

The Terry County Herald

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Martin & Walcott

Successors to

Martin & Holland

We handle canned goods in straight cars and also White Crest and Magnola Flour in car lots. Give us your bill and we will save you money. We now occupy the East front of the new Citizens National Bank Building.

Dont fail to see us.

Martin & Walcott.

Raleigh Martin, Mgr. LUBBOCK, 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.

M. V. Brownfield, Pres.

Will Alf Bell, Cashier

Brownfield State Bank

RESOURCES
OVER \$100,000.00

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

SEE

Brownfield Land Co.

If you want to sell, buy, rent or lease land or insure your property against fire or lightning. We make a specialty of locating actual settlers; we collect rents and pay taxes for non-residents. Business carefully attended to.

Another Farmer

Who Dwells at Home and Boards at the Same Place.

A FARMER drove a good span of horses into town this week. Well, what of that asks a chorus of inquisitors? They probably do that everyday in the year; many of them. Did you notice that we put farmer in caps? That means much emphasis on the farmer. There are a great many men that bear the name of this great profession or calling that are no more worthy of it, than a monkey is to be called a human. There are lots of farmers in Terry county, however.

But to get back to our subject, "A farmer drove a good span of horses into town, we just wish to say that his name is J. L. Bartlett and he lives about 8 miles Northwest of Brownfield. The reason we so readily recognized him as a farmer when he drove in behind a fine span of horses, was that his wagon contained a load of country produce. A sure recognition was it not? But how else are we to know them.

"By their fruits, ye shall know them." Biblical proof that he was a farmer; a husbandman. Well he brings something to town for sale nearly every time he comes.

On this occasion, he had with him about five bushels of shelled maize, a two hundred pound porker, 10 gallons of good hog lard and 10 dozen hen eggs, with a total value of \$4. Will, Mr. Bartlett just lives at home and make a living and some money besides, all the time. He don't "just board with his wife." We have lots of farmers of the same caliber and a few not so good, we are sorry to say, but we need five hundred more just like Mr. Bartlett, and then you would see things pick up in old Terry, railroad or no railroad.

The only possible objection one could have to Mr. Bartlett, is that he is among the few in number who don't read the Herald, but he'll come around all right and don't you doubt it, for he's only a new comer and is just beginning to make dollars.

A Word of Thanks.

I want to thank all the good people for their kindness toward me and my little children since our house went down. I havn't language to express my thanks to one and all. 'Tis sad to look on the spot where once stood our home, yet 'tis sweet to be mid friends.

Mrs. C. E. Moore,
Brownfield, Texas.

A. & M. Kitchen

Sixty square feet of surface, with a capacity of six hundred hot cakes a minute, is a part of the kitchen equipment represented by three hot cake stoves in the subsistence department of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.

It requires a lot of cooking material to supply the mess hall of the College where a thousand students are served at a meal and no boy eats at a second table. After the old mess hall was destroyed by fire, Benard Sbisa, the steward of the College, ordered new ranges for his kitchen, and the new equipment has been installed in the temporary kitchen, which is built alongside the temporary mess hall.

The dining room has a floor space of 10,800 square feet. The kitchen department has a floor space of 9,000 square feet. Mr. Sbisa has seventy five men in his employ: seven cooks for the range, three special meat cooks, two vegetable cooks, three bakers and a cleaner, two butchers, two potato peelers and a roustabout, two night watchmen, two yard men, one driver, one storekeeper, three dish washers, two pot washers, two pantry men, one engineer, two firemen, one dining room manager and two assistants, and thirty waiters. D. J. Williams is assistant supervisor for Mr. Sbisa and has charge of all the departments.

In the kitchen there are three hot cake stoves with a surface of 60 square feet with a capacity of 600 hotcakes a minute. In the morning at breakfast there are eleven men cooking hot cakes. The range has a surface of 56 square feet and is large enough to cook one for 1600 people. The steam kettles, for making stew, will hold 150 gallons. The vegetable steamer will hold over 100 gallons. There is a steam dishwasher in the kitchen so the food can be served hot. In the bakery there is a dough mixer that will mix four barrels of flour at a time; a large oven, 14x16 feet, capable of cooking 300 two and one half pound loaves of bread at a time. There is also a cold storage that will hold sixteen beeves.

