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FIRST MONDAY A BIG SUCCESS FROM EVERY POINT

The element of weather was a great hindrance here Monday, for it was not only threatening to rain or snow, but was cold—yes cold—so blamed cold we believe that many of the prospective attendants on the first Monday at Brownfield were a little afraid to get away from the fire. However those who ventured out had a good time and it is estimated that there was something like 250 men here for that purpose alone. In fact it is estimated that that number were actually on the ground at the time the exhibits were on display.

And the happiest part of the whole thing is that the women have become interested in the first Monday, and promise to be here in full force next time with good displays from the garden, orchard and dairy products from their herds.

There was also great attraction for the young people and the sports in the way of a ball game on the local diamonds between the locals and the Gomez team, the latter running up so many scores on the locals that the score keeper got tired of counting. The local team can do some tall bragging but very poor playing, and need to do more practicing and less boasting.

While there were very few cattle, sheep and poultry here, owing it is thought to the inclemency of the weather, there were lots of horses but there seems to be very few colts yet, but what was on exhibit was good and enjoyable to look at. All those who came seemed to think that the day ought to be a fixture, and all agreed to come next first Monday, and to get as many more to come as possible.

As for the business men of the town, they were simply pleased, and most of them surprised at the size of the crowd, and they are all boost-

ers for the first Monday idea now, and are willing to make it a permanent thing by putting up the gaff for it each month. One merchant said that they were simply rushed to death all day and it was impossible to wait on the customers after ten in the morning. Another informed us that it was a success from every point of view beyond his most sanguine belief. But now, he is a genuine booster for the first Monday, and believes with proper advertising and a pretty day, we can have as many again folks here the first Monday in June.

Our bankers tell us that their business was such that day that they were compelled to work till ten o'clock that night to catch up with their work. In fact, all had a word of favorable comment.

The following is a list of the awards, which never took up half of the money put up, but the stock raisers promise that it will all be taken the first Monday in June:

The best year old mule and the best horse colt, both prizes to Mr. Bohannon.

Best mare, E. T. Hobbs.
Best saddle horse, (reporter forgot to get name.)
Best mule; W. M. Parks.
Best pair chickens; Jessie Turner.
Best Jersey cow; A. M. McBurnett.
Best cow any breed; A. L. Turner.
Best hen; A. L. Turner.
Best display of vegetables, Mesdames Aut Graham and S. O. Dillbeck.

Right now while you are thinking about the matter, get ready to come to Brownfield the first Monday in June, and bring something along to show, for the business men of the town are going to organize better before that day rolls around, and have all prizes specified and to cover almost every thing. Mr. A. L. Turner says he will fix a nice place under the wagon sheds at the yard for the

ought to be. ladies to display their wares like they

Decoration Day

As stated in these columns some time ago that Rev. Bryant would preach a Woodman Sermon at the Presbyterian church the first Sunday after which dinner would be served on the ground, was fittingly carried out last Sunday.

After an excellent discourse on the objects and purposes of Woodcraft and the significance of decoration day, and a number of good old hymns were rendered, a plentiful and very palatable dinner was served.

After an hour or so of recreation, headed by the uniform rank, W. O. W. a long procession marched or rode to the cemetery, where the graves of friends and loved ones were decorated with beautiful flowers, and the Woodmen with their beautiful ceremony, unveiled the monuments of Sovereigns Artie Shepherd and Roy Cardwell.

Married

Mr. W. H. Walker and Miss Fay Wooley fooled their friends a bit last Sunday, by quietly slipping away to Tahoka, where they found the qualified authorities who united them in marriage.

Miss Fay is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wooley, of this place, and has a host of warm friends and well wishers.

Mr. Walker is one of our young carpenters, who is making good at the trade.

Herald hastens to congratulate the happy young couple.

Commissioner W. D. Winn left for the north one day this week, where he will receive treatment for stomach trouble.

Public School Closes

We believe we can truthfully say without the shadow of a doubt that the most successful term of our public school was brought to a close last Friday. The reasons for our making these assertions are many, but we are only going to give one, and that one is all sufficient—we have not heard a single complaint of a single parent of a single teacher during the term, and this is something we never have been able to say before, and we know we have had many good schools before this term.

Personally, we would have been delighted to have seen every one of our teachers retained by the board, but that is impossible now for some of them have already been employed elsewhere, we understand, and the board now has a job before them to supply their places with competent teachers. We understand there are lots of people capable of teaching, but competent teachers are scarce, as the boards in many of the larger cities will testify.

There were no plays or entertainments except the graduating exercises, as we have no auditorium at present for such purposes, but we hope to have one of the best school auditoriums in west Texas, by the time the next graduating exercises roll around in Brownfield. The following is the program as rendered at the Baptist church last Friday night, and we want to commend every participant from the choir leader on down, for the whole program was as full for the whole program was as full meat:

The Star Spangled Banner—Audience.

Invocation—L. L. F. Parker.

Growth of American Literature—Minnie Lee Cardwell.

Solo—Mary Shelton.

Government Ownership of Railroads—Viola Taylor.

Contract Let For School

Building At Ropes.

Contract was let last Wednesday for the school building at Ropes, to Abe Hensley, and work will begin as soon as material is put on the ground. The building is to be erected of brick, and will cost about \$14,000. The Bowman Lumber Company of this place will furnish the material for the building.

This building is in Hockley county and is the first brick to be erected in that county, and it will be a credit to the south plains rural schools when completed.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Former Editor is Scalded to Death.

Tahoka, Texas, May 29. James Crie formerly editor of the Lynn County News, was scalded to death at Hurley, N. M. Saturday. Crie was fireman at the light plant for a large mining company and accidentally fell into a vat of boiling water while discharging his duties at the plant. He was twenty eight years old and leaves a wife and one child. The body will arrive here tomorrow for burial.

Dick Brownfield left yesterday on a business trip to Lubbock.

Solo.—Dorothy Halley.
Development of Education—Mary Hudson.

Anthem.—Choir.
Why America Entered the World War—Romie Stewart.

Effects of the World War on Education—Lorell Brownfield.

Solo—Mrs. W. H. Dallas.

