

# The Lynn County News

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## County Meet To Be Finished Saturday

### MANY WINNERS ARE SELECTED

Blizzard Last Friday Causes Only Half Of School Contests To Be Completed

Due to the extremely bad weather of last Friday, the County Interscholastic League Meet, scheduled to be held at O'Donnell, did not get under way until Saturday morning. As a result, not all of the contests were completed and none of the track and field contests held. The meet will be completed at O'Donnell this Saturday beginning at 9 a. m., according to A. L. Faubion, Wilson, director general.

The contests to be held Saturday include all junior, senior, class A and class B track and field events; girls' play ground ball and volley ball; girls' tennis, singles and doubles; finals in boys' tennis singles, in which J. D. Donaldson, Tahoka, goes into the finals; and several finals in literary contests.

The following are the results of the athletic contests completed last week, according to Taylor White, county director of athletics:

#### Tennis

Boys' Doubles: 1, J. D. Donaldson and Claude Nowlin, Tahoka; 2, Wilson.

#### Play Ground Ball

Rural Boys' (final): 1, Joe Stokes; 2, T-Bar; 3, Midway.

Ward School Boys (final): 1, O'Donnell; 2, Tahoka; 3, New Home.

Class B Boys: 1, Wilson by default.

Class A Boys: 1, Tahoka by default.

The following are the results of the various literary events so far as furnished us by Mr. Faubion:

Tiny Tot Story (finals): 1, Oscar Heinrich, Wilson; 2, Greta J. Applewhite, Tahoka; 3, Geneva Smith, Redwine; 4, Elsie B. Eter, Wells.

#### Debate

Boys Debate: 1, Wilson, Caloway Huffaker and Herbert Watson; 2, Draw, Richard Childs and Barcas Porterfield; 3, Tahoka, Norville Redwine and Harlan Dean.

Girls' Debate: 1, Tahoka, Lorene Childers and Mary Fenton; 2, Wilson, Alfreda Schaffner and Thyra Painter; 3, Lakeview, Madge Harmonson and Zelta Harmonson.

The following are the finals in debate, these contests having been determined through a "round-robin" tournament which has been in progress for several weeks.

#### Declamation

There were less than eight contestants in Junior Boys Rural, Senior Boys and Senior Girls Rural and Senior Boys High School, therefore they are finals. The finals for the others will be held Saturday night, April 4.

Junior Boys Rural (final): 1, Lloyd Mears, Joe Stokes; 2, Loy Lawson, Grassland; 3, Arden Sanders, Edith.

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## Applewhite Boy's Leg Badly Broken

James Applewhite, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Applewhite, was the victim of an accident late Tuesday afternoon which resulted in the fracture of both bones of the left leg between the knee and the ankle.

James, in company with other boys, had been assisting Bob Cavens load some cold cotton seed hulls into a Ford car near the gin district, to be used as fertilizer. The car had almost stalled in a bed of hulls and the boys were helping to extricate it. When it backed up it ran over James, one of the wheels passing over his leg.

After receiving first aid treatment here, he was taken to the West Texas Hospital, where an x-ray examination was made and the broken bones set. He was able to be brought back to his home Wednesday and seems to be resting well. It is hoped that the fracture, which was a bad one, will speedily heal.

## Leedy Has Twin Kids At His Place

Jake Leedy was breaking the news gently to numerous friends Saturday that he had twin kids at his house. The mother is a valuable member of the goat family. Jake got somebody's goat sometime ago, we don't know whose, and she generously presented him with two baby goats one night last week. One is of the feminine gender while the other is quite masculine. The female bears the name of Toge while Jake has named the other one Dave, in honor of one of Tahoka's prominent citizens. And Jake says that if any one undertakes to get his goat—any one of them—he will prosecute the offender for felony theft.

## JAIL ESCAPE IS ATTEMPTED

Colored Man Almost Successful In Pounding A Hole Through Brick Cell Wall

Tenolia Young, colored, made a desperate effort last Thursday night to change boarding places, and almost succeeded. He boards in Hotel de Parker, which is situated on the fourth floor of the court house. Tenolia doesn't like his quarters. He is in for appropriating to his own use and benefit a car belonging to the Snowden Chevrolet Company, as recited in these columns last week.

Thursday night, while honest men slept, Tenolia succeeded in tearing off a window casing and possessing himself of a heavy window weight. With this he began to hammer away at the brick wall in which the iron bars over a window are imbedded and had succeeded in pummeling out quite a hole in the wall when the keen ear of Tom Higgins, the janitor, who was sleeping in the court house, detected the peculiar noise. He gave the alarm to night watchman W. M. Lee, who in turn reported to sheriff B. L. Parker. When Lee and Parker went up to investigate, Tenolia suddenly became very penitent. Stretched out across his bunk he began to beg for mercy. He even pleaded for the "law" to send him right on to the pen the next day, as he seemed to think that he had committed a capital offense in trying to escape and was liable to be shot at sunrise.

But he is still getting his meals regularly twice a day and has a warm bed in which to bunk these cold nights. He will probably not be sent to Huntsville until next fall, and may not go then, for he can plead guilty and ask for a suspended sentence.

## Boy Scouts Give Kiwanis Program

Eight or ten members of the two Boy Scout troops were guests of the Kiwanis Club Wednesday and gave some interesting demonstrations. Pete Curry and Elwayne Nevils showed how to rescue a person from contact with a live wire. J. D. Donaldson and Jack Speight showed how to administer first aid to a wounded person so as to stop the flow of blood from wounds inflicted on various portions of the anatomy. A number of the boys engaged in a fire building contest, fire being started by the use of flint and steel.

Jack Childers gave a report of his work in growing and fattening the baby beef which he entered in the Fat Calf and Pig Show held in Lubbock last Friday, and Guy Bulman told about the raising of the pig which he entered.

Miss Valerie Wells gave a reading, which brought much applause.

The program for the day was in charge of M. O. Bridges.

## MIDWAY 4-H CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. LITTLEPAGE

The Midway 4-H Club met Monday, March 30, with our sponsor, Mrs. Littlepage. We were all delighted to meet our new agent, Miss Harrison. Miss Greenwade was also present. Miss Greenwade gave demonstrations on button holes. There were thirteen club members present.

—Reporter.

## KING IS AGAIN JAILED—THEFT

Man Who Drew Suspended Sentence On Third Trial In Week Signs Confession

J. G. King, who was tried three times in the district court at its last session here on a charge of stealing a lot of bedding from a widow residing in the T-Bar community and who was given a suspended sentence on the third trial, is again in the Lynn county jail on a charge of theft.

Not only is King charged with the theft but he has signed a written statement confessing the crime and involving three other men with himself. The theft was committed almost a year ago, when a lot of belting, drill bits, and other well drilling material, valued at several hundred dollars, was taken from the Hart well five miles west of Tahoka. In fact the rig was completely stripped, King stated in his confession. He got \$65.00 for his part of the loot. He and three other men came from Ranger to Tahoka with four trucks and hauled the stuff away in the night time. They took it to Breckenridge, four truck loads of it, where they disposed of it. King says the occupation of one of the men who came with him was that of a thief, another was a "thug" while the third was an ordinary well driller.

King was located at Vernon and Sheriff B. L. Parker went over to that city Friday afternoon and brought the prisoner to Tahoka Saturday.

