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TERRY COUNTY.

Terry county is thirty miles square, situated eighty miles north from Stanton. on the T. & P. railroad, and about eighty southwest from Plainview, terminus of the Santa Fe; was organized in 1904, and has about 2,000 population. ALL WHITE, about 400 homes, mostly farmers and stock farmers, 350 schools children, a school house in reach of every community, and a school fund of \$15 per scholar.

The soil is of a sandy nature, but one-half of the county is firm mixed hard land with enough sand to plow well, level and smooth. Portions of this land is covered with short grass and mesquite and catclaw bushes: other portions with sage grass and shiner, and a great deal of the county is a mixture of both, with clay foundation. The country being level, not having any running streams or mountains the land catches and holds every drop of rain that falls—none is wasted. The GRASS is splendid grazing for cattle and other stock, and furnishes a living for thousands of cattle every year. The land produces fine corn, kaffir corn, maize, sugar cane, cotton equal to, and averages with Central Texas and Oklahoma per year and per acre, while melons, potatoes, onions and vegetables are superior to that of either place. The RAINFALL is amply sufficient to produce good crops every year. as the farmers who have lived in Terry county for the past four years will bear testimony. Trees of all kinds that have been planted grow very rapidly; the water is pure, free from alkali, gypsum or salt, and found in abundance at 60 to 120 feet. Several large orchards in the county to bear fruit this year, and thousands of young trees set out every season.

The climate is dry in winter and early spring, and is as mild as Central Texas, and it is noted that during the past two winters several severe blizzards passed far south of us, one hundred miles east, and never affected this county. Like all prairie countries the wind blows at times rather hard, and on our deepest sandy land, will blow the sand when plowed up, but this is not the case with all the county. Fuel is obtained from the large grubs under the mesquite, some of which are six and eight feet long, large as a stove pipe, while some use coal, hauled from the railroad. A man can cultivate a great deal more land here than in Central Texas or Oklahoma.

BROWNFIELD.

Brownfield is the county site of Terry county, a pretty location, a nice town with nearly 400 inhabitants, several stores, newspaper, church house, 4-room 2-story school building—nicest on the Plains at present—runs an eight months term free school, good hotel, bank, lumber yard, local, and long distance telephone, a nice growing town. Auto line north and south, daily mail from three ways—daily stage. This town and county has never had an artificial boom, and no better time to invest than now.

LAND PRICES.

Lands adjoining town, unimproved, \$12 to \$35 per acre; unimproved five miles away at \$5 to \$10 per acre, unimproved 5 to 15 miles at \$3 to \$6 per acre. Improved places with houses, wells, windmills, fences, farms, orchards, — a ready made home for \$8 to \$15 per acre, some near some a distance away. Some of the more sandy lands, twenty miles away at \$2.50 per acre, both school and patented lands. These lands can be bought on terms one-fourth to one half-cash balance in two to six years time at 8 per cent interest, or all cash if preferred. These lands are owned by different people. No one man owns this country. It is the small farmers' country. Any size tracts can be had from ten acres to ten sections.

YOAKUM COUNTY

Yoakum county joins Terry on the west. It is very much such a county as Terry in quality of land, water, etc., about the only difference being that it is not so well developed, and as yet has very few farmers in it. Yoakum was organized last September, and now contains between 300 and 400 inhabitants.

PLAINS

Plains, situated in the center of the county, is the county site. The town is nicely situated, and just as soon as the county settles up will make one of the best towns on the Central Plains. School lands in Yoakum sell at from \$2 to \$4 per acre, and are among the best lands in the county. Patented lands sell at \$5 to \$6 per acre, and on terms of from one-fourth cash to one-third cash, balance from three to five years time. There is no better place in the west for a man with small means to get a cheap home than in Yoakum county, nor for the man of large means to invest his capital, because lands in that county are cheaper than in any other section of the Plains country.

Town Blocks for Sale.

I have for sale 160 acres of land adjoining the Brownfield town section on the northwest, to be divided into ten acre blocks. These block will be sold for \$35 per acre on the following terms: Cash payment \$10 per acre, balance five equal annual payments with 8 per cent interest, seven equal annual payments with 9 per cent interest, or ten equal annual payments with 10 per cent interest.

