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**Big Springs, Texas.**  
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**Dr. J. W. ELLIS,**  
**PHYSICIAN & SURGEON**  
 BROWNFIELD, TEXAS.  
 Tenders his professional services to the citizens Brownfield and surrounding country.

**Dr. J. H. McCoy**  
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**Dr. W. HULL,**  
 Having located at this place offers his services as a Practitioner of Medicine and Surgery to the people of Brownfield and surrounding country.

**City Barber Shop**  
 W. J. Head, Prop.  
 Remember when you want a Hair cut, Shave or Shampoo  
 Come to my Shop and you Will receive first class ATTENTION.

**Dr. S. H. Windham**  
 Physician & Surgeon.  
 Will promptly answer all calls in Terry County.  
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**W. R. Spencer,**  
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 BROWNFIELD, TEX.

J. M. Barsington. W. S. Dewey.  
**Barrington & Dewey.**  
**WAGON AND FEED YARD.**  
 North Side Railroad Track,  
 BIG SPRINGS. : TEXAS.  
 Grain in any Quantity Always Kept on Hand.

**Burton-Lingo Co.**  
**LUMBER.**  
 J. C. Galbraith,  
 Local Manager,  
 SPRINGS. : TEXAS.

**Each Day a White Page.**  
 The new year is not present with us only a new day. So it will be continually; we shall see but one day at a time. If each day is lived aright, the whole year will be right; if each day is wrong, the year will be wrong. Each day is a white page to be written. Write it beautifully, and the book of the year will be beautiful.—J. H. Biles

## THE BLACK ART.

Have We Struck the Art of Fantaluz?

### A CHEMIST MANUFACTURES GOLD.

By Dissolving Silver and Putting it Through Peculiar Process He Flakes the Yellow Metal.

Special to the Dallas News:

SACRAMENTO, California, }  
 April 4, 1906.

J. Addison Marshall, the chemist and mining expert, makes public his formula for producing gold and silver by chemical process:

He dissolves silver in nitric acid, precipitates it into a chloride and pulverizes it, fluxes it with borax glass or potassium carbonate, sodium silicate and powdered graphite. This is then melted and mixed with melted lard. The product is then parted by nitric acid and the residue decanted. If ~~cupelled~~ with lead it will turn out silver, but if boiled with ammonia and melted with borax, gold will result. It is understood that no gold is present in the experiment.

People know that steel is a product of iron, and that the famous swords of Damascus could be bent in a circle, and that nice yellow butter can be made out of white milk, and good, strong, red booze out of yellow corn. It is a historical fact that a Moorish king of Granada, in Spain, during the Middle or Dark Ages had a chemist who made gold for him, and that with this manufactured gold he built the Alhambra, one of the most beautiful palaces in the world, and that in order to prevent other kings from building one like or superior to it, he cut off the head of his valuable chemist, since which time the scientific solution of the manufacture of gold out of other ingredients has been known as "The Black Art." In all gold in its virgin state there is a trace of silver, and in all silver a trace of lead, while in lead there is a perceptible trace of silver, while silver has a perceptible trace of gold, which links these three metals together as not having the corroding or rusting deficiencies of brass, copper and iron, but how to get gold to transform silver or lead into gold has baffled chemists and counterfeiters from time immemorial, unless Mr. Marshall has solved the problem.

In the event that this can be done at a reasonable cost, it will affect our present gold standard system of finance something like an early frost on the corn, or a freeze on your watermelon patch. Several years ago, a gentleman living in Chicago declared he had hit the persimmon, and had even sold some of his "gold bricks" to the government, and

he managed to interest or to scare Lyman T. Gage, Secretary of the Treasury, to try to get the government to buy him off, and he had, by some means, the Secretary bluffed. They had several interviews, quarreled, and the gentleman went back to Chicago, organized a stock company of a million dollars capital, and swore by the Big Scooping Spoon of High Finance, that he would make enough gold to that what was held by the Secretary in the Treasury would sink in value that it would take a \$20 gold piece to buy a cock-tail. He put up a big building with a smoke-stack, large vats, cauldrons and machinery, and called his place "The Gold Volcano," and intimated that he would turn out gold like lava. He did more he bought up several car loads of lead, and started his manufactory. The Secretary detailed six expert detectives to watch him, and it is admitted by the officials themselves who were present, that the first "batch" or vat, for a moment or two had a "gold color," and the inventor claimed that it was spoiled by the sneaking connivance of one of the secret service men. However, the windup was that the inventor committed suicide mysteriously, and the President of the United States was saved the indignity of of toting a basketful of gold to the market when he had to provide for the stomach wants of a big buck negro to dine with him.

