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Goodnight Ranch and Buffalo.

CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.

This great "wild cattle" preserve, in my opinion will mean more to the future of Texas and America than the British wild cattle at Chillingham means to the English nation. I therefore seek this means of correcting an erroneous idea which has become prevalent thru ignorance of existing facts.

In this connection, I hope you will indulge me in correcting another error emanating from the fertile brain of other coset naturalists or romancers which credits Mrs. Mary A. Goodnight with the management of this herd of Buffalo and a large cattle ranch together with a galaxy of other strong armed yellow-baked masculine heroines purported to be in the same line of business out West. While it is true that it was through Mrs. Goodnight's suggestion and sentiment that the wild Buffalo was enclosed on their native heath with a view os perpetuation, and to her Mr. Goodnight cheerfully accords the credit and calls her the nominal owner thereof, she is the very antithesis of the Amazonian "cow girl" (illustrated in all the paraphernalia of the wild west show) represented as managing the "round ups" on the vast ranch of her late husband as pictured currently, while said "late husband" in the full robust manhood of a well spent life, continues serenely to care for a fine herd of Polled Angus cattle and Persian sheep together with his "Cattalo" herd, much the manner of a large fine-stock farmer in central Missouri, and the vast ranch so frequently alluded to is dotted over with farms in the possession or similar fine stock farmers in the midst of which, near the station and villiage of Goodnight is a brick built college which was practically founded by the Goodnights and where at the recent commencement over a hundred students were participating in exercises in which Mrs. Goodnight took enthusiastic interest as the school is the result of one of her benefactions; and in consistency with her life work as an educator; since she herself is one of the pioneer teachers of Texas who taught one of the earliest schools at her old home at Weatherford, Texas, which was attended by many pupils who have since become prominent in the affairs of the state. So much for the perversity of the "penny-ainer" of the yellow press who so persistently distort facts to earn a precarious living. As to the fu-

PHILIPPINE CORRESPONDENCE.

Zamboanga, Mindanao, Moro Province, P. I. May 1, 1907.

To the Editor:

I do not believe that any attempt has ever been made to reach the heart of America in dealing with the subject of the Philippine Islands. Practically all attempts to reach the American people have been through the medium of the metropolitan press. The people of Mindanao, Moro Province, desire to lay their case before the readers of the country press of America, so they may become acquainted with actual conditions here.

The committee of the Commercial Club of Zamboanga having this important work in charge is composed of Messers. James G. Gregory, president, and P. H. Frank, secretary-treasurer of the Club, both wholesale merchants, and the undersigned, president of the Bank of Zamboanga. I have been a resident of these Islands since 1889, with the exception of two visits to the United States, and short trips through China, Japan, Malay States, Borneo, Dutch Celebes and Java, which countries I shall handle in descriptive letters later on. Respectfully,
S. E. DE RACKEN, Zamboanga, P. I.

—The position of the Philippines as a whole, with reference to the trade of the Far East, is an ideal one, even today; but with the completion of the Panama canal their value to the United States will be beyond compare.

—The position of the Goodnight Buffalo preserve, the school children of the Lone Star State, when the proper time comes on a basis of ten cents per capita can perpetuate this Buffalo herd where they are now located without assistance and will probably do so.

It is to be regreted that a greater number of people have not interested themselves in the domestication of the buffalo, the wildness of which is due to timidity and not to their ferocity since they have become tractable with gentle and kindly treatment. Of course here on the Goodnight stock-farm that place set apart for the Buffalo consists of herbage covered hills, canyons and plains, watered by springs stream, covered with a variety of grasses and other vegetation, which was the habit of the present herd of Buffalo which thrives upon it this tract of land was especially selected for perpetuating this herd of Buffalo by Colonel Goodnight and remains in the state of nature existing when this preserve was fenced and set apart for this purpose.

So in the meantime the colonel will undoubtedly continue to manage his own affairs as successfully and in the same public spirited manner as he has in the past and will give to the world as the result of his labors, not only a new race of cattle with the added valuable characteristics, but practically verifying what was believed to be possible by Darwin, Spencer, Agassiz, Rothschilds, and others all of whom except the latter have passed to the great beyond, and who entertained the belief that at some period of unrecorded time the same experiments now being demonstrated by Charles Goodnight was brought about on the European Continent. Respectfully, William Penn Anderson.—Amarillo Herald.

Our control of the Philippines, and the recent Titian struggle in Korea and Manchuria, are but incidents in a movement which has as its ultimate object the control of the Pacific. Whilliam H. Seward knew whereof he spoke when he declared that "henceforward European commerce, European politics, European thought, European activity, however effectively they may increase in intrinsic importance, and European alliances, however intimate they may become, will sink in relative importance—meanwhile the Pacific Ocean, its shores, its isles, and the vast region beyond, will become the principal theater of events in the great future of the world." The profetic ken of Thomas H. Benton enabled him to see the day when the rule and empire of the world would belong to the route to the Indies, and to the nation which controls the commerce of that route.

The Panama canal, the Hawaiian, Aleutian, Ladrone and Philippine Islands place the American nation in absolute control of the Pacific, and they can no more escape the responsibility of their position than they can cease to be a progressive people.

CLIMATIC and HEALTH CONDITIONS

The climate of the Philippines is pleasant, equable and healthful. It is doubtful whether any other country in the world is more favored in this respect. Malarial fevers are relatively few, predaceous animals are unknown, and insects and reptiles prejudicial to human life or health extraordinarily few in number. At the level of the sea throughout the entire archipelago the mercury rarely goes below 60 degrees or above 90 degrees Fahrenheit during the entire year. From the middle of November until the middle of March the climate is delightful, and from that time on until the latter part of June it

is hot during the middle of the day, but considerably less so than in many parts of the United States in the summer.

AREA of the PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

The area of the Philippines equals that of England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, and the Islands are capable of supporting a population of one hundred million people. It is doubtful if on the face of the earth today an area so large as that of the Philippine Islands can be found which contains such a vast population together with such virgin resources in every line of industry. So prodigial is nature of her gifts, and so productive is the soil of the archipelago that only a scratch here and there is necessary for the support of eight million people. It must be remembered, however, that success is attained here only as it is attained in other countries, that is, by intelligent and energetic work. This being a new country, many more opportunities offer here than in the United States, but those who expect success to wait upon them ~~impatiently~~ will fail here as there. What these Islands need is a class of sturdy pioneers such as made that great empire lying west of the Mississippi river to blossom like the rose—men with willing hands, honest hearts and a small amount of capital. The statement so often made to the effect that a white man cannot labor in this climate is not true. Those who are afraid of a little sunshine can find some excuse for not laboring in any country. As Major General Lenord Wood who is also a very eminent physician, says, "there is nothing in the climate of these Islands which prohibits long residence here. A moral life, with plenty of hard work, will be found to counteract, in most cases, the so-called demoralizing effects of the Philippine climate."

AGRICULTURAL LANDS.

There are some 65,000,000 acres of agricultural lands in these Islands, only 5,000,000 acres of which are subject to individual ownership. The price of this land is fixed at \$2 per acre, and can be readily secured owing to the fact that the Government is more than anxious to see it under cultivation. The price of land suitable for hemp cultivation, if purchased from private parties, is from \$2 per acre. Lands under cultivation costs about \$3 per acre. Forest land will cost about \$4 per acre.

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FRIDAY, AUG 9, 1907.

Tahoka is feeling the pinch of a water shortage. The two weeks, of comparatively still weather, and the pumping engine at the north well being broken water is scarce. We are anxiously hoping for some windy weather.

Vegetation is standing the hot weather very well indeed.

Tahoka is to have an accomplished music teacher near the school house this coming term.

The health of Tahoka is very good this summer. The only serious sickness being transient cases brought here for treatment.

LETTER HEADS, NOTE HEADS, ENVELOPES, BUSINESS CARDS, VISITING CARDS, WEDDING STATIONERY, BLANK DEEDS & NOTES AT THE NEWS OFFICE

AN AUTO FOR GAIL.

Mr. Alley, of this place, accompanied by his wife, went to Gail Wednesday to deliver the new car purchased from him by Dr. J. H. Hannibass. Mr. Alley and the doctor paid Tahoka a visit Friday morning, the doctor being occupied in learning to run the car. Mrs. Alley visited friends in Gail. Mr. Alley handles the Buick Machine and is placing a good many in this part of the country.

Some fine garden truck is being brought into town.

Let Bud Milliken fix that old pair of shoes for you.

Judge Bartley and family went to Lubbock Tuesday to attend the Eastern Star ceremonies. They returned to their home Wednesday.

B. H. Black & Son, dealers in General Merchandise. Tahoka, Texas.

Mollie Baily Showed in Tahoka, last Saturday afternoon and evening a very good crowd attended the after noon performance and the tent was full in the evening. The show was very good and quite a treat to the town.

We buy country produce.
Black & Son.

