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FALL AND WINTER GOODS

Our Stock is now open and a better showing in Woolen Suitings and all kinds of other Merchandise than has ever been our privilege to show you before. Come to our store for everything in Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Men's and Boys' furnishing, Furniture and Groceries.

Brownfield Mercantile Co.

Buys Mill

J. L. Carswell, of Fort Worth Texas, came in last week, and bought the mill from Adams & Son, and will run it in the future. Mr. Carswell will build temporary quarters till the railroad gets here, then he will build a permanent residence.

He informed us that he had spent his life in the mill business, and knew that he could satisfy the people when it comes to making meal, and that he would have every thing in readiness the last of this week, or the first of next, to go to grinding and that the mill would run all the time, and the people could depend on getting meal, or chops any time.

He is busy this week overhauling every thing about the mill, and will put it in first class running order before he opens up for business, and will have his maize crusher in running order by fall.

He said he didn't believe he could find a better location for a mill in the State, as we not only had a good territory west north and south of us, but that, Brownfield was right in the heart of the corn growing era of the Plains.

We hope Mr. Carswell every success, and with his long experience, we are sure he will have it.

We had a letter from two old subs this week, enclosing cash to put them a year in advance, Tom May says, "I want the Herald if I have to do with out a meal or two", and L. L. Cobb says, "keep 'er comi'."

In the professional column, you will find the card of Dr. R. B. Hutchinson, dentist, of Lubbock. He is said to be one of the best in West Texas, and he wants your dental business.

Watch Your Wife

Keep your eye on your wife. Not to keep some other man from stealing her— for wives worth having are not stealable.

But keep her contented, for that will help you to keep cheerful.

And to keep her cheerful—for that will keep her pretty.

To keep her pretty is to help yourself keep your eyes off other women, a very necessary thing for a married man if he would be happy.

Keep in mind the girl you led to the altar for your wife is that girl; just as good, just as lovable, just as sincere, just as honest.

Keep in mind also that you were ready to do almost anything to get her, and so you are reminded that it's up to you to make some little sacrifice in order to keep her.

Just keep your eye on your wife and do your share toward making a success of your greatest business undertaking—the business of being a happy married man.—Ex.

M. A. Smith and family arrived from Odell, Texas, last week, and are occupying their residence in the north part of town, known as the old Harris place. Mr. Smith will soon open up an exclusive dry goods store in the new building on the west side of the square, but informed us that he would have to make a trip to St. Louis market as he depleted his stock with a big sale before he left Odell. He will post the public on opening day through the columns of the Herald. Watch for it. We heartily welcome them to our coming little city.

Hotel Jones and son, of Gomez, were here this week on business.

Call For Fair Directors

Uncle Bill Howard, President of the Terry County Fair Association, authorized us to issue this call for a meeting of the Fair directors to meet in the court house, Saturday, Sept. 16th, at 3 p. m. to discuss the holding of the annual Fair, and transact such other business as may come before the body.

Everybody with the interest of the country at heart, are cordially urged to be present, and help out in the matter.

It has been suggested by some to put the fair off as late as possible this year, in order that people will be able to bring in exhibits of the late feed crop, which will be better than the old feed this year.

Come to the meeting.

Farmer's Fine Defence

Recently a merchant of Natchez happened to see a farmer receive a box at the depot and noticed that it was from a mail order house. He also noticed that the goods were right in his line and the same as he had carried for years. He immediately approached the farmer and said:

"I could have sold you the goods you have here for less money than the Chicago house and saved you the freight."

"Then why didn't you do so?" said the farmer. "I have taken the local paper for a year and have not seen a line about you selling these or any other goods. This mail order house sends advertising matter to me asking for my trade, and he gets it. If you have any bargains, why don't you put them in the paper so we can see what they are?"—Natchez (Miss) Democrat.

Gus Foreman, an old timer here, came in with his family this week to spend a few days here.

Heavy Steel

Some of the business men at Lubbock informed us last week that they were experiencing some trouble with some of the old timers southwest of their city who did not want the right-of-way to pass over their land, but they thought they would soon have things o.k. These hustling business men are very enthusiastic over this new line, as they aim to make Lubbock the railroad center, as well as the wholesale center of the plains country. From ten to twenty cars of steel and ties are arriving at Lubbock almost every day for the new road, and those who have seen the steel say it is good heavy steel.

Our committees are now working almost night and day to get the right-of-way through Terry ready for the graders.

