

**Auctioneer**  
Public Sales a Specialty  
Reference: Any bank of Abilene, Kansas  
Phone: Brown 14 or Acme Mutual  
Address: Abilene, Kansas.  
Date book at Minick & Taylor's hardware store, Abilene.

**N. S. WOOLVERTON AUCTIONEER**  
Best of references given.  
Call Brown phone 1943. Address Solomon, R. D. 1.  
Choice Duroc bred gilts for sale.

**NORTHEAST DICKINSON.**  
Farmers are taking advantage of the fine weather and are putting in their spring crops. Most of the oats are planted.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Wyss were Wakefield visitors Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Meister Jr. spent Easter at G. Frohardt's.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. Zurmerly attended Easter services at the Catholic church in Junction City.  
Mrs. A. Kleefeld leaves Sunday for Germany where she will visit her father.  
Master Arthur Pett is suffering from a severe attack of throat trouble. Dr. Huitl is attending him; an operation may be necessary.  
Mary and Paul Meister were in Wakefield Thursday afternoon.  
Rosa and Lilly Wyss have begun a course in music for the summer. Mrs. Fred Neimoller is teacher.  
Harve Glenn and Jake Altweg are hauling wheat to Wakefield.  
The Warren Cookson family will move the first of next week to a ranch south of Chapman. They will be missed from this vicinity.  
Jno. Shandy made a business trip to Enterprise Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Winsor spent Easter at Emil Frohardt's.  
Pierce Cookson is working for H. Zurmerly.

**Elevator Meeting.**  
All stockholders in the Farmers' Cooperative Elevator Co. are notified that a meeting will be held Saturday April 20 at 2:30 at the Commercial club rooms to elect directors and complete organization.  
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**WALNUT GROVE.**  
Sam Bennisson left for Illinois Saturday on account of the illness of his mother.  
Sam Zeigler is working at H. Kready's.  
Miss Dorothy Knerr returned home from her uncle's the first of the week.  
John Derrick's took dinner at Enoch Derrick's Sunday.  
Sam Zeigler took dinner with Amos Sword's Sunday.  
Frank McGaffty spent Sunday with Melvin Sword's.  
George McNitt's went to town on Tuesday.  
Frank Whiteley purchased a new piano last week.  
Frank Duffy's spent Sunday with his folks, Will Duffy's.

**SOLOMON.**  
The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church made over \$56 in the chicken dinner which was given in the K. C. hall Saturday.  
Z. S. Knight and family moved Monday to the house owned by T. T. Sullivan on West Fourth street.  
Mrs. Ralph Starrett and Mrs. Brownell were in Salina Saturday visiting Mrs. William Starrett.  
Mrs. J. L. Goldberg left Friday for her home in Topeka after spending a week here with her daughter and family, Mrs. E. Sundahl.  
Mrs. Roberts and little daughter left last Saturday for Kansas City, returning home Wednesday.

**ZION.**  
Rev. C. O. Musser and J. O. Wenger of Abilene took dinner on Sunday with A. O. Zook's.  
Dan Bert visited on Sunday with his brother Sam.  
Mrs. Anna Frey and Christ Frey were entertained on Sunday at Jno. Kugler's.  
The highest corn market at Talmage was 80 cents on Monday.  
Sam Bebermyer visited Sunday with Bruce Zook.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bert were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Harry Hoover on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ketterman and Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Engle were visitors at Ben Engle's of Moonlight Sunday.  
D. E. Hoeken's visited Sunday at C. Simpson.  
Some of N. E. Zook's young folks visited their sister, Mrs. Austi Miller on Sunday.

**WILLOWDALE.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Jolitz and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blunderfield visited with relatives in Talmage Sunday.  
Leonard Patten threshed his crop of wheat last week. It made 22 bushels an acre and sold for \$1 per bushel.  
Mrs. John Hobbs of Solomon visited with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Blunderfield, several days last week.  
Ed. Davis and family visited with his brother Frank near Manchester Sunday.

**LANEY DISTRICT.**  
Mrs. Hobbs of Solomon visited with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Laney and family a few days last week.  
Mr. Wilvert and family of Abilene spent Saturday and Sunday with S. A. Romberger's.  
Mr. McGinnis is doing carpenter work in Talmage this week.  
George Legg and wife and Grandma Hardin spent Sunday with D. M. Swisher's.  
Mrs. Koppenhaver came up from Abilene Saturday where she has been visiting for several weeks.  
Grandma Foster is on the sick list.  
Edmund Fells is having a cistern made.  
Frank Watt and family spent Sunday at Harry Wallace's.

