

# The Tahoka Informer.

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**SCHOOL NOTICE.**  
The board of Education of Tahoka has set the date for the opening of the public school on the twelfth of September and we hope that as far as possible all of the pupils will be present on that day ready for a year of earnest work. We also hope to see a full attendance this year of the pupils who are entitled to attend; from the first grade up to and through the high school. We are especially anxious to see a full enrollment of the high school. No pains will be spared to place the school of Tahoka on an equal grade with the best schools in Texas and the outwork and every effort will be made to make the work not only useful to the pupils; but pleasant and entertaining as well. While we believe in and shall insist on the strictest discipline, we desire to have every pupil and every patron of the school feel that the teachers of Tahoka school are not simply taskmasters set to drive the students to certain fixed tasks, but rather that they are the true friends and helpers of all who make an honest effort firmness and even severity, where necessary in extreme cases are not incompatible with a true interest in the child and friend best and warmest desire for their success and happiness. No worse mistake can be made in a community than the fostering of a spirit of antagonism and hostility towards the teachers and a feeling on the part of the pupils that the teachers are the opponents rather than their best friends. The aim is to make the work of the school as thoroughly as possible. Pupils will be graded on their entrance into the school on the record left from last year and all pupils should bring their report cards.  
O. T. Bryant,  
Principal.

**OLDFIELD TO TOUR WORLD**  
Barney Oldfield, the veteran speed king, and his wife will make a triumphal tour of the world. They will start the latter part of November making their first stop at Honolulu and will visit Japan, China, Australia, points. Barney will take along his 200 horse power Benz and clean up what ever foreign record look good enough along the route. He has long contract the honor of lowering the speed record made by the Britisher on their world famous banked oval at Brooklands England, and his promised his closest friends to achieve that honor for America before he returns home in the spring. Barney and his wife stopped over in Akron to visit official of the Firestone Tire & Rubber company whose tires Barney uses exclusively. Mrs. Oldfield invariably accompanies her husband on all his racing tour, and although she shuns publicity of every kind she can always be found at the race track anxiously watching every move Barney makes and lending him every encouragement in her power.

**SANTA FE TIME TABLE**

Leaves Lubbock at . . . 8 a. m.
Arrives at Tahoka at . . . 11 a. m.
Leaves Tahoka at . . . 1.00 p. m.
Arrives at Lubbock . . . 4.00 p. m.
Daily except Sunday until further notice.

**SOUTH EAST LYNN.**  
Every thing is progressing nicely nearly every body is through putting up his little mite of feed. The first bale of cotton of this vicinity was carried to the six mile gin last week by A. J. Warren. Messers Will Farris and Cicero Floyd left last Saturday for Haskell. Mr. Oscar McCarley of Knowls New Mexico is visiting at the home of G. T. Beach at this writing. The erection of J. J. Weem new residence is near completion which adds much to his home. The Methodist meeting is going on at Plainview. Miss Ethel Jones spent last Sunday night with Sallie Beach. The ice cream supper at the home of T. J. Williams last Thursday night was a complete success. Sallie Beach spent last Monday with Miss Minnie Brewer. The ice cream supper at A. C. Etters was a grand affair. Sallie Beach and Mrs. Georgia Berry made a short visit at the home of T. Meyers of near Lynn last week. Chas. Brown and mother will leave this week for Motley Co. Montgomery Simpson spent last Saturday night with Chas. Beach. Mrs. Amie King spent last Wednesday night with her sister Mrs. Bams. Please notify through the columns of the Informer of the death of J. O. Whitney Aug. 11th he was the man who was speaking of putting in an ice plant in Tahoka Bright Eyes.

**POST CITY POST**  
Saturday evening about fifteen minutes before quitting time, R. G. Douglass working at the bottom of the big well on the plains, happen to an accident which very near calld for his life. The signal to draw the hoist was misunderstood and started up before the men in the well were ready. Mr. Douglass hand was caught in the rope and he was drawn up fifteen or twenty feet before the mistake was detected at the top when the engine was stopped and he was let down. His hand was pretty badly torn and burnt by the rope. White Dyer.—Garie White and Miss Willie Dyer were married Wednesday at 3 p. m. at the resident of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dyer, three miles this side of Tahoka, with Rev. Doak of Tahoka officiating. Their many friends both here and at Tahoka extend congratulations and best wishes. They will make their home were Garie is an employe of the Double U Co. The Post wishes to join the freind of this popular young and deserving couple in extending best wishes. York Skinner of Tahoka has accepted a position with Coggin & Thomson and will run a car to Fluvanna. A. I. Shattuck and son were down from their place near Tahoka Wednesday and Thursday.

A. M. Rankin of Lubbock was a caller at our office Wednesday. Mrs. Kennedy of Houston was among the registered at the Stokes Hotel Tuesday.

The Floral Hill Dairy was sold last week by Z. W. Shackelford and son the former owners. T. L. Johnson, formley of Tahoka, has taken charge of the same. Mr. Johnson will endeavor to keep the dairy up to a high standard and will no doubt enjoy a liberal patronage by the people of this city. The Avalanche welcomes Mr. Johnson to our town and wish for him all the success possible in the dairy business. Joe Baldrige and wife and Mrs. M. E. Arnold and son and daughter of Tahoka visit their sister, Mrs. L. O. Buford from Friday till Monday morning when they returned home.—Avalanche.