Mr. Levy, local manager of the McAdams Lumber Co., informed us this week that his company had bought three lots just north of the blacksmith shop, and would begin some time this month erecting permanent office and sheds, which would be late model, and entirely in keeping with the future Brownfield. The McAdams people never do anything by halves.

J. T. May went up to Lubbock last week, and moved his son-in-law W. B. Downing and family down. They will occupy their section joining the town section on the northwest. Welcome.

Raymond Speegle, of Springfield, Mo., came in this week to make his home with his Uncle, W. G. Hardin. Raymond formerly lived here and was heartily welcomed home by his many friends.

School Opening

The Brownfield High School opened Monday Morning with 145 pupils in attendance, or five more than the scholastic population taken the 1st of May, and before the end of the week, the principal expects the attendance to reach 160. This is by far the largest opening that was ever seen here, and everyone are enthusiastic over the present term and expect fully 200 enrolled before the end of the term.

The five literary teachers were present, being Prof. Draper and Mrs. S. E. Draper, of the high school department, the Misses Meriwether and Miss Clare Randal of the primary and intermediate departments, and we believe we have an unusually good faculty in these brilliant teachers.

There was a large crowd of patrons and friends present and a number of interesting talks along educational lines were delivered and though workmen were hardly through with their improvements and repairs to the building, everything is moving along nicely.

The principal gave the patrons of the school a pressing invitation to visit the school often and stay as long as they wish, and we hope patrons will avail themselves of this opportunity to visit an encourage the school.

Let's have a good school, but to do so, we must put our shoulder to the wheel. The pupil, trustee and teacher are not all the school; the patrons are a very important item. Are you willing to work?

The management of the Queen Theater have ordered a new Morse-Fairbanks engine for their show, and will as soon as it is installed, be ready to give their patrons the best what is.

On Hand at Lubbock

Kaffir and Maize Chops.

DONT LET YOUR COWS GET DOWN WITH THE CREEPS, but feed them a little cake now and save time and money latter. Send us your orders. We want your business

Lubbock Grain & Coal Company

The Terry County Herald

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FARMERS WANT EIGHT-HOUR DAY

ARBITRATION FAVORED IN ADJUSTING DIFFERENCES BETWEEN CAPITAL AND LABOR.

Farmers Pay the Freight and Want to Present Their View-Point in Controversy--Head of Texas Union Wires President Wilson.

Fort Worth, Texas—Henry N. Pope, president of the Texas Farmers' Union, today wired President Wilson favoring the eight-hour day, if it applied to farmers as well as industrial laborers, but protesting against any discrimination against the farming population in favor of any other class of laborers. Mr. Pope's telegram follows:

"The farmer stands for a fair and reasonable wage to both labor and capital engaged in handling the products of the soil from the time it leaves the hands of the farmer until it reaches the ultimate consumer. The contention that eight hours of labor should constitute a day's work we agree to, and that every laborer should receive such compensation as will enable him to support his family in comfort, we also recognize. If your plan contemplates eight hours per day for all those who labor, including the farmers, and a reasonable wage for the man who plows as well as those who work in industry then we are with you, but if in its application, it results in decreasing the hours of those employed in the cities and increasing the hours of those employed in the field, then we are opposed to it. The farmers of this state work from twelve to fourteen hours per day and the average compensation does not exceed two dollars per day. We have in this state nearly a quarter of a million women working as farm hands in the field from sunup to sundown for fifty cents per day, which is as much as the products of their toil will bear. If your plan is capable of giving them a full day's pay for eight hours labor then we are with you, but if it results in shifting either hours or dollars from those who labor in industry to the backs of those who follow the plow we are unalterably opposed to it. We are willing to give to labor engaged in transportation service as favorable working conditions and as fair remuneration as we ourselves receive. It is an accepted custom in increasing the wages of labor to pass the increase on to the consumer or producer. The men who pay the freight, therefore, have an equity in these disputes which cannot involuntarily be transmitted to others and the principle involved is too great to temporarily yield to intimidation. We believe the fundamental issues so far reaching the financial outlay of such gigantic proportions and the present application of the principle so limited in its scope that the subject should receive the most careful investigation and study where the farmers and all interests can receive a patient hearing and we ask that the en-

tire controversy be turned over to a properly constituted committee for adjustment. It is the history of most economic reforms that they exhaust themselves before reaching the farmer and we want the farming interests directly represented in such fundamental controversies before this government commits itself to any definite policy temporary or permanent in which they are made a party."

(Signed) HENRY N. POPE,
President Texas Farmers' Union.

