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THE CAPTAIN OF the KANSAS

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The captain aroused Walker with order: "See if the donkey boiler has head of steam. We may have the stream anchor quick and wipers as well. If Tollemache his work properly, go forward p a sharp lookout for broken Clear off the tarpaulins, and to lower away the instant I

who had been gazing spellbound at the majestic haven opening before the ship, hurried on his errand found Tollemache seated on a red bucket, in which the taylor had just washed his face and

"You seen it?" demanded the captain gleefully, while his practiced eye in the state of the gauges scanned a number of oil taps and flingers.

"What?" asked Tollemache removing his pipe. "And, my bonny lad. We abright in now."

"Been doing that for hours," said the captain. "The aw's livin' ahead. Have ye ev'ah a Tyme? Well, just shove ye an' Tynemouth a few hands high-ah an' you've got it. I'll try to talk or you might 'face."

The Parthian shaft of humor flashed toward the fore-castle, the ubiquitous donkey boiler one of its long arms would with the stockless anchors at the end of a lever, Tollemache, who had glimpsed the coast, strolled on deck and bent well over the order to look more directly at the could see one-half only of the, but that sufficed.

"No sign whatever. And I could hardly have missed them if they were here. They may have escaped, but I doubt it. The sea ran very high for a time, and the Kansas scraped past so many reefs that it was almost impossible for each of the three boats to have done the same."

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"That is true, especially if they used their sails. The Chileans who got away in the lifeboats would know sufficient of the coast to make a northerly course, while my parting instructions to Malcolm were to keep to the north all the time."

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Before sitting down Courtenay paid a brief visit to Mr. Boyle. Christobal told him not to allow the wounded man to talk too much, complete rest for a few hours being essential. But Boyle's pallid face lit up so brightly when the captain stood by his side that it was hard not to indulge him to some extent.

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"In a small bay on the east of Hanover Island. I have not taken any observations yet, and there is no hurry, old chap. You'll be out and about long before we move again."

Boyle smiled and closed his eyes. "I heard the anchors go, and then I knew that all was well. You're the luckiest skipper afloat. Hub, the bloomin' Kansas was lost not once, but twenty times."

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with a rush of color and her lips quivering with excitement. "How wonderful of you to bring the ship through all those awful reefs and things! No; you must not say you have done nothing marvelous. Dr. Christobal has told me everything. Next to Providence, Captain Courtenay, we owe our lives to you."

Courtenay felt it would hurt her were he to smile at her earnestness. But he did say:

"Surely it is not so very remarkable that I should do my best to safeguard the ship and such of her passengers and crew as survive last night's ordeal."

"I shall never understand how I came to fall asleep," said Elsie. "I remember feeling very tired. I sat down for a moment, and that ended it. The next thing I heard was a rapping on my door and Dr. Christobal's voice bidding me hurry if I would see the entrance to the harbor."

The two men exchanged glances. Courtenay laughed so pleasantly that it was good to hear.

"Yet there was I up aloft, maneuvering the ship in the firm faith that Dr. Christobal was busy in the cook's galley," said he.

"Ah, we have news for you!" cried Elsie. "One of the poor fellows who was knocked on the head during that terrible fight for the boats was the master cook himself. He is better now, and breakfast can be ready in five minutes. I'll go and tell him."

She ran off, and Joey scampered by her side, for he knew quite well where the kitchen lay.

"Brother is useful at times," murmured Christobal, watching Elsie until she had disappeared. Then he turned to Courtenay.

"I suppose you have seen nothing of the boats?"

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"Not much. More stiff than sore. It was a knockout blow of its kind. I can just recall you haulin' me out of the scrimmage and"—

"It will be your turn to do as much for me next time. Try to go to sleep. We'll have you on deck tomorrow."

Courtenay noticed that there were only four other sufferers in the salon. Three were firemen injured by the explosion. He had a pleasant word for each of them. The fourth was a sailor, either asleep or unconscious, and Courtenay thought he recognized a severe bruise on the man's left temple where the butt of his revolver had struck hard.

When he returned on deck he learned that two other members of the crew, in addition to the cook, were able to work. Walker had set one to clear up the stokehold. His companion, a fireman, had relieved Mr. Tollemache. Indeed, the latter had gone to his cabin and was the last to arrive at the feast, finally putting in an appearance in a new suit and spotless linen.

Christobal protested loudly. "I thought this was to be a workers' meal," he said. "Tollemache has stolen a march on us. He is quite a Bond street lounge in appearance."

"Dirty job stoking," said Tollemache. "I seem to have been the only lazy person on board during the night!" cried Elsie.

"Do you know what time it is?" asked Courtenay.

"No; about 10 o'clock, I fancy."

"It is not yet half past 4."

The blue eyes opened wide. "Are you in earnest?" she demanded.

He showed her his watch. Scarcely four hours had elapsed since she had waited in the captain's cabin, amid the drenching spray and tearing wind, while he took Isobel and Mrs. Somerville and the shrieking maid to the boat. The corners of her mouth drooped, and tears trembled on her eyes.



