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Ezry Perkins.

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The showers you ask are on the spot,
Whether its rain you advertise for or not,
The Herald leads out "Results" in a trot.
—The Editor and Devils.

PRIDE DOTS.

I will tell you right now. I am too tired to write. I have been grubbing today.

The oyster supper at Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Mark's last Thursday night was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Turner gave the young folks a party last Monday night.

Mr. Melton Groves returned last Thursday from the east where he had been after his mother.

Mr. J. P. Simmons was in the western part of Terry county last week.

Mr. A. R. Haley got snowbound at Big Springs, and did not get to Coke county to see his parents.

Messrs. J. W. and G. L. Russell

went to Lamesa last week.

Mr. J. H. Cathey went to Gail last Friday on business.

Mr. C. H. Martin, and son Fred, went to Lamesa last Monday after supper.

Mr. Leatherwood says he wishes the man who carried his fine dog away would bring him back.

We are sorry to learn that John Bryant is suffering with rheumatism, but hope he will soon be up again.

Messrs. J. H. Marrs, J. C. Preston and J. K. Epperson went to Lamesa last week on business.

Mr. J. F. Stokes returned from Big Springs with a load of freight last week.

Mr. C. H. Martin and Miss Fannie Fortenberry were united in marriage at Tahoka last Mon-

is over.

The Judge has just two acres enclosed, which he says keeps him busy keeping the weeds down, but the work is a pleasure, especially when plant life respond so nicely to his care, and again, because of the rarity of having ones own vegetables, from his own private garden, during the long bleak winter.

He also has a splendid little orchard. Every tree looks healthy, and with favorable weather during the blooming and maturing season, he will be blessed with an abundance of fruits of all kinds.

He says anyone can have vegetables all winter with just a little care. He covered his tomato vines all winter and succeeded in keeping them green and bearing till near Xmas. We would be glad to see more of our citizens take an interest in truck growing and give our readers the advantage of their experience through the columns of the Herald.

Enumerators' Test Easy.

Washington, D. C. December 27th, 1909. Any person of good judgment, who has received an ordinary common school education, can readily and easily pass the test to be given applicants for Census enumerators' places on Saturday Feb. 5th, the date finally set by U. S. Census Director Durand, according to an announcement from the Census Bureau to-day. This will be as comforting assurance to the several hundred thousand who are believed to be contemplating application for the places.

It was emphatically stated at the bureau that the test will be an eminently reasonable and practical one, similar to that applied to applicants at the Twelfth Census. It will consist of filling out a sample schedule of population from a description, in narrative form, of typical families; and, in the case of enumerators whose work will be called upon to fill out an additional sample schedule of agriculture, from information furnished by the Census Bureau.

All persons, whether women or men, who may desire to become Census enumerators must be citizens of the United State; residents of the supervisor's district for which they wish to be appointed; must be not less than 18 nor more than 70 years of age; must be physically able to do the work; must be trustworthy, honest and of good habits; must have at least an ordinary education and must be able to write plainly and with reasonable rapidity.

Those who can comply with these requirements are invited to put in their applications, as there will be at least 68,000 enumerators' places to be filled by the middle of March in preparation for the enumeration beginning April 15th.

Application forms, with full instructions for filling-in and complete information concerning the test and the method of appointment, can be secured by writing to the supervisor of census for the supervisor's district in which the applicant lives. All applicants, properly filled in must be filed with the supervisors not later than January 25th as any received after that date cannot be considered. Letters or applications should be mailed to Jno. B. Littler, Supervisor of 16th District, Big Springs, Texas.

day. Mr. Martin is a ranchman near Pride, and has many friends here and at Colorado, Texas. Miss Fannie is the charming daughter of our neighbors Mr. and Mrs. Fortenberry. She is loved by all who know her. We join their many friends in wishing them a merry, happy life.

Sand Lapper feels slighted as the editor did not come to see her while he was at Uncle Joe's after saying he was coming.

Well I will have to ring-off. Gee! aint it cold?

Sand Lapper.

You bet it is. We believe Peary brought that dratted pole back home with him. Well we know how to sympathize with people who grub, especially a lady. We've tried it. Don't fret were coming. We like that part of the county, and are 'gwine to come back somemore."

Vegetables in Winter.

Judge Copeland has been telling us for some time about having this, and that vegetable for his dinner, and Monday evening we decided to go down and investigate the matter.

We found a large pit excavated on the south side of his residence, which he had partly filled with manure, not so much for fertility, as for its inclination to create heat. On this he put earth, and planted his seed.