I will teach music at the home of Mrs. J. T. May, in the west part of town, during the school months, and will arrange lessons so as not to conflict with regular school work. I teach the Mathew Studies in ten grades, which are the best of standard literature. In connection with this, I teach harmony, theory, composition, transposition, technique, also physical hand culture. I would like to see personally all who are interested, Jemmie Hawkins.

Henry Pulliam has purchased the blacksmith shop from Humphries Bros., and now has charge. One of the Humphries boys is helping him in the shop.

Miss Margurett Mallard, of Lubbock, proprietor of the Hy Style millinery shop, was down this week, and announced that she would open a temporary branch shop here at the Merc.

Note the new ad of Crosthwaite & Crosthwaite in this issue.

Ed Moore is drilling a well for L. McDaniel, on the five acres he recently purchased from Dick Brownfield. Lemmie is putting Lumber on the ground for a five room residence.

Bill Pyeatt has just returned from a visit to relatives at Dallas and Waco. He reports very hot nights and oodles of mosquitoes.

The great London Shows Consolidated, comes to Lubbock Sat. Sept. 16th will bring special importations in the way of all kinds show acts which have been secured in the conjunction with a long string of the pick of American performers.

Every department has been increased extensively, and it is claimed the exhibition of blooded horses is the best ever offered, among which are the wonderful Dublin Grays, the Big Six, who have captured all of the prizes at the prominent horse shows. They are valued at \$25,000.

The parade, said to be "the finest turnout of any show has ever made in any country," will traverse the principal streets morning of show day.

RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD

(Agelaius phoeniceus)



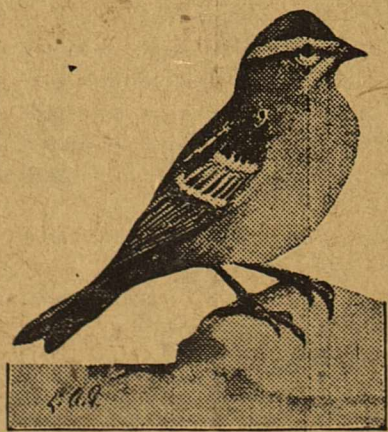
Length, about nine and one-half inches.

Range: Breeds in Mexico and North America south of the barren grounds, winters in southern half of United States and south to Costa Rica.

Habits and economic status: The prairies of the upper Mississippi valley, with their numerous sloughs and ponds, furnish ideal nesting places for redwings, and consequently this region has become the great breeding ground for the species. These prairies pour forth the vast flocks that play havoc with grain fields. East of the Appalachian range, marshes on the shores of lakes, rivers, and estuaries are the only available breeding sites and, as these are comparatively few and small, the species is much less abundant than in the West. Redwings are eminently gregarious, living in flocks and breeding in communities. The food of the redwing consists of 27 per cent animal matter and 73 per cent vegetable. Insects constitute practically one-fourth of the food. Beetles (largely weevils, a most harmful group) amount to 10 per cent. Grasshoppers are eaten in every month and amount to about 5 per cent. Caterpillars (among them the injurious army worm) are eaten at all seasons and aggregate 6 per cent. Ants, wasps, bugs, flies, dragonflies, and spiders also are eaten. The vegetable food consists of seeds, including grain, of which oats is the favorite, and some small fruits. When in large flocks this bird is capable of doing great harm to grain.

CHIPPING SPARROW

Spizella passerina



Length, about five and one-fourth inches. Distinguished by the chestnut crown, black line through eye, and black bill.

Range: Breeds throughout the United States, south to Nicaragua, and north to southern Canada; winters in the southern United States and southward.

Habits and economic status: The chipping sparrow is very friendly and domestic, and often builds its nest in gardens and orchards or in the shrubbery close to dwellings. Its gentle and confiding ways endear it to all bird lovers. It is one of the most insectivorous of all the sparrows. Its diet consists of about 42 per cent of insects and spiders and 58 per cent of vegetable matter. The animal food consists largely of caterpillars, of which it feeds a great many to its young. Besides these, it eats beetles, including many weevils, of which one stomach contained 30. It also eats ants, wasps, and bugs. Among the latter are plant lice and black olive scales. The vegetable food is practically all weed seed. A nest with four young of this species was watched at different hours on four days. In the seven hours of observation 119 feedings were noted, or an average of 17 feedings per hour, or four and one-fourth feedings per hour to each nestling. This would give for a day of 14 hours at least 238 insects eaten by the brood.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I have recently opened a cold storage system in connection with the Restaurant, and will have on hand at all times a good assortment of beef, pork and products. When in town, carry the folks a Roast, a Steak or some pork Chops. I will be in the market for your fat Beeves and Forkers. Tell me what you have when in town. Short orders at all hours.

