

The Hereford Brand

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TALLMADGE BRINGS 50 PROSPECTORS TO HEREFORD THIS WEEK

CLEO COMMUNITY

Doings in Castro County, as Reported by Our Correspondent.

Mr. G. T. Abbott is still very sick.

Well, our cotton is doing well, looks like cotton in East Texas.

Edwin Shiye is in Cleo community, visiting home folks and also helping some with the crop.

Mr. F. A. Henderson has returned with his cattle from Swisher county where he had to take them to good range.

Miss Mamie Todd is to leave for Brazos county on the 23rd to spend a few weeks with relatives and friends.

After having several good showers this spring, our grass is beginning to revive, and cattle are shedding off.

Mr. S. I. Lee, Miss Mamie Todd and myself of Cleo had the pleasure of attending a musical, at Mr. J. E. Turner's at Dimmitt last Friday night and had a delightful time. The house was filled with pretty girls and smiling boys, who seemed to have spent the evening very pleasantly.

Gilbreath Bros. are having their sheep sheared this week by Capt. C. W. Picketts crew of shearers of which I am a member. We have shorn out several small flocks, namely: Huselmann Bros., Henry Lange, Jack Slover and R. P. Smith. While shearing is very hard work, it has been made a great deal lighter by the kind treatment we have received by the men and the good meals that have been prepared by the good ladies, for which we are very thankful. We have some flocks to shear yet, and will probably be at work until July 15.

W. S. D.

Second Hand Store.

On July 1st we will open up a second-hand store in the old Burns & Smith Drug Store. We will be prepared to buy and sell or handle on commission all your 2nd hand furniture, hardware implements, or any thing else in this line. We will trade or buy anything you have.

191f McClain & Hopson.

Change in Business.

Jas. Cardwell has sold his interest in the hardware store at Texico to Guy Gamble and has moved back to Hereford. Mr. Gamble will continue the business alone.

At Cost.

Beginning Monday June 27, we will sell at cost our entire line of ladies', misses' and children's hats during remainder of the season.

191f Stambaugh & Lipscomb.

WICKER'S ANTISEPTIC FOOT RELIEF

Positively cures feet from sweating and destroys all offensive odors. Prevents itching, scalding and tired feet. Sold under a guarantee and money refunded if not as represented.
PRICE 25 CTS.

DIRECTIONS
Before retiring, wash the feet with warm water, using soap. Rinse well and dry with towel; then apply powder by brisk rubbing. In the morning put on clean hose, dusting a little of the powder in them. If the feet sweat that day repeat as before, using clean hose each morning. The second application will usually produce a cure, but in some cases it will require several applications. Manufactured by
T. M. COULSON & CO.
HEREFORD, TEXAS

STOVES! STOVES!!

We carry a complete line of stoves and can save you money on same. See our line before purchasing. Come around and let us tell you how you can get along this winter with twenty-five per cent less coal than you used last winter

SHELF HARDWARE

In shelf hardware our stock is complete and we can supply your wants at a saving to you. Call for what you want in this line—we have it. We can't enumerate the whole list, but in queensware, glassware, cutlery, etc., we are setting the pace for the great Hereford country, especially in price and quality. In our store "How Good" comes first with "How Cheap" a close second. What you need to do is to come into our place and let us convince you. You ought to "put your home in order" for cold weather. Also let us sell you a good heater. Ours are the much-heat-little fuel kind.

WINDMILLS

We do not have to make any claims for the Eclipse Windmills. Manufacturers of other makes of windmills, in advertising their wares, make the claim that theirs is "as good as the Eclipse," but none claim to make any better mill than the Eclipse. This claim is the Eclipse's best advertisement, unless it be the testimony of those now using the Eclipse and have given it a thorough test. Among the owners of Eclipse mills we refer you to Ira Aten, Judge L. Gough and T. A. Cox. Remember we are sole agents for these windmills and would be pleased to show to you their good points.

We have just received a car load of farm implements, consisting of plows of all kinds, cultivators, listers, drills, etc. When in town call at our store and get prices

STRINGFELLOW-HUME HARDWARE CO.

HEREFORD, TEXAS

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Peoples' Grocery Company, composed of C. S. Richards and D. E. Weaver, has this day by mutual consent dissolved, C. S. Richards retiring and D. E. Weaver carrying off the business in the name of the Peoples' Grocery Company and to whom all accounts are due and payable, the latter assuming all obligations.

Dated at Hereford, Texas, May 22nd, 1904. C. S. RICHARDS,
17-3t D. E. WEAVER.

More Rain.

The heavy rain, which fell last night, will put a check to work on the farm for dry days. We understand, ns. Highal over most of the col them. PEOT

Mrs. Dale Passes Away.

Geo. W. Dale received a telegram on Wednesday stating that his mother, who had been lingering for sometime, had succumbed to the monster, Death. Mrs. Dale was living with one of her sons about one mile from Bowie and her death was expected by all the members of the family. The remains were taken to Springtown where they were laid to rest in the family burial ground. The BRAND joins in extending sympathy and condolence to the bereaved family.

Globe.

Others may boast of having the Globe hats, but I am sole agent for the celebrated GLOBE FLOUR. Every sack guaranteed by C. E. EDWARDS.

A Heathful Country.

A BRAND representative's attention was called this week to the fact that there have been thirty-eight births and only one death in Deaf Smith county thus far in the year 1904, the latter being a child only three weeks' old. This speaks pretty well for the healthfulness of our climate and so far as our knowledge goes, is a record breaker.

Notice.

I am in the market for your chickens and eggs and will pay the highest cash price.
G. W. DENT.

Clean Up!

D. W. Crawford will do your scavenger work at a reasonable cost. Why not clean up? 17-4tp

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Special attention given to diseases of children.
Office hours: 8 to 9 a. m. and 8 to 10 p. m. Calls answered day or night. Residence phone No. 77.
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T. M. COULSON & CO., drug store.

ITEMS FROM BOOM.

Interesting Budget from Our Regular Correspondent.

J. E. Roberson has put in a phone lately.

Hermon Roberson went to work on the railroad section last week.

Boom was visited by a good rain last Sunday evening which was highly appreciated.

J. J. Anderson has a fine garden with almost every kind of vegetable represented.

Harry Clifton and Arthur Dendy left last week for Kansas where they will labor in the great harvest.

Mrs. Ge. W. Orr's grandmother, Mrs. Evans, came in on the train last Thursday from Johnson county. Grandma is one of the first settlers of that county and is well known to many people here. She spent last summer at Boom and is expecting to stay until September next. She is very old, yet very cheerful and we wish her a pleasant visit.

W. L. Sain came in home last Saturday. He has finished up his work at present on the railroad.

T. W. Roberson and his five sons at this place received a telegram the 11th that their only living daughter and sister, Mrs. J. W. Newbrough of Chihuahua, Mexico was dead. It was a great shock to all. Mrs. Newbrough spent several weeks with us about two months ago, visiting her sick father. She appeared at that time to be in perfect health. "In the midst of life we are in death."
J. B. R.

For Sale.

Two registered Missouri Durham bulls for sale by L. W. Ricketts. tf

Now

If you don't think we can make it on short notice and up-to-date just try us once for luck.

When

You want anything in the Sheet Metal line.

We make

Churns out of tin that are neat and light for the ladies; Bath Tubs for everybody; Tanks to water your yard and make the grass and trees grow; in fact, we can make anything you want at a very low price. We can fix your windmill and well so it won't trouble you or no pay. If you haven't got the money see us anyway.

Estimates

furnished on all kinds of roofing and cornice work.

Hereford Sheet Metal Works

T. R. REGAN, Manager

WE MUST STAND TRIAL, WHY?

BECAUSE WE CUT THE PRICE OF LUMBER

Every man in Deaf Smith and adjoining counties shall compose the jury and assess our punishment for this unpardonable crime, but for the present we are at the same old stand selling first-class lumber at the right price and delivering lumber free of charge anywhere in Hereford

...CONTRACTING...

Twenty years' actual experience, coupled together with our facilities for furnishing all our material at actual wholesale cost, places us in a position to give you a first-class job at the price you pay for shoddy material and poor workmanship. Don't figure with us unless you want first class work.

