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Our Terry County Trade is Growing With Leaps And Bounds

Which is sufficient evidence to convince the most skeptical that we have kept our promise to give everybody a square deal, and therefore each new customer brings us new ones. An endless chain process. Another REASON IS

IS THAT SUBSTITUTION IS A GROWING EVIL AMONG MANY GROCERYMEN

But one we have absolutely prohibited in our store. You don't have something "just as good" palmed off on you, and for this reason alone has increased our Terry and Yoakum county trade beyond our own expectation. We are not too stingy to use printer's ink in telling you.

Spikes & Way Grocery Co.

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

BRIEF LIFE SKETCH OF W. R. SPENCER

The New Judge of the 72nd Judicial District.

Nearly always when a man becomes suddenly prominent by an appointment to an office as elevating as the Judiciary, there is more or less inquiry about that particular man. It is altogether unlike those elected to office, who as a consequence, made the race before the people, who in their turn had plenty occasion to see much of him, and when he wins the office, all inquiry about the reputation of the candidate, past and present, ceases, because they learned all that during the campaign. This, as we said before, is not always the case in the appointive case. However, Judge Spencer is reasonably well known all over the district already; having practiced law here several years and his reputation as a successful practitioner and a decerner of the intent and purpose of the law, has no doubt penetrated every nook and corner of the new district. But for the benefit of new comers, and those who pay little attention to the merits of this or that man until he holds a position of trust amongst them, we are going to give a brief biographical sketch of the life of Hon. W. R. Spencer.

Judge Spencer was born near the line of Louisiana and Mississippi, growing up and receiving his education in the latter, makes him a native Mississippian. He was admitted to the bar of that State in 1878, while quite a young man and immediately became so popular that the people elected him Superintendent of Education, which office he held six years, and was then made Reg-

ister of Voters.

He immigrated to Texas in 1886 settling first at Brady, but soon moved to Balinger, where he remained, practicing his chosen profession until he came to Terry county in 1904. While in Ruidels county, he served two terms each as County Atty, and City Attorney for Balinger, giving the people honest and creditable service in each capacity.

In 1904 he removed to Brownfield, the year Terry county was organized, and has lived here ever since, successfully practicing his chosen profession. Since he has been on the Plains, he has served as special Judge in several instances where Judge Kinder was disqualified and never had a single reversal from his decision.

He is a consistent member of the Presbyterian church; a Mason, Odd Fellow and a Woodman. He is blessed with a good wife, who has been a true companion and a help meet in every sense of the word, and we are sure is responsible in a great measure in encouraging him onward to the position of trust he now holds.

Auto News.

How many motorist have ever thought of measuring the air holding capacity of their tires, or of various tires? The question was put to a group of trade experts gathered at the Pittsburg automobile show, and the propounder was a tire expert among experts—W. C. States, mechanical engineer of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. For lack of a better reply, some one rejoined by asking what of it?

The fact that the plentiful and inexpensive air contained in a tire regulates its carrying capacity is the best of reasons for measuring the tire's air holding

capacity," explained the Good-year M. E. The outer casing and inner tube perform absolutely no function except to contain or imprison the air which cushions the shocks of uneven road surfaces. The air's wonderful flexibility is what has made it so difficult for inventors to find a substitute.

All kinds of rubber and metal devices have been patented and apparently perfected, yet none approach air in resistency. Therefore the more air you ride on the greater the cushion, the less the severity of the bumps and the greater the life of the tire. It has been proven that a car used under similar conditions of speed, weight and roads will run from two to four times further on 33x4 tires than if equipped with 33x3 1-2, both fitting the same rim. This is especially true when tires are over loaded. It follows then that the air capacity of a tire determines its carrying capacity, which is its life. Therefore the motorist ought to know whether, size for size, one tire has greater air capacity than another. See the point now.

The mechanical engineer of the Goodyear company was too modest to do so at a social gathering, or he might have added that one of the strong points of the no-rim-cut tires made by his firm is that they are 10 per cent over size and consequently have that much additional air holding capacity with all the tremendous advantages thereof.—Stockman & Farmer.

Excursion Rates Raised.

