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Tahoka, 4th Sun.

## For District Judge.

In this issue we are authorized to announce Hon. L. S. Kinder of Plainview as a candidate for reelection as District Judge for this the 64th. Judicial District. Judge Kinder did some good work helping to secure the 64th. District, and his many friends were highly gratified at his appointment as Judge. He is renowned as to his knowledge of the law, his impartial charging on the same and his honest endeavor to see justice done under the law. His platform is justice to all with special privileges to none.

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## For Tax Assessor.

We are authorized to announce Mr. Lewis Robinson as a candidate for Tax Assessor for Lynn County. Mr. Robinson is one of our rising young men fully identified with Lynn county having come here four years ago. He graduated in Fort Worth and is in every way qualified to fill the office with satisfaction to all concerned. Mr. Robinson wants to meet every voter in the county and wants their votes he promises that he will fill the office in a way that none will be sorry they voted for him.

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D. M. Devitt of Fort Worth has re-leased the Scurry county school lands, 1700 acres, located in Hockley and Cochran counties for a period of 5 years at 7c per acre. The former lease was 5c per acre.—Coming West.

## Casting Slurs.

Since this is a level country the questionable characters in society do not choose it for their home. The toughs invariably seek the roughs as their abode. They know their place. They keep in it. They scorn the Plains as they would the portals of Heaven.—Floydada Hesperian.

That settles it and of course it's true; however a few plains people evidently failed to sprout wings early enough in life to keep out of the walled in suburbs of Rusk. From the "roughs" of Palestine, Greece, Italy, Switzerland, Scotland, Scandinavia and New England have come the people who have had most to do in making the world's history. The contrast between mountain Japan and the great plains region of the Russian Empire is too well known to be described here. Don't think that because you live on the beautiful, bleak, barren, boundles baldies 30 miles from wood, that the breaks where grows the majestic mesquite are swarming with "toughs" and

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other "questionable characters in society." The plains, although possessing a high class of citizenship, they have no monopoly of virtue, and the claim that the yellow dog and black sheep class of people is altogether lacking there and confined only to the breaks and mountains is wide of the facts and is certainly out of place in a journal like the Hesperian. Floyd county is a fine country but there are other and better ways of letting the world know about it than by casting slurs on neighboring counties.—Borden County Citizen.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1906.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For District Judge, 64th Jud. Dist  
**L. S. KINDER.**

For District Attorney, 64th Jud. Dist.  
**C. S. WILLIAMS.**

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
**C. H. DOAK.**

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### NOTICE.

Having out many small accounts I respectfully urge all those indebted to me, to call around and settle.  
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## Read Notice to Non-Resident Land Owners.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } ss.  
County of Lynn

We the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of said Lynn County, Texas, duly appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, Texas, at its November Term, 1905, to view and establish a First class Road from N. E. Corner of Survey 32, in Blk. 8, E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. and the S. E. Cor. of Sur. 17. Thence East on section lines to the East line of Lynn County and having been duly sworn as the law directs, hereby give notice that we will on the Sixth day of February, 1906, assemble at the point described above and thence proceed to survey, locate view, mark out and establish said road, beginning at the N. E. Cor. of Sur. 32, blk. 8, E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. and the S. E. Cor. of Sur. 17. Thence East on section lines to the East boundary line of Lynn County. Said road will be laid off by or through the following lands:—

Abstract,	Survey.
124	101
205	439
56	437
281	407
166	409
323	435
514	438
33	403

And we do hereby notify the said unknown owners or their agents or attorneys and any and all persons owning lands through which said road may run, that we will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening and establishment of said road, when they may, either in person or by agent or attorney, present to us a written statement of the amount of damages, if any, claimed by them.

Witness our hands this 11th day of January, A. D. 1906.

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### Notice to Wood Haulers

Any one cutting or hauling wood out of the Llano Pasture in Garza County will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

No one has any permission to get wood in this pasture.

J. T. Lofton,  
Manager.

If I was wearing shoes like you are, I would go to Wells & Welcher and get me a new pair. Do it now while their stock is complete. You had better hurry up.

County Court convened Monday and as there was no prosecuting attorney the misdemeanors were all continued until the next regular term.

