

The Terry County Herald

VOL. 7.

BROWNFIELD, TERRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1912

NO 44

Martin & Walcott

Successors to

Martin & Holland

We handle canned goods in straight cars and also White Crest and Magnola Flour in car lots. Give us your bill and we will save you money. We now occupy the East front of the new Citizens National Bank Building.

Dont fail to see us.

Martin & Walcott.

Raleigh Martin, Mgr.

LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

DO YOU NEED ANY

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Well, we have them of all kinds, stored away, awaiting your order. We will be pleased to serve you.

WE BUY HIDES AND FURS

And pay the highest market price for them. If it is shelf hardware you need, let your wants be known. We will order anything in hardware for you.

Brownfield Hardware Co.

M. V. Brownfield, Pres.

Will Alf Bell, Cashier

Brownfield State Bank

RESOURCES
OVER \$100,000.00

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

SEE

Brownfield Land Co.

If you want to sell, buy, rent or lease land or insure your property against fire or lightning. We make a specialty of locating actual settlers; we collect rents and pay taxes for non-residents. Business carefully attended to.

GOMEZ DOTS

Feb. 14th.

Well the weather has got warm enough for people to go to work and Gomez streets look lonesome.

Will Snodgrass went to Lubbock this week.

Tom Taylor has gone to his homestead claim in New Mexico. He will move his family there soon.

Messrs. Parks and Winn are drilling a well for Grandma Stapp this week.

Mrs. Byrd who has been quite sick for over a month, has improved so much that she was carried over to her son's (Billie Byrd) at Brownfield on last Sunday.

Those who attended the school literary program on last Friday night report a good program well rendered and a good time.

Miss Addie George returned last week from Spur where she has been visiting relatives since the middle of Dec. She reports a real pleasant visit. She was Central in the phone office here last Saturday and to those who listened; it seemed that some people here were enjoying her return as much as she possibly could have enjoyed the visit.

Mr. Walter Gainer made a trip to Plains last week.

The little folks are preparing for a grand time the 14th. No matter what age, no matter what time, to youth alone belongs the Halloween and St Valentine.

The small boy and his target has been much seen here since Xmas, and we did hope the gardens would be rid of the rabbit this spring, but alas! vain hope; we found two of our finest apple trees barked this morning. The rabbits are harder to get rid of than flies, for one can keep clean and the flies wont come, but the rabbits put in full time on the grass, gardens, grain and fruit trees, twelve months in the year.

Two more new pupils enrolled in school this week. Instead of short attendance and flagging interest as time passes, our enrollment increases every month and the interest is good.

Mr. John Day, and family, who live twelve miles west of here, visited the A. V. Taylor family Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Lusk, a land man from Commanche, who owns land in Terry, Yoakum and Gaines counties, was here last week with

Mr. King a prospector. They visited the family of Mr. George while here.

Mr. Green and Arther Moore had phones put in this week and Mr. Will Snodgrass is to have one as soon as Mr. Kelley gets time to put it in.

Mr. Eldredge Maddux visited his father here last Saturday and Sunday.

We had church service here last Sunday by both Methodist and Christian. Bros. Jameson and Lofton preached.

We have choir practice and a Bible class at the Baptist church every Wednesday night.

Mr. Rotan, a former Terry Co. citizen, who moved away a year ago moved back. He got in last Saturday and will live on the John Currier place, 13 miles due west of Gomez.

Messrs. Grover Lewis and Loyd Greathouse homebachelor's hotel at the old Lewis homestead 5 miles southeast of town, but if they don't get a cook—well it wont be Grover's fault.

West Wind

Harris Happenings.

Feb. 14th.

Mr. Editor it seems Post Masters either have designs against me or else they are extremely careless. I am going to see if something can't be done to get my letters in on time.

W. H. Harris continues to kill hogs for the market and for home use. He marketed two at Plains week before last.

Jay and Edward McPhaul attended church here Sunday.

Lynn, Roy, and Glenn Harris, have been doing some work for Mr. Dooley building a cellar and sheds. Mr. Dooley very evidently intends to make this his home. We need more men who have that intention.

Miss Mayme Powell closed a very successful school term at Ellis Chappel last Friday.

Miss Mayme's charming ways have won for her a host of friends who sincerely regret to see her leave these parts.

Last Sunday morning we met to hear a sermon from Bro. A. D. Jameson.

We had our Sunday School and still the preacher hadn't arrived, owing to a misunderstanding in the appointment. Well the dinner was great and in the afternoon, Bro. Jameson did come and gave us a splendid discourse on "Profit and Loss". "For what shall it profit a man if he gain

the whole world and lose his own soul."

Miss Olga Fitzgerald, who has been teaching Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cotten's Children, returned home Saturday. Mrs. Cotten says Miss Olga did some splendid work training those young ideas how to shoot.

E. E. Sims and family, moved to Gomez. We thought that estimable family had decided not to leave us, and we think they should have given fresh notice before they deserted us.

