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The Chats' Corner.

Only one correspondent in this week, but we are not going to fire anyone, as we understand that most of our writers are very, very busy trying to save their feed, that is, the men writers are and our excellent lady writers are busy preparing appetizing meals for that tired, hungry "hubby" and the boys. But when the harvest is garnered, and the long winter have come, and we have nothing much to do but crack nuts and jokes and "chaw ter-oacker," then we shall expect some fine work from the champion pencil pushers of the Plains.

You bet your life, Professor, Meadow will build a new school, and a dandy at that. That is Terry county style, and Meadow will keep up with the leading styles in the procession. Look at Meadow's handsome new church which is only a foreshadow of the good things that are coming their way.

We are glad to learn that you and the little folks had such a nice trip to Lubbock. A trip like that seems to put new life in the school work. We hope you all a brilliant school year.

MEADOW SCHOOL NOTES.

We are still bravely battling

with our broken sword, and can see that we are gradually conquering the powers and princes of the air.

We suspended the last two days of last week to go over to Lubbock to hear Senator Bailey, but were sadly disappointed. However, quite a few of the little people visited the moving picture show Thursday night, and the tent circus Friday night, and are back in school now repeating the witty sayings of the "funny man."

The scribe enjoyed himself almost to death, notwithstanding Mr. Bailey's absence. (Of course the Senator didn't know we were going!) We had the pleasure of meeting some of our old school and class-mates; one of whom we had not seen for over thirteen years. This was Hon. Tom Sowders, who is now practicing law at Lubbock. Mr. Sowders has had seven years practice at Canyon City. While we cannot speak for his brilliancy as a legal light, as he has taken his law course since we knew him, we do know him to be a brainy man.

It is likely that no action will be taken toward building a new school house until it can be learned whether or not the people will be willing to vote taxes to build it, which it is hoped and believed they will. Of course, if the people can be led to see right, it is

the sane thing to do, as that will distribute the burden according to ability and benefit. There is quite a bit of non-resident property in the district that will be greatly enhanced by the building; therefore they can afford and should be willing to bear their part of the taxation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford of west of Gomez, spent Sunday and Sunday night with the family of W. H. Long. They were on their way to visit Mr. Ford's brother near Abernathy, who is very low.

Messrs. Long and Farris have gone to Kansas City with another herd of cattle. The Keeter Bros. and John Ramer "went up trail" with them. Allen Keeter will go on to K. C. with them and take in the sights of the city.

Rev. Mr. Dixon, of Lubbock, failed to fill his appointment at this place last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Long left this morning for their ranch west of Gomez.

This "norther" blows all the news away, so good day!

J. W. Taylor.

Old Timers' Round-up at the International Fair.

Friday, November 12th, has been named as "Old Timers' Round-up Day" at the big International Fair of San Antonio this Fall, and the committee in charge are planning to make it a banner day in both attendance and entertainment. The purpose is to bring together, for a day of sport and entertainment typical of those times, all old-time cattle men and "Cow-punchers" irrespective of present calling, who once engaged in the cattle industry on the open ranges of Texas, ere the now ubiquitous barbed-wire prescribed limits to the round up and the railroads dimmed the trail. The day's program promises to have plenty doing from the opening in the morning to the big "Blow-out" at night in honor of the men who first "made Texas famous".

The forenoon will be largely taken up in a reunion, with speaking by "Old Timers", and by men of national reputation; and in the afternoon many features typical of the range will be seen. The festive broncho will be "busted" in the good old-fashioned way.

Fleet, trim-limbed cow-ponies, ridden by real "Old Timers" will strive with one another to be first under the wire. An old time round-up out fit will emerge into view and a herd of real "longhorns" will be rounded into the "cutting flut"—few remaining specimens of this one time pride and pet of the Texas "puncher"—will prescribe swift figures and perform stunts calculated to put the old timers in a reminiscent mood and cause them to pray to Father Time to "make me a (cow) boy again, just till tonight". Men of staid habits and stern affairs; captains and colonels in business and finance; bankers and merchants; men long steeped in problems of profession and statecraft, will forget for the time the worry and the dignity which is their wont, and as John and Jim and Tom and Bill will remember and recount with all the vigor and enthusiasm of boyhood, long-forgotten stories—exaggerated and embellished, of course—of the round-up and the trail. The ladies, too—the mothers, wives, daughters, sisters and sweethearts of the Old Timers—are not to be neglected; and features for their special entertainment, and prizes for their benefit, are being arranged.

