

The Terry County Herald

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COME AND SEE

Our full Spring line has just arrived. This makes us the largest stock of Dry Goods that we have ever shown. The price of merchandise Generally has greatly advanced but we bought anticipating these advances and offer you the advantage of the old prices in almost every line.

Every department in our store, except Furniture which we expect to arrive in a few days, is brim full of new and first quality merchandise which we are anxious to show you.

Brownfield Mercantile Co.

Climate Valuable Asset.

The plains enjoys a climate that averages very well for the year. This climate is a great factor in making the present rapid development of the plains possible. Yet the climate receives little or no credit for what is possible on the plains.

In the first place the climate is healthful for man and beast. It relieves and often cures diseases of the lungs and throat. It harbors no malaria. Germs of various brands and designations are made harmless by the plains sunshine. No one disputes the healthfulness of the climate.

The climate is mild without severe extremes of cold and heat. Compared to the winter climate of the middle west, the great feeding section of the United States, it is most delightful. On the other hand, owing to altitude, the summers are not hot. In short, the climate of the plains is delightful summer and winter, compared with almost any other section of the United States.

The climate makes the live stock business possible without heavy investment in equipment of buildings and shelter for live stock in winter. It is one of the favored live stock sections in the United States, be it growing or full feeding of cattle, sheep and hogs.

The tiller of the soil has a remarkable long growing season and the opportunity of growing a long list of small grains like wheat and oats and forage crops like Indian corn, kaffir corn, and milo maize. Every variety of

deciduous fruit like the apple, peach, and plum thrive.

The climate is so valuable an asset that a little wind between times, becomes insignificant. Climate is the great asset of the plains.—A. M. Hove.

Population of Texas.

A Census Bureau estimate for July 1, 1916, gives Texas a population of 4,429,566, a gain of 75,756 for the last year, and an increase of 333,024 since the 1910 census. The estimate for population on January 1, 1916, is 4,386,638. The department announces that Texas has increased population more rapidly than the country as a whole.

FOR SALE—13 pure breed Silver Laced Wyandotte Cockerels. See or write Mrs. A. M. Crews, Gomez, Texas.

Jno. C. Scudday, Sr., came in one day last week, and handed us the coin to keep 'er coming. John will likely build a modern bungalow on his section he recently traded for on the west side.

FOR SALE. Two young mares, 16 hands high, solid color, no blemishes. Will trade for young work horses or mules. J. M. Mosley, Brownfield, Texas.

D. M. Belew started out with his Watkins wagon last week, and he informed us that he did a very good business, but was called in on account of sickness in his family.

SEE J. W. Youngblood for all kinds of monuments, grave fencing. Phone 27, Brownfield, Tex.

City Reporter.

J. H. Hall and wife and J. N. Lewis and wife made a trip to Littlefield Sunday, returning Monday.

Mr. Strange and family of Crosbyton are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Banowsky.

Mrs. A. J. Stricklin entertained her lady friends with a Hen Party last Thursday night. She also gave the little folks a party Saturday night.

Mrs. Wolfarth and Mashburn were in from the ranch Tuesday morning.

C. F. Rickles and wife were in town, trading, Wednesday morning.

Brock Gist and wife were in from their home in New Mexico, this week, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Bell.

Mrs. Whitely and Miss Jones were over from Gomez, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson were in from their home north of here Tuesday.

Walter Frazier, of Harris, was here Tuesday, to meet his sister, who will spend this week visiting him.

LOST: A number 410 gauge shot gun in town last Saturday. Finder will please return to Dr. C. M. Bell, City.

P. P. Winn started his peddling wagon last week. He carries a few dry goods and notions and buys eggs and chickens. He got so many eggs by the middle of the week that he had to come in.

Increase of Live Stock Feasible.

Changes have been coming fast in our part of the range territory," said George East of Baca county, Colorado when in Kansas City a few days ago. Mr. East has ranched in four states the last twenty five years and knows whereof he speaks.

"A few years ago when settlers came in and the free range began to disappear, we supposed that no more cattle would be raised. In this belief we were mistaken. Stock farmers seem to be increasing the number of cattle right along for the reason that they are raising such a great amount of feed to properly care them and in that way never suffer any losses. In the free range days we lost thousands of our cattle."