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

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

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

BROWNFIELD REBEK AH LODGE NO. 229

Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at the I. O. 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
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Meadow

By Sandy

Miss Gertrude Clifford, of Alpine, Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Otis Copeland.

Mrs. J. P. Lawrence of Greenbush, Ga., is visiting her brother, W. N. Copeland.

Our school opened Monday, with a great deal of interest. Our teacher, Miss Bessie Hewell, of West, Texas, is a teacher of experience, this being her fifth school. Let's all pull together and make this the best school we have ever had.

Bill Timmons and family have returned from a month's visit to Young county. They were accompanied home by Miss Sallie Timmons, who will visit among her brothers, Bill, Wilburn, Hope and Hershell.

Newt Copeland and wife returned home from a two weeks visit in New Mexico.

Mrs. Barnett of Yoakum, Texas, has returned home after a three week's visit to her son, Jim Johnson.

The Lakeview meeting closed Monday night of last week. It was quite a successful meeting, there being ten or twelve conversions. The good work is still going on as they have prayer meeting every Sunday night.

Claud Peeler is visiting his sister in Roswell, N. M.

S. C. Arnett and wife went to Lubbock, Saturday to meet our teacher, who came in from West Texas.

Among those building houses in Brownfield this week are: W. C. Mathis and W. C. Smith each a nice six room bungalow; Jim Whisenant, Mr. Mashburn and Dr. Covey, each good houses. Many others will be contacted or started before an other issue of the Herald reaches you. Yes, Brownfield is growing every day, let the good work go on.

F. B. Condra had us send the paper to his brother at Winters, for a year to keep him posted on the doings in old Terry.

The railroad committees called a meeting in the District Court room Monday afternoon and took up the damage business with those with town property, over which the right-of way goes, and got it settled with all but three citizens, and we think perhaps that it will be soon cleared up with them. Another committee is busy with the country property owners, and it will not be long now till we can announce to the construction department of the Santa Fe that we are ready for them to get busy with the graders.

Lubbock is growing by leaps and bounds, but the prettiest peice of work going on there is their new \$100,000.00 court house. All floors will be of concrete, and the girders of steel, and all the wood entering into its construction will be the window and door frames, so you see it will be almost absolutely fireproof. Another splendid new building is the Lindsey opera house, which, when complete will cost up toward \$20,000. Let the good work go on, and the great South Plains country take its rightful place among the best developed portions of the earth.

Citation by Publication

The State of Texas
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Texas, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon T. J. Wallace, Charles A. Erving and W. P. Anderson, by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in any newspaper published in the said Seventy-Second Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, Texas; and you are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of T. J. Wallace, deceased, whose names are unknown, and the heirs of W. P. Anderson, deceased, whose names are unknown, and the heirs of Charles A. Erving, deceased, whose names are unknown, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your County, but if no newspaper is published in your County, then in a newspaper published in the nearest county thereto, to appear at the next regular term of the said District Court of Terry County, Texas; the next said term of the District Court of said Terry County, Texas, to be

held at the courthouse of said County in the town of Brownfield, on the 5th Monday in October, 1916, the same being the 30th day of October, 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 26th day of August, 1916, in a suit numbered 228 on the docket of said Court, wherein Sam C. Arnett is plaintiff, and T. J. Wallace, M. G. Abernathy, Charles A. Erving and W. P. Anderson, and the heirs of T. J. Wallace and the heirs of Charles A. Erving and the heirs of W. P. Anderson are defendants said petition alleging, and the nature of the suit being as follows: Plaintiff sues on trespass to try title for the title and possession of Survey Eighty-One (81) in Block 4-X, Certificate 1275, E. L. & R. R. R. Company, in Terry County, Texas, alleging that on the first day of August, 1916, he was seized and possessed in fee simple, of said premises and that on the date and year aforesaid the defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and do continue to withhold from him unlawfully the possession of said premises, to his damage in the sum of Five Thousand (\$5000.00) Dollars; further alleging and pleading that he is the owner of said land by virtue of three, five and ten years statutes of limitation under the laws of Texas in accordance with Chapter 1 of Title 87 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1911. Plaintiff prays for judgement for title and possession of the above described land, and for general relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the 1st day of the next regular term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness D. J. Broughton, Clerk of the District Court of Terry County, Texas. Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Brownfield, Texas, this 26th day of August, 1916.
(SEAL) D. J. BROUGHTON
Clerk, District Court, Terry County, Texas