The mess hall uses daily, 4 barrels of flour, 50 pounds of coffee, 3 large beeves, 10 bushels of Irish potatoes, 120 gallons of milk 300 pies, 1 barrel of sugar, 100 pounds of butter, one-third of a barrel of syrup, 1300 hot rolls for breakfast 120 gallons of stew for supper, and 1000 pounds of bread. The cost of running the Mess Hall is between \$600 and \$700 a day.

County Trustees Met

The County School Trustees met in regular session last Monday to look after the welfare of the county schools. The board is composed of the following gentlemen who have the schools of the county at heart and will spare no pains to see that they have attention and encouragement:

J. L. Randal, Pres; Dr. H. T. Day, Trustee of Precinct No. 1; W. H. Gist Pre. No. 2; W. D. Winn, Pre. No. 3; and J. C. Lewis Pre. No. 4. J. C. Lewis resigned and J. B. Nichols was appointed in his stead.

The trustees report that they find the schools in their several precincts in splendid condition and everything moving along nicely. Several pupils have been transferred from the country schools to the two High School of the county since their last meeting.

The Price Is The Thing.

The announcement that many of the commercial clubs will make co-operation with the farmers in securing better prices for their products the leading feature of the work during 1912, is a forward step in Texas' progress. We may raise potatoes big as pumpkins and produce a carload per acre, but what is the use unless we can sell them at a profit. THE PRICE IS THE THING and when the farmer secures profitable prices for his products then agriculture thrives.

The farmers are the recipient of more universal generosity than any other class of people. Their Congressmen sends them garden seed free of charge, together with a copy of his speech on the tariff, almanacs and illustrated catalogues are furnished him without cost; blue ribbons and gold medals are offered him galore, and he gets free advice from everybody, but give him a good market for his products and he will make the country prosper; immigration will flock to our borders and our valleys will be dotted with happy homes. THE PRICE IS THE THING

Little Miss Robena Hargett was hostess at an intertainment at the home of her mother last Saturday night. After many games were played the little guests were served to appropriate refreshments, after which they departed for their homes much pleased with the way in which they were intertained.

Blizzards! Blizzards!! Then Some More.

This is all the news one gets from the weather Bureau, and so many such telegrams following each other in rapid succession means something. Better let us load your wagon. Get our prices on post, wire and feedstuff.

Lubbock Grain and Coal Company

For Lumber, See A. G. McADAMS Lumber Co.

Brownfield

Lubbock

Tahoka

All kinds of building material

Let's figure some

Tom May, Manager Brownfield yard

The Terry County Herald

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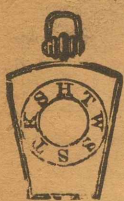
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BROWNFIELD CHAPTER, NO. 309, R. A. M.
W. R. Spencer, High Priest
Geo. E. Tiernan, Secretary
Meets 2nd Saturday after the full moon in each lunar month



Officers of BROWNFIELD LODGE A. F. & A. M. No. 809.
Geo. E. Tiernan, W. M.
H. H. Longbrad, Secretary
Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each lunar month at 4 p. m.

Wade Chapter 317 O. E. S.

Mrs. Geo. E. Tiernan, W. M.
Miss Annie Hamilton, Secretary.
Meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at Masonic Hall

Brownfield Lodge No. 530 I. O. O. F.

J. L. Read, I. 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. Annie Hamilton N. G.
Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.

Brownfield Camp No. 1989 W. O. W.

J. T. May, C. C.
J. F. Winston, Clark
Meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday night in each month in the Odd Fellows Hall

Gomez Lodge No. 828 I. O. O. F.

W. A. Shepard, N. G.
Simon Holgate, Sec'y
Meets every Thursday night 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.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Sunday School and Church Emblems every Sunday at 10 a. m., at the School House. You are cordially invited to attend.
R. H. Banowsky, Leader.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Days of meeting: ever 1st Sunday and Saturday before. S. S. 10 a. m. Preaching on Saturday 11: a. m., on Sunday 11: a. m. and 8: p. m. Sunbeam Society 4: p. m. Prayermeeting Thursday 8: p. m. Preaching on 3rd Sunday by Rev. M. D. Williams; morning and night. J. W. Thomas Missionary Pastor.

CANDIDATES

Who have announced for office subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 27th, 1912.

