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To the people of Terry and adjoining counties, we want your trade. Our Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Suspenders, Hosiery, Underwear, Notion etc, are the best and none cheaper. Our grocery stock is complete, and always fresh. Shoes a speciality. We represent one of the best Tailoring firms in existence for Ladies and Men suits; also Shipley's shop made boots. We guarantee satisfaction to our customers. No trouble to show goods. Come to see us.

Yours For Business

May & Wright

TERRY GETS BIG RAINS

One of the Rains Ever Seen Here at this Time of Year. Means Thousands of Dollars to the County

Ever since last Saturday the "Weather Man" has been threatening to tear loose on us, but had up to Tuesday noon only made a pretense, but had succeeded in wetting the soil two or three inches in depth with light showers, mists and cloudy weather. A heavy southeast wind all Tuesday morning bore dark clouds, laden with moisture before it.

Rain began falling at a good steady gate about 2 p. m. and continued until 8 p. m. with only occasional recesses. The precipitation is variously estimated at from one to two inches, and we believe one and one-half inches a conservative estimate for Tuesday afternoon and two inches since Saturday.

The stockman who has wished

for such a rain to hasten the new grass just started, has been abundantly supplied, and they are wearing a smile that won't come off for some time, at least.

The farmer has got one just as broad, and are only staying at town long enough to get their mail and supplies, then are back between the plow handles, or riding a sulkey or lister.

Telephone communications from Plains, Lamesa, Tahoka and Lubbock, say they have had big rains and we are led to believe the fall has been general, at least over the South Plains.

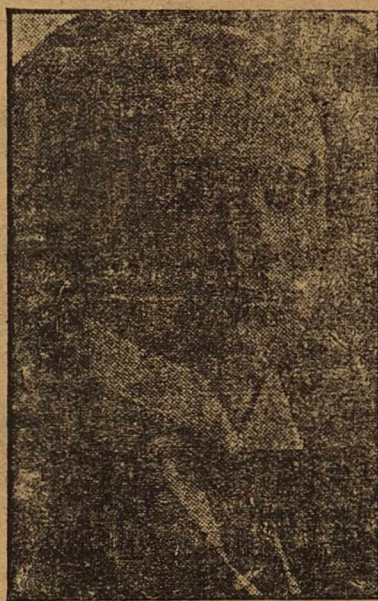
This rain not only means an abundance of early grass and much farming, but also means that all business will pick up.

Road Work Has Begun

S. H. Howell of Tahoka arrived here last week with a road construction crew and has begun work on the public road east from Seminole. The first work is being done on the sand bed near the J. W. Miller ranch three miles east of town. Mr. Howell's two children accompanied him here and have entered the public school.

A. C. Copeland, a contractor from Gomez, who was one of the bidders on the contract let to Mr. Howell, will arrive in about ten days with his construction outfit and will assist Mr. Howell with the work. With this double crew at work the public road to Lamesa will soon be completed.—Seminole Sentinel.

Terrell To Introduce Highway Bill.



HON. H. B. TERRELL.

West Texas.—Hon. H. B. Terrell of this city, representing Senatorial District No. 8 in the 33rd Legislature, has prepared a bill which will be introduced in the Senate proposing to create a non-salaried highway commission of five members, with authority to employ a skilled highway engineer at a salary not to exceed four thousand dollars per annum, whose duty it shall be to make a general highway plan of the State, to gather information and compile statistics relative to the mileage, character and condition of the highways of the different counties of the state, and give the County Commissioners the benefit of his counsel in matters pertaining to its construction.

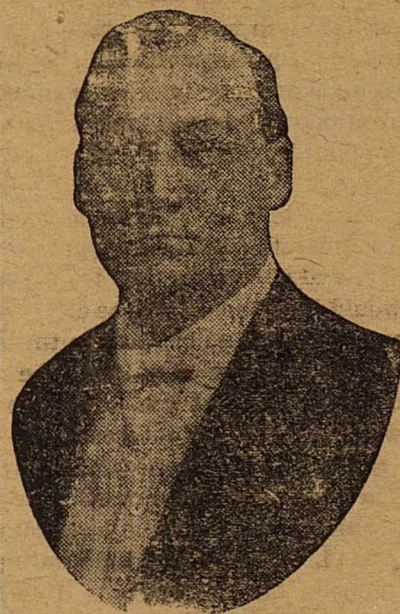
The department is to receive its support from a tax of \$2.00 per annum on automobiles.

The necessity for a public highway department on some such basis is generally recognized, and the bill prepared by Senator Terrell opens up the subject for legislative discussion. The enormous loss which the public highway fund undergoes annually though lack of skilful supervision in expenditure would many times support a public highway department. There is approximately \$10,000,000 per annum spent on the highways of the State.

the 117th district in the Lower House of the coming Legislature, will introduce a bill known as the Ballot Purification Bill, which is designed to prevent any possible irregularities in elections and to eliminate as far as possible that element of the voting population which abuses the right of franchise.