Citation by Publication

The State of Texas.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of T. E. Simpson, and Mrs. T. E. Simpson, deceased, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in the town of Brownfield, on the fifth Monday in October, A. D. 1916, the same being the 30th day of October, A. D. 1916, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1916, wherein T. F. Crawford is Plaintiff and the Unknown Heirs of T. E. Simpson and Mrs. T. E. Simpson, deceased, are Defendants, the file No. of said suit being 227 and the cause of action being alleged as follows:—

Plaintiff alleges that on August 1st, A. D. 1916, he was lawfully seized and possessed of all the West One-Half (W. 1-2) of Survey No. Seventeen (17) in Block No. D-14, surveyed by virtue of Cert. No. 222, issued to C. & M. Ry. Co., and patented to Chas. F. Yost on February 19, 1880, by Patent No. 63, Vol. No. 55, situated in Terry County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, and that on said date Defendants unlawfully entered on said premises and ejected Plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withholds from him, the possession thereof to his damage \$100.00 and that the reasonable annual rental value of said land is \$50.00.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he holds, have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession under title from and under the State of Texas, of said lands for more than three (3) years before the commencement of this suit, and have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said lands, claiming the same under Deeds duly registered, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes due thereon for more than five years before the commencement of this suit, and have had and held peaceable and adverse possession of said land, using and enjoying the same under a duly registered deed, fixing the boundaries thereof for more than ten years prior to the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff prays for judgement, for the title and possession of said land, for writ of restitution, for his rents, damages, costs, etc.

You are further commanded to serve this Citation by publishing the same once each week for eight consecutive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your County; but if no newspaper is published in said County, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

Herein Fail not, but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court in Brownfield, this 21st day of August, A. D. 1916.

D. J. BROUGHTON
Clerk of the District Court, Terry County, Texas

You Can Reduce

The cost of living if you want to. I operate my business at a minimum of expense -- You get the benefit of it I can save you money on your grocery bill. Give me a chance to prove. Don't forget the the new Cash Store on the north side of the square at Brownfield, Texas.

Brothers & Brothers

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.

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ED MEYER

Tahoka

Texas

Lands and lots are still selling in and around old Brownfield, and the sound of the hammer is heard on every hand.

For Sale - Section 137, Lot D-11, situated on Rich Lake, address E. J. Disser, 811, Calhoun street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Earl Brown left this week for Abilene, where he will enter the Abilene Christian College for the next term. Earl Hill is running the Tailor shop in his absence.

NOTICE: I will buy a few Vendors Lien notes on Terry county real estate, at a liberal discount. See M. B. Sawyer.

Loren Treadaway returned last week from Lubbock, where he had been having an operation preformed by Dr. Hutchinson in removing adnoids from the nose.

Under professional cards, you will note the announcement of Dr. R. B. Hutchinson, dentist of Lubbock. He is said to be one of the finest dentists in this part of the state, and when in need of work, consult him.

J. T. Stricklin and son, Master Glen, and Master Hollis Green all of Lubbock, came down Thursday to bring the editor home, and to look over Terry with the intention of investing. J. T. will likely buy a half section in Meadow country.

R. H. Banowsky and family returned Saturday from Falls, Tex. where they went to attend the bedside of Mrs. Banowsky's mother, Mrs. Dave Benton, who passed away last Friday morning and was buried that afternoon. Herald extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

D. E. Mead, of Lamesa, was here last week, and purchased a site for a lumber yard, one block north of the square, to be known as the Brownfield Lumber Co., and promises to be ready for business before the trains run into Brownfield. This makes four yards already permanently located; the McAdams, Higginbotham Harris, Morrison Smith, and the above. Everything points to a big growth here in the next year or two, and if you want property here, you had better get it now.

While in Lubbock, the editor was under treatment of Drs. Hutchinson & Peebler, the former being a ear, eye, nose and throat specialist, who gave our ears the once over, and got us where we could again enjoy a conversation with our fellow men. The latter is also treating us for bodily ailments, and we feel 50 percent better after a few days with these specialist, and a week of rest. In connection with this, we wish to say that their offices are usually full of suffering humanity from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., and after, and from reports from all with whom we talked, they were being relieved or cured, and all who office in the building with these skilled physicians, report that they are having unprecedented success. So well known are they becoming in their profession, that Dr. Hutchinson has recently been appointed ear, eye, nose and throat surgeon for the Santa Fe hospital at Clovis, N.M. Read their card under professional cards, and when suffering from any chronic ailment, consult them. This testimonial of these physicians, is unsolicited upon their part.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