Address to Graduates—Hon. W. W. Price.

Presentation of Diplomas—Rev. W. B. Hicks.

Solo—Mrs. J. B. Cardwell.

Benediction—Rev. W. B. Hicks.

CREAM MAN COMING!

We are getting new goods in by every train. Pretty Patent Colonial Pumps for only \$8.00

Every one interested in selling cream will please be here Monday June 9th at 7 o'clock. We will have an experienced cream man with us, and he, no doubt, will tell us something very interesting along this line. COME!

Barrier Brothers Dry Goods Co.

BROWNFIELD

LUBBOCK

FLOYDADA

Shelled Corn Wanted

We are in the market for quite a bit of Shelled Corn, sacked. If you have any to offer phone in for prices. We are in the market for a few sacks also.

WILLIAMS & BOWERS

Brownfield

Texas

WHAT WE SELL

We have taken charge of the Hill Hotel, and aim to so conduct it will be second to none of its class in West Texas. As most people here are already acquainted with our methods of doing business of this kind, we feel that a long spell will be unnecessary. Call and see us when hungry or in need of a good bed.

Hill Hotel

JAKE LEEDY, Manager

BROWNFIELD

THE CITY BARBER SHOP

For Haircuts, Shaves, Massages, Shampoos, Tonics and Singe. Agts., Panhandle Steam Laundry.

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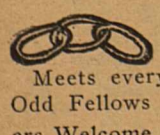
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Brownfield,

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

Meets every Friday night in the Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting Brothers Welcome.

Jno. C. Scudday Sr., N. G.
J. C. Green, Secretary



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

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

A. M. Brownfield, W. M.
J. F. Winston, Secretary



Brownfield Rebekah Lodge No. 329

Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday night of each month at the Odd Fellows' Hall at 8 p. m.

Mrs. J. N. Lewis, N. G.
Mrs. J. F. Winston, Sec'y



Brownfield Camp No. 1989

Meets every Saturday night in the Odd Fellows' Hall.

Visiting Sovereigns Welcome.
I. C. Burgess, C. C.

Boyce Cardwell, Clerk

Red Cross to Greet Returning Soldiers.

Dr. Charles M. Clark, Associate Field Director, Red Cross, at Camp Funston, has been appointed to represent the Southwestern Division, in company with representatives from the other twelve divisions, at Newport News, Va., for the purpose of greeting incoming ships bringing American soldiers back to the United States. These Division representatives are recommended by the Red Cross but will act as agents of the War Camp Community Service.

One of the city parks has been turned over to the Red Cross for the use of state representatives acting as reception committees to welcome men from the individual states. Through the center of the park has been erected a court of honor, in which the flag and court of arms of each state is raised in their appointed place. As the returned soldier passes through the court the utmost enthusiasm prevails as the men recognize their state flag and are greeted by their reception committee.

Red Cross officials are authorized to assist returned men in at once communicating with their family and friends, providing them with financial assistance and interesting recreation. Practically every returned man besieges members of his state committee for the latest news from home, and the Red Cross has placed at their disposal a bureau where newspapers from their home towns may be obtained.

Placing the Unemployed.

Incomplete returns on placements by the United States Employment Service through its 494 offices for the week show that 65,263 secured employment or 63.4 per cent placed of those applying for jobs. During the week 103,047 registered with the Service seeking aid in securing employment, 94,009 were referred and 65,263 reported back as having actually been placed.

Of those placed 13,051 were females and 52,202 were males. Of the male placements 10,792 were discharged soldiers, sailors and marines.

During the same period employers placed requisitions with the United States Employment Service for 110,446 workers.

ECZEMA!

Hunt's Salve, formerly called Hunt's Ointment, is guaranteed to stop and permanently cure that terrible itching. It is compounded for that purpose and your money will be promptly refunded without question if Hunt's Salve fails to cure Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Ring Worm or any other skin disease. 75c the box.

For sale locally by City Drug Store



Foreman Johnnie Abers returned the first of the week from Lamesa, where he superintended two shipments for Clayton, Elwood & Arnett owners of the Clabber Hill ranch. The shipment was 1000 twos to Puckett Bros., of Amarillo, and the other 1650 threes and up to W. D.

FOR

Ford
Buick
and Dodge

Service, Call On

Auto Service Station

J. A. Curley, Prop.

BROWNFIELD

Johnson of Kansas.—Midland Reporter.

BEFORE ordering your next suit, come in and let us show you the best Woolen, Cool Cloth and Palm Beach suiting made. We have M. Born & Co. Nuf Said.

Scudday & Lilly

We came in the first of the week after being absent from the office for several minutes and found about a dozen real good pencils laying on our desk, and thinking they had been left accidentally by some one was about to lay them up, when we noticed "for the Herald" written on the wrapper, and the found they had been left by Rev. J. B. Vinson as a present. This put us to studying, for we knew we had not done anything for this good preacher man to deserve this remembrance of him, and the idea entered our noodle that it was a gentle hint that our paper was at times shy of news, and he thought we were short of pencils. When we next saw the preacher, we explained that we had taken the hint and it was our aim to try to do better, but he explained that he merely aimed for us to keep up the good work. Anyway, thanks, very much.

A DRAMATIC Parable of a mother's love in three acts; Liberty Theatre, June 19th, Baptist Ladies Aid.

Jay Barrett, one of the most successful stock farmers of the Meadow community, was in this week after supplies. He reports that he had about thirty five acres of his crop blown out.

East Small street was graded this week, beginning at the southwest corner of the square. The west end of this street was already in very good shape, this making this a well graded street from one end to the other.

County Judge's Order

State of Texas; County of Terry:

—Whereas, on the 19th day of May, A. D. 1919, a petition was presented to me for an election in Common School District No. 3, of this county, on the question of authorizing a tax of and at the rate of fifty cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said district for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District, said petition bearing the requisite number of signature of property tax paying voters of said District, and being in every respect in conformity with law.

