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NEGRO MEETING IN PROGRESS

A revival meeting conducted by the colored population of Tahoka began Friday. The first few services were held in the Lewis Wagon Yard but with the aid of white friends the City Tabernacle was secured Monday for their services and the meeting has since been conducted there.

Two preachers, Rev. Hanks and Rev. Banks have been doing the preaching. There are only a few negroes in Tahoka, so the colored part of the congregation is small, but white folks are attending in great numbers. The behavior has been fine most of the time. At one or two of the services there were a bit inclined to disturb, but on the whole the whites have been sympathetic, although at times the mannerisms and peculiarities of the negro form of worship is a little amusing to those who are not accustomed to it.

Possibly on account of the presence of so few negroes and so many whites, the negroes have not entered into the services with that abandon that is so often the case with them in the ir revival services. Their singing has been very entertaining, but not as good as is frequently heard on such occasions. Their best work thus far has been in the rendition of the old negro spiritual, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot". Several new verses to this song have been improvised, one of which runs something like this:

"You can talk about me as much as you please,
Comin' for to carry me home,
But I'll talk about you when I git on my knees,
Comin' for to carry me home."

An effort is being made during the meeting to raise sufficient funds with which to buy a lot at some appropriate place and erect a church building. A lot was purchased out near the cemetery several months ago and a church building started thereon, but the funds were exhausted before the building was completed. It is the purpose to move this old building upon a lot to be purchased some where closer in. According to "Brother Hanks" the negroes don't exactly fancy the location of the church where it is any way; it is too close to the cemetery to suit our colored brethren. It is hoped that the matter will be taken up in a business-like way among the white folks and that they will render the necessary assistance at an early date.

Bishop Attends I. C. C. Meet At Plainview

Brown Bishop attended the meeting of the Interstate Commerce Commission in session at Plainview Monday. This commission is hearing evidence on the application for a permit for the building of the Denver road into the south plains section. The Santa Fe is protesting the application. Much data has been gathered by residents of south plains counties to present to this body. Mr. Bishop was there as a representative of Lynn county. He says that there were representatives present from practically every other county on the south plains, and that Plainview was full of visitors. Officials of the Santa Fe were being heard Monday, however, and it will be necessary for Mr. Bishop, and perhaps other Lynn county men to appear before the body at a later date.

J. A. Walker and family of Rockwall county have been here the past few days, the guests of J. B. Walker and family. Mr. Walker and J. B. are cousins. Mr. Walker reports that cotton prospects were fine down in Rockwall when he left. Rockwall county is one of the smallest in the state but is in the heart of a rich farming section. Plains cotton looks rather small to him, since the stalk rarely grows large here, and of course he is not very optimistic over the cotton prospect here at this time. We want him to come back about the first of November, when we expect to be able to show him a real cotton country.

Mrs. Eula Peters was called to O'Donnell Monday to nurse her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Marr, who is seriously ill.

Jack Applewhite Improving At Temple

Advices from the Temple Sanitarium are to the effect that Jack Applewhite, who underwent an operation there about two weeks ago for gall bladder trouble, is steadily improving and expects to be able to return home early next week. Many friends here are much gratified at his rapid improvement.

A. C. Ansley of Wichita Falls came over last Thursday and left Saturday morning, accompanied by his father, J. C. Ansley. The elder Mr. Ansley has also rented out his home here and will get his mail at Wichita Falls until he takes a notion that he wants to get another whiff of south plains air and another draft of south plains water. At any rate he will be back to see us occasionally.

LOCAL BOYS GAIN PUBLICITY

DETROIT, Mich., July 18.—Through the medium of the American Boy Magazine, Detroit, Claude and Jim Williams, fifteen and thirteen-year-old farmers living near Tahoka, Texas, are receiving national recognition for their achievement in farming during the year 1924, when they produced a \$9,000 crop in spite of the lack of rain. The article telling about the two Williams boys appears in the August number of the American Boy.

These two boys, says the American Boy, in the spring, were given complete charge of 140 acres. Of these 80 acres were planted in cotton the rest in maize, kafir and other feed-stuffs. In addition to the cultivation and all work connected with their growing crops, the boys had to care for the farm stock, milk the cows, gather eggs and do all the other farm chores.

When the dry spell came, and many older farmers simply waited in vain for rain, Claude and Jim got busy. They knew that evaporation is what takes moisture from the ground, so they plowed every few days, just skimming the surface so as to turn over a loose dirt "mulch" a few inches deep. This formed a cover for the field, and prevented evaporation. "Keeping up the moisture," the process is called.

When the end of the year came, Claude and Jim had 64 bales of cotton which brought them more than \$6,000 and \$3,000 in other crops. Both boys attend school during the winter and intend to make scientific farming their regular occupation. They are farming again this summer.

Nation-Wide Klan Revolt Is Predicted

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Georgia will follow Colorado in what is expected to be a nationwide revolt against Imperial Wizard Evans of the Ku Klux Klan, it was learned here Sunday. W. J. Simmons, one-time wizard of the flaming cross, is engineering the rebellion.

Attacks from both these strongholds threaten disaster, as they are the two most powerful organizations in the Klan organization.

Should W. S. Zumburn and John H. Connaughton, national counsel for the Klan, expected to arrive at Denver by airplane, from Washington today, failed to reconcile the differences between Evans and Dr. John G. Locke, grand dragon of the Colorado group, the revolt is expected to spread with prairie fire rapidity.

The Colorado Klan unit is the most powerful in the United States. In the last election it won impressive political victories including the election of two Klan endorsed United States Senators. With such a record, the Western Klansmen are little inclined to accept the dictation from imperial wizard Evans.

C. A. Thomas and family returned Monday from a two weeks visit and outing over in Oklahoma. Mr. Thomas says it was very hot over there but that they had a good time nevertheless.

PUBLIC ROAD TO WILSON GRANTED AFTER 2 YEARS

TAHOKA WINS 4 OF 6 GAMES

The Tahoka Plainsmen have had a flock of victories the past week. They have lost only two games out of six. They are playing Post as we go to press Wednesday and we are unable to report this game.

On Wednesday of last week one of the best games ever seen on the south plains was played with Midland on the home diamond. At the close of the ninth inning the score stood 1 to 0 in favor of Tahoka.

On Thursday a second game was played here, and on that day the home team had the worst luck that we have to report. It was an off day for the Tahoka boys and they let Midland get away with the game to the tune of 12 to 1.

On Friday our boys went to Lubbock for a game and this time they again went down in defeat, Lubbock winning by a score of 2 to 1.

Slaton came down Sunday and played our boys in the Tahoka Park. The home boys took this game by a score of 6 to 5. It looked like a Slaton victory, however, until the eighth inning. Up till that time the score stood 5 to 1 in Slaton's favor. But when Tahoka went to the bat in the eighth inning they made five runs.

Monday the boys went over to Ralls and defeated that team, the score being 5 to 1.

On Tuesday the Ralls team came over for a return game and they were again defeated the score being 8 to 7 in Tahoka's favor. The score was a tie at the end of the ninth inning and another inning had to be played to break the tie.

The Tahoka team will go to Lubbock for a game Sunday.

They will play Lamesa on Monday Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Monday's and Wednesday's games will be played here, while Tuesday's game will be played at Lamesa.

The Fats will play the Leans in Tahoka Friday of this week. Game called at 4 o'clock. Greatest game of the season. Come.

Tula Kuykendall Undergoes Operation

Miss Tula Kuykendall of this city was taken to the Lubbock Sanitarium Sunday afternoon, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis at seven o'clock Monday morning. We understand that the operation was entirely successful and that the patient is recovering nicely.

A few nights before, Miss Tula together with others was swinging in one of the swings in the park at Two Draw Lake near Post when the swing broke and she was rendered unconscious by the fall. She received some severe bruises and was confined to her bed when the appendicitis attack came on.

Her many friends are hoping that she will soon be completely restored to health.

Denver Right-of-Way Nears Completion

The morning business people of Lockney who have been in a hot campaign for a week in an effort to complete their work, had signed up practically all of the right of way for the proposed Denver line southwest from that city toward Petersburg and Lubbock. Their right of way work north-east toward the caprock on the proposed line has already been completed.

It is possible the Lockney interests will work also on the right of way from the proposed junction of the Silverton-Lubbock line westward to the Hale County line in the east and west projection from Carey to Plainview. However, it is likely that this portion of the right of way will be taken care of by Plainview. —Floyd C. Hesperian.

Mrs. O. L. McHorse is visiting friends in Wichita Falls, Vernon and Archer City this week.

The proposed air-line public road from Tahoka to Wilson, about which there has been so much controversy the past year or two, was granted by the commissioners' court on Wednesday of last week after this paper had gone to press. The new road will follow the Glacier to Gulf Highway to the Lockwood farm two miles north of town, thence east to the west line of the Santa Fe right of way, thence with the right of way to an intersection with the present road a few miles west of Wilson. It is understood that the work of opening this road will be begun at an early date.

