

# The Terry County Herald

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Who said War? We are too busy selling the biggest assortment of the FAMOUS CURLEE Suits for MEN, YOUNG MEN, and BOYS to think of Germany. We can fix you. We guarantee your money's worth, and can save you money. Have you bought your new suit? Will you let us show you?

### Brownfield Mercantile Co.

#### Brownfield, Texas

There are lots of people that get the Herald, that really don't realize the great strides Brownfield has made in the last few months, before the arrival of the railroad, toward citydom, and many that have lately come here are surprised beyond measure at our rapid progress. A year ago we had two general stores, one grocery, one drug store, one hardware, one hotel, a news paper, barber shop and one land office and a bank, but to day we number over 50 business houses with close to 200 employees.

Beginning on South sixth street, we find the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., with a good stock of building material, with Fred Smith as manager, and Robt Welch as yard man.

On the southwest corner of the square, we find the Brownfield State Bank, one of the best institutions of its kind in west Texas, with W. H. Dallas, Pres. and O. T. Halley, Cashier, and the following employed as clerical force W. A. Bell, Luther Freneh, Frank Jones and Homer Winston.

And while in this territory, we find the Queen Theatre, with Bob Snodgrass and Vergil Newton, as managers and owners giving the people high class shows four nights per week.

Here we skip over to the north east part of the business section and introduce you to the Morrison-Smith Lumber Co., with Sid Hunt, local manager. This splendid firm will soon be ready for business.

Back to the southwest part of the business section, we find the R. H. Kemp Lumber Co., with a big stock of building material, Milton Brown manager, Boyce Cardwell and Arnet Bynum as bookkeeper and yardman.

Crossing to west Hardin street

we find the blacksmith shop, with J. O. Brown, owner of lot and building, and W. E. Greer, proprietor of the tools and manager, and the employees are W. E. Wester Wheelright, and his two sons S. L. and T. L. Wester, assistants.

The City garage is owned by R. W. (Dock) Rambo, and the workmen are Geo. Bragg, Clint and Irwin Rambo.

The City Cafe is now being run by J. L. Smith together with his wife and they are giving good service.

Tidwell Racket Store, Blevins Tidwell manager, Miss Lorena Jones clerk.

A fifteen piece band, still coming to the front, with D. M. Judd director.

A. G. McAdams Lumber Co., a full line of building material; T. R. Prideaux, manager and J. T. May yardman.

Barrier Bros. dealers in general merchandise, Clifton Barrier manager, and Miss Annie Hamilton clerk.

Bassham Hotel, W. B. Bassham proprietor, and he wife and daughter conducts it.

City Bakery, owned and run by J. W. Tyra, and wife they turn out high class bread and cookies

The Cash Market is owned by Brown & Daniels, and Bob Wrinkler is their meat cutter; fresh and cured meats and produce.

Santa Fe Cafe, is a nice eating place, and has a rooming house over head. It is conducted by Messers Wicker and Hunter together with their wives.

John B. King, Land Co., he says list your land.

Shooting gallery—Closed.

Chilli King Cafe, is a tent restaurant, but they sell the chuck, conducted by W. A. Tyra and wife.

The City Wagon Yard is to the rear of Barrier Bros. and is conducted by Mr. McMillian and son.

On the north west corner of square is Carter Bros. and is efficiently managed by E. H. Huddleston and wife. General merchandise is the line.

Bob. Poe's cold drink stand, all kinds of soft drinks and confections.

The Bolton Cafe, owned and managed by H. L. Bolton, a good place to eat.

Cash Grocery Co. E. E. Dawson and Robt. Eben, managers and owners. Besides groceries they sell jewelry and repair watches and clocks.

The Home Cafe is owned and conducted by J. L. Harper and wife, and is all its name implies.

Higgingbotham-Harris Lumber Co., a full stock of building material. Redge Burnett business manager, and J. L. Gregg bookkeeper and stockman.

O. K. Wagon yard, J. R. and T. M. Bowman, props. A good place to stop for the night.

Stinson Grain & Coal Co., B. W. Stinson prop., and J. R. Coble and Hugh Stinson do the work. Coal for the stoves and chawing for the brutes.

H. W. (Greasy) Richardson. Just old ice.

Hill Hotel, J. E. Hill prop. assisted by his wife, C. B. Grubb, cook, and Earl Vaughan, table waiter.

Highway Garage, J. C. Center and Walter Potts, owners and Charley Lindsey, mechanic.

W. A. Wooley Land Co., W. A. Wooley, J. E. Shelton and W. D. Cook organizers. Just Land.

Sanitary Tailor Shop; J. E. Hill, prop. and Earl Jones as pressman and tailor.

City Barber Shop; Rich Bennett and E. D. Willingham, props. with Fred Scudday in center chair, and Clarence Lewis in first. Scrapping chins.

Jim Graves Confectionary; all kinds of drinks and confections.

Lewis-Hall Grocery, Clyde

Lewis and John Hall props. All kind of groceries.

Temple of Titles, Attys. Clifford Graves and Joe McGowan, props. Miss Ola Bynum stenographer, and Notary in office. Abstracting of titles.

In the same building is Chas. Tripplett, lawyer and A. E. Harris surveyor.

South Plains Phone Co., Geo. W. Neill prop and general manager; Ben Hurst local manager, Jess Stewart, lineman, Mrs. Ben Hurst chief operator, and Mrs. Boyce Cardwell assistant.

Terry County Land Co., Chas. Acker and Geo. McPherson, organizers. Strictly in the real estate business.

Brownfield Land Co., W. L. Barclay, Pres. and J. F. Winston Sec. We suppose you know what they are doing.

Holgate Hardware Co., Simon and Bob Holgate props. Hardware and implements.

Sanitary Barber Shop, Frank Davenport and (Shorty) Ingle, props. Jess Davenport in front chair, and Jack Winn shine boy. Just mowing facial hair.

W. Aikins Cowboy Boy Shop, Boot, Shoes and repairs. Frank Martin, expert boot maker employed.

Brownfield Hardware Co., H. H. Longbreak and Will Adams props., Dad Jinkens and Walter Scudday clerks.

