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Let's Have a Barbecue.

Several towns on the plains have already had barbecues and celebrations this season, and now we believe it would be the proper thing for Brownfield to take steps towards having one. We do not believe it best to have it in the very near future. The primary election is pending and occupying all the time and attention of a large crop of candidates, as well as eliciting the attention of a considerable portion of the voters of the county; the railroad proposition is another matter in which nearly all the people are taking great interest, and it is not likely that a barbecue proposition would receive much attention or encouragement until the primary election is over and the railroad bonus has been settled. But these two questions will only occupy public attention a short time. The primary election will take place on the 25th of this month, and the railroad bonus matter will be settled in equally as short time, and after that a barbecue and celebration would be an appropriate thing to have after a season of excitement and anxiety. Successful candidates would certainly exert unusual efforts in assisting to get up the barbecue, and the defeated ones would find it a good place to work off their feeling of disappointment. Then, if the railroad bonus has been raised, it would be an appropriate place for the people to fraternize and prove that no ill feeling or resentment exists among them.

Several of the old soldiers living in the county have expressed a desire that the ex-Confederates in this part of the country have a re-union some time during the summer or fall. There could be no more appropriate time and place to have it than at a barbecue; it would probably bring some old soldiers to the re-union who would otherwise not be in attendance, and the re-union would be an interesting feature of the barbecue.

Something has been said about the Woodmen taking part in a barbecue. Action of this kind on their part would not only be in order, but would contribute much to the success and interest of the occasion.

A gathering like this, could be made of considerable interest among the farmers of the county. In coming to the barbecue, many of them could bring specimens of their farm and garden productions for exhibition, and let them exchange views as to the most successful methods in farming on the plains. To make a barbecue a success, it should extend over two days with ample preparations made before hand to entertain the crowd. While this paper is not presuming to lead in the matter, it will suggest that a suitable time to have the barbecue would be towards the latter part of August or the first of September. At that time the farmers will be through with their crops and can find time to attend such a gathering; at that time their crops of corn, cotton, maize, kafir corn and sorghum will be

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sufficiently matured, to enable them gather the best specimens of their raising for exhibition.

Let this matter be well considered; it has connected with it many features of interest which would have beneficial results in various ways.

When automobiles were first introduced in this part of the country, there were soon objections raised about them being run on the public high-ways. This protest came from those who make frequent drives about the country in buggies, hacks and wagons, they alleging that the autos were continually frightening their teams and that they were constantly subjected to serious accidents. The auto owners at Brownfield and Gomez paid due deference to the pretexts raised against them running their cars over the public roads, and as soon they could do so, made separate roads for their own use leading in different directions out of each town. Some of these auto roads run through enclosed pastures and can not be used by teamsters, but wherever it is possible to drive over them they are now used more than the public roads. It seems a little singular that teams do not become frightened at the autos while being driven over their own roads, but when they met or were passed by them on the public roads be came unmanageable. A continual passing of wagons and other vehicles over the auto lines puts them in bad condition and it

seems that teamsters and all others driving wagons and buggies should be considerate enough to keep on the public highways.

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Terry. In the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Lubbock county, Texas:

S. N. House vs. G. B. Bragg, John Tubbs and C. E. Wilson:

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court Precinct No. 1, Lubbock county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 2nd day of December, 1905, in favor of the said S. N. House against the said G. B. Bragg, John Tubbs and C. E. Wilson, No. 72 on the docket of said court, I did on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1908, a. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Terry, State of Texas, and belonging to the said G. B. Bragg, to-wit:

Section 147, Certificate No. 53, Abstract 239, Grantee D. & P. R. Co. acres 640.

And upon the 4th day of August, 1908, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the Court House door in said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said G. B. Bragg in and to said property.

Dated at Brownfield, Texas, this the 6th day of July, A. D. 1908.

GEO. E. TIERNAN,
Sheriff of Terry County, Texas.