Mr. Boehmer is chairman of the Ballot Purification League which was organized at Del Rio on February 16, 1912, and the bill which the editor-statesman will introduce grew out of the recommendations of this body

For Purification of Ballot



J. O. BOEHMER.

Eagle Pass, Texas.—Hon. Jos. O. Boehmer, who will represent

Reviewer's Report.

The reviewers for the Lubbock road got in late Saturday afternoon, after completing their work. They report no trouble at all, and that the people along the route are well pleased; also the damages will be nothing to mention.

They tried to bear in toward Meadow, but struck lots of sand that would have cost much money, and besides, the people of Meadow didn't seem to want the road for fear that some of the ranches might lock their gates.

The road, as we understand it, will begin at the northeast corner of the Brownfield town section and runs eleven miles north, one mile east, two miles north, one east and thence north to the Hockley county line.

We suppose the next term of Commissioners Court will let the contract for the grading.

Dont Let 'ZERO' Catch You and an Empty Bin

Here is the place you will always find plenty of good old Niggerhead and Nut coal. Dont allow your bin to run low. FLOUR, WIRE, POST, SALT and FEED. Always send your wagon to the

Lubbock Grain and Coal Company

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What has become of Joe Bailey? We don't take the Fort Worth Record.

We guess them two Florida Senators now believe Woodrow don't mean kitty when he says s-c-a-t.

Gentlemen, we guess you see the need of some sidewalks and some street grading again don't you? Wade the mud darn you, we don't care.

We notice that Bro. Bigger is after an appropriation for a Federal building at Plains. Good; always start early and rustle like the—office devil.

You heard about the Cleveland Democrat that couldn't look his sheep in the face after the tariff reduction on wool, didn't you? Well, can you look your children in the face after voting against a good school?

How many of you have seen large, clear streams with elms and cottonwoods on the bank and your self angling perch and minnows, every time you closed your eyes this week. Moral: Plant fish ponds and trees all around.

We wish to call your attention to the Gomez Dots, especially to that part in which the citizens and patrons of that school propose to dig up enough money to continue the full eight months. The Herald wants to commend their patriotism and will assure them that their bread will some day return buttered. We once

thought the citizens of Brownfield would go to any length to better their school, but these thoughts got a black eye two years ago when our special lost by such a heavy majority, and now we know some here, who will not only refuse to contribute \$10 each, to keep the school going, but will work and vote like 600 to keep the proposed special from carrying in the coming election. You can't hire a \$100 teacher for \$50, nor a \$50 teacher for \$25. Most any of our country schools run seven and eight months and pay a good salary, and of course the teachers would take them. These citizens are good men and honest in their convictions perhaps, but their convictions point too much toward self and self interests. One argument we hear most is they don't want to vote a tax on other people's property, who have lots of land. You don't mind taxing the poor man's property then? They don't want to educate the other man's children. Once Mr. Carnegie was a very, very poor boy, and other people's property educated him. Is he against educating the other man's child? Hardly; he is spending millions annually to prepare the poor for position of worth; wage earners and not beggars, knowing as all business men do, that the less the bum the better the barter. No rich man has the foreknowledge to tell but that his children or grand-children may not some day have to depend on the present poor man or his sons for an education; such reverses of fortune are recorded every day. "The rich man's loss today, May become your own to mor'w"

Some say it would not do for all to be educated. That is equivalent to saying the return of the Dark Ages would be better for humanity. It is strange at what length sensible people will go to defend their selfishness. We've progressed from the age of log school houses, nine weeks terms, puncheon seats and one teacher to ten grades—or rather books—of which there were ten different histories, a score of arithmetics, a dozen kinds of geographies and readers and spellers ranged from Colonial times to semi-modern. To say that one lone pedagogue could teach a big log house of bare-foot boys and girls and do them justice, is the same as saying one girl can handle a modern city department store. Good folks, there is absolutely no argument to be found against a good school. Honestly, do you believe the settlers would stay here, way off the railroad if it was not for our good schools? Don't you believe our school is the best boost we have? Why can't you come to its rescue in its time of need? Again we want to compliment the Gomez people for the stand they have taken, and we want to assure them this: If Brownfield should get a railroad, and Gomez should not; if you should keep your school to a high standard of perfection, there will always be a Gomez. Prof. Hardin is a splendid teacher and he has as able corps of assistants as is possible to assemble, but he needs your co-operation. Men of Brownfield, what are you going to do about your school? Shall we educate them at home or send them to Gomez, Needmore, or worse still, out of the county. It is up to you.

Better than Spanking

Spanking will not cure children of wetting the bed, because it is not a habit but a dangerous disease. The C. H. Rowan Drug Co., Dept. 1812, Chicago, Ill., have discovered a strictly harmless remedy for this distressing disease and to make known its merits they will send a 50c package securely wrapped and prepaid Absolutely Free to any reader of The Herald. This remedy also cures frequent desire to urinate and inability to control urine during the night or day in old or young. The C. H. Rowan Drug Co is an Old and Reliable House. Write them today for the free medicine. Cure the afflicted members of your family, then tell your neighbors and friends about this remedy. (adv.)