## Proper Lubrication Shown By Connolly

R. S. Beattie of Los Angeles, Calif., representing the Hyvia Oil Company, gave a free talkie-movie in the show rooms of the Connolly Motor Company here Tuesday night to an audience that filled the room to its capacity.

The object of the show was to teach the importance of properly caring for the car, especially the importance of using good oil and of draining the crank case at proper intervals. His lecture and pictures were very informing and some of the car performances staged were not only interesting but really amusing. Everyone said it was a good show.

## Trustee Election Will Be Saturday

School trustees are to be elected in every school district in the county Saturday and two county school trustees are to be elected.

One county trustee is to be elected by the voters of the county at large. This place is now held by H. M. Larkin. His name and also the names of John N. Thomas and R. E. Key will appear on the ballot Saturday as candidates for this place, all the names have been filed by friends.

One member of the county school board is to be elected from the Wilson commissioners' precinct. This place is now held by Clyde Shaw of Wilson. His name will appear on the ballot as will the name of W. M. (Bill) Thompson, who resides six miles east of Tahoka, for this place.

In Tahoka, four members of the board are to be elected. The terms of R. C. Wood, Claude Wells, D. W. Gaignat, and W. T. Clinton expire. The names of Messrs. Wood, Wells, and Gaignat will appear on the ballot to succeed themselves. The name of Sam Reid, Henry Maassen, Chester Connolly, G. A. Brasfield and W. P. Inman have also been filed. Mr. Inman lives in the South Ward community.

## Crouch Loses Sheep From Bitter Weed

Herman Crouch lost a total of twenty-eight sheep last week as a result of their eating some kind of a poisoning weed. Mr. Crouch at first thought the sheep were dying of pneumonia but was told by an experienced sheep man that happened to be here that they were dying from eating a certain weed. It may be seen growing at many places in ditches and other places. Mr. Crouch immediately penned his sheep and has lost no more of his flock.

## Dr. C. E. Collins, O'Donnell, Shot To Death, Youth Held

### NEW H-D AGENT BEGINS WORK

Miss El Fleeda Harrison Succeeds Miss Greenwade As Leader Of Women's Clubs

Miss El Fleeda Harrison assumed her duties Wednesday morning as home demonstration agent of Lynn county, having arrived in the city last Friday. Miss Harrison comes from Quitman, Wood county. She has been teaching in the public schools the past three or four years but became much interested in home demonstration work and decided to enter this field of activity. Miss Greenwade is assisting her for a few days until she can familiarize herself with the work here.

Miss Greenwade has been serving in this position for two and a half years. She has performed her duties in a most efficient and satisfactory manner and has many warm friends throughout the county who regret that she is leaving the work. Her successor, however, is making a good impression and will doubtless prove to be a most excellent agent.

It is no secret that Miss Greenwade is planning to become a bride within the next few weeks, and the groom being a popular young man of this city.

### Nazarene Revival Now In Progress

Come! Come! Come!—To the Nazarene revival at the Nazarene Church, the friendly church where everybody is welcome.

Rev. H. B. White of Abilene is doing the preaching. You will miss a blessing if you don't come. We desire the cooperation of every Christian.

### Newspaper Publisher Buried

LAMESA, March 30—Funeral service was held here Sunday afternoon for Charles Houser, 70, widely known newspaper man. Until a short time before his death he was publisher of the Dawson County Journal published here.

### Baby Beef, Pig Bring High Prices

Jack Childers of the Tahoka Vocational Agriculture class did not win a prize with the Baby Beef which he entered in the Fat Calf and Pig Show in Lubbock last Friday but he sold the animal at 11 1/2 cents per pound and it brought him the neat sum of \$105.75. Of this amount \$60.00 was clear profit.

Guy Bulman, who entered a pig, sold his animal for \$36.00, or 9 1/2 cents per pound, and his profit was \$20.00.

More than 100 baby beeves and more than 100 pigs were sold, according to Taylor White, and the average price of these animals was 2 to 3 cents per pound above the Fort Worth market, showing that it pays to raise high quality animals. A calf from Tulla won the grand championship and it sold for 50 cents per pound, bringing \$450.00.

W. H. May of this county bought a fine Hereford bull, paying \$400.00 for the animal. About sixty bulls were sold during the afternoon.

At night a Quality Meat banquet was served at the Hilton Hotel. Tahoka people attending included Prof. and Mrs. Taylor White, R. E. Key, and Miss El Fleeda Harrison, the new county home demonstration agent.

### EASTERN STAR

There will be a meeting of the Eastern Star at 7:30 Friday night. All members are urged to be present. Mrs. Bonna Stokes, W. M.

W. C. Wells brought in a copy of the Lynn County News of February 7, 1919, Tuesday which his wife found in the bottom of a trunk. This was just after the World War, and contained much news and letters from Lynn county boys in France. The first soldier, Caulie Milliken, had just returned from France.

## Dickson Sells Shop To Man From West

C. L. Dickson closed a deal Tuesday selling his barber shop on the west side of the square to C. E. Woodworth of West, McLennan county. It was a cash transaction and Mr. Woodworth took charge Wednesday morning. He left almost immediately for West preparatory to moving out and his wife will come a little later.

Mr. Woodworth is a barber of many years experience. He is related by marriage to Coleman Wells of the Security State Bank.

Mr. Dickson has not announced his plans for the future but we understand that he is to remain in Tahoka.

## LEGION POST'S CONTEST ENDS

Banquet Given Winning Side Last Thursday Night; Another Contest Is On

On account of the "blizzard" that struck Tahoka late Thursday afternoon, only a small crowd attended the American Legion meet held at the Legion Home here last Thursday night as the culmination of a membership drive that brought in 54 new members and raised the total to 131.

The Post had been divided into two camps, each striving to procure the largest number of new members, the losing side to furnish the "feed".

One camp was headed by K. C. Holmes and the other by Aubra M. Cade. The Holmes faction won in a walk and so the whole bunch ate at the expense of the genial tax collector and his cohorts. A rifle was also to be given to the individual bringing in the largest number of new members, and when noses were counted it was found that Jo. B. Oliver and Sam Holland had tied. As a matter of compromise, each gets a rifle. Each is likewise made captain of a new team, the two teams to continue the membership drive until Thursday night, April 9, when another feast will be served at the expense of the losers. This second drive and feast were decided upon because of the fact that many were kept at home by the blizzard last Thursday night.

There was a brief speaking program at the banquet Thursday night. Happy Smith, K. C. Holmes, and A. M. Cade being the orators of the occasion.

## Church Of Christ Meeting In July

Rev. J. T. Strickland, pastor at Lamesa, has been secured to conduct the summer revival at the local Church of Christ, according to Henry Maassen, member of the church.

The meeting will start on July 17 and continue for ten days, he says.

## R. W. HIGGINBOTHAM DIES AT DALLAS, KNOWN HERE

R. W. Higginbotham, Dallas, President of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Company, that operates a lumber yard at Tahoka and others at many other towns throughout West Texas, died at his home in Dallas last Friday. He was a successful business man and highly respected citizen and has had his full share in the building of West Texas. He was also the head of other successful corporations which he organized and operated in this state. "Uncle Rufe" was beloved by many friends, and there are "old-timers" scattered throughout this entire section of the state who feel genuine regret at his passing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Humphries removed from Tahoka to Albuquerque, N. M., Wednesday, where Mr. Humphries will operate an irrigated truck farm.

