

The Terry County Herald

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BROWNFIELD, TERRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 1916

NO 48

FULL UP AND BUSY

So busy we had the editor to write this ad. Full? Yes, in every department. Come in, and we can show you better than we can tell you. Never get too busy to show the goods

Brownfield Mercantile Co.

Demand for Eight Hour Day.

Formal demand for an eight hour day without deduction of pay was on Mar. 30th, presented by the train service employes to the management of every railroad in the United States, thirty days being given the roads in which to decline or accept the new schedule. The management of the four major organizations has full control of the program and request is made that all the railroads combine in appointing a joint committee to confer.

The main features of the demands are: "In all road service 100 miles or less, 8 hours or less shall constitute a day, except in passenger service. On runs of 100 miles or less overtime will begin at the expiration of eight hours. All overtime to be computed on the minute basis and paid for at time and one-half the pro rata rate. No one shall receive less for 8 hours or 100 miles than they now receive for a minimum day or 100 miles for the class of engine used or for service performed. Eight hours or less will constitute a day in all yard and switching service. Eight hours or less at present ten hour pay will constitute a day's work in hostling service. All over 8 hours within any 24 hour period to be computed and paid for at rate of time and one-half time." All favored rules will stand.

This demand comes from over 300,000 engine and train men, the best paid railroad employees. It is in fact a demand for an in-

crease in wages that have been materially advanced since 1906. Cutting two hours from the working day and penalizing overtime will increase the operating cost of railroads. It is estimated that the increase will total \$100,000,000.00 a year. Such an increase will either throw the railroads into the hands of receivers with attendant scurvy and curtailed service or be met by the public in the form of higher freight rates. In either case it is a serious matter to the public, should the demand for eight hours be granted.—A. M. Hove.

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

Lemmie McDaniel came in this week with lumber and a carpenter and is busy putting up a temporary residence.

Mr. Brothers came in last week with his family from Paducah, and is now in his residence that he recently purchased from L. McDaniel. Welcome to Brownfield.

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.

A. P. Moore made a trip to Lubbock this week on business, returning Wednesday.

The job department turned out 500 fourteen page booklets for the Brownfield Land Company, this week, advertising their land bargains.

Officers Get a Man.

Quite an exciting chase occurred here Tuesday night. A fellow by the name of Sullivan of Tahoka, who was alleged to have beat up his wife, was making for New Mexico, and the officer of Tahoka phoned in here to stop him. Deputy Sheriff Jack Drinkard, Will Mathis and Geo. McPherson, got in the Mathis jitney and tried to stop Sullivan about even with the telephone exchange, but he did not heed them. They ran ahead of him at or near John Hall's residence, and again he failed to stop, and several shots were fired, but he told them to shoot. Will Mathis passed him again and stopped at the west corner of the town section, where Sullivan ran into the Mathis car with his heavy Buick, wrecking the former, and damaging his own enough that the officer got him and searched him. We understand that he claims someone has wrecked his home, and that he had as soon be dead as alive, and asked the officer why they did not shoot to kill.

Judge Stokes of Tahoka, phoned over this week and invited the Brownfield Woodman Camp to come over Easter Sunday to attend a Woodman unveiling. We understand that fifteen camps will be invited to attend. It is expected that several car loads from Brownfield will attend.

FOR SALE; cash or terms, 4 head work mules and some four year old horses, broke. Also a broad tired wagon. See Stafford Day, Brownfield, Texas.

Advance in Stationery.

On account of the recent advance in the cost of paper of from 25 to 50 percent, the Herald job department is obliged to revise its former prices on stationery. While we are paying a cent per pound more than a year ago, for common newspaper, the price of the Herald will remain \$1.00 per year until further notice. We understand that the Paper Mills have almost quit taking orders for papers, and in a few more months, maybe weeks we may be unable to get paper at all. The advance in price will amount to practically 25 percent on all job work.

We are sorry to make this change after seven years of the same old price, but you are paying more for everything else. In fact this editor is paying more for his biscuits than he was seven years ago; also for all kinds of wearing apparel, and our customers can have no objection to our advance. Those wishing to see the quotations from wholesale paper houses, can do so at our office. This new rate is now in force.