Will Cone and family have moved out to Mr. Summers. Dr. Windham and wife left Tuesday for Brownwood. O. B. Shook made a business trip to Post City Monday. C. M. Bird of LaMesa was here Tuesday looking out a location. W. T. Petty was a business visitor here Tuesday. Joe Stokes made a trip to Lubbock last week. Jim McFarland has resumed his place in the shop again. O. A. Thomas went to Post City Saturday returning Monday. J. T. Philips of Lubbock was here marking Photos at the Hotel this week. Burton Edwards reports a fine rain at his place in the south east part of country. Geo. Hill and Anson Coughran made a business trip to Crosbyton and Spur this week.

No. 8597.  
Report of the condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Tahoka, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, Sept. 1, 1910.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$60,524.31
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	2,446.24
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	7,500.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	300.00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	3,167.30
Other Real Estate Owned	1,500.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	1,331.71
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	1,526.84
Due from approved reserve agents	4,152.24
Notes of other National Banks	723.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	50.35
Lawful money reserved in bank; viz:	
Specie	3,331.10
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent circulation)	375.00
Total	\$86,928.09
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	3,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,487.51
National Bank notes outstanding	7,200.00
Individual deposits subject to check	40,240.58
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	10,000.00
Total	\$83,928.09

State of Texas, county of Lynn, I, W. D. Nevels, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
W. D. Nevels, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Sept. 1910.  
E. D. Skinner  
Notary Public  
[SEAL]  
Correct Attest:  
S. N. McDaniel,  
A. L. Lockwood,  
W. B. Slaton  
Directors

**EDITH**  
Oh! You rain! You just came in the nick of time to save our feed, and make "King Cotton" get up and walk about. Rev. Doak preached to a large and appreciative crowd Sunday afternoon. After church Sunday afternoon, Rev. Doak invited the crowd to accompany him to G. P. Womack for singing. The crowd was met at the door and invited in by Mrs. Shattuck. They were soon all in and everyone held their breath wondering what was coming next. When suddenly a door opened and in stepped Irvin A. Shattuck and Miss Beulah Womack. Brother Doak took his position in front of them and after a short ceremony pronounced them man and wife. Congratulations were then in order. After singing a few songs the crowd began to scatter, thanking Miss Beulah for the invitation. The bride was arrayed in a white silk null dress beautifully made and trimmed in lace and insertion. We congratulate Irvin on winning such a lovely bride, and Miss Beulah on her good sense in choosing her husband. Everyone was expecting this wedding; but none but a few intimate friends knew the exact time. The happy couple followed by a few of their friends proceeded to Tahoka where they took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brown and then went to church. Mr. and Mrs. Shattuck will be at home to their many friends at Mr. Womack's for a few days and then move to the house vacated by Lee Womack. Mrs. S. W. Hawthorne and little daughter, Mary Lee, of Hawley, came in Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dyer. Mrs. Hawthorne says that the plains country is in far better condition then Jones county as far as crops are concerned.

**Papa's Darlings.**  
W. R. Moore went to Lubbock on business Tuesday. Arney Harbert is here from Lubbock to open up a picture show Thursday. Edith school will begin Monday Miss Maggie King of Sanger Tex will be the teacher. McAdams will begin their lumber sheds Wednesday. Jack Alley and wife spent Sunday and Monday with W. T. Petty and wife. Rev. Balch says he had fine success in his T— meeting last week. Will Steddum did some fine work on the Post City line Tuesday. Author Black is doing fine the K. P. Lodge has discharged W. E. Brewer the nurse. W. B. Powell of Lubbock was visiting at the Stokes Hotel Friday and Saturday. Mr. A. O. — Burroughs of Witchata Falls was in our city on business we understand he has bought some property in Lynn. T. J. Campbell and J. V. Clavorn of Tulia was buying cattle here Tuesday and Wednesday.

**WHITE-DYER**  
G. E. White of Post and Miss Willie Dyer, of Edith, were married Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 31st, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dyer. Rev. D. B. Doak officiated. The bride was arrayed in a dress of beautiful white and embroidery. The house was filled with many friends: Those from Tahoka were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henderson and children; Misses Minnie Chambers; Origt Wright and Annie Cowan; and Mr. Loumie Bigham. Mrs. S. W. Hawthorne of Hawley and Mrs. W. T. Shepherd of Rag Town, sisters of the bride were present. All the family of the bride were present except the bride's twin sister, Mrs. J. P. Manley of Clarendon. The Edith friends who were there, are too numerous to mention. After the ceremony and congratulations were over, the guests were treated to a delicious feast of ice cream and cake. Mr. White is to be congratulated on winning such a lovely bride, one who is so well loved by her many friends both in Lynn county and Post City. We think Miss Willie was wise in choosing her husband. Mr. and Mrs. White left Thursday afternoon for Post, where they will make their future home. The friends that remembered them with presents were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, a water set; Miss Minnie Chambers; a white linen table cloth; Miss Origt Wright, a pair of White Linen Towels; Carl Sherrod, a set of China cereal dishes; Frank Vaughan, a pretty blue and white bed spread; Miss Mattie Dyer, a handkerchief receiver; Mr. Towle of Snyder, a set of Silver Teaspoons; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stephens of Post, a fine rocking chair; Mrs. W. E. Porterfield of Post, a dainty bed spread and center table cover; Mr. Sam Wilkes of Post, a fine young heifer.

