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## Teachers Institute.

The Lynn County Teachers Institute met at the court house Oct. 27, at 2 p. m.

A short program was rendered. The Institute then adjourned to meet at 9:30 a. m., Saturday; but the program was not carried out.

The following officers were elected: President, Judge T. M. Bartley; vice-president, Prof. J. B. Walker; secretary, Miss Minnie M. Chambers.

The next meeting will meet Friday night Nov. 24, and Saturday Nov. 25th.

### FRIDAY NIGHT PROGRAM.

- Song.
- Invocation - Rev. Gore.
- Reading—Hattie Taylor.
- Adress—Judge Perryman.
- Music—String Band.
- The Teacher as a factor in Society—Prof. Walker.
- Music—String Band.
- Reading—Julia Crie.
- Query Box—Secretary.
- Social meeting

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## Hon. J. F. Cunningham

Spoke at the court house in Tahoka Monday night, last.

Hon. J. F. Cunningham, of Abilene, candidate for Congress to represent the Sixteenth District, spoke at the court house last Monday night, as per announcement in the Lynn County News of October 27th. The weather was so bad that there were no ladies present and but few men. We were sorry that this was the case, as we were in hopes that a large majority of the citizens of Lynn county would hear this interesting and instructive speech. Mr. Cunningham took up his platform plank by plank, showing why such measures would be beneficial to Texas, and the country at large. After explaining his platform, Mr. Cunningham made a few personal remarks and some excellent promises. The entire speech was closely and appreciably listened to by those present. Mr. Cunningham is well and favorably known to many of our citizens, and is an old friend of Messers Doak, Stevenson, Dyer, and others, and he made many new ones by his affable manner.

### Jerry Simpson is Dead.

Wichita, Kan., Oct. 23.—Jerry Simson died at 6:05 o'clock this morning.

Ex-Congressman simpson, born in New Burnswick on May 18, 1842. At 14 he began life as a sailor and during 23 years following that pursuit he commanded many great vessels on the great lakes. In the Civil war he served in the twentieth Illinois infantry. He came to Kansas in 1878. Originally he was a republican, but later became a greenbacker and populist. He was a member of congress from 1891 to 1895, and from 1897 to 1899, being nominated the last time by both democrats and populists. After he left congress he moved to Roswell, N. M., where he was engaged, up to the time of his death, in stock farming.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1905.

Entered as second-class matter July 10, 1905, at the post office at Tahoka, Texas, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

Wood was in great demand the first part of the week in Tahoka, and it looks as though it would be scarce until most of the feed is gathered, which as everyone has such a heavy yield, will be some time yet.

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While here Hon. J. F. Cunningham made the Lynn County News office a pleasant call, read several copies of the Abilene Daily Reporter, and by his genial but forceful manner and conversation made an excelent impression on the entire force.

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Mr. Jess Brown died at his home east of town, Oct. 7th., at 1:12 a. m., of a short attack of fever. Mr. Brown leaves a wife, three little children and an aged mother to mourn his loss. He was a devoted husband, father and son; a kind neighbor and a good citizen. The remains were interred in the Tahoka cemetary in the presence of a large circle of friends who will miss him sadly. Rev. J. O. Gore conducted the funeral serfices.

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## SATURDAY PROGRAM.

Roll call—Responce by quotations.

How to teach percentage—Mr. Conway and Miss Lula Allen.

How to over come false habits in reading—Mrs. A. E. Canless.

Preparation for daily work—H. B. Murray and Judge Bartley.

The use and abuse of examinations—Mrs. J. B. Walker.

Qualifications and duties of a teacher—J. W. Murray.

Relations of trustee to teacher and school—M. E. Gilmore and J. D. Donaldson.

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## Texas Game Law.

The Texas game law on seasons are in part as follows;

Turkey—Unlawful to kill between Feb. 1 and Nov. 1.

Doves—Unlawful to kill between Feb. 1 Nov. 1.

Praire chicken or pinnated grouse—Unlawful to kill between Feb. 1 and Nov. 1.

It is unlawful to kill or destroy more than 25 birds or fousls in one day. It is also unlawful for any person at any time to hunt game by aid of a hunting lanp or any other light used for hunting at night.

Other sedtions of the game law prohibit the catching, or killing or ensnaring or havingig in possession, living or dead, of any wild bird other than game birds; the purchasing offering for purchase transporting within or without the state for purchase, wild turkey, geese, grouse, prarie chicken, pheasant, partridge, quail, dove, pigeon, plover, snipe, jacksnipe, or burlew. Netting or irapping of wild birds is prohibited and it is unlawful to shoot wild foul other than by ordinary shotgun placed to shoulder.

Section 10 of gome laws also prohibits a common carier transporting game without affidavit that game is for personal use and not lor sale.

English or European house sp rows, hawks, crows, buzzards, black birds, rice birds, and owls can be killed at any time.—Ex.

