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### OUR ODD FELLOW AND REBEKAH LODGES

By Dr. J. W. Ellis

The Committee on entertainment have given me the closing address, and have not assigned to me a subject. I therefore suppose that I am expected to thank you in eloquent words for your august presence, throw a few bouquets at visiting ladies, smile, bow, scrape, bow and sit down. But I shall use this, my first opportunity to impose you some of the things that are on my mind; in other words unload upon you.

Let me give you briefly and from memory; the history of the Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges of Brownfield, and in passing, comment upon their work. The Odd Fellows lodge was organized on the night of Sept. 15th, four years ago with a membership of twenty-eight. We now have a membership of 92. We do not claim that we have made no mistakes in the selection of material but we do claim that in the membership of our lodge is among the very best of the men in the most promising county of the great state of Texas, than whom no lodge boast of better.

We have carried 78 through the ceremonies of initiation and what effect the vows and lessons have made on their lives none but God can tell, but we believe that it has touched the hearts of many and changed the destiny of a few. Indeed we do not see how it is possible for any one to pass through the forms and ceremonies of initiation, taking upon himself vows that bring him in such close relationship to others without receiving some of those impressions of Brotherly love which was taught by the lowly Nazarine. We have paid out to sick and distressed brothers more than one thousand dollars; have contributed more than four hundred dollars to one of the noblest institutions under the sun. I refer to the I. O. O. F. Widows and Orphans home at Corsicana, of which

all Odd Fellows speak with reverence and pride. We have bought and paid for a home for our dead brothers, and same is surveyed into lots recorded with the County Clerk, is nicely fenced and is being cared for by 92 loving hearts.

We have bought a lot upon which we mean to erect a home for our lodge and already our brothers speak with pride about the Odd Fellow's lot.

Since organization, we have missed only one meeting, and that was because we were away organizing a lodge at Tahoka. We have met together in the four years, 218 times, with an average attendance of 20 or a total of 6360 for the purpose of transacting lawful business and for diffusing of the principles of benevolence and charity. We claim that the human mind cannot conceive the result of all these meetings held under such circumstances and with such noble purposes in view. We do know however, that Brotherly love prevails, and that in our hall friendships have been formed, the ties of which not even death can desolve. Together we visited and encouraged our sick brothers, officiated at his burrial, looked after his widow, and cared for his orphans. Thus have we tried to live up to the grand motto of our order, which is Friendship, Love and Truth. Strife and discord have sometimes been amongst us; the storms of adversity have assailed and threatened to wreck us, but like a mighty ocean liner, our barge has met and proudly floated over them unhurt.

Holy writ informs us that "In the beginning God created the Heavens and the Earth" and upon the earth was the Garden of Eden. And He created man and placed him in the Garden, surrounded by every fruit and luxury that even Diety could conceive but the fellow pined and could not be satisfied, and God created for him a woman. So it was with our order. Not being satisfied with the delightful task of doing

good, they longed for a helper and God created for the lodge a helpmeet and her name is Rebekah. Her membership has rapidly increased until today there is in Texas alone, more than 400 lodges. The Odd Fellows lodge at Brownfield inherited the need for her assistance and consequently on the 20th day of Mar. 1908, the Rebekah lodge was organized, having for its purpose the same noble principles and benevolent objects, the cultivation of which has made Odd Fellowship famous the world over. This lodge has been to the Odd Fellows a constant pride. They have been called to other and larger towns to instruct them in the work and diffuse the principles which we love. They have been to us an inspiration and a faithful helper. They have royally entertained us, have fed us and given unto us to drink.

The Rebekahs are so much a part of our lodge that we no longer contemplate an important step without their advice and assistance. In all our efforts they have been a help and have given us their sympathy and council.

May these two noble fraternal orders go on in their efforts in benevolent achievement, hand in hand in the glorious work of F. L. & T., and may their field of usefulness grow broader as their years increase, and may the little work begun four years ago increase to a mighty wave of righteousness to dash itself against the shores of eternity.

We trust these Homecomings will grow in importance as the years roll by until we reach that last Homecoming and when we give the countersign where the Noble Grand of the universe presides, may we receive a recognition which will gain us admission into that celestial lodge in the city of God.