J. S. Cullinan
ON CITIZENSHIP.



The Texas Economic League invites the people of Texas into a discussion of citizenship, but before we can intelligently study so important a subject we must first define it. What is citizenship? Who is the best American citizen? Search the statute books for a denmoun of citizenship and unless one is a member of the legal profession we immediately become entangled in a labyrinth of confusing and oftines contradictory laws seeking to promote or restrain most every form of human activity, much of them good, some of them bad and others indifferent. But laws come and go; the Constitution is permanent. The preamble of our Federal Constitution states that our government is organized to give its citizens liberty and happiness. Read the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States and one cannot escape the conclusion that the best American citizen is he who is most free, patriotic, just, happy and active and who hands down to posterity a civilization more capable than he found it. The spirit of our country is freedom and no man can become a true American citizen unless he is free.

Turning a moment from documents of State perhaps the best authority on citizenship, and one universally accepted by the public, is Webster's International Dictionary, which defines a citizen as "A member of a State; a person, native or naturalized, of either sex who owes allegiance to government and is entitled to reciprocal protection from it." Further, "A citizen as such is entitled to the protection of life, liberty and property at home and abroad."

We now have before us the authoritative definition of citizenship by both government and society and in order that the most humble citizen may feel perfectly free to enter into a study and discussion of this subject, I will briefly outline my conception of what citizenship involves, for the work of the Texas Economic League will be in vain if the most lowly citizen does not feel free to give serious thought and expression to his obligation to government and his responsibility to his fellow men.

Applied to able-bodied adult males, with which I take it we will have chiefly to do, a citizen's duty, in return for the rights, privilege and protection outlined above, would seem to be: First, to expend sufficient labor in production, or auxiliary occupations, viz., manufacture, transportation and distribution, to support himself and his family in comfort. Second, conform to all laws framed in the interest of society under the Constitution. Third, contribute his just proportion to the maintenance of government in personal time, payment of taxes on, if need be, bearing arms in the defense of the nation.

In reaching the above conclusions I have assumed that under our system of government citizens are owners in common and are entitled to the rights and benefits of government during the term of their natural lives and for such period only.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

J. S. Cullinan
ON TEXAS ECONOMIC LEAGUE.



In assisting in the organization of the Texas Economic League, my motive was to help form an association that could voice the sentiment and promote the interests of those engaged in producing and distributing the products of the earth. Having belonged to this class all my life and having occupied various positions in business from laborer to manager and owner, I have come in personal contact with most of the hardships encountered by those engaged in productive pursuits and I feel that much of the suffering we undergo is preventable and that improved conditions can be easily brought about through a more active and intelligent citizenship. I have resided in Texas for eighteen years and during that time have been actively identified with many lines of business, and in direct touch with industrial conditions of the state. It has been my aim to influence capital to Texas, to give employment to labor and to see Texas institutions spread over the globe.

I have faith in the people and in the future of the State and I want those who feel likewise and have a permanent interest in the State's welfare to join me in this work. The only qualification is that Citizenship, Federal, State and Community in the order named, be placed above class interest, and a more diligent study of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States be pursued.

The men engaged in productive pursuits should manage civilization. Much of the incompetency and inefficiency in our public affairs is the result of indifference and impatience of the producing classes in dealing with important public problems, leaving their solution to the non-producing classes, who should take orders from, and not give orders to, society. If business men, farmers, laborers and all factors in productive industry would discharge more fully the responsibilities of citizenship, many of the fundamental evils from which we suffer would automatically disappear, revealing a more capable and efficient commonwealth. I have unbounded faith in our system of government and believe that the serious difficulties which we encounter are due to incompetency and degeneracy of important branches of government and society over which the citizenship, as a whole, has neglected to exercise a proper supervision and has failed to demand a high order of efficiency and integrity.

We should look to the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States for guidance and apply their principles to the problems of the day. As citizens we enter into a contract with government as the "party of the first part" and unless we perform the services agreed, we have no right to share the benefits of government and certainly no cause for complaint against organized society for evils which the performance of our duty as citizens would easily correct. We want to invite the people of Texas, to study and discuss citizenship, determining our rights and privileges under government with a view of enjoying more fully the life, liberty and pursuit of happiness set forth in the Declaration of Independence and guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States.

Mrs. Dolphus Robinson, of Lubbock, is down this week in the interest of the Order of Eastern Stars.

