

# The Terry County Herald

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BROWNFIELD, TERRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY APRIL 19, 1918

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**BROWNFIELD MERCANTILE**

### LOSES FATHER

Mrs. C. S. Cardwell has just returned from from Byers, Texas where she attended the funeral of her father, J. W. Herrin, of that place.

Grandpa Herrin, as he was familiarly called, was 77 years old; was born in Ala. and came to Texas in 1856. He served the Confederacy during the Civil War, in the Third Texas Cavalry, and was married to Miss Marth Ellen Smith in 1865. To this union nine children were born; six sons and three daughters, five of whom are living and attended the funeral.

The Byers Herald says: "He was a faithful and consecrated member of the Baptist church and lived a life worthy of examination and emulation."

The Herald deeply sympathizes with Mrs. Cardwell in her bereavement.

### JURY LIST.

The following is a list of the Grand and Petit Jurors called for the April term of District Court. All are called for Monday April 29th.

#### GRAND JURY

Jack Bryan, Chas. Hubby, Geo Black Jr., M. W. Ellington, J. W. French, Noah Bell, J. W. Ward, Clyde Alexander, Brit Clare, Edwin Groves, R. H. Banowsky, Ross Renfro, Robt. Holgate, E. W. McGee, I. E. Crump, O. F. Boyd.

#### PETIT JURY

R. A. Snodgrass, A. M. McBurnett, J. W. Settles, Will Fletcher, J. W. Moore, S. F. Lane B. W. Hurst, C. F. Rickles, A. R. Brownfield, B. Tidwell, Jim Bowman, A. M. Crews, R. W. Glover, J. I. Corning, R. V. Ater J. E. Hill, M. A. Smith, W. A. Swink, B. W. Stinson, J. J. Whitley, W. E. Winn, Geo. E.

Tiernan, J. L. Barton, D. J. Stearns, W. G. Potts, J. A. Parks J. J. Head, O. E. Adams, C. F. Hamilton, W. B. Hendrick, W. E. Pool, Jno. C. Scudday, C. M. Boon, L. A. Taton, D. M. Bellew C. L. Brown.

### WIFE TO PRACTICE LAW

Austin, March 27.—Mrs Emma Boone Bledsoe, wife of representative W. E. Bledsoe, of Lubbock was today granted a license by the board of legal examiners of the third supreme judicial district to practice law in Texas.

NOTICE: Those that are in a hurry to render their tax assessments, will please see Bill Cook, at the Woolly Land Office, as I have just undergone an operation in the Lubbock Sanitarium, and will not be ready to start on my rounds for some time yet. Clint Rambo, Assessor.

### MOTHERS' CLUB

The ladies of Brownfield met at the Court house on Saturday, April 13th, and reorganized the Woman's Club, enrolled 23 members. Judge Price, R. H. Banowsky and Prof. Phodes made some very interesting and encouraging talks. We cordially invite every woman or patron of the school to join this club.

Everyone seems very enthusiastic in this matter, and are going to do something for the uplifting and building up of our town and school.

They will meet every other Friday at the Courthouse.

Reporter

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

Verge Hargett and a jitney of other Seagraves motored up to our burg on business, Wed.

### THE DUCEK CASE INVESTIGATED

J. E. Benard of the department of justice, came in from Ft. Worth on Tuesday and investigated thoroughly the Martin Baking Co's. establishment, even going into all the private papers of Mr. Dusek and of this most searching investigation liberated Mr. Ducek the statement to your Reporter that he found nothing wrong. He says that beet sugar often forms in hard particles and refuses to dissolve and resembles glass and crushes very much like it.

The department has been called to make similar investigation with like findings.

We are glad to make this favorable report of the Martain Baking Co's. business. We have always believed Mr. Dusek true to our country and we were never conceived that he was guilty in any sense. Let us be just to all men.—Lamesa Reporter.

