

The Terry County Herald

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BROWNFIELD, TERRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1912

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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

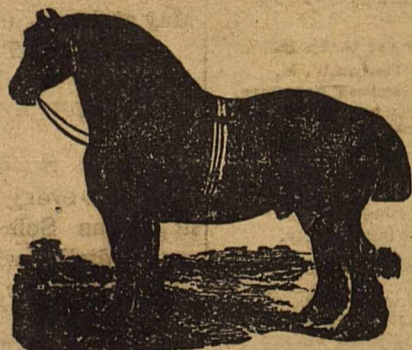
RESOURCES
OVER \$100,000.00

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

List Your Land With Henry George, Lubbock, Texas

Can advantageously sell, trade or exchange your property

ALBION



No. 45459

My Registered Percheon horse, "ALBION" will make season 1-2 mile Southeast Gomez. \$10.00 to insure a living colt. ALBION is solid black; 8 years old and weighs 1650 lbs. For further particulars see owner

ARTHUR E. MOORE

THE HERALD \$1

Colquitt Speaks At Tahoka

A Number of Terry County
People Hear Him.

In company with Atty. G. E. Lockhart, we left Brownfield last Wednesday afternoon for Tahoka where Gov. O. B. Colquitt was due to speak on Thursday afternoon, and in traveling over our new road we were agreeably surprised and shook hands with our selves, congratulated the County Judge, the Commissioners and the contractor. Oh! she is a daisey, and when Lynn County gets her road in the same condition we have ours, it will be an easy matter for a span of mules to pull five thousand pounds from Tahoka. In places where white rock was accessable, it is absolutely a piked road. There has been a time when six or eight hours was consumed in driving from Brownfield to Tahoka, but now it is an easy matter to make the drive in three to four hours, and when Lynn County completes her end of the road the time required will be lessened a great deal.

It had been almost one year since we visited Tahoka, but we found some substantial improvements that speaks well for their little city. Among them was their splendid \$15,000 school building in which the Governor spoke to a packed auditorium.

The Governor's speech covered nearly the same grounds as in his opening address at Sherman, and he gave a good defence of his administration which conservative people throughout Texas pronounce good when you take into consideration the fact that he has been harrassed by a clique of polititions and an adverse legislature. The Governor shows courage in his convictions to stand by his policy of "fewer laws and better laws." He made a manly difence of his management of penententiary affairs and was much applauded in his explanation of using his pardoning power. After his speech he was congratulated by people in all stations of life and the editor heard several aged ladies tell him that while "they could not vote, they would use their influence to re-seat him." The Colquitt people were more than pleased with his visit and speech. A pleasing part of the entertainment and decoration was W. P. Halls bus, the upper, or gripp platform being full of little boys bearing U. S. flags and

a banner with the inscription "Colquitt Boys," and the lower part where the Governor rode to and from the school auditorum being filled with little girls with another banner that said they were "Colquitt Girls." A splendid dinner was served at the Tahoka hotel in his honor for which Mr. and Mrs. Stokes are to be thoroughly congratulated.

We heard many anti-Colquitt people express themselves that they were much fooled in Colquitt and believed that he would make as good governor as any of them.

Facts

A Face Retenoid.
Ladies Delight.
A Freckle Remover.
Bleaches the Skin.
Alabasterlike Effect.
Smooth, velevty skin.
Tonic for Face Muscles.
Rejuvenates Your Youth.
Of Great Beautifying Power.
Loverlier Facial Appearance.
"ALABASTROL"

In the last two months we sold 1,852 packages of Alabastrol. Why? Because it is the most perfect production of its kind on the market, universally indorsed by users. Removes Freckles, Sunburn, Tan, etc. Allays chafed skin and is the Ideal Combinator Cream and powder. None give that soothing, cooling feeling as Alabastrol and whose use is so much appreciated. It acts on the face not unlike a refreshing, cooling Spring Morning. We guarantee it to be satisfactory in every respect.

Mailed to your home in generous size packages and in plain wrapper for 50 Cents Silver. No Samples.

The Siloron Mfg Co.,
Pueblo, Colorado.

School Land Sale.

The following letter is self explanatory and people who are interested in securing school land should simply address their wishes to Mr. Robinson as per address below.

