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EARLY DAYS ON THE PLAINS

Clarendon—Recent pictures of the herd of buffaloes on the J A ranch in the photogravure section of the Fort Worth Record recalled to the minds of a number of early settlers the story of the development of the Panhandle section and the founding of this town. The story reads like the travels of Daniel Boone in the founding of Kentucky. It was the old, old story of westward the course of the empire takes its way.

So far as is known, or could be obtained, the first settlement in the Panhandle was at Mobeetie in 1860. A few hardy plainsmen and settlers came west from Dodge City, Kans. They had heard the Indians tell of the wonderful green valley in that section that is now supplied by goods by Clarendon.

In the south the nearest town was Henrietta, the terminal point of the telegraph line and the station of the troop of soldiers to protect the frontier from the Indians. These tribes of Indians had their camp ground along the foot of the plains through Donley, Armstrong, Swisher, Hale, Lubbock and adjoining counties, and they made their raids into Kansas, Central Texas and Colorado and when pursued by the troops they would make back for the brakes of Red River and Palo Duro canyon. Not only was this section favorable for a hiding place when fleeing from their enemies, but it was also famed then as now as the "Green Belt" and was so known among the Indians and early white settlers familiar with the frontier country.

After hearing repeated tales of the fertility of the "Green Belt" from Indians and from adventurous frontiersmen in the early seventies I. W. Carhart and his brother drew around them a band of hardy frontiersmen and pushed out into this region, settled at Old Clarendon on a tributary of Red River, built them a mud fort and began the colonization of a new country.

For a time the Indians were friendly, but after being stirred up by the roving bands from Oklahoma and the north, they combined for an attack upon the settlement and for 40 days not a man left the fort. After the first fifteen or twenty days a runner, drawn by lot, made the start one dark night and rode to Henrietta for troops—and thus the first colony planted in the West was saved to grow that has led to the opening of the most delightful section of this great state.

Shortly after this time, in 1875, Colonel Goodnight and John Adair, formed a small band in the state of Colorado, loaded their entire worldly possessions into covered wagons, and drove a few cows and horses and came into the new country to make and maintain their new home. Land was taken up by grant, purchase or

PROGRAM OF COMMUNITY MEET

Given by the people of Brownfield Independent School District in honor of the teachers, at the High School Auditorium, Aug. 30th 8 p. m.

Opening address Geo. W. Neill
 Reading Miss Stella Treadaway
 Male Quartette Kimbrell, Dock Powell, Lewis, Baughman
 Song; America By the audience
 Reading Miss Emily Miller
 Vocal Solo Grace Truman Green
 Piano Solo Margurett Bell
 Vocal Solo Terah Baughman
 Duet Mrs Carl Lewis and Irma Rentfro
 Three minute talks by business men, including Messrs. John S. Powell, A. J. Stricklin, Dr. W. N. Lemmon, I. C. Burgess, W. H. Dallas, R. M. Kendrick, Judge R. L. Graves and others.
 Duet Theresa Lemmon and Mary Shelton
 Talks by Mesdames Shelton, Bell, H. H. Copeland and Randal.
 Male Duet Baughman and Kimbrell
 Three minute talks by resident pastors
 Piano Duet Blanche and Geneva Brothers
 Thirty minutes reception, introducing the teachers: Refreshments: Song and announcements by Supt. G. L. Farrar.

trade; stock was ranged on boundless plains and valleys where fences were unknown and without need. They established headquarters several miles apart and began to build empires of their own—gathering together two of the oldest, largest and the best known ranches of this state. The J A ranch, so known from its brand, at one time included more than 800,000 acres of land.

As time passed counties were organized; the Denver railroad came in the eighties. "Squatters" came in and in face of a war waged by the cattlemen took up the pursuits of agriculture. In the early transaction days when the cultivation of the soil as a means of livelihood was looked upon by the ranchmen as the most contemptible form of menial labor, and to be called a "Kaffir-corn-er" was the greatest insult possible to be heaped upon a man.

But a country depending upon rainfall, of invigorating climate, an abundant vegetation and served by a transportation outlet was destined to become an agricultural section in spite of the aversion of the cattlemen, for a "squatter"—one who took up the government land on claim and lived on it three years for ownership. Broad acres were put in cultivation improved grade of stock began to be introduced, intensive farming followed and the present finds this section largely given over to modern agricultural methods and the proportion of home owning, prosperous farmers becoming greater and greater each year and the cattlemen is forced to give way in view of the high price of land and the high cost of handling pasture stock.

As the old gave way to the new the buffalo and indian began to fade away. Large numbers of both were killed, others migrated, and it seemed that the west would lose both of its old familiar roamers. Before the last

of the buffalo were lost, Colonel Goodnight began to experiment with pasturing and breeding of the stock to prevent the complete extermination of this noble creature of the wild—King of the Plains—he has been called.

This was the first attempt in this connection and met with success from the first, although a number of the early individuals rather resented the loss of their liberty and failed to appreciate the restraining influence of a ten or twelve wire fence. "Old Sikes" an 1800 pound buffalo, for years was a well known character over a wide area for his unannounced visits—smashing such wire fences as came in his way, tearing out barn doors and otherwise making himself at home and investigating anything that chanced to attract his passing notice.