Uncle Horace Adams and wife returned last week from El Paso after a long visit. Mrs. Bragg returned home with them.

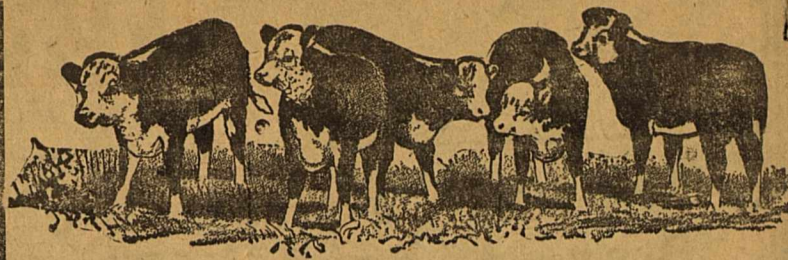
Will Cook returned Sunday from Brownfield. Will says they have had fine rains and grass is getting fine.—Roaring Springs Echo.

V. E. Hargett, wife and daughter, Robena, and son, Verg, were down from Shallowater last week, looking after his property interests in Yoa-kum county. We dead headed our way up there and to Lubbock with them.

Aut Graham and family who have been to Ft. Worth and other eastern points on vacation stayed over night with W. A. Brooks and family Wednesday, enroute to their home at Brownfield.—Dowson County News

Mrs. J. M. Fryar returned last week from Merkel, Texas, as her mother has passed away. The remains were shipped to Decaturville, Tenn. for burial. Herald extends sympathy.

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J. C. Green is away visiting his mother at Georgetown, Texas

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The roar of the saw and the whack of the hammer on every side sounds good to our ears.

Will Snodgrass and family accompanied by his father W. B. Snodgrass came through Wed. in the former's new Ford on their way to Floydada, to visit daughter and sister, Mrs. Surgin et.

Jim Wisenart has torn down the old Coble livery barn, and will use the lumber in the construction of a modern five room cottage where the old Daugherty home used to stand, by purchasing new siding.

The Baptist meeting closed last Thursday night with near twenty conversions, and eleven baptized Sunday in Dick Brown fields tank. This was one of the best meetings ever held here, and the Baptist congregation is rejoicing over their splendid harvest.

Dr. W. L. Covey, dentist came in last week, and immediately began the erection of a neat five room cottage on the quarter block just north of Grandma Daugherty, and now has the frame work well under

way. The Dr. is said to be one of the oldest dentist in west Texas, yet he looks as hale and hearty as a young man, and believing that Brownfield is going to be the city of the future, came in to make this his permanent home, and will practice his profession, and give his children the advantage of our splendid school. Welcome.

By invitation of the pastor Rev. J. M. Fryar, we had a seat in his car to go with him to his appointment at Harris, in the extreme northwest part of the county last Sunday, it being the first trip we have ever made out there, but it is not going to be the last one if we can help it, as we not only had a good time with the good people of that settlement, but we heartily enjoyed the hospitality of a great dinner on the ground in the old fashion way. The school house where he preached, is in Yoakum county and most of the audience were Yoakum county people, yet they are just like Terryites, and made us feel at home. Bro. Fryar gave them a good sermon at noon, and another at 3 p. m., and as the roads were very wet and muddy, we left immediately afterwards for home.

WHAT HE GOT



Joe—De squire done gib Zeke some good advice, didn't he?

Pete—Yes, an' he's got six months to think it over.

PLAYGROUNDS.

I do not know of any better way to teach a boy to be honorable and straight than to give him a chance to play with his comrades. In the playground he learns without any suggestion of rebellion against instruction and precept and preaching. He learns it because he does not want anybody else to cheat him, and is "down" on the boy that does not play fair. And in the long run, because he is "down" on the boy that will not play fair, he will establish standards of conduct which we must maintain in the community and particularly in our great cities. If there is one thing that we need more than another it is the constant emphasis among our citizens of that spirit of fair play, that willingness to give and take, that generosity in defeat and that lack of assertiveness in victory which we identify with true sport, and which is learned best of all in childhood upon the playground.—Justice Charles E. Hughes, United States Supreme Court.

ANTAGONISTS ESSENTIAL.

"I suppose a man in politics wants to make the right kind of friends."

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum; "and the right kind of enemies."

STRICTLY PARTY MAN.

"Do you promise to love, honor and cherish this woman?"

"Yes," said the politician, "whatever the platform is, I subscribe to it."

NO RELIEF.

"At any rate, Bull's wife can't do any hair-pulling, for he's bald."