Jack Applewhite and Borden Davy were business visitors to Levelland Saturday.

T. J. Brock of Lubbock, general manager of the Jones Dry Goods Stores, was here Wednesday.

## HEARING SET FOR FRIDAY

Quannah "Jack" Mitchell Said To Have Shot Collins As Result Of Family Trouble

Quannah (Jack) Mitchell, 20, a young farmer residing near O'Donnell, is in the county jail charged with the killing of Dr. C. E. Collins, about 50, a prominent O'Donnell physician, the tragedy occurring at 8:30 o'clock Monday night in front of an O'Donnell hotel. One shot was fired by Mitchell from a .38 calibre pistol, the ball piercing the heart of Dr. Collins and producing instant death.

Dr. Collins was himself armed with an automatic shotgun and Sheriff B. L. Parker was attempting to take it from him when the fatal shot was fired by Mitchell. Collins swooned and fell into Parker's arms, his gun being discharged into the air as he fell. Mitchell immediately surrendered to the sheriff and was brought to Tahoka and placed in jail. It was first announced that an examining trial would be held here Tuesday afternoon and scores of O'Donnell people were here to witness the proceedings, but after conferring with witnesses and with the defendant District Attorney T. L. Price agreed to reset the examining trial for 9:00 o'clock Friday morning.

The homicide was the culmination of a quarrel that arose between young Mitchell and Dr. Collins with respect to Mitchell's wife and sister-in-law. Trouble had been brewing for an hour or more, when some one telephoned Sheriff Parker advising him to come down. Mr. Parker went down immediately and upon arrival in O'Donnell sought to avert trouble between the parties. He searched Mitchell and Dr. Collins as well as some others but found no weapons on any of them. He then insisted upon Dr. Collins' going into the hotel and going to bed. The Doctor went into the hotel and it was presumed that he intended to comply with the sheriff's request. Mitchell then started into the hotel to get his wife and sister-in-law. It is said, but was obtained by Parker, and while he and Parker were engaged in conversation, Doctor Collins was seen approaching with a shot gun in his hands. Mitchell is said to have then gone to his car and procured a pistol from it. It was discovered later that there was also a shot gun and a rifle in Mitchell's car, it is said. Not knowing that Mitchell was armed

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## Blizzard Damage Here Is Great

The severest March blizzard within the memory of the oldest inhabitants of this country swept down from the north last Thursday afternoon and sent the thermometer tumbling down to 13 degrees above zero during the night. Before ten o'clock, as the wild winds raged and howled, a mixture of sleet and rain began falling, the rain freezing as it fell, and the face of the earth was covered with a coat of sleet and ice Friday morning. The storm spent its force by nightfall and the clouds cleared away but the thermometer went a bit below 14 again Friday night. The weather returned to a condition of "normalcy" Sunday but a fresh norther early Monday morning again sent the mercury scurrying downward, falling to 22 degrees that night. The low degree of 13 reached Thursday night was six degrees lower than the temperature had reached at any time previous during the winter just closing.

This blizzard left a trail of destruction in its wake. Practically all of the fruit is believed to have been destroyed. All spring garden truck that had made its appearance was wiped out of existence. The young foliage on most of the shrubbery was killed. Many rose bushes and other shrubs suffered severely. Very little damage was done to wheat and oats, however.



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"Home". There is no sweeter word in the English language. How soothing! How sacred! How it awakens tender memories! How it inspires new hope! The home is the bedrock of civilization. There is no other institution on earth that can compare with it.

The pastor of the Methodist Church preached Sunday night on the importance of guarding the home against those evil influences that would destroy or mar it. The Baptist pastor has often stressed the influence of the home life and the home influence. Just last week Judge Maddox declared in an address made to the Kiwanis Club that a personal investigation recently made by him had revealed the fact that three-fourths of all the boys in the State Training School at Gatesville, popularly known as the "Reformatory", had come from broken homes. Most of our crime is traceable possibly to lack of proper home training. The advent of the automo-

bile and the picture show have brought about a radical transformation in the home life of our country. The family do not spend the leisure time in the home now as they did until the advent of these two epoch-making inventions. The home ties have accordingly lost much of their sacred and binding power, and the home influence doesn't have the same chance to assert itself that it formerly did. And when, in addition to all this, conjugal love dies and the home is broken up, the result is really tragic.

Possibly most "broken homes" are the result of indiscreet marriages. No place of love reigns supreme. It is this fact which makes the so-called "gin-marriages" so reprehensible. They nearly always end in failure, oftentimes in tragedy. We do not need to combat the so-called "divorce evil" so much as we need to guard the entry into the marriage relationship. Our young people should be constantly taught that this is the most vital and the most sacred relationship that they can form and that the very greatest precaution should be taken by them before entering into it. Once entered, its sanctity should be scrupulously observed and respected.

To start with, every young married couple should be well matched. If the young man is sober-minded, thoughtful, earnest, domestic in his temperament, and the wife is a giddy, frivolous seeker after pleasure, a spend-thrift ambitious for social conquests, that marriage is likely to come to a sad end.

Furthermore if the young woman is a cultured and refined lady, educated and talented, and the husband, though honest and industrious, has little education and only ordinary mental talents, the conjugal love in that home is likely to burn low and finally die, and the end be most un-

happy. The cure for the divorce evil, for the crime evil, for the social evil, lies largely in the return to the old-time standards and the old-time ideals with respect to marriage and the home. And our young women must ever hold in mind that modesty is the badge of virtue and that virtue is the crown jewel of a woman's character.

**THE WAR ON CRIME**

Prosecuting attorneys from many parts of the country met in Chicago the other day and formed an organization to combat crime on a national scale. In so doing they went at the matter from the correct viewpoint. Whether these gentlemen in their particular organization will be able to accomplish anything is beside the point. The real issue is that there is no localized crime; the extent of the crime is Nation-wide.

Said Edward Goff, County Attorney of Minneapolis: "In one year, 9,000 men, women and children were murdered in this country. From this holocaust of lawlessness, there resulted 4,500 arrests and 750 convictions." In 8,250 unavenged homicides it can hardly be assumed that there was just reason to kill off the victims. But no one was brought to book for their wasted lives.

Murder is only a small item in the huge annual bill of crime. Fraud and robbery imperil business and the pursuit of individual happiness. No city can sneer at another. What is true of Chicago is true of Dallas and of smaller towns. There is too much unpunished crime. Highway robbery, burglary, hold-ups, are so common as to lose news value except in the appalling aggregate.

The problem must be viewed from every angle, local, State, and national. What is needed is a cure, even if to obtain it the sacrificing of another of the "vanishing rights of the States" should prove necessary. —Dallas News.

The doctrine of "States Rights" doesn't have the appeal that it had a half century ago or even a quarter century ago for the reason that modern means of transportation and communication have made of our confederate states one vast community. Modern industry and commerce have all but abolished state lines in so far as they are concerned. The automobile, the airplane, the railroads, the telephone, the telegraph, and the radio have turned the trick. Where there was one tourist a quarter of a century ago there are probably a hundred tourists today. A criminal can commit a crime today and be in a distant state tomorrow, whereas this was impossible a few years ago. The people of New York, Illinois, California, Texas, and Florida live closer together today, to all intents and purposes, than the people of Dallas, Galveston, San Antonio, and El Paso lived thirty or forty years ago. The doctrine of "states rights" was good enough in the early history of this country and is good yet as respects much legislation, but it should not be used as an impediment to progress or as a detriment to good government.

