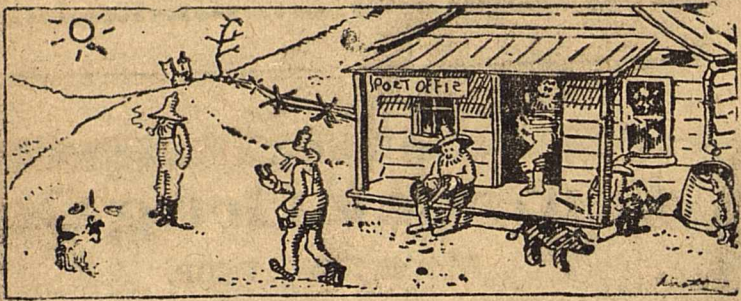


## HOGWALLOW NEWS



DUNK BOTS, Regular Correspondent

The taker of the school census listed the children at the home of Jefferson Potlocks last week. It is understood, however, that Mrs. Potlocks is not satisfied with the result and will ask for a recount.

The Old Miser will raise a watermelon patch on Musket Ridge next summer, but on account of the neighbors, he will poison all of the melons as fast as they get ripe.

The Blind Man of the Calf Ribs Neighborhood is preparing to send to Tickville after change for a half dollar the next time he finds somebody going that way who will do to trust.

Washington Hocks has done away with his big Waterbury watch. Wash says he has passed many a pleasant hour with it and hates to give it up, but he no longer needs it as he has plenty of time without it.

Yam Simms has set into court-ing a red headed girl at Tickville. It is believed that he don't care anything about her, and is only going there to make Miss Flutie Belcher think more of him.

Chicken mites are to fowls what debts are to men.

Sidney Hocks has an idea that Lydia E. Pinkham, the great writer, used to wear a pink sun bonnet all the time.

Sim Flinders has got stirred up over the European war situation. He wants war, and has put an ad in the Tickville Tidings wanting to exchange a cow for a good shotgun.

The Exdelsior Fiddling Band serenaded a deaf and dumb man near Rye Straw Tuesday night.

Somebody over near Bounding Billows set the dawgs on the Deputy Constable the other day. This is the first race the Deputy has entered since the last campaign.

Miss Fruzie Allsop has officially announced that she is only twenty eight years old. When Raz Barlow heard the statement, he said they must have set the clock back when she was born.

There is but slight difference in the looks of the words per-simmon and permission.

Many snakes are being found in their dens in this community. They are about the same size and color they were last summer.

When asked what he considered about the most useless thing in existance, the Postmaster yesterday stated that it lay between a heating stove in the summer time and a last year's bird's nest.

Cricket Hicks says he don't know how in the world the authors think of all the things they put in their books.

The Wild Onion school teacher went to Tickville last week and took a trip on a train. It is believed that he is preparing to compile a new geography of the United States.

Jefferson Potlocks took his family to Tickville one day last week and had the picture artist to take them in a group. The family was so large the photographer had to write "over" on the bottom of the picture.

Tobe Moseley has swapped for a combination coon dawg and blood hound.

The Tin Peddler, who recently added jewelry to his stock of dishpans and coffee pots, made a sale here this week, disposing of a ring to Yam Sims. After the peddler had departed Poke Eazley passed judgement on the ring. He has never been in the jewelry business but says the ring is all right.

The sure signs of a winter is the fact that Yam Sim has ordered a pair of new pants with deep pockets.

See the Timms Bros., about shelling your corn, can shell in the shuck.

R. C. Graves was here this week, and had us put his son down for the Herald and the Ft. Worth Semi-Weekly Record. His son, R. L. has charge of the Terry county ranch.

## ASK RELIEF FOR TENANT FARMER

Farmers' Union Officials Want a Law Enacted That Will Fulfill Its Purpose.



Fort Worth, Texas.—The most important problem that confronts the Texas Legislature in its 34th session is relief for the tenant farmer.

Out of the 219,575 tenant farmers the Federal Census Bureau shows that 17,500, or less than 10 per cent, pay cash rent and we estimate that 60 per cent rent on the basis of one-third grain and one-fourth cotton and 30 per cent pay more than a third and a fourth. There are perhaps 65,000 tenant farmers in this State, who, in some form or other, pay a rental of more than a third and a fourth on land. To this number we may add the 17,500 cash tenants, for it is there the worst forms of rental extortion exist, although it might be difficult to prohibit, by law, a willing renter paying a willing landlord an agreed sum for use of property.