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

W. R. Spencer

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

J. E. Vickers

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

W. H. Gist

W. G. Hardin

FOR CO. and DIST. CLERK

T. J. Price

D. J. Broughton

FOR SHERIFF and TAX-COL.

Geo. E. Tiernan

W. R. Bridges

FOR TAX-ASSESSOR

J. R. Burnett

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

H. T. Brooks

fection and our hens have a habit of cackling the year around, and each cackle means a new laid egg. Cattle excell those of any other country and often exceed the hopes of the wildest dreamer. Runty pigs come out and make better porkers here than registered stock do in some countries. Cotton, perhaps, of all plants adapted to the Southern states, does not meet with the success expected of it each year, but it is believed that certain species will become adapted to our climate. Fruits grow here equally as well as in any country, and as proof, we cite the fact that Terry county captured the blue ribbon on Elberta peaches and limbertwig apples and blue ribbon and sweep-stakes on her peach collection at the Dallas Fair last fall. Vegetables grow as if out of a hot bed and all plants of the vine variety, puts one to thinking of the fable about Jack and the bean stalk. More mellons rot annually in Terry county, than are raised in many countries, population considered.

It is some satisfaction and pleasure here to make a crop in this country. True we have high winds and some sandstorms during early spring, but these are more than counterbalanced by pure air, water, sunshine, rudy health and clean fields, with out stumps and grubs. With the exception of early spring, we have the most delightful climate imaginable. Even in sultry summer time, one feels comfortable at night with a blanket.

Nor is this all; our boys are growing into manhood with hand some figures and courtly manners. Our girls are growing into grace and loveliness and are truly fit to become the queens of our handsome manhood. Come to Terry.

Chas. Boone made a trip to Lubbock this week after freight for our merchants.

WE SELL THE VERY BEST

Hardware, Windmills and Implements

that are made, for every purpose. Prices right too. Don't forget the old reliable Eclipse windmill and John Deere implements. They have stood the test of time and we can stand behind them. We are the ones who think it will pay us to charge you only a fair price for our goods, and we give you value received for every dollar you spend with us.

Make our store your headquarters when in Lubbock, whether you buy or not. We will be glad to see you.

WESTERN WINDMILL COMPANY

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

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

LOOKING FOR LODGING?

If so try the Jackson House, not only the cheapest but the best lodging house in LUBBOCK at anything near the price. Rates \$1.25 per day.

W. J. LUNA, Prop.

We noticed several of our citizens getting cuttings of grape vines this week. That is right; start a vineyard.

From the way R. M. Kendrick is getting nice banquets and friendly encouragement over the district, he is going to be a hard candidate to down in the coming race for State representative.

Marshall is a good man, a business man and would make the Plains country a good representative if elected. He is unanimously favored by his home people in Yoarum county and has a strong indorsement in Terry.

Occasionally you still hear a man say: "Advertising don't pay." He has no proof of course and simple reason is strong against him, but he wants something to roar about and the first thing that comes handy gets the

rebukes. Sometimes just a little local notice gets business for a man and pays dividends that was never intended as an advertisement. To illustrate. Some time since the Herald made mention of one of our farmers having a splendid variety of white maize, the piece was copied by other exchanges and a few days ago, a man from far off Clarendon ordered white maize seed from this farmer. Still publicity doesn't pay(?)

There is no country in the world that we have any knowledge of, where diversification can be so successfully and profitably practiced as in Terry county. Horses and mules grow to perfection on our excellent grasses and with the aid of our vari-grains, excell those of Iowa, Kentucky, Missouri or Tennessee. Poultry grow off to per-

We Sell
Barbed Wire
and Coal

SEITZ GRAIN & GROCERY CO

A Complete Line Grain and Groceries CLEANEST WAGON YARD IN LUBBOCK, TEXAS

We Sell
Groceries

LOCALS

Seed sweet potatoes for sale. Come after them the last of Feb. J. E. Woodard.

Lee Allmon is out in the Groves Chappel neighborhood helping S. E. Hamilton erect his dwelling.

Mrs. Simon Holgate, of Gomez, was visiting in Brownfield one day this week.

150 tons of coal in the bins at \$8.25 to \$9.50 per ton.