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Martin & Walcott
Lubbock, Texas

Edwin Groves lost a fine horse Sunday at Coble & Criswell's stable. He drove the horse out to review the Lubbock road and he took sick at Meadow, but got him back to Brownfield. He had something like blind staggers.

FOR CHEAP GROCERIES SEE

A. P. MOORE

GOMEZ

TEXAS

SPECIAL NEXT WEEK--Irish potatoes going at 2 1-4c per pound for cash.

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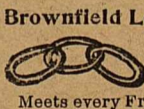
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W. R. Spencer, High Priest
Geo. E. Tiernan, Secretary
Meets 2nd Saturday after the full moon in each lunar month



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J. F. Winston, Secretary
Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each lunar month at 8 p. m.



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Miss Annie Hamilton, W. M.
E. T. Powell, Secretary
Meets Monday before the full moon in each month at Masonic Hall



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



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Mrs. Alpha Johnston, N. G.
Miss Annie Hamilton, Sec.



Brownfield Camp No. 1989 W. O. W.
J. V. Drinkard, C. O.
J. F. Winston, Clerk
Meets every Saturday night in each month in the Odd Fellows Hall

Church Directory.

METHODIST CHURCH

Brownfield: Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. League at 3 p. m. Preaching 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Gomez: S. S. at 10 a. m. and preaching every 1st Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. and the afternoons of the 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Meadow: Preaching every 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
A. D. Jameson, 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.

Preaching each 1st and 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 7 p. m. Sunday School at 11 a. m. each Sunday; Jim Burnett, Supt.

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L. B. WRIGHT

Lubbock, Texas

If you want life insurance in Texas write J. I. Mabry Slaton, Texas.

J. M. Johnston and family vacated the house they recently sold to Powell & Banowsky, last week and moved to the Leard bungalow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith were in shopping, Tuesday.

NOTICE:—No hunting with dogs or guns in the Brownfield ranch allowed.

Ray Brownfield.

T. J. and Lence Price changed houses last week, T. J. going to the Walker lease and Lence moving into the old Price home-stead.

Homer Scott and Clay Hughes, of the Pleasant Valley community, were in a few moments, Monday.

WHEN in Lubbock, stop at the Seitz Barn on Broadway, opposite the Court House.

Otis Harper went to Lubbock after freight this week.

J. C. Green went to Tahoka after freight this week.

R. G. Woods, a prominent settler of Meadow, was here Saturday.

Judge Neill is contemplating a trip down east next week.

NOTICE: Whoever got the stove at the Dock Walker place will now please return same, as I need it

Lence Price

H. T. Brooks left Saturday for Dallas, where he goes to represent the Brownfield lodge at the big Woodmen convention. No one went along to take care of him, but he was thoroughly rehearsed and drilled by solicitious friends before he left, and warned about cricks in the neck to those who persist in rubbering at skyscrapers.

NOTICE:—No hauling of wood chips, or any other fuel allowed in the Brownfield ranch.

M. V. Brownfield
Ray

Jack Bryan was in town this week on business.

G. J. Rose "swum" in Wednesday morning after the rain.

Harry Proctor and J. L. Bartlett, two progressive East-side farmers, were in after supplies this week.

MCGILL Drug Store, at Tahoka, will close out their business with a big cost sale to begin Friday the 14th, ending Friday the 28th.

Walter Gracey paid the Herald a call Monday afternoon to see the—Devil.

You can get fancy stationery at the Herald office. Latest out.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Banowsky, on the 9th inst, a fine little girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jake Leedy, on the 9th inst a set of wins; both boys. One of them

died Sunday night and was buried Monday.

YOU seldom have a change in a life time to buy drugs at absolute cost. McGill's big stock will go at cost beginning Friday.

A letter from Dr. J. W. Ellis this week, announces that he is now located at Kiileen, Bell county, and is homesick for the best paper in West Texas. Here she comes Dock.

Mrr. W. A. Pyeatt is visiting friends in Brownfield this week.

Miss Clemmie Adams was hostess at a party at her hospitable home, last Saturday night, in honor of Miss Phyllis Holgate, of Gomez. All report a good time.

COST Sale of the entire stock of McGill's Drugs at Tahoka, be-to-day. Better take advantage ginning of this sale.

The Pulliam boys were over from Plains last week after part of the 1000 bundles of maize they purchased from V. E. Hargett.

We learn that several town lots have changed hands lately, and that several more are likely to. Some believe there is going to be something doing here in way of railroad building in the near future. The purchasers are mostly outsiders.

Mr. J. I. Mabrey, the insurance man of Slaton left Tuesday, after a week's stay here. He liked our country so well that he become a prospector before he left.

Miss Clara Cowan, of the Prinrose community in Hockley county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lence Price, this week.

Jim Burnett came in Wednesday morning after the rain and felt so good that he forked over a dollar on subscription.

Rev. J. C. Lewis was in to see us Wednesday and said that with one exception, in 1905, this was the biggest rain he had seen in Terry county in the nine years he has been here.

