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Extra Good Session Of Lynn County Teacher's

Organized County Debating Club

Created Tahoka Library, Organized Reading Circle, Will Try For Summer Normal Here. Appointed Committees

The Lynn County Teacher's Institute met Nov., 6th to 11th, 1911, at the court house Tahoka, Texas, and was presided over by Judge G. W. Perryman ex-officio Superintendent.—Sober and Full of business.

The following were in attendance.—E. A. White, Miss Minnie Chambers, Carrol Phillips, Miss K Gilmore, Miss Wee Belle Hargrett, J. P. Hatchett, H. E. Taylor, Miss Ella Dillard, Chas. Nunnally, W. B. Bishop, Miss Maggie King, Miss Linnie Babston, Miss Lyda A. Dupay and Miss Mittie White.

We wish to acknowledge the presence of the following visitors: Mrs. Walter May, C. M. Whipp, N. R. Skinner, J. B. Walker, and Judge J. M. Baker, of Lamesa. The gentlemen just mentioned delivered speeches on various educational subjects which we regret we are not able to give extracts from. Most

especially do we wish to tell the citizens what they missed in not hearing the silver tongued Judge Baker who held us spell bound for at least an hour on the "Real Value of an Education."

It also with grateful hearts we mention the fact of Dr. Inmon's part. He dwelt at length on the the subject, "Sanatation in the Public Schools." The subject was ably discussed and attentively listened to by the teachers and visitors. By a unanimous vote Dr. Inmon was requested to allow this paper to go in print for the good of the citizens, trustees and patrons of the schools of Lynn county, to which he consented.

After having dispensed with the program the following business was taken up and disposed with:

The Institute unanimously indorsed E. A. White as representative on the Summer Normal Board of Examiners of the State of Texas.

Carroll Phillips was elected to represent this county at the Teacher's Association, at Plainview, where they are to select a place and a faculty for the South Plain Summer Normal.

By a move and a second the Chair was designated to appoint a soliciting committee to see what arrangements could be

TAHOKA PAYS THE HIGHEST PRICE FOR COTTON TUESDAY

Tuesday of this week a number of farmers from Brownfield and Gomez came to Tahoka with 51 bales of cotton. This bunch added to the regular traffic made the streets of Tahoka lively indeed.

A cotton buyer came down from Lubbock to meet the Terry county bunch and buy their cotton, but his limit was 8.65 and after some lively bidding the 51 bales of cotton were bought by Coleman Wells for J. S. Wells at 8.85.

This was quite a large cotton deal for a Plains town and while these farmers took most of the money home with them to settle their accounts with, still considerable of it remained in Tahoka and the farmers carried home its full value in supplies, J. S. Wells selling about \$400 worth of dry goods and groceries. A merchant likes to sell flour by the 1,000 pounds and potatoes 20 sacks at a time.

made or what inducements could be offered in the way of securing a Summer Normal at Tahoka for the coming year. The Chair appointed the following: Messers. Rhea Skinner, A. J. DeBoard, J. H. Edwards, C. A. Thomas and J. W. Elliott.

After a considerable discussion the teacher's organized a County Debating Club. The following officers were elected:

Mr. J. P. Hatchett President, Mr. H. E. Taylor Vice President, Miss Maggie King Secretary and Carrol Phillips, Treasurer.

By a vote of the house the Chair was empowered to appoint a committee on Constitution and By-Laws and a Program Committee. The following were appointed:

E. A. White, Miss Minnie Chambers and H. E. Taylor, Constitution and By-Laws Committee; Miss Maggie King, Miss Linnie Babston and Carrol Phillips, Program Committee.

The teacher's of Lynn county organized a Teacher's Reading Circle and E. A. White was appointed to hold the examinations and report to the State Committee. The examinations will be held on the fourth Saturday in January A. D. 1912.

E. A. White, Charles Nunnally and Carrol Phillips were appointed to select and buy books for the Tahoka Library and Higher Culture Society.

By a motion, second and vote the teachers of Lynn county indorsed Judge G. W. Perryman's Administration of Public Schools in Lynn County.

Read The News And Patronize Its Advertisers—It Pays.

Miss Maud Nevels, of Lubbock, spent last Friday and Saturday with her brother, W. D. Nevels and family, of Tahoka.

Miss Lula Moore, of Lampasas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. D. Nevels, of Tahoka.

J. H. Cowan returned Tuesday from Alexandra, Texas, where he went to visit his mother who was sick. She returned home with him and is greatly benefited by the change. Mr. Cowan was absent about a week.

NOTICE—J. E. Ketner has bought the firm of Ketner & Hatchett—which will require an immediate settlement of all accounts and notes by December first. Please come in and settle at once. 12-13 KETNER & HATCHETT.

\$50,000,000 RAISED TO HANDLE 1911 COTTON CROPS

The plan proposes to advance the grower \$25 per bale on his cotton, based on the market value at the time of the loan. No interest will be paid on the loan, the only charge being \$1 a bale, which is regarded as a legitimate minimum charge for expense of grading and handling. The cotton is not held nor taken from the channele of trade, but is placed at the best advantage. The grower is given the right to designate the date of sale prior to Jan. 1, 1913, and will participate in any advance in price to the extent of three-fourths of the rise of the market.

