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BROWNFIELD MERCANTILE

FROM GEO. W. NEILL

Cisco, Texas
April, 15, 1918

Mr. Jack Herald:

If any one inquires about me tell them I am down east picking cotton; the fact is I came down here to buy a few oil wells but on account of the great pressure below, oil is going rather high, so I have been visiting among my relatives, old time friends, and childhood playground enjoying a season of rest. I thought too would come here and miss Terry's sand storms but I stopped 300 miles too soon. It certainly has been dry here for two years, the tanks and creeks were dry, over half the people been hauling water all winter several towns had to ship drinking water in, but have had rains. Were it not for the oil excitement this country for 100 miles around would be blowed up. Lands are leasing for more than it could have been sold for 6 months ago.

and more than it is worth now, they lease and release, way out in the country for \$10.00 to \$25.00 per acre, in few miles of producing well, at \$150.00 per acre. The owner of the land gets 1-8 of the oil produced, they are now selling 1-4 and 1-2 of owners royalty several miles from a well at \$10. to \$50.00 per acre and right near a well up in the thousands. There is some 4 gushers in the near Ranger, about 40 rigs up and drilling in a radius of four miles and several scatter around the entire country; quite a number in Stephens and Calahan, in fact land is leasing actively in 7 counties around here. Its the biggest thing of its kind in the world in either in two ways, the biggest boog-a boo excitement or the biggest oil field. Many a poor man is now rich, so far no one has lost. Anyway it is still growing and increasing. It reminds me of a good year in Terry. Several wells to start around here right away. Cisco is a nice

place to live in and growing rapidly I have temporary quarters here, subject to a homeward decision any time.

I carried the family to Ft. Worth in the jitney, the 11th and viewed the big Military review, it was SOME review too, 27,000 khaki-clad real American heroes marched through the streets, to the tune of "Good bye Broadway Hello France" played by their bands Infantry, Cavalry, Artillery Red Cross wagons, and other wagons belonging to their equipment while the aeroplanes hovered above, each soldier was rigged up, just like they didnt expect to stop this side of the Battle line and the gait they walked, were it not for the ocean, they would soon be there. Poor boys many of them walked through Ft. Worth their last time. It was grand, sad and glorious. I cannot understand how any man who has enjoyed prosperity and comfort all his life, even the limited, under the protection of

old Glory, can refuse to, back up these boys who are going to defend it. Still believe ought to work, strive for a living and make money ahead, honestly, but it looks like for a year or two he could divide with the soldier boys, and help to keep the front the best country on earth. Raise more food and keep it.

While I am enjoying a visit doing very well in a business way still I get as homesick as a girl in her first year "off at school" as I remarked to my folks, it may be dull with you at present, and might get rich here, but old Terry is home to me. I will be back by the Primary, to show my wife how to vote.

I have been buying and reading every paper can get hold of trying to hear what is going on in Terry county, but find nothing. If you know of a publication that will give the news from there wish you would send it to me. The folks are well and enjoying the trip.

Yours truly,
Geo. W. Neill.

GEE MAN! KEEP 'ER COMIN'

McGUIRE BROTHERS
General Merchandise
Gilliland, Texas. 4-17-18

Mr. A. J. Stricklin,

Dear sir and friend:—I am just in receipt of your notice stating that my paper is about to stop, and an enclosing check for \$1.50 to "keep 'er comin'", as I consider it as a letter from home.

Will say that we had a severe cyclone and this portion of the country is hard hit, it doing about \$250 00 damage to us individually. But we have had heavy rains, and we think that will more than balance. I am,

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CITATION

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County Greeting: You are Hereby commanded to summon the Ohio Valley Buggy Company, a corporation and the unknown stock-holders of the Ohio Valley Buggy Co. a defunct corporation by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive 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 72nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 72nd Judicial District, to appear to at the next regular term of the district court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Brownfield, on the fifth Monday in April A. D. 1918, the same being the 29th day of April A. D. 1918, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of February A. D. 1918 in a suit, numbered on docket of said Court wherein R. G. Wood is Plaintiff, and the Ohio Valley Buggy Company, a corporation, and the unknown stockholders of the Ohio Valley Buggy Company, defunct corporation, are Defendants, and said petition alleging, that heretofore to wit, on the 1st day of January 1918, the plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lot, tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in the county of Terry and the State of Texas, known as all of the S.E. one fourth of Survey No. 89., in Block No. 4x, Cert. No. 194 issued to the P. S. E. Ry Co, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, and that the defendants unlawfully entered said premises and ejected plaintiff there from and unlawfully withholds from him the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of one thousand dollars, and plaintiff prays for title and possession of the said land and premises and for general and special relief.