These blocks are situated a nice distance from the school house, but at the same time not too near to be the least annoying. This offers a splendid opportunity for farmers and others desiring to build in town, for the benefit of the school, to get a nice little tract of land, where they can build a residence, have gardens, truck patches and cow and horse pastures. The terms are so arranged that the payments can be easily met by any one wanting a home in Brownfield. Call on me at the office of the TERRY COUNTY HERALD.

NEIL H. BIGGER, Brownfield, Texas,

Big Land Deal.

Announcement was made Monday of the completion of a deal whereby J. B. Gray sold to W. Q. Richards 11,000 acres of the Moon ranch in Cottle county for \$55,000 cash. Mr. Richards owns an adjoining ranch and will add this 11,000 acres to his already large holdings, making the entire tract comprise about 75,000 acre. He is raising fine stock, cattle, horses and hogs and of the 11,000 acres expects to put 1,000 acres in cultivation.

Gray bought 100,000 acres comprising the Moon ranch from some Englishman in 1901 at \$1.75 an acre. Since that time he has been selling it off in smaller portions and at advanced prices. He sold 35,000 acres to Mr. Richards in 1902 and now has only 3,000 acres of choice land left for which he expects to get about \$15 an acre.—Lubbock Avalanche.

This move for open churches all through the week is one that should be encouraged. Why put thousands of dollars in a structure and have it opened but a few hours a week? A church, of all buildings should be accessible to all people at all times, so those who stand in need of a place of quiet, of meditation, of solitude, of peaceful retirement for a few minutes, might be able to find what they want. Not to have any church accessible is to cut down very much the field of usefulness and to make it less a factor for good than it would otherwise be.—Terrell Transcript.

Ladies.

We have just returned from Dallas, where we have been studying the new styles, and purchasing a nice up-to-date stock of millinery, and we cordially invite you to our opening, Saturday, April 4th, on south side of square.

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Terry County Herald
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Announcement Column.

For County Judge,
GEO. W. NEILL.
G. E. LOCKHART.

For County and District Clerk,
T. J. PRICE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector,
GEO. E. TIERNAN.
LEE ALLMAN
J. H. BLACK.

For County Tax Assessor,
W. A. SHEPHERD.
D. ROBINSON.

For County Treasurer,
A. B. BYNUM.
J. B. GARRISON.

YOAKUM CO. CANDIDATES.

For County Judge,
F. N. ANDERSON.
W. HOLMES.

The Panhandle Short Line People Heard from Again.

To state the case in the most conservative terms it would seem that Midland has at least a good chance of securing not only another line of railroad, but also its machine shops and roundhouse.

A. H. Goodenough, of Hereford, general manager of the Panhandle Short Line, and W. A. Cullin, of Newark, N. J., constructing engineer, were in the city Thursday and Friday for the purpose of taking this matter up with our people.

We understand their proposition will be about as follows: To bring the road to Midland, making this a division point and establishing here their machine shops, etc., for a bonus of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, right-of-way and grounds. One third of the money bonus to be paid when the grading shall have been completed from Hereford to the line of Midland county, one-third when the steel has been laid along this entire distance and remainder when the road shall be in operation and the shops established here. However, a more definite proposition will be made in writing in a few days.—Midland Examiner.

As is known to the readers of the Herald, Messrs. Goodenough and Cullin stopped in Brownfield on their way from Hereford to Midland. They gave it out as a fact that the road would be built and that Midland would be an object point, but that the object of their trip was to see the country and to select as near as possible the most practical route. The above article from the Midland Examiner confirms as a fact the statement the gentlemen made when here and clearly shows that it is the intention of these people to extend their road through this immediate part of the country. With Midland as its objective point, if those who are interested the matter will get a map of Texas, then take a rule and lay on the spot representing Hereford and on the spot denoting Midland they will see that the spot representing Brownfield is on a direct line between the other two points. Without any blowing of trumpets or any excessive jubilation, the Herald can tell its readers that the prospect for a railroad running through Brownfield or near to it in the near future is very good, indeed.

