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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.

There is a small mistake in the Herald this week we wish to correct before it gets cold. Where it says Sept. 2nd on date line, it should read Sept. 8th, and instead of being number 28, it is number 22.

There has never been a time when our people have not appreciated the necessity for better roads and deplored the existence of bad roads. The difficulty has been in the indisposition to take concerted action to improve them. The mere recognition of the bad condition does not mend it. We must appreciate the inconvenience and losses which arise from such bad conditions and the profit which would accrue from repairing the same.

Many a young woman who deserves a good man for a life companion, has jumped in at a tender age and married a "Johnny", and gone through life embarrassed the rest of her days. "Johnny" is all right as an ice cream boy and as a slot machine with which to get chewing gum and candy, but when it comes to measuring up in after years with the men who do things, and whose wives make up the budget of satisfied ones, he is down and out before the race starts. Girls, if you must marry, and you must if you would be really happy, be sure and marry a man, or at least what is going to be a man. —Selected.

A lawyer charges a man \$10 for ten minutes conversation. The man insists on paying it. A doctor charges one dollar for prescription and the patient says; "Oh pshaw! is that enough?" An undertaker charges \$100 for conducting a funeral service and he is just perfectly lovely with everybody inside and outside the family, says the Marion (Ga.) Record. A man buys a gold brick and apologises for not having bitten before. An editor walks a mile in the hot sun to get first hand facts a death or a wedding or a social function and spends three hours writing it up and tells lies and praises people until he hates himself. Then if he makes an insignificant omission or charges five cents straight for three extra copies, he is a stingy, careless, good-for-nothing old cuss who never gets anything right and charges four times the price of city papers twice as large.—Publishers' Auxiliary.

AROUND ABOUT BROWNFIELD.

A visit to the home of Uncle Joe Tom Hamilton in the sunny suburbs of Brownfield, was both a surprise and pleasure to this scribbling scribe. About 1881, 30 years ago, we knew Joe Tom and Laura, she, then a little Miss Laura Franklin. They lived along the sloughs and slashes of Sulphur Fork of Red River in the county of Morris. Many a time we met this couple long before their courting days, and

little did we dream that we would ever sit at their table out here in this land of the sunny skies.

Little too, did we dream that we would ever meet the little Lassie Laura Franklin as Grandma Hamilton of the Plains country. How we scatter and how we increase. All this reminds us of a good old sister down in that country who got happy one time in meeting, she had but two children, but as she shouted she asked the preacher and all the people to pray for her as she "had children scattered all over the world".

The lads of today are the sires of tomorrow, and the lassies of now are the motherly matrons and grandmas of the near future. So it is, was and ever will be.

Ah! indeed! who know what the future holds in its close clenched fist, and what is going to come to these lads and lassies of today? Meeting with Joe Tom and Laura Hamilton, recalls two other lads who come up to their old home burg in East Texas. These are two fine boys, both Johns, John Shepperd and John Patterson. When these two Johns got about grown they got it in their futile heads that they would go west and sow some wild oats. They did and they sowed thick and fast and they got stripped of cool cash.

Necessity is ever the mother of invention. The two Johns so lean and lank that they put their wits to work and decided to turn preacher evangelist. They practiced up and found a soft settlement and it was norated all out that a fine revival was to be held. John Shepperd was to preach and the other John was to sing the Solos. There was a great stir in that settlement and the old heads said: them evangelist held the finest meeting that ever took place in the cow country. The two John got home with two bran new suits and didn't have to walk it.

But the two John subsided as evangelist. Their call to preach vanished as the mist of the morning. John Sheppard died an honored Texas Congressman and John Patterson died an able limb of the law. They never sowed any more wild oats and held no more meetings. Perhaps in the long run, these two Johns done about as much good as the most of our so called evangelist, who are self called, self styled evangelist, perhaps their work was as good and lasted as well.

If Joe Tom and Laura Hamilton could have four good rains a year on their Terry county holdings, this would be a fine nest egg, with moisture and the distilled dews of heaven; one section in Terry would be worth ten back on the sleepy sloughs and boggy slashes of East Texas.

The lads of today and the lassies of today will be the granddads and grandmas of tomorrow.

Perhaps the faraway Plains will be the land of Goshen tomorrow.