### Abuses of Tenancy System.

There are many abuses growing out of our tenancy system which should be corrected and punished by law if they cannot be corrected peaceably. We will mention a few of them. Out of the 65,000 tenant farmers who pay more than a third and a fourth land rental, we estimate that 40 per cent, or 26,000, pay direct to the landlord and the remaining 39,000 pay it to brokers and agents who rent lands on a basis of a third and a fourth and then sub-rent at a profit, charging a cash bonus for the farm or advancing the rents beyond the price they pay. Such practices should be broken up by law for they constitute an illegitimate occupation. The owner of property should look after his business personally or hire some one to do so, paying them a reasonable sum out of his own pocket, and not become a party to an injurious system of speculation. We leave the legislature to deal with the iniquitous tenant system, according to their wisdom.

### Union calls Upon Legislature for Building Material.

We believe a rural credit bill, properly drawn, permitting long time loans at a low rate of inter-

est, will place a home within the reach of every tenant farmer and automatically eliminate many of the evils of farm tenancy, as well as help the home owner. We believe that agriculture will receive more substantial benefit from increasing opportunity than in multiplying penalties. We think it a greater legislative achievement to expand the area of opportunity than to increase the zone of crime. It is an important function of government to keep open and enlarge the avenues of choice, but no effort should be made to restrain freedom of judgment and action.

The farmers, like every other class of people, have the weak and incapable. There are some tenant farmers, who, if offered a home in the skies, would prefer to rent so they could move once a year, and no amount of constructive legislation will benefit them. We do not favor restrictive legislation that involves the entire structure of society in order to benefit the incompetent. Give the man who tries a chance and give it abundantly.

We invite the Texas Bankers' Association to appoint a committee to assist in framing a bill that is sound commercially and one they can recommend the securities to their customers. We have too many "still-born" laws on the statute books now and there is no use for the legislature to waste time creating securities which cannot be financed.

W. D. Lewis, President, Farmers' Educational & Co-operative Union of Texas.  
Peter Radford, National Lecturer Farmers' Educational & Co-operative Union of America.

## Reads The Whole Thing.

The Herald had the following from Mr. Wilber F. Faulley, Society Editor of the New York Times, and who owns considerable property in grand old Terry of which he is very proud:

New York Times  
Times Annex  
217 West 43rd St.,

Dear Mr. Stricklin:

I enclose money order for \$1. for year's subscription for the Herald, which I enjoy reading. I read every thing, even the advertisements, and always the notes from West Wind, Sand Bur, Sandy, Digger, Blue Jay, Silent Sammy and Cricket. I hope you all had a merry Christmas. I see Judge Neill has a Ford now.

Yours very truly  
Wilber F. Faulley.

The Brownfield State Bank is handing their customers a nice and useful souvenir in the way of a genuine leather check book. Something like this is always appreciated by the customers.

## A New Train

For the information of our readers, will say that the Herald has been served with the new schedule of the Santa Fe in which many changes are made, to take effect February 7th, 1915.

No. 921 will leave Sweetwater at 12:35 a. m., Lubbock at 5:05 a. m., arriving at Clovis at 8:15 a. m. No. 922 leaves Clovis at 8:35 a. m. Lubbock at 11:40, arriving at Sweetwater at 4:20 p. m.

On the Amarillo branch, No. 901-904 leaves Lubbock for Slaton at 11:20 a. m. No. 902-903 leaves Lubbock for Amarillo at 7:30 a. m.

Trains No. 901-904-922 and 921-903-902; Pullman drawing room sleeper between Amarillo and Sweetwater (to and from Fort Worth, via T. & P. train No. 1-3)

On the Lamesa branch No. 907 from Slaton leaves Tahoka at 3:35 a. m. No. 908 leaves Tahoka for Slaton at 9:45 a. m. No Sunday service.

This through Pullman sleeper between Lubbock and Fort Worth over the T. & P. without change, will be a great convenience to the traveling public from this whole country, and the Santa Fe deserves much credit for this change.

## Attention

Some of our customers have not yet settled their last year's accounts. You are earnestly requested to settle. We cannot carry it longer for you.