Rev. B. F. Dixon, lately of Lubbock but now of Plains, will preach for us next 4th Sunday. There will be dinner on the ground.

Sand Bur.

Work For Immediate Future

The Conference for Education in Texas includes in its program of work for 1912 a campaign for:

1. More efficient county organization of schools, and the establishment of rural high schools.

2. An adequate and permanent financial support for the higher educational institutions of the state.

3. The adoption of Section 30 a, as an amendant to Article XVI of the state constitution, which provides that the governing bodies of educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions under control of the state may be elected for six-year terms.

4. The submission of a constitutional amendment by the next legislature providing for a majority rule in school tax elections of cities that have assumed control of their public free schools and removing present maximum of district school taxes.

5. An enlightened public sentiment in the school district of Texas, which will result in supplementing the state school fund by local taxation, the lengthening of school terms, the employment and retention of efficient teachers, and for the construction of modern schoolhouses.

League Program

For Feb. 18.

Subject:—The effect of gratitude.

Leader—Kipley Lindsey, Psalms 92—1-2; 104—33-34.

Song: Prayer.

Lesson Story; Boyce Cardwell. Responsive Reading. Ps. 19 Story; David's gratitude, by Ivy Green.

Bible drill, song, benediction.

Blizzards! Blizzards!! Then Some More.

This is all the news one gets from the weather Bureau, and so many such telegrams following each other in rapid succession means something. Better let us load your wagon. Get our prices on post, wire and feedstuff.

Lubbock Grain and Coal Company

For Lumber, See A. G. McADAMS Lumber Co.

Brownfield

Lubbock

Tahoka

All kinds of building material

Let's figure some

Tom May, Manager Brownfield yard

The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

Entered at the Post Office at Brownfield, Texas as Second Class mail matter, according to an Act of Congress, March 3, 1879.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year	\$1.00
Six Months	.50
Three Months	.25

ADVERTISING RATES.

Per inch per month	50c
Per inch for a single issue	15c
Better rates on half page or more and exceptionally liberal terms on large, long standing contracts.	
Local Readers, per line, 1st incertion	10c
Each consecutive incertion	05c

Any reflection on the reputation or standing of any private individual, firm or corporation, will be gladly amended if brought to the notice of the publisher.

Secret Societies.



BROWNFIELD CHAPTER, NO. 309, R. A. M.
W. R. Spencer, High Priest
Geo. E. Tiernan, Secretary
Meets 2nd Saturday after the full moon in each lunar month



Officers of BROWNFIELD LODGE, A. F. & A. M. No. 903.
Geo. E. Tiernan, W. M.
H. H. Longbreak, Secretary
Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each lunar month at 4 p m

Wade Chapter 317 O. E. S.



Mrs. Geo. E. Tiernan, W. M.
Miss Annie Hamilton, Secretary.
Meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at Masonic Hall

Brownfield Lodge No 530 I. O. O. F.



J. L. Randal, N. G.
J. F. Winston, Secty.
Meets every Friday night in Odd Fellows Hall.



BROWNFIELD REBEKAH LODGE NO. 329.
Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at the I O O F Hall at 7.30 p m
Miss Annie Hamilton N. G.
Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.

Brownfield Camp No. 1989 W O W



J. T. May, C. O.
J. F. Winston, Clerk
Meets every 1st and 3rd Saturday night in each month in the Odd Fellows Hall

Gomez Lodge No. 828 I. O. O. F.



W. A. Shepherd, N. G.
Simon Holgate, Sec'y
Meets every Thursday night in the Odd Fellows Hall

Editor F. E. White, of the Crosbyton Review, has formerly announced as a candidate for representative of the 122 district, which includes Terry county. Frank is a self-educated, self-made man, faithful to any trust, and would make the district a mighty good representative if elected.

Old faithful Chas. Culberson is again telling the Republican party about their big campaign slushfunds which makes them uneasy in their seats. Charley may not accomplish much; he may not even get an investigation, but one thing is sure, he will keep everlastingly at it. He just kept on telling people of in salting way Russian officials were handling Jewish-American passports until he stirred the whole country. Great is faithful old Charley.

Church Directory.

METHODIST CHURCH

Preaching every 2nd and 4th Sunday at 11 A.M. and 7:30 P. M.

At Meadow every 1st and 3rd Sunday at 11 A.M.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. Everybody invited.

Epworth League: Seniors meet at 4 p. m. Intermediate at 3 p. m. and Juniors meet with Mrs J. T. May at 3 p. m. every Sunday.

Rev. V. H. Trammell, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Sunday School and Church Emblems every Sunday at 10 a. m., at the School House. You are cordially invited to attend.