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

The band boys are practicing up on Dixie a great deal these days. An old Confederate Vet called on them to play the old tune the other day at Tahoka, and while they say they did their best, it was not much, but they will have it down next time they are called on.

Honor Roll

Of the Brownfield Public School for the seventh month of the present term:

First grade; Will Alf Bell, Anna Lee Banowsky, Allie Hamilton, Norma Mathis, Madie Brooks, Veda McDole.

Second grade; Larue Sawyer, Maud Eytel Banowsky, Jessie Lee King, Earnest Beard.

Third grade; Margaret Bell, Edna Beard.

Fourth grade; Elmo Skeen, Fay Broughton.

Fifth grade; Lucile Sauter, Merl Bell.

Sixth grade; Aubra Banowsky, Johnny Winston.

Ninth grade; Cecil Smith.

Highest average:

High First grade; Anna Lee Banowsky. Low First grade; Veda McDole.

Second grade; Maud Eytel Banowsky.

Third grade; Edna Beard.

Fourth grade; Elmo Skeen.

Fifth grade; Lucile Sauter.

Sixth grade; Johnny Winston and Aubrey Banowsky.

Seventh grade; Horace Burnett

Eighth grade; Everett Winston.

Ninth grade; Cecil Smith.

Tenth grade; Lois Brownfield and Lissie Winston.

Remember that Bro. Sanders of Lubbock, will be with us Sunday, if the weather permits. LATER. We learn that our brother J. T. Stricklin, will fill Bro. Sanders' appointment here, Sunday.

Dock Powell spent several days out at the Merc. ranch last week.

"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

Entered at the Post Office at Brownfield, Texas as Second Class mail matter, according to an Act of Congress, March 3, 1879.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year	\$1.00
Six Months	.50
Three Months	.25

ADVERTISING RATES.

Per inch per month	50c
Per inch for a single issue	15c
Better rates on half page or more and exceptionally liberal terms on large, long standing contracts.	
Local Readers, per line, 1st insertion	10c
Each consecutive insertion	05c

Any reflection on the reputation or standing of any private individual, firm or corporation, will be gladly amended if brought to the notice of the publisher.

HEALTH and HAPPINESS

I am in business for your health, but incidentally I want to make a living out of it. So therefore I will appreciate your trade and treat you right.

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 warm days this week have made the trees bud forth and the grass get up and clink, and our city farmers have risked lots of real good Congressional seed in the ground, but they come free, and if killed, our people are able to buy some good seed from the merchants.

kissed and made up on the same day when Roosevelt, Elihu Root, Robert Bacon, Henry Cabot Lodge, and Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood met at a love luncheon in New York City. Now then, all can have a new guess as to who will be the next Republican Nominee for president.—Slatonite

The best advice ever offered the young man, and he gets lots of it, is to choose his profession and stay with it. In other words, don't be a scissor tail one minute and a bird of paradise the next; you'll never make any headway at it. Stay with your calling, and you will come into your own after awhile.

As to the railroad possibilities, you know as much or more than we. There was a survey run through here last week, the crew setting stakes, but if there was ever a railroad built in Texas as crooked as this one, we know nothing about it. It was started at Lamesa, and run six miles southwest of Seminole, in a nearly due western course, about forty miles, thence, northeast 45 miles to Brownfield, thence east 28 miles to Tahoka, coming back to within 35 miles of the starting point. The surveyors who did the work know nothing, and we just know what we said above. Now do your own tall figuring.

It has been the habit of Brownfield people for the past few years to have a clean-up day. Are we going to do that this year, or are we going to put up with the unsightly tin can all

the year in our back streets and alleys. Some time ago, the Maids and Matrons Club called an open meeting at the courthouse to discuss the matter with the business men. Two ladies came, but no man appeared on the scene. You lazy, stinky, good for nothing scalawags, (the editor included as he was not there.) Now, to clear our conscience and ourselves with the ladies, lets tell the good ladies to go a head and give orders for the occasion, set the date, and we will pay the bill. What say you? We can't afford for Brownfield to risk disease by leaving the town dirty all the year.

