

# LYNN COUNTY NEWS

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Number 3



**YOUR BOY REPRESENTS THE FAMILY EVERYWHERE HE GOES. AND HE GOES TO MANY PLACES WHERE YOU DON'T GO. DON'T YOU WANT THE FAMILY TO BE WELL THOUGHT OF? YOU CAN'T DO IT IN WORN OUT OLD CLOTHES AND NEITHER CAN THE BOY.**

**BOYS' CLOTHES DON'T COST MUCH IN OUR STORE AND IT WILL MAKE YOU MORE PROUD OF HIM. MAKE HIM MORE CONFIDENT OF HIMSELF AND HE WILL STUDY BETTER IF HE IS WELL DRESSED. COME IN AND FIT YOUR BOY OUT IN THE CLOTHES HE OUGHT TO HAVE.**

**JUST ARRIVED: NEW BATCH OF BOYS' SUITS.**

## Knight & Brashear

### TAHOKA ENTERTAINS SECOND QUOTA

Actuated by a feeling of shame for the wry the first five per cent of our soldier boys to leave for the training camp were treated, the people of Tahoka decided that we would do better by the boys who left on the Wednesday morning train for Camp Travis.

Beginning with the free supper furnished the boys at the Stokes Hotel Tuesday night and ending with everybody going to the train to see them off Wednesday morning, many even going as far as Slaton with them, the boys were given a good sendoff.

Tuesday evening the Stokes Hotel was the scene of an occasion both happy and sad. 33 of our Lynn county boys were entertained at a banquet given in their honor by the citizens. As usual the management did every thing in their power to make the affair one long to be remembered by everyone present. The dining room was beautifully decorated. Confety in the national colors was festooned from the ceiling and the stars and stripes draped the walls. Among the decorations was a Confederate flag made by the ladies of Tahoka for the veterans of the civil war to use when old Judge Perryman was laid to rest. How fitting that this flag like the Spirit of the "Bonnie South" should look down in benediction on our boys going in answer to the call of Uncle Sam to follow the Stars and Stripes as their grandfathers followed the Stars and Bars. Supper began at six-thirty and continued until one hundred guests were satisfied; those other than the soldier boys being invited by Mr. Stokes and served at his own expense in true Southern "open house" hospitality. The menu consisted of turkey, ham, pickles, fruit salad, pimento sandwiches with a small flag as a souviner, caramel pie, ice cream, nut cake, pineapple cake, devils food and silver cake comprised the desert followed by orange, pineapple, bannanas and apples. Nothing stronger than ice tea and coffee was served. Bennie Ewing and Aubry Thomas served as volunteer waiters; saying they could do their bit if they could not go

### THROUGH OUR MEMBERSHIP

in the Federal Reserve Banking System, we are placed in a stronger position than ever before to take care of the requirements of all our depositors, whether large or small, whether they keep checking or saving accounts; and at the same time to give them the most modern banking service.

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SYSTEM**

which this system gives to your money deposited with us.

## The First National Bank Of Tahoka.

No. 8597

Report of the Condition of

### The First National Bank

At Tahoka, in the State of Texas,  
at the close of business on Sept. 11, 1917.

#### RESOURCES.

1. a Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c) \$ 264,103.85	
Total loans .....	264,103.85
Deduct:	
d Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) (see Item 53a) .. \$ 36,138.55	36,138.55
2. Overdrafts, secured, \$ .....	1,921.95
unsecured, \$ .....	1,921.95
5 U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds of 1917):	
a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) 12,500.00	
Total U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds) and certificates of indebtedness .....	12,500.00
6. a Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged .....	3,000.00
3,000.00	
9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription) .....	1,800.00
10. a value of banking house .....	7,000.00
7,000.00	
11. Furniture and fixtures .....	3,000.00
13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank .....	27,196.26
15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks .....	107,089.62
16. Net amounts due from banks and bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14, and 15 .....	6,527.07
18. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17) .....	42.70
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 .....	113,659.39
19. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items .....	1,652.48
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer .....	625.00
TOTAL .....	400,325.38