In deploring the great volume of unpunished crime in this country, the deplorers are in the habit of classifying all homicide as murder. As a matter of fact, this is far from

the truth. Many homicides are committed in which the killer acts strictly in self defense and should not be indicted. Yet all these are denominated as "murders" by the calamity howlers who compile the statistics. Many other homicides are committed as the result of great provocation, such as insult or injury to some female relative or previous assault upon the person committing the homicide. These of course do not justify the crime but in many instances they greatly reduce the enormity of it, yet all such homicides are listed by the professional deplorers in the same category as the most atrocious murders and no distinctions drawn. Those who are constantly decrying the inefficiency and failure of our courts would make out a fairer and more convincing case if they would state the true facts or would make their figures speak the real truth.

**CITY ELECTION NOTICE**

By authority of law vested in me, as Mayor of the City of Tahoka, Texas, I hereby order and proclaim that an election shall be held for the City of Tahoka, Texas, in the County Court room of the Court House in Tahoka, Texas, on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1931, within the hours prescribed by law, for the purpose of electing a Mayor, three Aldermen and a City Marshal for said city.

The Aldermen whose terms of office expire at this time are J. S. Wells, L. C. Haney and S. D. Sanders.

All persons who are otherwise legally qualified to vote at a General Election in Lynn County, Texas, and who have resided within the corporate limits of the city of Tahoka for six months next preceding said election are entitled to vote in said election.

W. S. Swan is hereby appointed presiding judge of said election, and J. Anson Coughran and H. C. Story are hereby appointed associate judges of said election, and said three judges of election are hereby authorized to appoint two clerks of election to assist in holding said election, and the polls for said election shall remain open during the hours prescribed by law.

Notice of said election in accordance with the foregoing order is hereby given.

C. H. CAIN, Mayor of the City of Tahoka, Texas. 30-3te.

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**RESOURCES**

1. Loans and discounts	\$338,194.04
2. Overdrafts	2,317.24
3. United States Government securities owned	12,500.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	13,340.07
5. Banking house, \$21,000; Furniture and fixtures, \$4,000	25,000.00
6. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	32,225.64
7. Cash and due from banks	168,189.43
8. Outside checks and other cash items	249.39
9. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	625.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$592,640.81</b>

**LIABILITIES**

15. Capital stock paid in	50,000.00
16. Surplus	50,000.00
17. Undivided profits—net	31,856.62
18. Circulating notes outstanding	12,500.00
19. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	7,664.31
20. Demand deposits	381,819.19
21. Time deposits	58,800.69
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$592,640.81</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Lynn, ss: I, W. B. Slaton, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. SLATON, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of March, 1931 (SEAL) FRED BARKER, Notary Public

Correct—Attest: A. L. Lockwood, W. D. Nevals, R. P. Weathers, Directors

Texas produced in 1930 one-fourth of the American pecan crop. In 1929 it produced almost one-half the total American crop—17,496,000 out of 38,005,000 pounds.

Texas in 1930, despite curtailed production and reduced prices of its principal products, led the Union in value of agricultural products. California was second, Iowa third.

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**LEAGUE MEET WILL BE COMPLETED SATURDAY**

(Continued from first page)

Senior Boys, Rural (finals): 1, Tom Draper, Midway; 2, D. Peters; T-Bar; 3, Vernon Pharr, Edith.  
 Senior Girls Rural (finals): 1, Charline Evans, Edith; 2, Claudia Draper, Midway; 3, Maurine Medlin, Joe Stokes.  
 Junior Girls, Rural (preliminaries): Nona Pevehouse, Joe Stokes; Marie Draper, Midway; Inez Inklebarger, Grassland; Marie Sanders, Edith; Ruby Gray, Magnolia.  
 Senior Boys, City (finals): 1, Jyles Shaw, Wilson; 2, Clayton Edwards, O'Donnell; 3, Horace Krebbs, New Lynn.  
 Senior Girls, H. S. and Ward (preliminaries): Katherine Veasey, O'Donnell; Snookie Maddox, Tahoka; Evelyn Campbell, Wilson; Alice Fre-

rich, New Lynn; Estelle Shelton, Dixie.  
 Junior Girls, H. S. and Ward (preliminaries): Zhel Fritz, O'Donnell; Valerie Wells, Tahoka; Loree Barnes Wells; Nomah Pendleton, Wilson; A. L. Greer, Lakeview.  
 Junior Boys, H. S. and Ward (preliminaries): Vernon Cline, Wilson; Preston Townsley, Lakeview; Delton Pemberton, O'Donnell; Morrow Luttrell, Draw; Lemton Ogle, New Home.  
**Spelling**  
 Sub-Junior, Rural: 1, Travis Martin and Oneta Fay Ballew, Joe Stokes; 2, Martha Fae Thomas and Willis Edwards, Grassland; 3, Evelyn Brieger and Louise Davidson, Morgan.  
 Junior, Rural: 1, Fay Estes and Nona Pevehouse, Joe Stokes; 2, Edna Walters, Genee Bland, Redwine; 3, Tie between Ruth Ward and Doris Cranfill of Morgan and Lottie Stephens and Maurine Draper of

Midway.  
 Senior, Rural: 1, Maurine Medlin and Vera Eason, Joe Stokes; 2, Juanita Cranfill and Ermyne Blevins, Morgan; 3, Zelma Dorman and Claudia Draper, Midway.  
 Sub-Junior, H. S. Ward: Lorene Sanders and Peggy Williamson, Wilson Grammar; 2, Ruth Vermillion and Aline Gates, O'Donnell; 3, Eloise Nettles and Alvin Sadler, Lakeview.  
 Juniors, H. S. and Ward: 1, Luda Strasser, Myrtle Standefer, Tahoka; 2, Marie Barton and Sheril Caveness, New Lynn; 3, Louetta Kahlich and Laurine Schaffner, Wilson.  
 Senior, H. S. and Ward: 1, Alfreda Schaffner and Sidonia Mueller, Wilson High; 2, Tie between Marydell Vaughn and Verda Ballew of O'Donnell and Hattie Smith and Hazel Anglin of Tahoka.  
**Music Memory**  
 Rural Schools: Nona Pevehouse and Eva Eason, Joe Stokes.  
 Grammar and Ward Schools: 1, Norma Eubanks, Veleria Wells and Betty Suddarth, Tahoka; 2, Dessie Mae Brewer and Ralph Kalich, Wilson.

**TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY**

I have not seen all the voters of the city yet, but it is my desire and intentions to see each and every one before the election next Tuesday. If I should fail to see you in person, I will appreciate it if you will consider that it was not my intentions to miss you. The office of City Marshal is not as large as some other offices, but if I am elected, I will consider it my business to strictly attend to the City's business in that capacity. If you will vote for me next Tuesday, I will do my very best to show you that it is appreciated and I will try to make you the best City Marshal you have ever had. I thank all those who have encouraged me and assure you it will be my aim to always have your confidence.  
 Respectfully, HARLEY WELLS.

lan Cook and low score by Mrs. Clyne Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Stephen left Monday morning to reside temporarily in Oklahoma City. Mr. Stephen is selling stock in the Ford Motor Company of Germany. Anson Coughran is representing the same Company here.

