

# The Terry County Herald

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## DO YOU NEED ANY FARM IMPLEMENTS

Well, we have them of all kinds, stored away, awaiting your order. We will be pleased to serve you.

## WE BUY HIDES AND FURS

And pay the highest market price for them. If it is shelf hardware you need, let your wants be known. We will order anything in hardware for you.

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## Can Affiliate With Simmons College

There are still those in Terry county who do not believe that the Brownfield High School has affiliation without examination in first class colleges. On the other hand she can send her pupils now either to a Methodist, Baptist or a State Normal. Just peruse the following letter from president J. D. Sanderfer, Simmons College of Abilene. We have the original at the Herald office.

Abilene, Texas, 4-5 '12  
Supt. J. F. Hunter,  
Brownfield, Texas.  
Dear Professor:

I am in receipt of your High School Bulletin and have looked over your course of study quite carefully. I am pleased to say that we will give you credit for the work that you do in your high school. Any student from your high school, having completed your tenth grade, would be admitted without examination into the Freshman class in English, Mathematics and Science. Your high school seems to be one year short in Latin and History.

I trust we may have some good student from your school another year.

I am,  
Cordially Yours,  
J. D. Sanderfer,  
President.

## A Wedding.

Mr. Early Key and Miss Hettie Moore, both of Gomez, were quietly married at the Court House last Sunday at near 1 p. m., Judge Neill officiating. They were accompanied over by Mr. and Mrs. McWhirter and were joined here by Mr. and Mrs. Lence Price, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Proctor and several young people.

Mr. Key is the son of Mr. S. H. Key and wife of Gomez, one of our most prominent farmers. He has but recently finished a course at the Canyon Normal being both proficient and favorite among his many friends. Miss Hettie is the charming daughter of one of Gomez's progressive merchants, is highly accomplished and beloved by all who know her. She is a jewel any man should be proud to possess.

The Herald hopes for them an easy and pleasant path through the trials of this life.

## New Mail Line.

We forgot to mention last week than Mr. A. M. McBurnett and Dr. H. T. Day were in with a petition for a thrice a week mail line to a postoffice to be established in the southern part of the county. The proposition met the hearty approval of Brownfield people, they being as adverse to being cut off from direct mail connection with these people as they are from being cut off from us. The petition has been duly signed and sent to the department for its approval.

Some think we are making a mistake in asking for the line so soon after getting a change in a daily line from LaMesa to Lubbock, but as we see it, we are only asking for a short line just three times a week over the old line, and to have no Southern outlet. The department appreciates the fact as well as any one that people of any jurisdiction or county wish direct mail communication with their own county site in preference to any other point, and on these grounds we believe these deserving people will finally succeed in their application. The place where the new postoffice is to be established will probably be at Bradley's.

## Texas Cattle Win Blue Ribbon.

Ft. Worth, Texas, Mar. 8th  
Notwithstanding the unfavor-

able weather which prevailed during the closing days of the Fat Stock Show, the event was one of the most successful in the history of the association and the results show a signal victory for Texas cattle over those of other states in the Union. The report of the manager shows that 8,000 entries were made during the week, which is more than 2,000 above the list on previous occasions, the premiums awarded amounted to approximately \$30,000 and the grade of stock was far above the average. A pleasing feature of the show and one which will be gratifying to Texas breeders, was the great number of premiums won by Texas cattle in competition with those of other states. The greatest victory ever recorded in the annals of the livestock industry was achieved when four Texas short-horn bulls, owned by Frank Schofield of Hillsboro, won blue ribbons over four hitherto undefeated champions of the North. The defeated animals had previously won honors at the International Show at Chicago and other leading stock shows in the United States and Canada and were among the finest specimens of livestock ever exhibited in the United States. The winning of the medals by the Texas cattle is credited to the increasing demand for pure bred cattle and to the efforts of the Texas stockmen in improving the quality of their stock. Texas has more cattle than any other state in the Union and the Show which has just closed is testimony to the desirability of Texas as a cattle raising state.

## Harris Happenings.

April 10th

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Pruitt and family of Gomez, visited Mr. and Mrs. Spear and family a week ago last Sunday.

Mrs. Alexander of Lubbock, is visiting her son, Mr. Hammond and family.

In last week's paper we stated that Mr. Meredith of Lubbock had traded for the C. H. Burrus place. Our informant was mistaken in the name which should have read J. F. Merritt.

Two prospectors from Plainview, Texas, R. M. Irick and Tom Vaughn, passed through here last week on their way to the mountains in New Mexico.