All the railroads which have been operating the semi-monthly homeseekers excursions have combined to raise the rates. From Chicago to Amarillo the

rate up to April 1 was \$30. It is now 37.50. Other points in same proportion. It appears that the railroads are standing in their own door way. Just as business was picking up a little, they come along and say to the homeseeker—Pay us 25 per cent more, business is dull now and we need the money. The sensible and business-like thing to do would be to cut the rate 1-3 and invite the immigration companies to get busy. They will make business. Do they want to kill what little business there is? It seems so. The department of immigration of the railroads need re-organizing. Throw out some of the drones and put in a few live ones who can make money. But it's all off now. The roads have raised and there they will remain unmoved.

The Brand begs to offer the suggestion that every real estate man in all the Panhandle write to the "men up high" and ask the railroads to give us one excursion per month and at the rate of \$25 out of Chicago. "Ask and ye shall receive, knock and it shall be opened unto," but you'll have to knock hard as some of them are dead asleep.—Hereford Brand.

Asking for the excursion is a good thing for the Panhandle, but on the other hand it is worth 37.50 to go to Chicago. What would it cost to make the trip in an ox wagon, or mule wagon or auto for that matter. Not to mention the inconveniences? Could one imagine a cheaper way to travel around the country than by paying the railroads 3 cents per mile? My! my! it almost costs a fellow 37.50 to make a 100 mile trip any other way. But get the monthly excursion by all means.

Obituary.

On April 1st, surrounded by his many friends and relatives, C. P. Burnett passed away.

Mr. Burnett was an old settler here, and much beloved by all who knew him. He was born in Tenn. Aug. 31st, 1842; moving to Texas in 1858 and settled near Dublin, Erath county. He met and married Miss Sallie White in 1872. To this long and happy union, there were nine children born, eight of which survive to mourn their loss: Herma, of Purvis; Jim, of Brownfield; W. C., of Carlton; Auburn, of Dublin; Mesdames Steve Potterfield and John Ray, of Dublin; Mrs. Albert Jones, of Edna Hill, and Charley, the baby boy, still at home. Indeed few children have been blessed with so loving a father. Few men have led such exemplary lives. Of him it may well be said:

Far from the crowd's ignoble strife;
His sober wishes never learned to stray
Along the cool sequestered vale of life
He kept the noisless tenor of his way,
For he was an humble, loving Christian
Sole kinder of all he met.

He joined the Confederate Army and served three years. He also joined the Army of God, in whose service he has been ever constant.

Now that his voice is no more with us, but mingles with those who ever sing praises. His friend extends a hand in sympathy to those he left behind.

Edna Hill, April 12th, 1911

Mrs. A. M. Jackson, of Stratford, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Smith of Brownfield.

PLANTING SEED OF ALL KINDS

Millet, maize, kaffir, white and yellow dent seed corn, Spanish goobers, cane, alfalfa, and cotton seed. We are headquarters for wire, coal, grain, stock salt, cotton seed product and blacksmith coal, and remember our wagon yard is free. Come and see.

Lubbock Coal and Grain Co.

FOR LUMBER SEE McAdams Lumber Company

All kinds kinds of building material. Let's figure some. See Tom May at May's store

The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor and Pro.

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 Each consecutive inc. " " 5c

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 Geo. E. Tiernan, Secretary
 Meets 2nd Saturday after the full moon in each lunar month



Officers of BROWNFIELD LODGE A. F. & A. M. No. 908.
 J. W. Ellis, W. M.
 H. H. Longbreuk, Secretary
 Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each lunar month at 4 p m



Wade Chapter 317 O. E. S.
 Miss Orell Harris, W. M.
 Geo. E. Tiernan, Secretary
 Meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at Masonic Hall



Brownfield Lodge No. 530 I. O. O. F.
 W. E. Ellis, N. G.
 J. F. Winston, Secty.
 Meets every Friday night in Odd Fellows Hall.



BROWNFIELD REBEKAH LODGE NO. 329.
 Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at the I O O F Hall at 7:30 p m
 Mrs. Claid Criswell, N. G.
 Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.



Brownfield Camp No. 1989 W O W
 R. H. Banowsky, C. C.
 Geo. W. Neill, Clerk
 Meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday night in each month in the Odd Fellows Hall

Church Directory.

METHODIST CHURCH

Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11 A.M. and 7:30 P. M.

