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NEW FALL GOODS

We pride ourselves on having purchased, and now have in stock the most complete stock of Dry Goods in the county and want you to inspect them and get our prices. Glad to show you their superiority. Biggest line of shoes in Terry, and they are Star Brand too. Of course we can supply your wants with Groceries, Pure and Fresh.

MAY & WRIGHT

Phone 14

Brownfield, Texas

Odd Fellows Supper

For some time the Odd Fellows have been talking a big oyster supper, but inasmuch as oysters are hard to get at Christmas times, and to hire them cooked is both expensive and troublesome, it was decided at the hall last Friday night to have a regular "old fashion chicken supper." Every Odd Fellow belonging to the Brownfield Lodge is expected to bring one or more chickens, cooked any way their cooks prefer, together with bread or biscuits. Single members can throw in on pickles and coffee.

Those invited are the Brownfield Odd Fellows and families, Gomez Odd Fellows and Brownfield Rebekahs. While the Bros. would like to entertain the whole county, that would be out of the question, and those coming other than the ones invited, will not be welcome, unless of course it be some visiting Odd Fellow or Rebekah, who are always welcome. Homes will be open for all those attending from a distance.

An appropriate program will be rendered just before supper.

PROGRAM

Music.
Opening Address; Percy Spencer.
Resitation; Jennie Lee Almon.
Practical Odd Fellowship; E. L. Duke.
Music.

Why Should All Attend the Lodge Meetings Regularly, Especially Past Grands; B. F. Dixon.
Supper.

Three Sqaers Per Diem.

Weinert, Texas, 12-1, 1913.
Dear Jack:—Change the Herald to this place; will pay up before long. We have a splendid charge and are well pleased with it.

It has rained almost ever since we have been here.

Kind regards to all my Terry county friends. We are all well and able to put our feet under the table three times daily.

Yours Truly
V. H. Trammell.

We wish there were more Bro. Trammells in the world, not because he takes the Herald, but because he is enough of a Christian gentleman not to get sore about little pickeyunis things and call down fire and brimstone on the whole community. We are glad they have a good place.

Postponed.

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 6. On account of the serious illness of Col. Henry Exall, President of the Texas Industrial Congress, the annual convention of the Congress which was to have been held in Dallas Dec. 13, has been postponed until February, when it will be held at Dallas in connection with the sixth annual exhibit of the National Corn Show.

Mr. Wilson and Mexico

If the Wilson Administration should solve the Mexican situation satisfactorily without bloodshed, it will deserve and receive the commendation of every enlightened citizen of the civilized world.—Rogers News.

To solve it that way is the task to which the Wilson Administration has set its mind and heart. To have marched into Mexico and shamed the thunders of heavens with the crash of cannonades would have been an extremely easy thing for American armies to do. To have wakened the echos with martial music, to have awed the non-combatants with the pomp and circumstances of military display, would have been much to the liking of some shallow jingoes. To have shot to death ten thousand ragged men, armed and defending to the best of their ability their flag and country, would have been to some minds a glorious achievement of American soldiery. To have lost in the conquest of a harried neighbor Nation a few thousand of brave and adventurous American lads would have been accounted by some a trifling price to pay for so called deathless glory. All in all, to have overrun Mexico with our armies and brandished the sword of authority in the faces of a weaker people might have required less labor and less

worry from President Wilson than have been required by his preferred method. But he chose the better if less dramatic way, and not only his own generation, but generations to come, may call him blessed. War and whiskey are two remaining barbarisms which we bequeath to our posterity, and which our posterity, granting continuous progress, will in time destroy.—State Press.

Officers Elected

The local lodge, I. O. O. F. held their semi-annual election last Friday night which resulted as follows:

Noble Grand, A. J. Stricklin; Vice Grand, J. V. Drinkard; Financial and Recording Secretary, J. F. Winston; Treasurer, E. L. Duke; Trustees, J. F. Winston, E. L. Duke and W. J. A. Parker; Representative to Grand Lodge, H. T. Brooks; Alternate, E. L. Duke.

