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Brownfield, the Gem Town of West Texas, Extends the Glad Hand to the American People.

THE WORLD'S DOINGS AND MISDOINGS.

William J. Bryan recently spoke in a tabernacle at Jerusalem in the Holy Land. He says the sights over there are worth seeing.

In Athens, Greece, where Pericles, Alcibiades and Demosthenes swayed the people, and even at Jerusalem, where Solomon lived in all his glory, there is no daily paper published, although they are good-sized cities.

Dowie entered Zion City, patched up a truce with his wife, gave his hopeful son, Glasstone, a good sound lecture, but Voliva and the greater portion of the congregation are still stiff necked and rambunctious as ever.

A Socialist writer in the Big Springs Herald makes the statement that four billion dollars is annually spent for advertising in this country annually, which would be about \$50 for every man, woman and child, and almost double the per capita circulation. We don't dispute the statement, but we point to it as an instance of what a powerful lever print's ink has become in commercial affairs in our day.

Over in Paris, France, the street beggars recently became so gay that they started a week-

ly paper, in which the beggars advertised for partners, assistants, hand organs, monkeys, crutches, carts, propellers, etc., were offered for sale, and even two professors had advertisements in offering their services how to teach the guild to bring tears to the eyes, soften the hearts, and bring forth the penicils of the sympathetic. The police got on the journal's trail and suppressed it.

count Witte, the Russian statesman that negotiated the treaty of peace between Japan and Russia at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, has threw up his job as premier to the Russian government, and has been succeeded by a personal enemy as well as a re-actionist. Witte is about as able a man as can be found in the Russian empire, but to conduct that government in its present condition is like being placed between fire and hell with no extinguisher or fire department at your service, and no hole to creep out at.

Whenever a calf has mere rope than he needs he is sure to come up with a jerk when he goes to trotting about, and that was what was the matter with Teddy Roosevelt when he told the German government to keep its do-

has made. He is now asking that the Federal judiciary, the national banks that contributed to campaign funds, and that the Mrs. Morris episode be all investigated. Anyway, it can be said that there is no mealy-mouthedness about Mr. Tillman if he does carry a pitchfork.

DON'T POINT YOUR FINGER AT SAN FRANCISCO.

The probability is that Satan or the Almighty had nothing to do with the San Francisco earthquake or the upheaval at Vesuvius. It was the result of natural causes, so scientists say with some foundation for truth. As to the wickedness of San Francisco, admitting that it is the devil's playground it can't hold a candle to New York or Chicago for human cussedness and perverted depravity. San Francisco is wicked enough, but take New York and her insurance scandals, where men, the highest in state, church and finance waded waist deep in the sacred funds of widows and orphans and rioted and banqueted upon the bequests of the dead to those they loved. Niniveh, Babylon, Jerusalem when it was encompassed by Roman swords and spears cannot be put in comparison to the bribery and iniquities practiced in New York city. Tom Lawson, in his "Frenzied Finance" must have astonished all the imps of Satan, from Judas Iscariot to Benedict Arnold by his revelations, and made them think that they were small potatoes compared to the financiers of this time and age, and that in morals and honesty they were saints in comparison to the product now on the turf. If the Almighty was inclined to vengeance he would take this world and slap it in the sun and make ashes of every living thing on it. But He is merciful, so don't point your finger at San Francisco, but whack off that beam in your own eye, and cut off that cankerous mote that is disfiguring your face and making your little gizzardly soul quake for fear, for you know well enough that the great Jehovah don't give an immunity bath if you turn state's evidence in His court, but it must be a plea of guilty with an honest confession that will be required.

An Ancient Banking House.

Dr. A. T. Clay formerly a pupil and now assistant of Prof. Herman V. Hilprecht, the world's leading authority on Babylonian antiquities, has been at work several months deciphering and arranging the records of the banking firm of Murashu Sons, which was the leading banking house of the city of Nippur, in Babylonia several hundred years before Christ. Mortgages, worded in a form very similar to that in use in the present day; wills, deeds of sale or rent, merchants' guarantees of goods sold in the markets and other business dealings of almost every conceivable kind are found among them.

Encouragement.

Mr. Bashleigh—Miss Dora, I couldn't begin to tell you how much I—Dora Hope—You certainly have been a long time beginning, my poor boy. Go ahead.—Chicago Tribune.

Had a Happy Wit.
Col. C. G. Hilpinc sometimes made his stammer tributary to his wit, as when, upon Mrs. Stowe's going abroad in 1853 on a supposed mission to collect funds for the anti-slavery cause, he nicknamed her, first among his friends and afterward in print: "Harriet Beesecher Be-Stowe."

A Question of Happiness.
"The old, old story," exclaimed the husband with a long-drawn sigh, as he laid down his paper. "Another man committed suicide because his home was unhappy." "And did that make his home any happier?" asked his wife. "Or doesn't the paper say?" —Kennebec Journal.

FOR SALE.

