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Thousands of acres of fine Grazing and Agricultural lands at from \$1.50 to \$65 an acre, owing to location and improvements.

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Monday evening, at the elegant home of Mr. and Mrs. Judge Buie, their daughter, Miss Annie, entertained a few friends and the graduating class of 1905—those who are in town. The charming hospitality of Mrs. Buie and Miss Annie caused all to feel at ease and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed.

Wilson carries a nice line of Tablets, Pencils, Pens, Ink, etc.

Ben Whitfield of Alma, Ellis county, was one of the prospectors in town the last of the week.

Capt. J. W. Foster of Deming N. M., a brother of Mrs. J. M. Vansant, here during the reunion, left Thursday for Roswell on his return home.

Miss Bowyer, Canyon City Supply Co's. popular milliner, left Saturday to spend her vacation with friends and home folks.

Mrs. C. E. Hoyt and little son, Teddie, of Kansas City, returned home Wednesday after a two weeks visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy.

The following parties from here attended the B. Y. P. U. convention at Amarillo this week. Rev. J. D. Ballard, Pat Young and wife, Misses Pauline Dunbar and Minnie Long.

This office is indebted to T. J. Vansant, brother of the County Judge, for a nice mess of fish—cleaned too and ready for the frying pan.

Rev. Waddell, pastor of the Methodist church at Tulia, and his family were visitors this week at Mrs. Waddell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Taffinder. Rev. Waddell left Thursday for Dumas to assist in a revival.

The first of next week E. W. Reynolds and daughter, Miss Cora, with Mrs. R. A. Campbell, expect to start for Portland, Oregon. Mrs. Campbell intends to visit her people in California before returning.

Get Your Trees From the Hereford Nursery.

Over 100 varieties growing here; 100,000 trees in stock, all of which are Plains' grown. Have had 14 years experience in Texas. Write me for catalogue. Visitors welcome.

L. P. LANDRUM, Proprietor, Hereford, Texas.
A. N. HENSON Agent, for Randall County.

Rev. Hamby, Presbyterian pastor at Memphis, who has for about a month been holding revival meetings at Plainview and other points south, passed through here on his return home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Atkins of Heflin, Alabama, have been here on a visit to their kinsman, R. W. O'Keefe. Wednesday, they with Mr. and Mrs. O'Keefe went to Oklahoma City to be absent a week or ten days. Mrs. Atkins is Mr. O'Keefe's sister.

The Silverton Enterprise says that town was almost depopulated—the citizens attending our reunion. The Hereford Brand also states that lots of their citizens were visitors here, all of which The News can verify.

Wednesday, Judge B. F. Buie sold the J. B. Thomas section 6 miles west of town to A. S. Rollins' father, J. M. Rollins of Farmersville, at \$3,000 cash.

The Hereford Brand reports that Robert Humphrey's wheat crop, just north of that place, threshed out 31 bushels per acre.

The first part of the week Mrs. D. M. Stewart sat down on a pair of scissors which happened to be in a rocking chair. She received a painful wound, the scissors going into the thick part of the thigh about two inches.

Mrs. I. A. Karrill, daughter, and Miss Thelma Donald of Dallas, are visiting A. H. Thompson and family.

Canyon City Supply Co.

The fall season is rapidly approaching, and as we will need more room we have decided to clean up the balance of our spring and summer stock, and if QUALITY and PRICE will do it, we believe we will succeed.

DRY GOODS.

Good Percales worth 12½c at 10c

Puritan Cloth " 7½ at 6 1-4c

All summer Lawns at greatly reduced prices.

Elegant line of Tolle Du Nord Gingham (all styles) just received.

Ladies' Vests worth 50c at 40c

Ladies' Vests " 35c at 25c



MEN'S TROUSERS.

Men's Pure worsted Trousers worth \$5.00 at **\$4.00**

Men's Pure Worsted Trousers worth \$4.50 at **\$3.75**

All wool Cassimere Trousers worth \$3.50 at **\$3.00**

Men's Worsted Trousers worth \$2.25 at **\$2.00**

Men's Work Trousers worth \$1.00 at **85c**

25 Per cent off On all Low Shoes and Slippers.

We have many more good things to offer that we haven't the space to mention. An examination will convince you.

CANYON CITY SUPPLY CO.

The firm of Hagler & White, real estate men of Vernon, Texas, has decided to make this place its headquarters and are fitting up as an office the Hutson building opposite the hotel Victoria. Coffee Bros., are doing the carpenter work and as soon as this part is done, the finishing touches of canvas, paper and paint will transform the building into a modern real estate headquarters in and from which will be transacted the immense land business of this firm. It is expected that several of their men will move here to reside, including Mr. Hagler and his family. The field of operations for purchasers will be Santa Fe territory North and Northeast of here.

Mrs. Bertram and children of Texico, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taffinder, this week.

Mrs. Mollie White, (nee Taylor) formerly of Burnet county, with a party of young ladies from Clayton, N. M., was here during the reunion.

A deal is on foot whereby G. C. Long will dispose of his recent purchase, six sections, in the south part of the Block pasture, to northern buyers. If closed, it means a handsome profit to G. C. as he will get \$5 per acre.

