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for the lady of the house to keep tab on her expenditures is to pay all bills by check. It will simplify matters a great deal—give her an undisputable receipt—and at the same time eliminate the risk and inconvenience of keeping a lot of cash around the house. Furthermore, the check stub will show at a glance the total amount of expenditures for a stated time which enables her to keep expenses within your agreed-upon allowance.

Our special department for the ladies is a great convenience for them; why not open an account for your wife?

Modern Banking In All Its Branches
The Guaranty State Bank

Dyer-Guinn.

Saturday evening last, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dyer, Rev. C. H. Ledger pronounced the words which bound together for life, Miss Mozelle Dyer of the Edith community, and Mr. Will H. Guinn of Slaton.

Miss Mozelle has been virtually raised here, and has a wide circle of friends who join in wishing her all happiness in married life. Mr. Guinn is the proprietor of the picture show in our neighboring city to the north. The young couple will make their future home there.

Kodak finishing done correctly and promptly.—Ben Moore. 49-1f

J. M. Noble, of the West Point community, suffered a painful laceration of his right hand last Friday, when a rifle shell exploded in a gun he was attempting to load. Mr. Noble noticed a wolf near the house, and took down an old high-power Winchester, with the intention of taking a shot at the wolf. When he attempted to throw a shell into the barrel it hung in the breech lock and exploded. The shell struck him in the palm of the hand inflicting a painful wound. He was brought to town for medical attention that evening and returned home Sunday night.

W. H. Miller, recently of south of town, passed thru Tahoka Monday with his worldly possessions aboard the train, bound for New Mexico where he will reside in the future. Will was so busy we didn't get to interview him, and do not know what part of New Mexico he will locate in.

S. S. Ramsey, contractor on the Guy Shook house in East Tahoka, had the misfortune to fall from the roof of the house last Saturday. He fell about eight feet. He sustained severe bruises about the back, and has been very uncomfortable since. He is reported better at present, and we hope to see him on the streets again soon.

Mrs. E. N. Weathers returned last Friday from Wichita Falls, where she has been visiting her son, Larkin, for the past three weeks. Mrs. Weathers accompanied her son home from a visit he paid home folks here.

Notice to Creditors.

The State of Texas }
County of Lynn } To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of Ed. Fertsch, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Ed. Fertsch, deceased, late of Wilson, Lynn County, Texas, by the County Court of Lynn County, Texas, on April 24, 1916, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law. His residence and post office address is Hallettsville, Lavaca County, Texas.

CHAS. FERTSCH, Administrator of the Estate of Ed. Fertsch, deceased. 48-51

C. W. Green, the cream man, was inspecting his new building between the Guaranty State Bank and Ketner's last Saturday and while inspecting the ceiling, inadvertently placed his left foot on the point of a nail which with no criminal intent had been driven thru a board. Having thus placed his left propeller, he bore all his weight upon it and was pained to feel said nail pass thru the ball of his foot, the point being visible thru the skin on the top of his foot. We are pleased to inform our readers that Mr. Green is now able to perambulate without a stick, and ere this is printed will probably be wearing a pair of shoes that are mates.

J. E. Ketner is making arrangements to go to market the middle of next week. He will go to Dallas to pick out the colors of his fall goods that he purchased this spring.

At the district court recently adjourned at Post City, the court sentenced one bootlegger to the pen for one year and a burglar for four years. The grand jury returned 21 bills, 19 of which were felonies. Most of the felonies were for bootlegging and rustling—cow stealing.

J. H. Nessel, W. A. and Chas. Lechy, and another party from Wilson left last Wednesday in a car for south Texas to visit friend, and convince themselves that they had much rather live in Lynn County than back there.

Rains At Tahoka Saturday And Sunday

About noon Saturday it began sprinkle rain in Tahoka which soon developed into a downpour that lasted with more or less intensity all the afternoon, until the government rain gauge registered a rainfall of 76-100 of an inch. Sunday about the middle of the afternoon another rain to the amount of 27-100 of an inch fell in Tahoka. As well as we can learn, these two rains extended six or seven miles north of Tahoka, ten miles west and four to six miles south, while to the east there was a still greater difference in the range of distances. While there are yet some parts of the county that need rain and the crops are suffering, by far the greater portion of the county is in fine shape and will produce abundant crops this season.

The Holiness meeting at Meadow which closed a couple of weeks ago was a very successful meeting and resulted in the upbuilding of Zion in the entire community. The services were conducted by T. M. Scott traveling evangelist of the Pentecostal Nazarine Church.

W. M. Rice of Amarillo, the architect of the new, \$75,000.00 court house now under construction by A. Z. Rogers, in the center of the Tahoka public square, was down Wednesday and as a result of his visit the construction work stopped for the afternoon, while Mr. Rice, Mr. Rodgers, and several of the Lynn county officials held a consultation.

Your friends can buy anything you can give them except your photograph.—Ben Moore. 49-1f



Grab It! Don't Miss It!

Never Let a Good Thing Slip By You.

Do you know that the recent advance in flour has been so great that flour is worth more in car lots than we are selling it for by the 100 pounds?

