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Terry & Surrounding Counties are Coming to the Front with a Big Bump.

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Fixing Salaries and Per Diem of Legislators.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION authorizing the submission to a vote of the people of the State of Texas of a proposed amendment to Section 24, Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, fixing the salaries and mileage of members of the Legislature, and preventing the acceptance, for themselves or for others, by members of the Legislature of free passes, franks, rebates, privileges or advantages from certain persons or corporations.

SECTION 1. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS; That at the next general election of the State of Texas, or at any previous election, in case an election for the State shall be had or ordered by the Governor for other purposes, there shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Texas, for their approval or disapproval, the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, as provided for in Section 1, Article 17 of said Constitution, relating to proposed amendments thereto, it being intended to amend Section 24, Article 8, of said Constitution, relating to the pay of members of the Legislature, so that the said Section shall read as follows:

SECTION 24. The members of the Legislature shall receive from the public treasury such compensation for their services as may from time to time be provided by law, not exceeding one thousand dollars for the year succeeding their election, payable in equal installments, on the first days of January, February, March and April of the year succeeding their election, and five dollars per day for each day of every special session held during the second year of the term for which said members shall be elected. In addition to said compensation the members of each house shall be entitled to mileage going to and returning from the seat of government, which mileage shall not exceed three cents per mile, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel by land, regardless of railways or water routes, and the Comptroller of the State shall prepare and preserve a table of distances to each county seat, now or hereafter to be established, and by said table the mileage of each member shall be paid, but no member shall be entitled to mileage for any extra session that may be called within one day of after the adjournment of any regular or called session. It shall be unlawful for any member of the Legislature during his term of office to accept any transportation over any railway line or lines in this State, and any member of the Legislature violating the provisions of this Act prohibiting the acceptance of free transportation shall forfeit the office to which he has been elected. And it shall be unlawful for any of such members to accept, receive, have, use or enjoy, directly or indirectly, for themselves or any other person, any free pass, frank, rebate, privilege or advantage not accorded to the general public from any railroad company, telegraph company, telephone company, sleeping car company, or other corporation, or any persons, firm or corporation acting as a common carrier in this State. Any member of the Legislature violating this provision shall forfeit his office.

And the necessary laws shall be enacted to carry out the provisions of this Article.

(A true copy.)
O. K. SHANNON,
Secretary of State.

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Relating to Certain Exemptions from Taxation.

JOINT RESOLUTION to amend Section 2 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to certain exemptions from taxation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 2 of Article VIII, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, shall be so amended that the same shall read as follows, to-wit:
"All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the Legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; actual places of religious worship; places of burial not held for private corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools, also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such bonds or mortgages; that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above-mentioned shall be null and void."

Section 2. The Governor of the State shall be and he is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the next general election for State and County officers.

Section 3. The qualified electors for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas shall vote upon this amendment on the day of _____, at which election all persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on the ballot as follows: "For amendment to Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution exempting from taxation endowment funds used exclusively for school purposes." And those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on the ballot as follows: "Against amendment to Section 2, Article 8, of the Constitution exempting from taxation endowment funds used exclusively for school purposes."

Section 4. The sum of \$5000 (five thousand dollars) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the State of Texas, no otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication, proclamation and election.

(A true copy.)
O. K. SHANNON,
Secretary of State.

The Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Authorizing the Levy of a Tax to Pay Jurors.

JOINT RESOLUTION amending Section 9, of Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the levying of a tax not exceeding fifteen cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, to pay jurors.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

That Section 9, of Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding fifteen cents for road and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the amendment of September 25th, 1883, and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water works, and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year, and ex-

cept as in this Constitution otherwise provided; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax-paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifteen cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws.

Section 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting this amendment to the Constitution to the qualified voters of the State of Texas, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1908, a which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, "For the amendment to authorize the levy of a tax to pay jurors." The voters opposed to this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, "Against the amendment to authorize the levy of a tax to pay jurors."