At Meadow every 1st and 3rd Sunday at 11 A.M.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. Everybody invited.

Epworth League: Seniors meet at 4 p.m. Intermediate at 3 p.m. and Juniors meet with Mrs J. T. May at 3 p.m. every Sunday.

Rev. V. H. Trammell, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. on 1st and 3rd Sundays; at Midway on Friday night before 4th Sunday, and at Lou on Saturday at 11 a. m. before and on 4th Sunday at 11 a. m..

Sunday school at 10 a. m. E. L. Duke, Supt. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Rev. J. H. Hill, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Sunday school at 3 p. m. every Sunday at the Baptist church. Everybody cordially invited.

W. G. Hardin, Leader.

What will you have after July 22nd, Miss Texas, cold "Bud" or "jest soda?" We pause to see.

Gov. Colquitt has approved the bill creating two new Courts of Civil Appeals; one at El Paso and the the other at Amarillo.

William Wordorf Astor, the multi-millionaire, has purchased the London Observer; but we are too far sway for him to parallel The Herald.

Trade wite home people if you can't get jest "egzactly" what you want at "egzactly" the price you imagine you ought to pay.

Volumn 1. No. 1., of the Yoakum County News, will spread over the land this week. Here is hoping—but we will save a load til the News fires.

Uncle Sam's trooper's had to make a little razoo at the Mexicans at Agua Prieta this week. The Mexicans got too familliar with their dumb bullets.

In the death of ex-mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, Ohio, the major base ball leagues loose a great admirer and financier, and the common people a dear friend.

It does look like some people will never learn to quit sending off after stuff, even if they are continually being misput on account of late or non-arrival of their orders.

We are offered all kinds of Pro dope and all kinds of Anti dope, free of charge and ready for the press, just for the signing of a card. As we are not a one sided potato on this issue, we have compromised by rejecting both.

Which was the most dangerous humbra, Mr. Samson or Mr. Goliath, we will probably never know, but ancient history tell us that they both cut a mighty rusty to be taken in so sudden. That is the way with most noisy people; their bray is the most conspicuous part about them.

During the two recent battles over the line from Douglass, Arizona, three were killed and several were wounded. Lines are dangerous things anyway; even a telephone line during a thunder storm or a Kentucky line fence during a feud, and occasionally a clothes line on wash day. Yes, this is another case of shooting the goose and killing the gander.

Terry county stockmen and farmers have waged a terrible fight on Master Prairie Dog this Spring, and his dignified presence is considerably lessened. This is a step in the right direction, and we hope not many years will elapse before his name will be a thing of past remembrance. The sooner the county is rid of the prairie dog, the sooner we

will have grass for several more people.

The farmers of Terry county have not forgotton the great lesson of diversification and will plant a variety of crops this year, with a reasonable acreage of each. One may travel all that he pleases; read all he pleases, and prophesy all he pleases, but the great lesson of diversification stands pre-eminent before him, preaching the fact that the most wealthy individual or community are the ones that practice diversification most.

Death.

We are sorry to announce the death of Mrs. Burgess, of the Loop neighborhood. She died last Friday the 14th, at 11 a. m. She leaves a number of children without mother or father, as her husband was burried in July 1909.

Mrs. Burgess was a member of the Baptist church. The writer is in great sympathy with the bereaved family of children.

May God be with these little children and provide a way for them in this life. May God be their helper; guide and direct them in a way He would have them go, so when they are called, it will be to a home in Heaven. is the prayer of their

Friend.

Estray Notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 COUNTY OF TERRY

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, this day, S. A. Shepherd who, after being sworn, states that he has taken up, on his plantation, or on his lands adjoining the same one dark bay mare estray about 7 years old 15 hands high branded "J" on left shoulder and that the marks and brands on said animal have not been altered or disfigured since the same was taken up, and that notice has been given as the law requires, and that no owner has appeared and claimed the same.

S. A. Shepherd.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 25th day of Feb., 1911.
 J. C. Lewis, J. P.

M and M Club.

Mrs. Chas. Copeland entertained this club at its last meeting last Saturday. The lesson was on our Southern writers, Page and Harris. After quite an interesting discussion of the subjects and the business in hand, the Hostess served an elaborate three course luncheon which those fortunate to be present pronounced excellent in every detail.

