

# The Terry County Herald

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## BUYER NOW IN MARKET

Mr. Banowsky left this week for St. Louis where he will the latest and most complete line of Spring Dry Goods ever brought to Terry County, and they will be here as soon as a freight shipment can be made. Customers will be able to purchase the same New York and Paris modes here that will be found in the larger cities. Don't make any purchases till you see this swell line.

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#### Does Your County Feed Itself

What is the population of your county? How many of your people live on farms? Do your farmers feed them selves? Do they produce a surplus equal to what is consumed by your city population? If they do not who feeds the county and who gets the profit?

Did you ever investigate how much your county spends every year to ship in foods that could have been produced at home, but was not? Last year we heard of one county in Texas and it was not a county in which is located our largest cities, that sent over \$1,000,000 away to other states for food. A \$1,000,000 spent for flour, bacon, lard, beef, fruits in all forms and vegetables of all kinds that could have been, and lots of it was produced in that county but went to waste and as result many women and children and men too, went without comforts they needed and should have had. Why is this true in so many counties? First we do not understand how to produce the most and the best with the time, soil, sunshine and water that Nature provides for us in our county. Second we do not know how to take care of them for future use or for the market when we do not have it, and third we do not have a cash market for most of it and no way to prepare the raw materials for use in our home county.

To meet these needs a county woman demonstrator is necessary for every county and in a few years every county will be enabled to have one. The Smith-Lever fund is doing much to help the rural people to secure one woman and an automobile whose

business it is to superintend the girls and women in that county in raising their gardens from the day of planting to the time of gathering, preserving the products and preparing all the leftovers for the market. Then the next step the woman county agent does is to find or make a market for these home grown products so that a few of the million dollars may find their way into the pockets of the women and children at home instead of sending it all to California, New York, Illinois or Florida people, and our children not only get the money by so doing but they are learning lessons of life, business lessons, the value of the soil and the relative value of the farm products. But the greatest lesson they are learning is that a girl can do something on the farm that will help her to dress better feel better and to learn something worth while. This is the secret to the country girl leaving home to find a job in town every 10c counter illustrates this fact. The girl's innate longing to have her own spending money to work for some body who will pay her the cash is the hidden motive of her first search in the city for something to do.

We will never feed our selves as families, counties or a state until we have better regulated home and local markets for the little things on the farm as well as the farm as well as the big things. The family is too small a unit to produce a local market the state of Texas is to large a market unit. So long as there are only a few families in a county who have produce for sale they must peddle it out or send it away at an unprofitable expence while the children who have fish and oysters for sale on the gulf coast

are in no position to help the Pan handle boys and girls make a market for their watermelons. The thing we will have to do is, every family in the same county with the same soil and climatic conditions to raise the same things in the same right way and raise enough to be worth while for some one to handle in the right way. We women are going to have to learn to make the same grade of butter, raise the same kind of poultry, send to market uniform eggs, preserve our fruit and vegetables by the same methods so the local merchant who buys from us all may have a uniform stock of goods to offer his customers or ship reasonable. The whole Panhandle raises white face cattle but there has never been to many. Make your community, your county noted for something. Uniform knowledge will produce uniform products enough uniform products will create a market in every county. A good home market will inspire every body who can to raise something for that market. When every farm family in Texas produces enough on the farm to feed it self and market enough to feed one other family then will Texas be furnishing her share of the nation's food and receiving her share of the food profits.

What we need to reduce the high cost of living is more helpful producers and fewer helpless consumers.—Phebe K. Warner in Star Telegam.

Don't forget the City Cafe when you get hungry.

J. W. Wright and son Elbert together with the latters family, of Lubbock county, were here last week visiting.

#### Odd Fellows Building

We announced last week that Messers John Hall and Clyde Lewis were going to put up a building on the Odd Fellows lot and run a grocery, but since writing that the plans have been entirely changed, and instead of a one story box building it will be a two story affair, and framed.

The Lodge did not have funds sufficient them selves to put up the building but they had a lot worth \$1500.00 and a local financier took the matter up and foundation was layed Wednesday of this week.

It is to be 24x40 for the present, two stories high the lower floor for the above mentioned grocery; is to be a turn key job, complete in every way, including painting and papering. Contractor Thompson got the job for \$1497.00.

The building will be left for present with a stairway at rear for intrance into the lodge room and also built so that addition can be put on, but for the present the lodge can easily make out with a 40 foot hall.