### Dowie in Trouble Again.

It has always been our idea that pure and unadulterated religion was meant to be applied as a balm to the weary souls that trudge along Life's Pathway, and we have taken notice that when a meek and lowly follower of the Nazarene has thirst upon him the riches of this world; that he is about as tenacious to retain them as the average sinner is. Somewhere in the Testament it says that if a man takes your coat give him your cloak also, and we think that Jesus said these words to show the folly of contention, especially of the weak and poor against the strong and powerful. That John Alexander Dowie, of Zion City fame, has dealt in the deceitful riches of this world, and that he built his faith upon a pillar of mammon cannot be denied in face of the fact that he has transferred from others' pockets to his own organization something like \$20,000,000, and this was done in a few years, and that in the recent revolt of his followers he is now reaping what he has sown. His wife and son have leagued with his supplanters, and what makes it still more poignant is that the partner of his joys and sorrows makes him out a libidinous, lecherous old whelp that talked polygamy to her in secret, which she undoubtedly does in revenge for his making her dead over to Zion City, her handsome residence, Skiloh House. Earthly riches will corrupt the best of men and women.

### Official Statement

OF THE

## \* Financial Condition \*

OF THE

### Brownfield State Bank,

at BROWNFIELD, STATE OF TEXAS, at the close of business on the 2nd day of March, 1906, published in THE TERRY COUNTY HERALD, a newspaper printed and published at Brownfield, State of Texas, on the 14th day of April, 1906.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral,	\$18,482 83
Overdrafts,	1,181 66
Furniture and Fixtures,	50 00
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check,	15,409 89
Currency,	726 00
Specie,	209 62
Other resources as follows: Taxes and charter paid for	106 00
<b>Total,</b>	<b>\$35,157 00</b>
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in,	\$10,000 00
Undivided profits, net	660 22
Individual deposits subject to check,	25,496 78
<b>Total,</b>	<b>\$36,157 00</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, } ss. We, M. V. Brownfield, as President,  
 County of Terry, } and A. M. Brownfield, 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.  
 A. M. BROWNFIELD, Cashier.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of April, A. D. nineteen hundred and six.  
 Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.  
 (NOTARIAL SEAL.) W. R. SPENCER, Notary Public.  
 A. M. Brownfield, }  
 M. V. Brownfield, } Directors.  
 J. R. Coble, }

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**W. S. L. PEARCE,**  
 DEALER IN  
**General Merchandise,**  
 Brownfield, Texas.  
 When in town please call and tell us what you want.  
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 We are adding to our Stock a Fresh Line of  
**New Goods,** and what we want is  
**You**  
 FOR A CUSTOMER.  
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**Brownfield, Texas.**  
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**The** Fine Location, Amiable Citizenship, Continued efforts to  
 \*\*\*\*\* come to the front.  
 All goes to show the final great destiny of this town. Property can be had at your own figures and terms. See  
**Brownfield Townsite Co,**  
 For terms and prices call on write W. R. SPENCER, Sole Agt. Brownfield, Texas.  
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**THE TERRY COUNTY HERALD.**

W. R. Spencer - - Proprietor  
Brownfield, Terry County, Texas

**Subscription Price:**  
One Year, : One Dollar.  
Six Months, : Fifty Cents.

The following rates will be adhered to in announcing candidates in  
**The Terry County Herald:**  
For District Judge, - - - \$25.00  
For District Attorney, - - - 15.00  
For County Clerk, - - - 10.00  
For Probate Judge, - - - 5.00  
The same amount will be paid in advance.