Rebekah Election

The Brownfield Rebekah lodge held its semi-annual election the last regular meeting night that resulted as follows:

Noble Grand, Miss Nettie Sawyer; Vice Grand, Mrs. J. F. Winston; Secretary, Miss Ethel Treadaway; Treasurer, Mrs. J. V. Drinkard; Representative to Grand Lodge, Mrs. R. H. Banowsky; Alternate, Mrs. Claud Criswell.

Fair Directors Meet.

Just a few of the Fair Directors met with Pres. J. C. Lewis last Saturday afternoon in Judge Neill's office, but what were on hand made up in enthusiasm. What to do with the money Uncle Bill Howard got as premiums at the Dallas Fair was discussed, but as that gentleman was in Haskell county, attending the bedside of a dying brother, that business was carried over.

A committee consisting of R. H. Banowsky, Will Alf Bell, Wm. Howard, W. H. Gist and W. D. Winn, were appointed to look into the matter of securing grounds and raising money to erect permanent building for the future home of the Terry County Fair.

It is to be hoped this committee will leave no stones unturned to accomplish this object, as everybody now think the Fair old enough to make it a permanent fixture indeed, and most everybody is agreed that it ought to be held at the county seat annually.

Among those attending County Court were Attys. Lockhart and Cain of Tahoka, A. M. McBurnett, Jim Lewis, W. E. Cherry, S. H. Key, G. J. Rose, Harry Timms, J. E. Woodard, Taylor, Stafford Day, Joe Fisher, Lee Walker, J. W. Gordon, and O. F. Boyd.

SUMMER, AUTUMN, WINTER OR SPRING

We keep Coal and have a Plains-wide reputation of keeping the best Fuel to be had, and we aim to hold this 'Rep.' Cake and Meal, Stock Salt, Hay, Wire, Post etc. Always ahead; try our Wagon Yard.

Lubbock Grain & Coal Company

The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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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.

Big, crowds in town every day, an indication that our merchants are treating their customers right, and the customers are recognizing Brownfield as a trade center.

None but non-progressive merchants pretend to argue that advertising doesn't pay, and no newspaper wants their business anyway as they would have trouble in a settlement.

A. Montgomery Ward, the multi-millionaire mail order merchant, died in Chicago last Sunday, age 72 years. He came west at the age of 8 years a poor boy, but died leaving an estate valued at \$15,000,000. He got his by advertising his goods.

The big Crawford Dry Goods Co., of Abilene, hold the record for West Texas on advertising, so far as we know, when they recently inserted nine pages in the Abilene Reporter. This big outfit ships goods to Brownfield, 230 miles away, often. They were recently approached by a Plainview concern that carried eight pages in a local paper. Still some little "bitty" fellows claim that advertising doesn't pay.

A staff correspondent of some of the big dailies is now in Mexico, writing his general opinion of that God forsaken country. It is his candid opinion that about nine-tenths of the people are as incapacitated for self government as the Philipinos were in 1898, when the American protectorate was formed. From this distance it would seem that he is almost wholly right in his conclusions, but the big majority of thinking Americans are averse to assuming such a protectorate in Mexico in order to prepare them for self government if that protectorate be at the cost of the life of precious American boys.

A Sample Texas Hog.

D. R. Carter brought in a hog this week that tipped the beam at exactly 570 pounds. He sold it to J. R. Hill for 7 cents a pound gross, making it bring the neat sum of \$39.90. J. R. will pork it the next norther. Still some farmers don't even raise their own meat.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Judge Neill clipped the above from the Fort Worth Record and thought it should have been credited to the Herald and a Terry county farmer. Will say in justice to the Avalanche that it cop-

INDUSTRIAL ENTERTAINMENT.

The Largest Models of Agricultural Implements and Machinery on Exhibition at the Texas Cotton Palace.

The sun never sets on the dominion of King Cotton and he rules supreme over the most fertile, most profitable and most desirable portion of the globe.

Cotton has recast the occupation, remodeled the wardrobe and brought into life more industries than any other product the world has ever known. Since the brilliant genius of Eli Whitney gave us the cotton gin, mammoth manufacturing plants have been constructed to make gins, compresses, cotton mills, cotton oil mills, plows, cultivators, wagons, harness, railroad equipment, steamships, and all machinery needed in cultivating, manufacturing, transporting and marketing the crop.

