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Terry County Herald.

W. R. Spencer Prop.
Brownfield, Terry County, Texas.

Announcement.

For County Tax Assessor:
GEORGE M. SMITH.

Local and Personal.

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Thursday it blew and it blew.

Cortez McDaniel is on the sick list.

THE TERRY CO. HERALD—\$1 per year.

J. C. Green has gone to the railroad.

Mrs. W. J. Duncan was very sick this week.

Mr. Clemons, of Gomez, was here this week.

Otis Copeland visited home folks last week.

Mr. Hardin was in town with beef Thursday.

Lemmie McDaniel left for the railroad Monday.

G. N. and J. A. Foreman were here Tuesday.

Mr. Howe, of Gail, is here this week prospecting.

Dr. Griffith, of Gomez, was in Brownfield Tuesday.

Mr. McDaniel and Lemmie visited home folks Sunday.

Misses Bertie and Belle Fisher were in the city last Saturday.

Milton Robinson spent several days of last week in Brownfield.

Miss Lee Jones, of Gomez, was a Brownfield visitor last Thursday.

Elzey Groves and Fred Wolford spent Sunday in Brownfield.

Work is progressing nicely on the Arthur Alevander business house.

Willie Fisher was in Brownfield Wednesday with a load of wood.

Rev. Lovelady and wife were guests of Brownfield friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Woodard spent Sunday night and Monday in town.

Dr. McDaniel, of Gail, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McDaniel this week.

Gus Foreman, Roy Brownfield, and Hal Gambrell Sundayed in Brownfield.

F. M. Daugherty returned from Big Springs Tuesday with a load of freight.

I have numerous calls for ranches, large and small in Yoakum, Terry and Gaines counties. If you will list your property with me I will send you a buyer. JOHN F. ROBINSON, Lubbock, Texas.

J. J. Diliard, a prominent attorney of Lubbock, Texas, and editor of the Avalanche was in Brownfield Friday and gave THE HERALD a pleasant call. He reports Lubbock and the Avalanche prosperous, and R. R. news encouraging.

Mrs. B. Jones and Mrs. Hardy of Gomez were in Brownfield Wednesday.

Rev. Smith, of Gomez, was over Sunday and preached two excellent sermons.

Bert Belcher, of Loop, was here and attended the ball the night of the 22nd.

Mrs. W. N. Copeland and Mrs. W. R. Spencer visited in the country last week.

The appearance of the school house is much improved by a fresh coat of paint.

Miss Lornie Campbell of Meadow visited Miss Flora Bobinson last week.

Mr. Randal of Lynn County, was visiting his brother, Prof. J. L. Randal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Easton Wolforth and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wolforth were here last week.

Misses Porter, of Tahoka, were the guests of Miss Sallie Harris several days last week.

Milton Robinson and Miss Campbell, of Meadow, attended the ball Thursday night.

Rev. Drury, of Lubbock, will preach here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter, of Lamesa, were visitors at the home of Mr. Daugherty last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Adams and children visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McDaniel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alley and Miss Cook of Lynn county attended the ball Thursday night.

Dr. McDaniel, who was in our city several days this week returned to his home at Gail Wednesday.

Mr. Leedy, of Tahoka, representing the Sherman nursery was here making a delivery of trees this week.

Misses Dora and Annie Pyeatt were pleasant visitors to relatives at this place left for their home Saturday.

M. V. Brownfield and J. R. Hill left Friday for Fort Worth as attached witnesses in the case of Texas vs. J. B. Miller.

Mrs. W. N. Copeland, accompanied by Miss Irene and Newt., Jr., visited at Meadow Saturday and Sunday.

Little Miss Gaster Randal entertained a number of her friends last Friday night, the occasion being her eleventh birth-day.

Mr. Powell, of Borden County, is here assisting in taking an inventory of the stock of the Brownfield Mercantile Company.

Mr. W. S. L. Pearce, who recently purchased the Brownfield Mercantile Company's stock of goods is here taking an invoice.

W. R. Harris returned Tuesday from a trip to Gail. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Spencer Sharp, who will visit her parents.

Mrs. John Walker, who has been in Brownfield the past few months sending her children to school returned to the ranch Saturday. Miss Hoodie Walker will remain in town until school closes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alley, Mr. Neville and Miss Cook were guests of Mr. and E. Wolforth at their ranch home Friday and Saturday of last week.