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**Official Paper of Terry and Yoakum Counties.**

**Advertising Rates:**  
Display advertisements, per inch, per month, \$1.00  
Professional Cards, per month, 1.00  
Local Readers, per line, 10  
Where no time contract is made all notices and advertisements will be run until ordered out.

**Announcements.**

- FOR JUDGE—64th Judicial District:**  
L. S. KINDER.  
(Present, Incumbent.)
- FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY—64th Judicial District:**  
C. S. WILLIAMS,  
of Hale County.
- A. W. CALAHAN,  
of Swisher County.
- For County Judge of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:**  
W. N. COPELAND.  
For re-election.
- For County and District Clerk of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:**  
W. T. DIXON.  
For re-election.
- HOMER H. COTTON.  
T. J. [unclear].
- For County Treasurer Terry County and Yoakum County attached:**  
W. J. (JACK) HEAD.  
THOMAS DESHAZO.  
For re-election.
- For County Tax Assessor of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:**  
DOLPHUS ROBINSON.  
GEORGE M. SMITH.  
W. A. SHEPHERD.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:**  
GEO. E. TIERNAN.  
For re-election.  
S. M. TOW.

**Announcements.**

We are authorized to announce W. N. Copeland as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Terry county, Texas

We are authorized to announce Geo. E. Tiernan as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Terry county, Texas.

We are authorized to announce Dolphus Robinson as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce Homer H. Cotton for District and County Clerk of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce Thomas Deshazo as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Terry County, Texas

We are authorized to announce S. M. Tow, of Gomez, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce W. T. Dixon as a candidate for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk of Terry County, Texas.

We are authorized to announce W. J. (Jack) Head as a candidate for election to the office of Treasurer of Terry County, Texas

An earthquake occurred today, Friday, April 14th, on the island of Formosa. Over one thousand lives were lost as well as great damage to property.

At Eufala, I. T., J. Burdett, a wealthy business man and a banker, was in the back yard of his residence, when a bullet sent by an unseen hand entered his head killing him instantly. Four or five hours afterwards his body was found. It was the work of a skillful adept at assassination.

**Dividing Up Texas.**

Congressman Bede, of Minnesota, wants Texas divided up in four states. This would make eight additional United States Senators, which we are rightly entitled to according to size and heft. The only serious objections that can be offered against the proposition, is that at the present time, quite a number of the Senators are under a cloud, two or three have already been convicted in the courts for having a too great propensity for other people's goods, while a couple more are under indictment for something similar, and there is at least a dozen that ought to be in jail, and it can be asserted that there is not a half dozen who are not the proud owners of an annual free pass. It would not do to send up a batch of raw and inexperienced statesman to a body like that. After the Senate has been properly weeded, fumigated and the floor scrubbed, and the glass windows properly washed down, we might be induced to entertain Mr. Bede's suggestion. At the present time, not wishing to tempt our statesmen by throwing them into dubious company this proposition must be pigeon-holed until a more auspicious time.

**Senator Bailey's Big Speech.**

Senator Bailey made a speech upon the question of the limitation of the power of courts, lately in the Senate. There are a set of men in this country, who are possessed of great wealth, who think the judiciary is superior to the legislative and executive branches of the government. We have all seen how the supreme court nullified the income tax during Cleveland's second term, which occasioned the issuance of \$200,000,000 of bonds to Rothschild. This was nullification under the guise of law. Courts are subordinate and limited, and they should not arrogate to themselves powers superior to their creator. Even the executive is and should be no more than an instrument to execute the mandates of legislation. Legislation is the head, while the judiciary and executive are the two arms. The idea of ennobling the supreme court with a halo of sacredness and divinity is simply bald-headed sacrilege degenerated into perverse conceitedness. Their decisions should be based upon common-sense, the good of all, and not upon selfish interests—political or financial. Anyway Texas has shown by this speech that she has a Senator who has something more than corporation mush in the back of his head.