R. H. Banowsky, Leader.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Days of meeting: ever 1st Sunday and Saturday before. S. S. 10 a. m. Preaching on Saturday 11: a. m., on Sunday 11: a. m. and 8: p. m. Sunbeam Society 4: p. m. Prayermeeting Thursday 8: p. m. Preaching on 3rd Sunday by Rev. M. D. Williams; morning and night. J. W. Thomas Missionary Pastor.

An article in the last issue of the Lynn County News, says a party of engineers for a new railroad are about to slip up on their star-board side, but Editor Crie don't seem in the least vexed but rather encourage the proceedings. That is right, let'er come right straight on West. Also the Seminole Sentinel and Lubbock Avalanche, accompanied by the Crosbyton Review are about to build another road from El Paso to Lubbock through Brownfield. We will also take it whether we need it or not. This may not be all a joke, but anytime; things may assume a plausible shape and we may get a railroad.

The ranchmen is the forerunner of our civilization in the West. He came here first, fought back the Indians, and planted cattle, horses and hospitality from one end to the other. But here as in all countries he is being fast

CANDIDATES

Who have announced for office subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 27th, 1912.

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

W. R. Spencer

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

J. E. Vickers

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

W. H. Gist

W. G. Hardin

FOR CO. and DIST. CLERK

T. J. Price

D. J. Broughton

FOR SHERIFF and TAX-COL.

Geo. E. Tiernan

W. R. Bridges

FOR TAX-ASSESSOR

J. R. Burnett

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

H. T. Brooks

supplanted by the farmer with his varied grains. From the first history, we learn that the farmer killed the ranchman through jealousy, and the farmer has been killing the ranchman ever since.

Not literally killing him, but by taking his grazing grounds has crowded the stockman out. In some instances however, the stockman has been foresighted enough to place his land on market and has come out with enough money to retire for life with ease and luxury, but some time or other the husbandman has seen the fertility of the ranchmans grazing territory and invaded it, planting his seeds and raising more stock per acre than his predecessor.

Both have played their important part in our civilization and both are due great honor.

GEO. W. NEILL

After earnest solicitation from his friends, the above named candidate for County Judge to succeed himself, deems that he would be doing himself and his friends and injustice by not allowing his name to go on the ticket. He therefore announces himself formally, as a candidate subject to the Democratic primary. Geo. has been faithful in the discharge of his official duty and we believe he has tried hard at all time to work for the interest of the county, according to his best judgement. He has at all times, as County superintendent, worked to put our county's schools on a higher basis, and managed at the same time to keep the finances of the county in good shape and the docket reasonably clear. He asks your vote and influence.

S. B. Johnson was in town the first of the week.

Presiding Elder Terry was here Sunday and preached two excellent discourses.

WE SELL THE VERY BEST

Hardware, Windmills and Implements

that are made, for every purpose. Prices right too. Don't forget the old reliable Eclipse windmill and John Deere implements. They have stood the test of time and we can stand behind them. We are the ones who think it will pay us to charge you only a fair price for our goods, and we give you value received for every dollar you spend with us.

Make our store your headquarters when in Lubbock, whether you buy or not. We will be glad to see you.

WESTERN WINDMILL COMPANY

The RANDAL

SCHOOL BOOKS!!! We have them right here for you; also pens, pencils, tablets and other school accessories too numerous to mention.

Drug Company

Your prescription will be appreciated and will receive our most careful attention at all times. Big assortment of sundries and all standard proprietary remedies.

For Pure Drugs

GOOD GRUB

Is as essential to the human body as air, That is why the HILL HOTEL

Is the place to stop. The best catables the market affords, put up by the best cook in the state, combined with large airy rooms and thorough sanitary conditions, make this the most popular hotel on the Plains

Mrs. J. R. HILL, Proprietor

BROWNFIELD

TEXAS

List Your Land With Henry George, Lubbock, Texas

Can advantageously sell, trade or exchange your property

LOOKING FOR LODGING?

If so try the Jackson House, not only the cheapest but the best lodging house in LUBBOCK at anything near the price. Rates \$1.25 per day.

W. J. LUNA, Prop.

We Sell
Barbed Wire
and Coal

SEITZ GRAIN & GROCERY CO

A Complete Line Grain and Groceries CLEANEST WAGON YARD IN LUBBOCK, TEXAS

We Sell
Groceries

LOCALS

Seed sweet potatoes for sale. Come after them the last of Feb. J. E. Woodard.

E. T. Powell and Chas. Copeland made a business trip to Lubbock this week.

Judges Copeland and Spencer, were down from Lubbock, last week.

A crowd of young people enjoyed a dance in the Spencer building Wednesday night.

18 hogs for sale at 6c per lb gross; will weigh about 100 lbs. each. Will trade for maize.

D. W. Harris
O'Donnell, Texas

Willie Adams, of the Brownfield Hdq. Co., made a business trip to the city of Slaton this week.

J. A. Correll, of Gaines county was here Thursday.

Arch McPhaul and family, of the Harris country, are here this week.