The widest possible publicity is being given the big event; and the president of the Fair, as well as the members of the special committee in charge of the day's program, are being deluged with inquiries and responses from over the State, which indicate a general enthusiasm in the movement.

The officers and members of the Cattle-Raisers Association are lending active aid, and Hon. Jim Callan, of Menardville, President of that association—who by the way, is said to be in-cuquating one of his inimitable and sparking speeches for the occasion—has made the threat that if any "Old Simer" fails to attend, he will "cut his mount, throw bedding off the wagon, and refuse to work his cattle".

Altogether "Old Timers' Round-up Day" is going to present a spectacle that will cause a Texas Cattle Raisers Association gathering to look like a committee meeting; and it promises to provide a day of entertainment that would make a wild west show seem as tame as a Sunday-school picnic.

Incidentally, it will serve, too, to recall and commemorate the trials, triumphs, and achievements of that vanishing type of our civilization, the sturdy and self-reliant spirit of which is well worthy of perpetuation. It is to be hoped that the occasion will score such a success this Fall as to make "Old Timers' Round-up Day" a permanent feature of the great Fair.

Good music, the kind that cheers and inspires lofty thoughts, will be one of the essential features of the San Antonio Fair. There will be no absence of melody. That much is assured as Mexico is going to send one of its best bands to appear daily during the fair from November 6th to 17th. Not alone this organization, but the Spellman band of St. Louis and then the San Antonio Military band which is composed of the best talent in the Alamo City. No portion of the great Texas empire boasts of better interpreters of the old masters of the modern composition than does San Antonio.

It is the purpose of the Fair management to have something doing at all times. With these concert bands, and the addition of three or four others scattered all over the grounds, the atmosphere should be resonant at all times with genuine harmony to cheer the visitor on his way.

Morning, afternoon and night there will be concerts in various parts of the ground and, if any one is tired after an hour or a day of sightseeing, there should be some solace or some comfort at least in hearing some good selection played by a real band.

Music is always one of the best investments where any great Fair undertakes the entertainments of thousands, and that is the reason why the San Antonio Fair management has not permitted itself to be guided by mercenary considerations to its detriment by giving its patrons music that is not music. Low railroad rates will be in effect from all points in Texas and Mexico to San Antonio.

Bryan to Hunt in Mexico.

San Antonio: William J. Bryan is to have another duck hunt in Mexico this fall. As on the previous occasion, he will be the guests of Col. J. A. Robertson, proprietor of the Monterey News and a leading business man of Monterey.

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Begin now to fatten the Thanksgiving bird.

And if there is more than you can handle, invite the editor.

Put in that order for nursery stock right now and be ready to put them out in February.

The ball game at the Gomez Fair between the Brownfield and Gomez school boys resulted in a victory for the Brownfield boys by a score of 25 to 11.

Put out bermuda grass on your reservoir bank and it will protect it, and if it gets high enough to look snakey, turn in the calf or colt. The make an excellent lawn mower.

From reports we thought Terry county was very short on feed, but we have been looking around some lately and find 'er putty good, considering this county being in the dry column.

A few "big ones" have found that some white men still believe in the doctrine of free speech. The New York World and the Indianapolis News will just keep on digging crooks in the ribs as heretofore.

Did you know that there were places in Wisconsin that has become a sandy desert where once grew an immense pine forest? Well, it stands to reason that if we plant forests we may expect better seasons here,

Peary has issued an injunction to restrain Cook from ever having been at the Pole till proven guilty or not guilty. If this thing comes to an arbitration, we are in favor of sending Canon, Payne and Aldredge to the frozen north to review their respective routes.

And it develops that a newspaper can still print the news, and don't have to wear bits.

