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H. C. CRIE, Manager

LYNN COUNTY SCHOLASTICS.

District No.	Name	Male	Female	Total
1.	Lynn	15	14	29
2.	Tahoka	51	67	118
3.	Pride	25	20	45
4.	T-bar	36	35	71
5.	McDonald	6	1	7
6.	West Point	11	7	18
7.	Lake View	16	11	27
8.	Draw	20	10	30
9.	Midway	11	9	20
10.	Morgan	9	9	18
11.	Joe Bailey	11	17	28
12.	Minor	16	10	26
13.	Edith	20	9	29

Notice to appear before Board of Equalization.

Tahoka, Texas, June 24, 1909.

You are hereby notified to be and appear before the Board of Equalization of Lynn County, Texas, to be holden in the town of Tahoka in said county and state at the court house thereof on Monday the 19th day of July A. D. 1909, then and there to show cause why the valuation of the property rendered for taxation by you for yourself or as agent, should not be raised by said Board, to-wit:

NAMES.

W. Timmons, J. R. Evans, J. M. Noble, A. B. McLoud, M. C. Bishop, S. F. Singleton, S. D. Singleton, J. W. Luttrell, Murrell Skinner, E. D. Skinner, George Shumake, G. W. Reed, J. K. Milwee, P. H. Renfro, Jack Alley, G. R. Pearce, W. N. Gore, B. F. Sumner, M. F. Ballew, G. M. Milligan, C. E. Brown, J. D. Donaldson, T. L. Higginbotham, G. W. Hickson, H. E. Baldrige, B. H. Cade, W. J. Montgomery, W. D. Nevels, T. A. Brown, Joe Baldrige, T. S. Vaughn, W. E. Porterfield, J. S. Wells, N. W. Hight, H. S. Mitchell, M. Clayton, Larkin & Co. A. I. Thomas, Clara C. Starr, E. C. Bartholomew, A. B. Robertson, J. V. Dyer, W. A. Hamilton, Dallas; O. C. Stanbro, T. M. Bartley, Peter Hammer-Smith, H. B. Stanford, Jno. K. Donnan, Austin; B. B. Wise, W. M. Merrel, John Dulus, J. M. Jones, Geo. B. Lucas, W. E. Brewer, H. W. McGee, Thomas F. Taylor, Austin; E. M. Powell, Dallas; J. E. Stokes, C. W. Cleeland, Frank Young, R. C. Forrester, L. A. Womack, W. C. Cowan, A. A. Walker, M. M. Anthony, A. J. Hilton, H. P. French, A. J. King, C. E. Brown, T. A. Harris, S. H. Windham, H. C. Mitchell, H. C. Hickerson, G. W. Small, J. P. Womack, Perry Clayton, G. T. Beech, B. L. Shook, L. G. DePriest, Wells & Welcher, J. W. White, P. M. Williams, Lela Lewis (wife) Mrs. A. L. Miles, J. N. Jones, A. L. Lockwood, H. H. Embry, D. N. Sewell, M. P. Thomas, G. W. Short, W. H. May, C. T. Shook, E. F. Ousley, Shook & Swan, D. N. Glass, Preston Majors, J. O. King, T. A. Marchbanks, T. L. Adams, G. W. Coughran, J. J. Brooks, Lubbock; A. A. Vaughn, W. F. Vaughn, A. T. Beard, T. E. Alexander, W. L. Kuykendall, L. A. Robinson, Mrs. Martha Ray, J. A. Brown, S. W. Nelson, LaVerne Kershner, V. S. Coughran, J. W. Farris, T. M. Morgan, J. A. and E. J. Martin, Brown & Alford, Otis Kagler, G. S. Williams, W. M. Meacham, W. S. Swan, S. L. Williams.

Done by order of the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, Texas.

Witness my hand officially this June 24, 1909.

S. N. McDaniel, Clerk,
Commissioners' Court,
Lynn County.

Toney Chisum went through Tahoka Tuesday with a load of drummers, bound for Brownfield.

SANTA FE CONTRACTORS Arrive in Snyder.

