

DAM WASHED AWAY.

Water Overflows the Top of Dam And finally washes out the Center of it.

The large dam which was being constructed by the T. & P. Railway Company, south of town was badly damaged last Friday night. A breach 90 feet wide and forty feet deep was made in the dam and all the water escaped. The face of the dam is also badly damaged, the riprap being torn away by the force of the water. Two hours and a half after the rain began falling the draw was level full of water and all of the surrounding country looked like a vast lake. It was supposed that it would take several years for the rains to fill this vast basin, but at 9 o'clock the water began to flow over the top of this forty-four foot dam and despite all that 60 men could do to prevent it, the dam broke at 9:30. Everything that man could do to prevent this breakage was done and at the time it gave away quite a number of citizens were on their way to aid in preventing the breakage.

The work on the dam was to have been completed Tuesday of this week and the loss is quite heavy. The men were just beginning the work of putting the finishing touches to the dam and constructing the spillway. If the spillway had been completed, or even cut several feet lower the dam would not have been damaged as the water would not have gone over the top and thus eaten its way through the dam.

If the the dam should have kept in check this vast amount of water the supply would have lasted for many years to come and Big Springs would have had one of the largest bodies of fresh water in this part of the state, as three-fourths of a mile above the dam the water was from twenty to thirty feet deep.

The dam above the spring also had a breach torn in it 15 or 20 feet wide, and the swollen stream emptied into the big spring, which had recently been cleaned out. There is a force of men already at work on this dam and it will be repaired at once. Now that the weak points of the dam have been exposed it is a certainty that it will take a worse flood than this one to again damage the work.

Aside from the dams being injured there are several engines and pumps badly torn up if not entirely destroyed by the flood of water, also tools, piping, etc. A horse which had been staked in the valley a quarter of a mile above the dam, was drowned before the men could get it loose and bring it to higher ground.

The work of repairing the large dam is progressing rapidly and will be completed in a month or so. When completed this time the dam will be much more substantial than before as several material changes are being made in its construction. It is more than probable that not in many

a year will such a flood be sent against the dam as appeared last Friday and when this dam gets thoroughly settled it will take an extra big flood to damage it.

As soon as the dam is completed and another big flood comes we will be able to boast of our large lake and we will not fail to invite Editor Kindred of Colorado to spend a few days here boating and fishing.

The damage in the vicinity of the dam is estimated at from five thousand to ten thousand dollars, while it is not exactly known what amount was done at the spring. No time will be lost in repairing the damage and the work will be pushed to a speedy completion—Big Springs Herald

Those Evening Bells.

Those evening bells! those evening bells!

How many a tale their music tells Of youth, and home, and that sweet time

When last I heard their soothing chime!

Those joyous hours have passed away:

And many a heart that then was gay,

Within the tomb now darkly dwells,

And hears no more those evening bells.

And so 'twill be when I am gone— That tuneful peal will still ring on;

While other bards shall walk these dells

And sing your praise, sweet evening bells.

—Sel

Died.

"There is a reaper whose name is Death

And with his cycle keen

He reaps the bearded grain at a breath,

And the flowers that grow between."

Last Thursday night at twelve o'clock the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis died.

The babe was but a few hours old when Death, the grim harvester, bound this fragile flower in his sheaves, to be transplanted in the gardens of the Master above.

Like some rare sweet strain on the summer air, that comes and is gone ere we are aware of its presence; the little one but lingered long enough to use this mundane sphere as a stepping-stone into the kingdom heaven.

Friday afternoon at three o'clock its little form was lowered to its last resting place in the Brownfield Cemetery, and is the second to be lain in this City of the Dead.

Killing at Commanche.

Commanche, Texas, May, 21.—Henry Carter was shot and killed here this morning while riding. Oscar Roberts is under arrest charged with the crime he having surrendered to an officer.

Both men have families, and it is alleged that the trouble arose over cattle matters, Carter was driving to a pasture, when the shooting occurred, an inquest is being held.

Dance Friday Night,

The usual fortnightly dance was had at the court house here

last Friday night and quite a nice crowd was present. Cliff Patton and Jack Head acted as musicians and they proved themselves to be excellent players.

Those present were: Misses Doll Pyeatt, Inez Bess, Maud Groves, Sina Compton, Myrtle Nicks, Annie Hamilton, Della Craig and Miss Royalty of near Meadow.