Texas farm lands produce an average of \$1.43 per acre, Illinois farm lands produce an average of \$9.54 per acre. These results are arrived at by dividing the area into the total production, and the uncultivated area of Texas brings down the Texas average production per acre. A given tract of land in Texas will yield more pounds of products than a similar area of land in Illinois. The average value of the cotton crop in 1903 was about \$20 per acre.—Stockman & Farmer.

We sometimes see fourteen and fifteen year old boys on the streets learning the art of chewing and smoking tobacco, and using big cuss words, when they should be in school learning lessons which would be of more value to them in later years. It is said indeed that these boys must wait until manhood before they can realize the value of and education, for then it will be too late for them to obtain the knowledge which is so necessary to their success in life. The parents of these boys surely and certainly realize how indispensable, at least a reasonable amount of book learning is to the future happiness and success of their offspring and it is indeed strange that they do not, in this instance at least, assert their paternal authority and insist upon their children attending school. If a boy thinks himself too large to attend the public school, give him a man's work to do on the farm or at some other equally good exercise and the probability is he will be calling for a set of school books ere many weeks of the term is gone. But in case this does not change his mind on the school question, he is infinitely better off at his work, and is learning much more valuable lessons than if he were occupying a position on the sidewalk in front of a grocery store.—Shafter Lake Herald.

Terry County Exhibits.

Colonel J. T. Gainer left Thursday morning for Dallas with as fine a lot of farm exhibits as has been our pleasure to see in many a day. The entire exhibit of the Gomez Fair was packed and was supplemented with a lot of corn, maize and kaffir collected by the Bigger & Hill Land Company of this place.

Mr. Gainer was very enthusiastic over these fine collections and has high hopes of bringing back the blue ribbon on Indian corn and believes he has a fine chance to win out on maize and kaffir. He says he is going to talk Terry county for all he is worth, and we believe it. There is not a better booster in the county than Col. Gainer, and he strictly confines himself to the truth.

Somebody had better look to their laurels at the Dallas Fair this year, because old Terry's products will be there this time. This reminds us of a little incident that occurred last year wherein a certain Central West Tex. Co got a lot of boosting at the expense of Terry. One of our citizens gave a prospector three fine ears of corn. He took the corn to the Abilene Fair and got 1st prize for his county, and then went to Dallas and repeated the performance, but we have them blocked at that old game this year.

The Gomez Fair

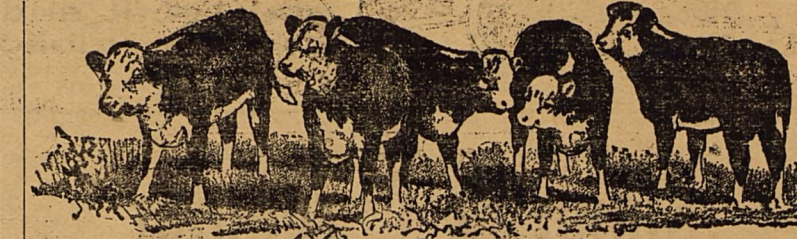
Notwithstanding the wind had a rasping feeling on the nerves of people who had been up against the hottest summer ever witnessed on the Plains, the 1st Annual Terry County Fair held at Gomez last Saturday was well attended and was pulled off on skedule time and in real city manner.

MILLINERY!

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From all accounts the exhibits were fine specimens of the several varieties of corn, kaffir and maize, vegetables, stock, etc.

We were unavoidably detained at home that day, and therefore missed a treat, but circumstances will after all cases, even the possessive case.

We wish to thank Editor Richardson for a list of the awards which are as follows:

HORSES.

Best all purpose horse was won by the owners of the fine stallion recently purchased of the Greely Importing Company.

Best horse colt was won by C. F. Sullivan. Also, sweep stakes, S. A. Shepherd won 2nd prize.

HOGS

W. D. Wynn won 1st prize and sweep stakes on his fine hoar.

Bert Shepherd won 1st prize on sows under 12 months old and S. W. Abbot won first on sows over 12 months old.

PRODUCE

W. D. Gainer won 1st prize on red kaffir corn, Sam Cow on white maize and B. L. Thompson on red maize.

W. M. Howard won 1st prize on white corn and H. M. McPherson on aixed corn.

George Black had the honor of carrying off the blue strings on peanuts, popcorn and gobbers.