**For Sale.**  
Team of smooth mouthed, mare weighs 1400; horse weighs 1350, good workers. One span 5-year-old mules 16 to 16½ hands high, good and well broken. S. H. Lenhart, Abilene, Kan. Farmers' phone Acme. 18wtf

**Steers For Sale.**  
25 head coming 2-year-old steers, in fair condition. J. A. Kuntz, phone Buckeye, R. D. Abilene 5. 18wtf

**Keystone School Closed.**  
Keystone school, district No. 81, closed April 12th. The pupils and teacher rendered a good program, after which the visitors, about one hundred in number, prepared a bountiful dinner. The guests departed wishing Miss Engle many successful school terms. Miss Engle is one of the Abilene graduates of 1911.

**MOONLIGHT.**  
A. M. Engle's and S. H. Bert's visited at J. E. Brechbill's on Sunday.  
John Engle's and Sam Ketterman's of Talmage visited friends here Sunday.  
H. E. Sollenberger's and Avery Sollenberger visited on Sunday at Robt. Breeding's.  
Several of the farmers went to Allida to haul telephone poles with which to repair lines 5 and 19 of Buckeye division.  
Mrs. E. J. Reel and children are visiting her parents at Rhinehart.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. Brandt who recently returned from Upland, Calif., held a family reunion at the home of their son, M. M. Brandt. They have come back to Kansas to stay.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Climenhaga of Dellsie, Sask., Canada, on April 6, a son.  
Jesse Crider pulled out his new Aultman-Taylor engine Thursday.  
Wm. Page and J. C. Crum were business visitors to the county seat on Thursday.  
Mrs. C. A. McCosh and Mrs. Jennie Stoeker were shopping in Abilene Thursday.  
Harry Hoover has drilled a new well and moved his windmill.  
S. M. Page returned from his outing in California much satisfied with Kansas.  
A number from here attended the H. M. Knox sale on Friday.  
George Haas was up from Lyonsdale on Thursday, returning Friday.

**ACME.**  
Mrs. Milo Emig and children of Colorado is here visiting relatives.  
Mrs. Ed. Knerr was called to Missouri last week by the serious illness of her father.  
A fine program was given Friday at the Highland school. A bountiful dinner was served. Miss Anna Emig deserves much credit for the good work done.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kean of Salina visited in this vicinity last week.  
Ora Lahr has been on the sick list.  
A fine program was given Saturday at the Independence school. Dinner was served. Miss Grace Buchenau deserves much credit for the work done.  
O. W. Brown was in this vicinity threshing kaffir corn.  
Miss Viola Phillips went to Kansas City Wednesday for a short visit.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Markley of Abilene visited at J. G. Engle's on Tuesday.

**PURDY.**  
Mr. Reuffer's little girl had her hand badly crushed in a wringer last week.  
Joe Sheet's baby who has been quite ill is improving.  
H. W. Hosie has his house painted.  
At the school meeting last Friday the patrons decided to improve the school house by repainting and plastering.  
Mrs. M. B. Emig and Lois Woolvorton spent Tuesday night with her sister Mrs. T. G. Kauffman.

**WOODHINE.**  
G. H. Blegert made a business trip to Denver last week, going Tuesday and returning Friday.  
Mrs. Rhiney Jahnke was shopping in Abilene Wednesday.  
Rev. Baecker returned Friday from his trip to Eudora.  
Mrs. Harry Larson of Navarre spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steckel.  
A number from here attended the box social at Carey Creek school house last Thursday evening.  
Miss Ruth Muesenmayer and Miss Viola Oesterreich were home from Enterprise over Sunday.  
Will Kuhlentkamp of Denver came home Friday with Mr. Blegert and is visiting his mother.  
E. L. Shank is having a new foundation put under his house.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton spent Sunday at Grandma Gugler's.

**PLEASANT VALLEY.**  
Mr. and Mrs. B. Schuman and family spent Sunday with the latter's brother, W. Hoefling, of Manchester.  
C. A. Teare spent Saturday and Sunday with C. Leckron at Donegal.  
Rollo Aumach and W. Dornberger went to Chapman Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Derrick and family Sundayed at E. Derrick's.  
A. Picking is digging a well at his home in Buckeye.  
C. Aumach assisted E. Probasco several days.