Miss Ruby Black, who has been attending school at Abilene, returned to her home in Tahoka Friday morning. Miss Ruby is one of our most charming young ladies and will be gladly welcomed by her many friends.

Sewing.

Any one wishing Sewing done, will please call on Miss Dellis and Miss Henderson, at the home of Mrs. Elliott, in the west side of town. We will do our best to please. Terms reasonable. Customers will please bring their patterns.

A PHONE MESSAGE.

A phone message came in from Meadow Thursday night giving news of the death of J. R. Smith's small son and asking for a casket to be sent out, as there were none to be had in Lubbock. George Riley and Will Davis responded to the call and arrived at their destination with the little casket at about daybreak.

Dry Batteries.

Those who may need dry batteries for their automobiles, can find them at Ousley & Alley's store on the northwest corner of the square, Tahoka, Texas.

SAD ACCIDENT.

The 18 months old son J. R. Smith and wife of near Meadow drowned in the tank Thursday Aug 8th. The little fellow was playing in the yard with the older children when he went off by himself to play and fell into the water. The funeral took place at the Lubbock cemetery Aug. 9th.

MARRIED.

Cecil Whipp was married in Plainview Saturday August 3 to Mrs. Mattie Hardy they will visit in Tahoka, next week.

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Notice.

Mrs. C. E. Donaldson will begin her school of music Monday September 2nd and requests all pupils, who will take, to meet her at Mrs. J. S. Wells's residence on Friday Aug 30th from 9AM—to 4PM—that she may grade and get them ready for Monday's work.

Mrs. Donaldson is a graduate of the Belton Conservatory of music and is an experienced teacher.

No. 8597.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

Washington, D. C. March 16, 1907
WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF TAHOKA, in the town of Tahoka, in the county of Lynn, and State of Texas, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking;

NOW THEREFORE I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF TAHOKA," in the town of Tahoka, in the County of Lynn, and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF witness my hand and Seal of office this Sixteenth day of March, 1907.

T. P. KANE
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

Dr. S. H. WINDHAM

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John Young, Prop.

LUBBOCK LOCALS.

From the Avalanche.

Sam Slover was in from the southwest part of the county the first of the week.

Jenks Penney has been spending the week in Fort Worth and other eastern cities.

Miss Jewel Posey, of Plainview, sister of cashier Posey of the First National Bank, visited the latter's family the first of the week.

Carpenters finished the work on Kid Powell's residence in the west part of town this week and he will move in to same soon.

Rev. J. P. Callaway and family left this week for Roaring Springs, Motley county, where Bro. Callaway goes to assist in a Camp Meeting for ten days.

Geo. T. Curtis, manager of the Staked Plains telephone Company, left Monday morning accompanied by his crew, to install the local exchange at Post City. He will then go to Gail and put in a local exchange there.

FORMER RESIDENT.

Mr. C.H. Peters was in Tahoka Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Mr. Peters moved from here to Cuthbert about three months ago. He says he and his family have just returned from a trip to Grand-burury to visit relatives and friends, he says every thing is looking fine. Mr. Peters has just lately moved to Colorado and has bought a mail line from Colorado to Durham in Borden county. Mr. Peters was a former citizen of Tahoka.

THE HARDWARE STORE has plenty of Binder Twine to supply your wants.

Mrs. Shed Weathers left last Friday for Snyder where she will visit friends and relatives for a month or six weeks.

We see by last week's Avalanche that Bob Hampton and his sister, Miss Nora, have gone to St. Louis to purchase their fall stock of goods.

If you have bought a pocket knife at **THE HARDWARE STORE** and it has not proven to be first class, return it and get another, as all their knives are fully guaranteed.

E. M. Weathers who has been working with a thresher for the last six weeks, reports crops as all being in fine shape in Floyd county this year, oats making 25 to 40 bushels to the acre and selling for 50 cents a bushel. wheat is making from 15 to 25 bushels to the acre and selling at 70 cents a bushel.

Judge J. N. Furgeson, of Lubbock, was down here Tuesday attending Justice Court.

Mr. Jim. Cowan received word Thursday that his father, who lives in Erath county, was very sick, and he left that afternoon on Dr. McCoy's new runabout, on its return trip to Big Spring.

Fatal Automobile Accident.

Just as the last pages of the Brand goes to press the sad news of the death of Frank Tucker by accident comes in.

A party composed of Mesdames C. L. Sullivan, J. P. Snyder and children, J. P. Slaton and daughter were returning yesterday evening by auto from Canyon City and when about 14 miles from town the machine, with Mr. Tucker at the wheel, suddenly swerved and turned over, throwing all the ladies clear of the machine, but pinning the two little girls and Mr. Tucker under it, killing the latter instantly. The little girls miraculously escaped injury, except slight bruises. None of the ladies, though terribly shocked, were seriously hurt.

A phone message was sent in from a near-by house for aid, Dr. Rodgers responding. In the meantime, the ladies with the assistance of a ranchman, rescued the little girls and removed the machine from the lifeless form of Mr. Tucker.

This is truly a sad accident. Mr. Tucker had only recently been married and his wife is prostrated with grief. The friends and acquaintances of the family sympathize with them in their bereavement.—Hereford Brand.

Lynn Dots.

Mr. Atkinson and family, of Colorado, who have been visiting the family of J. E. Ketner, started home last Monday, after a stay of about two weeks.

Messrs. Newman and Brown, brothers-in-law of W. H. May, came up from Hamilton county last week with their families to visit Mr. May's family and look at the country.

Mrs. I. W. Meyers and Mrs. Joe West were in Tahoka shopping, last Monday.

Miss Bessie Marchbanks and Mrs. Ruby Hatchett were in attendance at the protracted meeting at Tahoka Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cosstephens were at the services in Tahoka the first of the week.

The Sunday School started last Sunday with fair attendance.

Hamp Pascal was over from Post last Sunday visiting the family of Mr. Chas. Williams.

Don Hatchett was at home Sunday from Post.

Jim Hutto of the North West part of the county was visiting in our community last Saturday and Sunday.

AX EYE DENT.

O. L. SLATON, Pres. JACK ALLEY, V. Pres. W. D. NEVELS, Csh. W. B. SLATON, Asst. Csh. Directors, O. L. Slaton, Jack Alley, S. N. McDaniel, G. W. Reed, G. W. Coughran, W. S. Posey, W. D. Nevels.

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FRIDAY, AUG. 2, 1907.

Mrs. Cannon, who was sick at the wagon yard for three weeks was so much recovered, that she left for her home last Saturday morning. Some of the ladies of Tahoka, are to be commended for the way in which they cared for Mrs. Cannon, in her time of distress and loneliness, sitting up with her and changing the linen on the bed and doing every thing in their power to assist her recovery. Mrs. Cannon said she would always remember Tahoka and her friends here, with feelings of deepest gratitude.

Messrs. Walter Clayton and N. E. Bagley, two young men from Sidney, Comanche county, have been prospecting through Lynn county, the last week. The young men say that Lynn soil and crops look good enough for them.

Hal Singleton, a nephew of S. D. Singleton, the owner of the large hog ranch in the south west corner Lynn county, was in the county capital last Monday. Mr. Singleton is the postmaster at Jefferson, Texas, and is spending the summer on the Plains, to avoid the malarial summer of east Texas. He was accompanied by his wife, who was raised in west Texas, near Colorado. Mr. Singleton is a reader of the News, and paid us a very pleasant call Monday afternoon. We are always glad to meet our friends from abroad. Mr. Singleton says he would like to see some of the eastern farmers out in this fine country, and see what they could do with it. If the land here was worked like some of the farms in the lower part of the state, we would need stilts or stepladders to gather the corn.

John Burk, who went with G. W. King to locate his cattle, returned to Tahoka, Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Meyers and Mrs. Joe West of the Lynn county, were in town last Tuesday, with the first squashes, cucumbers and okra we have seen this season. Progressive people are usually first and take pride in being so.

Mrs. Blanche Penney, of Lubbock, was visiting Mrs. Stokes, last week.

Lewis Robinson called on the News force Monday.

Mrs. Montgomery and daughter, Miss Mattie, are away, visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Myrtle Cade returned to her home, Monday after a two month's visit to her brother in Snyder.

T. E. Campbell and family, of Meadow, were in Tahoka, Sunday, attending the Methodist meeting now in progress at the Methodist church, under the management of Rev. Hotchkiss, the evangelist.

Mr. Johnson, one of the cowboys of the H ranch, passed through town last Saturday. He was enroute to the Sugg Robinson ranch on the Colorado River, in the south west part of Borden county.

Mrs. W. H. May, of Lynn, was in the city, Tuesday of last week, and paid the Ed a pleasant visit. Mrs. May was once a resident of Floyd county, and she seems like kinfolks.