Brothers & Brothers Grocery Pat Brothers manager; just pure fresh groceries. Mumford Smith, clerk.

In the same building is the Brownfield Post office with Jno. R. May, postmaster and Mumford Smith, assistant.

City Drug Store, E. G. Alexander manager, and Henry Alexander assistant and soda jerker.

Smith Dry Good Store, M. A. Smith prop. Mrs. Smith and son Theo. clerks. Others on Saturdays.

Randal Drug Store, J. L. Ran

dal, prop., and Cecil Smith assistant and soda snatcher.

Wilson-Adams Furniture Co., E. A. Adams and W. A. Wilson, props., Full stock furniture and coffins.

Over above store, is a rooming house conducted by R. A. Locker Brownfield Merc. Co., E. T. Powell and R. H. Banowsky, prop. W. L. Glaze bookkeeper, Miss Mattie Hester, clerk. General merchandise and furniture.

Brownfield Mill & Feed Co. H. F. Adams, owner, and Joe Hamilton, miller.

Last but not forgotten is the Terry County Herald, a good newspaper and job office, if we do say it. A. J. Stricklin editor and proprietor, Misses Jimmie Hawkins and Idahlia Hunter, typos, and general helpers.

A block of land close in is well fenced, and a well put down, on which an entirely new \$15000.00 gin will be built, as soon as the trains can bring in several cars of material and machinery, which will be in the next sixty days.

There are eight organized and active lodges: The Masonic, (Blue lodge and Chapter.) Eastern Star Odd Fellows, Rebeakhs, Woodman, Woodman Circle and Paetrorsians.

There are four organized and active churches: the Methodist, Baptist, Church of Christ, and Presbyterian Others will come.

There is as good school as you ever see in a town this size, and will be greatly improved in the near future.

The County officials are County Judge, W. W. Price; County and District Clerk, J. C. Green; Sheriff and Tax-collector, J. N. Lewis; Tax Assessor, Clint Rambo; County Attorney, William F. St. John; County Treasurer, Miss Dora Daugherty.

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### Get Our Price on Coal, Cake and Grain

We are still the leaders, no matter whether you have something to buy or to sell in our line, quality considered. Highest market price paid for your hides. Call and see us when you are in Lubbock

### Lubbock Grain & Coal Company



# The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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## SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

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Six Months	.60
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Better rates on half page or more and exceptionally liberal terms on large, long standing contracts.	
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Each consecutive insertion	05c

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## WE SELL THE VERY BEST

### Hardware, Windmills and Implements

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

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

WESTERN WINDMILL COMPANY

(BROWNFIELD, Concluded)

Also, our County Attorney runs an abstract business, and also does Jones and Woods, recently here from Abilene. The latter is in the real estate business.

So you see dear reader, we're quite a town, and can't begin to mention the carpenters and contractors, the railroad and graders, but will close by saying: Come to Brownfield, if you like a wide awake town, or Terry county, if a stockman or farmer.

It seems to us that the town of Brownfield ought to declare war on dogs. We have been in lots of towns in our life, but we never saw one with population of Brownfield, that could hold us a light on the number of dogs. In this time of high price of food stuff, a purp worth about two bits worth of dog meat will eat several dollars worth of grub right now, and it seems the poorer the family, the more dogs they keep. Some one may say that it is none of our business, but a biting, vicious dog that is liable to take hydraphobia any minute is a nuisance, and you can't make nothing else out of it. Besides, it would be a good blessing to the family to kill the worthless cur, shep, or popcorn fist that is eating biscuits that baby ought to have

Some one besides the Herald is getting the county printing, as this is the way some of the bills shows up for the last quarter: Maverick Clark, \$145.00; Hill Printing Co., \$19.85; Dorsey \$72.50 Reimers \$21.75, and the Herald

\$11.40, and this was for printing the Treasures Quarterly report, which by law had to be printed here. Well, we have done this present administration no harm except to vote for them, and we hope they dont feel an ill will towards us for that. Anyway the loyal merchants of Brownfield and Gomez are giving us about \$100 00 a month for job work, and we can live with our advertising columns to back that up, and we hope that Dorsey etal is boosting old Terry to the fare you well; at least they ought to. They get the pie.

## Closing Hour

We the undersigned agree to close our place of business at Seven o'clock p. m. except on Saturday evenings.

Beginning Monday 21st of May and continue throughout the summer months.

- Brownfield Merc. Co.
- Wilson Adams.
- M. A. Smith.
- B. P. Brothers.
- Brownfield Hardware Co.
- Barrier Bros.
- Lewis-Hall Gro. Co.
- Holgate Hardware Co.

I HAVE two good Ford cars, 1916 models, for sale cheap. W. T. Raybon, Tahoka, Texas.

R. M. Kendrick and wife, of Plains, Texas, were here this week, visiting and shopping. R. M. is the popular cashier of the First State Bank, of that city.

BUGGY for sale, almost good as new; worth the money. See J. B. Vinson, City

FOR the latest in Millinery, see Mrs. Carrier at her residence in the eastern part of town.

Note the ads of the Wilson-Adam Furniture Co., and the W. A. Wooley Land Co., in this issue.

## Proposed Amendment

To the State Constitution, Providing for and Relating to the Creation of Conservation Districts. Senate Joint Resolution No. 12.

Proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto at the end thereof another section to be known as Section 59, declaring the conservation and preservation of all the natural resources of the State of Texas are public rights and duties; providing for the creation of conservation districts, declaring such districts body politic and corporate, defining the authority of such districts, and conferring upon the Legislature authority to pass laws with reference thereto; declaring that the Legislature shall have authority generally to legislate for the purpose of conserving the natural resources of the State; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed constitutional amendment; making certain provisions for said election and the ballots thereof and the methods thereof; directing the issuance of the proclamation therefor, prescribing certain duties of the Governor of the State and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto at the end thereof another section to be known as Section 59, and which shall read as follows:

Section 59a- The conservation and development of all the natural resources of this State including the control, storing, preservation and distribution of its storm and flood waters, the waters of its rivers and streams, for irrigation, power and all other useful purposes, the reclamation and irrigation of its arid, semi-arid and other lands needing irrigation, the reclamation and drainage of its over-flowed lands, and other lands needing drainage, the conservation and development of its forests, water and hydro-electric power, the navigation of its inland and coastal waters, and the preservation and conservation of all such natural resources of the State are each and all hereby declared public rights and duties; and the Legislature shall pass all such laws as may be appropriate thereto.