Plaintiff alleges specially that he and those under whom he claims has had and held said land and premises using and enjoying the same for more than ten years before the defendants cause of action accrued, if any they have, and for more than ten years before the filing of this suit, and that he has title to said land and premises by virtue of the ten years statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff also alleges specially that on the 27th day of August 1909, one Felix R. Jones, made executed and delivered to C. M. McKenzie a certain deed of trust against the above described land and premises as a trustee for the defendants, and for the purpose of securing the payment of twelve notes executed by Felix R. Jones and payable to the order of the Ohio Valley Buggy Co., and aggregating the sum of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Eight Dollars, one fourth of said notes maturing on January 1st, 1910, one fourth of notes maturing February 1st, 1910, one fourth of notes maturing March 1st, 1910, and one fourth of notes maturing April 1st, 1910.

That each and all of said notes have been paid, but that the defendants failed to execute a proper release of the lien against said land created by said deed of trust, or that said release was lost and never placed of record.

That if plaintiff be mistaken as to the payment of said notes, then in the alternative he alleges that said notes are all long since barred by the statute of limitation, that the lien created by said deed of trust is also barred by the statute of limitation; but that said notes and said deed of trust creates a cloud against the title to said land and premises and he prays that said cloud be removed and his title quieted etc.

Herein fall not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness J. C. Green, Clerk of the District Court of Terry County.
Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at the office in Brownfield on this 28th day of February A. D. 1918.

J. C. GREEN,
Clerk District Court, Terry County.

FROM SWEET WILLIAM

Mt. Vernon, Texas.

April 18, 1918

Mr. A. Stricklin,
Brownfield, Texas.

Dear friend:

No doubt you will be surprised to get a letter from me, way down in the big sticks of east Texas. But it is a patent fact that I am here. So I thought I would write you a few impressions I received of the country, climate and people since landing here, about the 1st of August 1917.

My letter may not be as interesting to you as some others, as I believe you told me once you got marooned or water bound once for quite a spell in east Tex.

I was quite a curiosity to the people here as very few of them had seen a man from further west than Greenville. People lift their hats to a citizen of Franklin county who has been as far west as Comanche county, who they call a renowned traveler.

Well old friend, how about the rain? Wish I could swap one or two of the big ones we are having for a good old fashioned sand storm. I feel sure Terry county will soon get good rains as we are having decidedly too much rain here. The majority of the people here are planting war gardens and doing their bit to help win the war.

This part of Texas is all o. k. for a man who has never lived any where else. But there is too much malaria here for me to make this my home. Every disease in the catalogue is prevalent here from Small Pox and Minigitis to Kaiser Measles and Seven years itch. Tho I've been so fortunate as to escape so far. It has been a common sight to see a fellow going down the street with a bottle of old crow in one

hip pocket and a big bottle of chill tonic and quinine in the other. But alas! He will now have to take the chill tonic straight.

Well for fear I will tire you I must bring this to a close with a word of advice to those who contemplate leaving the Plains to better your condition, take it from one who has lived there long enough to know and who has tried it elsewhere, that the Plains is the best spot on the map with Terry county the center of gravity. Put your ear to the ground once in a while and cast your optics up the track in the direction of Lubbock for a Zula emigrant car laden with household goods and products of east Texas. Tell my old friends to prepare the fatted calf and I will do better than the prodigal of old by furnishing plenty of Dooly Yams to top off the feast.

With best wishes for yourself and family and that this may be a prosperous year for us all. I beg to remain as ever your true friend.

Sweet William.

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Our old friend Frank D. Smith who has been living in California for several years, has moved to Tenn., to take care of his old father, who is nearing the end. But Frank says he hopes yet to make Terry his permanent home some day.

For Sale: Full blood Jersey cow just fresh, at a reasonable price. J. C. Dooley, 2 miles south, Harris, Texas.