(A true copy)
O. K. SHANNON,
Secretary of State.

Additional Locals. . .

Ewell Walker was in town Monday.

Mr. Duffau was a recent visitor our city.

We understand that Meadow will celebrate.

Little Miss Zelma Bess has been quite sick.

Mr. Noble of Lynn County visited Brownfield this week.

The candidates are beginning to move around some of late.

Jack and Mrs. Head were out of town several days this week.

Mr. Galbraith was here Wednesday from Mr. Hauk's ranch.

Mr. Witt, who lives north of town was in Brownfield Monday.

Bunks Groves and Ray Brownfield were here Monday on business.

Several prospectors were in Brownfield Wednesday of this week.

T. S. Jackson and J. B. Cates were here one day this week from Meadow.

Mr. Bryant was here Tuesday from the southeast part of the county.

Mr. Welch and family were trading with Brownfield merchants Tuesday.

Miss Irene Copland is spending the week with relatives and friends at Meadow.

Brock Gist came to town Tuesday to get Dr. Ellis for Mrs. Whitley, who was sick.

The candidates are kept pretty busy these days shaking hands with the "dear voters."

Mrs. William Howard, Miss Abbie Howard and Miss Lula Jones were here Wednesday.

Mrs. R. Burnett and Mrs. F. W. Proctor were shopping in Brownfield one day this week.

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

Mr. W. D. Benson, a prominent citizen and lawyer of Lubbock, spent two days in our city this week.

M. V. BROWNFIELD, President. A. M. BROWNFIELD, Cashier.

BROWNFIELD STATE BANK,
OF
BROWNFIELD, TEXAS,
WE DO A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS AND SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE.

Brownfield Mercantile Company
Dealers in
General Merchandise
Brownfield, : Texas
When in town please call and tell us what you want.

Millinery and an Up-to-Date Line of Ladies' Furnishings
MRS. D. ROBINSON, Brownfield, Texas.

THE PANHANDLE!
Do You Know Where the Panhandle of Texas Is?
Do you know of the many advantages the Panhandle holds out to Home-seekers? If you don't know and want to know all about the Panhandle, write me for descriptive literature. The Southern Kansas Railway Co. of Texas and the Peecos Valley Lines traverse the Panhandle of Texas. Reduced rates to home-seekers.
D. L. Meyers, Traffic Manager, Southern Kansas Railway Company of Texas and Peecos Valley Lines, Amarillo, Texas.

Notice!
Having closed out our business heretofore conducted by us in the town of Brownfield, 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 W. R. SPENGLER, 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, we are,
Respectfully Yours,
Brownfield Mercantile Company,
Brownfield, : Texas.

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A Live, Local Paper.
It is a Shouter for West Texas,
Thumbs Up !!
And Hand in One Dollar

LOCAL NEWS
 As They Are Lassoed on
 the Wing.

Terry County Herald

W. R. SPENCER,
 PUBLISHER AND PROPRIETOR.

Subscription: : : One Dollar per Year.

Gomez will celebrate the 4th.
 Mr. Hays was here last Saturday.
 Mr. Galbraith had business here Saturday.
 Mrs. Lee Walker was in the city recently.
 Fred Pyeatt was visiting here this week from Pride.
 Miss Belle Fisher has been quite sick recently.
 Mr. Arnott was in town Saturday from Meadow.
 John Burnett was in town Saturday from the ranch.
 Mrs. Shepherd was here one day last week from Gomez.
 Jim Smith and daughter were visitors to our city Saturday.
 There were a number of prospectors in town the past week.
 Mr. Harding of Gomez, was in Brownfield Saturday selling beef.
 Misses Peari and Alice Sawyers were in Brownfield Sunday.
 Earl Hill and Leslie Green made a trip to Big Springs last week.
 Otis Copeland visited friends and relatives in Brownfield last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Black were shopping in Brownfield last Saturday.