#### To Prairie Dog Raisers

The prairie dog law goes into effect August 28th, 1917. Any one owning lands for prairie dog breeding will be expected to kill his dogs. Who ever fails or refuses to kill his dogs will be reported to the sheriff by the county commissioners. The sheriff will notify the land owner to destroy his dogs, and if he fails to do so the sheriff will have it done at the expence of the county and the land will be subject to sale to pay for it. The sheriff will get \$5.00 per day for superintending the work. Two years is the limit for the destruction of the prairie dog —Lubbock Avalanche.

#### Woodman Supper

For some time the local camp W. O. W. have been promising themselves a treat of some sort, and Friday a big consignment of oysters came in.

After the regular order of business in the lodge room, the sovereigns went to the Santa Fe Cafe, where their chef had began to prepare said bivalves in every way to suit individual taste, and taste is the word. The big perculators were bubbling with fragrant coffee, while pies were steaming on the side, and the boys had their appetites wheted to a keen edge.

When all had eaten long and hearty and found they were unable to consume them. although probably 50 or more were on hand, the streets and hedges, the highways and byways were then search for friends and strangers within our gates, who were brought in and feasted.

The Brownfield Woodmen never do things by halves.

For Sale—Two thousand pounds of artichokes at 2 cents per pound. See Ernest Parks, four miles of Brownfield.

Hugh Snodgras came in last Saturday, and donated enough to keep the Herald and Semi Weekly Farm News headed his way another year. Hugh is one of our coming young ranchmen, and always gets in with a dollar on time.

For 8 per cent money on Terry and Yotkum County land. See Wm. F. St John.

J. W. Tyra formerly of Tahoka now has his bakery under way, and is turning out a high class bread, pies and cakes.

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## Photo Gallery

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S. E. WALTON

### As to Redistricting

Congressional redistricting, it would seem is in danger of defeat again because of failure of the house and senate to agree up on a bill. There is some hope of an agreement but the danger of disagreement is great. The cause as usual lies in the motive that actuate certain legislators in both houses, in taking into consideration the political future of individuals who desire to sit in congress rather than the best interests of the state as a whole.

We suppose it is practically impossible to remove legislation of this character from politics, and we have no criticism to make of individuals to offer in this instance. But it does seem to us that it should be possible to draw up a bill that would redistrict the state equitably and meet with the approval of both houses. If the Honorable Mr. Fewbriefs of Podunk county insists that his county should be in such and such a district for the reason that he has ambitions to go to congress, there is no reason why his wishes should not be met, provided such a plan can be carried out without upsetting a scheme of fair redistricting. But no member of the legislature should permit himself to stoop to garrymandering to attain such an end. The ambitions of no individual should be permitted to stand in the way of reaching an agreement.

That the state should be redistricted has been reorganized by all for several seasons. As if to illustrate just how badly it is needed a whimsical fate has brought about a condition by which a single city, Houston, will be represented at Washington by three congressmen after March 4. The immense and rapidly developing territory embraced in West Texas and the Panhandle is the chief sufferer from this state of affairs, and it should be corrected without further delay.

The fact that there will be a new census within the next four years, far from being an argument against redistricting at this time, is in fact an argument in favor of it. For the present legislature to fail to redistrict would mean that the present unjust condition might easily be continued for six or eight years longer. The Thirty-sixth legislature would have the plausible excuse that the new census was too close to warrant redistricting, and then from past experiences, we might expect that two or three sessions of the legislature would pass after the new census is announced before redistricting would be accomplished. It is imperative, therefore, that conflicting political ambitions should not be permitted to stand in the way of agreement upon a bill at this session of the legislature.—Star Telegram.

Yes, and this is the cause of the great Brotherly Love that exists between East and West Tex. It is surprising to us, after all this, that we find as many people as we do in West Texas that do not favor dividing the State, but we are glad we have such a champion for cause as the Star Telegram, and West Texas people are showing their appreciation by reading twice as many Star Telegrams as any other paper.

FOR SALE: North half and south west one fourth Section 42 Block O, Cert No. 41, Terry County, for \$10.00 per acre and purchaser assume \$2.50 to state Terms \$1.00 per acre cash, balance nine payments 8 per cent. V. O. Key, Lamesa Texas.

It is expected that G. O. Wood the new pastor of the Church of Christ will be in this week, and will at present preach at the Courthouse every Sunday until the church is built.

AM going to sell section 133 Block D11 abstract 46 Terry county near Gomez, look at it and make me a bid. Address box 274 Big Springs, Texas.