The President made a speech lately in which he scored certain labor leaders for trying to work up a sympathy for the Idaho assassins, and he also spoke in favor of enacting laws to collect taxes in order to restrict large fortunes,

**Special Session Commissioners' Court.**

The Court having convened in special session on Monday the 26th day of March, A. E. 1906, for the purpose of opening the polls and counting the votes cast at a Special Election held at the several voting places in Terry county, Texas, on Wednesday, March 14th, A. D. 1906, to determine whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors shall be prohibited in Terry County, Texas, and there being present on said day the County Judge and all the County Commissioners of Terry County, and the Court having opened the polls of said election, and counted the votes and verified the returns thereof, and it appearing to the Court that there were cast at said election eighty-two (82) votes, and that sixty-eight (68) votes were cast at said election "For Prohibition" and that fourteen (14) votes were cast "Against Prohibition." It is therefore ordered by the Court that the sale of intoxicating liquors in Terry County, Texas, be and is hereby absolutely prohibited except for the purpose and under the regulations prescribed in Title 69 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, until such time as the qualified voters of Terry county, Texas, may at a legal election held in said county for that purpose, by a majority vote decide otherwise.

**Certificate of True Copy.**  
The State of Texas, }  
County of Terry, }  
I, W. T. DIXON, clerk of the county court of Terry county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original order of the County court as the same appears in my county court minutes, Vol. 1, Page 92, of Terry county, now on file in my office.  
Given under my hand and seal of said court, at Office in Brownfield, Texas, this, the 27th day of March, A. D. 1906.  
W. T. DIXON, clerk.

**Peach Trees.**

I have left a lot of Peach Trees in Brownfield with W. R. Spencer for sale. Please call on him for prices.  
T. C. LEEDY.

**The Lid Has Been Put on This Earth.**

It is said that St. Peter was at his post at the heavenly gate, waiting for arrivals, when he heard the telephone from above tingle, and he answered:  
"Here, Master!"  
"What news from the earth, Simon Peter!"  
"Master, the first Apostle of the Christian Catholic Church of Zion City, Illinois, has been fired by his congregation, and they took everything away from him, even to his bunk and pillow!"  
"Well, Peter, when we were down on the earth, you know we didn't have much stuff for Judas to swipe, and I don't suppose that one who represents Me down there is overloaded. Is he letting them smite him, as I did?"  
"No, Master, not much he ain't. He has hired a brace of lawyers and is going to make it warm for his supplanters, and try and get Zion City back, which he claims as his, and which is worth \$20,000,000—"  
"What! an Anostle of mine making a grab for \$20,000,000! Simon Peter, plunk up that gate, lock it tight, take up your belongings and your harp and come up. When I cleaned out the temple of thieves and grafters little did I think that an Apostle representing my cause would try and swipe a city!"

**THE ADAMS-HOLGATE COMPANY**

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Wholesale and Retail  
Windmills, Hardware, Implements, Wagons, Queensware, Cut Glass and China.  
HOUSES: Colorado Texas, Big Springs Texas, Midland Texas, Odessa Texas and Lubbock Texas. WINDMILLS: Eclipse, Leader, Sampson and Star Ideal.  
R. L. PERMINTER, Mngr.  
Big Springs, Texas.

**MILLINERY ! Millinery !  
MILLINERY ! Millinery !**

I have just returned from the markets where I purchased a complete stock of Millinery and Ladies' Furnishings, and now have a grand exposition of the most charming modes—the latest ideas in Millinery from the centers of fashion. Come early, look them over, and take your choice.  
**MRS. D. ROBINSON**  
BROWNFIELD, : TEXAS.

**T. S. JACKSON, General Merchandise.::**  
BOOTS, SHOES, ETC.

Millinery and Ladies Furinshings.  
Meadow, Texas.

**NOTICE !**

Having closed out our business heretofore conducted by us in the town of Gomez, all persons indebted to us are notified to come forward and settle at once. Our books of account will be left in the hands of J. J. LANE, who will be found at our late place of business in Gomez, Texas, who is fully authorized to receive and receipt for all amounts due us.

Our Books must be closed, so come forward and settle and adjust your accounts and save time, trouble and costs. Thanking our customers for their patronage in the past.