Messrs. W. T. and Walter Dixon, Lawson Bess, Mart Key, Ray and Dee Brownfield, Andy Gray Will Satterwhite, Elzie Groves, Lewis Craig, Lester and Will McPherson of Gomez, Otis Copeland and Erank Jackson of Meadow. Floyd Pyeatt, floor manager, Mrs. J. T. Bess, chaparone.

Live Stock.

W. R. Cole bought of T. B. King, 56 head of short horn year lings Tuesday at private terms.

W. R. Cole shipped one car of horses to Honey Grove Saturday Three trains of two and three year old steers, 2584 head, were shipped from Midland to Evertt, South Dakota Sunday by the Minnesota & Dakota Cattle Co.

Reynolds Bros. shipped 25 cars from Monnahans and 20 cars from Kent to Northern pastures last Wednesday.

S. E. Emery has sold his entire stock of cattle to J. D. Dar nest, S. H. Morrison and John Arnett.

S. E. Emery bought of John Arnett 63 head of steers this week at private terms.

Dan Cunningham went to Bor den county Monday and inspected a herd of cattle for Andy Song who will drive them to some point on the Denver road for shipment.—Big Springs Enterprise.

Registered

Herefords for sale. Ten bulls ages 12 to 18 months, 17 heifers, ages 12 to 23 months, 10 cows of various ages (majority have calves by side) my herd bulls are Columbus 12th No. 86595. And Puritan No. 120197. No better breeding in the U. S.

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Brownfield, Terry County, Texas

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Friday JUNE 2 1905

Box Supper.

The ladies will give another box supper for the benefit of the school house fund. Sometime ago the ladies gave a box supper which was a signal success and the amount taken in was \$141.15 of which the following disposition was made.

Deposited with A. F. Small for safe keeping, by W. R. Spencer, \$141.15.

Paid out to J. L. Randal \$50.

Paid out for freight on organ \$11.

Paid to J. W. Foster per J. W. Black, \$5.

Amount paid out by A. F. Small 66 dollars.

Balance on hand May 31st 75 dollars and 15 cents.

The supper will be on the held Friday night, June the ninth at the school house and the money thus secured will be put with the 75 dollars already on hand and the whole amount will be used in purchasing seats for the school house, and if enough is realized the remainder will be used in painting it outside.

The seats will cost on the average of three dollars apiece and it is estimated that it will take four dozen to fully seat the school.

Next year there will be another teacher in this school and also an increased number of scholars and it will take at least this number of seats.

Every body be sure to attend and come prepared to help all you possibly can in the good work of bettering the condition of your school. A good, comfortable school building is a sure sign of a progressive, intelligent, liberal community, whereas one which is ill seated, unpainted and poorly heated in cold weather argues a niggardly selfish community, such a school is an eyesore to the public and a detriment to immigration. The first thing many prospectors want to know is the kind of schools we have, only the other day the editor received a letter from a party in San Antonio, who wishes to come to Brownfield and enter in business here, and the first question he asked was, "What kind of a school have you?"

Every one be sure to attend and take a hand in helping to improve the most important factor in your community's progress, the school. The land may be filled with colleges, universities or academies, but these would avail nothing in the advancement of the nation were it not for the town school, and if a town school is of of such importance to the people, the comfort and welfare of the student should be an item of still greater interest, how can you expect the best results from a pupil who has to sit in a strained position all day long while studying or expect a teacher to successfully teach an irritable

If you want to have lots of fun and the satisfaction of knowing that your money is spent in a good cause, then be at the box supper at the school house Friday night, the last night of the carnival, June the 9th.

Honor Roll.

This week the honor roll contains many new names and we are pleased to note that a number of names which were on last week appear also on this roll. One thing which we have noticed and are somewhat at a loss to account for and that is the small number of boys' names which have appeared on the roll each time. Last week there were three boys' names and nine girls' this week four boys succeeded in getting their names on the roll while the girls' names number twelve. Boys generally consider themselves smarter than girls, but Brownfield girls seem to lead them at a pace of three to one. There is one old name on the list of boys' names the other three are new. There are five girls who have had their names on both lists, and seven new ones are added this week.