King Cotton will sit on his throne at the Waco Cotton Palace November 1st to 16th and review a grand display of the latest improved models of agricultural implements and machinery that the world possesses.

King Cotton spends annually in the markets of the world one and one-quarter billion dollars for machinery and equipment to cultivate and harvest the crop. The king purchases annually two million agricultural implements; one thousand gins; compresses and mills, and spends millions of dollars in transportation equipment. This Monarch of Agriculture will inspect the exhibits in the Mechanical and Implement Department and manufacturers from all over the globe will exhibit the best products inventive genius and that mechanical skill of the age can devise, all seeking the good opinion of the king.

These exhibits will address the throne in tongues of iron and steel, and in language mute and powerful, tell an eloquent story of their efficacy, utility, strength and economy.

It is a liberal education in mechanical science and a course of instruction in business to hear these masters of mechanics converse with the king and demonstrate how time and labor will be saved to the cotton fields of the South by giving them an opportunity to become royal servants. It will be one of the most interesting and engaging industrial entertainments that will be staged in Texas during the year and no one should miss it. The farmers will be especially benefited by visiting the palace and inspecting the subjects and servants of the king

and other locals from the Herald, giving full credit, which the Record overlooked. Besides, the pig has now been converted into good old hog-lard, sausage, chittlings, hog and hominy.

The editor and family got hungry Sunday and called on Mr. and Mrs. Hargett, the progressive suburban farmers. Well, they had just killed a hog, but we are sure they will have to kill another right away.

COATS! COATS! COATS!

Just received at the Mercantile another shipment of Ladies and Misses' coats; this time about fifty. These are of the very latest styles and fashions and were purchased at astonishingly low figures. If you buy a coat from us, you get the benefit. Let us have your order. Sizes complete.

\$30.00 coats	\$22.50
25.00 "	18.00
20.00 "	15.00
15.00 "	12.00
12.50 "	9.00
10.00 "	7.50

Cut prices on all ladies one piece Silk and Serge dresses, also on Coat Suits.

35.00 and 37.50 suits	\$30.00
30.00 "	22.50
25.00 "	18.00
20.00 "	15.00
15.00 and 18.00 dresses	12.50
12.50 "	9.00
10.00 "	7.50

We are showing some special values in our boys clothing department. Rough and ready Scotch Cheviot. Suits especially adapted to winter wear because of their weight and to school wear because of their strength. NOW \$5.00

At our knit goods counter. Ladies Sweaters.

7.00 values	5.00
6.50 "	4.50
5.00 "	4.00
4.00 "	3.25
3.00 "	2.50

We pay Parcel Post charges and send goods subject to approval

LUBBOCK MERCANTILE Co.

THE HOUSE OF QUALITY

Doings in Court

County Court met Monday with County Judge Geo. W. Neill, County Clerk D. J. Broughton and Sheriff Geo. E. Tiernan all present, and adjourned Wednesday night.

The case of J. V. Newsom vs. M. B. Sawyer was continued as plaintiff did not appear.

The case of Lee Walker et al vs. Joe Fisher was tried before a jury, which rendered a verdict for plaintiffs for the sum of \$227.14.

There being no further business, court was adjourned

NEAR DEATH BY SMOTHERING

But Husband, With Aid of Cardui, Effects Her Deliverance.

Draper, N. C.—Mrs. Helen Dalton, of this place, says: "I suffered for years, with pains in my left side, and would often almost smother to death.

Medicines patched me up for awhile but then I would get worse again. Finally, my husband decided he wanted me to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, so he bought me a bottle and I began using it. It did me more good than all the medicines I had taken.

I have induced many of my friends to try Cardui, and they all say they have been benefited by its use. There never has been, and never will be, a medicine to compare with Cardui. I believe it is a good medicine for all womanly troubles."

For over 50 years, Cardui has been relieving woman's sufferings and building weak women up to health and strength.

If you are a woman, give it a fair trial. It should surely help you, as it has a million others.

Get a bottle of Cardui to-day.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 84-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N. C. 126

NOTICE!

Biggest Free Offer Ever Made to Customers
HERE I AM A-WAITING with Dry Goods, Groceries, Notions, Racket Goods and Silverware. With every \$1 purchase a piece of this silverware; entire set free with \$25 purchase; save coupons. Servicable and attractive; think what you get by trading at our store. We charge no more for goods than if we were not making this extraordinary offer. Cash only
CARTER BROS., N. D. Goree, Mgr. Tahoka, Tex.