S. N. McDaniel
Tahoka, Texas,

There is so much house moving and planning these days we can hardly keep up with it.

Uncle Mat McPherson left this week for Comanche to visit relatives.

C. S. Cardwell is moving his little building off of the Odd Fellow's lot and placing it in the rear of the telephone building.

Andy Simms brought his wife in from Lubbock where she has been in the sanitarium for about a month.

BROOM CORN SEED for sale at Tom Holley's store. Price \$2.50 per bushel. Better get your seed before the supply is exhausted. C. L. Williams.

The Bank directors met this week and transacted their regular routine of business, and found everything in good shape.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Adams, Sunday night Jan. 28th, a fine, bouncing boy. Merlin hasn't quit acting lateful yet.

Mr. Duke, one of our progressive farmers from the Southern part of the county, was in making purchases one day this week.

Timm Bros. were in one day this week and informed the editor that they had just completed a good well for Mr. Thompson.

NOTICE: We will grind meal on Friday, though will keep meal on hand to exchange for corn. Can crush feed any day.

Terry Co. Mill & Feed Co.

V. E. Hargett shipped his large bronze gobbler to parties in Central Texas this week. We did not learn the price he received.

Carpenters Byrd and Miller were in from the country Sunday and informed us that they were making rapid headway on Ote Copeland's bungalow.

We learn that J. W. Welch had to apply break to his wagon, in coming from Tahoka when he struck the clayed road in Terry county. A little while ago and that old sand bed was a dead pull.

Some time ago, we made mention of a house-wrecking company. A house moving outfit was organized this week and moved the Jesse Hamilton house to town. It is composed of Messrs. Claud Criswell, J. W. Welch, Chas. Copeland and Jimmie Green, and they made a record breaking move. They left town about 10 a. m. went out two miles in the country

loaded a two room house and set it down in town by middle of the afternoon.

Coble and Criswell will buy your hides.

W. C. Smith, one of our bustling citizens came in this week and stimulated the poor farm folks with a bright silver dollar.

Don't forget to carefully read the proposition of J. T. May & Son in this issue of the Herald. These sales will be continued indefinitely and will be a great help to customers.

Wiley Bridges, the popular candidate for sheriff from the West side, was in town mixing with friends this week.

Goody! our spring shipment of dry goods, the nicest line ever put on the shelves of Brownfield, will soon be here, and they will soon be found at J. T. May & Son's.

The mill has been almost constantly busy this week crushing feed and a haul is not yet in sight. They are making a fine grade of meal and chops and the farmers and town people too are giving them splendid patronage.

Lester McPherson left this week for Post City, where he has been offered a position to run a large gasoline engine for the contractors who are building the cotton mills.

18 hogs for sale at 6c per lb. gross; will weigh about 100 lbs. each. Will trade for maize.

D. W. Harris
O'Donnell, Texas

Messrs. Geo. Riley of Tahoka, Holmes of Baird, Texas, were up this week looking over some land in the western part of the county belonging to the latter. We understand that Mr. Holmes was well pleased with his land.

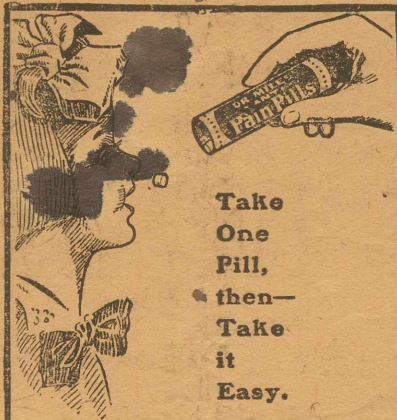
We wish to call your attention to the page of the Gomez Merc. Co. in this issue of the Herald. They have on a clearance sale of their entire dry goods stock, lasting four days. Some rare bargains are offered at this sale.

We went down to Judge Neill's one afternoon this week to see the new incubator hatching young chicks. Out of 50 eggs 28 hatched. We consider this very good for the first trial, when one consider that these eggs were in Amarillo during the blizzard about a month ago.

Mention was made in these columns some time ago about some fine cane belonging to Uncle Joe Hamilton. The heads of this cane are as large as kaffir corn heads and the stalks contain a large percent of sacarine. The foliage is almost as large again as the ordinary cane and stock cleans up every particle. Seed are on display at the Herald office and also a sample head.