Respectfully,  
**STOKES-WOLCOTT CO.,**  
GOMEZ, :: TEXAS

# Terry County Herald

W. R. Spencer Prop  
Brownfield, Terry County, Texas

## The Herald's Directory.

### State Officials.

S. W. T. Lanham, Governor.  
George D. Neal, Lieutenant-Governor.  
R. V. Davidson, Attorney General.  
J. W. Stephens, Comptroller.  
J. W. Robbins, Treasurer.  
J. J. Terrell, Land Commissioner.  
R. B. Cousins, Superintendent Public Instruction.

### DISTRICT COURT.

District Court for the County of Terry and the unorganized County of Yoakum attached to Terry for Judicial purposes of the 64th 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. 4

### 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 Brownfield Lodge No 903, A. F. & A. M., G. N. Foreman, Worshipful Master; D. Robinson, Senior Warden; A. F. Small, Junior Warden; W. R. Spencer, Secretary. M. V. Brownfield, Treasurer. J. A. Foreman, Tyler; E. Wolfforth, Senior Deacon; J. J. Adams, Junior Deacon.  
Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at 2 o'clock p. m.

**Wade Chapter**  
Of the Order of **EASTERN STAR**  
Meets at the **Masonic Hall**, in Brownfield, Texas,  
on Saturday before the full moon of each month at 1 o'clock p. m.  
Mrs. D. Robinson, W. M.; W. R. Spencer, W. P.; Mrs. C. M. Spencer, A. M.; J. A. Foreman, Secretary; E. Wolfforth, Treasurer.

**Brownfield Camp No. 1989. W. O. W.**  
Meets the first Saturday night after the full moon in each month.  
W. R. Spencer, C. C.  
W. T. DIXON, Clerk.

**Union Prayer Meeting.**  
Every Wednesday night. Everybody invited to attend when in town. This is regular and holds good for all the year.

**Church Directory.**  
Rev. J. N. Groves, Protestant Methodist, on third Sunday in each month at 11 o'clock a. m.

Rev. Col. Smith, M. E., on fourth Sunday in each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Rev. W. L. Lovelady, M. E., on second Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock a. m.

### Union Sabbath School

Every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock p. m.  
J. L. RANDAL, Supad.

Friday, April 13, 1906.

## Local News.

Jack Bryan was in town this week.

Miss Gaster Randal was sick this week.

Sam Pyeatt was on the sick list this week.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walker, a fine boy.

A. P. Seitz was in town Monday from his ranch.

W. R. Spencer had business in the country Tuesday.

Jack Benson was here Tuesday from the JX ranch.

A. P. Seitz had business in Brownfield Wednesday.

Mr. Walker, of Taylor county, is in the city prospecting.

Lonnie Alexander was reported sick several days this week.

Dr. Griffith, of Gomez, was here Thursday on business.

W. J. Duncan returned from the railroad one day this week.

Mrs. J. W. Black was in Brownfield one day last week.

Fred Wofford and Ray Brownfield spent Sunday in Brownfield.

J. W. Brooks attended the Masonic Lodge at this place Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Welch and family were in Brownfield Tuesday.

Miss Belle Fisher was in Brownfield last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. T. Hamilton was in town Tuesday afternoon from the ranch.

Fred Pyeatt got in from Big Springs Monday with a load of freight.

Mrs. John Welch was here Saturday from their home south of town.

Messrs. Underwood, of Oklahoma, were here this week prospecting.

George Smith was in town from his place northeast of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Easton Wolfforth were in Brownfield Saturday of last week.

Mrs. W. Pyeatt and little daughter Lee were on the sick list last week.

G. N. and J. A. Foreman were here Saturday to attend the A. & A. M. Lodge.

the meeting of the A. F. & A. M. lodge.

Mr. Sams, a real estate man of Lamesa passed through Brownfield Wednesday en route to Gomez.

Commissioners J. N. Groves, W. H. Gist and J. J. Adams had business at the county-site last Saturday.

Mrs. W. M. Copeland, who was quite sick last week with la grippe, we are glad to learn, is able to be up.

Otis Copeland, of Meadow, visited his parents, Judge and Mrs. W. N. Copeland several days this week.

Mr. Dumas, who recently purchased land in this county was in town Saturday and visited the Masonic Lodge.

Pool, Cauble Co., wholesale and retail High Grade Groceries and Grain. No credit prices here. Big Springs, Texas.