Dear Sir:

"Toward the last of this month I expect to have ready for distribution the 23rd semi-annual list of public free school lands. This list will include all unsold school land except a small quantity that is leased and some other scattering sections that are in conflict with other surveys. While the larger part will be for sale to actual settlers only, yet there will be some that may be purchased without settlement. These lists are free. It is my

desire that every one of your readers who wants information concerning our public lands should have it. I will send a list free to every one who writes to me for it. Will you kindly get this information to your readers?"

Yours very truly,
James T. Robinson,
Com. General Land Office.

Called Him Skinny

We don't like to joke the preachers much, but we have one on Bro. V. H. Trammell to good to keep.

Little Victor Trammell junior, a bright little fellow of four or five summers likes to play at the national game and recently had his long, learn father out helping him.

It should be known that the Brownfield ball diamonds lay near the parsonage, and the quick witted little fellows ears were always open for base ball lingo, and as he and his father were passing the ball, one passed over Bro. Trammell, and the later was surprised to hear his little son say: "Throw it up Skinny."

Good Showers

A good shower fell here Monday afternoon and again Tuesday night making the moist meet well. We learn that the west and southwestern, and the extreme eastern part of the county received very little rain, but indications are good this (Thursday) morning for a general rain before the windup, though we are not prophesying understand; just talking about the indications.

Our Hat's In The Ring.

Many political stars have set in Texas to rise no more during the past few years and with their demise has come the advent of the cold grey dawn of reason and Texas now throws her hat in the ring for factories, railroads and industrial enterprises.

While the politicians are in the middle of an ocean of debate and candidates are screaming out bad thoughts at each other; the people of Texas are taking very little interest in politics, but we are carefully studying the elements of progress and to homeseekers and investors our hat's in the ring..

"Niggerhead Nut Coal is the Best for Your"

Summer Cooking. It takes less and costs less. Posts, Wire, Rock Salt, Grain and Burnett COTTON Seed

Lubbock Grain and Coal Company

HOT WEATHER UNDERWEAR

See our two piece Athletic Suits for men at \$1.00
 A complete line of Porus knit Undershirts and knee Drawers for Men at 50c
 The old Reliable R. S. Balbrigan shirts 40c
 A full line of Ladies Vests, Pants and Unionsuits for Summer from 12 1-2 to 50c

Don't suffer with heat. Come let us fit you up with comfortable clothes for Summer.

Brownfield Mercantile Company

No Trouble to Show Goods

The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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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.

Just write your folks that Terry will produce the goods this year and you'll need help at harvest time.

Politics in Texas are waxing warm, but will have to get to the melting point before they stop the farmer from planting his grain and cotton.

Sidewalk building is the topic again, and with proper encouragement in a financial way. J. R. Hill will commence the construction.

Percy Spencer, Secretary of the Commercial Club, received a map this week of the Trans-Continental auto route from New York, Chicago and Kansas City, via Dodge City, Amarillo and Plainview to Roswell. Lubbock, Brownfield and other towns were not shown on the map, but it is a cinch it will pass through Lubbock, Terry and Yoakum counties in order to strike the deep sand where Roswell is now busy with 30 teams and 40 men grading it, and besides it is almost an impossibility to cross Cochran or Bailey counties on account of sand. The map was gotten out by the Douglas, Ariz. Chamber of Commerce, and showed only the principal towns on the route.

The pathfinder car passed through here some two weeks ago on its way to Roswell and was met here by a car from the later city. The southern route

from Dallas and Fort Worth was shown intersecting the other at Plainview.

Hamilton Rustler: Business men who first cut out their advertising in their desire to cut down expenses simply cut off the light that illuminates the way to their own doors, and they have no cause to quarrel when the trading public loses the trail. When a merchant "lays down" on his job and ceases to go after business, he helps to make hard times and dull business. When business lags is the time to push it vigorously, that truth has been demonstrated over and over again, and shrewd business men are learning that newspaper advertising is their best investment.

State Press in Dallas News:— The good advertiser, like death, hath all reasons for his own. To stop advertising because business is dull is equivalent to cutting out the horses feed because he is poor. If John Wanamaker for example, had followed that policy probably he would now be running a little store on a side street in Philadelphia and lamenting his inability to make headway against "capitalism."