You ask how we can do this, and here is the reason: When we thought we saw the advance in flour coming, we booked 3 straight car loads of flour at the old price and hence own considerable flour at a price that enables us to still sell at the prices we are making and yet have a good margin of profit. We are going to give our trade the benefit of our good fortune in owning this lot of flour. Farmer, it is a good time, in our judgement to buy a supply for prices do not promise to be better soon, and if you do not so, it will not be long until you will look back with regret at your mistake. We make better prices by the one thousand pounds.

Knight & Brashear

B. Y. P. U. To Organize Sunday

We have been requested to announce thru these columns, that the young people will organize a local union of the B. Y. P. U. at the Baptist Church in Tahoka, Sunday next at 6 P. M. Every one is welcome to join, and there membership and influence will be appreciated, but especially are all the young people of the town urged to join this union and lend their influence for right living.

The programs will be interesting and instructive, and while religious in spirit and subject, still will fill a long felt want in the social features of the Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Yates of the Three Lake community, were Tahoka visitors Wednesday. Mr. Yates said it was still very dry out his way and it looked to him as though it must rain soon if it does any good.

Organize Yeoman Homestead

State Deputy Somerville, of the Yeoman, has been in Tahoka for several weeks soliciting members for his fraternity. His work being culminated Thursday night in the organization of Tahoka Home Stead, No. 5341. The Slaton degree team, 22 strong, came down late Thursday afternoon and met with the members that evening and put on the drill work, and initiated one candidate. Right here we want to say that the Slaton Homestead has a team whose work might be envied by any lodge anywhere.

Tahoka Homestead organized with about sixty charter members, and the initial meeting was the most enthusiastic lodge gathering that has been held in Tahoka for many moons. Following the initiation of the candidate and the completion of the drill, the lodge was called to order and nominations for officers for the first term were in order. J. M. Wallace was elected Foreman, Miss Lilye Harrison was elected to the place of Correspondent, and Fred McDaniel will fill the post of Master of Ceremonies. The other officers are appointive, and will be announced at the next meeting, which will be Thursday night August 10. All members present Thursday, also those who have not yet been initiated are requested to be there.

The business of the evening transacted, the party was regaled with delicious ice cream and cake, both manufactured in Tahoka. Mr. Somerville was the host of this treat, which was enjoyed by all present.

J. B. Lowe has his well drilling machine at the City Blacksmith Shop this week and is giving the machine a thorough overhauling, preparatory for the fall rush of work. Mr. Lowe stated to the News man that this is only the second time in three years that he has not been overcrowded with work.

Bernie Shook happened to a painful accident Thursday when he stepped on a sliver of pine at his father's new home under construction in North Tahoka. The sliver was sharp pointed and about a quarter of an inch in diameter at the but end. It entered the ball of the heel and penetrated about an inch and three quarters. Failing to remove the splinter alone, he called one of his older brothers, who made a couple of pulls before extracting it from the wound. He was carried home and the place dressed. At last accounts he was doing well.

Luther Nevels, of the north line of the county, was a Tahoka visitor Friday.

Permanent Railroad Survey Now Being Made

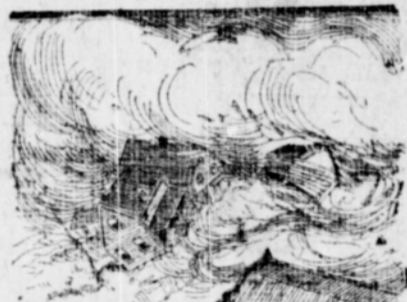
Lubbock Avalanche:

Last week we announced that Lubbock had signed an agreement with the Santr Fe officials to secure the right-of-way for the road to run from here to points southwest, and we are at liberty to state this week that this proposed road will run to Brownfield, the county seat of Terry County and continue in a south-westerly direction to a point near the southeast corner of Yoakum County, which so far as we know is to be the terminus of the road for the present.

Madison Yates attempted to ride a young horse last Sunday, and the horse proceeded to lay down on him. He failed to fall clear of the saddle and his left foot was caught under the animal, resulting in a severe bruise and a few strained tendons of the member.

Geo. Short was in Tahoko Wednesday, and informed the News man that he had about an inch of rain in all Saturday and Sunday, and that it came just right to do his crops the most good. In the spring George began planting and by the time he had planted 100 acres the ground was so dry that he stopped planting and began cultivating the crops that had come up, and he listed the 65 acres he had not planted. Three times he listed the 65 acres and then in July he planted this last patch of land "in the dust." So the rain has come just right to bring this last planting up and the crop will grow right off and produce well.

Mrs. Homer Sheats of Buena Vista, Texas, Mrs. R. P. Moore and Mrs. L. F. Davis, both of Matador, Texas, are visiting their sister, Mrs. A. E. Herring of North Tahoka, this week.



IT IS TOO LATE

D. A. Parkhurst--Fire, Hail and Tornado Ins.

After the Havoc

and after the mighty uprisings of the elements gets in its deadly work. But before the tornado's onrush you can protect every possession and ris from the forthcoming wreck an absolutely indemnified an protected property holder. Start thinking.

\$50 In Gold

Thomas Bros. big automobile contest is the greatest ever put on in Tahoka

To show appreciation of interest taken by the contestants and their friends who are boosting so earnestly for them, \$50.00 in gold is offered for the contestant who works earnestly but does not quite get the capital prize.

