

# The Terry County Herald

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## MEN'S SUITS

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#### More Rain.

Rain fell here almost steadily for twenty-four hours, beginning Sunday night. It fell for the most part, very slow, leaving the soil in splendid shape. The total fall at the weather station in Brownfield was 1.20 inches, and together with the big rain last week, will last for quite a while.

Telephone communications revealed the fact that the rain had been general, at least on the south plains. Good rains fell at Lubbock, Tahoka, Lamesa, Seminole and Plains. There was several hailstorms reported from five miles east of Tahoka, and north west of Lubbock.

#### Prairie Dog Law

Representative Don H. Biggers got his prairie dog law through at the called session. Briefly it is as follows:

Goes into effect Aug. 28, and the citizens have two years from that time to kill the dogs or have them killed on his place, but should he fail to do so, it is the duty of the commissioners to examine in their respective districts, and if any dogs are found, they have to notify the sheriff, who will at an expense of \$5.00 per day, supervise the killing of dogs on the place, all expenses to be paid by the owner of the land. Should the owner refuse to pay same, the sheriff has the right to levy on and sell his land to pay costs.

The legislature declared the prairie dog a nuisance, and we believe this law to be the step in the right direction, as they destroy untold thousands of dollars worth of crops and grass annually.

## STEEL KING!

By Horace Dale

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## PLAINS

By Carl Forkel

Heretofore some mention has been made by others of the project on foot to install a moving picture show in Plains, but not until all details had been perfected and the enterprise assured have the management deemed fit to announce such a surprise on an unsuspecting public.

In keeping with the new spirit of the times, the suggestion that Plains have a motion picture show this season—all its own—was no sooner made than acted on, and upon solicitations for funds with which to finance the enterprise the response was liberal and enthusiastic, our big hearted ranchmen and business men being prodigal in their willingness to co-operate in all matters pertaining to the well being and pleasure of the community.

Ample funds having been subscribed for the purchase of a new equipment of the latest type, and the power plant will be ample sufficient for all needs.

The airdome will be located between the First State Bank and

the Pulliam building, amply sufficient to accommodate the crowds which will attend these weekly exhibits.

After solicitations and by general consent, the management and installation and operation of the plant has been entrusted to Messrs. Carl Forkel and W. T. Gainer, their willingness to assist in these important matters being a guarantee to the public that our entertainments will be of the highest order.

The management expects to have the machinery and equipments installed and ready for a free entertainment not later than June 19th.

All are cordially invited to be present and help celebrate this epoch in the history of Plains.

A fine 3 inch rain fell here today. This rain covered a period of 24 hours and was one of those slow rains much desired by the farmer.

This rain will put the crops in such a fine shape as they never before have been.

From the Developer.

The music class being conducted by Miss Garner will close with appropriate exercises Thursday evening, and one and

all are given a cordial invitation to be present. Exercises to begin at 1:30 p. m.

R. C. Roy was out last week taking the scholastic census of the Plains District, and reports that he has the enrollment now about complete.

Roy Williams, manager of the Chase Brothers' Ranch of Hale county, is here this week gathering the remnant of steers left here last fall by these parties when they were pasturing with W. J. Belcher.

We had forgotten to mention in last issue of the Developer that Sam J. Biggers and his mother are absent on a trip to points in New Mexico, and may be away for some two or three weeks.

Mrs. Melvin Cox of Floydada, accompanied by her little sister, Tillie Bishop, spent several days in Plains recently visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cox, having accompanied on her return home as far as Lubbock by Mrs. J. M. Cox.

R. C. Roy and Lon Holiman have recently sold a bunch of steer yearlings which they were grazing on the Holiman ranch, the sale having been made at a consideration of \$35 per head.

J. M. Wickson has sold an unimproved section in the southeast part of the county to J. P. Heath, who lately removed to Yoakum county, and we learn that Mr. Heath will improve and occupy the section as a home in the near future.