Now therefore, I, W. W. Price, in my capacity as County Judge of Terry County Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 14th day of June 1919, at the Schoolhouse in said District No. 3, of this county as established by order of the Commissioner's Court, Terry County, the record of which being recorded in the minutes of said court Terry County, to which references are here made for boundaries of same To determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property tax-paying voters of that district desire to tax themselves for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District and to determine whether the Commissioner's Court of this county shall be authorized to levy assess and collect annually a tax of and at the rate of fifty cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said District for said purpose.

N. Bell is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election, and he shall elect two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this county as required by law, for holding a general election.

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

For School Tax Against School Tax
All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state and of this county and who are resident property tax payers in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election.

The Sheriff of this county shall give notice of said election by having the same published in the Terry County Herald for twenty days before said election.

W. W. Price,
County Judge, Terry County Tex.

LUMBER ADVANCES LEAST

Experts representing the four great building material industries have compiled statistics showing how war conditions affected the market. comparison of price variations cover a period of six years. As was expected, the figures show steel far in the lead of other building materials in its climb skyward since 1912, with an advance of 148.5 per cent. Cement is up 55.5 per cent, brick 38.1 per cent, and lumber only 17.07 per cent.

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BROWNFIELD STATE BANK

BROWNFIELD

TEXAS

GET THE BEST

There are two very essential things in the walks of men—in fact they are indispensable. These two things are eats and sleeps, and the man who tries to ignore them are soon layed low under the sod. The Santa Fe Hotel sells both eats and sleeps that are first class in every way. Seeing that Eats and Sleeps are so very essential to your health and bodily comfort, why take a chance on cheap eats or cheap sleeps either in price or quality? Come to the Santa Fe Hotel where the quality or quantity is never lowered

SANTA FE HOTEL

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Brownfield Texas

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Terry Will Come to the Front Again!

We have every reason to believe that beginning the first of next month lots of land will be sold in Terry county all the rest of the year. Better list while you are thinking about the matter, or write us for price lists if you do not own land in the best county in West Texas.

W. A. Wooley Land Co.

Brownfield

Texas

We are indeed sorry to report that we are to lose one of our very best citizens this week, Rev. J. B. Vinson, who for the past several years, has been pastor of the Baptist church at this place. He and his excellent help meet are moving to the little town of Kress, above Plainview, where he has accepted the pastorage of the Baptist church. Bro. Vinson is a church pastor for all the word implies, for no one can be sick or affected in the community without his ministering to them personally, and we have heard him say time and again that no matter if a person did have a contagious disease, some one was supposed to see after them, and he for one was going to see that no one in his community suffered for want of attention. And another of the good principles of this splendid citizens was that he did not consider manual labor degrading, and he practiced what he preached.

We are glad to announce that we are to have a meat market again. W. S. Daniel has hands busy this week arranging a good market in the old Brownfield Land office building, and we bespeak for him good patronage. It is a hard matter to keep a market here, for the reason that beef peddlers will invariably begin as soon as the market is established, and quit as soon as the market is put out of business. Let us hope, however, that the people of the town will stay with the market this time so that we may be able to get a little fresh meat when we want it.

EAST LYNN, that greatest play, is made up of humor, pathos and tragedy. One minute it is mirth provoking, the next has you reaching for your handkerchief, and the next is almost nerve racking when some of the cruel plots are revealed. Prepare now to see this play at the old Queen Theatre, next Friday and Saturday night, June 13th and 14th.

Messrs. R. R. Gilliland, of Quanah, Texas, Manager of the West Texas Gin Co., accompanied by J. B. Overton, of Lubbock, the Supt. of this district, were here this week inspecting their gin property, and looking over the 1919 cotton crop situation. These men are boosters, and believe in giving the people something worth the money.

Miss Stephenson, one of the teachers in our public school for this last term, left Saturday for her home at Irene, Texas.

Mr. Coker, of Stephens county, was here last week visiting his son, near Tokio.

J. W. Story came in Friday from Snyder, Texas, where he has been at work for some time.

Mrs. Dr. Treadaway left last Saturday for a visit to her parents at Dallas.

A. B. McFee, of Amarillo, was here this week looking for steers, but only found 44 head that he was able to purchase. He bought them from W. S. Johnson of the Needmore

community.

Mrs. M. E. Kinard and son, Vergil, left Tuesday morning for Lockney, Texas, where they will visit her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Allen. Vergil will work for Mr. Allen during the summer.

Mr. J. W. Youngblood left Tuesday morning for Lubbock, where he will undergo an operation for stomach trouble at the Lubbock Sanitarium. We hope the operation will be safe and prove beneficial, and that he will be able to return in a few weeks a cured man.

Mrs. L. McDaniel, of King, N. M., passed through here this week on her way to Lubbock, where she will receive treatment for ear trouble.

J. R. Lindley, W. N. Goldston, Lee Fulton, two of the Nichols boys, Farlan Johnson, Lee Faucett, left Tuesday for the Burkburnett country to work in the harvest.

Relatives here received word this week from Snyder that Lazeel Huckabee had landed in New York from France and would soon be home. He was reported killed in action once, but it was latter found that he had been captured, and was in a German prison camp.

Mrs. J. E. Shelton left Saturday for Roaring Springs, Texas, to take charge of the post office while her sister takes a vacation.

Mrs. Artie Shepherd and children, of Seagraves, were here Saturday on a shopping expedition.

Bill Wright, of Plains, was here one day last week visiting his niece, Mrs. Red Tudor.

In reporting Ford sales last week, Red Tudor said he sold one to his father-in-law, Mr. Dixon, of Plains. We told Red he deserved no credit for this sale, as Mr. Dixon would naturally buy one to get rid of him.

Dr. Summitt, of Plains, and two daughters left Saturday for Post, to visit a few days.

Dock Powell informed us last week that he had just closed a deal with the Lubbock Coal & Grain Co., for two car loads of sacked grain at a good figure. Most if not all of the grain was re-cleaned and would be good planting grain. Dock says this deal gets him out of the grain business, and we believe Dock will stay out, on a large scale, anyway.

Miss Lorene Jones, of Gomez came in this week from Ranger, Texas, at which place she had been at work for some time.

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A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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A Lay Sermon From An Exchange.