Only a few weeks now left to win and remember that success depends on your efforts. If you do not work you will not win.

Thomas Bros. Drug Co.
The Rexall Store, Tahoka, Texas



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"The Careful Druggist"

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Congress of March 3rd, 1879.

Four Issues Counted a Month

Oh, yes, lots of people believe in hell and most of 'em believe in heaven; however, the great majority of 'em show about as much interest in preparedness for one place as the other.—West News.

L. P. Loomis, editor in chief of the Slatonite, laid aside his robe and cap, put his "mighty" pen in the rack, and decended to the level of a common chauffer Thursday, and drove one of the cars of the Slaton Yeoman Degree Team to Tahoka. The chief wingjammer of the News met L. P. on the street and bored him with his gab for quite a spell. L. P. remarked that the last time he was in our town, the Post-Office, Jones and Ketner buildings were the only bricks in town, and that he was agreeably suprised by the improvement in apperence due to the many brick buildings recently completed and under course of construction. Of course L. P. reads the News (at least informed people do) and knew the buildings were here, but they naturally look bigger on ground then they do on paper.

The fact that The News seldom carries a dry goods ad in its columns is noticed by our out-of-town friends, who wonder, as we often do, why "such things be."

The Motley County News, Bob Johnson's good Matador paper, has the following to say in last week's issue: "The weekly visits of The Clarendon News are looked forward to by the editor of this paper. Messrs. Warren and Boliver certainly know the newspaper game and the business men of Clarendon are giving them an

Democratic Nominees

Dist. Judge 79th Judicial Dist.
W. R. Spencer.

Tax Assessor:
J. N. Thomas.

Treasurer:
C. T. Beard.
Sheriff and Tax Collector:
F. E. Redwine.

County Judge:
C. H. Cain.

Commissioner Pre. 1:
W. L. Tunnell.

Commissioner Pre. 3:
C. H. Doak.

Public Weigher Pre. 3:
W. B. Phillips.

Public Weigher Justice Pre. 1:
R. C. (Percy) Wood.

Drs. Innon & Turrentine

Physicians and Surgeons
Office in Shook Building
Over Post Office
Tahoka, Texas

E. E. Callaway C. B. Towne
Res. Phone 46 Res. Phone 123

Physicians and Surgeons

Office Phone 45
Office upstairs Thomas Bros. Bldg

Dr. J. H. McCoy

Physician and Surgeon
Office over the Wells Store
Office phone 3 Res. phone 108

C. H. Cain

Lawyer
Office upstairs in the Larkin Bldg
Tahoka, Texas

M. M. Herring

Lawyer and Abstractor
Office over Post Office
Tahoka, Texas

Dr. J. R. Singleton

Dentist
Permanently Located
Tahoka, Texas

excellent patronage. We notice however, that the dry goods trade is not represented in the advertising columns of their paper to any great extent. It occurs to us that if some live advertising merchant would locate in Clarendon, he would find very little competition to contend with. The non-advertising merchant is easily put out of running when an up-to-the-minute business getter starts in after his scalp."

A lady tourist from New York, with her husband or servant, we couldn't tell which, and a number on her car as big as the national debt, stepped onto the sidewalk in Tahoka one day this week, and raised her lorgnete to her eyes, gave some innocent bystanders the stony, and enquired if any one could tell her the name of this village. To us poor rubes who think Tahoka about the center of the universe, this was quite a shock, and those present failed to mention whether she left before they regained consciousness or not.

We are informed today that a couple of prominent attorneys of Tahoka are busy raising funds with which to hold the senatorial runoff primary the 26th of this month. It was necessary to raise the funds by donation for the reason that no assessments were made for this purpose when the candidates were assessed for the regular primary. In view of the fact that the primary will be held here, a communication from the attorney general's department, ruling on those eligible to vote will be of interest. The department holds that any man can vote in this primary, provided he is a qualified voter, regardless of whether he voted in the first primary or not. This primary is a separate primary, and not a continuation of the first as has been stated by some.

Texas' pro rata of the \$85,000,000 Federal appropriation for roads, is \$301,050, for the first year. But, for any state to draw their share of this fund, it must maintain a Highway Department. It is the one, of the objects of the coming Good Roads convention at Medina Lake, San Antonio, to attempt immediately the proper organization of such a department. Another object of the convention is to decide upon a highway upon which the expenditure of this amount will most benefit the state. We have no inside information, but it is our opinion that some interstate highway, much frequented by tourists will receive the major part of this appropriation. There are several such highways pass thru the Plains country, and a couple pass thru Lynn county, if this county has any voice in deciding where this road work will be done, it will be necessary to have a delegate or delegation at the convention.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Hatton of Elmer, Oklahoma, came in Thursday evening and will spend several days visiting Mrs. Hatton's sister, Mrs. John Thomas of North Tahoka, and their brother, Will Gore.

Many Tahokaites have been busy the latter part of this week going to the auto races at Lubbock. Joe Barnes entered a car in the Thursday race and came back with lots of experience. Every one tells of lots of fun, frolic and refreshments.

We have installed a big Ice Barrel to furnish ice water to our customers. Come and take a swig — H. M. Larkin. 42

J. N. Jones
Dealer In
Furniture
and
Undertakers Supplies

Cotton And The War.

