

The Terry County Herald

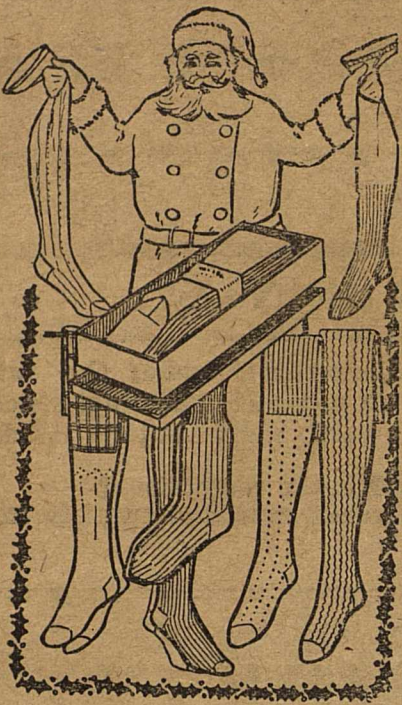
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NO 36

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

MAY & WRIGHT



As usual, have prepared to meet the most critical requirements of all kinds of Christmas shoppers from childhood to the aged. In our store you will find neat and new toys, all kinds dolls and novelties--no left overs--and we ask that you make our store your store during the holiday season. We not only bought carefully, eliminating all trashy and worthless gifts, but bought



at a close figure and will sell the same way. Our grocery department is unusually well stocked with good things to eat including celery, cranberries, mince meats and fruit cake materials.

Santa has left your things at May & Wright's

SILOS AND FEED PENS FOR TERRY COUNTY.

They Will Be the Salvation of the Small Farmer. Several Interested.

All ready this very necessary adjunct to stock farming countries are dotting the north Plains and every time one is built, it advertises a half dozen more, and each man who builds one just can't see why he didn't build one years ago.

Sometime ago we made mention of the fact that Mr. M. V.

Brownfield and Mr. M. B. Sawyer were talking strongly of building silos; and in conversation with Mr. Brownfield this week he said: "I am going to build two on the Daugerty block next Spring, one surface model and one underground model like those in New Mexico, and erect some good feeding pens thereon.

I am fully convinced that we can beat the world on both quality and quantity of beef raised right here at home on the South Plains, and we can do it cheaper. Besides it will give the farmer a market for his bundle stuff that they can't find unless they haul it to a railroad, and that is out of the question.

Mr. Redd, the thresher man also said that in his community the farmers would co-operate on ensilage machinery and some good feed pens.

In conversation with J. O. Jones, recently, he said that in his community that it would likely be practicable to co-operate on the machinery, but not on the silos as none of their ranches join. Mr. Jones fully agreed the silo

would some day make this country famous, and said just one introduced would cause the construction of many more.

As it is now, it is almost impossible for the farmer to dispose of all his bundle stuff of an ordinary year on account of the distance to railroad towns, and then it wouldn't pay to ship it any great distance, but if cut up and stored in Terry county, green for the purpose of putting our cattle on the market in shape to bring top prices, it would not only aid the small farmer in making a home market for his feed, but would make big money for the ranchman.

People we have got to co-operate like brothers in all things, and then you'll see Terry come to the front like a whirlwind.

Notice

All parties knowing themselves to be indebted to Brooks & Drinkard, please come in and settle their acct by Jan 1st. After that date we positively will not book any more accounts, as they are usually so small that it don't pay to bother with them.

Respt.

Brooks & Drinkard

HE ADVERTISED—AT LAST. There was a man in our town. And he was wondrous wise; He swore (it was his policy) He would not advertise. But one sad day he advertised, And thereby hangs a tale, The ad. was set in quite small type And headed "Sheriff's Sale."