Mrs. Minnie Holden, of McCauley, is in Tahoka, visiting friends. Mrs. Holden is a daughter of Mr. T. E. Campbell, of Meadow, and is here to visit her parents for some time. Mrs. Holden's home was in Tahoka, when the town was just a wide place in the road.

H. C. Crie, the business manager of the Lynn County News, was one of the first to enjoy a ride in Charlie Brown's new auto. They went for quite a little spin. Mr. Brown has not learned to run his machine yet; he thinks of getting a chauffeur to operate the car for him.

Lewis Robinson and wife, Alec Henderson and wife and Mr. McLoud's family went last week, to Yellow House Canyon, on a fishing trip. They caught lots of fish, and had the time of their lives. Mrs. McLoud caught her first fish, greatly to her surprise and delight. Lewis says the fun they had was enough to make any one forget they were grown up.

Mr. Douglass Pounds, of Lubbock, was in Tahoka Monday, on business. He came down Sunday, and returned Monday afternoon. Mr. Pounds was once a resident of Tahoka, and has many friends here, who were very glad to see him. The News was pleased to receive a call from him. Mr. Pounds says Lubbock is growing into quite a city, in spite of the dry weather they have been having to contend with the first of the summer.

G. W. Coughran & Co's
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Former price \$10.00 now \$ 7.50
Former price \$12.00 now \$ 8.50
Former price \$13.00 now \$10.00
Former price \$14.00 now \$11.00
Former price \$15.00 now \$12.00
Former price \$16.00 now \$12.50

We sell for cash at the above greatly reduced prices our complete line of mens suits.

We must clear out this entire line and we have put prices on these suits that will do it in a very short time, so you had better come early and get your choice of these suits.

These Suits must be sold for cash for these are cash Prices

G. W. Coughran & Co's
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We have made some very close prices on our entire New Line of Boys Suits, and if you can't find what you want and at a price that will also suit you are indeed hard to please, for a better line of boys clothing was never brought to this town, nor sold at these prices

Sizes 7 to 11 years old worth \$4. to \$8. for \$3. to \$6. Sizes 12 to 15 years old worth \$4 to \$7. going at \$2.50 \$4. Sizes 15 to 18 cheap at \$13. going at the extremely low figures of \$10.

This is a fine chance to get your boy a nice Suit of Clothes.

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is like every other department of our Large General Merchandise establishment, complete in every detail. It is anything in the grocery line that you want, you need not go elsewhere for we keep our large stock constantly replenished with new, fresh, groceries both staple and fancy. We cordially invite you to come in each time you are in town and make our store your head quarters for your entire family. Prompt and courteous clerks at your service.

We also have an up to date line of Dry Goods and Ladies Furnishings.

G. W. Coughran & Co's
HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

Just you forget, we wish to say a few words about our hardware department. We are justly proud of the number of sales we have already made in our hardware and implements, this year and we ask you to come around and see what we have and we feel assured that we will be able to sell you several articles at prices that will bring you back again. You ought to see our crockery and glass ware, also our line of tin and granite ware are complete.

We handle only the very best lines of hardware and implements.

Closing Out.

We are closing out our stock of wire and will sell at the following prices as long as it lasts,

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34 inch, per rod 25 and 35 cents	42 inch, per rod 30 and 40 cents
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Northwest corner Square, Tahoka, Texas.

Elton George and family were visiting kinfolks in town Saturday last.

Miss Ida Mitchell who has been teaching at the Black school house closed her school last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. G. Oden, a sister to M. E. Gilmore, is here visiting him. Mr. Lee and family are here also; Mrs. Lee is a niece of Mr. Gilmore's.

D. M. Herman, who came to town with fever about two weeks ago is convalescent. Mr. Herman has been occupying the Masonic Hall during his illness.

The Tahoka Hardware Co., sold a wagon to G. C. Cade, another to Joe Bauldrige and a buggy to W. S. Bell, last week. That is not bad for a town the size of this.

Just received, a fresh stock of chocolates and other high grade candies at Thomas Bros.

If you are figuring on building, see the Hardware Store for builders hardware. A full line at Railroad prices.

F. M. Brown and his brother-in-law L. V. Newman, both of Comanche county, are visiting Mr. Brown's sister Mrs. W. H. May, of Lynn.

R. E. Morris left Monday on the auto for Colorado. He will do some surveying for his father who lives in the southeast part of Borden county, before he returns.

A car load of Racine Buggies and Hacks are being hauled out from Big Spring for THE HARDWARE STORE.

A. L. Jones, of the southeast part of the county, was in town Monday.

The Hall and Smith livery stable has a large white sign painted on the roof of the stable, where all can see it.

Last Sunday Mr. E. E. Davis came in from Post City, quite sick with typhoid fever. He is a son of R. A. Davis of Erath county, and is a graduate of the John Tarleton College, at Stephenville. Mr. Davis was serving in the capacity of foreman of the Post City lumber concern, when he was taken sick. He was placed in the Masonic Hall, along with Mr. Herman who has been ill there some time. They are both under the care of Dr. McCoy. Devotee McCoy, a brother of the doctor's is caring for the patients, in the capacity of nurse. Devotee has been here only a short time; but seems to have made a place for himself, and is supplying a long felt need in Tahoka.

THE ICE QUESTION

Fort Worth customers are paying 35c for ice, the price having been raised from 30c. Denton consumers have always paid 35c with 10 per cent. off for coupons.—Record and Chronical.

And down at Port Lavaca ice is selling freely at 20c per 100, as a result of keen competition between manufacturers and importers. The great increase in the cost of manufacturing and handling does not appear to have yet extended to the Gulf coast country. It seems to be largely indigenous to the city of Fort Worth. Advertising space is being used in the Dallas papers to announce the sale of 25c ice.—Fort Worth Telegram.

Denton folks get 25c ice by going after it.—Record and Chronical.

Abilene is paying 50c per 100 and "no grumbling."—Abilene News.

The price at Colorado is 75c per 100, but water is higher here than at other points named.—Colorado News.

And we Stanton folks away out here in the west pay a dollar the hundred. We pay it because we can afford it. Come out here and you'll have something to buy ice with, and then some.—Stanton Reporter.

We guess some of these fellows would faint and fall back if they were in Tahoka and paid 5c per pound for ice. Just think of it; people buy it and have ice cream, iced tea and lemonade. Even the poor Editor buys ice out here.

An exchange says that an inquirer, writing to a real estate dealer in a certain town, said: "I can tell more about the kind of a town you have by seeing your paper than by any other means of information. If your merchants are dead and don't use your paper, I don't want to locate in or near your town. I have had experience in one town like that and I would not be caught again if I can help it."—Merkel Telegram.

The merchant has a lot to do with the way his town is regarded abroad. The county paper is your representative, and if you want to appear well, stick to your paper, and you will look all right.

E. F. Ousley left Sunday on the auto for Big Springs, where he will take the train for Dallas. He will visit relatives there for several days. When he returns he will bring his little nephew, Hassell, with him.

Mr. Lonnie Bigham, accompanied by his sister, Miss Linnie, left on Sunday's auto for Mineral Wells. They will visit there for a while and then go to the sea coast, where they will remain several weeks.

F. C. Mellerd, of the Hillside Farm and Ranch, was in town Wednesday.

THE VICTORY OF PEACE

One inventor has invented a gun to throw a shell twenty five miles

Another inventor has made an explosive that will crush armor plate like glass.

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We also keep a New, Complete Line of Fresh, Staple and Fancy GROCERIES

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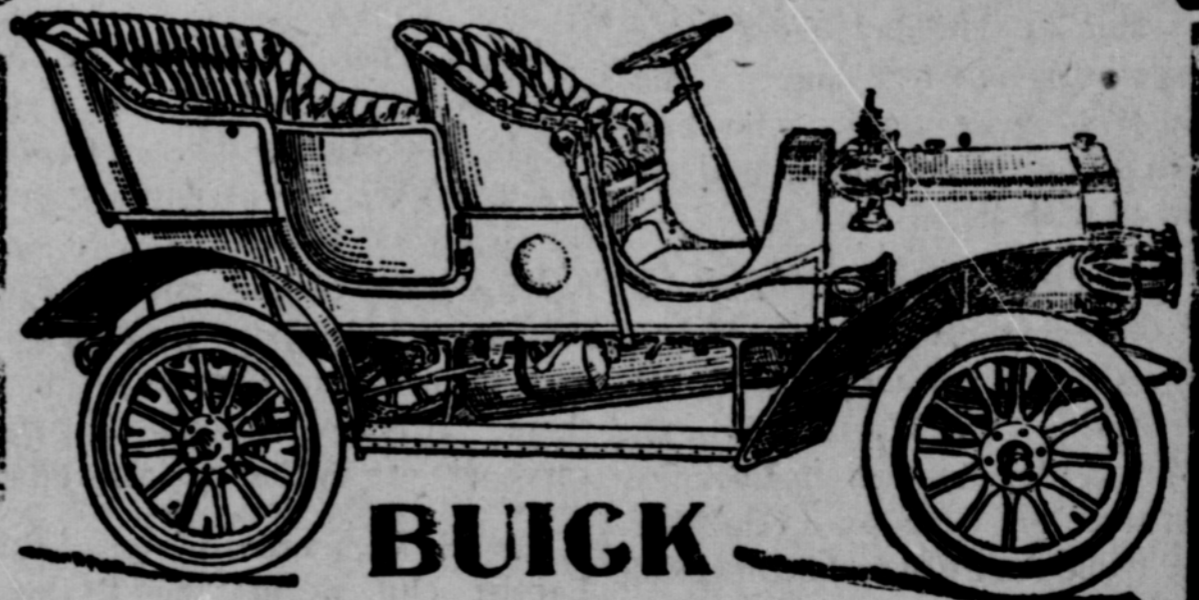
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Tahoka and Lubbock

Most of the merchants close their doors during eleven o'clock services.