We have several small ranches, from 4 to 8 sections, for sale at bargains, Bigger, Hill & Co.

Terry County Herald
NEIL H. BIGGER,
Editor and Proprietor
Brownfield, Terry County Texas

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G. E. LOCKHART,
HENRY GEORGE,
L. F. TUCKER.
- For County and District Clerk,
T. J. PRICE,
W. T. DIXON.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector,
GEO. E. TIERNAN,
LEE ALLMAN,
J. H. BLACK.
- For County Tax Assessor,
W. A. SHEPHERD,
D. ROBINSON.
- For County Treasurer,
A. B. BYNUM,
J. B. GARRISON,
W. J. HEAD.
- For Hide and Animal Inspector,
J. D. CRAWFORD.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1,
W. N. COPELAND.
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4,
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- For County Judge,
W. HOLMES.

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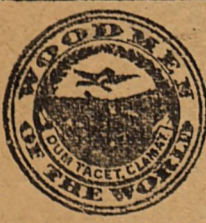


**Brownfield Lodge,
F. O. O. F.,
No. 520.**

- W. J. BYRD, Noble Grand.
E. T. POWELL, Vice Grand.
A. D. BROWNFIELD, Treasurer.
ED ELLIS, Secretary.
Lodge meets every Friday night, at 8 o'clock p. m. in the lodge room in the town of Brownfield.

**Brownfield Rebekah Lodge,
No. 329.**

Of Brownfield, Texas, meets the first and third Fridays of each month at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 4 o'clock p. p.
Mrs. Carrie M. Spencer, Noble Grand
Mrs. Maggie Hill, Vice Grand
Mrs. Jessie Randal, Secretary



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Mrs. W. R. Spencer, Past Guardian
Mrs. W. N. Copeland, Advisor
A. R. Brownfield, Clerk
H. H. Benoit, Banker
Mrs. J. H. Benoit, Attendant
H. D. Williams, Charlein
Mrs. A. E. Alexander, Inner Sentinel
A. S. Alexander, Outer Sentinel
W. J. A. Parker, Managers
W. R. Spencer, Managers
Mrs. M. D. Williams, Managers
Meets first Wednesday night in each month at 8 P. M., in I. O. O. F. Hall.

Bryan and Kern.

The outcome of the Denver convention is Bryan for President and John W. Kern for Vice-President. Kern is a citizen of Indiana and is claimed to be the most popular Democrat in that state and a very able man. The ticket seems to meet the general approval of the Democracy of the whole country and enters the campaign with a fair show of success in the November election.

Up to a few weeks ago it was supposed that Gov. Campbell would have no opposition for a renomination. It is now clear that he not only has opposition, but it is opposition of a most formidable character. R. R. Williams, of Cumby, Hopkins county, is in the field and his candidacy is receiving the support of a large portion of the Democratic voters of the state, and it is the opinion many who are closely observing the political situation that he will receive the nomination. At any rate, when the votes cast in the primary election are counted Gov. Campbell will know that he has been in a fight. The opposition to the Governor is caused principally from the fact that he recommended the passage of the full rendition tax law.

Messrs. M. V. Brownfield, Judge Spencer and Dr. Ellis made a trip to Plains last Monday in the interest of the railroad bonus. A meeting had not been advertised as had been expected, but they met quite a number of citizens in Plains, all of whom signed the contract to pay 10 cents per acre on their lands. They left several copies of the contract with parties who promised to make a thorough canvass of their county for signers to the contract. Messrs. Brownfield, Spencer and returned home not only well pleased with result of their trip, but also with the prospect of receiving considerable more assistance from the good people of Yoakum.

There is one more week left the candidates to labor among the voters.

Masonic Installation.