W. E. Earnest and family of the southwest part of the county were visiting at the Earnest Hotel on Sunday. Billie reports

conditions promising in that part of the county.

Mr. Will Walker of Benjamin Texas, has purchased this week the J. W. James place with lease in the northwest part of the county, and will move his family here at an early date.

Mr. Cruikshank, in company with Milton Robinson visited Lubbock last week for the purpose of visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. H. Weaver, and to form the acquaintance of his little grandson, Master Samuel Howard Weaver, Jr.

Mrs. Walter Moreman and a part of her family have removed to Plains, and are occupying the parsonage at present. She desires that her children enter the school here at the beginning of the session.

J. W. Gainer of Midlothian, accompanied by his son, Irvin Gainer of Gomez, together with their families were visiting his brother, Judge J. T. Gainer, this week. Mr. Gainer is in the west for his health, and it is his intention to visit the mountains in New Mexico, before returning home.

Dipping in the 76 Range was begun Monday and will probably last throughout the week.

WHEN in Lubbock, see us for second hand goods and furniture. We are leaders in the picture framing business. Riley Duff & Co.

Jim King caught two young coyotes as he came to town yesterday, about the size of tarries. He carried them home to show his little son, as he had never seen one.

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# The Terry County Herald

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As they may read when properly filled out. Blanks may be had from Judge Neill:

"The State of Texas—County of Terry:—Before me, the undersigned authority, in and for Terry County, Texas, on this day personally appeared Jim Jones, who being duly sworn says on oath, that since the 18th day of June, 1915, he has killed the following animals in Terry County, Texas, and presents herewith their scalps as follows: 194 jack rabbits, 5 coyotes and 1 lobo wolf. That he killed said animals in person, and no other person killed them.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 30th day of June, 1915.

(Seal) John Smith, N. P.

## M and M Club.

The club met for the last time this summer with Mrs. W. A. Bell, last Saturday afternoon. As the Club disbands for the summer, the next meeting will be in October, at which time they will take up the study of literature again, having decided on one of Shakespear's most popular works. The Club has been studying art this year and have finished up a very prosperous year.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. D. Brownfield, Mrs. A. J. Stricklin, the vice-president presided. Mrs. Bell, the regular teacher, being hostess on this occasion, Miss Ethel Treadaway acted teacher in her place, and gave them some fine instruction.

After the very interesting lesson, the hostess served, what the members pronounced, the most delicious ice cream and cake, they ever tasted.

The Club has a limited membership of twenty, and eighteen are now enrolled, and it is to be hoped that all will be ready for the fall work.

The visitors present were, Mesdames Longbreak and Mathis.

Reporter.

## Harris

By Sand Bur

Mrs. H. F. Wingo and children spent last Tuesday with Mrs. W. H. Harris. Mrs. J. W. Spears also called on Mrs. Harris that day.

Mrs. Rob Harris and sister, Miss Pauline Adams of Bronco, spent Tuesday night at W. H. Harris'. They were on their way to Lubbock from which place they will take a ten days excursion trip to visit their grandmother at Floresville, Tex. Neither of those ladies have been back there since they were small children so of course every thing will seem strange but the time will be too short and the sorrow of leave takings always casts a shadow over those brief visits with loved ones.

Roy and Glenn Harris made a trip to Lubbock last week after casing for a well which they are drilling for W. J. Satter white.

Mr. Roy Williams who is working for Chase Bros., of Kansas, was through our country last week gathering E L steers that strayed off from Will Belcher's pasture near Plains last winter. He was taking them to the old Callahan pasture in Floyd and Hale counties which the Chase Bros., have leased. Mr. Williams spent Wednesday at Brit Clare's and as he had just come from Kansas he had much to say about his native state, though he expressed himself as being pleased with this country.

Martin Gordon's many friends here were pleased to learn that he had come home with J. W. Gordon and will probably spend the summer at the U— ranch. They both went to Plains Thursday in the latter's car and returned to Brit Clare's where they spent the night.