...MILL WORK...

We manufacture anything in odd-size mill work. Repair any kind of furniture or make any kind of odd pieces for machinery made out of wood. We make plans and specifications on short notice and furnish guaranteed estimates. Plans and specifications free if we are awarded the contract.

...WE CARRY...

in stock yellow pine and white pine lumber, sash, doors, moulding, cypress pickets and lath, brick, lime, cement, plaster, glass, paint, oils, putty, paint brushes, screen doors, reeded casing and baseboards, stair balusters, porch columns, newel posts, bois d'arc building blocks and anchor posts, cypress shingles, wall paper, etc. In fact anything in the building line.

SNYDER & LACEY

Hereford

DEALERS IN LUMBER

Texas.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

Annual Meeting of the B. Y. P. U. at Hereford, Wednesday, July 20th. at 2:30 p. m.

The following is the program for the annual meeting of the Panhandle B. Y. P. U. at Hereford, Texas, July 20th at 2:30 p. m:

Opening Song—By Congregation.
20 minutes devotional service, led by W. R. Gibson of Claude.

Welcome Address—Rev. W. R. Watson of Hereford.

Response—Rev. J. N. Marshall of Stratford.

Song.
Possibilities of the B. Y. P. U. work in the Panhandle—R. E. L. Farmer of Memphis.

Young people now and 20 years ago—Miss Norma Skinner of Clarendon.

Solo—Rev. A. H. Thornton of Clarendon.

Service—the law of greatness—Paper by Mrs. A. H. Thompson of Canyon City.

The best means of organizing unions in the Panhandle and creating interest in the work—W. A. Smith of Amarillo.

Song by Congregation.
General discussion.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 8:30 P. M.
30 minutes devotional service—Led by Rev. A. H. Thornton of Memphis.

Address—Prof. S. P. Brooks, President Baylor University of Waco.

Service concluded by Rev. J. B. Cole of Childress.

Thursday, 9 to 10 a. m.—Business meeting.

As our Constitution provides for two representatives from each church and one for each ten members of the union, we would urge every church that hasn't any union to send some of their young people.

We are preparing to entertain a large delegation.

Please notify us, by July 10th, how many you expect to attend.

We have been assured of as low as one and one-third fare on railroads.

Wrong Impression.

It is said to be very dry up in the plains country. They have no grass scarcely, and are up against a strong proposition.—Hall County Herald.

From the above one would be led to believe that the plains country is in a deplorable condition. The editor of the Herald certainly does not endeavor to keep posted about the condition of this country, else he would not give credence to such an erroneous statement as the above. We have had all the rain we need, three heavy rains having fallen within the past week. We have plenty of grass and our cattle are in fine shape. Besides, our crop prospects are all that could be hoped for and our farmers are strenuously in need of sunshine and dry weather so that they can cultivate them.

Farmers' Meet.

The special meeting of the Farmers' Institute at the court house on last Saturday afternoon was poorly attended. In fact the meeting did not repair to the Institute room but transacted its business on the outside. The purpose of this meeting was to decide whether or not we should celebrate on July the 4th. After the question was discussed, it was thought best to defer decision in the matter till Saturday June 25th, at which time the farmers and business men will meet at the court house, and make definite arrangements. The BRAND was requested to urge all interested in the move to be present promptly at 1:30 o'clock.

Notice.

Go to Guy Gamble's and get your goods at cost. Everything in the saddle and harness line included in the sale.

Dairies Combine.

The Clark Dairy and the Ideal Dairy this week united their forces and hereafter there will be only one dairy in Hereford, John Clark assuming control of both plants.

This seems to be a good move in the right direction, for while two dairies can not both do well here, there is plenty of business to support one well; and it is not difficult to understand that one enterprise, well supported and properly managed, gives better service than two of the same kind but with scant patronage.

Voice From Down Town.

We wish to call the attention of the good citizens of Hereford to the fact that there are a few merchants down in the tin-can part of Hereford as some of our competitors call our part of the city, and that we propose selling what goods we have at prices that will save your hauling out a few brick walls that will be worthless to you, even though they throw you in a spool of thread or a can of tomatoes.

Yours truly,

D. R. GASS & SONS.

New Market.

W. A. Higgins this week re-opened the meat market, formerly operated by Richards & Weaver. Lee Gilliland has been employed as manager and with their facilities for conducting their business, they doubtless will keep on hand a supply of fresh meats.

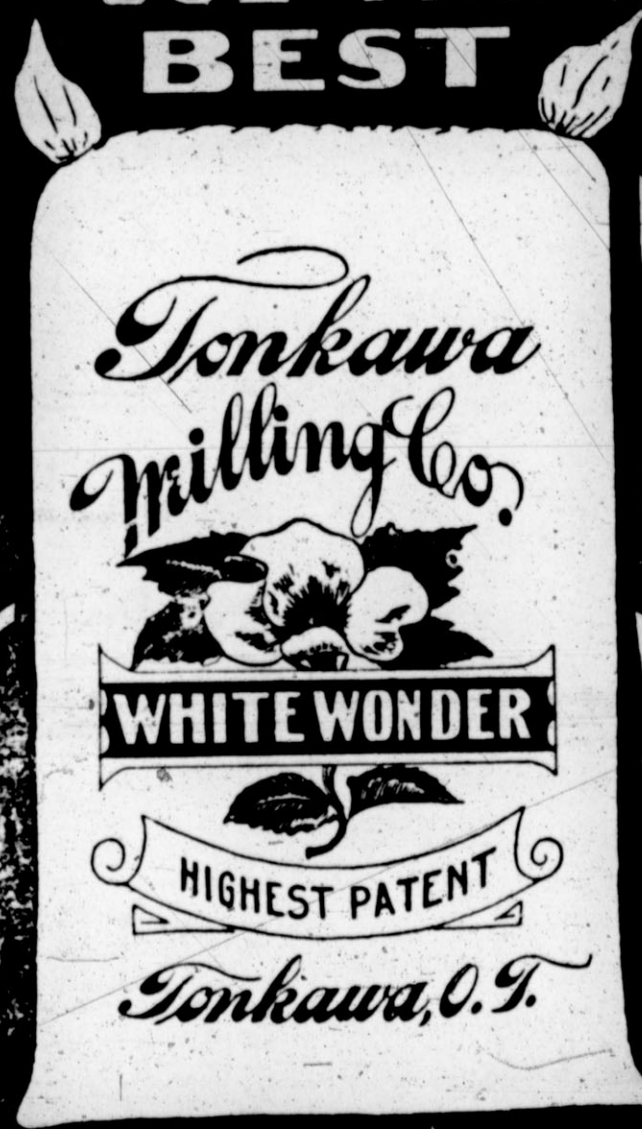
We understand Mr. Higgins will furnish the cattle from his ranch northwest of town.

Denver Excursion.

On Sunday June 26th the Denver road will sell tickets from Amarillo to Ft. Worth for \$5.00, the train due at Ft. Worth at 7:25 a. m. The features of the day will be picnicking, boating, free sacred concerts, etc. Also professional base ball games and the sights afforded at the great Armour & Swift Packing Houses.

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AID FOR THE WEST.

Arid Lands to be Reclaimed By the Government.

After a little less than two years of work the department of the interior has issued a statement outlining the disposition of the fund for reclaiming the arid lands of the western states and territories. Twenty-seven million dollars will be expended during the next two or three years, and the work of construction, when finished, will have redeemed 1,000,000 acres of land, capable of supporting a population of 500,000. This announcement closes the preliminary stage of the reclamation project, which, being self-perpetuating by the law which set it in motion, will continue to operate as long as the work of irrigation is commercially profitable.

Nothing which President Roosevelt and the republican congress have done is of more far reaching benefit than this well devised plan of reclaiming the vast areas of desert land scattered through the western half of the country. The object of the reclamation law is to make the government the agent of the people in turning over the public domain to small land owners on a strictly business basis. The settler can buy of the government the reclaimed land at what it costs to redeem it. In this way the fund for irrigation will not be exhausted, but will remain intact for making more land cultivable. The eastern farmer is not taxed for the benefit of the western farm, as would be the case if the government sold the reclaimed land at the old figure of \$1.25 per acre.