#### LIABILITIES.

22. Capital stock paid in .....	50,000.00
23. Surplus fund .....	10,000.00
24. a Undivided profits .....	7,917.53
b Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid .....	2,770.83
27. Circulating notes outstanding .....	12,500.00
Demand deposits subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
31. Individual deposits subject to check .....	297,882.18
32. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) .....	53.50
34. Cashier's checks outstanding .....	115.00
Total demand deposits subject to Reserve, Items 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, and 38 .....	298,050.68
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 36 days or more notice):	
39. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed) .....	24,628.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 39, 40, 41, and 42 .....	24,628.00
TOTAL .....	400,325.38
53. a Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with the Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d) .....	36,138.55
Total contingent liabilities .....	36,138.55

State of Texas, County of Lynn, ss:  
I, W. B. Slaton, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
W. B. SLATON, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of September, 1917.  
C. E. Brown, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:  
W. D. Nevels }  
G. W. Small } Directors.  
A. L. Lockwood }

No. 1047  
**BANKS**  
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the  
**GUARANTY STATE BANK**  
at Tahoka, State of Texas,  
at the close of business on the 11th day of September, 1917, published in the Lynn County News, a newspaper printed and published at Tahoka, State of Texas, on the 21st day of September, 1917.

<b>RESOURCES</b>	
Loans and Discounts, personal and collateral .....	55,072.89
Loans, real estate .....	2,110.00
Overdrafts .....	200.50
Real estate (banking house) .....	14,421.08
Furniture and Fixtures .....	3,230.15
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net .....	38,065.24
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net .....	2,564.30
Cash Items .....	384.65
Currency .....	1,426.00
Specie .....	3,934.43
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund .....	1,050.00
TOTAL .....	122,459.74

<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Capital Stock paid in .....	50,000.00
Undivided Profits, net .....	1,001.76

Individual Deposits, subject to check .....	60,630.98
Time Certificates of Deposits .....	800.00
Cashier's Checks .....	27.00
Bills payable and Rediscounts .....	25,000.00
TOTAL .....	122,459.74

State of Texas ) We, A. D. Shook  
County of Lynn ) as president, and J.  
W. Elliott as assistant cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
A. D. Shook, President.  
J. W. Elliott, Assistant Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
R. A. Chambers, Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of September, A. D. 1917.  
W. A. Waller, C. E. Brown, Notary Public Lynn County Texas.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Subject of the action of the July 1918  
Democratic Primary

For County and District Clerk;  
R. S. (Bob) Davidson.

**Unveiling Postponed.**

On account of the rain Sunday the ninth, and the inability of Mrs. Ples Crouch to be present on that date, the unveiling of the Ples Crouch monument at the Tahoka Cemetery by the W. O. W. Camp here was postponed for two weeks until Sunday September the 23rd. The members of the home Camp, and visiting Woodmen are cordially invited to assist, and everybody is invited to attend the ceremony.  
JOE L. STOKES, Clerk.

**Motorcycle Rider Killed.**

Tulia, Tex., Sept. 18.—Frank Reeves of Moody, Texas, a farm laborer working on a farm near Tulia, was accidentally killed Sunday evening about 6 o'clock by his motorcycle. The body was found Monday about noon, indications were that he was running at a high rate of speed and lost control of the machine which seems to have fallen on him crushing his skull.  
The body was shipped to relatives at Moody, Texas, today.—Amarillo Daily News.