It seems like our citizens are having another auto nobile craze. Funny isn't it, how some men

rail at women for being slaves to fashion especially at this season of the year when the bills come in for easter hats? But—two years ago the people of Texas paid out \$45,000,000 for automobiles—'twas fashion's decree.

A large crowd was out Sunday notwithstanding the unfavorable weather. Bro. Dixon delivered two splendid sermons which were very much appreciated. And the dinner was without reproach even by the most fastidious.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris called on Mr. and Mrs. Spear and Mr. and Mrs. Dooley each in turn last Wednesday.

Mr. McHugh from the South part of Yoakum County, spent last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. Clare.

Messrs. Wills and Norris, two young men from New Mexico, have been camped in our neighborhood for some time wolf hunting, but moved on Monday morning.

Sand Bur.

## Pleasant Valley.

April 11th

Farming is now the order of the day; all are busy turning the soil for another crop.

Miss Etta Kinard is visiting at Pride.

Miss Lillie Holt is visiting in Lubbock.

Quite a crowd of little folks were entertained Sunday afternoon by an Easter Hunt at Mrs. John Burnett's. After the hunt they were invited into the dining room where punch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeates of Yoakum county, have been visiting R. E. Burnett.

Messrs. Claud Wilson and Edwin Holt have gone to Slaton.

Burnett Bros. have been buying hides and have gone to Tahoka to market.

Mr. Price has been out to the Burnett ranch inspecting hides this week.

Steer buyers of Kansas were down looking at the Burnett and Arnett steers.

Mr. Snodgrass and son were visiting the family of R. E. Burnett.

Samantha.

## Blizzards! Blizzards!! Then Some More.

This is all the news one gets from the weather Bureau, and so many such telegrams following each other in rapid succession means something. Better let us load your wagon. Get our prices on post, wire and feedstuff.

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A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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Try sawing your yard fence posts off even and nice and you will find that it adds 25 percent to the beauty of your premises, not to mention the amount of kindling you procure. Try it.

A delegation of our people will go to Seminole Monday where they will be joined by like representatives of Lubbock and Seminole. These delegations will hold a conference with officials of the Pecos Valley Southern Railroad in regards to an extension of said road from Pecos to Lubbock, via Seminole, Brownfield and Meadow.

Gov. Ben Hooper (Rep.) of the State of Tennessee, has appointed Newell Sanders, a Republican, of Chattanooga, to fill out the unexpired term of Robt. L. Taylor deceased, in the U. S. Senate. This makes the 3rd Republican to represent that state in the U. S. Senate: Joseph S. Tyler from 1865 to 1871, and William G. Brownlow from 1869 to 1875.

There has been considerably more talk about railroad building in our town lately than there has been for two years, or since we sent M. V. Brownfield on a wild goose chase to Chicago about that time. We confidently learn that a railroader who is heavily interested in Brownfield property, has recently written one of our citizens that he has seen a blue print of the men higher up which shows cross roads at

Brownfield. To substantiate this, a prominent citizen of our town, who was recently in Fort Worth, was given a peep at the blue prints of the general manager and chief engineer of a big railroad company. He says that the map showed a railroad running from Tahoka west through Brownfield to a point in New Mexico; another from Lubbock running through here to Pecos, like the proposed Pecos Valley Southern's northern extension, and still another branching off at Brownfield and running in a northwesternly course. In fact says this gentleman, it showed Brownfield the future railroad center of this part of the country. Of course many will say that this is merely on paper, to which we agree, but still it goes to show that we are in the railroader's eyes and should they make a move westward, and we certainly have reason to believe they will, only an effort on our part would influence them to come here. They are not coming for nothing, because this is the age of bonuses, but our people are liberal and progressive and have always responded very promptly with their parts. Some still put up the old cry that we won't have a railroad in five years, and maybe never, but that is what they said ten years ago in Central West Texas, and now most of their towns sport from one to three railroads; some even more, and ours is a long shot the best country.

#### CANDIDATES

Who have announced for office subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 27th, 1912.

##### FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

W. R. Spencer  
John H. Moore

##### FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

J. E. Vickers

##### FOR COUNTY JUDGE

W. H. Gist  
W. G. Hardin  
Geo. W. Neill

##### FOR CO. and DIST. CLERK

T. J. Price  
D. J. Broughton

##### FOR SHERIFF and TAX-COL.

Geo. E. Tiernan  
W. R. Bridges

##### FOR TAX-ASSESSOR

J. R. Burnett  
V. H. Trammell  
R. W. Glover

##### FOR COUNTY TREASURER

H. T. Brooks

#### Citation.

##### THE STATE OF TEXAS:—

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greetings:—  
 You are hereby commanded to make service, by publication in newspaper in Terry County Texas for thirty days of the following notice:  
 John Daugherty vs. Wilber F. Fauley and Suit pending in the District Court of Terry County Texas.