Citizens of Tahoka and Wilson have long desired an air-line road connecting the two towns, but for one reason or another final action on the matter was not taken until this week. This will shorten the distance between the two places possibly three miles, and it is hoped that at some time in the not-distant future a state highway may be designated from Tahoka through Wilson, Slaton and thence to the northeast. This road gives the people of Wilson and the country east of that place a more direct route to their county seat, and will prove to be a distinct asset both to Wilson and Tahoka.

The commissioner's court is to be congratulated for its final and satisfactory solution of this problem.

Dist. Meet of Dem. Agents Is Held

Friday, July 17, John T. Egan and Miss Myrtle Murray, both District Agents for District No. 2, assisted by County and Home Demonstration Agents of surrounding counties and other specialists held a one day District Club Meet at Lubbock. Visitors and specialists assisting with the day's program included: J. D. Tinsley, Agricultural Agent of the Santa Fe System; G. L. Crawford, District Agent A. & M. Extension Service in Northeast Texas; R. E. Karper, Supt. Experiment Station at Lubbock; County Judge Nordsyke and County Commissioner Marvin T. Warlick and G. L. Crawford, Dist. Agent.

Live stock, poultry and grain judging were the main features of Club work given.

At noon a bountiful luncheon provided by the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs of Lubbock was served at the Club House in the County Park. Following this District Agent Egan was in charge of a sort speaking program and called upon each specialist and County Agent present for a talk.

Every Club Member present showed his or her willingness to work hard and put our Plains counties on the top of the list in the State Contests to be held shortly at College Station.

Lynn County Club members were represented by Naomi Dulin of Wilson Club and Mamie Frazier of the T-Bar Club.

Hill-Curry

Business in the matrimonial line which has been very dull for the past few weeks, picked up a little Monday afternoon, when Joe S. Hill, of Slaton, Singer Sewing Machine salesman, and Miss Lillian Curry of Tahoka, step-daughter of Mr. Moyer, were made husband and wife at the residence of Uncle Ike Metcalf, Tahoka's marrying squire. Miss Curry was formerly employed in the Club Cafe and has many friends here while Mr. Hill is popular among the young men of his home town. The young couple will make their home in Slaton.

R. L. Barrett, the seer of New Moore, was in the county capital Monday. He admits that it is getting just a bit dry but thinks the cotton crop is going to be fairly good in my event. He says the gin machinery is arriving this week and New Moore expects to have her gin ready for the first bale of cotton that is picked in that vicinity this fall. He is a great booster for his home town, the new town of New Moore.

Read the ads and save money!

Navy Boy Returns Home To Tahoka

Morris Hall, son of J. O. Hall, residing two miles northwest of town, is back home after a service of several years in Uncle Sam's navy.

Mr. Hall has visited many lands since he enlisted in the naval service. He was sent to Japan following the great earthquake that wrought such terrible havoc in the flowery empire. Once he was sent to China during an uprising there to assist in looking out after Uncle Sam's interests in the event they should be jeopardized. He has also seen service in the Philippine waters and on the islands themselves. At other times his duties carried him into the frozen Siberian waters. Most of his service has been on the battleships Huron and Oklahoma. He has seen much of the world and could tell much of many lands.

CHURCH TO BE REMODELED

The Church of Christ is preparing to remodel its church building, which it recently purchased from the Baptists. The walls will be extended so as to include the niches in the northwest and southwest corners, making the building almost square and greatly increasing its seating capacity. The present roof will be taken off and a flat roof substituted. The window frames will be remodeled and new windows placed therein. The building will be stuccoed on the outside and finished with sheet rock on the inside. When completed it will be attractive and commodious building, well suited to the needs of the local congregation of the Church of Christ and will be in keeping with the other public buildings of the city. The membership are to be congratulated upon its forward step.

Officers Search For Snyder Man

AMARILLO, July 19.—For a while yesterday it seemed that the search for the slayer or murderers of Frank Connor of Tulsa was fast narrowing down when the car in which he was driving was found at Slaton, and it was learned that a passenger riding with him was a Snyder man, whose name was given to the police.

At a late hour last night this man had not been located. The car was found about two blocks from the square at Slaton, and finger print experts have been sent to take the impressions.

The theory is that the murderer drove it to that point to catch a train.

Feeling is still high in the South Plains and Sheriff Walters of Tulsa said should he capture a suspect he would not dare take him to that city.

Mr. Connor was a prominent young business man of that city, a son of its founder, W. G. Connor. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at three o'clock.

Church of Christ Closes Good Meeting

The Church of Christ revival meeting, conducted by Elder Lester W. Fisher of Abilene, came to a successful close last Sunday night after a two-weeks campaign.

The meeting was most satisfactory to the local congregation in every respect, there being twenty additions to the church, sixteen by baptism and four by reclamation.

Elder Fisher is a young man, just twenty-two years of age, but he conducts himself in the pulpit like a veteran.

I. A. Shattuck and daughter Miss Mattie Belle of Bula, Bailey county, came down Monday to visit his father, G. F. Shattuck, residing a few miles northeast of Tahoka. Mr. Shattuck says that crops are fairly good in his section of the plains, good rains having fallen there recently. Mr. Shattuck removed from Lynn county to Sudan last year.

FATS TO PLAY THE LEANS

There is going to be fun in the baseball park Friday afternoon. Two new baseball teams have been organized in Tahoka, one composed of fats and the other of leans. They are going to battle for the championship next Friday afternoon. The game is matched on a 40-60 basis, basis, the successful team getting the big end of the gate receipts. After paying expenses the receipts will be donated to the Baptist and Methodist churches of the city, the fats contributing their portion to the Baptist Church and the leans contributing theirs to the Methodist Church. A number of the members of each team have been "crack" players in the years past, and they say that they have not forgotten how to play ball. The personnel of the teams is as follows: Fats, B. P. Maddox, Dr. C. B. Townes, C. E. Lockhart, W. M. Lee, Bud Clinton, W. O. Henderson, Claude Wells, J. B. Walker, H. W. Calaway, and A. M. Sullivan; Leans, I. S. Doak, Joe Bovell, Sam Reid, Henry McDaniel, Marshall Stewart, Carl Griffing, Ruby Wells, Sam Ellis, Happy Smith and Bob Tate. The fats are praying for cool weather. Arrangements have been made for the water works to be ready for action. The fire boys will be there with the hose. Don't miss the game.

Body Discovered Mutilated By Roadside

PLAINVIEW, July 17.—J. Fred Connor, automobile dealer of Tulsa, was found murdered on the state highway between Plainview and Kress, nine miles north of Plainview early Friday morning. Connor's body was badly mutilated and had bullet holes in it, giving evidence of foul play. He was known to have been driving a sedan automobile which has not been located. Connor's coat was found by the side of a lake south of Plainview on the same highway.

Connor had been to Baird where he had traded automobiles with Dr. A. R. Hays of that place who formerly lived at Tulsa. Connor was returning in the car he had traded from Dr. Hays and had two checks signed by Dr. Hays, one of which was on a Tulsa bank. Connor's pocketbook was found on the highway south of Plainview some 15 miles from where the body was found. The pocketbook was found by J. R. Sturdivant, deputy sheriff of Hale county, some few yards from where Connor's coat was picked up.

The coat was found by a cotton chopper. The coat had several identification marks. Connor's body had one bullet hole through it right under the right arm and his head had a hole in the back of it which apparently was made by a hard blow with a blunt instrument. It is reported that Connor had been seen between Baird and Plainview riding with two young men in the car which he obtained from Hays, a sedan.

A reward of \$1,000 has been offered for the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers. Connor is the son of N. G. Connor of Tulsa, one of Tulsa's founders.

Connor is survived by a wife and two children. He was reared in Tulsa and was well known over the South Plains. Local officers are working on several clues but have made no arrests.

Miss Halsey and Others Attend Lubbock Meet

Last Wednesday Miss Halsey and several of the Lynn County Home Demonstration Club members were in Lubbock attending an all day program by the Lubbock county Home Demonstration Clubs.

Special features of the program were the Girl's clothing contest, the Women's gingham dress contest, and the Women's Biscuit Contest, and a delicious dinner prepared by the Club women.

Miss Halsey and Miss Garrison, Home Demonstration Agent of Dawson county, assisted in judging in the contests. Others present from Lynn county were Mrs. John Berry and Ivy Berry of Draw, Mrs. Short and Dortha Ussery of Morgan.



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Burkhalter Practices Diversified Farming Near Grassland

H. B. Burkhalter of Grassland stated to the News man recently that crops in that vicinity are doing well. He has a crop of cotton with which he was particularly pleased. His acreage is not large but is cultivated well.