BROOM CORN SEED for sale at Tom Holley's store. Price \$2.50 per bushel. Better get your seed before the supply is exhausted.

C. L. Williams.

Will Mathis had a phone put in last week. He is occupying the Kinard residence.

Dick Brownfield has sold his old residence to Prof. Hunter, and the latter will have it moved in closer to town on his own lot.

Messrs. Joe Stokes, P. B. Hall, Bob Majors and B. Millikin, of Tahoka were here Wednesday. Joe is making the race for Judge of Lynn county.

Get Ready! our spring shipment of dry goods, the nicest line ever put on the shelves of Brownfield, will soon be here, and they will soon be found at

J. T. May & Son's.

Mr. N. N. Ross had several bushels of corn shelled at the mill this week.

J. V. Newsom, another of our progressive farmers was in this week engaging three loads of corn to the mill people.

Alvin Duke is now working for Mr. R. G. Wood of the Meadow county. The former came in today with a nice lot of corn to be made into meal.

Our old long friend, W. D. Winn one of Terry's hustling agriculturist, was in to see us and contributed a dollar to the poor house folks.

W. B. Carson contributed a dollar to the needy this week. He is another of our farmer that sells as well as buy things to eat. Besides a good crop, he sells a porker occasionally.

Messrs. Rather and McAdams of Tullia, were here this week. Mr. Rather is a cousin of Sam Rather, who formerly lived here.

Edwin Groves brought 50 bus. of corn to the mill this week to get it shelled and crushed. Edwin informed us that he was trying to get a few neighbors to join on a car load to ship east.

TIME FLIES—Come and get your photo while I am here. I will leave the later part of April. Mrs. O. M. Daniel.

M. V. Brownfield returned from Sweetwater Tuesday. He was accompanied home by his son, Alma.

The Gomez Merc. Co. informed the Herald man that they were having good sales considering the weather.

Carpenters will begin right away the erection of an 8-room bungalow, which is said will be the swellest dwelling in Brownfield for A. M. Brownfield.

We call your attention to Brooks & Drinkard's blacksmith ad in this issue. Give them a trial and be convinced.

Messrs. J. T. Gainer and Milt Pullium, of Plains, and Walter Gainer of Gomez, passed thru Thursday on their way to Tahoka.

Dr. Ellis reports a new cow boy at the T4 ranch. He arrived one day this week and will reside with Mr. and Mrs. Eb Ivey for the next 21 years. The T4 has a new boss.

J. T. May and Son are making some nice reductions on their percales and ducks for next week. Try for their free dollar's worth of goods.

Mr. Moorhead, of the southern part of the county, was in with a fine porker and other country produce Tuesday.

We understand that A. C. Copeland has finished about four miles of his road contract and all the Commissioners who have seen it are well pleased with his work.

NOTICE: We will grind meal on Friday, though will keep meal on hand to exchange for corn. Can crush feed any day.

Terry Co. Mill & Feed Co.

S. L. Hunter was in town last Tuesday with country produce, consisting of eggs and butter. He is another farmer who usually brings in as much as he carries out.

C. D. Roe and family, of Colinworth county, arrived in Terry Wednesday. Mr. Roe has purchased the L. D. Perry place in Groves neighborhood, and will make this their future home. Welcome, thrice welcome!

There will likely be three candidates in the field for Hide and Animal Inspector in the near future. Viz. Tom May, Hugh Snodgrass and Bert French. Tom says if elected he will take nice care of orphan calves ("dogies") and Bert says he has already some experience as a hide inspector, being a barber, and will shave a cow or find the brand. Hugh is undecided as he says he has so many kin folks to vote against him that he fears he would be defeated.

W. J. Lusk and J. H. King, of Comanche, Texas, were in our County, this week, the former to show the latter the possibilities of our County, and we understand that Mr. King may decide

"The Liver Pills act So Naturally and Easily."

Such a statement, coming from the cashier of a bank, shows what confidence responsible people have in these pills. Mr. A. L. Wilson after trying them wrote:

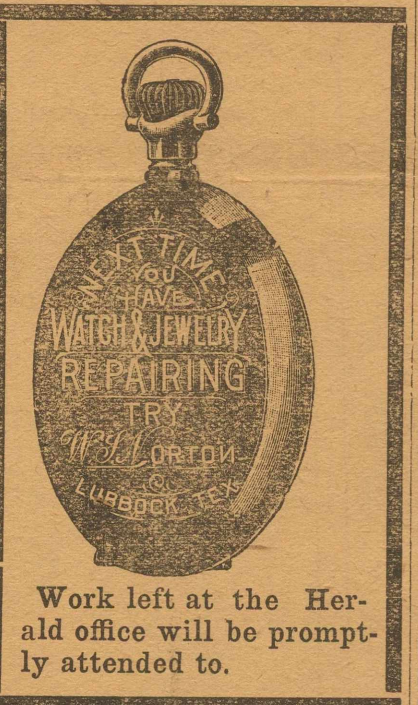
"I have used Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills and also your Anti-Pain Pills, on myself, with good results. The Liver Pills act so naturally and so easily that I scarcely know that I have taken a pill. Frequently being troubled with headache I take an Anti-Pain Pill and get immediate relief in every case." A. L. Wilson, Sparta, Ill. Mr. Wilson was for a number of years cashier of the First National Bank of Sparta.

Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills

are different from others. Many kinds of liver pills are "impossible" after one trial on account of their harshness. Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills do not act by sheer force but in an easy, natural way, without griping or undue irritation. They are not habit forming.

If the first bottle fails to benefit, your druggist will return the price. Ask him.

MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.



Work left at the Herald office will be promptly attended to.

to locate with us. Mr. Lusk is the only outside real estate man that boosts for Terry. See his ad in this issue. Mr. Lusk is a firm believer in the South Plains country and says that when we get our abundance of subterranean water on the surface, we will have the best Country in Texas

The following influential organizations have cordially indorsed The Conference for Education in Texas: The Texas Bankers' Association, the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, the State Teachers' Association, the State Medical Association, the Texas Lumbermen's Association, the Texas Farmers' Congress, the Texas Woman's Press Association and the Central West Texas Association of Commercial Clubs. Your co-operation solicited

Spanish Peanuts

Seed Peanut for Sale at four cts. per pound, address W. T. Rogers, Colorado, Texas.

POST CEMENT LIME STAYS
PAINTS LUMBER OILS
A. C. Houston Lmbr Co.
LUBBOCK TEXAS

COAL GRAIN HAY
Is what I am selling, and I am buying
FURS AND HIDES
Be sure and call on me when you are in town
S. N. McDANIEL
Tahoka Texas

Professional Cards.

GEO. W. NEILL,
Abstracter and Notary
A complete set abstracts of Terry county
All title and legal matters given prompt attention.

G. E. LOCKHART
ATTY-AT-LAW
Tahoka, Texas.

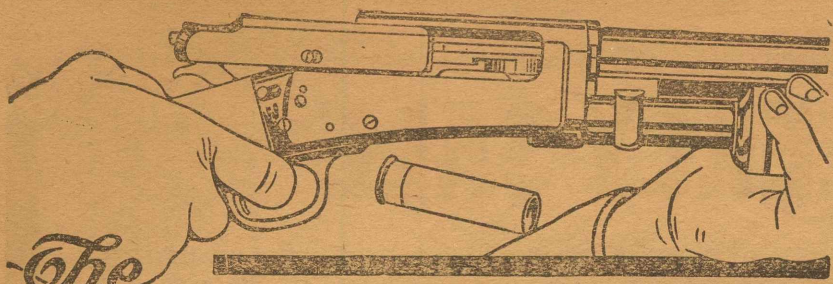
Dr. J. W. Ellis,
Physician and Surgeon
Office at Randal Drug Store.
Phone: Res. No 13
Office 44
Brownfield, Texas.

CITY BARBER SHOP
For
NEAT CLEAN AND EASY SHAVES
Full line of best tonics. Best massage and Shampoo going

W. J. BYRD
CONTRACTOR and BUILDER
Let me figure your bill. I can submit plans and specifications on application

PERCY SPENCER
Attorney-At-Law
Brownfield, Terry County Texas

Attention! Attention!
We are getting up a big shipment of prairie dog poison and we will be glad to have your name on our list. If you need any you can get it at the **RED CROSS PHARMACY**, Lubbock, Texas, at \$12.50 per pound, also anything you want in the drug line we will give your business our personal attention and see that you get what you want. Let us hear from you.
RED CROSS PHARMACY
"Always referred to as the best"
W. N. COPELAND. G. M. COSBY.
LUBBOCK TEXAS



The **Marlin** 12 or 16 GAUGE Repeating Shotgun

Made famous by its dependability. The solid top and side ejection keep gases and powder away from your eyes; help quick, effective repeat shots. Rain, sleet, snow and foreign matter can't get into the action. The mechanism is strong, simple, wear-resisting. The double extractors pull any shell instantly; two special safety devices prevent accidental discharge while action is unlocked, and an automatic recoil block makes bang fires harmless. All Marlins are strongly made, finely balanced, accurate, hard hitting guns, and are the quickest and easiest to take down and clean. Illustration shows Model 21 grade "A" 12 gauge; it has all the features that make for a perfect gun. Send three stamps postage today for our 136 page catalog describing the full Marlin line. **The Marlin Firearms Co.** 42 Willow Street New Haven, Conn.

Court House Improve-ments

Besides the regular business, the regular term of Commissioners Court, which convened last Monday decided to make some big changes in the district court room and instructed Judge Neill to have the work done, which will consist of railing in the bar, taking out one of the flues, which is not needed and badly in the way and seating the entire room with stationary chairs or seats which will be ordered at once. When this work is finished we will have about the nicest district court room in the district. They also found that Terry county finances were in good shape despite the fact that we have appropriated more than \$2000.00 to road work during the last year. Terry county has over \$8000.00 dollars still to her credit in the Treasury. Pretty good for a county of only 1500 inhabitants and as progressive and liberal as any, though not in the least extravagant.