The next meeting will take place on Friday after next at three thirty at the home of Mrs. J. W. Ellis.

Reporter.

Mrs. Richardson of Knowles, N. M. is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jno. Scudday of this city.

They Come and Go

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 JOE FISHER.

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Is as essential to the human body as air. That is why the HILL HOTEL

Is the place to stop. The best eatables the market affords, put up by the best cook in the state, combined with large airy rooms and thorough sanitary conditions, make this the most popular hotel on the Plains

Mrs. J. R. HILL, Proprietor

BROWNFIELD

TEXAS

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Can advantageously sell, trade or exchange your property

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Picture framing.

TAHOCA,

West Side of Square.

Blackleg Vaccine

TEXAS.

Mrs. J. C. Patterson, of Loop visiting at the home of Mrs. C. A. McDaniel.

Fresh Garden Seed and Onion sets at J. T. May's.

Mrs. Geo. W. Neill and children, were pleasant callers at the Herald office this week.

Mrs. E. L. Duke was a pleasant call at the Herald office this week.

MILLINERY! Ladies and Misses up-to-date ready to wear hats at, J. T. May's.

Mrs. J. B. Garrison and son were shopping in Brownfield this week.

NOTICE. We will pay highest market price for your hides and furs.

Brownfield Hardware Co.

Attys. Percy Spencer and Boone Hunter went to Plains on legal business this week.

Jake Leedy, who cooked at the Hotel several years ago, has returned and accepted a position with J. R. again.

S. L. Hunter and wife, one of our most prominent farmers was in town this week and renewed his subscription to the Herald.

For Sale: Work mules and horses.

Jno. W. Cone
Plains, Texas

W. G. Meyers, of the western part of the county, was in our city this week for the first time in a great while.

FOR SALE: I am offering my windmill repair outfit for sale cheap for cash.

Jack Drinkard.

Elder J. V. Bounds, of Kerens, Texas will begin a protracted meeting at Brownfield, Friday before the fifth Sunday in July.

Red top cane seed at the Livery stable for sale. Come and get them.

The present term of our district court promises to be an interesting session as several noted suits will come before that body this term.

Mrs. Garland, of Lamesa, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bynum of this city this week and is taking in the school closing exercises.

NOTICE—If your watch gets sand in it call on Leslie Green he can blow it out.

Big Red Perry carried four couples out for a walk in his car last Sunday. For complete information see Dock Powell and Ed Ellis.

Little Lukie French went out home last Saturday afternoon and stayed until Sunday afternoon. He reports a dead mule out there.

I want to buy a farm team—mares preferred. Cash.

H. M. Little.
Gomez, Texas.

Chas. Dupree, of Lubbock, was in the city this week.

T. J. Price, our genial County and District Clerk was distributing a lot of handsome calendars about this week. Herald extends thanks for one.

Judge Geo. W. Neill is putting the water to the trees in the Court House park these days, and they are responding with beautiful green verdure and sweet smelling blossoms.

Mesdames. Rose, Henry and Jno. Williams and Mrs. Moorehead were pleasant callers at the Herald office one day this week. Come again ladies.

Attys. Neill, Spencer and Boone Hunter, left Thursday afternoon on the line car for Lubbock to attend the banquet given by the Lubbock bar in honor of the new district officers.

Sam Walker came in from the Abilene country last week and says that while that country is looking much better than it did last year, it will have to go some to catch up with old Terry. You can't beat us nowhere.

Judge Spencer and wife left Thursday morning in a buggy for Lubbock to attend the banquet given in his and Mr. Vickers' honor. Invitations were extended to every member of the bar in the new district.

The B. W. Association has taken several of the business men to the boot factory for being late about opening. We trust this will have the desired effect as boot leather is too high to be wearing out on some people.

It is reported that Hon. C. K. Bell, who once made the race for Gov. of Texas, will be in attendance at this term of district court. He represents a party who has a land suit involving several thousand acres in Terry county.

Mr. Harper, one of Lubbock's leading citizens came in this week to begin improving his section laying northwest of the town section. He is busy fencing this week and gave out the information that he would build and move his family down in the near future. This family will also add greatly to our school.