But that is not the most interesting thing about Mr. Burkhalter's farming operations. "I do not depend entirely on cotton and feed, he confided to the editor. "I am now milking twelve Jersey cows. We have a cream separator and last month I sold more than a hundred dollars worth of cream."

"What do you do with the skimmed milk?" we asked.

"I feed it to my hogs," he replied. "some of it to the calves, though I haven't enough hogs on hand just now to consume all the waste milk and I have to pour some of it out."

"Isn't it rather expensive to feed so many cows?" we inquired.

"No, the expense is comparatively small," he answered. "I keep a Sudan patch for pasture and this cuts the feed bill to practically nothing in the summer and fall," he declared.

Mr. Burkhalter also explains that he does not plant a large cotton crop and is able to intensively cultivate it. As a result he has some of the finest cotton in the country, notwithstanding the fact that very little rain has fallen in his community for the past six weeks.

Mr. Burkhalter's experience indicates that diversified and intensive farming pays.

Mrs. O. B. Adams returned this week from Winters, where she spent several days visiting her parents and other relatives.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Lynn County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon S. D. McCormack by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lynn County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Tahoka on the 2nd Monday in August A. D. 1925, the same being the 10th day of August A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 8th day of July A. D. 1925 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 580, wherein Mrs. Laura McCormack, is Plaintiff, and S. D. McCormack is defendant, and said petition alleging that on the 23rd day of February, 1923, the defendant made, executed and delivered to plaintiff herein his certain promissory note in the sum of \$1,223.25, bearing date on the day and year aforesaid, payable to the order of this plaintiff at Tahoka, Texas, and due on the 1st day of September, 1923, bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from maturity until paid and providing for 10 per cent additional as attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, whereby defendant became liable and bound to plaintiff and promised to pay plaintiff the sum of money specified in said note.

Plaintiff further alleges that the defendant, on the 1st day of January, 1923, made, executed and delivered to this plaintiff his certain promissory note in the sum of \$400.00, bearing date on the day and year aforesaid, payable to the order of plaintiff at Tahoka, Texas, and due on the 1st day of January, 1924, bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from date until paid, and providing for the usual 10 per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, whereby defendant became liable and bound to pay plaintiff the sum of money specified in said note.

That said notes are now past due and unpaid, and the defendant, although often requested to pay said notes, has failed and refused and still fails and refuses to pay the same or any part thereof, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$1,623.25.

That plaintiff has placed said notes in the hands of O. W. McWhorter, an attorney, for collection, and promised to pay him the said 10 per cent attorney's fees stipulated in said notes.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and that she have judgment for her debt, interest and attorney's fees and costs of suit, etc. Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and Seal of said court, at office in Tahoka, Texas, this 8th day of July, A. D. 1925. (Seal) W. E. Smith, Clerk District Court, Lynn County, Texas By Inez Weatherford, Deputy.

Scurry To Vote On Large Road Bond Issue On Aug. 15

SNYDER, July 17.—The Commissioner's Court of Scurry County called a road bond election Wednesday in the amount of \$650,000, to be held Aug. 15. The bonds will bear 5½ per cent interest, and will mature serially by not later than 30 years.

If the election carries, the funds provided by these bonds will be used in the following manner, as set out in the petition. \$200,000 on Highway No. 83, running east and west across the county; and \$200,000 on Highway No. 115, running north and south across the county. Both of these roads are state aid projects. The balance of the issue, \$250,000, will be used on the rural roads of the county. Highway No. 83, running east and west, connects the county direct with Fort Worth and other points east and west of here.

The petition calls for hard surfaced 30-year roads, and the maintenance thereof.

County Judge Holley says the present outstanding indebtedness of the county is \$294,000, less about \$54,000 in sinking funds, bonds and other securities held by the county, which is only a fraction over 3 per cent of the present taxable values. The county tax assessor says the valuation for this year will run approximately seven and one-quarter million dollars.

It is believed by the county officials and other prominent men that the election will carry by a comfortable majority if the voters are properly informed as to the value of this issue in getting State and Federal aid on Scurry County roads.

Normal Baby Born To Dwarf Couple

J. B. Billingsly and wife of Colorado, Texas, are parents of a big baby boy who weighs seven and three quarters pounds and who will doubtless be larger than either of his parents before many years.

Billingsly, who is in the grocery business at Colorado, is 24 years of age, is four feet and six inches tall and weighs 64 pounds, while Mrs. Billingsly is only four feet tall and weighs only seventy pounds.

It was necessary for their baby to be delivered by Caesarian section at the Lubbock Sanitarium Sunday, and the mother and baby are getting along just as well as could be expected, and the baby is not different to other children, being normal in every respect.

The operation was performed by Dr. J. T. Krueger, chief surgeon at the sanitarium, who has shown more than usual interest in the patients and has certainly spared no effort in attending to the little mother—perhaps the smallest in the world. —Lubbock Avalanche.

Santa Fe Surveyors At Work At Lockney

Surveyors of the Santa Fe system have been working out of Lockney for the past week, the first two or

three days of their time having been spent in surveying eastward toward the caprock. Several short lines have been run by the surveyors, who are camped at Lockney.

One prominent business man of Lockney stated over the telephone this morning that it was not known just what the objective of the surveying crew was and whether the

company is just gathering information and data or were surveying for possible extensions. It is known, however, that the crew of surveyors are identified with the Santa Fe. —Floyd County Hesperian.

T. J. McCormack is here from Kingsville, visiting his sister, Mrs. D. W. Gagnat.

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W. R. Bartley and J. I. Bartley made a trip to Denison, Grayson county, last week and they say we are in better shape than they are down that way. But every man you meet is wishing for it to rain.

Every body is trying to lay by their crops in this part of the world but can't find any place to take out.

Mr. Terry, our groceryman, says he is now prepared to deliver groceries just the same as they do in town.

Lynn City is building slowly right now, as everything is dry.

Prof. Carmack, we understand, is going to build a residence in the city. He has already built his lots.

Well we are going to have a big revival to start soon, but we don't want "Uncle Jim" to send one of his kind that he spoke about in last week's News. If these preachers find out about "Uncle Jim" writing them up, they may see him later. While I agree with "Uncle Jim" still I don't want them to know about me.

"Uncle Jim" and I are back numbers, as they say. We want everybody to go to the "mourner's bench" route because we came that route ourselves, but they don't think so as we are living in a fast age. For convenience, "Uncle Jim" we can sign a card nowadays and be baptized and start right on to Heaven—but we may not land. We have moved the old land-mark. God has not changed.

Uncle Jim, but man has. It is not popular nowadays to preach the old-time salvation and pure lives, because people won't have that. We have got to suit the whims of the folks. They have all got their notions about it and if the preacher won't preach to suit them they won't pay him, Uncle Jim. So you see it is a bread-and-butter proposition with them. It is business nowadays and not salvation. I know you came the mourner's bench route and you got the experience, and you think that there is no other route but that route and I am just like you.

Well, we ring off for this time. —Uncle Tom.

**Lunacy Trial Results
In A Hung Jury Here**

A case was tried in the county court here Tuesday wherein a lady was tried upon a complaint charging that she was of unsound mind. The jury was finally discharged without having reached a verdict, four of them contending that she was of sound mind and two contending that she was of unsound mind, according to court officials.

P. H. Day and son J. F. Day, and the latter's daughter Tatle of Mansfield, Tarrant County, arrived Wednesday for a few days visit with their old-time friend G. T. Brewer.

**NEW CALOMEL
BREAKS A COLD
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When the purest kind of English Calomel was combined with pepsin by a smart young chemist, the world was given an ideal mild-moderated laxative for breaking colds. One night is long enough for this new, mild and non-sickening pepsin-treated calomel, called "Pepsinated Calomel" to break the most stubborn cold. Before breakfast time it vanishes and leaves you feeling fresh and fine.

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At a meeting of the City Council a few night ago, the matter of selling the electric light and power plant, the water works, and the ice plant was discussed and a committee appointed to confer with possible purchasers and to receive bids.

On Monday of this week, L. J. Geer of Sweetwater, representing the West Texas Electric Company, was here conferring with the Mayor and city council. It is understood that the company will have a representative here next week to inspect these properties, after which time the company will submit a bid.

The West Texas Electric Company operates the light and power plant at Sweetwater and has a high line from that city to Roscoe, Lamesa, Colorado, Big Spring, Lamesa, and other places. It owns and operates the light and power plant at Lamesa and recently constructed a high line from that city to O'Donnell. It is understood that it desires to extend its high line so as to include Tahoka and other south plains towns.

The City of Tahoka has long owned and operated its light and power plant and its water system. It just recently installed an ice factory, this season being the first run, and it is understood that the demand for ice is taxing the capacity of the plant.

Slaton-Roscoe Toll Line Work Started

Snyder, July 15.—The foreman and advance men of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company arrived in Snyder Tuesday morning to begin work on the new 12 wire toll line this company is constructing between Slaton and Roscoe.