#### Reformation

The old proposition of "what was good for 'pap' is good for me" sounds reverent and logical and at first thought, to do other-

wise would mean a contempt for the teaching of antecedents. A deeper analysis tolls the knell to this and hundreds of kindred foggisms, and we see at once that we must progress even more than our fathers did from the paths of their fathers. Then it was more a test of muscular power; today a test of brain power. For example; houses were once planned as they were being built, from a pile of material that might build two houses. Today immense steel bridges and reinforced concrete buildings are cut and figured to the pound of steel, the bag of cement and load of sand before a pick is ever stuck in the foundation. Do we want to return to ancient bull-tongue agriculture and ox-wagon transportation? Are the ladies harping for the needle and thimble, the cards and spinning wheel? Do we still want to hamper the education of our children in a crowded log house, puncheon seats, insufficient text books and a tyrannical old task-masters? Hardly. The "old time religion" may be the real, genuine kind; so far as we know, no one save atheists or skeptics have disputed its superiority, but religion was perfected and instituted by God, while custom has no higher or better source than man.

There is not a day past but that somewhere in this great universe of our, a reform is launched, but are sometimes delayed for years before being officially commissioned. Along with them are incubated the "deforms." These generally wither out and die as soon as the searchlight of intelligence is trained on them, while others coming in the form of "necessary evils" are like cattle ticks in Southern Texas; they just hang on.

One of these fostered reforms is today sweeping America. It has been heralded many years, but until recently did it assume a menacing power. We speak of Prohibition. The game fight of this fast growing band has driven liquor from one stronghold to another till it is a besieged in

our larger cities, where it is given no quarters. Of course this new reform has many champions and they have different opinions as regards procedure. One general says let us beat them locally while another thinks the right way is to fall on their rear, front and both flanks, driving them out, state at a whack. Here a principle is involved. The Herald sides with the localist. We say we have a perfect right to vote and work for the eradication of liquor in Terry county alone. The state-wide answers that what is good for a county is also good for state, nation or world. Granted. But my neighbor's barking dog disturbs my slumber or a neighboring packing house may have a disagreeable odor, but two hundred miles off they do not bother. Yes, but their heavy criminal docket cost you your parater part, says Bro. State-wide. Even so, but if one begrudges spending his coin without seeing the result, he had best move to the center of attraction. We all agree that liquor is a curse to humanity, but let them whom it is bothering first show a willingness to move it, lest in moving the filth they take away the disinfectants, and leave a stinch (blind-tiger) that is still worse. Some one will still cling to the old doctrine "what is good for father, is good for me, and that belief probably keeps millions from joining the white rose band, but they are slipping the shackles of ignorance every day to join ranks with those who are dooming the liquor traffic.

There are many honest antis from conviction of principle that never drink themselves, that had rather be classed with a pack of mangy curs than with the white-apron element. Whether he is a drinker or not, he is much easier converted to your way of thinking by kindness than abuse.

In July or August we are almost sure to get to vote on this great question which is a serious matter, and all should give the question sane consideration.

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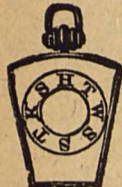
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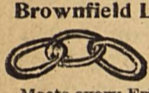
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**Wade Chapter 317 O. E. S.**  
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Geo. E. Tiernan, Secretary.  
Meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at Masonic Hall



**Brownfield Lodge No. 530 I. O. O. F.**  
W. J. A. Parker, N. G.  
J. F. Winston, Sec'y.  
Meets every Friday in Odd Fellows Hall.



**BROWNFIELD REBEKKAH LODGE NO. 329.**  
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Mrs. R. H. Banowsky, N. G.  
Miss Annie Hamilton, Sec.



**Brownfield Camp No. 1989 W. O. W.**  
R. H. Banowsky, C. C.  
T. O. Shelton, Sec.  
Meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday night in each month in the Odd Fellows Hall

**Church Directory.**

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Rev. V. H. Trammell, Pastor.

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Rev. J. H. Hill, Pastor.

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W. G. Hardin, Leader.

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Just how long the legislature will be in session depends altogether how soon the prohibition question is settled or squashed.

Oldfield says Jefferies bound him to profound secrecy about that drugging story. The best way to get publicity generally, is to tell some people, and then impress upon them the great importance of keeping the secret.

The Nut Growers Association are going to furnish each school in Texas a pecon tree to transplant on their campus. The nut from this particular tree is not only delicious and highly prized, but the tree makes a shade second to none, too—boot.

The probability of admitting Mexican cattle free is being discussed pro and con by cattlemen. From the point of a mere listener, it would seem to us that the pros are all cattle buyers and the cons are sellers.

