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Lives of Two Staunch Methodists

[From the Christian Advocate.]

Some of our Advocate readers will perhaps be pleased to read short sketch of the lives of two brave old soldiers of the cross, P. M. M. Shrock—my grand parents.

Grandpa was born in Mississippi April, 1832, and came to Texas when he was six years old. He is a son of that grand old man, Rev. John Wesley Shrock, of early Texas Methodism.

Grandma, who was Miss Cynthia Jolly, who born in Albama, August 11, 1837, and came to Texas in her fifteenth year.

They were married in Wharton county, Texas, Oct. 30, 1854. They are the parents of eight children, four of whom are in the bright beyond, having fallen asleep in infancy.

Grandpa and grandma were living in Goliad at the beginning of the Civil War, when grandpa volunteered his services to the Southern cause, making a brave soldier and undergoing many hardships, but was never wounded or taken prisoner.

When he left for the army grandma took her four small children and unattended save by a faithful old slave, went back to Wharton, struggling bravely for maintenance by spinning and weaving her clothing, enduring all the hardships of a soldier's wife.

They joined the army of the Lord in Davilla in 1839, when they buckled on the breastplate of righteousness, and enlisted in the Methodist brigade and are still valiantly fighting with Gideon's sword.

Their home has always been the preacher's home, and no one ever left their door uncared for.

In disposition grandpa is like the apostle Peter—fiery and impulsive, quick in resentment—and just as ready to thrice reply: "Yea, Lord, thou knowest I love thee."

Grandma, well, she is just simply grandma, sweet and gentle. She has, like Mary, chosen the better part, and sheds gentle goodness where'er she goes. Wisely has the wise man said: "Train a child in the way it should go, and when it is old it will not depart," for very carefully did they lead theirs in the paths of righteousness and taught them in the deep truths of Methodism.

There were four daughters—Mrs. R. L. Farrar, of Decker; Mrs. W. T. Harris, of Ivan; Mrs. C. Randal, of Seymour, and Mrs. J. Randal, of Brownfield, who, with their husbands, are

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They have seventeen grand children. Twelve of them are members of the M. E. church. Four of them are married. Three married Methodists; the other married a good man, though not a Christian. As yet theirs is an undivided house.

During their fifty-four years of married life they have never known real trouble, their greatest griefs being the visits of the death angel.

They are now living a sweet and peaceful life in Brownfield, blessed with the love of their children and grandchildren, rich in the confidence and love of all who know them, and happy in the blessed assurance that all is well. Praise the Lord for such grandparents.

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Official Statement of the Financial Condition

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RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$33,164 63
Loans, real estate	15,139 97
Overdrafts	1,019 24
Real estate (banking house)	2,645 82
Furniture and fixtures	595 26
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	17,969 98
Currency	2,796 00
Specie	1,021 67
Total	79,352 60

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	25,000 00
Surplus Fund	3,000 00
Undivided Profits, net	1,731 20
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check	2,709 13
Individual Deposits, subject to check	44,178 47
Demand Certificates of Deposit	2,632 50
Cashier's Checks	1 25
Total	79,352 60

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

M. V. BROWNFIELD, President.
WILL ALF BELL, Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 5th day of December, A. D. 1908.

Witness my hand and seal on the date last aforesaid.
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Terry County, Texas.

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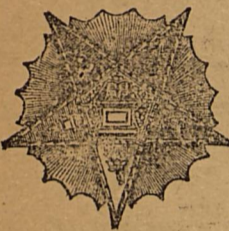
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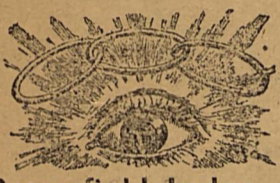


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Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at 4 o'clock p.m.



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Mrs. Allie McDaniel, A. M.
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Lodge meets every Friday night, at 8 o'clock p. m. in the Lodge Room in the town of Brownfield.

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Mrs. Jessie Rindal, Secretary



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G. H. & G. Railroad News.

A corps of engineers of the C. H. & G. Railroad are now making the temporary survey of the line from Hereford to Brownfield. They reached the line of the county Thursday and established a camp near W. M. Howard's place yesterday morning, and several of the party came to town in the afternoon after supplies. The party consists of C. C. Eastham chief engineer, J. L. Adams transit man, O. Elliott head chainman, Tack Lay rear chainman, C. H. McKnight cook, J. Argo flagman. They will probably come into town today and make their headquarters here for a week or two while they are determining the most practical approach of the line into town. They will then turn back and make such corrections along the line as may be found necessary upon which to base the permanent survey. They say that they are enlisted for a winter's work and will take no lay off for the holidays.

It will be remembered that the company has agreed to have the permanent survey finished to Brownfield within 90 days from December 1st, and they are going about the work with a promptness that indicates they mean what they promised.