They will be one hundred men employed on this piece of work and the company expects to have the line open by September 1.

According to a statement made by a representative of company, this line will cost on an average of \$2,500.00 per mile. The distance to be covered will be approximately 100 miles. This will give each town between Slaton and Roscoe a direct toll line to Ft. Worth.

Mr. H. C. Crie reports that they had a letter written Sunday to the effect that A. Z. Johnson of Tahoka, who underwent an operation in a Fort Worth Sanitarium last Friday, was doing nicely. Mr. Johnson had been afflicted with a chronic trouble and when the surgeons operated they found many intestinal adhesions, which no doubt interfered materially with his digestion. The operation appears to have been successful and friends are hopeful that he will soon be in perfect health again. Mr. Johnson resides at the western limits of the city on the Brownfield road.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Conn and daughter, Miss Idella Conn, all of Eden, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Diehlman and his sister Miss Clara Diehlman of Abilene were week-end visitors in the home of J. H. Coltenback. All left for their homes or other places Monday except Miss Idella Conn, who will spend several weeks here as a guest in the Coltenback home.

Mr. J. P. Gaignat of Kansas City is here visiting her son, D. W. Gaignat. She will leave the latter part of the week for Los Angeles, California, to visit other relatives.

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Midland Boy Bitten By Rattle Snake

Haley Aycock, who came out from Mineral Wells recently with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Aycock, to spend the summer on the Haley ranch near Pyote, was bitten by a rattle snake Tuesday, but is now on the road to recovery.

He had gone out to crank a car, when Mrs. John Haley Jr. looked out and saw him sitting down crying. When she reached him, he exclaimed that something stung his foot. The minute she saw his foot she believed she recognized the fangs, and she called her husband. The snake was discovered coiled under a nearby plank having bitten the child without singing out.

Mr. Haley was prepared for such an emergency. He stuck his knife blade into the foot in two places then injected permanganate of potash with a hypodermic needle. He rushed the boy to Pecos, where a physician gave further aid.

Haley was brought to Midland on the next train, and is now resting well in the Llano Hotel, under the most careful treatment of physicians and nurse.

It is expected that the wound will be rather slow to heal, as is usually the case, but the youth was exceedingly fortunate in having the first aid given him to combat the deadly poison.

Little Burwell Aycock, older brother of Haley, died a few years ago as a result of a snake bite.

—Midland Reporter

Mrs. Aycock mentioned above is a niece of Mrs. E. I. Hill of this city.

W. L. King and family of Archer City arrived Tuesday to visit the family of his brother-in-law, J. R. Hardwick, who resides just east of town. Mr. King reports that crops are apparently burning up these hot dry days all the way from Archer City to Lynn county.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Winter Knight and Mrs. Gray and daughter of Eastland visited the wonderful cave at Carlsbad, N. M., last week. George says they entered the cave at 11 A. M. and emerged at 7 P. M. They went 900 feet below the surface of the earth and back into the cave a distance of about three miles. He claims that it is all that it has been represented and says he enjoyed every minute of the visit. Their explorations were made by the light of candles or torches. It is said that the Government will take charge about August 1, after which it will be electrically lighted.

WANT ADS

LOST—Royal Arch Mason emblem. My initials on the back. W. S. Anglin. 45-2tp.

MEATS—Go to the City Market for everything in the Market Line. J. B. WILLS 41-c

REMEMBER Jack's old reliable hamburger stand—the one that brings you back. Courteous treatment to all. C. L. MOORE 49-c

FOR RENT—My 5-room residence near school building—See H. M. Larkin during my absence. Miss Ola Lewis 42-4tc.

HEMSTITCHING 10c PER YD. MRS. J. B. STOKES. Phone No. 133

LUBBOCK AVALANCHE Buy the Morning Avalanche at the Limit. It arrives in town early in the day on the same date that it is printed. It brings the first news to town every day. adv.

LOST—Gold Football from Watch-box between Wilson and Tahoka. B. P. McAttee name on it. Return to News office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 1924 Maxwell coupe, 1925 Maxwell roadster, 1921 Maxwell touring car, and 1921 Franklin touring car. R. W. Fenton, Jr.

LOST—One bay saddle horse, weight about 1000 pounds, no marks nor brands. Reasonable reward. J. W. Simpson, Sheriff.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS The Board of Trustees of the Wells Independent School District, nine miles West of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas, as owners, and John L. Scott as Architect, of Lubbock, Texas, will receive bids up until 2:00 o'clock P. M. July 10th on the \$20,000.00 School Building. The right reserved to reject any and all bids. 2tp.

Health and Home

FOOD FOR CHILDREN WHO TRAVEL

Many times, and especially during the summer months, mothers are forced to take their children on trips with them. During these trips, the parent is forced to contend with that ever-present and serious problem of food for the child.

As in almost every other case, the chief source of worry, during these periods, is the milk supply, its source, its purity and its food value. It is not always convenient to get market milk of dependable quality for, in many sections of the country, adequate facilities for its care are not provided. To meet the needs of mothers in these trying situations, science has provided a form of milk, conveniently carried and easily prepared. The cans are in two sizes, the one containing six ounces and the other sixteen.

Evaporated milk is just pure cows' milk with more than half of the water removed. None of its food value is lessened; in fact its digestibility is improved. It is easily mixed with water and is, undoubtedly, the most practical form of milk for use as a food for children. Some of the country's leading pediatricians recommend its use, employing the following formula:

From Sixth Week to Third Month.
Milk, evaporated 6 ounces
Lime water 3 ounces
Milk sugar 2 ounces
Bottled water 24 ounces
Seven feedings in twenty-four hours; 4 to 5 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and four-hour intervals at night.

From Third Month to Fifth Month.
Milk, evaporated 1 1/2 ounces
Lime water 1 ounce
Milk sugar 2 ounces
Bottled water 24 ounces
Six feedings in twenty-four hours; 5 to 6 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and a feeding at 10 p. m.

From Fifth to Seventh Month.
Milk, evaporated 10 ounces
Lime water 3 ounces
Milk sugar 2 ounces
Bottled water 24 ounces
Five feedings in twenty-four hours; 4 to 7 ounces at four-hour intervals, the last feeding to be given at 10 p. m.

From Seventh to Ninth Month.
Milk, evaporated 11 ounces
Lime water 3 ounces
Milk sugar 2 ounces
Bottled water 24 ounces
Four to 5 ounces at four-hour intervals during the day. Last feeding at ten at night.

From Ninth to Twelfth Month.
Milk, evaporated 12 ounces
Lime water 3 ounces
Milk sugar 2 ounces
Bottled water 24 ounces
Four to 5 ounces at four-hour intervals during the day. Last feeding at ten at night.

TREES—Hardy Plains grown trees and shrubbery. Write me and I will call and help you select best bearing varieties. BEN MOORE, O'Donnell, Texas, Phone 40-K

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Ford trailer, in good repair. A. R. McGonagill. 45-2tp

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NOTICE FOR BIDS Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the construction of a brick and tile school building for the Dixie Independent School District according to plans and specifications in the office of the Butler Company, Architects, of Lubbock, will be received up to Thursday, July 23, at 2 o'clock P. M., when same will be opened and considered. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

G. M. Murrah, President, Board of Trustees, Rt. 1, Wilson, Texas
A. F. Pitts, Secretary Box 234, Tahoka, Texas.

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Name Address

John Hrbacek and Otto Hackfeld, two prominent farmers of the Roscoe country in Nolan county, here here Monday inspecting some Lynn county land. It is probable that they will make some investments in this country soon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hogan and G. E. Hogan, Jr., returned Tuesday from Carlsbad, N. M., where they went to see that great natural wonder, the Carlsbad Cavern.

G. O. Newman of Dallas, manager of the Newman Land and Development Company which cut up and sold out the big Singleton Ranch in the southwest portion of the county last year and the year before, is in the county this week looking after business matters.

ONE IN TEN Neglecting a little wound, cut or abrasion of the flesh may in nine cases out of ten cause no great suffering or inconvenience, but it is the one case in ten that causes blood poisoning, lockjaw or a chronic festering sore. The cheapest, safest and best course is to disinfect the wound with liquid Borozone and apply the Borozone Powder to complete the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by THOMAS BROS. DRUG COMPANY

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Isn't now the time to solve the
water problem for Tahoka for all
time to come? The News believes
that we should take steps to procure
water sufficient for a city much larger
than Tahoka, so that the water
question may not be bobbing up to
embarrass us every few years. Let's
get water and plenty of it.

McLean News: The business man
who patronizes peddlers and mail or-
der houses for his printing should
not kick if his customers buy the
goods he handles in the same way.
The home town paper does more than
any other thing to develop business
for the home merchant, and the
loyal merchant will see that there is
no cause for criticism as to where he
spends his printing money.