In conversation with C. L. Williams this week he informed us that he would plant some forty acres in broom corn this year and that enough neighbors had joined him to swell the total acreage considerably toward 200. He will likely install a thresher, crusher and broom factory in Brownfield this fall. This is something we have been needing for some time and Mr. Williams should be encouraged to install them.

B. M. HUNTER

ATTY-AT-LAW

Brownfield Texas

Program

For the 92 anniversary of Odd Fellowship to be rendered at the Odd Fellows Hall on Wed. night, April 26th. Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their families are invited.

Chorus
Invocation, Rev. V. H. Trammell

The need of Fraternal Societies in the present day.

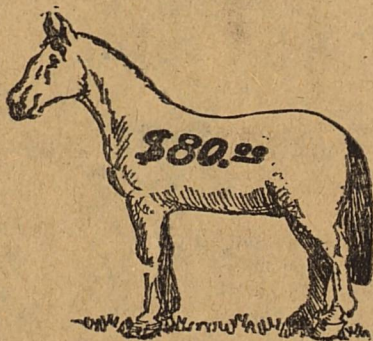
Quartette.
Recitation, Miss Annie Hamilton.

Some Things Taught by the Rebekah Degree, Miss Mabel Farrar.

Refreshments.
Master of Ceremonies, R. H. Banowsky.

The Texas Horse

The Texas horse, as a utility animal, excels those of any other state in the Union. He has plowed our fields, fought our battles, and is the most faithful of animal kind. Among all the animals he stands first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of the people.



1910 VALUE PER HEAD \$80.

The horse has contributed more toward the progress of the country than any other animal and our philanthropists, as civilizers, must all take off their hats to this dumb brute. During the past quarter of a century he has given away more than half his occupations to the cause of science and scientific discoverers and inventors are now operating in his remaining territory, but he has more than held his own in value and he is today the unit of power by which all his competitors must measure potential energy. He must not only compete with the inventive genius of man, but the mule—his progeny—has wrested from him some of his most valuable occupations. No animal ever met with such strenuous and unflinching competition and while press agents have been predicting his elimination he has become a prime factor in the high cost of living. He came out of the war worth \$29.40 and has steadily increased in value until today he is worth \$80.

He has carried the pack of the pioneer, pulled the stagecoach in early days, herded the cattle on the plains and while bringing forward the civilization of the country has lifted himself from a broncho to a thoroughbred. He pulls for Texas stronger than any other animal.

According to the census reports of the Federal department of agriculture, dated Jan. 1, 1910, we had 1,369,000 head of horses and the latest estimate given on value per head was \$80, making a total value of \$109,520,000 for all horses of all ages. This is an increase of 100,000 in number and \$75,000,000 in value during the past decade.

The soil and climate of Texas is particularly adapted to horse raising and no country on the globe can equal us in economy and quality of production.

Professional Cards.

G. E. LOCKHART

ATTY-AT-LAW

Tahoka, - - Texas.

W. R. Spencer Percy Spencer

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Brownfield, Terry County Texas

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Office 44

Brownfield, Texas.

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Brownfield

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BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

The Herald \$1.

Registered Hackney Stallion
WOOD PARAGON

Will stand this season at Dock Walker's place 4 miles north of Brownfield, Texas. \$10 for gentlemares and 12.50 for wild ones. Will furnish grass for mares at 50c per month. All fees are due when mare is foaled, or when mare is sold, traded or moved out of county. No work on Sunday.
DOC C. WALKER

For **WATKINS REMEDIES**

and Harness and Repair Work
See Jake Johnson Brownfield, Texas

Needmore.

On last Sunday afternoon, a large and merry crowd began to gather at the home of Mr. Joe Fisher for an old time egg hunt. At three o'clock, when all had decided that the crowd had gathered; set out at work, there being something near fifty people present. The work was complete all to soon, and the young folks gathered around the organ and sang until the clock told them that night was coming on. All departed for their respective homes, each one wishing that Easter came more than once a year.

The farmers of this community have mostly all begin planting their crops. Most all the people will plant a little patch of cotton this year.

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely with Mr. G. A. Whitley superintendent.

Mr. Meriweather and little son, from Lockney, were down visiting his sister, Mrs. Whitley last week.

The quilting given by Mrs. Gist on last Saturday was well attended, and was enjoyed by all.

