

# The Terry County Herald

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RETAIL

## GROCERIES

WHOLESALE

Heretofore, we have boosted our retail department, which is in every way complete, but in this ad we want to talk about our large and growing wholesale business. In going into this large grocery business, we felt we would be called on to furnish groceries in large or small quantities. We therefore made preparation for a wholesale business, which is complete. Let us figure on your business large or small.

Lubbock

### SPIKES & WAY GROCERY CO.

Texas

#### A Brief Life Sketch.

As promised in last week's paper, we will give a brief sketch of the life of Uncle Charley Lyon in this week's paper.

He was born in New York City in 1839, but his parents moved to Wisconsin during his early childhood, to near where the city of Racine now stands, where he grew to manhood. His father died when he was in his teens and he earned money to support his mother and her little orphans until they were large enough to take care of themselves and his mother died, though he had no living relative at the time of his death, that he knew of.

He learned the carpenter's trade and secured a position in the famous old J. I. Case shops when they made all their wagons and implements by hand.

He returned to New York after manhood and secured a position in a large paper mill, which he held until the Civil War, and rather than fight the Southern state, when he considered in the right, he next turned his face westward, landing in Kansas, where he took up some land and lived it out. Disposing of his land he went back to New York at the close of hostilities, but soon went to North Carolina and spent two years helping in the construction of a paper mill. He again returned to New York and remained until the 70's and then rolled out for Texas, locating in Gonzales county where he followed carpentering. He afterwards followed the same trade in Mills, Hamilton and Tom Green counties.

He built a house for Uncle Dave Benton in Tom Green county some ten years ago, and this acquaintance ripened into a friendship that has kept him with or near the Benton family ever since.

He came with them to Crosby

county and then to Terry about six years ago. He has followed his old trade most of the time he has been here, though he built a carriage and cabinet shop about two years ago.

To know Uncle Charley was to be his friend. If he had an enemy we never knew it. It was his constant endeavor to throw a ray of sunshine about him and as a consequence all loved him from the mere tot to the aged. His sense of humor was well developed, and it was a rusty old pessimist who would not crack a smile at his quaint humor.

He died without a struggle while taking a morning nap last Friday.

A gloom of sorrow hangs over the entire community.

#### Pride Dots.

I tell you Mr. Editor, we are in the swim in this part of the county, with everything looking fine, but we would like a little rain. The sand did a little damage to growing crops the other night.

Health is good in this neighborhood. We don't hear of any grunting.

Mrs. W. F. Cathey was called by phone to the bedside of her niece, Mrs. Peeler, southeast of Lamesa, last week.

Mr. J. H. Cathey was called by telegram to Tuva, N. M. last Friday, to come and take charge of the Cathey Bros. & Martin store. Mr. Martin is leaving the store on account of his health.

Uncle Sam Singleton will take charge of the Cathey Bro. pasture the first.

Messrs. J. T. Fullerton and C. B. Morrison and families, went to Tahoka last week trading.

Mrs. J. C. Preston is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Stafford, at San Angelo.

Uncle Joe was over the other

day and said I was mistaken about him going down 300 yard cotton rows. It was the boys.

The pound party at Mr. and Mrs. Billie Herrins, last Friday night was enjoyed by all.

Singing is given out at the Pride school house for the first Sunday in June. Dinner on the ground. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Martin, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Epperson last Sunday.

The Sunday school is progressing nicely at the Pride school house. Nice crowd first Sunday.

What has become of all the good writers to the Herald, have they done like I have; just quit writing and went to pulling the line on old Pete and Jude down half mile corn and cotton rows?

Come down Editor and bring your better half and see the yard full of chickens, and peaches turning.

Sand Lapper.

#### Gomez Dots.

Say Mr. Herald, are you cold? if so just come to our city, for hot, oh! my, the sun shines hot enough for midsummer.

Mr. Simon Holgate's baby got hold of some fly poison on Tuesday evening and was seriously ill for several hours. (moral:) People with children in the house should not use fly poison.

Mrs. G. E. Lockhart and children, of Tahoka, came in Wednesday morning for a visit to friends in Gomez. She informed us that Mr. Lockhart is now gone to Lone Wolf, Okla., in response to a telegram summoning him to the bedside of his father, who is quite seriously ill at that place.

Mr. Walter Gainer has gone to Plains, and when some one asked him what he was going for,

he said, "I'm going out there to plant a crop, if it wont rain here I'll go where it does."

Mr. A. C. Copeland, has moved into one of the Gainer buildings on the west side of the square, where he will run a cold drink and ice-cream parlor this summer.

Mr. Asbery, of the Slaughter ranch, was in town Tuesday,

L. W. McPhaul, of the Needmore community, was shaking hands with old friends in town Tuesday.

Mr. H. C. Byrd was trading here Tuesday.

Mrs. Burnett and children, were in Monday and Tuesday visiting Mrs. Simon Holgate.

Mr. Emmett Green, (our freighter) came in Saturday evening with a load of hardware and groceries, and was off again soon Monday morning for Lubbock, for another load; people soon learn to appreciate reliable service and seldom fail to favor those who render it.