"But, poor fellow, she gives him a good wiggling."

AN EXCEPTION.

"Nothing can be short and long at the same time."

"What's the matter with a dachshund?"

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By West Wind

Ben Wolfarth has moved to the McPhaul place in the Harris community. We understand that he has purchased that place, and will make his home there permanently. We are glad they will not leave Terry for no matter how many may come in, no people gain by losing their citizens who are first in all that upbuilds a county.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Whittaken, on Aug. 27th, a fine boy.

Mrs. Seward and children of Brownwood left for their home last Wednesday after a weeks visit to her brothers and sister here, Messrs. Simon and Robert Holgate and Mrs. Tom Glover.

Simon Holgate left the 30th of Aug. for Dallas to buy new fall goods and his family accompanied him as far as Gordon, where Mrs. Holgate has a sister. They will also visit at Dublin before their return home.

Mrs. Jim Moore and baby, Otis, came in Monday from a weeks visit to her parents, at Plainview.

Houston Shepherd left the 29th of August for Plainview where he entered Wayland College for the coming term.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Flanagan, of Redlands, N. M., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wolfarth last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ingram on the 1st inst., a baby girl.

Terry county need not howl hard times, there is no evidence of it in sight now, and two piano agents worked this country last week and we understand made quite a number of sales.

Messrs. Bedford Mashburn and Dock Rambo drove five car loads of cattle through here Tuesday. They were enroute to the railroad to ship them to Ft. Worth.

Mr. R. Edwards of Peacock, Texas, passed through last week enroute to Roswell and stopped over a short time with friends here.

Mr. Seitz and family came in last week from their visit to Roswell. He made a tour of the country while out there. He was well pleased with what he saw.

Joe Griffith moved out to the Graham place three miles northeast of town this week and Mr. Crump moved into Joe's home here.

Joe Griffith leased the West homestead here in town last week for a year and then subleased it to Mr. Renfro, who will move his family here for the school.

Joe West of Slaton spent last week here looking after his property.

Oscar Adams and family came in last week for a visit to relatives here, and took in the picnic.

The Old Soldiers' Reunion and picnic was here last Saturday and Saturday was a rainy day, but a large crowd was out and one of the nicest and most bounteous dinners we ever saw spread. After everybody had eaten there was apparently enough left to feed another crowd equally as large.

Judge Neill made an address in the morning and the camp meeting of the Old Veterans was in the afternoon. They are old and grey and rapidly passing away. When the roll was called only six answered here. Let us hope that in the final reunion in the life beyond where wars never come, that all of them will be there. Owing to the rain the expected speakers from outside the county failed to come.

Mrs. Robert Holgate was right sick several days last week, but is up now.

Ted Poore has moved into the rooms at Grandma Stapp's that Joe Black vacated last week.

Andrew Simms and family visited here at his father's last Saturday remaining over until Monday. Andrew is now drilling wells in the J Cross community.

Some of our leading citizens had a meeting last Saturday afternoon to try to improve the gin facilities of our town and present prospects are they will succeed. There has been quite a lot of talk by outsiders of building a modern gin here, and home folks have waited and given them a show—nothing done. Now when actual settlers here put up the capital—we hope to be able to report something of interest on the matter real soon.

Grass is fine. The town cows are fat and the rains just keep coming. We heard a 14 year resident here say last Saturday that two good rains a year at the right time here insured Terry citizens a living, and we have only been here twelve and one half years but we believe his statement.

Will Snodgrass has bought a new auto and we notice that his number is 124, which is the number of autos now registered in Terry and there are many

that have been brought here by settlers that are not registered here.

We sure missed the Herald last week, but hope ye editor enjoyed his rest.

Say Cricket! now that good rains have come and you don't have to sweep sand every hour, and crops are so good your mind is at ease, don't you think you could afford to write every week? You have played out most of the time this year but we have never quit looking for your letter when we get the Herald.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore on the 3rd, a fine baby boy.

Fred Wallace was in this week from his home near Warren, N. Mex., for a new row binder.

The big rain two weeks ago run dirt into R. W. Glover's well and for nearly a week he and T. J. Weeks have been slushing out that well, but honest we think Tom Glover and Leo Weeks had to do most all the work, but anyway the well is in fine shape and plenty of water now.

J. T. McElroy from Uton Tex., was here last week and this, visiting at Robert Holgate's. He was the owner of the J Cross ranch some years ago.

The school here will open the 18th of this month with Prof. Bishop of Tahoka for principal.

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