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## A SLANDEROUS REPORT ON TERRY COUNTY

**A Washington Dispatch Would Lead Strangers to the Conclusion that the Stars and Strips, Star Spangled Banner and America Were Unknown in Terry County.**

Following is a dispatch from Washington, D. C., under a recent date:

Washington, January, 22.—Mrs. Sarah K. Ellis bids fair to go down in history as the Barbara Fritchie of Texas. It was Mrs. Ellis who penned the letter to Secretary of the Interior Lane requesting a flag for her little schoolhouse, which aroused National interest in apedagogue so bent upon teaching her pupils patriotism, that she resorted to the unusual method of appealing to Uncle Sam to supply her with Old Glory, that its stars and stripes might no longer be strangers to her boys and girls.

Although the Interior Department refused to divulge the name of the school teacher, or give the name of the state or the town in which she resided, inquiry has developed the fact that the author of the letter which gave rise to a story printed in

more than half the newspapers of the country a few days ago, resides in Harris, Terry county, Texas. Her request for a flag to display in the school room was accompanied by the statement that hers was a new community, and that there was not a flag in the place other than the little one she had brought here with her, and that there were children in the school who had never seen a flag.

The Interior Department not being in the flag distributing business, was unable to comply with Mrs. Ellis's request, but nevertheless the little town of Harris miles away from any railroad, promises to be supplied with enough bunting to give the place the appearance of a perpetual Christmas or Fourth of July celebration.

One of the patriotic societies of this city has secured the Texas address and has already sent a

big flag to the little school teacher, while the head of the Women's Relief Corps, an auxiliary of the Grand Army of the Republic, writes Secretary Lane that the society is desirous of not only sending a flag for the school, but one also for every pupil. This is thought that this is but the beginning of the flood of bunting that will eventually be sent to Terry county, Texas, as the result of the patriotic appeal of its school teacher.

Oh, you Terry county, be this true? If it is, you should certainly be ashamed. The idea of raising up a bunch of fine young people, such as live in the South Plains country without knowing what a United States flag is like! However, by nature, the people of the South Plains are patriotic, and if they would put their patriotism into use, they would needs know how Old Glory looks. Terry county people are high-class citizens, and we are sure that if the Harris school has not had a flag, it was not intentional, and the Harris country school will, as the dispatch from Washington would indicate, get all the flags they can carry off, and more too.—Lubbock Avalanche

The above is almost too silly to attempt an answer, but for the sake of the good name of Terry county, we can't help adding a few remarks. In the first place, Mrs. Ellis' school is in Yoakum county, and draws her

pay from Yoakum county, but gets her mail at a Terry county post-office. If she was a Terry county teacher, it would be her last contract, we imagine, from remarks we have heard from our school authorities—but she is a Yoakum county teacher and a lady besides, and we have no more to say along that line, except that we Terry people like teachers who create less notoriety of this nature. We will ask the Avalanche to re-read her article, however. It doesn't say there is no flag in the county, but says her community is new and no flag in it (her community). All so if the Avalanche, instead of helping to circulate this scandal on Terry, had but asked any of the Lubbock Band boys, they could have set his mind at rest concerning Old Glory in Terry county. No wonder people credit just about half they see in the papers.

We don't believe the people of New England are more loyal or patriotic than ours. It is true we don't burn enough powder to blow up the Gamboa Dike and till emergency hospitals with the wounded, but each Fourth of July is celebrated in various portions of the county with such sane methods as flag drills, oratory and good old picnic dinners. Last Fourth, a string of people in double rank, one hundred yards in length, members of the various Sunday Schools in Brownfield, ranging in age from four to forty

marched around the square, each bearing an American flag. As long as we have been here, we have our first Xmas tree to see decorated without flags and bunting. There has been two flags in the Brownfield school building for years. At the annual Confederate reunion, the Stars and Stripes and Stars and Bars both float proudly over the grounds. Old Glory, size 6X9 feet is always in evidence at our annual fairs.

Our advice to the Avalanche is to investigate before it speaks in the future, and to Mrs. Ellis a hearty invitation to bring her little charge to our next reunion at Gomez or the Fair at Brownfield and show 'em the flag. As so she can find all kinds of flags at the racket stores at either Lubbock or Tahoka; that's the place we procure ours.

