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PORTALES NEWS

Items of Interest in the Busy
New Mexico Town

EDITED BY MISS HELEN M. HALL

Mr. Legette is home from Texas.

Mr. Horn is in Colorado buying horses.

Miss Goslin spent Sunday with friends in Amarillo.

S. White has recently placed 48 horses in his pasture.

F. M. Smith recently sold 272 head of cattle to Mr. Lang.

Mr. Boyken has brought his sheep to his Portales ranch.

Three trainloads of cattle were watered and fed here this week.

Mr. Lang will pasture 2000 head of cattle for Mr. Puckett this summer.

Geo. Littlefield, a retired Philippine soldier, was in town calling on friends.

Bovina had a visit from Mr. Breeding, our cattle inspector, Saturday.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. C. O. Leach on Thursday.

Miss Helen M. Hall is in Roswell this week sewing for Mrs. M. G. Beale.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodcock are spending a few days with friends at Kenna.

Mr. Beach of Roswell has been permanently placed in charge of the pump house here.

R. P. Smithy is our newest settler having recently made entry on land west of town.

L. Weddington has rented the feed store to Mr. Stewart and moved to his ranch two miles from town.

F. L. Vanderburgh, editor of the **HEREFORD REPORTER**, was a business caller at Portales last Friday.

Mr. Richardson will move his family to town soon, having recently purchased a house and lot here.

Mrs. Sid Boykens gave a dance to her friends Monday evening, which was an enjoyable affair as usual.

Mr. Morris of Horse Shoe ranch shipped cattle from Bovina Saturday, that point being nearer his ranch.

Refreshing showers again visited Portales Monday afternoon. Pastures are looking fine and so will our stock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott in charge of the hotel, were formerly on the Lewis ranch—all guests will be well looked after.

Mr. Stewart of Canyon City not only has charge of our feed store but keeps a good livery barn in connection. Call on him.

Among the young ladies taking piano lessons of Miss Mabelle Daniels, we notice the Misses Moore, Kerr, Franklin and Boyken.

Rumor has it that Mr. Hudson of Fisher county, Texas, and Mr. Waddell, a banker from Granite, O. T., are prospecting for cattle ranch sites.

Mr. Jones, traveling auditor for the Pecos System, was in town this week on business. While here he was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Goslin.

AN ENJOYABLE EVENING

Was Spent at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McGlothlin.

Last Tuesday evening the new home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McGlothlin was the scene of one of the most pleasureable social gatherings held in Hereford for a long time, the event being in honor of Miss Bessie Davis of Dimmitt and Miss Emma Bennett, who formerly resided in this town.

Among the guests present, in addition to the guests of honor, were the Misses Salome Moore, Maud Patton, Clara Stewart, Annie Leapold, Eula McAteer, Bruce Gass, Rona Dillard, Dora McDonald and Mrs. B. T. Hinton; the Messrs. F. B. Fuller, Dr. Breeding, Prof. Rush, C. E. Ferguson, Will Womble, John Boyd, O. F. Smith, John McKnight, B. C. D. Bynum, D. R. Johnson, O. M. Conoley and B. T. Hinton.

The evening was pleasantly spent in games and social chat, which was interspersed with a dainty spread of refreshments in the form of ice cream and cake.

At a conventional hour the party broke up and the participants repaired to their respective homes, all voting their host and hostess to be charming entertainers.

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The Hereford Saloon

....SPECIALTIES....

FINE WINES, WHISKEYS AND CIGARS

LABADIE CONVICTED.

Stole a Revolver From the Stringfellow-Hume Hardware Co.

The case of Noe Labadie, a young Mexican who has until his incarceration in the county jail carried the mail between here and Endee, N. M., was tried in the county court on Wednesday last before Judge Boyd. Greene Wilson of Canyon was the prosecuting attorney, while Witherpoon & Gough defended the prisoner. Labadie was charged with stealing a Colts revolver from the store of Stringfellow & Hume, and through his attorneys pleaded not guilty and demanded a jury trial.

The following jury was empaneled with Geo. Dale as foreman: W. S. Files, J. R. T. Basset, C. L. Gass, Conner Jowell and Wallace Inglish, who, after hearing the evidence in the case, returned a verdict of guilty and fixed the punishment at a fine of \$50 and costs, which were \$50, and to be confined in the county jail for a period of 90 days.

Another Meat Market.

J. N. Jones on Tuesday commenced the erection of a building on Dewey avenue, next to the Humphrey house. As soon as it is finished he expects to open up a meat market.

SLAUGHTER HEREFORDS.

An Excellent Picture of Them on Exhibition at Jack Harwell's.

Geo. Slaughter, the general manager of C. C. Slaughter's large cattle interests at Roswell and other New Mexico points, has had some fine portraits of his famous Hereford sires grouped and neatly framed and is distributing them among his friends. Sam Dunn, the popular Association cattle inspector in this district, was made the recipient of one of them recently and immediately hung it up in Jack Harwell's saloon, where it is attracting a great deal of attention and causing no end of comment.

Mr. Slaughter never does things by halves and this latest advertisement of his famous cattle is a most valuable adornment to the walls of any place of business or private apartments.

Northwest Texas Fair Ass'n.