White Leghorn Eggs, \$1.25 a setting, 1 Cockerel, \$3.00.
Bard Plymouth Rock Eggs, \$1.25 a setting, 1 Cockerel, \$3.00.

COL. H. SMITH,
Gomez, : Texas.

Dr. J. H. McCoy

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON

Tahoka, Texas.

M. V. BROWNFIELD,
President.

A. M. BROWNFIELD,
Cashier.

BROWNFIELD STATE BANK,

BROWNFIELD, TEXAS,
WE DO A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS AND SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE.

W. S. L. PEARCE,
DEALER IN
General Merchandise,
Brownfield, Texas.
When in town please call and tell us what you want.

We are adding to our Stock a Fresh Line of
New Goods, and what we want is YOU
FOR A CUSTOMER.

MILLINERY! Millinery!
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I have just returned from the markets where I purchased a complete stock of Millinery and Ladies' Furnishings, and now have a grand exposition of the most charming modes—the latest fashions in Millinery fresh from the centers of fashion. Come early, look them over, and take your choice.

MRS. D. ROBINSON,
BROWNFIELD, : TEXAS

PHOTOGRAPHER...
D. EASON, : Photographer.
Will be in Brownfield a few days, and all parties wishing to work will please call. He does the very best photography work and all work guaranteed. View work a Specialty.

Notice!
Having closed out our business heretofore conducted by us in the town of Brownfield, all persons indebted to us are asked to come forward and settle at once. Our books of account will be left in the hands of W. R. SHERBURN, and 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 cost. Thanking our customers for their patronage in the past, we are,
Respectfully Yours,
Brownfield Mercantile Company,
Brownfield, : Texas.

A Painless Cure of Curable Pain

Never resign yourself to suffer pain. Women's pains are curable. They are the sign of dangerous conditions of the female organs, which should be promptly attended to or dangerous results will follow.

TAKE Wine of Cardui

IT COMES TO WOMAN'S RELIEF

whenever she suffers from any of woman's biting and weakening pains. It not only compels the pains to stop, but it follows up and drives out the cause of the pains, which prevents them from coming back.

It makes you well. Try it.
Sold everywhere in \$1.00 bottles.

WRITE US A LETTER
freely and frankly, in strictest confidence, telling us all your symptoms and troubles. We will send free advice (in plain sealed envelope), how to cure them. Address: Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

"WITHOUT A PAIN,"
writes Mary Shelton, of Poplar Bluff, Mo.: "I can do my housework, although, before taking CARDUI, two doctors had done me no good. I can truthfully say I was cured by Cardui. I want every suffering lady to know of this wonderful medicine."

nations for San Francisco. Our President is not the whole political, social or diplomatic cheese in this nation, neither should he be put in his job when people feel charitable to those who have been shaken up by an earthquake.

BEN TILLMAN, OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Has always been considered a little on the unique or cranky order. He is not a saint by any

means, but he has a tongue that says what he thinks, and it must be acknowledged that he thinks a good deal. He is a United States Senator and of course he sees and understands lots of things that the public don't see through as quickly as he does. He is possessed of a perspicuity, and is cordially hated by all schemers, and has earned himself a reputation like Cato did in Rome—he is hated, despised and feared—and is loved for the enemies he

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

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Official Paper of
Terry and Yoakum Counties.

WHAT THE GOVERNORS OF THE CAROLINAS SAID.

The candidates for Governor of Texas are now in the field, and are making the welkin ring. This portion of the State hasn't much to say in the matter, only this, we want to see a fair, square deal. The candidates are all right enough, all claim to be free from graft, and all are inclined to muzzle booze more or less. It is an indication of good, sound political health, when a candidate for the highest office within the gift of the people of this commonwealth, are so conscientious, and has the well-being of his fellow-citizens at heart to such an extent that when a governor will keep his demijohn out of the executive office and under lock and key, and not say as the Governor of South Carolina said once upon a time, to the Governor of North Carolina, "that it was a long, long time between drinks." It shows genuine reform when a candidate for governor can frown on booze, and when their eloquent tongues can spit fire and contempt at this amber fluid instead of lapping it up like a thirsty horse.

THE AFRICAN HAS FOUND HIS PROPER PLACE IN BOSTON

Charles Francis Adams, a great grandson of the second President of the United States, and a grandson of the sixth, has been over in Africa studying the negro on his native heath, and he gives it out cold that the negro will never attain to the same heights in the sciences and arts, religion and politics that other races will. He says there is an impassible barrier that the negro cannot surmount. The Adams family have always been abolitionists of the most ultra type, and this avowal has stirred the inner circles of Boston as they have never been, stirred before. Heretofore in that city of culture, codfish and beans a white man was considered as good as a nigger if he behaved himself; but this opinion of one so high has shattered the hopes of the social equality cranks in that place, and the negro in Boston society will now take his proper place as being above apes, monkeys, chimpanzees and parrots, but he will be debarred from entering the white family circle.