C. S. Brown, of the City Meat Market, is sick at the Hotel this week.

The nicest line of glassware ever in Tahoka at THE HARDWARE STORE.

J. K. Millace, of the north part of the county, was in town last Saturday.

Walter Forrester came in town Monday with a load of cedar posts from Draw.

P. B. Hall, one of our livery men, sold two lots in block 5, to T. G. Tidwell, for \$150.

Miss Lula Luttrell and her little sister Hannah paid the News a pleasant visit last Saturday.

Carroll Henderson, of Lamesa, was in town last Saturday taking in the Molly Baily show.

Mr. Hix, of Post City, is here with a very sick child. He came to Tahoka to be near a physician.

Misses Birdie and Grace White, of Meadow, were in town last Saturday and made the News a pleasant call.

The Hardware Store is daily expecting the arrival of a car load of Leader and Star windmills and windmill supplies.

Joe Henderson, a nephew of Jim Elliott's, is here from Shackelford county to visit relatives. He arrived Monday by private conveyance.

Mrs. Walter Forrester, of Meadow, was in town last Saturday. She went home with Miss Maud Cantrell, of Draw, and spent several days; returning to her home the first of this week.

Ben Snyder and family arrived in Tahoka Monday from their home in Shackelford county. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Burk, who have been off on their wedding trip, returned with them.

Mrs. Lillie Barnes, of Portales, New Mexico, came in last Friday to visit her mother Mrs. E. M. Weathers. Mr. Weathers brought his daughter down from Lockney, and took her back with him Monday as he returned to his threshing in Floyd county.

Mrs. Judge Bartley is entertaining quite a house party of relatives from Floyd county this week. Mrs. Frank Henry and two sons, Wells of Floydada, and Sam of Lockney, Misses Jeffie Boone and Beatrice Henry of Floydada composed the party. They will remain about a week.

Mr. S. F. Singleton, his granddaughter Kate Kelly Singleton and Miss Hattie McKell, were in town Tuesday.

W. E. Porterfield left on Sunday's auto for St. Louis, where he will spend some time selecting his fall stock of dry goods.

Will Montgomery is remodeling his building on the north side of the square by adding a new porch and front. The building is occupied by the West Texas Real Estate Co. and Tahoka Tailor Shop.

A. L. Lockwood, bought last week of B. L. Shook, 30 dry cows at \$15 around; of W. W. Johnson, 8 dry cows at \$13 and \$15; of Courtney Mellerd, 15 head at \$15; of Ed. Redwine, 14 at \$15.

Messrs. J. W. Jones, J. T. Trell and Lewis Sowell, all of Winters, Texas, were here prospecting, the first of the week. Mr. Jones already owns a half section of land in E. D. Skinner's pasture.

Surveyors on the Panhandle Short line, arrived in La Mesa Saturday. They are making the grading survey. By the time this reaches our readers, the surveying corps will probably be at Stanton.

A. S. Coughran handed us \$1.00 Tuesday to keep the News coming for another year. He will likely receive twice and possibly three times as much reading for this dollar as he did for the one that he invested in the same way last year.

W. M. Jolly came up from Gail Saturday to take charge of the new restaurant, which he and T. J. Wilson, of Crosby county, will run in the little new building just south of Skinner & Reed's office on the west side of the square. The building while small, is nicely arranged and situated for the business.

A. E. Pool, of Big Spring, A. Pool, of Austin, and R. F. Pool and family, of Cameron, all passed through Tahoka Tuesday enroute for Dickens. It is said that these cousins have bought considerable land around Dickens, in anticipation of a railroad going through there. It is also rumored that the surveyors are in that vicinity now.

Rev. S. W. Smith, pastor of the Baptist church at Big Spring, passed through Tahoka Tuesday on his way to Plainview where he will help to hold a meeting. Rev. Smith is the man who last fall received a message that his wife was dying, and made the trip in a buggy from Emma via Lubbock, Tahoka and Lamesa to Big Springs, in 22 hours, only to find his wife almost recovered.

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Lubbock to Tahoka \$2; round trip \$3.50; Lubbock to Gail \$4; round trip \$7; Lubbock to Big Springs \$6.50; round trip \$11. From the other direction same price.

Tahoka to Gail \$2; round trip \$3.50; Tahoka to Big Springs \$4.50; round trip \$7.50. The other way same prices.

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HAVE in a good stock of material, in fact a first class stock, for an and all kind of blacksmith or wood work. Cold tires set while you wait.

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Apply at my place, 1 1/2 miles north of Tahoka.

A. L. Lockwood.

Election Returns at Tahoka.

We give below the vote for Tahoka in the special election which was held Tuesday. Very little interest was shown here, Tahoka only polling 24 votes. We give the result in the order in which the amendments appeared on the ballot.

For	Against
22	2
12	8
4	13
6	10
5	10
5	11

We have not been able to get the returns from the other boxes in the county as yet.

Married.

Mr. Grover Shaffer and Miss Iva Sherrod were married Sunday evening Rev. D. G. Wells officiating.

The Coming West joins their many friends in offering congratulations and best wishes.—Coming West,

Skinner & Reed sold, Monday, 240 acres of the Singleton land to Andrew DeBoard, of Haskell county for \$5.00 per acre bonus.

Dr. McCoy's new auto came in the first of the week and went back to the garage, to have the tires filled with composition to avoid punctures.

Judge Perryman's office has moved this week to a position near the new restaurant.

T. L. Davis and family of Scurry county passed through Tahoka Thursday, they were prospecting.

A. I. Thomas sold his 4 room house and 3 lots in the south part of Lamesa for \$760 Wednesday.

Mrs. Smith and daughter, of Hillsboro, are out here visiting Mrs. Smith's sister Mrs. Shattock of east of town.

B. B. Wise returned Wednesday from a trip to Lubbock where he had been to take his mother-in-law Mrs. Sweazea, part way home to Dimmitt.

Mr. Gaines and son of Brownfield were in Tahoka the last part of the week visiting Mr. Whipp. Mr. Hughes who is visiting his daughter Mrs. Whipp, was an old friend of Mr. Gaines and they spent a very pleasant time renewing the memory of good times in the past.

The case of W. W. Cobb and W. A. Cox vs A. R. McGonagill was tried before a jury in the Justice Court, Tuesday. The amount involved was \$71.25. The verdict was rendered for \$35.62½ and for the plaintiff and defendant to each pay half the costs of the suit.

C. M. WHIPP,

L. M. HUGHES,
Stenographer

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We will allow a cash discount of 5 per cent (thereby making the price \$4.56 per pair) if you send FULL CASH WITH ORDER and enclose this advertisement. We will also send one nickel plated brass hand pump and two Sampson metal puncture closers on full paid orders (these metal puncture closers to be used in case of intentional knife cuts or heavy gashes). Tires to be returned at OUR expense if for any reason they are not satisfactory on examination. We are perfectly reliable and money sent to us is as safe as in a bank. Ask your Postmaster, Banker, Express or Freight Agent or the Editor of this paper about us. If you order a pair of these tires, you will find that they will ride easier, run faster, wear better, last longer and look finer than any tire you have ever used or seen at any price. We know that you will be so well pleased that when you want a bicycle you will give us your order. We want you to send us a small trial order at once, hence this remarkable tire offer.

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Skinner & Reed sold an 80 acre tract of land to T. W. Selman this week. The land is situated in the Singleton pasturs consideration \$5.00 per acre bonus.

J. M. Baker and his son-in-law L. S. Christopher, both of Meadow, but lately of Jack county, were in Tahoka Wednesday, renewing acquaintances.

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Lubbock Zephyrs.

From the Avalanch e.

The owners of the skating rink are moving it to Tahoka this week.

Thad Tubbs and John Penney left Monday for Kansas City with a shipment of cattle.

Robert C. Hampton and sister, Miss Nora, returned from St. Louis Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Coughran, of Tahoka, were in the city Saturday and Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton.