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**WATCHES:** Largest assortment, greatest value, best prices; 61 to select from. \$1.25 to \$34.50 Come and see. J. L. Randal.

R. H. Banowsky, M. A. Smith and son, Theo., got in from St. Louis last Sunday where they have been buying dry goods for their stores.

I have some left over nursery stock which is in fine condition. Will sell at reduced price. See me at once. Laurence Green at the Green boarding house just north of the square.

The Methodist ladies were around this week getting funds with which to paint their church. This is a move in the right direction. Now who will circulate one to paint the Baptist church and the school building. Both need it badly.

I can handle some farm and ranch loans at 8 per cent on Terry and Yoakum County lands. Wm. F. St John.

A new comer whose name we did not learn layed the foundation for a new cafe on north 6th street this week. Now we have an abundance of eating houses, but we are hopelessly short on places for people to sleep, which is next to eating, and who is going to provide more sleeping apartments. The Santa Fe Cafe is talking of building back fifty feet more which will releave the situation some, though dozens

of beds are asked for every day and private families out of sympathy, are taking some in. Indeed it would take constant building to keep up with the growth of old Brown.

Mr. Darnell and son of Lubbock, formerly of Thorp Springs came in this week and will follow the carpenters trade. They aim to buy property and build a home and move the folks out from Thorp Springs in the near future

WE will pay the highest market price for butter and eggs. City Cafe.

Attorneys G. E. Lockhart of Tahoka, and Roscoe Wilson, of Lubbock were attending county Court here this week.

Two registered Herfords bulls were brought through here Sunday in a Federal truck, for the Ivy ranch in Yoakum county.

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Dr. M. C. Bell was up from Seminole this week, and sold his home here. We understand he received \$1000 00. for it.

J. W. Welch is building a two room addition to his residence, moving his barn back, and otherwise improving his place.

**FOR SALE** About 20 coming one year old high grade Hereford bulls at \$50 00 each. See Noah Bell twelve miles northwest of Brownfield.

Editor Warren of the Clarendon News and son and two prospectors were here last week looking over Terry. We understand that the prospectors will likely locate here.

Jake Johnson and family left this week for New Mexico, to make that their home.

Besides the addition of a full row of the latest patented shelving for their store, the Brownfield Hardware are removing the petition between the front and middle rooms, which will add greatly to the appearance of their store.

REMEMBER that Geo. McWhirtor is agent for the Buick car. Ask him to demonstrate.

The Higginbotham-Harris and the McAdams lumber companies are coming right along with their sheds, and at the same time are stocking up as fast as lumber can be brought in. The former yard and the R. H. Kemp yard are putting up signs 5 feet high and 80 feet long.

NOTICE. Prof. J. T. Stricklin, of Lubbock, will make an educational talk at Meadow, Saturday night, Mar. 3rd at 7:30 p. m. All are invited.

Wiley Bridges is sporting a brand new Chivoret car, and ran over two fellows Sunday without hurting them much. Woa went go when driving a car, Wiley.

FOR SALE at a Bargain, a Du-fold Bed, upholstered in Spanish leather. Inquire of Mrs. J. E. Newton, Phone 69, Brownfield.

C. M. Watson was here this week from Plainview, Texas, looking after his property. He lived here nine years ago, but left on account of not having railroad facilities. They are preparing to move back here.

Dr. Maddux, of Gomez, was over Monday, giving the glad hand of optimism.

FOR SALE one shorthorn Durham Bull, coming 2. See J. E. Woodard.

On account of the failing health of Mrs Green, they gave up all their boarders this week. It was like leaving home to some of the for ones.

\$5.00 takes a good kitchen cabinet. See it at Methodist parsonage.

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her son, Chas.

S. E. Walton, the photographer who recently located here, says he is doing a good business.

FEDERAL TRUCK service is now established permanently between Brownfield and Lubbock or Tahoka, and can get your freight on short notice. Mov-

ing of all sorts done on short notice with minium breakage. See M. A. Whitaker, Brownfield.

Among the many that have renewed the past week were; A. M. McBurnett, Bob Carter for himself and his father, at McCaulley, Texas, Elbert Proctor, Dick Brownfield, Burnett Bros., J. W. Welch, F. E. Walters, J. C. Green for himself and mother at Georgetown, Texas, R. H. Banowsky for his dady and jady in law, Dr. Treadaway for his cous in in Ala., and Arch Fowler. E. M. Fleming, Mrs. Alice Stapp, Geo. Black Jr., and Mrs. L. T. Brooks for her daughter at Roscoe, Texas, of Gomez; M. Limbach, Clinton, O.; O. L. Allen, Plainview, Texas; Hugh Snodgrass, Tokio, Texas and Roscoe Wilson, Lubbock, Texas, and you ought to see our list of new ones.