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### CITATION

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon the Ohio Valley Buggy Company, a corporation and the unknown stock-holders of the Ohio Valley Buggy Co. a defunct corporation by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 72nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 72nd Judicial District, to appear to at the next regular term of the district court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Brownfield, on the fifth Monday in April A. D. 1918, the same being the 29th day of April A. D. 1918, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of February A. D. 1918 in a suit, numbered on docket of said Court wherein R. G. Wood is Plaintiff, and the Ohio Valley Buggy Company, a corporation, and the unknown stockholders of the Ohio Valley Buggy Company, defunct corporation, are Defendants, and said petition alleging, that heretofore to wit, on the 1st day of January 1918, the plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lot, tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the county of Terry and the State of Texas, known as all of the S.E. one fourth of Survey No. 89, in Block No. 4x, Cert. No. 194 issued to the P. S. E. Ry Co, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, and that the defendants unlawfully entered said premises and ejected plaintiff there from and unlawfully withholds from him the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of one thousand dollars, and plaintiff prays for title and possession of the said land and premises and for general and special relief.

Plaintiff alleges specially that he and those under whom he claims has had and held said land and premises using and enjoying the same for more than ten years before the defendants cause of action accrued, if any they have, and for more than ten years before the filing of this suit, and that he has title to said land and premises by virtue of the ten years statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff also alleges specially that on the 27th day of August 1909, one Felix R. Jones, made executed and delivered to C. M. McKenzie a certain deed of trust against the above described land and premises as a trustee for the defendants, and for the purpose of securing the payment of twelve notes executed by Felix R. Jones and payable to the order of the Ohio Valley Buggy Co., and aggregating the sum of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Eight Dollars, one fourth of said notes maturing on January 1st, 1910, one fourth of notes maturing February 1st, 1910, one fourth of notes maturing March 1st, 1910, and one fourth of notes maturing April 1st, 1910.

That each and all of said notes have been paid, but that the defendants failed to execute a proper release of the lien against said land created by said deed of trust, or that said release was lost and never placed of record.

That if plaintiff be mistaken as to the payment of said notes, then in the alternative he alleges that said notes are all long since barred by the statute of limitation, that the lien created by said deed of trust is also barred by the statute of limitation; but that said notes and said deed of trust creates a cloud against the title to said land and premises and he prays that said cloud be removed and his title quieted etc.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness J. C. Green, Clerk of the District Court of Terry County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at the office in Brownfield on this 28th day of February A. D. 1918.

J. C. GREEN,  
Clerk District Court, Terry County.

### DIVISION PUBLICITY OFFICE

90th Division, U. S. N. A.  
Camp Travis, Texas.

April 13, 1918.

"There has been no ground glass found in the food served to Camp Travis soldiers. No Mennonite are under arrest at Camp Travis on charge of disloyalty." This is the statement of Major General Henry T. Allen, Commanding the Ninetieth Division at Camp Travis.

General Allen emphatically denies the rumors to the effect that many soldiers and their families have become ill as a result of eating food in which ground glass has been added presumably by alien enemies. Rumor had been current of the action of aliens in placing ground glass in food of all sections of the United States, but direct charges alleging detection of such work at Camp Travis had never been made until recently when an officer formerly connected with the camp military police given authority.

Every instance reported to the Ninetieth Division Headquarters has been thoroughly investigated. Every report was carefully traced down, but absolutely no grounds were found to warrant belief that ground glass had been placed in foods, nor has there been any case of illness that could be attributed to such a cause.

Parents of the thousands of soldiers at Camp Travis have been misled in believing that the soldiers were being fed on food that contained ground glass. As a result numerous letters and telegrams have been received asking confirmation of rumors. In order to put at ease the minds of all persons interested in men at Camp Travis, General Allen has issued a flat denial of any of

the statements made either as to ground glass or the detention of Mennonite preachers within the Camp on grounds of disloyalty. The officer responsible for the rumors is now in the hospital. He is suffering with a nervous break down.

FROM HOMER WINSTON

Dear Editor:

We are still at Camp Travis, but it is not our fault and are having to work harder than ever. The work varies more and more. We drive trucks one week, have sham battles the next, draw a map of the whole country the next. If we stay here a few more months we will know every rat hole in ten miles of camp.

When it comes to schools we have them of every description. It looks like Uncle Sam wants every buck private in the Quartermaster's Corps to know as much as a First Lieutenant in most armies of the world.

Talk about rain we had it here last Friday, about three inches fell in four hrs. Every thing is green and looks a great deal better than it did last September. Camp Travis is going to blossom into a flower garden for every company has one. Some are raising vegetables.