J. W. Lively.

Harvest Time Is Here

And of course you will need a binder and twine to harvest your crop. We have both McComick and Deering corn harvesters, the only standard machines made. We have a large stock of twine at 10c per pound. We have the largest stock of general hardware on the south Plains at right prices. Make our store your headquarters when in Lubbock.

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No Trouble to Figure on Your Grocery Bills

That's what pencils and paper are for, and we use them to the advantage of our large custom. We pride ourselves that we have the best line of Pure Food Groceries in Lubbock and we are willing to give our friends the value of our immense buying power. Not only do we sell groceries by the wholesale and retail, but in connection we carry a full line of grain and feed. Come in and let us figure with and show you why you should deal with

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BROWNFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

To be Affiliated with Colleges and University.

Arrangements have been made whereby the Brownfield High School is affiliated with The Colleges at Commerce, Stamford and other schools of that standard, thus giving the graduates of this school the privilege of entering any of these schools, without examination; they receiving full credit there for the

work done here, and thru these colleges are in direct line to the University.

As a further inducement for efficient work in the Brownfield High school, president Mayo of the East Texas State Normal college, will offer each year a free scholarship, to the Honor graduate of this school, entitling him or her to one years tuition in that college.

This should serve as an inspiration to the pupils expecting to finish the course offered in the Brownfield school. No pupil could hope to take a higher recommendation to a college than are

the honors of a school. Let every student awaken to the full significance of this offer and be ready to enter school, on the first day full of determination to carry these honors to his own credit.

A course of study has been adopted thru-out the school, in accordance with the one prescribed by the state superintendent, up to and including the tenth grade.

These affiliations places the Brownfield school up to any on the south plains, and the pupils work here will be received with full credit anywhere he may go.

The school board have shown good judgement in their selection of teachers having employed Prof. Thos. F. Hunter, recently of Ft. Worth as principal who is a Bachelor of Literature Philosophy. And W. G. Hardin first Assistant, with a B. A. Degree, and Miss. Clara Randal Intermediate, and Miss Deane Low, Primary, each holding a first Grade State Certificates, and all of them having much experience in teaching heretofore. The Trustees have provided ample rooms, Desks, and plenty of fuel for the term, and more to be added to the other apparatus and

fixture to make it one of the first class of West Texas.

School begins Monday morning, everything is ready and will run for ensuring nine months.

Prof. Thos. F. Hunter principal of the Brownfield High school arrived last Wednesday and is ready to begin work Monday morning. Prof. Hunter has just completed a four year Work at Politechnic College Ft. Worth, and holds degrees of B. L. and Ph. B. and has had some years experience teaching at the head of good schools, and promises one of the best terms this school has ever had. He comes highly

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recommended from the patrons of each place, and we hope the people here, will give him their support in building up this school, and making the year profitable for the student.

LEGISLATIVE NEWS LETTER

Austin, Texas, September 4th. Our solons have paid their vows and their bills and are hurrying from Austin like men running from their sins.

The work of the Session shows that our Legislatures stumbled

thing for Texas if some our politicians could go to Heaven in a whirlwind, but of course we wouldn't want them to leave unless they could better themselves.

The Legislature has had, all told, over 60 subject submitted for Legislation but less than ten laws were passed and none affecting the industrial interests of the State. The surest plan for a Legislature to avoid mistakes is to do nothing.

The appropriation Bill, amounting to \$10,208,613,85 reached the Chief Executive, but the Governor reduced it \$640,000 taking

\$41,580 off the appropriation of the Attorney General's Department and the remainder of the reduction was made on the educational institutions.

The State Senatorial Re-Districting Bill, has been vetoed by the Governor and other bills may feel the veto ax.

In order to avoid passing the Congressional Re-Districting Bill, eight Prohibition Senators absented themselves from the Senate Chamber and succeeded in killing the bill, as well as many other useful measures. This action will result in the election of two Congressmen at large.

The closing Session was one of strife and turmoil. The members of the House were refused admission to the Senate and retaliated by refusing to receive any messages from the Senate.

Death of a Queen.