If we had a daughter and found her loafing around the post office when she had no business there, we would see that she changed her conduct. And if she got in with a gang of girls and loafed around the street when we thought she was visiting a friend, we would see that she reformed. Yet, whose fault is it? Parents should know what their children are doing and begin to look after them before they form habits that will make them a target for the devil to shoot at.

It does not take long to corrupt the most innocent of girls and make them a terrible sorrow, instead of a source of great pleasure to parents.

The busy happy home girl is not apt to get into mischief and the girl who has a wise mother is not an idle girl. Girlhood is the time to teach the lessons of life and time to fit the daughter for her work in a home of her own, therefore it is criminal for mothers not to give their daughters a chance to make good wives and intelligent mothers. If home making can not be taught in the family home, then put the girl in a family where she may be taught house work, cooking, baking, sewing, laundry work and many necessary things that most women must know when they take upon them selves the duties incident to making homes, after they lay aside the wedding gown and veil.—Higgins News.

Dudney Represents

This District.

Dallas, Texas, May 26th—Robert Dudney, representative of the United States Treasury Department assigned to the War Savings Division, will have charge of organization work in Lubbock, Bailey, Lamb Hale, Floyd, Cochran, Hockley, Crosby, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Gaines, Dawson, Andrews, Martin, Winkler, Ector, Midland, Ward and Crane counties.

"These counties comprise one of the largest W. S. S. territories in the entire eleventh district," said Frank M. Smith, Federal District Director, "and I am indeed glad that a man of Mr. Dudney's marked ability can be assigned to them."

"The 1919 Savings campaign is of such a nature as to appeal to every intelligent man and woman as well as to every bright boy and girl. Not only is the sale of War Savings and Thrift Stamps being promoted but the doctrines of thrift are being disseminated in every possible way.

"Especial emphasis is being placed this year on the organization and carrying on of War Savings Societies. They are the back bone of the 1919 campaign. Every man, woman and child in the Eleventh District should become a member of one of these organizations— not only because they will thus learn to save, but because they will also learn to live a helpful life of thrift.

"Save and invest in War Savings Stamps because the savings habit helps you build for your future. Buy War Saving sStamps that you may have an emergency fund when the emergency arises. You can always have War Savings Stamps redeemed at the Postoffice on ten day's written notice and receive your original investment with the interest your money has earned to date.

"Have you bought your Thrift Stamps today?"

Elbert Proctor is doing a fine job grading up the court yard. All the blow sand is being frescoed up and placed around the house, thus making the house the highest point of the yard. After this is finished, all the dead wood will be cut out from the trees, and a layer of chalk dirt will be put on the sand, and thus again we will have the prettiest court yard on the plains.

LOST: Between Brownfield and the C. O. Bergman place, a lady's pocket book around which was tied a silk handkerchief. Finder will leave at Herald office an oblige.

Eighteen cars of cattle were loaded Thursday at Seagraves. Five of them belonged to Jim Brown, and were being shipped to Ralls, Texas. The other thirteen cars belonged to B.F. Hill of Stanton, Texas, and were being shipped to Stratford, Texas.

DONT forget the Methodist Ladies' play, East Lynn, to be put on at the Queen Theatre, next Friday and

Saturday night, June 13 and 14th.

Mason Hunter, of Meadow, has just completed a neat residence on his farm.

Mrs. Elmer Bassham went to Lubbock yesterday to meet her husband who is returning from France.

Commissioner Jack Blankenship, of Yoakum county, passed through one day this week from Lynn county, where he had been one business, and paid the Herald a short call. He said he had a phone call from his wife since he had been away, reporting a nice shower at his place.

JUST received a car of White Face Flour.—Brothers & Brothers.

Tom May has a big crew of Mexicans, other than himself, out at the sheep ranch this week, taking off one of the best clips ever seen in the history of sheep raising in this county. They have a regular shearing machine and the hands are making good time.

We have been requested to announce that Italy's Flaming Front, a great war picture, in six reels will be shown at the Liberty Theatre one night only, Friday, June 13th. Come and see these thrilling scenes from the actual battle front.

KEPT HER AWAKE

The Terrible Pains in Back and Sides. Cardui Gave Relief.

Marksville, La.—Mrs. Alice Johnson, of this place, writes: "For one year I suffered with an awful misery in my back and sides. My left side was hurting me all the time. The misery was something awful.

I could not do anything, not even sleep at night. It kept me awake most of the night... I took different medicines, but nothing did me any good or relieved me until I took Cardui...

I was not able to do any of my work for one year and I got worse all the time, was confined to my bed off and on. I got so bad with my back that when I stooped down I was not able to straighten up again... I decided I would try Cardui... By time I had taken the entire bottle I was feeling pretty good and could straighten up and my pains were nearly all gone.

I shall always praise Cardui. I continued taking it until I was strong and well." If you suffer from pains due to female complaints, Cardui may be just what you need. Thousands of women who once suffered in this way now praise Cardui for their present good health. Give it a trial. NC-133

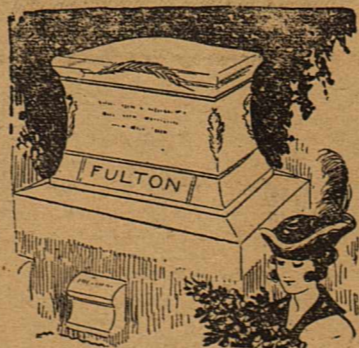
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Slat's Diary.

Friday.—The teacher ast Jake wot condishon was Benedick Arnold in at the end of his life & Jake anssered & sed he was ded she laffed & sed well I gess yure rite at that. She did dent keep him in.

Saturday.—Me and Jake maid up 2 go a fishing and we found pas fishing tackle box so we opened it up and all we cud find was a nife with a cork screw on it & a pack of sensens & a little bitsy glass with Old Crow printed on it.

Sunday.—teacher sed she wanted all us kids 2 give sum money fer mishunarys which we had earnt ourselves. Igive a 2 bits peace & she ast me how I had ernt it & I sed I got it fer hikin. I explaied and sed that I walked into the kitchen & seen pa pouring sum stuff into his spring Tonic & the stnff he was pouring was named Burben or sumthing like that and I sed pa wot are you doing and he slipped me 2 bits & sed now you hike. & I hiked.