Boys

Leslie Green
Newton Craig
Buster Allmon
Jesse Hamilton

GIRLS

Dolores Hill
Jennilee Allmon
Dora Fisher
Gaster Randal
Inez Bess
Hoodie Walker
Jewel Bess
Francis Fisher
Ivy Green
Birdie Fisher
Vera Noble
Nellie Fisher.

Two Accidents.

Last Sunday night while returning home Ray Brownfield met with a peculiar if not painful accident. He says that he got down to tie the fence down preparatory to leading his horse over and he says that this is the last thing he remembers until four o'clock the next morning: when he came to himself he was sitting in the seat of Mr. Nelson's buggy which was broken down near there sometime before. The accident happened sometime between ten and eleven o'clock Sunday night and was near the residence of Virgil Boone.

Ray says he is bruised a little but is not hurt to amount to any thing and that he has absolutely no recollection of how he got hurt, but it is supposed that his horse became unmanageable and ran over him and knocked him senseless for a while.

Last Wednesday while at work ceiling the bank building Wednesday morning H. H. Longbrake received a very severe and painful accident by having the scaffold fall with him. Mr. Longbrake fell with his right side across a sleeper and it is feared that he has broken one or more ribs.

J. R. Hill carried him over to Gomez before noon and says that the doctor was examining him when he left and that he seemed to be in quite a good deal of pain.

Mr. Longbrake has been at work on the bank building for several days and had it nearly finished when he received his painful injury. We hope that he is not hurt as badly as was thought and wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Boone, who was already

Head to assist him and the work of finishing up inside is being rapidly pushed to a finish.

Base Ball Players.

It has been suggested by several persons that a base ball game would add a great deal to the amusement features of the carnival next Thursday and Friday, and some of the ball players who have been spoken to about the proposition are enthusiastically in favor of it. Any one wishing to join this nine will please write to the editor of The Herald before next Tuesday if possible.

Even if the team is not made up in time for the carnival, still it would be well to have one and be in readiness to play some opposing teams from one of the neighboring towns, for this is not the last carnival to be held in Brownfield by any means.

So all you base ball players take a hand, don't wait for the other fellow to start, he may be waiting for you. If you want to get in the game now is the time.

Since the above was set the editor has been speaking with Mr. Royalty, of Lubbock, who is a member of the Lubbock nine and he is anxious to play here the 8th and 9th. It is estimated that it will cost \$15 to cover expenses, most of which will be made up by Brownfield citizens deficit to be made up by players, Lubbock will furnish the outfit.

Meadow Wanderer.

Editor of the Herald: I will drop you a few lines as it has been sometime since I saw any thing from these parts. Well since the rains a week ago the farmers have been very busy planting their forage crop and breaking new land. Cotton is up to a very good stand and looks well. The steer cattle are about all gone from this neighborhood and they sold for very good prices I think there will be plenty of fat cows early this fall and I hope they will bring good prices also. Garden truck is coming in and frying size chickens will soon be ripe. Come over and see us then.

I heard a man say the other day that there were plenty of wild chickens in the country. Now don't you wish you had some of them fried? How about the county site question. Capt. Jackson says that if it is ever tried over again that Meadow will be the next county site. Hurrah for Meadow, the best part of old Terry County!

I think that Farmer Lindsey and Tark are still planting milo maize. You know Tark Lindsey, he is the Farmer Boy. The Messrs Hamletts are putting in a large farm on the Jim Caves place southeast of Meadow and are going to do a hog killing business in the hog business. I just wish that you could see those fellows work. I understand that Mr. D. K. Taylor has sold his fine place in North Terry to a Mr. Hanks of Coleman County Texas. I also understand that Mr. Solan Cowen sold his fine 4 section farm and ranch, which lies partly in Terry and partly in Hockley counties, to J. W. Gordon, did not hear what the consideration was for Mr. Cowen's place, but understand that Mr. Taylor got \$5000 for his place. It is also reported that John Walker sold one section of his land and that he intends to build and move to Brownfield in the near future. Otis Copeland's foot has got well for I see him riding around horse back. Success to The Herald.

"Time Is Money."

Meadow To The Front!

T. S. Jackson is offering a complete line of general merchandise to the people of Terry, Lynn Lubbock and other western counties.

I have now on hand a good stock of Groceries, Hardware, Implements, Dry Goods, Shoes Hats, Notions etc. In fact I am in a shape now to supply this section in everything needed. I will sell all these dry goods as low as you can buy at the rail road.