"Are you in pain, Boyle?" asked Courtenay.

lashes. She sought furtively for a handkerchief. Knowing exactly what troubled her, Courtenay turned to Christobal.

"This island ought to be inhabited," he said. "Can you tell me what sort of Indians one finds in this locality?"

Christobal frowned perplexedly. "I fear I do not know much about them," he said. "Behind those hills there one sees a few canoe Indians. I have heard that they are somewhat lower in the social scale than the aborigines of Australia."

"Are they?" said Courtenay. He looked Christobal straight in the eyes, and the doctor returned his gaze as steadily.

"That is their repute. They live mostly on shellfish. They do not congregate in communities. A few families keep together and move constantly from place to place."

"They are called the Alaculof. They use bows and arrows with heads chipped out of stone or bottle glass," put in Tollemache.

"Oh, you have been in these parts before?" cried Courtenay, regarding his compatriot with some interest, while the Spaniard surveyed his rival doubtfully.

"Yes; was on the Emu, wrecked in Cockburn channel."

Now, the story of the Emu is one of those fierce tragedies which the sea first puts on the stage of life with dire skill and then proceeds to destroy the slightest vestige of their brief exist-

Edith Items.

Messrs Frank and Alex Vaughn and J. M. Hickson attended the funeral of Mr. Joe McMahon at Tahoka last Saturday.

Messrs McKay and Farguay of Post City, Miss Cleo McGonagill of Tahoka and Jesse Harrison and family of T— community were guests at G. W. Harrison's Saturday evening and Sunday forenoon.

Monroe Hickson and family were visitors last Sunday at the home of Mr. Tunnell at Midway.

Mr. McIntyre's new residence on his farm here is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy within a few days.

Miss Eddie Delis spent last Friday with the Misses McGonagill of Tahoka.

Mrs. Womack was shopping with Tahoka merchants Saturday afternoon.

Grover Harrison of Post City visited homefolks here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Sanders were in Tahoka Monday forenoon.

Messrs Ellis Payne, Joe Stokes and Ernest Reed of Tahoka were at G. W. Harrison's for a short time Thursday afternoon of last week.

Frank and Alex Vaughn were guests of Mr. Catuthers the Sunday before last.

Pierce Womack and family were in Garza county first of last week in quest of wild plums. We have not learned with what success their search was rewarded.

Irvin Shattuck and sisters, Misses Horace and Ruth, attended the Nevells Crouch nuptials at the Baptist church in Tahoka Sunday evening.

J. B. and O. C. Stanbro and T. A. Brown were town visitors Saturday.

Miss Mattie Dyer attended the wedding at Tahoka Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutton were Tahoka visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Sid Sanders is making preparations to leave in a few days for an extended visit with her parents at Fort Worth.

Commissioners court meets in Tahoka next Monday and Pat is of the opinion that it would be a very wise idea for our citizens who are interested to see to it that that petition praying for a school district here is filed with the county clerk so that it may get consideration from the commissioners at this session of the court.

This will be the last chance to get action on the petition and an apportionment of the school funds for the ensuing scholastic year, so if we expect to have a school this year it is time to get busy.

PAT.

HUNG—A self-binder for the want of binder twine; to be had at Wells & Welcher's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wethers and Mr. and Mrs. Honea went down in the breaks plugging last week. They found a nice lot of plums and report a royal time.

HOW ARE THESE FOR PERTINENT QUESTIONS?

1. Can you write a free, legible hand?
2. Can you compute the interest on a note?
3. Do you know how to make out a check, draft and note?
4. Do you know how to make out a bill or a receipt?
5. Do you know how to keep an account of your income and expenditures?
6. Do you know the difference between a promise and a contract?
7. Do you know what contracts must be in writing to be valid?
8. Can you write business letters brief, and to the point, in correct form, and properly punctuated.
9. Do you understand all the different ways of transmitting money?
10. Can you add a long column of figures with the assurance that your result is correct?
11. Do you know how partnerships, joint stock companies, and corporations are formed and dissolved.
12. In short, have you any practical knowledge of business and ability to carry out business affairs in general?
13. If not, is it not time you were beginning to know?
14. Do you know that a comparatively brief course at our school will fully equip you in the matters involved in the foregoing inquiries, as well as many others?
15. Do you know that this kind of training, besides being a most valuable form of general knowledge, has more certain market value than any other form of education?
16. Farmers, why not give your boy and girl an even chance with the rest of the world by giving them a good business education?

Address all answers to the above questions to the Bowie Commercial College, Bowie, Tex.

Joe Stokes came in this morning from a business trip to the Fort.

Twine enough to tie up the county at Wells & Welcher's, better get some and tie your feed up.

Mr. Grover Harrison of Post City was the guest of his sister, Mrs. McGonagill, Sunday, June 28.

Messrs McKay and Farguay of Post City were guests at the home of A. R. McGonagill Sunday.

A tennis court has been arranged and a number of young people have been playing the game this week.