County Clerk W. T. Dixon had business down the road last week.
 L. Townsend, a Yoakum county citizen, was in Brownfield Monday.
 Mrs. Claude Christwell, after a painful illness is able to be up and about.
 J. A. and Pelham Foreman transacted business in this city Saturday.
 W. J. A. Parker, of the Brownfield ranch, was in town Saturday afternoon.
 Judge Copeland and family attended religious services at Meadow Sunday.
 W. R. Spencer has been at Colorado City the past week on legal business.
 Commissioner Gist was shaking hands with Brownfield friends last Saturday.
 Mrs. Walker, who recently purchased land in this county, was in town one day last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Eason and Mrs. D. Robinson attended services at the Meadow school house Sunday.
 Fred Pyeatt, Dee Brownfield and Misses A. Irene Copeland and Flora Mobley Robinson visited Meadow Sunday.
 Every body says that Pool, Cauble Co., sells the best Groceries and Grain. Big Springs, Texas.

Holiness Meetings in Gomez.
 The Holiness people will commence a today's meeting at Gomez, on the evening of July 6th. Rev. C. J. Menefee, of Floydada, will conduct the services: Everybody invited.

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

Only One Kind--The Bad.

There may be two kinds of anarchists, the good, nice, gentlemanly kind, and the bad, bomb-hurling variety. It requires a little probationary work to become a red handed anarchist. Every one has been a Socialist once. Socialism means to control everything by law, while anarchism wants to knock the law in the head. Every law made has its limitations. The anarchist reaches his goal over the socialist road. Too much law is worse than no law at all. The guillotine in the French revolution made this plain, as also did the anti-Fugitive Slave acts before the late war. It is better for people to voluntarily respect the statutes than to be made to do so at the point of a bayonet. The penalties exacted by laws frequently make the law odious.

**Don't Rush!
 But Hurry!
 FOR SALE!**

Our entire stock of Cattle at \$10.00 per Head.
 May be seen at the Graham Ranch, 12 miles southeast from Brownfield.
 GRAHAM BROS.

Pictures Rise in Value.
 A picture by Guido, sold in Terquay a few years ago for 5s., fetched shortly afterwards £2,000. Millet's picture, "The Angelus," sold by the artist for £73, later on rose in value to £23,266.—London Answers.

Warning.
 Look not upon the blackberry brandy when it is red. It may contain salicylic acid, which is almost as bad as some other things usually found in strong drink—alcohol, for instance.—Minneapolis Times.

Luxurious Auto.
 Some enthusiastic automobilists in Paris are having their cars built large enough to hold ten passengers. In luxurious appointments they remind Americans of Pullman palace cars.

The Economical Chinese.
 The Chinese are a very economical people. In North China the people will eat horse, mule, ox, key or any animal, and they will eat all the animal, even when it has died of disease. The smallest children are sent out to gather fuel. One may see boys up in trees beating off leaves as if they were fruit and not a straw is allowed to allow to lie idle on the ground. In ordinary houses a dim light which costs almost nothing will be placed in a hole in a dividing wall so as to light two apartments. An old woman who was hobbling along paing-going to the home of a relative so fully was asked where she was going. She explained that she was as to die in a place near the family graveyard and thus avoid the expense of coffinbearers for a long distance.

Unwearying Trust.
 I will not ask to have my cross removed
 Thou knowest best the weight my heart
 can bear—
 But give me strength un murmuring to go
 And happy still some pilgrim's lead to
 assure.
 I will not ask continual ways of peace,
 If falling good—nay, rather to be tried,
 And in affliction's furnace lose my dross,
 If only so I may be purified.
 I will not ask great gifts of tongue or
 pen:
 Only inspire me with unwearying trust
 That though I plant the tiniest seed for
 Thee,
 Thy love shall raise it, blooming, from
 the dust.
 —Lulu Whedon Mitchell.