### Mass Meeting Called

I hereby call a mass meeting of prohibition Democrats Terry county, to be held Saturday, Feb. 14th, 1914, elect delegates, or send its proxies to Ft. Worth, Texas, Feb 21st. All those who favor elimination of the Prohibition disabilities to Governor of Texas to one meeting will please be on hand at 3 o'clock p. m. Feb 14th, in the District Court room, Brownfield. We are allowed one delegate for every ten votes cast in the State wide prohibition election in 1911.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following candidates have announced, subject to the Democratic Primaries in July.

### REPRESENTATIVE

H. B. Murray

### COUNTY JUDGE

E. L. Duke

W. G. Hardin

Geo. W. Neill

Roy C. Scudday

### COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

D. J. Broughton

### SHERIFF AND TAX-COLLECTOR

G. J. Rose

W. R. Bridges

Robert Holgate

J. N. (Jim) Lewis

### TAX-ASSESSOR

R. W. Glover

J. R. Burnett

### TREASURER

H. T. Brooks

This eliminating process may get kindly like the self starting automobile some day—need some one to start the self-starter.

Our school is moving along as smoothly as you please, and we have interviewed both teacher and pupil only to find that more and better work and less pretension is the prevailing, though not adopted motto.

Anyway, there will be enough silos built next year to make all Terryites rich, and them we'll just wait until next year to begin creating multi-millionaires and paying income taxes.

Yes, Terry county people love good roads, and don't mind seeing their money used for that purpose, but when it begins to roll out of the treasury for court costs, they begin to get sore.

We are glad to see our young men launch out and take a part, and even ask a part in our county government; it denotes progress. When a county or state government gets to the point where the old or the settled citizen takes no interest in its government, and its maiden voters are less, we are very near the

brink of natural and sure decay. We are not advocating the election of young men in this article, we are not advocating the election of anyone, but we are glad the rising generation is willing to have a voice in public affairs, because they are generally progressive as well as ambitious.

## Announcements

ROY C. SCUDDAY.

We have been requested to announce the candidacy of the above young, but ambitious young man for the office of county Judge, subject to the Democratic primaries in July. Will state he is a graduate of the Brownfield High School, and finished a two year course at British Training School, at Cisco. His platform reads: "I am for developing the county, but on an economic basis. If elected, I will do everything possible to better the financial condition of the county. I stand for betterment of our county schools, especially the rural districts. Am an ardent supporter of an early and higher education." We also wish to state that Prof. Scudday has made a study of law the last few years and we believe him well qualified for the office, and ask the voters to give his race careful consideration before making out their ballot.

### H. T. BROOKS

Mr Brooks has asked us to announce him for re election to the office of County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July. H. T. has only had the office one term, and has made a good record, and we believe it only fair to continue him in office another term. His record is an open book before the voters and those who have recently come to Terry county can ask any old timer as to his honesty and his qualifications for the office. We ask you to fully investigate his character before casting your ballot.

## Harris

By Sand Bur

J. W. Spear went to Brownfield Wednesday, returning on Thursday.

Brit Clare went to Tokio last Thursday.

Edgar Spear and Rhy Harris,

went down in the Tokio neighborhood Friday afternoon and returned home Sunday morning.

L. H. Hooker lost a fine young work mule last week.

J. W. Spear, wife and daughter, Miss Emma, spent last Sunday at the Hooker home.

Jack Benton came up to the store last Sunday.

Messrs. J. W. Hooker and Nick Beall, of Lubbock, came down in the latter's car today, (Monday). Mr. Beall will see after his cattle which is pasturing at Hooker's, and Mr. Hooker will spend a week or two here.

J. M. McMillan and wife visited Mr. and Wingo and family last Sunday.

While on his return trip with a load of freight, Luther Reed, of New Mexico got his leg broken in some way, near here Monday. L. W. McPhaul carried Luther on home in his car, and Ed Middleton took his team to T. J. Conley's to be cared for until some one comes for them.

Mr Satterwhite is erecting a windmill over the well that the Timms Bros. recently drilled for J. B. Slaughter on the Wingo place.

We regret that Cricket has decided to desert us, but our best wishes will go with her, and we sincerely hope there will be another correspondent come in from that part of the country.—Same here Sand Bur, and an effort will be made to get one.—Ed.

