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## E. B. WRIGHT

### IN TERRY TEN YEARS AGO

From The Terry County Voice, Gomez.

J. M. Head of Fisher county, came in last week with a load of household goods for his brother who lives eleven miles south of here.

The dance at Mr. Jones' last week was well represented by the young people all over the county.

In the roping contest, the boys let John Winburn walk off with both prizes amounting to \$1.40. His time was 35 1-2 seconds. Other interants were Ed Standefer, Bunk Groves, N. Bell, J. B. Conner, Cliff Patton, John Parks and E. C. Groves.

The writer, J. E. Reeves and family, Roy Peevler, Mr. Longbreak, Mr. Woods of Brownfield and Hon. Bounds of Colorado, were treated to a very palatable Christmas dinner at Mr. J. M. Lane's.

Chief Justice Ford did some work in the magistrates court

with the boys this week. There will be a big roping contest pulled off in Gomez on the 15th inst.

J. N. Smith and Johnny helped the over worked printer get on the Voice this week. Thanks.

Lee Tow, son of the Gomez hotel man wheeled into Gomez this week, having come from Okla.

Our lawyer, W. T. McPherson and deputy postmaster, Amos Blankenship, returned Tuesday night, Mr. McPherson from Commanche and Mr. Blankenship from Anson. They were accompanied by Mr. Sam McPherson from Hamilton, county.

The young people from this and adjoining counties enjoyed an all night dance and supper at the home of J. W. Brook, last Friday.

Fort Worth live stock quotations are as follows: Steers, top, \$4 00; Cows, \$2.90; Hogs, \$4.00.

### Judge Blanton's Speech

Owing to the heavy rains last Friday morning, only a fair sized crowd greeted Judge Blanton at the Courthouse, with only a sprinkling of ladies, but those who braved the elements to hear him, were well paid according to their own version.

He was about the muddiest candidate we ever saw, but it did not seem to take a bit of spirits out of him, as he has been identified with Western Texas so long that good rains and mud seems to be an incentive to put forth his best efforts.

After launching out on his subject, he gave a brief outline of his platform, and took Judge Smith to task for his inactivity during his long term of service.

His talk was well spiced with wit and humor, and he succeeded in bringing the house down more than once. If the comments we have heard since the speech are any evidence of how the voters will line up on the Congressional race, there is no doubt whatever, but that Judge Blanton will carry a good vote in the county and if Judge Smith ignores the county, his name is Dennis here. Of course our vote is light, but it would count like everything in a pinch.

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33x4	19.50	3.40
34x4	20.40	3.60
35x4	21.00	3.80
36x4	22.00	3.90
35x4½	26.00	5.00
36x4½	27.00	5.10
37x4½	27.50	5.15
37x5	32.60	5.40

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### Railroad from Quanah to Roswell, N. M.

The following special dispatch in the St. Louis Globe Democrat of recent date, concerning the proposed Lazarus railroad, which will be of much interest locally:

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from Roaring Springs west to Roswell, N. M., about 290 miles will be started as soon as the contracts can be let and the necessary material assembled. At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the company held in St. Louis, it was decided to construct this extension. It is stated that the financial end of the project is already arranged. St. Louis capital is behind the enterprise. The survey for the proposed extension was made some time ago. The route is through a part of Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico that is undergoing rapid agricultural development and a large local tonnage of freight is assured from time the road is opened. The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe is preparing to invade the same territory that is to be occupied by the Acme Quanah & Pacific, and there promises to be rivalry as to which road is first in carrying out its plans. Sam Lazarus of St. Louis is president of the Quanah Acme & Pacific.—Tatum N. M. Democrat.

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### Notice--Candidates.

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If I happen to be out of town about the last days of filing time, an application mailed to me on or before June 13th, will comply with the law.

Percy Spencer  
County Chairman.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following candidates have announced, subject to the Democratic Primaries in July.