MARRIED—At the Baptist parsonage in Lubbock on last Tuesday evening, Mr. Luther Dale and Miss Gertrude Robinson, both of this place. Quite a number of the young friends of the contracting parties assembled at the Parsonage with them, Rev. B. F. Dixon performing the ceremony. The Avalanche extends congratulations and wish for them a long and happy life.

NOTICE.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to me either for drugs or professional services will call and settle same at once as I must have the money by Sept. the 1st.

Please attend to this at once.
Signed, S. H. Windham, M.D

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TAHOKA

TEXAS

Miss Clara Milliken was in Tahoka Tuesday.

Jesse Hatchett and his mother, of Lynn were in the city Tuesday.

B. H. Black & Son dealers in General Merchandise. Tahoka, Texas.

Six covered wagons and a buggy came into town Tuesday morning in one bunch.

ANY ONE having fat cows for sale should see Lewis Robinson for best prices.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Joplin are entertaining Mr. Joplin's mother and sister this week.

Mrs. Henry and family, of Floydada, who have been visiting Mrs. Bartley, started home last Saturday.

Virgil Coughran and wife returned to Tahoka Tuesday after a trip to several towns with Rev. Upchurch and the Rescue band.

G. C. Spires, of Roscoe, bought the west half of the Ed Garner section at Meadow, consideration \$4,000. A nice residence and good improvements makes this a valuable piece of property.

Mr. Claud Barbazan, who spent last summer in Tahoka, is with us again. He came in last Friday evening on the auto and will remain some time. Mr. Barbazan called to see us the first of the week and ordered the paper sent to his father.

Sewing.

Any one wishing Sewing done, will please call on Miss Dellis and Miss Henderson, at the home of Mrs. Elliott, in the west side of town. We will do our best to please. Terms reasonable. Customers will please bring their patterns.

Dry Batteries.

Those who may need dry batteries for their automobiles, can find them at Ousley & Alley's store on the northwest corner of the square, Tahoka, Texas.

Burts Johnson, of Ft. Worth, was in Tahoka Tuesday. He came over from Brownfield, where he bought 600 head of spaved cows from Mr. Cone for \$17 around, and 300 4 and 5 year old cows from Mr. Brownfield for \$15 around.

A. D. Shook and family came in Sunday afternoon to visit his father who is very ill at the home of Ben Shook in the east side of town. Mr. Shook came from his home in Amarillo on the train as far as Plainview, and from there to Tahoka in a large touring car.

Misses Mary and Eliza Windham, who spent several weeks here visiting their brother, Dr. Windham, have returned to their home in Brownwood. The young ladies were very popular, and leave many friends here, who will look forward with pleasure to another visit from them.

Notice.

Mrs. C. E. Donaldson will begin her school of music Monday September 2nd and requests all pupils, who will take, to meet her at Mrs. J. S. Wells's residence on Friday Aug 30th from 9AM—to 4PM—that she may grade and get them ready for Monday's work.

Mrs. Donaldson is a graduate of the Belton Conservatory of music and is an experienced teacher.

No. 8597.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

Washington, D. C. March 16, 1907

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF TAHOKA, in the town of Tahoka, in the county of Lynn, and State of Texas, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking;

NOW THEREFORE I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF TAHOKA," in the town of Tahoka, in the County of Lynn, and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF witness my hand and Seal of office this Sixteenth day of March, 1907.

T. P. KANE
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

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CONTRACT CLOSED.

Mr. Cone, the Contractor and Builder, tells us he has closed the contract with the building committee of the Baptist church to erect their building. The work will begin immediately. We congratulate our Baptist brethren on securing the services of Mr. Cone, also the selection of such a propitious time of the year for the erection of their church. We shall be glad to see two churches in Tahoka.

NEW COLLEGE PROJECT.

Continued from 1st page.

as nowhere else in the world, that personel merit and his ability to work hard and stay with it, is the quickest and only sure way to gain what he is striving for, advancement and promotion. A college and the atmosphere it brings to a town would do more for this place in a social and business way than any other institution known, and as an incentive to the ambitious child and youth its influence would be too far reaching, for us with our feeble pen to compute.

Let us consider this preposition in an intelligent and progressive manner and act accordingly.

Charlie S. Brown who has been on the sick list, is up now.

The water situation has been very uncomfortable for about two weeks, but a good breeze Friday morning is relieving things immensely.

H. C. Bullock, of Lubbock, bought the Tahoka Tailor shop the last of the week. Mr Bullock is a brother of Walter Bullock, of 5 miles west of Lubbock.

J. A. Hartsfield, of Anson, stopped at the door of the Lynn County News last Saturday and asked for a copy of the paper and subscribed for the News. This is one of the few times a covered wagon has been a visitor to our sanctum. Mr. Hartsfield had the whole family with him and they all seemed to be well pleased. Mrs Hartsfield said they were coming back before long to live and wanted to keep track of the country while they were away. Now thats the kind of folks we want to see settle in Lynn county.

Mrs. J. B. Walker received the sad intelligence Thursday, of the death of her brother, Mr. D. T. Bullock, of Roby. Mr. Bullock has been County Clerk of Fisher county for fifteen years and is well known all over that part of country. We extend sympathy to Mrs. Walker in her berevment.

Mrs. E. N. Weathers left Sunday for Lockney to meet her father S. M. Ewing. Mr. Ewing is visiting his two sons in Lockney, and another son who is an R. F. D. carrier, in Hunt county, came up with him. The son having only a 15 day layoff, did not have time to come here to see his sister, so she went there to visit them all.

Frank Chase, an uncle of the Robinson brothers, left Wednesday for his home in Jack county, after visiting relatives here and in Lubbock. He will likely return here soon, to buy cattle.

T. A. Porter and daughter Mrs. McCullough were in town Thursday.

Mr. Roberts, Post City came in Thursday with a sick child. He is stopping at the wagon yard house, having brought the child here for medical treatment. Dr. Windham is in attendance.

Mr. A. I. Thomas, the druggist, bought the W. R. Majors place now occupied by Will Humphries. The place has a three room house, two lots and one of the finest wells in town. Consideration \$850.

Mr. A. W. Peck, of Newton Connecticut, was in Tahoka the first of the week looking at his land in the west part of the county. Mr. Peck thinks land will continue to rise so expects to hold his property for the top of the market. Mr Peck is a reader of the Lynn County News, and came around and renewed for a year.

The young ladies, who are advertising in the News for sewing, are fine seamstresses and are very prompt with their work. We can give them a personal recommendation.

Dr. I. E. Smith, the eye specialist, was in town a couple of days this week.

R. T. Porter, of Dallas, was in town Thursday sizing up Tahoka for future reference. Mr. Porter is representing a fire insurance Co., and was armed with a plot of the town and made the round of the business district taking notes of location and size of building for the benefit of his firm.

Mrs. C. E. Donelson the new music teacher is a very charming lady as well as an accomplished teacher. The ed has never heard Mrs. Donelson play, but has heard some of the best ladies of the town speak of her, and they all recommend her very highly, saying she is one of the finest performers they ever heard. We are glad to welcome Mrs Donelson among us and wish her all success.

OUR PHILIPPINE LETTER.

Continued from 1st page.

The vital thing for the American people to understand is the character of the native as a whole, in order to arrive at a just estimate of his fitness for governing himself and the large foreign population resident here. Therefore my next letter will deal with the Filipino and Moro—types distinctly different, though both Malays—as viewed from the standpoint of the white man, American and Euro, pean.

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK.

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FRIDAY, AUG. 16, 1907.

If people haven't enough pride or respect for themselves and the town in which they live, to keep their premises in a respectable condition, then they should be made do it. There is on the west part of the square a solid row of business houses, the front of these stores are nicely kept—but. Well just pass up the side street and take a side glance at the rear of them. But be sure to carefully hold your nose in passing for the odor extends to the Heavens. Its fierce and a general cleaning up and disinfecting should be engaged in. The public square is no place for hog pen, Now is it?—Lubbock Avranche.

The above would apply to some of the conditions in Tahoka. Our public water supply is a menace to the health of the town. Somebody says dig a well of your own then! that's alright but how about the men whose business required that they use the water from the public well and how about the impression it leaves on the prospectors as to the enterprise of the town, also the County officials whose business compels them to use the water from the public wells too,

Our Trip to Brownfield.

Monday morning Lewis Robinson drove up to the News office in one of Hall & Smith's new rubber-tired buggies, and invited the business manager to get in and take a trip to Brownfield with him. The B. M. realizing that he needed a rest from his arduous duties of trying to run a county paper at something other than a loss, and also fearing that he might be suffering from an attack of the big-head, (caused by the phenomenal growth and development of Tahoka,) and anxious to have a chance to "see ourselves as others see us," gladly accepted Lewis's invitation.