They are drifting into stock farming in Oklahoma and western Kansas. The stock farmer has made good the last few years. His is the correct diversified farming and he always has something to sell, be the years bad or good. There is always something growing to feed the cow and the pig and the chickens and the turkeys.

Northwest Texas and eastern New Mexico will in time become a great stock farming section. When it comes to natural advantages, the great southern plains have many. The climate is mild. The climate is healthful for man and beast. The feed lots are dry. The growing season is long. The forage grains and small grains produce abundantly on virgin land in the newest and best west of today. And

rich is the native grass.

And this section is no longer far from everywhere. The new southern trans continental route of the Santa Fe across the plains gives direct and quick service to the best live stock and grain markets. The Galveston San Francisco line runs direct to the gulf coast.

All in all there is everything in favor of increasing the number of cattle, sheep, and hogs as new settlers of the right sort extend the farming area in northwest Texas and eastern New Mexico.—A. M. Hove.

FOR SALE: Section of Lynn county plains land, known as number 521, situated about 12 miles east of Tahoka, 1 mile south of the Tahoka and Post county road. This is an unusually fine section. Will sell as a whole or in quarter sections. For prices and terms write,

Benj. Franklin, Jr.,
Point Pleasant, W. Va.

While in Lubbock last week we struck an old friend, Joe Key, from Jones county, who had bought one hundred acres in Lubbock county. He said the land agents told him it was so sandy, one could not get here. We certainly appreciate such compliments, but if his trade does not go through up there, he will come down and see the best county on the plains, as he had started here when told these wild stories by the Lubbock real estate agents. Come on Joe, Terry will speak for itself.

Mesdames Tiernan and Long-break made a trip to Lubbock, Monday, on a trading expedition.

"REMEMBER TO GET OUR PRICES" on Post, Wire and Salt.

"WE PAY THE PRICE ON HIDES."

Lubbock Grain & Coal Company

The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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J. L. RANDAL

CANDIDATES

The following Candidates have all announced, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

For Judge 72nd Jud. Dis.

W. R. Spencer

For County Judge

W. W. Price
E. L. Duke

For County and District Clerk

J. C. Green
D. J. Broughton
Miss Annie Hamilton

For Sheriff and Tax-Collector

J. N. Lewis

For Tax-Assessor

Clint Rambo
J. R. Burnett

For County Treasurer

Miss Dora Daugherty
J. T. May

The Terry County Herald devotes a little space in telling our wife how to handle us, suggesting the use of a broom, flatiron and other feminine weapons. We have no fault to find with your suggestion, brother, and really wife thinks it an ideal one, but hereafter when such advice is given be considerate and not send us a copy of your dingy sheet, unless by registered mail so that there may be no possible chance of the "old womom's" back East. And our country

coming into possession of it.—Andrews Times.

Besides ourself, those who attended the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., from this point, at Mineral Wells, were Mrs. A. B. Bynum, and Miss Nettie Sawyer, the former representing the Brownfield Rebekah Lodge, and Miss Sawyer as a Past Grand, for the pleasure and the information to be derived. We want to say right here, that although Mineral Wells contains less than 20,000 inhabitants, she certainly did take care of the delegates in a beautiful way, mainly for the reason that it is a resort, and is full of good hotels. The boys who attended this session of the Grand Lodge, will long remember Mineral Wells and the efficient way she handled the crowd. Of course all those who went, want to go to the Grand Lodge again, and as for ourself, there will only be two things in the way, and that is health in the family, and money matters. You get us?

Hon. Ben F. Smith, publisher of the Lockney Beacon and State Fire Insurance Adjuster, on returning from a trip over the state has this to say: "Of all the sections of Texas visited in the past few months, we find the Plains country the most prosperous of them all. There is more push and genuine enterprise found in the Panhandle than in any section of Texas. As to financial conditions, we are in the lead of other portions of the state. Our people have more money, are more prosperous in every way than those

has just began to grow and develop. The next few years is destined to see many changes in the Plains country, and much substantial development."—Crosbyton Review.

LIST your lands with the Lusk Land Co., Lamesa Texas, if you want to sell, as we get results. We have buyers for any size tracts.

Arthur Alexander, an old Terryite, was in Saturday, and got his name on our mailing list at Plainview, N. M. Mr. Alexander recently sold his land here just north of town.