Christmas Tree.

The good people of Brownfield have arranged to bring joy to the hearts of the children, and the old folks, too, on Christmas eve night with a big Christmas at the Methodist church. Even, if we older folks have learned to doubt the reality of that sainted character, Santa Claus, there is more pleasant memory of childhood than its Christmas trees, and there is no surer way of bringing happiness to the child than letting Santy dispense the presents. Don't let the tree interfere with the stockings Christmas morning, but bring your children out Christmas eve and put something on the tree for them.

The following committees have been appointed to insure the success of the evening:
Program committee: Mrs. Dial, Mrs. Riley.
Invocation, P. E. Riley.
Decoration committee: Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Brownfield, Mrs. McDaniel.
Tree erecting committee: J. S. Powell, W. G. Hardin, O. M. Daniel.
Ushers—Doc Powell, W. A. Bell, W. E. Ellis, J. L. Webb.
House seating committee—W. R. Harris, C. A. McDaniel.
Er-and committee—J. L. Randal, Lum Heffin.

Taking presents from the tree—Santa Clause—John S. Powell, P. E. Riley, W. G. Hardin, J. L. Randal.

The charge given by Judge Kinder to the grand jury last Monday has elicited a great deal of favorable comment by those who heard it. Judge Kinder is making the people of his district a model Judge, and should this county be eliminated from his district it will be a source of general regret by a host of friends here.

Miss Doll Pyeat and Mr. Ray Brownfield will be married at the home of the brides father Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. This couple are two of the most popular young people of Terry county. A write up of this nuptial will appear in our next issue.

District Court

District court convened last Monday morning with Judge L. S. Kinder on the bench. Attorneys present were, L. C. Penery, district attorney, Judge Bealy Judge Ferguson and W. D. Benson of Lubbock, Judge G. W. Perryman, of Tahoka, and the local bar. The grand jury adjourned Thursday afternoon returning five bills of indictment, two felonies and three misdemeanors, court will adjourn today and the Judge and district Attorney will leave tomorrow for Plainview, their home. The following cases were disposed of.

State vs Sam Beauchamp, nolle pros,
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Victor L. Scott vs J. M. Brabson, continued.
Victor L. Scott vs Elisha Page, continued.
Mrs. Lou E. Key vs S. H. Key, continued.
S. C. Walker vs F. E. Adams et al., continued
Mrs. Hattie Lewis vs J. W. Gordon et al., service quashed and cause continued.
Clemens, Stephens & Co. vs E. C. Fullingim et al. agreed judgment.
A. M. Brownfield vs R. J. Heffin et al. Suit withdrawn at cost of plaintiff.
W. H. Richey vs Melia Richey, decree for divorce.
Samuel Arnett and Geo. S. Beatty vs John B. Garrison, judgment for plaintiffs for land in controversy, for defendant for improvements \$1333 60.

G. B. Bragg vs S. N. House, compromised.
M. G. Abernathy vs J. E. Woodard, non-suit.
Frank Tomlinson vs W. T. McPherson, judgment for plaintiff.
Mrs. Mila Forrester vs Luther Scott et al. Suit for partition of land. Land ordered sold, John F. Goldsson appointed receiver.
Ex parte application of Elmer Ware for removal of disabilities as a minor. Granted.
All of the tax suits on the docket which had not been paid off were continued. A good number of them had been paid since sued on and these were dismissed.

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Local & Personal

Happenings About People You Know.

Go to the J. L. Randal drug store to get your Christmas goods.

W. L. Allen is still selling 8 pounds of coffee for \$1.

Judge Spencer and District Attorney Penery are in Plains today looking after business matters.

Largest and best selected stock of groceries in Terry county.
W. L. Allen.
Gomez, Texas.

The Christmas tree next Thursday night will be the most interesting ever had in Brownfield. Let every one turn out.

Brown Allen of Yoakum county is setting out thirty acres in shade trees to be used as a park; also ten acres in fruit trees.

After spending more than a week here, Sam Bigger left Tuesday morning on a return trip to Wichita Falls. He expects to return here between now and spring.

The Hill Hotel in Brownfield is a good butter market. The highest market price paid for it.

J. W. Cone and Dave Shaw, two of the most prominent ranchmen from the north side of Yoakum county, were in town a day or two the first of the week,

2,500 pounds of salt just arrived, and going at \$1.60 per sack.
W. L. Allen.

See the \$16 toilet case at the J. L. Randal Drug Company's store, then buy some Christmas goods and stand a chance to get it.

The Brownfield Hardware Co. has bought J. W. Welch' stock of dry goods in the trade for the building and is selling it at cost. Call and get some bargains.

The report came from Snyder that Uncle Tom Holley was recently married there, and will arrive in Brownfield with his bride during the holidays.