The details of the plan are yet to be worked out. It has been decided, however, to place the fund through State committees named by the Governor or Commissioner of Agriculture of a State, and these committees shall be empowered to sell when

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J. C. Curb, who is living on the Ketner place in the Lynn community came in Monday with his 14th bale of cotton and he expects to have four or five more.

The first of the cotton season The News said Tahoka would gin a 1,000 bales and Luke Riley half as many more. Tahoka has gined 900 bales, with at least 200 more in sight. We have not heard from Luke lately but he is keeping up the average all right.

BEST LINE FANCY CANDIES

We have just received the best line of fancy candy ever displayed in Tahoka. And we do not ask you to take our word for it. Come and try it and be convinced that we sell the best candy for the least price. 12-13 Parkhurst's Broken \$ Store

Wednesday afternoon just after the regular train had left for Lamesa, a special came in from the north with D. Elliott, Division Superintendent and several other officials who were on the regular inspection tour of this division of the Santa Fe Lines.

W. S. Swan came in Friday from an extended business trip.

"LEST WE FORGET"

To prepare for next year's reading in time The Lynn County News desires to say that all who want to keep up with passing events at home should subscribe for this paper now.

While you are about it, why not take advantage of our November club offer and get The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News also for a year? Both papers for the small sum of \$1.50, giving you three papers a week and supplying the whole family with good, wholesome, up-to-date reading matter.

If you forget this offer both yourself and the publishers are losers, but you are the greater loser.

Don't lose out, but subscribe this month while this liberal offer holds good.

Sanitation And Health In The Public Schools

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Honea left last week for Lamesa and other points. Mr. Honea has purchased several county rights to sell a washing machine. His health has been failing for some time and he thinks he may be benefited by the change of occupation. Sumner Clayton in running the Barber Shop while Mr. Honea is on the road. Mrs. Honea returned home the middle of the week.

Fall Results in Minor Injuries.

Houston, Nov. 14.—Gertrude Pettigrew, 3 1-2 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pettigrew, of Thomas, Texas, fell six stories Tuesday down an elevator in the Scanlon building and escaped with a few minor injuries. The child started to leave a passenger elevator and fell through the open doorway into the shaft. The fall was broken first when she struck the chain coil beneath the elevator and second when her screams attracted the attention of the chief engineer of the building, who ran into the elevator shaft and endeavored to stop the falling body, but only succeeded in breaking the force of the fall. Attending physicians are not yet certain whether the child received any internal injuries.

Some Of The Laws Applying To Tahoka

Read Before The Lynn County Teachers Institute November 8th, 1911, by Request of Program Committee

By E. H. Inmon, M. D.
In the past few year great advances have been made in the way of sanitation in our public schools. I shall not rehearse in your presence the evolution of sanitation, but will try to present to you in a concise manner a few of the most advance method now in use in America and Europe.

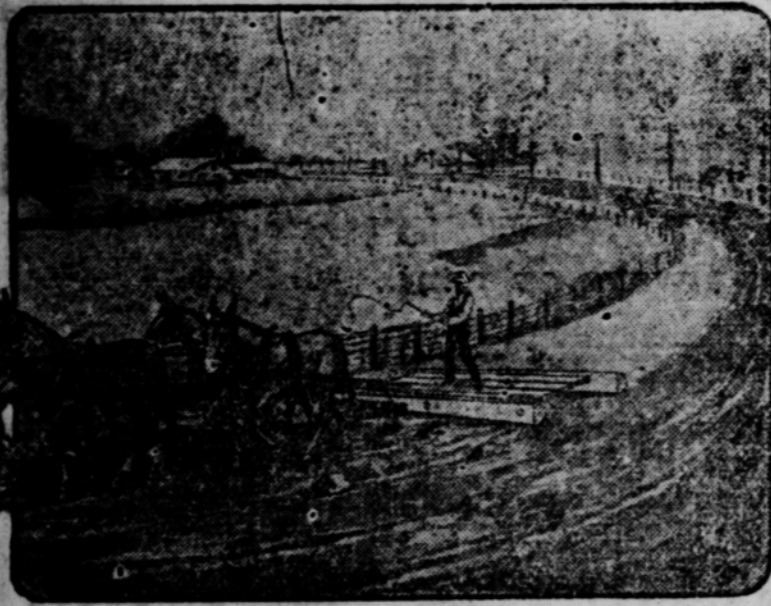
Texas has kept pace with the most advance ides of sanitation, and in doing so has adopted what is called a "Sanitary code for Texas." This code was operated February 1st, 1910 and carries with it the penalty of "not less than ten dollars and not more than one thousand dollars."

The fundamental principal upon which this code is written is "prevention is better than cure, and far choaper." In order to prevent certain epidemics heretofore becoming kindled by the poorly regulated schools; the

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The Log Split In Grand Old Texas

THE proper maintenance of a public highway is as important as its construction. It costs a few thousand dollars per mile to build macadam highways but by the intelligent use of a split log drag, dirt roads can be kept in good condition at a nominal expense. The drag can be built for five dollars, and operated at a cost of from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per day. The road mileage which a split log drag can keep in proper condition varies according to the character of the road and the amount of rainfall, but the average mileage assigned a split log drag is 12 miles. The average cost of operating the drags, according to the Federal Agricultural estimate, is \$3.20 per mile.