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.

Preaching each 1st and 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 7 p. m. Sunday School at 11 a. m. each Sunday; Jim Burnett, Supt.

B. F. Dixon, Pastor

Are You a Woman?

Take Cardui

The Woman's Tonic

FOR SALE AT ALL DRUGGISTS

Brownfield Lodge No 530 I. O. O. F.
 Claud Oriswell, N. G.
 W. G. Hardin, 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. Alpha Johnston, N. G.
 Miss Annie Hamilton, Sec.

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

Claud Criswell, representing the Federal Government and Mr. Roy, representing the State Government, are superintending the dipping at the Brownfield ranch.

Lee Almon is firing the boiler at the Brownfield Sawyer dipping vat.

Many people with sour stomach find relief in Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets. Try them yourself. [Advertisement.]

J. W. Gordon was here Wednesday.

R. R. Lewis and family moved into the Mallard house, Wednesday.

Children like Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets because they taste like candy. Try them next time. [Advertisement.]

If you want a good daily cheap, you had better see the editor about getting the Star-Telegram for only \$3.25 before Dec. 15th, as it will be \$6.00 per year after that date.

Don't wait for a headache to go away. Use Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and save suffering. [Advertisement.]

Jake Beal, a progressive young farmer of the Meadow settlement, was here this week and subscribed for the Herald.

O. F. Boyd of Meadow, was here this week attending court, and renewed his subscription to the Herald.

There was more doing in County Court this week than for a long while.

Eb Ivey stopped here Tuesday night on his way to Tahoka.

The pains of neuritis seldom fail to yield to Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. Ask for them yourself. [Advertisement.]

Atty. McCain, of Tahoka acted as special judge in a county court case this week in which Judge Neill was disqualified.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, who live on the old J. W. Black place, a girl, on the 6th.

GLASS. A good stock always on hand; can cut it to fit. Brownfield Hardware Co.

Henry Pulliam and family moved into the Cardwell farm residence Wednesday, where he will make a crop.

Xmas Seals are going fast. Get yours!

Miss Clemmie Adams came in Tuesday from Brownwood, where she has been attending school. Her eyes got in such a condition she could no longer continue her studies.

For Sale—Set of new 2 3/4 in. wagon skeins and boxes. Will sell them cheap. W. H. Harris, Harris, Texas.

Through the courtesy of Ed. Crie, of the Tahoka News, we received King & Sons Storage ad, to be found in the Herald. Thanks, Bro. Crie.

FOR the benefit of those living at Gomez, they will find Red Cross Christmas Seals on sale at A. P. Moore's store.

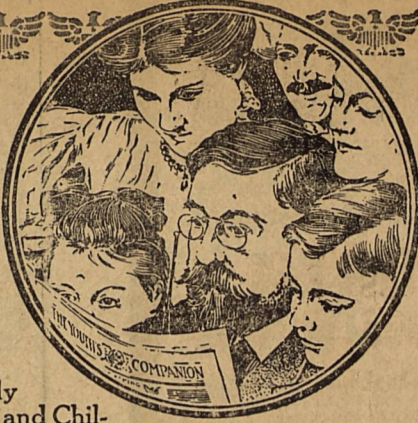
A number of people have been going out to the Brownfield-Sawyer dipping vat this week to witness the cattle dipping process, for the first time in their life.

FLUES, piping, casing, pokers, shovels scuttles and the best of stoves, at the Brownfield Hdw.

Dr. H. T. Day and daughter, Miss Goldie, were in Monday, shopping.

DONT forget that the Brownfield Hdw. Co. carry the famous Sherwin-Williams paint and Winchester and U.M.C. amunition.

Do you know The Youth's Companion as it is to-day?



Improved and broadened in its scope. Enlarged by the addition of a Special Family Page, Boys' Page, Girls' Page and Chil-

FREE TO JAN. 1914
Cut this out and send it with \$2.00 for The Companion for 1914, and we will send FREE all the issues for the remaining weeks of 1913 and The Youth's Companion Practical Home Calendar for 1914.
THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, BOSTON, MASS.

dren's Page. Great serial stories, 250 short stories. A remarkable Editorial Page. Current Events and Science. A wealth of variety and quality, and all of it the best.