The first farmers who came West quit working when the dry weather struck and this resulted in an empty crib, smokehouse and meal barrel, and he hiked it back east. But the new farmer keeps on pushing his business

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

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE
 W. R. Spencer
 John H. Moore
 Jas. R. Robinson

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
 J. E. Vickers
 G. E. Lockhart

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
 W. H. Gist
 W. G. Hardin
 Geo. W. Neill

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
 V. H. Trammell
 R. W. Glover

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
 H. T. Brooks

rain or shine. The result is that he's making money and inducing others to come and help develop the country. Let the would-be progressive merchant heed this moral.

Terry county instructed its delegate, Atty. Boone Hunter, last Saturday to vote for Champ Clark first and if there was no show for him, then for Woodrow Wilson. The Clark men were a little in the majority in the Convention, but we believe if left to a majority vote in a primary in the county, Wilson would have had much the best of the bargain. We notice from press reports that Clark will absolutely have no show in the State convention and of course our delegate will go to the Wilson strength.

Herald used to be a strong Clark man, but always believed him too for South, but when, as speaker of the House coupled annexation with reciprocity there by killing the measure, we at

GOOD GRUB

Is as essential to the human body as air. That is why the **HILL HOTEL** is the place to stop. The best eatables 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

Secret Societies.



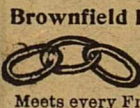
BROWNFIELD CHAPTER, NO. 399, R. A. M.
 W. R. Spencer, High Priest
 Geo. E. Tiernan, Secretary
 Meets 2nd Saturday after the full moon in each lunar month



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.



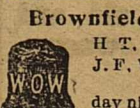
Wade Chapter 317 O. E. S.
 Mrs. Geo. E. Tiernan, W. M.
 Miss Annie Hamilton, Secretary.
 Meets Saturday before the full moon in each month at Masonic Hall



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



BROWNFIELD REBEKAH LODGE NO. 323.
 Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 7.30 p. m.
 Mrs. Dora Copeland N. G.
 Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.



Brownfield Camp No. 1089 W. O. W.
 H. T. Brooks, C. C.
 J. F. Winston, Clerk
 Meets every Saturday night in each month in the Odd Fellows Hall



Gomez Lodge No. 828 I. O. O. F.
 Bob Holgate, N. G.
 Simon Holgate, Sec'y
 Meets every Thursday night in the Odd Fellows Hall

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.

once doubted his sound statesmanship. And again when he sanctioned and worked for the \$150,000,000 pension grab, every true American, North or South who took the time to fully investigate the matter, at once branded him as dangerous. Tafts power of veto only saved the measure from going through. Now there are mighty few Southern people who knock the pension business and nearly every Confederate soldier say the Union men deserve a pension, who actually saw service, for as they say "we

give them their money's worth in that awful struggle," but when it comes to a dollar a day pension for every body whether they smelled gun powder or not, we should call a halt. We fully expected to see the big pension states support Clark and have not altogether been disappointed, but even the conservative Northern people are getting very tired of a continual increase in the pension roll more than a half century after the war, when it should be showing a decided decrease.

A Genuine Hair Restorer

Did you ever know of any hair preparation which would really grow hair and restore the color to gray or faded hair?

There are many preparations highly advertised to do the work, but it is probably your experience that none of them will really meet the claims of their manufacturers.

There are many so called Hair Restorers which are nothing more than harmful chemical dyes, which do not grow any hair, the only result being that they dyed the hair, having no permanency and often causing a streaky appearance.

It has been the aim of the chemists for years to discover a preparation which would really grow hair and restore the color to gray or faded hair, but heretofore they have met with no success.

Prof. Rembler now claims to have discovered a combination of harmless vegetable composition which is a Genuine Hair Restorer and will grow hair and does not contain any dye of any kind, but will positively restore the natural color and brilliancy to gray and faded hair.

This is a very strong statement to make and if any chemist without the recognized ability and national reputation of Prof. Rembler were to make this claim we would be inclined to be skeptical as to its truth. It will be remembered by readers that are familiar with scientific discoveries that Prof. Rembler was the inventor of the one fire process for gilding glass and also the Rembler wireless Coherer. Any statement made by Prof. Rembler is entitled to consideration as he would not make any statements which were not true and would injure his established reputation.