Mrs. Jay McPhaul and mother-in-law, were trading at Harris Wednesday.

Miss Marjorie Turner who has been visiting her brother, Al Turner, near the U— Ranch, returned home Thursday in J. W. Gordon's car.

Two drummers and a life insurance man were at Harris Friday.

Mrs. J. F. Merritt with her sister and family were trading at Harris Friday.

Both young and old enjoyed the ice cream supper at W. H. Harris' Saturday night.

Rev. Loftin of Gomez, filled Bro. Hughes appointment here last Sunday and preached two good sermons to an attentive congregation. There was a bountiful spread of dinner as usual.

COTTON SEED for sale at 50c per bushel; good grade of alimated seed. See Gomez Merc. Co.

A man and woman passed through this week from New York, on their way to San Francisco, horseback. They are to make the entire trip on the same horses by the first of January, and are now more than half their distance across the continent. At the end of their journey, they are to receive \$6000.00.

Dr. J. J. Randal, Dentist, of Paducah, will be in Brownfield June, 15, for 30 days. All work guaranteed first class and prices reasonable.

Miss Mozelle Treadaway is visiting relatives at Mertenz, Tex.

Miss Edith Walters came in this week from Tahoka, where she had been for the past two months.

## Sheriff's Sale Under Execution


The State of Texas—County of Terry: In the District Court of Terry County, Texas, G. E. Lockhart, plaintiff, vs A. J. Smith and S. W. Withers, defendants.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Terry county, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 28th day of April, A. D. 1915, in favor of G. E. Lockhart and against S. W. Withers, No. 217 on the docket of said court, I did on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1915, at 3 o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in Terry county, Texas, and belonging to the said S. W. Withers as follows, to wit: 24 2-3 acres of land out of the south part of section No. 113 in block T., and known as the Brownfield town section. Beginning 75 feet south of the southeast corner of block No. 104 in said town of Brownfield; thence west with the street 675 feet to a point across the street from the southwest corner of block No. 103; thence south 675 feet to the southwest corner of block No. 117; thence on south 173 feet to southwest corner of this tract; thence east 934.6 feet for southeast corner of this tract; thence north 1433.3 feet to the place of beginning, being all the land designated on the map or plat of the town of Brownfield, as blocks 117 and 121 except one acre out of the southeast corner of the tract above described, and on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1915, being the 1st Tuesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said S. W. Withers in and to said property.

Dated at Brownfield, Texas, the 7th day of June, A. D. 1915.

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## Church Directory.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Brownfield: Sunday School every Sunday 10 a. m. J. L. Randal, Supt. Preaching 11 a. m. on 2nd and 5th Sundays, and at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. on the 4th Sunday. Prayer meeting every Wednesday 8:30 p. m. Epworth League every Sunday 4:00 p. m. The Woman's Auxiliary meets Wednesday at 3 p. m. after 2nd and 4th Sundays, Mrs. J. C. Criswell, Pres.

Plains: Sunday School every Sunday 10 a. m., Miss Mattie Stanford Supt. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. every 3rd Sunday, and at 8:30 p. m. every 1st Sunday.

Gomez: Sunday School 10 a. m. every Sunday: Raymond Simms, Supt. Preaching on 2nd and 5th Sundays at 4:00 and 8:30 p. m., Harris: Preaching every 1st Sunday, morning and afternoon. H. L. Hughes, Pastor

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every Sunday, at 10 a. m., at the Court House; W. G. Hardin, Leader. Preaching every 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Elder S. D. Lofton. All are cordially invited to all services.

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

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

E. T. Powell, W. M. J. F. Winston, Secretary

### Brownfield Lodge No 530 I. O. O. F.

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**Some Marvelous Exhibits  
at the Panama-Pacific  
International Exposition**

Exhibits in Agricultural Palace at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Show Caterpillar Gaining Favor Over Lug-wheeler Tractors in Farm Machinery.