We are in receipt of the announcement and daily program of the sixth annual meeting of the Northwest Texas Fair Association, to be held at Quanah September 3, 4, 5 and 6. The sum of \$5000 is to be distributed in purses and premiums and from the way they advertise there is no doubt but what the meeting will be a grand success.

SANITARY MEETING.

To be Held Next Monday Evening at 8 O'clock.

There should be a large attendance to the meeting of the Hereford Sanitary and Improvement Society next Monday evening at the court house. There are no better means to build up a town than to have a good board of trade, and that is precisely what this society is—at least it performs the same duties as that body with the addition of having the sanitation and improvement of the town among its duties and under its watchful eye.

It is the desire that everyone attend these meetings—whether a member or not—and it was to that end that the time and date of the meetings were changed from the afternoon of the second Tuesday of each month to the conventional hour of 8 on the second Monday evening of each month.

So earnest are members of this society in their noble work, they have arranged an entertaining program as follows, in the hopes that it would induce many to attend who would otherwise be absent, thinking that nothing of interest would transpire at the meeting of such an organization:

Music—Hereford Glee Club.

Address—The Growing West, by C. G. Witherapoon.

Paper—How to Beautify Our Homes, by Mrs. F. T. Denson.

Music—Hereford Glee Club.

Paper—City Sanitation, by Dr. R. W. Bounds.

Paper—Influence of Beautiful Homes Upon the Young, by Rev. F. T. Denson.

—Music—Hereford Glee Club.

President L. Gough will give a report of the proceedings, improvements, accomplishments, etc., of the Hereford Sanitary and Improvement Society since its organization last January. He will also give an outline of the objects and aims of the said organization and it is earnestly hoped that everyone who has any solicitations for the present and future welfare of Hereford will be present. An interesting, instructive and entertaining meeting is assured.

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HAMILTON-BROWN SHOE

The Best Known Shoe in the World

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Grain, Hay, Salt, Coal and Field Seeds

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HEREFORD TEXAS

Advertised Letters.

The following is the list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Hereford postoffice April, 1901:

- J. D. Dunbar.
- Dolph Dodson.
- W. L. Ethell.
- Mrs. Ella Harrington.
- A. F. Henderson.
- Wm. G. Ivey.
- Volney Johnson.
- Jeff Johnson.
- Mrs. Florence Marchman.
- Mrs. Minnie Pittillo.
- Ernest Rogers.
- W. Swaty.
- Wm. Walson.

MEXICAN LIST.

- Miguel Barrasa.
- Andres Marichalar.

In calling for above please say "advertised".

L. A. MONTGOMERY, P. M.

A Record Breaker.

W. T. Murphy, the genial butcher at Meeks & Conoley's meat market, on Saturday last skinned 29 dead cattle at the stock pens for Bert McClure. He skinned thir-

teen the first hour and did the whole job in about three hours. Mr. Murphy can kill, skin and hang up a beef ready for market in fifteen minutes and can take the hide off in three minutes. Mr. McClure said that had he had Mr. Murphy at Portales one day last week he would have given him \$50 for his day's work, as the skins that he lost would have brought him in enough to have made it a paying investment.

DIRECTORY

STATE.

- Governor..... Joseph D. Sayers
- Lieut.-Governor..... J. N. Browning
- Treasurer..... J. W. Robbins
- Comptroller..... R. M. Love
- Land Commissioner..... Chas. Rogan
- Attorney-General..... C. K. Bell
- Supt. Public Instruction..... J. S. Kendall
- Congressman..... John H. Stephens

DISTRICT.

- Senator..... D. F. Goss
- Representative..... D. E. Dehart

Judge..... H. H. Wallace
Attorney..... Ira Webster

DEAF SMITH COUNTY.

Judge..... W. B. Boyd
Sheriff..... J. T. Inmon
Clerk..... F. B. Fuller
Treasurer..... Joe Killough
Assessor..... J. S. Wyche
Surveyor..... G. R. Jowell
Commissioners—
Precinct No. 1..... L. R. Bradley
Precinct No. 2..... R. N. Mounts
Precinct No. 3..... Ira Aten
Precinct No. 4..... A. P. Marchison
District Court convenes on the second Mondays of April and October.
Commissioners' Court convenes on the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.

Meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in their hall over G. M. McGlothlin's furniture store. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.

F. B. Fuller, A. J. Lipscomb,
Noble Grand. Secretary.

HEREFORD LODGE, U. D., A. F. & A. M.
Regular meetings Saturday night on or before full moon in each month in the Court House. Visiting brothers invited to attend.

John McKnight, W. B. Boyd,
Worshipful Master. Secretary.

K. OF P.

Meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting Knights are made welcome.

John McKnight, Geo. W. Dale,
Chancellor Commander. K. of R. and S.

W. OF W.

Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting Sovereigns always welcome.

J. T. Inmon, M. O. Meeks,
Council Commander. Clerk.

C. M. A.

Meets every Friday evening in the Court House at 8 o'clock.

E. Homer Inmon, Herbert Bigger,
President. Sec.-Treas.

HEREFORD SANITARY AND IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY.

Meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 3 p. m. in the Court House.

L. Gough, F. B. Fuller,
President. Secretary.

METHODIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Meets once each month.
Mrs. M. P. Finnicum,
President.

BAPTIST LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

Mrs. Geo. W. Irwin,
President.

HOME CHARITY SOCIETY.

Meets on Thursday of each week.
Mrs. A. E. McKellar,
President.