There Are 656 Split Log Drags in Operation in Texas.

In some cases the drags are built and operated at the expense of the county; in others the county furnishes the drags and the farmers along the route operate them.

Every County May not be able to permanently improve its Public Highways, but every County can operate Split Log Drags.

TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

XIII. ABILITY

THOMAS JEFFERSON wrote the Declaration of Independence and founded a great nation on the western hemisphere. Benjamin Franklin taught wisdom, and he became the foremost American philosopher. Civilization has always responded to the inspiring touch of lofty natures and has given those who have led us up the mountain peaks of progress a prominent place on the pages of history. The hand of destiny is ever sifting the human race for a genius who can inspire us with ideas that will travel like light and shape the rising glory of our country.



THOMAS JEFFERSON WRITING THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

Let those who would walk down the aisles of greatness first dig a channel into which men's thoughts will flow like a torrent; make a key that will unlock the door of wisdom; plant a civilization that will unfold like a rose; weave a prosperity that will charm mankind and wave a magic wand over Texas that will finish the unheven stuff in human nature. Texas needs great men.

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TEXAS WELFARE COMMISSION

Commercial Secretaries Ap-
point Commission to In-
vestigate Industrial
Conditions.

The Welfare Commission which the Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association of Texas has organized will hold sessions in Dallas, Ft. Worth, San Antonio, Houston and other cities in Texas and hear the views of men of affairs on the needs of Texas. The following are a few of the questions which the Commission will undertake to answer:

Sixty-eight per cent of the farmers of Texas do not own their farms WHY?

We need 50,000 miles more of rail roads in Texas and there is not a mile of road under construction in the State today. WHY?

We have 140,000 miles of unimproved public highways and during the past ten years we have permanently improved only 2,900. WHY?

We have 1200 miles of navigable rivers but no steamboat lines ply our waters. WHY?

We buy from other States \$75,000,000 worth of feed stuff annually. WHY?

According to estimates of the Farmers' Union it costs 12½ cents per pound to raise cotton and it sells for a less price. WHY?

We owe \$1,100,000,000 to parties outside the State and will have to borrow ten billion more to develop our resources and yet large insurance companies and other sources of cheap money are not doing business in Texas. WHY?

The Farmers' Union report that they are paying 8 and 10 per cent for money loaned on cotton in their warehouses, although cotton is the best security in the world. WHY?

Texas cattle are rated by the Federal Agricultural Department at \$14.79 per head and Illinois cattle at \$28.02 per head. WHY?

There is shipped into Texas 100 car loads of cured meats per week. WHY?

The Texas farmers haul \$1,200,000 of raw material per day to the foreign factory. WHY?

We raise between three and four million bales of cotton annually and manufacture only 40,000 bales. WHY?

The Railroad Commission of Texas values the railroad property at \$210,000,000, the Tax Commission at \$429,000,000 and the Tax Assessor at \$340,132,572. WHY?

Notice of Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate.

The State of Texas } J. R. Huckabee
County of Lynn. } vs T. M. Bartley and W. S. Swan,
No. 42 in the County Court of Lynn
County, Texas.

Whereas by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Lynn County, Texas, in a judgment rendered on the 25th day of April 1911 in favor of J. R. Huckabee and against T. M. Bartley and W. S. Swan being cause No. 42 on the docket of said Court, I did on the 9th day of November A. D. 1911 at 11 o'clock a. m. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land to-wit:

Situated in Lynn County, Texas, and known as the N. W. ¼ of Survey No. 4, Block D-23 Public School land containing 160 acres of land and being in the North-east portion of the County and being the property of W. S. Swan.

Also lots in North Tahoka, being an addition to the town of Tahoka Lynn County, Texas, as follows: Lots 13, 15, 17, 19, Blk. 7, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 Blk., 6, all being in North Tahoka Addition to the town of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, as shown by the Plat of said Addition as same appears of record in Vol. 11, page 515, Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas, said Lots belonging to the said T. M. Bartley.

And on the 5th day of December A. D. 1911, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, 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 said W. S. Swan and T. M. Bartley in and to said above described property.

Dated, this 9th day of November A. D. 1911.
J. H. Edwards, Sheriff Lynn County, Texas, by M. M. Herring Deputy.
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\$250,000 Fire at Colorado City.

A salt plant at Colorado City, Texas, was destroyed by fire Monday morning. The origin of the fire was unknown. The loss to the town will be great unless the company rebuilds, and there seems to be some doubt as to that. The buildings and fixtures were valued at \$250,000.

Lot of Country Editor is Hard.

Elder John P. Galvin, pastor of the Christian church of Fairfield, Ill., in a series of sermons on the different trades and occupations of life, recently delivered a sermon on "The Newspaper." Among the many good things he said were:

"What am I doing for it? Kicking because it's not blowing my tin horn? But how much of myself am I lending to the paper by speaking a good word for it whenever I have a chance? Really how much of my personal influence can its editor depend upon? Much, or is it little? If I grow a big cabbage I want him to publish it, but I may hear item after item of news about other people's cabbages and I never drop him a line about them. Now as he is almighty enough to be in all places at the same time, why not help him by making news for his paper? It's rather a mean thing to take every thing and give nothing back but faultfinding. If we never feed the cow, how can we expect any milk, and can we blame bossy if she kicks the milk-er and the bucket? All in all, I find that our country papers are doing their very best for every part of the country—even a hundred times more than any of the large city papers can possibly do.