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Lubbock Grain and Coal Company

The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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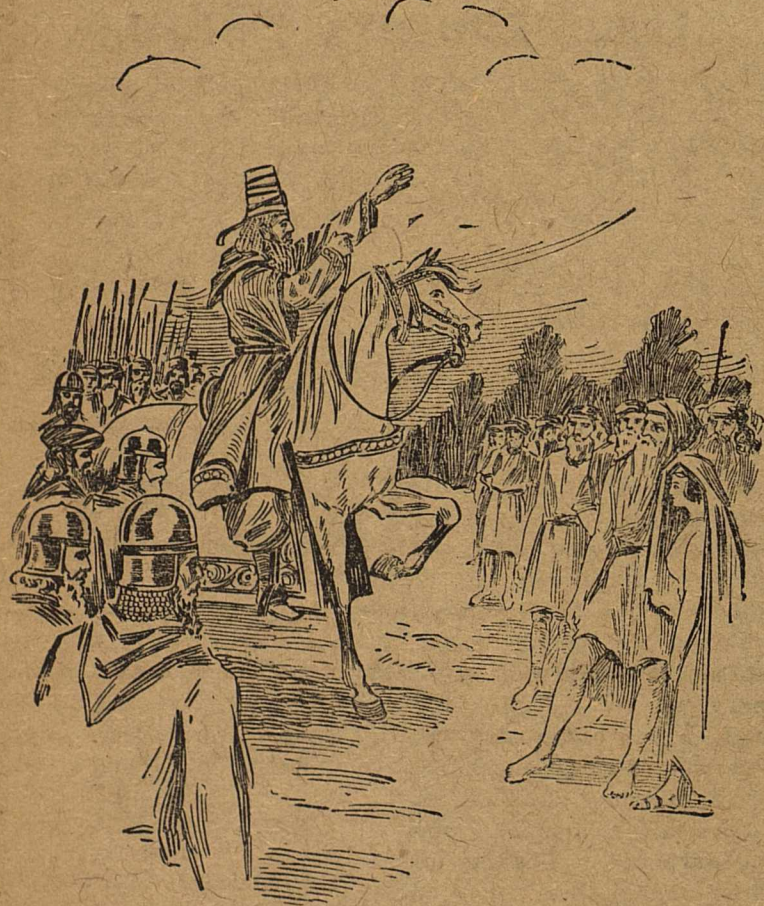
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TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

XXXVII. POWER

CYRUS THE GREAT founded the Persian Empire and exercised absolute power over a larger number of people than any other human. From a wandering horde he organized a vast wave of human power and grandeur which swelled and rolled on in undiminished magnitude and glory for many centuries. This powerful man was able to lift the soul of humanity into the heights of reason and by his compelling and persuasive power lead them into higher altitudes of civilization. No event of importance in the human race was ever accomplished without the guiding hand of a spirit of great power.



CYRUS THE GREAT ORGANIZING GOVERNMENT.

Let those who search for authority understand that power is permanent only when the product of principle, that ability will attract the homage of the masses like a lodestar, and that the rare qualities of initiative leadership have always quieted seething humanity and organized turbulent masses into peaceful and happy communities where civilization can yield its golden fruit, Texas Needs Great Men.

Harris Happenings.

Dec. 18th.
Clyde Fitzgerald and Ed Spear came in from Oklahoma one day last week.
The school children, assisted by the younger set are preparing a program to be rendered at the Xmas tree.
W. H. Harris and son Lynn left Thursday in an automobile for Rochester, Knox City and

other points prospecting.
Brit Clare is away looking for young mules which he thinks of buying.
Arthur Cotten came over to the store last Thursday and bought a nice supply of Xmas goods, groceries etc.
Mr. Roberts, a veterinarian of LaMesa, canvassed our country last week. He did some work for W. H. Harris

Hub Hooker's little boys are now attending school here. We were glad to have those bright youngsters come in.

Miss Ora Ware and brother Hilliard, were at the store last Thursday.

McPhaul Bro's. came in from New Mexico with a herd of 1000 head of cattle last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lycan and Mrs. Lycan's brother all from Plainview, passed through in a car on their way to New Mexico.

Carl Sams of Lovington New Mexico, has been here for the past week attending to business.

Mr. McMillan is hauling freight from Lubbock now.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wright came in from Oklahoma last Wednesday and will live on Mr. Spear's north place.

Sand Bur.

Will Mathis was over from the ranch the last of the week, on business.

Sheriff's Sale; Real Estate.