The little three year old daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hill was carried to Lubbock this week for operation. She has had a very serious case of pneumonia, and latter an abscess formed. Let us hope that she yet may be restored to health.

District Court meets in Brownfield Monday.

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When you go to buy your Oils and Gasolene, do you stop to think what the Magnolia Petroleum Co., has done for Brownfield and Terry County? They have spent near \$12000 in your town and Count in erecting tanks and warehouses for your convenience, and to enable them to keep the stuff on hand so you can get it any old time you want it. They charge no more for their stuff; They have just as good and better stuff as anywhere you go. Where should you trade? Stop and think for just a moment, and then drive or phone to Magnolia Petroleum Co., I am always there.

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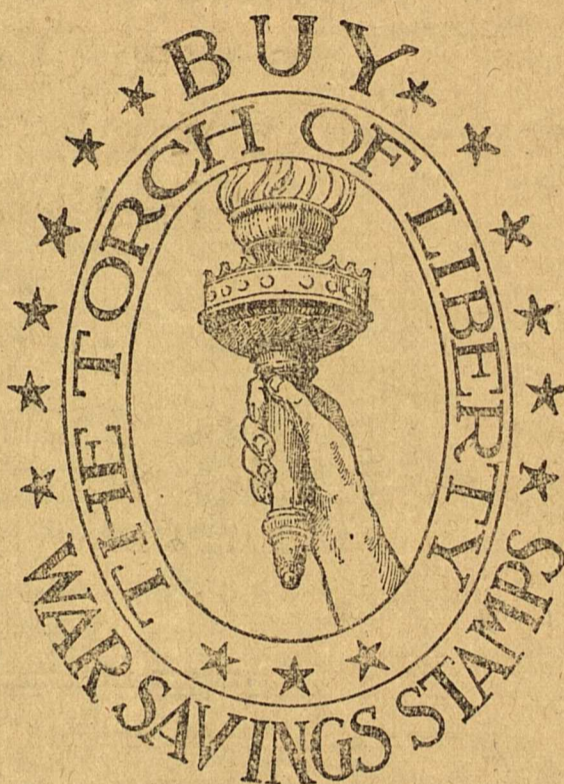
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BANK and POSTOFFICE

John Jarrot, of the Swashtika ranch in Hocklily, was here this week recruiting young men for the new State Guard of 10,000 men, authorized by the last legislature, and that will do border duty. A regiment of Calvary is being raised in the Panhandle and a company at Lubbock, and surrounding counties. Mr. Abernathy accompanied him here.

Atty. Wm. F. St. John, until recently our county attorney, but who now resides at Cisco and Eastland was here this week on business. He reports plenty of rain in his country.

Brownfield welcomes the Methodist preachers and delegates.

Still dry, but we are looking for J. Pluvius to turn 'em lose on us next time. We have hopes of better days, yet.

Lots of the big rains and flood we hear of in West Texas turn out to be local showers. Let us look and hope for that general down pour, that means something.

Mr Souter is building a half dug out for Frank Martin Jr., this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Duke, of Tatum, N. M., a girl on the 24th inst. Mr. and Mrs. Duke were temporarily staying with Mrs Duke's parents, Mr.

and Mrs. A. P. Moore at Gomez.

Pappy John Powell returned this week from the northwestern part of Hockly county, where he erected a huge dipping vat. He reports the cattle very scabby up there.

L. Lumsden, of the east side, shipped about 500 steers from here last Saturday. They were sold to Kansas parties, and will be put on grass up there.

Clifton Barrier and sister, Miss Rhola, left Tuesday for Lubbock, to spend a few days with their father and family, and Bob Barrier, who is helping with the store up there, came down here for a few days.

Up to the time we write this three young men have volunteered in the new Texas Guard; viz: William Peters, Dock Crouch and one of the Carter boys. They expect to get several more here.

Elder Liff Sanders finished the prophecies of the Revelations in so far he considers they have been fulfilled at the Church of Christ, Sunday morning and night, to a well filled house.

Geo. Snodgrass came in one day this week, and handed us the cash for the Herald and Semi Weekly News for another year.

A company of Boy Scouts have been organized in Brownfield with 12 charter members, and Sheriff J. N. Louis appointed Scout Master. This is a new branch of service for our coming young men and we hope see it grow.

A big boy was recently born to Mr. and Mrs Elbert Proctor on the 18 inst.