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### Church Directory.

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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.

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Miss Ethel Treadaway, Sec.

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M. D. Williams, C. C.  
J. F. Winston, Clerk  
Meets first Saturday night after the full moon and two weeks thereafter in each month in Odd Fellows Hall.

THE extra good mares for sale. See Dr. H. T. Day.

Sam Walker returned from Lovington, N. M., last week, and reports his mother much better when he left her.

Sam Walker and Chock Hamilton have now joined the road grading crew on the Lubbock road. About five big fresnos are now biting away on the second mile of this road.

W. G. Myers was over Monday and subscribed for the four best papers in Texas: The Herald, Dallas Farm News, Farm & Ranch and Holland's Magazine; \$4 worth all for \$2.50. This is as fine combination for the Texas farmer as one can hustle up, and W. G. is a good farmer, but he says its the silo and less cotton with him from now on.

A few good mares for sale at reasonable prices. All in foal, See or write Ben Hurt, Gomez, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brownfield were in from the ranch, Wednesday

Notice A. P. Moore's bargains in groceries.

Newt Copeland and wife, were in this week visiting friends and relatives. While here Newt subscribed for the Herald.

Tax Collector, Geo. E. Tiernan, informs us that there was 271 poll taxes and exemptions issued this year. With the new people who have moved in, the voting strength will be something near 300

Better announce while the announcing's good. We would take on a few more sheriff's if we had to add another page. Remember it is a long time between runnings.

The Hon. J. W. Gordon, the U— boss, was in town Saturday and renewed his and his brothers subscription to the Herald. J. W. have been up in the Hereford country for the past several weeks looking after his ranches and other business interests.

Miss Etta Kinard and mother came in home from Silverton, Sunday, where Mrs. Kinard has been down with la grippe. Miss Etta called on the Herald Monday, and said old Terry sure did look good to her. She says grass isn't half inch high up there and one can't even see a mesquite bush, bear-grass, rabbit or prairie dog. We are like Miss Etta; if they have no rabbits, how in the world do those people live. Come to Terry

Profs. Roy Scudday and Chas Stewart, were up from their schools at Pride and Lou, respectfully, Saturday night and Sunday, visiting friends and relatives. The boys report they are doing fine with their schools.

Unless you've got lots of money put in an underground silo, as it is cheaper and just as good, and will employ all the idle hands during the summer and keep the money, or most of it, at home.

Between getting our poll tax receipt last week and getting the Woodmen's goat, we did a sorry job printing the Herald, which was caused by cold weather and not heating the ink rollers. We are sorry our readers had to guess at so much and hope this will not occur frequently.

Our merchants are preparing to bring on the best and prettiest line of spring goods ever brought

to Terry county. They will tell you all about it in the near future.

Bud Jones and one of his hands, made a trip to Lubbock Monday, in the former's Ford.

Jno. Peters came in this week to renew his subscription to the Herald and incidently mentioned that he is still batching, with no immediate prospects of that good lady's return.

Rev. B. F. Dixon is able to be about this week after a seige of bronchitis.

Mrs. Edward Moore was in Friday night from her school at Pleasant Valley, and spent the night with her parents, D. J. Broughton and wife. Mrs. Moore says she is doing splendidly with her school.

M. D. Williams was under the weather with something like grippe, the latter part of last week.

Through the kindness of Judge J. T. Gainer, of Yoakum county, the Herald received an order last week to print 300 cards for W. H. Hague, who is a candidate for Assessor of Yoakum county

Prof. A. K. Huckleberry came in Saturday and contracted for us to print 150 catalogues and rules of the Needmore School Library. The Prof. says they now have 96 volumes, and we notice they are all standard books. This is a splendid start.

#### RAILROAD LEGISLATION.

##### Millions of Dollars Wasted in Complying With Useless Legal Requirements.

Many criticisms have been made against the railroads for abuses permitted or practiced during the past quarter of a century, and the management of railroad properties has been largely taken from the owners and given to commissions representing the government. With the change in control comes new forms of abuses, many of them as stupid and burdensome as those imposed upon us under the old regime.