Still the noble creatures browse the boundless plains—but more and more each year inclined to accept the conventional restraints of wire fences, weekly reporting each night to the feed trough, posing for his picture, and feeling in the balmy days of early spring little of the roving, restless blood of his ancient sires. He stands for long hours gazing into the dim beyond, across the rustling sage and beargrass, a statue of strength and a relic of the savage passage of time—dreaming, philosophizing upon the unexplainable evolution of things worldly, content to wait his time for the passage to the happy hunting grounds of the Indians—for surely he misses the thrill of the chase even when he becomes the victim.

As in the early days this section is known as the "Green Belt" and every crop known to the great State is grown with profit upon its endless plains and winding valleys. Prosperity follows the ever widening furrows and countless new hoes mark

JOE BAILEY'S GALL

By S. A. Fishburn, Dallas

If all the gall in all the world—
 Except what Bailey's got—
 Were in a single reservoir,
 There sure would be a lot;
 But it would look most pitiful,
 This reservoir so tall,
 Compared with one that's big enough
 To hold Joe Bailey's gall.

As witness his most brazen hope
 To be chief magistrate
 And serve the interests as of yore
 When honored by his (?) state;
 And just to think—what super-gall—
 That he should ask that we
 Reward his recent bold attempt
 To kill democracy

And is his check so adamant—
 This woman hating man—
 That he can ask for woman's vote
 When none in all the land
 Did more to rob her of her vote
 And stay her eager hand
 In work against King Alcohol
 Now banished from our land?

And yet again, what impudence!
 He seeks the soldier's vote,
 Tho' boldly says he "shut his mouth"
 And uttered not a note
 In that great drive for bonds & funds
 To save the day and won
 For Liberty and righteousness
 The war against the Hun.

But gall and brass and prize of self
 Don't win with Texas folks
 Who look upon Joe's race as but
 A great big horse-play joke;
 So they'll "fix" him good and strong,
 This self styled "Thorobred,"
 And wisely choose and choose again
 That Pat Neff "scrub" instead.

Joe's Gall
 Rest of the world's gall

Card of Thanks

We seek this method of thanking the many friends, who so kindly and faithfully assisted in caring for our dear husband and father during his sickness and death. Every act of kindness will be cherished and remembered through life by us. Many thanks to the dear ladies who sent the beautiful flowers. May God's richest blessings rest on everyone.

Mrs. R. W. Rambo and Children

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank each and everyone who assisted us in taking care of our darling baby. May God bless each and everyone of our dear neighbors and friends forever.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Duncan

the gradual disintegration of the great bodies of ranch lands into the smaller homesteads. The motor truck has replaced the prairie schooner, and rural free delivery the chuck wagon. Register papers replace the brands, and one section is called a ranch.

WILL YOU BELIEVE BAILEY OR NEFF'S MOTHER

Sad rumors of defeat have begun to make their appearance. After seeing that the people are going to stand by Mr. Neff, the Bailey crowd on the eleventh hour are trying to make people believe that Neff is a draft evader. Neff's aged mother says he is not and was not in the draft age, and the old family Bible corroborate the same story. Which do you believe?

NEFF'S POSITION ON THE LABOR QUESTION

"Every man who toils with his brain or brawn has the right to quit work whenever he wants to, but let it be understood that when he quits his job any other American citizen has the right to do the right to do the work his neighbor did not want to do. Every man should be left free to make whatever contract he desires as to his employment, both as to compensation and hours of service. The employee should be left free to join either the open shop or the closed shop, or stay out of both, just as he sees fit. The employee should be permitted to employ whomsoever he pleases and on whatsoever terms are satisfactory to the two contracting parties. In the peaceful conduct of capital's business and in the peaceful pursuits of labor's trade the Government should grant to each equal protection"

TENNESSEE RATIFIES SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 18th.—Woman suffrage became part of the basic law of the United States today, when the Tennessee Legislature ratified the Susan B. Anthony constitutional amendment.

Tennessee was the 36th state to ratify, thus completing the ratification and putting the amendment into the constitution, bringing to a victorious conclusion the long fight for equal suffrage in the United States.

The editor is particularly gratified that his native state and the state of his adoption should be the first two southern states to ratify the suffrage amendment.

Former County Judge of Taylor County Gives Up For Trial

Abilene, Texas, Aug. 15th.—Tom Bledsoe, who disappeared in March, 1913, while county judge of Taylor county, came back to Abilene last night and surrendered to the sheriff, and will face charges in connection with the alleged forging of county warrants. During the last seven years Bledsoe has wandered in many countries, including Canada, Mexico and Guatemala.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING

We are getting lots of new goods; one lot of pretty gingham that we are selling at 40c. Now is the time to buy while the assortment is good and you will have time to make for school this fall. If you are going awa, let us sell you a pretty suit case or hand bag. Just gotten a good assortment.

SPECIAL

One lot Mens' and Boys' felt hats \$1.00 Mens' large size tennis shoes 75c. Cheap prices on all slippers and oxfords Also ladies mens ready to wear at reduced prices

Barrier Bros. D. G. Co.

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JOE BAILEY'S RECORD?