(b) There may be created within the State of Texas, or the State may be divided into such number of conservation and reclamation districts as may be determined to be essential to the accomplishment of the purpose of this amendment to the constitution, which districts shall be governmental agencies and body politic and corporate with such powers of government and with the authority to exercise such rights, privileges and functions concerning the subject matter of this amendment as may be conferred by law

(c) The Legislature shall authorize all such indebtedness as may be necessary to provide all improvements and the maintenance thereof requisite to the achievement for the purpose of this amendment, and all such indebtedness may be evidenced by bonds of such conservation and reclamation districts, to be issued under such regulations as may be prescribed by law and shall also, authorize the levy and collection with in such districts of all such taxes, equally distributed, as may be necessary for the payment of the interest and the creation of a sinking fund for the payment of such bonds; and also for the maintenance of such districts and improvements and such indebtedness shall be a lien upon the property assessed for the payment thereof; provided the Legislature shall not authorize the issuance of any bonds or provide for any indebtedness against any reclamation district unless such proposition shall first be submitted to the qualified property taxpaying voters of such district and the proposition adopted.

SEC. 2- The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held for such purpose on the third Tuesday in August, A. D. 1917, the same being the 21st day of August, A. D. 1917; at said election the vote shall be by official ballot which shall have printed or written thereon the words "For the amendment to Article 16 of the constitution of the state of Texas providing for conservation districts, the creation of such districts and their government and regulation" and also the words "Against the amendment to Article 16 of the constitution of the State of Texas providing for conservation districts, the creation of such districts and their government and regulation" and those opposing it shall erase the words "For the amendment to Article 16 of the constitution of the State of Texas providing for conservation districts, the creation of such districts and their government and regulation," which said erasures shall be made by making a mark with a pencil or pen through said words. All ballots cast as above provided shall be counted as cast for or against this proposed amendment, and if a majority of the votes cast shall be for the amendment it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes cast shall be against the amendment said amendment shall be lost. All the provisions of the general election laws as amended and in force at the time said election is held shall govern in all respects as to the qualification of electors, the method of holding such election and in all other respects as far as such election laws can be made applicable.

SEC. 3- The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4- The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000 00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

J. C. BARTLETT,  
Secretary of State.

## WHEN IN LUBBOCK

Stop at the LUBBOCK BUICK GARAGE. Fire-proof Garage. Free air. Buick and Chevrolet parts in stock.

Goodyear and Michlein Tires.  
C. L.--Griff--GRIFFIN, Mgr.

### CHAS. C. TRIPLETT

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
Office north side of square at Temple of Title

Brownfield, Texas

### C. B. JONES, M. D.

OFFICE AT CITY DRUG STORE  
Office Phone 14  
Res. 45

Brownfield, Texas

### Clifford Graves Joe J. McGowan

### GRAVES & MCGOWAN

LAWYERS  
Office North side of square in Temple of Titles

Brownfield Texas

### Drs. INMON & TURRENTINE

SURGERY AND CONSULTATION  
Shook Building, over Post Office

Tahoka Texas

### L. A. HITCHCOCK

CIVIL ENGINEER  
&  
SURVEYOR

Lubbock Texas

### T. L. TREADAWAY

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office Phone No. 7 Res. Phone No. 18

Brownfield, Texas

### R. B. HUTCHINSON

DENTIST

Office over Citizens National Bank Building. Phone 131.

LUBBOCK TEXAS

### M. Fulton Percy Spencer

### FULTON & SPENCER

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

Rooms 3, 4 and 5, old Lubbock State Bank Building

Lubbock Texas

### HUTCHINSON & PEEBLER

J. T. HUTCHINSON, M. D.

Eye, Ear, Nose and throat

O. F. PEEBLER, M. D.

General Medicine and Surgery. First National Bank Building.

LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

### William F. St JOHN

LAWYER

Office in the Court House

Brownfield, Texas

## Pure Drugs

Are Essential in every home or where there is illness

Remember that we buy each week, there-keeping our stock always PURE and FRESH LET US FILL YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS. They will be compounded by a Registered Pharmacist, and we positively guarantee that you will get exactly what the Doctor prescribes.

## The City Drug Store

Alexander & Graves

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## DRAYING

That's my business, and I am careful and reliable. I make good any breakage. Try me.

DOSS WINDHAM, Brownfield, Texas, Phone 85



## Still Selling Land

I now have a Complete List of the Best Propositions in the way of Farms and Ranches in Terry, Yoakum and Gaines County, as well as Brownfield City Property and am fully prepared to take care of the Wants of Prospectors. See me at once and List your Land, I am pushing the business.

Jno. B. King Land Co.

Brownfield, Texas.



All the talk in the world cannot down this one big public-guiding fact, namely, that after severe comparative tests the Colt was adopted by the Army and Navy because of its marked superiority. Marked superiority! Get that? Don't buy any other but a Colt—it is the safest automatic pistol and the quickest to get into action. This Striking Picture FREE.

"Colts to the Front" (reproduced here in miniature) is one of the most powerful pictures of modern war scenes. We have had a limited number, without advertising, finished in beautiful tones by the new offset process, size 2 1/2 in. x 3 1/2 in., on heavy white stock suitable for framing. Sent on receipt of 10c to cover cost of postage. Catalog E mailed free. If your dealer does not sell Colts, send your order to us.

COLT'S PATENT FIRE ARMS MFG. CO., Hartford, Conn.