Maryland punishes the whipping
post. A man was convicted in that
state a few days ago for wife beat-
ing. It seems that the Maryland
law undertakes to fit the penalty to
the offense. The man who whips his
wife shall himself be whipped. The
jury accordingly fixed his punishment
at ten lashes with a blacksnake whip.
In the presence of a physi-
cian and a few witnesses the sheriff
poured it on. That is in accordance
with the eye-for-an-eye and a tooth-
for-a-tooth doctrine of the Old
Testament. We are inclined to believe
that it is a more appropriate and
effective and less expensive punish-
ment than a term in the county jail
would entail. Being natural justice
and in accordance with Holy Writ we
are for it.

The Texas Sheriffs, in their an-
nual convention at Beaumont Wed-
nesday, by almost unanimous vote
condemned the new Search and Seizure
law enacted by the last legisla-
ture. They branded it as a delib-
erate attempt to throw a mantle
of protection around the bootlegger and
endanger the lives and tie the hands
of the law enforcement officers. On
the next day the state association of
Texas Chiefs of Police and City Mar-
shals in session at Dallas by unani-
mous vote also passed a resolution
severely condemning the measure.
W. H. Kesler, chief of police of
Houston declared that the law ties
the hands of the law enforcement
officers and cited an opinion by attor-
ney-general Dan Moody to the effect
that under the law an officer can not
legally search a man for a weapon
without a search warrant. The
peace officers of Texas ought to
know. They are charged with the
duty of enforcing the laws of the
state and they are in position to
know whether or not this new law
seriously handicaps them in the per-
formance of this duty. They say
that it does. Any one who will read
the law must know that it is true.
We believe that the governor in the
course of time will recognize the
mistake and will consent at least to
a modification of the law.

Political miracles are still happen-
ing. News comes from Germany
that a big prohibition campaign is
brewing in that country. A mon-
ster petition with nearly a half mil-
lion signatures, the result of ten days
work, has been laid before the Ger-
man Reichstag at Berlin asking for
a local option law. Women are said
to have figured prominently in the
drive, one of the strongest contin-
gents being the Evangelical Women's
League with a million members. Many
influential leaders among the men,
of all political shades, are also said

to be backing the movement. Of
course the first fight will not result
in a "dry" Germany, but whatever
the electoral result may be every
contest will be a victory for the
"drys", for every such contest will
set the people to thinking and talk-
ing about the evils of the liquor traf-
fic, and the liquor traffic can not
stand in the face of facts and the
light of reason. Our congratula-
tions to Germany!

The News hopes that Mrs. Fergu-
son will not be a candidate for re-
election. We believe she could win,
however, unless something happens
between now and the election to ma-
terially change the political situa-
tion. Those who have been criticiz-
ing her without ceasing for the
liberal exercise of the pardoning
power are seemingly having their
liming now. But if they think that
they can win a gubernatorial elec-
tion on this issue they are reckoning
without their host. The people of
Texas naturally lean to the side
of mercy, and when Jim Ferguson
gets on the stump next year, if the
occasion should arise for him to do
so, and tells the people of Texas ab-
out the conditions that prompted the
governor to exercise clemency in
many of the pardon cases, he will
put the critics on the run and win a
sweeping victory. They will have
to pitch the battle along some other
line if they expect to defeat Mrs.
Ferguson next year in the event she
becomes a candidate. But we hope
that she will not deem it necessary
to run for a second term. In the
campaign last year, she repeatedly
stated that she desired the office only
one term. Her triumphant election
and the subsequent action of the leg-
islature in passing the amnesty bill
gave her and her husband the "vin-
dication" which they sought. We
believe that only the hanting and
the carping criticism of her enemies
could induce her to again enter the
contest. We hope that they will
cease some of these days to vent
their spleen and not provoke her to
again become a candidate. If it is
their purpose, however, to provoke
her to run again in the belief that
they can defeat her, they are just as
sure to be confounded and defeated
as they were last year when they
made the tactical
blunder of preventing
Jim Ferguson's name from going on
the ballot. We hope that they cease
their vicious and malicious attacks
that Mrs. Ferguson may be permitted
at the end of her term to retire in
peace with the gratitude and com-
mendation of the people of Texas,
and that next year's contest may be
a battle between men upon issues and
not upon personalities.

It may not be of any immediate
concern of ours as to the manner in
which Tennessee judges conduct their
courts, but the manner in which Judge
Raulston has conducted his court in
the trial of the evolution case has
been most astounding and amazing
to us nevertheless. That a judge
would permit the auditors in the court
room to applaud, untr restrained, when
some lawyer makes a hit, according
to their way of thinking, or when the
judge makes some ruling that pleases
them, is so foreign to our sense
of justice and so antagonistic to our
ideas of decorum in a court of justice,
that we in the name of decency are
moved to offer our feeble protest. The
conduct of the audience during the
"evolution" trial has often been more
suggestive of a political convention
than a court of justice. We have
seen justice courts in Texas once in
a while that permitted the auditors
to show their sympathies for one side
or the other by laughter and applau-
se, but we have never seen this coun-
tenance in any court in Texas above
the justice court. We are wonder-
ing if the courts in Tennessee habitually
permit such demonstrations as
Judge Raulston has repeatedly per-
mitted during this trial. If so, we
have little respect for Tennessee
courts. Regardless of the outcome of
the Scopes trial, the manner in which
it has been conducted must sensibly
lower the respect in which courts are
held by the laity throughout the coun-
try. With all their defects, we must
say that after reading the reports of
this trial, we are prouder than ever
of our Texas courts.

REPLIES TO UNCLE JIM

Dear Editor: Some one is writing
about hypocrites, signing his name
"Uncle Jim." A good many people
call Jim Eastridge "Uncle Jim" and
I have heard lots of folks accuse him
of writing that piece. Right here
I am going to take his part. I don't
think he ever writes for the news-
papers. I charge two men by the
name of "B. B." did the writing, as
they like to talk so much about
hypocrites.

Do you belong to the Adamic race?
If you do tell me if that race doesn't
practice hypocrisy more or less.
Dumy that? Are you one of those
fellows who is trying to pull the mote

out of the other fellow's eye when
he's there is one longer in yours? My
good brothers, if you are clear of all
things that you charge then you have
the right to cast the first stone.
You said, if the shoe fits you was
talking to them. You used the
word "you". So when you read your
piece in the paper it might have a
tendency to reform you. Am I
right?

You say in the day of judgment
there will be many preachers who
will say, "Lord, Lord," etc. Please
give chapter and verse where it says
many preachers will go to Hell. It
is a well-known fact that men judge
the actions of others with more se-
verity than their own. Our appetites
and passions interfere with the
decisions of the conscience when our
own conduct is the subject of exam-
ination.

R. L. Bolt.

(Ed Note: We are unable to pub-
lish the remainder of this communi-
cation because of its great length
and because of the fact that the re-
mainder of it is an abstract discus-
sion of Natural Religion. We will
satisfy the curiosity of any who wish
to know who wrote the former ar-
ticle on Hypocrisy by stating that
Uncle Jim Nichols of T-Bar was the
author. He has no desire to con-
ceal his identity.)

THE GUILTY PARTY

When a tiny creeping creature
Crawling o'er the ocean sand
Thought that he would be a feature
Of the region called the land,
And in every briny bubble
Saw a rainbow bright with hopes
He was merely making trouble
For the future Mr. Scopes

When this animal's descendants
Cast their shells and spouted feet
In the radiant resplendence
Of the semi-tropic heat,
And quite free at last from oceans,
On the grass and herbage fed,
They were merely putting notions
Into Mr. Scopes' head

When such things went on for ages,
Till the cooling world was rife
With all sorts of changing stages
Of the things that we call life;
And with fury, hate and terror
Beasts would crawl, or hiss or
scream—

They were just creating Error
For young Mr. Scopes to teach
Not a shadow of suspicion

Ever crossed a creature's mind,
In that primitive condition,
Of the evolution kind,
While their courses were straight and
steady

Up toward Heaven all the while,
They were merely making ready

WHY

have your Laundry
sent away when
you can have it
done better and
cheaper at
Home?

L. F. SMITH

PHONE 172

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Vegetable Blood
Purifier,\$1.30
Murray's Balsam,
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of Sylvester, Texas
For sale at—

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For Professor Scopes' trial.

—James Montague in Fort
Worth Star-Telegram

NOTICE OF SALE

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of

Lynn County, Texas, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause
to be published for a period of twenty
days, in a newspaper of general cir-
culation, which has been regularly and
continually published in Lynn County,
Texas, for a period of twelve months
copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas. To all per-
sons interested in the Estate of S. H.
Windham, deceased.