**One Who was Present.**  
W. R. Doak of Snyder is here visiting his son Ira Doak and will leave for O'Donne Wednesday to visit his son C. H. Doak. Dr. Upton went out to Mr Hopkins Sunday to see a patient. Mrs. W. E. Penney accompanied by her sister-in-law Mrs. M. E. Howell left for Tahoka on Saturday last where they will visit with relatives and friends at this place. J. O. Roberts left for Tahoka on Saturday last to so arrange his affairs as to immediatly accept a position as a Conductor on the Santa Fe prom that place. Mrs. Jack Alley and little Hazel accompanied by Mrs. Hall Robinson left on Thursdays train for Lubbock. Mrs. Tony Chisum is visiting in Post City this week. Tony Chisum made a trip to LaMesa Thursday. Bob Majors wants your Grain & Coal trade. Mrs. J. M. Tilson of Plainview, and Miss Evelyn Monts, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monts.

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# OUR CLOSING OUT SALE

We are going to put on a BIG CLOSING OUT SALE. Everything in our shop is going at prices never before made in TAHOKA. We do not say it as a boast, but if you get a piece of Leather Goods from "Buds Shop," you have something that will be of service to you for years. Our Leathers are of a high grade and the workmanship perfect. We will reserve nothing in the Leather Line. We have put prices on the goods that will sell them. You can afford to throw those old harness away that you have kept patched up with wire, and use new ones at the prices that we put on them in our BIG CLOSING OUT SALE.

## Sale Begins Saturday, September 3rd

### Everything is Strictly Cash During This Price Slaughtering Sale

Wagon Lines 1 1/2 inch, was \$4.00	Now \$2.50	Single Buggy Harness	13.50	15.00
Double Buggy lines 1 1/2 inch, good length, was \$3.50	Now 2.75	...	17.50	14.00
Single Buggy lines, good and heavy was \$4.00	1.50	...	14.00	12.00
Good heavy back bands 1 1/2 inches, was \$4.00 per pair	2.35	Wagon Harness, good heavy harness, was \$2.50	18.50	18.00
Bolter bands, 1 1/2 inch, was \$1.50 per pair	1.00	...	19.50	14.00
Extra heavy Edge-bar harness, was \$4.25 per pair	1.00	Good heavy work bridles	1.75	1.25
Medium weight harness, was \$3.00	.60	Medium weight bridles	1.50	1.00
2nd size Wearsable collar pads, was \$1.00	.30c	I have some good Saddles that is a bargain to you if you need a Saddle. Brass Horn Saddle worth \$5.00		
12 pair 7 foot men's twist chains, was \$1.10	.90	One extra heavy stock saddle, was \$7.50		\$7.50
4 " T & T straight chains, was \$1.00	.75	Don't fail to see my saddles.		
4 " T & T twist chains, was \$1.00	.65	I have a few good Navajo Blankets that I will sell for \$1.25 per pound. Come and see them.		
4 " T & T heavy chains, was \$1.00	.55	No. 1008 Saddle Blankets, was \$2.50		1.25
Good inch flame strops, was \$1.00	.15	Brass Bound Stirrups	1.25 per pair	.95
Wagon neck straps, was \$1.50	1.15	Genuine Angora Girths, brass rings, was \$1.25		1.00
Wagon Pole Straps, was \$1.50	1.15	Common hair girths,	50c.	.50
No. 17 Collars, was \$2.50	2.00	Bridle Reins 5-4	.45c.	.35
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Double Buggy Harness, was \$10.00	24.50	Price my riding Bridles, they are right.		
...	37.50	Bridle Bits, Spurs, Horse Brushes, Snips, buckles, shoe racks, buggy whips, wagon whips, buggy wheelers, and many other things too numerous to mention will be marked down to the bottom.		
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## TAHOKA SADDLE SHOP

### TEXAS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of Texas Central Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors of said Company to be held at the general office of the Company in the City of Waco, Texas on Thursday the 22nd day of September, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the following purposes:

(1) to consent to, approve and authorize the creation and issue of mortgage gold bonds of the Company to be limited to a principal amount, as any one time outstanding, of not exceeding \$2,000,000, such bonds to bear interest from September 1, 1910, at such rate or rates not exceeding 4 per cent, per annum as said Board may, from time to time, determine; to mature at such date, to be ascertainable for such lawful purposes, and in such denominations as said Board may determine, such bonds to be payable, both principal and interest, at the office or agency of said Company in the City of New York in gold coin of the United States of America, or of equal to the present standard of weight and fineness, without deduction for any tax assessments or governmental charge which said Company may be required to pay thereon or to deduct or retain therefrom under any present or future law of the United States or of any state, county, municipality or other taxing authority therein.