Milton Robinson and wife, of Meadow, were the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Robinson, Saturday and Sunday.

W. J. A. Parker, M. V. Brownfield, and Fred Wofford, were here Saturday, from the Brownfield ranch, and attended the Masonic Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt and children stopped over in Brownfield Wednesday night on their way from Fort Worth to the Mallet ranch.

Dr. I. E. Smith, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, of Weatherford, will be in Brownfield, May 1st. Any one needing treatment or glasses call on that day.

T. P. Childress, late of Yoakum county, kassed through Brownfield Saturday on his way to Taylor County, where he will reside in the future.

J. J. Adams, M. C. Adams, Dale Adams and Lynn Adams, composing the firm of J. J. Adams & Sons, were in Brownfield Saturday in attendance on the Masonic Lodge.

J. E. Woodard and son Car were in Brownfield Saturday, and said that a few head of his weakest cattle had succumbed to either eating too much loco or some other complaint lately.

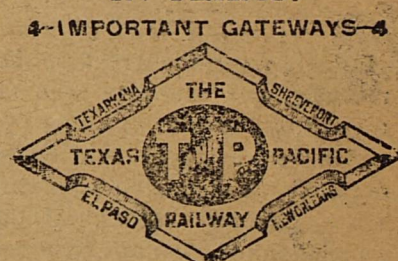
M. V. Brownfield is fencing his section of land north of town; this will necessitate a change in the road from this place to Meadow, which will hereafter go out in the northeast corner of the town section, we learn.

Gen. Wood has now an opportunity to tackle a real live volcano. Old Vesuvius is belching out lava, smoke and ashes, and a great many lives have been sacrificed and much damage done to buildings.

I have numerous calls for ranches, large and small in Yoakum, Terry and Gaines counties. If you will list your property with me I will send you a buyer, JOHN F. ROBINSON, Lubbock, Texas.

**Was Washington a Millionaire?**  
Whether Washington can be put into the envied category of millionaires no one can assert positively. According to the late Paul Leicester Ford, whose work, "The True George Washington," has received wide recognition, "the father of his country" was worth \$530,000. This fortune did not include his wife's property, but nevertheless it made him one of the wealthiest Americans of his time. Her part of the Curtis property equaled "15,000 acres of land, a good part of it adjoining the city of Williamsburg, several lots in the said city, between 200 and 300 negroes, and about 8,000 or 10,000 pounds upon bond," estimated at the time at about 20,000 pounds in all. This property was further increased on the death of Patsy Curtis in 1773 by a half of her fortune, which added 10,000 pounds to the sum.

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I ever met  
I can't find  
any more like  
him from  
Texas*

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## DRAGGING

down pains are a symptom of the most serious trouble which can attack a woman, viz falling of the womb. With this, generally, come irregular, painful, scanty or profuse periods, wasteful, weakening drains, dreadful backache, headache, nervousness, dizziness, irritability, tired feeling, inability to walk, loss of appetite, color and beauty. The cure is

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that marvelous, curative extract, or natural essence, of herbs, which exerts such a wonderful strengthening influence on all female organs. Cardui relieves pain, regulates the menses, stops drains and stimulates the muscles to pull the womb up into place. It is a safe and permanent cure for all female complaints.

**WRITE US A LETTER**  
in strictest confidence, telling us all your troubles. We will send free advice (in plain sealed envelope). Address: Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

**"I SUFFERED AWFUL PAIN**  
in my womb and ovaries," writes Mrs. Naomi Bake, of Webster Groves, Mo., "and my menses were very painful and irregular. Since taking Cardui I feel like a new woman, and do not suffer as I did."

Mr. F. M. Daugherty was confined to his bed by an attack of grippe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alexander received a consignment of goods Monday.

Floyd Pyeatt is drilling a well for Dick Brownfield in his pasture east of town.

Newt Copeland and several of Bill Pyeatt's family are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. D. Robinson's goods arrived Monday and she will open her store this week.

Cliff Patton who has been quite sick the past week is able to be on the street again.