Rain that Does Not Reach Earth.
 In the Colorado desert occur rainstorms during which not a single drop of water touches the earth. The rain can be seen falling from the clouds high above the desert, but when the water reaches the strata of high, dry air beneath the clouds it is entirely absorbed before falling half the distance to the ground.

To the Mountain, Lake and
 Seaside Resorts and the
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 & Hardware Co.**
 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, Mgr.**
 Big Springs, Texas.

Space in a paper is like hot
 air in a balloon; it costs to
 get it there. The Fourth of
 July is close and you will
 probably come to Gomez—all
 creation in Terry county
 will be there. Call on us,
**Adams-Holgate
 Company**
 Gomez, = = Texas.

T. S. JACKSON,
General
Merchandise.::
 BOOTS, SHOES, ETC.
Millinery and Ladies Furinshings.
 Meadow, Texas.

The World's Doings
 And Misdoings
 As It Goes Spinning Around.

At Bailystok, in Russia, there was a sure-enough massacre of Jews lately. About 300 were put to death by a mob.

A bill recently passed the house allowing the President \$25,000 for traveling expenses. The bill passed by a majority vote of 108.

It is said that President Roosevelt is of the opinion that William Jennings Bryan will be the regular Democratic candidate for President, but thinks Taft could beat him.

The newly-appointed Senator from Maryland, William Pinkney Whyte, is known as "Maryland's grand old man." Mr. Whyte was born in Baltimore in 1824.

Poverty, undoubtedly, has more to do with the production of crime than any one thing in the catalogue of human sins. If the vices of gambling, drinking and excesses could be eliminated it would help greatly to heal the gaps that poverty creates.

Forty detectives are employed in guarding the President. The detective is the coming man in our system of government, and is considered a sort of spy. We believe that it would look better, be more showy, to have an Imperial Body Guard drawn from the army to guard his Muck-Rake Excellency.

HEARST SHOWS HIS HOOF.

William Randolph Hearst don't take to the idea of having Bryan as a candidate in 1908 perched upon a conservative platform, and proposes to organize a party based upon municipal ownership and along socialistic lines. He was the chief factor in pulling the pegs from under Alton B. Parker in 1904 and perhaps he can do the same and trip up his Nebraska name-sake in 1908. Hearst is of the frisky order of statesmen, and is about as reliable in politics as a young lady that has ten suitors is in love; anyway it can be put down that Hearst is for Hearst under all circumstances.

Brownfield, Texas.
 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 figure
 and terms. See
Brownfield Townsite Co.
 For terms and prices call on
 write W. R. SPENCER, Sole Agt.
 Brownfield, Texas.

Notice!
 Having closed out our business heretofore conducted by us in the town of Brownfield, 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 W. R. SPENCER, 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, we are,
 Respectfully Yours,
Brownfield Mercantile Company,
 Brownfield, :: Texas.

Terry County Herald

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

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Announcements.

- FOR JUDGE—66th Judicial District:**
L. S. KINDER.
(Present Incumbent.)
- FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY—66th 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.
PAT McHUGH.
- For County and District Clerk of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:**
W. T. DIXON.
For re-election.
HOMER H. COTTON.
T. J. PRICE.
- For County Treasurer of 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.
J. T. BESS.
- For Hide and Animal Inspector of Terry County and Yoakum County attached:**
W. J. DUNCAN.
J. D. CRAWFORD.

Announcements.

The following announcements are subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held in the various election Precincts of Terry county and attached County of Yoakum on Saturday, July 28th, A. D. 1906.

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 **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.

We are authorized to announce **J. T. Bess** as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector Terry county and attached County of Yoakum.

We are authorized to announce **T. J. Price** as a candidate for the office of District and County clerk Terry County and attached County of Yoakum.

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. J. Duncan** as a candidate for Hide and Animal Inspector of Terry County, Texas, and Attached County of Yoakum, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary on July 28th, 1906.