While the plants looked a little sick from the effects of the late extremely cold weather, but upon closer examination we noted that just the tip ends were affected and the bud looked as fresh as a Morning Glory at peep of day and the Judge assured us that a few warm, sunshiny day would casuse a wonderful revival.

For cover, he makes a light framework of lumber, on which he tacks old quilts wagon, sheets and jute sacks. Every pretty morning he props these covers up, giving the plants the advantage of air, light and heat. He waters them occasionally from the windmill which is near by. At night there is nothing to do but remove the props, and every thing is snug inside.

Under glass, near the smoke-house, (yes he has a smoke-house alle samee) he has all kinds of little plants, some with four leaves, while others are just pushing up the earth. It is an interesting fact the plants near the north bank, that has the advantage of the far southern sun, the longest, are much the larger plants, showing conclusively that the sun is the source of all plant life. These young plants will be transplanted to permanent places, just as soon as danger from frost

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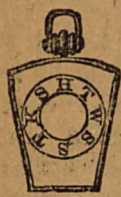
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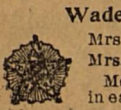
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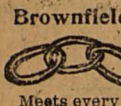
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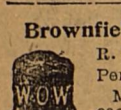
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FOR THE
DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY
July 1910

- FOR GOVERNOR
R. V. Davidson
- FOR DIST. ATTY. 64th JUD. DIST.
R. M. Ellerd
L. C. Penry
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE
Geo. W. Neill
J. T. Gainer
- FOR COUNTY CLERK
T. J. Price
- FOR SHERIFF and TAX-COLLECTOR
Geo. E. Tiernan
- FOR TAX-ASSESSOR
M. S. Dumas
J. R. Burnett
H. L. Ware

H. L. Ware, of Gomez, came in this week and authorized us to announce him as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Terry county. Mr. Ware is too well and favorably known all over the county to need any long spiel from us. We will say, however, that he would make us an efficient official should the voters decide to land him in office.

Col. J. F. Gainer, of Gomez, asked us to announce him this week as a candidate for the office of County Judge. Mr. Gainer is well and favorably known all over the county, and is well qualified to fill the office. He ask you to seriously consider his candidacy.

L. C. Penry.

In this issue of the Herald will be found the announcement of L. C. Penry telling the voters of Terry county that he is a candidate for re-election to the office of District Attorney for this Judicial District. Mr. Penry is serving his first term by election to that office, having served only

a part of a term by appointment. In the first place, it is an acknowledged fact by all who are familiar with him that he is one of the best lawyers in the District, and has made a splendid record as a prosecuting attorney. He believes in the strict enforcement of the law and performs his duty without fear or favor. He is a gentleman in the full sense of the term and those who know him best are his strongest supporters. It will be impossible for Mr. Penry to make a thorough canvass of the District for the reason that he will be engaged in the courts nearly all the time from now until the primary election in July and will have to leave his interests in the hands of the voters who he can trust as doing the fair thing with him. We ask for Mr. Penry that consideration at the hands of the voters of Terry county his record deserves.

Pay Your Pole Tax.

During the year 1910, there is going to be at least two elections. A primary in July, and a general election in November, and if you fail to possess a pole tax receipt, before February the 1st, you disfranchise yourself and needlessly lessen your influence as a citizen.

Furthermore, you are likely to be called upon to decide questions by ballot of state wide, and even national importance, and you should not hamper your influence by not having the right of suffrage.

Get in line and come to town right now, and put yourself on a basis with the wealthiest and the most powerful man in Texas, when it comes to counting votes. The ballot is the only power we everyday folks have; so let us wield it for the good of ourselves, our people and our country.

We have started a new year that may bring us happiness and prosperity, or bitterness and poverty, ease and luxury, or strife and discord; we cannot tell what the morrow may bring. We have just barely started, and we cannot see yet whether the cloud has a dark or silvery lining. The fog of doubt has not cleared. We are at the peep of dawn; as an infant for the first time beholding the glories of God's great footstool. But let us press on, do the most for our own happiness, and those about us. Make the most of life, for we will be a long time dead. Forget the old, if it brought you heartaches. Put your shoulder to the wheel with as young a heart as the new year itself. Maybe there is going to be a better time ahead. Who knows what the new year wheel will bring us. Press against the collar, and if perchance you do succeed, we will not always be wanting to kick ourselves because we got something for nothing.