Snyder Hustling Bonus—Soon To Give Deeds For Right-of-way Depot Grounds

Monday the Snyder Commercial Club was officially notified by the Santa Fe officials that Snyder's proposition of right away through the county and depot grounds had been accepted, and that Coleman cut-off would be built through Snyder. The club was also notified that the deeds to the right of way would be called for in a few days, and Mr. Ebe, chief right of way man, came in yesterday for this purpose. The club immediately got busy collecting the bonus, and are now securing the right of way.

The line has been located up to town, and a corps of 14 engineers and helpers are now running various lines in the eastern portion of the town, looking to a permanent survey. We have endeavored to get information as to the route into town, but other than it will come in on the east side, and will be above the R. S. & P., we are not informed and will probably be several days before the exact line is located. We understand that the depot will be located either in the east or north part of town, and just as near the square as possible.

A big grading outfit was unloaded here Monday, including 30 mule teams, and three cars of scrapers and other tools and materials, with a large force of laborers, ready to begin grading just as soon as the line into town has been decided on. We also learned that another big grading outfit is expected in Snyder in a few days.

Work along the line will be pushed. The grade will be carried on both ways out of Sweetwater, and the supposition is that it will be carried from here towards Sweetwater and Post City.

This is all the reliable information we can get a hold of relative to the doings of the Santa Fe cut-off, but suffice to say, Snyder has secured the road,—we have the wherewith to rejoice. Snyder certainly is fortunate and every citizen in the town and country should yell, "Hurrah for the Santa Fe." —Western Light.

Say did you know Alley Co. West side square can sell you canned goods cheaper than the whole sale can buy them now.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall of Brown field spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter Mrs. La Vern Kershner of Tahoka.

Misses Lettye Hughs, Sadie Edwards, Mary Whipp and Verda Phenix and Messers Cloyd Shook, Ira Fullerton, Cecil and Harry Whipp enjoyed a hay ride and moon light picnic Tuesday evening.

W. S. Willis and wife are back from a trip to Lynn county, where Mrs. Willis visited her sister Mrs. Shumake, while W. S. looked after some business matters. He reports good rains and the country in fine shape.—Dawson County News.

Proceedings of Newspaper and Commercial Club Federation.

Continued from last week.
We further recommend that each Commercial Club shall appoint a member of a general sanitation committee and we recommend that all members of said committees be recognized as full members of this Federation whether same be members of the Commercial Club or not.
We recommend that the next meeting of this Association shall be held at such a place as the members may locate on the first Tuesday in September.

BY THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

First: Resolved that we endorse the speech of Hon. R. D. Gage, of Ft. Worth, Texas before the Bankers Association of Texas as a broad, fair, fearless and timely presentation of the Texas side of the "Hostile Legislation Cry," and as a proper criticism of such laws as work to the public detriment.
Second: Whereas, we appreciate the good works that have been accomplished by the Commercial Secretaries Association but deeply deplore their active, and in a measure vicious, participation in purely political matters, which action bearing on its face the evidence of more sympathy for corporate interests than for the welfare of the State of Texas and we regard that much of their conduct along this line as tending to the destruction of confidence in organizations of this

character and the demoralization of real industrial developments.

Therefore be it resolved that we urge upon this active and useful body that they give business more and Buncomb less attention.

Third: Be it resolved by the Panhandle, Plains and South Plains Federation of Commercial Secretaries and Newspaper men that the attitude of the State administration in enforcing the general laws of his State, and especially the anti-trust and anti lobby laws, have been in the interest of good government and that this action on their part meets our heartiest approval and warmest commendation, and that we tender them congratulations for their faithfulness to the trust reposed in them and for the efficiency of the public service rendered.

Fourth: Whereas, this Federation had the pleasure of listening to the address of Hon. L. M. Buie, of Stamford, Texas, and believing that the sentiments expressed by this distinguished citizen relating to the work of Commercial Clubs in development work are of great significance and importance and calculated to be of inestimable benefit to this federation and believing that same should be given prominence, commensurate with their worth, therefore be it resolved that the same be printed and copies furnished the papers printed
Concluded on last page.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Report for Baptist Sunday School for Second Quarter ending June 27, 1909.