Illustrated Announcement for 1914 free on request.

Remember — 52 Times a Year, Not 12

Great Family Combination Offer

We do not know of any Family Weekly that we can more heartily recommend to our readers than The Youth's Companion. It gives us pleasure, therefore, to announce that we have arranged with the publishers to make the following offer.

THE HERALD \$1
YOUTH'S COMPANION \$2
Both Papers Together For one year \$2.50

TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE ABOVE SEND SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THIS OFFICE

RED CROSS Xmas seals for sale at the Herald office.

J. T. May had a letter recently from his son Tom May's wife, saying Tom was severely kicked over the eye by a mule, and they had to carry him thirty miles to a doctor, but he was much better at that writing. They live out about Buckhannan, N. M.

For Sale:—3 sows with pigs, three weeks old and 12 shoats Enquire of W. H. Harris, Harris, Texas.

Son Hughes came in Saturday from McCullough county, where he went to live with an uncle, early in the fall. Son says all can live in that country where "everybody is for themselves and the devil take the whole bunch" if they want to, but he don't have to. Son was raised in West Texas and East Texas don't look good to him, especially in time of floods.

McADAMS at Takoka, sell the "Old Reliable" McCommick Harvester and extras.

Rev. J. B. McReynolds, the new Methodist pastor, came in last week and filled his appointment at Gomez, Sunday. He has the appearance of being a gentleman in every sense of the word and we believe he and our people are going to get along splendidly. Come out and hear his initial sermon Sunday and Sunday night.

NOTICE. I am representing the Panhandle Steam Laundry of Amarillo, and will get laundry in at least once a week. I solicit your patronage. Fred Scudday at City Barber Shop.

We received a nice order from A. P. Moore, the hustling groceryman of Gomez, for stationery this week. Since we have had charge of the Herald, this gentleman has given us all of his stationery work, or any other business for the printer, all of which we appreciate beyond measure. A. P. Moore practices what he preaches. He advises people to trade at home and follows suit. Long may prosperity and happiness come his way.

Esteem That Is Lasting.
"There is no occasion to regard with continual dislike one who had formerly a mean opinion of your merits; for you are never so sure of permanent esteem as from the man who once esteemed you lightly, and has corrected his mistake—if it be a mistake."—Sir Arthur Helios.



**Brownfield
Lodge No. 903
A. F. & A. M.**

Meets Saturday night before the full moon in each month in the Masonic Hall

Will Adams, W. M.
J. F. Winston, Secretary

COTTON MILLS USE LESS THAN ONE PER CENT OF PRODUCTION

Fifteen Hundred More Cotton Mills Needed.

Cotton Mill and Farmer Inseparable Comrades.

There is no industry more important to our progress than that of the cotton mills and none more in need of the patronage of our merchants and of the friendship of the people. Texas is on the frontier of the factory zone and the cotton mill is now a pioneer industry. It can thrive only where business conditions are reliable, a public sentiment stable, and the consuming public friendly to its output. The product is a staple one and when it enters the market must meet the competition of the eastern and southern mills where there is an abundance of waste labor, cheap fuel, cheap money, and where conditions are more settled.

We have fifteen cotton mills in Texas representing an investment of \$2,229,000, running 112,404 spindles and having a capacity of 40,000 bales, a yearly output valued at approximately \$2,250,000 and giving employment to 1,000 people.

Our cotton mills use less than one per cent of our cotton production; the remaining ninety-nine per cent seeks the foreign factory. The people of Texas consume approximately 220,000 bales of cotton per annum and yet out of the 40,000 bales manufactured in Texas, at least seventy per cent of it must find a market outside of the State, due to our failure to patronize home industry. It would require 1,500 cotton mills of the capacity of our present factories to consume the product of our farms, call for an investment of \$250,000,000, give employment to 150,000 people and add approximately a quarter of a billion dollars in value to our cotton crop.

These desirable conditions can only be obtained through co-operation and by fostering and encouraging this important industry.

The cotton mill and the cotton farm are inseparable comrades and in promoting the prosperity of the former we build up the latter.