Seminole Bank Robbed.

A megre telephone message was received yesterday afternoon to the effect that the Seminole National Bank had been entered and robbed of \$3,500.00 by masked men.

It seems that the burglars took advantage of the storm of dust to slip in and take the cashier unawares, while no help was in sight, and left the cashier locked in the vault. They failed thru fright probably, to relieve the bank of \$3000.00 more laying near the other.

All telephone wires were cut and they had to be repaired before communication could be established with other points.

Little Folks Party.

Miss Effie Brownfield was hostess at a party in her spacious parlor last Friday night, at which time she entertained the little folks.

The guests played many and varied games and about 10 P. M. were invited into the dining room where fresh fruits, chocolate and cake was served by the hostess and Mrs. O. M. Daniel.

The children are long in praise of the way they were entertained by Miss Effie and are hoping for a return party in the not distant future.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Powell, accompanied by their daughter, Mamie, left this week for Lubbock, where the latter will take train for Canyon to enter school.

We are glad to state that Jack Bryan is up and able to stir about again after his recent illness.

Primrose. Feb. 15th

We are having a gentle reminder of March weather now adays. Oh Lord, preserve our Eyes and temper!

Some of the young people of this neighborhood, attend church at Needmore Sunday.

Mr. Frank Howard spent the night with A. K. Huckleberry last Thursday night, on his way to Lubbock with a load of grain to sell on the local market. Frank is one of Terry county's hustling farmers.

Hope Timmons also hauled two tons of maize this week for which he received fifteen dollar per ton. He informed us he had just added another room to his residence. He is one more progressive farmer of this neighborhood.

A. W. Blankinship made a business trip to Lubbock Sunday, and returned Monday.

It would not be fair to the ladies of this community not to mention what they are doing in the way of helping their better halves. Mrs. A. W. Blankinship sold thirty two dozen eggs last week; Mrs. Hope Timmons sold sixteen dozen; Mrs. Hurshel Timmons sold fifteen dozen and Mrs. Lee Cowan sold eleven dozen. They received seventeen cents for some and twenty cents for part of them. Mrs. Baker sold a lot but we did not learn how many nor the price she received.

There is to be a Leap year party at Lee Cowan's Friday night 16th. Better not miss this party boys, somebody is going to get proposed to sure.

Mr. Andy Lee has returned from Rotan, Texas, this week, where he was called on business.

Mesdames Roth & Peeler visited Mrs. Beal last Sunday.

Dock Peeler has returned from Lamesa, where he has been going to school.

Cricket.

University Girls learn To Cook.

Courses in domestic science are now being taught in the University of Texas for the first time in its history. The work is in charge of Miss Mary Gearing, formerly of Houston, and consists of one general course in cooking and the chemistry of foods, and one course in the art of house furnishing and house keeping. Along with her studies of higher mathematics, a young woman in the University of Texas may now learn how to give a turkey a delicate, delicious brown, or to build a cake according to the most approved gastronomic plan.

A special building of a temporary character has been constructed for the housing of the school of domestic science. The

first day the classes were opened every place was taken, and a large number denied admission on account of lack of room. At no distant day the University of Texas will certainly have a special building for the instruction of young women in those courses that will better equip them for practical life. In all probability such courses will count for their degrees just as work in regular studies.

To Help The Rural Schools.

Beginning Monday, July 15, an entire week of the Summer School of the University of Texas will be devoted to the entertainment and instruction of the county superintendants and other workers in the rural schools of the State. During that week Supt. O. J. Kern of Winnebago county, Illinois, will be the principal speaker. Prof. Kern is a noted figure among the educators of the United States, because of his great work in promoting rural school education.

He will be assisted by the Superintendent of Public Instruction in Texas, Mr. F. M. Bralley; Supt. P. W. Horn of Houston; Mr. Chas. W. Holman of the Farm and Ranch, Dallas; Supt. R. B. Cousins of the West Texas Normal and Dean W. S. Sutton of the University of Texas. It is expected, futher, that a representative from the United States Department of Agriculture, and also a representative from the United States Bureau of Education will be present and take part in the exercises.

The entire week, which should be a notable one for rural school education in Texas, will be devoted to the discussion of the various practical phases of rural school problems.

Prof. Kern's lectures are as follows:

1. The Call of the Open Country.
2. Outdoor Improvement of the County School, illustrated with the stereopticon.
3. The Three L's in the Country School.
4. Indoor Improvement of the Country School, illustrated with the stereopticon.
5. Agricultural Education.
6. Nature-Study Agriculture, illustrated with the stereopticon.
7. Some Social Problems of the Country School.
8. Consolidation and the Country High School, illustrated with the stereopticon.