CHURCHES.

CHRISTIAN.
Rev. H. M. Banda, pastor— Services held on the first Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST.
Rev. N. B. Bennett, pastor— Services held on the second Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST.
Services held on the third Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.
Rev. Charles Lotton, pastor— Services held on the fourth Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Union Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m.

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matter privileges.

ADVERTISING RATES

DISPLAY—\$1.00 per inch per month with
liberal discount on long time contracts.

LOCALS—Ten cents per line first insertion;
five cents per line each succeeding in-
sertion.

All adv. copy must be in by Wednesday
noon to insure insertion in current issue.

Advertising bills due on the first of each
month; job work on delivery.

ATTEND the meeting of the Here-
ford Sanitary and Improvement So-
ciety next Monday evening at the
court house. Time—8 o'clock.

DURING the visit of the New
York delegation at Quanah, a good,
old fashioned "badger fight" was
pulled off for the benefit of the
guests. It fell to the lot of a news-
paper man to "pull the badger."

EX-GOVERNOR HOGG is reported
to have made himself a millionaire
out of the Beaumont oil fields. We
are glad to note that he is one of
the few politicians who did not get
their wealth at the hands of the
trusts.

THE Denrock Sun is the latest
addition to the newspaper field. It
is well gotten up and no doubt will
succeed. Denrock was the name
first given to the town at the jun-
ction of the Ft. Worth & Denver and
the Rock Island railroads, but ac-
cording to the Sun the town's name
has been changed to Delmar.

HEREFORD has another moun-
tebank within her midst. This time it
is an "eye specialist" who will re-
main "three days only." We pre-
sume he thinks that he will have ob-
tained all the suckers' cash by that
time and that it will be more con-
ducive to his health to move. W. W.
Meeks is a graduate optician and is
also a resident of Hereford. If your
eyes need attention patrolize him, as
he is competent to attend to all ail-
ments of your eyes. We welcome
legitimate business men to our city
but not mountebanks. A man who
has ability will not leave a city like
St. Louis and go mountebanking in
this section of the country.

Spend the Summer in the East
and visit the Pan-American Expon-
sition at Buffalo, N. Y. For this oc-
casion regular Summer Tourist rates

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MILK SHAKES A SPECIALTY

are offered by the Pecos Valley lines
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ber 31. Tickets now on sale. The
rate for the round trip from Here-
ford, Texas, to Buffalo and return is
\$66.90. Write or call on
T. J. DAVIS, Agent,
Hereford, Texas.
DON A. SWEET, Traffic Manager,
Amarillo, Texas.

COMING AND GOING.

**Movements of People You Know
and Other Items Picked Up
Here and There.**

Croquet sets—4-ball, \$1.00; 6-
ball, \$1.25, at McGlothlin &
Black's furniture store. 12tf

Geo. W. Day, a prominent stock-
man living on the North Draw was
a pleasant visitor in town Thursday,
registering at the Humphrey.

Greene Wilson, the well known
Canyon attorney, was here Wednes-
day, being called here to successfully
prosecute the case against Noe Lab-
adie.

W. H. Robison has resigned his
position as clerk for McGlothlin &
Black and accepted a similar po-
sition with G. E. Burns & Co., the
grocers.

John A. Johnson, who has opened
up a fancy grocery house, in the
Dr. Johnson building, is now ready
for business. Next week his adv.
will appear in the REPORTER.

Miss Coyle has moved her milli-
nery goods in the new Witherspoon
& Gough building and Mrs. G. R.
Whitney will do dress making in
connection with her. The ladies
are specially invited to call and
see them. 12-2t

Martin's restaurant has been over-
hauled and improved. The partition
cutting off the dining room has been
removed, thus giving much more
room and materially adding to its
attractive appearance. The little
room formerly used as a bed room
has been converted into a wash room,
thus affording all conveniences for
their patrons.

See Mrs. Whitney at Miss
Coyle's millinery store before hav-
ing your dress made. Fit and
finish guaranteed. 12-2t

Robert and David Martin are on
the sick list and their father, Asa
Martin, had to leave his carpenter
work and attend to the duties in the
restaurant.

Ben Bounds of Sherman, a
brother of C. L. and Dr. R. W.
Bounds, came in on Thursday
morning's train and will henceforth
make Hereford his home, having
accepted a position in McGlothlin
& Black's furniture store.

Miss Coyle has rented the south
office in Witherspoon & Gough's
new office building and has moved
her stock of millinery goods into her
new quarters. She has associated
with her Mrs. G. R. Whitney who
will conduct a dress making parlor.

A certain firm advertises "we
make no concessions to our com-
petitors." It would be no use for
they cannot sell cheap enough to
meet our prices and haven't the
goods besides. Come and be con-
vinced. Smith, Walker & Co. 9tf

H. H. Gordon, who until the re-
cent transfer of the Amarillo Santa
Fe ticket office to the Ft. Worth &
Denver office, thus consolidating
the two, was the ticket agent at
that point, is assisting Station
Agent Davis during the heavy run
of business at this point.

J. L. Underwood, a prominent
stock farmer who lives about thirty
miles northwest of town, was in this
office Wednesday and subscribed
for three copies of the REPORTER
weekly. Mr. Underwood expects
to move his family in town soon and
will make Hereford his home.