WANTED—To buy or exchange Indian Runner Drake. Inquire of Mrs. J. W. Moore, Gomez, Texas.

Walter Gracey and family left last week for Floyd county to visit Mrs. Gracey's parents, Lee Almon and family. Walter and Lee came in this week to look after the things, and Lee will spend the week here visiting old friends. He has bought and improved a quarter section of land up there.

Jim Lewis, wife and his sister, Miss Eldora, returned home this week from attending the bedside of their sister, Mrs. Uyles Sawyer, at Buchanan, N. M., leaving her much improved.

Will Loan money on school or patented land at eight per cent. G. E. Lockhart, Tahoka Texas.

A jitney containing four Tahoka citizens, three drunk and one sober, headed for Brownfield, last Friday afternoon, stopped at the Spurgeon mill and two of the boys proceeded to pull off a medium sized fight. In the scuffle, one got an ugly cut over an eye, and then the combatants begin trying to get a forty some-odd in the car, but the sober man beat them to it, stood them off, got the wounded man in the car and brought him to town for medical attention. Deputy Sheriff Jack Drinkard and sober man then went out and got the other scraper, and landed him in jail. A local physician took four stitches over the wounded man's eye.

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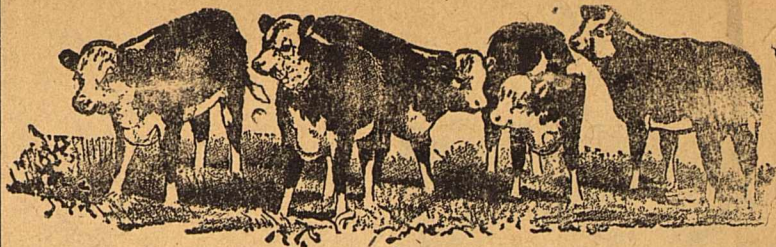
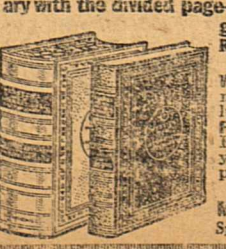
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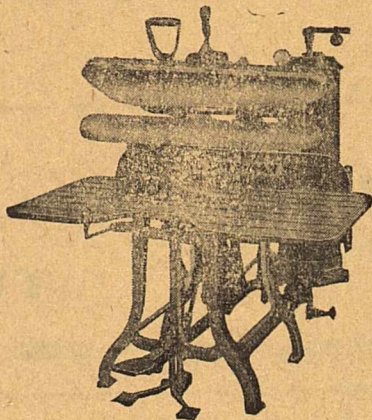


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(GOMEZ ITEMS Concluded)

On last Thursday a message from Lamesa notified Mrs. Lester Flannagan, who was over visiting her parents here, that here husbands sister was dying or dead, Mrs. Flannagan accompanied by her mother Mrs. Ben Wollfarth left immediately for Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. White was here from Lamesa Monday, home seeking.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We tender our sincere thanks to the entire community for their aid and kindness during the sickness and death of our wife, daughter and sister.

W. F. Poore  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Knox  
J. R. Knox

#### Grading Moving On

The Kelley & Bond grading

outfit came in last week and took up their mile on the south side of the draw begining at the south end of the trestle, and are moving dirt right along. On the north end of the trestle, the Skinner grading crew have been at work four weeks and Mr. Skinner informed us last week that he had already moved about 18000 of his 37,000 yards of dirt

We also learned this week that railroad company had decided to raise the grade another foot which will make the grades 38 feet high at the embutments of the trestle.

Mr. Skinner will have to move 18,000 yards of dirt in the north part of the swith yards, where it crosses an edge of the draw.

Work all along the line is progressing satisfactorily and we learn that a few more weeks will finish the grade from here to Lubbock.

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### County Court

County Court met Monday, with Judge W. W. Price presiding and County Attorney Wm. F. St John ready for business.

Besides the local attorneys Messers. R. L. and Clifford Graves and Chas. C. Triplett, Messers Roscoe Wilson and Percy Spencer were here from Lubbock and District Attorney G. E. Lockhart, from Tahoka.

All the gaming cases about twenty in number, were disposed one way and another and none of them were tried.