### REPRESENTATIVE

H. B. Murray  
Don. H. Biggers

### FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

R. A. Sowder  
G. E. Lockhart

### COUNTY JUDGE

E. L. Duke  
W. G. Hardin  
Geo. W. Neill  
Roy C. Scudday

### COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

D. J. Broughton

### SHERIFF AND TAX-COLLECTOR

W. R. Bridges  
Robert Holgate  
J. N. (Jim) Lewis

### TAX-ASSESSOR

R. W. Glover  
J. R. Burnett

### TREASURER

H. T. Brooks

### COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1.

J. F. Winston

Tomorrow is the day for you to have those premises immaculately clean, for the judges will be on hand to inspect your home or the place where you exist, and let us be sure that our places look like home. If we have not already cleaned up, let's take the rake and hoe this afternoon and early in the morning and start the good work in earnest, and let's try to have the weeds cut in the front yard at least. The Lord may forgive us for laziness, but He never will forgive us for filthiness.

There is one spot in Brownfield that is the special pride of every citizen in the county, and that is the Courthouse park. Not only is it the pride of local people, but the traveling men who see all the parks on the Plains, say we have them all skinned a city block. While our park does not get any too much attention, it is probably the best cared for

county park on the Plains, and we are to hear our first complaint of the money thus expended. In the early days in Terry, it was a question where picnics were to be held, as there were no shade trees, but now our famous park and picnics all go in the same thought. What a contrast to the prairie east of here, where trees do not grow except on the small streams, where chiggers eat you up. Many a time have we seen nothing but cotton-bagging and wagon sheet between you and the sun. It did not seem like a picnic, for when you think of picnics, you just can't help from thinking of shade trees; they are great.

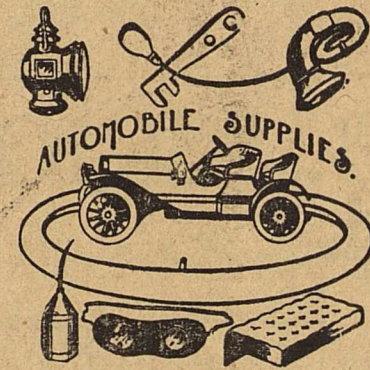
Our Gomez correspondent gave us a good theme for an editorial in her locals last week, and we wish we had the pen of a Greeley or a Bran to properly impress the people of its importance. We never were very long ourselves on trying to be different from the other men, but in a business way it sometimes pays. Everybody can't do business alike, neither can all do the same business. You've heard the old saying of all wanting Sall if they had all seen beauty alike; the same applies in a business capacity. Of course stock farming is the main business in this section, and probably always will be, but the time has come when we must diversify our business if we properly succeed. She asked the question; "Why don't some of our people who have large tanks try to raise fish, at least for the local market?" Yes, why don't they? Because we all want Sall is the only answer we can give, and yet that is not it. Why did we wait till last year to begin building silos? We had read and re-read the success people were having with them elsewhere. Somebody had to start the business, and this man wanted that man to do the experimenting, if there was any experimenting done. Now that the silos out of the experimental stage, every man wants one, and all are going to have them sooner or later. Just so with the fish business, when one man gets started in the business, all are going to want a fish tank. When it gets to the point where the local market is over supplied there will be a foreign market opened. The American people are still a flesh eating people, and they are going to have meat in their homes at one price or another. Plant some more fish.

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Gomez. Sunday School at 10 a. m., every Sunday; Raymond Simms, Supt. Preaching the 1st and 5th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Meadow: Preaching at Lake View, 11 a. m., and at Meadow 3:30 p. m.  
J. B. McReynolds, Pastor.

#### BAPTIST CHURCH.

Preaching each 1st Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. each Sunday; Jim Burnett, Supt.; Eldora Lewis Sec. Business meeting at the Church, Saturday at 3:30 p. m., before each 1st Sunday. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.  
B. F. Dixon, Pastor

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Sunday School and Emblems every Sunday, at 10 a. m., at the Court House; W. G. Hardin. Leader. Preaching every 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Elder S. D. Lofton. All are cordially invited to all services.