Misses Cleo and Gladys McGonagill visited the News office Monday afternoon, greatly to the delight of all present.

Next Sunday and Saturday before the Primitive brethren will hold their regular monthly meeting, if Bro. Bolinger can possibly get here. If he fails to arrive Bro. Bishop will occupy the time and protract the meeting for the ensuing week. The meeting will be protracted from Monday night without fail.

The all day singing at Six Mile Sunday was a grand success. The house was full of ladies and children and the yard full of men and boys. A fine dinner was served at the usual time and was very much enjoyed by all. Mr. Wilcox, who has been teaching a singing class here for about a month went down to take part and assist Mr. Smith with the class.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the Democratic Primary.

For State Senator
R. C. CRANE, of Sweetwater, Texas.

For County Treasurer.
E. F. OUSLEY,
McMILL CLAYTON.

For Tax Assessor.
R. T. EDWARDS,
Ed. REDWINE,
B. HUMPHRIES.

For County and District Clerk.
H. M. LARKIN,
S. N. McDANIEL.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector.
J. S. WELLS,
D. N. GLASS.

For County Commissioner Precinct 2.
J. W. LUTTRELL,
J. N. LEMOND.

For County Commissioner Precinct 3.
D. W. HARRIS,
T. S. VAUGHN.

For County Commissioner Precinct 4.
O. L. MILLER.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 2.
J. N. LeMond

ence. But such things leave abiding memories in men's souls, and Courtenay had heard how twenty-seven survivors out of a muster roll of thirty who escaped from the wreck had been shot down by Indians ambushed in the forest. Elsie was listening to the conversation, so the captain did not carry it further, contenting himself with the remark:

"That will be useful if we are compelled to go ashore. You will have some acquaintance with the ways of our hosts."

Tollemache, having nothing to say, was not given to the use of unnecessary words. Elsie was conscious of a certain constraint in their talk.

"Please don't mind me," she said quietly. "I know all about the loss of the Euna. If we fall into the hands of the Alaculof tribe we shall be not only killed, but eaten."

Each of the men admired her coolness, but Tollemache, who had been quietly scrutinizing the nearer hills, gave painful emphasis to this growing topic by exclaiming:

"There they are now—smoke signals!"

Sure enough, thin columns of smoke were rising from several points on the land. It could not be doubted that these were caused by human agency. They were not visible when the party sat down to breakfast. The appearance of the ship was their obvious explanation, but not a canoe or a solitary figure could be seen, though Courtenay and others at various times during the day searched every part of the neighboring shore with field glasses and powerful telescopes.

After an all too brief burst of sunshine the Land of Storms again justified its name. Giant clouds came rolling in from seaward; the mountains were lost in mist; the glaciers became sullen, rock strewn masses of white brown ice; the fresh greenery of the forests faded into somber belts of blackness. Though it was high summer in this desolate region, heavy showers of hail and sleet alternated with drenching rain. At low water, though the Kansas floated securely in a depth of twenty fathoms, a yellow current sweeping past her starboard quarter showed how accurately Courtenay had read the tokens of the inlet. Many a swollen torrent and perhaps one or two fair sized streams at the head of the bay contributed this flood of fresh water.

To Elsie and the doctor were entrusted the daylight watch on deck and the care of the sick. For the latter there was not much to be done. The cook undertook to feed them, and Frascuelo, the wounded stevedore who had been discovered in a state of collapse, soon revived and was practically able to look after himself. The others, under Walker's directions, were hard at work in the engine room and stokehold, for there alone lay the chance of ultimate escape.

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK

NOTICE.

Any one cutting or hauling wood out of U. S. pasture or John Slaughter's pasture will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
Jno. B. Slaughter.

The new meat market is certainly doing itself proud. The meat is of the best quality and flavor and would do credit to a much larger place. Lonnie Bigham and Bert King, the young butchers, certainly understand their business and cater to the interest of their customers.

Mrs. Charley Brown returned last Friday from a visit to Snyder where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Sherrod, and sister, Mrs. F.G. Patterson. Mrs. Patterson has been very sick for some weeks, but is very much improved at present.

Mr. J. G. Little, our blacksmith, left Monday for Gainesville to visit a grandchild whom he has never seen. Mr. Little says he will return in plenty time to vote for the right man.

We are glad to know that Fred McDaniel, who was hurt at Plainview is almost recovered from his broken bones.

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Mr. Petty of the T— finished branding the calves 1400 in number. The day he finished a telegram came from Mr. Edwards saying he had sold the heifers. This will necessitate another roundup right away.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Black left Monday for a fishing trip on the Yellow House canyon.

Mr. Redwine tells us he found small bolls of cotton in his field June 14.

Baptist Meeting

The Baptists aim to have a revival meeting the next of July. The Pastor will be preaching. We invite all our communities to be present. Let all members of the church prepare both soul and body to pray with power for a great meeting.

All Christians are asked to operate in the meeting.
M. C. Bishop, Pastor.