Chas. Girdner and Archie Wright
of Princeton, Mo., came in town
Tuesday evening and are stopping
at the Richey. Both young men
are wheel enthusiasts and made the
trip from Chickasha, I. T., on their
wheels. They expect to spend
about a month in this vicinity.

We have some men's and boys'
clothing, hats and shoes for sale at
cost. W. W. Meeks. 12tf

W. J. Adair of Running Water
was in town the last of the week,
the guest of the Humphrey.

W. W. Humble, a prominent cat-
tleman of Liberty, N. M., came in
Thursday, en route to his New
Mexico ranch.

For Sale—One first-class Wash-
burn zither, case, music rack and
two instruction books. Address E.
M. Plant, Portales, N. M. 12tf

M. P. Finnicum, Hereford's skill-
ful blacksmith, has been on the sick
list, but is now able to be out. Dr.
Johnson was the attending physician.

W. R. Evants came in from his
ranch about eleven miles southwest
of here Wednesday evening. He
was at Tulia Tuesday after some
mules.

F. T. Denson, W. W. Meeks'
photographic artist, made an excel-
lent photo of the interior of Joe Kil-
lough's confectionery store and ice
cream parlors. The soda fountain
with its horseshoe counter is the
most prominent object in the picture.

G. E. Lemon and wife of Spear-
fish, S. D., who own a ranch at
that point, came in on Wednesday's
train from the north and are quar-
tered at the Richey. He will look
after the Nunn cattle shipment
which will be about ninety car-
loads, to be shipped today and to-
morrow.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

E. W. TINSLEY, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office in the new Dale Building
Hereford - - - - Texas
Residence at Hotel Richey

R. M. JOHNSON, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Office in the new Dale Building
Hereford - - - - Texas
All calls attended to day or night

R. W. BOUNDS, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office in the new Dale Building
Hereford - - - - Texas

R. H. GOUGH, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office at Drug Store opposite Bank
Hereford - - - - Texas

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Office next door to Bank
Hereford - - - - Texas

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SPECIALIST
Eye and Ear Surgeon to St. An-
thony Sanatorium
AMARILLO - - - TEXAS

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Comments on Current Events in the Busy Outside World.

If anyone knows why the Germans continue to fight the Chinese they have not taken the public into their confidence.

Teddy can be counted upon to endorse the appointment of a Rough Rider to be governor of one of the provinces of Luzon.

It is a hopeful sign that a number of gentlemen should be not only willing but anxious to become the next democratic candidate for president.

Perhaps the railroads regard the cost of the presidential free excursion as the purchase of another nail for the coffin of the Nicaragua Canal project.

San Francisco is trying to get good before the McKinley excursion gets there. The chief of police has been indicted by the grand jury for standing in with vice of all sorts.

So great is the love between Gen. Wood and the members of the Cuban committee that they went from Havana to Washington by different routes and returned in the same manner.

Teddy made pretty little play against the McKinley free show by making his appearance before the Boston Home Market Club. His smile was there all right, but his cowboy outfit was not.

The man who defined civil service reform as a method by which professional reformers in office could put their friends in office without raising a row among the disappointed office seekers, was in striking distance of truth.

A proposition is under consideration to combine all the iron companies of Alabama in a big trust. Go right ahead, gentlemen; the sooner everything is put under trust control the sooner the people will revolt and put an end to all trusts.

**DRY GOODS
CLOTHING
BOOTS and SHOES
HATS and CAPS**

**THE LARGEST STOCK
WEST OF AMARILLO AT
Smith, Walker & Co.**

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Regular Meals at the usual hours
Short Orders ...a Specialty
Fancy Cakes Baked to Order

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Are Furnishing Corn Fed Meats of All Kinds

We keep Fish, Oysters and Vegetables in Season. Delivery Free

THE HEREFORD BARBER SHOP

H. S. SYMS PROP.

Children's Hair Cutting
A Specialty . . .

Everything New,
Neat and Clean.

Mrs. Carrie Nation is now reported to be insane. Has she been sane at any time since she began her public antics?

Ex-Congressman J. Ham Lewis predicts that the next national campaign will be fought on the tariff. There are numerous signs that the tariff will be one of the important issues.

Naturally the federal office holders of the south are not taking kindly to Mr. McKinley's new method of building up the republican party in that section; they wish to keep the offices.

Being the only free show of its kind on the road, the McKinley exhibition is drawing big. The combination of a president, four members of the cabinet and the most palatial special train ever seen is calculated to attract crowds.

If the Cubans are wise they will not build high hopes on the removal of the tariff on sugar and tobacco because of Mr. McKinley's talk to them about negotiating a reciprocity treaty after the independent Cuban government is established.

Dr. Parkhurst would do well to make a better showing for his efforts in New York before he tackles the "nigger" problem.

Minister Conger has announced that the administration was entirely pleased with his course in China, but the administration haven't said a word—publicly—on the subject.

Members of the Daughters of the American Revolution would better think before they enter partisan politics by trying to boom Senator Fairbanks for the republican presidential nomination.

The Cubans, according to the members of the committee that visited the United States, will and won't accept the Platt amendment; but the members of the constitutional convention are still accepting \$10 a day and expenses.

Edward H. Harriman, the New York banker and broker, is said to control more miles of railroad than any man in the world, which is another way of saying that he controls the votes of more United States senators than any other man does.