On last Saturday afternoon Brownfield Lodge, A. F. & A. M., 903, installed the officers elected at the previous meeting to serve during the present Masonic year: W. R. Spencer, W. M., R. M. Kendrick, S. W., Geo. W. Stephens, J. W., Will Adams, S. D., J. J. Lane, J. D., Ray Brownfield, Secretary, W. R. Harris, Treasurer, C. A. McDaniel, Tyler.

Brownfield Lodge is one of the youngest on the Plains, but no other one is composed of better or more zealous membership. The officers just installed are all bright Masons, who take great interest in the cause and will reflect much credit on the fraternity during their administration.

J. C. Patterson, of the southwestern part of the county, was in Brownfield Wednesday. Mr. Patterson came to this county fifteen years ago from Seymour, Baylor county, where his parents still reside. When he came here he secured work on one the large cattle ranches, and presented such a youthful appearance that the boys gave him the name of "Dogy" Patterson, and he is all over the Plains country today by that name. No other young man in Terry county is more highly respected than "Dogy" Patterson, and his success here shows what a young man of good character and industry can achieve. Before he quit work for the big ranch people, he filed on four sections of very fine school land, then proceeded to stock it as his means would permit. His land has increased in value and his herd has increased in number until he now has a valuable estate. During all these fifteen years "Dogy" has never found time to hunt a wife, but he has planned a trip back to his old home in Seymour in the near future, and while there he may find a partner with whom he can enjoy the fruits of his labors.

Mr. J. C. Dunn, of Floydada, is in Brownfield today figuring on town property.

Official Statement

Of the financial condition of the Gomez, State Bank, at Gomez, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1908, published in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Brownfield, State of Texas, on the 18th day of July, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$11,631 82
Loans, real estate	8,775 72
Overdrafts	1,490 66
Bonds and Stocks	0 00
Real Estate (banking house)	1,700 00
Other Real Estate	0 00
Furniture and Fixtures	589 57
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	3,408 86
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check	0 00
Cash Items	0 00
Currency	1,298 00
Specie	338 80
Total	29,231 23
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$10,000 00
Surplus Fund	0000 00
Undivided Profits, net	935 62
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check	194 47
Individual Deposits, subject to check	15,908 50
Demand Certificates of Deposit	9 00
Cashier's Checks	2 00
Bills Payable and Re-discounts	2,181 64
Total	29,231 23

STATE OF TEXAS, }
COUNTY OF TERRY, } We, S. C. Maddux as President, and R. M. Kendrick as Assistant Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
S. C. Maddux, President.
R. M. Kendrick, Ass't Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 10th day of July, A. D. 1908. Witness my hand and seal on the last date aforesaid.
M. C. Adams, Notary Public.
Correct-Attest: J. T. Gainer, Director.

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Happenings About People You Know.

Mrs. C. M. Benton left last Sunday for Bomarton, Baylor county, to visit her parents.

W. D. Currier and Jim Gamble returned Wednesday from a trip to Amarillo.

John W. Gordon spent a day or two in town this week and bought twelve lots from the townsite company.

George W. Nelson, of Plains, was looking after business in Brownfield Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. G. H. Eastman, of Snyder, spent several days here this week visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Welch.

Elder J. J. Knox will preach at No. 3 School to morrow (Sunday) and at Needmore School House the 4th Sunday.

Judge Copeland has been doing some railroad missionary work in the Meadow country this week, with good success.

Mrs. Judge Spencer returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives and friends in Brownwood, where she spent more than two weeks.

Claud Criswell and Will Satterwhite have bought a new well drill and are ready to do work in that line on short notice.

M. V. Brownfield started a herd of fat cows to the Kansas City market yesterday. W. J. A. Parker will have charge of the herd until reaches Plainview.

We regret that our Gomez bugget of news did not reach us in time for publication last week. It consisted of a batch of interesting local items.

Elbert Hughes, a 11 years old youth, is the latest addition to the Herald office force. Elbert is a bright boy and takes to the printing business like a duck to water.