It is said that she was just an ordinary woman without much leisure or time for culture. She did not know the difference between an Ionic and a Doric column in architecture and she was not up on china painting or the Roman emperors, but she brought

up five children to tell the truth to regard the right, to love their brothers and to do honest labor and not be ashamed of it. When she died there were many who said nothing about it, and there was no big funeral procession but the recording angel said as he reached for a fresh pen and turned over to a clean page: "A queen is coming; get her throne ready.—Selected.

Robert Forrester, son-in-law of R. R. Hughes, came in Monday from San Diego, California, on business and to visit friends and relatives. He thinks that's god's country.

WE WOULD SAY TO THE TERRY CO. TRADE

That our stock of coal is complete, and we are ready to fill you bins while the weather is warm and roads are good. It is a recognized fact that our woven, barb and slick wires are the best money can buy. A full line of Post and stays, stock salt, grain and hay. Come; let us reason together and trade some. Free wagon yard.

Lubbock Grain & Coal Company

LOCALS

Genuine Webster's blue back spelling books at the Herald office; cheap.

Judge Geo. W. Neill was a visitor to Plains this week.

A couple of loads of coal were unloaded at the Court House this week.

BLUE BACK spelling books plenty of them, at the Herald office. Get one for old time sake.

Claude Criswell was in the city a few days last week.

Lence Price says he believes he has a bale of cotton open.

We pay the highest prices for hides.

Sherman Bros.,
Lubbock Texas.

Mrs. V. H. Trammell's sister, Mrs. E. M. Morris of Floydada, is visiting her this week.

Uncle Mose Dumas, of the Southwestern part of Terry was in the city this week and called on the Herald.

The Brownfield Hardware Co., have fruit jars by the wagon load. Prices right.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Underdown a fine boy last night and name will be Colquitt.

A. E. Moore has peaches for sale at \$1 per bu., at Gainer orchard at Gomez.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winston on the 30th a fine girl.

D. J. Wood and Arthur Alexander, of Lubbock, were visiting in our city this week.

J. R. Hill was a Lubbock passenger Monday.

Two prospectors from Austin, Texas, were in our city this week, looking over the good land in Terry.

Some rare bargains in low cut shoes and figured lawns that you can't afford to miss at the Brownfield Merc. Co.

I have bought the Tailor Shop and would very much appreciate your cleaning and pressing.
Tom Brooks

Byrd and Drinkard are putting the finishing touches on M. V. Brownfield's 3 room house they are remodeling.

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Sherman Bros.,
Lubbock, Texas.

Percy Spencer was among the Lubbock passengers Monday. He had both legal and social engagements; so J. R. Hill says.

Take that dirty, wrinkled suit or skirt to Tom Brooks and he will make them look new.

A photographer is in town this week shooting everything worth shooting at.

If you are not already a customer, just try May's store and be convinced; he can show you better than tell you.

Homer Scott, who has been undergoing a siege of slow fever at the home of his father-in-law, R. R. Hughes, is much improved at this writing.

We have some unincumbered rental property to exchange for land in Terry Co. List your land with us.

Louis A. Robinson & Co.,
Lubbock, Texas.

Lee Walker carried out a brand new Deering corn harvester this week. It takes Will Adams and H. H. Longbreak to tell his first experience in running one.

Remember my fall and winter samples from the best tailor shops in America.

Tom Brooks, Jr.

Sam Pyeatt, an old time cowboy of these diggins, but now with the "C" outfit has been spending some time on his old stomping ground.

Oh! ye babies get your "Rubens" shirts at the Merc.

Dr. J. W. Ellis came in this week from a trip to Fort Worth and other points east.

We have a few pair of Oxfords left. The price is cheaper than you ever saw at the Brownfield Merc. Co.

Dr. J. W. Lively and lady, left last week for their home in Marshall, Texas.

The Brownfield Merc Co., has a nice assortment of rugs, step in and see them.

A brand new boy made his appearance at the Huckleberry home and seems to be making the best of this old world.

No trouble to show goods. Come and see for yourself.

J. T. May.
Phone 14

A boy was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bynum last Sunday afternoon at about 3:30 p. m.

Ben Hurst has purchased a section of land from W. R. Spencer in the western part of the county, and will settle down to farming.

Remember May's store is headquarters for fresh groceries. Prices always right.

Phone 14

J. C. Green and Chas. Copeland unloaded about two dozen fine mellons at the Herald office this week and we ate and invited other eaters till mellons didn't taste good. Thanks.