Arthur Moore was over Monday and gave us an ad for his father, A. P. Moore, of Gomez. That is just the reason we got such a rain this week. Every merchant in Terry county should patronize the Herald and the rains would settle the accounts. Each week, Mr. Moore will hand out some tempting prices. This week its irish potatoes. See his ad.

Notice

All parties knowing themselves to be indebted to Brooks & Drinkard, please come in and settle their acct by Jan. 1st. After that date we positively will not book any more accounts, as they are usualy so small that it don't pay to bother with them.

Respt.
Brooks & Drinkard

Pleasant Valley.

J. W. Black went to Lubbock last Thursday after supplies.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Gist spent Saturday night with Homer Scot and wife.

We have been having a few showers for the last day or so.

Miss Lillie Holt has been sick for several days, but was able to call on Mrs. Jay Barrett, Friday night.

Mr. C. F. Holt came in last Friday from Lubbock with a load of cake.

Mrs. J. W. Black's baby was quite sick last Thursday, but is some better at this writing.

Mrs. Brock Gist came in last Thursday from her mother's. She and her mother have been visiting on the north. Plains.

Mr. Edwin Holt has a case of the mumps.

Flbert Hughes came up from Lynn county, Sunday, where he has been working for Bro. L. L. Forrester for the past week

D. N. Arnett was down to Homer Scott's, Friday, looking after his cattle.

Mr C F. Holt left Monday for Yoakum county on business.

Homer Scott and Clay Hughes will build a windmill tower this week for Bro. Hamlet.

Jeems Rainwater.

Ring On.

Anyone wishing to try the Electric Galvanic Ring under the inventor's guarantee, can find them with H. F. Adams at the Brownfield Hdw. Co., A. P. Moore, Gomez, or at my place 1 mile east of J-Cross. Call for literature and testimonials etc. G. W. Wilkins Gomez, Texas.

We learn that the Amended School Land bill has repassed the Senate. It now has the endorsement of Gov. Colquitt.

By telephone we learn that the drys won in the local option election at Plains, Tuesday, by 13 majority.

Very Serious

It is a very serious matter to ask for one medicine and have the wrong one given you. For this reason we urge you in buying to be careful to get the genuine—

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First Response

Galveston, Texas, Jan. 21st, Gertrude and Haggie Jones, two little Texas girls at Center Point, Texas, were the first school children in Texas to make their contribution to the fund for the silver service for the battleship "TEXAS". Mayor-President of Galveston, Hon. Lewis Fisher, who is also Chairman of the State Committee in charge of the collection of the fund, received a day or so ago a letter from these two little ladies, enclosing 20c, being a contribution of 10c each to this fund and Chairman Fisher has promptly responded making acknowledgment of the receipt of this contribution, which was sent to Chairman Fisher under a misapprehension of the method to be employed for collecting this fund, which is that the school children of Texas will on March 18th, all over the State march to their teachers in their classrooms their contributions to this fund. These contributions will in turn be forwarded by the teachers to the district superintendents and by the district superintendents to the committee in charge of the fund.

Harris Happenings.

My letter will be short this week. In the first place, there isn't much going here now, and owing to a burnt finger, I find it difficult to write.

Mr. Ed Spear took his father and mother to Lubbock last week from there they went by rail to Oklahoma to visit their daughters Mesdames Sullivan and Cox.

Two cow buyers from near Amarilla, were through our country a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch McPhaul's baby has been right sick but we learn it is alright again now. They had a doctor out from Lubbock one night.

Hub Hooker will live on his father's place here this year. Jeff Hooker will also stay there and work with Hub. We are glad indeed to have Jeff with us again.

Owing to the rainy weather, Rev. Cox failed to fill his appointment here Sunday.

Mr. Hammond is at present living on the Hub Hooker place.

We were glad to learn that Mrs. McPhaul Sr. has partially recovered from her attack of facial paralysis, and is getting better all the time.

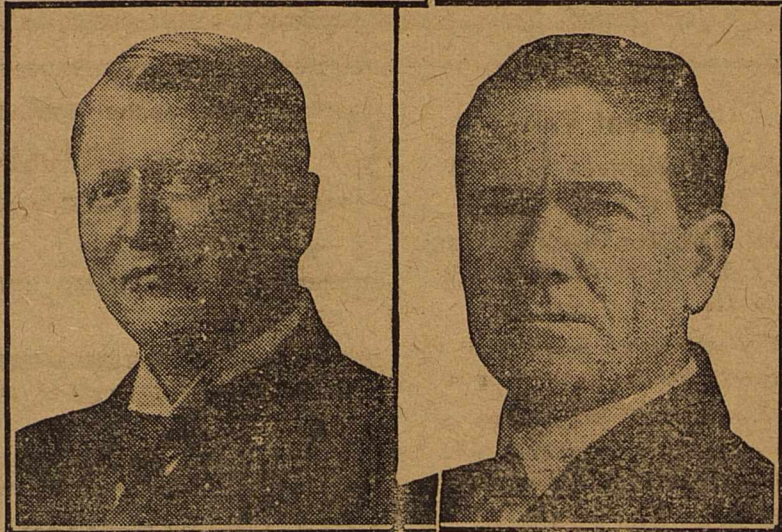
T. C. Ivey and Warren Bacon passed through in Bacon's car last Sunday.