Brownfield Merc. Co.

Noah Bell came near having a very destructive fire in his pasture one day last week, when two freighters got one of their wagons afire which set the prairie. Two car loads of fire fighters left here immediately for Mr. Bell's place, twelve miles north of town, but the neighbors had the fire out when they got there. We understand that one of the wagons with contents was lost, and Mr. Bell lost about a half section of fine grass.

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Miss Eldora Lewis returned this week from quite a trip to Comanche county, where she went to visit her sister who was ill. She reports her sister some better, but still far from good health.

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# The Terry County Herald

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Some people have got it into their heads that this is the coldest country imaginable in the winter and the hottest in the summer. To dispell this belief, we are going to give you a few figures taken from Government records, and they are supposed to be as near correct as can be had. The coldest weather we have had this winter was 13 degrees above zero; at the same time Fort Worth and vicinity showed from 11 to 12 above, and that means overcoats and furs all day long, down there where the damp raw wind whistles through your whiskers. On the same date we laid aside our overcoats by 10 a. m. and worked in our shirt sleeves in the afternoon. On the first day of August last, we had our highest temperature, being 100. On the same date it ranged from 100 to 106 about Fort Worth, and that means they were sweltering with scarcely any air, while we had a moderate breeze. By sunset, we had gone down to 83, and by bed time well into the 70s, while by sun up next morning, we were down to 63. So you see we enjoyed a good night's rest, free from mosquitoes, while they rolled and turned till at least mid night, trying to find the cool side of the bed. We almost invariably have a cool breeze here in summer, especially at night. For the same month, our mean temperature was 76, theirs 80; our lowest was 60, theirs 65; our rainfall was 7.95 inches, theirs 6.62. So you see ours is not such a dry, burning desert after all. The reason we make the comparison with Fort Worth, is that we are just one tier of counties north and 300 miles west of them.

Some people think because newspaper men get into a spat every once in a while, there is no fraternity among them, but if you will notice right close, when an editor or printer go into another town, they invariably make for the print shop, if the town sports one. In fact, they feel like they have violated newspaper etiquette if they do not visit the plant and exchange compliments. It goes further, for even if a fellow quits the fraternity, and takes up some other occupation, the smell of the printery haunts him still, and there he'll go before he quits the town. The Herald has many such visitors. Only last week, the obliging advertiser of the Lubbock Avalanche phoned us an ad from one of his customers. Mr. Turner is paid

good wages by the Avalanche to look after their advertising, but never was paid a cent by the Herald, but if either he or Editor Dow has a chance to put in a good word for the papers in Lubbock's trade zone, they avail themselves the opportunity, not alone to help us financially, but also from a patriotic standpoint toward their town, as they want their business men to reach out and grasp this trade. While the Herald and Avalanche may spat editorially, occasionally, there is no harm done nor ment, and each in turn are willing to help the other, should occasion arise.

We notice that some of our exchanges have begin to offer inducements in the way of cash and prizes to country reporters and are fast finding out that what the people really want to read in a local paper is local news and not so much statewide hot air they have already seem in their simi weeklies or dailies. We are glad to see our exchanges getting on these basis, for the nearer a country weekly gets to the people, the better it serves them, and the more they appreciate the editor's efforts. Not making any boasts, whatever, yet we believe the Herald the originator in offering some compensation to correspondents, and we can say further that we have the best corps of correspondents of any nearby paper that comes to our exchange table, but we haven't got the trick copyrighted, but willingly and cheerfully we grant our contemporaries the the sacred privilege of building up by encouragement or otherwise a good crew of country reporters. It is with much pride that we, in our brief six years in the newspaper business, have together with a few patriotic ladies of the county, built up a little paper that we believe the people love to read and recommend. Without the help of these correspondents, it would have been an uphill job that would have almost discouraged any novice like ourself.

## Primrose

By Cricket

Hamp Perritt and family picked cotton for Mr. Hamlet this week.

Lee Cowan killed three hogs last Monday which dressed one thousand pounds of meat. He has killed seven head and has three more to kill, all about the same weight.

Sunday School was organized Sunday at 2:30 p. m. All seemed very much enthused. Mr. Faw is anxious for all to come who can and make it a live Sunday School from the start.