Class No.	Teacher	Sun. pres.	T. enrol.	Av. At.	T. Col.
1.	Rev. Bishop	13	16	7	\$2.65
2.	J. R. Honea	13	14	10	4.50
3.	Mrs. Honea	13	14	7	1.75
4.	Miss Georgie Reed	13	16	9	1.61
5.	Mrs. King	12	16	6	.88

Number of teachers and officers in school 8.
Average attendance of same 6.
Scholars enrolled 76.
Average attendance 39.
Total Collection for Quarter \$11.49
E. T. PAYNE, SECRETARY.

No. 3597. REPORT OF THE CONDITION of the First National Bank

At Tahoka in the State of Texas, At the close of business, June 23rd, 1909.

RESOURCES	DOLLARS
Loans and Discounts	65,198.76
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,776.58
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	7,500.00
Premiums on U.S. Bonds	412.50
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures	3,095.20
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	688.32
Due from approved Reserve agents	3,704.14
Checks and other Cash Items	57.50
Notes of other National Banks	1,471.00
Fractional Paper currency, Nickels, and cents	84.65
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	2,751.15
Legal-tender Notes	1,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 p. c of circulation)	375.00
TOTAL	91,094.80

LIABILITIES	DOLLARS
Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	1,614.89
National Bank Notes outstanding	7,500.00
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	1,996.13
Individual Deposits subject to check	44,483.78
Cashier's Checks outstanding	500.00
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed	9,000.00
TOTAL	91,094.80

State of Texas, County of Lynn, ss: I, W. D. Nevels, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. D. Nevels, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of June, 1909.

W. S. Swan, Notary Public.
CORRECT—Attest:
(S. N. McDaniel,
Jack Alley,
A. L. Lockwood,
Directors.

NO MORE FISHING.
No more fishing allowed on the Tahoka Lake Ranch.—Jack Alley.

My friends and customers must pay their grocery bill the first day of each month if they expect to eat.—Jack Alley West side square.

Miss Mogen Steele of Clifton, Texas, has been elected first assistant in the Tahoka Public School for the coming term.

Remember Jack Alley sells everything at lowest prices.

About 600 lbs. of broom corn seed have been shipped here and many of our farmers will give this crop a trial. No doubt but what broom corn will do well on this soil. It is a cash crop with demand far exceeding supply.

Tahoka the Greatest of many Surprises in Texas.

"Texas is full of surprises," said L. D. Webster, secretary of the Tahoka Commercial Club, to the Reporter this morning, "but if you want to find the biggest ones in the state, come out our way.

"I don't know what would surprise a man more than after riding eighty-five miles across country from the railroad, to run into a pretty little city, full of life and push and possessing metropolitan features. That is the kind of surprise Tahoka has in store for visitors.

"Big Springs is the nearest railroad point to Tahoka and it is eighty-five miles across the plains, as the crow flies, to Tahoka, and yet we have a fine little city. Tahoka is the county seat of Lynn county and is a town of about 1,000 people. It is a pretty place, surrounded by pretty country. While we have no brick buildings, owing to the long haul of building material we have quite a number of handsome frame ones.

"Just stop and think a minute. To get to Tahoka with material with which to build up a town, it is necessary to drive eighty-five miles across the plains. Or, in other words, if a Tahoka man starts out after building material or supplies of any other kind he is obliged to drive 170 miles before he gets back home with what he went after. Think of that, and see if you can imagine a prosperous little city, growing and thriving under such circumstances.

"But we are not going to be in that condition always. The Santa Fe railroad people are building now from Plainview to Lubbock, and we have assurance that the line will come on south from Lubbock to Tahoka. We have subscribed \$60,000 and a right of way through Lynn county in exchange for the road. Don't you think that ought to get it? This road is supposed to be headed for San Angelo by way of Stanton on the T.&P.

We have a hustling commercial club, with seventy-five members, that is doing considerable advertising and offering inducements to come to our town and community. It is an enterprising organization and belongs to the Central West Texas Federation of Commercial Clubs.

