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School Opening.

The Brownfield High School opened Monday morning with all teachers, trustees, a good sprinkling of parents, some visiting people, and between 90 and 100 pupils present.

We don't believe we have ever seen our school open under more favorable circumstances, than the one Monday morning, as teacher, trustee, parent and pupil, all seemed to be enthused and determined to do the biggest years work in the history of the school, and anyone hearing the many good talks that were made on that occasion, could not help feeling better toward the school, and have more pride in the progress of the children.

Trustee R. H. Banowsky first made a short talk, outlining the work to go forward, and informed the pupils that the conditions of passing the final examination, would be somewhat harder this time, as the general average had been raised five percent, and that they must not fall under 55 instead of 50 as heretofore, in any study. He said he wanted to give them warning the first day.

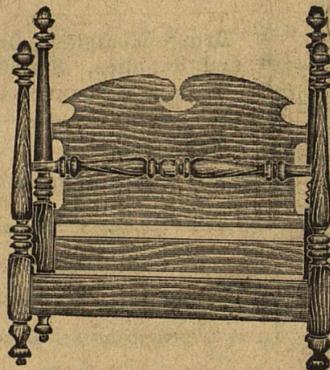
He was followed by Rev. Ledger, of Tahoka, who made one of the finest educational talks we have heard in many days. Next came Rev. Hughes, pastor of the local Methodist church, who made a fine talk, and said he almost envied the teachers their occupation in the uplift of the coming men and women, but this editor can't help from believing that Bro. Hughes was just a little envious of the pupils in a certain room. Judge Neill gave us his usual friendly and encouraging talk to pupils, giving them to understand that he as county superintendant, was with them. Miss Merriwether then asked the pupils in the primary department for their cooperation in the work, and Prof. Draper followed with an outline of the work to be done.

Five teachers, including the music and expression teacher, are with us this year, and great things are expected of them, but they must have your help. Visit the school often, and compliment their work, and if some little matter goes wrong, privately tell the teacher, and don't discuss the matter with your children.

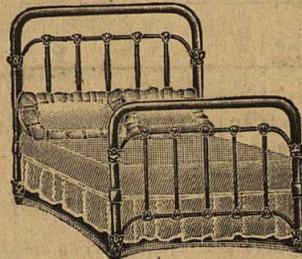
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Clarence Lewis is on the sick list this week.

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The Country Editorial.

Many editors of small papers refuse to give their readers editorials on the ground that editorials are for the large city papers and the public does not care for the views of the country editor. As a matter of fact, the views of the rural population are really reflected by the editorials of the large city papers, which glean them from the country papers which run editorials. The sound thought of the country is to be found in the rural districts. Here, in the more or less quiet of the country, men and women read and study and gather data which results in conclusions founded on a solid basis. Sometimes this thought may be biased by the enthusiasm aroused by the impractical reformer or selfish politician who runs off at the tangent with some new fad or "ism," but generally such fads are short lived and the sensible thinker of the country districts returns to the sane and solid and conservative attitude which has always distinguished him. The editor of the country paper, therefore, has a duty to perform in crystallizing this

thought and sending it out to the world as the contribution of this section of the country to the agitation of the day. The country editor, usually is a comparatively poor man but he has sand and independence and a pride of work rarely found in other professions. Moreover he is brought into closer personal contact with his constituency than the editor of the big city paper. It is safe to say that never before in the history of journalism have editorials been more widely or more carefully read, not, perhaps as in the old days, to base an opinion on the views of the editor, but for the purpose of getting all sides of every question.—Ex.

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Mr. Cook of Gaines county, brought his son in Saturday and entered him in school, Monday.

Harris

By Sand Bur

Mrs. Taylor and son made a trip to Lubbock last week after lumber and household supplies.

M. Taylor bought 200 head of 3 year old cows from G. M. Arnett of Lubbock, last week. These cattle are at present on the Arnett Ranch in Gaines County. Mr. Taylor will receive them in October and November.

J. M. McMillan made a trip to Lubbock last week after freight for W. H. Harris.

J. W. Hooker and wife of Lubbock, came in Saturday for a few days visit with their son, L. H. Hooker and family.

Mrs. Merritt and Miss Emma Spear were right sick a few days last week but both are up and around again now.