Last Sunday Mrs. W. N. Copeland and children enjoyed a turkey dinner at the residence of her son, Ed Copeland, who lives in Lubbock County.

NOTICE.—All who have subscribed money for the Parsonage at Brownfield, please come and pay the amount subscribed at once, to W. R. Spencer.

Otis Copeland, Cliff Patton, Mr. Scarborough, Mr. Cleveland, Buok Marion, Jack Bryan, Al-Craig, Jim Key, Luke Robinson, Boss Key, Earl Key, Fred Pyeatt, and Messrs. Skinner, Joplin and Bill Neville of Lynn County were here and attended the dance Feb. 22nd.

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We have sold our stock of Goods, and desire to close up our business at once, so we kindly ask that you settle your account and oblige. Very Truly,
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The Longworths are enjoying their honeymoon in Havana, Cuba.

Over in China, it is said, that 3,000 people make a living from one square mile of land by cultivating tea.

Dr. Morris, the husband of the lady that was fired out of the White House in a rough and tumble manner by the funkeys, wrote a letter to the President and wanted some expression of regret or apology. Secretary Loeb answered it, and ungallant-like, laid all the blame on the unfortunate lady: Hereafter when a lady calls at the executive mansion she should arm herself with a hatchet, like Carrie Nation, and when the flunks try to play the touzle-act to promptly crack them on the head.

A Rumbling in the Capitol.

The daily papers announce that in Washington City, about the Capitol building, and the executive departments, a tremendous undercurrent pressure is being brought to bear to have congress consider a revision of the tariff. Once, in the history of the world it might have been necessary for governments to stick in their authoritative noses when their subjects traded with one another, that was when slav-

ery and piracy was universally practiced, when it took a year to go around the world, but now a message can encircle the globe in a few moments, a globe trotter can go round it in less time than the planting and cultivation of a crop, and in fact the most distant regions are brought together for all practical purposes of trading. Supposing a Dutchman had manufactured some big long pipes, and he'd come to America and met a Virginian with a bale of tobacco, and were about to trade, and up would bob Teddy Roosevelt and say: "I want \$2 in toll before this trade can go off." Neither Virginian or Dutchman having any "coin of the realm" they both go to peddling their products, and each raise a dollar, which is given to Teddy, who tosses it into the treasury, with the remark "that is the way to skin a Dutchman," when in reality the Virginian made the \$1 good by the amount of tobacco he swapped for the pipe. Kaiser Wilhelm, who is a sort of partner in the same line of business in his country skins Yankees in a similar manner, and when we trade his people any pork, and some Dutchman with more appetite than sense, eats a whole hog and dies, this Imperial high protective tariff deputy, lets the bristles curl up on his back and commences to howl "Trinchina" and blackmails and traduces the American hog.

NOTICE !

Having closed out our business heretofore conducted by us in the town of Gomez, all persons indebted to us are notified to come forward and settle at once. Our books of account will be left in the hands of J. J. LANE, who will be found at our late place of business in Gomez, Texas, who is fully authorized to receive and receipt for all amounts due us.

Our Books must be closed, so come forward and settle and adjust your accounts and save time, trouble and costs. Thanking our customers for their patronage in the past.

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W. R. Spencer - - - Proprietor
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George D. Neal, - Lieutenant-Governor.
R. V. Davidson, : Attorney General.
J. W. Stephens, : Comptroller.
J. W. Robbins, : Treasurer.
J. J. Torrel, : Land Commissioner.
R. B. Cousins, Superintendent Public Instruction.

The following rates will be adhered to in announcing candidates in

The Terry County Herald:

For District Judge, - \$20 00
For District Attorney, - 10 00
For County Offices, - 10 00
For Precinct Offices, - 5 00
The announcement fee must be paid in advance.

Announcements.

FOR JUDGE—64th Judicial District:
L. S. KINDER.
(Present Incumbent.)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY—64th Judicial District:
C. S. WILLIAMS,
of Hale County.

A. W. CALAHAN,
of Swisher County.

For County Judge:
W. N. COPELAND.
(Present Incumbent.)

For County and District Clerk:
HOMER H. COTTON,
W. T. DIXON.