A retired merchant of Bowie, Texas, was prospecting in Terry last week and will likely take three sections of choice dirt 12 miles Northwest of the city and one section in Yoakum county.

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Louis A. Robinson & Co.,
Lubbock, Texas.

C. A. McDaniel and family, have returned from the mountains of N. M. in order to enter the children in the High School. Uncle Mc was exhibiting a baseball bat he made of mountain ash while out there.

Walter and Roy Scudday left this week for school. Walter will enter the Snyder High school and Roy will enter the Brittan Training School at Cisco. We hope them a profitable School year.

Most of our readers will probably remember an ad in the Herald for a pair of child's shoes a few weeks ago. Well Billie Bryant had them and turned them in—but just what a single fellow would want with them is more than we can figure out.

Mr. R. R. Lewis, who is farming the Cardwell place this year, was a pleasant caller at the Herald office this week. He had his

name added to our growing list of subscribers and renewed his son's subscription, of Rucker. He reports a splendid crop.

Mrs. Copeland, of Gomez, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Katie, passed through this week in Lester McPherson's car for Fluvanna, where they will take train for Fort Worth, where the later goes for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Ed Copeland and children, of King, N. M. accompanied by Miss Frankie Mabray, sister of Mrs. Chas. Copeland, came in last week and have been visiting the later. Mrs. Ed Copeland is visiting in the Meadow neighborhood this week.

Now the trail has been beaten out to the McAdams Lumber Yard the most of the people of Terry county has found that they could save money by buying from us, and those that have not found it out, come let us prove it to you.

A. G. McAdams Lmbr., Co.
Tom May, Mgr.

Please Pay-up.

All parties knowing themselves to be indebted to me will please settle up at once. I must have the money.

H. T. Brooks.

Uncle Sam Advertising.

Uncle Sam does not come out openly and advise everybody to move to Texas he would hardly dare to do that but his Official Report of the 13 Census, 1910, shows such a paraiality for the Lone Star State that one not familiar with the circumstances would think this Census was taken for the purpose of advertising Texas.

The latest announcement of Texas prosperity is made in the Agricultural Statistics. The average value per acre of farm land alone in 1910 was reported as \$14.77 while in 1900 it was \$4.70; the amount of gain being \$10.07; or 214 per cent. There is no better investment than money put in a home in Texas.

There's many a man in the north part of the corn belt who has a kindly feeling toward the variety of corn known as Bloody Butcher, which was used considerably in some sections for replanting fields where the larger variety of corn planted at the usual time did not germinate. In one instance which came to our notice some seed of this variety was planted on June 9 and in just sixty-eight days samples of firm dented corn were picked from the field. While we would not urge the planting of it in latitudes where a larger and more productive variety would mature well between spring and fall frosts, yet it answers a good purpose as an emergency variety where one needs corn for feeding purposes and does not want to lose the use of the land.

The wisdom and urgent need of testing animals which are to be used for breeding purposes were effectively shown in the case of the owner of a fine herd of Holstein cows of which we read the other day. One cow in the herd which he prized highly had not responded as she should from the tuberculin test applied at intervals of several months before, and to be fully satisfied in regard to the matter he had the cow slaughtered by an assistant of the state veterinarian's office. A postmortem examination showed that the cow was so far gone with tuberculosis that there were tubercular lesions all through her vital organs and muscular tissues and that no portion of her carcass was fit for food. It was an emphatic demonstration, convincing not only the owner, but many neighbors and visitors who were present. Next time he will act sooner than he did in this case and thus prevent a diseased animal from infecting other members of the herd.

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Farm machinery is often sadly neglected when not in use. It is not uncommon to see binders, cultivators, grain drills, plows, etc., left out all winter in the field where they were last used or in the barnyard. Here they are exposed to the sun, rain and snow. The depreciation from such exposure is more than the wear caused by use.

There is no place where religion—that of deeds as well as words—needs putting into practice more than in the home. It should not only mean being kind and cheerful, keeping socks mended and buttons on the men's shirts, but having a supply of dry wood as near the kitchen stove as possible, kindling closer than the corner, a handy supply of water and easy means of disposing of the waste water. Any man who pretends to be a good man about the house, let alone being religious, is worse than—well, he's a pretty poor stick if he doesn't provide for these things.