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There were 15 persons who lost their lives in the cyclone at Bellevue, this State. One family of six persons were killed.

A British expedition in South Africa killed sixty Zulus, with a Gatling gun. Organized barbarism will soon disappear from the earth.

A Mr. Bowdrie, a capitalist and business man of Memphis, Tenn., was in the residential portion of that city, recently, when an unknown assassin shot and instantly killed him, and then escaped.

The douma, (or national parliament) of Russia is to meet in a day or two. We suppose that there is enough combustible political cussedness in it to make its proceedings lurid. Anyway free government has got a start in Muscovy, and we hope it may succeed.

A French lady, Madame Du Sans, the widow of a millionaire who has been a leader in automobile and boat races, also in balloon ascensions, in diving and other sports, has set all Paris to laughing by going to Morocco and getting captured by a brigand and chief. She is known as "The Thriller," but the brigand wants cold cash and refuses to be thrilled, and is holding her for ransom.

The boycott in China is gradually simmering down to that point that a Chinaman can politely tell an American what kind of a hog he thinks he is, and then both can laugh, and if a saloon is near the American can set up the drinks and let the celestial drown his national sorrows in a glass of good American booze. There is nothing like washing a bitter pill down with something strong, and that is what we will have to do with John Chinaman if you want to keep him in good humor.

H. H. Rogers, one of the head men in the Standard Oil company made a very good answer to President Roosevelt's message denouncing that combination, but he would have done better if he had refrained from calling the President "a muckraker," and his sarcastic allusion to his penchant of giving advise as to the size of families. The people will sustain the President, in his attack upon the Standard Oil Trust knowing full well that the courts will thwart him. However the President's message will open the ball.

Castro, of Venezuela, will resign the Presidency of that country and will retire to the shades of private life. However, it is said that he will still retain a string to the governmental machinery, and will give it a jerk occasionally when it goes to wobbling, and even intimates that if an emergency or crisis should occur, he may get in the governmental saddle again, which is as good as saying that he would rather fight than not. It is not known, but nevertheless it is true, that this rank-tankerous old South American executive is worth about \$20,000,000 in lands and mines in his country, and that he is the wealthiest man in it.

Christmas the Real Turkey Day.

Christmas, not Thanksgiving, is the real turkey day. Last Christmas Uncle Sam's nephews and nieces took care of about 1,500,000 more turkeys than they did on Thanksgiving.

The Labor Problem is Too "Mixy" to Write About.

It may appear a little inconsistent for laborers, mechanics or any body of men to organize a strike. It is wrong in tactics, in spirit and in morals. Even labor leaders acknowledge this fact. Yet in a great many instances they are driven into it. We have seen men, by a little turn of fortune's wheel get lifted up a notch above their former associates, which put them in their own estimation about three degrees higher. Just as soon as they could buy a dog and get some fool to do their chores, it made them have the big-head, and when man's head is swollen he is sure to do some foolish thing. Then again we have seen the animal known as man get a job of carrying a hod, and straightway he spent his wages in buying ice-cream for two young ladies, and in trying to make up his mind which one he would rather be spliced with. Man is a queer, incomprehensible critter, and everything that he is connected with is liable to be tilted over by the kick of some kicker or the knock of some knocker. The labor problem is too mixed for any man to ever try to solve. The Almighty made the world in six days and on the seventh he rested and there is no account of His going to work after that, which is pretty good indication that He left it to the devil and mankind to burnish up. But any man that will fight a brother man for a job is a fool, when he might just as well rest and let the other fellow do the work. What this country needs the most is good, solid resters. It makes honest men disgusted to hear the nervous talk of human machines working their jaws about the amount of work they perform, when in fact they leave their wives chop the wood, carry the water, and keep them clean.

THE BALL WILL COMMENCE IN RUSSIA.

That the Russians are unfit for a free government is fully shown by the action of the deputies of the new Russian parliament in cheering the assassin who made an attempt upon the life of the Governor-General of Moscow. The governor escaped, but his coachman and carriage was blown to pieces by a bomb, and upon the first news, thinking the governor was killed, the assembled deputies gave a cheer. The governor has the reputation of being a tyrant though, and perhaps he deserved killing, as most Russian governor-generals do, and perhaps, a great many others who are living there. Anyway, a public assembly that will cheer a bomb-throwing assassin, shows itself incompetent to deal with great questions of reform.

Mommsen's Absent-Mindedness.

The celebrated German historian, Theodore Mommsen, was the most absent minded of men. Once while going from Berlin to Charlottenberg, a half hour's journey, the trolley car in which he rode went off the track. The rest of the passengers took another car and went ahead, and the stranded vehicle was abandoned till help could be found. Mommsen remained reading his book. An hour or two later the sound of jacks, levers, derricks, etc., aroused him. Rising from his seat he went to the door, and with the most complete unconcern imaginable remarked: "I suppose we have come to a standstill!"