Mr. Nichols of Lynn County, received his steer yearlings Saturday which he bought of J. E. Fitzgerald a few weeks ago.

J. C. Dooley was out last Thursday looking after his interests here.

Miss Mintie Reed came in Saturday and took up her school duties here today, Monday.

Mrs. Add Cox and children spent a part of last week visiting J. W. Spears' family.

A Mr. Anderson of near Waco was prospecting out our way last week.

Mrs. Brister was on the sick list for a few days, but we are glad to report her up now.

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About thirteen candidates rode the Woodman goat last Saturday night, and we understand quite quite a few will be ready for old "Billey" Saturday night.

The Congdon Photo Company will remain in Brownfield until Monday, Sept. 20th.

Mrs. Lela Schonfelder, of Dallas, a cousin of Mrs. C. S. Cardwell, is visiting the latter.

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM

E. P. Ripley

On Relation of Railroads and People.



The industrial leaders of this nation are talking to the public face to face through the columns of this paper. The time was when if a corporation had anything to say to the people they sent a hired hand, whispered it through a lawyer or employed a lobbyist to explain it to the legislature, but the men who know and the men who do are now talking over the fence to the man who plows.

When the leading business men of this nation get "back to the soil" with their problems, strife and dissension will disappear, for when men look into each other's faces and smile there is a better day coming.

Mr. E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe Railroad, when asked to give his views in reference to relations existing between the railroad and the public said in part:

"Frequently we hear statements to the effect that these relations are improving, that the era of railroad baiting has passed and that public sentiment now favors treating the railroads fairly. As yet this change in public sentiment, if any such there be, is not effective in results.

It is true that in the legislatures of the southwestern states during the past winter there were fewer unreasonable and unreasoning laws passed than usual, but a consideration of the hostile bills introduced shows that there is still reason for much disquiet even though they were defeated by more or less of a majority.

Moreover, the idea that the railroads have been harshly treated does not seem to prevail in the offices of the State Railroad Commissions which seem to cherish a notion that their business is not to act as an arbitrator between the railroads and the people, but which proceed on the theory that the railroads are able to take care of themselves and that their duty is to act as attorney for the people even though in so doing they deny justice to the railroads. It requires no argument to demonstrate that the railroads are entitled to justice equally with other citizens and taxpayers. That they have not received it and are not receiving it is perfectly susceptible of proof. That they have practically no recourse in the courts has also been determined.

The situation therefore is that the people, through their representatives, must elect whether the services of the railroads shall be adequately compensated or not; and it requires no fortune teller or soothsayer to predict that in the long run the service will take the class that is paid for and no better.

The natural competition between the railroads and the natural desire to perform first-class service has heretofore resulted in giving the public much more than it was willing to pay for. Continuation of this will be impossible and no laws, however drastic, can long accomplish the impossible."

Lubbock Growing.

Lubbock is about seven times as big as Brownfield, but they are very much alike in one respect, and that is, a new comer has a hard proposition to find a home, providing he has to rent, and if he is able to buy, he is almost forced to build.

Upon our arrival there, Saturday Sept. 4th, it looked more like a big city around the square than a town of 3500 people, for automobiles were parked as thick as sardines almost around the square, and one had to make himself as small as possible to pass along their 16 foot side walks.

There are three new bricks under construction, besides innumerable residences, and the whole city gives evidence of substantial growth. The business men are enjoying the biggest trade in their history, and many of them are greatly enlarging their floor space and stock, noticeably the Mercantile, which is fixing up their basement, thereby adding a third more floor space. We might mention also that more of them are taking space in the Herald than usual, showing that they have the goods, and want to sell some of

them to Terry county people. To further push their trade in this and other territory, a trade excursion consisting of a representative of nearly every establishment in the city, will be here next week, bringing with them a band of several pieces, thus giving us chin music and band music all the same time.

Tokio

By Digger

Most of the farmers are busy now trying to save their feed.

J. S. Day and family spent Sunday with Mrs. R. K. Benton.

Miss Ida Rushing has gone off to attend school. She will return later and teach the J Cross School.

Tom Lovelace and family from Brownfield, were up visiting relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Add Cox, Jack Benton and Mr. Spears started to Tahoka this morning.

Don't forget next Sunday is preaching day at J Cross. Everybody come and bring someone with you. There will

be plenty of dinner for everybody.