C. Robert Maxwell is the editor of the Southern Cotton Review, a Georgia publication. In a letter to the Record Mr. Maxwell says the South has a great opportunity to sell her cotton crop for more money then many years since the civil war on account of the abnormal conditions created by the war and other causes. There is a time in the individual's life writes Maxwell, that opportunity knocks at his door, and if he grasps it his fortune is made. He has a hunch that the war is likely to end soon probly by Thanksgiving day. Then look for cotton to soar in price, as it may jump 5c over night. Cotton went down 5c a pound when the war started, and why shouldn't it jump 5c a pound when the war ends. He predicts that the supply will be smaller then the world is looking for, and his reason is that from 2,000,000 to 5,000,000 bales will not be marketed until the end of the war except for very high prices. This means a cotton famine for spinners for some time to come, as growers will not sell cotton early as here-to-fore. Why should they? There is a holding movement throught-out the South, reserve bankers have promised cheap money, there are hundreds of ware-houses for storing purposes, and farmers are wide awake.—Ft. Worth Record.

A GOOD BUSINESS CHANCE

A \$15,000.00 of clean merchandise, business and ware-houses residents & Etc. in a good town. Average annual merchandise sales \$55,000.00 to exchange for improved farm and ranch in Crosby, Lubbock, Lynn, Terry, Dawson, or Yoakum.

What have you? Write for list and full description.

WILL CARVER, OWNER.
48 14 h Alba, Texas.

CASH PAID

For Poultry at all times. Highest market price, at 48 51 ANTHONY'S GROCERY.

Classified Column

FOR SALE—Two to four months old pigs—Phone 26, Tahoka. 49tf

FOR SALE—Second hand row binder in good condition.—C. D. Keever. 49-14-h

State land leases for sale by J. U. Williams of Tatum, New Mexico.

FOR SALE—Young horses, mares and mules, cheap on credit.—A. R. McGonigal. 47 tf

For Ranch Property in Eastern New Mexico, see J. U. Williams, of Tatum, New Mexico. 49tf

FOR SALE—Small bunch of Stock Cattle. N. J. Etheredge, on J. F. Carter place. 48 51p

If you want to buy a ranch in Eastern New Mexico, see J. U. Williams, of Tatum, New Mexico. 49-tf

FOR SALE—1280 acres one mile west, and 220 acres three miles north of O'Donnell. Will divide in 1-4 sections, small payment down, long time on balance, 6 per cent interest. Write to J. Diddie, 613 Millers Ave., Portland, Oregon. 49-52

15,000 acres of fine land in Eastern New Mexico for sale at \$2.75 per acre; 90 per cent tillable, well watered; one-half cash other one, two and three years.—J. U. Williams, Tatum, New Mexico. 49-50

LOST—Between Tahoka and Draw, a double auto pump with extra large long tube. Finder please return to W. Jeff Fleming, Tahoka. 48

SUNDAY ICE

We will have a man at the ice house every Sunday from 7:00 to 9:00 a. m. and from 4:00 to 6:00 p. m. If you want ice of a Sunday you must get it during these hours.

Yours for service,
40 tf G. W. Snider.

New dress goods, latest patterns, skirts, waists, etc. We get new patterns of each every week.—H. M. Larkin. 42



MONDAY—Marge Of The Foothills, 3 reels Mustang
Dad's College Widow, 1 reel Beauty
TUESDAY—According To Law, 5 reel feature Century
WEDNESDAY—Mutual Weekly No. 61, 1 reel Mutual
Rusty Reggies Record, 1 reel Falstaff
Persistent Percival, 1 reel Beauty
Love, Dynamite And Baseball, 1 reel Vogue
THURSDAY—The Test Of Flame, 2 reels Domino
In Old Mexico, 1 reel Reliance
Three Roses, 1 reel Thanouser
FRIDAY—The Flight Of The Duchess, 5 reel feature, M. P.
SATURDAY—Mutual Weekly No. 62, 1 reel Mutual
More Truth Than Poetry, 1 reel Vogue
Tops, 1 reel Beauty
All Balled Up, 1 reel Vogue

★ THEATRE
ADMISSION 10c

P AND O
Full carload just unloaded and set up. We can fill the bill
G. L. Williams
Hardware, Harness, Saddles—South Side of the Square
Fin Shop Under Shoe and leather Repair
Exert Workman Work done Satisfactorily

The First National Bank
Of aboka,exas
CAPITAL . . . \$50,000
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With a good record behind it for fair dealing and an earnest desire to please all customers, offers its services in all departments of banking, at the same time giving assurance of its appreciation of patronage extended.