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Come to see me and get my prices.

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THE CHANGES OF FASHION.

The Surrender of the Weak.

The popular idea of suicide undoubtedly is that it most commonly results from excess of emotion of some kind. The men whom most of us think of as likely to kill themselves are those whose passions are strong—men who love and hate fiercely and are violently impatient of physical ills, drink hard, or hold some idea so tenaciously that it possesses their whole being and they become insane.

These are the suicides of romance almost invariably. But Professor Bailey of Yale in his recent statistical study of suicide in the United States shows that they are far from being the majority of actual suicides. He has collected details of 70,000 cases of suicide from 1897 to 1901 and analyzed them with respect to the age, sex, social relations and other common factors of their victims, and the known or apparent cause of their self-destruction.

Bad health, insanity, disappointment in love and strong drink do lead to suicide, but they are causes much less potent than business losses, which the most frequent cause is that known as "despondency"—the feeling that the victim has made a failure in accomplishing his purposes and that further struggle against the obstacles that confront him is hopeless.

That more than three men kill themselves to one woman has long been known. Remembering what are the chief causes of suicide, it is easy to understand why this is so. Between the ages of 20 and 50, when two-thirds of the suicides occur, nearly every man is working for himself and a woman, already found or sought. Hence, when a man feels that he has failed, the weight that falls upon him is double. He has failed not only for himself, but also for the woman.

And the further conclusion seems justifiable that suicide is not a wild breaking through the barriers of life, as often imagined, but is rather an admission that these barriers are impassable. Suicide was long ago called the last refuge of the coward. Harsh as the description has seemed it is practically true. Its most frequent causes prove that self-murder is not the revolt of the strong, but the surrender of the weak.

Custom of Snuff Taking Has Completely Disappeared.

Fashions are always changing. Once snuff taking was the proper thing to do; now we offer our friends a cigarette or cigar. Queen Charlotte had her snuff account. Frederick the Great took it in handfuls and smothered his clothes so badly that his valets acquired a small but comfortable income by brushing them and selling the results. Of course, the true snuff taker does not sneeze, though Sam Weller could never take it without sneezing, but perhaps he belonged to the degenerate age when tobacco and cigars were fighting their way to the front. At that period, if you wished to make a man your enemy for life the best way was to smoke a cigar while he was taking snuff or filling his box. Not so now, but perhaps the snuff taker scores, for he knows nothing of the torture a bad cigar presented by a friend or the sorrow at losing a pet pipe.—*Liverpool Daily Post.*

Philippine Coast Line.

A geographical magazine makes the statement that the Philippine islands have a coast line double that of the main part of the United States. The measurement given is 11,444 statute miles, while the total area is stated as 115,026 square miles. In the Philippines there is one mile of coast line to every ten miles of area; in the United States the proportion is one to 555. It is said that 3,000 islands and islets can be counted on the charts.

Germans Eat More Fish.

The inhibitory measures of Germany against the importation of American cattle and meat products have greatly advanced the price of meat in the country. In consequence of this the consumption of fresh, dried and salted fish has largely increased. A Hamburg company has opened a depot and packing houses at Matarien-Menzalen, Egypt, for the curing and shipping of eels caught in the Nile and affluents.

Temperance in Japan.

The temperance movement which began in Japan in 1873 with a society of foreign residents of Yokohama, has grown until now there are forty-six of these societies united in a national temperance league. The league represents 3,617 members. As a result of their agitation a bill has been passed prohibiting the use of tobacco by children under twenty years of age.

Wealthiest Royal Family.

The Russian imperial family enjoys the distinction of being the wealthiest family in Europe. The civil list of the Czar amounts to \$12,500,000 a year. In addition to this enormous revenue, he draws an income of an additional \$5,000,000 a year from his exclusive estates and mines.

Consumption of Whisky.

In sixty years the annual per capita consumption of whisky has gradually decreased from two and a half to two and a quarter gallons. In forty years the consumption of beer has increased from less than two to more than seventeen gallons per capita.

Dr. J. H. McCoy
Physician and Surgeon.
Tahoka Texas

The Herald's Directory.

STATE OFFICIALS.

S. W. T. Lanham	Governor.
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R. V. Davidson	Atty Gen
J. W. Stephens	Comptroller
J. W. Robbins	Treasurer
J. J. Terrell	Land Com.
R. B. Cousins	Supt. Pub- c instructi.