Mrs. Lee Cowan is visiting at Brownfield this week at her daughter's, Mrs. Lence Price.

Say Sandy, perhaps you can get the whole book of Dunk from the Editor, however I can recommend, "Three Years in Ar ansaw", as you mind runs so much to witicism, it will appease the most exacting. I would prefer a serial story to Dunk, something with a good moral would be more enlightening than Dunk.

Sand Bur I agree with you that a little friendly criticism now and then is good for the wisest of men and women too for that matter, but when it be comes next step to an insult, I think it is time to call a halt. But a printed criticism should always be taken as a joke. Nevertheless I have known Editors to fall out and fight just over a joke.

Several more pupils Monday. Another teacher next term will not be a luxury, but an absolute necessity.

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Gomez: Sunday School at 10 a. m., every Sunday; Raymond Simms, Supt. Preaching the 1st and 5th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Meadow: Preaching at Lake View, 11 a. m., and at Meadow 3:30 p. m.

J. B. McReynolds, Pastor.

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Preaching each 1st Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. each Sunday; Jim Burnett, Supt.; Eldora Lewis Sec. Business meeting at the Church, Saturday at 3:30 p. m., before each 1st Sunday. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.

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## Harris

By Sand Bur

Brit Clare spent several days of last week at the U— ranch

Hub Hooker made a trip to Lubbock last week. He reports his son doing well though not able to walk yet.

Mrs. Arch McPhaul sold her

organ to H. F. Wingo last week.

Roy and Clyde Harris and Frank Davis made a trip to Lubbock after freight this past week.

Walter Frazier sold his steer calves to Noah Bell.

T. J. Conley made a trip to Gomez the fore part of the week.

Jay McPhaul and wife visited at Arch McPhaul's last Saturday and Sunday.

Al Turner came by from the

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U—ranch last Monday on his way to his father's place near here. He informed us that J. W. Gordon left Sunday for an extended visit to his aged mother in Missouri.

We have been informed that school would begin in the new school house over near Jim Merritt's today, Monday, with Mr. Poyner as teacher.

Say, Mr. Editor, does Terry County pay a bounty on coyote wolf hides? (No. That was a State bounty and the funds were exhausted a year ago.—Ed)

## Meadow

By Sandy

Quite a number were out to preaching Sunday and disappointed as the preacher did not come.

Mrs. S. C. Arnett received a message Monday about noon, saying her brother, who lives in La., was dangerously ill. She left at once for Lubbock and caught the two o'clock train out to Sweetwater.

Some time ago some one suggested we have more news from our schools. Miss Grady wants to publish an honor roll, also have a report of the school. It will encourage the pupils to see their name in print. If the Editor thinks he would have room for it. She has only about twelve pupils enrolled. (Send them in.—Ed.)

Miss Grady is arranging a little program for the 22nd of Feb.

Mr. Evans received a message Wednesday, that his sister who lives in Goodnight Tex., was dangerously ill.

H. L. Smith and wife went to Lubbock last Tuesday.

Little Louis Peeler has been quite sick with fever the past week. We are glad to report him better at present.

Several have been having La grippe in the community.

A. H. Herring and wife moved to the Morrow place last week.

WHEN in Lubbock go to the City Grain and Coal Co. for grain, coal, hay and feed of all kinds. One block south Nicolette hotel in Downing, old stand. W. J. (Dad) Luna, Manager. Give us a trial and be convinced.

While greasing a stove Wednesday morning, the grease caught fire, and in carrying it out Mrs. Will Arnett, of the southern part of the county was badly burned. Dr. Treadaway was immediately called and dressed the wound.

Dr. Treadaway was called to Plains, Tuesday, to attend Mrs. Long, proprietor of the Long Hotel, of that town.

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By Digger

After an absence of several times I will try and write a few items

T. E. Lovelace and son are going to start to Tahoka tomorrow.

Jim Wright has gone down east to see his sister who is very low.

Mrs. R. K. Benton spent last Friday night at Mr. Cherry's and sister's.

Mrs. John Day spent one day last week at Mrs. W. I. Lovelace's.

Miss Emma Spear is staying with her sister, Mrs. Cox.

Add Cox and wife have a big boy. They are doing fine.

Bob Lovelace and wife spent last Saturday night, week at W. I. Lovelace's.