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L. L. WILLIAMS, PROP.
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Wholesale and Retail Dealers In
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
Including Hardware, Implements, Harness and Leather Goods
Largest Stock on the South Plains
No Matter How Far You Live You Can Save Money Buying From Us. Nothing Misrepresented
WILSON, on the Santa Fe, Lynn County TEXAS

City Blacksmith Shop
J. C. Welch, Proprietor
All kinds of blacksmith work promptly done—satisfaction guaranteed
Expert Horseshoeing Our Specialty
In corner Woods' Wagon Yard Southeast of Public Square, Tahoka

Wayland College
Plainview, Texas,
offers Literary, Business and Fine art Courses. Has property and equipment valued at \$200,000. Separate dormitory for boys and girls. \$225 pays board and literary tuition nine months. Personal instruction given each student as needed. God and His Bible are heeded at Wayland College. Opens Friday, September 1, 1916.
R. E. L. FARMER, B. S., A. B., PRES. R. M. CRAB, DIRECTOR OF MUSIC
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ANYTHING ELSE?
WE HAVE CLIMBED THE LADDER OF SUCCESS IN THIS HARDWARE BUSINESS BY ATTENDING STRICTLY TO BUSINESS, KEEPING UP OUR STOCK AND HAVING IT FOR YOU WHEN YOU WANT IT.
WE DESERVE YOUR TRADE. WE KEEP A BIG STOCK; WE GIVE YOU THE LITTLE PRICE.
Tahoka Hardware Co.

Who Will Win

Now The Question In The Piano Contest

Do not let a day pass without securing some subscriptions and votes. The steady, persistent worker is what will make you the winner of a valuable prize. Keeping everlastingly at it is what always brings success.

Ambition is a great thing in this world and counts for a whole lot, but it counts the most when brought to bear at just the right moment. This is, of all times, the most important and you should make the very most of your ambition during that time. Never feel satisfied with what you have done until you can do no more.

You should not forget between now and the close of the contest, and have your friends and relatives bear it in mind as it will be your last chance. The last standing of the candidates will be published next week. If you think of anyone whom you know you could get a month or two hence you can pay their subscriptions now and collect it later.

Standing of Contestants

Miss Edn Montgomery..... 204,975
 Eunice Cash..... 369,855
 Eva Coughran..... 8,890
 Laura Fleming..... 79,295
 Eunice Smith..... 137,940

Miss Catherine McGee of Tennessee, who has been visiting the family of her uncle, L. L. Williams, for past few weeks, returned to her home this week.

My Veterinary powder can now be had from your local druggist.

It is especially prepared to combat the ailments of animals incident to this locality, such as wire cuts, colic or saddle galls and sores of various kinds. — Dr A. W. Roberts. 42 tf

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 Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE in Western Texas. Latest Sheet Music, MUSIC TEACHER'S Supplies, etc., etc. Catalogue and BOOK OF OLD TIME SONGS FREE for the asking. Established 1890. SAN ANGELO

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Lime	0.14
MAGNESIA	0.46
Iron Oxide	0.02
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Manganese Oxide	0.11
Chlorine	0.22
Sulphuric Acid	0.13

El Maté Will Do Your Stomach and Nerves Good
 5c—All Fountains—5c

SUGGESTIONS MADE FOR TESTING MILK

Sample Should Be Taken Quickly in Order to Get Correct Test—Plan Outlined.

(By C. F. UNWIN, Oklahoma Experiment Station.)

Testing milk is the process of finding the amount of butterfat it contains. In order to make an accurate test a correct sample must be taken in this manner: The milk should be poured from one vessel to another and the sample quickly taken, for if the sample is not taken at once, more or less cream will rise, and a sample would not be correct.

After getting the sample for testing the next step would be to measure 17.5 cc with the milk pipette into the milk bottle, and then add about the same amount of sulphuric acid, depending on the strength of the acid. The specific gravity of the acid should be 1.82 to 1.83 for the best results.

The acid should be added with the acid cylinder, revolving the bottle while adding the acid. Mix acid and milk by rotary motion. Place them in tester so that the machine is balanced. Run the machine for about five minutes. Then add hot water until the fat rises into the neck of bottles. Then run the tester about two minutes and add enough water so the fat has risen above the zero mark on the neck of the bottle. The bottle may then be read by using a pair of dividers to measure the fat column.

ARSENATE OF LEAD KILLS CHERRY SLUG

When Cherries Are Half Grown Use Either White Hellebore or "Black Leaf 40."

(By C. F. GILLETTE, Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colo.)

Whether or not the cherry trees bear a crop, they should be protected against the loss of foliage from the attacks of the pear and cherry tree slug. When the cherries are very small, the trees may be sprayed with arsenate of lead in the proportion of one pound of the paste to each 30 gallons of water.

Instead of using the arsenate of lead, after the cherries are half grown or more, use either white hellebore in the proportion of one ounce to three gallons of water, or "Black Leaf 40" in the proportion of one part to 500 parts of water, and make a thorough spraying for the purpose of covering the upper surfaces of the leaves.

The "Black Leaf 40" will only kill the slugs with which it comes in contact, while the hellebore will kill all slugs that eat it for several days after the application is made.

The advantage of using the hellebore or "Black Leaf 40" after the fruit is well grown is that they do not endanger the people who eat the cherries after they are ripe.

If one has only a few small cherry trees, the slugs may be quite easily removed by thoroughly dusting the foliage in the heat of the day with air-slaked lime or fine road dust.

Lice on Pigs

Watch the hogs, especially the little pigs, and keep them from becoming lousy.

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, recognized it as incurable. Seton's Liniment Catarrh is a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Catarrh 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.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio, sold by Druggists, etc. Take Hall's Paper Pills for constipation.

T-Bar Tidings.

The people of T-Bar community are rejoicing over the nice little rain that fell Saturday and Sunday. Crops are looking some better since the rain.