Man's Preference.

If women only listened to men their choice of clothes, they would always be "tailored" on the street and in public places in the afternoon. There is no uniform in which they appear that so pleases the masculine eye; but the trouble is that the American woman yields to the vagaries of fashions that are set for the French woman, and very often, and in great mass, loses her identity.

Essential to Joyous Wedlock.

In the Woman's Home Companion writer thoroughly trained in a domestic way says: "We hear all the time about homes being wrecked by the inability of women to keep house; just as many have been wrecked by the inability of the man. A young man of the mercy of his plumber, and who wields a carving knife as if it were a clam hoe isn't fit for marriage."

Living in Hope.

"Of course you have picked out an ideal place for your summer vacation?" "Oh, yes," replied Mr. Jobson. "Where do you expect to get away?" "I don't expect to get away at all." "But, you just said—?" "That I had picked out an ideal place for my summer vacation. I've decided on the same place every spring for the past seven years, but I haven't been there yet."

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A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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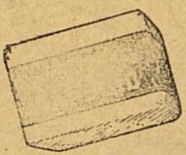
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EXAMPLES OF GERMAN KULTUR

The German pastor, J. Rump, in a sermon delivered during the early days of the war, when the German troops were overrunning Belgium, said in part the following:

"We stand facing the decisive hour for Europe, nay, we must say even for Asia and Africa. On Germany, which contrary to all human calculation, has in this war been guided to victory, the Lord will confer the duty of heralding the progress of His kingdom through humanity. On the paths of commerce and intercourses we shall go forth to all nations, and after the fierce fight is over carry Jesus to them in the quiet, peaceful work of true kultur."

And here is the way in which the Germans "carry Jesus" to the Belgians in the quiet, peaceful work of a true kultur."

From the testimony of a Belgian plasterer (D 39):

"On the 23rd August I went out with two friends (names given) to see what we could see. About three hours out of Malines we were taken prisoners by a German patrol—an officer and six men—and marched off into a

little of saplings where was a house. The officer spoke Flemish. He knocked on the door; the peasant did not come. The officer ordered the soldiers to break down the door, which two of them did. The peasant came and asked what they were doing. The officer said he had not come quickly enough, and that they had trained up plenty of others. His hands were tied behind his back and he was shot at once without a moment's delay. The wife came out with a little suckling child. She put the child down and sprang at the Germans like a lioness. She clawed their faces. One of the soldiers took his rifle and struck her a tremendous blow with the butt on the head. She fell dead. Another took out his bayonet and fixed it and thrust it through the child. He then put his rifle upon his shoulder with the child upon it. Its little arms stretched out once or twice. The officer ordered the house to be set on fire, and straw was obtained and it was done. The man and his wife and child were thrown on top of the straw.

"There were about forty other peasant prisoners there also, and the officer said: "I am doing this as a lesson and example to

you. When a German tells you to do something the next time you will move more quickly." The regiment of Germans was the regiment of Hussars with a cross bone and a death's head on the cap."

From the testimony of a Belgian soldier (D 118):

In the beginning of September about 11 a. m. I was in command of a small post about 200 yards in advance of my company. This was close to Nieuwenrode. The civilian inhabitants were turned out of there by the Germans. We saw them going off in carts. One cart came toward us with a man a woman and two children a boy and a girl. The Germans fired on them; I mean a small advance post did so. The boy was shot through the head; he was about ten years old. The little girl was shot in the cheek. The Germans—i. e. the outpost came out of the building they were in, and one pulled the girl by the hair from the cart and threw her on the ground. The man in charge stamped on the child's face, and as the parents told us afterwards called her a Belgian brute. The child was killed. The parents brought both children into our lines. There were two other carts with civilians in the road at the same time and I believe two others were wounded, two men, but I did not see them close. When the Germans fired we were about 800 yards away. The girl was about nine years old. I do not know the names of the men with me. The children were taken to the Civil Hospital Willebroeck, where all the company saw them. From the testimony of a Belg

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FOODS TASTE BETTER COOKED —TOBACCO TASTES BETTER TOASTED

Since the day of the caveman, who liked his meat raw, civilization has learned a lot about the scientific treatment of the things we eat.