BAILEY OPPOSED the Democratic Administration. In a speech at Wichita Falls March 30th, Bailey said: "Viewing the whole thing from top to bottom, not one single achievement of the entire Democratic Administration meets my approval."

BAILEY OPPOSED the principles of the Democratic Party. Bailey said in effect: If Woodrow Wilson is a Democrat then I never was one. I can never vote for a man who entertains the convictions of Woodrow Wilson—as long as I live.

BAILEY OPPOSED the National Prohibition amendment. Bailey admitted in a speech at Beaumont that he was paid to represent the Association Opposed to Prohibition.

BAILEY OPPOSED Woman suffrage. He said it would prove to be a greater evil than Prohibition.

BAILEY OPPOSED advising his friends to buy Liberty Bonds because they would lose money in making the investment.

BAILEY OPPOSED a vigorous and patriotic prosecution of the war. He said: When war was declared I shut my mouth.

BAILEY OPPOSED the Federal Farm Loan Act.

BAILEY OPPOSED point blank in a speech at Wichita Falls, March 30th, to say how he stood on the open shop.

BAILEY OPPOSED the Federal Reserve Bank Law.

BAILEY OPPOSED the Child Labor Law.

BAILEY OPPOSED the Pure Food Law.

BAILEY OPPOSED rural mail delivery.

BAILEY OPPOSED the Parcel Post Law that puts the man in the country in touch with the markets.

BAILEY OPPOSED the White Slave act in the Caminette case. This law prohibited the immoral act of transporting women for purposes of debauchery and prostitution. This statement is made as a reply to the charge that Neff was attorney for the defendant in the Patterson murder case.

"Neff For Governor Club" For Terry County

P. S.—The Baileyites are challenged to point to one constructive measure Bailey ever advocated in favor of the common people when he was in the senate.

HARRIS HAPPENINGS

By Sand Bur

Miss Alexander, sister of G. W. Alexander, is here on a visit. Her home is in Fort Worth, we understand.

G. W. Alexander and son, Carl, accompanied by Mr. Alexander's sister, visited Clyde Alexander on Sulphur Draw last Monday. Mr. Alexander's father and mother returned home with them. The old folks had been down visiting Clyde and family for several days.

P. M. Williams took Misses Loren and Mattie Cotten to Brownfield this afternoon (Monday). Miss Mattie was going in for medical treatment for tonsillitis.

Ye Scribe and family were invited to partake of a dinner of fried chicken and roasting ears with F. M. Ellington and family last Friday. Of course we accepted the invitation, as we are raising neither, chickens nor roasting ears this year, the dinner was a treat.

Roy Fitzgerald and family visited F. M. Ellington and family last Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Harris called on Mrs. M. Taylor and Mrs. P. M. Williams today, (Monday).

Clifton Fitzgerald is sporting a bran new jitney.

Pits are being dug on this (Tuesday) for barbecuing the meats for the picnic.

BROTHERS & Brothers will appreciate your grocery orders.

TOKIO TALKINGS

By Grasshopper

This part of Terry county has had another good rain, which came in time to mature the crops.

Mr. Ned Hendricks returned Thursday from Mexico, where he went prospecting and to visit relatives.

Several cases of diphtheria reported, but all are improving.

Mr. Hoyt Gray and family visited with his father near Gomez, Sunday.

Mr. Ed Spear and family spent Saturday night with Mr. Ned Hendrix and family.

Misses Roxie and Winnie Campbell came in Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. Waters and sons, Glen and Guy, and A. V. Taylor, left Sunday to visit the oil fields.

The young people enjoyed a party at Mr. McColloch's Friday night.

A. V. Taylor's brothers and family and daughter and son-in-law, from Scurry county, spent several days with them last week. (Well, what kind of shape did that crowd leave the larder in?—Ed.)

ONLY those who believe, profit by the things they see. Hundreds of others profit by our service, why not let us show you by letting me make you an up-to-date Abstract. C. R. Rambo, Abstracter, Brownfield, Tex.

Simon Holgate and family left the past few days for a trip in the east part of the State.

BROTHERS & Brothers delivers your groceries to your kitchen.

HOW TO KILL A PREACHER

Few people if arraigned in court, would plead guilty of killing their preachers. Yet many a pulpit is red with blood from murdered ministers. Multitudes of church members not only kill the minister's influence and ambition but also kill him mentally, morally and physically. It is from this point of view that some one has written the following rules, guaranteeing if they are carefully followed that they will kill any preacher on earth. Read them and see if you are killing your preacher.

1. Stay away from church, especially on bad days, when you think the crowd will be small.
2. Stay away from Wednesday night services because you know there will only be a handful present.
3. When the church is over, leave the church in a hurry, without speaking to the preacher a word of encouragement.
4. When you get sick, don't let him know it, and then abuse him for not coming to see you.
5. Never invite him or his family out to dine at your home. They never enjoy a social hour.
6. Pay as little as you can on his salary and then grumble about that. That makes him feel good.
7. Never give him anything except what you promised. That might make him think you appreciate him.
8. Always have some excuse when he wants you to do a little work. That's what you pay him for.
9. Never call at his home, but raise "Old Billy" because he don't visit

you once or twice every month.