**TALMAGE.**  
Mrs. Otis Landes of Abilene visited her sister, Mrs. B. W. Stewart, Monday and Tuesday.  
Miss Grace Watt came up from Abilene to visit home folks over Sunday.  
School will close next Thursday evening, April 25. The 8th, 9th and 10th grades will give an entertainment in the hall Friday morning, April 26 will be a basket ball game; in the afternoon the intermediate grades will give an entertainment in the hall, followed by a ball game at the school grounds.  
J. E. Nickels and family visited L. B. Nichels in Niles Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fulton left for Ozarkie to attend the wedding of Bert Mitchell and Miss Lucille Sternber.  
Talmage is to have a first class hotel, several men are working on the building south of the post office, which when completed will be occupied by B. G. Burdick.  
Mrs. Holzworth went to Abilene Sunday with her sister, Miss Ferguson who left for Portland, Ore., Sunday night.  
Dr. Montgomery will have his dental office with Dr. Chaffe.  
Miss Ruby Burt of Vine Creek is staying with her cousin, Mrs. Steele.  
Mrs. C. W. Naylor has been quite sick the past week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Watt and daughters drove up from Abilene Saturday to visit Walter Watt and family.

**BUCKEYE.**  
Scott Hinkle is able to be around again after a week's sickness.  
The school meeting on Friday was attended by six men and four women. C. O. Fink was elected clerk.  
Mr. Tufts and family of Abilene were out to church at Buckeye on Sunday.  
Ialsh Haynes is staying with E. Hoyt's.  
Mrs. E. Burkbolder and son Price spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. J. Kugler.  
Mrs. W. J. Leckron is teaching music at home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ora Lahr visited her parents, J. J. Marks Sunday.  
W. H. Cook threshed 350 bushels of kaffir corn Monday.  
J. Thomas, Ray Pollard and Roy Winsler were grading the road Monday.  
N. Rumold has been laid up the past week with a sprained ankle.  
J. W. Rumold returned Saturday from Conway Springs where he spent several days on business.  
Mrs. E. J. Winsler spent Wednesday of last week visiting Mrs. C. C. Winsler and children of Lawrence who is visiting her parents, J. T. Woolvorton.  
The wheat is very patchy and the soft wheat is killed.  
Oats are coming up in fine shape.

**LOGAN.**  
E. M. Reed left for New Mexico Tuesday.  
Mrs. Boyd Kauffman is on the sick list.  
Mrs. Harry Larsen went to Woodbine on Saturday.  
A. K. Bassler's spent Sunday at Walter Engle's.  
Dr. and Mrs. Carnes spent Sunday at Harry Larson's.  
The travelling public of this township is anxiously waiting for the board to make good in regard to keeping the roads in half decent traveling condition. Some of these days "patience will cease to be a virtue" and an infusion of new blood may be made in the administration.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Pitts spent Sunday at A. E. Reynold's.  
Wm. Scheufele is building a new barn.  
The annual love feast will be held at the Belle Springs church April 27 and 28.  
Funeral services of the late S. C. Lady will be held at the Belle Springs church Sunday, April 21.  
H. G. Wingerd and family motored to Hope and College Hill Sunday.  
Ralph Kauffman has sold his barber shop to Melo Haldeman of Hope.

**LOCAL MARKETS.**  
(Grain markets corrected every Thursday morning by Abilene Milling Co.)  
Wheat ..... \$1.02  
Corn ..... .78c  
(Market corrected weekly by J. G. Vorman, Abilene.)  
Hogs ..... \$7.20  
Butter ..... .25c  
Eggs ..... .17c

The Pioneer Produce Co. pays the following:  
Hens ..... .9c  
Old Roosters ..... .5c  
Young roosters ..... .5c

**Butter Market.**  
Kansas City creamery 30c, dairy 28c.  
Chicago creamery 28-31c, dairy 24-28c.

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**NOTICE.**  
In the district court of Dickinson county, state of Kansas.  
HELEN POTTER SHELTON, Plaintiff.  
vs.  
OAKLEY ROBERT SHELTON, Defendant.

To the above named defendant, Oakley Robert Shelton:  
You are hereby notified that you have been sued by said plaintiff, who filed her petition in the district court of Dickinson county, Kansas, on the 17th day of April, 1912, wherein she asks for a divorce from you upon the ground of gross neglect of duty and for the care, custody and control of the minor child, Robert Ranson Shelton; that unless you answer or demur to said petition on or before the 31st day of May, 1912, said petition will be taken as true and judgment rendered against you as prayed for therein, granting a divorce to said plaintiff and granting her the custody of said minor child, and entering you from all right, title and interest in lots 10 and 11, block 21, Kunev & Hodge addition to Abilene, Dickinson county, Kansas.  
HELEN POTTER SHELTON, Plaintiff.  
By S. S. Smith, Her Attorney.