### The Question of Roads

This is a serious question right now before the people of Brownfield and Terry county, as all who use roads, and we all do more or less, know, the people of Terry county do not have to be told what a bad road is; they have the experience with them, and not a few who have traveled or moved in from the progressive counties from the east know what good ones mean.

Another thing we are trying to make a city and a trade center out of Brownfield. But have we the nerve to do it? It is said that that the Santa Fe railroad is spending \$40,000 in making good roads around Blythe, and out toward New Mexico and Yoakum county. It simply means this: If we do not build good roads, it is the death knell of Brownfield as a trading point and we are to be satisfied as a small county seat town supplying the local community.

Road building cost money, and no one is going to build them and donate them to us. With us it is either put up or shut up. Some of the old timers have not possibly forgotten what a decent road to Tahoka did for Lubbock. We are sure Lubbock has not forgotten it. Are we going to sit down and repeat Lubbock's performance? We will have more to say on good roads next week.

**COTTON SEED!** good planting seed of Mebane variety cheap! for quick sale, see J. C. Lewis 2 miles west Brownfield.

Post, post, post; at R. H. Kemp Lumber yard.

### Money To Loan.

In any amount on improved farms and ranches. If you have Vendor's lien notes coming due against your land and are not in a position to meet the payments, or need money for any purpose whatsoever, we will be glad to furnish you the money at 8 percent for any length of time. We will make you a loan ten for years and if you wish to pay the notes off after one year you may do so, and thereby save your interest 8 percent pays the cost of securing the loan. No long unnecessary delays. We put your loan right thru. Write or call to see,

Graves & McGowan  
Office at Temple of Titles,  
Brownfield, Texas

### Barrier Locals

Want to buy all the eggs, chickens, turkeys, hides and butter you have for sale.

Matches 5c a box.  
Pure east Texas ribbon cane syrup, 90c the bucket.

Bring vessel and get cooking oil; is cheaper and goes further; \$1.50 per gal.

Barrier Bros.

Our new settler and subscriber, Frank Dusek, handed us a clipping this week from a Seymour paper on the Bohemian people in regard to the war, which was crowded out this week, and will appear next week. He says lots of people look down on his people as a low class, and while the Herald has never seen many people of his nationality, if they are all like Frank, they will do to tie to.

The famous Swan's Down cake flour. Lewis Hall Gro. Co (The 20th century compound) The latest discovery in washing fluid, no pot, no board, no washing machine, no tired back, no injury to either garment or hand no bluing. We guarantee it.  
Lewis-Hall Gro. Co

Miss Marina Smith left this week for Tahoka, where she has accepted a position with Carter Bros. at that place.

Having assumed the Sales Agency on Buick Automobiles for Terry, Yoakum and Gaines Counties, am now in position to Demonstrate the worthiness of this car to all interested parties. Get a 4 or 6, the price is the same as other agencies offer. See me at once can make deliveries now. R. H. Banowsky.

Grandpa Randal came in this week after a long visit in the east, and will spend the summer on the good old plains, assisting in the drug store.

**LOST:** A pair of men shoes, between Bynum's residence and town, low quarters, please return to Arnett Bynum, and oblige.


Shorty Ingle got his name on our mailing list this week.

A. P. MOORE: I will have a car load of the very best flour this week, besides a lot of other groceries coming in, and gas, auto fixtures and a new supply of dry goods. Come in and see them.

Lester McPherson, has joined his brother, Mat, in grading roads for the Santa Fe, near Blythe.

**HIGHEST** market price paid for butter and eggs. Bring 'em to the Santa Fe Cafe.

Ote Copeland and wife, of Meadow, were here this week on business.



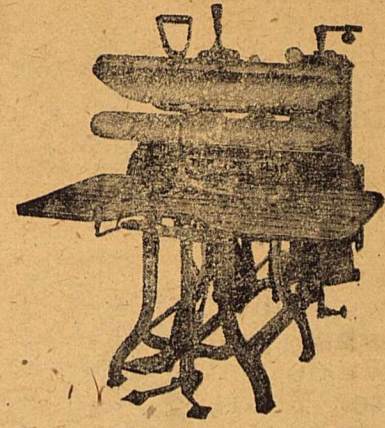
**GEO. ALLEN**  
The House Reliable  
Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE in Western Texas. Latest Sheet Music, MUSIC TEACHER'S Supplies, etc., etc. Catalogue and BOOK OF OLD TIME SONGS FREE for the asking. Established 1890. SAN ANGELO

Dr. Miles, we understand has closed the road through his pasture, thus throwing the mail and auto road north of his ranch.

EASTMAN Kodaks and Supplies at the City Drug Store.

Horrace Randal and family are preparing to move to their new home in New Mexico. He says he is not selling his place here, as he may want to come back.

We want to know you and want you to know us



The best way for you to become agreeably acquainted with us is to let us clean, repair and press your clothes. One trial will convince you that our mutual business acquaintanceship will be worth while

J. EARL HILL

Phone 43

Brownfield, Texas

## HORSE and JACK

The Horse and Jack belonging to Bob Snodgrass, and the best in the country are making the season at my yard in Brownfield. Come and see them

O. K. WAGON YARD

Brownfield Texas

## GROCERIES

Our line is Complete, Fresh and replenished daily. Let us have your next order.

Brothers & Brothers

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## MILK COWS

To give best results, must have a balanced ration of recognized milk producing foods, all of which we keep constantly in stock. We also keep a good grade of cooking coal. Our prices are as low as present conditions will permit. Come in to see us.

B. W. STINSON & Co.

BROWNFIELD

TEXAS



## A Popular Song

Just now is being sung thruout old Terry in praise of the "Old Reliable Randal DrugStore that has established a preputation for honesty and square dealing. Whether you come or send your child you get what you want. We do not substitute. Yours to command.



LOTS OF PEOPLE IN OUR TOWN WHO ARE WONDEROUS WISE, HAVE LOOKED US UP AND DOWN WITH MOST DISCERNING EYES, AND DONT REGARD US WITH A FROWN BUT SING OUR PRAISES TO THE SKIES.