10. Don't offer to help him in any way for he might think you are trying to butt in.

11. Act as cold and indifferent toward him as you can and he will think you are dignified. If these 11 fail to kill him they will undoubtedly break him from preaching and force him to leave town.

CHOICE poland china pigs for sale; they are dandies. See A. B. Bynum, City.

K. M. McCray, of Lubbock county, was here this week looking after his property interests in the southern part of town.

BROTHERS & Brothers will pay the highest market price for your poultry, eggs and cream.

Brit Clare, one of the prominent cattlemen from the Harris country, was in the first part of the week.

SEE JNO. A. DUMAS for lime for all purposes. Ask him to explain the many uses it can be put to. Use Brownfield Lime; as good as the best and cheaper.

Another good rain fell here all day Saturday, amounting to six tenths of an inch.

Epworth League Program

For August 29th at 7:30 p. m.
Subject: Union of Capital and Labor.

Leader, Mr. J. A. Darden.

Song and Prayer.
Duty of employees:—Mat. 8 5-13; Luke 3: 10-13; Eph. 6: 9; Col. 4: 1; Gal. 6: 1-10—Ted Watts.

Duty of the employee to the employer:—Luke 3: 14; Eph. 6: 5-7; Col. 3: 22-24; I. Peter 11: 18-20.—Cecil Smith.

Vocal Solo: Miss Lois Brownfield. Bear with one another.—Gal. 6: 1-2; Rom. 15: 1-2—Miss Louise Stinson.

Christian Union of Capital and Labor:—I. Sam. 2: 7; John 13: 34; John 17: 20-23—Mrs. R. A. Snodgrass.

Sentence Prayers.
Quartette:—Mildred Burgess, Kate Spivey, Fletcher Stewart and Vergil Bynum.

Talk by Leader: Song: Benediction.

Fall gardens are sure to be fine this season, we have had so much rain, and especially turnips and the sweet potatoes.

SEE WILLIAMS & BOWERS for Cotton Seed Meal, Bran, Shorts, Oats, Chops, Alfalfa Hay, Peanut Cake and Meal.

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Robert Griffith & Ben Hurst

ANNOUNCEMENT

We are now lining up for the greatest fall and winter transfer of real estate in the history of Terry County, and if you contemplate selling all or part of your land, better get in and list early. We are going after the buyers.

SHELTON-COOK LAND COMPANY

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TRADES DAY AT LUBBOCK

FIRST MONDAY IN SEPTEMBER

And each first monday thereafter.

This is a big trades and selling event for the South Plains and you will miss a great opportunity to get in touch with buyers and sellers, if you fail to attend.

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Sheriff's Notice of Election

THE STATE OF TEXAS; County of Terry:

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 11th day of September, 1920, (a) at A. W. Adair's residence at Challis in common school district No. 20 of this county, as established by order of the County Trustees of Terry County on the 2nd day of June 1920, which order is recorded in book 1, at page 7 of the minutes of the County Trustees of Terry County, (b) to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property owning, tax-paying voter of said district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said Common School District in the amount of \$6000.00, the bonds to be of the denomination of \$100 each, numbered consecutively from one to sixty, inclusive, payable twenty years from their date, with option of redemption at any time after fifteen years from their date and bearing five (5) per cent interest per annum, payable annually on the 15th of September of each year to provide funds to be expended in payment of accounts legally contracted in (c) building and equipping a wooden school building in said district, and to determine whether the Commissioners Court of this county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds or any of them are outstanding a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and county and who are resident property taxpayers in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:—

"For the Bonds"

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:—

"Against the Bonds"

A. W. Adair has been appointed presiding officer for said election, and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this county as required by law for holding a general election.

Said election was ordered by R. L. Graves, County Judge of this County by order made the 16th day of August, 1920, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated this the 16th day of August, 1920.

J. N. LEWIS
Sheriff Terry County, Texas
By W. A. Wooley, Deputy.

LATEST BATHING FAD

If bathing beauties wish to be strictly in style they will take advantage of the following hint which is from Chicago bathing resorts:

"In other days when lovers were constant, devoted ladies sometimes had the names of their loved ones tattooed somewhere upon their person. At best that was a mussy operation, and if the lover proved unfaithful and the lady took on a new one, she had to go through the extremely painful operation of having the tattoo marks removed.

Chicago young women have evolved the better plan. Taking a pointer from a great hotel whose agents paste a film bearing their coat of arms on ripening apples and melons

and let nature stamp the label, these girls are pasting the initials or monograms of their loved ones upon—well, upon themselves where everybody is not supposed to see it. Then they recline in the sun along the beaches and in a few days shave the monogram in snow white on a field of nut brown. The monograms and initials are made of felt and those selling bathing supplies report a remarkable demand for them.

The sunburn initial has a distinct advantage over the tattoo. It is not painful and will fade out during the winter. One season is about as long as the modern lover can remain through, anyway, so the new fad fills the bill.—Honey Grove Signal.

IF—YOU could buy a car that looks like an automobile, rides like an automobile, and is so easily handled that anyone without previous experience can drive it—and yet requires no more care or cost of upkeep than a flivver—wouldn't you dig right down in your pockets and lose no time in buying one? We'll say you would. Then tell J. F. Winston to get you a new model Overland!