W. I. Lovelace is building a new house. Tokio is growing by degrees.

M. E. Ware was in Tokio this afternoon after a load of maize.

J. D. Wrotan has moved out of our community. We sure did hate to give them up.

J. F. Merritt has put him up a rent house and Dick Lovelace and wife have moved in.

Bradshaw and Armstrong bought a cow from W. I. Lovelace the other day.

Geo. Snodgrass was in Tokio this afternoon looking at the new

building.

Carl and Dad Rushing are batching this week. Carl made the remark the other day that if it wasn't for Tokio he would marry for he could not stay at home all the time by himself.

J. B. King was in Tokio this morning.

There is a good deal of passing here, going and coming from N. Mex

Mr. Ikard has moved up close to Plains.

Mr. Currier has moved in where Wrotan lived. We are glad to have them in our neighborhood.

**Attention**

Some of our customers have not yet settled their last year's accounts. You are earnestly requested to settle. We cannot carry it longer for you.

Brownfield Merc. Co.

Mrs. Ellington, of Meadow, was here Wednesday, shopping.

Judge Geo. W. Neill is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Green and son, Emmett, of Gomez, were here this week on business.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lence Price, on the 19th inst. a girl.

We call your attention to the half page ad of the Gomez Merc. Co. in this issue. While there are no prices quoted, we have been assured by the management, and from the results of

former sales that this is going to be the best ever, and it will be to your advantage to make it convenient to attend this sale early and often

J. W. West, a former citizen of this county, but more recently of Slaton, was here this week shaking hands with old friends, and settling for a poll tax receipt

Miss Dora Daugherty is acting office deputy in the collectors office this week, when that official has business in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns, the new restaurant people, paid the Herald a pleasant call this week, and had us put in an ad for them. You will find their announcement elsewhere in this paper, and we want you to be sure and read it.

**Bids Wanted for  
County Funds**

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Terry County will receive bids from Banks, as depositories for the County Funds, for the ensuing term of two years, beginning with the acceptance of bids. Bids will be opened at 10 o'clock a. m., February 9th, 1915, in regular session, at the Court house. Such bids must be accompanied by a certified check of at least \$100.00, guaranteeing good faith of the bidder.

Witness my hand this, January 9th, 1915

Geo. W. Neill,  
County Judge, Terry County



# SALE! SALE! SALE!

COMMENCING MONDAY JANUARY 25th

CLOSING SATURDAY, JANUARY 30th

We will give our Annual Cost Sale. Our Spring Goods will be in soon, and we want to clear up our winter stock before they arrive. Have a nice line of Outting, Percale, Gingham, Ratena, Crepe, Poplin and waist goods. Also a nice line of Hats and Caps. In the Famous Curlee Clothing line, we have a fit in a suit for everybody. Also some Boys' Suits. This is a Cash Sale; nothing charged. Be sure and bring you Pocket Book.

## GOMEZ MERCANTILE COMPANY

Gomez

Texas

Elder Lofton filled his regular appointment at the Courthouse last Sunday, but owing to the inclemency of the weather, there was no night services.

Rev. Durham preached at the Baptist church, Sunday, and there was singing there at night.

Brooks & Drinkard, the blacksmiths, have put in a new wheelwright's machine, that greatly to their efficiency in that line, and greatly lessens the time required, besides finishing the wheel with machine precision. This machine cost them considerable money, but they are willing to invest in anything that will save them time and cost the custom less money.

See the ad of Scott & Hughes Cafe, Tahoka, Texas, in this issue. These boys are no other than Homer Scott and Clay Hughes, two old time Terryites. People have told us that they have renovated the place they bought out on the west side of the square until you would hardly know it, and Clay is considered one of the best cooks in this part of the country. They but ask that you try them when in Tahoka.

Mrs. Percy Spencer and little daughter, Martha, who have been here several days visiting their parents and grand parents, J. L.

Randal and wife, left Tuesday for their home in Lubbock.

In regards to to the large consignment of corn that went to the railroad last week, we stated that there was something like 600 bushels. Upon their return, some of the boys informed us that there was more than 1000 bushels, and that they filled two cars and started on another. Several wagons have gone thru this week, all loaded to the brim with cotton, corn and maize. Terry is doing its part toward feeding the hungry and clothing the naked.