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Terry County, Texas, on a certain judgement rendered in said court on the 30th day of April A. D. 1912 in favor of Ira H. Willson and against J. R. Lanier and G. E. Lockhart, for the sum of Two Hundred and Thirty Seven and no—100 (\$237.00) Dollars, with interest from April 30th, 1912, at seven percent per annum and costs of suit, I, Geo. E. Tiernan, Sheriff of Terry County, Texas, did on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1912, levy upon the following described real estate, situated in Terry County, Texas, as the property of the defendants, to-wit:

The west one half of six hundred and forty (640) acres of land situated in the County of Terry and State of Texas, known as Survey No. Nine (9) in Block D-14,

Being the west one half of the same premises conveyed to Wesley Lawrence assignee of the C. & M. Ry. Co. by O. M. Roberts, Governor of the State of Texas by patent dated Feb'y 19th, 1880.

And on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1913, the same being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. at the court house door in the town of Brownfield, Terry County, Texas, I will offer said property at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, and apply the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said judgement.

Witness my hand this 3rd day of Dec., A. D. 1912.

Geo. E. Tiernan
Sheriff, Terry Co., Tex.

Sheriff Sale; Real Estate.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Terry County, Texas on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1912, on a judgment rendered therein on the 29th day of October, A. D. 1912, in favor of John Penny and against L. F. Gamble, L. C. Garrison and J. K. Powell for the sum of One Thousand and Forty-nine and 40/100 (\$1049.40) Dollars and costs of suit, I, Geo. E. Tiernan, Sheriff of Terry County Texas, did on the 12th day of November, A. D. 1912, levy on the following described property, situated in Terry County Texas, to-wit:

The North one-half of Survey No. Forty Six (46) in Block E, Cert. 1120. E. L. & R. R. Co. Original Grantee.

And on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1913, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at the Court House door in the town of Brownfield, Terry County, Texas, I shall offer said property for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, and apply the proceeds of sale to the payment of said judgement.

Witness my hand this Dec. 3rd, A. D. 1912.
Geo. E. Tiernan
Sheriff, Terry County Texas.

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"We Need the money"

Dry Goods, Gents and Boys Furnishings; Hats Caps, Overalls, Jumpers, Shoes, Boots and Over-gaiters, Crockery and Queensware, Saddles and Buggy and Wagon Harness, Collars and Saddle Pads, Saddle Blankets, Whips and all kinds of Stock goods. Furniture Matresses, Art Squares, Rugs Linolium and Matting; Undertakers' Supplies

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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.
W. M. Adams, W. M.
J. F. Winston, Secretary
Lodge meets Saturday before the full moon in each lunar month at 8 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.
H. T. Brooks 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.
Mrs. Dora Copeland N. G.
Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.

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

Church Directory.

METHODIST CHURCH

Brownfield: Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. League at 3 p. m. Preaching 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Gomez: S. S. at 10 a. m. and preaching every 1st Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. and the afternoons of the 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Meadow: Preaching every 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

A. D. Jameson, 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.

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Santa Claus Letters.

Dear Santy:—

I have been an extra good boy this year. Now I want you to bring me a little air ship, so I can go west without fear for there is a biting dog on the way and it is hard on old clothes to pass there after dark. And Santy bring those people a good strong log chain so they can keep him tied, for if my air ship was to fall he could bite us.

Your Little Friend.

Fred Scudday.

P. S. Be sure and bring me lots of big old red apples, and a cart load of chawing wax so there will be enough to divide with them.

Dear Santie Claus:—

As I am a very small boy, I will tell you what I want for Xmas. I want a little automobile and a big sack of chocolate candy and some apples and nuts. Santy I want ask for much this time that is all.

Your Little Friend

Samill Palmer Price.

Dear Santy:—

Please bring me a little tricycle that I can ride on. I have been good this year, and don't forget to bring me apples, candy and nuts and wax.

Your Friend

J. B. Price.

Dear Santy:—

Bring me a top and ball, horn and some fire crackler's, and don't forget to bring me a lot of candy and nuts; good by.

Your Frind

Gayloe Price.

Dear Santy:—

Please bring me a trycle, pair of pants, an ice wagon and a little train. Santy don't forget to bring me lots of apples, candy and nuts.

Your Little Friend.

Bill Allmon.

Dear Santie Claus:—

I want a big doll, a little trunk and lots of candy, apples and oranges. Santy don't forget to bring Ruby a big doll too.

Your Little Friend

Carmon Allmon.