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 1, Weldon Richardson Lois Montgomery, Ola L. Stephens, Wilson Dickson, Janice Sanders, and Norma L. Eubanks, Tahoka; 2, Harlan Medlin, Joe Stokes; 3, Reuben Sanders, and Wilfred Schaffner, Wilson.  
**Arithmetic**  
 1, Viola Brewer and Joe Kolodziejczyk, Wilson; 2, Lottie Stephens and Walthal Littlepage, Midway; 3, Tie between Barney Beauchamp and Nona Pevehouse of Joe Stokes and J. B. Cearly and Burrell Terry of New Lynn.  
**Extemporaneous Speech**  
 Boys: 1, Homer Newman, Lakeview; 2, Medford Moore, New Home; 3, Odie Spears, New Lynn.  
 Girls: 1, Velma McManus, Lakeview; 2, Doris Lynn Hull, Tahoka High; 3, Margie Higginbotham, New Lynn.

**EASTER MUSICAL PROGRAM BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY**

The choir of the First Baptist Church has been rehearsing a special Easter Musical Program for some two or three weeks. It is their purpose to present one of the best programs ever rendered by this choir.

There will be no sermon, the entire hour being given to the choir, which will render a number of Easter anthems and choruses. There will be, also, duets, quartets, solos, and two-part songs by the best voices.

At the beginning of the spring season everything with life seems to be overflowing with music. The birds seem to forget their troubles, if they have any, and are almost splitting their throats with their songs of praise. Why not human beings forget, for a little while at least, those things that take the joy out of life, and let their souls be filled with the most exhilarating of all tonics—worshipful music.

It's true that on former occasions when this choir has rendered programs the auditorium of the church has been filled to overflowing, but the ushers are going to do their best to find a place for all who come. Extra chairs and auditorium space are to be provided.

Our friends from adjoining communities are invited to be present and enjoy the program. We trust they will be on time, 7:45 P. M., so as to be sure and get a place.

Place: Auditorium of First Baptist Church. Occasion: A program of worshipful music by the choir of this church. Bring your friends.—The Pastor.

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- 1 gal. High Grade Syrup 55c
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- K. C. Baking Powder 19c

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**KARD KLUB ENTERTAINED**

Miss Loyce Shaffer and Mrs. Clyne Thomas were the charming hostesses to the F. K. Kard Klub at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Connolly on Tuesday evening.

A lovely salad course was served to Miss Virginia Sanford, guest and the following members: Misses Charlotte Barnette, Gertrude Bishop, Allene Taylor, Frankie Wells, Lucille McCord, Lillamae Reid, Mesdames Ray Shaver, Roy Taylor, Harlan Cook, and the hostess.

High score was won by Mrs. Har-

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Peaches No. 10 can 49c	Cherries Red Pitted No. 10 can 95c	Tomatoes No. 2 can Each Portales Doz. 8c 89c	Kraut Van Camps 3 cans 25c	Spinach Libby's No. 2 can, 2 for 25c

**Coffee** Schillings Pound Can **35c**

Olives Stuffed or green pint 39c	Candy All 5c Bars 3 for 10c	Crackers Brown's Sho Flake 2 lb pkg. 23c	Peanut Butter Quart Jar 33c	SWEET Relish Libby, 6 oz. 16c
Syrup Farmer Boy No. 10 can 63c	Soup Van Camps 3 cans 29c	Green BEANS Each No 2 can Doz 10c \$1.17	Jello 3 for 25c	Coffee Early Morn Pound 3 lbs. 17c 49c

**Soap** P. & G. 10 Bars **33c**

The Best Grade Salt Pork 17c	Seasoned Veal Loaf 12c	Nice Juicy Pig Liver 14c
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### Wilson

We are all thankful that we are still living after such a severe cold spell. Lots of young garden stuff and most if not all the fruit got killed.

We have had quite a bit of sickness the past few days among which was R. E. Finley, our commissioner, who suffered a round of the "flu". The little McCormick boy is reported to have scarlet fever. Mrs. Ed. Sanders was quite sick a part of

last week. O'Ber's Forrester has also been quite ill and is still so.

Quite a number of our patrons attended the meet at O'Donnell last week end and report a fine visit. A report of the meet appears elsewhere in this paper Wilson won her share of the honors.

**At The Methodist Church**  
As announced in last week's issue we had a special service at our church and a splendid crowd was present. Sunday school and preaching at the regular hours with special music in the way of an Easter song by Misses Zelta and Evelyn Campbell which was very fine. At the close of the morning service, the Lord's Supper was observed. In the evening service we had a wonderful sermon after which there were six conversions four of which united with the church.

**At The Baptist Church**  
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Vanilla, 15c Size 3 for 25c  
**Wafers** 25c  
10 lb. Bag

Primrose No. 2 Can 14c  
**Corn** 14c  
6 Cans For 21c  
**Potted Meat** 21c

**FOLGER'S COFFEE, 1 lb. can** 39c

Mixed, Bulk, Pound 10c  
**Candy** 10c  
Crushed or Sliced No. 1 can 12c  
**Pineapple** 12c

White Swan 2 for 33c  
**Mayonnaise** 33c  
5 Pounds 25c  
**Bulk Rice** 25c

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Fancy Winesap Dozen 24c  
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VIENNA Can 8c  
**Sausage** 8c  
Naptha Laundry 10 Bars 25c  
**Soap,** 25c

all of our services on last Sunday and interest seems to be growing all the time; a nice crowd at mid-week service last Wednesday evening. The W. M. S. ladies have just completed a study of the book of Acts which was taught by the Pastor and ten of the number took examinations last Monday. At the close of the service Sunday evening there were three conversions all of which united with the church.

Mrs. H. A. Marcy and son, H. A., of Ropesville spent Sunday in the home of her brother, R. C. Forrester. R. B. McAllister of Brownwood spent the week end with his sister, Miss Bertha McAllister.

Billie Key, who is a student in the Tech, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Greer of Grassland spent several days of last week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Faubion.

John Bullman, our first deputy sheriff, was a visitor Monday.

Several of our Wilson folk attended the B. Y. P. U. meeting held at Tahoka last Sunday afternoon.

R. E. Key was a visitor with relatives and friends last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Brothers of Teague were guests in the home of J. C. Key last week end. They are relatives of the Keys.

### Morgan

We have just witnessed one of the greatest blizzards ever known here for this time of year.

Several from Morgan attended the County Meet at O'Donnell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McGehee gave the young people a party Saturday night. A large crowd was present, and everyone had a very nice time.

Mrs. R. A. Collings is visiting in Southland this week.

Grady Allen of Slaton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Guy Parchman.

Thelma Blevins visited Alpha Perdue Sunday.

Herschell Collings visited Nona McAnnally Saturday night and Sunday.

Singing Sunday night was enjoyed by all. We had several visitors from Slaton and other places.

The Gordon Class will meet with us next Sunday P. M. for singing. Everyone is invited to be present.

Owen Blevins left Wednesday for Uvalde county to spend awhile with relatives. He intends to do some carpenter work while there.

A birthday dinner given in honor of Miss Killian, Mrs. Etheridge and Emma Joice Pruitt at Mrs. Etheridge's Sunday was very much enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pruitt and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McGehee, Zeke and Ouida Thompson, Misses Hull and Killian and Mr. and Mrs. Etheridge and family.