Mrs. Miller who lives south west of here in Yoakum county, was in Wednesday night, the guest of Mrs. Reeves.

Oh! yes, we like to have forgotten our show last Saturday night. Well any one who saw that crowd will acknowledge that Gomez may be slow, but it isn't because there are no people here. My! my! but there was a crowd, but unfortunately the lantern wouldn't work properly, so we were disappointed in getting to see the show, but the owner promised to return in the near future and give us another trial.

We had quite a sensation here Wednesday in the shape of a three wheeled auto, and some of us were in favor of swiping it, but after some consideration Bro. Moore decided it "looked

like it might catch chickens" so we let it pass.

Well there were seven drummers here Wednesday, six of them in one auto.

Mr. Mose Dumas, and daughter, Miss Nancy, were in town last Saturday and Sunday.

All the sick people are on the mend. Mrs. B. B. Gainer is improving slowly.

Letters from various points in Okla., east and central Tex., brings news of hot dry weather, and in all places mentioned crops are said to be failing for want of rain.

West Wind.

#### Primrose Notes.

Dear Editor;

I will write you a few notes from our community. The goose hangs high and everything lovely. Our farmers are getting along fine with their drops, but Mr. Blueweed keeps some of them from going to town so often.

A. W. Blankenship got excused from attending court this week.

Lee Cowan, had to attend court at Lubbock this week as juror.

Miss Grace Cowan has gone to Lamesa to attend the Normal. She stopped with friends in Lubbock a few days.

Our school closed the 26th of May, but we'll have our closing the 9th of June. Everybody invited to attend.

Mrs. A. L. Barber has taught us a good school of nine months and it is with many regrets of her friends that she is to move from our midst.

The young folks enjoyed themselves at an ice cream supper at Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pyeatt's on last Saturday night. It was given to Misses Grace and Clara

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## POST

We have them of all kinds and in any quantity and in any quality. If you are going to build fence, it will pay you to see us

## WIRE

We buy all our wire from one of the best factories in the east. No slip or spread in our woven wire

## COAL

Genuine NIG-GERHEAD, at per ton \$8.50

### Lubbock Grain & Coal Company

# FOR LUMBER SEE McAdams Lumber Company

All 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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### SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

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Better rates on half page or more and exceptionally good rates on large, long standing ads on application.

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Each consecutive inc. " " 5c

### Secret Societies.



**BROWNFIELD CHAPTER, NO. 309, R. A. M.**  
W. R. Spencer, High Priest  
Geo. E. Tiernan, Secretary  
Meets 2nd Saturday after the full moon in each lunar month



**Officers of BROWNFIELD LODGE A. F. & A. M. No. 503.**  
J. W. Ellis, W. M.  
H. H. Longbrake, 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. Clara Criswell, N. G.  
Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.



**Brownfield Camp No. 1989 W. O. W.**  
R. H. Banowsky, C. C.  
Geo. W. Nell, 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.

## Many Prominent Speakers

AT

# Fort Worth Grand Rally

## Monday June 5

At no meeting held in recent years in Texas has there been such a list of prominent speakers as will be present at the great rally of citizens opposed to Statewide Prohibition, will be held in Ft. Worth Monday, June 5.

Among the prominent Texans who will speak on this occasion are the following:

- Governor O. B. Colquitt
- Judge George Clark of Waco.
- Hon. C. K. Bell of Fort Worth
- Secretary of State C. C. McDonald
- Hon. John H. Kirby of Houston.
- Hon. H. M. Garwood of Houston.
- Hon. Nelson Phillips of Dallas.
- Hon. Barry Miller of Dallas.
- Hon. Carlos Bee of San Antonio.
- Hon. E. G. Senter of Dallas
- Hon. Johnathan Lane of Houston
- Hon. Louis J. Worsham of Fort Worth
- Hon. McDonald Meachum of Navasota
- Hon. J. W. Ownby of Parris
- Hon. Reese Tatum of Dalhart
- Hon. R. W. Rodgers of Texarkana
- Hon. Fred Dudley of Paris
- Hon. M. E. Kleberg of Galveston

During the campaign of 1887, which resulted in the defeat of the Statewide prohibition amendment by a vote of 91,000, the biggest rally was held at Fort Worth, and Fort Worth citizens are making preparations now for the entertainment of a larger crowd.

The meeting will be held at the big Coliseum, which has a seating capacity of 10,000. In order to care for the large crowd, the business men of Fort Worth have arranged for 5,000 additional chairs. Every possible arrangement will be made for the comfort and entertainment of the visitors and Fort Worth will be prepared to entertain all who attend.

## LOW RAILWAY RATES

There will be one rate Tickets on sale June 3 and good to return on June 7, of one and one-fifth of a one way fare for the round trip

There will be another rate effective Sunday, June 4, and good to return, leaving Fort Worth Tuesday, June 6, which will be one-half of one way fare, plus 75 cents, from distant points, and one-half of one way fare, plus 25 cents, from nearby points, for the round trip.

The low popular rate on June 5, of one-half of the one way fare, plus 25 cents, will also apply to all points near Fort Worth on all trains arriving at Fort Worth before noon on Monday, June 5th.