The new lands are to be sold to actual settlers, and their purchase limited to 160 acres. So great is the fertility of irrigated land that the average farm need not exceed forty or fifty acres to support a family in abundance. The population being so much denser than in other farming districts west of the Mississippi, life on the farm can give way to life in the village, and the element of loneliness which has heretofore made the vocation of farming repugnant to many will be eliminated.

Great interest is already being taken in the reclamation projects by prospective home-seekers. They should beware of the organized band of swindlers which is reported at work in several western states. These confidence men pretend to have "inside information," and for a fee of \$50 to \$200 agree to locate settlers on the best land. They are pure frauds. When the time comes for opening the lands to entry due notice will be given through the public press.—Chicago Tribune.

Privileges For Sale.

Canyon City will have its fifth annual grand carnival, Confederate reunion, cowboy sports, racing, baseball, fine stock show, etc., July 26, 27, 28 and 29; 5,000 to 10,000 people in attendance each day. Every kind of attraction wanted. Address REUNION SECRETARY, Canyon City, Texas. 1912

Ladies' Skirts.

We have a large assortment of ladies' skirts, of different styles, consisting of silk, wool, crash and nets, which we do not care to carry over and in order to close them out we will make sweeping reductions on the entire lot. They range in price from 25c to \$10.00. STAMBAUGH & LIPSCOMB.

Cheap Coal.

For a limited time we will sell coal in lots of two tons or more at reduced price. This is the very best coal, both lump and nut. For particular information on the

at **WOMBLE'S FUEL OIL CO.** Womble Manager.

Evening Picnic.

On Friday afternoon of last week, the Epworth League, together with other invited guests, went on a picnicking excursion to G. R. Jowel's lake east of town. The party left Hereford at five o'clock in the afternoon under the surveillance of Miss Griffith, who is president of the League, and remained at the lake until a late hour, where such sports as rowing and fishing were indulged in.

When all had become weary and worn from the excitement which naturally attends such sports, a bountiful repast was spread and it is reported that it was at this juncture of the occasion that C. E. Edwards came forth in his might, and made manifest his appreciation of this special feature of the program.

To say that all had a good time, but feebly expresses it; for it was indeed an enjoyable affair and the members of the league anxiously await the time when they will again be permitted to take a similar outing.

Col. Howard Leads.

We publish the following letter which will be of interest to many of our readers:

Dalhart, Texas, June 17, 1904.
Mr. C. G. Witherspoon,

Hereford, Texas.
Dear sir and friend—Col. Howard delivered a genuine business men's address to the Dalhart people Monday night, 13th. He made a splendid impression on our people, and I have heard a number of representative men say he would carry Dalhart and Hartly counties. I was just out of bed from an attack of lagrippe and could not circulate the appointment as I could have done had I been on my feet, as I proposed advertising the appointment by a distribution of circulars but was too feeble to do so. Your friend,
H. C. FLOYD.

Advertised Letters.

Remaining in the postoffice at Hereford for the week ending June 18, 1904:

T. R. Allison, Thos. B. Buckner, Judge Cobb, John Davis, H. R. Davis, H. L. Davis, T. E. Gooding, Kutch Hill, J. R. Hastings, J. Dana Hubbel, Mrs. Pauline Hunter, Sam Lee, Mrs. Jimmie Morris, Miss L. F. Pierson, Rob. Pennington (2), Gustare Peterson, Rufus Rutherford, Miss Nellie Ringer, David Rowe, Shon Robenson, Mrs. M. L. Roberson, Tom Sanderson, Leah Smith, J. D. Trusty (2), D. B. Wood, Earl Ziegler.

When calling for the above please say "advertised." One cent will be charged for advertising.

W. J. WALTERS

Rev. Jas. O. Reavis Coming.

It has been definitely settled that Rev. James O. Reavis, the pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Dallas, will assist Rev. A. H. Crawford in a meeting at Hereford, beginning Friday night before the 4th Sunday in September (the 23) instead of in August as mentioned some weeks ago in the BRAND. Mr. Reavis, though a young man, is pastor of one of the largest and strongest churches in the state. He is a preacher of great power and his evangelistic labors have been especially blessed.

Rain and Hail.

Sunday afternoon Hereford and surrounding country were treated to a splendid rain, accompanied by some hail, the latter, however, doing but little damage. If the ground is not now wet, it certainly is because it will not absorb water; for we have had from one to two good rains each week since the drouth was broken.

Wanted! Wanted!!

Your dry bones, your head and horns. Highest prices paid for them. **PEOPLES' GROCERY CO.**

Children's Day Exercises.

On Sunday night, June 26th, Children's Day exercises will be held at the Baptist church in Hereford. Special preparations are being made and everyone who attends is assured a pleasant evening. Everybody is cordially invited to witness the following program:

- Song—"Send a Blessing"—By School.
- Reading—H. B. McGee.
- Prayer—By Superintendent.
- Song—By School.
- Opening Address—Lottie Hough.
- Recitation—"My Policeman"—Alma Beach.
- "He Shall Defend Thee"—Three Little Boys.
- Song—"Gather all for Jesus."
- Recitation—Morris Garner.
- Solo—Jewel Buster.
- "Jesus Lives"—Ten Little Girls.
- Concert Recitation.
- Recitation—Nulty Renfro.
- Reading—Alma Coker.
- "Spreading the Light for Jesus"—By Class.
- "Church walking with the World"—Ida Beach.
- "Song of the Heart"—By Young Ladies.
- Closing Address—Ida Beach.

Dry at Hale Center.

J. W. Cox of Hale Center was in Hereford Saturday, the guest of his brother, J. A. Cox, who has been in feeble health for several weeks. Mr. Cox is among the well-to-do ranchmen of his county and, in conversation with a BRAND representative, stated that the country adjacent to Hale Center had not received the copious rains this season that had visited other portions of Hale county and that it is yet very dry in that immediate section.

However, Mr. Cox is by no means discouraged but thinks everything will work out all right in the end.

Big Shipment.

M. C. McCummins, H. D. Beal and W. K. Dickerson, all of Lubbock, were in Hereford Saturday to deliver northern buyers two thousand head of 2-year-olds, the price paid being \$17. These gentlemen are all prominent ranchmen in their county and seemed to be well pleased with the result of the sale. Mr. Beal informed a BRAND representative that, while everything is now favorable to the cattle interests in the south plains, they have not yet had as much rain as is needed to make a rapid growth of grass.

Hotel Sold.

The Hereford House has again changed hands, the purchaser this time being W. J. Gilliland of Dimmitt. G. A. F. Parker owned the hotel and we understand the consideration was \$4500 cash. The deal was negotiated by W. H. Rayzor.

Mr. Gilliland will take charge of the hotel about July the first and it will be known in the future as the Hereford House instead of the Pecos Valley Hotel.

July 4th Celebration.

On July 4th, the four Sunday schools at Ward, Files and Burtram school houses respectively will meet at the latter named place and have a union picnic. Elaborate preparations are being made for the occasion and everybody is invited to be present with a well filled basket.

A New Deal.

McClain & Hopson are opening up a 2nd hand store in the front of Bell Bros. tin shop or better known as Burns & Smith's old stand. Sell us your 2nd hand stuff and see us before buying your new goods. 1912

For Sale.

Four head fine registered Berkshire hogs. Stf C. G. WITHERSPOON.

BARGAINS LEFT

After the "Price Smashing Sale" was over we found that we still had a house full of good things to offer you in all departments at exceedingly low prices. Come, let us supply your wants in all kinds of Furniture, Carpets, Mattings, Linoleum, Washing Machines, Ice Cream Freezers, Croquet Games, Hammocks, Baby Buggies, Go-carts, Etc. Etc.

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We sell commutation tickets at reduced prices. Please do not ask us to charge ice as it is too inconvenient. We solicit your patronage. Our motto is "full weight and fair dealings."