An observer in the Agriculture Palace at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco cannot help noticing, in the display of agricultural power machinery, the almost complete superseding of the old models on exhibition, while the caterpillar principle has been applied to almost every type of engine for agricultural purposes.

The caterpillar proper is a heavy sheet metal chain, varying in width from ten inches to two feet according to the weight of the engine, which passes around two heavy sprocket wheels like a belt. These wheels revolving, pass the chain about them, the lower part moving backward, with the weight of the engine resting on the broad surface of the chain between the two sprockets.

An engine of this type can be operated on ground soft enough to mire an ordinary farm wagon.

Duplicate of the Roosevelt African Shotgun.

A duplicate of the shotgun which Col. Theodore Roosevelt took with him on his African trip, a gun constructed expressly for him by an American armorer, is on display at the manufacturer's exhibit in the Manufacturer's Palace at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco. The gun cost its illustrious owner \$360, and its beautiful design, graceful lines and wonderful inlay work would justify the expenditure to any lover of fine pieces. The stock is elaborately hand carved, the barrels and lock are hand engraved, and the lock is inlaid with a hunting scene in gold. The barrels are of the finest Krupp steel. Before starting on the trip the ex-president wrote to the makers: "I really think it is the most beautiful gun I have ever seen. I am almost ashamed to take it to Africa and subject it to the rough treatment it will receive."

The left barrel is choked and the

right open. It is cored to shoot either buckshot or a single ball.

In a group in this Palace are displays by four of the world's greatest manufacturers of sporting arms, which form an exhibit which attracts hundreds of sportsmen. Each display is in charge of a firearms expert.

Pearl Culture a New Industry.

Among the interesting exhibits of the Japanese in the Manufacturers' Palace at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition is a demonstration of the methods and results of pearl cultivation in the far East. The displays of this cultivated product, showing hundreds of pearls which until pearl culture was placed on a commercial basis a few years ago would have been the possessions of royalty, will delight any lover of beautiful gems, and the methods of production will prove interesting to any observer. Though pearl culture has become a thriving industry in Japan, attempts to reproduce it in other parts of the world have yielded but meager results.

The successful method of propagation was evolved by the Japanese scientist Kokichi Mikimoto, who discovered a species of oyster which produced the pearl on the surface of the shell. Though the finding of the oysters and inserting the nuclei, then waiting for the pearl to grow to a commercial size may seem a simple process, the fact that it has not reduced the price of the gems, even to that of the most expensive imitations, shows that it is beset with many difficulties.

Daniel Webster's Plow at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

One of the most valuable exhibits commercially, in the Agricultural Palace at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, is an ancient plow displayed in the Massachusetts exhibit, and forming a striking contrast to the highly-complex modern machinery displayed or the acreage of floor about it.

The plow owes its distinction to the circumstance that a hundred years ago Daniel Webster's youthful hands guided it along the furrows of his father's farm near Marshfield, Mass. It was drawn by a yoke of oxen and if the future peer of American orators and statesmen could turn an acre of sod a day he had to work from daylight to dark.

Radium Used to Promote Plant Growth.

Some of the remarkable properties of radium are being demonstrated by an exhibitor in the Liberal Arts build-

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ing at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, in connection with a new invention making possible the radiofying of water for medicinal purposes.

Demonstrating the power of this mineral promoting metabolism a number of young plants, some existing with and some without the aid of radium, are shown. Those in the radioactive soils are seen to be growing much more rapidly than those in common soil, and to have a more healthy appearance.