Mr. J. Krutscchnitt, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific in discussing this subject said:

"The lawmakers and commission have been imposing upon the railways numerous requirements which have further increased their expenses and often in ways that have actually reduced the railway servants' efficiency. The legislatures of many states have decreed that additional men shall be employed by the railroads in excess of their necessities, whether viewed from the standpoint of economical operation or of public safety. As a result of this legislation, millions of dollars has been wasted in hiring useless labor.

"Again, laws have been passed to compel the railways to use special patented headlights on their locomotives. Expensive acetylene headlights of high efficiency and closely approaching the electric headlights in brilliancy and power were already in use. The railroads were forced to discard them and incur heavy additional outlays for specialties promoted by inventors and private corporations.

"The personal injuries are largely due to unrestrained personal carelessness. The fatalities to trespassers could be prevented by the passage and enforcement of proper laws. There was a time when the people took little interest in the details of railway operation. During that period there were many abuses, but the development of railways went forward at a rate which has never been equalled in any other country. It was justifiable and necessary that the public should assert itself to stop the abuses. But it was not necessary to destroy the efficiency of the railways and sap their financial strength. The public should understand that in exercising the power, it cannot shirk the responsibility of the master."

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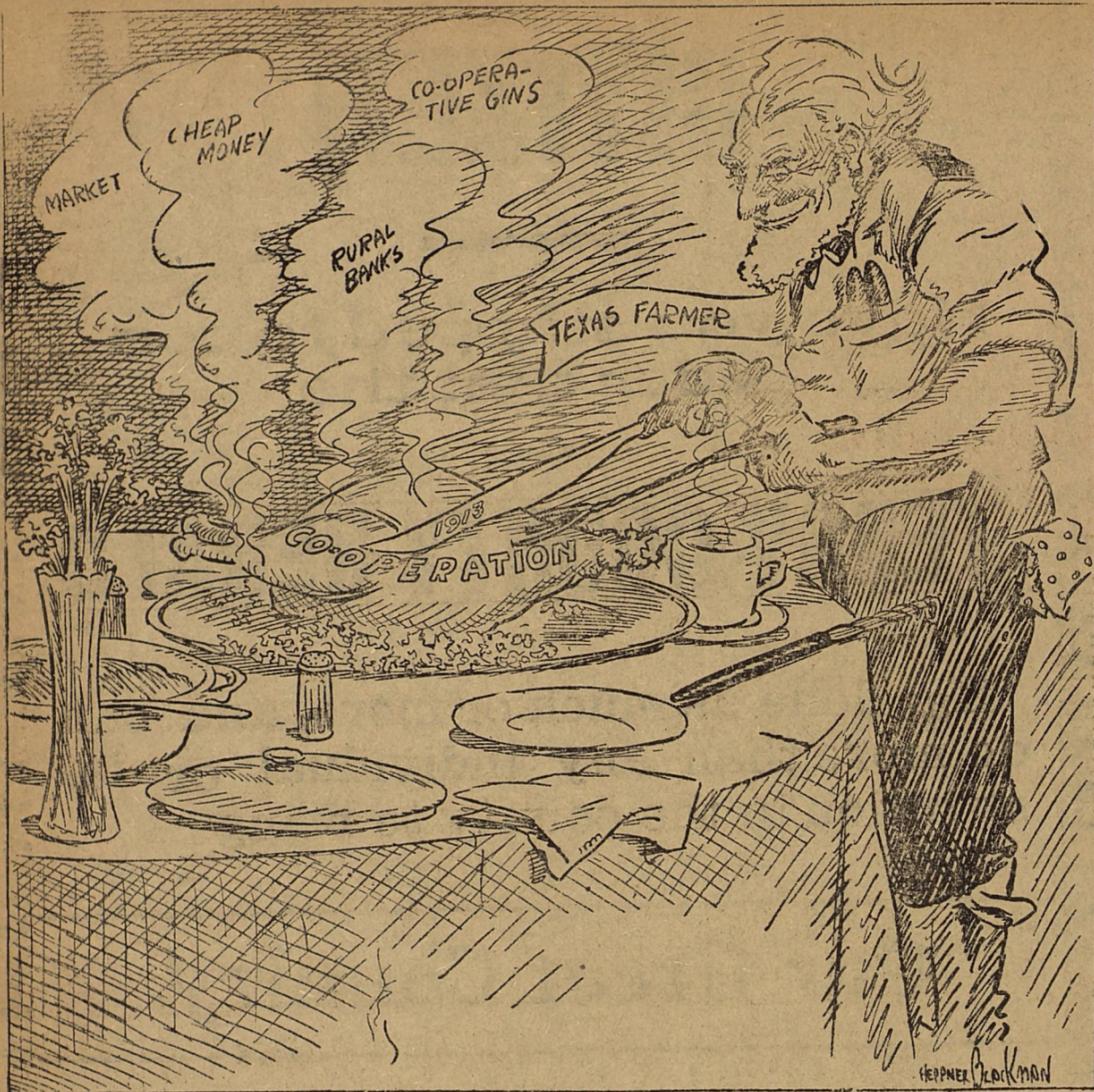
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## Tokio