Monday.—ma & me went 2 a tone test and heard a lady sing like a fonagraff and etc. and when we was comeing home we saw Jake setting out n front and he sed they was sum trubel in his house & we ast him why & he sed his pa had just cum home from a foam fest and was inside & his ma was tawking.

Tuesday.—ma was telling pa how 2 peepul shud act when they are married & liveing together & she sed tha shud give & take & pa sed yes that is rite. He sed they all ways had did that a way he sed he gives ma all of his money and takes all the blame & all. Ma burnt a hole in his shirt which she was ironing.

Wednesday.—pa sed a nother fellow in the store paid him a grate compliment & ma ast wot it was & pa said the fellow ast him would he loan him ten \$.

Thursday.—The teacher ast me a question if seven of us boys was out in the country & 2 boys went into a orchard for apples how many boys

would be left & I sed Nun & she sed yure rong they would be fve left & I sed no teacher you may no numbers but you dont know us kids.

Wheat Will Make Sixty Bushels to the Acre.

Some men estimate that a field of 140 acrer of wheat which E. Graham has two miles north of town will average as much as sixty bushels.

Mr. Graham took the editor of the News and several others out to his place yesterday morning. The wheat is begining to head out and is waist high, and very full and good. There is some rust in part of it, but it will not injure it at this stage. Considerable of the wheat was planted on land formerly in alfalfa.

There are many Hale county farmers who say they will make from forty to fifty bushels of wheat to the acre this year.

There is 100,000 acres of wheat in Hale county this year, and the yield is going to be tremendous.—Plainview News.

Interpreting The Omens.

In his youth Mark Twain edited a weekly journal in a small western town, says the Youth's Companion. A subscriber wrote to him one day to remark that he had discovered a spider concealed in a recent delivered paper. The writer wanted to know whether such an occurrence was a sign of good or bad luck.

The young editor replied in the next issue as follows:

"Constant Reader—The appearance of a spider in a copy of last week's paper was a sign of neither good nor bad luck, that intelligent insect was merely studying our columns in order to ascertain whether any store in the neighborhood had failed to advertise in our paper, in order that he might make for the establishment and there weave a web across the doorway, where he might dwell

in undisturbed peace." —Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

We Need Better Cows

The general impression is that the dairy cow of Texas is being gradually improved. This is found to be true generally on the more specialized dairy farms, but there are thousands of cows on the general farms of the state with from four to ten cows to the farm where no good bulls are kept at all, and in many instances there is not a good bull in the community. In such communities cows are bred to any kind of bull to get them to freshen again. The result of such breeding is that the productive ability of the offspring is often less than that of the old cow. This bad state of affairs is very noticeable in many herds of the State.

Dairymen with twenty or more cows can well afford to purchase, for use in his own herd, a good bull of the breed he is using, and by his use, make the offspring better producers of milk and butter than the old cows. A few pounds more of butter fat per year for the eight or ten years a cow is milked, makes a large total; this multiplied by the number of cows in a herd, will make a grand total that is startling. Two daughters of the same cow, one from a good bull, the other from a scrub—might easily have a difference in producing ability of from fifty to one hundred pounds per year of fat. It does not take many hundred pounds of butter fat to make the price of a good bull.

Farmers and dairymen who have too few cows to make it practical to own and keep a bull, can organize a bull association. A bull association is simply an organization of two or more farmers to own a bull jointly. Generally this is carried still further and several such units are organized into one bull association and at the end of each two years, the bulls are moved from one unit to another.

In this way bulls can be kept in service for a longer time; thus reducing the bull cost.

Results show that it costs less to have the use of a good bull through an association than to keep a scrub. The difference in results to be obtained, has already been pointed out. For detailed information write the Extension Service of the A. & M. College of Texas, College Station, Texas.

P. C. Stanford, one of the successful stockmen of Yoakum county, was over this week, and while here became the reader of the best journal printed in Terry county.

FOUND: A gentleman's fountain pen. Owner will call at Herald office describe and pay for this ad and get the pen.

Lee Walker, of the Needmore community was in one day this week after supplies and reports that his new home is almost done. It is said that Lee has one of the prettiest country homes in the county.

COME AND See Jeremiah Gosling, the funny boy, Liberty Theatre June 19th; Baptist Ladies Aid.

Fred Smith, manager of the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., will begin the erection of two and possibly three of the nobbiest residences in the town in the next week or two. Fred is like the editor; he believes that we need more residences in Brownfield, and the only difference between us is that he has the money to build them and we have NOT.

CASH MARKET will pay cash for your poultry, stocker butter and eggs.

Two new readers were added to the list here monday, and the Herald man did not rustle much either, being too busy with other matters. The new ones were, C. O. Newlin, Brownfield, and C. Sears, of Gomez.

FOR SALE: Registered Holstein cow and calf; cow giving six gallons of milk daily. Enquire here.

Misses Sarah and Josie Hudson, of near Gomez, called on the Herald one day this week to incert an ad, and became readers of the old reliable.

Paul Barrier of the firm of Barrier Bros., is here on business this week from Floydada.

THE LIBERTY Theatre are now showing three nights each week, and will continue to do so on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights. Old people over 60 go in free.

Miss Irene Randal was here a few days this week visiting her uncle, J. L. Randal.

AUNT Jemimma's pancake flour at Brothers & Brothers.

Bernard Thompson, of Tokio who has been attending school at Ft. Worth the past term, came in on the train Wednesday. His parents were over to meet him.

TRY a package of Life O' Wheat.—Brothers & Brothers.

Miss Lois Brownfield came home Wednesday, from Denton, where she attended the College of Industrial Arts, the past term.

Miss Elizabeth Whitaker visited in Lubbock this week.

The hard north winds of the last few days of last week and the first part of this week sure put the bumb under some of the little truck in our sandiest soil, though some report no damage whatever. There is still lots of time to plant these fields over, how ever, and people report sufficient moisture to do so, providing even if we do not have rains right away.

SEE AN Old fashion mother at the Liberty Theatre, June 19th. Admission 25c and 35c.