The cost of maintaining a first-class hotel on wheels during a period of seven weeks, and covering a distance of more than ten thousand miles, carrying about fifty persons, cannot be much, if any, less than a year's salary of the president—\$50,000. It will hardly be claimed anywhere that Mr. McKinley pays this, but the question is, who does?

Song of the Free Presidential Excursionists.

Away, away, ten thousand miles away!

As we spin along, let us be gay;
We eat, we drink, and hear the bands play,

And we've not a cent to pay, pay, pay!

Resolutions of Respect.

WHEREAS, The supreme architect of the universe, in His infinite love and mercy, has seen fit to remove from our midst our dearly beloved brother and junior deacon, S. H. McCracken, having called him from labor in this world to dwell in that celestial lodge above, not made with hands, eternal in the skies, be it

Resolved, That in his death the Hereford Masonic Lodge loses one of its most beloved members and efficient officers, his family a loving husband, father and protector, and his country a faithful citizen; that we extend to his family our most heartfelt sympathy. While our loss is great we know theirs is greater and we would say to them, bow submissively to the will of Him above. That our lodge room be properly draped and each member wear mourning for a period of thirty days in memory of our departed brother.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our lodge, one handed to our brother's family, and one sent to the HEREFORD REPORTER for publication.

JOHN MCKNIGHT,
W. B. BOYD,
C. L. DAVIS,
Committee.

**How About a
New Pair of
Boots?**

I have had fifteen years' experience in the Boot and Shoe business and guarantee all my work.

Repairing....

Neatly and Promptly done

**J. A. CANTERBURY,
MEAT MARKET BUILDING.**

POSTOFFICE HOURS

General delivery open from 8:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m. Office open Sunday for an hour after arrival of train.
L. A. Montgomery, P. M.

P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE

Pass. Train	Arrives	Leaves
No. 1 Northbound	2:37 a. m.	2:38 a. m.
No. 2 Southbound	7:23 a. m.	7:43 a. m.

STAGE TO DIMMITT.

Lv. Hereford at 7:30 a. m. daily ex. Sunday
Ar. Dimmitt at 12:00 m. " "
Lv. Dimmitt at 1:00 p. m. " "
Ar. Hereford at 6:00 p. m. " "

STAGE TO ENDEE

Lv. Hereford Mondays-Fridays at 6 a. m.
Ar. Endee " " at 8 p. m.
Lv. Endee Tuesdays-Saturdays at 6 a. m.
Ar. Hereford " " at 8 p. m.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Happenings in Our Busy County Seat Briefly Told.

- Eat at the restaurant. 10tf
- Buy Sewall's mixed paints at cost at Dr. Gough's Drug Store. 12tf
- Born—On Friday, May 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. George Combs, a boy.
- A fine line of rugs are for sale at cost at McGlothlin & Black's furniture store. 9tf

Sewall's \$1.50 mixed paints are going for a short while at \$1.15 at Dr. Gough's Drug Store.

The finest and freshest lot of confectioneries and fruit constantly on hand at Joe Killough's. 10tf

F. P. Smith, a prominent cattleman of Emma, came in Saturday and registered at the Ritchey.

What do you think? We will sell you screen doors and hang them for nothing. If so, call on D. R. Gass & Son. 11tf

C. M. Hardin of Amarillo came in Saturday to look after the business of the Hereford Lumber Company at this point.

Just opened up—an elegant line of Shirt Waists and Skirts. Come quick and get sizes and patterns. 10tf
Smith, Walker & Co.

J. B. Gahagan of Georgetown, a stonemason, came in Friday and is stopping at the Humphrey. He expects to go out to the Rock Island extension.

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EXCLUSIVE AGENTS FOR

White Loaf and White Swan Flour
Remember the brands when you want the best

Try Martin's for chilli. 4tf
Window glass, paints, oils and varnishes. Hereford Lumber Company. 12-3t

Call on Joe Killough for all kinds of stationery. The best line in the county. 10tf

A. P. Murchison went to Amarillo Tuesday to attend to some business at that point.

J. W. Nunn of Cincinnati, O., came in Monday and became a guest of the Ritchey.

Miss Bessie Davis of Dimmitt was the pleasant guest of Miss Eva Humphrey during the first of the week.

Miss Mary Coyle, who has been under Dr. Tinsley's care, suffering from pleuresy, is very much improved.

Remember we have a few goods to sell yet and have fully made up our minds to sell all we have. D. R. Gass & Son. 11tf

Mrs. J. C. Cox, who has been ill with chronic bronchitis, is convalescing under Dr. Tinsley's skillful treatment.

Hereford has a good many things to be proud of, but of nothing more than Smith, Walker & Co.'s store. It would be a credit to a town five times its size. 9tf

A. A. Blankinship returned to the Rock Island extension Tuesday, his family having sufficiently recovered from their illness to permit of his departure.

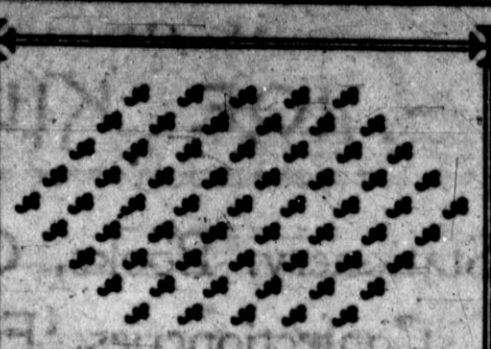
T. R. Reagan left Tuesday morning for Beaumont where he expects to make his "pile" in the oil business. Our worst wish for him is that he "cleans" up a million.