Program for devotional meeting of Missionary Society Feb. 26th.

Leader—Mrs. E. B. Wright
Scripture—Religion to be lived; Matt. 5 13-20
Prayer
Reading opportunities among



Take
One
Pill,
then—
Take
it
Easy.

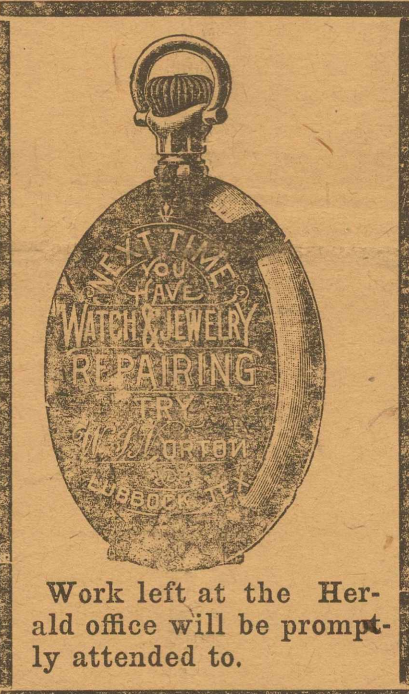
Take What Pill? Why, a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pill,

of course. Good for all kinds of pain. Used to relieve Neuralgia, Headache, Nervousness, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Kidney Pains, Lumbago, Locomotor Ataxia, Backache, Stomachache, Periodical Pains of women, and for pain in any part of the body.

"I have used Dr. Miles' medicines for over 12 years and find them excellent. I keep Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills in the house all the time and would not think of taking a journey without them, no matter how short a distance I am going. I cannot praise them enough."

Miss Lou M. Churchill,
63 High St., Penacook, N. H.

At all druggists. 25 doses 25c.
MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.



Work left at the Herald office will be promptly attended to.

the women and children of Japan—Mrs. Elmer Spurgeon.

Song
Reading a hundred years ago and now—Mrs. C. S. Cardwell
Reading: The Galveston Emigrant Home—Mrs. Claud Criswell

Song
Discussion on lesson.
Reporter.

Dairying on High Priced Land.
Dairying is one of the most profitable occupations on high priced land for the reason that the land will improve in productiveness from year to year and there is a uniform revenue which will meet current expenses and leave a surplus which is sure to come if the business is conducted with ordinary intelligence.

Watch for Lice.
When a spell of bad weather comes, look out for lice. They multiply fast when hens and chicks have to be confined to their coops much of the time. These pests will soon reduce the vitality of the liveliest chick ever hatched, so that it will be in good condition to take gapes or some other ailment.

Small Horse Costs More.
Many farmers believe the upkeep of a small horse doing the work of a draft horse is less than that of the heavier one. Experiments have shown that a smaller horse will, in a year, consume as much feed as the heavier one. At the same time the work will tell more heavily upon him.

POST CEMENT STAYS
LUMBER PAINTS OILS
A. C. Houston Lmbr Co.
LUBBOCK 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
S. N. McDANIEL
Tahoka Texas

Professional Cards.

GEO. W. NEILL,
Abstracter and Notary
A complete set abstracts of Terry county
All title and legal matters given prompt attention.

G. E. LOCKHART
ATTY-AT-LAW
Tahoka, Texas.

Dr. J. W. Ellis,
Physician and Surgeon
Office at Randal Drug Store.
Phone: Res. No 18
Office 44
Brownfield, Texas.

CITY BARBER SHOP
For
NEAT CLEAN AND EASY SHAVES
Full line of best tonics. Best massage and Shampoo going

W. J. BYRD
CONTRACTOR and BUILDER
Let me figure your bill. I can submit plans and specifications on application

PERCY SPENCER
Attorney-At-Law
Browfield, Terry County Texas

Attention! Attention!
We are getting up a big shipment of prairie dog poison and we will be glad to have your name on our list. If you need any you can get it at the RED CROSS PHARMACY, Lubbock, Texas, at \$12.50 per pound, also anything you want in the drug line we will give your business our personal attention and see that you get what you want. Let us hear from you.
RED CROSS PHARMACY
"Always referred to as the best!"
W. N. COPELAND. G. M. COSBY.
LUBBOCK TEXAS