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### ABOUT THE WICHITA VALLEY. Probable That a Branch Line Will be Built Out of Haskell.

We are informed from reliable sources that Col. Margan Jones, president of the Wichita Valley Railway Co. will be here in a few days with his chief engine for the purpose of prospecting a railroad west from Haskell over which to build a branch of his road into the plains country, after the completion of the extension now in progress to Stanford via this place.

Col. Jones has already prospected a line westward from Munday which we are informed, he unsatisfactory on account of the topographical features of the country after reaching a distance of about twenty miles west of this place.

We are informed that the grading on the Valley is making very good progress, being completed, with the exception of small gaps between diferent contracts, to within about seven mile of Munday, also that much better progres has been made on the Brazos River bridge at Seymour than the contractor expected would be made during winter, and now that he expects to have the brsidge completed long before his time limit. Should this be the case, construction trains can cross the river so much sooner and thus hasten the work of the intire line.—Haskell Free Press.

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The University of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg has lately begun experiments to test foods for cattle. The experiments are directed toward the scientific feeding of cattle to produce the best milk, the best flesh and the best butter.

It is not the plan of the Pennsylvania scientists who are conducting the tests to starve scientifically the cattle, which they are making their experiments nor to try the effects of poison on them. On the contrary, the purpose of the tests is to find out which foods or combination of foods will produce the best results and the best milk.

To make their tests complete they have invented what they call a respiration calorimeter. It is an apparatus which measures with exactness the gases given off by a cow or an ox and the heat generated in the animal's body during the process of respiration. The respiration part of the apparatus affords to the gases and the calorimeter to the temperature. In this machine for months past a series of the most valuable tests has been made and the scientists who have been exercising their brains are enthusiastically over the results that they have secured.

The respiration calorimeter consists of a double-walled chamber, 6x10 feet



"If I were I should not call upon him to supply the deficiency," quickly retorted Francisco, with some spirit, darting an angry look at the individual in question.

"Valdes Hazas is mistaken, senior, if he thought for an instant that I meant to convey the impression that it were possible for you to be embarrassed financially," answered Coras, in a servile manner.

"Oh, it matters not," returned the young Cuban, as he raised his hat and wiped his brow upon a delicately perfumed silk handkerchief. "But who has charge of our watch to-night, Valdes?" he continued, turning to his friend Hazas.

"Senor Guezala, I believe, was to have been in command, but we have just received word that it will be impossible for him to serve, so, as you are next in rank, the duty will probably devolve upon you, unless the powers that be see fit to send an officer from the regulars to show the Cuban citizen police how to perform their compulsory and degrading work." The latter part of this remark was spoken in a low tone, but with considerable bitterness.

"A loyal subject of the crown of Spain should consider no duty that he can perform for the good of the government, as degrading," haughtily exclaimed Felipe Coras, bending a searching look upon his outspoken companion.

"I am glad you are of that opinion, senior, for the task will consequently be less repugnant to you," sarcastically remarked young Ceballos.

"That I have never attempted to shirk my duty is proof sufficient that I am a loyal subject, at least, which is more than can be said of some with whom I have the honor to be associated," angrily retorted Coras, as he turned upon his heel and strode into the guard room.

As the disgruntled officer left the group, those who remained looked at each other inquiringly, and several wondered what was meant by the significant retort.

Ceballos and Hazas paid no attention to the comments of their companions, but rose from the bench on which they had been sitting, and with an

"Adios, seniors, we will return soon," started out into the plaza, and when they were again alone began an earnest conversation, though it was carried on in whispers.

"What is it, Francisco, that is troubling you? Fear not to make a confidant of me."

"Nor do I, for you are my dearest friend, and by the repeated inquiries as to your welfare by my fair sister Isabel I predict that some day Valdes Hazas will bear a closer relationship. But to this business. It is a secret, however, and one that is dearer than life to every true Cuban."

"And I see. Our leaders are prepared to make another move for liberty?"

"Hist! Speak lower," replied Francisco, cautiously. "We are ready to meet and call together the faithful, the loyal and courageous sons of Cuba to lay some plans whereby our liberty may be obtained."