Miss Nettie Benton was in Tokio Monday afternoon.

Clyde Harris was in Tokio last Friday.

H. L. Ware is buying maize from Mr. Hamm.

Mr. Wrotan and family visited Mr. Day's folks Monday night.



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Excursion to Amarillo, Texas. Account Panhandle State Fair Sept. 21-25th. Tickets on sale Sept. 20-24th. Good for return limit Sept. 26th at fare \$4.85 for round trip.

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Plains: Sunday School every Sunday 10 a. m., Miss Mattie Stanford Supt. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. every 3rd Sunday, and at 8:30 p. m. every 1st Sunday.

Gomez: Sunday School 10 a. m. every Sunday: Raymond Simms, Supt. Preaching on 2nd and 5th Sundays at 4:00 and 8:30 p. m.

Harris: Preaching every 1st Sunday, morning and afternoon. H. L. Hughes, Pastor

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

Meets Saturday night before the full moon in each month in the Masonic Hall

E. T. Powell, W. M. J. F. Winston, Secretary

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A. C. Beard, N. G. J. C. Green, Secty.



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Gomez

By West Wind

Mrs. Alice Stapp, (Grandma) received a letter last week stating that her daughter, Mrs. Roberts, who lives in Commanche county, was seriously sick and wished her to come immediately. She left on Sunday and will spend the winter in Commanche. Miss Nancy Dumas and brother, Johnnie, will occupy grandma's rooms during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Short left last week for Post City and other points east of here. Grover Lewis and wife are staying on their farm attending to the stock during their absence.

Mrs. Albert Crews and children and Grandma Crews came in Sunday to Sunday School and preaching and Grandma visited here at Dr. Maddux' until Monday afternoon.

Mrs. O. B. Curlin was in town Monday.

Mr. J. M. Currier passed through on the mail car last Saturday enroute home from Brownfield. He told us, "Don't you put my name in the paper." We had not thought of it, but thus reminded of course we will.

Clint Rambo and wife came in from Amarillo last Saturday. Clint's lower limbs are yet paralyzed, but the doctors at Amarillo, say they think he will regain the use of them in the future.

Mrs. J. M. Currier was in town Monday.

Will McPhaul and wife visited at Robert Holgate's last Saturday night and at the hotel Sunday.

Noah Bell, wife and daughter ate dinner here at the hotel Sunday, enroute home from a visit to Brock Gist and wife, near Tatum N. Mex.

Mr. Mosier from Hamilton county, is boarding here at the hotel. He is a brother to the Mr. Mosier who works on the T4 Ranch.

Mrs. Bob Snodgrass and children came in from Floydada last Saturday. She reports that Mrs. W. B. Snodgrass is seriously sick. Mrs. Surginer accompanied Mrs. Snodgrass to Kansas, as they did not receive the news that Mr. W. B. Snodgrass was going and so, preceded him just twenty-four hours.

Mrs. Ingram left last Saturday for her home at Seymour, after several weeks visit to her

son, Bert, at this place.

Misses Lois Reeves and Earlie Rambo will leave next Friday for Waco, to enter Baylor University for the coming term.

Miss Sarah Hudson began her duties as teacher of the Needmore school last Monday morning. We wish for them a successful and harmonious term. Miss Sarah has been raised and educated right here in the Gomez school district, and is a young lady that any community may justly feel proud of.

Mrs. Wolfarth, Reed and Easton and Miss Nora and Miss Katie Copeland all came in Monday afternoon for a short while.

Mrs. Simon Holgate and children are visiting relatives in Lubbock this week.

W. T. Fulton and wife were trading here Monday.

Dr. Treadaway was called out to Southwest Terry on Monday to Mrs. Charlie Garrison, who was reported to be quite seriously sick.

Grandpa Bridges and wife are visiting their daughters, Mesdames Will and Walter Black and Mrs. Chas. Moore, this week.

I. H. Hudson has purchased an auto. Wonder if he like several others will holler, "Woah" when he can't stop it as quick as he wants to.

Ben Whitla and Elmo Green were joy riding in Will McPhaul's car last Sunday. We have heard that hard work made one happy. Well they sure must have got some happiness out of that ride for Ben killed the engine every sand bed they run into and then they would take time about cranking up, then when cranking got old, they pushed the car out of the sand only to repeat the performance the next sand they hit.