Some day even the Northern people are going to wake up to the fact that this pension business is getting to be a serious burden even in these sterneous times, and then the lid will be put on. The primary reason for creating this fund was to reward soldiers who saved the Union. No one objected to that as the spoils of war belongs to the conquerors but they do seriously object to it being used as a slush-fund for ambitious polititions. The old saying "don't Yankee soldiers never die" has played out and people are learning where their money goes.

Only four democrats in the United States Congress are standing with Lorimer, the republican, who won a seat in the Senate by bribery and corruption, and one of these four is no other than Joseph Weldon Bailey of Texas. While this great question of purity in public officials is undergoing the trial of its life our Junior Senator's matchless eloquence is hushed and silent while others are standing boldly in the fight for honesty,

conscience and old time integrity as qualifications on the part of our lawmakers and as essential to the safety and welfare of the people. To condone Lorimer's offence and to uphold a Senator who has purchased his seat in Congress is to destroy the last hope for a stronger public faith in those whose duty it is to manage the affairs of our country. Keep your eye on those high officials and see how they vote and Judge them accordingly.—Stanton Reporter.

Why man, can't you see that our Joseph aims to make a race two years hence, and if victorious will probably have to ask Lorimer for a retaliatory white-wash? For we are of the opinion that John D. Oil dollars will flow like beer in Milwaukee.

**Bottling Works Sold**

We understand the Lubbock Bottling Works plant, building and land belonging thereto has been sold by the former owner, C. D. Webster to H. G. Lyman, recently from Denver, Colorado. Consideration \$2500. Mr. Webster will probably return to Colorado within a few weeks. Mr. Lyman is a son-in-law of Mr. Webster. He is a business young man, and we wish him the greatest success in the business he has just purchased.—Lubbock Avalanche.

**Notice.**

Hereafter, the clubbing rate of the Herald and Dallas Farm News will be \$1.75 instead of \$1.50 as heretofore. We cannot afford to lose money on the comation is the reason for the advance in price.

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## Local and Personals

About things that have occurred, will occur, or is likely to occur

It is reported that M. V. Brownfield has sold nearly \$50,000 worth of cattle lately.

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Jno. W. Cone  
Plains, Yoakum county, Texas.

V. H. Hargett left this week for Northwest Texas on a prospecting tour.

The drillers are busy putting down a well on the W. C. Smith lots this week.

In this week's paper will be found the ad of Doc Clement, of Lamesa. Most of our people know Doc personally, and know that when he says he cleans clothes, he means it.

So many with (bad) colds and gripp this week we cannot report each individual case. Suffice to say however, that none of them are serious, and generally speaking are glad when grub time comes.

J. L. Randal has been slaying cats about his place this week. Bad luck or no luck, he says he proposes to have less noise in his back yard these good, long, sleeping nights.

We are glad to report Rev. E. N. Groves is up and able to be stirring around the place again, in spite of the slim hopes for his recovery a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Edwin Groves left this week for Cook county, where she will visit relatives and friends for the next thirty days. That means that Edwin will live on sweet milk and crackers for same period.

Tom May, of Lubbock, an employe of the Western Windmill Co., at that place, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. May, last week.

The Home Mission Society will stage a play about Washington's birthday, entitled The Broken Links. They promise your money's worth in this production.

The Brownfield Telephone Co., have received their new switch board, and it is a dandy in every sense of the word. It is very much superior of the old board, especially as to convenience and simplicity, and when this board is put in, we believe the service at this place will be greatly improved. We heartily congratulate Mr. Cardwell as proprietor and Mr. James as manager, upon their new acquisition.

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The Lord willing, Carroll Phillips of Gomez, will preach at the Baptist Church of Brownfield, the fifth Sunday in January. His theme will be, "How to Study the Bible." All are invited to come and hear him. Service at 11 o'clock.

Messrs. W. R. Spencer and Neill H. Bigger, returned Sunday from Plains, and reported that a railroad man was over there getting up a railroad bonus. We certainly hope that the county seat to our west will succeed in landing a road.

Uncle Billie Howard informed us this week that he had one of the most pleasant trips during his recent visit to Central West Texas that he ever had. Met all the children and grand children, had plenty to eat; good fishing and hunting. He says people got it in the neck there, as well as here last year.

Percy Spenser returned this week from a three weeks visit to parents and relatives in Miss. Percy says he had an unusually pleasant trip this time, and found conditions good in portions of that state where the boll worm has not yet reached them.

We respectfully call your attention to the statement of the Brownfield State Bank in this issue. While the deposits are not so high as usual, you will notice there are no bills payable, and re-discounts are conspicuous by their absence, which shows a hearty condition, and therein lies the strength of banking institutions.