Know ye, that G. W. Small and W.
B. Slaton, administrators of the es-
tate of S. H. Windham, deceased, hav-
ing on the 1st day of July, A. D.
1925, filed in the County Court of
Lynn County, Texas, their application
to sell the following real estate be-
longing to said estate, to wit: The
E. 1/2 section No. 475, Abstract No. 2,
Cert. No. 466, issued to the E. L. &

R. R. Ry. Co., 320 acres of land; also
N 1/4 of Section No. 469, Abst. No. 37,
Cert. No. 459, issued to the E. L. &
R. R. Ry. Co., 320 acres; also all of
Section No. 476, Abst. No. 732, issued
to the E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co., 640
acres of land all situated in Lynn
County, Texas.

Now therefore, these are to notify
all persons interested in said estate,
to be and appear at the next regular
term of the honorable County Court,
to be held at the courthouse in the
city of Tahoka, on the Fourth Monday
in July, A. D. 1925, same being the
27th day of July, A. D. 1925, then
and there to show cause why such
sale should not be made, should they
desire to do so.

Given under my hand and the seal

of said court at office in Tahoka, Tex-
as, this 1st day of July, A. D. 1925.

W. E. SMITH,
Clerk County Court, Lynn County,
Texas.

I hereby certify that the above is a
true and correct copy of the original
citation now in my hands.
(Seal)

J. W. Simpson, Clerk

Mrs. M. F. Billman's father, Mr.
Johnson and her brother and sister,
by, Charley Johnson, were born at
Brownwood last week, the parents
the Billman family.

J. B. Nance is in Ft. Worth
week on business.

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KEEP THE
QUALITY UP

For the past year there has been a growing ten-
dency among the customers to look for lower prices
and many merchants have endeavored to meet this
demand for lower prices by handling cheaper grades
of goods. This reacts on the customer and makes
him pay much higher prices because "An inferior or
Shoddy Article Is High at Any Price."

We carry well-known and dependable brands of
Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats and Clothing.

As we do not know where many of our customers
live, we will hereafter mail you a statement of your
account and ask you to come to our store to pay the
bill. We are anxious to meet you in the store any
way and show you our stock. These statements are
not duns but are sent out for you to look over before
you pay the bill.

Hogan Dry Goods
COMPANY

BUY IT IN TAHOKA

If every person bought his requirements from some firm which does business here, it would have more to do with the growth and progress of this town than any other one thing.

Do you know that almost everything needed by almost everyone living near here is sold by some firm which does business right here in Tahoka? How will Tahoka become the city that we all have hopes of it becoming, unless every citizen patronizes home industry?

This is one of a series of home town talks on diversified lines of business that will be published in this paper. Familiarize yourselves with the industries—find out what they sell—learn who operate them.

Think and talk Tahoka if you want it to grow. Show that you are for Tahoka by purchasing your supplies here. Tahoka merchants and business firms can give you values equal to those of any city. Glance over this list of progressive firms that made this campaign telling of Tahoka possible.

Your hat reflects your Personality

Come to the—

RAINBOW HAT SHOP

For Fashion, for Style, For Service, For Economy, For Convenience in Millinery and *Good-looking* Dresses, Coats, and Hose.

Our hats have that price-less ingredient—Style.

Style and Quality awaken the buying impulse in Miss and Matron. It's the style, final touch of smartness and individuality that makes our Hats attractive—You will like them.

We are looking forward for the Biggest business in our history.

We are preparing more space and conveniences to show you our goods this fall.

The

RAINBOW HAT SHOP



We will have all styles, colors, and prices for Ladies—Also specializing in Little Misses numbers for Fall.

We are prepared to give you a line-up on colors, shapes, materials and trimmings thru the rest of 1925 as scheduled by the Fashion Calendar.

It makes no difference how much or how little you want to pay for a hat, we can supply you. If you want a special order, we can deliver the goods. Try Us.

We especially invite new and old customers, and bring all your friends, to see us.

Give us your support and we will give you advantage of close prices.

The Following Progressive Firms Made This Campaign Possible:

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Exclusive Dry Goods and Clothing Merchants

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The Quality of Our Goods are Unexcelled

Tahoka Drug Co.

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The Drug Sundry Store

City Bakery

Bread, Cakes, Pies, as good as the best

Craft's Tailor Shop

No Better Equipped Shop on the South Plains

Smith's Tailor Shop

Careful Cleaning and Pressing—The Shop of Service

Hall Robinson, Insurance

Be Sure to Insure—I represent some of the Best Companies

Sullivan & Coughran, Real Estate

Dealers In South Plains Lands—The Greatest Section of Texas

Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., Lmbr.

Everything to Build Anything. Ever at Your Service.

Wooldridge Bros., Lumber

Let us figure on your Lumber Bill and Save You Money.

Cicero Smith Lumber Company

A Home—Supreme of all investments. Let us help plan yours.

Motor Inn Garage

If you want prompt and pleasing Service, drive right in.

Childress & Leininger

Tahoka Coal & Grain Co.

Hay, Grain, Chows, Feed, Salt, Coal. We are at your service.

J. I. Wingfield, Jeweler

Bring In Your Watch and Have It Repaired.

Welding & Repair Shop

S. E. Corner Sq. S. G. Willis, Prop. Good work done here

Club Cafe

A Real Filling Station—Fine Eats—Jake Leedy, Prop.

Rainbow Hat Shop

Fine Millinery and Dressmaking. It pleases us to please You.

Central Cafe

The Home of Good Eats. Come once and you will come again.

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"We Tear 'Em Down and Sell the Parts" 1,000,000 Used Parts

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has built many a home on these south plains and all over West Texas.

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G. M. STEWART, Local Mgr.

Everything to Build Anything

—BUY IT IN TAHOKA—

Mrs. E. S. Davis, Sherman and Mildred Davis, and Glenn Brashear returned Friday from Clarendon, where they had been to visit Miss Veda Davis who is a student in Clarendon College. Mrs. Scott Davis accompanied them to Tulsa, where she visited a daughter.

STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

THOMAS BROS. DRUG COMPANY

R. E. Redwine and family left Tuesday for two or three weeks of pleasure and sight seeing in the state of Colorado. They will also probably visit the Glacier National Park in Montana.

J. H. Holloway received a card Tuesday afternoon from Mrs. Holloway and his daughter, Miss Ernestine, who are enjoying the sea breezes and the amusements at Corpus Christi. He is expecting them home the latter part of this week.

Nola and Eula Peters have returned from O'Donnell where they had spent the week visiting their sister, Mrs. W. E. Marr.

T-BAR ITEMS

Well, we will try to give the news of T-Bar or a part of it.

Crops are looking fine, or at least a part of them. Sunday School and prayer meeting are getting dull, so many people absent. It looks like everybody and their dogs are gone or are going visiting their uncle or their wife's people.

M. A. Dorman and family are visiting their children in New Mexico. Mr. Waldrep and family are visiting their daughter in Milam county. Mr. McCauley and family are visiting relatives somewhere in the east. Mr. R. L. Moore and family will leave soon to visit relatives in Austin, Cameron, Freestone county, and Corsicana.

Mr. James and family will also leave to visit somewhere in the east and a lot more are wanting to go.

Say, we would like to have a record of all the haps and mishaps that will take place in all these rounds.

Ridal Nichols from the oil fields is visiting his parents at T-Bar.

Mrs. Price, daughter and grandson of Navarro county are visiting her son in Tahoka. They report feed in Navarro county all burned up.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Moore and little daughter made a trip to Muleshoe last Saturday and Sunday, July 11-12, to see their relatives. Some of the crops look fine. On Saturday night it came a fine rain over a strip of country at Sudan about four miles wide, also a strip of country around Lubbock about 20 miles in width, also in and near T-Bar south of Tahoka.

Say boys, we must take off our hats to Judge Elliott as a farmer. When he read in the Lynn County News of everybody postponing their unfinished business but him and that he could not postpone his, he got busy. Yes, he went in the high and now he is nearer up than any one in the community, and that is not all—he has a fine prospect for a crop. Say, boys, the Judge is going to show us how to raise cotton and maize in the same field and in the same row.

—Uncle Jim.

Misses Edith and Ethel Campbell returned Saturday from a three weeks visit with relatives in Blair and Temple, Oklahoma.

Some time ago Jack Kelley sold his market business here and went to Oklahoma. We thought he intended to remove there but he is back in Tahoka and says he expects to stay here. Mighty glad we were mistaken.

Mrs. S. P. Burns and daughter, Mrs. Jacks of Brownwood visited the former's brother G. W. Small and family last Saturday and Sunday.

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DRAW NEWS

Hello! to everybody. Here we come after a week's absence. Health is good at this time so far as we know. Seems like everybody is enjoying life.

M. Tribble of Covington, Texas is on an extended visit at the home of his son, A. J. Tribble. He reports that crops in Hill county are not much, the shortest he ever saw.

Miss Leta Martin and brother Buck have been on the sick list for the past week but glad to say they are both about again.