For County Treasurer:
W. J. HEAD.

THOMAS DESHAZO:
For re-election.

For County Tax Assessor:
DOLPHUS ROBINSON.

For Sheriff and Tax Collectors
S. M. TOW.
GEO. E. TIERNAN.
(Present Incumbent.)

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce W. N. Copeland as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Terry county, Texas

We are authorized to announce Geo. E. Tiernan as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Terry county, Texas.

We are authorized to announce Dolphus Robinson as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce Homer H. Cotton for District and County Clerk of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce Thomas Deshazo as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce S. M. Tow, of Gomez, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce W. T. Dixon as a candidate for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce W. J. (Jack) as a candidate for election to the office of

Susan B. Anthony, of Womans' Rights fame, has just celebrated her 85th birth-day.

In our announcement column will be found the name of Thomas Deshazo, who is a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer. Mr. Deshazo is well and favorably known to the voters of Terry County, having served one term in said office, and we feel sure they will give his claims to consideration.

Hoch, the wife killer, of Chicago, was duly and legally executed in that metropolis last Friday. He kept up his nerve to the last moment. He was a sort of a religious "Blue Beard" and forgave all who had any hand in forcing his retirement from the foot-lights of this earth. He married quite a number of women whom he was always careful to insure, and who preceded him above on the arsenic route.

The trial of Roland Browne for the killing of Congressman John M. Pinckney, at a "Law and Order" meeting, at the court house in Hempstead, this State, last April, is now in progress at Austin. The officers attending the court spend considerable time disarming the attorneys and witnesses, as it appears that everybody from Hempstead is toting their artillery about with them, not being satisfied with killing four men. This is a case of whiskey, pistol toting, personal bile, with the devil in the background stirring up the ingredients. The deed was done in a flash, and it will be a difficult matter to prove conclusively who really shot John Pinckney. It appears from the evidence that everybody was shooting and running off, and in all probability some one got scared, shut his eyes and blazed away and hit the congressman and didn't know it. LATER—Browne has been acquitted.

WILD WEST IN SOUTH AMERICA.

The following extract from a letter to the San Angelo Standard notes an invasion of South America by West Texas men:

"I have just got a letter from W. D. Connell from Buenus Ayres telling me that he and several other boys from Texas: Job Gardner, Clay McGonigal, Negro Pickett, and others are in Buenus Ayres with a Wild West Show."

We insert the above clipping as it will be of interest to the old timers of Terry County. W. D. Connell or "Billy" Connell as he is known was for years a prominent cattleman of this county, and has many friends. He has, we understand, many of the old-time cow boys of this section with him, and we can say that a better-hearted set of fellows never lived. As the range contracted with the incoming man with the hoe, these products of the plains grew restive under restraint, and have sought wider and more congenial ranges. We remember them kindly, as they were our friends, and we hope that their lines may fall in pleasant places, and that the kindest smiles of watching stars may still punctuate their slumbers, as of yore on the broad plains of Texas.

I have numerous calls for ranches, large and small in Yorkum, Terry and Gaines counties. If you will list your property with me I will send you a buyer. JOHN F. ROBINSON, Lubbock, Texas.

THE HEPBURN BILL.

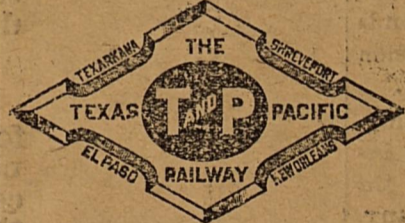
This measure, if passed, need not frighten any corporation or railroad company. It was created to fill "a long felt want" and that was to give some politicians something to blow about. When anything concerning the public must be settled, it must be done right, and it will be necessary to cut the tap-root on artificial transportation. Navigable rivers and the seas and lakes are natural arteries of commerce, and all the claim they have upon governments is to be kept clear of pirates, and in certain cases obstructions. Railroads being constructed by labor requires capital, and it is necessary, owing to its intricate mechanism, to have officials and an organization, and they also must have patronage. The Hepburn bill passes over a mountain to stop at a mouse-hole. It goes by big game, like elephants, lions and tigers, to shoot at a gnat. It is generally supposed that when a man gets religion and tries to reform that his heart, head and his soul has been shaken up, but this measure just trims the toe-nails, and uses a little powder on the face, and perhaps a little Sozodont on its teeth, and is similar to a bouquet made of silk and colored paper; it will bring a grin to the face of a Chinaman who has had his pig-tail cut off, and would make a bob-tailed wild cat wag his stub. It was created for the purpose of an escape valve for statesmen's wind, and is rubbish to make hot-air for executives. Just stick a pin into the stock shares and not allow a corporation to issue \$1,000,000 of shares on \$1,000 investment, and then confiscate the actual earnings over a certain per cent after running expenses are paid.