NERO my seven-eighth black Percheon stallion, three years old, will make the season at my barn eight miles northeast of Brownfield. Season \$10 to insure. M. N. White, Brownfield, Texas.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a order of Sale and Execution issued out of the Honorable 14th Judicial District Court of Dallas County, on the 10 day of February A. D. 1918, in the case of J. S. Underwood vs. W. P. Luse, et al No. 13417-A, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon the 12 day of Feb'y A. D. 1918, and will between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock p. m. on the first Tuesday in April A. D. 1918 being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of Terry county in the town of Brownfield, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand all the right, title and interest which W. P. Luse and R. E. L. Goddard had on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1912, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit: All that certain lot or parcel of land situated in Terry county, Texas, being the northeast 1-4 of section 30, block 4X, Cert. No. 1274, issued to E. L. & R. Ry. Co., being the same land that date conveyed to R. E. L. Goddard by A. F. Luse as it existed on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1912. Said property being levied on as the property of R. E. L. Goddard and W. P. Luse, to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$2182.50, together with accrued interest thereon, in favor of J. S. Underwood and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this 12th day of Feb'y, A. D. 1918.

J. N. LEWIS
Sheriff Terry County, Texas

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Church Directory.

METHODIST CHURCH

Brownfield: Sunday School at 10 a. m., J. L. Randal, Supt. Preaching every 2nd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 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 at 10 a. m., Miss Mattie Stanford, Supt. Preaching every 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Gomez: Sunday School 10 a. m., every Sunday, Raymond Simms, Supt. Preaching every 4th Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Harris: Preaching every 1st Sunday morning and afternoon.
J. M. Fryar, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Sunday School and Emblems every Sunday, at 10 a. m., at the Court House; R. H. Banowsky Leader. Preaching every 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

by Elder Liff Sanders. All are cordially invited to all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Preaching every 1st and 4th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. M. W. Souter, Supt. Choir practice every Thursday night. Everybody welcome.
J. B. Vinson, Pastor.

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.

W. K. Bridges, N. G.
D. J. Broughton, Sec'y.
Meets every Friday night in Odd Fellows Hall

BROWNFIELD REBEKAH LODGE NO. 329
Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month in the I. O. O. F. Hall at 7:30 p. m.
Mrs. J. C. Green, N. G.
Miss Nettie Sawyer, Sec'y.

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LET Brooks & Green paint your house this spring

L. McDaniel has sold his house and two of his lots to B. P. Brothers. Mr. Brothers will move his family up from Paducah in the near future. Mr. McDaniel will likely rebuild somewhere in town.

Uncle Jack Coble has sold his entire five lots laying just north of the square to M. V. Brownfield, of this city. We understand that possession is to be given June 1st., and we do not know what Uncle Jack will follow after that time. Consideration \$2,500.00.

TRADE: Good well improved section in Gray county, near Rock Island Railroad for unimproved land on South Plains. Mrs. R. E. Dorsey, McLean, Tex.

Rev. Vinson filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday with two good sermons.

Judge Neill has bought the old Randal Drug Store building and will use it after November for a law and abstract office.

Son Hughes was helping Jack Smith haul corn to the railroad this week.

While away at Mineral Wells, several more small homes were built in and around town, but we did not learn the names of the builders.

Mr. Anderson and wife moved to Lamesa this week.

Mrs. Horace Randal is reported to be doing much better this week.

Several of the young men of Lubbock, attended the big dance at the City Cafe, Wed. night.

WANTED to buy from owner for cash, 2 sections land within 20 miles of Tahoka. What have you? S. S. Ramsey, Tahoka, Texas.

District Court at Lamesa was adjourned until next Monday as the citizens of that place are building a new court house and had the old one up on wheels preparatory to moving it. Work has already been begun on the foundation for the new building.—Tahoka News.

RAISE Saddle Stock. I will stand the noted Tom Hahl horse, (Ranger) at the C. L. Williams' place 7 miles N. E. of Brownfield at \$10 and insure colt. Jack Smith, owner.

J. E. Stokes, Ed Meyer, H. M. Larkin and Otho Thomas, all bustling business men of Tahoka, were here yesterday, advertising their Trades Day to be pulled off Monday.

Miss Alma Curry, the Tahoka "hello" girl, is visiting Mrs. R. L. Verner of the Brownfield Exchange, this week.