The Siloron Mfg. Co. of Pueblo, Colo., have purchased the exclusive American rights to manufacture Sagine, as they have named Prof. Rembler's invention, after having made a six month's test of Sagine and thoroughly demonstrating that it would positively do the work. The Siloron Mfg. Co. have authorized us to make the following remarkable offer to all who need a "Genuine Hair Restorer."

They will send a written agreement with every bottle of Sagine, to the effect that if one bottle of Sagine conscientiously used according to the directions does not give entire satisfaction to the purchaser; if Sagine does not actually grow hair and restore the color to gray or faded hair, remove dandruff and make the hair healthy and glossy, that they will pay the sum of \$5 to any dissatisfied purchaser.

This is the strongest offer every made by any manufacturer and one they could not possibly make if they did not know positively from experiment that it would do exactly what they claim for it. No one takes any chance in buying Sagine as it is certainly worth \$1 to use a Genuine Hair Restorer that will really grow hair, and if it does not give satisfaction they will pay you the \$5 as agreed. Send a \$1 bill to The Siloron Mfg. Co., Pueblo, Colo., stating that you wish to purchase a bottle of Sagine with the written agreement to grow hair and restore the color to gray or faded hair or pay you the sum of \$5 and it will be sent to you by express in plain wrapper.

The Siloron Mfg. Co. is incorporated under the Laws of the State of Colorado and refer you to the mercantile agencies or any Pueblo banks as to their ability to fulfill any agreement they make.

THE SILORON MFG. CO.,
Pueblo, Colo.

C. W. Lusk

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

Texas Ginned 4,107,152 Bales of Cotton in 1911.

Washington D. C., May 6th
According to reports of the Federal Department of Commerce and Labor, there were 4,107,152 bales of cotton ginned in Texas in 1911, an increase over 1910 of 1,157,184 bales or 39.0 per cent. The report shows the cotton ginned in each county separately, Ellis County leading with 136,427 bales, an increase of 31,922 bales, or 23.4 per cent, during 1911.

Texas Products Reach England.

Liverpool, England, May 6th
The tramp steamer "Binyon-hill" has arrived in port after a rough crossing. The vessel brought over a general cargo of farm products shipped from the southern part of Texas, U. S. A., of which cabbage and onions were in the majority. The unloading of the cargo created considerable comment as the vegetables were in excellent condition, far exceeding anything ever seen before in this city.

When a girl is combing her hair she sometimes come across a particularly obstinate tangle and gives such a pull that it makes her wish she were bald like her grandfather, and didn't have to have her hair brushed. She feels that if she keeps on

pulling out her hair at that rate she will soon be bald. But it would take a great many pulling to make her bald, for she has thousands and thousands of hairs. Some persons has more hairs than others, and the number varies, it seems, according to the color. Light haired persons, for instance, have between 140,000 and 165,000 hairs, and there is little difference between men and women. Dark haired persons have on an average about 105,000, and the red haired have only about 30,000, which means that red hair is much coarser than other shades. It has, however, the virtue of lasting longest, for a head so covered seldom becomes bald.

Orient To Complete Line In Tex

San Antonio, Texas., May 6
Reports from the general office of the Kansas City Mexico & Orient Railway Company at Kansas City, Missouri, state that the system is preparing to issue certificates to the amount of \$2,500,000 for the purpose of completing the line south of San Angel to Alpine, where a connection will be afforded with the Southern Pacific system.

Mr. A. C. Copeland has finished his contract of widening the Brownfield-Gomez road, and the Commissioners received it yesterday.

ATTENTION

IS CALLED

TO OUR JOB DEPARTMENT

Which we consider the equal for ordinary work of any shop on the South Plains. Not only do we give you neat print on first class stock, but we quote prices anywhere from 25 to 50 percent lower than our railroad competitors. Here is a few quotations for your consideration.

		R. R. Prices	Our Price
Letter Heads	per 500	3.50	2.00
Note Heads	" "	2.75	1.75
Best XXX envelops	" "	3.50	2.25
" Candidate cards	" "	3.00	2.00
Bill Heads 2's or 4's	" "	3.00	2.00
" " 6's	" "	2.75	1.75
Statements	" "	2.75	1.75

We handle 7 sizes and grades of envelopes, a wide range of letter and note stock, statements, etc, and a full assortment of flats, cardboards, book-backs Also a full line ladies and gents visiting cards, either kid or linen finish. Can suit the most fastidious, and

Our Prices Are Right.