**J. L. RANDAL**

Brownfield

Texas

## The Santa Fe Cafe and Rooming House

Serves Short Orders at all hours, prepared by a Chef that KNOWS HOW. Reasonable Prices. Large, Clean, Airy Rooms and good beds 50c. Your patronage solicited. We can please your appetite.

**Wicker & Hunter, Prop.**

Brownfield

Texas

**TALK IS CHEAP**

TRY

**SOUTH PLAINS PHONE CO.**

Lines all over the County

Long Distance Connections

Central Office at

**BROWNFIELD**

**TEXAS**

For 8 per cent money on Terry and Yotkum County land. See Wm. F. St John.

J. T. Stricklin and family, of Meadow, attended services at the courthouse Sunday, and little Dessie is spending the week here visiting her Uncle Jack, and family.

Bob Carter had his paper changed to Garrison N. M., this week, having sold out to O. T. Haley, the new cashier of the Brownfield State Bank. We hate to see Bob and family leave us.

Mr. Fleetwood, organizer of the Praetorian lodge at this place, came in this week, and a good crowd met at the Court house, the Rebekahs being in session at the Odd Fellows Hall.

Hereafter the lodge will meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights having secured the Odd Fellows Hall for their meetings. Next Tuesday night being a regular meeting night, and ice cream and cake will be served.

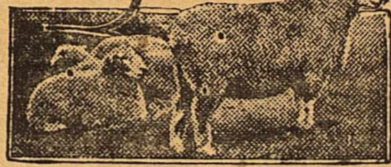
J. L. Johnson, of Ft. Worth general manager of the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., was here last week, inspecting the local yards. He was well pleased with every thing.

A team and a four wheeler, belonging to Kelley & Bond grading outfit, went over the 38 foot dump in the draw Saturday afternoon. We understand that all the damages was a broken tongue in the wagon, and the horses or mules considerably skint up. Still it isnt safe to re

peat the performance, the driver might go over next time.

After many delays, our big press was shipped the 11th inst., and unless delayed ought to be here in time to print next week.

# LIVE STOCK

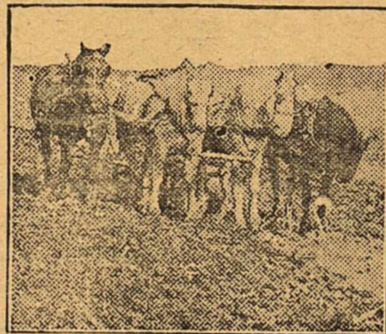


### COMB AND BRUSH FOR HORSE

Equipment Needed in Every Stable Whether on Racetrack or Farm— Use for Currycomb.

A currycomb, a broomcorn brush, a scraper, a stiff brush and a number of rags of the right sizes should be a part of the grooming equipment of every stable, no matter whether the stable is located on a farm or at the edge of a racetrack. In most instances the currycomb should be used only to lightly raise and loosen the sweat and scurf over the fleshy portions of the horse's body, the main reliance being placed upon the brush.

The brush is the best implement for cleaning the body, as it does the work well and easily, and does not irritate the horse. I find that the principal use for the currycomb in cleaning most horses is in using it to scrape the dirt



Well-Groomed Farm Horse.

and loose hair out of the brush, says a writer in an exchange. Because of its steel teeth and general harshness and stiffness, the currycomb should never be used about the limbs. There are some people who can use it on the legs and about the bony places of the horse's anatomy without irritating the animal past all endurance. They are softer-handed than most of us.

The broomcorn brush takes the place of the currycomb in cleaning the horse's legs. In using the currycomb it should be laid flat and carried lightly in a succession of curved strokes, until all the dust and scurf that may be in the horse's coat has been loosened. Then take the brush and with it thoroughly cleanse the hair and the skin.

After using the brush take a dampened cloth and go over the surface, following this by rubbing with a dry cloth. In cleaning and grooming the head and the legs use the stiff broomcorn brush, clean with the hairbrush, and finish the operation with the dampened and dry cloths.

### ALFALFA PASTURE FOR HOGS

Care Should Be Exercised That It Is Not Pastured Too Closely Cut Occasionally.

For "growing out" little pigs and carrying over dry sows a good pasture is a valuable asset to the hog raiser. Alfalfa makes the best pasture for hogs. In pasturing alfalfa, care should be taken that it is not pastured too heavily. If this is done, the alfalfa will be badly killed out in two or three years and it will be necessary to reseed. Pasturing should never be carried on so heavily but that one-half ton of hay per acre can be cut three times a season. The occasional cutting of the alfalfa induces new shoots to grow, and hence greatly improves the pasture for the pigs.

### Trapping the Elusive Mouse.

Every housewife has had the expertence of finding a carefully prepared mouse trap denuded of its bait, but unsprung and minus its victim. This can be avoided and Mr. Mouse's capture assured by using for bait cheese crumbs instead of a large lump. To get the crumbs the mouse must press down and thus set off the spring. A lump, on the other hand, is easily stolen.

## --STOP THE WORRY--

There is always a certain amount of worry caused by trading on a credit; besides there is often time lost in making special trips to pay bills. This can be avoided by trading at the cash store; you always receive the benefit of Cash Discount. YOUR BUSINESS APPRICIATED

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By the statement that foreign trees are as good as home grown trees. If you want an orchard that will bear young and often, make sure by buying your trees from the Plainview Nursery. We have a good stock of the very best for this country. We will trade nursery stock for bonds, live stock, good notes, peach seed or second hand sacks. Also have some good steer calves we want to sell.

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Brownfield, Texas



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That is all we aim to carry in our new home, but it will be our aim to carry a stock consistent with our large and growing territory, and we ask the people of Terry and Yoakum counties and the Eastern New Mexico to make our store headquarters when in Brownfield.

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Brownfield Texas

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The Tonsorial art has been developed in keeping with the general advance of the world and we are keeping up. It takes an artist to cut hair, shave, shampoo and massage you correctly. It even takes a keen artist to know what kind of tonic to use on different people. We know our business. Baths; hot or cold.

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Is what we sell. Come and tell us what you want and what you like, and we will see that you get it. Yours for good eats.