Will McPhaul has gone to Lubbock on business this week.

The young folks enjoyed a party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rose, last Saturday night. Some excellent music was rendered by Mr. Rose, and son Jim.

Clyde Lewis and sister, Eldora, attended the Easter service at Brownfield last Sunday.

There will be two sermons delivered at Needmore on the 4th Sunday, by Rev. Constable of Ludbock.

Blue Jays.
Come again—Ed.

Another Citizen.

Mr. H. M. Little, Chief Clerk of the State Department at Austin under the Campbell administration, arrived in Brownfield, and went out to his property west of Gomez to begin improvements preparatory to moving his family out in a few weeks. In conversation with Mr. Little he informed us that four years of close confinement had told considerable on his health and he concluded he would try farming on the great healthful Plains for his health. We are sure Mr. Little will find our pure air and water will do all for his shattered health he is looking for, and with

ordinary diligence will find that farming on the Plains is very remunerative besides.

The report advances Mr. Little that he is a splendid citizen and has an excellent family. He will likely move his family to Brownfield this fall for school purposes.

Called by Wire.

Will Adams received a phone message from his sister at Brownwood this week asking him to notify his father and mother at Gomez, to hasten at once to Brownwood as his youngest sister, Miss Clemmie was coming to Brownwood from college at Belton, to have an operation performed for abscess on brain. We hope the case is not serious and that an early and successful operation will result favorably.

Farm and Garden

FAITH IN THE WYANDOTTE.

Good Points of the Breed Explained by Successful Poultry Raiser.

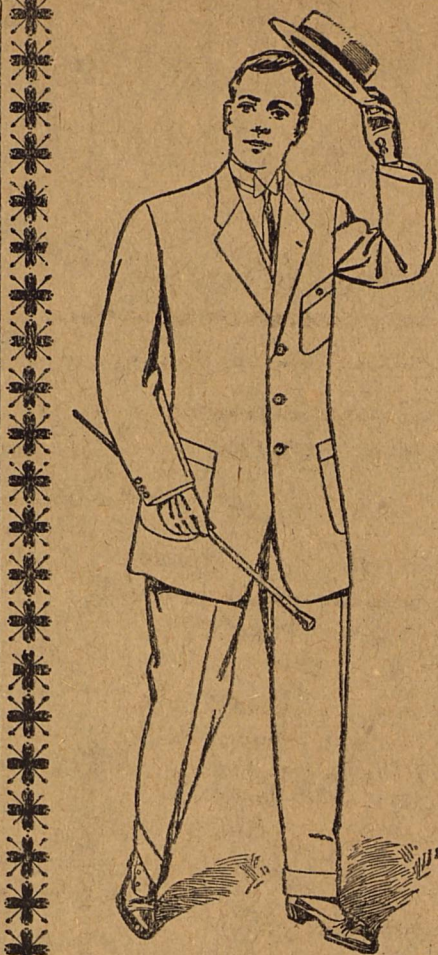
In the New England Homestead F. B. Williams of Litchfield county, Conn., a successful poultry raiser, explains as follows his faith in the White Wyandotte:

"I am making poultry my principal occupation and, like any business man, naturally wish to produce that which will return the largest profit. Formerly I tried having several of the most popular breeds and carefully watched results. One by one I discarded the other breeds and after about twelve years' experience with White Wyandottes have decided in favor of them.

"Other breeds did splendidly at times, but after averaging year after year and for all purposes combined I found nothing to equal White Wyandottes. The birds are of blocky shape and tender flesh, making the finest of broilers and roasters, and are fit for market as broilers at an earlier age than nearly any other breed, putting on flesh from the start, while other breeds are growing an abundance of



WHITE WYANDOTTES, DOUBLE COMB. feathers. Wyandotte pinfeathers, be-



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OLDEST, LARGEST and most UP-TO-DATE tailors in the world, M. BORN & Co., and have on display at our store a complete line of large SWATCHES, comprising the very latest patterns of woollens. Come! boys and men and let us show you our line. The prices comparatively low and we guarantee "a fit" that will please you or you need not take the goods.

Our Spring & Summer

Line of Dry Goods of all kinds and prices are now on display and we are sure that our lady friends and patrons can select anything that they may be wanting from our immense stock

And don't lose sight of the FACT that we are the grocery people. Our prices are right and our groceries are the best.