J. E. Sullivan of Dayton, O., came in Friday last and is quartered at the Humphrey. Mr. Sullivan is a stonemason and came here to work on the Rock Island extension.

We are pleased to report that Willard Keene, the popular roadmaster for this division, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is rapidly recovering under Dr. Tinsley's care.

Mr. Unwise: "Say! Old man where do you buy your clothes? You always look so well dressed."
Mr. Wise: "Why don't you know there's only one place—Smith, Walker & Co." 9tf

Sheriff J. T. Inmon and two sons, E. Homer and Edward, went to Amarillo Saturday to meet Mrs. Inmon who arrived there Sunday morning from Brownwood, where she had been visiting her parents.



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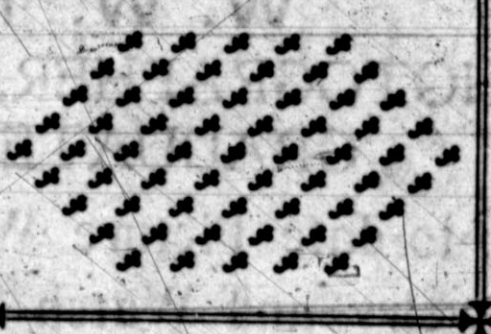
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Bring your family to the restaurant for Sunday dinner. 10tf

"Tol" Griffin came in from the A. P. Murchison ranch on the North Draw Sunday, returning Tuesday.

B. C. D. Bynum, the genial manager of Smith, Walker & Co.'s large store at this place, was in Amarillo over Sunday.

For Sale—A 3-room house and 18x18 dug-out connected, sheds and good well on one acre of ground all fenced. Garden fenced also. House newly painted. Well selected orchard set out. Inquire of O. R. Willingham. 11tf

Baskets of all kinds for sale cheap at McGlothlin & Black's furniture store. 9tf

S. W. Greene, one of Colorado's prominent cattlemen, came in Sunday and autographed at the Ritchey.

R. B. Stearnes, a cattle buyer of St. Paul, came in on Tuesday's train and is quartered at the Ritchey.

For Sale—A wind mill tower, 30 feet high—used only one year—as good as new. 12tf
Robert Humphrey.

If you are thinking of buying a new hat it will pay you to read Garner & Patton's poetical effusion on page two of this issue.

J. B. Little of St. Paul, Minn., arrived here Tuesday and is quartered at the Ritchey. He is here for the purpose of buying cattle.

The many friends hereabouts of Frank N. Johnson of Colorado, will be pleased to learn that he has been appointed on the Ranger force to serve under Capt. McDonald.

William Grant of Colorado greeted many friends in town Monday. He came in with the Sanders & Morrison herd of cattle, which was shipped out of here Tuesday.

Mrs. Lewis Smith and five children of Modena, Mo., arrived here on Saturday to join her husband who has been here for some time. They went out Monday to Mr. Smith's father's ranch, near Dimmitt.

Joe Killough has placed in his south window a beautiful display of house plants. This and other beautifying touches gives his confectionery and ice cream establishment an appearance for "swellness" which isn't excelled by any.

You will notice that I have taken the agency of the New York Life Insurance Company at this point. If you wish to examine the best contract written, I would like for you to call. I am not going to bore anyone. It is only a business proposition. Jno. E. Ferguson. 10tf

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You _____

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A treat _____

Attend the _____

Meeting at the _____

Court house Monday night.

Sam Hall of Carlsbad was among the Humphrey's guests last Friday.

J. M. Donaldson of Amarillo was quartered at the Humphrey Saturday.

C. E. Long of Canyon was among the guests of Landlord Humphrey Friday.

J. H. Stinson of Roswell was in town Friday and registered at the Humphrey.

Frank Rhodes of Throckmartin was a guest of Landlord Humphrey last Wednesday.

C. W. Wright of Albuquerque, N. M., was in town Saturday and autographed at the Humphrey.

J. H. Baxter of Beaumont arrived in town Tuesday and made the Ritchey his home during his stay here.

You are invited to inspect our handsome line of new dress goods and spring novelties. Smith, Walker & Co. 6tf

Earl Cobb, manager of Smith, Walker & Co.'s store at Canyon, was calling on friends in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

H. S. Syms' mother, sister and aunt, Mrs. E. J. Jackson, came in from Plainview Wednesday and will henceforth make Hereford their home.

R. L. Humphreys of Amarillo, but late of Collin county, came in Wednesday evening and is a guest of J. H. Biggs. Mr. Humphreys is prospecting in this section of the country.

JOE KILLOUGH

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Confectioneries, Fruit, Cold Drinks
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HEREFORD - TEXAS

W. A. Tate of Dimmitt was registered at the Humphrey last Friday.

Frank Weaver of Gainesville was a business caller in town last Monday.

W. G. Toplin of Portales, N. M., was a guest at the Humphrey last Monday.

J. A. Abbott of Portales, N. M., was in town Monday and stopped at the Humphrey.

Mrs. Robert Humphrey and little daughter returned Wednesday from their visit at Plainview.