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## Texas Road Material in Demand.

Austin, Texas, May 7—Engineers of the United States Army wish to secure at the earliest possible date complete information about available material for road construction in the Southwest. The authorities of the University of Texas have been requested to collect this information and transmit it to Washington. To carry out this plan it is necessary to secure the names and addresses of owners and operators of plants producing crushed stone, gravel and sand in every county in Texas. Information is also desired about localities where road material may be obtained, and the kind of road material available. Persons owning gravel pits, sand pits, or stone quarries, or who have information about such deposits, are urged to write and, if possible, to submit samples of materials to Dr. J. A. Udden, University of Texas, Austin, Texas. By responding at once to this request a great service can be rendered to the work necessary for the defence of the nation and in the development of one of the important national resources of Texas. It is of the utmost importance that action in the matter be taken promptly.

Lost: 4 head horses; 2 blue mares about 14-12 hands high, close built; one bay mare about same size, branded saucer block one blue mare, rough built, about 16-12 hands high. Will pay liberal reward for information about them. Notify B. C. King, Tahoka, or Terry Co. Sheriff.

Dewey Duke and Miss Willie Daniels, formerly school boy and girl of this place, but now of Tatum N. M., were here last week visiting friends and relatives.

Come buy your pies from the Missionary Ladies May 26.

Miss Lucile Treadaway finished her school in Yoakum county last week, and came in home for her vacation.

LET Brooks & Green do your painting.

M. V. Brownfield bought about two dozen yearling bulls from Noah Bell this week, and Chas. Hubby is delivering them to the southwest ranch. These are thorough bred Herefords.

R. H. McCormack and Oscar Covey received the contract to build the local Church of Christ building, yesterday.

Dr. T. L. Treadaway has rented an office up stairs over the Wilson Adams Furniture store which he is nicely fitting up. This is not only more convenient to the drug stores, but is a much nicer location and tighter house.

TENT for sale; good as new; 10x14 at a bargain. See Frank Martin, City.

Not more than a half inch rain fell last week, just enough to hold until we get better, which we hope will not be long off. Planting is being pushed forward this week.

GOOD 5 burner oil stove for sale at Tidwell's Racket Store for only \$12.00

Buy your pie for Sunday dinner from the Methodist ladies May 26th.

## Our New Store

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### EXCURSION TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

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### HANDLING ALFALFA FOR HAY

Plant Should Be Allowed to Stand Until Well in Bloom—Sprinkle With Salt and Lime.

To make the best horse hay, alfalfa should be allowed to stand until well in bloom, according to the Nebraska College of Agriculture. In curing horse hay, it is well to keep in mind that the dust which is present in so much alfalfa is largely a result of the presence of foreign moisture, such as rain or dew, at making time, rather than the presence of a little moisture within the plant. If alfalfa hay is stored in the barn for horses, it is well, while mowing it away, to sprinkle it generously with a mixture of equal parts of salt and air-slaked lime.

### MAKING SUCCESS WITH HOGS

Breed and Feed Well and Give Good Care—Don't Allow Litters to Lose Growth.

1. Select large, roomy, stretchy dams.
2. Breed to boars whose ancestry shows tendency to growthiness.
3. See that sow is in prime condition every day she carries the litter.
4. Don't allow the litters to lose an hour's growth from lack of proper nourishment or exposure after farrowing.
5. Use every precaution at weaning time to see that growth is maintained.
6. Bone-making feed must predominate in first six months of pig's life.
7. Maintain balanced ration later on and be sure the pigs grow every day.

### HER POSTSCRIPT.

Mrs. Diggs—Your little daughter is the best-mannered child I ever knew—

Mrs. Biggs—Thank you.  
Mrs. Diggs—That is, for an only child.

### ACCOUNTING FOR IT.

"I don't like to play with Gladys; she so easily shows her hand."  
"That is because she has a diamond engagement ring on it."

### NOSE FOR FUSSES.

"That fellow has a perfect talent for smelling out family rows."  
"Then his is something of a storm center, I presume."

Don't forget that the Herald will be \$1.50 per year after June 1st, and that you can renew before that time for the old price.



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

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

H. H. Banowsky W. M.  
J. F. Winston, Secretary

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



J. C. Green, N. G.  
A. J. Stricklin, Secretary

Meets every Friday night in Odd Fellows Hall



**BROWNFIELD REBEKAH LODGE NO. 329**

Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Jessie McDaniel, N. G.  
Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.

**Brownfield Camp No. 1089 W. O. W.**



J. T. May, C. O.  
J. C. Green, Clerk

Meets first Saturday night after the full moon and two weeks thereafter in each month in Odd Fellows Hall

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## Increase Food Supplies By Growing Grain Sorghums

Washington, D. C. May 13. In the drier sections of the Southwest where corn can not be depended upon to thrive, farmers can best add to the Nation's food supply by growing grain sorghums more extensively, say specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. These crops, including kafir, milo and feterita, are drought resistant, and in most seasons produce profitable yields even though corn may be a failure in the same localities. The States in which these crops may be grown to best advantage are Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico and California.

Although the sorghums grains when ground and used in making mushes, breads and pudding, are comparable to corn in food value, they have not been used generally for human food in the United States. Their chief value, therefore, in the present emergency will be as feed for live stock and poultry. If used in this way they will release for use as human food large quantities of the more common food grains now fed to animals.

Because the section in which grain sorghums may be grown to best advantage is also the most important cattle raising section in the country, farmers growing the sorghums can combine profitably the growing of these grains and the feeding of live stock, the specialist point out. Most of the cattle now raised in the grain sorghum belt are shipped to the corn belt for fattening on corn. The sorghum grains which because of their relative newness, are more difficult to market than corn, therefore are left largely unused in the regions of production and must be held until the supplies of corn have been used up in large part, when the demand for feed grains draw them into market. If the growers of grain sorghums will plan to carry more cattle this season and to fatten them on home grown grain instead of shipping them to the corn belt to be finished, no difficulty will be experienced in marketing the sorghum grains. A ready market for all the meat that can produced this year is assured.