M. V. Brownfield and Fred Wofford were in from Mr. Brownfield's ranch Tuesday.

J. W. Cone, a prominent stock man of Yoakum County had business here this week.

Will Finn came in from the R. R. Thursday with W. T. Dixon's freight wagon.

J. T. Hamilton this week sold to A. S. Alexander section 104 one mile north of town.

Mr. Stevens of the Real Estate firm of Clemens & Stevens was over from Gomez Monday.

Harry Copeland and family of Cochran visited relatives at this place Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Everett, of Lamesa, has moved his family to Brownfield and will make this his home.

The Pool, Cauble Co. are the largest grain dealers in the Middle West, Big Springs, Texas.

It pays to figure with Pool, Cauble Co., Big Springs, when you want Groceries and Grain.

Mr. Cook, a friend of A. P. Seitz, was here Thursday soliciting orders for a blue flame cook stove.

W. S. Dewey, of the firm of Barrington & Dewey, of Big Springs had business here this week.

Everybody says that Pool, Cauble Co., sells the best Groceries and Grain. Big Springs, Texas.

H. B. Parker, of Sulphur Draw was here Saturday and attended

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Brownfield, Texas.

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**HEAR HIM HOWL!**

What is Good for the Goose is Bad for the Gander.

Big Springs Herald.

Passing along the street one day recently, our attention was attracted by the vigorous remarks which were being made by one of our business men. who was fairly making the air blue with his denunciations of a certain customer who had sent to Chicago and purchased an article for which he had paid about one-half of what the article would have cost him if he had bought it of a local dealer.

How he did expatiate on the lack of pride in his home town on the part of said customer! And how he proceeded to expound, impound, compound and argify on the wonderful help the merchant was to the ranchman and farmer, and how the latter would soon go to the demeriton how-wows were it not for the merchant! We listened patiently and silently to the gentleman's tirade, and mentally resolved that we would keep our eye open and see what way the cat would finally jump. We did not have very long to wait. In less than a decade of years, this same merchant came into our place of business and desired us to give him prices on a piece of job work. After due calculation a price was stated, which barely covered cost and labor and material with a profit added cover wear and tear of machinery, office rent, etc. The lid came off right there and then, and our visitor fairly pawed the air in his endeavor, first, to jew the editor down on the price, and failing in that, next, to convince him that he could get the work done at least two-bits cheaper in a print shop somewhere up north or somewhere else. Of course, the editor was perfectly ignorant (?) as to the quality of paper, ink, etc., used by these cheap outfits, and was therefore so hard-headed as to stick to his first proposition. The merchant, therefore, went back to his place of business intent upon sending to some cheap John print shop an St. Louis or elsewhere, and put up with inferior paper, cheap ink, and workmanship that would disgrace a Hottentot, rather than patronize his home office, and allow the proprietor to make a few cents profit on his business.

Only this week a solicitor for it

city printing establishment was here and some merchants gave him orders for more stationery than they have given the home offices in several years. In this instance the home offices were not even accorded the courtesy of making an estimate on the bills. Yet these same merchants raise a kick when their customers do the very thing they themselves are guilty of.

There is sufficient basis in the above true recital for half dozen sermons on business sense and business ethics.

The farmer, whom the merchant was so vigorously berating saved at least \$23 in his deal, while the merchant himself if he saves 25 cents in his! The editor spends his time, brains and money to build up the town where this merchant does business and never allows the slightest opportunity to pass to boost and push and blazon this man's business every week. Montgomery-ward, Sears-Roebuck and other mail order houses would be more than glad to secure space in local papers—we have had the pleasure of refusing several such offers—and yet the home paper prefers to push the home merchant for in so doing he is assisting in the upbuilding of the town. Nor have we ever let an opportunity to discourage the mail order business pass, but if our merchants persist in sending to out of town concerns for their printing we will have to secure advertising from the mail order houses to enable us to pay our dry goods and grocery bills in Big Springs.

What have these foreign print shops done for the merchants of this town? The editors and the men in their employ spend hundreds of dollars yearly with these merchants, and have never raised a kick at the profit they make on their stuff, however exorbitant these profits may be in our estimation. How much have these city offices spent with our merchants?