Jim Burnett and family left Saturday for Dublin and that vicinity to visit relatives. Jim says he has not clawed chiggers for some time now and does not want to lose the practice.

Try want ads in the Herald. They bring home the bacon.

The Terry County Herald

A. J. STRICKLIN, Editor-Publisher-Proprietor

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Six Months	.75
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It's no longer necessary to go into the details describing the practical merits of the Ford car—everybody knows all about the "Universal Car." How it goes and comes day after day and year after year at an operating expense so small that it is wonderful. This advertisement is to urge prospective buyers to place orders without delay. Buy a Ford car when you can get one. We'll take care of your order—get your Ford to you as soon as possible—and give the best in "after-service" when required.

Bradley-Brownfield Auto Co.
BROWNFIELD, TEXAS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR SHERIFF & TAX-COLLECTOR
Wood E. Johnson
R. E. Burnett

Some Bailey supporters are real sore at the country newspapers as a whole because 95 per cent of them are for Neff for Governor. In airing this objection they are doing Mr. Neff a favor, for it is a well known fact that the country press always supported the better and cleaner men and movements in local, state, and national affairs. Mr. Bailey may be the more desirable man in the present campaign, and the newspapers may be supporting the wrong man, but the fact that the country newspapers are almost solidly for Mr. Neff is in itself commendatory to the candidacy of Mr. Neff to those voters who are in doubt as to their choice.—Rotan Advance.

"Going Both Ways" is the caption of a Marshall Morning News editorial. "Mr. Bailey says in the same speech that we will all starve to death unless we can get people away from the cities on to the farms and from the wages and short hours is the trouble; that we must produce more on the farms and that union labor wages are belaboring farms. This is what he is belaboring labor unions. But in his speech when he jumped on Neff's land plank he says that it would cause the big ranches to be cleaned up and that so much grain and cotton would be raised that the price of these products would shrink to starvation prices for the farmers. At one time in his speech he says we must produce more, and at another time he says we must not increase production. All of which is bunk and nobody knows it better than Joseph Weldon Bailey.

"Ben Looney lives in Hunt county and in the July primaries carried his home county by a large majority," says the Marshall Morning Times. "Thomason lives in El Paso county and carried the county by a majority over all three of his opponents' vote. Neff lives in McLennan county and got 3000 more votes there than did Bailey, Looney and Thomason put together. Bailey claims to live in Cooke county and here is the way it voted: Thomason, 2015; Bailey 1460; Neff 228; Looney 118. Not only did Bailey lose Cooke county, but he failed to carry the city of Gainesville and lost the ward he is said to live in. Mr. Bailey says he never changes his mind and yet he said in Feb. in his Gainesville speech that no man should hold an office if his home people did not vote for him. Still we doubt if this applies to Bailey and Cooke county.—Fort Worth Record.

No, the super-gentleman is from Washington, D. C., and he will probably carry that city this fall for the Republicans, if they could vote.

WILL YOUR MR. BAILEY CRIP-PLE OUR SCHOOL SYSTEM?

From start to finish Mr. Bailey has contended that if elected Governor he will reduce the taxes one-third. The tax rate for next year is sixty-three cents. To reduce it one-third means to take off twenty-one cents, leaving forty-two cents as the rate. Of this rate thirty-five cents is for education, and five cents is for the payment of confederate veterans. Will he dare take this pittance from the old soldiers? No, but that leaves only two cents for running expenses of the government. This is just about enough to support the governor's office as Mr. Bailey would have it supported. Will he do away with all the officials of the State? No doubt he would be glad to do so, and to give us a genuine dose of kaiserism, but that would be difficult to

do. Then where will he cut the tax rate? It must come out of the taxes for the schools, and yet the superintendent of public instruction has announced that the funds now available for schools are not sufficient to pay the teachers to secure satisfactory services, and that many schools must go without teachers. If Mr. Bailey makes good his promise to decrease the taxes one-third he must do it by seriously crippling our public school system. Will he do it? He says he makes good every promise. THE VOTER HAD BETTER NOT RISK IT IF HE WANTS EDUCATION FOR HIS CHILDREN.—Home and State.

BROTHERS & Brothers buys the best canned food put up to protect their customers.

Mrs. Jake Johnson and two of the smaller children came in Wed. to attend the picnic and visit relatives.

WATCH for Ormer Locklear, the great air robber. He is coming to play at the Liberty Theatre some time soon.

Roy Hunter, a Plainview barber came in Wed. to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Hunter, of near Gomez, and take in the picnic.

DR. H. H. HUGHES

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90TH DIVISION REUNION AT OKLAHOMA CITY

The Second Annual Reunion of the Veterans of the 90th division will be held in Oklahoma City, September 25-26-27. The 90th division was originally made up of Texas and Oklahoma men, and trained at Camp Travis, Texas. However many replacements were received from every state in the union. The division took part in the St. Mihiel and the Muese-Argonne offensives and was one of the divisions honored by a place in the Army of Occupation in Germany. Every man who trained or served at any time with this division is cordially invited to attend the reunion. The 90th division has permanent headquarters in Dallas, Texas, in charge of Arthur J. Reinhart, Sec.