This inventor has found a process of impregnating terra cotta bricks with radium-bearing minerals, and these small bricks placed in water are said to give it remarkable curative properties. The porous bricks last almost indefinitely, losing only half their potency, it is estimated, in 1,800 years. Since the discovery of this mineral it has been found that many celebrated waters, as Carlsbad and Baden Baden, owe their health-giving properties to radium. The inventor claims that his process produces in ordinary waters the qualities of these famous springs. The radium ore used in the manufacture of radioactive terra cotta is known as carnotite, a formation found mainly in Colorado and Utah, and now producing three-fourths of the world's radium. The European mineral, known as pitchblende, from which the famous European springs are impregnated, is also displayed

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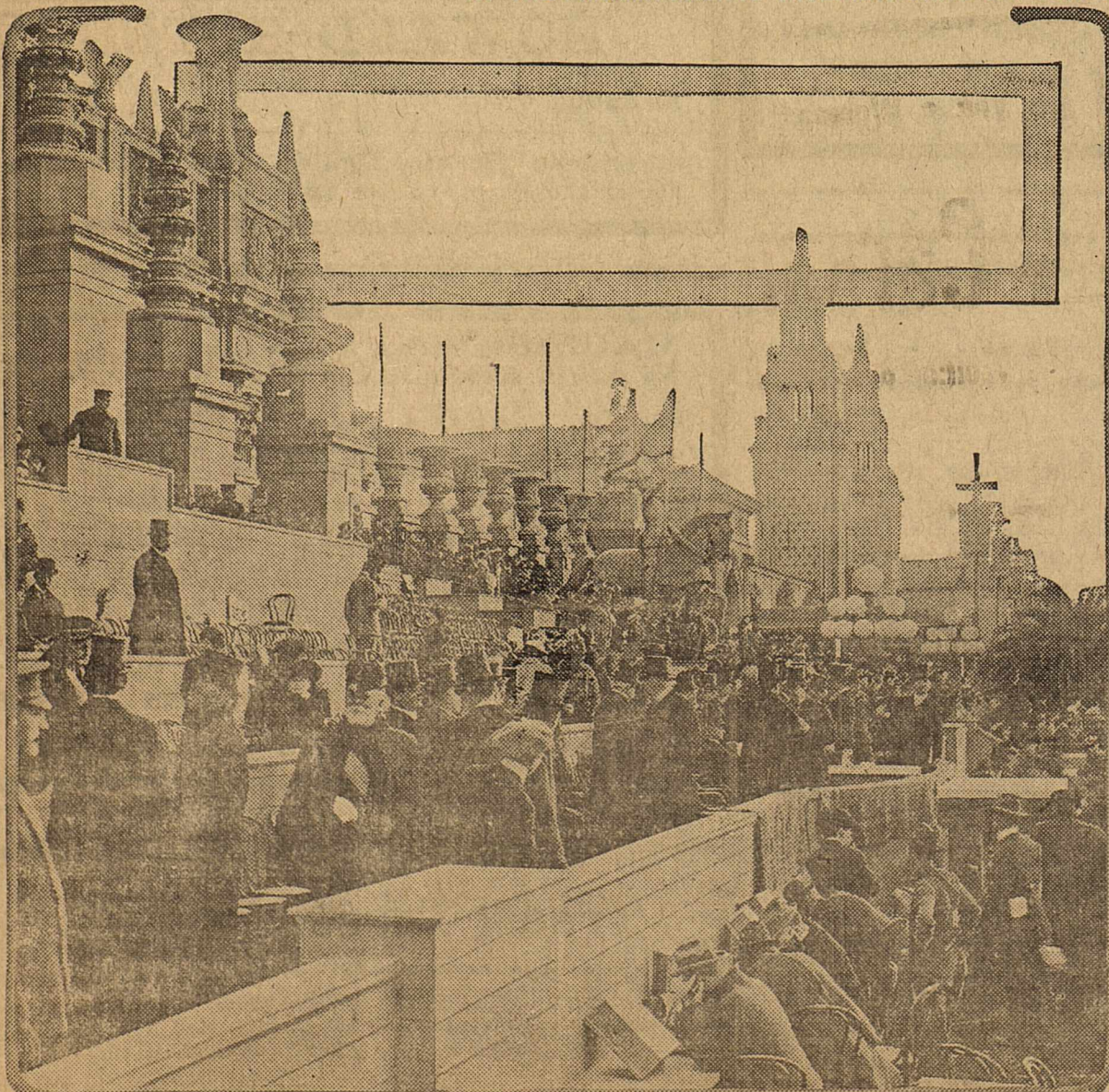
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DURING A LULL IN THE OPENING DAY CEREMONIES  
AT THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION



The Panama-Pacific International exposition was opened by a wireless spark, dispatched by President Woodrow Wilson at Washington, and caught on the tendrils of a wireless aerial on the lofty Tower of Jewels at the exposition. Instantly the power was released in the mighty Palace of Machinery and the portals of the exhibit palaces opened. The scene is on the grand stand after the ceremonies had ended, Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane, Gov. Hiram Johnson of California, Mayor James Rolph, Jr., of San Francisco, President C. C. Moore of the exposition and a notable group of visiting dignitaries being seen in animated discussion of the epochal event. In the press box the correspondents are seen flashing to the world the news that the exposition had opened.

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## E. B. WRIGHT

Brownfield

Texas

D. J. Broughton recorded the will of the late C. W. Post in the Terry county records this week. Mr. Post has considerable property in this county.

Mrs. C. S. Cardwell and her two youngest children, Minnie Lee and Johnnie, are visiting her cousin, Mr. Long, of the Long Hotel at Plains, this week.

Miss Bittie Pyeatt was visiting in town this week.

J. O. Jones and son, Frank, were in this week on business.

Mr. Conlee and little Miss Fay Broughton, are visiting relatives at Gomez, this week.

John Scudday Jr. and family, together with his father-in-law, Mr. Cunningham, from the south side were in shopping this week.

WANTED—Owners of stock farms and ranches in Terry and adjoining counties to list their property with me at once, stating lowest price and best terms, incumbrance, if any. Usual commission charged, references required if desired. J. B. Pickle, Snyder, Texas.

ON account of a bad break in the engine last Saturday, the mill will not run until further notice. Respt. H. F. Adams.

D. Brownfield and wife are visiting the latter's parent, W. R. Harris, of White Mountain, N. Mexico. They left Saturday in their brand new Ford.

Despite the fact that heavy rains have fallen all over the Plains, in the last few days, our auto mail men delivered the goods just about on time.

THE Semi-Weekly Fort Worth Record from now to Dec. 1st for only 40c, or the Daily and Sunday Record from now to Dec. 1st for \$1.80. Orders taken at the Herald office.

Dr. Treadaway reports the arrival of a bouncing baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. White, on the 12th inst.

Word Price is acting County Judge during the absence of Judge Neill in the mountains of New Mexico.

Little Miss Lois Brownfield has a nice class in a kindergarden school in the Hughes residence. From nine a. m. to four p. m., one can look down that way, and is impressed with the vision of the old three months summer schools back east, at which most of us had to get what little education we have.

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**HOW TO BREAK YOUR HENS FROM SETTING.** Sell them to J. R. Hill, at the Hotel.  
Dist. Atty. Lockhart and little daughter, passed through yesterday, on their way to Plains.  
Mrs. R. R. Hughes was in this week visiting friends.  
Misses Gladys and Edna Walters came in Sunday for preaching and to visit friends, and had to stay until Tuesday on account of rain.  
Judge Neill and family, left early Sunday morning for the mountains of New Mexico, where they will take a ten days outing. We hope them a nice trip and much pleasure.  
TRY the Higginbotham-Harris Lumber Co., Tahoka Texas, for your next bill of lumber.