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**Dr. J. H. McCoy**

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Office at Barnes Drug Store.  
Office Phone 13 Res. phone 108

**C. H. Cain**  
Lawyer

Office in Guaranty Bank Bldg  
Tahoka, Texas

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Office room 3 Guaranty Bank Bldg  
Tahoka, Texas

**J. A. Moore**  
Attorney-at-Law

Office in Guaranty State Bank  
Building, Tahoka, Texas.  
COLLECTIONS A SPECIALTY

**An Ordinance Adopting a Sanitary Code for the City of Tahoka and Providing a Penalty for Violation Thereof.**

Art. 1. Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Tahoka, that all Physicians practicing within the said city shall report all infectious, contagious and pestilential diseases, said report shall be made in writing or by acknowledged telephone communication to the city health officer for said city, immediately after his first professional visit. The phrase contagious and infectious diseases shall include the following: Asiatic Cholera, Bubonic Plague, Typhus Fever, Yellow Fever, Leprosy, Small Pox, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Typhoid Fever, Measles, Cerebrospinal meningitis, Dysentery, and Tuberculosis.

Art. 2. It shall be the duty of the city health officer upon notice as herein provided to cause a yellow flag to be placed at the gate where such diseases are found to exist, and to make such orders and quarantine regulations as he shall deem to be the best interest of the citizens of Tahoka.

Art. 3. It shall be unlawful for any person after having received notice of such diseases to enter into or come out of such building without first obtaining permission from the city health officer.

Art. 4. Any person violating this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined in any sum not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars.

This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

D. T. ROGERS, Mayor.

We failed to mention last week that the commissioners had accepted the new court house. The officers moved Monday and Tuesday of this week and are now at home in their new quarters.

Jack Blankenship has traded his place near the south edge of town for three sections in Yoakum county and expects to move about the first of the week. Jack says he has fine grass already headed out, and got another good rain Saturday of last week. He bought an adjoining section about two o'clock last Saturday and the rain fell about dark. He says that he made a dollar an acre by the rain. Jack tells of so many good things on his place that it makes a fellow feel plumb sociable towards him, like he would like to go to see him after he gets located.

**An Ordinance Prohibiting the Running at Large of Animals Within the Incorporated Limits of the City of Tahoka, Creating a City Pound and Providing a Penalty for the Violation of This Ordinance.**

Art. 1. Any person who shall suffer or allow any horse, mule, cow, sheep, goat, hog or any other animal of like kind belonging to him or in his possession to run at large within the city limits of Tahoka shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall pay a fine of any sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars.

Art. 2. A city pound is hereby created, and all such stock found running at large within the city limits of the city of Tahoka shall be taken up by the city Marshall and put in the

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shall estray such animal and advertise and sell same as required by law governing estrays. The city Marshal shall be deemed

guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction pay a fine of not less than five nor more than ten dollars, and shall pay the expense of impounding such animals as herein providek.  
D. T. ROGERS, Mayor.

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We don't know whether it was celebration of the officers moving into the building or to honor the soldier boys who were entertained there Tuesday night, but no. C. Woodall secured a flag from somewhere Tuesday morning and with the assistance of Mr. Townes hoisted it above the court house. Lynn county is again flying the colors which have been absent from our county capitol for the past few weeks.

### An Ordinance Requiring the Owners of Property Within the City of Tahoka, to Bury or Otherwise Properly Dispose of all Carcasses of Dead Fowls, Cats, and Etc.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Tahoka that the owner or owners of any premises within the limits of the city of Tahoka, be and they are hereby required to bury, burn or haul the carcasses of all dead fowls, cats and other small animals dying or found dead on their premises to the dumping ground of said city of Tahoka.

Sec. 2. That any person violating section one of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined in any sum not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars.

Sec. 3. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

D. T. ROGERS, Mayor.

### An Ordinance Creating a City Health Officer, a Sanitary Board and Prescribing Their Duties.

Art. 1. The office of the city health officer and a sanitary board is hereby created, each to be filled by appointment by the city Mayor. It shall be the duty of the sanitary board to inspect the premises of the resident citizens of the city of Tahoka and report to the city health officer the names of all persons whose premises are kept in an unsanitary condition. It shall be the duty of the health officer after receiving such notice, from the sanitary board to notify the owner or occupant of such premises and make such orders as he thinks proper.