To all persons interested in the above entitled suit.

Notice is hereby given that John Daugherty, Plaintiff, has filed interrogatories in the above entitled and numbered suit, now pending in said Court, propounded to M. A. Daugherty, who resides at Lancaster, Ohio, and Plaintiff John Daugherty who resides at Stratton, Nebraska; Wilber F. Fauley, who resides in the city and State of New York, and the Clerk of the District Court of Sedgewick County, Kansas, the answers to all of which will be read in evidence on the trial of said cause, and has also filed herein his affidavit, stating that the residence and whereabouts

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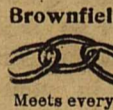
**BROWNFIELD CHAPTER, NO. 399, R. A. M.**  
 W. R. Spencer.....High Priest  
 Geo. E. Tiernan.....Secretary  
 Meets 2nd Saturday after the full moon in each lunar month




**Officers of BROWNFIELD LODGE A. F. & A. M. No. 903.**  
 Geo. E. Tiernan, W. M.  
 H. H. Longbreak, Secretary  
 Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each lunar month at 4 p. m.




**Wade Chapter 317 O. E. S.**  
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 Miss Annie Hamilton, Secretary.  
 Meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at Masonic Hall




**Brownfield Lodge No. 530 I. O. O. F.**  
 J. L. Randal, N. G.  
 J. F. Winston, Secty.  
 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.  
 Miss Annie Hamilton N. G.  
 Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.



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 J. T. May, C. C.  
 J. F. Winston, Clerk  
 Meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday night in each month in the Odd Fellows Hall



**Gomez Lodge No. 828 I. O. O. F.**  
 W. A. Shepherd, N. G.  
 Simon Holgate, Secty  
 Meets every Thursday night in the Odd Fellows Hall

#### Church Directory.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11 A.M. and 7:30 P. M.

At Meadow every 1st and 3rd Sunday at 11- A.M.  
 Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. Everybody invited.

Epworth League: Seniors meet at 4 p. m. Intermediate at 3 p. m. and Juniors meet with Mrs. J. T. May at 3 p. m. every Sunday.  
 Rev. V. H. Trammell, Pastor.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Sunday School and Church Emblems every Sunday at 10 a. m., at the School House. You are cordially invited to attend.  
 R. H. Banowsky, Leader.

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Days of meeting: ever 1st Sunday and Saturday before. S. S. 10 a. m. Preaching on Saturday 11: a. m., on Sunday 11: a. m. and 8: p. m. Sunbeam Society 4: p. m. Prayermeeting Thursday 8: p. m. Preaching on 3rd Sunday by Rev. M. D. Williams; morning and night. J. W. Thomas Missionary Pastor.

of the Defendant, A. G. Burright is unknown, and that a commission will issue on or after the thirteenth day after the Publication of this notice to take the depositions of said witnesses.

And of this precept, and how you have executed same, make due return.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield, Texas, this the 26 day of March, 1912.

T. J. PRICE,  
 Clerk of the District Court of Terry County, Texas,

#### Winter Laying Reds.

Good cockrels for sale. May hatched pullets began laying Oct. and layed all winter. Eggs for sale \$1.50 and \$2. per 15.

L. REDFERN  
 Sligo, Texas.

Carl Sams and family passed through last week in their new Ford auto. Mr. Bradley, of Lubbock, the agent who sold them the car, came down with them to demonstrate it. Carl said he'd try not get above his neighbors.