T-Bar had a glorious meeting, the best in many years; there were 16 conversions and 11 joined the Methodist Church. The prayermeeting organized at this place is progressing nicely. There was a good crowd out to our last meeting last Wednesday night with good interest manifested.

Monroe Vaughn and family made a trip to Coke county in their new Ford.

Mr. Goolsby's grandson, Mr. Frank Davis, was up visiting them a few days last week. Mr. Davis is just back from the border. He is going to visit his mother, Mrs. Christian, of Washington.

G. W. Short is having his well drilled out; he is trying to get water for his stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Katen, their daughter, and married son and family, of Jones county, were out visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Short.

Willie Kuykendall and Edwin Estes left this part of the country last week in search of work.

Little Raymond McLaurine was bitten by a rattle snake Sunday a week ago. He is doing nicely at this writing and is visiting his grandparents.

Mr. McLendon and family have moved to the Mat William place. We are glad to have them remain in our community. GOOD LUCK.

Attorney's Affidavit

The State of Texas County of Dallas

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared W. A. Rhea, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed hereto, and who being by me duly sworn deposes and says that he is attorney of record for T. G. Tidwell in the suit of T. G. Tidwell against Bertha R. Lackey et al in the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, and that the residence of the said Bertha R. Lackey and the said Victor L. Scott are unknown to him and to his client.

W. A. RHEA.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me, this 1st day of August, 1916.

T. D. HUNT, Notary Public, Dallas County, Texas. 49-52

'Lest You Forget

If you have a fine watch or any piece of jewelry that you wish repaired so it will be as good as new, bring it to me at Thomas Bros. Drug Store and you will find my work satisfactory and charges reasonable. 47-tf

J. C. MAY.

Wednesday afternoon the embroidery club was entertained by

Mrs. Charley Shook, assisted by Mrs. Jordan. Only a few of the members were present, notwithstanding which a jolly time was enjoyed by all, and the hours sped quickly as nimble fingers engaged in dainty fancy work beat time to the lively conversation. Ice cream and cake were served to Miss Era Wood, Christine Swan, Pauline Ramsey, Myrtle Chriswell, Mrs. Ora Weatherby and Mrs. Otho Shook.



Round Trip Excursion Fares

Fall buying season, Dallas Texas, Second Meeting August 13th to 22nd. Third Meeting August 27th to September 5th. Fourth Meeting September 10th to 19th. Fare one and one third, Open to All.

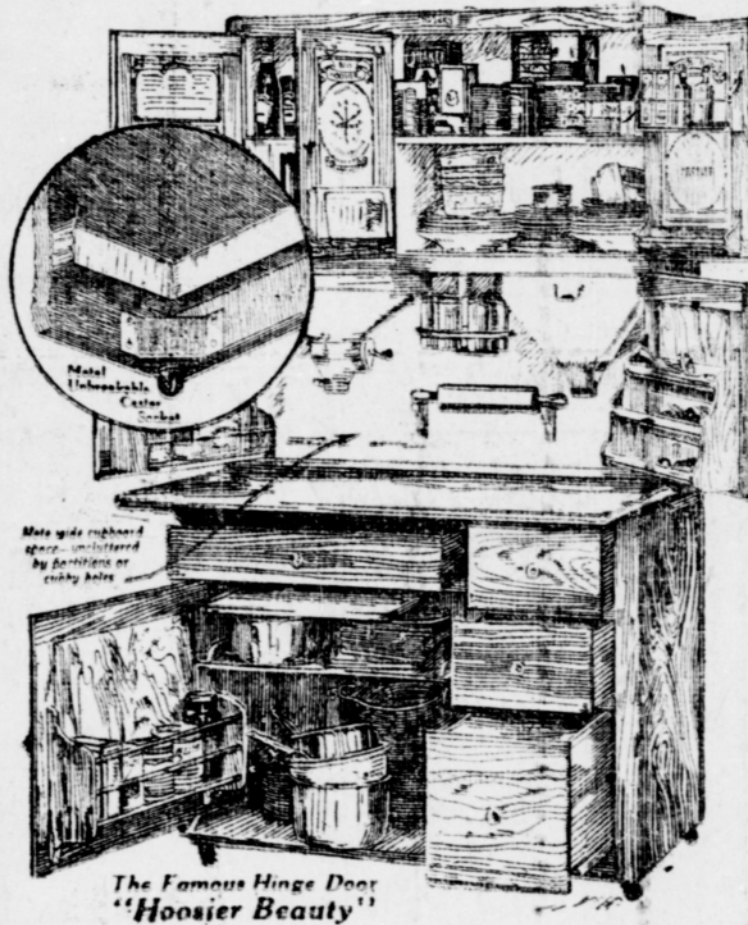
Ten Days Summer Excursion Fares Aransas Pass, Corpus Christi, Galveston, Palico, Port O'Connor And Rock-Port. One fare plus one dollar. On sale August 18th, & 25th, September 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, & 29th. Several other excursion tickets on sale. Ask the Agent. J. L. Heare, Agent.