DISTRICT COURT.

District Court for the County of Terry and the unorganized County of Yoakum attached to Terry for Judicial purposes of the 46th Judicial District meets in the town of Brownfield, Terry County on the 23rd Mondays after the first Mondays in January and July and may continue in session two weeks.

L. S. Kinder, Plainview, District Judge.
R. M. Ellard, Floydada, District Attorney.
W. T. Dixon, Brownfield, District Clerk.
Geo. E. Tiernan, Brownfield, Sheriff.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court of Terry County Texas meets in town of Brownfield on the First Mondays in February, May, August and November.

OFFICERS.

W. N. Copeland, County Judge
W. T. Dixon, County Clerk.
Geo. E. Tiernan, Sheriff.

COMMISSIONERS COURT.

Commissioners Court meets in regular session on the second Mondays in February, May, August and November. W. N. Copeland, County Judge, presiding.

W. A. Shepherd Com. Prec. No. 1
W. H. Gist Com. Prec. No. 2
J. N. Groves Com. Prec. No. 3
J. J. Adams Com. Prec. No.

OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS.

Thomas Deshazo, County Treasurer.
Geo. E. Tiernan, Tax Collector
N. L. Nelson, County Assessor
J. T. Gainer, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1.
S. M. Tow, Constable Precinct No. 1.

Court meets in town of Gomez, on the second Monday in each month,
J. D. Crawford, Justice of Peace of Precinct No. 2.

Court meets 3rd Monday in each month in the town of Brownfield.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Officers of Lodge No. 903. A. F. A. M.
J. N. Foreman Worshipful Master
W. M. Lee Perry, Senior Warden
S. W. Easton Wolfforth Junior Warden
J. W. M. V Brownfield, Treasurer.
A. F. Small, Secretary.
Dolphus Robson, Senior Deacon.
J. J. Adam Junior Deacon.
Lodge meets every Saturday on or before the full moon of each month.

CHURCH NOTICE.

Rev. J. N. Groves on 3rd Sunday in each month at 11 o'clock a. m.
Rev. Swiney 1st Sunday in each month at 3 o'clock p. m.
The ladies gave an entertainment and with the proceeds have purchased an organ and a selection of song books for use in the Sunday School when organized, and we are informed that same would have been organized ere this, had it not been for the sickness prevalent in the community. The organ is now at the depot at Big Springs and will arrive in a few days.

CARNIVAL AT BROWNFIELD.

Riding, Roping and Dancing!

On June the eighth and ninth Riding and racing on both days also a big barbecue will be held on the grounds on the second day

This will be the last Roping Contest held in Brownfield. Be sure and attend it. The first prize in the roping contest is \$100, second prize is \$25 Each night there will be a grand ball. Remember he t me and place June 8th and 9th at Brownfield Terry Co Texas

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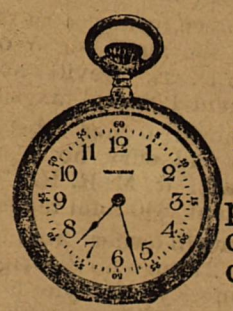
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Tahoka Texas

Had a Happy Wit.
Col. C. G. Hilpne sometimes made his stammer tributary to his wit, as when, upon Mrs. Stowe's going abroad in 1853 on a supposed mission to collect funds for the anti-slavery cause, he nicknamed her, first among his friends and afterward in print: "Harriet Beesecher Be-Stowe."

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31st 1905, for Taxes of 1904 in Terry County.

Reported Under Provisions of Section 10, Chapter 103, Laws of 1897.

Sol Robinson, Abs No 674, cert no 113 surv 10 orig grantee D H McNairy no acres delinquent 740 total taxes 18.72

Sol Robinson, Abs No 675 cert no 302 surv no 14 or. grantee D. H. McNairy. no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$18.72.

Sol Robinson Abst No 676 cert no 122 surv no 8 or. Grant: e D. H. McNairy total taxes \$18.72.

Sol Robinson, Abs No 677 cert no 3 4-185 surv no 20 or. grantee D. H. McNairy no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$18.72.

G. M. Smith Abst No 687 cert no 39 surv no 78 orig grantee N. L. Nelson no acres delinquent 640 \$6.12.

B. S. Wright Abst No 475 cert 1305 surv no 24 orig grantee G. W. Jarrott no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$6.12.