C. M. Boon and T. E. Hobbs, two of our prosperous farmers, dropped a dollar each in the slot this week.

N. D. Goree came over Wednesday from Tahoka, to bring Mrs. Goree, who is running the branch house here. They report good business at both houses.

Mr. Brothers left this week for Paducah, after his family. Grandpa Winston is running Mr. Brother's grocery store during his absence.

To our readers, we wish to explain the reason the Herald was a day late last week, was caused

by us not getting in until Friday noon, and the Herald had to be printed Saturday, and was therefore too late to get in the outgoing mails and had to lay over till Monday.

We met Mr. Richardson this week, who has just moved here from Cottle county. He is improving his section of land five miles north of town.

W. J. French and son, Luther, of the Lou community, were here this week looking after business matters and laying in supplies.

M. V. Brownfield and Noah Bell returned Saturday from Houston, where they have been attending the Cattlemen's Convention. They report a very active convention, and a good time for the delegates. The Texas Cattlemen's Association is now up in arms against the so called meat trust, and they are going after those responsible for it in dead earnest.

FOUR cows and calves branded O on right shoulder, strayed from ranch on line of Lynn and Perry. Liberal reward for advise as to present location.

Advise Geo. Tiernan, Brownfield or Robinson and Copeland, Lubbock, Texas.

Uncle Mose Dumas has purchased the Dock Walker place on Lovers Lane, and if the deal goes through, he will move in as soon as he can get possession. Uncle Mose will make any town a fine citizen.

Doss Windham was in Saturday purchasing supplies.

Jack Drinkard has resigned his position with the Brownfield Hardware Co., and is now swinging the saw and hammer with R. H. McCormack. Earl Hill has taken Jack's place in the Hardware store.

W. D. Winn, Clint Rambo and wife and Miss Vergie Rambo, were over in the former's Ford this week. Clint and wife got in from Sweetwater Tuesday night.

Homer Scott and family of Tahoka, paid the Herald family a visit this week. They were on their way to Plains on a visit.

Dock Powell's garage is nearing completion.

Actual construction work was begun on the new Randal Drug Store this week. This store will be a thing of beauty when complete. It will be 24x40, with glass front, and concrete foundation. Herald congratulates Mr. Randal on his enterprise, showing as he does his confidence in our little city.

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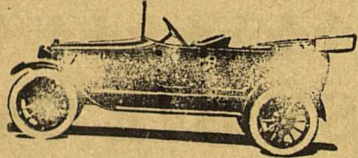
NEAT JOB WORK

Announcement

I wish to announce to the public that I have opened a first class Grocery Store in Brownfield. I am here to stay, having had several years experience in the grocery business, I believe I can satisfy you in this line. I will handle only first quality groceries and they will be sold at the very lowest prices. Being a stranger in your town I wish you would call around and get acquainted anyway. Yours for your Grocery business,

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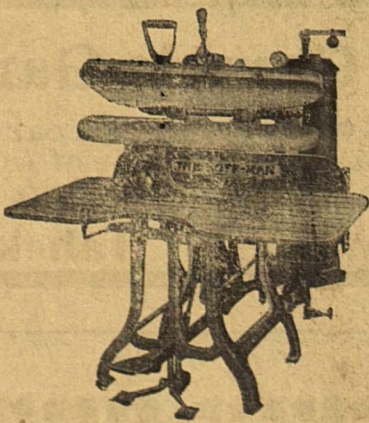
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BROWNFIELD TEXAS

It is reported here that the Santa Fe railway company is surveying a line from Lamesa to Seminole, a distance of about 35 miles.

Mr. Head, of the southwest side of the county, returned this week from Fisher County, where he went to attend the funeral of

his brother.

Several gentlemen from Jones county were here this week, and among them was B. F. Bailey, an old friend of the Herald man, who used to trust us with groceries until fall. We were real glad to meet him once more.

Joe Lane was here last Satur-

day, and reported that his little daughter was getting along real well now.

R. I. Puckett, was here this week after supplies.

If the thermometer keeps falling whirls downward, we are soon going to have a real frost.

As this is not in type Friday morning a general rain is falling over Terry county which already amounts to more than half an inch. Indications are good for more, as the wind is in the northeast.