Our esteemed contemporary, W. T. Richardson, of the Gomez Review, won the blue on a sixty pound melon, raised by J. E. Woodard.

COTTON.

First and second prizes on cotton were given to J. L. Clark and S. H. Key, respectively.

Coming on down to the baby display, Mrs. J. W. Welch of Brownfield, got the honor of possessing the finest baby in Terry county, and that is saying a great deal, for we personally know several fine specimens of the bouncing youngsters scattered from end to end and breadth to breadth of the great County of Terry, State of Texas.

To sum the matter up in a few words, the fair was a genuine success from start to finish, and everyone was pleased with the awarding.

Concerned

Five young men went into a

shop recently to buy a hat each. Seeing that they were in a joking mood, the shopman said:

"Are you all married?"

They each said "Yes."

"Then I'll give a hat to the one who can truthfully say he has not kissed any other woman but his own wife since he was married."

"Hand over that hat," said one of the party. "I've won it."

"When were you married?"

"Yesterday," was the reply, and the hat was handed over."

One of the others was laughing heartily while telling his wife of the joke, but suddenly pulled up when she said:

"I say, John, how was it you didn't bring one home?"—By-stander.

Public Speaking.

J. O. Miller District Deputy Sovereign Commander W. of W. will deliver a public lecture on the objects and benefits of Woodcraft at Brownfield Monday night, Oct. 18th. Everybody invited to attend. Ladies especially invited.

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READ NEWSPAPERS.

You Must Says Western Girls If You Would be Intelligent

Out in a small western town there are a lot of pretty and clever girls banded together under the name of the Marriageable Ladies' league who are perfectly aware, says Dorothy Dix in the New York Evening Journal, that it takes a great many desirable qualifications to make a man an agreeable husband and the chief of these is intelligence. Hence, at the meeting of the league last week, the following resolution was passed by a unanimous vote: Be it resolved, that we, the members of the Marriageable Ladies' league, do hereby agree not to marry any man who is not a patron of his home newspaper, for it is strong evidence of his want of intelligence, and that he will be too stingy to provide for a family, or educate his children, or support institutions of learning in the community."

Isn't that level-headed common sense for you? And don't those western girls know what they are about. Was as beautiful simple yet as absolutely conclusive a test ever applied to a masculine applicant for matrimony before?

These girls don't beat about the bush. They go right at it and face the fact that the man who is dull and ignorant and unprogressive in his youth is not going to be a Solomon in middle life, or a sage in his old age.

They realize that the man who does not read the newspapers is the dolt who gets taken in by confidence men, and who invests the family savings in gold bricks, and comes whining home to be comforted for his stupidity by his wife. He is a man to be avoided by every girl who does not feel that she has a sacred call to run an asylum for incurable imbeciles, and this is the kind of man that the Marriageable Ladies' league resolves to side-step.

The idea is good enough to pass along. Any girl may take it as a safe tip that the man who is too close fistled to take a newspaper and too utterly stupid to read one, is the kink of a man who is going to bore her to death.

As a conservator of the family peace the newspaper is invaluable. There are times in the best regulated houses when the cook gets behindhand and the dinner is late. There is no use in trying to explain the situation to a hungry man, and a wise woman never attempts it.

She just ignores the clock and presents her husband with his favorite paper, calling attention to some topic in which he is interested.

In an instant the irate John is plunged into an article which bridges over peaceably that awful quarter of an hour before dinner.

Also, if a man is of an irritable disposition, the paper becomes a safety valve. He can vent his wrath on his pet abomination, as depicted in the news of the day, instead of taking it out on his suffering family.

It creates much less disturbance in the domestic atmosphere to abuse the reckless extravagance of the appropriation committee than it does to criticize the extravagance of a wife, and it is safer to remark upon the slowness of the senate than upon the dilatory tactics of a housemaid, as many a man has found out by experience.

There have been women so foolish as to fancy a newspaper a rival because their husbands wanted to look over the headlines at breakfast. Rather should every wife welcome the daily paper as her strongest ally.