Misses Johnnie and Ruth Word spent Sunday with Miss Elsie Pendleton.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Milliken Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Patterson of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Shaw and boys of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hatchett and son and Mrs. B. Shaw of Idalou and H. H. Bailey.

The Fire Department from Slaton will put on a program at the school house next Thursday night, April 2.

Our H. D. Club will meet with Mrs. Fred Davidson next Tuesday, April 7. Let everyone be present and get into our work and make a good report this year.—Reporter.

**School Visits News Plant**

Pupils of the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh grades of the Dixie school together with their teachers, Mrs. Fay Noble and Miss Fay Anderson, visited the News office Wednesday afternoon to learn something about the operation of a printing shop and the publication of a newspaper. The children and teachers seemed to enjoy the visit very much and it was a real pleasure to the News force to show them the inside workings of this establishment. There were possibly more than forty of the visitors.

Mrs. Walter Florence was taken to a sanitarium in Sweetwater in a Harris & Applewhite ambulance this morning for treatment for inflammatory rheumatism.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The following are candidates for office at the city election to be held Tuesday, April 7, 1931:

For City Marshal:  
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### OLD RANCH BACKGROUND FOR "FIGHTING CARAVANS"

Al Gatesman's huge ranch, thirty miles from Sonora, Cal., served as the background for many sequences of Paramount's picturization of Zane Grey's famous story of the Western pioneers, "Fighting Caravans" the English Theatre feature for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Rich in early Western legend and history, the ranch doubled for the rolling plains of Western Kansas, over which the great wagon freight trains traveled nearly one hundred years ago. Gary Cooper, Lily Damita Ernest Torrence and Tully Marshall play the featured roles of "Fighting Caravans". Scenes were made almost entirely on location, rivers, lakes and mountains in the redwood country surrounding Sonora providing a background for the historic drama.

### Major Macke Speaks Tonight

Major Macke, formerly of the Canadian "Black Devils" in the War, speaks tonight at a special meeting of the American Legion in the Legion home. He spoke last night at the Baptist Church prayer service.

### J. H. Holloway Arrives from Sulphur Springs

J. H. Holloway arrived from Sulphur Springs this morning to spend a few days visiting with his daughters, Mrs. T. S. Williams and Mrs. Clyne Thomas.

### Edith

Several of the young and old folks of this community went to the Kid Singing convention Sunday afternoon. All reported a good singing and a nice time.

Mr. Spindler of El Paso was in the community last week attending to his farms.

Miss Dorothy Payne spent Saturday night with Marvin Payne and family of O'Donnell.

Friday, April 3, at 8:00 P. M., the Redwine community is putting on the plays, "The Winning Widow" and "A Convention of Papas". There is no admission. Everybody is welcome.

The Edith Sunday School will give an Easter hunt Sunday afternoon at Mr. Oscar Sanders. All young folks and children are welcome.

We are proud to announce that Edith won places in most everything they entered in at the county meet held at O'Donnell.—Reporter.

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**Ball Game Here Sunday**—The first ball game of the season will be played here next Sunday afternoon, when Post and Tahoka will match their skill on the diamond. The game is to start at 3:30 P. M.

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A chartered training school for nurses is conducted in connection with the sanitarium.

Frederick Willman, Sophia T. Paine and her husband, W. Henry Paine, Anna Bircher and her husband, Wendelin Bircher, Matilda Clanton and her husband, James A. Clanton, Josephine Boyer and her husband, Henry F. Boyer, Mrs. Ione Sugg and her husband, Wiley Sugg, C. Roy Zeeb, John Zeeb, Blondina Chelew and her husband, Arthur Chelew, and Jacob Zeeb, who are each non-residents of this State, and the unknown heirs of F. Becker, deceased, Adam Becker, deceased, Maurice E. Becker, deceased, Mrs. Blondina Willman, deceased, Mrs. Lizzie Zeeb, deceased, Eva Becker, deceased, J. H. Cowan, deceased, and Mary Cowan, deceased, and each of them, and their respective heirs and legal representatives, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lynn County, 106th Judicial District of Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in the City of Tahoka, on the fourth Monday after the fourth Monday in August, 1931, being the 21st day of September, A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1931, the file number of which is No. 858, in which said suit R. L. (Bob) Slaughter, C. C. Slaughter, E. Dick Slaughter, Alex A. Slaughter, Minnie Slaughter Veal, joined by her husband, Geo. T. Veal, Dela Slaughter, Curtis Hill, W. B. Handley, Trustee-Receiver of C. C. Slaughter Company, and H. C. Coke and J. W. Slaughter, Independent Executors of the Estate of Mrs. Carrie A. Slaughter, deceased, are plaintiffs, and (1) J. W. Elliott, W. D. Nevels, A. L. Lockwood, C. W. Slover, and S. D. Singleton, (2) Ruby Leedy and her husband, B. J. Leedy, Ivy Turrentine and her husband, L. E. Turrentine, Bessie Vandyke and her husband, J. L. Vandyke, Bertha Bryan and her husband, O. B. Bryan, and J. B. Cowan, (3) Cecelia Long and Louisa Cawein, (4) Robert Becker, Mary Becker, Helen Becker, (5) Katherine Becker, (6) Louis Willman, Mathias Willman, Frederick Willman, Sophia T. Paine and her husband, W. Henry Paine, and Anna Bircher and her husband, Wendelin Bircher, Matilda Clanton and her husband, James A. Clanton, Josephine Boyer and her husband, Henry F. Boyer, (7) Mrs. Ione Sugg and husband, Wiley Sugg, C. Roy Zeeb, John Zeeb, Blondina Chelew and husband, Arthur Chelew, (8) Jacob Zeeb, (9) the unknown heirs of F. Becker, deceased, (10) the unknown heirs of Adam Becker, deceased, (11) the unknown heirs of Maurice E. Becker, deceased, (12) the unknown heirs of Mrs. Blondina Willman, deceased, (13) the unknown heirs of Mrs. Lizzie Zeeb, deceased, (14) the unknown heirs of Eva Becker, deceased, (15) the unknown heirs of J. H. Cowan and Mary E. Cowan, both deceased, and (16) G. W. Small, Administrator of the Estate of F. Becker, deceased, are defendants; the cause of action alleged being as follows:

That during many years prior to July 3rd, 1922, C. C. Slaughter Company, of Dallas, Texas, was a corporation duly and legally organized under and existing pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas; that on said date its charter was forfeited by the Secretary of State without judicial ascertainment, as provided by law, for non-payment of its franchise tax; that said corporation was thus dissolved on said date, and has been dissolved at all times since then; that on said date the sole and only stockholders of said corporation were the following named parties, to-wit: R. L. (Bob) Slaughter, C. C. Slaughter, E. Dick Slaughter, Alex A. Slaughter, Minnie Slaughter Veal, Dela Slaughter Wright, Carrie Slaughter Dean, Nelle Slaughter DeLoache, Jo Dick Slaughter, Mrs. Allie D. Slaughter, and Eloise Slaughter, now the wife of Curtis Hill, and Mrs. Carrie A. Slaughter; that Mrs. Carrie A. Slaughter died on the 1st day of January, 1928, leaving a written will, which was duly admitted to probate in the County and District Courts of Dallas County, Texas, in Cause No. 11968, styled in the Matter of the Estate of Mrs. Carrie A. Slaughter, deceased, that under the terms of said will the interest of Mrs. Carrie A. Slaughter, deceased, in the subject matter of this suit passed to and vested in C. C. Slaughter, Alex A. Slaughter, Carrie Slaughter Dean and Nelle Slaughter DeLoache, in equal portions, one-fourth each; that under the terms of said will Henry C. Coke and J. W. Slaughter, of Dallas, Texas, were appointed Independent Executors and were duly confirmed by the courts in the order admitting said will to probate; that the said Executors have long since ceased to function, having heretofore fully administered the estate of Carrie A. Slaughter, deceased, and distributed the same among the parties entitled to receive it, but said Executors join in this suit as plaintiffs.