"Newcomers are arriving all the time. We have a great farming country and it is being settled up rapidly. There will be hundreds of acres cultivated this summer that never was cultivated before. Considerable cotton has been planted, but the farmers are looking mostly to the growing of feed. Enough cotton is raised, though, that we have two gins in the county, one of which is located in Tahoka."

Mr. Webster is spending today in Abilene while on his way home from visiting relatives in Haskell. —Abilene Reporter.

Hugh's and King's extra fine candies, new and fresh, just in. C. C. Whipp, confectionary.

TALKS ON ADVERTISING

VIII. Excuses For Not Advertising

By Henry Herbert Huff

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"Mr. Business Man, I was about town yesterday talking advertising with your business people, and perhaps you'd like to know what they think of it."

"Certainly. How did Brown take it?"

"He said that since he never had advertised he didn't need to now.

"It is more necessary today than ever before for the country merchant to advertise. Conditions are changing. Competition is keen. The catalogue houses and city merchants have 'educated' the public to shop by the impersonal method. It is the modern way to do business.

"To cast a thing aside merely because one never has used it is mere foolishness. It is the fellow who ventures that wins. For a business man to deny advertising a chance to show what it will do merely because he has succeeded fairly well without it is poor logic. It is not how good the present trade, but how much better it might be with advertising."

"What did Mr. White, our hardware dealer, say?"

"White said he DIDN'T NEED TO advertise,—that present trade was good enough. I assured him that advertising is necessary to HOLD customers. People are attracted by 'leaders.' If a dealer announces in the paper an unusually good value, they will go to him and take advantage of it and, if satisfied, eventually change their patronage to that store. Many a merchant has thought his trade was safe and woke up to find it otherwise."

"What excuse did old Tightwad give you?"

"He said he COULD NOT AFFORD to advertise. He had the false notion that newspaper publicity is an expense instead of an investment.

"Advertising is a straight business affair. Space should be used for no other reason than that it nets a profit. It stands on its merits—it is worth all it costs. Rightly done, it never fails to pay, and it is our purpose in future talks to learn HOW to make it pay."

"How about Smith?"

"He said it WOULDN'T PAY. I asked him if he'd be willing to have a judge pass sentence upon him without a trial. That is just what he was going to do with advertising."

"What answer did Black give?"

"Black couldn't see where advertising was going to help him any. He said: 'The whole neighborhood knows me and what I sell. People will come to me when they want anything.' I proceeded to show him his mistaken idea of publicity. I called his attention to the need of telling his patrons about the new things he added to his stock and why they should buy them; that people would not know what he had on his shelves if he did not make it known; that his prices might be much lower than competitors and yet the public would have no way of finding this out.

"Next time I drop in we'll discuss some failings of the merchants who do advertise."

LYNN COUNTY NEWS

Published Weekly By
H. C. CRIE & Co.

H. C. CRIE, Business Manager
Mrs. H. C. CRIE, Editor

Display Advertising
Per inch, per month — — — 75c
Reading Notices
Per line, one insertion — — — 10c
Each successive insertion — — — 5c
SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 PER YEAR

Entered as second-class matter July 30, 1905, at the post office at Tahoka, Texas, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

Phone 35.

FRIDAY, JULY 2, 1909.

MRS. FLORENCE WELCHER.

Mrs. Florence Welcher, wife of J. S. Welcher, died at her home in Tahoka Thursday June 30, 1909. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wells of this place.

She was married to J. S. Welcher September 30, 1900 and was in her 29th year at the time of her death which came as a shock to her friends and relatives.

Mrs. Welcher was a model daughter, a devoted wife and mother, and a joy to all her sisters and brothers. She endeared herself to all who knew her by her many beautiful traits of character.

Mrs. Welcher's life had been remarkable for its gentle sweetness though not a professing christian until a few months before she died, she ever walked in the paths of rectitude.