Acting County Judge, W. W. Price, had a phone message from the County Judge of Gaines Co., Tuesday, to the effect that some railroad men from Midland were to be there that night, and wanted the business men of Brownfield to be there—if we wanted a railroad. As there was not enough cars and wagons in town to bring a railroad back with them, they did not go. Levity aside, Brownfield and Terry county does want

**L. C. BEESON, M. D.**  
Plains - - - Texas

a road, but who are these railroad men? They didn't give out any names. Are they listed with Dunn and Bradstreet? We know we have the best all around county in the State, and we know that a railroad would help in its developments, but we have not the time to chase rainbows, but when some outfit with a railroad means business, then our business men and ranchmen and farmers will meet them at the county line with the cash. But they are all from Missouri.

J. C. Dooley was over this week on business.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Moore passed through Wednesday, on their way home, at Gomez, after spending nearly two months on a visit to relatives at points in Alabama and Texas. The editor failed to see them but others say they seemed real proud to get back to the best county on earth.

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# GAS ENGINES--WAGONS--HARDWARE

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### Primrose

Cricket

The nice rain that fell Saturday, Sunday and most all day Monday was one of the most timely of this season. The top of the ground was getting pretty dry as we just had a good shower the last time it rained, therefore it soon dried up. This rain made the moisture meet and put the required season in the ground for the farmers and stockmen to rejoice over.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Branch.

Hershall Timmons made a trip to Lubbock Tuesday of last week. He hauled a load of maize to market.

Mrs. Sam Branch and Miss Edna Cowan attended the ball game at Meadow Saturday afternoon.

H. L. Smith made a business trip to Lubbock, Friday.

Some of the Primrose people attended the party given at G. W. Ellington's last Wednesday night.

Mrs. Branch made a pleasant call Thursday evening at the homes of the Mesdames. Hope and Hershall Timmons.

L. H. Faw visited friends in Lubbock, from Friday until Tuesday. It rained so much he couldn't get back sooner.

The Lakeview ball team crossed bats with the Meadow team again Saturday evening. The final score was 14 to 11, Meadow being victorious again.

Miss Martha Turner has been visiting her brother, George, for several days.

### Meadow

By Sandy

Quite a number were entertained at the home of G. W. Ellington, Wednesday night of last week. Games of various kind and music were indulged in, and at eleven o'clock numbers were passed among the guests and the gentlemen matched theirs with the ladies for refreshments of delicious cake and lemonade. Time passed all too quickly and when at last the guests departed with thanks and appreciation to each member of that pleasant family they voted Miss Grace an ideal hostess and hoped for a repetition of their kindness soon.

Oscar Boyd and family went to Lubbock Friday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Joe

Boyd, who died in El Paso Thursday of last week. The funeral was held in the Presbyterian Church Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

All who knew her loved her and will be made sad to hear of her death.

The ball game between Lakeview and Meadow teams last Saturday afternoon at Meadow, resulted in 11 to 14 in favor of Meadow. Lakeview, you will have to do better yet to beat Meadow.

R. G. Wood says he fears people will think he is to be married when they find out how cosily domiciled he is now in his new home. But there are some people you have to show.

Mrs. Harry Copeland, who has been visiting in Clarendon for the past two weeks, returned home last Sunday.

### Tokio

By Digger

Old Terry is wet once more. We sure are proud to see it that way.

Most everybody are through planting their crops.

Bob Lovelace and wife went to Brownfield Sunday. They are going to plant his brother's crop.

W. E. Cherry was in Tokio Sunday morning.

Ad Cox and family spent Saturday night with Jim Wright and wife.

Norman Lovelace and wife spent Sunday with Dick Lovelace and wife.

J. F. Merritt and family went to Harris Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Snodgrass and children were in Tokio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong and baby left the fourth for Tenn. They are going to see her father who is very sick. We hope he will recover and get alright.

Mr. Lewis is staying over in Tokio until the weather is settled. He lives at Tahoka.

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We understand that the new curtains for the Gomez school auditorium are beauties, and will be used for the first time during the play, Saturday night, June 19.

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On account of the slight indisposition of the editor, this week, readers are asked to overlook what the Herald may lack coming up to its usual standard.