At a meeting last week of the State Democratic Executive Committee, it was decided to hold the United States Senatorial election in conjunction with the regular primary on July 22nd but as they decided that some one must receive a majority of all the votes cast, it practically means that a second primary must be held the second Saturday in August, to let the two high men run it off. Just where each County Chairman is to get the where-with-all to hold this second primary, is a question we are unable to see through; possible by the two high men. Now for a little prophecy: We predict that O. B. Colquitt will be one of the high men, and Brooks or Campbell the other, with the Dallas and Waco men a poor fourth and fifth. Result; O. B. Colquitt will be the next United States Senator to succeed Chas. Culberson, who will not be known in the race this time, although he has always been well supported. We may be badly mistaken, but we are just prognosticating, and believe C. A. Culberson has seen his best days.

Misses Norah Black and Ruth Broughton, two of the Gomez sweet girl graduates, paid the Herald a pleasant call last Friday.

The mill ran nearly all day last Saturday, as there was a large crowd in town, and the majority brought corn.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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PHYSICIAN & SURGEON

Tahoka Texas

GEO. W. NEILL,

Abstracter and Notary

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Lubbock Texas

Complete set abstracts Lubbock, Hockley and Cochran Counties in office.

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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. F.

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

BROWNFIELD REBER LODGE NO. 228

Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at the I O F Hall at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. J. C. Green, N. G. Miss Nettie Sawyer, Sec.

Brownfield Camp No. 1089 W O W

Laurence Green, C. C. J. C. Green, Clerk Meets first Saturday night after the full moon and two week thereafter in each month in Odd Fellows Hall

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We have 2 cars in stock of all sizes and at good prices. Full line Star and Leader Windmills and repairs. Garland Heaters and Cooks at---

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Texas

To the people of--

Terry County

We carry an immense stock of General Merchandise in Tahoka, and want the people of Terry County to make our store Headquarters when in town. We have plenty of room and lots of WELCOME.

Knight & Brashear

Tahoka

Texas

Treasurer's Quarterly Report

We the undersigned, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of Terry County, Texas, and each of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 15th day of February, A. D. 1916, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of H. T. Brooks, Treasurer of Terry County, Texas for the quarter ending on the 31st day of January, and finding the same correct have approved it as follows, to-wit:

JURY FUND			
Balance on hand as shown by last report	96.36		
To amount received since said day	00.00		
By amount disbursed since said day		156.80	
By amount overdrawn since said date	60.44		
Total	156.80	156.80	
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND			
Balance on hand as shown by last report	54.60		
To amount received since said date	00.00		
By amount disbursed since said date		25.60	
By amount to balance		29.00	
Total	54.60	54.60	
GENERAL FUND			
Balance on hand as shown by last report	1285.10		
To amount received since said date	7167.64		
By amount disbursed since said date		1948.03	
By amount to balance		6504.71	
Total	8452.74	8452.74	
RECAPITULATION			
Amount overdrawn on Jury Fund on this date	60.44		
Balance to credit Road & Bridge Fund, this date		29.00	
Balance to credit of General Fund on this date		6504.71	
Total cash on hand belonging to Terry County in the hands of said Treasurer as actually counted by us, on February 1st, 1916		6473.27	

Witness our hands, officially, this 16th day of February, A. D. 1916.

Geo. W. Neill
County Judge
J. F. Winston
Commissioner Precinct No. 1
H. H. Timmons
Commissioner Precinct No. 2
W. D. Winn
Commissioner Precinct No. 3
W. H. Black
Commissioner Precinct No. 4

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by Geo. W. Neill, County Judge, and J. F. Winston and H. H. Timmons and W. D. Winn and W. H. Black, County Commissioners of said Terry County, each respectively, on this the 16th day of February, A. D. 1916.

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

Saturday, April 1st, Grandpa Shrock passed the 83rd mile post in this life, and is moving on toward another. Many people gathered together at the Randal home that day, to help the old fellow rejoice and feast off the good things prepared by loving hands for the occasion. He received many nice presents that day, among them being four nice cakes. May this grand old man be with us many years yet to come, to set an example for us to live by.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Eicke, on the 11th inst., a fine boy.