### Brownfield Lodge No. 903 A. F. & A. M.

Meets Saturday night before the full moon in each month in the Masonic Hall  
Will Adams, W. M.  
J. F. Winston, Secretary

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

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Miss Ethel Treadaway, Sec

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Similar opinions have been publicly and privately voiced by thousands of other men, high in the councils of nation, state and church—who have the good of their fellow men sincerely at heart.

These men are clear thinkers. Their vision is unclouded by prejudice. They foresee that prohibition does more than strike at the personal liberty of the people. They recognize it as a menace to the stability of our institutions.

What Cardinal Gibbons says about prohibition in large cities is equally true of smaller cities and towns and of states. But the ill effects of prohibition are more far reaching than its encouragement of law violations.

#### It Encourages Drunkenness!

It drives out by law a beverage which, in many respects, is the most wholesome, beneficial, and desirable the world has ever known—the harmless drink of temperate people the world over—beer. It compels the man who will drink to slip into his community—ostensibly for his own use but quite as frequently for others as well—the concentrated stimulants which are easily hidden and can stealthily be disposed of and a small quantity of which produces drunkenness.

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## Meadow

By Sandy

I did not get my letter written in time for last week's publication; am sorry, will try to never be so late again.

Mr. Hope Timmons is riding around in a brand new auto.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Boyd visited in Lubbock, Monday.

The many friends of Mrs. S. C. Arnett, were sorry to learn that she got a bone broken in her foot, last week. One of the doctors in Lubbock is treating it and she is resting as easy as could be expected, but will be confined to her bed several days.

We are very glad to learn that the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nettles, who is in the sanitarium is improving.

Owing to the the hard rain Sunday we had no Sunday School, but will have next Sunday. Everyone come and help us make our Sunday School a great success.

Mrs. Forrest Ellington, of Harris, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ellington,

Mrs. Barnett, who has been visiting her son, Jim Johnson, returned to her home, last Monday.

Mrs. Mary McCullum, of Tulia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. F. Boyd.

Miss Rena Peeler is on the sick list, this week.

A. H. Herring, who was sick the last of last week, is able to be up again.

Owing to a slight misunderstanding, the dance at Meadow, Friday night, was very poorly

attended. Everyone that come though, reported a good time.

We sorry to report that J. B. Hamlet is on the sick list this week.

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"No one doubts that persons have been frightened to death,

and ridicule in statements of this kind should end. The influence of the mind is a subject that calls for investigation and study. There is no question that mental agitation aggravates, if it doesn't cause disease. Many a child droops, and does so because it feels it is unappreciated and neglected. Many who survive, drag out a miserable existence, instead of being full of hope, joy and energy, promises and pleasure, and making themselves useful in the world."—N. Y. Press.

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### Speaking

Congressman W. R. Smith, candidate for re-election to Congress from this the 16th District, will speak at the Court-house, Brownfield, on Tuesday night, June 9th at 8:30 p. m. We have heard Hon. Thomas L. Blanton give his version, now let us hear the other side, and we will all be better qualified voters. He is a good speaker. Remember the date and place.

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Percy Spencer

Notary Public

My commission expires June 15 1915.



## Harris

By Sand Bur

Truly we are living in the midst of a flower garden now. The entire prairie is a vast floral panorama. Never before have we seen so many wild flowers.

The hail last Thursday night did some damage to gardens around here, but we believe most of the damage has already been repaired. We are certainly having some rain this year. Two big rains this past week and several showers is what we had here.

Misses Eula Alexander, Ethel and Eva Harris, Emma Spear and Roy Fitzgerald and Ed Spear attended a play party at Jim Wrights in the J Cross neighborhood last Friday night. They report a good time.

Walter Frazier and Pat Boss came down to the Post Office in the latter's car last Saturday. They took dinner with Brit Clare and family.

Mr. Ross says he intends starting on a visit to his old home in Scotland in about a month. This will be his third trip since he came over about thirty years ago.

The weather was so unfavorable we failed to have Sunday School last Sunday, but expect to meet next Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Fern Harris went home with Mrs. J. M. McMillan last Saturday and stayed until Monday when she returned home.