FORD! THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Ford Factory has not reached normal production yet

The Ford Factory has not yet reached normal production. It will take some time, after being given over entirely to war work. We are getting a few cars right along, and suggest that you leave your order with us as soon as possible. Runabouts, \$500; Touring Cars \$525; Coupe \$650; Sedan \$775; One Ton Truck Chassis \$550. These prices are F. O. B. Detroit. Don't forget the service we give in our shops, genuine Ford Parts, Ford Prices and Ford Skill. And don't forget that we carry the famous Goodyear Cord Tires.

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**The God of Heaven, He will prosper us; Therefore we his servants
WILL ARISE AND BUILD:--Nehemiah, 11:20.**

Now is the time to take advantage of your opportunity. Arrange your plans and place your order early. Call on us for whatever assistance you need. It's our business and pleasure to help you GET YOUR NEW HOME, and it is our duty to advise early action. WE DON'T TREAT YOU ROUGH, WE TREAT YOU FAIR.

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JOHN W. BAKER

**STATE TREASURER
ADVISES INVESTING
MONEY IN W.S.S.**

Two big reasons why every person should invest in War Savings Stamps are given by John W. Baker, State Treasurer of Texas, who was County War Savings Chairman in the 1918 campaign. Here is what he says:

"Thrift is the foundation upon which success is built. Those who save succeed.

"The people who take advantage this year of the opportunity offered them in the Government Savings campaign to acquire the habit of saving sanely and spending wisely through the purchase of War Savings Stamps will be building for future prosperity and power. Thrift is power.

"Intelligent saving looks to future spending and is therefore, postponed enjoyment with interest.

"United States Government War Savings Stamps are the best and safest securities that money will buy. These Treasury Bonds pay four per cent interest, compounded every three months. They increase constantly in value and that constant increase is guaranteed by the Government.

There are two big reasons why every person should save and invest in W. S. S. First, it is to every one's financial interest to become the owner of as many War Savings Stamps as he can acquire. Second, there are still 2,000,000 American soldiers in France, Germany and Russia. They have to be taken care of, and money invested in War Savings Stamps will enable the Government to take care of them and bring them back home to America when they have finished the job of making world-wide peace permanent.

"This is no time for people to lay aside their patriotism, but instead, a time when all of us must exhibit a higher type of patriotism than ever before. Investing in War Savings Stamps is profitable patriotism."

McADOO ADVISES TEXANS.

"The people of the United States can render the most far-reaching patriotic service by refraining from the purchase of all unnecessary articles, and by confining themselves to the use of only such things and the expenditure of only such money as is necessary to maintain their health and efficiency. Buy United States Government War Savings Stamps." — Secretary William G. McAdoo.

County Clerk J. C. Green received a letter from his son, Laurence one

day this week, stating that he only had one more week to spend in Luxembourg, and then they would sail for home.

Nearly every one who has near relatives in foreign service, received letters from them Monday, and in almost every instance, they brought the same good news, that they would soon sail for home.

Mrs. Masburn and daughter, Mary Zozo, left this week for a visit with Mrs. Mashburn's mother in Dallas.

Mrs. W. B. Snodgrass and daughter, Nora Black, of the west side boarded their train here Tuesday for a visit with her sons, Joe and Eddie of Marietta, Okla.

Jake Leady, of New Mexico has leased the Hill Hotel, and took over the same Monday morning. There is no use for us to tell the public that Jake Leady and his excellent wife are good hotel people, for that fact is too well established to need any further comment, and they are good additions to the town as well. However, he is succeeding one of the most popular men that ever conducted the Hill Hotel, and while the former manager, Mr. J. C. Bond, is not leaving the county—just moving back to the farm—he will be missed greatly in the town.

Miss Mary Lou Meriwether, who has been teaching in the Lubbock public school the past term, came in on the train Monday, to visit with her sister, Miss Hennie for a few days. We understand that Miss Hennie will also teach at Lubbock another term, and we have heard many regrets that Brownfield will not have her excellent services next term.

Mrs. J. D. Jones of Bronco, came in Monday from a visit to relatives in Crosby county. Her husband met her here with the car.

Mrs. A. C. Fendleton, of Aulin, came in this week on a visit with her son in Yoakum county.

Mrs. J. W. Spear came down on the train Monday from Lubbock, returning Tuesday, as she said Mr. Spear wanted her with him all the time. She reports that Mr. Spear is fast improving after his delicate operation.

The last episode of the Lion's Claw was run at the Liberty Theatre last Thursday night before a full house, and there was much cheering when Beth Johnson finally triumphed over her many enemies, and finally delivered the Holly War proclamation to the general in person. Another serial will start this week, entitled, "The Hand of Vengeance." It promises to be even more thrilling than the preceding serial.

THE HAND OF VENGEANCE, a new serial that started this week at the Liberty Theatre, promises to be much better than the Lion's Claw. Don't miss a single episode of this intensely interesting story.

County Judge's Order.

The State of Texas; County of Terry.—Whereas, on the 19th day of May, A. D. 1919 a petition was presented to me for an election in Common School District No. 6, of this county, on the question of authorizing a tax of and at the rate of fifty cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said district for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of property tax paying voters of said District, and being in every respect in conformity with law.

Now therefore, I, W. W. Price, in my capacity as County Judge of

Terry County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 14th day of June, 1919, at the School House in said District No. 6 of this County as established by order of Commissioner's Court, Terry County the record of which being recorded in the minutes of said Court of Terry County, to which references are here made for boundaries of same. To determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property tax-paying voters of that District desire to tax themselves for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District and to determine whether the Com-

missioners Court of this County shall be authorized to levy assess and collect annually a tax of and at the rate of fifty cents on the \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said District for said purpose. J. R. Garrison is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this County as required by law, for holding a general election. The ballots for said election shall

have written or printed thereon the following.

For School Tax
Against School Tax
All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property tax payers in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election.

The Sheriff of this County shall give notice of said election by having the same published in the Terry County Herald for twenty days before said election.