The Cleburne Chronicle insists that a newspaper is in no sense a child of charity. It earns twice over every dollar it receives, and it is second to no enterprise in contributing to the upbuilding of a community. Its patrons reap far more benefits from its pages than it publishes.

J. B. Garrison.

J. B. Garrison comes before the readers of the Herald this week as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Terry county, subject to the action of a primary election. In placing Mr. Garrison's name before the voters of the county, the Herald can say little more concerning him than the people already know. He lived in Terry county before it was organized, having moved here from Floyd county, where he lived several years. There is no better citizen in the county than Mr. Garrison. There are a number of people in this county who knew him in Jack county, years ago, and others who knew him in Floyd, and all speak of him in the highest terms. Mr. Garrison resides six miles northwest of Brownfield, and is a thrifty farmer and stock raiser, but should he be elected to serve the people as Treasurer, he will give the duties of the office his time and attention. It can be said that he is well qualified in every way to perform the duties of the office, and would not have to rely on any one else to keep his books and accounts in proper condition.

To the Point.

The Herald finds the following article in one of its exchanges, which, in a courteous manner, shows how the supporters of Senator Bailey are conducting their side of the campaign; that instead of argument, they simply resort to abuse and vituperation:

"There will be a great multitude of Bailey men at Fort Worth on the 28th, and among them there will be some able lawyers and orators. Now, is it asking too much to request them to reply to the speech of Hon. Cone Johnson with fair and sound arguments? Is it unreasonable to expect them to forego epithets, personal abuse, unfair charges and the dramatic diversions to which some have resorted in the past?"

The practices embraced in the term "Baileyism" have been fairly and clearly presented to them, and they are fully informed as to the evidence. Men who have been staunch friends of Senator Bailey, whom he has heretofore chosen from all the other Democrats of the State to put him in nomination, for example, or to serve him otherwise, and who harbor against him no malice whatever, have presented in a concise and conscientious manner the case and the arguments against him. Such arguments have never been met. The organs of Senator Bailey have never come nearer to the point than to hint at the "indiscretion" and "frailties" of the weak, even while contending that Senator Bailey is one of the strongest of the strong.

In the interest of truth, justice, of the people, of the party, the ticket to be nominated at Denver, will orators at the main meeting or at some one of the overflow meetings at Fort Worth reply directly to the arguments that have been made, explain the documentary evidence which not one of them has ever pretended to explain, show to the people that Senator Bailey did no wrong and that it is right for him to keep it up.

There are thousands of Texans who sympathize with Senator Bailey who can not, in good conscience, stand for the things he has done. Why not satisfy these by showing that what he did was right, and was not wrong?

The issue before the people is not as to which side shall be driven into the Gulf. It can not be settled with brass bands and wild and noisy diversion. We verily believe that the success of the success of the ticket to be nominated at Denver will depend largely upon the decision of the people of Texas, the leading Democratic State as to whether practices like those of Senator Bailey shall or shall not be deemed legitimate and democratic.

School Board Meets.

At a meeting of the Brownfield School board, last week it was decided that the School building should be used for school purposes only, while school was in session.

This action was deemed best on account of so much time lost to the school during the session.

During vacation period the building may be used for social gatherings, with the consent of the board of trustees.

Brownfield Public School.

After a very successful session under the supervision of Prof. W. G. McConnell, the Brownfield Public School is drawing to a close. Its school building and school is one of the things to which the people of the town and community refer with a great deal of pride. This is justly so, for the building is an enterprise which they erected with their own private means, and is entirely out of debt. It is the best school building on the Central Plains, and would be a credit to a town of several thousand people. By using good judgment, the directors employed Prof. McConnell to take charge of their school and and work that he and his assistants are accomplishing justifies the wisdom of the selection. Those who want to locate in or near town, where there is a first class school can find no better place to come than to Brownfield. The religious and social surroundings here are as good as can be found anywhere on the plains, all of which make the town and community a place in which to live.

OPENING.

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Happenings About People You Know.