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Of Dawson County

Lloyd A. Wicks
Of Crosby County

For County Judge
W. W. Price
Joe J. McGowan

For County and District Clerk
J. C. Green

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This county has an opportunity once more to show its real patriotism, the State of Texas, is now calling up its citizens to enlist in the New National Guard which is being organized. The Plains Country has been allotted one regiment with Will Miller of Amarillo, as Colonel.

This county has been put in the Amarillo District with W. B. Powell of Lubbock, Texas, as Captain. In order for this county to get into the regiment now being formed, a number of men must enlist at once. Here is a chance for men from 18 to 45 to show their true colors. If you are real patriotic you will be willing to join this company.

We have but a few days to complete the enlistment, so decision must be made immediately. These regiments of cavalry will be used to protect the Mexican border, and thus release other soldiers to go to the front. Here is an opportunity to fight for your State and country.

Arrangements have been made with a local man to take charge of enlistments in this county and a mass meeting will be held in this town upon Saturday afternoon at the Court house. Let every one consider this proposition patriotically and seriously.

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Since the Government took charge of the print paper situation, that item has become more stable and reasonable in price, yet nearly twice as high as pre-war prices. Stationery, on the other hand, which is not under restraint, keeps jumping about every 30 to 60 days, and our jobbers have not issued permanent catalogs and quotations in about two years.

In self defense then we give notice of an advance of about ten percent, effective May 1st:

Stock price per 500	1000
Letterheads, flats	\$2.80 \$5.00
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Billheads (small)	2.00 3.00
" (medium)	2.25 3.75
" (large)	2.80 5.00
Statements (regular)	2.25 3.75
" (Yankee)	2.00 3.50
Envelopes, 6 3-4 XXX	2.80 5.00
" bond	3.25 6.00
" 10 XXX	3.00 5.50
" 11 manila	3.25 6.00
" 12 "	3.50 6.50

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Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and Discounts	\$224,614.58	Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Interest Bank Guaranty Fund	2,142.51	Surplus and Profits	24,404.48
Real Estate, Banking House and Fixtures	7,898.40	Bills Payable	None
Liberty Bonds and War Saving Stamps	1,449.50		
CASH AND EXCH.	70,283.52	DEPOSITS	256,952.03
Total	308,358.51	Total	308,358.51

I certify that the above Statement is correct

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BROWNFIELD

TEXAS

GERMAN KULTUR CONCLUDED

ian refugee (E-27). Louvain:

In the afternoon 20th August the road was almost blocked with civilian refugees coming into Brussels from the direction of Louvain. I saw a party of about fifty Uhlans approaching and with the other members of the Garde Civique I hid my rifle and tunic. I was thus able to see the conduct of the Uhlans without being recognized by them as a combatant. The Uhlans were pricking the refugees with their lances to make them walk more quickly. They were doing this to women both young and old. I saw one of the Uhlans prick a young woman who had four or five children walking by her side. An old woman evidently the mother of this woman was being prodded with his lance by a Uhlan to make her walk faster. This caused the younger woman to turn around and shout something to the Uhlan which I was unable to hear. The Uhlan then deliberately plunged his lance into one of the children a little girl about 7 or 8 years old. The young woman screamed out my child is dead, and several screamed, which caused the crowd to become infuriated. The Uhlans then charged into the people, scattering them in all directions, and I saw no more."

The quotations given are from the Bryce report, and hence are absolutely authentic. The numbers refer to reference files in

the British Home Office, where the name and address of the witnesses are on file. These names cannot be divulged now, as to do so would bring danger upon the witnesses, their friends and relatives.

MARRIED

Mr. Chas. Roy Cardwell, son of Mrs. C. S. Cardwell of this city, and Miss Lela Myrl Blankenship, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blankenship, of near Gomez, were married in the presence of a few intimate friends and relatives, at the Methodist parsonage, Wednesday evening, Rev. Bowen officiating.

Roy has been reared in Brownfield, every one likes him, and we predict that he will make a name for himself in the affairs of our country.

Mrs. Cardwell is well educated and accomplished. She spent several years of her childhood in Terry, then moved with her parents to Stanton, Texas, and returned to Terry county about a year ago, when they returned to Terry, and she has many friends and well wishers here and there. Herald joins their many friends with hearty congratulations.

FROM CAMP TRAVIS.