Art. 2. Any person who refuses to abide by the order of the city health officer shall be deemed guilty and upon conviction be fined in any sum not to exceed ten dollars.

This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication as the law directs.

Passed this the—day of—1917.  
D. T. ROGERS, Mayor.  
Attested — Clerk.

W. H. Birdwell of Gains county, was in Tahoka Monday shipping four cars of cattle to market.

### A GREAT FAIR.

That the Panhandle State Fair to be held at Amarillo, October 8th to 13th, will be much better and bigger than ever before, is now an established fact. There will be upwards of \$18,000 in premiums and purses to be contended for. There is \$10,000 in the cattle division alone, \$6,500 of which is offered in the Hereford classes. Already enough entries have been announced to make the coming exhibition in the class with the Chicago Fat show and the Royal of Kansas City, and it will be better than the Denver and Fort Worth shows. If the people of the Southwest can be brought to realize this fact as many as 75,000 people should pass through the gates at the fair to see this feature alone. But this is only one of the main attractions. One of the best agricultural displays ever shown is already promised all over the Panhandle section. Never in the history of the fair has the amusement end received so much attention as is being given it this year. Secretary J. L. Van Natta informs us that there are more than fifty horses already entered in the harness races and he expects to see the number increased to eighty before the entries close.

There is \$4,000 in purses hung up for the races. Then Mr. Van Natta has secured several clean amusement features which will practically make "something doing" every minute. Among these latter, Mlle. La Bella and Dare Devil Hurley appear twice daily in their great automobile cloud swing, which has to be seen to be appreciated; Bell and Eva, do acrobatic and clown stunts that are right up-to-now; Grace Ayer, said to be the premier roller skater of the world puts on two exhibitions every day. These are all free entertainments for those who attend the fair. Other free attractions are being sought.

If the people of the Southwest will take hold of this great fair as they should we will soon have as great an exhibition right here at home as the State Fair at Dallas. Get busy, tell your friends about it, and make arrangements to be there with the whole family!

A near fatal tragedy was enacted near Wilson last week when Jessie Gray, aged twelve years, received a bullet wound from a gun in the hands of her brother, aged eight years. The boy was playing with the gun and accidentally discharged it. The bullet entered the girl's right jaw and ranged upward, lodging under the base of the brain. A physician was called from Slaton to dress the wound. The girl was then sent to a sanitarium at Post where it was found impossible to remove the bullet without endangering her life. She was returned to her home Monday and at last reports was getting along nicely. Jessie is the daughter of J. J. Gray, a farmer living two miles east of Wilson.—Slatonite.

Bob Bowers and Cleve Williams have arranged for a building in Brownfield and will open up a grain and coal business there about the last of the week Bob says their stock is already on the way and that they expect to carry a larger stock than they have carried here. Cleve is an old Terry county man and Bob is well acquainted there, having served the Terry county public from here when Tahoka was their railroad point. We wish them success in their new venture.

## Pains, Dizzy Spells

Mrs. G. P. Cartwright, of Whitwell, Tenn., writes: "I suffered with bearing-down pains. . . The dizzy spells got so bad that when I would start to walk, I would just pretty nearly fall. Was very much run-down. I told my husband I thought Cardui would help me. . . He got me a bottle. . . It helped me so much that he got me another bottle. I got a whole lot better. The dizzy spells and the bearing-down pains . . . left me entirely."