A. P. MOORE

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Gomez

Texas

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Lubbock

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Spotless beds and good, well cooked food is the motto of this hotel

We Solicit Your Patronage

Primrose.

Dear Editor—According to promise, here I come again. Our first stop after leaving Lubbock was Fort Worth, where we had the pleasure of attending the Fat Stock Show from the 27th to 29th, and saw many things of interest. The grand parade was two miles long, headed by a band and Gov. Colquitt. Next came a squad of soldiers, then fifty policemen, the two hindmost, the tallest and smallest on the force. The tallest was seven feet one inch and the short one 4 feet and five inches in height; quite a contrast. Next came two large swans, a deer, the mode of travel in 1857—which was a long horn ox hitched to a two wheeled cart; and the way we travel in 1913, which was a late model touring car. Then came some cowboys trying to imitate West Texas. Oh! but it was comical; they had on chaps and old fashion galluses, and rode like that was the first time they had ever mounted a horse. Next came two clowns, one riding a burro and the other a motorcycle. I can't write all I saw in the parade, but we visited the stock pens and horse barns, and saw a bunch of bacon sprouts that weighed 400 pounds each. We saw a couple of mules two years old, nineteen hands high, raised in Oklahoma. We are now at Rhone, Wise county. This is a wheat farming country. I never saw but one cotton field after leaving Ft. Worth to this place. They have a few cattle in this country, but not near enough to eat the grass, nor graze the wheat fields. The farmers will let anyone who has stock graze the wheat fields free. As the wheat is getting so rank, they fear it will ruin if it don't turn cold soon to give it a set back. Everything is green here like summer time; all kinds of vegetables in the gardens yet and flowers blooming in the yards. But my! how it rains. The creeks and rivers are on a rampage. The trains are behind time every day, on account of washouts. We will leave this place for Greenville, Hunt county, next week IF it quits raining.

Cricket.

Harris Happenings.

Well, Mr. Editor, we have been having a "hog killin'" time at our house and that means work, making sausage and cooking up the fat. We have been so busy we have neglected to gather news but will try to remember a few happenings tonight, Monday.

Mrs. J. M. McMillan spent Thursday and Friday night with Mrs. H. F. Wingo.

W. H. Harris and family have killed seven hogs and will kill several more. There certainly is lots of spare bone and sausage out our way now.

Mrs. W. H. Harris spent last Friday night with Mrs. H. F. Wingo.

H. L. Hooker and family visited Mr. Merrit and family, Sunday.

B. C. Christenson and family spent Saturday with B. Clare and family.

Messrs. I. H. Hudson and small son, Will Satterwhite and Frank Davis took dinner with B. Clare and wife, Sunday.

A cow outfit from the Mallet

ranch passed through Sunday on their way home. They had taken a herd down near Midland to pasture.

West Wind, The Herald isn't the only paper but it should be THE paper for all Terry county people.

Mrs. J. M. McMillan visited at Mr. Harris', Sunday.

Jim Wright started to Tahoka Saturday, to meet El and Miss Emma Spear.

Sand Bur.

How About Santa Claus This Year?

Christmas comes but once a year, but by handing only \$1.75 to the publisher of the Herald, you get 156 papers a year, or three a week. That is some reading, ain't it. Good, instructive reading, too. Try the combination; you'll like it. It is this: The Herald \$1 a year; the Semi Weekly Farm News \$1 a year. The two are well worth \$2, but you get both for \$1.75 a year. Do it now.

Woodman Election

The local W. O. W. Lodge held their semi-annual election last Saturday night which resulted as follows:

M. D. Williams, C. C.; C. M. Boon, Advt, Lieu.; J. F. Winston, Clerk; A. C. Beard, Banker; S. C. Walker, Escort; Claud Criswell, Sentry; W. C. Smith, Watchman; T. L. Treadaway, Physician; J. T. May, Geo. W. Neill and R. H. Banowsky, Managers.

WHEAT ON DRY FARM

Bluestem and Fife Varieties of Hard Spring Unsafe.

Durum, Introduced From Southeastern Russia Where Rainfall is Light, Adapted to Climate of Western Plains Area.