Ask your railroad agent for rates from your town and if he is unable to inform you, write to  
**ANTI-STATEWIDE PROHIBITION ORGANIZATION OF TEXAS**  
DALLAS (Advertisement) HOUSTON

### Here is Real Sorrow.

Editor W. J. (Bill) Sewall has experienced "the great sorrow" of an editor's life. It came Saturday just as the evening issue of Carthage's popular Republican daily was about to issue from the press. The pressman failed to clamp them on successfully and four forms of type were scattered promiscuously over the floor.

Old Job had boils and fevers and bitter enemies and false friends, but he never "pied" four whole pages of hand set type just as the paper was going to press. If he had, Biblical history, at least the book of Job, would have been written differently. Think of all the work of editorial, reportorial, compositorial and even the advertising department blasted in one fell swoop—the result of a trivial carelessness! George Davidson should take heart, an unappreciative baseball clientage isn't a

starter to "pieing" four whole forms of type.—Joplin (Mo.) News-Herald-

### The House Fly Must Go.

The Commercial Club at Mart is engaging in a crusade against the house fly and the entire membership of that organization is now spending its spare time combating this pest. The Ladies Civic League of that city is co-operating with the Commercial Club and the campaign for fewer flies and better flies is becoming more active each day in that thriving little city.

War has been declared on the fly all over the South and Texas is leading in the movement, the Commercial Clubs in many instances leading the fight. The health of a community is of first importance and the extermination of the house fly will go a long way toward eliminating diseases in the state.

They Come and Go

BUY THE

Western Windmill Co.

Just keeps her same old gait; winning new trade-territory and customers every day. We wish to thank our many customers for making it possible for us to extend our trade, by trading yourself and telling others about us. Your wants are not too small to receive our undivided attention.

LUBBOCK

TEXAS

## The RANDAL

SCHOOL BOOKS!!! We have them right here for you; also pens, pencils, tablets and other school accessories too numerous to mention.

## Drug Company

Your prescription will be appreciated and will receive our most careful attention at all times. Big assortment of sundries and all standard proprietary remedies.

## For Pure Drugs

## NERO The Black Percheon Stallion

Will make the season at Joe Fisher's barn. Will stand \$15 to insure foal. Money due when mare is traded or transferred. My Jack, Black Prince will stand for \$10 to insure foal.  
JOE FISHER.

## GOOD GRUB

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

## List Your Land With Henry George, Lubbock, Texas

Can advantageously sell, trade or exchange your property

**Work on Cemetery.**

The good people of this city, and several from the country, who were directly in the care of our cemetery, met May 30th, which was Decoration day to do what they could to beautify the city of the dead.

All graves were cleaned off and fresh earth put on them and those having no headstones or other markings to indicate who occupied the grave was plainly marked by those who knew them. A nice lot of flowers decorated the last resting place of those gone before, by those left behind, and a neat set of steps was erected across the fence, between the Odd Fellows and Brownfield Cemeteries, thus making it easy to pass from one cemetery to the other. One of the greatest deeds done that day, was the re-burial of the little child of Dr. and Mrs. Gaines, which was buried on the town section eight years ago, or before there was a burial ground in the county; this being the first burial that any one knows of. At that time there was some talk of Brownfield being laid out on this section, and the mother wanted her child to be buried near by and be reburied when a site for the cemetery was selected.

The box was found to be intact, but the flesh of course was decayed entirely, leaving nothing but the grave clothes and little bones. These were carried to the city cemetery and again laid to rest, from which it will probably never be disturbed again until judgment day.

Thus ended a great day with our good people.

**B. M. HUNTER**  
ATTY-AT-LAW  
Brownfield Texas

**SUNDAY SCHOOL.**

Lesson XI.—Second Quarter, For June 11, 1911.

**THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.**

Text of the Lesson, II Chron. xxx, 13-27—Memory Verses, 18-20—Golden Text, I Sam. xvi, 7—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

This Hezekiah, whose name signifies "the strength of Jehovah," was one of the best kings that reigned over the kingdom of Judah. In the sixth year of his reign the king of Assyria carried the ten tribes into captivity, as we shall learn more fully in next week's lesson (II Kings xix, 10-12). The king of Assyria threatened to do to Judah as he had done to Israel and wrote a blasphemous letter which Hezekiah spread before the Lord, and he and the prophet Isaiah prayed and cried to heaven, and the Lord sent an angel who smote in one night 185,000 of the Assyrian army (II Kings xix, 35; II Chron. xxxii, 19-21).

Ahaz, the father of Hezekiah, had done very wickedly. He worshiped other gods, cut in pieces the vessels of the house of God, shut up the doors of the house of the Lord and made him altars in every corner of Jerusalem and in the cities of Judah. Therefore the Lord did bring Judah low because of him (II Chron. xxviii, 19-25).