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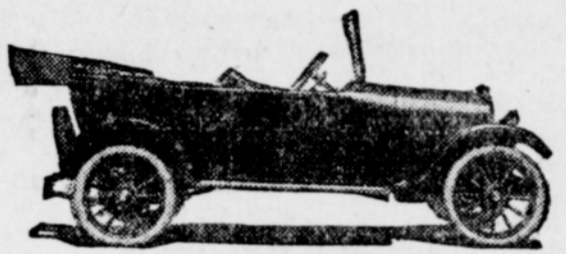
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## R. L. Bowers

Tahoka Texas

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**Brown-Wells**

W. C. Wells and Miss Jewel Brown were married at the home of the bride's parents, Sunday at 9:00 a. m. The wedding was a very quiet affair, none being present but the immediate families of the contracting parties. The bride was attired in a beau-

tiful traveling suit of brown broadcloth and hat to match. The happy pair left immediately for Post where they took dinner. They left that afternoon for Fort Worth, Dallas, Waco and Mineral Wells. They are followed by the good wishes of a host of friends.

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AMARILLO

**TAHOKA ENTERTAINS SECOND QUOTA**

to the front.

About half past seven Tuesday evening the district court room began to fill and by the time the boys had been rounded up ready to be marched in the room and balcony were not only full but overflowing, standing room even being at a premium. The program was opened by Mayor D. T. Rogers calling the house to order and after a few remarks to the assembly, the boys were marched in and seated to the right of the rostrum amid cheers and hand clappings. The assembly was called to their feet while everybody, led by the quartett, sang America. Rev. Parker, the Baptist pastor, opened the meeting with a fervent and inspiring prayer, after which the male quartett rendered "My Bonnie Lies Over The Ocean." Mayor Rogers then made the boys a short address and introduced the first speaker, Prof. J. B. Walker, the Tahoka postmaster, who took the place of Judge Lockhart on the program, the Judge not being able to be present on account of attending court at Lamesa. Prof. Walker made a splendid patriotic speech, among other things saying that he had two brothers one of whom is subject to draft and the other being "somewhere" in France as a volunteer. He also told the boys that, while it was extremely unlikely, yet if they found they needed any help to "can the Kaiser" just to send him a wire and he held himself ready at any time to come over and help them finish the job. The professor was repeatedly encored and did himself proud as a representative of the government. When the assembly became quiet again, the next speaker, Judge J. A. Moore, was introduced, and immediately launched out into a speech which as one present stated, was the finest piece of oratory ever delivered in Tahoka. Judge B. P. Maddox was then introduced and delivered a patriotic speech eulogizing Texas and Texans past and present, which was heartily and repeatedly applauded. He also advocated the establishment of a Red Cross Chapter. Mayor Rogers then took the floor and proceeded with the organization. Mrs. Ramsey was elected president by acclamation. (Mrs. Ramsey has since appointed Mrs. B. P. Maddox temporary secretary, and a committee on organization, and called a meeting at the court house for Saturday afternoon to perfect the permanent organization.) After a couple of songs by the quartett, the meeting was adjourned with a splendid prayer by Rev. R. F. Dunn the Methodist pastor.

On account of the News being so rushed with legal publications this week, we will have to postpone tell of the boys' departure until next week, when we hope to have a picture of them at the depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Montgomery were Tahoka visitors Sunday accompanied by their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wheelock. The young people have been married about two weeks. The old folks had planned a wedding and a big send off on the 20th of this month, which is Miss Inas birthday. The young folks decided to save time and trouble and were quietly married and then came home and broke the news.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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We notice by the Brownfield Herald that Miss Wee Belle Hergett, a teacher in the Tahoka schools several years ago, is conducting the school at Seagraves in Gains county, which opened last Monday. Seagraves is the terminal of the Santa Fe branch which was recently completed thru Brownfield.

We see in the Plainview Twice-a-week Herald of Sept. 14th, that among the 17 men to leave for Camp Travis the morning of the nineteenth is one giving Tahoka as his postoffice, namely: Order number 10, serial number 275, Wm. Marion Moore.

Mrs. Ewing and Bennie will leave the last of the week for Canyon, where Mr. Ewing has been for the past two weeks. They will make their home there during this term of school.



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