We are authorized to announce **G. M. Smith** as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Terry County and attached County of Yoakum subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce **Pat McHugh** as a candidate for County Judge of Terry County and Attached County of Yoakum, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

We are authorized to announce **J. D. Crawford** as a candidate for Hide and Animal Inspector of Terry County, Texas, and attached County of Yoakum, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

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

True Happiness is Found in Doing Good.

What constitutes true happiness is a good deal owing to the ideas of some people, but we believe that the Arabian prince who made his herald go to his city's gates and proclaim: "All ye that are poor and hungry I will feed, those who are naked I will give garments, those who have lost their only beast of burden I will give another, and those who are oppressed by extortioners I will relieve. Come to the palace." This was done publicly during the reign of this prince, and he prospered and his kingdom prospered with him as it never did before. He did not wait for an earthquake to bring calamity to one of his cities and send a check to be heralded in the papers, but he went out and sought the people that needed his help. That was true and genuine charity—it was more, it was magnanimity. But this giving of libraries to feed the head when the stomach and back needs it; and to give to the heathen when your fellow-citizens right under your nose have a better right and whose sweat made it, is a little gauzy. We are glad to see that Carnegie and Rockefeller have taken a tumble to themselves lately, and have no doubt but what they have enough sweating and toiling employes whose wages they can raise, and otherwise help. Charity should begin at home and those who help make.

A BADGER-DOG FIGHT PULLED OFF IN BROWNFIELD.

W. J. Peveler and son **Graham** of Brownfield, Texas, was in town this week, and reported that they had captured a badger in New Mexico, and it was proposed that a fight should take place between **Gus Foreman's** prize fighting dog and it. As soon as this became mooted about excitement ran high, and betting was the order of the day; men forgot all about their church memberships, their families, and themselves, and the badger was the favorite 3 to 1. The crowd went to the livery stable of **Allmon & Coble**, Wednesday evening last, where the badger was confined, and selected **Mr. Powell** of the **Brownfield Mercantile Co.** to pull his badgership out from under the keg, and **Sheriff Tiernan** was selected to lift the keg. **Gus** spit on his hands and took a fresh hold on the rope to his dog, and everybody found places of safety from the anticipated combat of these beastly gladiators; **Mr. Eason** said he would bet a dollar that the badger would whip for he had seen one whip three greyhounds at one time, and then climbed up into the loft. When everything was ready the word was given, and **Dock** pulled the badger out, and it was the most sickening looking badger that ever came to town, its tail was between its legs, and the dog would have knocked it over with his paw if not prevented; it just laid down flat and would not fight, and didn't have as much spirit as a jack rabbit. The crowd was disappointed in not seeing the fight, but **Dock** set up the cigars and they were soon in a good humor with themselves.

LOCAL NEWS

As They Are Lassoed on the Wing.

Miss Walker was a Brownfield visitor Thursday of this week.
B. F. Hicks left for the railroad one day this week.

Mrs. J. W. Black was here Thursday from the ranch.

Otis Copeland and **Miss Doll Pyeatt**, **Sam Pyeatt**, and **Miss Annie Pyeatt**, attended services at the Meadow school house last Sunday.

Otis and Newt Copeland made a business trip to up north of Lubbock this week.

W. T. Dixon made a business trip to the country Wednesday. He was accompanied by **Mrs. Dixon**.

Dr. Ellis has made a number of professional calls to the country this week.

W. J. Duncan and family left Sunday for a visit to relatives in Dickens county.

Dr. Ellis reports the arrival of a fine boy at the home of **Mr. and Mrs. Heine**, and a girl at **Mr. and Mrs. Whitley's**.

Judge and Mrs. Copeland went to **Mr. D. A. Cates** Sunday and heard a good sermon preached by **Elder Saunders** of Lubbock.

Preaching at the Meadow school house, and at **D. A. Cates'** home on last Sunday had a good attendance at both places.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher and **Miss Belle** were in town Wednesday of this week.