The revival meeting at Gomez, conducted by Erik Brothers, is creating considerable interest. There have been twelve or fifteen conversions and the interest in the meeting is increasing.

Mr. H. E. Randal who recently bought 160 acres of land just north of town is having a well drilled on the place and soon put up a house and move here by the time school opens.

Judge Spencer returned home last Saturday evening from a two weeks absence. He visited Austin, San Antonio, Dallas and Fort worth while gone.

Judge Spencer informs us that the preliminary arrangements have been made to establish a lodge of Royal Arch Mosons in Brownfield, and that the organization will take place at some date towards the last of this month.

Up to this date the subscriptions to the railroad bonus amount to about \$75,000. So far only two non-residents have been heard from, and their subscriptions amount to \$3,920, and should a fair proportion of the other non-residents respond as liberally as the first two have done, the total amount will reach \$100,000.

There has been a report circulated that W. J. Head, candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Terry county, has withdrawn from the race. The Herald is requested by Mr. Head to state that the report is untrue; that he is squarely in the race and will remain there until the votes are all in and counted on the 25th day of July, 1908.

While Judge Neill was in the northern part of the county last Friday, his team got away from him when passing through a gate, near Noah Bell's place. In a run of more than a mile they ran over a fence, badly cutting one of the horses on the wire. The other horse and buggy were unjured.

The marriage of Mr. Lemmy McDaniel and Miss Jessie Welch took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Welch, of Brownfield, Tuesday evening the 14 inst. Rev. North, a Baptist minister from Plainview, officiating. The marriage was witnessed by a large number of friends of the contracting parties, and after ceremony all partook of an elegant supper. These young people have many friends in this community who extend to them their hearty congratulations.

The protracted meeting at the Methodist church here closed Monday night with two additions to the church. Most of the preaching was done by Rev. Ben Hardy, pastor of the Methodist church at Lubbock, who impressed the people of Brownfield as a strong preacher and most fervent christian. They would be pleased if he can find it convenient to return and deliver a series of sermons at some future time when conditions may be more favorable for visible results.

Mr. Oscar Carothers, late of Haskell county, but now a resident of Yoakum county, and Lula Leflett, of Sligo, that county, were married in Gomez Wednesday night, Rev. W. L. Lovelady officiating. The editor of this paper was acquainted with Mr. Carothers and his bride in Haskell county and can say that no better people ever came to the plains, and the people of Yoakum can congratulate themselves on having Mr. Carothers and wife locate among them.

J. C. Green had the misfortune to lose one of his horses last Friday. While his son Leslie was driving his work stock in off the range, his animal fell with him, the fall knocking him unconscious. When he regained consciousness, he found that the animal was dead, and his leg was fast under it. He managed to extricate himself from his uncomfortable situation and found that he was not seriously hurt, but has sore a leg and some scratches about his face to remind him of a narrow escape from being killed. The animal is supposed to have died from over heat.

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Just as we go to press, President Lees and several other members of the Southwestern Engineering and Company arrive in town on their way from Stanton to Hereford.

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Strayed or Stolen.

Strayed or stolen from my place, two mares, brand H-V on left thigh. One of them is supposed to have a young colt. I will pay \$5 cash for delivery of same at my place 10 miles southwest of Gomez, and will pay for information leading to their recovery.]

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MRS. J. R. MORRIS,
Gomez, Texas,

Official Statement

Of the financial condition of the Brownfield State Bank, at Brownfield, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1908, published in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Brownfield, State of Texas, on the 18th day of July, 1908.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$29,795 14	
Loans, real estate	17,144 11	
Overdrafts	1,569 00	
Bonds and Stocks	0,00	
Real Estate (banking house)	1,703 21	
Other Real Estate	0,00	
Furniture and Fixtures	570 26	
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	\$10,135 45	
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check	0 000	10,135 45
Cash Items	45 00	
Currency	1,358 00	
Specie	1,178 00	2,581 00
Total		63,498 17

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000 00	
Surplus Fund	1,000 00	
Undivided Profits, net	3,840 48	
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check	371 93	
Individual Deposits, subject to check	28,109 72	
Demand Certificates of Deposit	165 75	
Cashier's Checks	10 29	
Bills Payable and Re-discounts	5,000 00	
Total		63,498 17

STATE OF TEXAS, }
 COUNTY OF TERRY, } We, M. V. Brownfield as President, and
 Will Alf Bell as Assistant Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 11th day of July, A. D. 1908.