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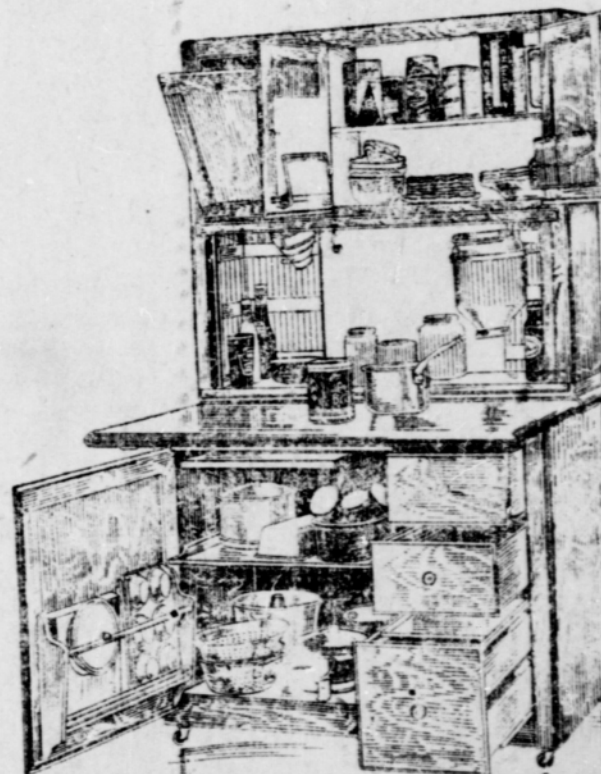
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in my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness and all similar ailments, Thedford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

Materials for the Summer Dress



A very pretty and summery dress of plain and dotted organdie achieves fine style by combining these familiar materials. Organdie in cottons, as taffeta in silks, has proved peculiarly well adapted to the styles of today. The originality of the model lies in combining the plain and dotted surfaces so that they play parts of equal importance, and it suggests the use of other goods in the same way.

In the model shown the body and skirt are of the plain organdie. Five graduated ruffles of the dotted organdie encircle it, the first and widest about the hem and the narrow fifth ruffle at the waist line. The underskirt is gored and gathered to flare. Its crispness and that of the ruffles is almost equivalent to the effect of crinoline.

The three-quarter length sleeves and square cape of the dotted organdie are edged with narrow ruffles made of it. The throat opens with a shallow V. A belt of ribbon in any color desired

may be worn with this dress. White moire, corded near the edges, makes that shown in the picture. Silk stockings and white buckskin or canvas slippers will finish the pretty toilette suitably.

Among the new summer goods there are plain voiles and lawns in beautiful colors with which dainty interpretations of Scotch plaids may be found in light tints and varied colors. Something very distinctive and original might be made by combining these in the manner shown in this organdie dress. Then there are the crossbar and striped organdies, which might be used instead of the more familiar dotted varieties. They are sheerer than chiffon, the daintiest of all cotton weaves, and retain the crispness which distinguishes the plain material. Nothing could be better for a graduating gown.

Julia Bottomley

Methodists Close Successful Meeting

Presiding Elder W. L. Lyons, who has been conducting a revival services under the arbor at the Methodist church for the past two weeks, closed the series of services Sunday night with an interesting address on the foundation of the church.

Rev. Lyons has a pleasing delivery, is a consecrated man of God and a polished scholar, which makes his sermons very interesting.

During the meeting there were forty conversions, and twenty-seven additions to the church with more to follow. Mr. Lee Bones places his life upon the altar as a minister of the gospel, and was licensed to preach by his presiding elder during the meeting. He has not yet finished his education, and the church undertook to defray part of his expenses for the coming term at Stamford College. For this purpose \$175.00 was raised. Other collections were: Missions \$150, incidentals \$25, singer \$25, evangelist \$60; total collections \$435.

The meeting was a great spiritual uplift to the church and to the community at large, and unlike the work of most evangelists especially those who deal mostly in sensationalism, the work accomplished by Bro. Lyons will endure the test of time.

R. S. Kelly of Dalhart, called on the News Tuesday, to look over our exchange table. He let fall the information that he was respecting here, and seriously considered "anchoring" among us, to use his expression. He remarked to us, "I told my wife this was the best place on the Plains, which was the best part of Texas." Mr. Kelly is an old friend of Ed. Henderson.

Hall Robinson moved from the house across the street north of the Methodist Church, Friday to his new Stucco bungalow in North Tahoka.

Mrs. Ella Ogden left Thursday for the eastern markets to buy her fall and winter stock of millinery. Mrs. Ogden will spend most of this month in the wholesale houses with the one purpose of buying a stock to please her customers. She was very successful with her spring showing, and we hope for her continued success. Mrs. Ogden expects to hold her opening about the first. Announcement will be made thru these columns.

Establish Farm Loan Bank

Fort Worth, Texas, July 27, 1916—Interest in the location of the 11th District Farm Loan Bank has been quickened by the announcement that Herbert Myrick, recognized as one of the leading authorities on rural credits in the United States, will address a mass convention in Fort Worth, August 7th on the subject of the Bank's location in this district. The Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce has arranged for the convention and sent invitations broadcast throughout the States of Texas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico. Bankers, Farmers, and Business men of Texas and neighboring States are expected to come to Fort Worth for this convention to acquaint themselves with the importance and the details of the new rural credits law, that they may take advantage of its benefits.

WHAT PINEAPPLE JUICE WILL DO

Pineapple juice and pepsin are now extensively used in the treatment of stomach and bowel troubles. They give strength and tone to the digestive organs. The right proportions are found in Natol Pineapple Pepsin Compound. This is a new medicine sold by Thomas Bros. Drug Co. over the manufacturer's guarantee.