Nuff said about our job department, but we want the head of every family in Terry county to take The Herald and send it to a friend back East, regularly.

Yours for much Business
and Happiness in
1912

THE HERALD

TAHOKA HARDWARE CO.

Complete line of Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Sweeps of all kinds and makes, Garden Plows, Hoes, Rakes and Implements; Screen Wire, Screen Doors, Poultry Netting. A COMPLETE LINE OF LEATHER GOODS.

LET US BUILD YOUR IRON TANK AND GUTTER YOUR HOUSE

P. & O. four-horse planters at the Gomez Merc.

Uncle Billie Byrd is laying a new floor at the drug store and making other repairs for the cold drink department.

Mrs. Dolphus Robinson, of Lubbock, is visiting Mrs. J. W. Ellis.

Miss Etta Kinard, of Pleasant Valley neighborhood, was visiting Miss Jennie Lee Almon, the first of the week.

The editor and wife enjoyed dinner with the hospitable family of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Almon, Saturday.

WILL MATHIS has leased some grass on the line of Terry and Yoakum and will be prepared to pasture some stock.

J. W. Welch left this week for Nolan county with Mr. Lee Underdown's household goods.

The Browfield Hardware Company made a large cypress trough for R. G. Wood, of Meadow.

Bert Ingram was hustling around in town this week.

Rev. E. S. Hamlit will preach at Pleasant Valley the 4th Sunday.

Prof. Thos. Hunter returned yesterday from Amarillo where he went before the Court of Civil Appeals for licence to practice law. The Prof. informed us that he didn't fall below 90 in anything.

Prof. Hardin has been on the sick list, but we are pleased to report him better.

DO YOU WANT to trade your land for a good auto, see or write Simeon O'Neal Lubbock, Texas.

O. M. Daniel and family are loading up to move to their bonus in New Mexico.

We learn that Yoakum County instructed its delegate to vote for Roosevelt. We thought Yoakum was a Democratic County.

W. R. Harris has just received a telegram from Roswell to the effect that his daughter, Jeffie Ray, had an acute attack of appendicitis which required an immediate operation.

When in Tahoka, trade with McGill's Drug Store.

The meeting at the Baptist Church is progressing nicely, but the crowds are small, especially at the day services. Rev. Jno. Arbuckle is doing the preaching.

R. H. Banowsky is erecting a tank tower and milk house at his windmill this week. He made a nice concrete floor for his milk house.

Try Lox Fos. A. Livertone. Guaranteed by McGill's Drug Store.

Artie Shepherd handed us the \$ this week and requested us to send the Herald to his father, W. A. Shepherd at Sinter, Texas. Call again Artie!

S. E. Hamilton was here this week with a smile on his face like a slice out of a big watermelon.

Harry Braidfoot's father and Holt Simmons were up Tuesday after the large tank made by the Hardware people for Harry.

Miss Gaster Randal returned last week from Seymour, where she graduated from the Seymour High school. Miss Gaster is a splendid girl and we are all glad to have her home again.

FOR SALE: Red Top and Early Amber cane seed at the Gomez Merc.

Thos. J. Allen, an insurance man, of Texico, N. M. is in town this week telling the boys they ought not go another day without a policy in the Reliance.

Arther Moore has his splendid Percheon stallion on the streets this week.

James Cass and George Arnett passed through town this week on their way from Will Arnett's ranch in Gaines County to the Spade ranch.

Jay McPhaul says he had been hearing a good deal about Brazilian fever lately and imagined for a long time it was a real catching outfit and stayed at home mighty close.

Sam Walker of the U— is visiting in Brownfield this week.

Eb Ivey the 666 boss, gave the Herald a nice order for stationary while here last week. A special cut of his brand was ordered for his stationary.

V. E. Hargett went to Tahoka after lumber and posts last week.

Jno. W. Gordon was mingling with friends in Brownfield Monday.

W. R. Harris, of Roswell N. M., a former citizen of this place, is here on business. Says Terry still looks good to him.

A large crowd attending the Odd-Fellow-Rebekah celebration at the school house last Friday night.