Wednesday, the 2nd Day of May, A. D. 1906.

In Vacation

WHEREAS, an election was held on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1906, in Terry County, Texas, to determine whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors should be prohibited in said Terry County, and,

WHEREAS, the result of said election shows a majority of the votes were for prohibiting the sale of said liquors in said county, and

WHEREAS, the Order of the Court declaring the result and prohibiting the sale of such liquors has been published for four successive weeks in THE TERRY COUNTY HERALD, a weekly newspaper published in said county, and the paper selected by the County Judge for the purpose of such publication: Now, therefore, in compliance with Article 3331 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895, I hereby enter of record the fact of said publication, and that the sale of such liquor is hereby prohibited in said Terry County, Texas, from and after the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1906, except for the purpose and under the regulations specified in Title LXIX [89], of said Statutes. Entered this May 2nd, A. D. 1906. W. N. COPELAND, County Judge.

Attest: Terry County, Texas.
W. T. DIXON, County Clerk.

Certificate of True Copy.

The State of Texas, }
county of Terry, }

I, W. T. DIXON, clerk of the county court of Terry county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears of record in Commissioners' Court minutes of Terry county in Vol. 1, Page 93, now on file in my office.

Terry county SEAL. Given under my hand and seal of said court, at Office in Brownfield, Texas, this, the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1906.
W. T. DIXON, clerk.

Cheap Summer Rates to California.

The transcontinental lines always have made reductions in the round trip rate to California for a few days each summer, on account of some big national gathering. Not until this year were such low rates authorized for the entire summer. This new departure was adopted in order to stimulate travel to California, and thereby induce Americans to see their own country first, instead of going abroad.

Beginning June 1st, and until the middle of September, first-class tickets will be sold to the principal California points at \$75 from Chicago, \$69 from St. Louis, \$60 from Kansas City, and proportionately from the East generally. These tickets will be limited for return until October 31st.

The Santa Fe also announces that the summer rate to the Grand Canyon of Arizona and return, also to Phoenix and return, will be \$5 less than the above figures. Tickets sold at rates named will be honored on the California Limited.

During the last week in April and the first week in May, also during the last week in June and the first week in July, the Santa Fe will make a rate of about one fare to California and back, on account of Mystic Shriners' convention at Los Angeles and N. E. A. convention at San Francisco. Several special excursions will be run from Chicago by way of the Grand Canyon.

High Speed on Railroads. While it has been demonstrated that speeds of 100 miles an hour and more on steam railroads are possible, engineers say that it is not practical.

Cement Piles. Cement is being used instead of wood for piles. They are made in triangular shape, and are driven in the same manner as those of wood.

Road Notice to Non-Resident Land Owners.

STATE OF TEXAS, } ss.
Terry County, }

We, the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of said Terry County, Texas, duly appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Terry county, Texas, at its February Term, 1906, to view and establish a first-class Road from Brownfield south to county line of Terry county, and having been duly sworn as the law directs, hereby give notice that we will, on the 8th day of May, 1906, assemble at Brownfield and thence proceed to survey, locate, view, mark out and establish said road, beginning at the Brownfield town section No. 113, Block T, south to south county line of Terry county as near center east and west as possible.

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

Witness our hands, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1906.

S. M. Tow, } Jurors
W. A. Fulton, } of
W. J. A. Parker, } View.
J. W. Black, }

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We, the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of said Terry County, Texas, duly appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Terry County, Texas, at its February Term, 1906, to view and establish a first-class Road from Brownfield town section north towards the center of Hockley County, and having been duly sworn as the law directs, hereby give notice that we will, on the 8th day of May, 1906, assemble at Brownfield and thence proceed to survey, locate, view, mark out and establish said road, beginning at the north west corner of Section No. 113, in Block T, Terry County, thence north and west, the most practicable route terminating as near as possible to the center of the north line of Terry County, between the northeast and northwest corner of Terry County.

And we do hereby notify G. D. Thomas, C. F. Hutchison, W. B. Woolley and M. A. Daugherty and any and all persons owning lands through which said road may run, that we will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening and establishment of said road, when they may, either in person or by agent or attorney, present to us a written statement of the amount of damages, if any, claimed by them.

Witness our hands, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1906.

John Long, } Jurors
Ben Broughton, } of
Q. H. Hudson, } View.
J. E. Woodard, }
G. M. Smith, }

Cost of Carnegie Libraries.

Carnegie libraries cost something. Mr. Carnegie recently said: "I have helped found 750 libraries and have 800 more under advisement." This will make, say, 1,500 in all. During last year he gave 158 library buildings, at a cost to him of \$6,679,000, so the average cost of the buildings is \$42,270, and 1,500 of them will aggregate \$63,405,000. Now, under the contract with Carnegie, the cities blessed must tax themselves annually 10 per cent of the cost of the buildings to provide funds for their maintenance. This would be \$6,340,500 every year in addition to the interest on more than \$30,000,000 paid by the cities for library sites. By these transactions the libraries will cost Mr. Carnegie each year, at 5 per cent interest on his investment, \$3,170,250, while the interest to the cities at the same rate will be \$7,840,500, or two and a half times as much.