Harris, Texas, 12—19

Dear Santa:—

Will you please bring me a nice doll with curls, a set of building blocks, some candy, ap-

ples, oranges and nuts and any thing else you want to bring me Xmas. If you will do this I will be a good little girl—most of the time.

With Lots of Love

Winnie Clare.

P. S. Written by mamma.

No Herald Xmas Week.

As usual, the Herald force will take a week's needed rest during the holidays, therefore no paper will appear next week, but as we keep our subscription accounts by volume and number instead of date, subscribers will get their 52 issues just the same.

To Our Correspondents.

This issue ends the year's work and the judges will therefore make their reports. As they all now live in Brownfield it will be an easy matter for them to get together in rendering their decisions, which they may do any time after this issue.

Next year we will try a different plan. All will get a nice prize for a letter each week. In case of sickness or death a letter that week or weeks will give credit for any way.

We will also offer a secondary prize to all who respond as many as twenty five weeks during the year. Of course letters must reach us by Wednesday in every instance.

Notice.

All our out standing accounts are now due and we earnestly request all persons owing us accounts to come in and settle up.

This means all accounts whether large or small, of long standing or recent date.

PLEASE DO NOT OVERLOOK THIS NOTICE.

Brownfield Merc. Co

LARGE red peanuts for sale at \$1.60 per bushel. See me for toys and Xmas goods.

Geo. Black Jr.

Gomez, Texas.

We learn that Mr. W. L. Blanton, nephew of D. Y. Blanton, of west Terry, and Miss Clemmie Chisholm of the J-Cross community, were married in Plains recently.

"Old Mission Lecture" is most heartily endorsed by Mrs. Pennybacker, the noted Texas historian; by President R. B. Cousins of the Canyon City Normal; by Dr. John R. Allen of Southwestern University; by Hon. Fred Opp of Llano, late Consul to Breslau; by many hundreds of the teachers and educators of the state. At the Public School Auditorium Saturday night.

THE CHEAPEST and best reading you ever heard of is a combination of The Herald Farm and Ranch and Holland Magazine; \$3.00 worth of papers for only \$2.15. Get this combi for your summer, fall and winter evenings.

The Herald flashed a big abstract contract this week for the Brownfield Townsite Co.

Herald wishes for its readers and advertisers a merry Christmas and that 1913 will be a glorious year for each of them.

NOTICE:—The Baptist ladies will hold a bazaar at the Drug Store beginning next Monday.

Mr. Harry Braidfoot has purchased the latest model Appersof car. It contains all the latest appliances and is electric lighted.

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TAHOKA, TEXAS

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BIGHAM & SNYDER
Tahoka, Texas.

THE HERALD \$1

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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

DOWNING & HILL

Wants to supply Terry County people with their winter fuel. We handle both the Niggerhead and Maitland coal, and respectfully await your order. All kinds of grain.

North of Square

LUBBOCK, TEXAS.

WE ARE TOO FULL.

We have cramed and jambed new goods in our house until it is so full that we can't get around good, and we have decided to put on prices that will move our stuff out quick. Drive your wagon up to Lubbock and let us load you. We will give our customers from a distance, prices worth while. Our stock is all new; just arrived, a car WHITE CREST FLOUR; car fine potatoes, car sugar and syrup, car can goods and lots of nice things. Come to see us.

Martin & Wollcott

Raleigh Martin, Mgr.

Lubbock, Texas

Miss Irene Speigle and little brother Raymon, will leave Saturday for Lubbock, where they will entrain for points in Parker county.

Elbert Hughes returned last week from San Diego, Calif. where he has been for the just nine months. Son said he had a plenty of Calif. and would be very content in old Terry the rest of his time. The balance of the family will follow his example in March.

NOTICE:—No hunting with dogs or guns in the Brownfield ranch allowed.

Ray Brownfield.

The family of H. T. Brooks returned from their cotton picking expedition in Cottle and Hall counties last week. They report a large gather and good prices for same.

Mrs. L. T. Brooks, our hustling Gomez scribe, was in to see us this week, wishing the Herald all kinds of Merry Xmas and Happy New Year. Thanks, same back.

Mack Harper come in from Lubbock Tuesday to visit home folks.

We noticed W. K. Dickinson of Lubbock, at the Hill Hotel Tuesday night.