Last week's rainy weather sure made our farmers grin.
Sand Bar.

Elegy In A County Print Shop.

The time-clock tolls the knell of parting day, the shophands rapidly wash up and leave. The Foreman blithely blows his homeward way; the Boss alone remains

To Exempt Factories from Taxation



Jno. H. Kirby

V. A. Collins

Austin, Texas—Hon. Jno. H. Kirby, chairman of the Committee on Manufacturing in the House, and Hon. V. A. Collins, chairman of the Committee on Manufacturing in the Senate, will probably have under consideration the exemption of cotton mills from taxation for a period of 25 years and many other measures calculated to encourage manufacturing.

Manufacturers are also interested in the bill preventing cotton mill employes from working more than nine hours per day. Both the owners of mills and their employes are protesting against the measure, stating that their business cannot be adjusted to such restrictions. The bill has the endorsement of the Com. of Labor.

to stay and grieve. Now fade the clattering presses on the ear and all the air a dismal stillness holds, save where the Boss in trembling awe and fear, doth listen while a harsh supply man scolds. The pay-checks for the coming Saturday are neatly piled upon the Boss's desk. His wrinkles and the iron touch of gray do make him look indeed most picturesque. Full many a year the weary man has toiled, endeavoring to force both ends to meet all these years the merry pot has boiled, yet can hardly get enough to eat. Ah me! What of the busy printery? A heavy mortgage rests on each machine! What seems to be a money mintery, forsooth, leads but to bankruptcy, I ween! Of what avail are paper, presses, type, if they are each sold at a total loss? The answer Gentle Reader is a pipe. You've simply got to, know your cost. The boast of cylinders, the pomp of space, and all that your investment ever gave—the presses are clattering at rapid pace, are leading you into a business grave.—By Joseph Swering in Barnhart Book.

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Rupture is not a tear or breach in abdominal wall as commonly supposed, but a stretching or dilating of a natural opening, therefore subject to closure if the bowels be held higher up.

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Jonesville, S. C.—"I suffered with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. J. S. Kendrick, in a letter from this place, "and at times, I could not bear to stand on my feet. The doctor said I would never be any better, and that I would have to have an operation, or I would have a cancer.

I went to the hospital, and they operated on me, but I got no better. They said medicines would do me no good, and I thought I would have to die.

At last I tried Cardui, and began to improve, so I continued using it. Now, I am well, and can do my own work. I don't feel any pains.

Cardui worked like a charm." There must be merit in this purely vegetable, tonic remedy, for women—Cardui—for it has been in successful use for more than 50 years, for the treatment of womanly weakness and disease.

Please try it, for your troubles.
N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

J. L. Randal and Miss Annie Hamilton returned Sunday from Houston, where they went to represent the Brownfield Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges in the Grand Lodge.

I'M IN AGAIN

Yes I have begin selling coal and grain at my old stand and kindly ask

Terry County People

To call on me when in Tahoka. The same old courteous treatment and a big dollar's worth as of yore. Let me fill your wagon. Wagon yard in connection.

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Death shall slip;
My bark now moored,
Will then be free.

My frail craft to
Belauched upon,
The wild waves
Of Eternity.

Tho dark the night,
And wild the storm,
I'll ply the waves
And nothing fear.

For in the distance,
Thru the gloom,
A beacon light
Shines bright and clear.

The pilot faith
Still guides my bark,
The voyage rough,
Will soon be o'er.

And I shall hear
Angelic strains,
Of music float
From yonder's shore.

And there I'll greet
Sweet spirit forms,
Friends who on earth
I've loved the best.

When Death, my barge,
Shall anchor in
The harbor of
Eternal rest.

Sweet Willian

Buffalo Hunter Reunion

An effort is being made to hold a reunion of old Buffalo hunters at some point convenient to the greatest number some time in the near future. Uncle George Wilkins, our old Terry County Buffalo hunter and Indian fighter suggests that if you are interested to answer the following questions to James W. Stell, Austin, Colorado, who is an old hunter on the Plains of Texas.

Where would you like this reunion held?

When do you want this reunion held?

Do you favor the organization of a Buffalo Hunter's Association?

Will you please give name and address of any buffalo hunters you know?

Have you any suggestions to offer?

Personally, Mr. Stell favors Denver, Col., but Uncle George prefers some point on the Plains of Texas.

FAT STOCK SHOW OPENS MARCH 8

Big Premium List Is Now In Readiness.

SEVEN DAYS OF PLEASURE

Committee Chosen From Breeding Associations Make Rules Governing All Contests—Beef and Dairy Breeds to Exhibit.

When the National Feeders and Breeders' Show at Fort Worth, Tex., swings open its doors Saturday morning, March 8, the greatest cattle show ever presented to the American people under Southern skies will begin a history making exhibition.