During the whole of the day before her death she was remarkably cheerful and happy, encouraging and comforting all who were grieving because she was so soon to leave them. She called each member of the family to her bedside telling them of the peace and happiness dwelling in her heart, encouraging them to be faithful, admonishing the unsaved ones to press on until they could feel that their Savior had pardoned them and taken them to the shelter of his bosom. When her mother came to talk to her she said, "Mama, I have the sweetest story to tell you; Jesus has come into my heart and blessed me, making me the happiest woman in the world." She went on to tell of her conversion which took place in the privacy of her own home with no one present but herself and her Savior.

She said she was sorry to leave her family but that she was going home where there was nothing but joy and peace forevermore and that she should watch and wait for them all and be ready for them, when they came to her.

When her spirit took its flight her face seemed to shine with divine radiance as though she were seeing sights our mortal eyes could not discern, and feeling things the depths of which our mortal hearts could not fathom.

Her perfect surrender to the will of her Lord, leaving all her earthly treasures without a murmur, gives us a shining example of what the love of Christ in our hearts may do. She leaves a husband and four children to mourn her loss, one a little son of only a few days, besides a host of relatives who are almost heart-broken over the loss of their beloved favorite.

The sympathy of their friends is tendered them in this their time of affliction, but her whom they mourn has pointed them to the source of comfort in a way no one else ever could. In our spiritual consciousness we may see her "Beautiful beckoning hands" ever calling to deeds of high endeavor, encouraging when our faith may waver, ever keeping the hearts cheerful with the memory of the way she left them, looking forward to being united where sickness, sorrow, pain and death are felt nor feared no more.

The funeral took place at the Tahoka cemetery Thursday July 1. Brother Lewis conducted the services in a most impressive manner in the presence of a large gathering of friends.

Remember that if you pay your bill and it is more than \$20.00 or you buy and pay cash for goods amounting to \$20.00 or more you get an accident policy absolutely free.

H. C. Crie is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Howell purchased a seventy five dollar Jersey cow from Otis Shook. The cow gives two and one half gallons of milk per day and makes a pound of nice yellow butter every day. Mrs. Howell is highly pleased with her cow.

G. W. Perryman

Lawyer, Notary, and Conveyancer. Complete Abstract of Lynn county lands to date.

Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas.

Dr. J. H. McCoy,

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON

OFFICE AT THOMAS BROS. DRUG STORE.

Tahoka, Texas.

W. D. BENSON,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Will practice in all courts of Lynn, Lubbock and adjoining counties.

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Special attention to obstetrics and diseases of women and children.

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Bean & Klett

LAWYERS

LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

Will practice law in the Courts of Lynn County.

DR. ROBT. JONES, DR. TOM HUTCHINSON

Physicians and Surgeons,

LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

Treatment of diseases of the

EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT

in connection with their general practice. Office at Lubbock Drug Co.

Phone Connection.

Baptist Property out of Debt.

The Members of the Baptist Church raised the debt on the church last Sunday. They had tried to raise \$200.00 to pay what was due immediately and failed. But when they attempted to raise the \$1,000 the full amount of the indebtedness they succeeded in a short time to raise the entire amount. We certainly congratulate our Baptist brethren on their success and wish them many long years of spiritual growth in the pretty church they have freed from debt. It took a great deal of self sacrifice to accomplish this during the dry dull times we have been having. Nothing but the most consecrated effort on the part of the pastor and people could make such a thing possible. When one man gives \$50.00 or \$100.00 over and above his regular obligations it speaks a live church full of working members.

It makes our hearts glad to know we have such a church and such people in our town.

Rev. J. W. Reid of Bowie, Tex., and Rev. J. L. Elliott of Lubbock, Texas, will begin a Presbyterian protracted meeting at the Methodist Church next Sunday. The meeting will probably be held at night during the week. They invite all to attend and participate in the service.

Groceries are cash, and you must pay your bills if you want to eat.— Jack Alley Company.

Ed Henderson and Bob Cambers left Wednesday for the railroad where they will take the train for Seattle, Washington, they will go through Colorado, taking their way through Oregon and look over the wonderfully advertised fruit belt and farming country embraced in the borders of that state. They will be gone several weeks making quite an extended tour.

Nice Tailor made suits 25 per cent off at Alley Co's West side square.