Poor old Terry county! Or rather, poor old citizens of our western neighbor county. Just think of working and sweating 13 months in the year in the deep, blowing sand in order to raise one bale of cotton, and then have to haul it 35 miles; 25 through hub deep sand to the cotton gin at Tahoka the Center of the cotton growing country of the Plains. If Mr. Sparks, who lives five miles north of Brownfield, and who brought his cotton to Tahoka today, Friday, to get it ginned, had he only lived in Lynn county, he might have had two bales to gin and not had all that sand to haul it thru either.

That is all right, Bro. Herald. In spite of the dry, hard year, Lynn county farmers and stockmen have made enough money to what little feed and goobers Terry county raised this year, and you can tell your farmers that if any one else has a bale of cotton to take it to Tahoka and we will gin it for them, buy it at a price that will almost pay to haul it thru the sand and our merchants will sell them a bill of goods at such low prices that when they need anything again, they will come all the way here for it, whether they have a bale of cotton to bring or not. We have the gin and the goods, if you can

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This time and space I take to thank my friends for their liberal patronage in the past, and to inform them that the trade to sell my store-house and the lot it stands on did not go through and is nul and void—I am ready to build a nice addition to my store-house and will have for 1910, a full complete line of Millinery Drygoods Ladies and Gentlemen tailoring and also ready-made clothing of every description. My new stock has already begun to arrive.

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just furnish a little cotton.

Hold tight fellers, Bro. Crie has jumped another cog, and threatens the Terry County Commonwealth with distraction.

Say Bud, you never answered one iota of our last rejoinder, but you think you've found another gap and have sneaked through. We are still on your trail, and aim to take your scalp this time.

Now about that cotton, for instance, while you were boasting of your famous cotton market, why didn't you tell your readers that your merchants only offered Mr. Sparks 13 cent for his cotton, and he hired another man to carry it on to the railroad and received 14 1-2 cents for it? Why on earth didn't you mention the fact that Terry county has two gins—one at Gomez, and one at Meadow—while you were tearing around about your one little contraption?

Yes he MIGHT have made 4 bales in Lynn county IF the BLUE weeds didn't happen to get the lead and take cotton, Sparks and all.

"Of all sad words of tongue or pen, The saddest of these is MIGHT have been."

But you may have the cotton; we raise feed and fat stock, 'taters, peanuts, popcorn and goobers.

He says: "In spite of the dry, Lynn county farmers and stockmen have made enough money to buy all the feed and goobers Terry county raised this year."

Why man, beside the constant stream of wagons from your ill fated county, we are hauling feed to the different railroad points every day, besides we are feeding thousands of head of your old poor cows that have been driven over into Egypt to be fed this winter. "Made plenty of money."

Now wouldn't that cock your pistol. Just last Monday a gentleman from Lynn county was in Brownfield after feed, but he didn't have the kale seed to buy with, but a load of mesquite grubs instead. This he quickly converted into cash and purchased corn. Our people had the corn and are too independent to get out and grub this cold weather.

You can just tell your farmers than our people have the feed and CORN if they can get up a load or two of GRUBS.

Maids and Matrons.

The Maids and Matrons met with Misses Harris Saturday afternoon, January 8. Despite the absence of a number of members, a very interesting study of American history was conducted with Miss. Mattie Harris as teacher. Responses to roll call were names of Ladies of the White House followed by interesting current events, and discussion of the War of 1812 and Mexican War, Mrs. Brownfield giving a treatise of the latter so interesting and thorough that it evidenced through and historical research. Miss Pearl Stewart read in her own irimitable way Longfellow's sweet "Hymn of the Moravian Nuns of Bethlehem".

In connection with the study of the Mexican War. Miss Georgie Cooper recited Whittiers, "Angels of Buena Vista." The complete synopsis of the slavery question was presented by Miss Orell Harris. After fighting again all the battles of our first two wars of the nineteenth century, and solving various national problems, all troubles were forgotten over the teacups. The Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. John Randal, on Saturday, January 22.

Married

On last Sunday morning while most of the population of Gomez was, or should have been at church, and general quite reigned everywhere, Mr. Wess Key and Miss Ruth Rodgers, were spending as fast as gasoline would carry them to Plains, where they were happily married. Both are prominent young people of Gomez and the Herald joins their many friends in wishing them a prosperous and happy married life.

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Local & Personal

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Dr. T.M. Griffin, of Gomez was in our city one day this week.

Cleve Holden came in from Big Springs Sunday.