T. W. Medford and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Willingham and family west of Draw.

Rev. Gerald McCollom filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church at Draw Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Redwine, Mrs. McCollom's mother, is contemplating going back to her home at Wylie one day this week.

Feed and cotton both are looking good at this time. Our cotton is blooming right along and our maize is heading and that good rain that came Saturday eve and Sunday morning makes Draw folks feel awful good.

This country is bringing lots of east Texas people west. The only thing that hurts the renter is to be overcropped. We want to see more people move in but we would be glad to see a man rent just what he could cultivate and gather without so much expense.

We are expecting to have some more east Texas people with us this week. Mr. Gilbert and family of Blum out here to help us gather our crops this fall.

We had some hot winds Sunday that makes us all wish that we had a chunk of ice close by. We need another rain.

Mr. Lawrence Jackson and family left Sunday morning for Mexico for a few days outing and vacation.

—Draw Cor.

Homer Hall, a stock holder in the Forrest Lumber Company, of Brownfield was here Saturday and dropped in to get acquainted with the News force. He is local manager for the company at Brownfield and stated that it might be possible that he would be transferred to Tahoka when the new yard is opened up here, though he was not sure of this. Br. Hall has long resided on the south plains and once lived in Lynn county. He owns a farm now near the north line of the county and says he thinks there is no better country anywhere he was not sure of this. Mr. right about it.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

1. Song Service.
2. Prayer.
3. Business and Records
4. Group Captain in Charge.
 1. The Lost Coin—J. D. Liles.
 2. The Lost Sheep—Juanita Briley
 3. The Prophet Isaiah—Jack Minor
 4. John The Baptist—R. G. Good-nough.
 5. The Good Shepherd—Viola Moore.
 6. The Shepherd Psalm—Onita Lowe.
 7. Poem: Ninety and Nine—Nola Peters.
5. Leader in Charge.
 1. Leader's ten minutes.
 2. Drill on Memory work.
 3. Sword Drill.
 4. Closing Program.

JUNIOR LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject—Glimpses of the Islands. Leader—Jewel Sargent. Song—From Greenland's Icy Mountains. Announcements. The Lord's Prayer. How the Cubans Live—By Rose Maud Wood. Song: Tell It Today. The Hawaiian People—By Kenneth Reid. A boy who had three names—By Albert Patterson. Sentence Prayers for the Boys and Girls on the Islands. League Benediction.

CHURCH OF CHRIST TO HOLD MEETING AT MAGNOLIA

The Church of Christ will begin a meeting at Magnolia Saturday night July 25, to continue one week. Rev. Whittaker will do the preaching. Everybody is cordially invited.

MEETING STARTS AT MIDWAY

The Midway Baptist Church will begin a meeting next Friday night to continue through the following week and perhaps longer. Rev. Charles A. Stokes of Tahoka, the pastor, will do the preaching. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend these services.

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SERVICE

Edd Dadds and Wesley Edmonson, two prosperous young business men of Roscoe, were here Monday visiting L. C. and Fred Haney. They had been out to El Paso and naturally gravitated over into Juarez just to see the sights.

Rev. and Mrs. B. N. Shepherd and daughter Gertrude spent the first half of the week at Lueders, Jones county, attending the Baptist encampment in session there, driving down from Tahoka Sunday afternoon. They report a great encampment and a most enjoyable time.

SIGNS YOU CAN BELIEVE IN

If your breath is bad and you have spells of swimming in the head, poor appetite, constipation and a general no-account feeling, it is a sign your liver is torpid. The one really dependable remedy for all disorders in the liver, stomach and bowels is Herbine. It acts powerfully on the liver, strengthens digestion, purifies the bowels and restores a fine feeling of energy, vim and cheerfulness. Price 60c. Sold by THOMAS BROS. DRUG COMPANY

County Attorney L. C. Heath and family returned Monday from a week's visit with relatives and friends in Decatur and Wichita Falls. The Judge spent about six years of his boyhood in Decatur and he says he had a great time meeting the friends of his youth.

Spencer Masters, a former member of the News force, left for his home at Commerce Sunday. His brother, Randle Masters has been employed to take his place.

Buy it in Tahoka!

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY, JULY 26, 1925

Subject—Missionary Meeting—Prepare for service. Introduction—Minnie Freeman. 1. The Purpose of the B. Y. P. U.—Leota Knight. 2. A Review to refresh our Memory Eleanor Barker. 3. Baptists Believe in Being Trained.—Leslie McKee. 4. What Our Mission Board Demands—Winnie Freeman. 5. What our Colleges Contribute—W. G. Briley. 6. Give Self For Any Service—Harland Cook. Conclusion, Song and Prayer.

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Negro Killed in Wreck

Allen Austin, negro, 30 years of age, was instantly killed when the automobile in which he was driving turned over on the Bankhead Highway six miles west of Colorado late

Saturday night. In company with members of his family, Austin was coming to Colorado from Westbrook when he lost control of his machine. His neck was broken. Other occupants of the car were painfully, though not seriously hurt—Colorado Record.

NEW LYNN MUSINGS

Greetings to all! Sunday was a great day for the folks of New Lynn Chapel. At the morning service, conducted by Rev. Dillingham of Oklahoma City, a picture of true holiness was given. In the afternoon a lecture by Rev. Snyder on Young Peoples Society. Sunday night the services were again conducted by the Rev. Dillingham. Approximately 500 were in attendance.

Mrs. Snyder, son, and Miss Short, all of Oklahoma City, who accompanied Brother Snyder and Brother Dillingham, returned home Monday morning.

Mrs. Barker and daughter, Eleanor, spent the week-end in the Wade home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pemberton have returned from a visit to her mother at Big Spring.

Mrs. James Connolly of Tahoka and neices, Misses Connolly and Franks of Whitney attended services at New Lynn Chapel Sunday.

Mr. Shattuck's daughter of Wichita Falls is on an extended visit on the plains.

We learn that brother Darby, pastor of the Wilson Baptist Church, is to hold a meeting some time in the near future.

Mrs. A. Y. Pemberton visited her daughter, Mrs. Cole, of Lubbock, last Friday.

The people of New Lynn are learning to labor and wait—for rain.

It is reported that G. W. White, who left this community some time ago, is in a feeble condition. We hope to hear of his recovery soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thompson and Miss Ethel Norris of Littlefield attended services Sunday at the New Lynn Chapel.

Mr. Roy Williams and Miss Annie Dillard made a business trip to Tahoka Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhoads and family of Tahoka took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Carpenter.

Each and every one is invited to attend the revival at New Lynn. We are having a glorious time. The harvest is on for soul saving. Do your best.

—Billie June.

Signs Must Come Off Of The Highways

Worth A. Jennings stated Saturday that he had received notice from the State Highway Commission ordering all commercial signs removed from the state highways within thirty days. This order is in compliance with a law of the recent legislature.

Mr. Jennings has not ascertained whether or not the failure to remove the signs constitutes an offense and is punishable by fine. The copies of the recent laws have not been distributed. The highway force will remove all signs not taken away after the thirty day period.

Mr. Jennings is superintendent of roads for sixteen counties under appointment of the State Highway Commission, and has sent notices to all counties that the sign boards on the highways must be removed.—Randall County News.

Miss Jo Bulloch of Aspermont left for her home last week after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Walker. She was accompanied home by Miss Mary Walker for a few days visit.

Miss Mae Rogers, niece of Uncle Ben and cousin of D. T., and their friend, Miss Patsey Kinnebrew, both of Palestine, are here the guests of the Rogers family. This is their first visit on the south plains.

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Number of Young Drivers Increasing

With schools and colleges closed and vacation time here, young folks are getting out onto the road and to all appearances they seem to be going in for motoring more than ever before.

Any observing person can see it in the traffic along the streets and on the country highways—at the picnics, in the parks, at the summer resorts. The number of young men and women driving cars is everywhere showing a surprising increase.

Among these youthful motorists, the small, light open car seems to have the preference by a wide margin and the Ford runabout is by far the most popular of all, judging from the number seen on the streets. There are, of course, a number of reasons for this Ford popularity. This gives those in moderate circumstances an opportunity to enjoy a car, while those of more means may easily provide the younger members of the family with a runabout of their own at a small cost and thus retain the higher priced cars for use of others in the family.

Read What Our Business People Have To Say

Twenty of the business concerns of Tahoka have contracted for a page in the News for the next twenty weeks for the purpose of advertising their respective lines of business and of encouraging people to patronize home institutions. Each of the twenty business concerns subscribing will be featured once, a cut of their business or other picture appearing that particular week. This campaign starts this week, and the first business featured is that of Mrs. Rafe Richardson, Millinery.