The Herald's Directory.

State Officials.

S. W. T. Lanham, Governor.
 George D. Neal, Lieutenant-Governor.
 R. V. Davidson, Attorney General.
 J. W. Stephens, Comptroller.
 J. W. Robbins, Treasurer.
 J. J. Terrell, Land Commissioner.
 R. E. Cousins, Superintendent Public Instruction.

DISTRICT COURT.

District Court for the County of Terry and the unorganized County of Yoakum attached to Terry for Judicial purposes of the 4th 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.
 R. M. Ellard, Floydada, District Attorney.
 W. T. Dixon, Brownfield, District Clerk.
 Geo. E. Tiernan, Brownfield, Sheriff.

COUNTY COURT.

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

OFFICERS.

W. N. Copeland, County Judge
 W. T. Dixon, County Clerk
 Geo. E. Tiernan, Sheriff.

COMMISSIONERS COURT.

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

W. A. Shepherd Com. Prec. No. 1
 W. H. Gist Com. Prec. No. 2
 J. N. Groves Com. Prec. No. 3
 J. J. Adams Com. Prec. No. 4

OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS.

Thomas Deshazo, County Treasurer.
 Geo. E. Tiernan, Tax Collector
 N. L. Nelson, County Assessor
 J. T. Gainer, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1.
 S. M. Tow, Constable Precinct No. 1.
 Court meets in town of Gomez, on the second Monday in each month.
 J. D. Crawford, Justice of Peace of Precinct No. 2.
 Court meets 3rd Monday in each month in the town of Brownfield.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Officers of Brownfield Lodge No 903, A. F. & A. M., G. N. Foreman, Worshipful Master; D. Robinson, Senior Warden; A. F. Small, Junior Warden; W. R. Spencer, Secretary, M. V. Brownfield, Treasurer. J. A. Foreman, Tyler; E. Wolforth, Senior Deacon; J. J. Adams, Junior Deacon.
 Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at 2 o'clock p. m.

Wade Chapter
 Of the Order of **EASTERN STAR**
 Meets at the Masonic Hall, in Brownfield, Texas, on Saturday before the full moon of each month at 1 o'clock p. m.
 Mrs. D. Robinson, W. M.; W. R. Spencer, W. P.
 Mrs. C. M. Spencer, A. M.; J. A. Foreman, Secretary; B. Wolforth, Treasurer.

Brownfield Camp No. 1939.
W. O. W.
 Meets the first Saturday night after the full moon in each month.
 W. R. Spencer, C. C.
 W. T. Dixon, Clerk.

Union Prayer Meeting.
 Every Wednesday night. Everybody invited to attend when in town. This is regular and holds good for all the year.

Church Directory.
 Rev. J. N. Groves, Protestant Methodist, on third Sunday in each month at 11 o'clock a. m.
 Rev. Col. Smith, M. E., on fourth Sunday in each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
 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 3 o'clock p. m.
 J. L. RANDAL, Supd.

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Local Brevities.

J. E. Woodard was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Burnett had business in town Saturday.

Mr. Skenfient was in Brownfield Saturday.

Mr. Eason, the photographer, was sick last week.

Mr. Kinard was a recent visitor in Brownfield.

Mr. B. W. Lester was here Saturday on business.

A. J. Roe's collecting agent was here last week.

The prospector seems to be numerous at present.

Mr. Forester, of Lynn county, was here Saturday.

H. B. Parker and family were in Brownfield Saturday.

Miss Clara Bell visited Miss Dolores Hill last week.

Mr. Shropshire, of Meadow, was here last week.

Noah Bell and daughter were in town Saturday.

Mr. Nelson came in Saturday from Yoakum county.

Jack Bryan had business in Brownfield last Friday.

W. J. Duncan made a business trip out west last week.

Mrs. T. S. Jackson was here last week from Meadow.

Brock Gist was a Brownfield visitor one day last week.

Jesse and Charley Hamilton were in town Saturday.

Miss Emma Belle Harris was on the sick list last week.

Mr. A. W. Arnot was in Brownfield last Saturday.

Otis Copeland, of Meadow, visited his parents Sunday.

Misses Bertie and Belle Fisher spent Sunday in Brownfield.

Rev. Col. Smith, of Gomez, visited Brownfield Saturday.

Floyd Preatt is drilling a well for County Clerk W. T. Dixon.

Misses Nettie, Pearl and Allie Sawyers were in town Sunday.

J. C. Green left Monday for Big Springs for a load of freight.

Judge Copeland returned Saturday afternoon from a trip to Meadow.

Chas. Walker and family were Saturday from Yoakum County.

Mrs. W. N. Copeland was a Lubbock visitor the first of the week.