More room, more drugs, more customers at Taylor's drug store.

Mr. Fred Burner, of the San Angelo country, passed through Tahoka this week, on his way to Lubbock to visit his sister, Mrs. W. S. Posey. We used to know Fred in Floyd county, but when he called on us, he had grown out of our recolecton, and had to introduced himself again. Call again Fred when going through.

Coffins at Gilmore's when you need them.

## KIND READER,

MANY of your friends are now, and are becoming my regular customers, why not you? I have good lines in gents, ladies, and childrens underwear, pants, shirts, ties, hats, shoes, gloves, sox, and stockings. Also tables, chairs, curtains, bedsteads, mattresses, blankets, quilts, and ticking. Why not investigate, come get my prices, and become, as others are doing, a customer of the cheapest dry goods and furniture house on the Plains. Why not try it?

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**H. C. CRIE, Agent for Lynn County, Texas.** Let me figure with you now.

Fisher Patterson is busy the last part of this week painting his house, thereby improving the looks both of it and the neighborhood in which he lives. Let the good work go on.



**ENOUGH TO COUNT.**

**Important Bearing of Little Things in the Affairs and Lives of Mankind.**

"The longer I live," observed the cashier of a bank downtown, relates the New York Press, "the more I realize the importance of little things. Here is a case in point," he continued, referring to a letter he had just received. "A few weeks ago I had two callers in my office, one an excitable, elderly man, a big depositor, and the other the president of a manufacturing concern and the writer of this letter. This manufacturer left and soon afterward the excitable man discovered that someone had taken his hat. He stormed about the place until one of the clerks suggested that perhaps the manufacturer had taken it by mistake. The excitable man demanded his address and started out to hunt him down and give him 'a piece of his mind.'

"The other day I read a letter from the manufacturing concern and was astonished to see among the names of its officers that of my excitable caller as vice president. My curiosity was aroused and I made some inquiries. Now I learn that the excitable man was so pleasantly received when he called for his hat that his anger cooled at once. Then he got to talking about the manufacturer's business and the money he was making. A few days later he invested heavily in the concern and was elected its vice president. And all because of that little mistake about a hat."

**SOON TO LAUNCH WARSHIPS**

**Navy Department Announces Vessels Are Almost Completed — Nineteen Other Craft Under Construction.**

Washington. — Thirteen first-class battleships will soon be added to the United States navy, several of which are nearly ready to be placed in commission, and 19 other vessels, including armored cruisers, protected cruisers, torpedo-boats and torpedo-boat destroyers, are under construction.

The first class battleships will be placed in commission within the next six months.

The bureau of construction and repair the other day prepared a statement showing the progress made on the vessels during the month of August, and how near completion are these ships. The most progress, four per cent., was made on the Mississippi, which is being constructed by the Cramps at Philadelphia. The percentage of completion of the battleships is: Rhode Island, 93; Virginia, 92.89; New Jersey, 89.3; Georgia, 86.44; Connecticut, 86.15; Louisiana, 86.4; Nebraska, 79.58; Minnesota, 71.16; Vermont, 61.4; Kansas, 60.1; Mississippi, 38.71; Idaho, 33.66, and New Hampshire, 18.12.

**Snake Head Kills Dog.**

William English and Milton Davis, of near town, were out hunting on the farm of J. D. Powers, at Perry, Mo., a few days ago and they shot a large rattlesnake, shooting off its head and about four inches of its body. The severed head was hurled by the discharge against the bird dog of Mr. English. It bit the dog and he died within a few minutes.

**TOOK KEELEY CURE MUCH.**

**Man Escapes from That Institution, Who Had Been Treated Nineteen Times.**

New Haven, Conn.—The police of this city arrested a man who gave his name as Charles B. Fleming for being under the influence of drink. He said that his home was in New York.

Two men who said they were doctors from the Keeley institute at West Haven, called at police headquarters and asked Sergeant Cook to release Fleming, and they would see that he was cared for all right. They said they would take him to his home in New York. The sergeant turned Fleming over to the strangers.

Later a man, who said he was a private physician, called at police headquarters and asked for Fleming. The man who was with him, he said, was Fleming's valet. The doctor said that Fleming was a very wealthy New Yorker, and that he had been 19 times in Keeley institutes part of the time in Europe. He was very much chagrined to find that Fleming had been released.

Upon inquiry at the Keeley institute in West Haven he learned that the two men who had called for Fleming were only keepers in the place, and not doctors.

**ICE THIRTY FEET THICK.**

**Remarkable Discovery Made by Connecticut Man Seeking Cold Water in a Well.**

New Haven, Conn.—The people up in Coventry have been astonished to find this year in the early summer a well in a farm yard which is still frozen to the depth of 30 feet. Nothing like this has been known in Connecticut in years, the heavy ice banks of 1888 having receded by this time of year.