(2) to consent to, approve and authorize the execution and delivery, as secure such bonds, of a mortgage and deed of trust in and of the railroads, equipment, houses and property owned by said Company at the date of the execution and delivery of such mortgage and deed of trust or at any time thereafter used as a basis of issue of any of such bonds or their proceeds;

(3) to approve the form and terms of such mortgage and deed of trust, or to authorize said Board in its discretion, to determine the

form and terms thereof;

(4) to ratify and confirm, and to authorize and consent to any action theretofore taken or authorized by said Board and which may be submitted to the meeting, whether for the purposes of or in connection with or in contemplation of any of the matters aforesaid or otherwise; and

(5) to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed for such meeting on Wednesday, the 20th day of July, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, and will be reopened on Friday, the 23rd day of September, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. Dated, Waco, Texas, July 3, 1910.  
By order of the Board of Directors.

R. E. Baker, President.  
S. H. McCartney, Secretary.

#### FRUIT OF SHRODDING

Each year Hereford has realized more or less, a good fruit crop and the only reason assigned for not realizing a full crop was the absence of a method to ward off a late freeze. In every section of the United States where fruit is grown, except, possibly, the extreme southern portion, the smudge pot is proving the savior of the fruit crop but the running of water through the orchard at the propitious stages off the averages of a drop freeze. The latter way has proven a success in Hereford this year, as a visit to Mr. Schriemsher's apple orchard, west of town will prove. His trees are loaded down with fruit.

Mr. Landrum of the Hereford Nursery says this country can be as good apples producing section as Roswell. Two weeks ago, Mr. Griffith of this city sold apples from the trees on fifteen acres for \$4,000, and the owner of the orchard don't have to touch an apple. At this rate Mr. Griffith will realize \$266.66 per acre, an-

### FIRST NATIONAL BANK

TAHOKA, TEXAS  
CAPITAL STOCK, \$25,000.00

We solicit your banking business, assuring you all the Courtesies, and accommodations consistent with sound Business Principles.

OFFICERS	DIRECTORS
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W. B. NEVELS, Cashier	A. L. LOCKWOOD
W. B. SLATON, Assistant Cashier	W. D. NEVELS
	O. L. SLATON

other gentleman of the same city realized \$200 per acre off his apple crop. The orchards were carefully smudged last winter. Those did not use the smudge pot made an almost total failure.

Fruit of most every description can be raised here if it is given the proper care and attention. The soil is excellent and when the fruit growers commence to guard their orchards against the late freezes the sooner the nation will point the finger of pride to the Hereford country as an excellent fruit belt.—Hereford Record.

*Grading in Progress*

A small force was put to work this week on the grading work of the A. R. & E. P. railroad just west of Silvertown. It was announced that two more crews would be put on the grading work at different points on the line from Silvertown to Lockney. We have not been advised whether work is being done at any point or not. Mr. Paris has been in town this week looking after some details connected with the work on the coal.

Subscribe for the INDEPENDENT, a wide-awake newspaper for the people.

FOR SALE—I have some good Work Horses for Sale. W. C. Estes, Tahoka, Texas. 20 ct

#### RESTAURANT

I wish to state to the public that I have taken charge of the Restaurant. We serve both Short Order and Regular Meals. The best that the market affords can be found on our tables.

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Dr. A. F. Upton  
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Specialties on Typhoid, Slow Fever, Pneumonia, Diseases of old people and children. I furnish all medicine.  
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Mr. T. S. Vaughn has fourteen one and two year old mules for sale at Central Texas.

FOR SALE—A nice cane baby Go Cart. Or will trade it for Chickens. At this Office. Tahoka.

#### BERT RAMBOLD

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As a household name, ramblings, bruises, soreness of all kinds, Barbed Wire Limes, has no equal. If money refunded. Buy druggists.

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE  
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 (Re-election)

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## LUMBER, LUMBER, LUMBER.

We wish to Announce to the Public that our Yard is now Complete and we have Anything in the Builders Line that one might wish for. We would be pleased to FIGURE with you on ANYTHING from a Chicken Coop to a Mansion. Our PRICES are RIGHT and our LUMBER is of the BEST. Sash, Doors, Eclipse Windmills, Piping and Fitting of all kinds.

A Full Supply of Lime, Cement, Cedar Posts, Etc.

### HIGGINBOTHAM-HARRIS LUMBER CO.

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#### LAMESA'S FIRST FIRE

Wednesday morning between 1 and 2 O'clock fire broke out in the residence of Tom Miller on the east side of the railroad, and the building with contents burned to the ground. The origin of the fire is a mystery. Mrs. Miller being away from home there had been no fire in the house for more than a week. Mr. Miller, his brother Paul and two other young men were asleep on the front porch and when they awoke the fire had made such headway that it was impossible to save much of anything. Mr. Miller, we learn, carried \$500 insurance. The building was the property of Mr. E. L. Tidwell and was not insured.—Dawns on County News.