Cattle fattened on the ranges of West Texas and Oklahoma, those from the pasture lands of the settled East, and, East but not least, from across the border in Old Mexico, will pass under the careful eye of the most skilled judges known to the different breeding associations for honors which means everything to their owners. The cattle classification this year includes every known breed of consequence, and suitable prizes go with each division.

All the cattle entering for competition will come under the rules of the "Sifting Committee." This committee is composed of members to be recommended by the various breeding associations and will pass upon the ages and eligibility of all entries and see

that such entries are within the age limit. The age limit on both breeding and fat cattle will be rigidly enforced.

J. M. Yearwood of Georgetown, W. C. McKamy of Renner, Garrett King of Taylor, H. B. Johnson of Chickasha and J. W. Cook of Beeville have been chosen to act upon the Sifting Committee.

A code of rules have been drafted and adopted by the committee and a copy mailed to the different exhibitors so that they can familiarize themselves. The rules will be followed to the letter in every detail, and all exhibitors will be forced to observe them.

Rules Governing Show.
Any protest as to eligibility on account of age of animals entered in the fat classes of the show must be filed with the Secretary prior to the day on which they are to be judged. Information concerning the class that any animal or carload is entered in can be had at the office of the Secretary. Specifications showing ages of cattle by dentition is given hereunder for the benefit of exhibitors.

Specifications showing teeth of cattle at ages described, which is adopted as a basis of determining ages of cattle:

Twelve Months—An animal of this age shall have all of its milk (calf) teeth in place.

Fifteen Months—At this age center pair of incisor milk teeth may be replaced by center pair of permanent incisors (pinchers), the latter teeth being through the gums, but not yet in wear.

Eighteen Months—The middle pair of permanent incisors at this age should be fully up and in wear, but next pair (first intermediate) not yet cut through gums.

Twenty-four Months—The mouth at this age will show two middle permanent (broad) incisors fully up and in wear, and next pair (first intermediate) well up, but not in wear.

Thirty Months—The mouth at this age may show six broad, permanent incisors, the middle and first intermediate pairs fully up and in wear, and the next pair (second intermediate) well up, but not in wear.

Thirty-six Months—Three pairs of broad teeth should be fully up and in wear, and the corner milk teeth may be shed or shedding, with the corner permanent teeth just appearing through the gums.

Thirty-nine Months—Three pairs of broad teeth will be fully up and in wear and corner teeth (incisors) through gums, but not in wear.

The acme of purple strains will trail from the long sheds, back of the Coliseum, to and from the tan bark ring daily. All of the judging, by official judges and A. & M. students, will be done in the open ring before the public, and the awarding of the ribbons will take place the last day from the same ring.

More than 6,000 entries were made in the Livestock Department of this big show in 1912. This record will be eclipsed by more than 2,000 in March, and one of the biggest increases will be registered in the cattle division. The cattlemen of the Western plains having been breeding for perfection for several years and these herds will be represented as never before.

Baby Beef Clubs.

An addition to the Cattle Division is the Baby Beef exhibits which have been given a place. This class of beef is grown by the boys on the farm and to them goes all the credit and the prize money. In less than a year Baby Beef Clubs have sprung up all over the Southwest, and the rivalry between the individual boys and the clubs promises to be keen. Boys from Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana and New Mexico have already sent in their entries and this feature promises to be one of the principal drawing cards in the Cattle Division. Places in both sections—above and below the quarantine line—have been provided for the proper housing of exhibits.

The Fort Worth Stock Yards Company, Armour & Company, Sears, Roebuck & Co., and Clay, Robinson & Co., are offering prizes ranging from \$250 to \$500. In all nearly \$500 will be paid in this department.

In the Breeders' Division.

From the pure blood herds of the Southwest a great array of Shorthorns, Herefords, Red Polled, Aberdeen-Angus and others will compete for the largest stakes hung up in the history of the show. From year to year the contest has waxed warm in the Hereford and Shorthorn Divisions, but this year the Aberdeen-Angus will play for honors in every class.

The Brahma cattle from South Texas and a herd or two from India will be on exhibition. This grade of stock will not be entered for competition, but simply brought to the show for exhibition purposes.

Special Days for State.

Special days will be given states of the Southwest at the National Feeders and Breeders' Show in Fort Worth, March 8 to 15, inclusive. Already Arkansas and Texas have been designated days and other special days will be announced later by the management.

Manufacturers of the Southwest will hold a show in connection with the National Feeders and Breeders' Show at Fort Worth on March 8 to 15, inclusive. Special space has been granted the manufacturers for their exhibits.

The National Feeders and Breeders' Show will attract thousands from all over the Southwest.

QUEEN FOR FORT WORTH HORSE SHOW

The Fort Worth Show to Open With An Elaborate "Kermess" or Dance of the Nations.

Coronation of a Queen to be Part of Opening Entertainment.

Details have been perfected for one of the most elaborate entertainments of its kind ever attempted in the country, for Saturday night, March 8th, the opening night of the National Feeders and Breeders' Show at Fort Worth. The "Kermess," or "Dance of the Nations," participated in by over 500 children and several hundred grown-ups, will be staged in the arena of the Coliseum. The plans are under the direction of an expert from Chicago, one of the leading directors of this character of entertainment in the country and a

number of Fort Worth's leading society ladies.