B. C. Christenson and wife called on W. H. Harris and family last Sunday.

Miss Olga Fitzgerald's brother informed us that she was teaching music in Lubbock. We wish her success but regret to hear of her prolonged absence.

Mrs. R. K. Benton and daughter, Miss Nettie, visited Mrs. J. W. Spear last Monday.

F. M. Ellington came in from New Mexico last night and will start today, Tuesday, for Meadow after his wife and baby who have been visiting his parents there.

## Weather Report For May

The following is a few side lights on the weather for the month just ended:

Mean maximum, 79; mean minimum 57; maximum, 99 on the 10th; minimum, 46 on the 14th; greatest daily range, 39 on the 10th. Total rainfall, 4.75 inches; greatest fall in twenty-four hours 1.60 on the 1st. There were 10 clear days; 10 partly cloudy and 11 cloudy. Violent electrical storms on the night of the 1st and 25th. No serious hail storms.

While 4.75 inches of rain is good for this country in one month, we are satisfied from all accounts that some portions of the county has received as much as 10 inches; in fact every one is agreed that the immediate vicinity of Brownfield has been the driest portion of the county, but we have had thousand of rain, more than we have had in seven or eight years at this time of the year.

## Mothers Club

The Mothers Club will meet Friday afternoon, June 12th, at 4 o'clock in the Courthouse park. A full attendance is desired, and

the children of the mothers are expected to be present, and refreshments will be served to them. The following will be the program for the evening.

Subject: What to teach our children.

Contentment; Mrs. Neill.  
Punctuality; Mrs. Smith.  
Life Work; Mrs. Walters.  
Manners; Mrs. Copeland.  
Story: A Courteous Mother; Mrs. Cardwell.

Round Table Talk led by Mrs. Hardin.

Other Qualities Necessary to be Taught.

Edwin Groves and S. E. Hamilton were in from the southside to hear Judge Blanton, last Friday.

F. E. Walters and wife were in this week attending the Rebekah lodge, Tuesday night and informed the Herald man that he would have to plant about 100 acres over. Said his young stuff stood the heavy rains alright; but truck like sorghum and maize were beat down.

Miss Mary Dixon accompanied her father to Lubbock this week, where they attended the Fifth Sunday meeting.

When you want shoes, go to the Merc, New shipment just arrived.

In conversation with Earl Hill one day recently, he informed us that he was having a good business with his garage to have just started up recently.

J. T. May and J. W. Welch made a trip to the railroad after supplies, this week.

W. A. Bell's thoroughbred jersey cow that got snake bit some twelve months ago, brought a fine heifer calf this week, but it was found that only one teat would produce milk, and Mr. Bell is afraid he will lose her.

A letter and remittance from W. A. Shepherd, a former citizen of this county, but now of Sinton, near the coast, came in this week. He said keep'er coming, as it is like getting a letter from home each week.

Good chewing and pretty clothes at the Mercantile.

We call you attention to the locals appearing in the Herald taken from the Voice, printed ten years ago. You will notice that top steers are quoted at \$1.00 against current quotations of \$7.25, and hogs at \$4.00; current prices a little above \$8.00, and some people still claim that times are hard here.

All Odd Fellows are requested to be on hand tonight at the semi-annual election of officers. Come and express your preference.

The Mercantile is the place to buy your goods. They want your trade.

G. F. Ratliff of Midland, Texas a prominent cattle man, and brother-in-law to Bud Jones, is up visiting the latter. We enjoyed a pleasant call from these gentlemen Monday, and Mr. Ratliff informed us that they had good rains in the Midland country.

Our old friend and former citizen C. A. McDaniel, but now of King, N. M., passed through last week on his way to the railroad. He says that while they have not had as good rains over there as here, they have had good seasons.

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We understand that the Woodmen have decided to change the date of their picnic from the Fourth of July to the 17 for various reasons, among them that it will conflict with a picnic at Tahoka.

We have received numerous remittance lately from delinquent subscribers that are highly appreciated. Some have not received credit on the mailing list yet, for the reason that we will not revise the list until we receive all the sorts and finish the list.