GOOD GAME FOR CHILDREN

O.iential transfer liquid is a ways a delight to the children. It may be of use to grown-ups, too. To make it, use twelve ounces of water, not hot, water and a piece of the soap about one inch long. Dissolve this soap in the water, and when thoroughly dissolved add five drops of the five cents worth of borax crystals and a few drops of glycerine. Shake well together in a large bottle and keep corked. With a soft brush apply the liquid generously to the picture that is to be transferred. This does not hurt the paper at all. Then place the picture down upon the paper to be transferred. With the back of a spoon press and smooth back side of the picture for a few minutes. One of the small blotters is excellent for blotting the picture. If this is done fully when the picture is a good duplicate of it will have been made upon the paper and the original picture apparently still be as good as new. Several copies of the same picture may be made in this way. This simple process furnishes a pleasure to children; it has been employed as a help in the work. In history and geography courses in school it has been successfully used as a means of transferring note books or copies. On one occasion a most interesting set of dinner cards for a birthday party was the result of the mother's experimental transfer liquid.—Good keeping.

Conundrums and Answers

When is a newspaper like a cate child? When it appeals to the children.

Why is the Fourth of July an oyster? Because we get joy it without crackers.

What tree is of the greatest importance in history? The tree of life.

Why does a man's hair turn gray sooner than his mustache? Because it is about twenty years older.

Why is Sunday the best day in the week? Because only one not a week day.

What is always behind the back of the clock?

What melancholy fact about a calendar? That the time when its days are numbered.

On what day of the year do men talk the least? The day after tomorrow.

Why is music cheaper on Sunday than during the week? Because during the week you get a piece, and on Sunday you get it by the choir.

Why is a washerwoman busy on Monday? Because she brings close (clothes) of the week.

What is that which occurs in a moment, and not once in a thousand years? The letter 'e'.

Why is a watchdog barking at night than by day? Because at night he is let out and by day he is taken in.

Born presumably in the world, destined to live in the word, and yet never old. The moon.—Woman's Companion.

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Midway Notes.

Edridge was in Tahoka

Redwine of Draw and Pauls of T— took dinner. Pink Watts the last

is digging a cistern at McGreggor place this

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Dr. Davis and sons were in Tahoka Tuesday.

A few of the Midway young folks attended the singing at Six Mile Sunday. All I have account of were: Miss Iva Cowan and Mr. Carl Davis, Miss Ruby Cowan and Mr. Charlie Kuykendall, Miss Audie Watts and Mr. Pink Watts.

The debate Saturday eve by the girls was remarkably good. The girls will have the floor again in about four weeks.

The debate for Saturday, July 11 will be resolved that woman suffrage is right. Affirmative, Arthur Black and Carl Davis; negative Milton Anthon and Robert King.

Mr. Caruthers and son, Eddie, of the Edith community were through our community on their way to Big Springs to meet Mr. Caruthers son. They were through Tuesday on their way home accompanied by Mr. John Caruthers and family of Mammoth Springs, Ark. Mr. Caruthers is out looking for a location in this country and says he will probably locate in Tahoka.

Well, Pat, I am sorry you failed to be on the ground Sunday. Buttercup and Sunbeam were both there, but if any of the other News correspondents were there they failed to make themselves known. Sunbeam, I am certainly proud I had the pleasure of meeting you, but am sorry I missed you at the wedding Sunday evening. Pat was there and made himself known but failed to give the handshake. Hay Seed you are getting awful quiet from some reason. Cheer up. Come over and meet Sunbeam and myself. You shall both have an invitation to my fry as there are three chicks all growing nicely for Pat, Hay Seed and Sunbeam, but unless someone something for Buttercup she will have to take a "tater" and wait.

BUTTERCUP.

Buttercup, ye editor is not included in that fry, guess our share will be the feet and neck. We never did like chicken feet, but being a Methodist we can eat them, if they come of a yellow legged dominecker, otherwise we'll have to be excused.

Nevill - Crouch.

Sunday evening June 28 at 8:45 the marriage of Miss Jennie Crouch to Mr. Joe Nevill was solemnized at the Baptist church in the presence of a large audience of friends and acquaintances. The church was beautifully decorated in white and evergreen, typifying purity and faithfulness. The crowning beauty of the decorations was a magnificent drooping fern loaned by Mrs. Alley for the occasion. Sunday evening before sundown the friends and guests began to gather. The church was brilliantly lighted and extra seats had been procured to accommodate the large crowd which Messrs Joe Stokes and Will Smith as ushers distinguished themselves by handling in so exemplary and graceful a manner. These young men seemed peculiarly fitted for their position. When the church was filled to its utmost capacity, Miss Linnie Bigham took her place at the organ and Mendelsohn's beautiful Wedding March swelled upon the air heralding the entrance of the bridal party. Miss Zettie Crouch, a sister of the bride led the procession as maid of honor, followed by Linnie Cowan, the little Flower Girl. The bride entered, leaning on the arm of her bridesmaid, Miss Hettie McCarley. Mr. Otho Thomas, as groomsmen, entered by the south door followed by the groom leaning on the arm of his best man, Mr. Walter Slaton.