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Hon. William Jennings Bryan,

Who is now in Asia, will contribute thirty or more letters to THE SUNDAY NEWS descriptive of his travels abroad. He will visit Japan, Korea, the Philippines, China, India, Palestine, Egypt, Turkey, the Balkan States, Russia, Poland, the great powers of Middle Europe, Italy, England and latter Australia and New Zealand. It is a most comprehensive tour and embraces about all of the universe that is of immediate interest.

Mr. Bryan's rank as a statesman no less than his facility of expression, keen insight and journalistic experience peculiarly fits him for a news ambassador to the four quarters of the earth. That which is of interest in governments, in peoples, in civilization, in races, in religious and sociological problems, will be searched out by him and illustrated for the pleasure and profit of readers of THE SUNDAY NEWS.

The world is making history every day now; momentous issues are moving to culmination in Russia, China, Turkey and the buffer states. Jews driven to desperation in Russia are again looking yearningly toward Palestine; China, asleep for centuries, shows symptoms of the unrest which presages awakening. Problems of marked significance are arising in governments and rulers are less easy on thrones. Mr. Bryan's letters will be of lasting value as contributions to contemporaneous history, but he will not write exclusively of great matters—he is gifted with the powers of entertaining and every letter will sparkle with crisp descriptive matter, such as takes the reader eagerly from column to column.

Although Mr. Bryan is one of the highest priced of public writers, THE NEWS has not hesitated to undertake the expense necessary to give his foreign observations to its readers. His first letter appears Sunday, Jan. 14. The Sunday News is \$1.50 a year by mail. Single copies 5c everywhere.

Oklahoma Socialism

We see by a daily newspaper dispatch that an organizer of the Socialist party in Oklahoma has recently added 1,000 members to its working organization. Socialism, if we understand it right, is as far as a mankind can travel along the political road, and when you have struck it you have arrived at the jumping-off place. You can't go no further, and the political road you have been

following is so oily and slippery that it is like trying to climb a greased pole to get back. France has now a Socialist President, and there are about five million Socialists in the world. At the last Presidential election Dewey polled 391,000 votes, which means that party third in number Oklahoma has been good ground for the sowing of Socialistic seed for in that territory, like the ancient Athenians to get on a jury, everybody wants to hold office

NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE.

(REAL ESTATE.)

BY VIRTUE OF AN ALIAS EXECUTION, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1906, in the case of The First National Bank of Belleville, Illinois, vs. B. G. GLASER, No. 292, and to me as Sheriff directed and delivered, I have this 29th day of January, A. D. 1906, at 5 o'clock p. m., and will between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in March, A. D. 1906, it being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Terry County, Texas, in the Town of Brownfield, said County and State, proceed to sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which B. G. Glaser had on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1906, or at any time thereafter, of, in, and to the following described property, to-wit: 350 acres of land, known as State School land, Abstract No. 259, Survey No. 10, Original Grantee, S. C. Rippey, all of that part of said section of land lying and being situated in Yoakum County, Texas, said Yoakum County being attached to Terry County, Texas, for judicial purposes.

The said property being levied upon as the property of B. G. Glaser to satisfy a judgment in favor of The First National Bank of Belleville, Illinois, vs. B. G. Glaser, amounting to the sum of three thousand four hundred and eighty-one dollars and forty-four cents (\$3,481.44) with eight (8) per cent. interest from the date of the rendition of said judgment until paid, less the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars and forty-five cents, (\$125.45), and the sum of five hundred and forty-nine dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$549.88) credited on said judgment, together with the legal fees and commissions for collecting said judgment.

Given under my hand this, (SEAL.) the 29th day of January, A. D. 1906.
GEO. E. TIERNAN,
Sheriff Terry County, Texas.