B. F. Nix has been employed to make the auto road from Brownfield to Hereford, and will commence the work January 1st. He thinks that he can have the road ready for service in fifteen days after commencing it.

You can shove the wrinkles out of your stomach with some thing good to eat Xmas if you buy from W. L. Allen, the Gomez groceeyman.

Doc. Walker and John S. Powell brought in a herd of 1600 sheep this week from New Mexico. They bought the herd from Messrs. Turk and Roy Beal who have been engaged in the sheep business for several years.

I will not cheat you out of your money by selling you toys for Xmas, but guarantee to give you something good to eat; also, guarantee prices to be as low as anywhere in Terry county.
W. L. Allen.
Gomez, Texas.

Rev. A. B. Johnson of Sweetwater, Texas, and former pastor of the Presbyterian church there, will preach tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 7.15 P. M. in the Methodist church. All cordially invited to

Sale of Personal Property.

Tahoka, Texas, Dec. 14, 1908.
Sale of all kinds of personal property at Jack Alley's ranch, Tohoka Lake, December 29th, 1908, consisting of furniture, rugs, carpets, dishes, wagons, mules, harness, mower and rake. All kinds of tools, and in fact a little of everything, all for CASH. Dinner on the ground and a big dance at night. All are invited,
JACK ALLEY.
Tahoka, Texas.

The Gomez Gin.

The Gomez Gin Co. are now prepared to handle this season's business and will gin Thursdays and Fridays and grind Saturdays.

Mr. Frank Tomlinson, of Big Springs, is arranging to establish an auto line from Lubbock to Plains, via Brownfield and Gomez. Service will be put on the line about January 1st and each auto employed will make two round trips a week.

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Gomez, Texas.

A charter has been granted for the organization of a Chapter of Royal Arch Masons in Brownfield. W. R. Spencer is designated for High Priest, L. W. McPhaul for King, Ben Broughton for Scribe, and the organization will take place on January 10th.

J. T. Allen, father of W. L. Allen, of Gomez, left on the 17th for Comanche, and will go from there to Florida, and possibly to Cuba, to spend the holidays.

This paper will not be issued next week, because it is Christmas and the "Devil" wants to see some fun as well as other folks. The next issue will appear January 9th, 1909.

Rev. Mr. Green, the Presbyterian pastor, will preach in Brownfield Sunday morning and evening. Everyone is cordially invited to be present.

W. T. Hubbard, living near Plains, was transacting business in Brownfield yesterday. Mr. Hubbard owns several sections of Yoakum county land and is a model citizen in every respect. He is an old Rannels county friend of Judge Spencer and Judge Copeland.

Messrs. John and Ridge Burnett, two of our best farmers, living just east of Brownfield, finished gathering their corn crop last week. They had 35 acres which made 1500 bushels, averaging 40 bushels per acre. They shelled a portion of their crop which weighed out 50 bushels per acre. This speaks a great deal for Terry county as a corn raising country.
For Sale

We have a farm consisting of 640 acres within two miles of Brownfield. 200 acres in cultivation, good 4 room house, well and windmill, stock sheds, etc. Price \$15 per acre, long time given on a large portion of the

The Maids and Matrons Club will give an entertainment in the School House at Brownfield Christmas night. It is a play entitled "Breezy Point," and as the cast consists entirely of ladies, we feel sure that the name gives a good idea of the character of the play. The ladies are working hard on the entertainment and it promises to be exceptionally good. Be sure to come.

If you don't want your land sold, you had best not list it with us. We expect to have at least fifty buyers here within the next sixty days, and they are coming to buy land, too.
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As we have said before, the value of this demonstration cannot well be over estimated, and is worth more to Texas than the total cost of maintaining the Agricultural and Mechanical college and all its experiment stations for many years.

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We have a farm consisting of 640 acres within two miles of Brownfield. 200 acres in cultivation, good 4 room house, well and windmill, stock sheds, etc. Price \$15 per acre, long time given on a large portion of the purchase money.

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We have purchased the Welch stock of dry goods which we are selling out at cost. You can get great bargains in many articles. Brownfield Hardware Co.

CHRISTMAS TIMES.

It seems that an unusual interest will be taken in Christmas festivities this year. Most everyone anticipates a good time, which is right and proper. In nearly every neighborhood in this part of the country preparations are being made for Christmas trees which will be laden with nice things for every one.

Road Notice to Land Owners.

The States of Texas: To all non-resident land owners of Yoakum county, Texas, take notice the undersigned jury appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum county, Texas, to lay out, survey and assess damages resulting from the establishment of two public roads ordered reviewed by the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum county, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of public square of Plains, Yoakum county, Texas, and run north to north line of Section 427, Block D. Thence west on section line to the northwest corner of Section 426, thence north to northeast corner of Section 392; thence west on section line to southwest corner of Section No. 364; thence north to northeast corner of Section No. 363; thence west on section line to state line. All the above land corners, etc., being in Block D of said Yoakum county.