"Old Mission Lecture" at the Public School Auditorium Saturday night under the auspices of the Public School. Admissions, 25c, and 15c.

Our merchants assisted by Santa Claus, put out their Xmas goods Tuesday night.

Percy Spencer counseled with clients at Plains a few days this and last week.

NOTICE:—No hauling of wood, chips, or any other fuel allowed in the Brownfield ranch.

M. V. Brownfield
Ray

Mr. Toy Rodgers of Gorman, a brother-in-law of County Clerk D. J. Broughton, visited the later last week. He was on his way to California.

Sam Walker came in last Friday and added another subscriber to the Herald. This makes about six Sam is sending broad cast over the world, and he is only a bachelor.

John Walker, and old time citizen of Terry, but now living at Sheffield, was a pleasant caller at the Herald office last Friday afternoon. Mr. Walker came up to sell his land here, but failing said he would return home and sell out down there and move back here.

Messrs Lee Allmon and Bud Jones came in from Lubbock last week, where Mr. Jones went to accept a new Ford car purchased through the Bradly Auto Co.

We learn that J. O. Jones has purchased the Jenkins home in Lubbock, and will move up there after the holidays. We certainly hate to lose this family from Terry. He still holds his property in the southern part of Terry county.

More than 161 beautiful slide pictures of early Texas history, and a forceful presentation of a romantic story, both instructive and entertaining, is the "Old Mission Lecture," at the School Auditorium Saturday night.

We neglected to mention last week that Uncle Bill Howard, our old standly had called and renewed his three subscriptions.

Mr. John Peters our enterprising neighbor and farmer called Saturday and pushed us along another dollar's worth.

Tom May and family moved out to the Ray Brownfield ranch last week, on the line of Terry and Yoakum, where he will run a tock farm. Tom was in Saturday buying supplies and seemed to be tickled to death over his new business.

Of the "Old Mission Lecture," President Estes says under date of November 25:—"Prof. J. H. Foster's illustrated lecture on the Old Spanish Missions of Texas, is unique, entertaining, historical and educational to the children, the youth, the more mature, the middle aged and the old. It is well worth while and a dozen times the price." At the School house Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Brownfield left Wednesday for Lubbock, where they took train for Austin, where they will probably spend the winter.

A new shipment of men and boys caps just arrived at May & Wrights.

Mesdames J. W. Ellis and B. F. Dixon made a trip to Lubbock last week. Miss Pearl Stewart accompanied them up there and took train for East Texas points. Mrs. Dixon's daughter, who has been going to school at Lubbock, returned home with them and will enter school here after the holidays.

You shouldn't sleep cold these winter nights. May & Wright have blankets that will keep you warm.

The Jennie Brice case at the Court house Wednesday night was well attended, standing room in the District Court room being at

premium. The case was interesting throughout, and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty. We hope the Woodmen will get one of the prizes offered by Everybody's Magazine on the case.

Friends and Friendship

We are your friends; you are our friends, but friendship does not buy goods, nor pay for goods already bought. Our customers must settle up all past due accounts. Interest is now being charged on all over-due accounts. May & Wright

POINTS ON RAISING PEANUTS

Most Profitable Crop in South and Southwest Where Soil is Light and Climate Friendly.

Peanuts are a profitable crop in the southwest and south where the soil is light and the climate friendly, but a great many farmers do not seem to know it.

The nuts can be raised more cheaply and more easily than corn and they always bring a good price.

Both horses and cattle are fond of the hay and it makes excellent roughage.

Peanuts are one of the best crops going for boys because they seem to take more interest in this than any other crop on the farm—particularly if they are allowed to have the proceeds which they should have.

The way to start is to get perfectly good seed. The nuts should be smooth, of good size and free from any blemish.

In Kansas and Missouri the seed should be planted about the last of April, but in Virginia they are often planted a little earlier. Do not plant until the ground becomes warm.

Plant two seeds in a hill and make the hills three feet apart or they can be planted in check rows.

Keep the ground loose and mellow with cultivator and hoe until the plants begin to make little root-like pods which later develop into nuts. After that all the work that is necessary is enough to keep down the weeds.

In the south many growers cover the bloom as soon as it develops, but in Kansas that is seldom done and good crops are raised there.