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## LOCALS

Spring? Well yes.  
Gardening! gardening! garden-  
ing! then some gardening.  
We learn that Jno. W. Gordon  
is very ill at Lubbock.  
Jack Bryan came in from  
Mineral Wells last week.  
Grandma Young is on the sick  
list this week.  
The girls are practicing on a  
drill for the close of school.  
Ready to wear Ladies and  
Misses hats at J. T. May's  
store.  
Mr. A. C. Copeland will finish  
his contract on the Tahoka road  
this week.  
W. B. Snodgrass, of the West  
side was in the capital last Tues-  
day on business.  
Mail will come in from Lub-  
bock next Tuesday instead of La-  
mesa if nothing happens.  
Burnett Bros. will carry 250  
dry hides to Tahoka this week  
for shipment.  
J. T. May asked us to stop his  
peanut ad this week as he had  
sold them.  
A letter from Mrs. Allie Mc-  
Daniel says she is getting on  
very well at Mineral Wells.  
M. V. Brownfield, accompan-  
ied by postmaster E. B. Wright,  
went to Lubbock yesterday.  
FOR SALE about 15 bushels  
of Rublee, better known as  
Bank Cotton. See J. W. Welch  
quick.  
If you want to sell it, put an ad  
in the Herald. If you want to  
keep it, better keep it out of Her-  
ald columns.  
Uncle Joe Fisher says his al-  
falfa is looking up very pretty.  
He will likely sow ten acres more  
this year.  
Hereafter, on account of the  
change of the mail, The Herald  
will be issued on Thursday after-  
noon or Friday morning.  
TIME FLIES—Come and get  
your photo while I am here. I  
will leave the later part of April.  
Mrs. O. M. Daniel.  
J. H. James came in this week  
after his last load of furniture.  
He had us change his Herald to  
Tatum, New Mexico.  
George McWhirter's house-  
hold goods came in yesterday  
from Clarendon. He will occupy  
the Williams house.  
The Hardware bought a con-  
signement of the latest improved  
washing machines this week.  
Watch for an ad in the Herald  
when they arrive.  
GOOD work horses to sell or  
trade for stock horses. Will  
take a note; see  
Will Moore  
Gomez, Texas.  
We learn that a fine boy was  
borned to Mr. and Mrs. Ote  
Copeland. We'll bet Dady Ote  
has to have a whole sidewalk to  
himself now.  
Mr. Harper of Lubbock, was  
down this week looking after  
his interests. He says he will  
not move down just now but in-  
tends to later.

The balance of the address to  
the voters of Texas, by Gov. O.  
B. Coluitt's friends, will be found  
continued from page five to page  
six.  
Powell and Banowsky went  
down to J. V. Newsom's Mon-  
day and got their bunch of  
horses and carried them out to  
the Dock Walker place.  
Dr. H. T. Day and Mr. A. M.  
McBurnett, two prominent  
farmers of the Groves Chapel  
neighborhood, were in town  
yesterday on business.  
We understand that J. L. Ran-  
dal has purchased the M. D.  
Williams fountain. T. A. Holley  
will not run a stand as we form-  
erly announced, but the field will  
be left to Messrs. Randal and C.  
L. Williams.  
NOTICE: We will grind meal  
on Friday, though will keep meal  
on hand to exchange for corn.  
Can crush feed any day.  
TerryCo. Mill & Feed Co.  
We learned this week that Mr.  
Underdown has rented his  
place and will move back east  
so that his folks can help him  
take care of his little motherless  
children.  
W. C. Benson, who owns the  
T4 ranch, passing through here  
Sunday with manager T. C. Ivey  
and wife of the running "M"  
ranch. Mr. Benson seems al-  
ways glad to get out of the city  
in the free open air of a Plains  
ranch.  
Cleve Williams came to town  
yesterday and begin the con-  
struction of an ice closet for his  
cold drink stand. His foun-  
tarian is at Lubbock and he will  
start after it and supplies Mon-  
Our whistles wont have to wait  
long now, will it Mr. Candidate.  
Several members of the loca  
Masonic lodge have asked us to  
announce to the public that Bro.  
Kerby will give a lecture dis-  
course on Masonary at the  
Methodist church on Sunday,  
April 21st. Let all who possibly  
can hear this talented speaker.  
IT COSTS you no more to  
leave your watch, clock or optical  
work at the Herald office than if  
you were in Lubbock yourself.  
The price is the same. Bring in  
your lame watches, clocks, etc,  
and let us send them to Norton,  
the Watch doctor.  
A great addition to our stock  
growing facilities this week  
when T. J. Price became the  
owner of one of the finest jacks  
we have seen in this country.  
He made the purchase from Mr.  
Myres of Lynn County. They  
took him out to their horse ranch  
two miles north of town.  
J. F. Winston showed us  
some of the finest heads of  
grain we have ever seen one day  
this week. It is a hybrid of  
red kaffir and maize, and the  
heads contain fully a third more  
than either kaffir or maize. The  
farmer's objection to the cross is  
that the stubble is so heavy they  
can hardly turn it.  
Our accomodating merchants  
while not rushed and not put-