We are getting to where a little 12 or 15 mile hike in the morning doesn't hurt us a particle. If the Huns don't get us we will be tough as whit-leather when the war is over. It is just like going to an athletic school. We used to hear people say, "Do your bit" but now they say, "Do your utmost", and we are trying to obey orders.

Yours truly,  
H. R. Winston,  
Co. B—315th Supply Train

D. T. Cates, of Yoakum county was here this week after supplies

Mrs. R. H. Banowsky is visiting her father at Ralls, this week

Doggie Paterson and family of Seagraves, were here Monday, shopping with our merchants.



## Wait-Think-Reason

When you go to buy your Oils and Gasolene, do you stop to think what the Magnolia Petroleum Co., has done for Brownfield and Terry County? They have spent near \$12000 in your town and Count in erecting tanks and warehouses for your convenience, and to enable them to keep the stuff on hand so you can get it any old time you want it. They charge no more for their stuff; They have just as good and better stuff as anywhere you go. Where should you trade? Stop and think for just a moment, and then drive or phone to Magnolia Petroleum Co., I am always there.

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## BIRTHS IN AUSTRIA DECREASE BY HALF

The following statistics dealing with the effect of the war on the birth rate in Hungary were read to the Hungarian Chamber of Deputies:

"Before the war 765,000 children a year were born in Hungary. In the first year of the war, 1914 the number of births was reduced by 18,000; in 1914 only 481,000 were born—that is, 284,000 less than in time of peace. In 1916 the number of births was 333,000 a reduction of 432,000. In 1917 the births amounted to 327,000 that is the reduction was 438,000. Therefore our losses (in Hungary alone) behind the front reach the number of 1,172,866 individuals.

"Whereas in the time of peace infant mortality, reach for a period of seven years, was 34 per cent, in 1915 the proportion was increased to 48 per cent and in 1916 to 50 per cent."

## TANNING HIDES

In tanning hides for lace leather or buck skin, M. W. Coll, Sheep Specialist, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas advises the following: To take the hair off, use sufficient water to cover the hide, add lime until the water feels slick to the fingers. Two days or less soaking will loosen the hair sufficiently to be scraped off. Scrape the hide clean and flesh both sides. Rinse in fresh water, then soak about two days in one gallon of brand boiled and fermented with water sufficient to cover hide. Clean and rinse hide, then tan as follows: Take the liquor drawn from three pounds of scalded bran, one gallon of soft water, one pound alum, one fourth pound of salt, three tablespoon borax. Make a solution in the above proportion sufficient to cover the hide. For light hides tan for two weeks and for heavy hides hides tan for four weeks. After tanning rene the hide and drain. While still damp give the hide all the neat's foot oil that will stay on then work it, as it dries, to shape and soften. In case the hide has not been salted previous to the time of the time of taking off the hair, etc., the amount of salt used in the tanning should be doubled. Should this leather or buck skin get too dry and stiff, dampen again and roll and pack in a box or barrel for a few days to season. It may be that a small amount of oil should be added when dampened.

WE have the coal, what is coal. No smoot; no clinkers, at Stinson Coal & Grain Co.

We had a long communication from Judge Geo. W. Neill, who is now one of the new Rockfells around Cisco. Too late for this week's paper, however.

G. M. McDowell has moved back to Brownfield from Seagraves, and is driving nails here again.

The Federal Land Bank at Houston, is asking all those who have borrowed money of them, is asking them to invest at least a thousand dollars in the Third Liberty Loan.

For Sale: Full blood Jersey cow just fresh, at a reasonable price. J. C. Dooley, 2 miles south, Harris, Texas.

Uncle Mose Dumas left last week for Canyon, to attend the bedside of his daughter Miss Nancy who has pneumonia. She

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Walter Gracey, Brownfield Texas.

is attending the Canyon Normal College.

Jessie Hamilton and family are here this week, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Jno. S. Powell.

O. T. Halley, cashier of the Brownfield State Bank, is in Dallas this week, attending the State Red Cross Meeting, as a delegate from the Brownfield Chapter. The Red Cross is fixing to put on another big drive for funds.

Russell and Frank Jones are down from Lubbock this week visiting old friends—etc.