Peanuts are harvested with a four-tined fork. The fork is stuck into the ground under the hill which is then gently loosened up and pulled out with the hands.

The nuts should be placed in a dry room—the hay loft makes a good storehouse—and when they are thoroughly dry and clean they are ready for market.

Nuts should be put up in bags holding about 100 pounds.

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Soft coal or charcoal is to the hog as pie to the boy. Give it to them in frequent doses. If a big bunch of pigs are allowed to sleep together in cramped quarters, in bad weather, they will pile up, and the small under pigs suffer. Easy to separate them into lots of eight or ten each. A sow pig farrowing at one year old will, if she and her offspring produce the average number of animals, round up a herd of 500 at the end of the fourth year, provided there are no slips, no deaths, no runts.

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LUBBOCK

TEXAS

SANTA CLAUS HEADQUARTERS



We are headquarters for Santa Claus. He has left with us a large assortment of dolls; big dolls, little dolls, sleeping dolls, waking doll; breakable and non-breakable dolls, aeroplanes, automobiles and other toys for the boys. Smoking sets, shaving sets, hats and brushes for men and for the ladies we have daisy caps and scarfs, work boxes and silver ware and other beautiful presents galore. In fact you will find things from ceiling to floor that will be appropriate for young and old. Make this a pleasant Yuletide.

Make our store your headquarters.



Brownfield Merc. Company

Brownfield

Texas

Pleased With Terry Exhibit

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 6, 1912.
Secretary, Terry County Fair Ass'n.

Brownfield, Texas.

Dear Sir:

On visiting the State Fair, which met here in October, I was impressed with the exhibits that your Fair Association had on for Terry county and intended writing in regard to it at once. If you will pardon this delayed letter, I still ask the privilege of congratulating your Association on the showing that Terry County products made.

It will not be an injustice to your county for me to say, that the prevailing opinion has al been that your country was good for little else than cattle or sheep range. No one who saw the products that you had on exhibit here at the Fair can no longer be of that belief. Herein lies the advantage of an exhibit of an exhibit of that kind; the prospective settler does not have to take any one's word, but can see for himself exactly what the county is producing.

Besides the beautiful showing made by farm products and fruits, that you had on exhibit, the fact that you won first prize on kaffr and maize and also won prizes on apples and watermelons, would convince the most skeptical of the possibilities afforded by your county in the raising of fruit and forage crops.

With the distance of 25 to 40 miles to the railroad and the progress that your people are making, would prove that your county possesses the natural advantages in the way of soil and climate, and that you have progressive people, but that the only thing that is holding you from making the greatest possible progress is the lack of

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Remember the date; the 5th Sunday at 3 p. m. at the Baptist church house. Those who cannot attend can send in their donation. None are limited to a nickle, but all are requested to contribute as much as a nickle. All are cordially invited to attend.

B. F. Dixon, Pastor

Shorty Turner handed us a dollar on subscription last week.

Sheriff's Sale; Real Estate.

Whereas by virtue of an execution an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Terry County, Texas, on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1912, by the Clerk thereof, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 29th day of October, A. D. 1912, in favor of Caroline A. Bailey, Executrix of the Estate of Willis Malley, deceased, against J. R. Lanier and A. C. Britton, jointly and severally, for the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Forty-eight and 38-100 (2548.38) Dollars, with interest thereon from date of judgment at the rate of eight per cent per annum, and costs of court, and against J. R. Lanier, N. S. Lanier and A. C. Britton for foreclosure of Plaintiff's vendor's lien on the hereinafter described property as the same existed on the 1st day of July, A. D. 1908, No. 185 on the Docket of said Court, to me as Sheriff directed and delivered, I did on the 2nd day of December A. D. 1912, at 4 o'clock p. m. levy upon and seize the following described property, to-wit:

All of Survey Number One Hundred and Three (103) in Block "4X", patented to Jno. T. McLaughlin, Assignee, containing 640 acres of land situated in Terry County, Texas.
And on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1913, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the Court House door of said County in the town of Brownfield, I will offer

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for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title and interest of the said J. R. Lanier, N. S. Lanier and A. C. Britton in and to said above described property to satisfy the above described judgment and costs of court. Witness my hand this 2nd day Dec. 1912.
Geo. E. Tiernan
Sheriff, Terry County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale; Real Estate