Special rates have been granted by the railroads from all points in Texas and Oklahoma for the reunion, according to word received by Mr. Reinhart. These dates mark the first three days of the Oklahoma State Fair, and in addition to this attraction, Mayor Walton has promised to make it "the best entertainment ever given anyone and that the city will be turned over to the former soldiers during their entire stay in the city.

A bully time and a royal welcome awaits these vets.

C. M. Huddleston handed us a dollar recently to keep the best paper in Terry county headed his way.

CANDIES of all kinds at Brothers & Brothers, and they are fresh too.

Old Cow Man Beaten Up By Son

Van Martin of Motley County, but formerly an old J A hand and well know to many here, was severely if not fatally injured a few days ago in an altercation with one of his sons, according to information received here. According to the report he was brutally whipping or beating one of his children and one of the elder boys secured a club and beat his father over the head with it, resulting in fracturing his skull, and at last account he was not expected to recover.—Silverton Star.

A GOOD second hand row binder for sale in good running order. See Joe B. Hill, City.

Rev. J. C. Lewis came in Monday from Tulia, where he has been attending the Panhandle Convention of the Primitive Baptist. He reports a good time and lots of good preaching.

A FULL STOCK of auto tires and inner tubes; see our new stoves. Brownfield Hardware Co.

Mrs. Dixon, of Lubbock, is here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Walter Scudday.

Two registered Poland China sows pigs for sale. Phone or see Guss Ratcliff.

The people of Brownfield were glad this week to have with them, Miss Hennie Meriwether, of Clovis, N.M., who formerly taught school here. Miss Hennie was a general favorite with both the pupils and parents.

World's Oldest Statue.

In a museum at Boolak there is a statue supposed to be over 6,000 years old. A great French Egyptologist, Mariette Bey, discovered the statue at Memphis and brought it to the museum. It is little more than three feet high and holds a staff. The figure is full of life and poise. The forehead is rounded, expressing intellect and the eyes, of crystal, set in bronze give an astounding lifelike appearance. The statue is not the work of a crude barbarian and few artists living today could impart such realistic features to a wooden statue.

Occasional Vacation Profitable.

A noted writer of detective stories once said he solved most of his puzzles over the billiard table, and a scenario writer declared that the tone for a sluggish imagination is a 50-point game of pocket billiards. From all of which it may be surmised that the fellow who gets away from the grind, spasmodically or regularly, gets a better perspective of the business than the fellow who feels the business cannot spare him.

Always a Silver Lining.

Robert had lost a penny. His mother tried to show him the value of the penny by telling him that car fare is seven cents, and if she only had six cents and could not find the lost cent, she would have to walk, and not take the car. After thinking a while, he said: "But mother, you could buy an ice cream cone then, and then you could eat it while you were walking, and that would make the walk pleasant."

Agreed Better Apart.

Ansel and Fred were chummy, but got into a dispute before playing together long. Finally they remained away from each other for several days, and Ansel's father asked him what the matter was that they didn't play together any more. "Why," replied Ansel, "we've agreed to stay away from each other, 'cause we get along together better when we are apart."

Success.

Life is indefinite—a bundle of contradictions. We men, with our ideas, strive to give it a particular shape by melting it into a particular mold—into

the definiteness of success. All the world conquerors, from Alexander down to the American millionaires—mold themselves into a sword or mint, and thus find that distinct image of themselves which is the source of their success.—Rabindranath Tagore.

Would Be Up to Date.

Minnie, five years old, lives in the country. One summer she was taken to visit in town, where she was much interested in the electric lights. The first time the faithful kerosene burner was lighted after her return home she looked at it with evident disfavor, then ran to her father with: "Papa, let's give our lamps away and get us some gas lights in bottles."

Smallest Bird.

The golden-crested wren is the smallest of all European birds. Its average weight is only about eighty grains troy, so that it would take seventy-two of the birds to weigh a pound. The length of the feathers is about three and a half inches. When the feathers are off, the body is only an inch long.

Woman's Sphere in Japan.

"Most servants in Japan can only cook a little rice in plain, hot water," says a Tokyo lawyer. "They know nothing about fixing all the good things that go with the rice. That is why the women of Japan are too busy to get lonely or to need clubs."—Adelaide Lyons in World Outlook.

I NOW HAVE on display my fall hats see them before you buy. Mrs. T. A. Faucett.

Mrs. Cecelia Hollingsworth, of the city of Frost, Texas, was here this week visiting her old pupils and the friends in general, who were of course glad to see her. However, when she taught here, she was a Miss Stephenson, and boarded with Uncle Mose Dumas and family. She left friend hubby at home.

MR. FARMER, our binders are ready now for delivery. Brownfield Hardware Co.

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The mother and sister of Tom Prideaux, are here from Lot, Texas, visiting him.

WE RENOVATE and clean the old mattresses and make new ones to order. We are located directly east of Williams & Bowers. Call and see us. Lewis & Lewis, City.

J. J. Turner, one of our hustling real estate men got out one day recently and raised enough money to fence the three tabernacle lots with a good fence. E. Brown and J. C. Bohannon took the job, and are putting in pretty and straight six feet dipped posts, eight feet apart, with large eight feet corner posts set in concrete. They are using 4½ feet bull proof net wire fencing, with a barbed wire on top. One large gate for wagons loaded with fair produce or anything like that is left in the rear, and two stiles will be used for entrance.