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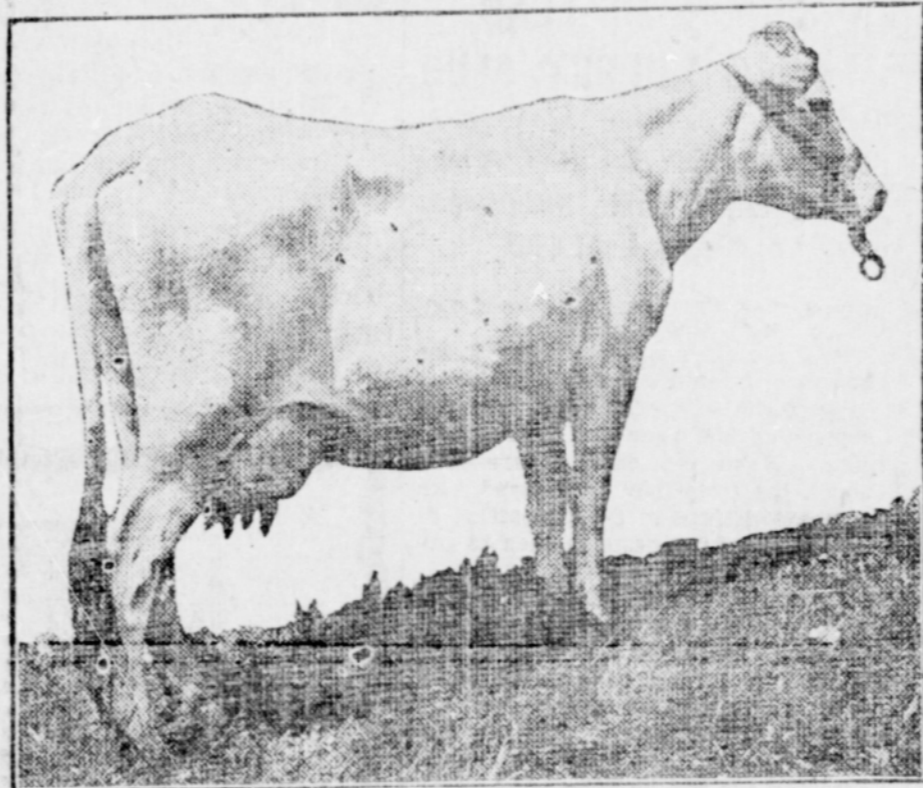
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Texas

BUTTER PRODUCTION OF SMALL JERSEY COW



Grace Briggs, University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.

At the University of Missouri a record of the milk and butter production of a small Jersey cow was kept for 15 years. The assistants who have died have come and gone, but the Jersey cow is still on the job. In the 15 years she has produced 208,993 pounds of milk and 5,900 pounds of butterfat, equivalent to 5,882 pounds of butter. Her best year's record was 13,322 pounds of milk and 735 pounds of butter, authenticated under the rules of the American Jersey Cattle Club. During the 15 years Grace Briggs has given birth to 11 calves. Her last calf sold for \$200, and the average for the twelve is about \$200. About \$2,400 was obtained from the sale of all the calves. Figuring the entire milk production for 15 years at eight cents a quart, the total would be \$4,358.72. The approximate cost of keeping her was \$50 a year, or a total of \$750. The average daily production of milk for the 15 years was a little more than nine quarts a day. During her best year she produced a little more than 18 quarts a day. If the butter was sold instead of the milk, at the price of 35 cents a pound, the total for the butter production from Grace Briggs would be \$2,041.65.

You Bring Good News



when you come home and tell "the missus" you are going to take her to a little supper at **The Busy Bee Cafe** this evening after the show. That is a greater pleasure than the show itself, and the prices will appeal to her sense of economy.

Try one of our merchant's lunches at the noon hour.

Busy Bee Cafe

Sale Continues

We are still selling our Shop Made Harness cheaper than you can buy the factory made. We guarantee every piece of our harness to be free of flanky leather. Try our shoe repair man. He gives satisfaction in material and workmanship.



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There's a Beaten Path To Our Door made by our many customers who come back repeatedly to buy their groceries of us. People don't trade at the same place year after year without a pretty good reason for doing so. The reason is that we always give good values for the money expended, and goods bought from us can be depended upon as being the best.

We also deal in Poultry, phone us for a Fryer
H. M. Anthony

Quality holds while Prices talk

West side square

NEW FORD PRICES

The following list prices on Ford Cars and Chassis, f.o.b. Detroit became effective August 1st, 1916:

Ford Chassis	\$325
Ford Runabout	\$345
Ford Touring Car	\$360
Ford Coupelet	\$505
Ford Town Car	\$595
Ford Sedan	\$645

Freight and delivery charges, oil, gas, etc., to be added. The Ford Motor Company guarantees that there will be no reduction in these prices prior to August 1st, 1917, but can give no assurance whatever of these prices being advanced at any time.

These wonderful prices are made possible by the most up-to-date methods of manufacture and an enormously increased production for the coming year.

We have a few Tourings on hand for immediate delivery.

B. H. Robinson,

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