The following officers have been installed for the ensuing term in the Woodmen Lodge: Arch Fowler, C. C.; Lawrence Green, A. L.; J. C. Green, Clerk; J. N. Lewis Banker; Geo. Neill W. C. Smith and J. V. Drinkard, managers. Gladys Green was given the mysteries of the degree last Saturday night, and while there will be no one to initiate next Saturday, refreshments will be served, and all are expected to bring along something either from home or the stores.

Judge Joe Stokes and Mr. Northcross, County Clerk of Lynn County, and two Mr. Lockharts, one from Snyder and the other from Tahoka, were here

this week niroding. They report poor luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Deitz, of Columbus Ohio, are stopping at the hotel for awhile and taking their time in looking at the country with the intention of purchasing land and locating. They are both young and thrifty looking people, and we hope they may decide on locating permanently.

The editor received his new hammerless 20 gauge Marlin repeating shotgun last Saturday, and as the weather was too cold to hunt that afternoon and he had to wait till Monday, he was sick abed all day Sunday. If the weather had not cleared so that we could get out Monday afternoon, we half way suspect there would have been no Herald this week.

Sometimes we get plum jealous of our correspondents, for every time anybody passes a compliment on the Herald, they always add: "You have such a live bunch of country correspondents." Now we dont mind them getting half the praise, or two-thirds for that matter, but when it comes to them getting all, we are likely to rebel and make one of them edit awhile and let us correspond.

Miss Etta Kinard is working in the central office these days in

order to learn the business, in case Miss Hamilton be busy with something else.

Dub Dickinson and wife were in Tuesday, buying supplies

Noah Bell and wife were here last week buying furnishings for their parlor.

Mrs. Witt and children arrived from Nebraska last week, and are at present staying with her parents, M. D. Williams and wife. The children entered school Monday.

### THE COUNTY FAIR

By Peter Radford  
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

The farmer gets more out of the fair than anyone else. The fair to a city man is an entertainment; to a farmer it is education. Let us take a stroll through the fair grounds and linger a moment at a few of the points of greatest interest. We will first visit the mechanical department and hold communion with the world's greatest thinkers.

You are now attending a congress of the mental giants in mechanical science of all ages. They are addressing you in tongues of iron and steel and in language mute and powerful tell an eloquent story of the world's progress. The inventive geniuses are

the most valuable farm hands we have and they perform an enduring service to mankind. We can all help others for a brief period while we live, but it takes a master mind to tower into the realm of science and light a torch of progress that will illuminate the pathway of civilization for future generations. The men who gave us the sickle, the binder, the cotton gin and hundreds of other valuable inventions work in every field on earth and will continue their labors as long as time. Their bright intellects have conquered death and they will live and serve mankind on and on forever, without money and without price. They have shown us how grand and noble it is to work for others; they have also taught us lessons in economy and efficiency, how to make one hour do the work of two or more; have lengthened our lives, multiplied our opportunities and taken toil off the back of humanity.

They are the most practical men the world ever produced. Their inventions have stood the acid test of utility and efficiency. Like all useful men, they do not seek publicity, yet millions of machines sing their praises from every harvest field on earth and as many plows turn the soil in mute applause of their marvelous achievements.

Texas ranks fifth with other states in population, having wrested that place from Missouri during the past decade.



# PUT THIS IN YOUR PIPE AND SMOKE IT

That we are still in business 2 blocks north of the square, that we handle the best coal, both Maitland and Domino; the finest line of feed to be seen, and a full stock of stock salt; that we do business strictly on the square and would love to load your wagon next time. Try us

**DOWNING FEED & FUEL CO.**

**Lubbock, Texas**

## Gomez

By West Wind

Mrs. Wolfarth got in last week from Tucson Arizona, where she accompanied Miss Nora. She states that Miss Nora is well pleased with her surroundings and they hope for a rapid improvement in her health. She will not return here before next summer. On Monday Mrs. Wolfarth moved out to the ranch. We certainly regret to lose this estimable family from our town.

Rev. Waggoner, a Baptist minister and former Gomez citizen, but now of Yoakum county, passed through here last week enroute to Lubbock.

Rufe Roy of Plains was here last Thursday.

Elmo Ware who is working at the Adams ranch, ten miles south of town, visited home folk Sunday and returned to his work Monday.