Hezekiah in the first month of the first year of his reign opened the doors of the house of the Lord and repaired them and set the priests and Levites at work to cleanse the temple, which they did in sixteen days. Then they offered sin offerings unto the Lord for all Israel, and burnt offerings, and thank offerings, and worshiped the Lord with gladness. "So the service of the house of the Lord was set in order, and Hezekiah rejoiced, and all the people, that God had prepared the

people, for the thing was done suddenly" (chapter xxix, 3, 17, 24, 27, 31, 36).

The regular time to keep the Passover in the first month being past because of the time it took to cleanse the temple, it was determined to keep it in the second month, as was permitted in the law (Num. ix, 9-11). Proclamation was therefore made throughout all Israel from Dan to Beersheba that they should come to keep the Passover unto the Lord God of Israel at Jerusalem, for it was a long time since the feast had been kept (verses 1-5). The last of which we have a record was in the days of Joshua, when at Gilgal they kept it upon entering the land (Josh. v, 10). Before that there is a record of only two Passovers, one in Egypt and one a year later at Sinai.

After the time of our lesson we have only a record of two more in the Old Testament, the great one of Josiah and the one in the days of Ezra at the dedication of the temple after the return from Babylon (II Chron. xxxv, 18; Ez. vi, 19-22). We can scarcely think that these were the only Passovers kept, but these six are the only ones recorded. If we include the one that the Lord Jesus so greatly desired to keep with his disciples (Luke xxii), then we have a record of just seven great Passovers. Of the lessons for our own souls let us never forget the words, "When I see the blood I will pass over you." It was not the blood and something else, but simply and only the applied blood of the slain lamb that gave safety. See Lev. xvii, 11; Heb. ix, 22; Rev. i, 5, 6; v, 9, 10; vii, 14; Eph. i, 7.

Nothing can by any means add to the safety which is ours in Christ Jesus, but because of it may the Lord grant us a great appetite for the Lamb, and as He lived by the Father may we, eating Him, live by Him (John vi, 57). This call to all Israel to turn to the Lord might truly be spoken of as a last call to the ten tribes, for six years later they were carried captive by the king of Assyria. As the posts passed from city to city through Ephraim and Manasseh, even unto Zebulun, some laughed them to scorn and mocked them, but some humbled themselves and came to Jerusalem (verses 10, 11). Verse 12 seems to teach that God can bless only those who are willing that He should lay His hand upon them for good.

Until He shall come again in power and glory we cannot expect anything different from Acts xxviii, 24, "Some believed, and some believed not."

Wheat and tares will grow together until the end of the age. Notwithstanding the rebellious ones a very great congregation assembled at Jerusalem to keep the Passover (verse 13). They cleansed the city of idolators and killed the Passover and kept the feast not only for seven days, but so great was their joy because they had truly turned to the Lord and He had so blessed them that they kept the feast for another seven days. There was greater joy in Jerusalem than had been since the days of Solomon.

Hezekiah spake comfortably or to the heart of all the Levites that taught the good knowledge of the Lord (verse 22, margin), and so he was greatly used of God in this revival. The Bible is a heart book, from the heart of God to the hearts of His people (Isa. xl, 1, 2, margin), and if His word does not reach our hearts with comfort and strength we should pray, "Give Thy servant a hearing heart" (I Kings iii, 9, margin). What a splendid record of this king is found in chapter xxxi, 20, 21, "He wrought that which was good and right and truth before the Lord his God. \* \* \* He did it with all his heart and prospered."

**SAVING EWE LAMBS.**

**Things to Consider in Selecting the Future Breeder.**

All realize that the ram is half or more of every flock, and we know that as we seldom ever get a ewe or ram that breeds perfect lambs we must choose a ram that is a high class fellow and especially strong where our ewes seem deficient, writes a sheep grower in the Iowa Homestead. In grading up a flock, however, I find but few rams available at any price that can combine the high class mutton form with clear, dense wool. It is because of this, therefore, that we must select our future breeding ewes with utmost care. It is very necessary that we choose well, for when the ewe lambs are two years old they will be part of the flock, and in two years more they will be the backbone and main breeders we look to for profits.

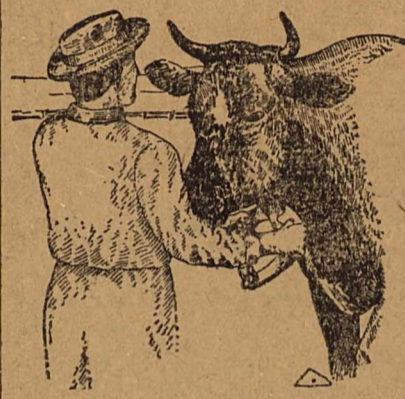
First of all, the ewes must be good milkers; then they must have a dense, oily fleece that will protect them from the rough storms the farm ewe must endure. A deep milking mother is the cheapest source of fat lambs, and for this reason I want a ewe first of all a good milker. So save the ewe lamb that will develop into a good milker, then choose one that shows by an open nostril, bright eye, full, deep chest, a tendency toward good vitality and constitution. Choose the lamb that then springs wide and deep and

long through the middle, with broad loin and wide sprung ribs. Carry these wide lines on out to the rump by demanding a wide, broad, well meaty rump on the best types.