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Terry County Texas, on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1912, on a judgment therein rendered on the 29th day of October, A. D. 1912 in favor of J. W. Ward against G. E. Lockhart, J. R. Lanier and G. W. Taylor for sum of \$350.00 with interest thereon from Oct. 29th, 1912, at ten percent per annum; and in favor of C. F. Morris against G. E. Lockhart, J. R. Lanier and G. W. Taylor for the sum of \$843.00 with interest thereon from Oct. 29th, 1912, at ten percent per annum and

costs of suit:
I, Geo. E. Tiernan, Sheriff of Terry County Texas, did on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1912, levy on the following described real estate, situated in Terry county, Texas, levied upon as the property of the defendants, to-wit:
The Southeast one fourth (S. E. 1-4) of Survey No. Ninety-five (95) in Block D-11, Certificate No. 261 issued to the C. & M. Ry Co
And on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1913, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at the Court House door in the town of Brownfield, Terry County, Texas, I will offer said property for sale for cash to the highest bidder, applying the proceeds of sale after the payment of costs, first to the payment of the judgment in favor of J. W. Ward, applying the balance remaining, if any, to the payment of the judgment in favor of the said C. F. Morris.
Witness my hand this 3rd day of Dec., A. D. 1912.
Geo. E. Tiernan
Sheriff, Terry County, Texas.

GOMEZ DOTS

Dec. 18th.

The gin run until midnight on last Saturday night ginning cotton that was brought in from New Mexico, and on Monday Mr. Winn brought in a load of seed cotton; also several bales were on the streets here on their way to the railroad.

Mesdames. J. M. and W. B. Hays were in trading on Monday.

Mr. Stapp, who carried cotton to the railroad got in Monday; also Sherman and Alvin Pruitt came in with freight and on Sunday Messrs. Yeates, Dee Hunter and Hill passed through on their way to Yoakum with big loads of freight.

Jim Key left last Saturday for Lubbock. Like all the rest of these Terry farmers his wagon carried more to market than it will bring back.

Mr. Merlin Adams was here Sunday and Mr. Lynn Adams on Monday, getting piping to put in a dipping vat for cattle down on their ranch

Messrs. Nichols and Fulton, who made a trip to N. M., last week, came in home Sunday.

Mr. Watkins of Plains, was here after feed Monday. He bought a load of kaffir heads from Jim Moore.

Mr. Finn, of New Mexico, stopped at the Hotel this week on his way home from Tahoka, where he had been to deliver a bunch of calves.

Mr. Robinson and son, from near Tahoka, were at the Hotel last Saturday night.

Mr. Eb Ivey and wife were here Sunday.

Mr. Ben Hurst and wife, also Mr. Bob Snodgrass and family, visited at Mr. Glovers on last Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. Hicks preached at the school house on last Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m.

Mr. Simms and wife came in from the farm near Harris last week and spent several days at their home here. Mr. Simms informed us that he isn't thro' making syrup yet.

Messrs. Emmett and Roy Green came in from Altus, Oklahoma last week, where they have been picking cotton all fall. A young man from there accompanied them home but we did not learn his name.

Married at Plains last week: Mr. Hillyard Blanton and Miss Clemmie Chisolm. Miss Clemmie's father is a successful farmer of west Terry, and Mr. Blanton is a nephew of Mr. D. Y. Blanton also of west Terry. Immediately after their marriage they left for Santa Anna, Texas. Their many friends here wish them a long and happy life.

Mr. Brannon was hauling a load of feed last Wednesday and in passing under a phone wire, the wire caught on the load and the noise it made frightened the horses causing them to turn the wagon over, both Mr. Brannon and Jim Moore were on the wagon, but Jim escaped unhurt, but Mr. Brannon had a rib broken. He is up now and we hope he will soon be well.

Little Lora Brannon got his arm broken near the wrist last Thursday in a play at school.

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Mr. Early Key and wife were in trading on last Saturday.

Mr. S. B. Johnson and son, Wood, were in trading last Saturday, and judging from the amount of money Mr. Wood spent at the counter of Xmas goods here, somebody is sure going to get some nice Xmas presents.

Mr. Chris Timms was in town Sunday.