Brownfield Merc. Co.

The Home of Quality



Winning Prices on Furniture

A Solid Car Just Arrived

And I want the people of Terry county to see and share these prices. I will sell you jamb up quality furniture cheaper than you can buy in Amarillo. Good terms if you want to buy nice furniture on installment plan. Come and see.

BOB MAJORS

TAHOKA,

TEXAS.

Farm losses will pay for first class rural improvements. He who drains his barnyard bores a hole into the lowest corner of his safety deposit vault.

Chemical Fertilizers.

There is one thing which all farmers who use chemicals should remember: These chemicals should be spread as evenly as possible. They are all concentrated and will burn or injure vegetation if they are dumped in handfuls upon growing crops. They should be spread out all over the ground.

Orchard and Garden.

Take precautions against apples frosting in storage. Where there is danger from freezing set a large tub of warm water in the cellar to raise the temperature. If freezing occurs allow the fruit to thaw slowly.

The farmer who finds it cheaper to buy fruit than to raise it usually goes without it most of the time.

Plum trees set from sixteen to twenty feet apart will need good, vigorous pruning to keep them in bounds in later years.

The ground in the newly set strawberry bed should be kept stirred and rich to enable the plants to go through the winter in good shape.

A simple rule for the arrangement of dooryard trees and shrubs is never to set them in straight lines, but in groups with curving boundaries.

An ideal peach orchard location is a high, rolling elevation where the very best air drainage is obtainable, and if the land slopes toward the northwest so much the better. Never set peach trees in a hollow.

The man who thinks it is a woman's work to keep a garden going was not built on right lines. The garden should be considered as important as any other part of the farm and treated accordingly.

Do not bury cabbage until there is danger of very hard freezing.

W. R. Spencer & Co.

Land Agents

Notary

Public

We have complete abstracts of Terry County
Brownfield, Texas

COAL

GRAIN

HAY

Is what I am selling, and I am buying

FURS

AND

HIDES

Be sure and call on me when you are in town

W. F. BIGHAM

Tahoka

Texas

The Herald \$1.

WORSHAM & JUDD

Have bought out J. W. DeShazo & Company

Mr. Judd is an old timer and well known to most of you, and you will like Mr. Worsham when you meet him. They have a new and up-to-date line, and you will do well to see their stock before buying elsewhere. They have the largest stock of General Merchandise in Lubbock.

LUBBOCK

TEXAS

District Court.
Convenes May 1st
Grand Jury.

- J. W. Welch ✓
- H. L. Ware ✓
- G. A. Whitley ✓
- R. A. Snodgrass ✓
- T. E. Taylor ✓
- Lee Underdown ✓
- F. W. Proctor ✓
- W. A. Shepherd ✓
- Jno. Scudday Jr ✓
- J. R. Walker ✓
- J. O. Jones ✓
- W. R. Narvill ✓
- J. J. Lane ✓
- W. R. Harris ✓
- W. G. Myers ✓
- W. J. French ✓
- Pettitt.
- J. V. Newsom ✓
- J. W. Black ✓
- J. W. Moore ✓
- A. L. Walker ✓
- E. M. Ellington ✓
- T. C. Ivey ✓
- Fred Heine ✓
- S. H. Holgate ✓
- J. W. Peeler ✓
- J. N. Farris ✓
- J. R. Smith ✓
- J. C. Green ✓
- R. R. Hughes ✓
- H. M. Bell ✓
- J. C. Pasterson ✓
- A. E. Duke ✓
- W. E. Cherry ✓
- W. R. Bridges ✓
- M. C. Adams ✓
- Noah Bell ✓
- Joe Fisher ✓
- J. L. Bartlett ✓
- R. W. Rambo ✓
- A. M. Crews ✓
- J. R. Lanier ✓
- H. H. Longbreak ✓
- H. C. Byrd ✓
- A. L. Clark ✓
- S. C. Arnett ✓
- M. K. Lindsey ✓
- M. E. Dumas ✓
- H. T. Brooks ✓
- L. C. Cratchfield ✓
- Edwin Groves ✓
- J. C. Lewis ✓
- A. M. Ellis ✓