Jake Johnson says if you want a boot or shoe repaired, he is just what can fix them.

J. R. Lanier, of Gomez, was seen in the capital one day this week.

W. S. Williams of Gomez was over attending the Odd Fellows lodge last night.

M. B. Sawyer, one of our largest ranchmen, was doing business at the capital Thursday.

J. E. Bryant of the Groves Chapel neighborhood was seen laying in supplies this week.

J. C. Whisenant has had a new cylinder put in his auto, and he is now busy burning gas.

L. B. Minor, and mother, of Gomez, have been visiting in Brownfield this week.

W. G. Myers fixed his ax up this week, trying to make believe he aims to work some.

Rev. Trammel returned from Floydada last week where he went to visit relatives.

Judge Geo. W. Neill has been visiting some of the rural schools this week.

The Brownfield Merc. Company has some real bargains to offer you. See them.

The management of the new grocery went to Lubbock last week and got a nice, clean, stock of groceries.

Harrison Holden sold his interest in the Meat Market to Allen Keeter of near Meadow, who will move down in a few days.

J. T. and Will Gainer, of Gomez, passed through Brownfield Wednesday on their way to Big Springs on business.

Don't fail to see the bargains at the Mercantile. You'll get twice the worth of your money "and then some".

Judge M. L. French is suffering with a slight attack of throat trouble this week, the effect of too much speaking.

J. H. George was shaking hands with the Brownfield people this week, but he says he's not a candidate.

The Odd Fellows have closed a deal with J. H. Moore for his lot on the north side of the square. Consideration \$500

W. D. Wynn, of the western part of the county, was in attendance at the regular meeting of Odd fellows last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bough, who live a few miles south of Gomez were in Brownfield Monday on a shopping expedition.

Geo. E. Tiernan is being kept very busy these days collecting taxes. That's right boys, be early and do not disfranchise yourself.

The new teacher Miss Mixsom who took charge of a room after the holidays, is giving the best of satisfaction, according to reports.

W. J. A. Parker and Joe Lane went to Plainview Texas this week to take some of the higher degrees in Masonry. The boys report a swell time.

NOTICE. A nice assortment of ladies' suitings, blankets, underwear, and a lot of other good merchandise will be sold regardless of cost at Brownfield Merc. Co.

A. J. Wenhan, of Cincinnati, Ohio, who has been spending the holidays in Brownfield, the quest of Sam Rather, left for his home Monday morning. Jack made quite a lot of friends while here, who hope he will pay us another visit, which he promises to do.

J. F. Holden and family left Thursday for Big Springs, where they will remain until Mr. Holden can make a trip to Old Mexico to look out location. We are sorry indeed to lose this excellent family.

Judge Tucker of Yoakum County passed through Brownfield this week on his way home from Wichita Fall, where he spent the holidays with his parents. He reports prosperous conditions where he has been.

Mr. C. V. Young's family came in last week from Lubbock, and will make Brownfield their future home. Mr. Young is local manager of the McAdams Lumber Co., at this place. They are excellent people and we heartily welcome them.

G. A. Pyron, of Lubbock, has bought H. H. Longbreak's garage supplies and will move them to the old garage building on the east side, which he aims to enlarge. Mr. Pyron has already ordered a gasoline engine lathe and other up-to-date fixtures and when complete will be one of the best repair shops on the Plains. He will employ Jack Head and other expert help to do the mechanical work. Mr. Pyron and family will move down from Lubbock in a few days.

We had a letter from Mr. Alvis Blake, former proprietor of the Palace Pharmacy in which he says he has closed out his drug business to Messrs Pickett and Penny, who will continue to treat their customers right. They will retain Mr. L. R. Boyd in their employ, who is said to be the most reputable pharmacist in the state. Mr. Blake will engage in general land and insurance business in Lubbock, Terry and Lynn counties. We hope him much success in his new field.

MEADOW SCHOOL NOTES

Now, Mr. Editor, I will unveil that "Fuzzy" the first hard work I do. I do my writing in Mr. Peeler's store, and when I wrote that last letter, Mr. Aut. Robinson was doing clerical work in the store, and picked up my letter and scribbled on it, and I let it pass by oversight.

Our school attendance has been fine this week, and the interest is at white heat! We have the following names to report on the "Honor Roll":

Dewey Farris, Lester Lindsey, and Rena Peeler.

Let the good people of Meadow get busy on our work of preparing our schoolground for "Dedication Day". We don't mean to let this move pass as a bit of boasting bazzo!