WE CAN FIX YOU WITH

Canton farming implements. Anything you want; all repairs.

BAIN WAGONS.

STAR WINDMILS

and repairs.

R. A. RANKIN & SONS.

LUBBOCK,

TEXAS.

Cold Weather! Look Out!

Remember our blanket lined duck coats and over coats, men and boys suits, blankets, comforts, boots, Shoes, Bootes, Leggins, Caps, J. B. Stetson and Beaver Hats. Special bargains for cash. Everything both Dry Goods and Groceries goes at a reduced prices during January. Come and see us before purchasing elsewhere, we will make it to your interest.

Worsham Supply Store

LUBBOCK

TEXAS.

BLUE FRONT CAFE

The patronage of the people of Terry county respectfully solicited SCOTT WOLFFARTH.

LUBBOCK,

East of Nicholett Hotel

TEXAS

OUR MIDWINTER CLEARANCE SALL.

Will last till Feb, 3rd. Great stock of seasonable goods are left yet. Dont waite until it is too late. Your dollar will buy almost two dollars worth. Dont fail to attend this big sale.

Brownfield Merc. Co.

Brownfield

Texas

C. W. Lusk

The South Plains Booster of **COMMANCHE**, Texas, wants to hear from you on any trade you want to make.

H. T. Brooks

J. V. Drinkard

Brooks & Drinkard

Blacksmiths and Woodworkers

We solicit your Blacksmith and all repair work, and guarantee complete satisfaction on every item.

Brownfield

Texas

J. T. MAY & SON'S WEEKLY SALE

All 12 1-2c Percales and Ducks 10c

10c Percales and Ducks 8c

20 percent reduction on Lace and embroideries

Each week during these weekly sales, we will give FREE \$1.00 worth of merchandise to the person making the largest cash purchase during the week. This includes our 30 day customers who pay promptly at the end of each month. Remember this is not the last sale; there will be one each week on other articles. Our stock will be unusually large and well selected this year, and we are going to make it interesting for our customers. This sale begins MONDAY MORNING FEB. 1st and will continue from week to week.

J. T. MAY & SON

CATTLE DEPARTMENT.

Hundreds Will Be Seen at Fort Worth's Great Event.

The purest-bred, most aristocratic ladies, gentlemen and children of the bovine family will disport themselves, done up in their best bib and tucker at the great exhibition of the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, at Fort Worth, March 18-23, 1912. This will be the greatest show ever held in the south or southwest, and the entry lists show that more cattle and better cattle of the standard beef breeds will be on view and compete for the grand prizes, than ever before. The honor of winning a blue ribbon, at the Fort Worth Show is so well recognized that all of the great breeders in the country enter in to the keenest competition for them. But the big breeders do not always win them. The small breeder, if he produces or shows a better individual than his big competitor, is surer of the honor.

This competition makes for a grand exhibit, which this year will be more complete, instructive, and full of interest not alone to the experienced breeders, but to all those who are interested in the great question of food supplies.

It is a revelation to those who have never attended the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth to see the intelligent effort of these breeders of standard cattle to make two pounds of beef grow where only one grew before. The individuals are groomed to a nicety and their assembly in the show-ring, and their exhibition in their stalls, as they are shown to visitors by courteous attendants, make of the show an exhibition every man, woman and child will want to see. While there will be a big increase in the number of entries from the northern states, Texas and Oklahoma will send more cattle than ever before exhibited at Fort Worth.

PATHOLOGICAL DISPLAY.

There Will Be Nothing Better From Educational Standpoint.

From an educational standpoint, no exhibit at the coming National Feeders' and Breeders' Show at Fort Worth, March 18-23, 1912, will be more interesting to an intelligent public than the pathological display, which will be shown on the east side of the Coliseum.

This unusual exhibit will be furnished the Fat Stock Show management by Dr. A. D. Melvin, chief of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry at Washington, and will be in charge of Dr. R. F. Eagle, inspector in charge of this territory. This exhibit will consist of an enormous refrigerator, in which will be specimens of diseased meats of all kinds. A special representative of the department will be present to explain the display and the steps being taken by the United States government to prevent diseased meats from reaching the consumers and to prevent the spread of such diseases among both meat-producing and dairy animals. He will demonstrate the lesions of disease found in food-producing animals, showing what classes of meat are condemned by the Federal inspectors at the packing houses. This most commendable work of the department is meeting with great success all over the United States and the people of the Southwest will be fortunate indeed in having opportunity to witness this wonderful demonstration. The exhibit will especially appeal to livestock raisers and consumers of fresh meat and dairy products. Short lectures will be delivered each day by an able scientist from Washington, and no charge will be made for either his lectures or the exhibit.

POULTRY SHOW.

Attractive Exhibition Building Has Been Erected For This Purpose.