In a large part of the dry farming territory the bluestem and fife varieties of hard spring wheats are very unsafe crops. Where bread wheats can be grown, the Red Fife, selected strains known as Johnson's Fife Golden Fife, etc., are good yielders and the berry is usually plump and hard. The millers, however, have placed these varieties in a market class designated as velvet chaff, and the price is a few cents lower per bushel than the bluestem varieties bring. These latter include both bearded and bald types, writes Man

ley Champlin in the Farmer and Breeder. The variety known as pedigreed bluestem has given good results at the Highmore Substation as reported in Bulletin 115 of the South Dakota Experiment station. This station is situated near the eastern border of the dry farming belt.

Very little winter wheat is grown at present, but its early ripening and good quality and yield of grain are interesting many of the progressive farmers who have obtained some very good results. The Minnesota station advises its use only sparingly. Five acres is considered enough to start with. If it proves to be well suited to your conditions the acreage can be increased. There is danger of winter killing, and too much dependence should not be placed on this crop. Turkey Red and Kharkov are the commercial varieties grown.

Where bread wheat is grown with difficulty, Nature comes to the rescue with the hard macaroni or durum wheats. Until very recently there was difficulty in marketing this class of wheat and even today the price is 10 to 20 per cent lower than for hard spring wheats of the bread varieties. This fact is probably due to the American love of white bread. The durum wheat flour makes a palatable, nutritious bread, but the yellow color has been inveighed against by fastidious custom. Bulletin No. 3 of the bureau of plant industry gives an interesting history of the trials the durum wheat grower has had to overcome, as well as advice as to how to plant, etc. These wheats were introduced from southeastern Russia, where the rainfall is light and the changes of temperature severe. They are, therefore, adapted to the climate of the western plains area.

In describing the characteristics of macaroni or durum wheat Mr. M. A. Carlton says in the above mentioned bulletin: "The wheats of this group grow rather tall and have stems that are either pithy within or hollow. . . . The leaves are usually broad and smooth, but have a peculiar whitish green color and possess an extremely harsh cuticle. The heads are comparatively slender in most varieties, compactly formed, occasionally very short, and are always bearded with the longest beards known to wheat." The peculiar ability of the durum wheats to resist drought and severe changes of temperature as well as their early ripening qualities and high yielding capacity make them especially fitted for the needs of the dry farmer. Here is a money crop of which he is practically sure. The yields vary from 10 to 35 bushels per acre. The Kubanka and Arnautka varieties have given the best results in this section.

Emmer is widely grown as a substitute feed grain where oats are an uncertain crop. It has not the feeding value of oats, but when ground makes a fairly good feed for any farm stock. The chaff clings to the grain when threshed, thus giving the crop great bulk. There is not an established market and farmers rarely grow more than enough for their own feed. The yields vary from 20 to 90 bushels, 30 being considered a fair yield. Emmer is commonly called speltz.

Woods for Butter Working. Maple and ash are the best woods for a butter worker, and they should be seasoned for at least a year if they are not artificially kiln dried. But it is cheaper and less trouble and just as satisfactory to buy a table butter worker from a dairy supply house.

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County Treasurer's Report

We the undersigned constituting the entire Commissioners Court of Terry County, Texas, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 10th day of November, A. D. 1913, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of H. T. Brooks, Treasurer of Terry County, Texas, for term beginning on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1913, and ending on the 31st day of October, A. D. 1913, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioner's Court, approving the same as follows, to-wit:

JURY FUND

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's Report on the 31st day Oct. 1913, (overdrawn)	121.79	
To amount received since said date		500.00
By amount disbursed since said date	125.56	
By amount to balance	252.65	
Total	500.00	500.00

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 31st day of Oct. 1913, (overdrawn)	423.16 1-2	
To amount received since said date		1500.00
By amount disbursed since said date	1015.57	
By amount to balance	61.27	
Total	1500.00	1500.00

GENERAL FUND

Balance on hand as shown by Treasurer's report on the 31st day of October, 1913.		4142.10
To amount received since said date		44.77
By amount disbursed since said date	3150.77	
By amount to balance	1036.10	
Total	4186.87	4186.87

Witness our hands, officially, this 10th day of November, A. D. 1913.