ROOMS and Board in Private home. Phone 117.

K. W. Howell and family, former prominent Hedley citizens, are here from Brownfield this on a visit to home folks and friends.—Hedley Informer.

JUST received my fall Millinery. Prices right. Mrs. T. A. Faucett.

If you need a good gasoline engine about the farm, see the horse and a half Emmerson at the Herald office, cheap and good shape.

For sale; five passenger Dodge; of 1919 model. This car has had private use; runs good, looks good. Mrs. Jno. Raymer. Phone 117.

George Tecumseh Hanson, representing the Mergenthaler Linotype Co., was here one day last week and put our machine in splendid shape in just a few minutes, and took our order for some extras. These boys are always welcome visitors to a shop, for they not only put everything in shipshape in a few minutes, but are jolly good fellows to talk shop with.

DOES THE BOY NEED BLOUSES?

It is hard to realize the number of Blouses that the boy will need for School Wear. He never has too many—All mothers know that.

We are showing new "Tapeless" Blouses made of full count serviceable percales, neat stripes, beautifully tailored, with collars attached.

We also have these blouses in Khaki.

We have just received a lot of ducking, better buy now and have your sack ready when the cotton opens.

We are seling TEXOLEUM floor covering at 90c per yard TEXOLEUM is as good as the best.

GROCERIES

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Phone No. 29.

Brownfield, Texas

J. P. Kimbrell filled his pulpit here Sunday for the first time since his return from his outing and holding meeting. Quite a nice audience despite the weather.

A niece of J. Garrison, from Bell county, has been here the guest of her uncle and family.

Joe J. Mickle & Son, who have a ranch southwest of Seminole, shipped five loads of three year old steers from Seagraves to the Ft. Worth market one day this week.

J. D. Autrey, until recently editor of the Snyder Record, was here this

week looking after his hotel property. He sold the Record to the Snyder Signal. One well supported paper is better than two half supported ones even in a town the size of Snyder.

Mrs. S. H. Key boarded the train here Wed. morning for a visit with relatives at Happy.

Mrs. E. W. Maddux brought her mother to the train Wed., who was returning to her home in Grayson county, after quite a visit here with her daughter.

Mr. Green, uncle of Mrs. E. M.

Groves, who owns land in the Union community, left Wed. for home in Cooke county. He talks just like he may make his next trip out here be the last, as he has a great hankering for old Terry.

Rev. W. J. Durham, a Baptist minister, who formerly was pastor of the local church at this place, boarded the train here Tuesday on his way back to Gatesville, and will move his family back to Plains in the near future, and make that their home as he has been elected principal of the schools at that place. His daughter

will teach music here also.

J. F. Winston and sons received a car load of Overland cars this week, just in time to avoid the raise that goes into effect in a few days.

Mrs. J. R. Slay, of Frost, Texas, who has been visiting relatives at Plains, boarded the train here Tuesday.

Rex Headstream, of Dallas, is here the guest of his parents. He works in the bookkeeping department of A. Harris & Co.

There has been some good ball games here the last few days, the

two with Meadow, last week and this resulted in a score of 4 to 0 and 3 to 0 in favor of Brownfield both times. The game on Monday of this week was a benefit game, the net proceeds to be used in putting down the opera seats in the high school auditorium on the concrete floor. Manager Dalton Lewis showed us a deposit slip for \$87.00 after the game was over.

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WATCH for Ormer Locklear, the great air robber. He is coming to play at the Liberty Theatre some time soon.



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Bailey praises Thos. Jefferson as the greatest of Democrats, and condemns Pat Neff as a Socialist because of Neff's graduated land tax platform. But Bailey did not know that Thomas Jefferson favored a graduated land tax. Here is what Jefferson said in a letter to Rev. James Madison, written October 28th, 1795:

"Another means of silently lessening the inequality of property is to exempt all from taxation below a certain point and to tax the higher portions of property in geometrical progression as they raise. Whatever there is in any country uncultivated lands, and unemployed poor, it is clear that the laws of property have so far been extended as to violate natural rights. It is none too soon to provide by every possible means that as few as possible shall be without a little portion of land. The small land holders are the most precious part of the state."

Puzzle—Name Our Next Enemy?

When a man goes to the hardware store and buys a gun, he intends to use it. He does not expect to plant corn or mow the lawn with it. It is in his mind and heart to shoot somebody or something.

The same can be said of a nation. We refused to believe Germany when she declared she was arming in order to prevent war. She carried it too far. Now we know she intended all the time to use her offensive armament against the rest of the world.

And now Uncle Sam is building "the greatest navy in the world." We are soon to have, among other things, eighteen new dreadnaughts and battle cruisers, mounting in all 152 sixteen inch, and 24 fourteen inch rifles. The cruisers will be 874 feet long, have a speed of 37 miles per hour, and a displacement about four times a great as the old "Oregon."

When we get ready to draw a bead with a sixteen inch gun on a ship belonging to some other nation, what flag will that ship be carrying? Does Washington know something the rest of the country is not in on?"—The Agricultural Review.