The bridal party met at the alter forming a semi-circle about the chancel rail. Bro. Bishop, the pastor, pronounced the ceremony in a most impressive manner blending two loving hearts into one. During the ceremony the music continued soft and low, reminding one of a whispered promise of the happy years to come.

At the close of the service the little flower girl led the way down the aisle, strewing the path with flowers for the bridal party, who left the church, accompanied by the strains of the beautiful march which has brought so much of joy and so little of sorrow to mankind. The bride was arrayed in a beautiful creation of white silk and daisy lace. The bridal veil was tastefully arranged, held in place by a cluster of white violets.

A bouquet of Marchil Niel and Bride roses completed the toilet of the pretty bride. The bridesmaids looked charming in costumes of white silk mull and lace. The little flower girl was clad in a dainty frock of white mull.

A number of presents was received by the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Porterfield a counterpane and a handsome rug, Mr. Fagg, a berry set; Joe Stokes, a water set; Walter Slayton, tea set and butter dish. The three young men were careful that the pieces matched, giving the bride a full set of glassware. Mr. McCarley, hand painted bon bon dish; Miss Hettie McCarley, cake stand; Mrs. Hattie Brown of Richland Springs, set of linen napkins; Miss Zettie Crouch, linen table cloth; Mr. Thomas, set silver mounted brushes; Murrel Skinner, handsome parlor lamp; Miss Ethel Franklin, pair linen towels; Mrs. Cric, box fancy stationery; Mrs. Pennell, decorated tray; Mrs. Honea, pair linen towels; Curtis Crouch, handsome dining room tray.

Miss Jennie is one of the most charming young ladies of our town and we join her many friends in wishing her joy in her new sphere of life. Mr. Nevill is a young man of sterling qualities and good business ability and we congratulate him upon his good fortune in winning so lovely a bride. The young people will make their future home in Tahoka.

BORROWED—From the Lynn County News office, a book entitled "The Jungle." It is the property of Mr. Mitchell of Big Springs and has his name on the fly leaf. The return of the book will be thankfully received.

A valuable dog came near to losing its life by hanging last Sunday. We failed to learn if it was intent to suicide or a case of assault and battery by some enemy of the canine race.

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Lynn County,

Texas

Broke His Leg.

Master W. F. Robison, son of Walter Robison, was the victim of a very painful accident Tuesday afternoon. He was playing by himself on a mattress which was lying on the floor doubled once and no one knows how it happened, as the little fellow does not seem to know much about it himself. The supposition is that he fell off the mattress in a cramped position. He cried and called to his mother, who was on the porch, and said he had broken his leg; when she picked him up she found it was all too true. Mr. Moore phoned Dr. Win'ham, who was there in a few minutes. Dr. Miles was called to assist and in a short time the injured limb was set and the little sufferer made comfortable. Wednesday morning he was resting easy.

Mr. Ewing left Tuesday for Lockney where he will join his wife, who has been up there for some time visiting relatives and friends. They expect to attend the celebration of the 4th for which Lockney is famous.

Mrs. Stokes tells us of a very pleasing episode during the visit of her daughter, Mrs. Doak and the small grandson, who is the pride of the hotel. While preparing the little fellow for his return home, Mrs. Stokes bethought herself of a tiny bonnet she herself had worn when an infant. It was only the work of a moment to get it and put it on baby Doak, a distinction few babies can boast, of having worn a bonnet belong to grandma. We were allowed to inspect the bonnet which was entirely handmade and takes one back to the time when fine needle work was the pride of every gentlewoman.

When you write back home tell your folks to time their visit so as to be here for the 18th.

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for in this office the month ending June 30, 1903.

LADIES.

Miss Agness Autrey 2

GENTLEMEN.

T. J. Battease
Belenbaugh, C. G.
King, G. R.
Linton, John
Miller, W. E.

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A. B. McLoud, P. M.

The drouth was broken Wednesday night when Jupiter Pluvius got busy with gentle refreshing rain. The rain seems to have been just in the nick of time; just when growing crops were needing it, farmers were well up with their work and the ground was in good condition for its reception. The rain was general over the south Plains, and bountiful crop harvests are confidently looked forward to throughout these parts.

Mr. Tierman, sheriff of Terry county, was here Wednesday night with a prisoner who had broken jail at Snyder and who had stolen a horse in Lubbock and was captured near Brownfield.

Tuesday night someone fired two or three shots into the house occupied by Sheriff Roberts of Lubbock. Two bullets passed through the mattress on which his two little sons were sleeping.

Mrs. Boerner and Misses Lily and Mary and Master Frank of Ozona, passed through Tahoka Friday on their way to Lubbock where they will hold a family reunion, her son, Fred, of the First National Bank and her daughter, Mrs. Walter Posey of Lubbock and a daughter, Mrs. Ples Nelson of Floydada already being there.