E. E. Bailey, of King, N. M., and a former Terryite, passed through this week on his way to the railroad after supplies.

Mr. Alexander and family, who have been camped in the draw, moved out to the country this week, where they will make a crop.

Rev. J. C. Lewis, the old reliable county center farmer, was in this week after supplies.

Mat McPherson came in last week from Turkey, Texas, and will likely make this his future home.

Dr. Ponton of Post City, was called in this week to see one of the Howard boys, in the north western part of the county, who has spinal trouble. The boy is unconscious most of the time, but it is thought he will recover.

Henry Pullium has sold the restaurant to Mr. Basshan, who recently came here from Cottle county, a brother to the wagon yard man.

Roy Cardwell went over to Tahoka this week to take in the Carnival, and came back telling some unusual stories.

Rev. J. M. Fryar left Wednesday for Plains, where he will conduct a week revival. He will do the preaching.

Russell Jones made a trip to Lubbock this week to visit his parents. Frank took his place in the bank.

Murt Judd paid his parents, of Lubbock, a visit, last Sunday.

Owing to sickness, City Reporter was not able to help us out any this week.

The tailor boys, Jones and Brown have added ties, socks, gloves, overalls and shirts to their line of business.

Every merchant in town excels on something, but we believe we will have to hand it to Dr. May on the best line of cigars.

BUSY BEE CAFE

First Class Short Orders at all hours. We also carry a nice line of fruits and cigars. Cold drinks a specialty.

HEARN BROS. PROPS.

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GOING TO PLANT TREES?

Now is the time. Plainview Nursery has the best you can find. Also Arsenic of Lead and other insecticides, such as Sulphur and Bordeaux Mixtures and spray pumps to apply them. We are distributing agents for one of the largest Chemical companies in the country. Have a large stock of garden plants. We only handle spray materials in 50 pounds and up.

PLAINVIEW NURSERY, Plainview, Texas

The Gamble Garage

A car that wont run is the car we want We carry a complete line of Automobile Accessories at all times. Give us a call.

G. A. Gamble, Tahoka, Texas

ED. MEYER

Everything for the Home. 20 percent off on everything 1st Monday. \$5. premium to one buying largest bill at my store on Trades Day

ED MEYERS

Tahoka

Texas

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,

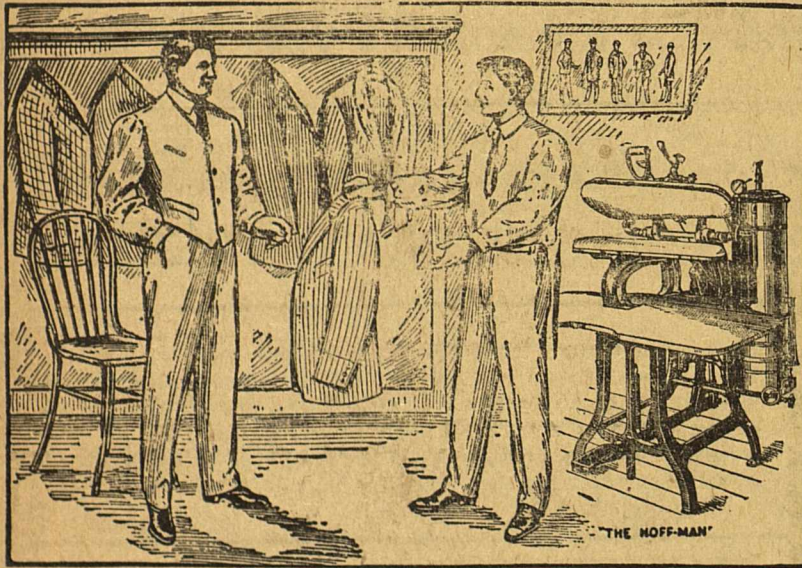
Brothers & Brothers

VARNISHES AND STAINS

We carry the best line of these goods on the South Plain, put up and by and fully guarantee by a well known manufacturer. For any kind of interior finishing, I have the dope and the price is right.