That Mary E. Cowan, community survivor of the estate of herself and J. H. Cowan, deceased, died more than four years ago; that no administration on her estate in pending, there being absent any necessity for such administration; that J. H. Cowan died more than four years ago and no administration on his estate is pending, there being absent any necessity for such administration; that Ruby Leedy, Ivy Turrentine, Bessie Vandyke, Bertha Bryan and J. B. Cowan claim to be the sole and only heirs at law of said J. H. Cowan and Mary E. Cowan, both deceased.

That W. B. Handley is the duly appointed, qualified and acting Trustee-Receiver of C. C. Slaughter Company, a dissolved corporation, having been so appointed and qualified by an order entered by the District Court of Dallas County, 95th Judicial District of Texas, on November 14th, 1928, in Cause No. 42055-A [D styled Mrs. Carrie Slaughter Dean, et al vs. Mrs. Carrie Averill Slaughter, et al.

That F. Becker died during the month of December, 1922 and at the time of his death was a resident of Lynn County, Texas; that G. W. Small was appointed Administrator of his estate and duly qualified as such under certain orders made by the County Court of Lynn County, Texas, in Probate Cause No. 92; that said administration was closed during the latter part of 1928; that the defendants named in sub-sections (3) to (8), both inclusive, above, except such defendants who are designated as husbands of certain female defendants, claim to be the sole and only heirs at law of F. Becker, deceased; that Cecelia Long and Louisa Cawein claim to be the sole and only living children of Adam Becker, an alleged brother of F. Becker, deceased, and that Adam Becker died November 18th, 1917, and Robert Becker, Mary Becker and Helen Becker and Katherine Becker, surviving wife of Maurice E. Becker, deceased, alleged to be a son of Adam Becker, claim to be the sole and only heirs to Maurice E. Becker, deceased, and these defendants, that is, Cecelia Long, Louisa Cawein, Robert Becker, Mary Becker, Helen Becker and Katherine Becker, claim to be the sole and only heirs at law of Adam Becker, deceased; that Louis Willman, Mathias Willman, Frederick Willman, Matilda Clanton, Sophia T. Paine, Josephine Boyer, and Anna Bircher, claim to be the only living children of Mrs. Blondina Willman, alleged to have been a sister of F. Becker, deceased, and it is alleged that Mrs. Blondina Willman died before F. Becker died, and Blondina Chelew, Ione Sugg, C. Roy Zeeb, and John Zeeb claim to be the sole and only heirs at law of Mrs. Lizzie Zeeb, deceased, a daughter of Mrs. Blondina Willman, and these defendants along with John Zeeb, surviving husband of Mrs. Lizzie Zeeb, claim to be the sole and only heirs at law of Mrs. Blondina Willman; that there is no administration pending on the estates of Adam Becker, deceased, Maurice E. Becker, deceased, Mrs. Blondina Willman, deceased, Mrs. Lizzie Zeeb, deceased, and Eva Becker, deceased or either of such estates, there being no necessity for any administration on the estates of such deceased persons, or any of them.

That heretofore, to-wit, on the 19th day of March, 1921, at the March, 1921; term of this Court, in a certain cause therein pending, No. 370 on the docket of this court, wherein J. W. Elliott, W. D. Nevels, A. L. Lockwood, C. W. Slover, S. D. Singleton, F. Becker and Mary E. Cowan, survivor of the community estate of herself and J. H. Cowan, deceased, were plaintiffs, and C. C. Slaughter Company, a corporation, was defendant, the said defendant in said cause recovered a judgment against the said plaintiffs foreclosing its equitable lien for Eighteen Thousand Six Hundred Forty-seven and 18-100 (\$18,647.18) Dollars, together with interest on said amount at the rate of ten per cent per annum from March 19th, 1921, and all costs of suit, upon the following described tracts of land, situated in Lynn County, Texas, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: All of Survey No. Four (4), Block D-20, Certificate No. 4-418, Abstract No. 646, containing 640 acres of land.

SECOND TRACT: 440 acres out of Survey No. Fourteen (14) in

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**L. E. Davis**  
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A Condensed Statement of  
**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
of Tahoka, Texas

AS MADE TO COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAR. 25, 1931

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$315,511.28
Stocks and Bonds	15,500.00
Lynn County Warrants	10,340.07
House and Fixtures	25,000.00
Bought Demand Paper	\$ 25,000.00
Cash and Exchange	201,289.46
Demand Cash	226,289.46
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$592,640.81</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	81,356.62
Circulation	12,500.00
Deposits	448,284.19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$592,640.81</b>

A. L. Lockwood, President  
W. D. Nevels, Vice-President  
W. B. Slaton, Cashier  
R. P. Weathers, Ass't. Cashier



- 25c Catarrh Jelly 2 for 26c
- 25c Foot Powder 2 for 26c
- 25c Sulphur and Cream Tartar Tablets 2 for 26c
- 50c Laxative Salt 2 for 51c
- \$1.00 Agarex 2 for \$1.01
- 75c Mi 31 Antiseptic Mouth Wash 2 for 76c
- 10c Milk of Magnesia 2 for 61c
- 25c Mercurochrome Solution 2 for 26c
- 25c Boric Acid Powder 2 for 26c
- 40c Chocolate Almond Bars 8 oz. 2 for 41c
- \$1.00 Puretest Mineral Oil 2 for \$1.01

THREE DAYS ONLY



APRIL 2nd, 3rd, and 4th  
Thursday, Friday & Saturday



- \$1.00 Duska Bath Powder 2 for \$1.01
- \$1.00 Duska Face Powder 2 for \$1.01
- 25c Narcisse Talcum Powder 2 for 26c
- 25c Georgia Rose Talcum Powder 2 for 26c
- 85c Harmony Bay Rum Pints 2 for 86c
- 50c Cook's Hand Lotion 2 for 51c
- 50c Harmony Rolling Massage Cream 2 for 51c
- \$1.00 "93" Hair Tonic 2 for \$1.01
- 50c Klenzo Dental Creme 2 for 51c
- 35c Klenzo Tooth Brushes 2 for 36c

**COLEO TOILET SOAP**  
Good for the family or guest. It lathers quickly; its fragrance is pleasing to all.  
15 cents a cake  
2 for 16c

**REXALL ORDERLIES**  
The ideal chocolate-flavored laxative tablets. Give immediate relief from constipation. Form no habit.  
50 cents a box of sixty  
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**Lord BALTIMORE LINEN**  
Quality paper for every-day use. 24 folded sheets, 24 envelopes.  
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**LIGGETT'S ASSORTED CHOCOLATES**  
Delicious one-pound assortment of "The Chocolates with the wonderful centers"  
75c a box  
2 for 76c