John Welch and family were in Brownfield Saturday from the ranch.

Do we need a railroad in Brownfield? Go ask the freight mules.

County Judge W. N. Copeland went out to his ranch one day last week.

D. Robinson spent several days of last week at his ranch near Meadow.

Rev. J. N. Groves and daughter, Miss Maudie, visited Brownfield Saturday.

John Raymer has been quite sick at the residence of his sister Mrs. Noah Bell.

Mrs. Jim Smith was here one day last week from the Need More community.

Mrs. J. E. Woodward, of Meadow, is on a visit to her mother in Central Texas.

Dora and Lynn Adams were here in attendance on the Masonic Lodge Saturday.

Rev. Williams and family, and Mrs. Howard and daughters were in the city Saturday.

Mr. Everett, who lives on the Saunders place had business in the Capital Saturday.

Miss Annie Hamilton and Miss Kinard were shopping in Brownfield one day last week.

Rev. M. D. Williams and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Green Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Spencer left Monday for a visit to relatives at Brownwood and Ballinger.

Milton Robinson and wife spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Robinson.

Mrs. B. Jones and children of near Sparsburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis, of Comanche, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Witt, who recently moved to this county were here Sunday to attend preaching.

G. W. and J. A. Foreman attended a meeting of the A. F. & A. M. Lodge at this place Saturday.

Luke Robinson, of the Arnett ranch spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Robinson.

Merlin Adams moved his family to Brownfield last week. We extend to them a cordial welcome.

Rev. M. D. Williams preached at this place last Saturday at eleven and Sunday and Sunday night.

Messrs. Way, Tinker, Butler and Holden were here Saturday from the northern part of the county.

Miss Effie Brownfield spent several days last week in Brownfield the guest of relatives and friends.

Brownfield has not as much population as London or Chicago, but then she has the room or area.

The Pool, Cauble Co. are the largest grain dealers in the Middle West, Big Springs, Texas.

W. J. A. Parker and Fred Wofford were here Saturday and attended a meeting of the Masonic lodge.

The prairie schooner, the advance guard of civilization and development, are frequently seen on our highways.

The drug store of H. H. Cotton has put in an up-to-date prescription desk, which adds much to its appearance.

W. R. Spencer returned Monday from Lubbock, where he had been attending the District Court in session at that place.

Quite a frost fell in and about Brownfield last Monday morning May 7th. The wind was from the southerly direction.

It pays to figure with Pool, Cauble Co., Big Springs, when you want Groceries and Grain.

Mrs. Huokleberry, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard, returned to her home in Oklahoma the first of the week.

Mr. Proctor, a prospector who has been in Terry county for sometime past, went over into Yoakum and purchased land near the center of that county.

There are no snakes in Ireland; but some of the people see a good many of them.

Pool, Cauble Co., wholesale and retail High Grade Groceries and Grain. No credit prices here. Big Springs, Texas.

Last Sunday and Monday forenoon the weather was cold, and a fire felt comfortable. The stove had been removed from the bar room in the Hill Hotel for a summer's rest, but it was hustled back.

This office recently did some stationery work for an Oklahoma merchant, and we wish to say to our cotempus up there that we don't enter that territory to hassle business, but a business man up in Beaver county, that territory, happened to have a graft on our printer.

It don't look well for a man to be tooting his own horn everlastingly by his own jaw music; it makes people tired. The best way to catch public attention is to put an advertisement in your home paper, and if there is a sucker within a hundred miles he will be sure and bite. Try it.

FOR SALE.

White Leghorn Eggs, \$1.25 a setting, 1 Cockerel, \$3.00.
 Bard Plymouth Rock Eggs, \$1.25 a setting, 1 Cockerel, \$3.00.

COL. H. SMITH,
 Gomez, Texas.

The Lanham administration is to be credited with demonstrating the feasibility of the iron industry in Texas.

The Arabic Day.

The Arabic day begins at sunset, and the particular one which begins any month is that on which the new moon is first seen after sunset. Apart from the cloudiness of the sky there may be and generally is considerable difficulty in seeing the crescent, just as it must always be in the radiance of the set sun, and consequently there is always uncertainty for some time after sunset whether the day that has just begun is to be reckoned with the last month or as the first of a new month.

The "Missing Link."

Down in New Zealand, comparatively small as the land is, there are many animal and bird mysteries still. They say that there is a brand-new—that is, new to the world—type of animal on the order of the duckbill down there yet. Darwin always thought that some day a veritable lizard bird (not a flying bird, but a true missing link between the birds and the reptiles) might be found there.

Necessity of Etiquette.

Etiquette is necessary as a sort of public dress rehearsal of that fraternal graciousness of character that recognizes the right of the other one to our consideration. Dr. Trail, the celebrated hygienist, often said: "If it were not for women, men would soon revert to barbarism." So much for social form with its civility, cordiality, sincerity and fraternal interest.

Grand Opening of Millinery Goods.