Mr. Lee Johason left Monday for Gatesville, his old home, where he goes to spend Xmas with relatives and friends.

Singing at the Baptist church last Sunday night. There was good attendance and real good singing.

Both Sunday Schools here appointed a committee last Sunday to make arrangements for the Xmas tree next week.

Christmas comes just one week in every year, and we all know for 51 weeks ahead of time just exactly when it comes; yet when it does come, so many are not ready for it, and we try to crowd three months into the last 10 days time before it gets here. Much of the work isn't well done and some not done at all; then we mentally declare "next year I will begin in time and be ready for Xmas," but we don't, another year glides by and we are no better prepared than before. Life is passing just as swiftly and we all know that death and the life beyond is at its close; are we preparing to meet it? Will we be ready to go when the eyes dim and death's icy hands stops our breath? We can't crowd a life time of good deeds and thoughts into a dying hour, any more than we can a years work into a few days before Xmas, and then there won't be another life here to live it over again. The kind deeds left undone; the pleasant words unspoken, they duty neglected, are the "buried talents" for which we will have to give an account in that final reckoning over yonder. Our Savior told us that to whom "much is given much is required." Are we doing our daily duties the best we can? Are we trying to make this world brighter and better; by our lives and our influences? Many who were with us last Xmas have finished their life's journey and whether they were ready or not, death called them to eternity. We all know we have to go, and we know not when. Oh don't say time enough yet, but in the coming time left us here; let us so live that when death comes there will be no vain regrets, no hasty prayers for pardon in a dying hour for a mis-spent life; but that in the consciousness of a having done the best we could, we may with a smile welcome death as a sweet rest after life's toils are over.

Wishing one and all a Merry Xmas and a happy New Year; I bid goodbye.

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Sheriff's Sale; Real Estate.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Terry County, Texas, on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1912, on a certain judgement rendered in said court on the 29th day of October, A. D. 1912, in favor of Henry Schafer against Garrett H. Block for the sum of \$5267.50 with interest from Oct 29th 1912 at 7 per cent per annum, and costs of suit, I, Geo. E. Tiernan, Sheriff of Terry County, Texas, did levy upon the following described real estate, as the property of the defendant, to-wit:

Situated in the County of Terry and State of Texas, to-wit;

That tract of land known as Survey No Thirty Five (35) in Block D-14, located by virtue of Certificate Number Two Hundred thirty one (231) issued to the C. & M. Ry Co. and patented to Thomas G. Bowen by patent No. Seventy Three (73) Volume fifty five (55) dated February 19, 1880 and containing 640 acres.

Also a tract of land situated in Terry County, State of Texas, being Survey No. Twenty Seven (27) in Block D-14, located by virtue of Certificate No. Two Hundred twenty seven (227) issued to the C. & M. Ry. Co. patented to Thomas G. Bowen by patent No. eighty five (85) volume fifty five (55) dated Feb'y 19th, 1880, containing 640 acres of land.

And on the first Tuesday in January, A. D. 1913, the same being the 7th day of said month, I will, at the court house door of Terry County, Texas, in the town of Brownfield, Texas, offer for sale all the right, title and interest of the said Garrett H. Block in and to said property, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. to the highest bidder, for cash, applying the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said judgement.

Witness my hand this Dec. 3rd, A. D. 1912.

Geo. E. Tiernan
Sheriff, Terry Co., Tex.

Sheriff's Sale; Real Estate.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Dawson County, Texas, on a judgement rendered therein on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1912, in favor of J. H. Cathey and against W. H. Stafford and W. S. Davis foreclosing vendors lien on the following described property and against the defendant W. H. Stafford for the sum of Four Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty One and no/100 (\$4831.00) Dollars, with interest thereon from Oct. 1st 1912 at eight per cent per annum and costs of suit.

I, Geo. E. Tiernan, did on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1912 levy on the following described real estate, situated in Terry County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Survey Number Thirty-four (34) in Block O, certificate Number Eighty (80) H. & O. B. Ry. Co., containing 340 acres of land.

And on the first Tuesday in January, A. D. 1913, the same being the 7th day of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at the Court House door in the town of Brownfield, Terry County, Texas, I will offer said property at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, applying the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said judgement.

Witness my hand this Dec. 3rd, A. D. 1912.
Geo. E. Tiernan
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