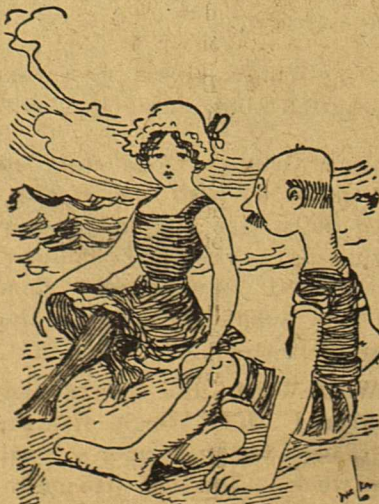
The Methodist Ladies Aid will serve ice cream next Friday from 4 p. m. till night, in the court yard.

POPE A VOLUNTARY PRISONER

Custom Alone Prohibits the Head of the Church From Leaving the Vatican Grounds.

The custom of the pope never leaving the Vatican originated in 1870, when the temporal dominion of the pope came to an end and the former States of the Church were incorporated in the new kingdom of Italy. There is no law against his leaving his palace or its grounds, nor would he be arrested for such procedure. The pope's remaining in the Vatican is voluntary. One of the first acts of the kingdom of Italy after its union of the whole of the peninsula was to pass the law of guaranties, in force May 13, 1871, declaring the pope's residence extraterritorial and immune from Italian law. All action of the authorities of the kingdom of Italy stops at the gate of the Vatican. At the time of Victor Emmanuel's occupation of Rome Pius IX declared himself opposed to the kingdom's temporal sovereignty and originated the custom of the pope's remaining in that part of the city where he is still absolute ruler. When the pope goes to St. Peter's it is regarded as a part of the Vatican for the time. It is interesting to note in this connection that the Vatican was not originally intended as a place of residence. Comparatively a small part of it is now residential; the remainder serves the purposes of science, art and the administration of the Catholic church. Of the 1,000 rooms in the great palace, 200 serve as residences for the pope, secretary of state and the other high officials of the church.

SLIGHT ENCOURAGEMENT



He—If I were to ask you to marry me, what would you say?

She—I don't know; but I'd be too polite to say what I thought.

VERY UNCERTAIN.

"Well, how much longer do you expect to stand there holding that telephone receiver to your ear?" asked the impatient person.

"I'm sure I don't know," replied the subdued-looking man, as he carefully placed his hand over the transmitter, so his words could not be heard at the other end of the line. "I don't detect the slightest note of weariness in my wife's voice so far."

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PLAINS
By Carl Forkel

J. H. King and Homer Hamilton visited Big Springs last week on business.

The following couples from New Mexico have married in Plains since our last report: H. W. Bebbrey and Miss Edith

Copeland, Tatum; C. C. Fargier and Mrs. Minnie Linhart; Thos. J. Shields and Miss Dollie Gravlee.

Wayne Carlisle and Cland Ray have recently returned from a prospecting trip to Southern New Mexico.

C. E. Goodnight, L. N. Henry and Jack Roadh of Goodnight, Texas, were here prospecting last week, and may each locate

here in the near future, they having some land purchases under consideration in this county.

Walter Moreman is off on a prospecting trip to Loving county at present.

Judge and Mrs. J. T. Gainer visited friends in Gomez Saturday while attending the Quarterly Conference of the Methodist church at that place.

Rain indications were prevalent on Thursday, but no rain of consequence has fallen.

The Hudson addition to the garage is nearing completion, Ed Dumas having the construction in charge.

We have no late information regarding the railroad situation mentioned in last issue, other than information has come that the Santa Fe surveyers are running a line between Lamesa and Sterling City. A connection between those points would evidently be desirable, should it be contemplated to build in this direction from Lamesa.

Mr. Swink, formerly of Pardon, Navarro county, is moving in the south part of this county where he will reside and improve a section of land which he purchased some months ago.

Hunter and Dick Long who has been visiting with their parents here for the past two weeks, left Saturday for Magdalena, N. M., where they have been residing for the past two years.

Claud Criswell and Chas. Roy cattle inspectors for this territory, spent last week in Plains.