Program

OF THE
Joint Teacher's Institute,
OF
Lynn, Terry and Lubbock Counties,
TO BE HELD AT
LUBBOCK,
March 9-10, 1906.

- FRIDAY.
8:30. Opening Exercises.
Song by Institute.
Invocation, Rev. B. F. Dixon
Roll Call—Response by Quotation.
9:30-11:30—Composition—
Misses Chambers and Hart.
10:30-11:30—Arithmetic—
Showalter and D. A. Murray.
11:30—The Teachers' Sphere in
Society—Mrs. Randal.
12:02—Recess.
5:03—U. S. History—
T. R. Boone and W. P. Florence.
3:04—Reading—
Mrs. Norton and Miss Berenice
Deshazo.
4:05—Spelling—W. S. Norton
and Miss May Murphy.
SATURDAY.
8:30. Opening Exercises.
9:10—Herbert Spencer and J.
B. Walker.
10:11—Physiology—J. W. Mur-
ray and — Wells.
11:12—Texas History—Miss
Mary Mahoney and P. F. Brown.
12:02—Recess.
2:03—Physical Geography—
J. L. Randal and Miss
Babston.
3:04—Qualification of Teach-
ers—Bartley and Bean.
3:05—Address to Teachers—
Misses Perryman and Copeland.
The outline of County Institute
work from Superintendent R. B.
Cousins for third and fourth days
will be followed at this Institute.

**A CHANCE TO BE BLESSED
IN THE FUTURE.**

As the State Legislature is to meet this month to mend what it omitted in previous meetings, there is a chance for it to cover itself with imperishable glory and fame, and to send their deeds thundering down the ages, and to have future generations sing hosannas to their wisdom: and that is by amending the land laws making it compulsory for every man that holds a section of land to cultivate ten acres of timber of some kind. In the year 1999 your great-grandsons can loll in their autos, in spike-tail coats, and take a cigarette from their mouths can say: "Well, that special session in 1906 did something to help us along, and their shades are welcome to use the trees for shelter and to dodge the hot rays of the noon-day sun."

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

It is the misuse and tyranny of legal ownership that attracts public attention, a few cruel slave-owners did more harm to slavery than all the forbearance and kindness that the better element could do, for those opposed to chattel ownership judged the good by the conduct and aims of the bad. It is so with corporations, with anything that least concerns the public, and especially is this true when it touches the pocket-book. The municipal ownership question as to public utilities, is the result of the last half century's inventive progress. Mayor Dunne, of Chicago, a Democrat, Mayor Weaver, of Philadelphia, a Republican, and W. R. Hearst of New York are the three principal champions of municipal ownership in this country. Where the justice of municipal ownership comes in is where it sticks the bubble of speculative franchises, it also assures the man that patronizes a public utility that his money is not to go into the maw of a plutocrat of some distant city to be used in squeezing more financial oil out of him, but that instead it will remain at home to pay debts, or at least to buy necessities. We don't believe that a municipality can get labor any cheaper than a corporation, and not as cheap, but any way its officials will be chosen from other points than the ability to hold big blocks of stock, and also the sleight-of-hand to clip coupons with a pair of shears, and not have the gall to draw a salary larger than the pay-roll of the whole force he superintends.

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The trial of the packers in Chicago has developed an instance of first-class horse-play. Commissioner Garfield blandly asked the packers for a peep at their books and private papers, promising immunity, silence and oblivion, and he kept his word by writing out an eulogistic report of the virtues, honesty and integrity of the packers in general and the immaculate probity of Chicago packers in particular, that made these gentlemen cough so in reading this official flattery, that their faces appeared to be painted with red ochre—the President choked in trying to swallow it, and ordered the investigation to proceed.

The Terry County Herald, One Dollar per Year.

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A Card.

The Baptists of Brownfield and surrounding country are most cordially invited to meet with us in Brownfield, at the school house, on the first Sunday in March, or the Saturday night before. We hope to organize or constitute a Baptist church on Sunday at 11 a. m., so please come with your church letters. M. F. DEURY, Missionary of the *Plains* on.

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The Herald's Directory.

DISTRICT COURT.