J. E. Woodard, from the Blythe country, was here this week after supplies.

Thomas Brooks, came in this week from Abilene, where he has been attending Simmons college.

J. C. Green left yesterday for Tahoka, where he will meet his daughter Miss Ivey, who has been attending Simmons college this session.

Dr. H. T. Day was in after supplies this week.

The Bank took their usual weekly holiday this week in honor of Jeff Davis' birthday. We wish the Herald was a bank.

Mrs. Walter Gracey was in this week shopping, and two of her little sisters returned home with her.

Dr. Embrey, a former citizen of Terry county, but now a resident of Bowie, Texas, came in this week to look after his property west of Gomez. He is an old friend of C. S. Cardwell, having known each other back in Mississippi in boyhood. The Dr. spent Tuesday night with Mr. Cardwell.

Miss Bertha Lowe finished her subscription school last week and is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Braidfoot out at the ranch.

Aud Graham and wife attended the Rebekah lodge, Tuesday night.

Miss Etta Kinard came in Tuesday night to attend the Rebekah lodge.

Hope Timmons and family, of the Meadow country, were here Tuesday in their new Ford.

Lence Price, one of our young and promising stockmen from the north side, called in Saturday and renewed his subscription. He says he is having fine luck with his young colts.

Messrs. Lewis, Neill, Hardin, Duke and Scudday, were giving the people some of their advice, Saturday.



## Tokio

By Digger

Old Terry county sure is wet. It is raining nearly all the time.

All the people had a nice time last fourth Sunday and heard two mighty fine sermons by Brother Williams, of Brownfield.

Norman Lovelace and wife spent last Sunday with Bob Lovelace and wife.

T. E. Lovelace and wife went to Brownfield last Saturday night to visit his son.

Wiley Bridges and John Day were in Tokio this afternoon.

Jim Wright and wife entertained the young folks last Friday night with a party. They all seemed to enjoy themselves very much.

Crops are looking fine since the rain.

Bob Snodgrass and wife spent last Saturday eve at W. I. Lovelace's.

J. W. Hamm and Will Satterwhite, was in Tokio this afternoon.

The Rushing boys had a crowd with them Saturday night from Brownfield. I think they surely had a time.

Bob Lovelace and father, were in Tokio, Monday.

Mr. Cherry was in the city of Tokio Saturday eve on business.

Weaver Lovelace went over to Mr. Cherry's this eve after maize seed, but failed to get them.

Carl Rushing seems to like the city of Tokio very much. They are still batching.

There will be church next 3rd Sunday at J Cross. We will have dinner for all that comes.

Bro. Cox passed through yesterday going to Mr. Armstrong's.

## DOWN WITH THE BOSSES

**Farmers' Union Officials Urge Citizens to Vote Against All Machine-Made Candidates.**

**Preachers Used As Political Gunmen.**

Ft. Worth, Texas.—In a previous article, we endeavored to show that when the devil wanted a preacher, he sent a politician after him. We now want to show insofar as the evidence will permit, that when the political machine marks a candidate for slaughter, it hands the ax to a preacher.

Can you imagine a more perfect machine than one that puts preachers forward as political gunmen or forces candidates to call upon the clergy members of their clan for a permit to run for office?

The press recently carried an announcement of the action of a committee of four preachers in eliminating two of three candidates for comptroller. We do not know of any class of men more incapable, as a rule, of passing upon the qualifications of candidates for state office than a committee of preachers. We believe that the interests of good government would have been served equally as well had the candidates shot craps for the job. Then we think class rule inimical to free government. We would

protest against a committee of grocerymen or butchers slaughtering undesirable candidates, although the work would be more in line with the latter occupation, and we think they would be better qualified for making a wise selection than preachers. We are opposed to any special interest naming a candidate for public office, whether it be railroad managers, corporation attorneys, bankers, brewers, preachers or what not, and we believe the morals of the community are more ruthlessly shocked when preachers connive together in political caucuses than for any other class, for it has been well said "the greater the saint, the greater the sin."