Correct-Attest: }
 T. J. Price, County Clerk of Terry County.
 By Word Price, Deputy.
 A. M. Brownfield, }
 John S. Powell, } Directors.

Texas Plains News.

YOAKUM COUNTY.

From the Times.

It is fun to see a snarler and a knocker get together. It takes them about ten minutes to decide that the town is on the bum, the local officials dishonest and the preacher stuck up. In five minutes more they will decide that they would move away if they had the price. Some times it would pay the town to advance the price.

From present indications and from what we learn, Plains will have at least 100 families here within the next six months. They are talking about locating here, from various parts of the country.

J. W. Moore sends an order to St. Louis for the pressed brick design of his new store house. The lumber and other material is being placed on the ground as fast as possible.

Yoakum county, we are glad to state was never in better shape and there is an air of prosperity plainly visible on all sides. This is not a boost but actual facts. The Lord knows these people needed something to encourage them and his natural laws have had the hoped for result. Yes, these glorious results are attributable to the operation of God's laws which have been in operation since the world began.

Col. H. Fitzgerald of the T2 ranch will move his family to the Headquarters about Sept. 1st. Henry White has temporary charge d'affaires at the T2's. Lee Roy McCravey bought 300 of the 80 steers at \$15 and they were to be delivered July 10th.

Joe Beal sold a small bunch of steers to Henry White this week at \$15. They are to turn over 300 T2 steers at once to J. W. Puckett, at \$15.

H. M. Haskew is building a fine three room residence, with bath room and modern improvements. Well, we will tell you more about it later.

Capt. J. J. Kendrick came up from his stock farm and reports crops fine. They are fine all over the country.

LUBBOCK COUNTY.

From the Avalanche.

The Christian Church revival services at the tent conducted by State Secretary J. C. Mason and State Evangelist, W. A. Bogreess, and their helpers, all of Dallas, continue with increasing interest. A Sunday School will be fully organized Sunday. The church is expecting to have a lovely church house in the very near future. A subscription list and plans are being pushed vigorously. Plans for a regular preacher are also rapidly maturing.

The music has been inspiring; a number of the best singers of the town freely assisting. The special music has been of high class. The Gospel sermons have been of a high order and interesting to the large audience.

Lubbock is threatened with a railroad and if some of our citizens drop off into the peaceful sleep of Rip Van Winkle they may miss seeing the first train pull into Lubbock.

The Progressive Christians of Lubbock will renew their former efforts to build themselves a church house. They contemplate putting up a building to cost \$1,200 or \$1,500.

Scott Wolfrath, of Gomez, was over taking in the Fourth of July celebration.

Misses Hattie and Orelle Harris, of Brownfield, are visiting Mrs. John F. Robinson.

CROSBY COUNTY.

From the News.

R. R. Travis brought to town yesterday a sample of his alfalfa, which was planted three months ago. It is 18 to 24 inches high, and as rich in color as you ever saw in any country. All this demonstrates what can be grown in this country, and those who want alfalfa can plant it with full assurance of getting excellent results.

Bob English came in home from a two years' stay in the Pecos Valley country. He stated

to the the News man he saw more rain fall the night he arrived in Plainview than he had seen all put gether during the two years he stayed in New Mexico. He thinks he will stay in this country henceforth.

A good rain fell over this county last night, followed by a wind storm. A. D. Myer's milk house was blown about two feet off its foundation. It is reported that considerable damage was done to fruit crops. Lightning killed a fine mare for M. A. Moses.