The man who finds entertainment, instruction and pleasure in reading his paper of evenings by his own fireside in slippers and ease is the man who is a good husband, father and citizen. It is the man who doesn't read the paper, and

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who has to go out at night to hear what the world is doing, who comes home loaded with scandal and beer.

Then think of the lack of sympathy a man who never reads the newspaper would show his wife in the matter of bargains. Every woman knows the thrill of expectancy with which the advertisement that Chiffon & Co. have marked down their dollar broadcloth to 99 cents, and that Calico & Jeans are offering their superb stock of shoes at less than cost on account of alteration being made in their store.

Fancy life with the man who would deliberately cut you out of the sacred joy of pouring over the Sunday advertisements, and figuring all day on how you would save by getting those wonderful bargains!

On the other hand, the man who has the newspaper habit treats his wife's bargain reading with interest and true understanding. He knows how it is himself, and while she is counting up how much she could have saved if had only waited and bought her new frock at a marked-down sale, he is figuring out how much he could have made if he had only backed the horse that won, or how his side could have won the baseball game if only somebody had pitched the way they didn't.

But the main points that both husband and wife are interested in the things in the papers. They can talk about the same murder trials, and divorces, and financial scandals, and politics that are interesting the public at the moment, and of such gossip-mongers are the unbreakable chains of love and sympathy forged.

The real test of perfect amity and understanding between a married couple is when the split the newspaper between them. The Dove of Peace has taken up his permanent roosting place in their household.

Opening Meeting of the Maids and Matrons Club.

The opening meeting of the Maids and Matrons Club was by previous appointment held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Bell, Oct. 2, 1909.

Great interest was manifested by the entire membership. Taking the study North American History for this years work. Those participating in the program were as follows: North American Indians, prior to 1492 was discussed by Miss Harris.

The Mound Builders was discussed by Miss Daugherty.

Paper—The Aztecs—Mrs W. R. Spencer. The Norsemen, by Mrs. J. C. Criswell.

Reading—The Skeleton in Armor, Miss Rather.

The lesson was taken up in North American History prior to 1492 and was greatly enjoyed by all present.

After refreshments were served the meeting adjourned to meet October the 16th with Mrs. Criswell.

Reporter.

Kaffir is King.

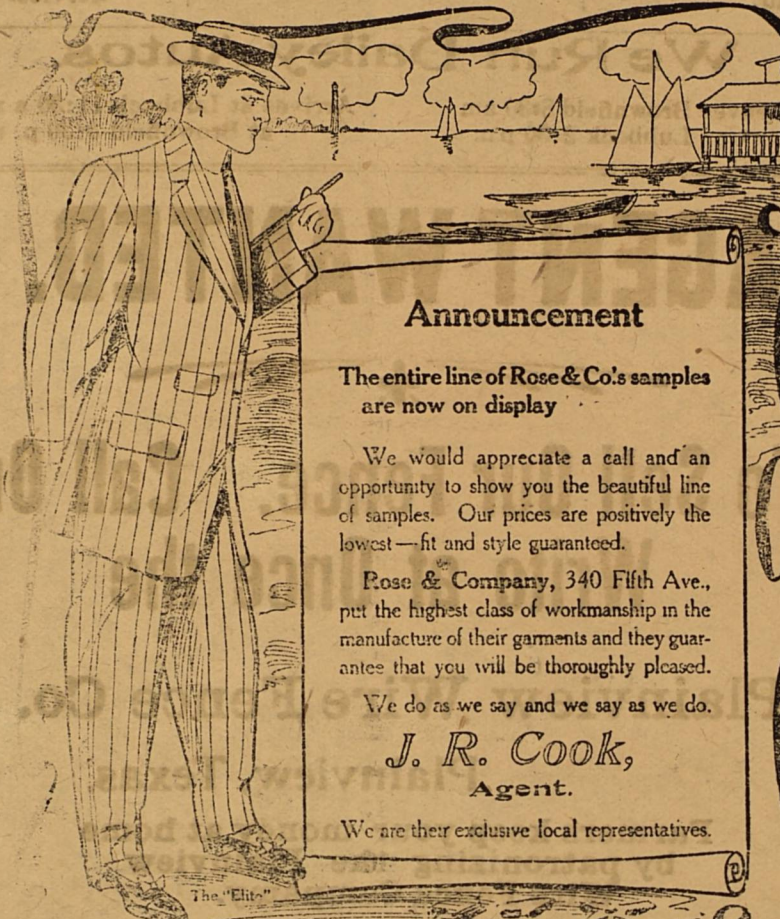
Old "Mr. Cotton" has been dethroned and "Mr. Kaffir" has the crown to his credit. Nature is lavish in the bestowal of favors if we only call on her for results. The day has long passed when cotton holds the spot light of promise and the farmer is turning