W. R. Humble

North of Square Lubbock, Texas



WE WANT MEN WHO "KICK"

About the way their clothes are cleaned, pressed and repaired to let us care for their apparel--Then "KICKING" stops. Our methods of doing this work are so modern and up to the minute, that we are certain of pleasing all who trust us with their work.

JONES & BROWN

BROWNFIELD TEXAS

Statement

Of the Ownership, Management, etc., required by the act of Congress of August 24, 1912 of the Terry County Herald, published weekly at Brownfield, Texas, for April 1st, 1916.

State of Texas—County of Terry: Before me a Notary Public, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared A. J. Stricklin, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor, Publisher and Owner of the Terry County Herald. That the name and address of above is: Publisher, Editor, Managing Editor and Business Manager is A. J. Stricklin, Brownfield, Texas; that it is not a corporation and that there are no stockholders or bondholder or mortgages.
(Signed) A. J. Stricklin

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 4th day of April, 1916.
D. J. Broughton, County Clerk.
My commission expires Nov. 1916.

Ralph Bimmit, the Hamilton Brown Shoe man, was here last week and the Merc. made quite extensive purchases of spring and summer foot wear.

School is progressing nicely with just about all the pupils they are able to seat. There will be five in the graduating class this time, all girls. Misses

Lois Brownfield, Lissie Winston, DeAlva Whisenant, Ima Sawyer and Cuma Nix. The job department of the Herald turned out their invitations and cards this week.

The job department of the Herald did the card work for the graduating class at the Gomez High School. They are Misses

Ruth Broughton, Norah Black and Forest Reeves.

John Hays and wife of the southwest side of Terry, are here this week visiting Mrs. Hays' parents, A. B. Bynum and wife.

C. F. Timm, of the west side came in last Saturday, and had us send the Herald to his son Harry, at Elkins, N. M.

M. M. Watkins, one of the new comers of the Groves country, came in this week and subscribed for the Herald. Mr. Watkins is a gin man, and when the gin goes up, he will likely move to town.

Among those who have recently renewed their allegiance to the Herald are, T. E. Hobbs, for his father in Oklahoma; C. M. Boon, Walter Frazier, Mrs. C. S. Cardwell, Chas. Moore, H. H. Timmons and S. E. Hamilton.

J. V. Drinkard and Elbert Proctor, have recently erected a windmill on the Harper section, for the present owner, W. B. Downing, of Lubbock.

Eb Ivey and family of the T4 ranch, were in shopping this week.

Geo. Allen
The House Reliable
Oldest and Largest PIANO and MUSIC HOUSE in Western Texas. Latest Sheet Music, MUSIC TEACHER'S Supplies, etc., etc. Catalogue and BOOK OF OLD TIME SONGS FREE for the asking. Established 1890. SAN ANGELO

For Quick Dressing.

An ingenious Frenchman has recently invented and placed on the market a little device that will make new records possible for quick dressing and undressing. It is a sort of hook-and-eye arrangement that can be hooked up or unhooked almost instantaneously. His original purpose was to make it possible for soldiers to get in and out of sleeping sacks without losing any time but his idea is being applied now to clothes also.

On each of the two edges that are to be hooked together is sewed a continuous line of metal clasps. A buckle is made to slide up and down over these clasps in such a way that when the buckle is pulled up it hooks all the clasps together and when it is pulled down it unhooks them.

Thus, simply pulling the buckle up hooks the garment completely; while the unhooking operation can be accomplished by pulling on the two edges—exactly like tearing a sheet.—Saturday Evening Post.

Care for Mascots Left Behind.

The London Zoological society has taken temporary charge of a large number of private pets, chiefly birds, belonging to officers now on active service, and it has supplied small animals, chiefly monkeys, to several regiments in training in this country. It is specially proud, however, of having the care of some bears and Indian blackbuck which were the mascots of regiments now gaining distinction at the front. The Canadians left behind four bears. These are young examples of the American black bear, captured as cubs in Canada. They have been placed on the Mappin terraces, and did extremely well during the winter, acquiring thicker and silkier coats than was possible in the small dens under the old Bears' terrace.