County Court

PETTIT JURY FOR COUNTY COURT
CONVENES 11TH OF MAY

- M. B. Sawyer ✓
- W. D. Winn ✓
- Ennis Ware ✓
- C. L. Williams ✓
- Dale Adams ✓
- W. G. Snodgrass ✓
- A. R. Brownfield ✓
- N. N. Ross ✓
- R. I. Puckett ✓
- J. A. Parks ✓
- Harry Braidfoot ✓
- Jack Bryan ✓
- V. E. Hargett ✓
- Geo. Black, Jr ✓
- H. L. Williamson ✓
- E. R. Rambo ✓
- R. W. Glover ✓

H. L. Williamson and good lady, were in the city shopping this week.

UP-TO-DATE LINE of MILLINERY

Fresh from St. Joseph, Mo. and Chicago. My hats are the cheapest, considering quality ever brought to Terry County. A big line of pattern hats fresh from the trimming rooms of the wholesale houses of the above named places, are offered for the inspection of the ladies of Terry Co. Goods open for sale on and after April 3rd.

MRS. L. T. BROOKS

Gomez, Texas

DO YOU NEED ANY

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Well, we have them of all kinds, stored away, awaiting your order. We will be pleased to serve you.

WE BUY HIDES AND FURS

And pay the highest market price for them. If it is shelf hardware you need, let your wants be known. We will order anything in hardware for you.

Brownfield Hardware Co.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE, SALE, BARTER AND EXCHANGE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS EXCEPT FOR MEDICINAL, SCIENTIFIC AND SACRAMENTAL PURPOSES

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2.

A resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Article 16, Section 20, thereof by striking out and repealing said section, and substituting in lieu thereof a new Section 20, prohibiting the manufacture for purpose of sale, barter and exchange and the sale, barter and exchange of intoxicating liquors, on and after the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1912, within this State, except for medicinal, scientific and sacramental purposes, and providing that the Legislature of the State of Texas, shall at noon on the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1912, by authority of this section, meet in session in the city of Austin, and pass efficient laws to enforce this section; providing, further, that this section shall not prevent any session of the Legislature from passing any law to enforce the same; and, providing, further, that all laws in force when this amendment is adopted, providing penalties or forfeitures in relation to the manufacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors, shall remain in full force and effect until modified or repealed; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed constitutional amendment, directing a proclamation therefor and making certain provisions for said election and the ballot thereof, and method of voting; prescribing certain duties for the Governor of this State, and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out and repealing Section 20 thereof, and substituting in lieu of said Section 20 the following:

SECTION 20. The manufacture for purposes of sale, barter or exchange of intoxicating liquors on and after the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1912, is hereby prohibited within this State, except for medicinal, scientific and sacramental purposes. The Legislature of the State of Texas shall, at noon, on the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1912, by authority of this section, meet in session in the city of Austin and pass efficient laws to enforce this section; but nothing in this section shall prevent any session of the Legislature from passing any law to enforce the same; and all laws in force when this amendment is adopted providing remedies, penalties or forfeitures in relation to the manufacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors shall remain in full force and effect

until modified or repealed.

SECTION 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in July, being the twenty-second day thereof, A. D. 1911. At said election the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words "Official Ballot."

Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words "For Prohibition" and the words "Against Prohibition." All voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition" by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words "For Prohibition." If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Prohibition" said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes shall be "Against Prohibition" said amendment shall be lost and so declared.

All the provisions of the general election laws as amended and in force at the time of said election shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the method of holding such election, and in all other respects, as far as such election laws can be made applicable.

SEC. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

SEC. 4. The sum of five thousand (\$5000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

C. C. McDONALD
Secretary of State.

(A true copy)

Attention: Stockmen.

The law not only requires that all herds leaving the County shall be inspected, but requires that the inspector be notified before their removal, so he can inspect same. Please be governed accordingly.

L. P. Price.
H. & A. Inspector.

M. V. Brownfield, Pres.

Will Alf Bell, Cashier

Brownfield State Bank

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Give my shop a trial when you want anything repaired about your wagon. Best material and work.

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R. C. BURNS.

MANAGER.

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Spring plowing is now in full sway, and a good sharp plow means better and cheaper work. Bring the dull ones to the doctor--Brooks

Brownfield

Texas