By D. J. Ger

Last Wednesday's storm completely demolished Wes Lovelace's windmill. He hadn't got it fixed Tuesday.

There was no school Thursday on account of the severe snow-storm.

Mr. Dick Lovelace, who has been visiting relatives here the past few weeks, left Friday for his home in Parker county.

Mr. Eldridge Maddux has sold his place to a Mr. G. A. Armstrong, who is to get possession at once. We understand that Mr. Maddux will locate in Gomez.

T. E. and Wes Lovelace made a business trip to Brownfield, Friday.

Miss Lewis visited relatives near Gomez from Friday until Sunday evening.

Messrs. Eegar Spear and Roy Harris were over visiting Mr. Wright the latter part of the week; they returned home Sunday morning.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Maddux on Saturday morning, a girl.

Jim Wright, although having an unpleasant week, finished his work on Mr. Spear's place and returned home Friday evening.

Bob Lovelace and wife visited at the home of Norman Lovelace, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Benton has bought a workhorse from Mr. Wright; consideration, \$100.

W. E. Cherry and sister, Miss Ada, are on the A. V. Taylor place. We gladly welcome them into our neighborhood.

Messrs. T. E. Lovelace, Hamm, Miss Cherry, Mesdames T. E. Lovelace and Benton, and the latter's children, were guests at John Days, Sunday.

Joe Wrotan, and family visited at the right home Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Wilkins spent Sunday with Mrs. Maddux.

Miss Ora Ware has been out helping her brother Ennis canvas and paper for several days.

John S. Day made a business trip to Gomez, Monday.

### M. & M. Club.

The M. and M. Club met with Mrs. J. C. Green, Jan. 27th.

There being a good attendance we enjoyed a good lesson among the last chapters of Vanity Fair. We spent an unusually pleasant afternoon, as our hostess is an ideal entertainer.

We were glad to have Mrs. Jack Drinkard as a visitor. All expressed themselves as missing our president and teacher and some other members very much.

After our usual lesson and business being concluded, we were served the most delicious cake, peaches, whipped cream and chocolate, which all present declared was perfect. We had a lengthy old time chat with Grandma and Mrs. Green after which we adjourned to meet with Miss Annie Hamilton, Feb. 10th. We hope all members of the Club will be present at our next meeting as we conclude the course of study of Vanity Fair.

Reporter.

Mr. A. M. Crews was here this week with a bigload of baled sorghum, that looked to be excellent. While here he renewed for the Herald. This is a fine way to put up feed, for the town trade especially, as it both cuts down waste and greatly reduces bulk.

Ben Dixon is out on a ranch in Hockley county, working.

1000 good young ewes for sale or will take part in cattle. Lot cated 14 miles southwest Plains, Yoakum Co., Tex. E. P. Stanford.

### CONTROL OF BIG CORPORATIONS.

Ex-President Roosevelt Outlines Policy of a Square Deal.

Theodore Roosevelt in a recent article appearing in the "Outlook," on "The Living Wage and the Living Rate," presents in a very forceful manner, both sides of the railroad question. We have long heard many of our public officials discuss only one side—that of the people—and it will be news to many who have been following the public discussions, to learn that there are really two sides to the question.