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Last Day For Banks.

Austin: Friday was the last day in which State banks chartered prior to the time that the bank guaranty law became effective might at a meeting of the stockholders designate the plan of bank guaranty that they wished to accept. All but twelve has reported their action to the Department of Insurance and Banking.

Uncle Sam Bars Asiatics.

Washington: Hereafter the Armenians, Turks, East Indians and other Asiatics will be put in the category with Chinese and Japanese as ineligible for naturalization. This decision was announced Friday by Judge Campbell, chief of the division of naturalization of the Department of Commerce and Labor.

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Personal
Happenings About People You Know.

Mrs. L. T. Brooks was in town on business last Saturday.

D. L. Broughton was in Brownfield on business Monday.

John Scudday was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. Daugherty is having her residence papered this week.

A Mr. Porter of Neal Rotan is up on legal business this week.

M. V. Brownfield rounded up and cut out 430 steers one day this week.

W. G. Hardin is distributing a lot of nice souvenirs advertizing his tailor business.

Thos. Deshazo has been repairing his windmill in the draw this week.

Ray Brownfield is over from Yoakum helping his father round up this week.

H. M. Bridges of West of Gomez came in this week and subscribed for the Herald.

Ed. Ellis returned Monday from Miles Station where he had gone to visit his brother.

C. V. Harris of the western part of the county was doing business in Brownfield Thursday.

Biles Brothers will begin making concrete block next week for Thomas Deshazo's residence.

Mr. DeVitte, of Fort Worth, proprietor of the Mallet ranch spent Wednesday night in this city.

J. O. Jones and Cleve Williams returned this week from Abilene where they had been attending Federal Court.

C. P. Biles instructed us to send the Herald to his father-in-law, Mr. Mason, at Gorman, Texas, 12 months.

W. L. Allen was in town this week, but so busy he never gave us a chance to ask him whether he liked married life or not.

O. M. Daniels purchased three of the Dr. Ellis lots on Main st. from Barcus & Posey of Lubbock.

Robert Forrester and family of Lynn Co., were visiting in Brownfield this week. They will move over in the near future.

James Gamble, Cleve Holden and Fred Custis returned this week from San Angelo where they had been taking in the fair.

Rev. Johnson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at this place came in today and will fill his regular appointment Sunday. Come out and hear him.

Coal is rolling in every few days now. Sixteen and seventeen dollars a ton delivered sounds a whole heap better than \$25 and \$30.

W. M. Howard was in town today and reports that his feed crop is fine considering this being such a dry year. He says he is not near done harvesting.

Cleve Holden has been running his car over the Brownfield Lubbock Auto road this week, vice Chas. Copeland who is laid up for repairs.

Miss Gaster Randal told us this week she had not been to Winters, but to Seymour. That's right, bawl us out when we make a mistake.

J. E. Woodard of the southwestern part of the county was in town today and informed us that he had dug four rows of his sweet potatoes which were 135 yards long and had obtained 30 bushels of potatoes, which will figure out something like 270 bushels to the acre. Try a big patch next year Bro. farmer. They will pay.

Mr. J. F. Winston of Rosenberg came in this week to permanently locate in Brownfield. This gentleman was here some three weeks ago, got struck and just had to return.

Contractor Biles brought in a sample of the concrete sand found in the draw north of town. It seems to be excellent quality and he says it will make a beautiful block.

James Gamble is making things look mighty good over the drug store and by the time the paper hangers get in their work, this heretofore unused hall will be converted into some very neat rooms.