"The city daily or weekly cannot deal with those, to them,

Rev. Irl B. Hicks 1912 Almanac.

Before the great drouth of 1901, the Hicks Almanac gave timely warning. For over two years prior to 1911, the Hicks Almanac again sounded a warning of drouth danger. And so for forty years this same friend of all the people has steadfastly refused the offers of speculators and continued to warn the public of the coming dangers of storm and weather. As they should have done, the people have nobly stood by Prof. Hicks, their faithful public servant, who has grown old in their service. Send only one dollar to Word and Works Publishing Company, 3401 Franklin Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, and get his Magazine and Almanac both for one year. The Almanac alone, a fine book of 150 pages, is only 35 cents by mail. Let every body respond and receive the warnings of our National Seer for the coming year. 12-17-22

Some excitement was caused last Saturday night by the burning out of the flue in the Stark Drug Co. building, Dawson County News.

Hereford, Texas, has already shipped one car load of sugar beet this year and they expect to ship 12 or 15 more before the year is out.

How to Acquire Wealth

"Now the man that saves his money as the seasons come and go
Is the man you will notice will some day have the dough:
While others may be careless and throw their cash away,
He's adding to his bank account a little every day."

The only sure way to acquire wealth is to be honest, work hard and save a little of your earnings every day. Open a savings account with us and pay all your bills by check. Each check will be a receipt and you will know just how much you are spending. If you are not a patron of this bank consider this an invitation to become one. We know our relations will be mutually profitable. The possession of a bank account should be a matter of interest to every member of the family. You insure your property against fire. Why not insure your loved ones against poverty? It's wise to open an account today.

First National Bank

Of Tahoka, Texas

small items which interest close neighbors. But the country papers tell us all about them, and keep us posted in all home matters from the first baby down to the garden truck and the visit Mrs. Sallie Howcomerso made at Pitchfork Creek.

"In fact, the magic of the county paper sets far off neighbors in close gossiping contact—just a rail fence between. And where can the preacher find a more willing agent than this same county newspaper? It gives him free ads., for his sermons and lectures, etc., etc.

"And how many times its puff has inflated the cash balance of the church social? And he has to pay for his ice cream and cake besides.

"Talk about men working for glory? Why half the editors of the country papers only share of glory is like that of the man who saw the father of his nation afar-off, there being a gulf fixed between the two places. Yes, his glory is like some of those weird pictures of Dore. Job had boils to contend with, but the country editor has to try and satisfy men and women afflicted with an elongated dose of a twisted conceit. Job prayed that his enemy might write a book, but if I could ever pray for the affliction of a man I didn't like, I'd pray he might be an editor of a country newspaper. It would keep him hot through the day, and he wouldn't have much sleep at night. So my heart goes out to the country editor. May his paid-up list grow as fast as the gourd of Jonah, only with a better staying quality, and may his days

be long in the land, and may his shadow never grow less, and, if we can, let us send him to congress."—Western Publisher.

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We have a large stock of grain and hay. If you want your stock to look well, buy your feed from us.

S. W. Corner Square, Tahoka

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cotton reaches 12c, and compelled to sell when it reaches 13c, regardless of advice from the growers. Provision against any violation of the Sherman anti-trust law is contained, the promoters believe, in a clause empowering each committee to name the day of sale in the event the market climbs to 12c or 13c.

"Of course," reads the statement, "everything depends upon the acceptance of the plan by the individual farmer in connection with his pledge to reduce acreage the coming year."

Following is the announcement of the plan:

"The announcement was made here today, following conferences that have been in progress several days between prominent bankers of New York and leading representatives of the South such as Gov. O'Neal of Alabama, Clarence Ousley, representing Gov. Colquitt of Texas, and E. J. Watson, president of the permanent Southern Cotton Congress and Commissioner of Agriculture of South Carolina, that a plan has been presented to these gentlemen, representing the Governors' conference and Southern congress, composed of producers, business men and bankers of the South, which means the placing in the cotton belt States of about \$50,000,000 immediately for the handling of the cotton crop of 1911.

"In other words, the proposition is to give the farmer \$25 per bale advance on his cotton, without interest, charging him only \$1 a bale to cover expenses of grading and handling, letting him turn over the cotton to the holders, who will advance him \$25 per bale and give him the opportunity to designate the date of the sale prior to Jan. 1, 1913, and to participate in any advance in price to the extent of three-fourths of the rise in the market.

"It is calculated that by the present ordinary holding prices the farmers take all chances of a rise in the market. By this plan he takes no more chances than he did before and has every opportunity of maximum participation in a rise in the market, meantime paying the debts he has to pay and saving the losses sustained by

TAHOKA PUBLIC SCHOOL THANKSGIVING PROGRAM.

The Tahoka Public School will render the following Program at the Methodist church at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning November 30th 1911.