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FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1904

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A uniform rate of \$10 will be required of each candidate announcing for public office, the announcement to be accompanied by the cash. This fee covers printing name on ticket.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

W. B. BOYD
W. H. RUSSELL
A. J. LIPSCOMB

FOR SHERIFF AND COLLECTOR

J. T. INMON
RAT JOWELL
W. B. PHILLIPS
R. N. MOUNTS
GEORGE CLOYD

FOR COUNTY CLERK

W. B. BEACH

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

C. L. DAVIS
P. R. PURCELL

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

J. S. WYCHE
J. WALK BRADLY
J. W. FORD

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2

A. STEWART KENDRICK
T. M. PALMER

CASTRO COUNTY

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

M. F. BARBER

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

W. S. DIXON
J. S. COPEL

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1

W. A. TATE

The farmers are conspicuous by their absence in Hereford this week, but the reason can readily be understood; for just at this particular time there is being some very efficient work done on the farms of Deaf Smith and Castro counties. When a farmer comes to town now-a-days, he is invariably in a hurry to transact his business and get back home. This begins to remind one of the enterprise and push that characterizes other successful agricultural countries. The result of this industry will soon be felt in every line of business, for since the cattle interest, as it stands today, is wholly inadequate to revive business, we must look to the farming interests which are certain to eclipse all other interests of the country in importance.

P. R. PURCELL this week authorizes us to present his name to the voters of Deaf Smith county as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer. Mr. Purcell was brought to Texas by his parents when he was only six months of age, where he has lived continuously till the present time. He has lived in the Panhandle two and one-half years, has made a good citizen and asks for the consideration of the voters at the polls next November, promising, if elected, to perform the duties of the office to the best of his ability.

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THE COLLEGE SITUATION.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found a report of the two College meetings which have been held in Hereford this week. A glance at these reports shows that the Board of Trustees have a serious problem confronting them—one which they, alone, are entirely unable to solve. The present indebtedness, while not great, is sufficiently so to cripple and materially injure the college, if it is not liquidated. As to whether this emergency will be responded to by our people, remains to be seen. The Board and many other citizens are doing all in their power to place the school on a financial basis and it now becomes necessary for all who feel an interest in the enterprise to come forth and contribute what they feel able to give, if the school is made a success.

Add-Ran College has contributed much in making Hereford the town she is today. It has greatly benefited the town morally and materially, and if every man in Hereford would give to the enterprise in proportion to the amount of property he has and the benefits which would accrue to him therefrom, we would have a college second to none in the state. The history of all schools is that they must undergo certain financial depressions in their infancy; and the friends of the institution should not become discouraged, for Hereford cannot afford to do otherwise than make it a success.

Many, who have already made liberal donations, stand ready to give more if necessary; and if every man in Hereford would give according to his financial ability, be it great or small, the present demands would be satisfied and the school would continue the pride of our community.

Mass Meeting.

The citizens mass meeting which was held at the Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon in the interests of Add-Ran college was not largely attended on account of the heavy rain which fell just before time for the meeting. However, there were a sufficient number present to discuss the situation fully and decide upon some definite action. F. Herron presided over the meeting and a number of spirited talks were made, in which the advantages to accrue from the college were set forth, and different plans suggested for relieving the present financial embarrassment of the school. But the most feasible plan seemed to be that suggested by T. J. Graves, which the convention voted to adopt and endeavor to push to a successful end.

This plan is in substance as follows: That Mr. Graves, in conjunction with eight other men, would get behind the indebtedness which is just now pressing the Board, and begin at once to sell the lands belonging to the school to liquidate the same. A committee was appointed to secure the required nine, after which the meeting adjourned to meet again at the court house on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The house was called to order by the chairman, F. Herron, who stated the object of the meeting, after which the committee, appointed at the previous meeting, was called upon for its report. It was learned that only five men had consented to go on the guarantee committee to secure the out-standing indebtedness which is now due. Since this did not relieve the situation, it was decided to continue the work until today, when the Board will meet and take some action.

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TALLMADGE SPECIAL

Brings Fifty Home-seekers Into Hereford, Who Are Shown Over the Country.

On Thursday morning, a special train of the Santa Fe brought in a company of prospectors under the supervision of C. L. Tallmadge. There were about fifty of the home-seekers and instead of depending on the local trains to pull him through, Mr. Tallmadge had a special for the occasion.

The men were well-to-do farmers of the North and manifested much interest in this country. They were taken in charge by local citizens and the entire day, after their arrival, was spent in a careful inspection of our lands. Our broad prairies, mantled in their garments of living green and adorned here by the lowing herds of whitefaces, there by growing crops of almost every variety, are said to have made a most favorable impression. However, as yet, it is not known how many deals will be closed.

Late in the afternoon the train pulled on down into the Pecos Valley, making Hereford the only point in Texas at which lands were shown. It is said that this movement is just beginning and now, that conditions are most favorable, Mr. Tallmadge proposes to bring hundreds of actual settlers here during the year.

To My Friends.

Having sold my entire stock of men's furnishings, hats, shoes etc. to Galbreath, Fox Trading Co. and taken the amount out in stock, I desire to thank you one and all for your liberal patronage and with pleasure ask you to come to our large store knowing that I can serve you than ever. Yours as before,
E. W. HARRISON.

Registered Herefords.

L. R. Bradley has, at his place east from town, 9 head of registered (Missouri bred) Hereford bulls for sale. Anyone wishing to inspect these animals would do well to call at once. 16tf

Found—A Coal Mine

at Fallwell & Sons Grain Store. We are now receiving invoices for our storage coal and would be glad to figure with you on your summer and fall supply. tf

FALLWELL & SONS.

Notice!

Parties wishing to put in storage coal call and get my prices. I handle the very best Maitland coal—the coal that made Colorado famous. tf

C. C. FERGUSON.

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All persons are hereby warned against hunting or fishing on our premises. CALDWELL & HICKS.

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with the best implements that money can buy or skill can produce. The best is never too good for you. The most prosperous farmers are not the purchasers of the cheapest tools. A dollar saved on the cost often means dollars lost in repairs, wasted time and poor work. The value of complete satisfaction and the cost of dissatisfaction are hard to estimate. Would like to show you how by careful buying and moderate prices the highest value can be combined with satisfactory prices, so that the best goods can be furnished at a very slight advance over the cheapest ones. We carry a large stock of the celebrated John Deere Plows, Planters, Harrows and Cultivators, together with a complete line of Bradley Implements and the Hancock Disc Plow. See us before buying your windmills. We are sole agents for the Leader and Samson Mills which have deservedly gained a reputation that puts them in the lead of other mills

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All persons are hereby warned against hunting or otherwise trespassing on the Escarbada division of the XIT ranch. IRA ATEN, Division Manager.

At Actual Cost.

We have about eight dozen ladies shirt waists to close out at actual cost. If you are looking for bargains now is your opportunity. STAMBAUGH & LIPSCOMB.

SHORT LOCALS

News of Interest Boiled Down for Rapid Reading—Facts Concerning People You Know.

Wall Paper—E. B. Black. 44
 25 lbs of rice for \$1.00 at J. M. Garner's. tf
 A. S. Gracey was in town Wednesday from his ranch on business.
 8 section ranch for lease. Good water and grass. E. B. Black. tf
 Rev. Chalmers Kilbourn went up to Amarillo Wednesday afternoon.
 For everything in men's furnishings. Galbreath-Fox Trading Co. 2t
 Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Laird of the OYO ranch were visitors to Heretford Wednesday.

We are now in the market for all the bones we can get. Peoples' Grocery Co. tf
 D. O. Stewart of Mansfield is visiting relatives and friends in Heretford this week.

J. M. Garner is giving away two \$65.00 steel ranges. Call at the store for further information. tf

Dr. R. W. Bounds was called to Panhandle City Wednesday afternoon on professional duties.

J. M. Garner is giving away two \$65.00 steel ranges. Call at the store for further information. tf

Leave your order for a pair of those fine boots or shoes that Canterbury makes, or have the old ones repaired. tf

J. W. Fewell left Tuesday morning for Castro county, where he goes to break land for S. S. Evans with his steam plow.

Miss Millicent Griffith left Wednesday afternoon for Clarendon where she will teach in the Summer Normal.