ing on any specials are doing a  
good steady business and enlist-  
ing some new customers and  
wish to trade with still others.  
Our merchants are a progress-  
ive set and deserve a good  
trade. Stay with your home  
merchants and other business  
enterprises.  
Joe Griffith, who was practical-  
ly raised in Terry County, but  
recently of Clarendon, came in  
this week to pay his brother, Will  
Mathis, a visit. Joe was once an  
employ of the Herald, but left  
here with his mother for Okla-  
homa. They have sold out their  
property in Okla. and Clarendon,  
but Joe says he dont know where  
they will move back here, yet or  
not, but he was nearly tickled to  
death to get back himself.  
Judge Neill happened to a  
painful and dangerous accident  
this week. While passing a  
black locust tree a limb struck  
his ear, breaking into and injur-  
ing the exterior of his ear to  
some extent, but the interior  
kept paining him so much he  
thought probably a portion of the  
limb went on the inside. Upon  
going back to the tree he found  
that a small insect had embed in  
the limb for winter and conclud-  
ed a bug was in his ear and had  
medicine administered. Sure  
enough in a few nights Mr. Bug  
come out very dead.  
"I had been given  
up to die by three  
of our best doctors,  
I could not stand it to be on my  
feet and I was so swelled in the  
abdomen I could hardly breathe.  
But thanks to Dr. Miles' Heart  
Remedy and Nervine I am able to  
be about the streets, a walking  
advertisement of the curative qual-  
ities of your remedies, although I  
am 70 years old."  
JOHN R. COCHRAN,  
Lewistown, Ill.  
Better than any statement we  
could make regarding the value of  
**Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy**  
are these words of Mr. Cochran.  
He speaks from experience, the  
highest possible source of knowl-  
edge. If you have any of the  
signs of a weak heart, such as  
pain in the left shoulder or arm,  
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ness of breath, smothering spells,  
fluttering or palpitation of the heart,  
you need  
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which for over twenty years has  
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ration of its kind to be had.  
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Tahoka Texas  
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\*\*\*\*\*  
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prairie dog poison and we will be glad  
to have your name on our list. If you  
need any you can get it at the **RED  
CROSS PHARMACY**, Lubbock, Texas, at  
\$12.50 per pound, also anything you  
want in the drug line we will give your  
business our personal attention and  
see that you get what you want. Let  
us hear from you.  
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**GOMEZ DOTS**

April 10th

The showers of rain Friday and Sunday nights were appreciated.

The Misses Simms went to Harris Friday evening and stayed over Sunday to attend an egg hunt; also Messrs. Sherman and Alvil Pruitt.

Robbie Hurst from Lubbock, is visiting his brother, Mr. Ben Hurst, on the ranch west of Gomez.

Mr. Ben Hurst, wife and Bobbie visited Mr. Glover's family Saturday and Sunday. Ben says his stock are doing fine.

Will Mathis was seen on the streets of Gomez last week.

Mr. Booth Hays, from Meadow, went out to his father's ranch last week.

Mrs. J. T. Gainer, of Plains, was visiting friends in Gomez last week and attended the play. She returned Sunday morning.

Miss Addie George was phone operator last week while Mr. Kelly was at work on the line west of here.

G. E. Lockhart of Taboka, was in Gomez last week. He and W. B. Gainer made a trip to Plains.

B. McPherson was in town Friday visiting kinfolks.

Mrs. J. J. Lane came to town Friday to attend the play.

Mrs. Davis is on the sick list, but is now on the road to recovery.

The young folks had a party at Mr. Robt. Holgate's Saturday night. Sometime was spent in conversation, games etc., after which a course of delicious refreshments were served. All present report a delightful time, and hope they may have another in the near future.

Mr. D. Y. Blanton of west of Gomez, was in town Wednesday on business.

Mr. Geo. Snodgrass and family were in town shopping Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mon Yeats passed through town on their return from a visit.

Mr. Pruitt, accompanied by Mr. A. P. Moore went to Lubbock last week; the former went for a load of freight.

Rev. J. H. Hill and son, were in town Monday on business.

Mr. Massy passed thru town Thursday on his way to Brownfield.

Mr. Underdown went out to the W. A. Chisholm neighborhood last week and brought back a big load of maize.

Mr. John Williams and family passed thru Gomez the other day with a big load of wood for sale.

Misses Gay Broughton and Evans and the later's brother, of Lakeview, came down Friday and returned Sunday afternoon.

The little folks and others were entertained with an Easter egg hunt at the home of Mr and Mrs. W. H. Black Saturday evening from 2 to 4 o'clock. They report a splendid time.

Mr. R. L. Gray from Ray Brownfield's ranch, had business in town Tuesday.

W. G. Myers passed through town Tuesday, enroute to Tahoka.

Sunday afternoon Mr. Early

Key and Miss Hettie Moore drove to Brownfield, and like young lovers will do, were united in matrimony by Judge Neill. They returned to Gomez about 4 p. m. This being the hour set for egg hunting for the young people from the school house. They were met by many of their friends who were not lacking in congratulations and good wishes for the bridal pair. Early is one of our most capable young men and Miss Hettie is a very estimable young lady. We wish them a happy and successful life.