BILLS OF SALE. Blank bills of sale at the Herald office at 35c per 100.

Dock Powell and Uncle Horace Adams had business in Gomez, Wed. afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauderback, who work on the Slaughter ranch 25 miles northeast of here in Cochran county, were in this week, and Mrs. Lauderback got her \$22.50 boots at the H. P. Martin & Son shoe shop. Mrs. Lauderback makes a regular hand on this big ranch, and for convenience in mounting and fixing fence wears mens apparel all the time including a big white cowboy hat.

Elder Liff Sanders, of Lubbock, will be here again Sunday to continue his discourse on the prophesy of the Revelations that has been so much enjoyed by all who have heard preceding ones.



# The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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Despite dry weather, the hammer and saw, the concrete machine and the trowel are going right on in Brownfield. But it will rain here some day, as of old, and you talk about a city over night and you speak of Brownfield.

Jim Ferguson is shelling the woods in east Texas, in his own political behalf as governor of Texas, and Gov. Hobby will not himself, nor will he allow any of his friends to make a talk for him until after the Third Liberty Loan drive. Now you have the spirit of both men as plain as the nose on your face. Which will you have?

On account of the extended drouth, Terry county will not make much of a showing in the Third Liberty Loan drive, but it will go every penny possible. No crop last year, and no prospects for one yet this year will cut a big hole in the amount raised—but they hate the Kaiser, and are eating their corn bread cheerfully.

Dry weather and war is the general topic of conversation of our human population, but the American hen is going right on with her business as if nothing unusual was happening, and pretty soon all the farm yards and all the back town lots of old Terry will be filled with the broods. Latter the showers will come, and the ripe kaffir and maize and corn will feed these large flocks.

A. G. Barkosky on Saturday was arrested at his home south of Lamesa by Sheriff Russell on the charge of disloyalty to this country. We do not know how evidence under oath will run, but he is charged with driving his daughter away from home for corresponding with a U. S. soldier boy and using abusive language concerning the government. Now if these charges are true he will be better acquainted with Uncle Sam than ever to monkey with him again. His property ought to be sold and used to buy bullets to shoot his kind with, some where on the Western front. It wont do, America is no place for ingrate and devils incarnate. Any man who comes to America and does not respect this country enough to take out naturalization papers deserves to be run out of it on general principles. —Lamesa Reporter.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 27th, 1918.

For District Attorney  
Gordon B. McGuire  
Of Dawson County  
Lloyd A. Wicks  
Of Crosby County

For County Judge  
W. W. Price  
Joe J. McGowan

For County and District Clerk  
J. C. Green

For Sheriff and Tax-Collector  
J. N. Lewis  
Gus Randolph  
W. L. Barclay

For Tax-Assessor  
C. R. Rambo

For County Treasurer  
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**THAT LETTER TO CHRIST**

The Banner has had about the 25th opportunity to publish that letter written by Christ. If our refusals result in the promised ill luck we have got a bunch ahead of us. But really, the whole thing is one of the most magnificent fakes ever perpetrated on a supposedly intelligent people. This statement is made for the benefit of any of our readers who may have been disturbed by the baleful threats held out by this letter.—Seymour Banner

A good cure for this is ten cents per line. When the next fellow comes in and insists upon you publishing this letter which is about a column and a half or two columns long, according to the type used, shoot the ten cent per line dope to him and you will note immediately that his taste for publishing same will at once leave him, and you will not be bothered with such any more. Only one out of a possible dozen has been game, and run the letter at his own expence.—Lubbock Avalanche.

The Herald has been offered this old fake lots of times for publication, gratis, but last spring we were offered a ten dollar bill by a man to print it just to please his wife—he wasnt superstitious himself, you know—but we refused, and if every editor would refuse, and honestly give their reasons, this old hoax would soon play out. For instance if the Herald or Avalanche, or any other paper prints it some other person with more superstition than reason, clips it and sends it to some one else that is more superstitious, and the rabbit foot is forever dangling over that person, till they get it published.

The first time we saw this old letter, three or four sticks of type would finish it, but publishers without conscience have added to it until it takes lots of money for the poor trampling souls to get it published now. Talk about our forefathers burning witches, but this fraud on Jesus Christ is no better.