As Lewis is a confirmed land agent and Crie a newspaper man, it was only natural that the grass looked green, the cattle fat, the

breezes cool and refreshing, the road hard, smooth and everything lovely, until they got over into Terry county and the sand. Was it not just as natural that as soon as they got into Terry county, and the sand, that the buggy should seem to drag, the horses loose their former high spirit and just plod along; even the atmosphere seemed to get still and sultry.

When they were within about six miles of their destination, they passed the Brownfield Ranch headquarters. This place with its wells windmills, painted out buildings, gardens and fine young trees, would be a noticeable place almost anywhere, but it is doubly so situated as it is in the center of miles of sandy plains. As Mr. Brownfield has just completed a large handsome two story house in the town that bears his name, it is to be feared that this truly beautiful place will be allowed to fall into a state of decay.

The town of Brownfield is nicely situated on the banks of a draw, and consists of the general store of the Brownfield Mercantile Co., who occupy a building 24x70 feet, and their stock compares very well with that of either of our general merchants. Arthur S. Alexander, brother of our telephone man at Lubbock, has a millinery and dry goods store on the west side. The post office is situated in the drug store of Mr. Randall, a brother of our friend H. E. Randall, with the I. O. O. F. hall up stairs. This building was built with the lumber of the hotel that stood on the east side of the square in Tahoka. The Bank, Hardware, Hotel, Barber shop Cold drink, Telephone, Herald office, three or four real estate offices, livery stable and blacksmith shop complete the business of the town. A new building is about finished on the west side of the square. A handsome new school building is also about completed. While there are three vacant buildings on the square they are all small ones and the town seems to be developing nicely.

George Riley took Drs. Erwin & Garrison, the Fort Worth dentists, over Monday and returned Tuesday. The party consisted of six men on the return trip, and as George was driving a Hall & Smith hack, every body came over together, changing about as they pleased.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. S. N. McDaniels mother and brother arrived Thursday from Jacksboro, accompanied by Mrs. Scott a sister, they will visit in Tahoka for several days. They were joined here by Mr. Story, an uncle who came from Arkansas for a visit to Texas. Messers. Tippin and Moore, of Plainview a couple of cousins came down to spend a few days, completing quite a family party.

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BURK & BROWN

C S BROWN,

Proprietors of The

CITY MAET MARKET and RESTAURANT

Fresh meat always on hand

Meals At all hours.

West Side Square,

TAHOKA, TEXAS.

L. E. BIGHAM,

THE ONLY EXCLUSIVE GROCER

I HAVE a well selected stock of groceries, and as I handle nothing but groceries I will have the very best, and at prices that will defy competition WE HANDLE

FRESH STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES.

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Lubbock to Tahoka \$2; round trip \$3.50: Lubbock to Gail \$4; round trip \$7: Lubbock to Big Springs \$6.50; round trip \$11. From the other direction same price.

Tahoka to Gail \$2; round trip \$3.50: Tahoka to Big Springs \$4.50; round trip \$7.50. The other way same prices.

Gail to Big Springs \$2.50; round trip \$4. Same both ways. Grip baggage carried free. Courteous treatment assured.

HALE & HALE Proprietors Gail, Texas.

Livery, Feed & Sale Stable

HALL & SMITH Props.

Wagon Yard in Connection.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

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The Tahoka Blacksmith Shop

WHEN You Want any thing done in the way of Blacksmithing come around to the first class shop.

ALL WORK GUARANTEED, FIRST CLASS WORKMEN ONLY

Horse-shoeing a Specialty.

I HAVE in a good stock of material, in fact a first class stock, for an and all kind of blacksmith or wood work. Cold tires set while you wait.

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LAVERNE KERSHNER

Breeder Of The

Hack-berry Red Polls

THE IDEAL FARMERS CATTLE

Nothing for sale at present but will have a few good yearling bulls to offer next spring. Come and see them. Farm ¼ mile East of Lynn P. O.

FIVE HEREFORD BULLS

FOR SALE

These Bulls are yearlings past and will be sold at reasonable prices, and good terms if desired.

Apply at my place 1 ½ miles north of Tahoka.

A. L. Lockwood.

Mr. D. B. Stockton of Fisher county who is prospecting in Lynn county paid us a visit Friday morning. He expresses himself as highly pleased with the country, and said he intended to own some property here before long. He said that this country suited him so well he would not look any further for a place.

Arthur Black came in from the Brakes the last of the week with a fine load of wood.

Mrs. Butler, of Lubbock, is in Tahoka this week visiting her uncle, W. P. Phenix, of the south side of town.

Some handsome tombstones were erected at the cemetery Monday

Mr. Ousley is expected home the last of the week.

Charley Brown accompanied by their small son arrived in Tahoka Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Brown attended the wedding of her sister Miss Ivy Sherrod, who was married while Mrs. Brown was visiting relatives at Snyder. Miss Ivy used to live in Tahoka and is pleasantly remembered by all who knew her.

Larkin Weathers and wife left Wednesday on the hack for Dallas, where they will purchase the fixtures for the completion of their icecream parlor. They will curtain off part of the house and set small tables for couples, and parties of four, making the establishment equal to that of any city.

Fresh lemons at Thomas Bros.

Mrs. Green, of Lubbock, is visiting her cousin Mrs. J. B. Stokes of this place.

A. M. Ellis was in town Thursday and took A. D. Senders home with him in the afternoon.

If your well will not supply a windmill, get a pump stand at The Hardware Store.

Summer Claxton has been clerking in Porterfield's dry goods store while Mr. Porterfield has been in St. Louis.

Died, at the home of Grover Cade, Pearl, the infant daughter of Mr. Hix, from Post City. The little one had been very sick for several weeks, when death came to give release Wednesday Aug 14. The funeral took place at the Tahoka cemetery Aug. 15 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. J. O. Gore conducted the services in the most touching manner. The good ladies of Tahoka did all in their power to relieve the stricken mother during the last hours of the baby's illness. May the Comforter of all sorrows be the staff and support of the bereaved parents.

Draw Locals.

Mr Ed Redwine happened to quite an accident while herding wild horses last week, his horse fell on him and dislocated his shoulder.

Miss Rubie Gray spent most of last week with Mrs. J. D. Henderson.

We learn that the new Draw. P. O. will soon be in operation, which will be of great benefit to the people of this community.

Mrs. Skinner and son, of Tahoka, are visiting at the home of Mr. Preston Majors.

Mr Gay McGlaun and family are visiting at Mr. McGlaun's this week.

We met and organized a Literary Saturday night, Aug 10th at the Draw school house. The first programme will be rendered Saturday night August the 17th. Everybody is invited to come.

Miss Dixie Gray is spending the week at Mr. J. A. King's.

Singing at this place has been changed so as to be at the Scapper Hill school house one Sunday and at Draw school house the next.

Miss Vesta Gray was the guest of Misses Emily and Elsada Waller Saturday night and Sunday.

Quite a merry little company gathered at Mr. Jones's Sunday evening and went from there to singing, and of course everybody had a lovely time.

Mr. Marvin Maples is visiting relatives here this week.

ROSEBUD.

Have you tried at The Hardware Store to find what you needed for so long? They have things never before found in Tahoka.

H. C. Crie & Co., received 200 pounds of newspaper Friday.

J. R. Honea renewed his Lynn County News this week. Mr Honea and the News are in the same class the best barber and the best paper on the plains.

We sell Dr. LeGear's remedies for stock and poultry.—Thomas Bros. Druggists.

L. L. Forrester, of Meadow was in town the last of the week.

Mr. E. C. Dosch was in from his place south of town Friday morning.

W. K. Ray, of the Lynn County Bank, did the right thing this week, by sending the News to A. J. Oliver for six months. This is the way to get a good class of citizens to come out here.

G. W. Coughran & Co's Cash Suit Sale

Former price \$10.00 now \$ 7.50
Former price \$12.00 now \$ 8.50
Former price \$13.00 now \$10.00
Former price \$14.00 now \$11.00
Former price \$15.00 now \$12.00
Former price \$16.00 now \$12.50

We sell for cash at the above greatly reduced prices our complete line of mens suits.

We must clear out this entire line and we have put prices on these suits that will do it in a very short time, so you had better come early and get your choice of these suits.

These Suits must be sold for cash for these are cash Prices

G.W.Coughran & Co's GROCERY DEPARTMENT

is like every other department of our Large General Merchandise establishment, complete in every detail. If it is anything in the grocery line that you want, you need not go elsewhere for we keep our large stock constantly replenished with new, fresh, groceries both staple and fancy. We cordially invite you to come in each time you are in town and make our store your head quarters for your entire family. Prompt and courteous clerks at your service.

We also have an up to date line of Dry Goods and Ladies Furnishings.