Henry George sells land.
Subscribe for the HERALD.
R. M. Kendrick, of Gomez returned from Austin last Monday.
Judge Neill and A. V. Merryman made a visit to Meadow last Monday.
Mrs. Scott Wolfrath and children are visiting Mrs. Geo. E. Tiernan this week.
The building for the new millinery store will be ready for the opening on April 4th.
Uncle Jack Coble has rigged himself up another freight team and gone to the railroad.
H. W. Smith and H. E. Box, constituting the Box Land Co. of Lamesa, were in town yesterday.
John W. Cone came over from his Yoakum county ranch last Friday, and remained until Monday.
Dr. Maddux and J. T. Gainer of Gomez passed through town Tuesday morning on their way to Big Springs.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Dixon came in last Friday from their ranch in West part of the county, and remained until Monday.

REMEMBER, the "Deestrick Skule" at the bank building tomorrow night. See the program in this paper.

Messrs. B. M. West and J. C. Patterson, who reside in the south part of the county, were looking after business in Brownfield Tuesday.

Walter Dixon has become wearied of town life, and has accepted a job on John W. Cone's ranch in Yoakum county. The question is, how long will such a change agree with Walter?

Mr. Cordel has purchased one of the small buildings on the North side of the square and opened a stock of medicines. A little later on he will add to this a stock of confectionery goods, soda pop, etc.

Roy Campbell, who answers to the name of "High Pockets," and Jim Bradley, known as "Slim Jim," left Tuesday morning with Uncle Jack Coble for Big Springs, and from there they will move their freight west as far as Arizona.

Among the things which created some interest among the people of Brownfield this week was the departure of three lads without the consent of their parents. The parental anxiety only lasted a few hours, for like genuine prodigals, they put in their appearance soon after night fall.

D. Brownfield, cashier of the Brownfield State Bank, received a telegram this week from Tulare, California, stating that Leonard Walker had been captured and is being held in custody there, and requested Mr. Brownfield's presence there as a witness against him, on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences. Besides several other criminal charges against Walker it is said that he will probably be wanted in Dallas for complicity in the murder of ...

Married.
At the residence of the bride's father, Rev. J. C. Lewis, four miles south of Gomez, on Sunday the 22nd inst. Mr. A. G. Blahkenschap and Miss Minnie Lewis, Rev. J. R. Miller officiating. Mr. Blahkenschap is a young ranchman, who resides in El Paso county, and is highly respected by all who know him. The bride is one of Terry county's most charming young ladies, and has a host of friends here who wish to extend her their best wishes.

Those who find X marked on the margin of their paper this week will know that they are behind on their subscriptions to the HERALD for more than 1 year. Under the ruling of the Postal Department we will have to discontinue their paper after this week unless they settle up between now and the next issue of this paper.

The editor of the Herald accepted an invitation to eat turkey with Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Ellis last Monday. The turkey was young and cooked to perfection, and with the accompaniments that go with that bird when prepared for the table, was a feast that is seldom the luck of a country editor to enjoy.

Judge Tucker returned to town Wednesday after a three weeks absence. The Judge says that the campaign is now getting very interesting; that while he was gone he heard of Judge Neill doing some campaign work over in Yoakum county, which gave him "the cue" and he spent several days among the boys in Cochran and Hockley counties, and that many of them have promised to move over into Terry and help him out when the time comes.

GOMEZ NEWS

CORRESPONDENT

Capt. J. T. Gainer and Dr. S. E. Maddux left the 21st inst. for Oklahoma on a business trip.

Mrs. Dr. Griffin is spending the week in Lubbock with relatives.

Sheriff Roberts of Lubbock was with Gomez friends this week.

Joe J. Lane is back home from the Stockmen's Convention at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walker of the North side are rejoicing over the arrival of one Miss Marrison S. Walker, who came in by the stork route last week. Little Miss Walker is a dandy of the 12 pounds variety.

Robert Holgate and Will Adams are back from Big Springs.

Mrs. Tom Johnson and Miss Era Allen left Monday for Comanche county to visit relatives and friends.

W. L. Allen has purchased the interest of Mr. Green in the Allen & Green business. Mr. Allen will move in a new building at once.

Gomez ladies gave an old time supper last Friday night at the school house, to raise funds to purchase a bell for the Methodist church. It was a success in every respect, and did much credit to the ladies who had it in charge. Had the Brownfield people turned out as we expected and all had eaten as "ye editor," there would not have been scraps to clear away.