Our improved cigar chest keeps our cigars fresh and moist. If you want an enjoyable smoke call at T. M. Coulson & Co.'s tf

Miss Sallie Beatie leaves this week for Oklahoma City and will return and begin her music class when school opens in September.

A prospector from Arkansas says the only way to give your body a more perfect fit than you can get in "Kant-be-beat" clothing at Galbreath-Fox Trading Co. is to undress and stand up to your neck in water. 2t

Liquozone at Burns & Smith. tf
 Cakes made to order at the City Bakery. tf
 Specs, all kinds and prices at Meeks', the optician. tf

Harrison the sox seller at Galbreath-Fox Trading Co. 2t
 Twenty-five pounds of rice for \$1.00 at J. M. Garner's. tf

J. H. Holland of Castro county had business in Heretford Tuesday.
 Pure white new crop of Uvalde comb honey at Stambaugh & Lipscomb's. 15tf

W. A. Higgins came in Saturday from his ranch northwest of town on business.

Mrs. F. L. Vanderburgh left Friday afternoon for her new home in Amarillo.

Patronize the Heretford Laundry a home institution. We guarantee our work to be first class. tf

W. D. Fisher, one of Canadian's young attorneys, visited several days in Heretford this week.

Our line of drugs, medicines, sundries, stationery, etc., is complete and up-to-date. T. M. Coulson & Co. tf

J. L. Foster of Sterling City is in Heretford this week with 1000 head of yearlings and two-year-olds for sale.

We will accept either cash or marketable stuff in exchange for anything in our line. Heretford Sheet Metal Works. tf

J. E. Massey of Pecos City stopped off in Heretford this week on his return from Montana where he had been with cattle.

T. B. Rector, who owns a ranch six miles east of Heretford, was in town Thursday and ordered the BRAND sent to his address.

Do your feet sweat, or give you trouble? Wicker's Foot Relief will cure them. For sale and fully guaranteed by T. M. Coulson & Co. tf

Rev. W. M. Braley, who has been working in the Adventist meeting for the past two weeks, returned to his home at Tyron, O. T., Thursday.

The combined stocks of ladies' and children's shoes of the firms of Galbreath-Fox & Co., and E. W. Harrison makes a complete assortment. 2t

Pemberton & Cowden, northern buyers, bought of Abney Bro's. of Big Springs this week 900 two-year-olds which were shipped from Heretford.

If you want a monument of any description, see S. B. Feemster at Snyder & Lacey's construction mill. He can supply your wants at reasonable prices. tf

T. H. Beach of the firm of Beach & Kerr of Dimmitt was in Heretford Wednesday and took out two wagons loaded with groceries for their store at Dimmitt.

On and after July 1st we will be prepared to handle anything you have in second-hand goods at the Burns & Smith old stand. McClain & Hopson. 19tf

Rev. M. E. Hawkins, pastor of the M. E. church at Claude, and brother of Prof. D. W. and H. H. Hawkins, who live west of town, arrived in Heretford Saturday and is conducting the revival at the Methodist church this week.

Walter A. Brandon, editor of the Canyon City News, passed through Heretford Tuesday afternoon on his return from a visit to his old home in Lampassas. Mr. Brandon says that he is now better pleased with the Panhandle than ever.

Subscribe for THE BRAND.

June corn at Fallwell & Sons. tf
 City Bakery fresh bread at J. M. Garner's. tf

Try our Jumbo loaf bread at 10c. City Bakery. tf

Sweet Orr overalls at Galbreath-Fox Trading Co. 2t

Go to Canterbury for your saddle and harness repairing. tf

Good oak stove wood already cut at Heretford Fuel Oil Co. 51tf

Harmon Beach went up to Amarillo Tuesday afternoon on business.

C. Daughtry returned Thursday from a business trip down the Denver.

J. C. Johnston came in Tuesday from his ranch northwest of town on business.

LOST—A gold cuff button. Finder return to this office and receive reward. 19tf

Miss Ada Witherspoon returned to Amarillo Thursday after two weeks visit in Heretford.

LOST—Plain gold ring with CAP engraved on inside. Finder please return to Mrs. Frank Williams. tf

Commissioner J. R. Armstrong of Bovina was in Heretford this week attending commissioners court.

One set of heavy double wagon harness, in good condition, to sell at a bargain. See Heretford Sheet Metal Works. tf

Joe Shannon, a well known cattleman of Lubbock was in Heretford this week hunting a buyer for about 350 head of stock cattle.

Miss Sallie Burnett, who has been visiting Miss Nellie Phansteel for the past four weeks, returned to her home in Seymour Thursday.

Mrs. T. N. Clayton of Portales, N. M., stopped off in Heretford Wednesday to visit her son, J. R. Clayton, on her return from an extended visit to relatives in Ft. Worth.

L. G. Dameron came up Saturday from his Castro county ranch and spent Sunday with his family in Heretford. Mr. Dameron reports conditions on the ranch first-class.

Miss Eula Leach returned Sunday from a visit to North Texas. She was accompanied on her return by her sister who will spend sometime here for the benefit of her health.

J. N. Askren, Heretford's broom manufacturer and who is also largely interested in the culture of broom corn in his neighborhood, was in the city this week on business.—Champion.

Mrs. L. B. Lay and daughter, Miss Bessie, left Wednesday afternoon for an extended visit with their parents and grandparents in South Texas. Mr. Lay accompanied them as far as Amarillo.

The firm of Murchison & Thompson this week leased the 6 1-2-section ranch belonging to D. F. Ellis and will stock it with cattle. They bought 60 yearlings from C. R. Moreman and A. S. Kendrick this week.

Mesdames C. P. Arthur and C. E. Nugent returned this week from a visit with relatives at Silverton. The friends of Mrs. Arthur will be glad to learn that she, who has been in rather poor health for sometime, stood the trip well.

Henry Weems, one of Deaf Smith's most successful farmers, was transacting business in Heretford Saturday. Mr. Weems has a novel method for cultivating kafir corn and maize, which would pay any farmer interested in the production of these crops to learn.

Something for Nothing

Is a proposition you don't run up against every day, and on first thought you may think there is a string tied to the offer, but there is not. We are going to give to some one or two of our customers

Two \$65 Steel Ranges

They are beauties and can be seen on exhibition in our windows any day. Come in and we will explain how they are to be presented. Now don't get the idea that we have marked up our goods enough to cover the cost of these ranges. When we say we are giving them away, we mean every word of it. A glance at the prices below will convince you that we come nearer hitting the cost mark on groceries than others

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3-lb Pie Pine Apples	1.00 doz	3-lb "Niggerhead" Sauer Kraut	1.25 "
2-lb Red Cherries	1.05 "	3-lb Boston Baked Beans	1.00 "
2-lb Blackberries	1.05 "	Bering Sea Red Salmon	1.85 "
3-lb Strawberries	1.10 "	Alaska Pink Salmon	1.25 "
2-lb Gooseberries	1.10 "	Potted Ham 1-4s.	.55 "
2-lb Red Raspberries	1.10 "	3-lbs Sweet Potatoes	1.20 "
Good Grade Japan Tea	.35 lb	1-lb Assorted Canned Soups	1.15 "
3-lb Best Jersey Cream Cheese for	.50	1 Gallon Size Peaches	.30 can
Best California 3-lb Tomatoes	\$1.05 doz	1 Gallon Size Apples	.30 can
Greenwood Tomatoes	11.5 doz	Quartered Dried Apples	8 1-3c
3 lbs. "Niggerhead" Tomatoes	1.25 "	Friends Oats, regular 12 1-2c at	.10
Reliable 3-lb. Tomatoes	1.25 "		
Egyptian Canned Corn	1.00 "		
"Niggerhead" String Beans	.95 "		
3-lb Pumpkins	1.10 "		
Golden Crown Early June Peas	1.40 "		
3-lb Best Hominy	1.05 "		

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B. J. Park, account brother, George Park paid the BRAND office on Friday afternoon Mr. Park is a traveling headquarters at T seemed much pleased handle country.