G. W. Coughran & Co's Boys' New Suits

We have made some very close prices on our entire, New Line of Boys Suits, and if you can't find what you want and at a price that will also suit, you are indeed hard to please, for a better line of boys clothing was never brought to this town, nor sold at these prices

Sizes 7 to 11 years old worth \$4. to \$8. for \$3. to \$6. Sizes 12 to 15 years old worth \$4. to \$7. going at \$2.50 \$4. Sizes 15 to 18 cheap at \$13. going at the extremely low figures of \$10.

This is a fine chance to get your boy a nice Suit of Clothes.

G.W.Coughran & Co's HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

Lest you forget, we wish to say a few words about our hardware department. We are justly proud of the number of sales we have already made in our hardware and implements, this year and we ask you to come around and see what we have and we feel assured that we will be able to sell you several articles at prices that will bring you back again. You ought to see our crockery and glass ware, also our line of tin and granite ware are complete.

We handle only the very best lines of hardware and implements.

Closing Out.

We are closing out our stock of wire and will sell at the following price as long as it lasts,

Painted Wire per. 100. \$2.85
Galvanized Wire " " 3.15

ELWOOD FENCE

18 inch, per rod 16 cents
34 inch, per rod 25 and 35 cents
50 inch, per rod 35 and 45 cents

26 inch, per rod 22 and 30 cents
42 inch, per rod 30 and 40 cents
58 inch, per rod 50 cents

We have all sizes and grades in stock. Now is the time to fence your hogs, cattle and chickens.

Burton Lingo Co.

Big Springs, Tex

E. D. Skinner.

G. W. Reed.

Skinner AND Reed

Want to trade Land and take Houses and Lots in part payment.

We also want to trade Houses and Lots for Land.

COME AND SEE US AT OUR OFFICE.

Northwest corner Square, Tahoka, Texas.

Lynn Dots.

Misses Clara and Catherine Miliken were in the county capital Tuesday shopping and visiting relatives.

Mr. Hamp Pascal of Post City was in our community last Sunday. Mr. Pascal says the fever situation at Post is not at all reassuring.

Mr. Hamp Clifton of Cliff Haskell county is, with his family, visiting his sister Mrs. Joe West.

Some crops are beginning to suffer considerably for rain.

The Sunday School and Singing last Sunday were somewhat dull on account of the extreme heat.

Boyce Hatchett was in Tahoka trading Wednesday.

Mr. George Miliken of Tahoka visited the family of R. A. Miliken of Lynn last Sunday.

Mr. Rodgers one of Tahoka's carpenters came out the first of the week to build J. A. Shaw's residence.

Miss Mattie May, of Anson, is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. Walter May. She will be accompanied on the homeward trip by Miss Celeste May, her sister, who has been visiting at Mr. May's the past year.

The services of Miss Vena Elkins have been secured to teach the Lynn school next session. Miss Vena taught during the latter part of last year's school here, and is quite a favorite with the pupils.

Rev. Hardberger, a Baptist minister of Haskell county near Carney, was prospecting through our country last Tuesday and expresses himself well pleased with our locality and the general prospect of Lynn county.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson, of Floyd county are with their family visiting at the home of Mrs. Callie Lumsden their daughter. They returned with Mrs. Lumsden from her recent visit to New Mexico and Floyd Co.

J. E. Ketner returned last Tuesday from Fort Worth where he had been marketing some cattle. Mr. Ketner visited relatives in Coleman county while on the return trip. He says crops in that country are badly damaged by drouth.

Mr. Brown and Mrs. Newman brother and sister of Mrs. Kate May returned to their homes in Hamilton county, last Monday after visiting with their families at the home of Mr. May for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Kershner accompanied by their son Virgil were visiting La Verne Kershner and family last week. Mr. and Mrs. Kershner are former residents of our community and are just returned from some extended trips over portions of the United States and Old Mexico. Virgil has been attending college in Illinois. They expect to reside in Big Springs in the future.

Mr. T. A. Marchbanks was in Tahoka on business Tuesday.

AX EYE DENT.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank the people of Tahoka for their kindness to my daughter, Mrs. Hix, during the sickness and death of her baby little Pearl.

Mr. Jeff. Henderson, of Draw, was in Tahoka the last of the week and visited his daughter Mrs. Walter Pinnell.

Something like a dozen wagon loads of lumber have come in for the new Baptist church and is now on the ground east of B. H. Black & Son's building.

THE VICTORY OF PEACE

One inventor has invented a gun to throw a shell twenty five miles. Another inventor has made an explosive that will crush armor plate like glass. BUT it was left to THE FAIR to open the way to lower prices in the town of Tahoka.

No matter whether you come in person or send your smallest child, whether your purchase is 5cts or \$50.00 your interests will be carefully guarded and you will get "A SQUARE DEAL."

That's why our business steadily increases. BIG LINE OF SHOES, STETSON HATS, GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c. IN FACT MOST ANYTHING YOU NEED.

Years to please THE FAIR

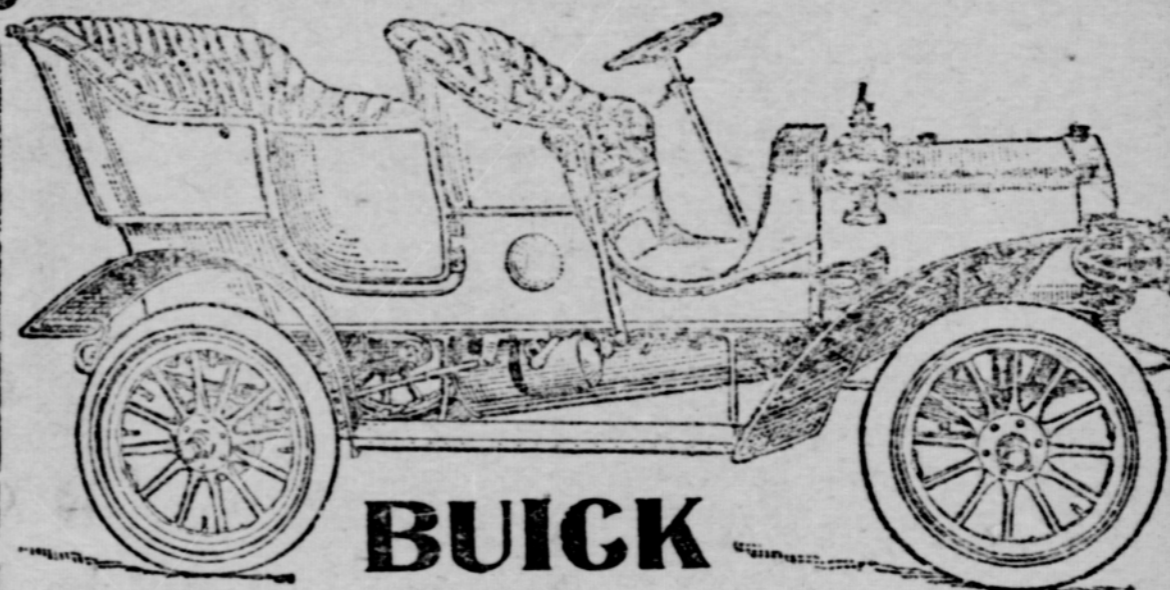
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The very best auto, and we make immediate delivery. All parts kept in stock and an expert to repair your machine at any time. Prices Reasonable.

Let Us Figure With You

Tahoka and Lubbock

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beautifully illustrated, good stories and articles about California and all the far West. \$1.50 a year
- TOWN AND COUNTRY JOURNAL
a monthly publication devoted to the farming interests of the West. \$0.50 a year
- ROAD OF A THOUSAND WONDERS
a book of 75 pages, containing 120 colored photographs of picturesque spots in California and Oregon. \$0.75
- Total \$2.75
- All for \$1.50

Cut out this advertisement and send with \$1.50 to

SUNSET MAGAZINE
JAMES FLOOD BLDG., SAN FRANCISCO



Before You Purchase Any Other Write THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY CHANCE, MASS.

Many Sewing Machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the "New Home" is made to wear. Our guarantee never runs out. We make Sewing Machines to suit all conditions of the trade. The "New Home" stands at the head of all 15 inch treadle family sewing machines. Sold by authorized dealers only.

FOR SALE BY

New Home Sewing Machine Co., Dallas, Texas.

SELZ SHOES MAKE YOUR FEET GLAD

INCREASING AN ALREADY Large Stock of Shoes

WHILE we now have an exceptionally large and complete stock of mens, Ladies and childrens shoes; never-the-less we will have another \$500.00 consignment of the celebrated SELZ brand of fine shoes. Come right along for we can fit the entire family.

We Would Like You

to come in and see our assortment of Dry goods, Towels, Percales, Gingham, Lawns, Mohair Dress Goods, domestic, of all grades, Mens', Womens', and Children's Hosiery for all, and that favorite line of Hats the John B. Stetson. You can get it all at

Wells & Welcher

We also keep a New, Complete Line of Fresh, Staple and Fancy GROCERIES

See us for Hardware Impliments & Harness

The Lubbock BRASS BAND

Will give a concert in the school house
AT TAHOKA ON
Saturday Night 8 P.M.
AUGUST 17, 1907

Music, Songs, Recitations, Etc. Also a Three Act Comic Sketch
Entitled "Jumbo Jum." A very Popular Laughable Farce.
ADMISSION 25 AND 35 CENTS

KINDLY REMEMBERED.