Try a bottle of Livertone at McGill's Drug Store; guaranteed to take the place of calomel.

M. V. Brownfield returned from Gray County this week where he went to look after his large ranch interests. He reports good rains and every thing looking lovely.

Messrs. Albert Taylor and Dolphus Robinson, two of Lubbock's most prominent citizens, were in our city Wednesday. Mr. Taylor was looking for a few hundred cows and calves.

NOTICE: my laundry basket will leave here twice a week and return from the Lubbock Steam Laundry. I want your business. J. R. Hill

Miss Ellie Kenedy who came from Lubbock to organize a class in instrumental music, has secured a very nice class and is making her home at Mrs. J. C. Green's, where she has access to a piano.

LADIES: I do hand painting, and stenciling. Have beautiful designs for table covers, splashers, curtaining, scarfs, shelving, pillow cases, etc. Let me do some work for you; its sure to please you.

Mrs. D. M. Ward. Gomez Texas

We learned this week that a deal was on between Tubbs Bros. and the Messrs. Marcys, to lease the Brownfield-Lubbock end of the mail route, and if they do, they intend carrying some on autos. If the deal goes through, this will be a great help even to the people in Yoakum County, as it will put them in Lubbock at least four hours earlier.

For Sale. A good milk cow. (fresh) J. T. May.

Talking about your stunts, but J. T. May pulled off a big one this week when he came riding his bay catch-up-in-the-get-along along the streets and just as he was displaying his masterful equestrian ability, the hoss fell flat, spilling his rider on the ground. After carefully looking around at the laughing crowd, he ventured: "What'ye know about that?" The only damage reported was that he had to pay for three packages of bachelor buttons, one each for Uncle Jack Coble, Percy Spencer and Bert French, to keep their breeches up after they were through laughing. Some tried to engage him for a matinee performance every afternoon this week for the benefit of sidewalk building but he said his next date was already billed for Arkansas.

M. & M. Club

The M. & M. Club met Saturday, May 4 with Mrs. Claud Criswell. Three new members were received. They were Miss Annie Hamilton, Miss Rejina Hargett and Miss Kennedy. Miss Ella Farrar was a very welcome visitor. Dainty refreshments were served. The Club adjourned hoping to meet with Mrs. Criswell again soon.

Reporter.

MOVED

To our new warehouse one block North of depot and are better prepared than ever to handle your business. Besides our usual full line of Coal, Grain and Hay I can now furnish you in all kinds stock salt. Remember we buy your hides and furs.

S. N. McDaniel.

1 blk N. Depot 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.

Drs. Hutchinson & Peebler

Practice limited to the Eyes, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Lubbock Texas

Dr. J. W. Ellis,

Physician and Surgeon

Office at Randal Drug Store.

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Brownfield, Texas.

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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

Browfield, 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

Harris Happenings.

May 8th.

Mr. Hooker and son, Jeff, of Lubbock came down last Friday and will spend a few days at their ranch.

Lynn and Glenn Harris left Friday for South Dakota where they will spend the summer. These excellent young men will be greatly missed by our circle of young folks.

Jay McPhaul passed through on his way to New Mexico last Friday.

A. S. Alexander and family passed through here Saturday moving from Lubbock to New Mexico. They formerly lived at Brownfield.

Miss Nora Wolfarth spent Saturday night with the Misses Spear.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dooley and Mrs. Dooley's sister, Miss Rickles, called on Mr. and Mrs. B. Clare last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Redding has been very sick for several weeks and last week her husband carried her to Gomez for medical treatment. Her condition was reported to be worse Monday.

Roy Horris made a trip to Lubbock last week after groceries.

Mr. and Mrs. Beal, of near Meadow, spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herring near here. They returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. Fitzgerald and his daughter, Miss Olga, came in from Lubbock last week. We are pleased to have her with us again after her lengthy visit to relatives and friends in Haskell, Sweetwater and Lubbock. Also glad to hear of her speedy recovery from her recent severe illness.

Sand Bur.

Primrose.

May 6th.

Our farmers are all busy planting seeds these days. Mr. Lee Cowan has a nice patch of corn and cotton up.

The grass fine and all stock are looking well, and all the suckies are giving Jersey cream.

