster who lately asked his pupils to do it found them all deficient on that score. Quite likely the same experience might be had with most of their elders.—Boston Herald.

## Our Cities a Century Ago.

At the beginning of the nineteenth century there were 16 cities in the country which had a population of more than 4,000. Philadelphia was first in the list with 69,000, with New York a close second, while Baltimore had taken third place from Boston by 26,000 to 25,000. At the same period the population of the country was 5,308,483, of which only 5 per cent. was urban.—Indianapolis News.

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### Our Neighbors Polls.

The Tulia Standard reports 300 polls paid in Swisher county.

The Avalanche reports 306 polls paid for Lubbock and attached counties.

The Hereford Brand reports 418 poll tax receipts issued for Deaf Smith county.

The Memphis Herald reports 489 poll tax receipts issued for Hall county.

There were 533 poll tax receipts issued in Donley county.

The Canyon City News tells us that Randall county issued 351 poll tax receipts: 211 of which were for Canyon City, leaving 140 for the rest of the county.

Wells & Welcher have the largest, cheapest, and in every way the best line of Winter Gloves in town. Let us show you.

The La Mesa gin has turned out about 320 bales to date. Had the gin run steadily it would have ginned at least 200 more, some say 300. The territory adjacent to La-Mesa has produced somewhere near 800 bales.—Dawson County News.

Fine Candies and all kinds of Nuts at Taylor's.

Messrs M. A. Rose and O. E. Bradford both of Clairmont, paid us a call last Saturday. Mr. Bradford is editor of the Clairmont Enterprise. Both gentlemen were in a great hurry and we were very busy and so their call while pleasant, was only a short one.

## PROSPECTORS.

Tahoka has been full of prospectors this week. Among others were: Chas. Donohoo of Haskell county, A. H. O'Keiffe of Stamford, W. S. Swan of Anson, who bought land here, and Rev. H. S. Hatchet, formerly of Erath county now of Haskell county. Rev. Hatchet is a Baptist minister, and he bought out H. E. Randal, of Lynn, two sections of land, house, feed, some cattle, chickens etc., for which he paid \$4,421.52. Rev. Hatchet left Thursday afternoon for Haskell county to wind up his affairs there and move his family out to the new home.

## LOTS FOR SALE.

I have 30 lots in the town of Tahoka, that I will sell for \$225 cash. Lot 12 in block 21 on the square, 8 in 72, 1,2 in 81, 5 in 65, 5 in 1, 5 in 41, 5,6 in 116, 7 in 26, 7,8 in 92, 1,2 in 121, 1 in 15, 7 in 18, 3 in 26, 1,2,7,8 in 78, 3 in 40, 1, 2,3,4 in 57, 1,2 in 87, 1,2 in 104. Address: J. J. Dillard, Lubbock, Texas, or Doak & Brown, Tahoka, Texas.

## NEW POST OFFICE.

Lynn County now has a new post office named, Draw, with Mrs. D. M. Glass as post mistress. Draw is situated about 13 miles southeast of Tahoka at the head of Moores draw. Mr. Glass has a general merchandise store at Draw and he says he has a good start for a city already.

Dont forget next First Monday.

Last week R. A. Henderson of the southwest corner of the county sold out to L. G. Marks of Haskell county. Mr. Henderson has moved to La Mesa and gone into business there.

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