Suppose every man in town took as much interest in the upholding of the town and forwarding all public enterprises as the newspaper man. He works for railroads, manufactories, schools and churches, good streets and roads, urges, pleads, and badgers and converts around generally. Imagine his feeling when some lame, string-haltered kind of a fellow reproaches him because he don't boom things enough. If the town does boom and the prices of real estate advance and the owners grow rich from the result of his labor, he makes nothing by it. He is like the poor boy at the circus—he can stand and look at the pictures without the necessary quarter to gain admittance.—Byers Herald.

#### ABSORB THIS, MR. MERCHANT

An old Texas pioneer once told me that if a merchant wants to succeed in business he must advertise his goods judiciously and liberally. Daily and weekly papers are indispensable to the live merchant. He must not put in a little local notice of "Go to John Jones for the best and cheapest grocers" run it once or twice, and expect to have his store jammed full of people. He must never cease work. He must plan, and scheme, and have every newspaper reader looking out for what he will say next. He need not expect to cut down a big tree with one blow of a hatchet. He must not expect to fill a cistern

from one heavy dew. He should not fancy that by eating one soda cracker that he will weigh as much as a Cinnamon bear or the corpulent editor of this paper. Nay, nay Perline and Sapolio. He must attend to his store, use his local papers judiciously and liberally, and he never will make a failure.—Harpoon.

#### Girl Believed to Have Killed Self

Abilene, Aug. 27.—Chloroform has been in the stomach of Betta Benignus. This strengthens the theory that the young girl dead in her bed two weeks ago tomorrow committed suicide. The discovery shows that death was

not caused by inhalation alone. This information was conveyed to the coroner's jury here to day in the report of Prof. F. W. Bushong of the University of Kansas. Professor Bushong analyzed the air in the jar which contained the stomach itself.

This air contain the chloroform which must have come from the stomach. Prof. Bushong says that the stomach is well preserved. A further investigation will be had.

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### LYNN COUNTY ABSTRACT CO

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#### Girl Kills Self

Oklahoma City, Aug. 27.—Your many loving words and kind remembrances will comfort my soul in hell. Grace Vaughan, of Warwick wrote foregoing to her sweetheart just before her suicide. Ed. Black, with whom she was in love is in jail at Chandler while he was reading the letter in his cell a telephone call told of an inquest over the body of his sweetheart. The letter does not blame Black. It asked him to lead a life that would separate him from his sweetheart through eternity.

Miss. Vaughn attended a teachers normal at Chandler this summer.

#### Shops to be at Sweetwater

Sweetwater, Nolan Co. Tex. Aug 26.—Fifty more team and grading outfits have come to the work on the Santa Fe track into the city also on the grading for the yards and tracks, where the shops are to be. This makes about 200 teams here altogether.

The right of committee is just now finishing up the right of way. The track laying is now within about ten or fifteen miles of town. The improvements planned by Santa Fe at this point will

involve the expenditure of more than \$1,000,000. This is to be one of the main divisions on the Texaco-Coleman cut off, and the machine shops, wire houses, etc., will be here, and a very extensive railroad yard, requiring between thirty and forty miles of track.

#### NOT GUILTY

At the preliminary hearing Saturday of the five citizens under arrest for night riding whipp-crapping, or what ever it may be called sufficient evidence was not found for a conviction and were discharged. The result of the trial was not surprise whatever to the people as they were confident those under arrest were innocent and it was just a case of mistaken identity, or whatever else one may wish to call it.

Ervin Caughran and wife were the city Thursday from Tahoka. We understand they are looking for a tailor shop location. —Post City Post.

#### Try The Tahoka Informer.

Dr. Cox's Painless Blister price 50c Guaranteed to blister without pain, or money refunded. For sale by all druggists.

#### Lubbock Avalanche.

Last Saturday night at his residence about ten o'clock, Elder Liff Sanders solemnized the marriage vows which united for life O. A. Shackelford and Mattie Johnson in holy wedlock. Mr. Clyde Bradbey and two sisters of the groom, Lucy and Mabel were present at the marriage.

The bride and groom left this morning for Tahoka to be gone several days. After which they will return to Lubbock where they will reside in the future.

J. T. O'Donnell, of Tahoka passed through Lubbock yesterday on his way to Chicago where he will transact business for the next several days. He came in by auto accompanied by his brother, Gus O'Donnell.

Due Ramsey of Tahoka was visiting at Lubbock on Monday last.

Mrs. M. A. Farris of Tahoka was the city during the previous week visiting.

Myself and little girl had Typhoid fever. We followed Dr. Upton's directions strictly on every point. He broke the fever in two weeks. J. Y. Millman.

# Tahoka, Lynn County, Has Santa Fe Railroad

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## North Tahoka Town Lots

Tahoka is the Best Little City on The Plains and has the Brightest Future. North Tahoka Lots are the best and most desirable lots, both for Business and Residence. Buy now while they are Cheap.

I have made arrangements by which I will have the exclusive sale of all lots in North Tahoka. North Tahoka is the best and most desirable business and residence part of the town, and among the few of the many advantages are:

First. Perfect title, good as gold. The title is simple and short, being a patent from the State of Texas to the present owner, and from him to you. Can you ask more.

Second. An abundance of shallow soft, cold water, and perfect drainage, it being a little higher than the old town section, and lying on the north side of the square and west of the railroad, it is free from dust, smoke and soot.