Cut flowers at the City Bakery. tf

If you have dyspepsia try the City Bakery's graham bread. tf

Don A. Sweet came down with the Tallmadge special Thursday.

W. A. Slover of Dimmitt was transacting business in Heretford Thursday.

Miss Maggie Ray left Wednesday afternoon for Clarendon to attend the Summer Normal.

James Hughes went down to Clarendon Wednesday to spend five weeks in the Summer Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith returned Thursday from an extended visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Tolz Ware, president of the Amarillo National Bank, came down Thursday to look after his ranch interests north of town.

Mrs. Geo. W. Dale left Saturday for Amarillo to attend the funeral of her niece who died Saturday and was buried Sunday. Mrs. Dale returned to Heretford Thursday.

Mrs. C. E. Nugent of Mansfield, Texas, is having a well bored on her section 12 miles southwest of town. Also other substantial improvements are being made.

Misses Mattie and Mary Hill of Ft. Worth arrived in Heretford Wednesday and went down to Dimmitt to visit their sisters Mesdames Harvey Cash and D. C. Laird.

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WANTS THE BRAND.

Former Citizen of Hereford Doing Well, But Still Has an Interest In this Country.

The following letter from Dr. R. H. Gough of Cleburne will be of interest to his many friends in Hereford and surrounding country:

Cleburne, Texas, June 18, 1904. Editors BRAND—No doubt many of your citizens will regret to see Mr. Vanderburgh leave the BRAND and Hereford but will be proud to see him stepping into a good position at Amarillo.

In your Mr. Ray you have, in my judgment, an excellent editor and the BRAND this week is extra good and newsy.

I want the BRAND to continue to come to my desk.

Having lived in Hereford five years I feel interested in the development of the plains and especially the Hereford country.

Some of my friends there will be glad to know that I am well located, both as to health and business. Cleburne is a nice little city and Johnson county is full of fruit and "garden truck."

We are missing those nice cool nights which are so conducive to good sleep, but we have some other advantages here to offset that luxury. I feel hopeful for that country and know it will abundantly repay those who stay with it and develop it.

Send the BRAND to me till I order it stopped.

Yours truly,
R. H. GOUGH, M. D.

Success at Fishing.

On last Saturday, W. T. Smith and family, Will Womble and family, Homer Bryant and Miss Irene Fewell enjoyed an outing about 9 miles down the river and spent several hours fishing for the celebrated "black bass." Mr. Smith reported 15 bass and 23 cats. The BRAND, however, cannot vouch for the truth of such a fish story, not having seen any of the fish.

Notice to Breeders.

Our thoroughbred mammoth Jack, 15-hands high, with mealey points, will make the season of 1904 at our livery stable in Hereford. We invite the inspection and inquiry of all those interested.

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Preparing to Handle Cantaloupes.

The cantaloupe association have already contracted with a Mr. John Butler for ten thousand crates in which to ship their cantaloupes this summer. These crates have to be made of cotton-wood and we understand Mr. Butler has a little saw mill started near Thornberry with which he will saw the lumber. Some of the members of the association think it will take as many as 60,000 crates to meet their demands this year. Some of the melon growers report to the Herald that their crops are looking fine and say that they will have a very large yield. The cantaloupe farmers have learned how to destroy the bugs that ruined the crop last year and are successfully fighting them this year.—Wichita Falls Herald.

The above would sound rather fishy to one who does not understand the qualities which the plains soil possesses for the production of this fruit. Cantaloupes are very nutritious and should have a prominent place on our bills of fare for table use. The cantaloupe association of Wichita county, by a united action, has already pushed this crop to that degree of success which places it among the staples. Our soil is specially adapted to all varieties of melons and it is wonderful how many cantaloupes can be produced from one acre of ground.

The BRAND looks forward with pleasure to the time when Deaf Smith and Castro counties will form a melon growers association, thus encouraging the extensive cultivation of this crop and securing a ready market for the same.

Mr. Elliston at Farmersville.

A. H. Elliston, daughter, Miss Maggie and son, Floyd, arrived from Hereford Tuesday and will spend some time here. Mr. Elliston says his section is in very good condition.

Mr. Elliston resided here 18 years, during which time, he was one of our foremost citizens, serving as school trustee, alderman and city marshal. He was in business a number of years and still has property interests in the city and near by. He moved from here two years ago and settled near Claude from which place he moved to Hereford in February last. Mr. Elliston and family have a host of friends here who will be glad to know he is well pleased with his move to the West.—Farmersville Times.

Conditions Improving.

W. D. McIntosh and son, Will, of the North Draw neighborhood, in Deaf Smith county, were in the city this week on business and incidentally looking for bargains in young steers, of which, we are informed, they purchased quite a bunch. Messrs. McIntosh handle nothing but steers and their success lies in the fact that they raise plenty of feed for winter use, besides having a large and well watered range. Mr. McIntosh stated that cattle conditions were greatly improving in every way, price and quality included, and with the copious rains all over the Panhandle all the old-time ranchmen, of which he is one, are feeling jubilant over the bright prospects before them.—Champion.

Save Your Teeth.

Dr. A. D. Miller, who is now permanently located at Texico, N. M., but is making professional trips through Texas, will be in our city from June 14 to July 1, occupying the front rooms at the Daniel house, and will be prepared to do all kinds of Dental work, and where a party has work to the amount of say, \$30 or \$40, will take in payment one-half cash and balance in good she cattle. Yours for business, 2t A. D. MILLER, Dentist.

NOTICE!

For strictly first-class field seeds go to C. C. Ferguson.

Shall We Have a Picnic?

This is a question which is now being considered by the citizens of Hereford and surrounding country and will be settled at the call meeting at the court house Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

At the farmers' meeting on last Saturday the secretary was instructed to correspond with Prof. J. W. Carson of College Station in regard to furnishing speakers for the occasion and it will be known by Saturday just what can be done along this line. The plan now is to have the rally on Saturday, July 2nd, as there will be another picnic in the county on July 4th.

The primary purpose of the picnic is to bring all our people together so that they may become better acquainted and understand each other better. If you are interested in the move, don't fail to come out to the court house Saturday afternoon and contribute your share toward making it a success.

Lightning Strikes House.

On Sunday afternoon during the heavy rain, lightning struck the rear end of Fallwell & Sons' grain store and did considerable damage. The bolt struck the window above, completely demolishing it and scattering splinters over the room. From here it followed the wall downward, passing out at the rear door.

The smoke caused by the explosion created considerable excitement and the fire-fighters turned out promptly, but on reaching the scene it was found that there was no cause for alarm.

Commissioners' Court Meets.

The Commissioners' court met this week to give those, whose property valuation was raised by the recent equalization board an opportunity to show why such increase in valuation should not be made.

All the lands in Deaf Smith and Palmer counties were raised from 90 cents to \$1.00 per acre and the railroad from \$3000 to \$3300 per mile.

Abstracts.

We have complete printed abstracts of all "Capitol Syndicate" lands in Deaf Smith, Parmer and Castro counties, and can furnish you an abstract on any part of these lands on short notice. This is the most complete abstract ever gotten up in the Panhandle.

5tf WITHERSPOON & GOUGH.

Revival.

The revival which is being conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. M. E. Hawkins is attracting widespread attention and drawing large crowds. Some very able discourses are being presented by Mr. Hawkins in his earnest way, and the meeting will doubtless be a great blessing to our town and community.

For Lease

To the highest and best bidder for cash my six section ranch (the J. F. Ward place eleven miles north of Hereford) until January 1, 1905. Tisible land and dwelling house excepted. Right reserved to reject any or all bids. Address,

D. F. ELLIS,

tf Davis, Indian Territory.

Public Speaking.

Hon W. B. Ware of Donley county and Hon. S. T. Howard will address the voters of Deaf Smith and Castro counties at the court house in Hereford on Saturday night, June 25th. The issues of the campaign will be fully discussed and a large representation of our citizens is desired.

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Office in Western National Bank.
Hereford, Texas.

Fresh bread at J. M. Garner's. tf
Commissioner R. N. Mounts was
seen on our streets Monday.