At a special meeting recently the executive committee of the Fort Worth

Poultry and Pigeon Association arranged for an attractive exhibition building which has been erected on the Fat Stock Show grounds. In which the big annual Poultry Show will be held. This building, which is a substantial structure 36 by 80 feet, will accommodate about 2000 birds.

The Poultry Show will be held in connection with the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, March 18-23, 1912, and will be conducted under the auspices of the Fort Worth Poultry and Pigeon Association.

Some of the most noted bird-fanciers of the United States will bring their best prize-winners, and the collection will be the largest and most costly ever shown in the southwest. Fully two thousand fowls including chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and pigeons will be on display; and among the states to be represented will be: Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Arizona, New Jersey, New York, Maine, and practically all of the states of the "Old South."

The committee in charge composed of: M. C. Allison, secretary of the association, W. J. Newcomb and L. C. Malone, has completed every arrangement for the event. There will be a large list of special prizes, and, in addition to these, prizes will be offered in all classes common to an exposition of this character.

This being the largest exhibition of poultry ever held in connection with the Fat Stock Show, it will prove one of the feature attractions.

SPECIAL PROGRAM DAILY.

The management of the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, which will be held at Fort Worth, March 18-23, inclusive, will arrange special programs to suit the various days on which excursions will be run from the various sections of the country. For instance, special features of amusement, entertainment, and education will be provided for "West Texas Day," "North Texas and Oklahoma Day," and so on, and programs for these days will be of especial interest to the people of the sections named. The days devoted to the entertainment of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, Texas Boys' and Girls' Hog Clubs, Southwestern Farmers, and homeseekers from the North and East, will doubtless prove the leading features of the week's program.

Tahoka In Line For Railroad

The new railroad, projected from Fort Worth via Post City to New Mexico points, have surveyors in the field and will be built sometime this year, and to us at least, the best thing about it, is, that Tahoka is right in line for the crossing of this road with the P. & N. T.

J. E. Stokes, proprietor of the Tahoka Hotel, and his son, J. L. Stokes, one of the candidates for county judge, went down to Post City Monday, spent the night there and came home Tuesday afternoon, bringing the intelligence of the new railroad now being surveyed west from Fort Worth.

It seems that the chief engineer for the road spent several days with his brother-in-law, Mr. Bardwell, of Post City, last week,

and while there looked out the route in advance of the surveying corps which is already at work coming west from Fort Worth. C. W. Post is said to be the leading spirit in promoting this railroad so it must come through Post City and go on to Mr. Post's land west of here near the New Mexico line, and as is always the case, the greatest difficulty in building a road across the Plains is getting up on the cap rock as it is called, or in other words, the edge of the Plains, which are considerably higher than the surrounding country. The engineer seems to think that by coming up one of the draws or gullies West of Post City that extends into the Plains nearly to Tahoka, that they will experience little or on difficulty in getting on top of the Plains.

This will be a great thing for Lynn county and Tahoka as it will give us direct connection with the Fort Worth market for our cattle, hogs, cotton, grain and produce, and the extensive coal fields of either Palo Pinto or Young county, the post oak and cedar timber counties, and it will give us cheaper freight rates on nearly all the goods we have to ship into the country.

Tahoka is already the eastern terminus of the inter state wagon road from the Santa Fe system in Texas to the Santa Fe system in New Mexico at Roswell. With this east and west railroad crossing the north and south railroad at Tahoka the year 1912 will be one long to be remembered in our history as the year in which we developed from a town into a city.

—Tahoka News

M. & M. Club

On Saturday, Jan. 20, the Maid's and Matron's Club met at the home of Mrs. Dora Copeland. Mrs. Bandal gave an interesting review of the play, (Coriolanus) which is being studied. The lesson was then taken up and discussed.

We were very glad to have Mrs. Smith with us for the afternoon and she was elected to membership in the Club.

After the lesson the guests repaired to the dining room where a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by her sister, Miss Mabry. The Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Mabel Ellis.

Reporter.

When in Lubbock

Dont fail to call in to see us. We not only show you one of the cleanest grocery stock in town but

OUR RACKET DEPARTMENT

Is superb, and you can find almost anything you need at very low prices. Look through our stock.

LONG BROTHERS

ATTENTION.

I have opened up a first class grocery store in the old Martin and Holland stand and invite you to come in and get my prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Dont Fail to Try Our Wichita and American Lady Flour.

R. G. WAY

LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

HOTEL CLYDE

A. C. BLAKE, MGR.

LUBBOCK TEXAS.

Remodeled throughout. Clean beds and good meals. Give us a trial and you'll come back

Rates \$1.50 per day.

\$5.00 per week.

WE HAVE PURCHASED

ED

The

HOWELL WAGON YARD

And carry a nice line of Coal, Grain and Hay. Good clean camp house and stalls and good water. We buy hides

MORRIS & LINDLEY

S. W. Cor. Sqr.

TAHOKA, TEXAS