It is the intention of the management of these lots, to put in as soon as practicable, a stand pipe and gasoline engine with plenty of hose, thereby insuring perfect fire protection and reducing insurance rates from fifty to seventy-five per cent, and also furnishing an abundance of water for the purpose of watering the trees that will be planted along the streets, that are to be graded and cement sidewalks laid as fast as the sale of these lots will justify.

Everything that will add to the beauty and comfort of this part of town will be done regardless of trouble and expense.

Already the people are buying and building on this desirable location, and if you want a home buy it now. We can suit the most fastidious. The lots will never be cheaper.

I also have some very desirable lots and blocks lying along beside the railroad track, making them very desirable locations for lumber, coal, wagon yards, war houses, etc.

Tahoka needs all these things, and I invite correspondence from parties looking for desirable locations in a thriving first-class railroad town.

## Just a Few Bargains

I can sell you thousands of acres of good smooth farming land that will produce 50 bushels corn to the acre, 1-4 to 1 bale cotton, and Kaffir, maize and sorghum without limit.

No. 1. 4000 acres of fine cat-claw and mesquite and sandy land, wells and windmills, house, barns, lots, cross-fenced, about 100 acres in cultivation, and fine water at a depth of about 50 feet. Price \$11.00 per acre net, 1-3 cash, balance in 1, 2, and 3 years at 8 per cent interest. Will be worth \$30.00 in three years.

No. 2. About 5000 acres of fine chocolate hard sandy land for sale at \$11.00 per acre net. It has well and windmill, house, barn, fenced and cross fenced, with about 15 acres in cultivation, lies near a proposed railroad. It will grow anything grown on the Plains, and is about 95 per cent tillable. Terms easy.

No. 3. 1250 acres good patented land 1-2 miles from court house in Tahoka, good four room house, 4 miles of fence, 100 acres in fine farm, good well water with windmill, large cistern, plenty of sheds and lots, 90 per cent tillable. This is a square at \$15.00 per acre, 1-2 cash, balance in 1, 2, and 3 years at 8 per cent interest.

No. 4. Best improved 1-2 section of land in Lynn county. Price \$15.00 per acre.

No. 5. Improved 1-4 section of land in Lynn county, 5 miles of Tahoka. Price \$15.00 per acre.

No. 6. 1-2 Section land, 3 room house, some fencing, 2 miles from square. Price \$15.00 per acre.

No. 7. 2000 acres of tillable land can be put in one farm not 10 acres waste land in tract, \$6000 worth up-to-date improvements, everything in first-class shape. Price \$12.50.

No. 8. 3 sections land, living water, \$5000 worth of improvements, all fenced and subdivided. Finest place for stock in the state. 200 acres will grow alfalfa. Large two miles of switch on railroad. Price \$15.00 an acre. Only 5 miles from Tahoka.

No. 9. 2 improved sections in Terry county, on Tahoka & Roswell R. R. Price \$15.00 per acre.

No. 10. Good 3 room house, 2 lots, cistern in Tahoka. In good shape. Price \$15.00 per acre.

No. 11. 5 room house, 2 lots, all under good fence, barns, sheds, chicken house, well of good water, water in the house, conveniently arranged. \$2,000. Terms easy.

No. 12. 1250 acres sandy cat-claw land, 99 per cent tillable, 150 acres in cultivation, 8 acres in bearing orchard, nice 5 room house, wells, windmills, sheds, corrals, out-houses. Watering places all fenced and cross fenced. \$12 an acre, can be put in one solid farm.

No. 13. 450 acres 10 miles of the Junction and Division point on Santa Fe, 10 miles of Tahoka, 200 shade trees, houses, corrals, sheds, farm in cultivation, nice orchard, a dandy bargain, \$17.50. Every acre first-class.

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All druggists sell Dr. Cox's Barbed Wire Liniment, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 bottles. Guaranteed to heal without leaving a blemish, or money refunded.

Joe & Sam wishes to see you.

### BABY DESERTED.

The city of Herford was brought into the lime light last week by some heartless mother leaving her three weeks old baby at the home of one of Herford's citizens at night. The little fellow was neatly dressed and had a very pathetic note attached saying that the mother could not take care of it; but she hoped that the baby and herself would meet the father in heaven.

We don't know very much about heaven but we don't believe that such a freak of nature as that mother will ever be up there to adorn the streets of heaven.

Bob Majors, the Grain & Coal Man, wants you to know that he has it for sale. Strictly cash.

### RESTAURANT

I wish to state to the public that I have taken charge of the Restaurant. We serve both Short Order and Regular Meals. The best that the market affords can be found on our tables.

W. D. Soree, Proprietor

Bob Majors has just received a full supply of Grain & Coal.

Joe & Sam will clean and press that old suit of clothes. It will be swell.

Misses Maud Naylor of Post and May Spears of Gail, were visitors at the home of Geo. Riley, today.

Meet me at Joe & Sam's place. Buy your Grain & Coal from Bob Majors.

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## MIDWAY

The nice little shower that approached Monday afternoon, was appreciated by all, and late crops are looking nice.

Mr. Cushner and wife of Lubbock spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Anothly.