W. W. Price,
County Judge, Terry County Tex.



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There's more to a cigarette than "pleasing the taste." Other cigarettes, besides Chesterfields, can do *that*.

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HERE WITH THE GOODS!

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SUCCESSOR TO WM F. ST. JOHN.

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A Proclamation.

The Boy Scouts of America have rendered notable service to the Nation during the world war. They have done effective work in the Liberty Loan and War Savings campaigns, in discovering and reporting on the black walnut supply, in cooperating with the Red Cross and other war work agencies, in acting as despatch bearers for the Committee on Public Information, and in other important fields. The Boy Scouts have not only demonstrated their worth to the Nation, but have also materially contributed to a deeper appreciation by the American people of the higher conception of patriotism and good citizenship.

The Boy Scout Movement should not only be preserved, but strengthened. It deserves the support of all public-spirited citizens. The available means for the Boy Scout movement have thus far sufficed for the organization and training of only a small proportion of the boys of the country. There are approximately 10,000,000 boys in the United States between the ages of twelve and twenty one. Of these only 375,000 are enrolled as members of the Boy Scouts of America.

America can not acquit her self commensurately with her power and influence in the great period now fac-

ing her and the world unless the boys of America are given better opportunities than heretofore to prepare themselves for the responsibilities of citizenship.

Every nation depends for its future upon the proper training and development of its youth. The American boy must have the best training and discipline our great democracy can provide if America is to maintain her ideals, her standards and her influence in the world.

The plan, therefore, for a Boy Scout week during which a universal appeal will be made to all Americans to supply the means to put the Boy Scouts of America in a position to carry forward effectively and continuously the splendid work they are doing for the youth of America, should have the unreserved support of the Nation.

Therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, do hereby recommend that the period beginning Sunday, June 8th to Flag Day, June 14th, be observed as Boy Scout Week through the United States for the purpose of strengthening the work of the Boy Scouts of America.

I earnestly recommend that, in every community, a Citizens' Committee under the leadership of National Citizens' Committee, be organi-

zed to cooperate in carrying out a program for a definite recognition of the effective services rendered by the Boy Scouts of America; for a survey of the facts relating to the boyhood of each community, in order that with the cooperation of churches, schools and other organizations definitely engaged in work for boys, adequate provision may be made for extending the Boy Scout program to a larger proportion of American boyhood.

The Boy Scout Movement offers unusual opportunity for volunteer service. It needs men to act as committeemen and as leaders of groups of boys. I hope that all who can will enlist for such service, enroll as associate members and give all possible financial assistance to this worthy organization of American boyhood. Anything that is done to increase the effectiveness of the Boy Scouts of America will be a genuine contribution to the welfare of the Nation.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done this first day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and of the independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and forty-third.

(Signed) Woodrow Wilson.
By the President:
Robert Lansing, Secretary of State.

HOT WEATHER is coming, and your Battery will need water and attention. Let Gist do it.

C. F. Holt, who lives on the line of Texas and New Mexico, south of Broncho, came in Sunday after his family, who have been here all the fall and winter for school purposes. Mr. Holt has a good residence here and intends to give his children the best of educational advantages, and of course the family will be back in time for another term. Mr. Holt reports range conditions good out in his part of the country, and that the present prospects are good for one of the biggest crops in the history of eastern New Mexico. Of course he told us to keep 'er comin'.



Commissioner D. S. Cunningham informed us this week that we were mistaken last week when we said one of the grader outfits would go on the Lamesa road and the other on the Tahoka road. Both will go on the Lamesa road, as there is only one camping outfit, and it is not thought best to separate them.

STAR Brand Coffee, 3 pound pail, \$1.10—Brothers & Brothers

There has been considerable trading in residence property since the Herald was last issued. Rev. M. D. Williams has purchased the Geo. Snodgrass property in the western part of town, the later purchased a residence belonging to Mrs. Slater in the east part of town now occupied by J. F. Winston, and the latter in self defence purchased the Posey residence. Mr. Posey is hauling out lumber to build a neat cottage on his farm, four miles northeast of town.

How About That Lumber

There is no need for you to wait longer to put up that building, if you are expecting cheaper material prices, for no one expects any material to be much cheaper soon. Come in and let us show you some nice plans from a pig pen to a mansion, and see our first class stock waiting for you. We just love to figure and have our pencils sharpened ready for you.

A. G. McAdams Lumber Co.

Brownfield, Texas

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Brownfield, Texas

Mary and Jim's Little Car---Rhymed

Mary and Jim had a fine little car, They used Magnolia Lube; Oh! No!—Many other CHEAPER Lubs we can buy "said Jim," and save a little "dough. After a few days running the little car "cashed in the check," mary and Jim to stand the expense; they found they had—JUST LISTEN NOW—a ruined car, and had only saved twenty cents.—MORAL: Cars go to pieces every day by using cheap Lubs: Mary and Jim's little car did.

Magnolia Petroleum Company

TOM MAY, Manager

BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

POTASH DEPOSITES IN WEST TEXAS

During the past year experts have been quietly investigating the old extinct volcano out in Terry county, known for many years as the "alkali lake," and which has caused the death of many thousands of head of cattle which drink water from the springs and lakes.

Interested parties employed Dr. F. B. Porter of Fort Worth, president of the Fort Worth laboratories to make analysis of the many borings made in Terry county. Now, it is known for the first time that enormous deposits of potash exists in Texas and will soon be on the market at a much lower price than at present. And with this potash is sal, Gauber Salt, epsom Salts and other valuable mineral salts. The company will sell common salt far below the present market values, and this will they say, pay for the expenses of getting out the potash enabling them to sell potash at a very low figure.

Several hundred borings have been made, some twenty five feet and others forty feet and a few even deeper, and the bottom has not been found through each depth. It is estimated that the world's largest deposits of potash is undoubtedly in these counties of West Texas—Terry, Upton, Gaines, Lynn and Andrews. The company expects to begin operations in a short time, and will sell straight potash, not putting in the usual commercial filler, which is simply oil, but will give the farmers directions for putting in this filler from their own farms when they get the potash. This will be a great advantage in point of economy for the farmers.