We hope that our readers will read and ponder these page messages. We believe that they will furnish you food for thought. We believe that there are a number of good and sufficient reasons why Tahoka people should trade at home, why Lynn county people should buy their goods and supplies in Lynn county. We believe that self interest alone dictates such a policy. We believe it so strongly that we practice it. Whether you do or not, read these messages and ponder them well. We call particular attention to the first page, which appears this week.

Dr. E. E. Callaway and J. K. Clippel back home last week from a pleasure trip that carried them as far as Del Rio. One would have expected them to bring back a big fish story about their fishing operations.

STOMACH ILLS

Mississippians Was Weak, Couldn't Eat Enough.

"I had a bad case of stomach trouble," says Mr. N. A. Smith, of Shaw, Miss. "I couldn't eat enough and was very weak. Everything I ate hurt me, formed gas, and I spit up my food."

"I would feel stupid or staggered. I didn't feel like doing any work. I knew what Black-Draught had done, and I began taking small doses. I certainly got relief. It did me lots of good."

"When I go to town, I look first to see how near out of Black-Draught we are, and then get more. We keep our home remedies and the main one is Black-Draught."

In hundreds of thousands of homes, housekeepers keep Black-Draught as a remedy to relieve indigestion, biliousness, constipation. Containing no harmful or other mineral drugs, Black-Draught is absolutely safe to take for all members of the family.

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in the Devil's River, but they say that they never even threw, their candidates for the Annanias Club hok in the water. They admitted hence they refused to be interviewed that they stopped and did some fishing.

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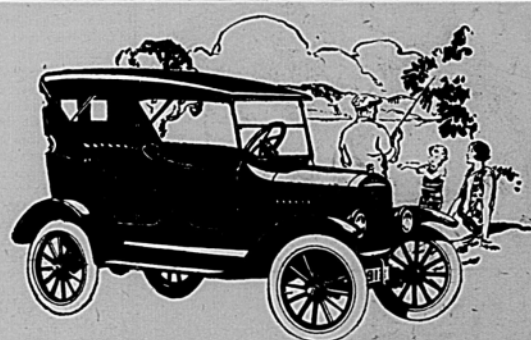
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Work Begun On Pot-Ash Test In Cottle

Work on the potash test begun last week and is progressing nicely. The test is located just west of the old oil well on the Dulaney tract of land.

The work was started with the rotary drill that was used in making the oil well test. The company is going down about 500 feet with this rig, after which they will place in the diamond core and complete it. This rig has been ordered, a bill of lading has been received and they are expecting it to arrive any day.

Quite a bit of delay has occurred due to the fact that machinery has been hard to get and some delays came about in the construction of the machinery.

Much interest is being manifested in this test. Potash is known to exist where the well is being drilled, but whether it will be in paying quantities or not is a matter to be determined. Geologists who have examined the field and watched the progress of the oil test are sure that a pay streak will be found in the potash test. All who are most deeply interested are so sure of this that they have placed quite a bit of money into the test.

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Colorado People Hurt In Car Turnover

Col. and Mrs. C. M. Adams of Colorado, Roy Buchanan of South America and Mrs. Carroll Gray of Los Angeles, California, who were painfully injured when the Studebaker sedan of the Adams family overturned on the Bankhead highway 7 miles east of Big Spring Thursday of last week, are improving. The machine was being driven by Mrs. Roy Buchanan and aside from a severe shock she was uninjured.

The party was motoring to Big Spring to visit relatives. The car struck a chug-hole that had been filled with loose sand and gravel and left in that condition by the road hands, which caused the machine to swerve and overturn. The car was badly wrecked.

Mr. Adams sustained a cut on his knee. Mrs. Carroll Gray had one of her lower limbs broken in the crash and Mrs. Adams was painfully bruised and cut by flying glass from the windshield and car windows. Mr. Buchanan suffered a wrenched back. Passing motorists picked up the party and returned them to Big Spring where they received medical attention. Mrs. Gary was placed in a hospital there and the others returned to Colorado Thursday night by train.

The little four-year old daughter of Mrs. Gary was uninjured. —Colorado Record

W. M. Roach of Paris, Texas, left Monday after having spent several days here looking after property interests. He owns a half section of land five miles south of town.

Mitchell Co. Highway Is Annulled By State

Designation of Highway No. 101 from Colorado south to intersection where. We think he is just about as annulled Friday by the State Highway Department in a statement given Mitchell county officials by Joe Burkett of Eastland, member of the department representing West Texas.

Burkett assigned as the cause for this action the fact that the county had failed to take definite steps toward co-operating with the state in improving highways in this county.

This highway, passing from Snyder through Dunn, Buford, Colorado and Spade and connecting three of the most important highways in the State, was authorized several months ago by the highway department, on condition that the counties through which it passes co-operate with the State in improving the roadbed. Scurry county, according to claims of the department, immediately began work on the highway in that county, but in so far as Mitchell and Sterling counties are concerned, nothing was ever done. The designation from Colorado to Snyder has not been recalled.

Burkett stated that in meeting the heavy demand in scores of other counties over the state for highway improvement, funds had become temporarily become exhausted. Allotments have been assigned to counties in which bond issues were authorized by the voters to supplement State and Federal aid. When Mitchell county did not vote the proposed bonds to finance its share of the highway improvement program, funds conditionally allotted to this county went elsewhere.

Burkett stated, however, after January 1st, when the Highway Commission expected to receive additional funds, Highway 101 would be again designated south of Colorado, on condition the people desired to co-operate with the State in improving the road bed.

As to the Bankhead Highway and No. 101 north of Colorado, Burkett stated that the State would allot aid, dollar for dollar, to build a gravel roadbed and then top the surface at no expense to the county. For the Bankhead he proposed a special asphalt paving on gravel base of 12 inches.

In discussing the Bankhead Highway with county officials, Burkett intimated that something definite must be done. In the event this county continues to neglect this highway the State and Federal governments may change designation to go by way of Snyder, Burkett stated. In the event this should be done, the highway commissioner intimated that the new designation would turn north west at Roscoe, following highway No. 7 to Snyder and from there go in a southwesterly direction to an intersection with the present designation at Big Spring.

Burkett has announced that he will visit Colorado August 8 and deliver an address on the highway question in this country. At this time he proposes to explain definitely just what the highway department will do in this county and outline the conditions under which this program may be carried out. —Colorado Record.

Wm. Zappe has gone to south Texas, and we understand that he is preparing to move his family here.

June Record of Ford Sales Are Broken

A new June sales record was established by the Ford Motor Company during the month just passed, when approximately 6,000 more Ford cars, and trucks were delivered to retail customers in the United States than during the same month a year ago, which held the previous high mark for June.

Reports indicate a continued large volume of business through the summer months with a higher buying level than is usual during this season of the year. The outlook is for another record breaking month for July.

Urgent requests for additional shipments have made necessary increasing the company's July Production schedule, which now calls for several thousand more cars and trucks than were produced in June. Sales figures just given out by the company show that the total sales for June were 195,300 Ford cars and trucks. Of this number, 176,256 represent domestic sales, as with 170,547 cars and trucks sold in June a year ago.

Buying conditions also continue good in the high priced car market. Evidence of this appears in the sales of Lincoln cars during June, with deliveries to domestic customers totaling 55,630 units in 1925, as compared with 48,200 in 1924.

Specer, Last of Furey Gang, Goes to Pen

FORT WORTH, July 20.—W. B. Spencer, last of the Joe Furey confidence gang which swindled J. Frank Norfleet out of his fortune several years ago in a Fort Worth Hotel, was taken to the penitentiary Sunday afternoon by State Penitentiary Agent Bud Russell.

Spencer is under the sentence of eight years for his complicity in the Norfleet swindle. He was returned

to Fort Worth recently from Kansas City, Kan. After his release from Leavenworth penitentiary on completing a term for violating the narcotic laws. Spencer was rearrested for Texas authorities, but released on habeas corpus writ by a federal judge. Later, he was turned over to local authorities but his second habeas corpus case has been appealed to the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals.

Nineteen other convicts were in the party leaving here for the penitentiary.

Dean For Texas Tech Is Selected

LUBBOCK, July 1.—Dr. J. M. Gordon, Tulsa, was selected as dean of the Texas Technological College

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Mr. and Mrs. Louie Weathers, returned Sunday from Jefferson, Texas, where they had been to visit relatives. Mrs. Weathers' sister, Miss Josephine Max, and brother Buster Max accompanied them home and will visit here several weeks.

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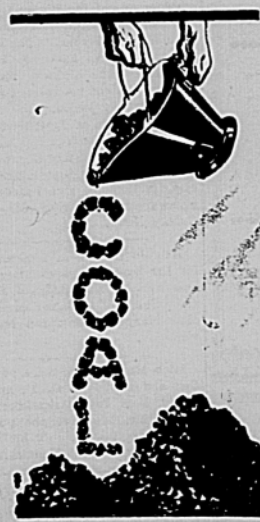
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