T. E. King left this week for Jones county expecting to find work.

Miss Imo Anthony called on the Misses King's Sunday.

G. C. King was in town Saturday.

Mr. Anthony and daughter, Miss Imo, were in the city Saturday.

Doff Cleveland called on Lawrence Williams Sunday.

Squire Luttrell had the misfortune to lose one of his horses. The horse stepped into a dog hole and broke its leg.

John McGregor was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Messrs. Dock Beach, Brewer and Farris, were in our community Monday.

Doff and Jessie Cleveland are heading maize for Mr. King.

W. L. Tunnell and Ben Moore were in town Saturday.

Hansford Tunnell and Arthur King were visiting at T— Sunday.

M. M. Anthony made a business trip to Lamesa this week.

Mrs. C. E. Donaldson and daughter, Exia, was in our community Wednesday in quest of cotton pickers.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland and Miss Willie, left Wednesday for Floyd county, where they expect to attend the Baptist Association.

Quite a crowd of the young people of Midway, attended the cream supper at John Hendersons Tuesday night, and all report a jolly good time.

Honey Boy.

Dr. Upton tells us that he was called Sunday night to attend Miss Willie Waller, who lives something like eighteen miles south of here. It seems as if Miss Willie was horse-back riding, and was running a race, when she was thrown from her horse rendering her unconscious for several hours. Dr. Upton says there were no bones broken and that he left the young lady resting nicely Monday morning.

Mrs. C. E. Donaldson and daughter, Miss Exia, was trading with our merchants Monday.

Joe & Sam wishes to see you.

## CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our thanks to our many friends in and around Tahoka, for their kindness shown us during the late illness of Horace. And more especially do we feel grateful to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown who opened wide their doors to us and kept us nearly four weeks, and made us feel a welcome that we will never forget. Horace is doing well under the skillful management of Dr. Inmon. He will be up in a few days.

G. P. Womack.  
Mrs. M. J. Womack.

## BLACK HAND LETTERS

Three or more of our citizens have lately received threatening letters through the mail all of them drop letters which treated all kinds of dire results if one recipient didn't get out of town instanter or something to that effect. This may be the prank of some boy and it may not be. However, the composition of the letters doesn't have the proper "ring" for a boy. If a boy it may get him into trouble for his fun. Uncle Sam doesn't tolerate such pranks through the mail and if a man it may be still more serious with him. Go slow. It may be found out some day Crime will out. If the threats are real made in earnest the writers should be hunted down and shot like mad dogs. They are just as dangerous, and more so, for they haven't the courage to strike in daylight but they wait until they have all the advantage. It is to be hoped these letters are for it is hard to believe Garza county contains a person so depraved and cowardly as to take this method of revenge.—Post City Post.

## TO THE LADIES OF TAKOKA AND VICINITY

I will have a nice line of Ladies Childrens and Misses Trimmed Hats at the store of Mr. Hall Robinson, Saturday, Sept. 24th. I cordially invite every lady in Tahoka to see them and if I haven't just what you want, I will gladly make your hat to order.

Respt.

Mrs. Cecil B. Ragland.  
Post City.

FOR SALE—A nice cane baby Go Cart. Or will trade it for Chickens. At this Office.

Albert Taylor was in the city Tuesday afternoon.

## GET IT STRAIGHT FIRST

Dear kind Christian friend, better get that thing straight before you repeat it. A thing that Mr. so-and-so, said that Mrs. so-and-so said that her husband said that John Long Tongue said that his wife said that her hubby said that John Long Tongue said that his wife said that her closest chum and secret adviser Mrs. Nevertellit said that her husband said he heard on the street corner may not be true as gospel. You take a clean rag and let it be dragged around over town a few days and its color will be greatly changed.—Moore Model.

Uncle Frank Vaughan made us a pleasant visit Monday.

J. F. McManis called in to see us Saturday. We are always glad to have Mr. McManis call on us.

No. 8597.  
Report of the condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Tahoka, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, Sept. 1, 1910.

## RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$60,524.31
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	2,446.24
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	7,500.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	300.00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	3,167.30
Other Real Estate Owned	1,500.000
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	1,331.71
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	1,526.84
Due from approved reserve agents	4,152.24
Notes of other National Banks	723.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	50.35
Lawful money reserved in bank; viz:	
Specie	3,331.10
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent circulation)	375.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$86,928.09</b>

## LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	3,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,487.51
National Bank notes outstanding	7,200.00
Individual deposits subject to check	40,240.58
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	10,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$86,928.09</b>

State of Texas, county of Lynn, I, W. D. Nevels, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. D. Nevels, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Sept. 1910.  
E. D. Skinner  
Notary Public  
[SEAL]  
Correct—Attest:  
S. N. McDaniel,  
A. L. Lockwood,  
W. B. Slaton  
Directors

## HOW TO GET TRADE

When we were publishing a paper in Mount Vernon, Ill.; on the second floor; a store was opened in the rear room under our office. The senior proprietor came up stairs and contracted for three columns of space for twelve months; locals each issue and 2,500 circulars each week. The firm started on borrowed capital. In less than two years it had money enough to start two stores; one in Sedalia and one in St. Louis.