B. S. Wright Abst No 476 cert no 1316 surv no 26 orig grantee G. W. Jarrott no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$6.12.

B. S. Wright Abst No 477 cert 880 surv no 18 orig grantee G. W. Jarrott no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$6.12.

B. S. Wright Abst No 478 cert no 317 surv no 20 orig grantee G. W. Jarrott no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$6.12.

Ed Copeland Abst No 424 cert no — surv no 1 orig grantee E. D. Copeland. no acres delinquent 75 total taxes \$0.49.

Ed Copeland Abst No 425 cert no — surv no 2 orig grantee E. D. Copeland no acres delinquent 219 total taxes 1.40

Lee Cowan Abst No 432 cert no — surv no 17 orig grantee Lee Cowan no acres delinquent 86 total taxes —

Lee Cowan Abst no 433 cert no — surv no 3 orig grantee Lee Cowan no acres delinquent 96 total taxes —

Lee Cowan Abst no 434 cert no — surv no 2 orig grantee Lee Cowan acres delinquent 96 total taxes —

Lee Cowan Abst no 435 — surv no 1 orig grantee Lee Cowan no acres delinquent 95 total taxes \$2.44

R Holgate abs no 641 cert no 52 surv no 146 orig grantee Robt Holgate no acres delinquent 640 total taxes --

R Holgate abs no 642 cert 47 surv no 136 orig grantee Robt Holgate no acres delinquent 640 total taxes --

R Holgate abs no 643 cert no 53 surv no 148 orig grantee Robt Holgate no acres delinquent 640 total taxes --

R Holgate abst no 644 cert 46 surv no 134 or. grantee Robt Holgate no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$19.24

E S McNairy abs no 678 cert no 138 surv no 12 orig grantee E S McNairy no acres delinquent 640 total taxes --

E S McNairy abst 679 cert 119 surv no 2 orig grantee E S McNairy no acres delinquent 640 total taxes --

E S McNairy abst no 680 cert no 120 surv no 4 orig grantee E S McNairy no acres delinquent 640 total taxes --

E S McNairy abs no 681 cert no 121 surv no 6 orig grantee E S McNairy no acres delinquent 640 total taxes twenty dollars and three cents.

J W Orndorff abs no 695 ert no 1334 surv no 48 orig al grantee E L & R R S W 1-4 no acres delinquent 160 total taxes one dollar and four cents.

R F Russell abst no 511 cert no — surv no 2 orig grantee C W Watson no acres delinquent 118 total taxes three dollars and seventy-nine cents.

Ike Ward abst no 749 cert no 00 surv no 8 orig grantee Ike Ward no acres delinquent 640 total taxes 00

Ike ward abst no 750 cert 00 surv no 4 w 3-4 orig grantee Ike ward no acres delinquent 420 total taxes 00

Ike ward abst 757 cert no 00 surv no 5 orig grantee Ike ward no acres delinquent 573 total taxes 00

Ike ward abst no 752 cert no 00 surv 9w 1-4 orig grantee Ike ward no acres delinquent 480 total taxes eighteen dollars and nine cents.

J R whitely abst no 237 cert 1317 surv no 55 orig grantee E L & R R R R no acres delinquent 640 total taxes eight dollars and eighty eight cents.

B M west abst no 761 cert no 00 surv no 3 orig grantee B M west no delinquent acres 640 total taxes 00.

B M west abst no 762 cert no 00 surv no 2 orig grantee B M west no acres delinquent 640 total taxes 00

B M west abst no 763 cert no 00 surv no 4 orig grantee B M west no acres delinquent 640 total taxes 00

B M west abst no 764 cert 527 surv no 92 orig grantee B M west no acres delinquent 640 total taxes nineteen dollars and seventy one cents

J A west abst no 765 cert 00 surv no 20 orig grantee J A west no acres delinquent 202 total taxes one dollar and thirty two cents.

Wm Brock abst 667 cert 42 surv 61 orig grantee T M Miller no acres delinquent 640 total taxes six dollars and twelve cents.

w R Harris abst no 753 cert no 34 and 68 orig grantee L G was kom no acres delinquent 640 total taxes 00

w R Harris abst no 754 cert no 8 surv no 16 orig grantee L G waskom no acres delinquent 640 total taxes 00

w R Harris aost 756 cert 47 surv no 94 orig grantee L C was kom no acres delinquent 640 total taxes eighteen dollars and seventy two cents.