W. J. Peveler and son, **Graham**, former citizens of this place, but who now reside at Brownfield were here this week.

Ray Brownfield and sister, **Miss Giffie**, expect to leave soon for a visit to relatives in Sterling county.

B. F. Nicks got in Monday afternoon with a load of freight for the **Brownfield Mercantile Company**.

John M. Pattison, Governor of Ohio, died at his home in **Milford**, a suburb of Cincinnati, on Monday afternoon, June 18th.

Otis Copeland and **Miss Doll Pyeatt** went to Meadow last Sunday, and **Mr. Fred Pyeatt** and **Miss Flora Robinson** went to Meadow that day also.

The young folks enjoyed a pound party at the residence of **Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Satterwhite** last Tuesday evening. The party was given in honor of **Miss Pearl Sawyers**, of Winters, Texas.

Mrs. J. J. Adams, who was a visitor at the home of her son, **Merle Adams**, for several weeks, has returned to her home on the ranch.

Miss Pearl Sawyers, who has been a pleasant guest of relatives in this county for the past two months, left for her home in **Runnels county** one day this week. **Miss Pearl** has won many friends during her stay here who regret to see her leave.

Mr. Bob Carter, of Haskell, was here Monday. **Mr. Carter** expressed himself as being well-pleased with the country, and speaks of locating here.

Misses Nettie, Allie and Pearl Sawyers, accompanied by **Arthur Sawyers**, were in town Tuesday evening.

A Painless Cure of Curable Pain

Never resign yourself to suffer pain. Women's pains are curable. They are the sign of dangerous conditions of the female organs, which should be promptly attended to or dangerous results will follow.

WINE OF CARDUI

IT COMES TO WOMAN'S RELIEF

whenever she suffers from any of woman's biting and weakening pains. It not only compels the pains to stop, but it follows up and drives out the cause of the pains, which prevents them from coming back. It makes you well. Try it. Sold everywhere in \$1.00 bottles.

WRITE US A LETTER freely and frankly, in strictest confidence, telling us all your symptoms and troubles. We will send free advice (in plain sealed envelope), how to cure them. Address: Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

"WITHOUT A PAIN," writes **Mary Shelton**, of Poplar Bluff, Mo.: "I can do my housework, although, before taking **CARDUI**, two doctors had done me no good. I can truthfully say I was cured by **CARDUI**. I want every suffering lady to know of this wonderful medicine."

Mr. Cecil Thomas, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Terry county, left last week for his home at Bowie.

During **Judge Copeland's** absence from town, **Mrs. Copeland** is spending the week with **Mrs. W. R. Spencer**.

Miss Irene Copeland returned Thursday from a pleasant visit to Meadow.

Mrs. William Pyeatt recently visited relatives at Pride.

Miss Annie Pyeatt was quite sick this week.

We hear that **Meadow** will celebrate the glorious Fourth with a barbecue and basket picnic. Hurrah! for Meadow!

M. V. Brownfield was transacting business in our city last Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Hamil on visit to Brownfield friends Thursday.

Miss Mattie Harris came in on the hack Thursday afternoon from Abilene.

T. S. Jackson, of Meadow, made a business trip to Yoakum county this week.

The **Misses Bryant**, and **Miss Bay**, from near **Pride**, were here Wednesday, the guests of **Mrs. J. C. Green**.

Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel and family, and **Mr. J. L. Rondal** returned Monday afternoon from Lubbock, where they had been to attend a meeting of District Conference of the **M. E. Church**.

Miss Fula Seitz visited her sister, **Mrs. Joe Lane** this week.

Miss Eva McDaniel was the guest of **Miss Dollie Pyeatt** Monday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Alexander are looking forward with much pleasure to a visit from relatives from **Menardville, Texas**.

C. A. McDauel and family visited **Judge and Mrs. Copeland** this week.

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