Rev. M. D. Williams was exhibiting the stuffed hide of a large bob-cat on the streets this week that had been playing havoc with Geo. Rose's chickens lately, but the boys ran onto him the other day and succeeded in roping him, but the gentleman refused to stand hitched and choked himself to death. Thus ended the life of a West Texas chicken thief.

Mrs. W. R. Spenser returned this week from Brownwood where she has attended the bedside of her mother for the past month. She left her mother in a greatly improved condition and hopes are entertained for a speedy recovery. While every

thing was done to make her stay in Brownwood pleasant, she could not be very well content and her mother so very low.

W. R. Harris returned last week from Old East Texas and Louisiana. Now if you want to hear all the news and that in an entertaining way just you corner him off for a half hour chat. About the first thing you are likely to hear about is those old "yaller" yam taters that are so soft they sink down like a snow man in August, and syrup oozes out like lasses out of a leaky barrel. Then he will tell you about that fine gunning among the fallen pines. Oh! he can tell it good, don't you forget.

### Notice to Customers.

Those indebted to me in any way must come in and settle. We must at least have settlement once a year, and this is the beginning of a new year so let's settle up.

Yours Respectfully,  
J. T. May.

### BIDS WANTED

For County Depository of Terry County.

Brownfield Texas, Jan. 19, 1911  
Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Terry County, Texas, will on the second Tuesday in February 1911, receive bids from any banking corporation, association, or individual banker, desiring to act as depository for the funds of said Terry county for the term of two years, as provided by law.

Sealed bids can be sent to the County Judge at any time, but will not be opened until 10 o'clock a.m. on the 14 day of February 1911.

Certified Check for not less than \$100.00 must accompany each bid.

For further information address Geo. W. Neill, County Judge Terry County, Texas

### Married

B. W. Hurst and Miss Vada Glover, were quietly married at the Court House at Brownfield, Monday, Jan. 16th, at 11:30 a. m. Judge Geo. W. Neill officiating.

The bride is the popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Glover, old time citizens of Terry County, and was universally well liked by those who knew her.

Mr. Hurst is an erstwhile citizen of Yoakum County, but now located in Lubbock with the Seitz Grain and Coal Company.

The Herald joins their many friends in hearty congratulations and well wishes.

## Professional Cards.

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# SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson V.—First Quarter, For Jan. 29, 1911.

## THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, II Chron. xvii, 1-13. Memory Verses, 3, 4—Golden Text, Matt. vi, 33—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

This week's lesson is much more attractive than that of last week, inasmuch as we are now introduced to another good king of Judah, Jehoshaphat by name, who succeeded his father Asa and reigned twenty-five years. Last week it was chiefly the devil and his wickedness; now it is chiefly Jehovah and His ways. We say "chiefly" because there were some things in the life of Jehoshaphat which were not ordered by the Lord, though they were doubtless overruled by Him for good. I refer to his joining affinity with Ahab and with Ahaziah, kings of Israel, who both did very wickedly (xviii, 1; xx, 35). God wants a people wholly set apart for Himself and in no way entangled by or mixed up with unbelievers. Our instructions are plainly written in II Cor. vi, 14-18, the only passage in the New Testament outside of Revelation where we find the name "Almighty," the significance of which we will not know in our experience unless we are wholly separated unto Him.

Many beautiful things are said of Jehoshaphat in our lesson, such as "The Lord was with him; he sought to the Lord God of his father; his heart was lifted up in the ways of the Lord;" also some grand things that he said are found in the record of him, such as "Believe in the Lord your God, so shall ye be established; believe His prophets, so shall ye prosper" (xx, 20); also his charge to the Levites and priests in chapter xix, 9-11, and his prayer in chapter xx, 6-12.

It was most commendable that he should send throughout all the cities of Judah those who would teach out of the book of the law of the Lord (verse 9). So we read that the Lord established the kingdom in his hand, and not only all Judah, but also the Philistines and the Arabians, brought him presents, and he had riches and honor in abundance and waxed great exceedingly (verses 5, 10-12), a fulfillment of the words, "Them that honor me I will honor" (I Sam. ii, 30).

It would have been a better record if it could have been written that this good king never in any way turned aside from doing right in the sight of the Lord, but only one ever lived on earth who knew no sin and did no sin. Ever since Adam sinned every mere man has proved himself to be a sinner. How wonderful it is and what glorious good news that He who never sinned, having been made sin for us, offers to blot out all our sins and put His righteousness to our account before God (II Cor. v, 21).