Now, if we have chosen for a milking type, suppose we consider the wool or the fleece that is to cover our future breeders. First of all, this fleece must be compact, dense, fine quality, oily fleece. It must be of this nature because the ordinary farm ewe must brave many hard storms, and if her fleece does not protect her well she is wasting vitality. With the down breeds the wool will always be commercially of secondary importance, but as long as we expect the fleece to protect our ewes we must breed medium length wool that is dense, oily and that tightly wraps the sheep. I don't expect to endeavor to increase the weight of wool on my ewes so much by increasing the length of staple as I do by growing it denser on the body and of medium length. Endeavors to increase weight of wool clip by increasing length invariably results in open, loose fleeces. Among the open, loose fleeces are where we find the pneumonia, colds, catarrh and loss of vitality.

**Relief For Choking Cattle.**

The device for removing obstacles from the throats of cattle is the invention of a Port Townsend (Wash.) man. It is intended to relieve the suffering of an animal that has become choked by a potato, apple or some



**REMOVING OBSTACLE FROM COW'S THROAT.** such obstruction in the throat. It comprises a pair of arms terminating in slightly concave surfaces, which are pressed against the throat on opposite sides just below the obstacle and then drawn upward along the esophagus, forcing the obstacle toward the mouth.

**Feeding the Horse.**

The experiment stations have been studying the horse as well as other domestic animals, and among their findings are some facts that seem contrary to the usual practices. In proportion to the size of the animal, the stomach of the horse is rather small, with an average capacity of about two gallons. If the horse is fed his grain first, then hay, followed by watering, the grain will be pushed out of the stomach before it is digested. The best way proves to be to give the horse water first, then some hay, followed by the grain ration. In case the horse is warm he should have a little water, but not all he will drink until he has cooled off.

**Better Cows, Better Methods.**

If dairy farmers of the country only realized the gigantic improvement they could make by improving and grading up their herds they would revolutionize the dairy business. It is not more cows that we need, but fewer cows and better ones. With better cows and better methods the production of milk and butter could be maintained at its present point with less than two-thirds of the present number of cattle that are in milk. Think of the saving this would make in labor alone. The saving in feed would not be small.

**Sheep Are Profitable.**

As farms become smaller and methods more intensive it will be necessary to secure higher prices for meat production and animal foods. Sheep are economical producers and can be handled profitably under intense conditions of farming.

**Selection of the Brood Sow.**

Sows that come from prolific families are more certain to inherit those qualities and become good mothers than those that descend from families that are less prolific.

**Her Joke.**

"Madam, your account is overdrawn, and we have had to send a number of your checks back."  
"How perfectly funny!"—New York Press.

One of the greatest boons that the good housewife can have along the line of aids in doing her work is linoleum for her kitchen and dining room floors. There is no grimed in dirt to dig out by main force and awkwardness, a mop being the only means required to keep it looking fresh and clean. Especially will this improvement be appreciated in homes where the floors are of soft wood and have become badly worn.

**WE ARE VERY DESIROUS OF A BIG CIRCULATION**

We are going to offer some very satisfactory commissions to those who will take the time and trouble to do a canvassing just part of their time. As a special to secure new subscribers outside the county, we are going to let those who desire to do so, send The Herald to as many friends as they wish for 75c a year during the months of May, June, July and August.

**DONT FORGET OUR JOB DEPARTMENT.**

**LOCALS**

Our friend, Jno. Peters brought in a copy of the issue of March 24th and received the reward one day this week, for which we are very thankful.

G. A. Whitley was a pleasant caller at the Herald office last Saturday.

Pecans 12 1-2c. Almons 17 1-2. Come quick.

Brownfield merc. Co.

W. L. Groves renewed his subscription to the Herald this week.

Bait your hook with \$1-4 and get 3 fine fish at the Brownfield merc., Co.

W. H. Gist called on the Herald Saturday, and renewed his own subscription, and that of his brother, who resides in New Mexico.

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

Jac Dkrinkard.

Mrs. W. R. Spencer left last week for Ballinger, where she will spend most of the summer visiting her mother.

Plenty Belle Wichita flour at the Brownfield Merc.

Attys. Percy Spencer and Boone Hunter are attending district court at Lubbock this week.

Why not buy the best. Get Harvest Home coffee at the Brownfield Mercantile Co.

Miss Gaster Randal was hostess at a progressive Hearts party last Friday night. Refreshments were served and a good time generally was the unanimous decision of all who attended this social gathering.

Son Hughes was in from the sheep ranch Sunday, visiting home folks.

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

Brownfield Hardware Co.

Misses Mammie and Kathryn Powell, were in from the sheep ranch Sunday and visited at the Randal home.

Do the flies bother you? If so see Tom May. Manager of the McAdams Lumber yard.

Mrs. James Watkins left Friday for her home, after quite a visit on the Plains.

Alfalfa and red top cane seed at the Merc.

We had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Srygley, mother of Prof. W. G. Hardin for the first time this week. She says she likes Terry county very well so far. You will like it better the more you know it Mrs. Srygley. It bears acquaintance.

Can't you think of Monday and Saturday. They are the days the big Pope-Toledo goes to Lubbock.