Contractor Warnock is building a two room residence in the east part of town for Arthur May, this week.

Don't forget our monthly Red Cross Rally at the Christian Church on the first Sunday of each month at 2 p. m. Everyone cordially invited.

We understand that Will Math is has sold the Queen Theatre to a Mr. Roberts, of the west side of the county. We did not learn what Mr. Roberts intentions are.

Will Alf Bell, county chairman of the War Saving Stamp sales has asked all the business men of Brownfield to use part of their advertising space in the Herald to help push the sales.

**W. W. PRICE**

Abstracter of Land Titles, of Terry County, Texas  
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Brownfield Texas

Condensed Statement at the Close of Business March 4, 1918

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and Discounts	\$224,614.58	Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Interest Bank Guaranty Fund	2,142.51	Surplus and Profits	24,404.48
Real Estate, Banking House and Fixtures	7,866.40	Bills Payable	None
Liberty Bonds and War Saving Stamps	1,449.50	DEPOSITS	256,952.03
CASH AND EXCH.	70,283.52		
Total	308,359.51	Total	308,359.51

I certify that the above Statement is correct

GUARANTY FUND BANK O. T. HALLEY, Cashier

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THURSDAY, APRIL 25

8:00 p. m. Sermon W. M. Pearce.  
FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 26  
9:00 Devotional W. E. Lyon.  
9:20 Reorganization and appointment of Committees.  
9:40 Conference on Revivals. The Soul Winning Church, the Need of the Hour. S. L. Culwell, W. C. Hart.  
10:10 Reports of Local Preachers and Renewal of License.  
11:00 Sermon followed by Communion Services.

### FRIDAY AFTERNOON

2:00 Devotional D. C. Ross  
2:20 The fundamental Elements in Education O. B. Annis, C. F. Carmack.  
2:50 The Witness to Christ (Wilson) W. M. Pearce.  
3:15 Reports of Pastors.  
4:00 Our Literature C. C. Tyler, L. Jackson.  
4:00 Conference on Sunday School:  
Elementary Division  
Intermediate Division: How to interest and Hold the Boys and Girls in Sunday School H. L. Hughes.  
5:00 Adjournment.

### FRIDAY EVENING

8:30 Sermon.

### SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 27

9:00 Devotional C. A. Duncan.  
9:20 A Call to Preach, What are We Doing to Discover those Inclined Among us R. F. Dunn.  
9:40 Man and His Money J. T. Hicks.  
10:10 Conference on Laymen's Movement. How Can I Best Promote the Interest of the Kingdom? R. N. Thomas, W. C. Rylander, E. B. Bowen.  
11:00 Sermon.

### SATURDAY AFTERNOON

2:00 Devotional Jesse Townsend  
2:20 Conference on Sunday School, Cont. Teacher Training T. C. Willett.  
The Organized Class A. V. Hendrix  
2:50 The Women's Work Mrs. E. B. Bowen.  
3:10 Business Session.  
(a) Election of Delegates to Conference.  
(b) Reports of Committees.  
(c) Appointment of License Committees.  
(d) Selection of Place for Next Meeting.  
(e) Miscellaneous.

### SATURDAY EVENING

8:30 Sermon, The Missionary Centenary J. T. Hicks.

### SUNDAY, APRIL 28

10:00 Lovefeast S. B. Cox.  
11:00 Sermon.

### AFTERNOON

3:00 League Rally H. L. Hughes, A. V. Hendrix.

### EVENING

8:00 Sermon.

There are seventeen regular local pastors in the district, Lubbock, Post and Lamesa each having two and the others one each as follows: Lubbock, Littlefield, Crosbyton, Ralls, Slaton, Wilson, Post, Tahoka, Lamesa, Andrews, Seminole, Gail, O'Donnell, and Brownfield.

Every body cordially invited to attend. All visitors will be taken care of.

T. R. Prideaux, local manager of the McAdams Lumber Co., at this place, returned Monday from a trip to Central Texas. He first went to Waco, to accompany his mother home, who has been visiting him for some time, also attended the State Lumbermen's Convention at Dallas. He reports that the McAdams people had a convention to themselves

also, at which there were nearly twenty local managers.