Mr. Allen Keeter, who is in care of W. H. Long's things while the latter is away with his family visiting in Erath County, had a letter from Mr. Long in which he says that his oldest little boy, William, is real low with the fever. We are, indeed, sorry to hear such sad news, as William is one of our very earnest little workers.

The young people who attended the entertainment and fruit-supper at Mr. H. H. Timmons' last Saturday night, report a large crowd and a gay time.

Hogkilling has been the order of the day at Meadow this week. Mr. Peeler and Mr. W. G. Howard, the land agent of this place, slew a few.

Brother Charlie Jamerson, the pastor of the Gomez M. E. Church, passed through Meadow on his way to Lubbock to haul out his coal and some lumber to repair the parsonage. He spent last night with the family of Mr. Peeler.

J. W. Taylor. Prof. you will have to put a muzzle on that fellow Fuzzy, I'm afraid, or he will get you into serious trouble. He might give the whole "goat story" away. Also you are doing the right thing by advocating early breaking of then school premises. Go your route, count noses and watch results. The Herald is at your service.—Ed.

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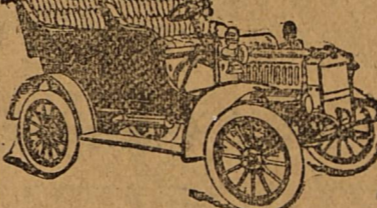
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Terry:

By virtue of a certain alias execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Lubbock county, on the 3rd day of January, 1910, by Elizabeth Boyd, Clerk of said Court, against W. C. Mathis and Mrs. M. A. Griffith as principals, and J. J. Lane as surety, for the sum of eleven hundred and twenty-one dollars and fifteen cents (\$1,121 15) and costs of suit, in cause No. 386 in said court, styled the First National Bank of Lubbock versus W. C. Mathis, Mrs. M. A. Griffith and J. J. Lane and placed in my hands for service, I, Geo. E. Tiernan as Sheriff of Terry county, Texas, did, on the 7th day of January, 1910, levy on certain real estate, situated in Terry county, described as follows: An undivided one-half interest in Abstract No. 902, Certificate No. 273 Section one hundred (100), Grantee J. E. Griffith, in Block 4-X, containing 640 acres of land, and Lot No. one (1), in Block twenty (20) of the original townsite of Gomez, Terry county, Texas, as designated on the plot of said town, recorded in deed records of Terry county, Texas, levied upon as the property of the said Mrs. M. A. Griffith, and section No. twenty-two (22), Block D-D, Certificate No. 502, Abstract No. 1004, Terry county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said W. C. Mathis. And on Tuesday the first day of February, 1910, at the Court House door of Terry county, in the town of Brownfield, Texas, between hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Mrs. M. A. Griffith and W. C. Mathis by virtue of said levy and said alias execution.

And in compliance with law, I give notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Terry County Herald a newspaper published in Terry county.

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One on Judge Aiken.

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Lockney but who now lives at Stanton, being county surveyor of Martin county, and a very modest gentleman. He acted as justice of the peace in Floyd county for a short time only and had the breath knocked out of him by being called on suddenly to marry a raw cowboy and girl. He plead with them to get a minister; but no, the kid said, "We know you and J. H. McGhee and all your folks, and you must sure do it for us." So Frank said, "Well, stand up and I will sure put it to you." They stood as an owl. Aiken said, "Join hands. Do you take her, to have, to hold, to warrant, defend—to—er—to—Great God, hold on kids, we made a mistake and must start it all over! Do you both take each other for dead sure keaps?" Both answered they did. 'Squire Aiken said: "I pronounce you man and wife; and whoever me and God Joins together let no man monkey with Congratulations, much applause—and refreshment. —'Revilo,' in Dawson County News.

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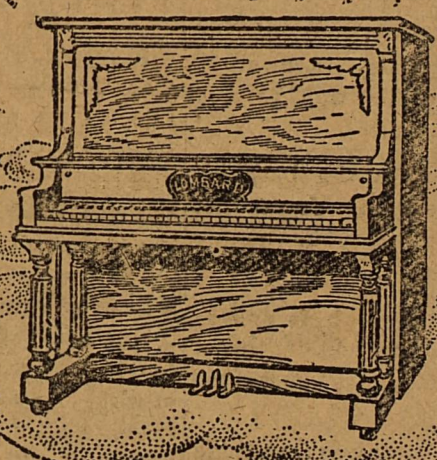
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