She Never Knows.

Sisters are the first to discover that a boy is useless. After a time the father learns and reluctantly admits the truth. But the boy's mother never knows.

Noah Under Indictment.

Of course Noah saved the human race. But, grateful as we are for that little favor, oh, if he only could have left out the pair of flies and the brace of mosquitoes!—Buffalo Herald.

Uncle Eben.

"Don't get discouraged, son," said Uncle Eben, "if you find you can't do what you're tryin' to. Mebbe it's puttin' you in trainin' to do somethin' that you kin."

Great Ruler's Subterfuge.

In order to hide his ignorance of the art of writing, Charlemagne was wont to use a monogram stamped on a seal as his signature.

A. G. McAdams Lumber Co.

Headquarters for all kinds of building material, Wire, Posts, Star Windmills, Piping and anything found in a first class yard. Get our prices before buying.

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Come to our store and see the beautiful Premiums We are giving away absolutely free; suitable for any home or a nice present to anyone. Just do your trading here and you may choose the set you want. We charge no more for our goods because of this liberal offer. Prices right; merchandise dependable; square dealing. Ladies and Gents ready to wear a specialty. Groceries the best quality and cheapest.

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Tahoka

Texas

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Help Us Boost Terry

OUR SPRING LINE OF DRY GOODS ON DISPLAY

And ready for your inspection. While at market we tried to buy what the people want and at as low price as the upward tendency of the Dry Goods Market would bear. Come in right now and view them.

Gomez Mercantile Co.

SERVICE.

The service which this store renders its patrons is one of the reasons for its popularity. We have recently added and equipped an optical parlor in connection with our jewelry store and same is in charge of a Graduate Optician and Optometrist, Dr. Clint Meek. It will cost you nothing to consult Dr. Meek, and if we can help you our charges are reasonable

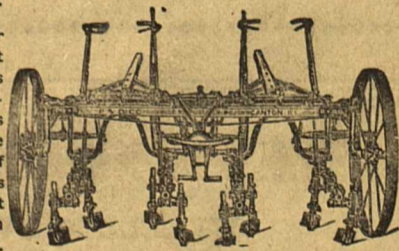
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THE WORLD'S TWO BEST TWO-ROW CULTIVATORS

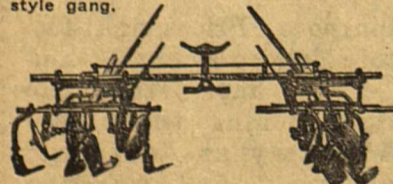
The P & O Two-Row Cultivator

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PLAINS

By Carl Forkel

L. Townsend and family have recently moved to their place just over the line in New Mexico and W. F. Chainey who has rented the Townsend farm here has removed to it, Mr. Townsend's friends re

gret that he has located without the State, but he will still be a neighbor.

C. H. Goodwin of Dublin, Tex., spent a few days in Plains last week.

Mr. Goodwin is the owner of four sections of land in this county.

Arthur Cobb, W. G. Potts, Roy Harris and S. E. McLane of northeast Yoakum were trans-

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A car load of Oklahoma prospectors spent a day in Plains last week, and two or more of the number have the purchase of lands under consideration.

L. Townsend, accompanied by his nephew, W. L. King, of Memphis Texas, was in Plains on Friday. Mr. King is here for the purpose of locating in Texas or New Mexico.

T. D. Davis is sporting a new Ford on his mail route to Bronco.

C. I. Bedford made purchase last week of two fine sections of land near Plains on which he will graze his high grade cattle. One section was purchased from Ed Smith and one from the 104 Cattle Co.

Ed Smith made purchase last week of 150 cows from C. I. Bedford.

Mrs. E. S. Rowe and Mrs. Wayne Carlisle have recently returned from a two weeks visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter, of Callahan county.

Lacy Tandy of Plainview, Tex., was a visitor this week at the home of his brother, H. A. Tandy.

Loyd Boyd of Lovington, N. Mex., was visiting relatives in Plains last week.