District Court for the County of Terry and the unorganized County of Yoakum attached to Terry for judicial purposes of the 64th Judicial District meets in the town of Brownfield, Terry County on the 23rd Mondays after the first Mondays in January and July and may continue in session two weeks.

L. S. Kinder, Plainview, District Judge.
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COUNTY COURT.

County Court of Terry County Texas meets in town of Brownfield on the First Mondays in February, May, August and November.

OFFICERS.

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COMMISSIONERS COURT.

Commissioners Court meets in regular session on the second Mondays in February, May, August and November. W. N. Copeland, County Judge, presiding.

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Court meets in town of Gomez, on the second Monday in each month.

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Court meets 3rd Monday in each month in the town of Brownfield.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

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Church Directory.

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Rev. W. L. Lovelady, M. E., on second Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock a. m.

Union Sabbath School

Every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock p. m. J. L. RANDAL, Superintendent.

Election Order

FEBRUARY 13th., A. D., 1906.

This day in open court, and at a regular term of the Commissioners Court of Terry County, Texas, the said Commissioners Court, deeming it expedient of its own motion does hereby order an election to be held by the qualified voters of Terry County, Texas: said election to be held on the

14th Day of March, A. D. 1906,

to determine whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors shall be prohibited in Terry county, Texas.

At said election those who favor the prohibition of the sale of intoxicating liquors within Terry county, shall have written or printed on their tickets the words:

"For Prohibition"

and those who oppose it shall have printed or written on their tickets the words:

"Against Prohibition."

Said election shall be held at the regular voting places within said County and which regular places and the officers appointed to hold said election are as follows:

Voting Precinct No. 1 at School House in Gomez. Officers appointed to hold said election: J. M. Lane and Ben Broughton.

Voting Precinct No. 2—in the northeast corner of the Court House in Brownfield. Officers appointed to hold said election: W. T. Clifford and W. L. Morrow.

Voting Precinct No. 3—at Clerks' office in southeast corner of the Court House. Officers of election appointed by said court to hold said election: A. M. Brownfield and W. R. Harris.

Voting Precinct No. 4—at Sheriff's office in southwest corner of Court House. Officers of election appointed: W. L. Lovelady and Jack Bryan.

There are some people in China who have a little sense in political matters. There is a party there that wants to establish a republic. While dynasties may be alright, the supreme authority or executive power should only be entrusted to some one who is in touch with the great mass of the people.

Governor Folk, of Missouri, recently made a speech in Topeka, Kansas, that singled the hair of the high protectionists. He seems to think that a tariff bood-

THE PIRATES

Tariffa was an island in the Mediterranean Sea where pirates congregated and made their headquarters and preyed upon the commerce of nations. At first they would kill or enslave the captured crews, but gradually more humane counsels prevailed among the chiefs, and they would allow captured vessels to buy an immunity by a part of its cargo, and it was found to be more profitable to the pirates, as the same vessel could be robbed continuously, by being a little more moderate. The Tariffites got the business down "pat" and they exploited it for all it was worth, and even made treaties with governments who recognized their right to rob them. This brought the word "tariff" into existence,

TARIFFA.

and is a synonym of legalized robbery. The idea that a tariff helps keep up wages, may be true in isolated cases, but in these times, when the commercial class has all the advantages of market reports from all parts of the world, when water freights are nominal, the laying on of a tariff on manufactured goods is but a tax upon the consumer. Nations will retaliate, and fall behind the bulwarks of cranky laws, and then subvert them temporarily by reciprocity measures. There is not a custom house in the United States but what violates its spirit and intent. Look at the presents given Mrs. Longworth from foreign potentates! was duty paid? No, gentle reader! Diamonds went through the custom houses

as old rags, fine tapestries and bales of Brussels carpets razzledazzled their way through as old ballast, evading the payment of duties, yet if plain John Smith should receive a demi-john of French cognac he would have to "dig up" for the tariff. The tariff is becoming too much like free passes on a railroad, as in one town in New Mexico, every resident except one rode on a pass—the exceptional one was in jail, and of course could not use one. We can't go back to the good old days that the pirates ruled Tariffa, but we must either build a lot of jails or else abolish some fool laws. Once our forefathers bled over a paltry tax on tea, but now they are taxed from Boozetown to Coffinville, and appear to like it.

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