W. D. Winn informed us this week that Clint Rambo, our Tax Assessor, who has just undergone an operation at the Lubbock Sanitarium, is improving some.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Golston, on the 17th inst, twins, a boy and a girl.



We have been requested to announce that the Presbyterian congregation will hold communion services Sunday. All are invited to attend.

District Court has been grinding at Plains this week, and P. Spencer, who returned from there yesterday reported several cases tried and two felony bills returned by the Grand Jury. Court will convene here on Monday, April 29th.

Will Earnest, of Plains, had us print him 500 candidate cards this week. He is in the race for tax assessor of Yoakum county.

J. W. Nowlin, the contractor of the new State Bank building, had his name added to our growing list, this week.

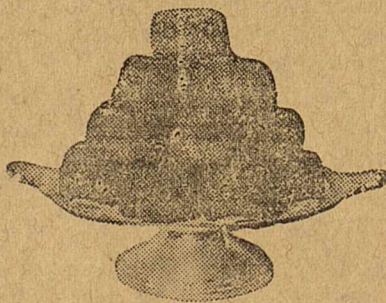
G. B. Alderson, of Seagraves was up this week, and had his name added to the Blythe list. Mr. Alderson is one of the old timers who is not thinking of running from the drought.

The rain of last Monday week amounted to 25 100 and the one Thursday night 10 100, making a third of an inch last week. The ground is so dry however, that small showers like these do little good.

Two big train loads of cattle were shipped out of here and Seagraves, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aut. Graham and Miss Nettie Sawyer, left this week for Rochester, Minn., where Aut. will under an operation.

## DELICIOUS CORN MUFFINS.



Here's an old fashioned recipe for corn muffins that has recently been revived and used with unusual success in several of the larger New York hotels: To make three and a half dozen muffins take one quart milk, six ounces butter substitute, twelve ounces of light syrup or honey, four eggs, pinch of salt, two ounces baking powder, one and a half pounds cornmeal and one and a half pounds rye flour. The butter and syrup should be thoroughly mixed; then add the eggs gradually. Pour in the milk and add the rye flour mixed with cornmeal and baking powder.

Try It and See.

A fine question has been raised by lawyers in New Orleans as to whether a snapping turtle can snap. They could soon find out by getting within reaching distance of one.

## Windmilling

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### PROMINENT BAPTIST MINISTER FOR HOBBY

Houston, Tex., April 8, 1918  
Hon., Walter J. Crawford, Chairman, Executive Committee Hobby Campaign, Houston, Texas.

Dear Mr. Crawford:

It gives me pleasure to say that I heartily endorse the candidacy of Governor Hobby. I am very much gratified in every way with his administration and desire, further, to state that I shall be glad to further cooperate with you in any and every way possible to promote his candidacy. As a matter of fact, I feel that we now have about the biggest man in the Governor's chair since the days of Hogg and Culberson.

Governor Hobby has shown himself to be a "Man among men" at the crucial moment. He has found that liquor and soldiers are not a combination and has, in cooperation with the National Government, enacted the most far reaching and beneficent measures toward winning the war, the protection of our boys at the front,—as well as our citizens at home,—regardless of personal fortune, and despite the opposition and chances of losing thousands of votes. This has been accomplished by the most prompt and harmonious action on record on the part of the legislature, which in its self affords the highest tribute to Governor Hobby's administration ability. When a public official is willing to lay aside his personal views to aid the majority of the people to get what they want, it stamps him as a statesman of the highest type,—worthy of their deepest consideration and confidence. What more could be asked than this? He dared to do right and will have the support of every voter who has the love of his country at heart; every man who loves his fellow man; every man who would help them to rise to better things.

I too feel that our patriotic friends, Looney and Mae field, are to be complimented upon their withdrawal from the gubernatorial race to the end that Governor Hobby be given the greatest opportunity to render that service and duty which Texas owes to the National Government in the winning of this deplorable war. I am very positive in the belief that it is just as much the patriotic duty of every loyal Texas democrat (Pro or Anti) to promote Governor Hobby's claims to the office of Governor as it is for these same people, from the same patriotic standpoint, to back up President Wilson in the policies which have been outlined from Washington. Feeling that way I can see no reason in the world why our people should not give Governor Hobby a unanimous vote.