Get screen doors at McAdams Lumber yard.

Messrs. Jewell Baker and Berlin Dickinson, of Hockley county were in our city on business this week. Mr. Baker paid the Herald a pleasant call.

Harvest Home coffee. None better. Sold and guaranteed by the Brownfield Merc.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Blanton, at the Banowsky home, a fine little girl this morning about daylight.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walker, of Needmore, were in town this week, and lunched with the Herald.

The Brownfield degree team of I. O. O. went to Gomez last night and carried four of the boys through the initiatory and first degree.

H. H. Longbreak is constructing a large sheet iron tank for himself.

What makes you wear winter underwear this hot weather. We are "IT" on summer clothes.

Brownfield Merc.

The local Blacksmith boys besides doing their usual stunts, are turning out go-devils pretty brisk this week.

We received a program of the Baylor commencement from Word Price last week and an invitation to attend, but sadly pass it up.

REWARD: A reward of 25c is offered for whole paper of the issue of the Herald of March 24th 1911. Bring paper to Herald office.

Little Miss Bernice Kimro, of Lubbock, came home with Cathry May and spent several days days at the May home.

Mr. Schults and son, of Rocky, Okla., were down this week looking after a business location. They were favorably impressed with Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pyeatt, of the Primrose community, of Hockley county, accompanied by Miss Clara Cowan, were shopping in our city this week. They took dinner with the family of J. L. Randal.

Wiley Bridges and family spent Sunday with T. J. Price, but was careful to take his dinner with him.

Just as we close our news forms for this week we learn that a fine young man has taken permanent residence at the J. M. Johnson. Two a day. Gee! that means our city will contain 730 people, more or less, in one year at the present rate.

Mrs. Kimbro, of Lubbock, president of the Lubbock district of Womens Home Mission, lectured the Brownfield ladies at the Methodist church this week. Her talk was highly appreciated.

Lence Price informed us this week that he had the prettiest cotton to its age he ever had in his life. Said it was ready to chop, but would be in no hurry as he was afraid of hail.

Joe Fisher informed us last Saturday that the hail last Friday afternoon did his crop and orchard considerable damage. We hope it was not as bad as first suspected, and that he will not have to plant anything over.

Our local merchants are stocking up as they have never stocked since we have been here, and they are doing the business; winning new trade almost every day. Come to Brownfield to do your trading.

Two gentlemen passed through Brownfield this week in a three wheeled auto. They were from Hartford, Conn., and were on their way overland to San Francisco. This car is a new creation and was on its try out trip. It will be shipped back to Connecticut after it reaches its destination. So far they have made about 100 miles per day and have had little or no trouble.

Many are they that are planning and preparing to take a trip to Galveston when the cut-off is ready for final service. From talk we have concluded the town will almost be deserted.

M. V. Brownfield came in this week and renewed the Herald to Senator Adams of Brownwood and ordered new copies to go to J. Q. Hanna, E. E. Willoughby, of Brady, Texas, and B. B. Brownfield, of Uniontown, Pa. Very mocha grata Mr. Brownly.

Redge Burnett left this week for Mineral Wells, where he goes for a few weeks recuperation. Redge has been bothered for some time with an accute case of stomach trouble and he hopes to find relief in the mineral waters of that city. He instructed us to send the Herald to that address to keep him company.

Mr. J. W. Welch brought in two fine bunches of grapes this week. We are no expert on fruits, but we pronounce these specimen to be extra fine and well developed. Mr. Welch informed us that if he had several acres instead of a small patch, he would coin some money on them. There could be some splendid vineyards in old Terry and we advise land owners everywhere to obtain as many cuttings as possible this fall.

Mr. L. P. Richardson, of Austin, Tex., and formerly expert printer, but recently resigned on account of poor health, is spending the week in Brownfield. Being a printer, of course he paid the Herald a fraternal call, and became a reader of same. Mr. Richardson owns two choice sections of land in Terry county and one in Yoakum. He is up trying to dispose of the Yoakum county property and buy in and around Brownfield. Mr. Richardson informed us that he would send a lot of prospectors to our country this summer. Oh! he's a booster alright.

**BIDS WANTED.**

Bids will be received June 5th 1911, for work on the road south from Brownfield two miles as follows: Plowed and grubbed 16 feet wide, 3 inches deep and the dirt scraped out. County to furnish road grader, the uses to keep in repair. Work to be done per mile, within 60 days from acceptance of bid. Bidder gives bond to do the job. Money paid on completion. Bids must be filed with the County Clerk by 1 o'clock of that date.

Also, on road east to Tahoka; scraped out 3 inches deep, 16 feet wide, about 7 miles. In both roads the sandy places worked only, and to be designated by the Commissioners Court. Bids may be separately for each road.

GEO. W. NEILL, Co. Judge

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**AN OLD ADAGE**

Says: Touch a man's pocket book and you touch his heart, but in trading with me, I touch the pocket book so lightly, the heart is effected for the better. Just received a shipment of new Dry Goods, "Star Brand Shoes and fresh groceries on hand all the while. Don't forget the place.