CLEARANCE SALE

OF THE

GOMEZ MERCANTILE COMPANY

Gomez

Texas

We have decided to give a cut price sale on our dry goods, as we do not want to keep them over till next fall. The sale

Commences Wed. Feb. 14: Closes Sat. Feb. 17th

Remember we have nothing but new merchandise to offer you as our stock is all new, and we think our prices as cheap as the cheapest---and everything in the Dry Goods Department goes---nothing reserved or put back

Calicos, Gingham, Percale

7c calico now	5c
10c percale now	7c
12 1 2c gingham now	9c
15c " " "	10c
10c shirting now	7c
12 1-2c " " "	8c

Outing

6 1 2c outing at this sale	5c
8 1-2c " " " "	6 1-2
12 1-2 " " " "	8 1-2
16 2-3 kimona outing	12c

Dress Goods.

25c white Poplin now	16c
26c colored " " "	17c
50c white linen " " "	38c
50c broad " " "	38c
\$1.25 black and white taffeta silks going at	89c

White Wool Flannels

35c values now going at	19c
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All ribbons 1-3 off. A nice line of towels at from 5 to 12 cents each.

Ladies and Misses Underwear at a bargain

A nice line of lace and embroideries going at 1-3 off.

LADIES CORSETS

1.00 values now	69c
1.25 " " "	80c

LADIES SHOES

3.50 values will go at	2.98
3.25 " " " "	2.78
2.50 " " " "	1.98
2.25 " " " "	1.78
2.00 " " " "	1.58

MEN'S SHOES

5.00 vales at this sale	4.20
4.50 " " " "	3.98
3.50 " " " "	2.98
2.50 " " " "	1.98

Miscellaneous

10c Canton flannel now	7
14c " " " "	9c
16 2-3c Lonsdale domestic	12 1-2
12 1-2c bleached " " "	9c
8 1-2c " " " "	6c
35c Pepperrell sheeting	25c
8 1-3c L L " " "	6c
12-2c Drill	8 1-2
16 2-3c 8oz duck	12 1-2

Men's Wearing Apparel

1.50 men's duck coats now	1.19
3.50 value pants, sale	2.79
3.25 " " " "	2.49
3.00 " " " "	2.30
2.00 " " " "	1.49
1.75 " " " "	1.30

Men's Hats

6.50 Stetson hat	5.50
6.00 " " " "	5.00
3.50 S. G. Davis hat	2.75
3.25 " " " "	2.50
2.00 " " " "	1.50
1.25 boys hats	98c

Men's Shirts

60c values at this sale	39c
1.25 " " " "	89c
1.50 " " " "	1.20

Men's Gloves

1.75 value Conklin gloves	1.39
1.50 " " " "	1.50
1.25 " " " "	89c
85c " " " "	69c

FREE! FREE! To the first lady making a purchase in our store Wednesday morning, February 14th, will be given a combination Kitchen Set valued at \$3. Nothing charged at this sale.

GOMEZ MERCANTILE COMPANY

GOMEZ

TEXAS

J. T. MAY & SON'S WEEKLY SALE

15c Gingham, this week 12-2c

12-2c Gingham, this week 11c

All Lawns at a discount of 20 percent.

Each week during these weekly sales, we will give FREE \$1.00 worth of merchandise to the person making the largest cash purchase during the week. This includes our 30 day customers who pay promptly at the end of each month. Remember this is not the last sale; there will be one each week on other articles. Our stock will be unusually large and well selected this year, and we are going to make it interesting for our customers. This sale begins MONDAY MORNING FEB. 1st and will continue from week to week.

J. T. MAY & SON

MODERN ROMANCE STILL A REALITY

Prof. Hunter Steals a March on Us. Gets Married.

Some one has said that romance ceased with the 20th century, and that henceforth nothing but cold, calculating business methods would control nuptial contracts, the same as other ventures, but we find that he has counceled without the presence of his host.