Mrs. Conway remembered the Ed with a souvenir post card this week. The card was mailed in Washington city and the message written on the margin told us of her sightseeing and that at the time of writing she was on the Washington Monument 550 feet from the ground, overlooking the beautiful city of magnificent distances. Mrs. Conway said they would remain in Washington about a week and then go on to the Jamestown Exposition and take in the sights there.

A remembrance of this kind, sent us by our friends in the midst of their pleasures, warms our heart and makes us feel that our efforts to please are appreciated.

THE CHANGE.

Before she went to Boardin' shool she useter romp an' play,
She druv the cows from the field an' helped take in the hay,
But she don't do that any more because of this, you see—
She went away as Mary Jane an' came back Jeanne Marie.

She useter wear made-over clothes, an' always with a smile,
But now her dresses every one must be the latest style.
She don't ride bareback any more, nor climb the apple tree—
She went away as Mary Jane, but come back Jeanne Marie.

Her hair is all in crinkles now—she calls'em Marshal waacs
She's up in all the etiquette, real stylish she behaves.

Her ma and me are mighty proud o' all she's learned—but gee,
We sometimes wish for Mary Jane ins' d o' Jeanne Marie!

—Mrs. Elsie Duncan Yale in the September Woman's Home Companion.

We Have Opened Up A general line of merchandise in Tahoka on the North East corner of the Square, **IN THE** **New Building.**

One and all are invited to visit
OUR STORE.

**ALL WE ASK IS A TRIAL
Prices Right**

YOUR'S FOR BUSINESS,

B.H. BLACK & SON

C. M. WHIPP,

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Stenographer

Whipp & Hughes

EXPERIENCED ABSTRACTERS

OUR ABSTRACT BOOKS OF LAND TITLES IN LYNN COUNTY ARE COMPLETE.

WE ARE PREPARED TO DO CORRECT WORK.

TAHOKA, LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS.

Mr. Brown and family, relatives of Mrs. W. H. May, returned to their home Monday.

FOR SALE.—A span of large mules. Cash or time.—J. H. Harrison, Tahoka.

LADIE'S PRAYER MEETING.

The Monday Prayer meeting was held at Mrs. Milman's Monday afternoon Aug. 12th. A goodly number were present and a good meeting was the result.

The Ladies will meet with Mrs. A. I. Thomas next Monday Aug. 19th with Mrs. John Thomas for Leader.

Sam Walker, who has been visiting his brother, the Professor, returned to his home in Cisco, Monday.

The new bicycles at Robinson Bros. were out on parade Tuesday afternoon, and a fine showing they made.

David Scott, of Knox City, arrived in Tahoka Monday morning and went to work on the Masonic building.

Mr. G. W. King has decided to remain in Tahoka awhile longer. We are heartily glad as we hate to lose a good citizen.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Penney came down from Lubbock Sunday afternoon, to visit Mr. Penney's sister, Mrs. Stokes of the Hotel.

Jim Cowan and Mrs. Cleo Mitchell, are in Comanche attending the bedside of their father who was very ill, but is improving rapidly. They will remain until his recovery is complete.

Rev. Hotchkies accompanied by the singer, Mr. Edwards, left on the auto, Monday morning, for Big Springs, where they will take the train for other points to continue their evangelistic work.

Charley E. Brown left Monday for Snyder, where Mrs. Brown and their small son have been visiting for some time. Mr. Brown will bring his family back with him. The new Reo came in Saturday from Big Springs where it has been to have the tires filled. Mr. Brown used it to make the trip in.

Rev. J. L. Elliott, of Lorane was in town last week, and attended the meeting at the church. Rev. Elliott is the Missionary Evangelist of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church and has been making a tour of this part of the country in the interest of his Church. He tells us he has met with success at all points. An organization at this place has been effected and a pastor will soon be placed in charge. Rev. Elliott is an old time friend of the ed. and we spent a very pleasant time with him renewing old times and friendships. He is an able preacher and will return to Tahoka in November and renew his efforts here.

NEW GOODS

AT

Ousley & Alley's.

Every Line In Our Store Is Complete.

New Stock Of

STETSON FINE HATS AND SEVERAL OTHER LEADING BRANDS OF FINE HATS.
ALSO SOME CHEAP HATS

3000 yards of Wall Canvas in Stock

Complete stock of Dry Goods

Domestic of all grades New Line of Summer Dress Goods
Fine Line Gent's Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, and some of the neatest Neck Ties you ever saw

New Stock Of

THE BROWN SHOES.
THE HUISKAMP SHOES.
THE WELLS SHOES.
'NUF SAID.

Large Fresh Stock of Staple AND Fancy GROCERIES

Furniture

DRESSERS, KITCHEN CABINETS, SAFES, CHAIRS, TABLES, AND EXTENSION TABLES, BED ROOM SETS, AND MATTRESSES.

Glassware and Queenswre

Draw Locals.

Mr. Redwine is having a new well drilled.

Mr. Miller White and sister have been visiting at Mr. Lemond's lately.

Miss Mabel Glass was the guest of Miss Iva Cowan Saturday night and Sunday.

Hurrah! for the fine singing at Draw Sunday, Mr. Ed Redwine and Miss Vesta Gray being the crowd present.

Mr. Gann and family left Monday morning for Taylor county, where they will probably spend the remainder of the summer.

The Scrapper Hill school house is already for moving and is expected to be moved soon. It will be about one mile and a half north of where it now stands.

Most every body of this community attended the picnic the first and report it as being nothing extra on account of the provisions not being there until evening.

We are very glad to say that Mr. Gray's family, which has been on the sick list for some time, is improving very fast and it is thought they will be able to go about in a few days.

ROSEBUD.

We buy country produce.
Black & Son.

Miss Willie Cowan is visiting her cousins, Misses Lula and Annie Cowan of Tahoka. Miss Willie is an accomplished musician, and plays and sings beautifully.

Bicycles and full line of repairs at the Hardware Store.

Mrs. May, accompanied by her two sisters-in-law, the Misses May, was a pleasant caller at the News office Wednesday afternoon.

A very pleasant party at the home of Winston Joplin, Monday evening, was highly enjoyed by all who attended.

W. C. Cowan returned Tuesday, from the a visit to Commanche, where he has been to attend the bedside of his brother, who was very sick, but was better when he left.

Mrs. Dyer and the children were in town Thursday.

The Lubbock band will be in Tahoka Saturday and give an entertainment at the school house. Their repertorie is varied and the band is a fine one, so we have a treat in store for us that seldom comes to the dweller in small towns. Better not miss it, you will be sorry if you do.

We hear that Mrs. Tunnell, of the Draw community is on the sick list this week.

The icecream plant has been moved into its new building and is in running order. The house is new and built specially for the accommodation of the customers. An icecream parlor in every sence of the word, where a young gentleman may take a young lady and enjoy an icecream and a pleasant social chat at the same time. While we have had cold drinks in Tahoka nearly all summer, the icecream parlor and confectionary store is a new venture and one we hope to see succeed.

Mr. Davis, of Erath county arrived in Tahoka last Saturday to attend the bedside of his sick boy Everest. The young man was employed at Post City when he was brought to Tahoka for medical treatment. He is doing nicely at present.

All sizes of pipe casing, wood pump rod, pipe fittings, etc. at The Hardware Store.

You should see the line of glassware at The Hardware Store.

Mr. and Mrs. George Short were in town Thursday with some nice beans.

Mrs. Elder was in town the first of the week, visiting her daughter Mrs. Grover Cade.

Mr. Herman who has been sick here for some time, is able to be up and around again.

Mrs. Shed Weathers wishes to sell her millinery stock as she is going to discontinue her business here. She has a nice well assorted stock and will sell at invoice prires. Tahoka is a fine place for a milliner and Mrs. Weathers has the only establishment of the kind in town.

Mrs. J. D. Donelson and Mrs. George King were in Tahoka Thursday. Mrs. King came in to have Dr. Smith fit her eyes with a pair of glasses.



There are more McCall Patterns sold in the United States than of any other make of patterns. This is on account of their style, accuracy and simplicity. McCall's Magazine (The Queen of Fashion) has more subscribers than any other Ladies' Magazine. One year's subscription (12 numbers) costs 50 cents. Latest number, 5 cents. Every subscriber gets a McCall Pattern Free. Subscribe today. Lady Agents Wanted. Handsome premiums on liberal cash commission. Pattern Catalogue (of 600 designs) and Premium Catalogue (showing 400 premiums) sent free. Address THE McCALL CO., New York