**J. T. MAY** Phone 14

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I represent several of the best tailoring establishments  
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**Registered Hackney Stallion**  
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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

**General Robert E. Lee.**  
He never planted a thorn in the bosom of a man, never threw a shadow in the face of a woman and never caused a dimple to fade from the cheek of a child. With a strong and iron hand he struck deep for the silver of sunshine and deeper still for the gold of goodness. Like the little bird which builds its nest only of the sweetest spices, he gathered all about him the waters of Marah with the wand of talisman, sweetened them with the touch of truth, and sent them, abounding flood, to lift higher and higher an ark of safety to the summit of an Ararat. Like the poet, "all nature mourns his obsequies." In the rustle of the leaf he heard the unfolding of a wing, and in the blush of a flower he saw the crimson of a throne. On Woodland heights he saw the lofty colonnade of "a house not made with hands," and in the murmur of the brook he heard the water break against a farther shore. In the lily of the valley and in mountain pink he saw the stroke of the master brush, and in the song of the meadow lark he hear the music of invisible choirs. In the dewdrop on the grass he saw the tear of a cross, and in the bearded grain he counted "the general assembled of the church of the Firstborn." In the quiet gloss of the sunset he saw the glory of departing saints, and in the morning light the resurrection day. In the circle of the sun he saw the signet ring of the King; in the pale mintage of the moon the treasure trove of dismantlesorb, and in the stars lamps of the lighthouse piloting over eternal seas. In every tree he saw the seasoned rafters of his Father's house, and in every stream "a fountain opened in the house of David." In the cling of vine to the heart of an oak he saw his own life press against the print of a nail, and in the blush of a flower a scarlet line in a window on the heights of Calvary.  
On tombstones strange stories are often told, but on the sentinel shaft which guards his speechless dust let there be "graven with an iron pen and lead in the rock forever" those words in soberness and in truth: "He revered God, loved little children, and never went back on a friend."—L. N. Cooper.

(Primrose Notes Continued.)  
Cowan. As Miss Grace was going to leave she bade all her friends good bye for the present, but she will see them again in the near future. All pronounced the most enjoyable occasion in our neighborhood lately. Some of Neeimore's young folks were in attendance.

Mr. Andy Lee reports that two of Snyder's best singing teachers will be with us the third Sunday in June. Dinner on the ground that day, and all who enjoy good singing come out.

Mr. Harry Copeland and wife, visited Mr. and Mr. Pyeatt Sunday.  
Mrs. A. L. Babec, and niece, Mrs. Amie Laura Deckard, spent Sunday with Mrs. Cowan. Mrs. Deckard lives near the Slide community, but is visiting her aunt for a few days.  
We have organized a Sunday School at our school house which meets every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, and we are glad to say we are getting along fine, with good attendance and Mrs. P. W. Dickinson superintendent. Bro. Trammell visited our Sunday School and preached us a short sermon. He has a standing invitation to come again and make us a talk on Sunday School.  
I'll come again some time with the Editors permission.  
Cricket.  
(Come often and stay late—Ed)

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
STATE OF TEXAS }  
County of Terry } By virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No 1, Terry County, on the 12th day of May, 1911, by E. L. Duke, J. P. against W. G. Howard for the sum of Thirty Nine and 98—100 (\$39. 98) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 41 in said Court, styled Adams Holgate Co., composed of W. M. Adams, O. E. Adams, H. F. Adams and Robt. Holgate versus W. G. Howard and placed in my hands for service, I, Geo. E. Tiernan as sheriff of Terry County, Texas, did, on the 12th day of May 1911 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Terry County, described as follows, to-wit: The north west one fourth of the south east one fourth of Survey No. 43 in Block 4-X Cert 1300, Grantee E. L. & R. R. R. Co., being a part of the Howard section of land, containing 40 acres of land, and levied upon as the property of said W. G. Howard And on Tuesday, the 6th day of June 1911, at the Court House door of Terry County, in the town of Brownfield Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said land at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. G. Howard by virtue of said levy and said execution. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Terry County Herald a newspaper published in Terry County Texas.  
Witness my hand, this 12th day of May 1911.  
Geo. E. Tiernan.  
Sheriff Terry County, Texas.

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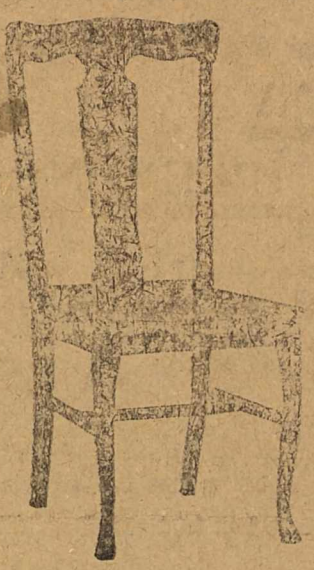
**SHOES!**

Talking about shoes oxfords or pumps, remind us that our are good, look good, wear good and priced just as good. Get the best, the faithful



old Hamilton Brown kind. **AND DON'T FORGET OUR BIG GROCERY DEPARTMENT.** We've got the goods of all prices and description and want and will appreciate your trade. **Come a'runnin'.**