LYNN COUNTY.

From the News.

Sunday evening June 28 at 8:45 the marriage of Miss Jennie Crouch to Mr. Joe Nevelle was solemnized at the Baptist church in the presence of a large audience of friends and acquaintances.

Master W. F. Robinson, son of Walter Robinson, was the victim of a very painful accident Tuesday afternoon. He was playing by himself on a mattress which was lying on the floor doubled over and no one knows how it happened, as the little fellow does not seem to know much about it himself. The supposition is that he fell off the mattress in a cramped position.

TERRY COUNTY.

THE BEST PLACE TO BUY A CHEAP HOME ON THE PLAINS.

Terry County is thirty miles square, situate eighty miles north from Stanton, on the T. & P. railroad, and about eighty miles southwest from Plainview, terminus of the Santa Fe; was organized in 1884, and has about 2,000 population. ALL WHITE, about 400 homes, mostly farmers and stock farmers, 250 school children, a school house in reach of every community, and a school fund of \$15 per scholar.

The soil is of a sandy nature, but one half of the county is firm mixed hard land, with enough sand to plow well, level and smooth. Portions of this land is covered with short grass and mesquite and cat-claw bushes; other portions with sage grass and shinary, and a great deal of the county is a mixture of both, with clay foundation. The country being level, not having any running streams or mountains, the land catches and holds every drop of rain that falls—none is wasted. The grass is splendid grazing for cattle and other stock, and furnishes a living for thousands of cattle every year. The land produces fine corn, kafir corn, maize, sugar cane, cotton equal to and averages with Central Texas and Oklahoma per year and per acre, while melons, potatoes, onions and vegetables are superior to that of either place. The rainfall is amply sufficient to produce good crops every year, as the farmers who have lived in Terry county for the past four years will bear testimony. Trees of all kinds that have been planted grow very rapidly; the water is pure, free from salt, sulphur, iron, lead, and found in abundance at 60 to 150 feet. Several large orchards in the county to bear fruit this year, and thousands of young trees set out every season.

The climate is dry in winter and early spring, and is as mild as Central Texas, and it is noted during the winter several severe blizzards passed far south of us, one hundred miles east, and never affected this county. Like all prairie countries the wind blows at times rather hard, and on our deepest sandy land will blow the sand with plow up, but this is not the case with all the county.

Fuel is obtained from the large grubs under the mesquite, some of which are six and eight feet long, large as a pipe, and some as big as a barrel. The railroad is a great deal more land here than in Central Texas or Oklahoma.

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

Land Prices:—
 Lands adjoining town, unimproved \$12 to \$25 per acre. Unimproved 5 miles away at \$5 to \$10 per acre, unimproved 6 to 15 miles away at \$5 to \$10 per acre. Improved places with houses, wells, windmills, fences, farms, orchards—ready made home for \$8 to \$15 per acre, some near, some a distance away. Some of the more sandy lands, 20 miles away at \$2.50 per acre, school and church lands. These lands can be bought on terms one-fourth to one-half cash, balance in two to six years time at 2 per cent interest, or all cash if preferred. These lands are owned by different people. No one man owns this country. It is the small farmers' country. Any sized tracts can be had from ten acres to 100 sections.

YOAKUM COUNTY.

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

Plains:—

Plains, situated in the center of the county, is the county site. The town is nicely situated, and just as soon as the county settles up, will make one of the best towns on the Central Plains. School lands in Yoakum county sell at from \$2 to \$4 bonus, and are among the best lands in the county. Patented lands sell at \$5 to \$6 per acre, and on terms of from one-fourth to one-third cash, balance from three to five years time. There is no better place in the west for a man with small means to get a cheap home than in Yoakum county, nor for the man of large means to invest his capital, because lands in that county are cheaper than in any other section of the Plains country.

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