R. E. Burt.

R. M. Kendrick, of Plains, cashier of the First State Bank, of that city, and the Vice President of the First National Bank of Brownfield, was over the latter part of last week, and informed us that their charter had been approved, and they would probably open here with temporary quarters in the next 40 or 60 days.

Claud Criswell and wife, of Yoakum, were here Saturday shopping.

John Scudday made a trip to Hereford this week, looking for grass.

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The yard that saves and satisfies

Raymond Barrier spent over Sunday with his father, at Lubbock.

LOST a ladies brown coat, trimmed in black plush, day of county school meet. Finder will please return same to Herald office and oblige owner.

### BROWNFIELD PEOPLE SHOULD EAT PIE DAILY

Pie is wholesome, combining both fruit and grain. Those who have trouble digesting pie should take ONE SPOONFUL simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka. This flushes the ENTIRE bowel tract, removes foul matter which poisoned your stomach for months and relieves ANY CASE sour stomach, gas or constipation and prevents appendicitis. Leaves stomach in condition to digest ANYTHING.

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



BROWNFIELD LODGE NO. 530 I. O. O. F.  
J. R. Lindley, N. G.  
J. C. Green, 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. A. J. Stricklin, N. G.  
Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.



BROWNFIELD CAMP NO. 1989  
Boyce Cardwell, C. C.

J. C. Green, Clerk  
Meets every Wednesday night in the Odd Fellows Hall. All visiting Sovereigns are invited to attend.



# Something To Eat

Is what the Housewife has to think about 3 times a day, 21 times a week and 84 times every month. You may lighten this burden of worry by ringing F-o-u-r-T-w-o, where you will find at all times, a complete stock of the freshest line of up-to-date eats. We are anxious to serve you, and ask you to investigate our Prices and compare Quality

## M. A. SMITH

"The Grocery Man"

BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

### GOMEZ DOTS

By West Wind.

Mr. Smoot moved from the Henry Ward farm 1 1/2 mile east of Gomez, to the J. C. Lewis farm 2 1/2 miles east last week and Mr. Basham, from Brownfield moved to the Ward place.

Tom Glover moved in town last Friday from the place where he has been teaching school, north east of Brownfield. He occupies the R. W. Glover house north east of the square. Welcome home.

Mr. Duncan who has been working at Seagraves for several months, is here this week visiting his sister Mrs. Roberts. The last part of this week he will return to his home in Throckmorton county.

The Gomez young people went out to Mr. Randolph's 4 miles south of town last Sunday night to a singing and musical intertainment, all who went report a pleasant time.

### MARRIED

On last Monday at Brownfield Rev. Bowen spoke the solemn words that united the lives of Mr. Andy Lee and Miss Myrtle Whisenant.

Mr. Lee is a Terry county soldier, home on a 10 days furlough an industrious, honorable man in every sense of the word. And Miss Myrtle is one of Terry county's most charming young ladies lovely in desposition and features. They both are residents of south Terry. A host of friends join in wishing them a life of happiness and may a kind fate grant Mr. Lee a safe return from the battle front in France.

We reported the peach crop all killed, at the time the trees bloomed, but we are glad to say we growled to soon, there is yet a pretty fair crop of peaches on the trees, the cherries also are not killed as the apples and grapes have not bloomed yet we hope to have fruit in Terry this year.

### MEADOW

FARMER

Tark Lindsey has moved to the old Bradshaw farm and will do black smithing at his home for the public.

Miss Annie Beal's birthday party at her brother's last Sat. night was well attended and en-

joyed. We trust that Miss Beal will never have another birth day, but it will be Mrs. ———.

Noah Bell's family visited at John Ramers Sunday.

Mr. Kiker has the contract for grubbing the new road to Brownfield.

In the new Meadow school district went to the poles Sat. and did the right thing by voting a 50 ct. special tax. Every vote was for the tax.

The Meadow school will close next week with the last entertainment on Thursday night the 25. Lakeview has their closing on Friday the 26th.

### MEADOW PROGRAM

Address, Todays Education J. T. Stricklin.