Song, America; Audience. Invocation; Rev. J. R. Balch. Thanksgiving; E. A. White. Two Little Welcomes; Hazel Alley and Jesse Key. A History of Thanksgiving; Douglas Henderson. Turkey and Pie; Mary Lee Lowe. Song; Four Girls. An Accident; Marguerite Whipp. Thanksgiving Story; Lola Donaldson. Reading; Nolan Skinner. Dialogue, Four Little Puritan Maids; Fourth and Fifth Grades. Recitation; Rural King. Recitation; Clyne Thomas. Song; Third and Fourth Grades. Thanksgiving; Rescola McDaniel. Thanksgiving Acrostic; Primary Grades. Little Red Pig; Richard Crie. Querry; Neson Coughran. Landing of The Pilgrims; U. ban Coughran. Trials of Teacher; Isabel Crie and Bruce Williams. Reading; John E. Whipp. Reading; Ernest Coughran. Our Thanks for the Development of the South; Carroll Phillips.

country damage (lack of proper facilities) and by loss of weight and warehouse charges.

"Provision is made against any apparent violation of the Sherman law, in that each State committee appointed by the Governor or Commissioner of Agriculture of each State has the power to name the day of sale if cotton reaches 12c or 13c, which, according to testimony gathered, gives only a close legitimate profit on the cost of production.

"Of course everything depends upon the acceptance of the plan by the individual farmer in connection with his pledge to reduce acreage the coming year. The individual farmer alone can make success possible."

The above article is an extract taken from the Dallas News.—Ed

MONEY to Loan on Real Estate at eight per cent, from three to ten years.

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FOR SALE--New and Re-built Buggies at half price. If you want a genuine bargain, see W. P. PHENIX, Tahoka, Texas. 10-tf

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Deering Binder Twine 9 cent per pound at the Tahoka Hardware Co. 2-tf

Lubbock will gin 3,000 bales of cotton this year.--Avalanche. Tahoka will gin 1,000 bales of cotton this season.--Lynn County News.

The Tahoka Cotton Yard has already handled about 700 bales of cotton this season. How many bales has your yard handled Brother Avalanche.--Tahoka News.

November 16.--\$90.--The Avalanche.

BIG STOCK of Barb Wire, Poultry Netting and Hog Fencing on hand at the right prices. 13-1t A. G. McAdams Lumber Co.

GASOLINE and gas engine oils at the GINNERY. 13-16

It takes work to make fine photos. Come early and get your work done for Xmas. 13-16 M. M. Anthony, Tahoka.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate.

The State of Texas, County of Lynn. Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Searcy County, on the 4th day of November 1911, in a certain cause wherein J. W. Templeton was plaintiff, and F. H. Dean, H. E. Ford and C. N. Hutto were defendants, in cause No. 777 in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 28th day of September 1911, in favor of the said plaintiff J. W. Templeton against said defendants, F. H. Dean, H. E. Ford and C. N. Hutto for the sum of Five Hundred Fifty Four and 24-100 (\$554.24-100) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have on the 7th day of November 1911, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in December 1911, it being the 5th day of said month, at the Court house door of Lynn County, Texas, at Tahoka within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of each of the defendants F. H. Dean, H. E. Ford and C. N. Hutto in and to the following described property, levied upon as the property of said defendants F. H. Dean, H. E. Ford and C. N. Hutto, to-wit:

The north half of Survey No. 156, in Block No. 12, Certificate No. 3r, of the Georgetown Railway Company, in Lynn County, Texas, containing about 320 acres.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Five Hundred Fifty Four and 24-100 Dollars, in favor of J. W. Templeton, together with the cost of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

J. H. Edwards, Sheriff Lynn County, Texas, by M. M. Herring Deputy. Tahoka, Texas, November 7th A. D. 1911. 11-13

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reece, of Edith, were in Tahoka Saturday doing some shopping.

FOR SALE OR TRADE--One Poland China Berkshire Boar, one year old. Will sell, or trade for meat hog.--Dr. Inmon. 13-14

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SANITATION AND HEALTH IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

code prescribes certain regulations which are as much a law as the Terrell Election Law of Texas.

A few briefs from this code will inform you of your duty.

"Persons suffering from measles, whooping cough, mumps, German measles and chicken pox shall be barred from school for twenty-one days (at the discretion of the local health officer) from date of onset of disease, with such additional time as may be deemed necessary, and may be re-admitted on a certificate by him attesting to their recovery and non-infectiousness."

"Those actually suffering from tonsillitis, itch, impetigo-contagiosa favus, shall be excluded from school during such illness and be re-admitted on a certificate of the attending physician attesting to their recovery and non-infectiousness."

"Provided, that the above requirements shall in no sense be construed as abrogating any additional precautionary measures enforced by local health authorities, but it is expected that additional restrictive measures will be taken, at the discretion of the local health authorities."

RULE 26. Persons afflicted with trachoma, granulated lids, or contagious catarrhal conjunctivitis must be excluded from schools, public assemblages and from close association with other individuals, unless they are under the constant care and strict supervision of a competent physician, and holds a certificate from said physician stating that active inflammation has subsided, said certificate to be countersigned by the local health authority.

RULE 27. SCHOOLS TEMPORARILY CLOSED AND DISINFECTED:
A school house wherein a child suffering from smallpox, scarlet fever or diphtheria has been present, shall be deemed infected and must be temporarily closed and thoroughly disinfected and cleaned under the supervision of the local health authority before the reopening of the school.

RULE 28. SCHOOL MAY BE REOPENED AFTER DISINFECTION AND VACCINATION.