B. L. Shook, Messes Lessie Shook and Christine Swan left Tuesday morning for Woodward, Oklahoma to visit Mr. Shook's mother. Mrs. Shook and Miss Allie Tims left the same time for Mangum, where they will visit Mrs. Shook's daughter Mrs. Callum and her son Mr. Frank Tims.

TID BITS FROM WEST POINT.

Crops are looking fine, health of the community is very good. We have had some nice showers of rain, plenty for growing crops. Everybody in good spirits, prospects are fine.— GetThar.

BAPTIST MEETING.

I will begin a series of meetings at the Glass School House 13 miles Southeast of Tahoka the third Sunday in July. Every body is invited to come and take part.— M. C. Bishop.

We will appreciate your custom at the West Side Barber Shop Ira Doak Proprietor.

Rev. Virgil Coughran is conducting a ten days, Holiness meeting at T—bar.

Waters Pierce Eupia Oil 20c per gallon. Waters Pierce Stove Gasoline 25c per gallon. If you don't find good bring back. Jack Company West Side Square.

The county commissioners, acting as a board of equalization, placed the valuation of land in Dawson county as follows:
First mile adjoining town section of Lamesa, \$8.00.
Second mile, \$7.00.
Third mile, \$6.00.
Fourth mile, \$5.00.
Fifth mile, \$4.00.
Lands beyond the five mile range, \$2.00 to \$3.50.

The court appointed F. C. Warnick county health officer. In the matter of special elections held in school districts 4 and 20 it was found that both districts had voted in favor of a special tax levy of 50c on the \$100 valuation.

The Declaration of Independence-- July 4th.

How many individuals can declare themselves independent as did the Colonists on that memorable July 4th, 1776?

Independence in Financial matters is what we mean.

Every one who possesses a home and a Bank Account can surely so declare.

If you are not already in this class, make up your mind to get there before many more independence days roll around.

"Saving breeds independence."

Start an account with us now, save as much as you can and some July 4th YOU will be able to "Declare Independence."

The First National Bank

Tahoka, Texas

WE GIVE

you quality that is out of all proportion to price

Our tanks, pipe work, repairs of all kinds of tinware etc give satisfaction—we guarantee all kinds of work.

See us if you need anything in our line and we will make prices that will interest you. Yours to please,

G.M.MILLIKEN & SON

Tin Shop—South of The Fair

Lynn County News and Dallas News \$1.80 per year.

A. G. McADAMS LUMBER COMPANY

Incorporated

Capital Stock \$300,000.00

YARDS at

A. G. McADAMS, President
306 Wilson Building
Dallas, Texas

Lumber, Bois D'Arc, Shingles, Sash
Doors and Mouldings
Tahoka, Texas, May, 1909

Wylie, Lubbock, Tulia, New
Castle, Plainview, Tahoka
Fluvanna and Hensleigh

We respectfully call the attention of the public to our new stock of lumber. We shall try to carry in our line of stock that which the people need. Our shed and office are completed; a temporary arrangement, where you will find us ready to serve you.

To expedite business, make out all bills before coming to the yard. Terms will be cash, but we mean to make it to your interest, if possible, to trade with us.

Now listen! If you are going to build we want to figure with you on that bill. Can do better do you say? You do not know till you try us.

Lumber will be given in exchange for hauling, and we will allow all builders as much hauling as possible, where it is desired.

In conclusion; if you want to build and have money in your trousers, Come and figure with us. Yours for a square deal, an honest conducted business, short settlements and long friendships.

A. G. McADAMS Lbr. Co.

NEW WAGONS, Complete

With Bed, Brake and Seat \$84.00

DEERE & COMPANY AND PARLIN & ORENDORFF

Sulky Plows - - - \$35.00

DEERE & COMPANY Disks Full Size \$27.00

DOUBLE U COMPANY, Post city, Texas

LOOK HERE

The Policy

The Policy described below will be given away free to any person who will come to my store on the west side of the square and either pay their bill or buy and pay cash for merchandise to the amount of \$20.00 or more.

is good as Gold and the Company has a permit to do business in this State from Love, the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance. This offer takes effect on the 1st day of July 1909 and applies to bills paid, or goods bought For CASH ONLY.