Without a warning and apparently without a cause, a breeze swept down from the north on Friday eve last, lingering until morning and causing the thermometer to register two below freezing. Col. Hoppes reports some fruit unkilld.

Tom Ivey has recently made purchase of a 6-cylinder Buick.

Homer Hamilton, Robert Cox, and Misses Josie and Ina Smith, and Miss Mary Long spent Sunday at the Eb Ivey ranch in Terry county.

Bro. B. F. Dixon filled his regular appointment here on Sunday and at night.

Mrs. S. D. Hunter was hostess to members of the Needle Club of Plains on the 7th inst., at the former's home 10 miles west of town. Those attending were Mesdames Gainez, Kendrick, Robinson, Hudson, Beal, Cadenhead, Ray, Cox, Clawwater, Forkel, Smith, Rowe, Bedford, McGinty and Marshall. Several cars were required in transportation, and John Cadenhead and Robt. Cox were the chief engineers in this service. Those attending report a delightful time.

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Married on last Sunday afternoon, Mr. Ted Poore and Miss Bessie Knox, Rev. Loftin officiating. Mr. Poore first settled here six or seven years ago and is well known to all old timers as a man of honor, industry and genial pleasant manners. He numbers his friends by his acquaintances. Miss Knox came here last fall from Dublin Texas. She is the daughter of Mr. Jim Knox, a former Terry County citizen. All who have the pleasure of Miss Bessie's acquaintance realize that her beautiful face and graceful manners are fully equaled by a sweet disposition and all who know them join in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous life.

On last Monday morning Lester McPherson and George Bragg left in the formers auto for Ft. Bayard, N Mex., where Lester will make his home in future. Mrs. McPherson and the children will remain here for several weeks longer before moving out there. We did not learn where George Bragg was going, but suppose to El Paso, as his mother and sisters are there.

On last Sunday Mr. Matt McPherson and family came in to Brownfield from Turkev, Texas, where they have lived for the past two years. They and Will Mathis' family visited here at Lester McPherson's on Sunday.

Last week Lloyd Greathouse moved to a farm east or north of Brownfield and Alvin Key moved into the house he vacated.

Mrs. McCoy from the Shepherd place west of town, visited Mrs. J. E. Moore on last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Poore visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McPherson at Brownfield Monday.

Raymond Simms and Miss Althea Fulton took the teachers examination at Brownfield last Friday.

We made a trip to Lubbock last Saturday and while there called to see Wes Key, who is yet at the sanitarium. He seems to be doing well, but is just a bit homesick and we would suggest to his many friends here that when they are in Lubbock, a call on him at the sanitarium would help to pass off the hours and be much appreciated by him.

A. P. Moore went to Lubbock Monday on a business trip.

J. J. Lane and family visited relatives in Gaines county for several days this week.

We had a norther and sand-storm last Friday evening, which prevented the Gomez ladies from going out to the TFM ranch for the visit of the Crochet Club with Mrs. Wolfarth.

The freeze that accompanied last Friday nights norther caused plenty of ice on Saturday morning and killed much of the fruit crop. We think the apples and grapes are yet unhurt and some cherry trees have not bloomed yet.

Will Moore got here with his stock Tuesday. Mrs. Moore and the children will get to Tahoka this week.

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Meadow

By Sandy

Mr. Glover of Gomez, was transacting business in this community the past week.

Mrs. Nola Boyd spent the past week with her sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Arnett have with them for an extended visit, their mothers, Mrs. Arnett of Colorado City, Tex., and Mrs. Helpman of Shrevesport La.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore will be pleased to learn that their little daughter who was so badly injured a week ago, is very much improved.

Miss Pearl Ellington, of Wayland College, Plainview, is visiting with the home folks the past week end.

Lakeview and Meadow base ball teams opened up the season Saturday afternoon on the

Meadow diamond, resulting in a defeat for Meadow.

George Hamlett had the misfortune to get one of his eyes badly bruised, while playing baseball at school.

Boone Peeler of Lamesa, was here on business last week.

The children of Meadow will enjoy their usual Easter egg hunt.

Six more weeks of schools and the children are doing their best to make their grades for another year.



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