We must compliment Miss Sallie on the last week's Herald it was, in respect to home locals, above the average.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shepherd took their baby to a sanitarium in Lubbock on Tuesday morning. The little one has been sick over a month and would appear to improve at times and then get worse without any apparent cause.

Jim Moore and wife are visiting Mrs. Moore's parents at Plainview, this week.

A car load of Old Reliable Peter Schuttler Wagons just received. See H. M. Larkin, Tahoka, Texas.

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Albert Crews brought his little son over Monday, and put him in school.

The photographer, Mr. Congdon, is doing a land office business, this week.

The Brownfield Merc. is talking to you about beds and springs this week, quoting prices. Good things to have about when one gets sleepy.

Miss Ivy Green and brother, Gladys, left this week for Abilene, where they enter Simmon's college.

Lee Thompson's family moved in from Tokio this week, for benefit of school, and are occupying the Hughes residence.

Take a look at the Moline Row Binder. No side draft. Something different. H. M. Larkin, Tahoka, Texas.

The Terry County Fair Association met at Gomez last Saturday and decided to have the fair this year at Gomez, Thursday and Friday, October 7-8. It was also decided at this meeting to send an exhibit to the Panhandle State Fair, Amarillo, and the jitney's are busy this week gathering the exhibits.

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Our school has opened under very favorable circumstances, and to keep them favorable, don't retire to your home and not give the school another thought. A school is like any other business, it needs undivided attention, and the school business has at least three stockholders, the pupil, the teacher and the patron. You have considerable money invested in your school. How are you going to conduct this business?

The pound sterling has always held the first place in financial circles, but the Yankee dollar is now taking the place of the English coin. We have found that the dollar was a mighty nice thing to have around, and as we depend on them to some extent to keep the Herald circulating, we have really fell in love with these bright little wheels; have you one that belongs to us?

In the data to be used at the Panhandle State Fair, Amarillo, by the Terry County Fair Association, this language is used in the introduction: "No saloons; no negroes, no Mexicans, and a few white people." This is true, as we only have between 1500 and 2000 souls in the county, but we are doing our best to double this in another year; then the people would be so scattering that in some place one would have to climb his windmill tower to see his nearest neighbor's house. Come to Terry.

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Lubbock

Texas

R. H. Banowsky spent a few days this week out at his ranch in the southwestern part of the county.

The Methodist people are having a good meeting, despite the unsettled weather. Rev. Ledger came in from Tahoka Sunday afternoon, and has been preaching some good sermons, and much interest is being manifested. It is most too early to predict results, but we believe they will have a good revival.

N. B. Hollan, of the west side, was over this week on business and handed us a dollar he had no other use for.

Take a look at the Moline Row Binder. No side draft. Something different. H. M. Larkin Tahoka, Texas.

Wili Mathis has moved his family into the house recently vacated by Prof. Huckleberry.

J. M. Currier is building an addition to Judge Neill's residence and has already earned a dollar, for he traded it to us for the Herald another year.

R. H. McCormack and Henry Witt have been doing some car-

penter repairs out at the J. J. Lane ranch the past week, but came in to begin on an addition to J. C. Green's residence.

ONE to three sections of fine land on the South Plains; improved farm near Gomez, Terry County, Texas; price \$9. to \$11 per acre; terms. J. F. Blanken ship, Stanton Texas.

Ed Moore finished the coal house for the county last week, and we pronounce it a good job.

Jack Bryan and family returned from the mountains of New Mexico, last week, reporting a good time.

Lence Price and family came in this week to have their pictures made. Lence announced that he was going into the garden business on a large scale.