Protection!

\$1,000.

Accident Insurance Policy

GOOD FOR ONE YEAR FROM DATE ISSUED TO YOU.

NO ASSESSMENTS, NO DUES,
NO MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS: EITHER SEX OF ANY VOATION.

Issued by the North American Accident Insurance of Chicago

RESOURCES \$625,069.47

This \$1,000.00 Accident Policy

IS TO BE GIVEN AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE TO ANY ONE AS DESCRIBED ABOVE.

THE NUMBER IS LIMITED TO 100 POLICIES

Largest Stock in West Texas. Your money's worth and then some

JACK ALLEY, West Side Square, Tahoka.

L. A. Robison, J. W. Elliott, J. B. Walker.
If you have any Town Property on...

talented speaker and favored his hearers with some interesting remarks before going into the water.

Uncle Alec Vaughn was the lucky one to get the silk waist at W. E. Porterfield's, Tuesday morning.
BLUE BELL.

Alley Co. West side the square. We always have bargains, and will continue to sell goods at the same old stand. One price and satisfaction guaranteed or your money back. No squabbles; but call and get your money back if not satisfied.

S. F. Singleton and his son C. D. were in town Wednesday.

For a neat, good hair cut or a clean shave, try the West Side Barber Shop.

A PICNIC SANDWICH.

The sandwich is the picnic stand-by of course, and unusually good ones can be made by baking a pan of little round rolls, cutting the tops nearly off when they are cold, scooping out some of the crumb, and filling them with chicken chopped and reduced to a stiff paste with cream. They may be seasoned highly with salt and black pepper, and celery salt if liked.—Womans Home Companion for July.

Mr. Paschal the Hardware man of Fluvanna was in Tahoka this week looking after the placing of a thrasher in our county. Mr. Paschal called on the News Office Thursday.

Mrs. Winston Joplin returned last week from a two months visit to relatives in the lower parts of the state. She spent a week in Dallas, and some time in Clifton visiting friends and relatives. Several weeks of her stay were spent in Georgetown where her parents live. Mrs. Joplin tells us she has been enjoying all kinds of vegetables and good things to eat. Her sister Miss Ada May Porter returned with her and will spend the summer on the plains.

Mr. Joyce, of Pride, called on us Wednesday, and told us about the basket picnic at that place July 21st.

MONEY TO LOAN

Of any kind of real-estate at 7 percent, payable every six months, on 5 years time. See The **THE KERSHNER LAND CO.**

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Mesdames Honca and King conducted children's day exercises at the Baptist Church last Sunday night. The Children acquitted themselves with credit to themselves and trainers, their program was very nice indeed.

Brother Bishop, pastor of the Baptist Church, entertained his many friends with a lawn party last Tuesday evening, music and games were the order of the evening, most everybody in town was present, and all had the time of their lives.

Rev. Elliott of the Presbyterian Church called on the News Office Thursday afternoon, he was accompanied by his son Louis.

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J. H. Franklin, of Draw, made The News force a pleasant visit Thursday afternoon. He subscribed for The Lynn County News and Dallas News.

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PROCEEDINGS OF NEWSPAPER AND COMMERCIAL CLUB FEDERATION.

Continued from first page. in the district composing this federation, as interesting to those enlisted in the development of this section of Texas.

Fifth: Whereas, the importance of the work of Panhandle, Plains and South Plains Federation of Commercial Secretaries and Newspaper Men is wholly along industrial lines, for the development of our grand state; and whereas, believing it detrimental to the work of the federation and calculated to retard its work as a factor for good, to inject political issues into the deliberations of this body; and, whereas, this Federation is not in the market for the passage of any special laws for this section of the state, and not interested in the candidacy of any man or men, and as an organization not championing the candidacy for any one for political office, be it resolved: That this Federation hold it contrary to the purposes of this organization to discuss political issues in

the interest of any man, men or measure, at the same time recognizing the right of the individual member to do as he pleases so long as he does not seek to bind his political preferences upon this federation.