A fine girl baby is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Hudson, since the 25th mother and baby doing well. "Big Tree" we think will recover, provided it don't rain too soon.

R. H. Mathews, the genial Life Insurance man, who has been with us for two weeks is now in Brownfield, where we hope he will succeed in his mission of mercy to the "will be" widows and orphans.

Ed Neil was with us (not his girl) Friday night last at supper. Always glad to have you with us Ed, if you don't have that envious luck every time.

To Those Who Have Land for Sale.

We are in the real business and we propose to do a good share of that business here. We are not

only advertising at home, but we are advertising abroad which is putting us in communication with a great many people wanting to buy land, many of whom will be here this spring to see the country and settle if they find the country suits them. If you will list your lands with us we will find you buyers. No other agent nor set of agents have better facilities for handling land than we have, and no one else will use greater efforts to give you satisfactory results. We sell land for a 5 per cent commission, and ask those who wish to list their lands with us to price them at a price they can afford to sell and pay a commission. We are doing business in Texas and mostly with Texas people, and don't believe in Kansas and Oklahoma methods. The Kansas and Oklahoma methods mean that the agents will want you to enter into a contract with them to take a certain price for your land, then when they find a buyer they will raise the price from \$1 to \$3 per acre and require you to make the deed for the price they get for the land. We consider this method unfair to seller and unfair to buyer, because it places a fictitious value on land, the seller gains nothing by it, the buyer loses, and only the agent is gainer. It also, causes dissatisfaction among all parties to the transactions and prevents the sale of land.

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CAST OF CHARACTERS.

<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Saturday Night, March, 28.</p>	<p>Teacher - R. H. Benoski, Dee Brownfield.</p> <p>Committeemen { W. J. Byrd N. H. Bigger</p> <p>PUPILS:—</p> <p>Abraham Smith Honeysuckle, W. R. Spencer.</p> <p>Timothy Tuck, W. N. Copeland</p> <p>Jonathan Pettibone, J. L. Randal.</p> <p>Mike O'Flynn, A. M. Brownfield</p> <p>John Peter St. John, W. A. Bell</p> <p>Jeremiah Ripken, J. S. Powell,</p> <p>Grover Cleveland Cunningham, G. W. Neill.</p> <p>Ezekiel Jedekiah Honeysuckle, Dr. Ellis.</p> <p>Patience Peterkin, Mrs. Copeland.</p> <p>Temperance Hartshorn, Mrs. Ellis.</p> <p>Francis Anna Cartwright, Mrs. Powell.</p> <p>Melvina Medora Milligan, Mrs. Spencer.</p> <p>Rowena Highflower, Miss Daugherty.</p> <p>Malissa Matida Doolittle, Mrs. Criswell.</p> <p>Nancy Jane Simpkins, Mrs. Brownfield.</p> <p>Aurelia Alicina Arenbuck (crying girl) Mrs. Randal.</p> <p>Cornelia Carolina Honeysuckle, Mrs. McConnel.</p> <p>Prudence Ann Plunkett (giggling girl) Miss Orell Harris,</p> <p>Hanna Marie Honeysuckle, Miss Mattie Harris,</p> <p>Charity Brown, Miss Irene Copeland.</p>	<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Saturday Night, March, 28.</p>
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Fifth Sunday Meeting.

The Fifth Sunday Meeting of the South Plains Baptist Association will be held at Tahoka Baptist church, Tahoka, Texas, on March 27-28-29, 1908.

THURSDAY NIGHT

7:30 p. m.--Introductory sermon, T. P. Speakman.

FRIDAY.

9:30 a. m.--Devotional Exercises
10 a. m. The relation of Church and Pastor, T. P. Speakman.

11 a. m.--How can a Christian be sure of holding out,
M. D. Williams,
R. T. Edwards.

NOON

1:30 p. m.--Devotional Exercises.

2 p. m.--If a man does the best he can according to his understanding, will he be lost.

Rev. Will Izard,
A. L. Estes.

3:20 p. m.--Is it in accordance with the teachings of the scriptures for a woman to speak or preach in public.

Prof. Maulding,
I. Metcalf.

7:30--Preaching.

SATURDAY

9:30 a. m. - - Devotional Exercises.