If the farmer shows "but little pride in his town, when he saves \$25 by buying an article in Chicago," how much pride do business men show who saves a dollar or two by sending to the big city shops for job work of inferior quality and worse execution?

**THE "ROOT OF ALL EVIL" KEEPS THE WORLD ALIVE.**

This world wasn't made to run along smooth, or rather the people in it are inclined to throw dust into each others' faces. U. S. Senators are calling each other "cornfed," "hay-seed," etc., while Reed Smoot is being investigated as to his polygamous record, and Senator Burton, of Kansas, is trying to squeeze himself through the Senatorial needle's eye, and even Chauncey Depew is crestfallen and seldom appears before the public. The greatest fall of all is Prophet Alexander Dowie, who has his church, his wife and son to contend with. All except Smoot, got into trouble by handling other people's money.

We came across a man a few days ago who has a fine bunch of spring pigs, just five months old, which will average over 200 pounds each. Asking him how he managed to secure such a rather remarkable weight for that age, he said that he milked twenty-five cows and the pigs had had all the separated sweet skim milk they would eat from the time they were weaned. For want of just this ration many a man has to keep his pigs until they are eight months old before he can make them touch the 200 pound mark.

**A FLAG IS BUT A SYMBOL.**

Last week some Socialists of San Francisco held a meeting to denounce the arrest of Moyer and Heywood, accused of the assassination of a former governor of Idaho. They made some fool speeches, one speaker said that it would require the presence of the whole regular army to hang the accused, and stuff like that. They also hoisted the red flag over the speaker's stand. Some policemen who were present thought the language used was rather strong, and they pushed their way up to the stand tore down the red bunting, arrested the speaker, and started a first-class riot, in which they were pelted with stones and several of the audience had their heads cracked by the police. In this case the police were a little previous, as a man's tongue and lungs are not dangerous if handled right. As to the flag part it is but a symbol that represents at its worst the wild ideas and perhaps, impracticable, at present, of theories of a party of enthusiasts. The police meant well, but they acted with poor judgment. The accused men, if guilty, are not of the stuff that heroes are made of. A cold-blooded bomb-thrower can never be a martyr. Old John Brown carried to his grave the reputation of a man of courage, and he killed men, but they had weapons to defend themselves; the tactics of these Idaho assassins were to place bombs, with wire attachments, on a victims' premises or in his residence, which the victim is liable to touch off. Such deeds are cold-blooded, treach-

erous and despicable, and no man with a spark of honor or manhood would be guilty of. The accused are entitled to a fair trial, and if not proven guilty, clearly beyond a doubt, to be liberated and exonerated. It makes no difference about the flag, for it is but an emblem, as Texas, has had three, and brave and good men have fought and died beneath all. The stars and stripes is not intolerant, and should be a protector over all weaker ones.

**Road Notice to Non-Resident Land Owners.**

STATE OF TEXAS, } ss.  
Terry County, }

We, the undersigned Jury of Freeholders, citizens of said Terry County, Texas, duly appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Terry County, Texas, at its February Term, 1906, to view and establish a first-class Road from Brownfield town section north towards the center of Hookley County, and having been duly sworn as the law directs, hereby give notice that we will, on the 8th day of May, 1906, assemble at Brownfield and thence proceed to survey, locate, view, mark out and establish said road, beginning at the north west corner of Section No. 113, in Block T, Terry County, thence north and west, the most practicable route terminating as near as possible to the center of the north line of Terry County, between the northeast and northwest corner of Terry County.

And we do hereby notify G. D. Thomas, C. F. Hutchison, W. B. Woolley and M. A. Daugherty and any and all persons owning lands through which said road may run, that we will at the same time proceed to assess the damages incidental to the opening and establishment of said road, when they may, either in person

or by agent or attorney, present to us a written statement of the amount of damages, if any, claimed by them.

Witness our hands, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1906.

John Long, }  
Ben Broughton, } Jurors  
Q. H. Hudson, } of  
J. E. Woodard, } View.  
28 G. M. Smith. }

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S. M. Tow, }  
W. A. Fulton, } Jurors  
W. J. A. Parker, } of  
Walter Groves, } View.  
2-8 J. W. Black, }

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