We should think that the preachers who feel called upon to participate in political matters would co-operate with the Farmers' Union in stamping out immoral practice in politics and destroying machine rule, and we believe the better element of the clergy will join us in this position. A preacher cannot make political trickery righteous by usage any more than he can make profanity respectable by practice. It is one of the ironies of fate that a preacher may become a scandal as well as a glory to civilization.

### Opposed to Political Trusts.

We do not believe any candidate who will kneel and beg a permit to run for office from the politicians has the stuff in him that capable public officials are made of. We had rather see a candidate claim his rights as an American citizen than to see him wear the brass collar of the bosses.

The Constitution guarantees every citizen the right of liberty in the pursuit of office, and a set of men who organize for the purpose of interfering with the inalienable rights of any citizen commit a grievous crime against free government.

We believe political trusts are as antagonistic to the interest of the people as industrial trusts, and equally as inimical to the public welfare. We think a political combination that corners public offices and robs candidates of their rights is as criminal as an industrial combination that corners markets and plunders the people, for might does not make right in government any more than in business.

Political organizations have a legitimate and essential function to perform in State government when properly conducted, but when they violate unwritten laws of politics their action and influence is destructive. When a party machine confines its work to teaching, it is a blessing to government, but when it seeks to control government, it is a curse to the country. When it seeks to expand the legitimate functions of government, it is a benediction, but when it grapples for power it has the coil of a serpent. When it seeks to promote progress, it is a useful agency, but when it spreads strife and dissension it becomes a pestuence.

### The Misuse of the Ministry.

We can conceive of no more adroit political machine than one that can put misguided preachers to the front to give the machine an appearance of respectability that the original Tammany never had the nerve to hope for. Hiding behind the broadcloth of these ministers are leading anti and pros, as well as the leaders of both sides of other factions, and when the leaders of all factions lie down together, it is a pretty good evidence that the machine is working. To make the picture more complete, imagine a combination of 90 per cent of the leading wire-pullers who have manipulated all the political conventions held in Texas for the past quarter of a century working harmoniously together, surrounding a candidate groomed by preachers and run into a convention as a dark horse and you have a machine that is the dream of

the most arrogant ringster.

The farmers of Texas may differ in their views on the prohibition question, but all can unite in saving the country from political bossism, for when the ringsters huddle together, the farmers can potshot the whole bunch at the polls in the July primary. The voters of Texas never had such an opportunity of ridding the state of ring rule as that presented in this campaign.

Much has been said about high priced wonders sacrificing their time and their business for the "dear people," but why all this burning of incense? Why all this "hail to the chief" by pie-counter politicians? We are not so much in need of political monstrosities as we are of common horse sense in government, for that element is, after all, the substance of greatness. There are exceptions to all rules, and we have in mind a few notable ones to the instance we relate. Some of the big guns of the Democratic party have been thundering out in the press how they are going to vote in the hope evidently of subduing the people with the power of their marvelous personality. The ballot of one of these political aristocrats counts no more than that of a farmer, a laborer or a clerk, and whether a man spends the summer motoring in Europe or toiling in the field, at the furnace or behind the counter, the ballot box, like the grave, makes all voters equal.

### The Bosses Vs. the People.

The machine politicians are also at it in the legislative districts chopping down candidates regardless of their fitness for office who will not agree to make factional strife the paramount issue in this campaign, and threatening to defeat those who refuse to bend their knee to the bosses. Any man who cares to submit his candidacy to a Democratic primary should be permitted to do so without the interference of factional leaders.

There is only one way to break up ring rule and that is to swat the bosses. Let every farmer vote against machine-made candidates, no matter what factory may have turned them out, for on no other basis can the liberties of the people be preserved and the greed of the politicians restrained.