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Gus Farrar, an erstwhile Terryite, but who has been pedoguing in south Texas the past year, came in Saturday to visit relatives. Gus said Terry was the best all around county in the state, and of course we sided in with him.

Miss Dean Lowe was down this week from Lubbock, visiting her sister, Miss Bertha. They left Wednesday for Lubbock, where they will take train for Colorado to spend their vacation.

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## Gomez

By West Wind

R. W. Glover, whom we reported sick last week, was quite seriously sick all the week, and is yet very sick. He has typhoid fever.

Ben Hurst and wife spent the latter part of last week here and Mrs. Hurst is here yet on account of the sickness of her father, Mr. Glover.

Grover Lewis is going to start to the harvest fields north of here just as soon as it quits raining so he can travel.

Mr. and Mrs. Mashburn came in for the mail last Saturday and Miss Esther Simms accompanied them home for a visit

Mrs. Will Snodgrass and children were guests at E. E. Simm's last Sunday.

Mr. Alderson of Southwest Terry was here last Saturday, also went on to Brownfield to mill.

The rain here began just after midnight Sunday night and lasted all day Monday. Part of the time during the day it was light but stopped just at night. This (Tuesday) morning is dark and cloudy.

Well, all the men came to town Monday and the rest of them came in the afternoon. On account of the field work town has been deserted for quite a while, and Monday's rain brought a day of recreation, besides the luxury of wading mud six inches deep every time they crossed the streets.

There was a dance out at Mr. Timms on last Friday night, but we have not seen anyone who was there.

Mrs. Criswell and children of Brownfield, paid ye scribe a much appreciated call last week.

Sandy, that pup must be either hungry or a grey hound. In case it is the first liberal rations and age may cure him of egg eating, but the last is incurable and there are just two ways of preventing a greyhound from eating eggs. One is, don't keep any fowls on the place, and the other is kill the dog.

Mr. Editor, on first page of last week's Herald you gave the size of a midland peach tree, then of one in Terry. We suppose both trees have been irrigated, so will give size of one in the orchard of Rev. J. C. Lewis. The orchard is here in Gomez, just west of the square and was planted nine years ago. There is no well on the place and the orchard never has had any water except the rain. One tree measured 29 inches around and 27 feet spread. Not as large as the other trees we know, but Rev. Lewis does not live on the place and the orchard has had very little cultivation and no irrigation.

There is going to be another play here soon for school house benefit. We will give notice of it if we learn what it is and when it is to be, in time to do so.

Married in Brownfield Texas, on Sat., 5th inst, Mr. Harry Timms and Miss Woodard. Mr. Timms is a well known young farmer of Terry, whose genial sunny disposition added to

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of friends. The bride is an entire stranger to us, but we join with a host of friends in wishing them a long and happy life.

Mrs. Timm's mother from Oklahoma, has come to spend the summer here. She has been here before and has many friends here who give her a cordial welcome.

Mrs. J. C. Green had a letter from her husband at Georgetown, Wednesday, that her sister was worse, and she left that afternoon with some drummers for Lubbock, where she will take train for that point.

Messrs. L. T., J. J. and Will Youngblood, together with the wives of L. T. and J. J., are visiting their sister, Mrs. M. V. Brownfield. They all reside at Blackwell, Texas, but Herald has hopes that they may decide to locate in the best county.

### Terry Schoolastics

The following is the 1815-1916 Terry county schoolastic population, with the name and number of the district.

No. 1. Brownfield	106
No. 2. Gomez	83
No. 3. Needmore	20
No. 4. Meadow	18
No. 5. Midway	14
No. 6. Dumas	2
No. 7. Pleasant Valley	19
No. 8. Johnson	21
No. 9. J Cross	14
No. 10. Ellis	2
No. 11. Groves Chapel	26
No. 12. Adams	8
No. 13. Scudday	4
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