"And where is to be the gathering?" asked the young patriot eagerly. "I have little money to offer, for the rapacious Spaniard has robbed my house of nearly all that it possessed, but I still retain my sword and a strong right arm to wield it. Both are at the service of Cuba whenever she may see fit to claim them."

"I am well assured of that fact, Valdes, else I should never have confided in you. Now, listen. As you remarked to-night, when I first put in an appearance at the calaboose, that it had been some time since I had performed in person the guard duty which is exacted of every citizen and that there must be some reason for my coming this evening, it is very true, and I will make you acquainted with the cause."

"What is it, Francisco? I am all attention."

"Then, to begin, I knew well it was Senor Guezala's night in charge. Now, he is a friend of our party, but not as

ardent a one as we might wish. He is too conservative and over-cautious for these times. He will not openly espouse our cause, neither will he place any obstacle in our way that might otherwise lead to success. We, that is, my father, the don, and two or three others whom you know, have prevailed upon Signor Guezala to absent himself from duty this night, knowing that if he were not present the work of stationing the civil guard would devolve upon me. Now, I think I can select those of our number who may be trusted, and they shall be assigned for service in that portion of the city where our leaders propose to meet."

"That is good, that is good," replied Hazas, rubbing his hands joyfully. "Who are they? Whom can we trust? Surely Coras is not of the number."

"No, indeed! That man is more to be dreaded than the governor general himself. Here is a list. Take it, you are acquainted with every name which it bears. Read it through, and then destroy the paper, that it may not be found to criminate anyone in case we are detected. I want you, Valdes, to gather these men together and tell them just what I have told you. The meeting is to be at my father's house. Midnight is the hour set for assembly and the watchword is 'Cuba, or Death.' Now, my friend, be discreet, and, above all things, cautious. Place your guard about the establishment, but in such a manner as not to excite suspicion. Instruct the force to occupy



"WHAT IS IT, FRANCISCO, THAT IS TROUBLING YOU?"

the attention of army officers on soldiers, if such should happen to be about, and not to allow any of the populace to gather upon the street corners, but to keep them moving. Do you understand?"

"Truly, I do, Francisco. But may not we, who are true patriots, be admitted to the conference?"

"Nay, nay, Valdes. Our duty lies upon the outside, while sager heads than ours discuss some means whereby the tyrants may be overthrown. Now, we will return to the guardhouse and to duty."

CHAPTER II  
WHOM WILL HE SERVE?

When the bells in the old cathedral, beneath which reposed the bones of Columbus, rang forth the hour of midnight, their somewhat discordant notes fell upon the ear of Felipe Coras, as he was seated in a brilliantly lighted parlour, leisurely sipping a glass of wine while he looked out upon the court to solve some obscure problem.

"I want give a thousand prayers to know what is in foot of danger," he muttered to himself. "That something is in the air, I am positive, but I cannot tell what it is, nor have I any idea but have sent a messenger to the place where usual names surround him. I have the man? What if he were connected with some political intrigue. But what if he were, it would be for Cuba, and I am a Cuban. Panaw! what if that? If I could detect him in a plot against the government, Spanish bullets would have some work to do in his case at least."

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, } ss.  
County of Lynn

We the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of said Lynn County, Texas, duly appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, Texas, at its November Term, 1905, to view and establish a Second class Road from Tahoka to the South line of Lynn County and having been duly sworn as the law directs, hereby give notice that we will on the 5th day of February 1906 assemble at Tahoka and thence proceed to survey, locate view, mark out and establish said road, beginning at the S. E. Cor. of Sur. 487, Blk. 1, E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Thence East 2 mile the N. E. Cor. of Sur. 476. Thence South one mile the S. E. Cor. of Sur. 476. Thence East one mile the N. E. Cor. of Sur. 468. Thence South, on section lines, to the South boundary line of Lynn County. Said road will be laid off by or through the following lands owned by Non-Residents:—

Abstract.	Survey.
22	473
102	203
146	17
166	409
238	415
241	417
209	43

And we do hereby notify the said unknown owners or their agents or attorneys and any and all persons owning lands through which said road may run, that we will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening and establishment of said road, when they may, either in person or by agent or attorney, present to us a written statement of the amount of damages, if any, claimed by them.

Witness our hands this 11th day of January, A. D. 1906.

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