Mr. Jim Rose has returned from Memphis, Texas, and is now going to school to A. K. Huckleberry. We see where your head is level Jim. Also the Misses Rose have come back after an absent of two week's

Mrs. Frank Blankinship who has been visiting her sister Mrs. A. W. Blankinship for three months, returned to her home in Erath Co. this week.

Mr. Ira Dawket is working for A. W. Blankinship. He is from Memphis, Texas.

Mrs. Bob Tratter, Mrs. Baker's daughter who has been visiting them lately, returned to Okla. last week.

We are enjoying our daily mail at Meadow now. Quite an improvement on the old order of things.

Mr. Hershall Timmon's little girl entered school this week.

Mr. F. Smith has added an addition to the house, on the place he purchased from R. G. Way.

Preaching at Meadow 3rd Sun-

day eve at 3 o'clock; also singing at 4. Other singing classes from other neighborhoods are requested to come and take part.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cowan's little baby has been sick for 4 days with fever.

Cricket.



On account of the long continued cool wet weather this spring, the conditions are quite different from normal. This is resulting in the appearance of various plant diseases not usual in the State. Specimens have been received from three localities in the last few days, of diseased peach leaves, and the further extent of the disease is unknown. The disease is manifested by the puffy or blistered appearance of the peach leaves, about the time they first get their growth. The name, Leaf Curl, is descriptive of the trouble. It is a common trouble of the peach orchards of the Atlantic States, and Mississippi valley region, but seems to have been rare in Texas heretofore. Its appearance this year is related to the backward spring, the continued cool weather being favorable to the development of the disease.

At this time there is no cure possible, as the fungus causing the disease is living inside the leaf; but by removing the diseased leaves, and burning them up, the supply of spores from which the disease may come another year, will be greatly reduced. During the winter, the orchards should be sprayed to kill the spores which stick to the twigs ready to attack the leaves as the buds open.

Dr. F. H. Blodgett, Plant Pathologist at the Texas Experiment Station, College Station, Texas, will be very glad to get specimens of this disease from any peach grower, as he wishes to learn how widely it is distributed in the state this season.

Sign Posts For Auto Route.

Plainview, Tex., May 6. The sign posts for the transcontinental auto route through Hale County have been received and will be placed as indicated on the official log, some time within the next week. O. M. Unger, president of the local Chamber of Commerce, is vice president of the first leg of the route, and will have supervision over same, which extends from Dodge City, Kan., to the New Mexico line just east of Roswell. He acts directly under the management of the Transcontinental Touring Club of America, which

has its head office at Chicago. Extensive road improvement is under way along the entire borderland loop from Kansas to Phoenix, Ariz. It is said that this is to be the first transcontinental auto route in the United States to be signposted throughout.—Dallas News

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Preventable Accidents.

Our Boards of Health are performing a splendid service to mankind by directing attention to preventable diseases and teaching us to remove their causes, but one of the most timely suggestions received from these custodians of human welfare is contained in a few rules which, if followed, will greatly reduce the list of injuries and deaths, as well as destruction of property traceable to explosions of oil, gasoline, etc. The rules follow:

First—Keep oil, gasoline or naphtha cans in the shade.

Second—Never pour oil from a can directly into the stove or grate, but pour the oil into a cup or other open top vessel, and from this to the fire.

Third—Never, under any circumstances, use gasoline or naphtha for starting fires.

Fourth—See that cans used for gasoline or naphtha are plainly marked or labeled to avoid possibility of mixing with kerosene.

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GOMEZ DOTS

May 7th

A nice shower of rain Monday evening and again at night gave a much appreciated relief from blowing dust; for a few hours at least.

Matt McPherson made a trip to Tahoka for freight this week; also Tom Taylor went to Lubbock.

Rev. Wilson, a Methodist minister from Pecos City, preached an excellent sermon here Sunday night. He is traveling on the Plains for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Shaw, a brother to Dave Shaw of Yoakum county, passed through here Monday in an auto going out to the Harris community.

Quite a lot of our High School pupils are intending to attend the Normal at Lubbock this summer.

The new mail schedule seems to work all right only we can't see why the newspaper mail should be from one to two days later getting here. The Dallas News, Ft Worth Record and The Terry County Herald came on Monday instead of Saturday.