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**PUBLICATION NOTICE.**  
To Benjamin Wilkinson, if alive, and his unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees and assigns if he be dead;—Wilkinson, who first name is unknown, wife of said Benjamin Wilkinson, if she be alive, and her unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees and assigns if she be dead;—Fleming if alive, and his unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees and assigns if he be dead;—L. F. Bird if alive, and his unknown heirs, executors, administrators, trustees and assigns if he be dead;—Margaret L. Bird if alive, and her unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees and assigns if she be dead;—Hannah Lee Warron if alive, and her unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees and assigns if she be dead;—Bradley, whose first name is unknown, husband of Sarah A. Bradley, if he be alive, and his unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees and assigns if he be dead, and the Kansas Trust and Banking Company, a corporation, and its unknown successors, trustees and assigns:  
You and each of you are hereby notified that you have been sued in the district court within and for the county of Dickinson, state of Kansas, in an action wherein Edward D. Loy is plaintiff and you are defendants, and that you must answer his petition on or before the 31st day of May, 1912, or the same will be taken as true and judgment will be rendered against you, and each of you, granting the title of said Edward D. Loy to the following described real estate situated in Dickinson county, state of Kansas, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section number nine (9), township thirteen (13), south of range four (4) east of the sixth principal meridian, and forever barring and enjoining you, and each of you, and all persons claiming or to claim under, by or through you or either of you, from asserting or claiming any right, title or interest in, or to said real estate, or any part thereof, adverse to the title and right of possession of said plaintiff.  
HURD & HURD,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

**Specials for Saturday's Selling**

Read of the great values that join in the effort to make Saturday a day of lively selling.

**Lace Curtains 49c**  
Large size lace curtains in an assortment of splendid patterns, some are 5 ft. wide and all are full 3 yards long, a splendid bargain offering each **49c**

**Bed Spreads 98c**  
Large size bed spreads of good quality. These come in assorted patterns, the best \$1.25 value on sale each **98c**

**\$1.25 Linen Damask 98c**  
Heavy quality all pure linen table damask full 72 inches wide and a heavy satin finish. We will show you 15 different patterns, special a yard **98c**

**Heavy Taffeta Silk Petticoats \$1.95**  
This interesting special should cause some lively selling Saturday. A heavy quality taffeta silk petticoat in nearly any color you could ask for. Some real \$5 values are priced each **\$1.95**

**Best Table Oil Cloth 15c Yard**  
Best quality table oil cloth in plain white and figured patterns a large selection to choose the favorite one from, a yard **15c**

**New Soft Silks 25c**  
Every wanted color in these popular new soft silks that usually sell at 39c. We want to do some lively selling in this department Saturday so we stack out over 5000 yards, a yard **25c**

**Men's Oxfords \$2.95**  
Men's new oxfords in all the wanted leathers for spring, tan, calf, gun-metal, patent colt, etc., all good styles in \$4 values, a pair **\$2.95**

**Taffeta Ribbon 5c**  
A bargain table of wide taffeta silk ribbon in a big variety of plain colors. Take your choice of the greatest lot of ribbon you ever looked at for a yard **5c**

**Work Shirts 39c**  
Men's heavy cheviot work shirts in a splendid variety of blue and dark patterns all piled out each **39c**

**Women's Percale Waists 48c**  
All good styles, these blue percale waists all are new and come in very neat patterns for every day wear. A 69c waist marked out for this Saturday sale each **48c**

**Cotton Voile 25c**  
This new and very desirable cloth comes in white, blue and tan colors. We should sell this all out on Saturday a yard **25c**

**Women's Union Suits 25c**  
Women's gauze union suits without sleeves and lace trimmed drawers, pure white color a suit **25c**

**Men's Ribbed Underwear 39c**  
Men's ribbed underwear in all sizes of shirts and drawers, this is a splendid quality for spring wear, a garment **39c**

**Cotton Flannel Gloves 5c**  
Men's cotton flannel gloves of good quality, to close them out they go a yard **5c**

**Crepe Cloth Yard 7 1-2c**  
This comes in plain colors and is of a good quality marked out a yard **7 1-2c**

**HILDINGER'S**