Some of the more prominent dances will be Swedish, Russian, Chinese, Indian, Hungarian, Irish and Scotch.

Appropriate costumes characteristic of the countries represented have been designed and every detail to make these dances as realistic as well as characteristic as possible, will be followed. In addition to these several dances of the nations, will be a number of special features, such as the flower and English Maypole electric dances, with solo, duet and sextette numbers by some of the leading dancers of the city, drilled for their particular sketch.

The entertainment will open with the crowning of the "Queen of the Horse Show Pageant." Entering the arena in her carriage of state drawn by four beautiful Arabian steeds, the queen will be escorted to her throne by a retinue of mounted, armed retainers headed by trumpeters announcing her approach.

Following the elaborate coronation ceremonies, the queen will be seated upon her throne surrounded by a myriad of beautiful duchesses, maids-of-honor and ladies-in-waiting, which will be selected from among the prominent debutantes and society matrons of all the larger cities of the state, to place her imperial approval upon the representatives of all nations which will pass in review before her.

Following the review the dances will take place. To obtain but the slightest impression of the gorgeousness and the magnitude of this spectacle it is necessary to attend one of the rehearsals that are now being held almost daily in one of the large halls of Fort Worth.

The lighting effects, one of the features of this undertaking, will be installed by a man who has given much time and study to this particular work. A special musical program has been prepared which will be rendered by one of the best assemblages of musical talent in the entire southwest.

This entertainment will be held but the one night, Saturday, March 8th, which will be a most fitting prologue to the week of the Horse Show to follow. Absolutely no expense is being spared to make this one night's entertainment a success in every sense of the word and one of the most gorgeous and magnificent spectacles ever attempted in this or any part of the country.

The queen will be selected by a private committee and her identity will not be disclosed until her entrance into the arena of the coliseum on the night of the coronation, but the information is given forth that she will be a member of one of the most prominent families in the State of Texas.

More interest is being exhibited in this affair by the friends of the National Feeders and Breeders' Show all over the state than in any other one thing ever attempted by the management of the show. The especially attractive railroad rates offered by the railroads from all points have been so arranged as to permit the visitors to the show coming to Fort Worth in sufficient time to enable them to attend this Saturday night's performance and a great crowd is expected; in fact, already assured.

MAMMOTH PREMIUM LIST.

More Than \$40,000 Hung In Purses at Fort Worth.

Nearly \$40,000 will be given away to the stockmen of the Southwest by the National Feeders & Breeders' Show at its meeting, March 8 to 15. The Fort Worth Show this year will carry the biggest prize list since its organization seventeen years ago and every cent of it will be paid to the breeders of pure blood stock.

The preliminary catalogue is now out and has been mailed to the breeders throughout Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arkansas and Louisiana and the entry list is now open to exhibitors. The prize list covers all breeds of livestock known to the Southwest, and also admits many foreign breeds and northern herds. Special attention has been paid to the southwestern breeder and many valuable prizes aside from those appropriated by the Show will be given by Fort Worth business concerns.

Besides the prizes to be given by the Show Association and business concerns, the National Swine breeders, state swine breeders, cattle, sheep and poultry association have hung valuable prizes.

S. B. Burnett, Ed C. Lasater and other prominent Texas cattlemen who won valuable prizes at the 1912 International Show in Chicago will bring their famous herd to the Fort Worth Show. Burnett, alone, won seventeen prizes, the majority of these being blue ribbons, and a number of these same cattle will be seen at the Fort Worth Show in March.

Mr. Lasater, who now owns and operates the biggest herd of Jersey cattle in the world, will have an immense representation at Fort Worth when the Show opens. Besides these two men there are hundreds of other important breeders who will increase exhibits.

From present indications there will be more than 6,000 entries alone in the cattle department. Other entries will run the list above 8,000.

SHEEP DIVISION.

Special Attention Will Be Paid to Mutton Stock.

Never has the demand for sheep on the Fort Worth market been so strong as it has been the last year. There has been a general cry among the packers for more mutton, and the receipts for 1912 show that the cry has been answered to a certain extent. The year 1912 marks the heaviest slaughter of mutton since the opening of the market twenty years ago.

The ranges of New Mexico have contributed heavily to the call of the market and the herdsman of West Texas have shipped more freely than previous, but there is a demand that seems uncontrollable. For several years the National Feeders and Breeders' Show at Fort Worth has conducted a sheep division in its big show, and this year from the opening, March 8 to the last day, March 15, the sheep division will be one of the biggest attractions.

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On last Friday little Fred West aged three years, was playing, apparently as well as usual, when he was stricken with a spasm. The family was much frightened and summoned a physician who pronounced it acute indigestion. He was quite sick for a few days but is improving at this writing.

Miss May Townsend is on the sick list this week.