T. M. Coulson & Co. have the
latest books to rent. See them. tf

J. H. Holland of Amarillo spent
several days in Hereford this week.

W. H. Walcott was negotiating
with Hereford's business men Satur-
day.

For big bargains in furniture and
floor coverings call at once. E. B.
Black. tf

R. E. Taylor came in Monday
from his ranch near Dawn on busi-
ness.

Get my price on a saddle or set of
harness before buying. J. A. Can-
terbury. tf

Earnest and Miss Maude West-
brook of Dimmitt were shopping in
Hereford Saturday.

If you are wanting a first-class
nobby set of single harness at a nom-
inal price go to Canterbury. tf

Will Syms of Dimmitt was in
Hereford Saturday and was a pleas-
ant visitor to the BRAND office.

For Sale—5 head registered
Hereford bulls 4 years old, 15 miles
north of town. A. H. Morris, 12tf

Mrs. E. J. Jackson and sister,
Mrs. Hester Syms, returned Satur-
day from a visit with relatives at
Dimmitt.

We have one 8-ft. and one 10-ft.
steel Star windmill, as good as new,
to sell at a bargain. Hereford Sheet
Metal Works. tf

Miss Fannie Turrentine, who
has been teaching school in Lubbock
county, returned home Saturday,
her school having closed.

W. J. Chapman was in Saturday
from his North Draw ranch and re-
ports conditions improving very
rapidly in his section of the county.
Mr. Chapman is turning his atten-
tion to stock farming.

Liquozone is for sale by T. M.
Coulson & Co. tf

Best lemon pies in the world at
the City Bakery. tf

C. L. Heath left Saturday on a
business trip to Cleburne.

F. L. Vanderburgh of Amarillo
visited in Hereford Sunday.

C. S. Cardwell had business in the
city from his ranch Saturday.

J. R. Hasting come over from
Nazareth Monday on business.

Chas. Hodges was transacting
business in Hereford Saturday.

Chas. C. Sanders came up Satur-
day from his Castro county ranch.

H. Terry was numbered among
Hereford's ranch visitors Saturday.

Witherspoon & Gough represent
nine old-line fire insurance compan-
ies. 43

E. B. Orr came in Saturday from
his ranch northwest of town on busi-
ness.

Henry Lange and wife of Naza-
reth were shopping in Hereford
Monday.

J. E. Nix of Castro county was
among Hereford's business visitors
Saturday.

WANTED—A girl to do general
housework. Mrs. L. Gough, Here-
ford, Texas. tf

Commissioner Geo. L. Muse was
in Hereford Saturday from his North
Draw ranch.

FOR RENT—25x80 brick building,
centrally located. Address Box 255,
Hereford, Texas. tf

Randolph Clark went to Claude
Saturday and filled his regular ap-
pointment Sunday.

Henry Saalfeld of the Nazareth
colony was a business visitor to
Hereford Tuesday.

Jas. Cardwell and wife of Texico
visited relatives in Hereford for
several days this week.

W. G. Roberts of Texico was in
Hereford this week visiting his fami-
ly who have moved back to Here-
ford.

J. T. Stout, the cowman, came in
Saturday from Claude and brought a
bunch of cattle to put on the grass
near Hereford.

J. D. Thompson of the commission
firm of Murchison & Thompson was
looking after his interests in Here-
ford Saturday.

Claude Moreman come in from
the ranch northwest of town Satur-
day and spent Sunday with his par-
ents in Hereford.

List your lands with C. L. Tall-
madge. He handles buyers by the
carload. Branch office at Withers-
poon & Gough building. tf

Misses Anna Maux and Edna
Vanderburgh left Tuesday afternoon
for Clarendon where they will spend
five weeks in the Summer Normal.

Miss Oattie Bourland of Rockwall,
Texas, visited Mrs. T. A. Cox Sat-
urday and Sunday. Miss Bourland
is teaching the unexpired term of
Dawn school.

FOR SALE—Furnished hotel,
seventeen rooms, "The Stratford."
Bargain if taken by May first.
Cash payment, balance in monthly
instalments. Apply C. E. McCord,
"The Stratford", Stratford, Sher-
man County, Texas. tf

Chas. Roberson and Geo. W. Orr,
both substantial stock-farmers of
Boom, had business in the city Sat-
urday and were pleasant callers at
the BRAND office, Mr. Roberson making
arrangements for the BRAND to go
regularly into his home.

Try our 5 cent cream loaves of
bread. City Bakery. tf

W. D. Keliher was in from the
ranch Saturday on business.

A. J. Hughes was a Castro county
visitor in Hereford Saturday.

W. A. Odell represented Boom at
the county capital Saturday.

E. Megert was in Saturday from
his ranch south of town after sup-
plies.

J. F. Merritt of Dimmitt was
transacting business in our city Sat-
urday.

W. B. Green was among the busi-
ness visitors from Castro county
Saturday.

J. W. Locker and wife of La
Platta were shopping in Hereford
Saturday.

R. C. Bridges was in from his
ranch Saturday to attend the farm-
ers' meeting.

Miss Carrie Hawkins of Floydada
arrived in Hereford Saturday to
visit relatives.

H. H. Hawkins came in from the
ranch Saturday to meet his brother,
Rev. M. E. Hawkins.

A. H. Morris, one of Deaf Smith's
substantial ranchmen, was in Here-
ford Saturday after supplies.

Ben Huselman and wife of Naza-
reth were shopping in Hereford
Tuesday.

G. M. Dillworth, a well known
ranchman of Lubbock county, was in
Hereford on business Saturday.

W. T. Petty of the Tahoka Cattle
Company was in Hereford this week
looking for pasturage for cattle.

N. B. Comer left Monday afternoon
for Gainesville in response to a mes-
sage stating that his daughter was
dangerously ill.

J. C. Coker, who is stock farming
on his ranch near Umbarger, came
in Saturday and spent several days
with home folks in Hereford.

Messrs. Bryan and Driscos, promi-
nent cattlemen of Colorado, spent
several days in Hereford this week,
looking after their cattle interests.

Attorney Trulove came down from
Amarillo Saturday to represent the
Pecos Valley Railroad in a civil suit
which was pending in the county
court.

Mrs. J. M. Sypret returned Satur-
day from an extended visit with
relatives at El Reno, O. T. She
was accompanied by her grandson,
Joseph Wynne.

Jno. W. Gordon, of Gomez in the
south plains and a prominent ranch-
man of that section, has been in
Hereford the past two weeks looking
after his interests.

J. D. Burkett, one of Deaf Smith
county's successful ranchmen and
who has the distinction of making
one of the best sales of the season
in yearlings, obtaining \$24 around
for his bunch, was in the city on
business this week.—Champion.

H. Buckley and Chas. McMillan
of Pottsboro in Grayson county ar-
rived in Hereford this week. Mr.
Buckley has accepted a position
with L. R. Basham in his tonsorial
shop and Mr. McMillan will work
on the ranch with R. C. Phanstiel.

A. C. Aten, of Round Rock and
one of the pioneer citizens of Texas,
arrived in Hereford last Saturday,
the guest of his son, Ira Aten. Mr.
Aten is a regular reader of the
BRAND, so he called around to this
office and, by his pleasing address
and sunny disposition, inspired the
BRAND force to greater efforts in
their work. We shall be glad to
welcome Mr. Aten again sometime.

Onto a Good Thing

Are you onto a good thing. You will be when you get onto the superior qualities of our stock of groceries. It's a funny thing the way some people buy groceries; they think only about the "price" and never about the "quality." When we sell groceries, we think of both, and we are selling the best on earth. We believe, first, in giving our customers the best groceries that money will buy, and then making the price as low as possible for the kind—and you can't find lower prices than ours. Now, if you're "onto a good thing" don't forget to see us the next time you need anything in our line.

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Groceryman**

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COL. POOLE IN HEREFORD.

The Opportunities Which Our City and Community Afford the Pleasure Seeker.