**LIGGETT'S SWEET MILK CHOCOLATE**  
Not just a tasty confection but a wholesome food. Excellent family treat, especially for the Kiddies  
40c a 1/2 lb. bar  
2 for 41c

**PEPTONA**  
An efficient iron and Nux Vomica tonic, for improving the appetite and for simple anemia.  
\$1.00 a pint  
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**PURETEST MINERAL OIL Russian Type**  
Colorless, odorless, tasteless. An excellent internal lubricant—for constipated condition.  
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**QUALLA COTTON SEED** for sale at 75c per bu. First come, first served 2 mi. NE Tahoka. E. J. Cooper. 24-tfc

**PLANTING COTTON SEED**—I have several hundred bushels of pure Mebane and Kash seed for sale. Also I have some seed I raised last year from pure Mebane seed. This cotton ginned 40 percent lint and had 15-16 inch staple. I. M. Draper. 22-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Pure Watson Mebane cotton seed at 80c per bushel. See W. P. Anderson, Tahoka, or J. P. Fulton, New Home. 29-4tp

**HAVE GOOD** 5 year old mule to trade for young mare. Buster Fenton. 30-tfc

**CHOICE COTTON SEED** and Maize Seed for sale at reasonable price. Ed. Cook, Wells Store. 30-4tp

**FOR SALE:** 35 milch cows; 3 breaking disc plows; 4 cultivators; lots of sweeps; 3 tongue-hitch planters; 3 beam hitch planters; 2 2-row tongue hitch planters, all in good condition. Cash or fall terms without interest. 1 No. 1250 Delco Plant priced right. Lots of good cotton seed at 75c and \$1.00 per bushel. E. E. Wilson, Slaton, Texas 32-1tc

**FOR TRADE**—Old Dodge car and some difference for good Chevrolet or Ford. I. I. Gattis at Utilities office 28-4tc

**WILL PAY CASH** for 100 bu. cotton seed, 3 doz. good hens, Reds preferred, one good sow, and one anvil and blower. W. H. DAVIS, Tahoka, Rt. 2, on Lloyd farm, 8 mi. S. E. Tahoka. 31-2tp

**QUALLA COTTON SEED** for sale; second year run; \$1.00 per bushel. Cleoro Smith Lumber Co. 31-tfc

**FOR SALE**—1 span of black mare mules, 8 wears old, weight 1500 each. L. P. Jeffreys. 31-2tc

**SWEET MILK** delivered anywhere in town at 10 cents per quart or 30 cents per gallon. Henry-Douthitt 1tp

**HALF & HALF Cotton Seed** for sale. Raised one and two years direct from breeder in Georgia, \$1.25 and 75c per bu. Out of picked cotton, well taken care of at gin. W. L. Gardenhire, O'Donnell, Rt. 2, Phone 501 02 31-5tp

**JUST RECEIVED**—Car load of Mebane cotton seed. Farm Bureau Gin. 29-tfc

**MEBANE, Kasch, Qualla, Sunshine, and Half-and-Half Cotton Planting Seed;** grown from first-year pedigreed seed; culled and cleaned. Delivered to your station at \$2.75 per three-bushel sack.—TOM BARBEE, Whitewright, Texas. 28-8tc

**CUSTOM HATCHING**—135 egg tray for \$1.50, 1 mile east of Tahoka on Post highway. Bring eggs March 6. Mrs. F. L. Prater. 1tp

### DR. COLLINS, O'DONNELL, SHOT; YOUTH CHARGED

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ed, Parker was attempting to take the gun from Collins, when Mitchell fired.

Mitchell was 20 years old on March 5, according to his father, "Cherokee" Mitchell, and had been married only four months. He had resided in the vicinity of O'Donnell for the past two or three years. His father-in-law is George Jones of the Wells community, a well known citizen of that locality. Quarah Mitchell is said to be of Indian extraction. He bears the reputation of being a peaceable and well-behaved young man and had never had any previous trouble of a serious nature.

Dr. Collins had been a resident of O'Donnell for the past eight years and had many friends there. He is survived by one son and two daughters and by a former wife from whom he was divorced and who never resided in O'Donnell. She is married again and resides in Colorado Springs. None of the children reside in O'Donnell. The son, Charles, 27 years of age, resides in Amarillo, but came to O'Donnell immediately after being notified of the tragedy. The funeral is to be held in O'Donnell this afternoon and the remains are to be interred in the O'Donnell cemetery.

Many O'Donnell people are expected to be here early Friday morning to attend the examining trial. It is possible, however, that an examining trial will be waived by the defendant and his bond agreed upon by his council and the district attorney.

Sam Sanford was in Abilene last week as a witness in a case pending in district court.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Smith of Anton were here Wednesday visiting friends.

Buy used tires. Thomas Tire Service. 1tc

**ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINE** for sale or trade. Mrs. T. S. Williams at Clyne Thomas residence. 1tp

**MAIZE** for sale, in head or ground. Joe Poindexter, New Home. 28-tfc

### LOST & FOUND

**LOST**—Silver watch with silver band in O'Donnell last Saturday. Finder please return same to Nitalia Crosby, Wilson, Texas, and get reward. 32-1tc

**LOST**—A 32x6 Goodyear tire mounted on rim, east of Tahoka. Phillips Service Station. 30-tfc

### MISCELLANEOUS

O. R. O. guaranteed to rid your poultry of worms and insects. Sold by Thomas Bros. Drug Co. 28-6tp

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Phone 288  
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### NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Lynn. To those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of William R. Griffing, Deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the Estate of William R. Griffing, deceased, late of Lynn County, Texas, by G. C. Grider, judge of the county court of said county on the 22nd day of August, 1930, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence in Lynn County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 31st day of March, 1931.

CARL GRIFFING, Administrator of the estate of William R. Griffing, Deceased. 32-3tc

### CARD OF THANKS

I can not express in words my appreciation of the many kindnesses shown me and my children by the neighbors and other people of this section during the recent illness and death of my wife who died on March 10th. But, I do want to say that I never knew people to be so kind and sympathetic as you were to us during our misfortune. May God bless you all.  
John Switzer and children.

### CARD OF THANKS

On behalf of our son, Luther Key, and for ourselves we desire to thank every one who helped in any way to make it pleasant for him during his long wait before entering the sanitarium at Carlsbad, and for assistance when he left.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Key and family.

### Form B-76 No. 1047 BANKS

### OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE The Security State Bank

At Tahoka, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 25th day of March, 1931, published in the Lynn County News, a newspaper printed and published at Tahoka, State on the 2nd day of April, 1931.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$46,859.12
Loans secured by real estate	9,313.88
Overdrafts	153.73
Other bonds and stocks owned	750.00
Banking House, \$8,300.00; Furniture & Fixtures, \$3,500.00	11,800.00
Cash in bank	4,084.96
Due from approved reserve agents	18,005.14
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	1,557.83
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$92,524.66</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 25,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	970.87
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	65,401.11
Time Certificates of Deposit	1,100.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	52.68
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$92,524.66</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Lynn: We, G. E. Lockhart, as President and Carl D. Griffing, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

G. E. LOCKHART, President  
CARL D. GRIFFING, Cashier  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of March, A. D. 1931 (SEAL)  
L. C. HEATH, Notary Public, Lynn County Texas.  
Correct—Attest: Jess Lockhart, B. R. Maddox, W. C. Wells, Directors.

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