The home talent was seen in "Handy Andy" by a large crowd Friday night; each one acted his part well.

H. D. Leach and family, of Blythe visited in Gomez this week.

R. A. Snodgrass and family are visiting R. W. Glover's family this week.

West Wind

Work left at the Herald office will be promptly attended to.

**NOTICE**

To debtors and creditors of C. M. Lyon, Deceased: THE STATE OF TEXAS } County of Terry } To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of C. M. Lyon deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of C. M. Lyon, deceased, late of Terry County, Texas, by Geo. W. Neill, Judge of the County Court of said county, on the 20th day of February, 1912, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his place of business in Brownfield, Texas, in Terry County, where he receives his mail, this the 2nd day of March, 1912.

R. I. BANOWSKY, Administrator of the Estate of C. M. Lyon, Deceased.

**Citation**

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greetings: You are hereby commanded to summon A. G. Burright by making publication of this citation, once a week for four successive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the Honorable District Court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court house thereof in Brownfield on the Fifth Monday in April, 1912, the same being the 29th day of April, 1912, then and there to answer a petition

filed in said Court on the 25th day of March, 1912 in a suit of said Court No. —, wherein John Daugherty is Plaintiff, and Wilber F. Fauley and A. G. Burright are Defendants. The nature of the Plaintiff's demand is as follows to-wit:

A suit to remove cloud from title on Survey No. 47 in block 4X, Cert. 1303, issued to E. L. & R. R. Co., patented to John Daugherty, by Pat. No. 172, Vol. 53, 640 acres in Terry County, Texas, in which suit plaintiff alleges that defendants had placed of records in Deed records of Terry County, Texas in Vol. 9 on page 90 an instrument purporting to convey said land from plaintiff to said Fauley, and in Vol. 9 at page 89 an instrument purporting to convey said land from said Fauley to said Burright, that said deeds are forgeries, false and fraudulent, that plaintiff has never sold nor conveyed said land; is still the owner thereof, and sues for judgment removing cloud from title, and to cancel, annul, and hold said instruments for naught.

HEREIN fail not but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield Texas, this the 26th day of March, 1912.

T. J. PRICE, Clerk of the District Court of Terry County Texas.

**IS IT TOO STRONG?**

Henry Wallace, a leading and highly respected Iowa agricultural editor and authority, a member of the Roosevelt country life commission and lately chosen president of the National Conservation association, recently made the statement in a public rate hearing that the average quarter section farm devoted to grain raising is robbed on an average of \$467 annually and that the owner is in reality that much poorer as a result of the season's operations. Men who are wont to go into ecstasies over the inexhaustible fertility of American farms have criticised rather sharply or poked ridicule at Mr. Wallace's assertion, when the likelihood is that if he erred on either side in the statement made it was that of conservatism. This law of the impoverishment of fertility as a result of the continued practice of raising grain crops and selling them in the raw state is just as inexorable and binding as the law of the Medes and Persians or the law of gravity, and by no possibility can it be abrogated by published statements by the thoughtless that it has no binding force. Better far would it be if all who are interested in the fertility and cultivation of the soil should give serious heed to the warning referred to and so modify their operations as to conserve its fertility instead of wasting it heedlessly.

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## CAMPAIGN OF TEXAS' GOVERNOR

For Second Term Discussed by Number of Friends.

### AN ADDRESS IS PREPARED

Two Hundred Citizens Present a Document Setting Forth Record of Mr. Colquitt and Urging That He Succeed Himself.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 10.—An enthusiastic meeting of Colquitt supporters, at which about 200 were represented in person and by letters, was held at the Westbrook hotel today.

Colonel R. M. Johnston of Houston called the meeting to order and stated its object—that of aiding the campaign of Governor O. B. Colquitt for re-election. He expressed gratification that in view of the quarantines now prevailing the attendance was so large and that so many sections of the state were represented.

The conference was organized by the election of G. H. Culp of Gainesville as chairman and W. P. Hobby of Beaumont as secretary.

Many speeches were made indicating that the interest in Governor Colquitt's re-election is general throughout the state and that an aggressive campaign will be waged in his behalf from the counties and sections represented. Each speaker predicted the renomination of Governor Colquitt by an overwhelming majority.

A committee on ways and means, consisting of Paul Waples of Fort Worth, Gus Shaw of Texarkana, F. W. Cook of San Antonio, Royal A. Ferris of Dallas and B. F. Bonner of Houston was appointed to consult Governor Colquitt with a view to aiding him in the promotion of his campaign.