J. R. Roberts of Lubbock was a guest of Landlord Humphrey Saturday.

J. Heard of Carlsbad, N. M., was registered at the Humphrey on Friday last.

T. R. Ezell, a prominent cattleman of Carlsbad, N. M., was here Friday and registered at the Humphrey.

On Wednesday last Dr. Tinsley successfully performed an operation on A. E. McKellar's leg, which was injured some time ago by having a heavy freight wagon run over it.

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G. R. Jowell, our county surveyor, was a visitor at Plainview last week.

C. P. Elroy of Canyon placed his name on the Humphrey's register last Saturday.

Woodruff & Allison, the broom manufacturers, were in town Wednesday with a wagon load of their excellent make of brooms.

Thomas Lane of Amarillo arrived in town Wednesday and is stopping at the Humphrey. Mr. Lane attends to Willard Keene's duties as roadmaster during the latter's illness.

Bird Rose, a prominent stockman of Lubbock, was a guest at the Humphrey Wednesday.

Dr. Spurlock of Gainesville, who has been prospecting here for some time, left on Saturday morning's train for points up the line.

Walt Henry and Harry Keene, advertising men for the "Coontown 400" company, were billing the town Monday for that show.

C. C. Bradford of Round Rock is in town prospecting, having arrived Wednesday. He is making the Humphrey his headquarters.

We had the pleasure of sampling G. E. Burns & Co.'s ice cream last Tuesday and we assure the lovers of that article that it's all right.

J. C. Coker, who has been spending some time at Mineral Wells for the benefit of his health, returned Tuesday morning, greatly improved.

We forgot to mention in last week's paper that A. J. Lipscomb of the firm of Stambaugh & Lipscomb is visiting at Quitman and other Texas points.

Daniel McCoy, general agent of the "Coontown 400" company, which will show here next Tuesday, was in town Monday making the necessary arrangements.

T. M. Palmer and little son came in from the ranch on Wednesday to meet Mrs. Palmer and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Palmer's mother at Wichita Falls.

Lee Giles, a prominent stockman living about twenty miles north of here, was greeting his many friends in town Friday. He made the Humphrey his stopping place.

T. S. Watts and son of Itaska came in Friday and stopped at the Humphrey. They were joined on Wednesday by Mrs. Watts and daughter and have rented a house of Taylor Bassett.

E. F. Connell, a prominent stockman living about thirty miles north of here, was a pleasant visitor in town the last of the week, having arrived Wednesday evening and registered at the Humphrey.

Smith, Walker & Co. have placed a new delivery wagon at the disposal of their gentlemanly driver, B. Smith. It was purchased of Stringfellow & Hume and it is needless to say that it is a beauty.

Miss Della Palmer, who has been attending school at Wichita Falls, returned Wednesday. She was accompanied by her friend and school-mate, Miss Eulah Eagle, who will spend the summer here as her guest.

We had the pleasure of testing the quality of Joe Killough's celebrated ice cream one day this week and we are pleased to note that when quality and quantity in the ice cream line are wanted we have but to step "next door" to get it.

Miss Dora McDonald who has been teaching school at Dimmitt, but who was appointed as first assistant of the Hereford High School, was registered at the Humphrey Tuesday and Wednesday. She left on Thursday's train for her home near Bowie, where she will spend a portion of her summer vacation.

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is the only "talk" in a general way, but Smith, Walker & Co.'s Store is the talk of the town. There you get the most courteous treatment and the prices cheapest.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

About That McKinley Excursion.

WHO DEFRAYS THE EXPENSE?

Believed That the Supreme Court Will Decide That the Constitution Follows the Flag.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, May 8, 1901.

It was idle for republicans to deny that this administration is unfriendly to the rich corporations, in view of the donation it is now openly accepting from them. The McKinley excursion train will cost not a cent less than \$50,000—probably more—and it is being accepted as a gift by Mr. McKinley and his fellow travelers. Yet, officers in the Philippines are being tried by court-martial for exacting bribes of a few thousand dollars from army contractors. There is not even a pretense that any person in the McKinley train is paying a cent for the trip. The Pullman monopoly furnishes the cars, and each railroad over which it passes furnishes the motive power and the eatables, drinkables, etc., during its transit over its lines, and the bill of fare is as good as that furnished by the most expensive hotels. No man of ordinary intelligence believes that corporations give away money without exacting its return in favors of some sort. Mr. McKinley knew that when he accepted this donation that he incurred an obligation to the donors which would sooner or later have to be met, and the intelligent people of this country know it, too, and will doubtless express their opinion of

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The City Barber Shop

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the transaction at the polls when their next opportunity comes.

Has the supreme court agreed to decide Porto Rico to be a part of the United States—that the constitution follows the flag—and that the Porto Rican tariff bill was unconstitutional? Many lawyers believe it has, and that the decision will not be handed down until next December, when congress will be in session, because to hand it down before would be to make an extra session of congress necessary. It is thought that this is fully known to the administration, as Solicitor General Richards, who knew the rule of the United States supreme court that only citizens of the United States can become members of its bar, made the motion to admit Frederico Degetau, resident Porto Rican commissioner, to practice before that court. The motion was granted. Previously the president of the civil service commission had decided that citizens of Porto Rico were citizens of the United States.