So "fishy" did this story seem that a Hartford reporter, exceptional for his veracity, personally looked the matter up. He found that the well had not been used recently, and that when the farmer on whose premises it was thought he would like a drink of cold water tried to draw it his bucket struck a hard substance.

Getting into the well, the farmer found that the top of the well was thick with ice, which reached at least 30 feet in a solid chunk to the bottom. The well has performed unusual feats in keeping ice in recent years, but nothing so remarkable as this.



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**The Railroad.**

Wednesday morning L. T. Lester as chairman of the right-of-way committee received a telegram from Tallmadge and associates at Chicago, requesting that said committee complete its work not later than Nov., 10. The committee was also notified that the survey out of this town could be secured by application to Avery Turner.

As this work requires at the hands of the committee clear title deeds to the lands included in said right-of-way and the necessary pledges or cash to secure them, it will be observed that it, the committee, is no sinecure, but rather a tough job on its docket. The committee acting on the correct principle that getting the necessary cash subscribed is the first step is bending its energies in that direction, but as yet it has fallen short of the estimated cost, which is \$5,000.

Now, as the News has previously stated, it is up to the people of both town and county to say whether or not this committee appointed by our citizenship and now working in their behalf, shall fall down or not.

On this proposition at least—giving the right-of-way—now or never is the time for action.

The right-of-way as finally adopted from the town south to the county line is outlined as follows:

Beginning on the Pecos Valley tracks west of the depot and also of the water tank; thence in a curve with concave east between the residences of G. W. Palmer, and T. B. Ketner and running east of the Lee Vansant residence and west of C. T. World's pasture lot into the W. F. Heller home section; thence through said Heller section No. 62, west of the residence and to, and

across the northwest corner of section 67; across the S. W. corner of No. 66, and through sections 95, 98, 128, 129, 1, 14, 2, 3, 4, 5, 46, 45, 44, 58, and 59, to its south line which is also the north line of Swisher county. This terminal point is 3 3/8 miles east of a direct line drawn south from canyon city. The News does not pretend that this is accurate in every particular, but it is amply sufficient to show, by the aid of a county map, not only the surveys through which the road will go but about the route to be taken from town to the Swisher county line.

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Five years ago the Continental was built and put into operation on an entirely new plan. Instead of receiving the whole milk it gets only the cream. The farmer patron has a hand separator. As soon as the milk is drawn from the cows it is run through this machine.

The skim milk is fed at once to pigs and calves, warm and sweet, worth almost as much for feed as before the cream was removed. The cream is gathered by the representative of the creamery, and hauled or shipped to the factory.

Under the old system, the farmer's wife lugged at the entire process of butter making. Now the men do the milking and separating—the factory does the rest.

The farmer used to market his butter at the country store at low price for groceries and calicoes at a high price. Now the cream is made into a high-class article worth twice as much in the market as country butter, and brings the farmer nearly twice as much money as he used to get from his cows.

The Continental creamery plan is very popular among farmers. It has pushed out along all railroads, even to the western border of the state. Some cream is hauled 400 miles. The company has its own refrigerator cars for handling cream and butter.

It has 500 cream-receiving stations. Its patrons number 20,000 Kansas farmers, who receive an aggregate of \$250,000 per month, although as individuals few keep more than a half dozen cows. Farmers are pleased with the system and are gradually increasing their milk production. They find the semimonthly check convenient to have, especially during dull seasons.

In the factory everything is done accurately. An expert examines each can of cream as it comes in grades it into first and second class, or rejects it entirely. From the receiving vat the cream goes to the Pasteurizer, where it is heated to 180 degrees, then cooled to 70 degrees for ripening.

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## SHE DANCES 12 HOURS.

**Bride Wins \$235 by Her Endurance in the Giddy Whirl for Half a Day.**

Sharon, Pa.—Paula Walliski, a pretty Polish maiden, was married recently to Joe Sparski. At all Polish weddings it is a custom for the bride to dance with all the male guests, and every time a guest is thus favored he throws a piece of silver money into a plate which stands in the center of the room. The amount of money thus contributed to the bride depends entirely upon the endurance of the bride.

Paula is a husky young woman, and she started with the first dance at noon. Around the room she was whirled time and time again, and with each round the shekels dropped on the plate. Supper time came, but the bride did not stop for the meal, and continued to dance. Nine o'clock came, when the wedding repast was served, but still Paula was too busy dancing and making money. At midnight she dropped to the floor exhausted. Then the money was counted, and it was found that the bride had danced herself into the possession of \$235.

## Fate of Greedy Rattler.

In Ozark county, Missouri, the other day a large rattlesnake was found imprisoned between two rails of a fence. The snake had come upon a flock of young quail, caught one of the birds and swallowed it. The survivors fled to the other side of the fence, where upon the snake crawled between the rails until it caught another bird, which it swallowed. The result was that the snake, owing to the bulge made by the first morsel, was unable to move forward and because of the second protuberance was unable to go back. Thus he died led to its death.

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