A committee was appointed to prepare an address to the Democrats of Texas in behalf of Governor Colquitt, and the adoption of the views as outlined by this committee setting forth the achievements of Governor Colquitt's administration and presenting his claims to the support of Democrats in the forthcoming primaries ended the work of the conference.

#### Address to Texas Democrats.

The address and the signatures of those offering it was as follows:  
To the Democrats of Texas:

We present Governor O. B. Colquitt for renomination at your hands, because we believe he is worthy of your trust; because the practical policies which he has executed have operated to the benefit of our citizenship, and because he is clearly entitled to the enjoyment of a second term under the time-honored custom of our party.

He is a man of fair dealing and unflinching courage in the performance of duty; he has not deceived you; he has not disappointed the expectations of his friends; he has not played politics, but has met every issue promptly, with adherence to conviction and with a patriotic purpose to serve the state and uphold its laws. His private life is blameless; his public career of twenty years is an unbroken record of devotion to the public welfare; he has given the best energies of his life to the service of the state.

#### Benefited Public Institutions.

His administration has been marked by economy and businesslike methods; to meet a deficit caused by a tax rate which was manipulated for political purposes and which failed to yield a sufficient revenue, he had the courage to recommend and the legislature wisely made provisions sufficient to maintain the government with efficiency but without extravagance. As a consequence the state's education and eleemosynary institutions, which had been inadequately maintained and impoverished, are now decently supported; buildings which had suffered damage almost to the point of destruction have been repaired; needed improvements and equipments have been provided and in the erection of new buildings fireproof construction has been required.

In proof of the fairness of this statement we refer to the reports of the several committees appointed by the general appropriations committee of the last legislature to personally inspect the state's eleemosynary and educational institutions and specially to the report prepared by Hon. C. M. Cureton on the intolerable physical conditions which were revealed at the Agricultural and Mechanical College.

#### Tuberculosis Commission.

He has won the approval of the whole people by his helpful aid in the cause of humanity and curative science in the matter of creating the tuberculosis commission as a means of eradicating the ravages of the great white plague. Equally prompt and efficient has been the action of this state health department with respect to the prevailing visitation of meningitis and in all other matters of public health.

Upon his recommendation the most liberal appropriation in the history of the state was made for the livestock sanitary commission and that body has administered the law with exceptional efficiency, not only with respect to cattle quarantine and cattle inspection, but with respect also to the suppression of disease among farm animals. As a consequence, millions of dollars have been saved to the livestock industry of the state.

His prompt and wise action in protecting the Texas border from marauders and from perils threatened by the recent Mexican insurrections has brought approval and applause from the entire nation.

#### The New Prison System.

The new prison system under the direction of his commissioners has become merciful and reformatory as well as punitive; cruelty has been abolished and prison life has become tolerable and wholesome without sacrificing discipline. Notwithstanding



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ing a heavy financial obligation imposed by the law allowing pay to convicts; notwithstanding heavy loss of revenue by the unavoidable freezing of a large part of the state's cane crop, and notwithstanding a disastrous fire at the Huntsville prison, the system has been maintained upon its own revenues and provision has been made for needed repairs and reconstruction.

By his express recommendation or by his cheerful approval, the state's educational institutions are more generously sustained than for many years past; the normal schools have been placed under a single board of regents, removed as far as possible from political control; rural high schools have been established and an improved text book law has been enacted with provisions for the prevention of political influence.

#### Opposed Political Spoils System.

His administration is notable for the high character and efficiency of his appointees. Appreciative of his friends, he has refused to regard the public service as the spoils of political war.

In so far as he has been able under the stressful circumstances of factional strife, he has directed his energies toward making the government more serviceable; his policies have been constructive; he has sought to bring prosperity to business, improvement to agriculture,

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and peace to the people. He has refused to permit extended and repeated sessions of the legislature to harass the state with adventurous legislation for political or factional ends.

The opposition to his re-election is an appeal solely to prejudice growing out of the late prohibition campaign. For four years the state has been embroiled in this controversy, which was submitted to the people last year. If the people desire it submitted again they have full opportunity in the appointed way and they can be neither hindered nor helped in this purpose by the governor, whoever he may be. Until the people order another submission the question ought to be eliminated from our state affairs as irrelevant and as hurtful to our peace and prosperity.

### Signal Service for Temperance.

In the meanwhile Governor Colquitt has rendered signal service in the interest of temperance and in the enforcement of law by suppressing many so-called social clubs which were saloons in disguise.

Four years ago the country suffered a financial panic; for three years following there has been distress in agriculture and in commerce on account of deficient rainfall, and the past winter brought an inflation of epidemic disease which has distressed the people and caused serious injury to business. Meanwhile economic problems press for solution. Our commerce, our agriculture, our industries and our social conditions demand the most intelligent and the most considerate care which a dutiful government may bestow in the interest of prosperity, health and happiness.