The views of Mr. Roosevelt, who has been considered a radical in railroad legislation, are especially interesting and instructive to Texas at this time when our transportation affair are in an inflammatory condition. The ex-president said in part:

"It must be a cardinal principle in dealing with honestly-built and wisely-managed railways that the investor, the shareholder, is just as much entitled to protection as is the wage worker, the shipper or the representative of the general public. Unless the investor finds that he is to get a fair return on his money, he will not invest, and in such case not only will no new railways be built, but existing railways will not be able to repair the waste, the wear and tear to which they are subject, and will not be able to make needed improvements. All governmental action, whether by the legislature or the executive, should be conditioned upon keeping in view this fact.

"Unless the corporation makes money—that is unless business men are prosperous—there will be no money to give in proper wages for the wage worker, there will be no money with which to provide for his protection and to insure him against loss and damage and no money wherewith to render proper service to the customers and to the public as a whole.

"It is just as much the duty of the Commission to permit rates to be raised when the raise is justifiable as to require them to be lowered if the lowering is justifiable.

"The control should not be hostile to the corporation; it should merely be hostile to any misconduct on the part of the corporation, and it should protect the corporation against misconduct aimed at it exactly as it protects others from misconduct committed by it."

# CLUBS

The Herald has always made its clubbing rates profitable and attractive to its subscribers, as attested by order from all parts of Texas and many in other states. Here follows a few sample offers—

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## Gomez

By West Wind

Mr. T. H. Green and family, of Comanche county, came in last week. They own the McPherson homestead, and was accompanied by his married son. We welcome them to our midst. He had the small house north of the square moved to the new place north of town, Monday.

On Sunday Dr. Ponton, of P. City, was called to see Mrs. S. H. Key, he pronounced her trouble to be a cancerous tumor and stated that he did not think an operation would benefit her.

Mrs. West has been quite sick for a week, and is no better at this writing. She will be moved to Post City for treatment in the near future.

H. L. Ware and wife will go out to their Yoakum Co. ranch on Wednesday to spend a week. Ennis and sister, Miss Ora, will spend the week in town.

Mr. Boyd and wife and two children came here Sunday and employed Mat McPherson to attend his Cochran county ranch. Matt has gone there to work and will move his family in a short time.

Dee Hunter went to Brownfield last Monday, and his wife visited in Gomez.

Preaching at the M. E. church Sunday at 11 a. m. and night, by the pastor, Rev. McReynold.

In town Sunday attending services were Messrs. Chris and Harry Timms, Wood and Lee Johnson, Dock Dumas, Carl Hudson, Earnest Hicks, Russell Jones and Misses Sarah and Josie Hudson, and quite a lot of others, but those enumerated were at the hotel.

Ben Hurst and wife were in town Monday.

Will Mathis and family visited at Mat McPherson's Sunday.

Mrs. Copeland writes from Arkansas City that Miss Kate is improving rapidly and they expect to start home by the 10th.

Mrs. Hargett and daughter, Miss Rebena of Brownfield, attended services Sunday and visited Mrs. Will Snodgrass in the afternoon.

A letter from Mrs. Tom Pruitt to Mrs. Simon Holgate, states that Mrs. Pruitt was attacked with appendicitis Dec. 20, last, and is able to sit up only a short time. She lives in Nolan Co.

S. d. Palm from southwest Terry was in town Monday and Tuesday.

J. M. Hays was in trading last Saturday. He informed us that Mrs. W. B. Hays is now at or near Sweetwater, where she was called by the sickness and death of her brother's wife, Mrs. Allen.

In regard to Mistering strang-

ers and those who buy autos, would have been easy if that auto clause had been left out, but they are getting as cheap and plentiful as eggs and as every one rides in them, one would be a little cheeky to ask whose car it was. The last one purchased that we know of was Boo— ex— us, we mean Mr. Booth Hays.— We didn't put in an auto clause but only a Ford clause, and soon as they wear the new off quit Mistering them. For example, just say Joe Lane is now on.—Ed

Ben and Will Brannon are out in the Harris community this week, fencing the latter's land.

Charlie Moore has bought out the McNabb lease on the Clark place, and Mr. McNabb will return to Montague county.

A letter from Arthur Moore says he was in the sanitarium 65 days, but is now at home, but the Dr. has not dismissed the case.

W. A. Fulton was in town Tuesday, doing dental work on horses. R. W. Glover and A. P. Moore patronized him.

Messrs. Wilson and their wives and Miss Friday, stopped at the hotel Tuesday, enroute from Roswell to some point in Ill.