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Official Statement

Of the financial condition of the Brownfield State Bank, at Brownfield, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 2nd day of September 1915, published in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Brownfield, State of Texas, on the 17th day of September, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$98,150.70
Overdrafts	697.19
Real estate (banking house)	2,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	900.00
Due from approved reserve agents, net	3,369.65
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check, net	135.71
Cash items	31.84
Currency	823.00
Specie	2,394.22
Interest in depositors guaranty fund	1,049.26
Assessment for guaranty fund	110.02
Total	110,161.59

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	12,500.00
Undivided profits, net	5,544.92
Individual deposits, subject to check	42,842.86
Time certificates of deposit	1,500.00
Demand certificates of deposit	511.40
Cashier's checks	262.41
Bills payable and rediscounts	22,000.00
Total	110,161.59

State of Texas—County of Terry: We, M. V. Brownfield, as president, and Will Alf Bell as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

M. V. Brownfield, President
Will Alf Bell, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this, 14th day of September, A. D. 1915. Geo. W. Neill, Notary Public, Terry County, Texas

Jno. S. Powell }
Correct—Attest A. M. Brownfield } Directors

Meadow

By Sandy

Miss Jessie Rattan of Matador, came in on the mail car Friday of last week and began school last Monday, with twenty pupils enrolled. We were glad to see so many of the parents out the first day. It shows they are interested in their children. Lets go often and always be ready to cooperate with the teacher and each other and we will thereby have a successful term of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Copeland returned home from Lubbock last Saturday.

G. W. Ellington went to Harris last Monday.

Millard Ellington is with his parents for a few weeks.

The men of the community with their teams and wagons moved the school house from a mile and half east of Meadow to Meadow. It will be more convenient for all on account of water, and we hope to get it painted soon and plant trees so it will be comfortable and attractive as well.

S. C. Arnett is in El Paso this week on business.

Miss Jessie Rattan is boarding at J. W. Peeler's home.

Dudley Arnett and Granvel Johnson of Lubbock, were visitors at the L7 ranch last Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford is visiting her sister, Mrs. Otis Copeland this week.

Mrs. Collins had the misfortune of spraining her ankle one day last week, but is getting on nicely.

We will trade you new furniture for your old. Riley Duff & Co., Lubbock, Texas.

Uncle Tom Holley got in from Fort Worth this week, where he has been about two months to have his thigh treated that was thrown out of place in a fall from the top of his store during the spring. While he will be a cripple the rest of his days, he is able to get around on crutches. He was accompanied home by his daughter, of Fort Worth, and some nephews who live at Snyder.

A car load of Old Reliable Peter Schuttler Wagons just received. See H. M. Larkin, Tahoka Texas.

Emmett Tisdale, of Dawson county entered school here Monday and is helping at the Green Boarding house.

Messrs. Simmons and Sparks of Lubbock, organizers for the W. O. W., are here, and have succeeded in bringing in a good deal of new material, so that this camp will have upwards of 100 members when they leave. We understand they have also revived the Gomez lodge and put it to work.

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PLAINS

By Carl Forkel

Paul Heath and wife have moved to their new home in Southeast Yoakum which they purchased some few months ago. Mr. Heath is arranging to develop his lands for stock farming purposes and has already ordered a large bill of trees for an orchard.

The writer was the recipient of a fine melon this week which weighed 52 pounds and which was presented by Mr. E. C. Altman from his farm west of town. This melon was of a splendid variety and was a feast for a number of guests at the Long Hotel, and who join in thanking Mr. Altman for the splendid treat.

Forkel & Gainer, managers of the Home Movie here have announced that on Sept. 25th, they will show one of the finest pictures that have ever been offered to the public in an inland town. "The House Next Door," a Lubin drama in 5 acts.

This play is from the pen of J. Hartley Manners, author of "Peg O' My Heart," and numerous others and dramatized by Lubin.

Advance pictures show this film to be a work of art. Remember the date Sept. 25th, and bring your friends and enjoy a picture worth while. Remember also that Lubin pictures are as clear as a bell.

The protracted meetings which have been conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. A. F. Armfield of Lamesa, assisted by the pastor of the church here Rev. H. L. Hughes, closed on the night of the 6th. Inst. These meetings were largely attended, and have been of great good to the community in a moral and spiritual sense. A number of professions of faith was made during these meetings.

Mrs. T. W. Cadenhead and Mrs. Dr. Rumph, together with their families, have moved into Plains from their ranches for the purpose of having their children enjoy the benefits of the school here this session.

Don't forget the Yoakum County Fair on Oct. 1st. and 2nd.

Don't forget that on these dates a cordial reception awaits you and your friends. Amusements will be furnished—the kind where you enjoy a hearty laugh—fat girls races, fat mans races, sack races and many other kinds of races. Bronco riding, calf riding, roping and other sports too numerous to mention. All winners will be given a useful and practical premium donated by the merchants of Plains. Baseball every morning by two good teams.