When Jehoshaphat went with Ahab to battle and almost lost his life thereby, when he in his extremity cried out, the Lord helped him, and God moved them to depart from him (xviii, 29-31). It is only as the Lord, or Jehovah, who by grace becomes our righteousness, that God, or Elohim, the Creator, can do anything for such as we are. It was after Jehoshaphat had been rebuked for his sin in the matter of Ahab with the memorable and far-reaching words, "Shouldst thou help the ungodly and love them that hate the Lord," that he said to the judges whom he appointed, "Take heed what ye do, for ye judge not for man, but for the Lord" (chapter xix, 2, 6, 7). When we see in our day those who profess to honor Jesus as God joining hands in so called good works with those who deny that Jesus is God it looks very much like a union of Christ and antichrist, an impossibility, and therefore all who unite in any way with the enemies of Christ are for the time being denying Him.

The record of Jehoshaphat's victory over the people of Ammon, Moab and Mount Seir in chapter xx is in many respects the most remarkable part of his story. His confession of utter helplessness and lack of wisdom, with his reliance upon God, as set forth in his prayer (verses 6-12), is very beautiful. The answer to his prayer through Jahaziel (verses 14-17) was most encouraging with its repeated "Be not afraid nor dismayed," and its other words, so like those through Moses, when the Egyptians pursued Israel. Compare Ex. xiv, 13, 14, "If ye are true children of God the battle is always His, and it is ours to stand still and see the salvation of the Lord." On this occasion the people went forth singing and praising the Lord, and not only were the enemies smitten, but they began to destroy

themselves. It is always safe to believe God and to praise God, to bless the Lord at all times.

So God gave Jehoshaphat rest round about, and his realm was quiet, and all the kingdoms feared God when they saw how He fought for Israel (xx, 29, 30). If we were to the Lord what He would like us to be He would fill us with His rest and peace and joy, and something of the life of Jesus would be manifest in us to His glory. In Jehoshaphat's prayer Abraham is mentioned as the friend of God, and only in two other places is he thus mentioned, in Isa. xli, 8; Jas. ii, 23. But in John xv, 14, Jesus said, "Ye are my friends if ye do whatsoever I command you."

### CARE OF BROOD MARES.

Warm Quarters and Judicious Feeding Are Essential.

The winter management of brood mares embraces three special points—care, exercise and feed. It is best to have a separate lot in which the mares can exercise. If they are allowed to run with the whole herd or among cattle accidents are very liable to occur, causing abortion. Snug quarters at night, with an abundance of clean, dry bedding, and close confinement during severe or stormy weather are most essential, as they not only contribute to comfort, but prevent the overtaxing of the system to maintain the warmth of the body.

Absolute quiet for the brood mare is imperative. Fear or excitement is liable to cause abortion. Even when this does not occur the fetus may be weakened or deformed to such an extent as to render it practically worthless at birth. Jerking, whipping, hard pulling, riding and strains of all kinds are to be carefully avoided. This does not imply that the mare should be allowed to become lazy or inactive. Quiet, gentle driving or hauling will prove highly beneficial in keeping all muscles and joints in smooth working order and every organ in the body in healthy condition.

As to feed, the general condition of the mare and the fact that most of the winter rations are dry make it imperative that something be fed in the nature of a laxative to offset the binding effect of these feeds. No dusty or moldy feed of any sort should be given. Bright clover or alfalfa will prove the ideal roughage. Clean timothy, while not at all injurious, should be fed only in conjunction with one of these other kinds of hay. Fodder if clean and bright may be given occasionally as a change in feed. Corn should not form over one-third of the regular grain ration, that amount being quite sufficient to produce ample warmth and to maintain good flesh. We do not want the mare fat, but just in good, normal condition.

The other two-thirds of the grain ration should be made up of oats and bran. To this a pint of oilmeal may be added twice a week, as it is an excellent laxative. A generous handful of sunflower seeds will prove just as effective for this purpose. Salt is also most essential and should be kept before the brood mares at all times—not mixed with their feed, but placed where they will have free access to it constantly and lick it as their appetites demand.—Breeder's Gazette.

### MONEY IN FALL PIGS.

Properly Housed and Fed, They Can Be Handled With Profit.