Beginning at northeast corner of public square of the town of Plains, Yoakum county, Texas, run north to north line of Section 427, thence west to northwest corner of Section 427, thence north on section line to county line. All the above sections, corners, etc. are located in Block D of said Yoakum county.

We will on the 2nd day of January, 1909, in discharge of our duty meet upon the following premises to which you have some claim or title to-wit:

At the Court House in the town of Plains, Yoakum, Texas, and will then and there proceed to assess any damages to which you may be entitled on account of the laying out of said Public Road, and you are hereby requested and required to produce to us a statement in writing of damages, if any, claimed by you and all evidence which you may desire to offer in the premises.

In witness whereof we hereunto set our hand this first day of June, 1908.

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Terry County is thirty miles square, situated eighty miles north from Brownfield, on the P. & I. railroad, and about eighty miles southwest from Plainview, terminus of the Santa Fe; was organized in 1901, and has about 2,000 population, ALL WHITE, about 300 homes, mostly farmers and stock farmers, 30 school children, a school house in reach of every community, and a school fund of \$15 per scholar.

The soil is of a sandy nature, but one half of the county is firm mixed hard land, with enough sand to plow well, level and smooth. Portions of this land is covered with short grass and mesquite on 1 cat-claw bushes; other portions with sage grass and shiner, and a great deal of the county is a mixture of both, with clay foundation. The country being level, not having any running streams or mountains, the land catches and holds every drop of rain that falls—none is wasted. The grass is splendid grazing for cattle and other stock, and furnishes a living for thousands of cattle every year. The land produces fine corn, kaffir corn, maize, sugar cane, cotton equal to and averages with Central Texas and Oklahoma per year and per acre, while melons, potatoes, onions and vegetables are superior to that of other parts of the state. The rainfall is ample sufficient to produce good crops every year, as the farmers who have lived in Terry county for the past four years will bear testimony. Trees of all kinds that have been planted grow very rapidly; the water is pure, and from a fine, gypsum, chert, and found in abundance at 60 to 120 feet. Several large orchards in the county to bear fruit this year, and thousands of young trees set out every season.

The climate is dry in winter and early spring, but as mild as Central Texas, and it is noted that during the past two winters several severe blizzards passed far south of us, one hundred miles east, and never affected this county. Like all prairie countries the wind blows at times rather hard, and blows away the sand and will blow the sand when plowed up, but this is not the case with all the country.

Fuel is obtained from the large grubs under the mesquite, some of which are six and eight feet long, large as a stove pipe, while some use coal, hauled from the railroad. A man can cultivate a great deal more land here than in Central Texas or Oklahoma.

Brownfield:—Brownfield is the county site of Terry county, pretty location, a nice town with nearly 400 inhabitants, several stores, newspaper, church, house, 4-room 2-story school building—most on the Plains at present—runs an eight months term free school, good hotel, bank, lumber yard, livery stable, local and long distance telephone, and growing town. Auto line north and south, daily mail from three ways—daily stage. This town and county has never had an artificial boom, and no better time to invest than now.

Land Prices:—Lands adjoining town, unimproved \$12 to \$35 per acre. Unimproved 5 miles away at \$5 to \$10 per acre, unimproved 15 miles away at \$5 to \$10 per acre. Improved places with houses, wells, windmills, fences, farms, orchards—a ready made home for \$3 to \$15 per acre, some near, some a distance away. Some of the more sandy lands, 20 miles away at \$2.50 per acre, both school and patented land. These lands can be bought on terms one-fourth to one-half cash, balance in two to six years time at 8 per cent interest, or all cash if preferred. These lands are owned by different people. No one man owns this country. It is the small farmers' country. Any sized tracts can be had from ten acres to ten sections.

YOAKUM COUNTY.

Yoakum county joins Terry on the west. It is very much such a county as Terry in quality of land, water, etc., about the only difference being that it is not so well developed and as yet has very few farmers in it. Yoakum was only organized last September, and now contains between 300 and 400 inhabitants.

Plains:—Plains, situated in the center of the county, is the county site. The town is nicely situated, and just as soon as the county settles up, will make one of the best towns on the Central Plains. Lands in Yoakum county sell at from \$2 to \$4 bonus, and are among the best lands in the county. Patented lands sell at 25 to 30 per acre, and on terms of from one-fourth to one-third cash, balance from three to five years time. There is no better place in the west for a man with small means to get a cheap home than in Yoakum county, nor for the man of large means to invest his capital, because lands in that county are cheaper than in any other section of the Plains country.

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