Reading Gracie Longly  
Select Reading Jessie Brown  
Instrumental Music

Reading Ruby Longly  
Reading Frank Brown  
Chinese School Several  
Violin and Guitar

Reading J. M. Brown  
Reading Bud Copeland  
Song Little Jonie Rankins: Girls  
Guitar Duet

Select Reading Rena Stricklin  
Impromptu Glen Stricklin  
Reading Tom Collins

Instrumental Music  
Impromptu Gertrude Brown  
Questions and ans. Rena and  
Bud.

Song School  
Music

Reading Dessie Stricklin  
Impromptu J. T. Stricklin  
Music Hash Several

Guitar Solo  
Reading Anis Merl Stricklin  
Connundrum Floyd Copeland  
Quartett Stricklins

Music  
Reading Bessie Longly  
Dual Reading Tom and Glenn  
Reading Rena Stricklin

Song Oh! Johnny  
Journey Gertrude Brown  
Impromptu Dessie Stricklin  
Journal Teacher

Song by School

A state school man, Pro. Cunningham, was through here yesterday, and let Brownfield school have \$500, which will be sufficient to continue our school the full nine months. On account of paying off our old outstanding bonds, our funds run short. Gomez also got extra funds for continuation.

FOR the famous American Black Coal, see Stinson Coal and Grain Co.

Mrs. Clent Rambo is out assuming taxes this week. Her father W. D. Winn, is driving the car for her.

FOR SALE: A mated colored Jack about 10 years old, 14 1/2 hands high, good breeder. If interested, see R. W. Glover, Gomez, Texas.

R. G. Wood, one of our prominent stockmen of the Meadow country, was here this week and paid the Herald a short call. The Editor was out, but Mr. Woods left his dollar-fifty to keep the Herald going.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas—County of Terry: Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain writ of execution issued out of the honorable County Court, of Terry County, on the 26th day March, 1918, by J. C. Green, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of \$75.00 and cost of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. E. Elmore vs. J. L. Denison, and placed in my hand for service, I, J. N. Lewis, as Sheriff of Terry County, Texas, did on the 26th day of March, 1918, levy on certain real estate, situated in Terry county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

The south one-half of the west 200 acres of Section 19, Block T. Cert. No. 10, D. & W. Ry. Co. The same being 100 acres of land, the property of J. L. Denison.

And levied upon as the property of J. L. Denison, and that on the first Tuesday in May, 1918, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court house door of Terry county, in the town of Brownfield, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said judgment, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. L. Denison.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice of publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper published in Terry County

Witness my hand, this 26th day March, 1918.  
J. N. LEWIS  
Sheriff Terry County, Texas

### GLAD TO TESTIFY

Says Watoga Lady, "As To What Cardui Has Done For Me, So As To Help Others."

Watoga, W. Va.—Mrs. S. W. Gladwell, of this town, says: "When about 15 years of age, I suffered greatly . . . Sometimes would go a month or two, and I had terrible headache, backache, and bearing-down pains, and would just drag and had no appetite. Then . . . it would last . . . two weeks, and was so weakening, and my health was awful.

My mother bought me a bottle of Cardui, and I began to improve after taking the first bottle, so kept it up till I took three . . . I gained, and was well and strong, and I owe it all to Cardui.

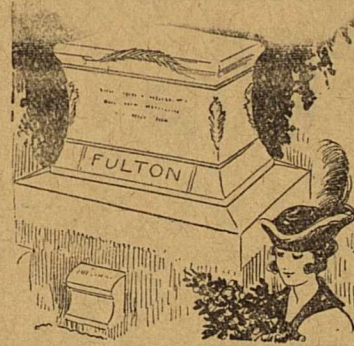
I am married now and have 3 children . . . Have never had to have a doctor for female trouble, and just resort to Cardui if I need a tonic. I am glad to testify to what it has done for me, so as to help others."

If you are nervous or weak, have headaches, backaches, or any of the other ailments so common to women, why not give Cardui a trial? Recommended by many physicians. In use over 40 years. Begin taking Cardui today. It may be the very medicine you need.

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### A VISIT TO THE CEMETERY

Will show many examples of our skill as monument builders. Among them are every sort of memorial ranging from the very simplest to the most ornate and stately. And every one bears the mark of good taste and skillful workmanship. Our book of designs will be shown to any who plan a stone for their plot.



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