Last year we went into the winter with sixty-eight pigs and came out in the spring with sixty-seven, one runt having been tramped to death on a cold night, writes George P. Williams in the Farm and Fireside. The last of April we sold sixty of these hogs, averaging 160 pounds and bringing a trifle over \$9 per hundredweight. During the first part of the winter these shoats had for shelter one of our three pen farrowing houses, 8 by 16 feet. But at farrowing time, the middle of February, they were crowded out and spent the remainder of the winter in a rail pen covered with fodder. These pigs "paid" as well as any spring pigs that we have ever raised.

For feed these pigs had corn, but not all that they would eat. This was fed twice a day. Morning and evening they were given all the warm slop they would drink, being mixed thin with water and composed of oilmeal, tankage and middlings, always slightly salted. The pigs were supplied with soft coal and ashes (part wood and part coal). They had ample range. We consider it important to feed at a considerable distance from the shelter, whatever the weather, as this compels the pigs to take exercise and get a good run and breath of air. It is highly important to have the sleeping quarters dry at all times. If the pen is in a low place, move it. If the bedding gets wet, clean it out at once. Do not try to winter pigs without a good supply of slop stuff.

This season we have fifty-nine pigs and can see how we can do better by them than last year—better drier quarters, more exercise, more and better warm slop, soaked corn instead of

dry. Wintering pigs takes a lot of time and work when it may be more comfortable to sit by the fire, but unless a man is ready to meet the pigs half way he had much better get rid of them before cold weather sets in.

### Wash the Udder.

Before milking the cows should be gone over with a brush and all loose particles of dirt removed. This need not take more than thirty seconds per cow. The cow's udder comes in contact with the floor and cannot be cleaned by simply brushing. It is very important that the udder should be washed with a damp sponge or cloth, and this may take thirty seconds more. The sponging will be doubly effective if the long hairs around the teats and lower part of the udder are cut short.

### Give the Cow a Chance.

Before disposing of the presumably poor cow it is well to know that your feeding and care are not at fault. It is our judgment that cows in general are not as poor as our feeding methods. In other words, many good cows do not have a chance to show themselves.

### Profitable Sheep.

It is the farmer who keeps sheep for a number of years that finds them most profitable. Some years they will return a much better profit than others, and it is hard to sell and buy at just the right time.

## BIDS WANTED

For County Depository of Yoakum County.

Plains Texas, Jan. 13th, 1911

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Yoakum County Texas, will on the second Monday in February 1911 receive bids from any banking corporation, association, or individual banker desiring to act as depository for the funds of said Yoakum County for the term of two years, as provided by law.

Sealed bids can be sent to the County Judge at any time, but will not be opened until 10 o'clock a. m. on the 13th day of February 1911

Certified Check for not less than \$47.93 must accompany each bid.

For further information address.

W. Holmes, County Judge.  
Yoakum County, Texas.

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### Sheriff's Sale.

State of Texas, }  
County of Terry. }

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1, of Terry county, on the 28th day of November, 1910, by the Justice thereof, in the case of Brownfield Hardware Co. versus George McWhirter, No. 31, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in February, A. D. 1911, it being the 7th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Terry county, in the Town of Brownfield, Texas, the following described property, to wit: Being the east half of Section No. 36, Certificate 231, Block D. 14, C. and M. Ry. Co. grantee, Terry county, Texas.

Levied on as the property of Geo. McWhirter to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$55.90, in favor of Brownfield Hardware Co. and \$3 10 cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 5th day of January, 1911.

GEO. E. TIERNAN,  
Sheriff.

# A Happy New Year Greeting For One and all

Since 1910, with all of its pleasures, sorrows and adversities, is a thing of the past, and we are now launching into the New Year 1911.

Hoping this will be a more pleasant and prosperous year for all, we are respectfully

Yours For Business

## J. T. MAY

## OFFICIAL STATEMENT

OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION of the Brownfield State Bank of Brownfield, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 7th day of January 1911; published in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Brownfield, State of Texas, on the 20th day of January 1911.

### RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$49,326.84
Loans, real estate	19,537.43
Overdrafts	1,914.33
Real Estate, (banking house)	2,685.42
Furniture and fixtures	625.51
Due from approved Reserve Agents, net	6,792.23
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check	358.42
Cash Items	280.95
Currency	4,733.00
Specie	1,384.55
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	567.59
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>88,206.27</b>

### LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000.00
Surplus fund	7,000.00
Undivided profits, net	3,234.87
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check	14.86
Individual deposits, subject to check	52,795.19
Demand certificates of Deposites	10.00
Cashier's checks	151.35
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>88,206.27</b>

STATE OF TEXAS } We, A. M. Brownfield as vice-president, and Will Alf Bell 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.