**Brownfield Mercantile Co.**



**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.

of \$20.00 has been paid and credited thereon and costs of suit, in cause No 39 in said Court, styled The Brownfield Mercantile Company, composed of E. T. Powell and R. H. Banowsky versus W. G. Howard and placed in my hands for service, I, Geo. E. Tiernan as sheriff of Terry County, Texas, did, on the 12th day of May 1911 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Terry County, described as follows, to-wit: the south one half of the south east one fourth of Survey No. 43 in Block 4-X, Cert. 1300, Grantee E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. being a part of the Howard section of land, containing 80 acres of land and levied upon as the property of said W. G. Howard. And on Tuesday, the 6th day of June 1911, at the Court House door of Terry County, in the town of Brownfield Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. G. Howard by virtue of said levy and said execution.  
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**The Herald St.**

# Learn to Look Before You Leap Is O K

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We are willing for you to put our goods to the test. When in Lubbock, remember we have the best what is in Dry Goods and groceries. Don't forget the old timers.

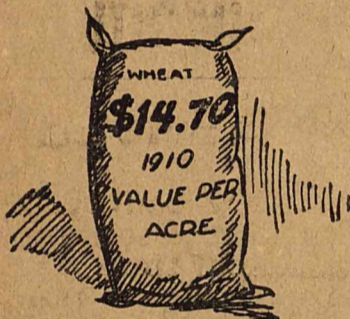
Lubbock

**WORSHAM & JUDD**

Texas

## Texas Wheat

The increase in the world wheat acreage has not kept up with the increase in population during the past decade and students of economy tell us that we must increase our wheat acreage or face a bread famine. According to estimates of the Federal agricultural department's reports, in 1910 the wheat fields of the world harvested 3,667,494,000 bushels, which makes 2.5 bushels per capita. In Texas we raised 18,780,000 bushels, which is approximately five bushels per capita.



An examination of the wheat acreage planted in Texas each year for the past three years shows an irregular and volcanic condition. In 1908 we harvested 924,000 acres, in 1909 there were 555,000 acres harvested, and in 1910 we harvested 1,252,000 acres, indicating sudden and rapid changes in our wheat acreage.

Our wheat crop ranks third in value of Texas' agricultural products and has a farm value of \$18,404,000. We produced fifteen bushels per acre and the farm value was \$14.70 per acre.

## Texas Oats

Our oat crop ranks fourth in value. In 1910 we had an oat acreage of 695,000, producing 24,325,000 bushels, farm value \$11,433,000. Our oats yielded thirty-five bushels per acre and a farm value of \$16.45 per acre.



Texas is fast taking its place among the cereal producing states in the Union.

## Snares for the Country Girl.

Only too often some great tragedy that shocks the whole community, makes people realize the dangers to which untrained and friendless girls expose themselves when they seek work in a great city, lured by the fascination of its stir and bustle, the cheap theater, the moving picture shows and dance halls—in contrast with what they think the loneliness of the country.

To the pleasure-seeking girl, none too wise or prudent, and detached from home and family there are many dangers in a great city and these dangers thicken as she sees around her wealth, luxuries and pleasures

## 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.

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## 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.

unattainable by her small means. Much as the Republic desires the growth of San Antonio, it would advise no untrained girl to come here or to any other large city, unless she has friends there to guide her and some definite plan as to her work. A position, however small, near home or in touch with friends, is safer and better in the end. If there is a daughter to spare in a home, some other rural or village home, where there is no daughter, would be glad to give her a daughter's place in return for such work as she does in her own home and to pay her for it, besides. This is a much better course than to run the gauntlet of a city's snares and dangers.—San Antonio Republic.

"Mind How You Act" which appeared in last week's issue has received quite a lot of comment. Among those who expressed appreciation were Jno. Burnett, W. G. Hardin and R. R. Hughes. Another liked the piece, as a whole fine, but objected to just one phrase.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF TEXAS }  
County of Terry } By virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Terry county, on the 12th day of May, 1911, by E. L. Duke, Justice of the Peace,

against W. G. Howard, for the sum of Nineteen and 65—100 (\$19.65) dollars and cost of suit, in cause No. 40 in said Court, styled The Brownfield Hardware Co., composed of J. J. Lane and H. H. Longbreak, versus W. G. Howard and placed in my hands for service, I, Geo. E. Tiernan, as Sheriff of Terry County, Texas, did, on the 12th day of May, 1911 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Terry County, described as follows, to-wit: The northeast one-fourth of the south-east one-fourth of Section No. 43 in Block 4-X, Certificate 1300, Grantee E. L. & R. R. Ry Co., being a part of the Howard section of land and containing 40 acres of land, and levied upon as the property of said W. G. Howard, and on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1911, at the Court House door of Terry County, in the town of Brownfield Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M., I will sell said lands at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. G. Howard by virtue of said levy and said execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceeding said date of sale, in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper published in Brownfield, Terry County.

Witness my hand, this 12th day of May, 1911.

Geo. E. Tiernan.

Sheriff Terry County, Texas.

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