There is enough potash in sight to supply Texas' needs for many centuries to come," said E. E. Hundley, one of the chief experts, who with J. W. Rea, has been backing the enterprise.

"Any country not abundantly supplied with potash will starve and its animal life crumble to jellies," was Germany's declaration at the beginning of this war, "and we will starve America by cutting off her potash supply."

But this discovery in Texas will free our country from Germany or any other country for our potash supply—which is one of the chief needs of animal as well as vegetable life.

On the crusted surface of some of the lakes may be seen the carcasses of cattle that died after drinking the water from the springs and lakes.

Heretofore the world's greatest known deposit of potash was at the city of Strassfur Germany, in the form of sylvite or kainite. America was satisfied to depend on this and import her needs, just as she did her dyes—being satisfied that Germany could make better and cheaper dyes than we could. But the war taught us to make better and cheaper dyes than Germany and in larger quantities, and now, it seems, we are to have the largest supply of potash known on earth.

Potash is most used and need of all plant foods. While nitrogen is the most valuable of all plant foods, it is at hand and the supply is constant. Likewise, phosphates are not so scarce. But potash has been the one thing heretofore that we had to import—and Germany supplied near 80 per cent of our needs. Potash is the main fertilizer for fruits, large or

small, also for potatoes, white and sweet varieties. It is the most needed fertilizer for sandy lands. Lands with humas need potash and phosphates, lime,—rarely the latter.

Unlike the most unsoluble minerals potash may be used for weeks, and even months before actually needed by the plants, which is a great economy in time and labor for the producers.

And all animal life depends upon potash, which they get from plant life. Carnivorous animals get the potash which the plant eating animals get from this source.

These facts emphasize the vast value to the United States of this discovery in West Texas.—Ex.

Another Red Cross Drive.

An appeal to the American people for funds to carry on the work of their American Red Cross will be made next November according to the following statement issued today by Doctor Livingston Farrand, Chairman of the Central Committee. "Appalling conditions in Countries of Eastern Europe, imposing on the Red Cross obligations additional to those assumed during the period of the World War, and continuance of activities in connection with the already outlined domestic program of the American Red Cross, make necessary an appeal to the people of America for further funds to carry on work for the relief of humanity."

It has been decided to make this appeal in autumn in a period of two weeks culminating the eleventh of November, the anniversary of the signing of the armistice—the season when the American people may properly give manifestation through con-

tributions to their American Red Cross of their thankfulness from deliverance from the added horrors of war which have fallen upon nations less fortunate.

At present the American Red Cross is bringing to a close its activities in countries in Western Europe and with the withdrawel of American troops from the war zone, its work for the army abroad will end automatically. Disease and suffering of the most heart rendering character, however, are calling for relief in other fields. The new International Organization of Red Cross Societies is preparing to deal with the relief of health problems throughout the world in future years, but there are immediate emergencies which require the aid of agencies already established. Foremost among these agencies is the American Red Cross. At present the emergencies are being met with all the resources available, but it is apparent that imperative calls for assistance for the next year or more will make additional funds necessary.

It is anticipated that the generous hearts of the American people will respond to the appeal to the full extent of the needs that will present themselves.

OUR PRICES are reasonable and our work is guaranteed. Gist Battery & Electric Station.

Tom Raymer, of Sweetwater, was here this week, visiting his brother, John, and sister, Mrs. Noah Bell. John informed us that this was the first time he had seen his brother in eighteen years.

John Dennis carried Mrs. Dennis to Lubbock on day this week for treat-

ment. She had mumps recently, and they seemed to have settled just behind her ear, and an operating may have to be performed to relieve her.

IF YOU miss seeing East Lynn under the auspices of the Methodist Home Mission Society, at the Queen Theatre, next Friday and Saturday night, June 13th and 14th, you will live to regret it. This is given up to be one of the greatest modern plays ever staged.

Mrs. J. E. Woodard and little girls, of Seagraves, left this week for a visit with her father at Paducah, Texas. She informed us that she might spend the summer in Colorado.

Misses Lucile Treadaway and Lissie Winston, left yesterday for Canyon, Texas, where they will take a teachers course in the summer normal.

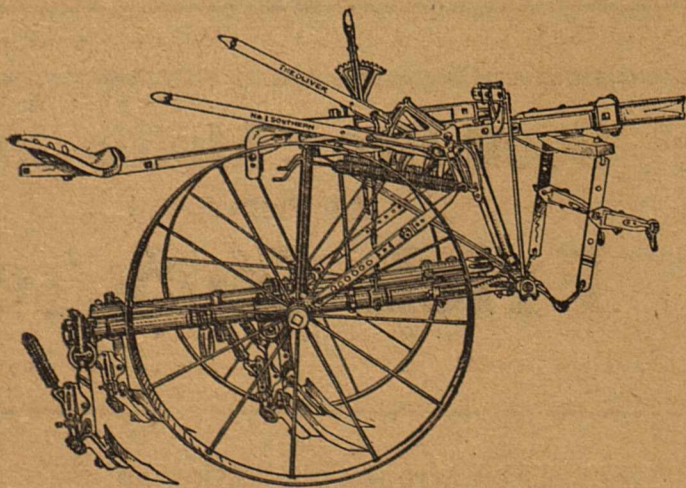
COME AND hear the villiage choir singing, at the Liberty Theatre, June 19th; Baptist Ladies Aid.

John Peters came in last week to renew for about his thirteenth year of the Herald. Mr. Peters' time expires the 29th day of May each year, and he is on hand when that time rolls around, right on the dot, and he is thus one of "Our old time subscriber; our punctnal subscriber, etc., sung to the tune of "Old Oaken Bucket.

WE HANDLE Magnoline Lubs at 80c per gallon; also a cheaper lub. Scott Brothers Motor Co.

E. M. Flemming, one of the most successful west side farmers came through with the coin to keep 'er headed his way, while attending the First Monday here this week.

CULTIVATORS--CULTIVATORS!!



Now is the time to buy the Oliver Wiggle Tail to clean out the weeds with. Be sure to see the original Wiggle Tail and ask the man who owns one. Guaranteed to do the work. When in need of anything in the hardware line, see us.

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