Mr. George a former Terry citizen but now of Warren N. M. passed through here last week. He informed us that his son Joe married in Waco but is now living in Lubbock, also that Liss is still in Waco, Alvin is now at Knox City, and Miss Addie is still working in a store at Ralls.

Hugh Williams is out in New Mexico this week, prospecting.

E. E. Simms received a letter from his son Andrew, last week stating that they were enroute to their home here from Okla. They have been in Okla., over a year but did not sell their farm here. Their many friends here will welcome them home.

A. J. West came in from Slaton Monday, to look after his orchard here. He and others who own orchards are wrapping the trees in paper to keep the rabbits from gnawing them.

The young folks had a surprise party at Prof. White's last Saturday night. There was a large crowd and they report a real pleasant time.

Mr. Brown and son of Plainview N. M. were at the hotel here Sunday. They were enroute to Lubbock.

Tuesday morning another consignment of corn left Gomez and vicinity for Tahoka.

Irvin Gainer will leave this week for Midlothian, to visit his father, who has been quite sick for some time.

In town Monday, Ben Broughton, W. C. Mathis, Emmett Green, Charlie Currier, Mr. Curlin and Mr. Mrs. Hugh Williams and Grover Lewis.

There was such a lot of cotton at the gin Saturday that they ran all night Saturday night and soon Monday morning they

## JUST ARRIVED

The big end of a car load of can goods. These goods were bought early in the summer, before the price advanced, thereby putting us in a position to sell you at a better price than others. When you go up to Lubbock, let us figure your bill, and we will save you money.

**Martin & Wolcott**

were ready to work but a lot of frozen water pipes delayed the work some. At this writing there is quite a number of load ed wagons over there waiting for the cotton to be ginned.

Singing at E. E. Simms' Sunday night, a good crowd and real good singing.

Rev. Hicks, the Primitive Baptist minister, came in Saturday, but owing to the cold weather, Sunday, we don't think they had service.

Mrs. Mashburn and little Mary went out to visit at Will Snodgrass' Saturday, returning here Sunday evening.

Clyde Harris and family moved here from Ochiltree county several months ago and their household goods were to be shipped to Tahoka, but they failed to come. After quite a lot of trouble about them they finally learned that they had been shipped to Lubbock instead of Tahoka, and he went after them last week. He will live near his father in the Harris community this year.

Mrs. Jim Yates and children of Tahoka, visited Mrs. Alvin Key here last Saturday and Sunday.

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

Bro. Hughes, the Methodist minister came in from Plains Monday at noon.

### GRIFFITH-SEITZ

Married at Tahoka Tex., the 16th inst., Mr. Joseph Griffith and Miss Elma Seitz both of Terry county. Neither of these popular young people need any introduction to our readers, as both have been raised here. Joe is the youngest son of Dr. Griffith, the first resident physician in Terry county. He is a young man of unusual intelligence and courteous pleasant manners that has made for him many friends in his wide circle of acquaintance.

Miss Elma, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Seitz,

is one of the social leaders of our community and her lovely features and amiable disposition have caused her to be a favorite among her acquaintances. The marriage was quite a surprise to all their friends but all join in wishing them a long and happy life.

All people knowing themselves in debt to me, please come forward and settle NOW. The new year has come and gone, part of my market debts are yet unpaid and if I do not settle them, there will be trouble. If my creditors won't wait on me neither can I wait any longer on those owing me. A. P. Moore.

### R. H. McCARMICK

Contractor & Builder

Estimates and plans furnished on short notice. No job too large or too small for me to handle. All work guaranteed. Your patronage solicited. BROWNFIELD TEXAS.

## 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 for: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 126

## Oh You Terryites

I have opened up a stock of FRESH GROCERIES and NEW DRY GOODS, as nice as there is in Tahoka and I want all my old friends and customers to see them whether they buy or not.

**S. N. McDaniel**

TAHOKA

TEXAS

"THE PRICE IS THE THING"

## COAL & FEED

I have one of the best stocks of feed and coal to be found, and invite you to get my prices before you buy. I advise you to buy early, as the price of coal and feed will likely soar this winter.

**G. W. SNIDER**

TAHOKA, TEXAS

## JOB WORK

### GOOD GRUB

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

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

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

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

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