J. S. Lawrence, J. Z. Philpott, J. W. Jackson, J. E. Williams and J. C. Russell, all of the Stamford country, were prospecting in Yoakum county last week.

Some of these men have already made purchase of lands, while the others have such a step under consideration. Groups of five prospectors to one Ford is now a common sight on the roads. Come to Yoakum.

Mr. C. C. Abbott of Cisco, accompanied by his son, spent a few days in Plains last week on business and in visiting his

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brother-in-law, C. W. Hudson and family.

H. A. Tandy has recently returned from a visit to Canadian, Texas, the home of his father and brothers.

Misses Norelle and Glenna Keller paid a short visit to their father at the sanitarium last week, Mrs. T. C. Ivey having had them to accompany her to Lubbock for that purpose. Mrs. Heath who also has a son in the sanitarium was a member of the party. Reports are that the two patients are doing well.

The dates of our fair are to be on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 1st and 2nd, instead of the 2nd, and 3rd, as given by error in our first announcement, so this will put the record straight.

All committees are at work and are planning to make this occasion an epoch in the county's history. Farmers and stockmen from every part of the county are manifesting a pride and interest in making the fair a success, so the visitors may expect to be entertained and to have the opportunity of seeing what is being accomplished in farming and stock raising in the south plains country, all of which will be Yoakum county products. Committeeman E. S. Rowe is now selecting and trying out a team of baseball boys, and he is glad to report that he finds players among our home boys who he thinks will prove worthy the steel of Brownfield's crack team which he is inviting to play us a two days' game. Messrs. Beal and Earnest are arranging for the horsemanship feats and for the roping and branding contests which is a feature of the occasion. It is expected that a number of the champions with the rope will be present and will endeavor to return the belt to new Mexico side of the line, Pete Beal having brought it to Plains from the Lovington contests some weeks ago.

A free barbecue will be served on the 2nd day, and on the 1st we are glad to announce that the Ladies' New Century Club has decided to serve dinner at the airdome for the purpose of adding to a library.

E. Stringer and J. A. and Richard West of Ben Wheeler, Van Zant county, East Texas, were prospecting in Yoakum county last week. They are old acquaintances of P. G. Stanford, and are expecting to locate some where in the west at an early date.

We failed to mention in the last

issue of the Herald, the absence of Col. Jas. W. Hoppes and wife who are off on a visit to Hot Springs Ark., where they go for the benefit of Mrs. Hoppes' health, she having suffered for some weeks from the effects of rheumatism.

J. R. King has recently purchased the Chas. Layman place near Bronco, and will reside there in the future. Mr. Layman is contemplating locating again in Yoakum county, his old place of residence.

Claude Ray and W. H. Hague have exchanged residences for the ensuing school term. Mr. Hague will teach the Glen Park school this session and Mr. Ray will take charge of the Sligo mail route.

Miss Nora Garner who has been conducting a music class at Ranger lake for the past three weeks is visiting at present Mrs. E. S. Rowe and other friends in Plains.

And least but not all, the Home Movie, the only one of its kind that shows a clean and bright picture so far off from railroad points. There will be four shows during the fair week and a first class programme has been arranged by our managers Forkel and Gainer. Four reels of Mutual and Universal programme will be shown at each show and EVERY SHOW WILL BE SO DIFFERENT.

Remember that when you have seen our Universal programme at the movie during the fair week think of UNIVERSAL PEACE among the warring nations in the far off countries.

And to remind you again note the dates Oct. 1st and 2nd.

S. D. Hunter and wife, accompanied by their older son, Harry, left Sunday for Abilene, where Harry will enter Simmons' College for the term.

S. D. Cunningham and Mrs. John Scudday, father and sister of Mrs. R. M. Kendrick, were visiting the latter last week.

Mrs. J. P. Long and Mrs. R. D. Marshall were visiting friends in New Mexico last week.

E. W. Heath is erecting a new house on his section east of town this week.

Elder B. F. Dixon of Lubbock, is conducting a series of sermons at the Baptist church this week. Bro. Dixon and family formerly lived in Plains, and he is known and loved by a wide circle of friends in this section of the country.

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