In the event of the aforementioned disease being smallpox and in case the Board of Trustees having passed an regulation requiring a successful vaccination of all teachers and pupils, the school may be reopened immediately after the above disinfection and cleaning, and all teachers and pupils who have been successfully vaccinated may return; otherwise the school shall be kept closed eighteen days or until the local health authority directs otherwise.

RULE 29. HEALTH AUTHORITY TO NOTIFY SUPERINTENDENTS OF PUPILS FROM INFECTED HOUSE.

The Local health authority shall notify the superintendent or principal of any school of the locations of quarantable disease, and if the superintendent or principal finds any attendants in such schools who live in such houses, he shall deny them admission to the said schools, only admitting them again upon presenting a certificate from the attending physician, countersigned by the local health authority, that there is no longer danger from contagion.

RULE 30. CHILDREN WITH CONTAGIOUS DISEASES SHALL NOT ATTEND SCHOOL.

No superintendent, principal or teacher of any school, and no parent, master or guardian of any child or minor, having the power and authority to prevent, shall permit any such child or minor,

Little Girl Seriously Ill.

The little baby girl of J. O. Roberts was painfully injured last week by falling off the porch and striking her head on a nail. No thought was given the injury more than to heal it up as fast as possible. Monday afternoon however, the little one became seriously ill and its condition was such as to cause the parents considerable uneasiness, but at this time there is no apprehension of its condition, and its speedy recovery is now looked for.—Lubbock Avalanche.

When you buy candy at Parkhurst's Broken Dollar Store ask about the "Guessing Contest." There's something in it for you, besides the best candy that you ever tasted. 12-1f

having any quarantinable disease, or any child residing in any house in which any such disease exists or has recently existed, to attend any public school, private school, church or Sunday school until the requirements of these rules shall have been complied with.

RULE 32. THESE RULES NOT TO PREVENT LOCAL RULES OF QUAR-

Tahoka Saddle Shop

G. R. MILLIKEN Prop.

Saddles, Harness,
Fancy Belts Made
Repairing Done



"Tin Tanks"

Of the very highest quality made to order at the very lowest price.
Plumbing Of All Kinds Done.

Complete Line Of
Shelf and heavy hardware
Buzzard-wingsweeps, Enamel ware
Tahoka Hardware Co.

BUYS LUBBOCK COUNTY SHEEP

The South Plains Land Co., sold to Mr. Tieffel, of Friona, last week 1900 head of sheep for Mr. Jones and 800 head for Mr. Johnson, delivery to be made in ten days at Friona. It is understood that a good stiff price was paid for both bunches as they were in excellent condition.—The Slatonite.

We are certainly pleased to learn that Messrs. Jones and Johnson received a good price for their sheep, as both of them live well within the borders of Lynn county.

GASOLINE
and gas engine oils at the
GINNERY. 13-16

QUARANTINE IF NO CONFLICT.

Nothing contained in these regulations shall be construed to prevent any city, county or town from establishing any quarantine which they may think necessary for the preservation of the health of the same; provided, that the rules and regulations of such quarantine be not inconsistent with the provisions of these regulations and be consistent with and

Church Notes

We would be pleased to free of charge all church notices; and notices from which revenue is derived, in this Notice from which a revenue derived will be run at half price.

BAPTIST—Sunday School: 10: a. m. every Sunday.

Preaching the second and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. R. Balch, pastor. 0-0-0-0

METHODIST—Sunday School: 10: a. m. every Sunday.

Preaching the first and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. R. J. McElrath, pastor. 0-0-0-0

CHRISTIAN—Sunday School: 10: a. m. every Sunday. 0-0-0-0

PRIMITIVE BAPTISTS—Preaching every fourth Sunday at the public school building at 10: a. m. and 8: p. m. 0-0-0-0

PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. J. Wood will preach the fourth day in each month at the Baptist Church at 11: a. m. and 8:30 p. m. 0-0-0-0

Prayermeeting every Wednesday night at the Baptist Church 8:30 p. m. 0-0-0-0

Prayermeeting at the Methodist Church every Thursday night 8:30 p. m. 0-0-0-0

Junior League at the Methodist Church every Sunday at 5: p. m. 0-0-0-0

Choir Practice every Friday evening at the Baptist Church 8:30 0-0-0-0

Baptist Young Peoples' Union meets every Sunday evening at the Tahoka Baptist Church 7:30 p. m. 0-0-0-0

The Womans Home Mission Society meets Monday afternoon after the first and third Sunday in each month. 0-0-0-0

Senior Epworth League meets every Sunday evening at the Methodist Church at 7:30. 0-0-0-0

subordinate to said provisions and the rules and regulations prescribed by the Governor and State Board of health. It shall be the duty of the local health authority to at once furnish the President of the State Board of Health with a true copy of any quarantine orders and regulations adopted by said local authorities.

RULE 33. Under rule 33 only health authorities are permitted to pass quarantine.

The dangerous pestilential diseases whose management is governed by law in this state are Asiatic Cholera, Plague, Typhus Fever, Yellow Fever, Leprosy, small pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria and Dengue. The first four being under an absolute quarantine. The last five under modified quarantine and in no case can any person be re-admitted to school who does not present a certificate from the city or county health officer showing that the law has been complied with in the given case.