A. M. Brownfield, Vice President  
Will Alf Bell, Cashier

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 17th day of January A. D. nineteen hundred and eleven. Witness my hand and seal on the date last aforesaid. (SEAL) W. R. Spencer, Notary Public

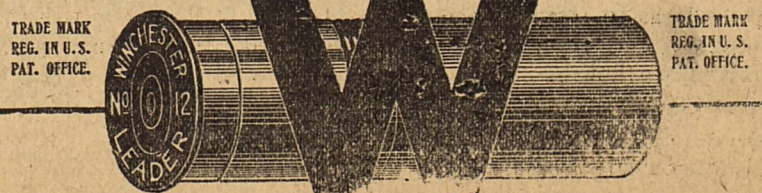
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#### Pride Dots.

Here I come after a long absence. I am through dehorning maize at last.

Crops are about gathered. Some cotton in the field yet.

Mr. Chas. Disdale drove the hack for a day or two for Mr. Vaughn while he moved to Gomez. We are grieved to lose Mr. Vaughn from our neighborhood.

We are proud to see Mr. T. J. Fullerton up shaking hands with his old friends after a long attack of asthma.

Mr J. P. Simmons went to Lamesa one day this week to look after a bunch of cattle.

Mr. Newt Taylor sold a nice bunch of cattle to Mr. Frank Waltrip one day this week. Did not learn the price payed for them.

J.K. Epperson and Warren Sprye went to Lamesa one day this week.

The party and supper at Mr. and Mrs. French's, given the young folks last Friday night was enjoyed by all.

J. H. Cathey came in from Gail last Sunday.

Grandma Cathey has been right sick, but is up and about again. Grandma Cathey is 80 years old, but is very spry for

her age.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Epperson spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fortenbury.

Prof. Walker quit his school at Pride and moved back to Tahoka.

Mr. Jno. Holloway sold his bunch of cattle to Mr. Clyde Frost one day this week. Mr. Frost paid \$20 around for the cows and \$10 for the calves.

Mr. Tate Youngblood has just returned from shipping a car or two of fat cattle. He says he found the market dull where he went.

M. Box Cathey is now keeping house. He says he needs a house-keeper badly as he is getting tired slinging dough.

We did not see anything of our editor and better-half in this corner of the county Xmas, but he said they were liable to come.

We are like Sweet William we want a big rain or snow. We are going to plant a big cotton and milo-maize crop, this year.

This part of the county is in the swim this winter. Everybody has got plenty to do them and some to sell.—In other words, the goose hangs from an airship in the Pride country, does it.—Ed.

I will ring off and give some one else room in your columns, or are they all like me—been asleep. Come on all you good writers, I like to read your letters.

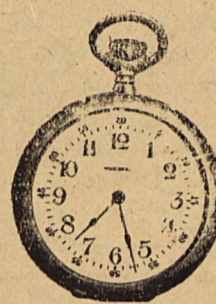
Sand Lapper.

Both the banks, one at Anson and the other at Quanah that closed their doors in December, have adjusted their business in such a manner that no one was hurt to any great extent. The accounts were taken over by other banks of the towns and the depositors were duly protected.—Lubbock Avalanche.

#### Katy Talk at Rotan.

Uncle Billie Howard informed us this week that while he was at Rotan he heard a great deal of talk about the extension of the Texas Central by the Katy people and everybody said it would be extended to Brownfield. They did not talk any other place but Brownfield as the probable terminus.

of course all this sounds good to Willa, and if Bro. Colquitt and the Texas Legislature have got the sense of a twit-bird, the Katy-Central consolidation will be perfected and we will have a sonrtng engine come puffing in some time in the near future.



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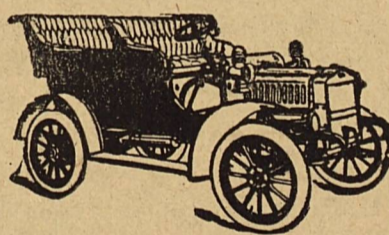
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## Can You Follow This?

Tom and Vera had a secret between them. In a bust of confidence Tom told it to a mutual friend, Will; but regretting his action, obtained a promise from Will that he would never let Vera know that the secret had been told.

Will, however, told Vera that Tom had let him into the secret, but made her promise not to tell Tom that he (Will) had informed her of having obtained the information from Tom. A little while later Tom decided to let Vera know that he had told the secret to Will, but instructed her not to tell Will that he (Tom) had admitted to giving away the secret to Will.