C. P. Biles and family have located in Brownfield and he will follow his trade building concrete houses and sidewalks. We extend them a hearty welcome to our little city.

Thad. Durst returned today to except a position as local manager of the Staked Plains Telephone Company. Mr. Durst filled the same position here some time ago and won many friends who are happy that he has returned.

W. Holden and family of Coke county, are visiting his father, J. F. Holden and family this week. He says crops were light in his vicinity this year, but he got a good price for what cotton he made.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Moore, a boy Monday night and to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Myers a girl Thursday night. The mothers and babies are doing fine, but we can't say that the fathers are out of danger entirely, though the Herald offers its congratulations.

E. Spergeon, who has been with the E. Moore Construction Co. at Lubbock, passed through home on his way to San Angelo, where he goes to work for the same company on its contract with the Santa Fe people on their Sterling City line. He had the Herald forwarded to his new address.

We wish to call attention to the advertisement of the Brownfield State Bank. This institution is on only a youngster in years, but enjoys the full confidence of its many depositors and will handle your means in the best manner possible to safe and sane banking.

C. H. Hester wrote us this week from Frost, Texas that his time was out, and sent us a P.O. money order for \$1.50 for the Herald and Farm News another year. He says there is nothing short about the Herald except its size and that was growing. Yes and if all back subscribers would yank in the kaleseed as did Mr. Hester we might be able to start several things, possibly a bank account.

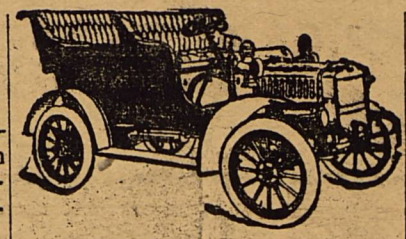
A petition was circulated in and around Brownfield this week and was signed by nearly every citizen who had an opportunity, assing Presiding Elder Hardy to return Bro. P. E. Riley to the Brownfield charge. This petition was circulated and signed only by those who are not members of his church. This shows the esteem in which he is held by all classes and denominations here. He is dearly loved and highly respected by his members and they all are real anxious for his return.

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grocery store and purchased a dime's worth of cheese and crackers walked out on the streets and began to eat them. This made others hungry, and in the wind-up, Mr. Holden had sold nearly a whole cake of cheese. Now the Herald force was not above temptation, so when a crowd lined up in front of our sanctum and began munching cheese like Si and Bill Perkins at a circus, we almost fished before the devil returned with a supply of this fine 'eatin'.

Mortuary.

Mrs. Mary M. Cowell, of the western part of the county died suddenly of heart trouble Monday night Oct. 18th at 10:30; and was buried Tuesday in the Brownfield cemetery. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. L. Estes of Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowell came here some time ago from Austin and settled on a school section in the western part of the county. For awhile Mrs. Cowell's health seemed to improve, but lately she had not been doing so well and Dr. Ellis was called in to see her, but to all appearances did not seem to be suffering very much.

Mrs. Cowell was 43 years old the 10th day of last May. She leaves a husband and nephew, whom they had raised to mourn her loss. They never had any children of their own to bless their lives.

Mrs. Cowell was loved by all her neighbors and will be sadly missed by them. Though an invalid, she was of a cheerful disposition always looking on the bright side of life and thereby won the love and respect of all that came in contact with her. The Herald offers its heartfelt sympathy to the broken-hearted husband and nephew.

D. O. F. Resolutions.

Where as in the death of Bro. J. H. Black, this lodge and our order have black sustained, a distinct loss; Be it resolved

First: That we hereby express to the family and friends of our deceased brother, our tender sympathy.

Second: That a copy of these resolutions be spread in full upon the minutes, of this lodge, and a copy of the same be furnished the family of Bro. Black, and the local papers.

Respectfully Submitted,
Percy Spencer }
J. L. Randal } Committee.

Public Speaking.

J. O. Miller, District Deputy Sovereign Commander, Woodmen of the World, will deliver a public lecture on the object and benefits of Woodcraft at Gomez Thursday night, Oct. the 19th. Everybody invited to attend. Ladies especially invited.

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