Non-reportable contagious diseases quarantinable for school purposes only, are measles, whoopingcough, mumps, German measles and chicken pox, and any person having suffered from any of the above diseases must not be re-admitted under twenty one days from date of onset or upon a certificate from the health officer.

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NEXT YEAR IS A. D. 1912. It is also Presidential Campaign year. YOU, your wife and your children are interested in the general news of the World, the Nation, the State, the County and the Community. You can get it all by subscribing for the Lynn County News and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News at the clubbing price of \$1.50. Subscriptions, new or renewal taken at the office of the Lynn County News.

Going Out Of Business

\$15,000 Stock Of General Merchandise Must Be Sold Regardless Of Cost

We Are Going Out Of The Mercantile Business In Tahoka Which Makes It Necessary To Close Out Our Entire Stock Of General Merchandise At Some Price. This Will Not Be A Reduction Or Special Sale, But A Genuine Bonafide "Closing Out Sale." Nothing Reserved. Every Dollars Worth Must Be Sold In The Next Sixty Days. : : : : : : : : : :

Sale Commences Monday November 27th, 1911

We do not say it boastingly but we believe we have as nice and well selected a stock of goods as you will find in West Texas, we also believe that we own our goods at less than any other merchant on the Plains. Doing cash business in the past enabled us to take advantage of all Special discounts. Cost And Carriage Or Cost Less Freight Prices Not In It.

WE ARE GOING TO SELL This Means \$'s To You!

We regret very much going out of business in Tahoka as we have enjoyed a splendid trade ever since we have been here, but other Business compells us to close out our store.

REMEMBER THE PLACE AND DATE
Bring the family and spend a day in Tahoka
Tahoka Mercantile Co.

WANTED:--Sales-
ladies, Salesmen and
Wrappers : : :

BEST EVER

Meet Me In Tahoka Texas December 2, 1911

WANTED:--Sales-
ladies, Salesmen and
Wrappers : : :

THE GIGANTIC MOVING SALE

OF

Ketner & Hatchett

\$15,000 - Stock Must Go For Cash - \$15,000

Will Start Saturday, December 2nd, 9 a. m.

This Sale will last 10 days--no more, no less. Come early before the Stock is picked over. Store located on the North Side of the Square. : : : :

All Goods Are Cash; No Charges Will Be Made

We are in need of the money and must have it, regardless of the cost of our goods. Don't forget the date, December 2nd and the place, KETNER & HATCHETT. Come and make yourself at home in our store. : : : : :

Dry Goods **Dry Goods**

More dry goods for less money than you ever bought before

Don't Take Our Word For It Come and See For Yourself ¶ This Stock Of Dry Goods Must Be Reduced Before December 15, 1911. ¶ Mr. J. E. Ketner Has Bought The Interest of Mr. S. B. Hatchett in The Firm of KETNER & HATCHETT And Must Reduce His Stock Before Moving Into His New Building. : : : : :

BOB MAJORS WILL SELL YOU FURNITURE AT COST, AND BELOW COST

We Buy Cotton
WE PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE FOR COTTON. CASH WHETHER YOU BUY THE GOODS OR NOT.
Ketner & Hatchett

Furniture Store on East Side of Square--Will Store your Cotton and Insure it at a Reasonable Price. Before leaving town come by Bob Majors' and get you a nice Trunk, Hand-bag or Suit-case for Cost. Don't take our word, Come to Tahoka, Texas, December 2nd 1911 and make Our Stores, Your Headquarters--Bob Majors' for Furniture--Ketner & Hatchett's for Dry Goods and Groceries.

Produce Wanted
PRODUCE BOUGHT AND SOLD. BRING US YOUR PRODUCE--WE WANT TO HANDLE IT FOR YOU.
Ketner & Hatchett

Extraordinary Low Prices On All Dry Goods

1,000 pairs of Shoes for Men, Women and Children, ranging in price from 50c to \$5.00	33c to \$3.98
300 Men's Hats from \$3. to \$5.00	1.48 to 2.48
Stetson Hats from \$4.50 to \$7.00	3.23 to 4.98
Men's Suits from \$10.00 to \$20.00	6.98 to 12.89
Men's Overalls from 75c to \$1.25	43c to 89c
Suit Cases from \$1.50 to \$6.25	99c to 3.48
Men's Underwear from 50c to \$1.65	19c to 1.19
Men's Half Hose 15c to 35c	1-3c to 23c
Men's Handkerchiefs	3c
Trunks from \$4.00 to \$11.00	2.78 to 7.48

Ladie's and Childrens' Underwear ranging in price from 40c to \$1.25	23c to 89c
Men's Neglige Shirts from 75c to \$1.50	39c to 99c
Gloves, Men's Women's and Childrens', ranging in price from 25c to \$2.50	13c to 1.98
Best A. F. C. Gingham, 12 1-2c	10c
Dress Goods from 50c to \$1.25	33c to 89c
Calico from 6c to 7 1-2c	4 1-2 to 5 1-2c
Embroidery from 10c to \$1.00	6c to 63c
All-over Lace, \$1.00	63c
7 Spools Thread	25c
Hose--Ladies 15c seller	25c
Hose--Children 25c seller	19c