Any casual observer would have noticed the presence of the 9th and 10th grade pupils on the streets extra early last Friday afternoon, and that soon thereafter Prof. T. F. Hunter and Miss Vera Scott drove off toward Tahoka behind a stableteam. Then of all the guessing, surmising and betting, it came off and Central reported all lines busy the balance of the afternoon. The couple, however, just kept driving until they reached the home of the parents of the bride to be Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Forrester, of Lynn county. Here the bridegroom to be, began such a series of debates with his girl's mother as his voice never echoed in the halls of his alma mater. We imagine he became very eloquent. His knowledge of Clay, Webster, Henry, Blackstone, Gladstone, et al. prevailed however, and early Saturday morning the happy couple armed with the necessary authority, hied away to Tahoka where the Clerk of Lynn county very graciously handed over a neatly folded document with a big yellow seal, in exchange for the usual amount of coin. They were married at 1:30 p.m., by the Methodist minister of Tahoka. They returned to the Forrester home Saturday night and returned to Brownfield Sunday afternoon.

This wedding was a huge surprise, as there was hardly a person in Brownfield that even suspected that the couple were more than friendly. Their love making all took place at a big south window at their boarding place. The school children gave them a shower Tuesday afternoon, and augmented by gifts from elder people, they received many nice and useful presents.

The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Forrester, of Lynn county, and numbers her friends and admir-

ers by her acquaintances. She was and is still a pupil at the High school. The groom is the popular and handsome principal of our High school and has made many friends while here; Herald wishes them much success and happiness. They are occupying Uncle Jack Coble's house, recently moved in from the country.

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XIX. PROCRASTINATION

NAPOLEON lost the battle of Waterloo because a division of his army was behind time and he died a prisoner at St. Helena, and France lost her place in civilization. The pages of history replete with stories of nations that have withered and decayed because their leaders were behind time and the stream of progress lined with the wrecks of nations that lost their opportunity because their leaders procrastinated. There can be no greater tragedy than that of an overtaken horizon.



NAPOLEON A PRISONER AT ST. HELENA

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For Feb. 11th.
Subject: The law of square dealing
Leader—Beulah Nicks
Matt. 6-12
Song—Prayer
Lesson story—Marion Daniel
Responsive reading P. a. m. 24
Bible drill
Song
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GOMEZ DOTS

Feb. 7th.

Last Saturday's sandstorm was something to contend with but it was so very cold that the most of us were too busy keeping warm to do any grumbling. There was thicker ice here Sunday morning than we have had before this winter.

J. E. Woodard was in from his home in Southwest Terry Monday. He reports stock doing fine and the outlook for a good crop year is very favorable.

Bert Shepherd is quite sick this week.

Singing at Robt. Holgate's last Sunday night was enjoyed by all present.

Boss Key left for Lubbock last Tuesday morning loaded with cotton and other farm products.

Jim Moore left Tuesday morning for Comanche and Hamilton counties to visit relatives and said when he left that he would make that his home in the future.

W. C. Matthews moved his family to Brownfield last week. So we actually have one vacant house in town.

Geo. McPherson has moved into the Guy Taylor residence and Artie Shepherd has moved to the Lewis house right West of the square.

Horton Leach was in trading Tuesday.

Miss Clemmie Adams came over last Friday on a visit and stayed over until Sunday.

The Gomez friends and acquaintances of Prof. Hunter extend congratulations and good wishes to him and his bride—Gomez hunters so far have come back without game; but a Brownfield Hunter despite a bad sandstorm, brought back his deer (dear).

Mesdames Hargett and Stricklin, of Brownfield were visiting in Gomez last Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Simms, who is at a sanitarium in Lubbock is reported to be improving.

The Spaulding buggy man came in last week with another consignment of buggies for this part of Terry. The large number of buggies delivered at Gomez this season don't look much like hard times.

L. B. Minor, an old Gomez citizen visited friends here last week.

The spelling bee at the school house on last Friday night was well attended and produced as many good laughs and as much real enjoyment as anything that has been here this winter.

Say Mr. Herald is the Brownfield Merc. Co. in the market for eggs at 15 cents per dozen? If they are why we West side folks would like to supply a few hundred dozen for the market here is stocked.—The Mercantile folks informed us that they will pay 15 cents per dozen in trade for good fresh hen eggs all next week. So you may tell West side folks that they can bring 200 dozen over if they want to. Bring in your hen fruit.—Ed.

Four new pupils in school since last writing. Our school moves to the watchword of work, happiness and harmony.

West Wind.

Harris Happenings.

Feb. 7th.