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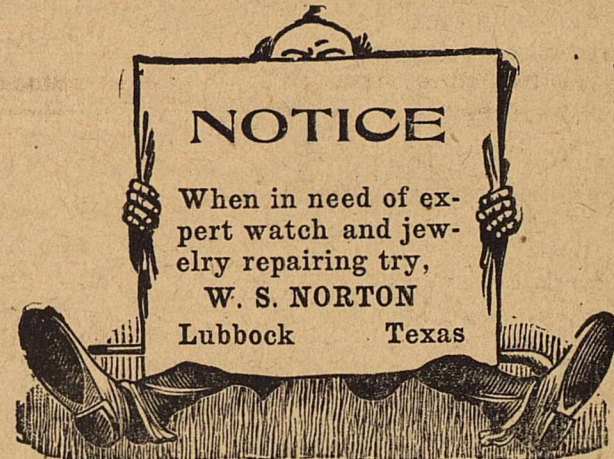
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By West Wind

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McWhorter on the 31st inst. a fine boy. Mother and baby doing well.

Mrs. Bert French came in Monday enroute home from a visit to her mother in N. M. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Gainer.

Charlie Currier has been working at the Snodgrass ranch for some time, and spent last Monday in town.

Prof. Lewis' singing class is progressing fine, though it rains most every day, and one night the rain poured so hard, they couldn't leave for home until near midnight.

Roy Green came in from Tahoka last week for a visit to home folks. Roy went to Tahoka last fall to work, and has been there ever since.

Last Sunday was unusually quiet in Gomez, as there was no preaching, and the evening and night rain prevented the usual night singing.

R. W. Rambo and wife went to Tahoka last week to meet Miss Eargie, who has spent the past term in Wayland college.

J. P. Nichols and wife were in trading, Tuesday.

Jim Lewis was in Monday, shaking hands with the voters.

Mr. Yeiser, of the Wolfarth ranch, spent last Saturday night at the hotel.

In town Monday were, Ben Walfarth, Chris and Harry Timm, C. C. Copeland and son Charley, and Boon Hunter, Mr. Wright and family, Mr. Chisholm and wife, Will Winn.

R. W. Rambo has bought the old Will Allen house here in town and is tearing it down to move it out to the farm.

H. L. Ware came in from the ranch last Saturday. The rising on his throat is still running, but is some better than he has been.

Mrs. S. H. Key is yet very feeble, though she can sit up some.

Mr. Lemley and his father were in Monday.

J. E. Woodard was at the hotel Tuesday.

Clint Rambo is going to Littlefield to do a job of freighting.

Mrs. W. C. Mathis and children went out to Geo. McWhorters Tuesday.

Next Friday night, the public in general and Brownfield in particular are invited to attend the singing at the Methodist church here.

Adams & McPhaul got in last Saturday from N. M. with their cattle, which they left down at

the Adams ranch nine miles south of town.

Mr. Curlin went to Tahoka last Sunday and is out yet.

Arthur Moore went to Lubbock last Thursday for freight and we suppose he has bogged down. Anyway, at this writing, Tuesday noon, he has not been heard from.

Lois Reeves and Elma Seitz, went out to visit Miss Eargie Rambo, Sunday.

Say, we have a lake here on west Main street, one-fourth mile long, and the water is too deep to wade and not deep enough for a boat. Simon Holgate says he is going to stock it with fish, and if it keeps on raining, we will either have to build a bridge or buy a boat. After one crosses it on the loose planks thrown across and gets to wade as the planks give down in the middle, the only comfort about it is to wait a few minutes and see some one else cross.

Well, we missed the mail auto again this morning, but had no trouble in finding a messenger. Say, there must be something unusually attractive at the Herald office now, for we can now send a letter over just any day. Do you treat to ice cream, candy or is it some other attraction.—(We acknowledge having a very good looking new "devil" in the person of our sister-in-law, but the boys seem to be trying to accommodate you, West Wind, and we believe the "other attraction" is at the other end of the line. In other words, isn't a young lady relative visiting you?—Ed.)

We have lots of frogs here, but guess the news can't swim; anyway news is short this week.

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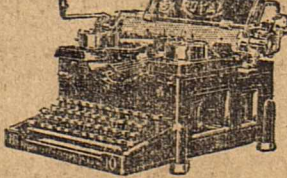
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