Something of the sort of stock the boys of Camp Travis comes from can be found in a letter which was received by the commanding officer of the company in which the son of the man who

wrote the letter had just died. The young man had made a soldier of himself and was ready for service in the cause of his country; resolved to give up his life if need be in the travail of battle. His end came quickly in his bunk at night and without pain. And this is the letter that his father wrote:

"Captain of Headquarters Co., Infantry, and other officers and comrades of my deceased son:

Gentlemen: I wish to express my heartfelt thanks and gratitude for your kindness to my boy during his stay in the camp. He told me when he was at home on furlough that his officers were the best men in the world. ———, who accompanied the remains home, said you men were as good to George as you would have been to a brother. That's the true American spirit —keep it up gentlemen. Treat all the boys so their fathers will be proud of you as I am.

I also wish to thank the undertaking department for the nice manner in which my boy's body was sent home. I could not have surpassed it myself. His relatives and friends wish to express their gratitude and thanks to you.

Again thanking you, I am, yours respectfully."



Joe Lane anerstwhile Terryite now living in N. M., was here this week, and being persuaded by friends to make a few weather predictions, deposed and said "You may look for one and possibly two showers during April 1919."

The Dixie Theatre is nearing completion. When completed this is going to be one of the neatest and best arranged movie theatres in west Texas.

Gus Randolph was here Monday shelling the woods for voters in his race for Sheriff and Tax-Collector.

A. M. Crews brought in another dressed porker Saturday. Almost every Saturday, this progressive stock farmer brings in pork.

Walter Frazier, of Hockley, was here this week and renewed for another year of Herald reading.

We hope the Methodist Conference will give us a good sprinkle; yea, a regular pour down.

IF you have a fat calf, the Hill Hotel can use it ready dressed. See or phone the manager, J. C. Bond.

Windmilling

Don't buy a new mill these war times. I have had years of experience in building up old ones till they run like new ones. My charges are reasonable considering the stability of the repairs I make. Phone me your wants.

J. R. Hill

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ROUND TRIP ALL YEAR TOURIST Tickets now on sale daily to following resorts at fares quoted: Corpuse Christi, Texas, \$26. 35 Brownsville, Texas, \$31.75; Hubbard City, Texas, \$14.80 Mineral Wells, Texas \$12.75. For further information phone 295, R. F. Bayless, Agent, Lubbock, Texas.

DEATH OF MRS. L. PLAIN

The funeral of Mrs L. H. Plain (formely Miss Sallie Hilligoss of this city), who died Thursday of last week in a hospital at Lubbock, Texas, was held here Sunday at the Presbyterian Church by the Rev. John Crocket, in terment being in Pleasant Hill Cemetery. The church was fill-to overflowing. Mrs. Plain is survived by her husband and two children, besides her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hilligoss, and two sisters Mrs. George Chamberlin and Miss Marie Hilligoss.

Sarah Frances Hilligoss was born Aug. 23, 1888, on what is now the Ed Brierly farm five miles north of Pleasant Hill, in Jackson county. She lived in that vicinity and in Pleasant Hill until 1909 when she went to Kansas City where she was employed a little more than a year. May 10 1910 she was married to Lester H. Plain of Lee's Summit, and they resided there until July of 1912, when they moved to Clayton N. M. Two years later they moved to Highland Kansas, and they started for a new home at Brownfield January last.

When Lubbock, Texas was reached on the way to Brownfield, Mrs. Plain was so week that she had to remain there until in March, when she was taken to Brownfield, but it was for only two weeks. March 25 she was taken back to Lubbock and placed in the hospital where she died. The members of the hospital staff said she was the most composed and cheerful patient they had ever had, but this was but the assertion of the spirit which had always characterized her. "Sallie" as nearly all of her acquaintances knew her, was always a cheerful little body, with flashing touces of humor anon which endeared her to many people. Yet with all that she had looked upon and had considered the serious side of life and, so it seems, was prepared to meet the grievous fate which, taking her from the bosom of her family has hurried her to an untimely grave. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and had been since child hood, the obligations in which she observed scrupulously. In her preparations for going into the "valley deep and dim" nothing was more pathetic than when she asked for the children, Lesta Frances, six and Billy Bernice, three, the evening before her death, and saw them no more. Her death was due to a complication of diseases.—Pleasant Hill, Mo., Times.