Jack Alley returned Wednesday morning from Fort Worth and Dallas and brought Mrs. Alley a beautiful collection of hot house plants.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Smith and children of Coleman, and Mrs. T. H. Sears of Whitewright, are in Tahoka visiting Mr. and Mrs. Larkin. Mesdames Davis, Smith and Sears are sisters of Mrs. Larkin. Mr. Lewis accompanied his daughters to Tahoka where he will make his future home. All of Mr. Mrs. Davis' family are now here with the exception of two daughters still in Ballinger.

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FRIDAY, JULY 3, 1908

The picnic at Tahoka the 18th of July will be a very enjoyable affair. Some fine entertainments will be provided for the participants.

A Sunday School conference and bible reading is in progress this week at the Methodist church.

Dr. McCoy is erecting a windmill at his place in west Tahoka. The tower is one of the steel variety so much in vogue in the lower part of the state, but is the first one we have seen in Lynn county.

The small fruit trees and shrubbery at the Tahoka Nursery are doing fine. The display of roses and cannas are something worth looking at. Mr. Leedy is to be congratulated upon his success in the line he has chosen.

Mrs. Swan left Monday in company with Miss Fannie Swan who has been visiting here for some. They will stop in Lamesa and visit relatives for a few days then proceed to An-on, Jones county, to Miss Fannie's home, where Mrs. Swan will visit for some time. She was accompanied by Master Buford and little Miss Lucy Belle Swan.

Ed Robinson and wife will go to Lubbock Friday to spend the 4th and visit relatives and friends.

Misses Myrtle Holmes and Ethel Porter were the guests of Mrs. Ed. Robinson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Plack accompanied by Miss Ruby and the small children left Monday for one of the fish tanks in the Slaughter pasture. They returned Tuesday afternoon, reporting a fine time and lots of fish.

Jack Alley went to Big Springs Sunday morning.

B. Y. P. U. Invitation.

We are in receipt of an invitation to attend the West Texas B. Y. P. U. Assembly to be held in Stamford July 24th to August 2nd inclusive. All members are invited to attend. Baptist Sunday Schools and Sunday School workers are specially requested to be present. Liberal rates are given on the railroads and ample provision for entertainment has been made. For particulars write to L. E. Masters, Cor. Secretary, Abilene, Texas.

Pleasant Visit.

The Union Sunday School was the guest of the Sunday School at the Methodist church last Sunday. The occasion was one to be long remembered by those so fortunate as to be present. Mr. Crie opened the exercises and the two Sunday schools took their places, the Union in the north wing and the Methodist in the east wing. The lessons proceeded then as usual and each one carried out the program arranged for the day. The reports from each secretary were read and approved and the exercises were then turned over to Mr. Chisum, the Superintendent of the Union Sunday School, who made a short but pleasing address and conducted the closing exercises. There were over a hundred children present notwithstanding there were so many absent at the all day singing at Six Mile. Tahoka is to be congratulated upon the Sunday school workers she has and the success which has been accorded their labors. A town is always on the right side which manifests such interest in the coming citizens.

The ball game last Saturday between Lubbock and Tahoka resulted in a score of 9 to 2 in favor of Lubbock. The Tahoka pitcher was taken sick and had to quit, putting the Tahoka boys at a disadvantage.

The Post office is being enlarged this week and a new set of boxes put in. We will soon be in the city class of Post Offices; our facilities have to be enlarged about every six months.

Mr. Samford remembered the editor with some fine peaches Friday, picked from his trees at the home place in the east side of town.

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The well machine is engaged at the well on the east side of the square placing the piping in a satisfactory manner. They have experienced considerable trouble with it.

Mrs. Morris returned Monday from Colorado, where she has been visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Morris was a great favorite in society there and spent the time very pleasantly indeed renewing old associates and enjoying the hospitality of her many friends.

Mr. Robt. R. Dick of 9 miles west of town favored ye editor with a cotton blossom opened June 27. We are glad to receive such evidence of a good crop of cotton as well as an early crop. Many thanks Mr. Dick for your thought in the matter, as we are always pleased by being remembered by our readers.

Just A Coolness.

Lewis Robinson has rented the Cowan building and put in a cold drink stand on that side of town. Lewis says he is going to run opposition to the one on the north side. We are delighted to see such a coolness about town as the weather needs some kind of a check. We are glad to welcome any new enterprise especially cream parlors. Those we have here are the best in any town in these parts. Ice cream is our weak point and the more they have the better suited we are. Lewis says he expects to do a good business at both places. The place on the north side is to be known as the City Ice Cream Parlor, the one on the west the Tahoka Confectionery. The best of accommodations is to be had at either establishment. We expect to see the town keep cool during the election for the facilities in that direction are not limited.

Sunday at Six Mile.

Sunday morning, June 28, at 9:30 o'clock the people began gathering at the Six Mile school house to attend the closing exercises of Prof. W. M. Smith's singing school. A part of the Tahoka class arrived at 10:15 and at 11 the house was called to order, and the exercises opened with the beautiful song, "Traveling On," led by W. R. Smith of Tahoka. The exercises of the morning consisted of 16 songs and two quartets, the leaders being Profs. W. J. Wilcox and W. M. Smith, and Messrs. W. R. Smith and Tom King. The quartets were by Messrs. Wilcox, Smith, W. R. Smith and Miss Coughran. Then it was announced that there would be dinner on the ground. Prof. Smith was at the organ and got in such a hurry that Prof. Wilcox had to call him down. We heard Mr. Smith say that he slept till after breakfast that morning, so I guess he had a right to get in a hurry at dinner time.