Statement

Sometime ago I stated I would teach piano here. Since then I was offered a position as piano teacher in Thorp Springs Christian College, and because this position seemed more attractive than the one here, I have accepted same.

I appreciate the courtesy and kindness of the good people of Brownfield, and especially the kind offer of the school board.

Gladys Garrison

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Mr. Gardner and wife of the southwest part of Terry, who have been visiting at Sweetwater, came in this week and will spend a few days visiting Mr. Gardner's sister, Mrs. J. W. Dennis and family.

NOTICE: We must request all our customers to pay the cash for all meats at the market, as we have to pay cash for all hogs and cows we buy. Cash Market.

The first car of ice since Hec was a pup came in this week, and the owners thereof and the train crew were in such a hurry to sample it that they ran one end of the car off the track trying to spot it.

J. T. Faucett and sons who have been traveling in New Mexico for the benefit of his son, Lee's health, returned one day last week, and report that Lee is some better after the outing.

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The train did not get here Saturday till about five o'clock, as washouts between Lubbock and Sweetwater caused serious delays on the main line.

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See Us For Your Gate Troubles

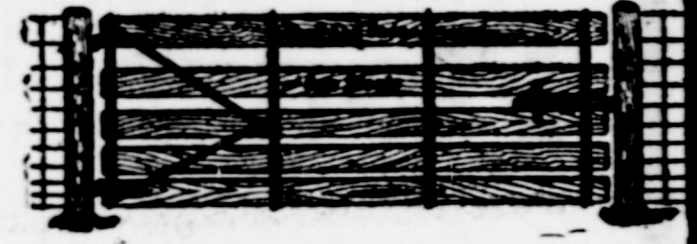
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In order to sag even a quarter of an inch, 45 bolts and 8 pieces of angle steel would have to bend. You know that is impossible. Yet, this ideal gate costs less than the old-fashioned kind. Thousands are in use on large and small farms everywhere. Drop in and see these gates when you are in town.



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A. B. COOK & SON

One of the teachers reported last week resigned, and the trustees contracted with Miss Rajine Hargett of Seagraves to fill her place in the 6th and 7th grade room. We consider that they got one of the best teachers in the whole country. Two young ladies of Seagraves will come up with her and inter school here,

and they and Misses Rajina and Robena Hargett will do light house-keeping. The latter is an employ of the Brownfield State Bank.

SEE WILLIAMS & BOWERS for Cotton Seed Meal, Bran, Shorts, Oats, Chops, Alfalfa Hay, Peanut Cake and Meal.

Several people have taken advantage of the absentee voting law, and cast ballots before leaving for other places.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Quante, a girl the 18th inst.

HOGVILLE HOWLINGS

By Dunk Botts

The Old Miser has more money than any two dozen men in Hogville and seems to have less use for it than any other man here.

Dan Hocks got hold of a newspaper a few days ago which contained the announcement that the Woman's Sunrise Club of New York City advocates the enactment of a law prohibiting men men on the streets after eight o'clock at night. Dan's wife is a member of the Hogville Improvement Society, and fearing that she might get hold of this paper he took it clear out of town and burned it.

In discussing the high cost of living by a few fellows at the postoffice yesterday, Gape Allsop reported very ordinary liquor now selling in this section for one dollar a drink, and they will not let you heap the glasses at that.

The Hogville Postmaster is believed to favor the movement which has been launched for the better pay of postmasters.

Zero Peck was subjected to a seige of cross-examination yesterday when Mrs. Peck found a ladies' handkerchief, fan and some hair pins in his Sunday coat pocket. Zero says the more he explained the less she seemed to understand.

Miss Petunia Belcher who has during her lifetime read a great deal about queens, wonders if she looks anything like one. She has a new dress for which the maker forgot to put a back and front in and made it too short.

The Petunia Ridge moonshine still is a lonesome place these days—no smoke, no visitors, no whiskey. First time such was ever known. However, it is being whispered around

that operation may be resumed again soon, though on a smaller and more reserved scale.

The Bear Ford preacher last Sunday night preached a sermon on "The Original Sin." The announcement of his subject did not draw much of a crowd. The people here believe there is no such thing. Original means something new and that has not been done before.

Zero Peck says he never kissed his wife since their honeymoon, and that's been a long time.

Bill Hellwanger believes the time may come when one can't ever get whiskey for medicine, and when it does he expects to die.

FOR SALE: One 6-hole cast iron range with reservoir and warming closets; good condition; also 3 bachelor heaters. Bargain prices. See J. E. Shelton.

Doggie Patterson, one of the good citizens of Seagraves, was up this week and came in to renew for his and "dad's" subscription to the old reliable. He reports that the grasshoppers got most of the cotton, but a fine corn crop is in sight. Also the prospectors are coming in fast and buying too, and that their town is growing.

ALL KINDS of fruit and vegetables in season, at Bros. & Bros.

At the Church of Christ: Morning Subject: "Lest We Forget; Evening Subject: "Love." Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. J. P. Kimbrell, Minister.

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We have also received a car load of Webber Wagons, KING OF ALL WAGONS. Be sure to see them before you buy. We can supply you with all kinds of repairs in McCormick Row Binders.

See our stock of Harness Goods, Etc.

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