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The sorghum grains make good stock feed, having about 90 per cent the feeding value of corn. When the grains can be produced or bought for less than 90 of the cost of corn, it is more profitable to feed them than to feed corn. The fattening of cattle and other stock in the grain-sorghum belt is made the more profitable by the fact that the region is close to the source of cotton seed meal—one of the most nutritious protein concentrates for the feeding ration.

The third type of feed is needed for the efficient fattening of stock—succulent material may be produced by ensiling the grain sorghums when the grain is in the hard dough stage. This silage is as high in food value as corn silage.

Stock raising farmers in the sorghum belt should plant a large enough acreage to supply an abundance of both grain and silage.

More posts and better posts at Kemp's.

W. E. Buckley, of Lockney, is here this week disposing of some of his holdings in Brownfield.

Uncle Geo. and John Black Will Winn, Geo. Jr. and Will Black, were all here Tuesday.

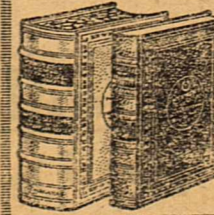
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## Abstracts of Title

### Are a Necessity Today

Not so very long ago very few people thought it necessary to possess an ABSTRACT OF TITLES to lands. This probably was on account of land not being so valuable, and it was thought unnecessary to have more than a Warranty Deed from the vendor. But today almost every tract or parcel of land in Terry County is worth double its value eighteen months ago, for people are realizing more and more every day that we have the best County on the Plains to produce yearly crops with or without rains. You should know that your Chain Of Titles to your land is perfect, for your land is worth a bunch of money today. "A chain is no stronger than the weakest link in it." Probably your title has a flaw in it that could be easily cleared up now, and if so, now is the time to look into the matter; Later on it may be too late. If you were to die tomorrow do you know that your children would inherit a good title to your possession? Let us prepare an ABSTRACT OF TITLE for you that you may look into your title and ascertain whether it is ABSOLUTELY O. K.

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## Primrose

BY CRICKET.

Prof. and Mrs. Haynes, moved to their farm this week Mrs. Haynes has purchased her an incubator and eggs, and will proceed to become a regular farmer's wife.

A singing was enjoyed at the schoolhouse Sunday night by a large crowd.

J. R. Ardis and family, visited his father Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Spikes and family, were guests at Geo. Carter's, Sunday.

Solan Cowan's horse became entangled in wire, Friday while he was trying to open a gate, and the horse fell, throwing him. He was hurt badly, but no bones broken, and he is getting along o. k.

The Primrose school closed Friday with a splendid intertainment, and the pupils did themselves proud, and the program was enjoyed by a large crowd from the surrounding country. A lunch was served by the ladies and all who attended said it was no war time dinner, either, for our country housewives have so many varieties of home canned fruits and vegetables, you would have thought it good old summer time. All enjoyed it immensely especially, the splendid talk by Prof. Haynes, Judge Copeland and Geo. Carter. They gave the rural school fine praise, but mere words are inadequate to express our gratitude to Prof. E. R. and Mrs. Haynes for what they have done for our school. Their work will live long after them, and the expressed wish of both pupil and parent, is that we may have them again next term.

Well, editor, about that light steel; perhaps I got that second hand. What's the odds whether it is heavy or light steel, so we get the railroad. As to the junction, it came straight from headquarters, but all scoofers and doubting Thomases don't have to believe it unless they want to. All they will have to do is wait and see. I failed to see the point where you spoke of all the other towns, as I never mentioned any of them in any of my letters. They seem to be pretty well boosted by their editors. To be sure they are on the map; also the new town near here will be on the map, too. This town-site has the Santa Fe railroad behind it, and who will have it plotted for the town lot sale. It is no railroad or individual person boom sale, either and it is going to be a railroad junction too. So editor, boost and boom Brownfield, but don't knock on little Primrose and Cricket. (We don't believe there is a reader of the Herald that can say we have not been fair and impartial towards other communities of this and other counties. In fact, we have repeatedly asked our correspondents to boost their towns, schools, churches and communities, and Cricket ought to know if we did not want her town boosted in the Herald it would be an easy matter to stop it, but Primrose is on the South Plains, and we are for the South Plains, first, last, and all the time, and we want her to boost it through the Herald, every week. But we were only giving her a little about being so visionary, and at the same time paid a high compliment to that part of the country and the future of

## Furniture Furniture

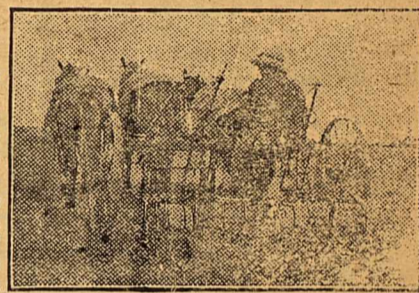
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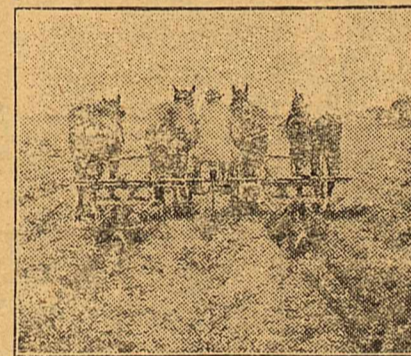
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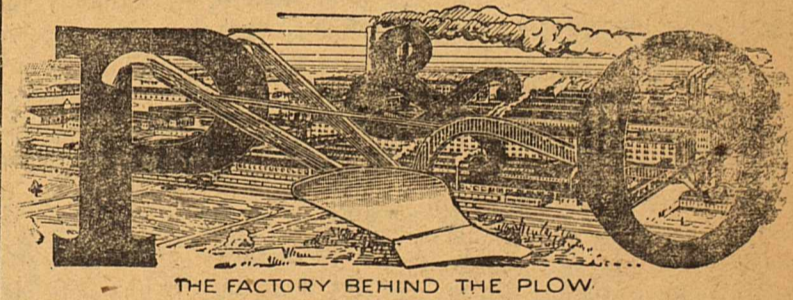


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THE FACTORY BEHIND THE PLOW

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her town. In this day of rapid development, railroad maps and plans like other maps and plans are changed over night, partly to serve the country that produces the largest tonnage, and partly to keep out other roads. Now as only one railroad survey has been made through Primrose, talk of another road now is visionary, to say the least, and as we stated above, there are several things that can change their plans, it is safest not to count the chickens before the eggs hatch, especially where an incubator is being used. Come to Terry and Hockley.—Ed.)