—ON—
Saturday, May 5th.

Latest Patterns from Paris on Exhibition. Everybody cordially invited to come and inspect our Goods and Prices.

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 Big Springs, Texas.

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The Herald's Directory.

State Officials.

G. W. T. Latham, : Governor
George D. Neal, : Lieutenant-Governor
E. V. Davidson, : Attorney General
J. W. Stephens, : Comptroller
J. W. Robbins, : Treasurer
J. J. Terrell, : Land Commissioner
S. A. Cowles, : Superintendent Public Instruction

Announcements.

FOR JUDGE—6th Judicial District:

L. B. KINDER,
(Present Incumbent.)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY—6th Judicial District:

C. S. WILLIAMS,
of Hale County.

A. W. CALAHAN,
of Swisher County.

For County Judge of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:

W. N. COPELAND,
For re-election.

For County and District Clerk of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:

W. T. DIXON,
For re-election.

HOMER H. COTTON,
T. J. PRICE.

For County Treasurer of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:

W. J. (JACK) HEAD,
THOMAS DESHAZO,
For re-election.

For County Tax Assessor of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:

DOLPHUS ROBINSON,
GEORGE M. SMITH.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:

GEO. E. TIERNAN,
S. M. TOW.

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) Head as a candidate for election to the office of Treasurer of Terry County, Texas

San Francisco is to be rebuilt upon a grander scale than ever.

Presidential Truth-Breaker

Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, the hero of the Merimac steamboat incident at Santiago, Cuba, has secured the nomination for Congress in Bankheads' district in Alabama, which is equivalent to an election. It is also announced that a little twinkling boomlet has been launched, that he has an eye on the Presidency in 1908. He gained a national reputation as a kisser during a lecture tour, and we are sorry to learn that he has come out and denied the whole kissing business, which is not Presidential, for when the story of Maria Halpin was sprung upon Grover Cleveland, he acknowledged it like a man, and wrote to Henry Ward Beecher that "I sinned." Then he should remember Washington, the hatchet, and the cherry tree. These two instances of an honest confession showed that there was really Presidential timber in them, but when a man like Hobson, who has kissed a thousand women, and was kicked in the act, gets up and refutes the impeachment, the opposition parties would be sure to have his denial on a large banner followed by a panorama of moving pictures, showing him in this oscillatory performance, and closing the parade with a steamer on which are the words: "I cannot tell a lie." He should have said: "I did it with my Hobson lips."

Every body says that Pool, Cauble Co., sells the best Groceries and Grain. Big Springs, Texas.

Distilled Alcoholic Drinks, Alcoholic beverages are distilled from bananas, the milk of coconuts, rice, and peas. The Japanese distill spirit from plums, peaches, and the flowers of the motherwort. The Chinese make an alcoholic drink from alums.

Charge for Table Napkin. On the continent of Europe the table napkin is charged to you, put in a cold pencil on the check brought by the waiter—two cents in my money, whatever it may happen to be in centimes or pennings.

Regulation for Track Walkers. Track walkers for certain Massachusetts roads are now required to wind a registering clock at certain points every hour and records are kept, to be examined weekly by the superintendent.

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The Secret of Success. "To be successful," he remarked, thoughtfully, "all we have to do is to make as much of a business of our own business as we do of the things that are none of our business."

German Canaries the Best. German canaries excel all other canaries as singers. One has been known to continue a single trill for a minute and a quarter, with twenty changes of note in it.

Peach Trees.

I have left a lot of Peach Trees in Brownfield with W. R. Spencer for sale. Please call on him for prices.

T. C. LEEDY.

He Preached for Nothing.

The Rev. Francis Bloodgood (died), for thirty-nine years pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Pittsburg, N. Y., and probably the most widely known clergyman in Northern New York, died the other day. He had the novel distinction of having refused any pay for his services, holding to the liberal theory that the gospel is and should be absolutely free to all.

Will He Out-Herod Herod.

When Andrew Jackson was President, a Mr. Biddle was head of the National Bank Party, which at that time was considered to be the big political ice-cutter. Biddle called upon Andy and told him that he was the head of an organization that made governors, and sometimes pulled pegs from under Senators and Congressmen. Old Hickory listened to his cackle and said: "What you say may be true, and if it is I think you are a little too powerful for the good of this nation." That was the opening skirmish. The national bank interest at that time was about like a pigmy to a Goliath compared to the Standard Oil Trust of this time. The Standard is the head of all trusts and corporations. It has its Senators, Governors, Congressmen, Supreme Judges, journalists, a host of priests and prelates, who all wear its horns as openly as Satan does his in hell. Under Jackson the money power was but a proposition or a theory at best, but at the present time it is a reality, it is in the constitution, the laws, statutes, and institutions of the land, it has the heart of the nation coated over with varnish that has become petrified into a crust, and it furnishes the spectacles for all the statesmen that are afflicted with the S-mark itch. When we read that President Ted intends to rip up the spinal column of the Standard Oil trust we admire his nerve but condemn his judgment. He will then find out how really small he is; an ant might just as well attempt to butt an elephant from its path, as for the executive of a nation to trim down a trust. If Roosevelt is in earnest he will not succeed; if for buncombe and to play to the galleries he will be permitted to amuse himself. Money lords are not fools when it comes to measuring truculent and compliant official tools. Take a man that has his millions, it is not only distasteful but it is positively offensive, to have any official stick his nose into his graft.