Vera went to Will and told him that Tom had confessed to having let him into the secret, but she made Will promise not to let Tom know she had given him this information. She also went to Tom and told him, in strict confidence, that Will had told her about having learned the secret from him.

Will next went to Tom and informed him of Vera having stated that he (Tom) had admitted to giving away the secret. Tom retorted by saying that Vera told him that he (Will) had advised her of being let into the secret, they both promised not to tell Vera of having given away the confidences which she had lately given.

But this is the question: Were any more confidences necessary? Or had all the three friends heard enough to be convinced that the others knew everything that could be told?—New York Times.

## A New Beef Breed.

Col. Charles Goodnight, of the Goodnight ranch, in Armstrong county, has made a successful demonstration of his cross-bred buffalo cattle as beef makers. He shipped three animals to the Fort Worth packing house to be slaughtered and tested for beef percentage. Technically, this is known as the "dressing out"

test, to ascertain how much dressed meat there is in an animal of given weight. The average Texas cow will yield about 50 per cent of her weight in beef. One of Col. Goodnight's three-quarter buffalo cows dressed out 64.08 per cent, a half-breed dressed 60.55 per cent, and a one-sixteenth yearling bull dressed 67.34 per cent. These figures show that the greater the percentage of buffalo blood the larger per cent of beef. All of them were strictly grass fed, and were in rather thin condition.

Butchers pay for beef animals in proportion to the amount of beef they can get out of them. It appears that these buffalo-cattle or "cattaloes," as Col. Goodnight has named them, are good things for cattle raisers to take up, as they will undoubtedly sell at better prices than the common cattle, because they will make more beef.

Col. Goodnight is making arrangement to have a number of these cattaloes on exhibition at the National Feeders and Breeders Show, to be held at Fort Worth, March 13th to 18th, next. They will be one of the greatest attractions of that show. The half-breeds have the heavy fore-quarters and hump of the buffalo with heavy coats of hair, but not so shaggy and wooley as the buffalo's coat. As their original buffalo progenitors were crossed on Polled-Angus cows, these cattaloes are hornless.

One of these cows was 21 years old and the other 18, but in spite of their age, they were as lively and skittish as heifers.

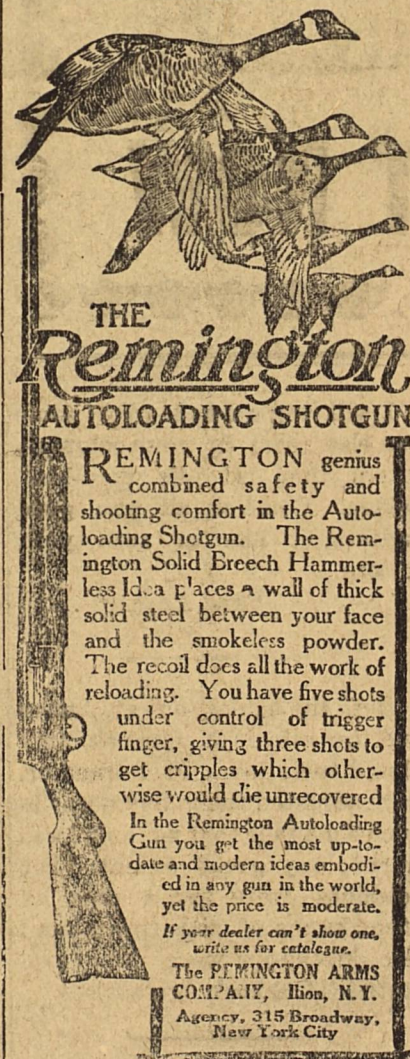
## New Member Arrives.

Honorable J. J. Dillard of Lubbock, Texas, representing the 101 district, arrived this morning, bringing with him his family, who will remain in Austin during the session of the legislature. Mr. Dillard is a typical West Texas man, and is imbued with the progressive spirit. He never misses an opportunity to boost for West Texas. One of the first things

he did after his arrival was to visit the Rayburn headquarters, and he has been boosting for his favorite candidate with that peculiar enthusiasm for which the West Texas boosters are noted.

Mr. Dillard says that this is his first trip to Austin, and he means to put in the time in an unostentatious way doing what he can to assist in making this the period of real development for Texas.—Austin Daily Tribune.

The prisoners in the jail in this city were transferred into the new jail building this week, and the cells are being taken out of the old building and placed in the new one. There is quite a good deal of work to do on the new jail before it is completed, but will probably be turned over to the Commissioners some time in February.—Lubbock Avalanche



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