Mr. Montague White, Boer agent in the United States, has been in Washington for some days. While he does not publicly admit that his object was to sound the administration to ascertain how it

would receive President Kruger if he paid the United States a visit, there are reasons to believe this to have been his object. Mr. White said that Mr. Kruger had a strong desire to visit America and intimated that he might do so next fall. English influence is too great with the administration for Mr. Kruger to hope for any more official recognition, if he comes, then was given to his envoys last year.

The first claim to be filed with the Spanish claim commission in which damages are asked for other than property losses is that of Mrs. A. T. de Govin, for the death of her son, Charles Govin, an American citizen, who accompanied one of the filibuster expeditions on the steamer Three Friends to Cuba as a correspondent of a Key West paper, was captured and executed by order of the commander of a body of Spanish troops, notwithstanding his American citizenship and that as a newspaper correspondent, he was a non-combatant. She asks \$60,000 damages.

Admiral Dewey occupied the seat of honor at a dinner given in Washington to celebrate Dewey Day, and among the guests were twenty-five officers who participated in the battle of Manila Bay, includ-

ing Capt. Wildes, who commanded the Boston; Capt. Lambertson, of the Olympia, and Capt. Walker of the Concord. The dinner was informal without set speeches, the intention being to make it merely a social jollification.

A congressional party, largely made up of democrats, have arranged to go to the Philippines on the United States transport Engless, which will start from New York in a few weeks to be gone about four months. The party will consist of Senators Bacon of Georgia, Harris of Kansas and Turner of Washington, and Representatives Smith of Illinois, Gaines of Tennessee, Mercer of Nebraska, McCleary of Minnesota, Dinsmore of Arkansas, De Armond of Missouri and Burleson of Texas.

The members of the River and Harbor Committee of the last House and their wives are going to imitate the McKinley excursion in a small way by making a junket to the Pacific coast via the gulf ports of Texas, and as they announce that their junket is not to cost the government anything, the bills are probably to be footed by the same parties—the obliging railroads. The alleged object of this junket is to inspect ports. That is a good scheme, too, as it induces boards of trade and other commercial bodies of towns having harbors in need of improvement to stir themselves in properly entertaining the inspectors and their wives, thus making sure that the junketers will not have to spend their own money. It is not within the bounds of probability that any one of these junketers will acquire any information about the harbors that he personally inspects—from the deck of a steamboat or the window of a hotel—that could not have been acquired just as well, and from the same parties, in the committee room at Washington, but "personal inspection" furnishes the excuse for the junket.

Coontown 400—Under Canvas.

Among the celebrated performers who appear in the big spectacular production "Coontown 400" which comes here Tuesday, May 14th, exhibiting under the big white canvas are McCarver, Reed and McCarver, Hilbard Brewer, Emma Thompson, Scott and Deleo, Saint Suttle, Jas. Hood, Billy Carroll, Harry Reed, Billy Johnson, A. L. Mason, H. L. Deming, Bertha Stone, Georgia Dobbs, Lillian Garay, Sadie Citizen, Ed Hood, Laura Woods, Carrie Eldridge, Miss Johnson, the Chicago-American Quartette, the Comedy 4, and a number of others in brilliant specialties, circus acts, grand marches, etc., introduced in the mammoth Production of "Coontown 400." Free parade at 12 o'clock. Prices of admission, 25 and 50 cents.

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INTERESTING STOCK NEWS

Changes That Are Being Made
Among the Cattlemen of the
Panhandle and Vicinity.

For Sale—A 16 hand work horse
for \$75. It's a bargain. 11tf
Troy Womble.

R. H. Norton on Saturday sold
70 head of three's to T. A. Fowler
of Sedalia, Mo.

Lake & Tomb will ship today
and tomorrow 90 carloads of three's
to their ranch in Montana.

Sugg Robertson of Colorado will
be here the 15th with 25 carloads
of cattle to be shipped from this
point.

L. A. Knight on Friday and Sat-
urday will ship 60 carloads of
three's from Canyon to the Kansas
grazing fields.

It is said that several northern
cattlemen will be here in the near
future to buy cattle for their
ranches in the northwest.

For Sale—Two yearling Here-
ford bulls from high grade cows and
registered Hereford bulls. \$50
buys them. Connor Jowell. 11tf

Dave Earnest, the prominent
Colorado stockman, has made a
deal with the Howard brothers to
pasture 500 head of three's and
four's for the summer.

The conundrum that is making
people smile all over the west is
"Why is it expensive to keep a cow
in Omaha?" The answer is be-
cause it costs \$25,000 for a little
Cud-a-hay.

Hereford Bulls

I am offering for sale 12 head
of Registered Hereford Bulls, 4
High Grade, and 1 Hereford
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Also my Stallion, **YOUNG
MORGAN**, dark bay, 3 years
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bull, Hummer 70798. Only \$5
(in advance) for the season. 11tf

Tom Smith of Colorado, with his
outfit, is on the road to Hereford
with 2500 of the W. T. Scott two-
year-old steers, which will be
shipped from here. They will be
offered for sale on the open market.

Ex-Governor Louis Terazzas of
Chihuahua owns 6,000,000 acres
of land and brands annually 65,000
head of calves. This is not only
the largest individual ranch prop-
erty in Mexico, but the largest in
the world.

Sam Dunn, the association cattle
inspector in this district, went to
Bovina Wednesday to inspect the
46-carload shipment of cattle from
that point by Kimberlin & Peniston
of Quannah. They are going to the
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