Brick masons begin laying brick on the new State Bank building Monday, and the walls are going right up.

BILLS OF SALE. Blank bills of sale at the Herald office at 35c per 100.

The big concrete structure, being erected by Dick Brownfield on the northeast corner of the square is going right up, the walls will probably be finished next week.

Bob Bowers left last week for Erath county to visit his mother a few days, and to incidently investigate the oil fields as they are getting near his mother's property.

A very interesting communication was received this week from our old correspondent, Sweet William, who will soon be with us again.

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Bennett are the proud parents of a girl, born the 23rd inst.

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The yard that saves and satisfies

Raymond Barrier spent over Sunday with his father, at Lubbock.

LOST a ladies brown coat, trimmed in black plush, day of county school meet. Finder will please return same to Herald office and oblige owner.

BROWNFIELD PEOPLE SHOULD EAT PIE DAILY

Pie is wholesome, combining both fruit and grain. Those who have trouble digesting pie should take ONE SPOONFUL simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka. This flushes the ENTIRE bowel tract, removes foul matter which poisoned your stomach for months and relieves ANY CASE sour stomach, gas or constipation and prevents appendicitis. Leaves stomach in condition to digest ANYTHING.

J. L. Randal, Druggist.



BROWNFIELD LODGE NO. 908 A. F. & A. M.

Meets Saturday night before the full moon in each month in the Masonic Hall A. M. Brownfield, W. M. J. F. Winston, Secretary



BROWNFIELD LODGE NO. 530 I. O. O. F. J. R. Lindley, N. G. J. C. Green, Secretary

Meets every Friday night in Odd Fellows Hall



BROWNFIELD REBEKAH LODGE NO. 329

Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 7.30 p m Mrs. A. J. Stricklin, N. G. Mrs. J. W. Welch, Sec.



BROWNFIELD CAMP NO. 1989 Boyce Cardwell, C. C. J. C. Green, Clerk

Meets every Wednesday night in the Odd Fellows Hall. All visiting Sovereigns are invited to attend.

Something To Eat

Is what the Housewife has to think about 3 times a day, 21 times a week and 84 times every month. You may lighten this burden of worry by ringing F-o-u-r-T-w-o, where you will find at all times, a complete stock of the freshest line of up-to-date eats. We are anxious to serve you, and ask you to investigate our Prices and compare Quality

M. A. SMITH

"The Grocery Man"

BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

GOMEZ DOTS

By West Wind.

On last Monday morning a little two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hatton decided to follow her mother to the lot, so when Mrs. Groves, her grandmother was not noticing, she crawled under the gate and started to mamma. She passed the heels of a horse that kicked her striking her in the face, the gash required eight stitches to close it, it was cut to the bone across one cheek just under the eye, otherwise she was not hurt and is now able to be up.

A telegram Tuesday from Wood Johnson, at Camp Travis to his parents here announced that he would arrive home on a furlough Wednesday morning. His brothers Lee and John left here Tuesday afternoon to meet him at Post City.

Mr. Roberts left last Saturday morning for Throckmorton county, he carried his brother-in-law, Mr. Duncan back to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Odam of southwest Terry were here and at Brownfield on Tuesday. Mrs. Odam informed us that her youngest son had joined the National Guards to protect the U. S. south border. This makes three sons that they now have in the army, two volunteered last spring and are now at Camp Bowie.

The Gomez school will close this week. The primary grades will give an entertainment on Thursday night and graduating exercises will be held on Friday night also a program by the older pupils. We have had an excellent school this term, and we think our teachers deserves credit for the work they have accomplished because any one who has any knowledge of school knows that when the whole outside life of a young person is filled with depression and discontent it is almost impossible to get them to take proper interest in their studies. The dry weather here that caused last year's crop failure, and still continues has caused so much discontent and complaining among the older people that the younger ones were compelled to feel the influence of the general depression. Quite a number of boys quit school and went to seek work several weeks ago and the first of next week nearly all that are left, that are able to do a mans job, will leave

for Okla. to work on the railroad. We have taught under similar conditions, in past years and it is decidedly a worse job than grubbing for we have tried that too.

Messers Robert Holgate and Thos De Shazo left last week for the north west part of Secorra county N. M. Mr. Holgate has gone to have a well drilled and house built to move his family to. He intend to move this spring. Mr. De Shazo also will improve a place their to move to.