The following is the voice of Col. C. C. Poole in the Stockman-Journal after a visit to Hereford:

Editor Stockman-Journal:

My first stop after leaving Claude was at Hereford, the county seat of Deaf Smith. As I stepped from the Pecos Valley car Sam Dunn and Albert Murchison extended me a hearty welcome. I asked them at once about the prospect for a day's fishing. They both shook their heads and replied: "We have just had a 3 1-2-inch rain here and it drowned every fish in the canyon." I soon learned that Sam had two or three days before that caught a bass that tipped the beam at 6 1-2 pounds after being out of the water three or four hours. I said to myself, "Old boys, I am too old to be bluffed out by such a yarn as the fish being all drowned; I'll see later on." It being Sunday, I at once found a hotel, ate dinner and quizzed everybody I saw about fishing; but they were dumb as oysters. Evidently Albert and Sam had posted them to tell nothing about where the good fishing grounds were located. I went to church that night, heard a good sermon and had many visions that night of the big bass in the Tierra Blanco canyon, which passes through the southern suburbs of the town. Early Monday morning I was out, not for bass, but for suckers; and I succeeded in catching several at a dollar and a half apiece. I had the pleasure of meeting a number of old-time friends. I had not seen my old friend, Fred Williamson in several years. I was glad, indeed, to shake his old paw once more. He is one among the few who never forget his friends though they may be ever so poor. When I first knew him long years ago he was a prosperous sheep raiser then. It was all lamb, ram, sheep or mutton. Now he is authority on a white-faced bull, cow or calf. He ranches some twelve miles west of Hereford and I was real sorry I could not accept his kind offer to entertain me at his ranch a few days. Again, Col. S. T. Howard, who, by the way, is a candidate for the legislature, and I think would make a good one; I. R. Powell, C. F. Milsaps, G. T. Higgins, J. F. Merritt, R. N. Mounts, M. W. Shelly and J. V. Roy extended me hearty greetings. Every time I think of the name Roy it reminds me of being at Merrill's in Hale county. I happened to be in room where the phone was located and could not help hearing a part of the conversation. A few days afterward I was in Lubbock and a very pretty young lady passed me on the sidewalk. I was sure it was she, for she had dark auburn hair. She turned into a store. I approached her and said: "I understand the phone is broke up at Merrill's and I do not intend to tell one word about it." She said: "You had better not." Nor do I blame the young gentleman for getting badly mashed—she is a beauty.

Land is still cheap here, from \$5 to \$10 per acre; a high healthy country with no hot winds during the summer, a fine school located here, the Add-Ran College.

On Tuesday evening at 4 o'clock, in company with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Shelley and Albert Murchison, we pulled out for the canyon. Some three miles from town, a heavy rain overtook us and after the rain was over we fished for about one hour and succeeded in bagging sixteen very nice ones, though none of them were as large as Sam Dunn landed. However, I was well satisfied with the catch, if we all did get a good wetting. I had the pleasure of spending the night with my old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Shelley. To say that I did ample justice to the fish and many other good things for supper and breakfast is only telling

the gospel truth. Their daughter, Miss Pearl, is a charming, sweet young lady of about twenty summers and like her mother, makes all their friends who visit the Shelley home glad they had made the visit. Their house is up-to-date from top to bottom; just finished last year, twelve rooms in all. Mal, as the boys call him, is a prosperous ranchman, and is making money; but his wife says he is no good for working in the garden; wants to rope everything down, to a chicken; no good with a hoe. The Shelley's have my good wishes for all time to come.

Prohibition Meeting.

The following program will be rendered at the regular prohibition meeting at the Christian church, on Tuesday night, June 28th, at which everybody is invited to be present: Services, conducted by F. Herron. Song—By congregation. Prayer—Rev. C. L. Cartwright. Music—By Orchestra. Paper—Mrs. H. B. McGee. Solo—Mrs. Lee Clark. Recitation—Miss Roxie Witherspoon. Quartette—Mrs. Witherspoon, Miss Beach, J. C. Newman and C. E. Edwards. Address—Prof. Noblitt. Music—By Orchestra. Closing Prayer—By Rev. Haston of Christian church.

Loisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, Mo.

Season tickets on sale April 22nd to Dec. 15th. Round trip \$38.40. 60 days limit on sale April 25th to Nov. 20th—\$32.00.

15 day limit—on sale daily from April 27th to Nov. 30th. Good to leave St. Louis within 15 days of date of sale.

Special round trip rate to Chicago and return June 1st to Sept. 30th—\$34.00. Stop over of 10 days in St. Louis will be allowed upon deposit of ticket immediately upon arrival at one of the validating offices upon payment of a fee of \$1.00.

Ice Cream Supper.

On July the 4th, from 2 till 10 p. m., the ladies of the Christian church will serve ice cream and cake, the proceeds of which will be applied to paying off the indebtedness against the furniture at the girls' dormitory. Everybody is invited to attend. The place will be announced later.

Second-hand Store.

H. W. McClain and Ben Hopson are making preparation to open a second-hand store in the building recently vacated by Burns & Smith. They propose paying the highest cash price for second-hand goods in their line.

The Clark Dairy Co.

Is prepared to deliver at your door pure Jersey cream, milk, butter and buttermilk in any quantity. Orders can be phoned or left at the BRAND office. Phone No. 9. 51

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W. J. Walters, P. M.

P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE

Pass. Train	Leaves
202, south-bound,	10:28 a. m.
202, north-bound,	5:36 p. m.

Panhandle News

An immigration movement similar to the Tallmadge plan is being agitated in Swisher county in connection with the Frisco immigration Bureau.

An election has been ordered in the independent school district of Dalhart to vote \$3000, 6 per cent bonds for the purpose of erecting a school building.

The Hall County News, which has been owned and operated for the past year by Jas. Wilbourne, has been sold to Roy Houghton who will stand at its helm in the future.

It is said that the Baptist State Board which recently met in Amarillo not only accepted the Canadian College property, but the Canyon City and Goodnight propositions as well.

J. H. Malone, an employee of the Acme Cement Mill near Quanah, was killed by the machinery on Wednesday of last week, he being the fifth man to meet his death in this manner at the mills.

W. C. Dinwiddie sold about 400 steer yearlings to a Colorado buyer the first of the week. \$13 we understand was the price paid. We learn that A. A. Hogan sold about 450 steers to the same buyer at the same price.—Tulia Standard.

The First National Bank of Shamrock in the north part of the Panhandle has been authorized to begin business with a capital stock of \$25,000. J. M. Shelton is president, Thos. B. Lee, vice president and O. P. Jones, cashier.

At the county democratic convention which was held in Dalhart last week, delegates were chosen to the State convention, who were instructed to use their influence toward securing the instruction of the state delegation for Ex-Gov. J. S. Hogg.

J. L. Dagley of Lockney is putting in a canning outfit in that city.

At a meeting of the delegates of the I. O. O. F. lodges of the Panhandle at Amarillo on last Saturday a permanent organization was perfected for a Panhandle Association. The next meeting will be held at Clarendon on the 26th of next April.

Excursion Rates to the Worlds Fair.

For the above occasion the Chicago Rock Island and Gulf Railway will sell round trip tickets from Amarillo to St. Louis and return at the following figures:

Fifteen day tickets	\$24.60
Sixty day tickets	36.15
Season	36.20

June 14th and 18th special coach excursions good for 7 days will be sold at a rate of \$15.85

Passengers desiring can get a stop over at Kansas City. Choice of several different routes. The train leaves Amarillo daily at 5:50 a. m., and reaches St. Louis the next morning. For further information apply to the nearest Rock Island system agent or to

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DON A. SWEET, Traffic Manager
Amarillo, Texas

SUMMER TOURIST TICKETS

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Chicago and return, June 10 to 17, one fare. Limit Sept. 30.
Chicago, daily, limit sixty days, slightly higher.
Chicago, daily, limit October 31, very reasonable.
Kansas City, limit Sept. 30, on sale June 10 to 17, one fare.
St. Joseph, limit July 6, on sale June 28, 29, and 30, one fare plus \$2. Privilege extension.
St. Louis, daily, three classes, 15 day, 60 day and season.
St. Louis, June 14 and 28, coach excursions, less than three-fourths one way rate.
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A circle tour ticket to Colorado via St. Louis or vice versa.
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