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By West Wind

When the Herald failed to come last Saturday we thought sure we would get it Monday, but both Monday and Tuesday's mail came and still no Herald. Most assuredly there are bigger papers than the Herald, but none that we people on this side of Terry miss more, and most of us had rather miss any other paper than the Herald. (The papers were mailed here early Monday morning and should have gotten to Gomez Monday noon.—Ed.)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Sherrod last Saturday, the 25th a fine boy. Both mother and baby doing well. Mr. Sherrod lives on the Ball farm two and one half miles west of Gomez.

The Methodist meeting here is still in progress. We are informed there has been several conversions and they are having a real good meeting.

Joe Lane was in town Tuesday. He has been to Roswell N. M. since then. A. P. Seitz accompanied him.

Judge Gainer and wife and son, Paul, of Plains, came over last Saturday to attend Methodist Quarterly Conference here, and visited at Walter Gainer's Saturday night and at Dr. Maddux's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alvin Duke and little Bert will leave for their home in New Mexico, today Wednesday. They will go with Brock Gist and wife who have been visiting relatives here in Terry, and are returning home.

Mrs. Duke has recovered from her severe spell of sickness, in January, but her eyes are yet so weak she can't see to even do cooking or ordinary housework.

Hosea Key left for Tahoka Tuesday morning with two huge loads of corn.

A message from Lubbock last Saturday summoned Mrs. West Key to the bedside of her husband, in a sanitarium there. She went Sunday and on Monday morning he was operated on for a tumor in the side. Tuesday afternoon a phone message stated that he had rallied from the operation, but was very sick and the attending physicians thought his recovery doubtful.

Mrs. Weeks is visiting out at Mr. Jernagan's two miles west of town, for several days this week.

Jim Burnett came in early Monday morning with a load of lumber for Mr. Spear. Mr. Spear is making quite a lot of improvement on his residence this week.

Well, last week's cold snap didn't kill the fruit crop in Gomez. Our peaches, apples, cherries, grapes and mulberries are all right so far and present prospects are for a heavy crop.

Beginning next Monday A. P. Moore will issue tickets on all cash or 30 day sales of goods sold by him for the next six weeks. The holder of the most tickets at the end of that time is to get free a No. 1 disc record taking machine. Now then if you want music buy from him. No merchant in West Texas

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Will Moore and family and Mr. Winson McPherson, nephew of Uncle Bart McPherson, are en route here moving from Milton county. They will get in this week.

Will McPhaul was here Wednesday.

Clint Rambo got in home Tuesday. He is much improved and is to walk soon on crutches.

Messrs. King, Armstrong and Melace passed through Wednesday en route to Lubbock. Messrs. Armstrong and Love were en route to Southern Missouri. They are going visiting, of course they wouldn't leave Terry to stay. Mrs. King accompanied them to Lubbock.

Grandma Stapp came in Tuesday, after spending the fall and winter with her daughter at Sidney, Texas. Her many friends here gladly welcome her home.

Meadow

By Sandy

Walk Hendrick's with a session of a new Area

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Arnett are home for a few days from Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Dickson were week end visitors at the Newt Copeland home.

There were services at the Meadow church Sunday. Quite a crowd were in attendance. There will be services every fourth Sunday at eleven o'clock.

The students making an average of 85 in all their studies and department for March are, Fred Williams, Hugh Siddon, Frank Boyd, Claud Estes, Frank Estes, Maud Collins, Lucile Boyd, S. C. Arnett.

The children are doing their best to make the passing grade which is 85, and they should be given all possible encouragement and assistance at home.

Fire and Ashes.

The wise man does not center his attention upon effects. They are to him as the ashes resulting from the genial heat of spiritual fires. There is no satiety in his life, because the fire of the original Spirit is ever new and fresh. He does not identify himself with the ashes, consequently he never has to count himself at the end of existence. Ashes are carried out and cast to the four winds, but the fire burns on and on.—Charles Fillmore, in Unity.

Man Without a Country.
An Italian translation of Dr. E. E. Hale's famous story, "The Man Without a Country," has been circulated in Italy in a cheap pamphlet edition for the purpose of arousing patriotic feeling. A writer in the Christian Register, noting this fact, tells us that he once asked Doctor Hale if he really felt his great patriotic story as deeply as he made his readers feel it, and that he received a most emphatic affirmative response.

Good Night!

He—Then you are not interested in my welfare?
She—No; but if the two syllables were transposed I'd not only be interested but enthusiastic.—Boston Evening Transcript.



We have excursion tickets on sale to the following points at fares quoted below.

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