10 a. m.--How may we as pastors, increase the mission spirit in our churches, General discussion

11 a. m.--In the parable of the "Wheat and Tares," what is meant by the "Kingdom of Heaven?"

J. R. Miller.
T. H. Green.

NOON

1:30 p. m.-- Devotional exercises.

2 p. m.--Why have restricted Communion?

B. F. Dixon.

3 p. m.-- Do Baptists believe in continuing in sin that grace may abound?

H. S. Hatchett,
W. A. Shepherd.

7:30 p. m.--What are the essentials of a soul winning church

C. M. Bishop,
John W. Baker.

SUNDAY

10 a. m.--Soul winning in the Sunday School.

11, a. m.--Preaching.

Agriculture engages the time and attention of five-eighths of the population of this state. The success of the business of the remaining three-eighths is more or less intimately connected with that of agriculture. Agriculture is the business of Texas. The largest capital is invested in it. The returns are largest when taken in the aggregate. It employs most, and sustains nearly all. Any improvement in agriculture is directly beneficial to all. Every increase in the reward of the farmer is of advantage to all.—Commissioner Miller.

Two hundred and fifty thousand fruit and shade trees in thirty days is mighty good planting, and Hereford is the town which has done the work. In three or four years from now we will have fruit to throw at all America.—Hereford Democrat.

GOOD JACK FOR SALE.

I have a good Maltese Jack, 11 years old and a splendid breeder, Will take \$100 for him with terms to suit, or trade him for cattle.

LaVerne Kershner.

Post office address, Tahoka, Texas, lives on Hackberry farm 17 miles east of Brownfield.

Blacksmith Shop for Sale.

We have for sale a blacksmith shop in Brownfield, consisting of a good set of tools, building 20 by 30 feet, three lots. Only shop in town, and only one other in the county.

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The Ghost of the Future.

The terror of failure and the fear of coming to want keep multitudes of people from obtaining the very things they desire by sapping their vitality, by incapacitating though worry, anxiety and fear from the effective, creative work necessary to give them success.

Wherever we go this ghost, this terror specter, stands between men and their goal. No person is in a position to do good work while haunted by it. There can be no great courage where there is no confidence or assurance, and half the battle is in the conviction that we can do what we undertake. The mind, always full of doubts, fears, forebodings, is not in a position to do effective, creative work, but is perpetually handicapped by this unfortunate attitude.

Nothing will so completely paralyze the creative power of the mind and body as a dark, gloomy, discouraged mental attitude. No great creative work can be done by a man who is not an optimist.

The human mind cannot accomplish great work unless the banner of hope goes in advance. A man will follow this banner when money, friends, reputation, everything else has gone.—Success Magazine.

Millinery! Millinery!!

I will have my new Spring and Summer millinery in by the 15th of March. My sister, Mrs. Barr, of Ft. Worth, selected my stock personally. I have neither spared money or time in my business, and I am going to show you the swellest and most up-to-date line of millinery ever brought to West Texas, and I want your patronage. Mrs. J. R. Morris, Gomez, Texas.

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G. S. Thompson.
Big Springs, Texas. 2tf

Bassett to Improve.

One of the largest orders for lumber placed in Plainview recently was given to the Alfalfa Lumber Co. this week by J. C. Lewis, manager of the Plainview office of the Bassett Land Co., will total nearly 100,000 feet. The lumber will be used in building a hotel, school house and store at the new town of Bassett in Crosby county.

Julian M. Bassett, managing owner of the C B Live Stock Co., which owns 75,000 acres of land in Crosby, Dickens and Floyd counties, is building the new town and when completed it will be something different from any of the Plains towns situated off the railroad.

One of the stipulations in the contract awarded the Alfalfa Lumber company, as the successful bidder for this order was that every piece of lumber furnished should be of highest grade and this standard will be maintained throughout in constructing buildings for the new town. The hotel will have hot and cold water in the building and will be lighted by an acetylene plant which will also furnish lights for the street in front of the hotel and store.

All the streets of the town are being graded and the sidewalks will be paved. Each building will have every convenience possible for structures away from the railroad and the hotel will be equipped and conducted as a modern up-to-date hostelry.—Plainview Herald.

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