Geo. W. Neill
County Judge
E. L. Duke
Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
R. E. Burnett
Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
W. D. Winn
Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
W. H. Black
Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by each of the above respectively on this, the 10th day of November, A. D. 1912.

D. J. Broughton
County Clerk, Terry Co., Texas

CONSTABLES SALE; REAL ESTATE.

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Terry County, Texas, dated December 9th, 1913, on a certain judgement of foreclosure rendered in said court on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1913, against J. W. Ellis, Dona Ellis, Geo. E. Tiernan and Will Alf Bell, and directed and delivered to me, I, Sam Funderburk, Constable of Precinct No. 4 in and for Terry County, Texas, did on the 9th day of December, A. D.

1913, levy upon the following described tracts of land, to-wit:
First Tract. All of Section No. Eighty-six (86) in Block D. D., surveyed by virtue of Certificate No. 518, issued to John H. Gibson, 640 acres of land situated in Terry County, Texas.

Second Tract. The West One Half (W. 1-2) of Section 87, Block D. D., surveyed by virtue of Certificate No. 519, issued to John H. Gibson, 320 acres of land.

And on Tuesday, the 6th day of January, A. D. 1914, at the Court house door in the town of Brownfield, Terry County, Texas,

between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will offer said property for sale to the highest bidder for cash, applying the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said judgement.

Witness my hand at Brownfield, Texas, this Dec. 9th, A. D. 1913.

Sam Funderburk.
Constable, Pre. No. 4, Terry county Texas.

Rev. J. B. McReynold went to Meadow, Wednesday, to look after his charge at that place.

Howard James and R. H. Banowsky are putting the finishing touches on the Masonic Hall, this week.

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At last the clouds have rolled away and the glorious sunshine the past two days and the gentle breeze, has brought a smile to all faces. The drop in temperature Saturday, caused many here to kill hogs, and the firm ice and frost that looked like a light snow, on Monday morning, renewed the work, and so spare ribs and sausage is now on the bill of fare in almost every home here.

Mr. Graves and his son and daughter-in-law, from Roswell, N. M., were at the hotel the latter part of last week. They were going to Mr. Graves' ranch east of Brownfield.

Ben Hurst has bought the cottage he lives in, northwest of the square.

Elmer Ware came in from his ranch in east Yoakum, and spent Sunday with home folks, returning Monday.

Rev. McReynolds, the Methodist minister assigned to this work for next year, came in Saturday, and preached here Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and at night. He preached two splendid sermons, and all who met him feel assured that his stay with us will be both pleasant and profitable.

Guy Taylor and E. E. Simms accompanied by their wives, left for Lubbock, Monday, for Lubbock. The men went for freight and Mrs. Taylor went to have an oculist treat her eyes and Mrs. Simms went trading.

Miss Phyllis Holgate went out to Mr. Hudson's Friday and visited until Sunday.

W. B. Hays and little Elna, spent last Saturday night at the hotel.

Mr. Williams, of Tatum, New Mexico, was at the hotel Saturday.

Sam Tow, a former Gomez citizen, but now of Tatum, N. M. was here last week selling apples and visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. B. Key.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hays, were in trading, Monday.

Claud Hays, who left early last spring for Montana, and other points in the northwest, came in home last week. He has spent quite a lot of the time since he left in traveling, coming in home from central N. M., his last stopping place.

Simon Holgate and Von Ceil, came in Monday evening from their trip to Brownwood.

Jay McPhaul was in town Monday night.

Henry George, of Lubbock, passed through here Monday.

Mr. Henderson of the T4 ranch is at the Hotel every alternate night. He is hauling cotton seed cake to the T4 ranch.

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Well Sand Bur, your request to "don't get so swelled up over your little 2x4 town" was unnecessary, we spent all our youth in a city, in fact all of our life until 16 years ago in large cities, and though we are now among as peaceable true hearted christian people as we ever lived among, we know there are plenty of larger towns with superior advantages in many ways; but as you say you "feel some big" it must be a case of looking through blue spectacles, for most assuredly we don't "feel big"

West Wind.

W. W. Royalty, wife and sister-in-law, Mrs. W. B. Downing, from Lubbock, visited his father-in-law, J. T. May and family Tuesday night. Mr. Royalty and wife left Wednesday for home, but Mrs. Downing will remain a few days longer with her parents.

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