C. V. Harris, a former Terry citizen but now living near Broncho N. M., passed through here last week enroute home from the Salt River Valley of Arizona, where he has been at work since last summer. He stated that farm work is plentiful there and wages usually high, in cotton picking there the past season he received from 4 to 7 cents a pound for picking. That is an irrigated, hot country and they raise the long staple cotton. He stated that he would move out there if he could sell his home where he now lives.

Mrs. R. W. Glover received a letter from her mother at Miami Arizona, last week stating they had had fine rains there also the the strike troubles that were so bad there all last fall and winter had been settled.

Mr Crump was in last week with a basket of radishes from 4 to 6 inches long also green onions. He lives on the hard land; where the sand drifts, we cant have gardens until the surface winds cease.

BETTER RETURN YOUR FLOUR

The Food Administrator for Texas advises that it is his impression that there is yet a considerable amount of flour in Tex. that ought to be returned to the merchants for an equitable distribution, and advise all County and District Administrators that active steps are going to be taken to find out who is holding it. The object of this notice is to say that if there is any one in Terry county who has not yet returned their surplus flour, to do so at once. It is possible that there are some people in the country who did not see the former notice in regard to this matter and the Administration will appreciate it if any person knows of any one who has surplus that they will advise me and also advise the

person who has it, that it should be returned at once. It does not make any difference whether the flour was purchased, as the fact that it has not been returned is evidence of guilt. There is a heavy penalty for hoarding.

J. E. Shelton,
Food Administrator,
Terry County

FOR SALE: A mated colored Jack about 10 years old, 14 1-2 hands high, good breeder. If interested, see R. W. Glover, Gomez, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas—County of Terry: Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain writ of execution issued out of the honorable County Court, of Terry County, on the 26th day of March, 1918, by J. C. Green, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of \$75.00 and cost of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. E. Elmore vs. J. L. Denison, and placed in my hand for service, I, J. N. Lewis, as Sheriff of Terry County, Texas, did on the 26th day of March, 1918, levy on certain real estate, situated in Terry county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

The south one-half of the west 200 acres of Section 19, Block T., Cert. No. 10, D. & W. Ry Co. The same being 100 acres of land, the property of J. L. Denison.

And levied upon as the property of J. L. Denison, and that on the first Tuesday in May, 1918, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court house door of Terry county, in the town of Brownfield, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said judgment, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. L. Denison.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Terry County Herald, a newspaper published in Terry County.

Witness my hand, this 26th day March, 1918.
J. N. LEWIS
Sheriff Terry County, Texas

A NERVOUS WRECK

From Three Years' Suffering. Says Cardui Made Her Well.

Texas City, Tex.—In an interesting statement, Mrs. G. H. Schill, of this town, says: "For three years I suffered untold agony with my head. I was unable to do any of my work.

I just wanted to sleep all the time, for that was the only ease I could get, when I was asleep. I became a nervous wreck just from the awful suffering with my head.

I was so nervous that the least noise would make me jump out of my bed. I had no energy, and was unable to do anything. My son, a young boy, had to do all my household duties.

I was not able to do anything until I took Cardui. I took three bottles in all, and it surely cured me of those awful headaches. That has been three years ago, and I know the cure is permanent, for I have never had any headache since taking Cardui. . .

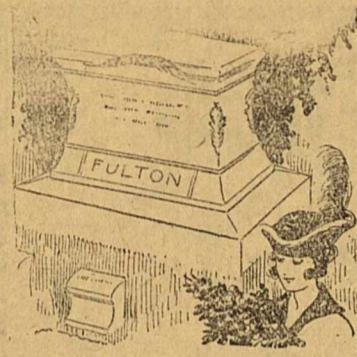
Nothing relieved me until I took Cardui. It did wonders for me."

Try Cardui for your troubles—made from medicinal ingredients recommended in medical books as being of benefit in female troubles, and 40 years of use has proven that the books are right. Begin taking Cardui today.

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A VISIT TO THE CEMETERY

Will show many examples of our skill as monument builders. Among them are every sort of memorial ranging from the very simplest to the most ornate and stately. And every one bears the mark of good taste and skillful workmanship. Our book of designs will be shown to any who plan a stone for their plot.



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J. E. HILL

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