Mr. Editor you will notice our news sometimes covers a larger area than our own neighborhood, but having a store and Post Office here we get the news from all around us.

T. C. Ivey's wagons passed here Sunday on their way to Lubbock after cottonseed cake. The boys said Mr. Ivey had about 5 cars of cake ordered. Our stockmen don't intend to lose cattle this winter even if the weather is severe.

Mrs. W. H. Harris gave the young folks a singing last Friday night. Only a few present but that few enjoyed themselves very much, especially a young man known as "Frosty".

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lupton and children, of Sligo, spent last Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Brit Clare. They were on their way to visit Mrs. Lupton's people at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ivey, of the Cone place, went to Big Springs to attend the funeral of the late Mr. Hamilton of Plains, who died suddenly a few days ago. Mr. Hamilton was found dead in his peach orchard and it is supposed his death was due to heart failure. We understand he was a brother to Mr. Hamilton of Ft. Worth, who once owned an interest in the T4 ranch.

Oral Adams of Gomez, was up our way last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris and family had a "hog killing" time last Wednesday. They killed two hogs.

Jack Mahony is making the Mallet's another good hand. Sand Bur.

Difference Between Stocks And Bonds.

As few of us fully understand the difference between the words "stock" and "bond", we are giving below a clear definition, one that is formulated by the United States Railroad Securities Commission.

"A railroad bond is essentially a note made by the company; a promise to pay a certain amount of money, say one thousand dollars, at a specific date of maturity, and to pay interest at specified rates in the meantime. The obligation is definite. The value is limited by the terms of the instrument.

"But a share of railroad stock is of a different, and more complex, character. It represents two things instead of one: That a certain sum has been paid in, and that the holder of the stock has a certain share in the ownership of the property, of whatever value that may prove to be. The second of these things is what ultimately gives the stock certificate its value. In the case of a railroad bond the fact that it calls for one hundred or one thousand dollars is far from being the determining factor. It is but one incident among many. Even in theory it purports merely to show that this was the amount originally paid by the subscriber when the road was built. It does not create an obligation to pay its face value, nor does that face represent its money value as a share. The value varies with the development of the property as a whole.

"The principle of a bond is a

fixed sum, its interest a fixed charge. The value of a share of stock is essentially variable, its profit essentially indeterminate."

Production and Consumption.

The Federal Census reports enables us to estimate with reasonable accuracy our annual production which approximate as follows:

Agriculture \$561,231,000

Manufacturing 150,000,000

Mining 20,000,000

Total \$731,231,000

The item of consumption is far more difficult to estimate, although reliable data on the cost of living per capita is of record. The following table represents property consumed and destroyed by the natural and artificial processes of civilization. Three classifications are used, "The People" which includes cost of living and burial expenses, "The Animals" which includes the keep of live stock and loss by natural and accidental deaths, "The Property" which includes destruction by fire, decay wear, etc., as well as destruction of seed by processes of germination.

The table follows:

The People \$330,000,000

The Animals 200,000,000

The Property 120,000,000

Total \$650,000,000

By deducting consumption from production, we have \$81,131,000 per annum left, which is equal to 11 per cent of gross production and is approximately correct. This volume of money is entirely too small to make much headway in development. We need Ten Billion dollars to open up new farms, build cities, construct railroads and public highways and we must get money from outside the state for our large development enterprises.

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R. R. Hughes has sold his cows to J. W. Black and is now about ready to light a shuck for California.

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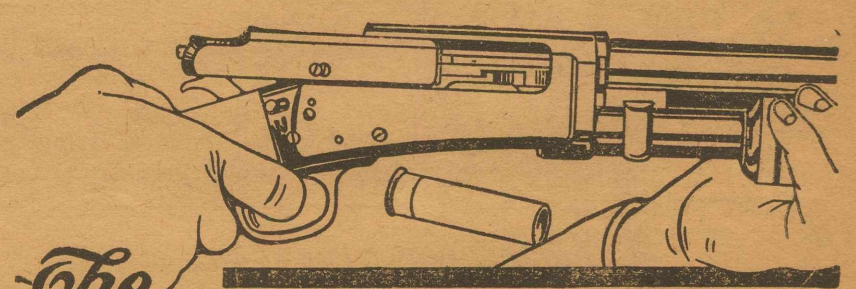
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