UNKNOWN OWNERS
Unknown Owner Abst no 472 cert no 1315 surv no 28 orig grantee G. Jarrott no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 573 cert no — surv no 14 original grantee E. Bridgwater no acres delinquent 168 total taxes \$1.10

Unknown owner Abst no 604 cert no — surv no 3 original grantee D. E. Devitt no acres delinquent 128 total taxes \$0.84.

Unknown owner Abst no 605 cert no — surv no 5 original grantee D. E. Devitt no acres delinquent 128 total taxes 83.

Unknown owner Abst no 94 cert no 146 surv no 1 original grantee C. & M. R. R. Co. no a. delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20.

Unknown owner abst no 283 cert no 27 surv no 21 orig grantee Stone Kyle & Kyle no acres delinquent 320 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abs no 8 cert no 614 surv 15 original grantee E. L & R. R. R R Co. no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 49 cert no 238 surv no 47 original grantee C & M R R R Co no acres delinquent 640 acres total taxes \$4. 20

Unknown owner Abst no 52 cert no 264 surv no 101 original grantee C & E R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 74 cert no 222 surv no 17 original grantee C & M R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 75 cert no 219 surv 11 orig grantee C & M R R Co no acres delinquent 320 total taxes \$2.10

Unknown owner Abst no 93 cert no 191 surv no 1 original grantee C & M R R Co no acres delinquent 23 total taxes \$4.08

Unknown owner Abst no 111 cert no 261 surv no 75 orig grantee C & M R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 115 cert no 184 surv no 49 orig grantee C & M R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 130 cert no 24 surv no 47 orig grantee D & W R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst 134 cert no 20 surv no 39 orig grantee D & W R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 135 cert no 19 surv 37 orig grantee D & W R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20.

Unknown owner Abst 140 cert no 14 surv no 27 orig grantee D & W R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 151 cert no 3 surv no 5 orig grantee D & W R R Co no delinquent acres 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 153 cert no 1 surv no 1 orig grantee D & W R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 157 cert no 33 surv no 65 orig grantee D & W R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 204 cert no 89 surv no 159 orig grantee D & W R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 205 cert no 90 surv no 161 orig grantee D & W R R Co no acre delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 208 cert no 314 surv no 51 orig grantee D & S E R R no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 214 cert no 321 surv no 119 orig grantee D & S E R R no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 216 cert no 324 surv no 125 orig grantee D & S E R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 226 cert no 45 surv no 131 or grantee D & S E R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 230 cert no 53 surv no 147 orig grantee D & P R Y Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owners Abst no 233 orig grantee D & P R Y Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 242 cert no 1119 surv no 33 original grantee E L & R R Co no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$5.20

Unknown owner Abst no 282 cert no 25 surv no 17 orig grantee Stone Kyle & Kyle no acres delinquent 640 total taxes \$4.20

Unknown owner Abst no 402 cert number — surv no 831 orig grantee H A Handy no acres delinquent 80 total taxes 53 cents.

Unknown owner Abst 408 cert no — surv no 4 orig grantee A A Beal no acres delinquent 119 total taxes 78 cents.

Unknown owner Abst no 409 cert no — surv no 6 orig grantee A A Beal no acres delinquent 119 total taxes 78 cents

DELINQUENT CITY PROPERTY

J P Angel abst number — certificate number — survey number — original grantee — Gomez lot 8 block 5 total taxes \$4.43

Wm Brock abst no — cert no — surv no — Gomez (north half) lot 2 blk 14 total taxes 33 cents.

Dillard & McPherson abs no — cert no — surv no Gomez lot 11 blk 7 total taxes \$2.56

T P Gaines abs no — cert no — surv no — Gomez lot 1-2 blk 17 out lot 1 total taxes \$4.84.

A W. Long abst no — cert no — surv no — Gomez lot 8 blk 2 total taxes —

A W Long abs no — cert no — surv no — Gomez lot 2-3 blk 29 tctal taxes \$2.81

J T Mauldin abs no — cert no — surv — Gomez lot 1 blk 80 total taxes —

J T Mauldin abs no -- cert no — surv no — Gomez lot — blk 20 total taxes \$5.91

F L Phenix abst no — cert no — surv no — Gomez 1st add lot — blk 52 total taxes —

F L Phenix abs no — cert no — surv no — Gomez 1st add lot — blk 53 total taxes six dollars and thirty four cents.