It dissolved partnership and each partner took a field to himself. Byron Nugent was the partner who is now the senior member of B. Nugent & Bros; the great St. Louis house; He not only owns the store building and grounds; but is erecting a modest little cottage which will cost \$70,000. We must add that some of the old moss backs who were in business in Mount Vernon before Byron Nugent ever saw the place are still grumbling about dull trade and hard times.—Pine Bluff Republican.

We have the **Biggest** line of school tablets ever shown in Tahoka. Come and get the kind of your choice. Thomas Bros. & Co.

Miss Cade Gilmore taken charge of her private school at Mr. Swan's Monday.

## NOTICE TO SCHOOL PATRONS

School Books are Cash to everybody alike. Please don't ask for credit. Thomas Bros. & Co.

## MCMANIS-SMITH

Last Sunday at the home of Rev. Estes in West Tahoka, E. E. McManis and Miss Hattie Smith, were made man and wife. Rev. Estes pronouncing the words that made them as one. This popular young couple live in the New Home neighborhood and have many friends who will join the Informer in wishing for them a happy and prosperous future.

We have a full line of school supplies on hand. Thomas Bros. & Co.

The young people had a nice dance at the court house Monday night.

Our Cigars are always fresh. Thomas Bros. & Co.

While idling the time away in Big Springs last Monday afternoon, we chanced to meet the affable postmaster, Mr. Geo. H. Sparenburg, of the place. He was walking hurriedly down the street and under his arm he was carrying a brand new kyte fitted out with ample twine and knotted tail. He was taking it home to amuse the boys and it brought to our mind these lines written by Senator Bob Taylor. I would rather my purse with money and keep it beautiful gate for ever ajar to my bappy girl while yet they linger under my roof to clutch it with a miser's band until the harpstring of youth is broken and all it music forever fled. I would rather spend my last nickle for a little beg of striped marbles for my bare footed boy than to deny them a beg of gold to quarrel over when I am dead.—Western Reporter, Lees, Texas.

A. F. O'Donnell called on us Tuesday afternoon.

C. I. Kuykendall left Tuesday for Tolin.

J. V. Dyer was a pleasant caller at our office Monday.

E. P. Thomas was in the city trading with our merchants Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Fancher was shopping in the city Monday.

Try our Mexican Commerce Cigars. Thomas Bros. & Co.

Mrs. L. S. Mast visited relatives in Lubbock the latter part of last week.

Arney Harbert of Lubbock, who give a motion picture show here last week, left for home Monday.

We received a card from Dr. M. T. Griffin, of Gomez, telling us to state to the public that their Annual Fair and Old Soldiers Reunion would take place there the 23rd and 24th. Everyone is invited to attend.

Uncle Jack Cross is here in his new Maxwell Model G. 1910. The above is the model that made the ten thousand mile endurance run under the direction of the Automobile Association of New York. Uncle Jack says for endurance and simplicity, his machine can not be downed.

Just received, a nice lot of fresh candies. Thomas Bros. & Co.

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tillable, 150 acres in cultivation, windmills, sheds, corrals, outbuildings. \$13 an acre. can be put in

Division point on Santa Fe. 10 sheds, farm in cultivation, nice class.

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**TEXAS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY**

Notice of Special Stockholders Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of Texas Central Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors of said Company to be held at the general office of the Company, in the City of Waco, Texas on Thursday the 22nd day of September, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the following purposes:

(a) to consent to, approve and authorize the creation and issue of mortgage gold bonds of the Company to be limited to a principal amount, at any one time outstanding, of not exceeding \$20,000,000, such bonds to bear interest from September 1, 1910, at such rate or rates not exceeding 6 per cent, per annum as said Board may, from time to time, determine; to mature at such date, to be issuable for such lawful purposes and in such denominations as said Board may determine, such bonds to be payable, both principal and interest, at the office or agency of said Company in the City of New York in gold coin of the United States of America, of or equal to the present standard of weight and fineness, without deduction for any tax assessment or governmental charge which said Company may be required to pay thereon or to deduct or retain therefrom under any present or future law of the United States or of any state, county, municipality or other taxing authority therein;

(b) to consent to, approve and authorize the execution and delivery, to secure such bonds, of a mortgage and deed of trust on and of the railroads, equipment, franchises and property owned by said Company at the date of the execution and delivery of such mortgage and deed of trust or at any time thereafter used as a basis of issue of any of such bonds or their proceeds;

(c) to approve the form and terms of such mortgage and deed of trust, or to authorize said Board in its discretion, to determine the form and terms thereof;

(d) to ratify and confirm, and to authorize and consent to any action theretofore taken or authorized by said Board and which may be submitted to the meeting, whether for the purposes of or in connection with or in contemplation of any of the matters aforesaid or otherwise; and

(e) to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed for such meeting on Wednesday, the 20th day of July, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, and will be reopened on Friday, the 23rd day of September, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m.  
Dated, Waco, Texas, July 8, 1910  
By order of the Board of Directors.

R. H. Baker, President.  
S. H. McCartney, Secretary.

Myself and little girl had Typhoid fever. We followed Dr. Upton's directions strictly on every point. He broke the fever in two weeks.  
J. Y. Millman.

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