CORN for sale, raised in 1915. See or phone Albert Crews, Gomez, Texas.

ALL the latest Magazines and Periodicals at the City Drug Store.

I will preach here Sunday and Sunday night, at the Methodist Church. Public cordially invited to these services. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. J. M. Fryar, Pastor.

SEE Graves & McGowan for long time farm and ranch loans at 8 per cent.

A. P. Moore, of Gomez, the general merchandise man of the town, was here Tuesday, attending the good roads meeting. He was accompanied by S. H. Key.

WHY not have your house painted this spring. Try Brooks & Green.



# WHERE DO YOU BUY DRY GOODS?

Do you buy as you go? If so, remember we are in position to interest you, and you are in a position to interest us, so let us Get together. We have a large and new assortment of the most dependable lines of Dry Goods. Our purchases were heavy before the great advance came on and are still in position to save you money by giving you the benefit of our early purchases which means quite a saving to you.

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### Gomez

By West Wind

Several light showers of rain have fallen in the past week and crops already planted are coming up, and many farmers are now planting, but the real season that we always have in the spring has not come yet.

School closed last week with an interesting program on Thursday and Friday night quite a large crowd attended and the rain on Friday night did not seem to mar the pleasure of any one. So closes one of the most successful terms ever taught here. Prof. Bishop and Miss Sarah Hudson have accepted their positions for another term, Miss Mary Harrison and Miss Ida Stanford have not given a definite answer to the offer. Prof. Bishop is teaching the seventh grade and some pupils who wish to take the next State Examination.

Rev. Loftin preached here at the School house last Sunday. Quite a large crowd was out.

Huston Shepherd came home from Wayland College at Plainview, last Thursday, in order to attend the school closing; he returned to his school on Monday.

Messers Journegan and Johnson went to Nolan county, last week, prospecting. Mr. Johnson came in home Saturday but Mr. Journegan went on to Childress county, and will be in sometime this week.

Will McPhal spent Monday in town and his brother was on our streets Tuesday.

Robert Holgate sold a bunch of fat cattle to the butchers of Lubbock last week.

This Wed. morning, the workmen are beginning to move Simon Holgates dwelling to Brownfield, and Gomez loses one of the best families we have ever had. It is useless to say that we all regret to see them go.

Messers Robert and Joe Griffith and Ben Whitley, accompanied by their wives, left last week for an extensive trip over New Mexico.

Geo Snodgrass and family came in last week from a visit to Mrs. Snodgrass' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ware, near Lovington N. M. Also Will Snodgrass and family at Roswell, and

a trip of seven days out in the western part of New Mexico.

A long and interesting letter from Mrs. Will Snodgrass at Roswell, tells that they are well and have recently accompanied Messers H. L. and Ennis Ware and Geo. Snodgrass and their families on their trip to the Magdalena Mountains, in western N. M. She also tells of a visit from Rev. A. D. Jamison, our former pastor. His many friends here will learn with regret that owing to a very severe spell of pneumonia, he is not able to preach now, and is traveling and collecting for the church.

Clyde Harris moved his family over from Brownfield, last week. Welcome.

Three of W. W. Spears children have been quite seriously sick since last Tuesday night. They were affected like ptomaine poison, but so far as their parents knew, they had not eaten anything to cause it. They are yet quite sick.

Dr. Summit left Tuesday for Sipe Springs, Comanche Co. to visit his daughter there.

Ross Renfro, left Monday for Matador, where he will receive part of a bunch of 1000 yearlings which he recently purchased.

Miss Marry Harrison accompanied Mr. Renfro to Lubbock Monday, enroute to her home at Plainview.

Quite a large crowd of the young folks here went out to Mr. Bert Shepherd's last Sunday night. They report a large crowd and a splendid time.

Miss Vera Moore entertained all the juvenile population of town last Saturday night with a party in honor of her birthday. We have not heard from it, but we don't live but 14 of a mile from Mr. Moore's and from the shouts of merry laughter such as only youth and happiness can give, that lasted until wee small hours we should vote that party a perfect jewel of happiness.

A large crowd went from here out to R. W. Rambo's last Sunday to a singing.

Quite a crowd gathered at J. T. Weeks' last Sunday night and had a real good singing.

On next Sunday afternoon those interested in singing are requested to meet at the M. E. church to organize a class.

Mr. Sam Howell a railroad contractor, and Mr. Wyatt of Semi-

nole, took dinner here Tuesday enroute to Lubbock.

T. F. Whisenant and family, were here Wednesday, also went to Brownfield.

Mr. Blackenship came in last Sat. from Stanton. He will move his family here as soon as he can get a house to move into.

NOTICE. This is to warn all trespassers not to bring their herds through my pasture. Those found violating this warning, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. W. B. Snodgrass.

Rev. J. M. Frayer attended the Pastors Conference at Lamesa, this week. This is for the Big Springs District, of the M. E. Church, South.

WATCHES: Largest assortment, greatest value, best prices; 61 to select from. \$1.25 to \$34.50. Come and see. J. L. Randal.

### "A SPLENDID TONIC"

Says Hixson Lady Who, On Doctor's Advice, Took Cardui And Is Now Well.

Hixson, Tenn.—"About 10 years ago I was..." says Mrs. J. B. Gadd, of this place. "I suffered with a pain in my left side, could not sleep at night with this pain, always in the left side..."

My doctor told me to use Cardui. I took one bottle, which helped me and after my baby came, I was stronger and better, but the pain was still there.

I at first let it go, but began to get weak and in a run-down condition, so I decided to try some more Cardui, which I did.

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