J T Riley abst no 00 cert no 00 urv no 00 Gomez lot one half sand 12 13 14 and 15 blk 1 total axes three dollars and ninety-three cents.

J N Smith abst no 00 cert no 00 surv no 00 Gomez lot 4 blk 38 total taxes four dollars and thirty-five cents

w M wolf abst no 00 cert no 00 surv no 00 Gomez lot 3, and 4. blk 10 total taxes four dollars and twenty one cents.

ware & wolf abst no 0 cert no 0 surv no 00 Gomez lot 12, 13, 14 and 15 blk 1 total taxes fifty-five dollars and seventy eight cents.

LIST OF INSOVENT TAX PAYERS

S P Behelo total taxes two dollars and thirty-six cents

C D Craddock total taxes three dollars and fifty three cents

C w Duke total taxes four dollars and four cents

H w Folk total taxes five dollars and sixty five cents

Angie Good total taxes four dollars and fifty nine cents

Claud Hefferman total taxes one dollar and ninety two cents

C C Hays total taxes four dollars and sixty five cents

T J Philips total taxes one dollar and ninety two cents

w J Satterwhite total taxes three dollars and forty six cents

R w wood total taxes eight dollars and forty one cents

D H McNairy total taxes fifty three dollars and fifteen cents

Given in open court this 13th day of April 1905

W N Copeland county Judge S A Shehard, W H Gist, G N Groves, J J Adams, county commissioners. Attest, W T Dixon, county clerk.

State of Texas, county of Terry I, Geo. E. Tiernan, Tax collector, of said county, do hereby certify that the within lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of said county are delinquent for the year 1904 only, and that I am entitled to credit for the axes as shown thereon. Geo. E. Tiernan, Tax collector.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 13th day of April, 1905. W. T. Dixon, county clerk Terry county Texas.

(Seal.)
State of Texas county of Terry In commissioners court.

We certify that we have examined the within report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Terry county for the year 1903, which are delinquent for taxes of 1904 only, and find the same correct, and that Geo. E. Tiernan, Tax collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon, as follows, to wit: State advalorem tax, 88 dollars and 16 cents: State School tax 05 dollars and 19 cents State poll tax 25 dollars and 50 cents. Total State Taxes 208 dollars and 85 cents. county advalorem tax 132 dollars and 17 cents county special tax 00, county poll tax 4 dollars and 25 cents. District poll tax 00. Total county taxes 136 dollars and 42 cents.

Given in open court this 13th day of April 1905. W N Copeland county Judge, S A Shepherd, W H Gist, J N Groves, J J Adams, county commissioners. W T Dixon, county clerk,

Library for Big Springs.
Big Springs is to have a public library, which is to be conducted under the auspices of the state association of the Young Men's Christian association. Miss Helen Gould has contributed \$1000, and the Texas and Pacific railway company has contributed a site for the building and \$4000 in cash. In addition to this the citizens of Big Springs are required to give as much as \$1500. The committee from among citizens, although they have made only slight effort, has already secured more than \$1000 from the business men alone. The required amount will be raised with ease, and probably as much as \$500 or \$1000 more. The building is to be a two-story structure, with all the late conveniences. There are to be bathrooms, readingrooms, games, tennis alley, etc.

W Spencer

Attorney-at-law and Land and Insurance Agent. : : :

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Brownfield, Tex.

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Irrigation Favored.
The unprecedented drouth and consequent failure of all kinds of crops this year has focalized public attention in San Saba county on the subject of irrigation. Nature has done everything necessary in the way of abundant water supply, fertile lands favorably located, and all that is needed is the application of the water to the land to make the entire San Saba valley a veritable garden.

Many are in favor of the land owners forming a home company, each man taking stock in proportion to his acreage. Others are in favor of offering inducements to some company or syndicate to furnish the money needed, the company entering in to a contract to pay a certain annual rental per acre, land and crops both standing good for the prompt payment of the amount.

The people are ripe now for some man or company to step in and make a good thing for all parties concerned.

The crop of hay that is being harvested in Bee county this year is larger than ever before known. The demand for mowing machines has been in excess of that of any other season. Many ranchmen are putting up big quantities.