Next Friday night, the 14th the school literary society will hold their last meeting for this term, as the last two months of school work will require all their time. There is to be a debate on "woman's right to vote," as well as the usual literary program. The debate is between the Brownfield and Gomez school boys. Both the literary and debate will be at the school house.

Mr. Lee, who lived in the Needmore community last year, but is now south of Brownfield, was in town last Monday.

Mrs. D. J. Broughton returned to her home at Brownfield on last Sunday afternoon. We are glad to state that she is improving.

Messrs. Simms, Green and Greathouse left for the railroad for freight on Tuesday.

Mr. Cherry came in from Fisher county last Sunday. He reports fine rains in the Sweetwater country.

Mr. Hoppes, of Plains, spent Tuesday night in Gomez on his way home with a load of feed. Well old Terry sure is in luck; no hauling of feed here except to get it to market; and say, that wonderful rain of Saturday, Sunday and last on Tuesday afternoon, has put our country all swimming in water, and this year's field crops are a surety if we have any showers and the farmers will plant and work.

Mr. Arthur Moore is moving to the Ball place today. Arthur says he does wish George McPherson would come back to take it time about with him moving, for now it keeps him busy.

Singing at the school last Sunday night and a good crowd and good singing.

The trustees say our school will run the usual length term; eight months. There was a slight deficiency, but some of the died-in-the-wool Gomez patrons went down in their pockets and coughed up to the tune of \$10 each to keep the school going. These stubborn men are sure fine citizens when their stubbornness runs in the line of helping build up their home community.

Two gentlemen by the name of Cox, who live at Floydada, spent Saturday night at the hotel.

Mr. Dee Hunter and wife were in on Monday.

Born to Rev. Lofton and wife, on last Saturday, a fine boy.

Mr. Boone Hunter was in Saturday night attending the Odd Fellows lodge.

Mr. Robert Holgate got in from his trip east, on last Sunday.

Rev. Bailey, a Baptist minister from New Mex., spent Sunday here.

Mr. Davis' family moved out to their farm in Yoakum county, Tuesday.

Mrs. Robinson from two miles

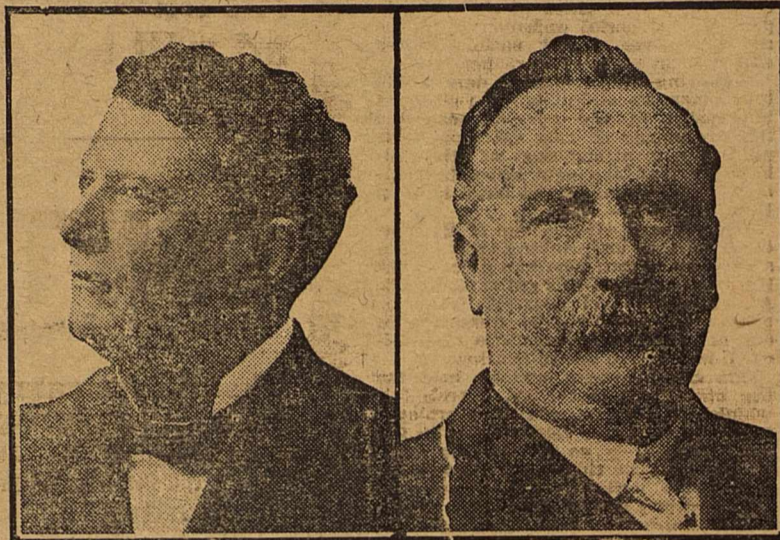
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east of town, visited her sister, Mrs. Lofton, on Wednesday.

Will Mathews and Will Snodgrass were at the hotel on Tuesday.

Bro. Jameson spent both Friday and Saturday night in town, and preached as usual here on Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Chris. and Harry Timms, were in Sunday night at the singing.

So far as we know, all the people who were sick of colds last week, are improving.

Misses Nancy and Lizzie Dumas were in town Monday.

West Wind

Primrose.

Our farmers are all busy turning the soil, preparatory to planting time. A few are ready to begin planting soon.

A few sprigs of grass are beginning to peep through the old dead grass, and if we could have a good rain and a few sunshiney days, it would not be long until Spring would be here; the willow buds are showing green already.

We have examined the buds on the fruit trees. There is an enormous amount of them this year, especially peaches, and if nothing happens to them later, we certainly will have peaches to eat this year.

Since our last report there has been quite a lot of sickness, such as soar throats; also Mr. Rose came up and moved his children back home on account of Jim being down with mumps.

Mrs. Howard and her daughter, Ella, from Needmore community visited H. K. Hucklebery

and family, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Wolfarth from near Plains, spent Sunday night with Mrs. Cowan on her way to Lubbock. She and Miss Clara Cowan will visit the remainder of the week in Lubbock.

Walter Frasier and Miss Mamie Powell, from the west side of Hockley county, visited Miss Kathryn Powell, at Mr. Boyd's, Sunday.

The school children enjoyed a kid party at Mr. Christopher's Friday night. As this is the first in quite a while, they expressed themselves as having a high time.

Mr. T. S. Jackson and wife, of Roswell, N. M., visited their daughter, Mrs. Johnston, last week.

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