Governor Colquitt's re-election will insure an administration free from harassing legislation, alert to material affairs and pledged to salutary and practical reforms in response to the universal demand for progressive limitations of the liquor traffic and for the strict enforcement of the law.

### Re-Election Means Political Rest.

Courage in office upon the part of an executive or upon the part of a legislative body always develops more or less opposition by those who are disappointed in failing to obey action which they seek in their interest. Selfish business on the one hand and zealous labor on the other are constantly striving for advantage or benefit or betterment. As a consequence no faithful administration can hope to escape criticism of some kind. Upon the whole the administration of Governor Colquitt has aroused less opposition in these respects than might have been expected, for he has been compelled under his view of constitutional duty and sound public policy to resist some measures favored by commercial interests and some interests favored by labor interests. Every fair man who is apart from personal interest in such measures will accord to him good conscience and unselfish conduct for the manifest reason that he has dared to do his duty as he saw it at the hazard of his political

fortune. After all is said however, it is plain to thinking minds that the welfare of business and the welfare of labor alike at this time demand a cessation of strife in order that commerce and industry may recover from the distresses of drouth, disease and disturbance and that every man of commerce and every man of toil may have opportunity to employ his capital or his labor. We appeal for at least two years of rest from turmoil and we admonish the people not to be misled by personal ambition, political spite or factional strife.

We believe that aside from prohibition, which is not a pertinent issue, the masses are one in approval of Governor Colquitt's administration and we confidently rely upon their sense of justice and fair dealing to give him an opportunity to perfect the policies which he has so wisely adopted and to bring to Texas a short season of "legislative rest and political peace."

The people of Texas are a just people. While swift and sure in their rebuke to unworthiness in the public service they are none the less generous in their approval of loyalty to public trust. They have never permitted the factional spirit of an hour to becloud their judgment or obscure their course of action. At this time, when every patriotic impulse is for the prosperity of the commonwealth and contentment of its people, in advocating the renomination of Governor Colquitt we appeal to their sense of justice in behalf of competent administration and the maintenance of soberness, fairness and integrity in the conduct of public affairs.

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### i. O. O. F. Reception

Again the Brownfield Lodge No. 530 was called to Gomez last Thursday night to help their neighboring lodge confere some degrees. The Brownfield degree team was in good trim and received many compliments from their brothers at Gomez. They put three candidates through the 1st degree and one through the second.

After this was done a delicious course consisting of cake, coffee, chocolate and fruit was served and we want to say right here that Gomez fully sustained its feeding reputation on this occasion. We noticed some one examining "Shorty" Winn to see if his legs were hollow and Dock Powell says Jack Drinkard helped himself to a piece of cake the size of a dogs head and asked him if "a few bits of cake would hurt anyone." Let us say right here though that none of the champion "epi." hardy distaned Dock.

The Brownfield boys are always ready to help their neighboring lodge as they are always highly paid in genuine entertainment.

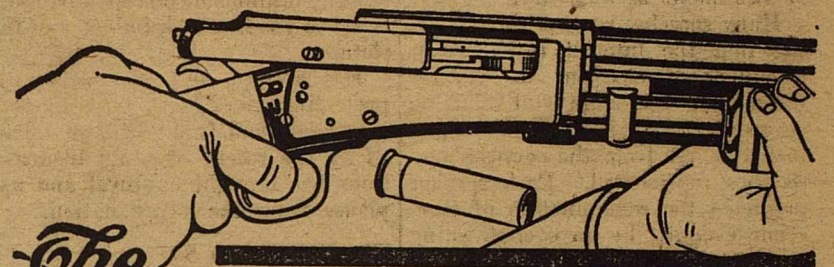
### March Precipitation Greatest In Past 7 Years.

Fort Worth, April 8th. The local weather bureau announces that the rainfall in Tex. during the month of March was the greatest in the past seven years. Reports from all over the state show a good condition for small grains, especially corn and oats and with favorable weather during April the 1912 farm production will be the largest in the history of the State.

Uncle B. Mc-Pherson came in from Comanche county last week, where he has been visiting his son. He says people are in better shape here than there.

The little fellows, 56 in number, enjoyed a genuine Easter egg hunt last Saturday afternoon. A good Easter program was rendered at the Methodist church Sunday.

A good crowd of our citizens went over to Gomez last Friday night to attend the play. While they all agree that the acting was up to the usual high standard at Gomez, the quality of the play was not up to those usually put on over there.



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