Christmas With Lewis and Clark.

Some rain at different times last night and showers of hail, with intervals of fair starlight. This morning at day we were saluted by our party under our winders, a Shout and a Song. After breakfast we divided our tobacco, which amounted 2 Carrots, one half we gave to the party who used Tobacco, those who did not we gave a Handkerchief as a present. The day proved showery all day, the Inds. left us this evening, all our party moved into their huts, we dried some of our wet goods. I received a present of a Fleese Hosiery (fleece hosiery), vest, draws & Socks of Capt. Lewis, Mr. Mockerson of Whitehouse, a small Indian basket of Guterich (Goodrich) & 2 Doz weasels tails of the Squar of Shaboro & some black roots of the Indians. Our Dinner to day consisted of pore Elk boiled, split fish & some roots, a bad Christmas dinner, warm day.—From "Newly Discovered Personal Records of Lewis and Clark."

A Curious Custom of Oxfordshire.

In some places in Oxfordshire, England, it was the right of every maid servant to ask the hired man for a bit of ivy to trim the house. If he turned a deaf ear to her importunities or forgot her request she would steal a pair of his breeches and nail them to the gate in the yard or on the highway. This was supposed to debar him from all privileges of the mistletoe.

For St. Nicholas' White Horse.

In Belgium the children expect the good St. Nicholas to visit them. They think he rides on a white horse, so they polish their shoes with great care, fill them with hay, oats or carrots for the saint's horse and put them in the fireplace or on a table, and in the morning instead of the forage, they find sticks for the bad children and candies for the good ones.

Wednesday, the 2nd Day of May, A. D. 1906, In Vacation

WHEREAS, an election was held on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1906, in Terry County, Texas, to determine whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors should be prohibited in said Terry County, and, WHEREAS, the result of said election shows a majority of the votes were for prohibiting the sale of said liquors in said county, and, WHEREAS, the Order of the Court declaring the result and prohibiting the sale of such liquors has been published for four successive weeks in THE TERRY COUNTY HERALD, a weekly newspaper published in said county, and the paper selected by the County Judge for the purpose of such publication; Now, therefore, in compliance with Article 3391 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895, I hereby enter of record the fact of said publication, and that the sale of such liquor is hereby prohibited in said Terry County, Texas, from and after the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1906, except for the purpose and under the regulations specified in Title LXIX [69], of said Statutes. Entered this May 2nd, A. D. 1906. W. N. COPELAND, County Judge.

Attest: Terry County, Texas.
W. T. DIXON, County Clerk.

Certificate of True Copy.

The State of Texas, }
County of Terry, }

I, W. T. DIXON, clerk of the County Court of Terry county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears of record in Commissioners' Court minutes of Terry county in Vol. 1, Page 93, now on file in my office.

Terry county SEAL. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at Office in Brownfield, Texas, this, the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1906.

W. T. DIXON, clerk.

Cheap Summer Rates to California.

The transcontinental lines always have made reductions in the round trip rate to California for a few days each summer, on account of some big national gathering. Not until this year were such low rates authorized for the entire summer. This new departure was adopted in order to stimulate travel to California, and thereby induce Americans to see their own country first, instead of going abroad.

Beginning June 1st, and until the middle of September, first-class tickets will be sold to the principal California points at \$75 from Chicago, \$69 from St. Louis, \$60 from Kansas City, and proportionately from the East generally. These tickets will be limited for return until October 31st.

The Santa Fe also announces that the summer rate to the Grand Canyon of Arizona and return, also to Phoenix and return, will be \$5 less than the above figures.

Tickets sold at rates named will be honored on the California Limited.

During the last week in April and the first week in May, also during the last week in June and the first week in July, the Santa Fe will make a rate of about one fare to California and back, on account of Mystic Shrine's convention at Los Angeles and N. E. A. convention at San Francisco. Several special excursions will be run from Chicago by way of the Grand Canyon.

J. W. Barrington. W. A. Dewey.

Barrington & Dewey.

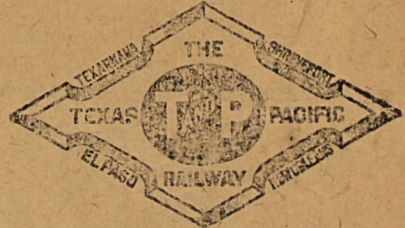
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W. T. DIXON, Clerk.

J. P. TURNER,
GEN'L PASSENGER AND TICKET AGENT,
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