Rev. Coughran of Tahoka dismissed the house and the good ladies soon had the table spread with good things, such as fried chicken, baked beef, boiled ham and salad. We will not mention the blackberry pie. Just ask Will Smith about that, he can tell more or fully as much about that as I can, and I expect in fewer words. Sunbeam and Buttercup were the only News correspondents I saw, but both seemed to be enjoying themselves to the highest degree.

After dinner was over and the lunch baskets were all put to their place, the exercises for the afternoon opened with the song, "I am an Heir of The King," led by Mr. Wilcox. The afternoon exercises consisted mostly of songs led by Profs. Wilcox and Smith and Miss Nettie Coughran. The good old hymn, "He Saves Me," was led by Mrs. Henderson and little son, Douglas. A trio by Misses Clara, Cathie and Nettie Coughran made quite a hit. After several more songs we had the pleasure of listening to a short, but interesting talk by Prof. Wilcox, also one by Prof. Smith. A duet by Wilcox and Smith followed, and then several of Mr. Smith's pupils got up and thanked him for the interest he had taken and the benefit they had received. At 4:15 o'clock the exercises closed with the song, "Home, Sweet Home."

There were quite a number of young folks from Draw, Midway and T-bar present and all seemed to be sorry when the time came to go home, but they agreed to meet again at Draw the 2nd Sunday in July and at Tahoka July 18th.

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Mr. Joe Neville to the country Wednesday

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Mrs. Minnie Dole who has been visiting

Mrs. J. E. Stokes of Hotel, left Monday

Mrs. Womack of was in doing some Saturday.

Professors Wilcox will conduct a singing Lamesa for the next

Misses May and visited the News office afternoon.

Mr. King delivered cattle at Lubbock sold to some one in the

J. F. Standefer of the News Saturday.

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Mrs. H. K. J. has a very sick child

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Mr. McMahon has carried on a mail between Tahoka and Post City and intervening points for about three years and has been one of the most influential men in this part of the country for many years and the advancement of the interests of the people. We miss him kindly as one of our best friends. When the county News was making efforts to become a paper through the hard struggle ways attend a small paper in town Mr. McMahon spoke words of encouragement and we are sorry to lose one who was always on the right side of the question and one who courage of his convictions.

McMahon leaves a heart-breaking wife and a family of small children to mourn his loss. May the Lord be merciful to all our woes pour out his loving kindness and heal the aching hearts and heal the deepest sorrow and his guiding hand lead them upward to meet with their dear and father in heaven.

realms of bliss where sorrow never comes and death cannot enter. We join the many friends in expressions of sympathy for the bereaved ones.

A COUNTRY PARTY.

A party of congenial friends spent a pleasant evening at what was termed a "country party." Invitations were sent to the ladies asking them to come dressed in an unusual way, bringing with them the gentlemen of their choice. The front door was locked but, they found admittance at a rear door, and were conducted into the kitchen and requested to remove their wraps, for the reception of which benches had been provided. Some of the guests were dressed in old-time garments, others in various fantastic ways, the hostess being extremely bewitching in a much-befrilled frock reaching to her ankles, and her hair in braids decorated with huge bows, while her husband in a white ruffled blouse, large turn-over collar and big blue bow was the cause of much merriment. The kitchen and dining room were soon filled with tables, and progressive games were played in the usual way, except that the losers "progressed" instead of the winners, and the one having the least counts received the prize.

After the games were finished the guests adjourned to the parlor and served themselves about the room. Each was given a napkin with the injunction not to get crumbs on the carpet. Coffee was served from a bright new pail with a shiny tin dipper; sandwiches were passed in wooden trays lined

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Dr. Ballinger, dentist, of Lubbock, will be in Tahoka the week following the 3rd Sunday in each month. Office at the Tahoka Drug Store.

Mrs. Courtney Mellard and her brother-in-law, Mr. Mellard, who has been visiting here for some time, went to Snyder last week to attend the wedding of Mrs. Mellard's sister, Miss Buchanan, of Snyder.

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with paper napkins, and salted nuts appeared in brown paper sacks. The ice cream was passed in huge bowls and dipped upon each plate with a solid silver spoon much commented upon by the guests, while the manner in which the cake was served was considered ideal by the gentlemen, each person being given the knife and requested to cut his own piece. The party was more easily arranged for than the usual affair, but was voted a great success by every one.

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Heard-Buchannan.

Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Mr. T. C. Heard of Seminole, Texas and Miss Sallie Buchannan of Snyder were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Buchannan, Rev. Jas. H. Tate officiating. They left that evening for their future home at Seminole, Mr. Hearl is a prominent ranchman of Gaines county, while his bride is one of Snyder's most popular young ladies, and their many friends here and at Seminole offer their best wishes for a happy married life.—Western Light.