Ten Per Cent and Over Off On All Groceries

Flour--Extra High Patent	2.90
Flour--High Patent	2.30
Eupion Oil	15c
Pure Apple Vinegar	30c
Swift's Laundry Soap	25c
Swift's Laundry Soap	1.00
Jack Frost Baking Powder 25c seller	20c
K. C. Baking Powder 25c seller	20c
200 cans Calumet Baking Powder 10c seller	5c
Smoked Bacon	15c
Fine China Ware	10c

Notice To Public
Be sure to bring this with you for reference. : : : :

Ketner & Hatchett
Remember The Date Saturday, Dec. 2nd

Notice To Public
In buying goods during this Sale have the clerk who waits on you to give an itemized bill of each article you buy. If goods are not as represented, return goods and bill and get your money back. Mail orders our careful received attention

Commences At

Tahoka, Texas, December 2nd, 1911

For Ten Days Till December 12, 1911

All Kinds Of Furniture At A

Big Sacrifice

Majors For Furniture

Ketner & Hatchett For Groceries

I need money and to get it intend closing out my immense stock of high grade Furniture at less than cost and to do so offer FOR CASH ONLY for 10 days commencing Saturday morning

December 2nd, 1911

And Ending December 12th, 1911

my stock of Furniture, Mattresses, Springs, Pillows, Curtains and house furnishings.

Remember! Nothing Charged, Cash Only. You can buy Furniture, Dry Goods and Groceries all the same day for less than Cost. One Trip Will Do It All.

The Highest Price Paid In Cash For Your Cotton

We Have Arrangements Made And Will Pay You Cash For All Cotton.

We want it.

All Cotton Mattresses

Very Best Ticking

\$8.00 Mattresses Reduced to 5.00
\$5.75 Mattresses Reduced to 4.00
\$4.50 Mattresses Reduced to 3.00

Bed Steads

A Neat Iron Bed Reduced from \$4.00 to 2.50
A Dandy Iron Bed Reduced from \$6.00 to 3.50
A Still Neater Iron Bed Reduced from \$7.00 to 4.00
A Better Iron Bed Reduced from \$8.00 to 5.00
A fancy square post very heavy Reduced from \$15.00 to 9.00

Sewing Machines

Do you want a Sewing Machine? I have three that must go,
\$65.00 Machine Now \$33.00
\$47.50 Machine Now 20.50
\$32.00 Machine Now 16.00

Chairs

Actual Cost for Anything in the House

2 dozen Folding Chairs neat comfortable and handy, these go regardless of cost Reduced from \$1.25 75c
Campstools at 25c
Dining Room Chairs from \$1.75 1.25
1 lot Leather Bottom Parlor Chairs they are most too expensive for my trade, if you want some thing nice take them for 14.00
The Set. I am losing money on these but they must be sold.
Good Dining Chairs at 90c and 65c
Rocking Chairs From \$12.00 each down to 2.25

Dressers

Solid Oak Dresser, beveled plate glass Mirror. A dandy, reduced 25.00
From \$38.00 to
Solid Oak Dresser, bevel plate glass Mirror, 18x40 Reduced from \$20 to 12.50
Washstand to match marked down from \$7.50 to 3.50

Rugs

I Am Overstocked on Rugs and Want to Sell Them.

Axminster Rug 9x12 Reduced from \$25.00 to 16.50
They are Beauties.
Brussell Rug 9x12 Reduced from \$16.00 to 10.50
Small Rugs 36x72 Reduced from \$4.00 to 3.20
Small Rugs 27x54 Reduced from \$3.50 to 2.25
Fibre Rugs Sold for \$1.50 now 1.00
Fibre Rugs 9x12 Reduced from \$15.00 to 10.00

Cheffoniers

1 Golden Oak Cheffonier Reduced from \$15 10.00
You can't do without at this price. The only one in stock.

China Closets

2 handsome China Closets, one with plate glass mirror in back, they are beauties and must go reduced from \$32.50 & \$25 to 22.75 & 18.50

Kitchen Cabinets

About 1/2 dozen Kitchen Cabinets with flour and meal bins, meat boards dough boards, upright cupboards, with glass fronts, without glass, the price cut in half
A \$20. Cabinet 10.00
A \$10. Cabinet 5.00
You can't afford to let this go by.

Combination Desks

A combination Bookcase and Writing Desk finished in Golden Oak; a pretty and appropriate Christmas presents but it has to go 12.50
Cut from \$18. 50
Another Writing Desk and Bookcase not quite as large as the other, Cut from \$15.00 10.00

Buffets

Solid Oak Buffet, 3 drawers, cabinets, beveled plate glass mirror, heavy and massive Reduced from \$30 to 18.50
This is a Bargain.
1 Buffet, Golden Oak finish, 3 drawers, 2 cupboards, beveled plate glass mirror, heavy and massive Reduced from \$37.50 to 25.00

Remember that this is only a small part of my Stock and it all goes. I have everything you need from the Kitchen to the Parlor and you can get everything at Bargain Prices. Now is the time to buy your Christmas Presents for the home; you can get something that will be useful as well as ornamental.

Remember The Date, Ten days Only, December 2nd to 12th Inclusive.

Remember Everything Goes at Cost and Below For Cash

W. R. Majors

EAST SIDE SQUARE

TAHOKA, TEXAS