The first case called was State vs Mumford Smith and Fred Seudday for disturbing the peace. Jury rendered verdict of acquital for defendents, Capital Oil Co. vs. Earl Hill, two cases. Virdict for defendent. This was a suit on account, but plaintiffs were unable to prove any endebtness.

E. E. Hamilton vs. Jake Johnson; suit on note; virdict for plaintiff.

There will be another case up Thursday in which a Yoakum county man by the name of Allred is alleged to have stolen a wagon from a Terry county ranch

Probate court will be in session Monday.

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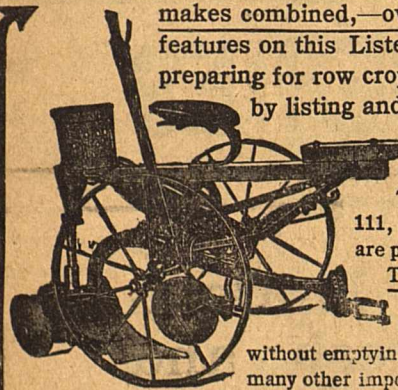


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The adjusting link on front end of beam is an important exclusive feature on the No. 111, absolutely preventing the point from running below the desired depth. The wheels are provided with dust-proof boxes, an immense help in the sandy loam lands of the West. The teeding device absolutely deposits one seed at a time of any of the row crops, besides can be equipped for both corn and cotton. You will have to see this wonder in improvement to appreciate it. The tilting hoppers allow change of plates without emptying them. Furnished with either disc or shovel covers. This Lister embodied many other important features that will convince you that it is the best on the market.

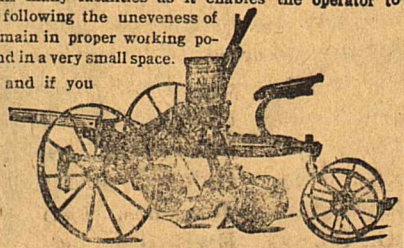
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DALLAS, TEXAS



## Gomez

By West Wind

Mr. Allen Shepherd came in last week from San Marcos, Tex. He is yet here looking after his Terry county property.

Boone Hunter and Robert Holgate attended the buyers and sellers convention of stockmen at Amarillo last week and Boone didn't go to just look and listen, while there he purchased two registered Herford males and shipped him home. The south plains is a stock farming country and it don't take any more feed to raise a blooded animal than a scrub, but a few wide wake stockmen will get rich raising the registered stock, before the majority of the people fall in line.

The 22nd, Washington's birthday was observed by the school here with a very interesting program. The exercises were opened by the song America,

rendered by the entire school followed by readings and songs by the different grades. A closing talk by Judge Price was listened to with appreciation by both teachers, pupils and patrons a bountiful dinner was spread in the auditorium and was much enjoyed by all present, the occasion was one of alloyed pleasure and nothing occurred to mar its perfection.

Mr. Jim Knox of Dublin got in last Saturday morning. He was called by phone to the bedside of his daughter, Mrs. Ted Poore

Mrs. Derryberry received a message last Saturday stating that her father who lives at Ft Worth was seriously sick. She left on Sunday morning for the R. R. to go to him.

Preaching at the M. E. church here last Sunday at 11 a.m. and at night by the pastor Rev. Fryar.

Dr. Summit reports that a son of Mr. Jim Smith, was operated on for appendicitis at the Smith home last week by Dr. Ponton,

the boy was too weak to be taken to a sanitarium. He is now reported improving.

Artie Shepherd has a well developed case of measles. He thought he was taking a severe cold and stayed in the store three days after he had fever. Result every one who has not had measles has been exposed, no use to run now.

### DIED

On Feb. 27th at 4.55 p. m. Mary Bessie Poore aged 23 years wife of W. F. (Ted) Poore. She was a member of the Christian church, and her untimely death has cast a gloom over the entire community. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Knox, of Erath county, where she was principally raised. On the 9th of April 1916 she and Mr. Poore were united in marriage the union proved one of unusual happiness, and as we listened to the heartbroken moans of the bereaved husband and looked at the little 11 days old infant left without a mother we felt indeed it was hard to say "Thy

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will be done." She knew she was going, asked her mother to raise her baby boy, sent a goodly message to her brothers and sisters at home and bade her husband to "meet me in Heaven" Her husband and parents carried her body back to Erath county for burial. She had only been

here 15 months, but had won the love of every one who knew her and these many friends are added to a large circle of relatives here who mourn for one lost to us here but waiting on Heavens bright shore.

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