Lee Towe left Tuesday for Tahoka after freight.

Mesdames Will Snodgrass and Wolfarth went out to the Will Snodgrass ranch last week.

We understand that the next match basket ball will be here, and if so, we will certainly try to be there and report the score.

Messrs. Oral Adams and Jay McPhaul went to Lubbock Sunday, returning Monday.

Mrs. Jim Burnett and children visited at Simon Holgate's Sunday.

R. W. Rambo and wife and Clint were in town, Tuesday.

H. D. Leach from southwest Terry, was in Saturday.

## Needmore

By Susannah

The young people enjoyed a singing at the Howard home, Sunday afternoon.

Geo. Rose has gone to Mexico on a prospecting trip.

Noah Bell and wife had business in Lubbock, Monday.

Jim Johnson and wife, of near Meadow, spent Saturday night with Jim Smith and wife.

Clyde Lewis spent Sunday with his parents at Brownfield.

Mrs. Annie Raymer of the 69 ranch, is spending a few days with Mrs. Bell.

Rev. Wagoner, who recently moved back to his place in Yoakum county, from Plainview, passed through Monday enroute

to Lubbock and took dinner with Uncle Bill Howard.

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We learned this week that Miss Clara Cowan had married a fellow at Rhome, Texas, since Xmas, and they are living at that place. We understand his name is Branch.

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The people of Texas consume annually approximately \$300,000,000 worth of dry goods and notions, and only a small fraction of the purchases are made through Texas jobbers and manufacturers. No country can advance far in industrial progress until it patronizes home institutions; no community can become powerful in trade and remain indifferent to its local industries. Patronizing home industries is as essential to our commercial success as patriotism is necessary in government, and those who do not do so fail to discharge a debt inherited from civilization and lose an opportunity of making a living contribution to the progress of the country.

The patronizing of our jobbing houses would call for an immediate increase in investments in that industry of approximately \$50,000,000, give direct employment to 100,000 people, bring within our borders ten thousand factories affording employment to a half million people, provide a home market for our farm products, give us control of our own business affairs, make us independent of, instead of dependent upon, our foreign neighbors and multiply the opportunities of every citizen.

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## Train Load of Steers.

Tiernan & Scudday and Burnett Bros., instead of shipping separately and to Ft Worth, have decided to throw together and make out a train load and thereby get an engine to pull them into Kansas City, as that market is generally a cent and a half above Ft Worth quotations. With a train load of silo stuff, there will be no long delays at sidings along the route, and they figure they can get in with only a minimum loss. Besides several cars of cattle, they will have three or four cars of hogs.

The boys inform us that their stuff are getting in fine shape now, and in ten more days, will be in glorious condition. Tiernan & Scudday weighed a steer recently that had gained eight pounds per day for the past fifteen days, and the least steer they had, showed a gain of four pounds per day. We call that going some.

Speaking of silos, and that is all we of Terry speak about lately. Dick Brownfield until this winter has had to milk several cows in order to get enough milk to supply his family, but with only one fed on ensilage this year he is getting enough milk to divide with his friends. We hear of an old gentleman over in Yoakum county who has an underground silo and a lifting crane, whose cows and horses are so fat they look like a fat stock show on a small scale, and his cows give so much milk—well they just get tired milking and quit.

This silo business however, providing people put in the underground kind, will give all the idle employment all the spring and summer, and we keep the money at home, or the most of it. But this brings on more talk: What are we poor town people going to do for roughness to feed our cows. Maybe in the near future some young Edison will give us a small outfit to make canned ensilage in for the town trade.

## Society

Mrs. W. G. Hardin, Ed.

Society news is short this week, tho' a number of things are being planned for Valentine day.

Madam Rumor has it that Uncle Jack Coble is in love. He was seen wearing his Sunday clothes every day, when asked why, he said Miss Dora Daughtery told him he was pretty. Annie Hamilton objected to any such thing, and Uncle Jack said that she, Annie, had better stop Jones from hanging around then.

Mrs. H. T. Brooks entertained the Juveniles, after school Monday afternoon. Games that have been, and ever will be, dear to the hearts of children, were the order of the evening's entertainment. Pop corn balls were served much to the delight of the boys and girls. Mrs. Brooks is a motherly woman and entertained those children in a way they will remember when they have left childhood joys behind. Let's all mingle with the young people more, it will help us.