Wells and Welcher have the first shipment of binder twine to come to town. Secure all you want, now, and a little to lend to the fellow who is always out.

The case of Arthur Wasson charged with the killing of Earl Seeds near Lamesa, Dawson county, has been on trial all this week at Colorado and at last report the jury had not returned a verdict.—Big Springs Herald.

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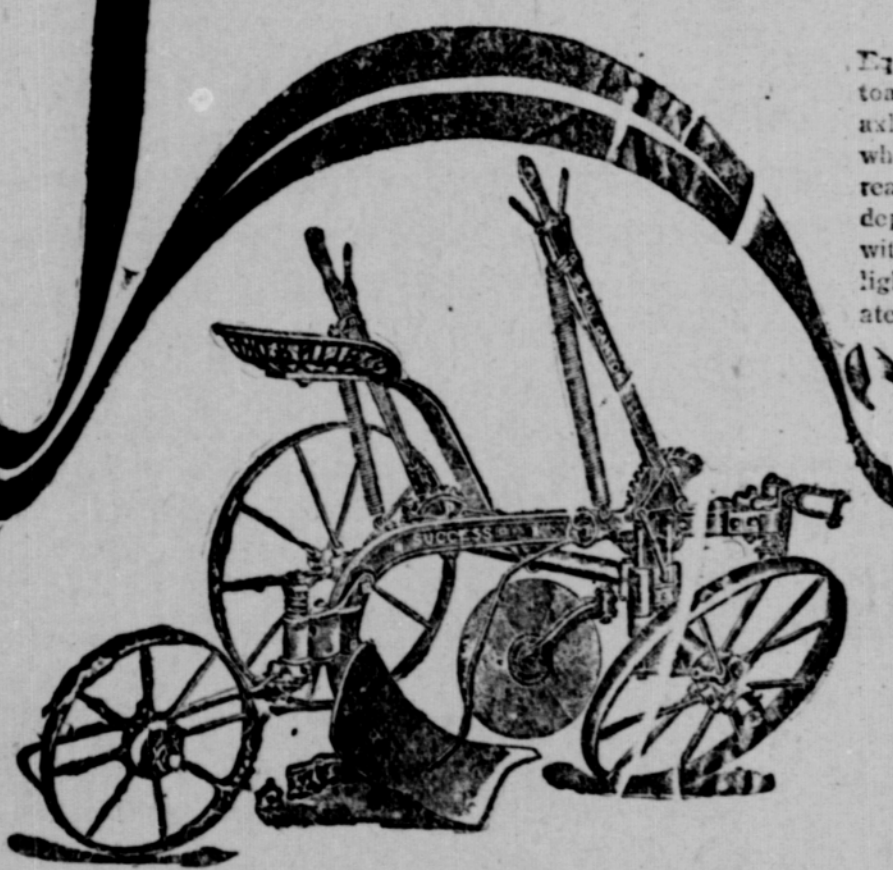
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The citizens of Gail enjoyed a picnic Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pennell were pleasant visitors at the News office Friday evening.

Hon. John P. Marrs, a former Colorado citizen, but now of Tahoka, is in the city on a visit to friends and looking after business interests. We are glad to know that Mr. Marrs is doing well in his new home, for he is deserving of great success.—West Texas News.

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State of Texas }
County of Lynn }
Issued out of the }
Court of Lynn County, }
of June, 1908, by S. N. }
the District Court of }
against J. T. Simmons for }
Hundred and Ninety }
and costs of suits, in }
Court, styled W. F. }
Court, styled W. F. }
service, I, J. S. Wells, }
County, Texas, did, on }
June, 1908 levy on certain }
situated in Lynn County, }
follows, to-wit: Lot No. }
20 in the town of Tahoka }
County, Texas, and }
property of said J. T. }
Tuesday, the fourth day }
at the court house door }
in the town of Tahoka, }
the hours of 10 a. m. and }
sell said real estate at }
cash, to the highest }
erty of said J. T. }
said levy and said }
And in compliance }
this notice by publication }
language, once a week }
five weeks immediately }
day of sale, in the }
weekly newspaper }
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Witness my hand, this }
June, 1908.

J. S. Wells }
Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas

Let us gutter your }
the summer rains are }
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Mr. Waller of Draw }
a cotton blossom }
& Welcher's store }
what fine early cotton }
stalk from which it }
thirteen squares and }
is pretty good for the }
in this climate. }
kindly gave us the }
information.

Phone the Hardware }
fruit jars.

Paul Ray began }
new blacksmith shop }
morning, a twenty by }
ture situated between }
office and the tennis }
has his tools ordered }
ready for business }
is finished.

Gee Whizz is a good }
An-Easy is also. }
ing to try 'em.—Tahoka }
Co.

Bert King cut one }
pretty badly Monday }
forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis }
accompanied by Miss }
Loud went plum }
week. They lost the }
or two but found }
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