Miss Mary Pullium of Plains is visiting Mrs. Walter Gainer this week.

Bro. Jamison came in Friday from Hermleigh, where he went after the District Conference at Tahoka.

Mr. A. P. Seitz is down from Lubbock looking after his farm and stock one mile North of Gomez.

Joe Lane came in from Lubbock and other points Friday where he had been in the interest of his stock and ranch business.

Money has been raised to build an addition to the Methodist church here also to repair and paint same.

Arrangements are being made to hold a mothers day service at the Baptist church on the fourth Sunday in this month.

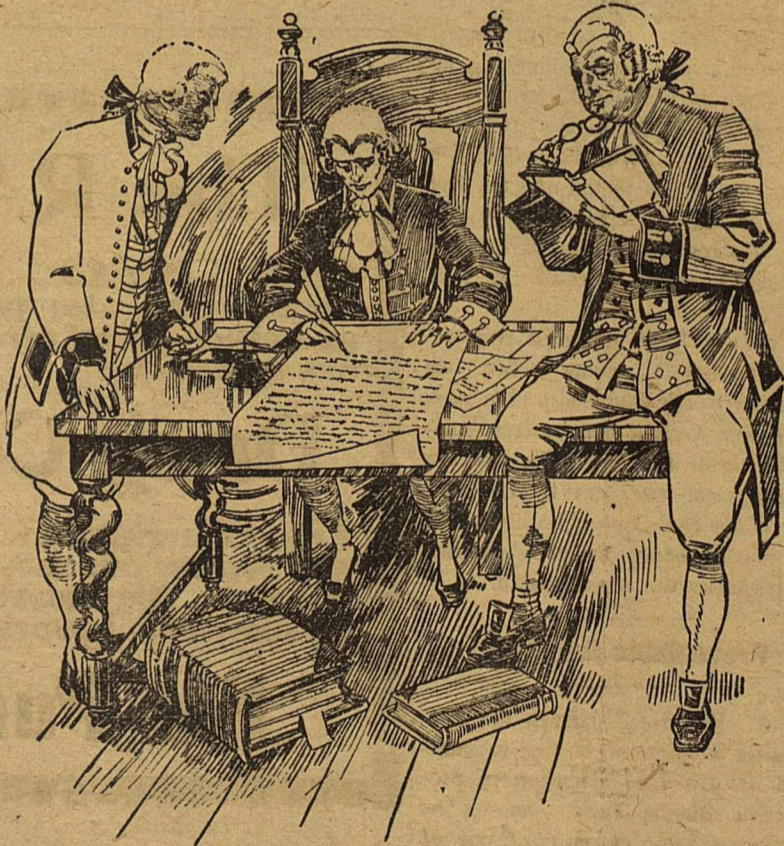
Mr. Redding of the Harris community passed through town Monday morning enroute to Amarillo where he is carrying his wife to a Sanitarium.

Quite a lot of the young folks of Gomez and vicinity attended the ball and supper at Bob

TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

XIII. ABILITY

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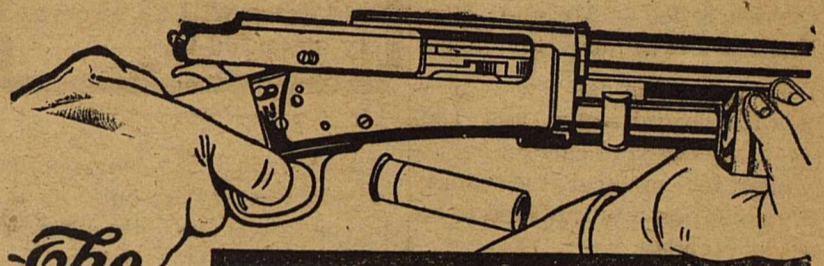
So on last Friday night. The three in declaring it to have one of the nicest and in every way most pleasant entertainment of the kind they ever attended.

Mr. Sam Key says that while the sand storms have injured his corn crop yet it is up and living and if we could only have a good rain soon it would be alright.

Messrs. Jenkins, Alderson, Whisenant, John Day, Geo. Wilkins, Bert Shepherd and Lemby, and quite a lot of others were in trading the past day or so.

Mr. Cardwell and family were over from Brownfield attending preaching Sunday.

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