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Mrs. Clyde Hudson and baby, of Plains, are visiting their parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Dixon.

## RAILROADS WILL HELP THE FARMER

Common Carriers Will Co-operate in Marketing Farm Products—Middlemen Charge Higher Rates for Handling Farm Than Factory Products.

By Peter Radford.

The leading railroad systems of the nation will establish market bureaus to assist the farmers along their lines in marketing their products. The following lines have acceded to the request of the Farmers' Union and announced their willingness to enter into active co-operation with the farmers in marketing their products: Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Southern Pacific, Santa Fe, St. Louis, Southwestern and other "system" lines.

The express companies have surveyed the field and the Federal Government, through the parcel post, has demonstrated the possibilities of the common carrier as a useful agency in marketing farm commodities.

I consider the action of these giant business concerns in determining to co-operate with the farmers in marketing their crops, to be the greatest product of human thought on the Western hemisphere during the past year, and it demonstrates that the educational work of the Farmers' Union has brought the nation to a clearer understanding of the real problems of the farmer.

To give information on marketing is far more valuable than to give advice on production. There is a mutual interest between the railroads and the farmer which cannot exist between any other lines of industry. The railroads are the teamsters of agriculture and they are employed only when there is something to haul. Good prices will do more to increase tonnage than any other factor, and railroads want tonnage.

Agriculture has many inherent disadvantages which require com-

joined effort to overcome in marketing. There are millions of producing units working independently and selling without knowledge of market conditions. The harvest is once a year, while consumption is pretty evenly distributed throughout the entire year, and most of the farmers, through custom and necessity, dump their entire crop on the market as soon as it is gathered. The problem of organizing and systematizing the markets is one in which the farmers invite assistance of all lines of industry friendly to their interests.

### Farmers Bear the Burden.

The business of the manufacturer lends itself more readily to organization and the facilities for studying the markets are more easily available. The result is that the merchants are compelled to handle most staple manufactured articles at very little profit, and as a consequence the merchant must look to products which he buys direct from the farm for his profits.

The reports of the Federal Department of Agriculture show some very interesting information and enable a comparison between the cost of marketing products of the farm and those of the factory. A few items will serve to illustrate the general run. The cost of getting sugar from the refinery to the consumer is 9 cents on the dollar; the cost of getting tobacco from the factory to the consumer is 14 cents on the dollar; a selling a dollar's worth of eggs the middleman gets a profit of 50 cents on the dollar. In selling a dollar's worth of potatoes, the middleman makes 70 cents on the dollar; selling a dollar's worth of fruit, the middleman gets 84 cents on the dollar, and on cantaloupes 82 cents.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 570, published by the United States Department of Agriculture, in discussing this subject, said:

"The high price paid by consumers, ranging from 5 to 500 per cent. in some cases, more than the farmer receives, indicates that there is plenty of room for lowering the cost of farm products to consumers and at the same time largely increasing the cash income per farm, without increasing farm production. This condition is undoubtedly a marketing problem which will have to be solved by a better organization of farmers and improved methods of marketing."

### Large Shippers Influence Rates.

In railroad rates the inequalities are equally as glaring. Rate making in its primitive stages was largely influenced by demands and arguments of large shippers, but the farmers were unorganized and seldom appeared before rate-making bodies, and the burden of expense in transportation lies largely against the raw products of the farm.

In banking, our securities are discounted against, as compared with the products of the factories and mines. The farmer is entitled to a square deal. The farmer is more interested in good prices and efficient service than he is in rates.

## Woman Finally Recovers From Nervous Breakdown

Impoverished nerves destroy many people before their time. Often before a sufferer realizes what the trouble is, he is on the verge of a complete nervous breakdown. It is of the utmost importance to keep your nervous system in good condition, as the nerves are the source of all bodily power. Mrs. Rosa Bonner, 825 N. 18th St., Birmingham, Ala., says:

"I have been suffering with nervous prostration for nine or ten years. Have tried many of the best doctors in Birmingham, but they all failed to reach my case. I would feel as if I was smothering; finally I went into convulsions. My little girl saw

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advertised in the papers and I at once began to take it. I continued to take it for some time and now I am well."

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