Sixth: Whereas the people of Crosbyton have royally entertained the federation of Commercial Secretaries and Newspaper men of the Panhandle, Plains and South Plains and whereas our visit to Crosbyton has been one of both pleasure and profit and one to be long remembered, therefore, be it resolved.

That we tender to Crosbyton our sincere thanks for their liberal hospitality and express our appreciation of the enterprise of its citizens and the possibility of its future greatness.

Further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be filed with the Secretary of the Crosbyton Commercial Club.— Plainview News.

Hiring Doctors By The Year.

Cleveland Leader: China, which furnished us with the interdicted Fourth of July firecracker, and which, no doubt, will file claims of privity on the aeroplane and the referendum, is again pointing the way to reform.

For generations the Chinese have hired their physicians by the year, paying them only when in health. If they fell sick it was the fault of the leech, and they promptly scaled down his annual salary.

The idea has furnished fun for a lot of humorists and has been cited, time and time again, as a strong example of the topsy-turvy logic of the Celestial. The doctors themselves have been interested opponents, but now a light is breaking in upon them. At a recent annual meeting of the American Academy of Medicine, the drift of the talk was in favor of this no-health-no-pay contract.

The logic of the scheme is irrefutable. It puts the matter of health clearly up to the physicians and, by enlarging his opportunities, makes him capable of meeting his responsibilities. He will have to have a working knowledge of mechanics, so he can sniff at the drains and know the errors of sanitation. It will tend to make him an all-round man in his own profession—a virtue that will bloom out of a necessity—for he will be held as responsible for Evangeline's eyes as for Tommy's tonsils or the gout of Grandpa.

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W. D. Nevels returned Tuesday from a six days' trip to Ft. Worth, Waco and other points. He took in Lampassas on his return trip and was accompanied home by Mrs. Nevels and Miss Sarah Ruth who have been visiting Mrs. Nevels parents for some weeks. The ladies report a very pleasant time. Mr. Nevels says the corn crop between Ft. Worth and Waco does not look promising, the heat and drouth have damaged the crop prospects considerably.

Farmers Union and Citizens picnic will occur at Pride, Texas Wednesday July 21, 1909. A basket dinner will be a feature of the day, every one is cordially invited to come with well filled baskets, and enjoy the day.

The court yard has been plowed thoroughly, and a look of thrift and well being pervades the county property. A fine demonstration of what a little work and care can accomplish. We have some beautiful young trees which are things of beauty and promise to be a joy forever. They will stand monuments to those who planted them, long after their hands have been folded to rest.

Eggs For Summer Dishes.

The men of the family will like Savory Shirred eggs: Cut six small sausages in one-half-inch pieces, and fry in one and one half teaspoonfuls of melted butter six minutes. Add one cupful of tomato sauce and one teaspoonful of finely-chopped parsley. Put the mixture in six shirred-egg dishes and slip two uncooked eggs in each dish. Bake in a moderate oven until the eggs are set, and serve at once.

Stuffed eggs when made after the following fashion have an epicurean taste: Cook six eggs until hard-boiled and when cold cut in halves crosswise. Remove the yolks and mash three. Season the mashed yolks with three tablespoonfuls of melted butter, three anchovies finely chopped, two teaspoonfuls of tarragon vinegar, one tablespoonful of French mustard, one half tablespoonful of finely chopped capers, one half teaspoonful of paprika, and salt to taste. When thoroughly mixed shape into the forms of the original yolks, and refill the whites. Place each egg on a slice of tomato seasoned with French dressing, and arrange on crisp lettuce-leaves.—Woman's Home Companion for July.

Notice

is hereby given to all parties engaged in the Banking business in Lynn county, Texas, that Sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of said county on the 19th day of July A. D. 1909, for the Depository of the funds belonging to Lynn County for the years 1909 and 1910. All bids must be delivered to the undersigned on or before said 19th day of July 1909. G. W. PERRYMAN, County Judge Lynn County, Tex.

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C. A. Fryal who has been a member of The Avalanche force went through Tahoka Wednesday enroute for Big Springs, where he will fill a position on the Enterprise.

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Mrs. Roberts and children and Mrs. Walter Forrester came in Thursday to renovate Mrs. Robert's house.

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