Eph Wells of Sistersville, W. Va., was one of our visitors during the reunion. He left here for Hale Co. where he has an investment of nine sections. He informed our reporter that inside of a decade he confidently expects this land to easily pass current at twenty dollars per acre.

A Mr. Young from Williamson county, a nephew of our County Treasurer, accompanied by his wife and sister, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in town.

A few days ago L. C. Lair sold to A. J. Scaff of Tulia, 500 acres out of the "Block" 4 miles north of town at \$4.50 per acre. This land lays along the railroad tracks.

Bro. Stephens and family left last Thursday evening for their new home at Hico. Quite a lot of friends gathered at the depot and bade them an affectionate good bye.

Roy Smith of Dallas, for some years connected with the Dallas News staff is in town this week testing the effects of our invigorating atmosphere.

T. J. Vansant of Lamar county, a brother of our County Judge, accompanied by his wife, were here during the reunion and will probably remain a month or two.

News Roll of Honor.

Under this heading will be found the amounts received on subscription to the News during the past week, and names of the parties paying. This will serve as a receipt to those of our subscribers forwarding money by mail.

Henry Shinebarger	\$1 00
T B Ketter	1 00
C C Bird	1 00
P Friemel	1 00
T W Barrett	1 00
C M Houser	1 00
Capt J T Bobbitt	1 00
A E Brown	1 00
Rev W B Wilson	1 00
C W Jochen	1 00
J F Hood	50
J T Money	50
B T Preslar	50
W F Taylor	50
W B Robeson	25

Miss Mattie Thompson and brother Ovid, sister and brother respectively of A. H. Thompson, are visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Rose Howell went to Lockney Monday to be with her husband who is superintending the work on the N. W. T. telephone line down there.

Miss Ella Laughery left Wednesday for Hereford to "stick" type in the Brand office.

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REUNION SUGGESTIONS.

To profit by the lessons of the past is what all should do. Our reunion experience comes well within this rule and we ought, as business men, to be guided by it.

Heretofore the program has been divided so as to give the old soldiers the first two days and the cowboys with their sports the remaining two with stock and agricultural exhibits, a mere side show and a small one at that.

The old soldier's part—the first two days—is all right and should be left as it is, but can we now, in all candor, say as much about the cowboy subdivision?

God bless the old cowboy! With all of his ins and outs, his good points and his bad ones, he was one of Nature's own children, an essential part of the plan to which the advanced civilization of his old stamping ground owes a big debt of gratitude; he was bone of this writer's bone and flesh of his flesh and we never will, never go back on him or utter one disparaging word touching his record—we can't do it even if we would for his soundness of heart has been well proven and his value as a friend has always been found above the price of great rubies. But when all of this is said and even more on the same line, we cannot hide the fact that although the old cowboy is still with us, yet to some extent in the flesh, and entitled to the gratitude of his countrymen for the good he has done, his sports, so called, such as roping and bronc busting are decidedly out of date, and the main feature, roping, now forbidden by law. This being so, the cowboy no longer requires the two days, heretofore given him nor does the old time cowboy, of which the Association is supposed to be composed, ask it any more—his attention is now being taken up by the things of today. A pertinent suggestion then, growing out of this knowledge of matters, is to substitute for these sports at our coming reunions stock and agricultural exhibits, and perhaps it would be well then to cut the time down to three instead of four days.

Canyon City has good reason to be proud of the splendid success of the annual reunion, which closed there this evening. It is no easy task to arrange a suitable program and properly entertain the visiting thousands, both of which Canyon has done excellently well. The little town deserves every bit of the advertising it gets and the money it makes out of the great annual round-up.—Amarillo Herald.

Those who were at the Canyon City reunion say there was the largest crowd present than during the past two years. Most of those who went enjoyed themselves.—Clarendon Chronicle.

SADDLERY.

If in need of a Saddle, no matter what style, we can fit you up—the price will be right, you will say so yourself.

Harness—Wagon or Buggy, double or single, and all sizes and finishes—It's made right here in Canyon City by expert workmen in our own shop. Repairing also done. Call around.

Implements, and all kinds of Farming machinery. Eclipse Wood and Steel Star Windmills; Pipe, Casing and Cylinders, Barb Wire and Nails. In fact everything that is kept in a first-class Hardware store. Best line of Queensware and Glassware ever brought to Canyon City.

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 purchase all our goods in immense quantities, getting manufacturers prices—you get the benefit. Call in and we will convince you.

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JULY 1.

AT COST-FOR CASH

--For the next Thirty Days, "Leader" and "Red Cross" Windmills--also "Steel Star" Mills.

Our present stock of Furniture will also go at COST for the same length of time.

FURNITURE.

Car loads of NEW FURNITURE coming in--COST price will get anything we now have on hand during JULY.

UNDERTAKERS'

Goods of all kinds. No matter what you desire in these lines we can supply you.

Facts Are Stubborn Things

Uniform excellent quality for over a quarter of a century has steadily increased the sales of LION COFFEE, The leader of all package coffees.

Lion Coffee

is now used in millions of homes. Such popular success speaks for itself. It is a positive proof that LION COFFEE has the Confidence of the people.

The uniform quality of LION COFFEE survives all opposition. LION COFFEE keeps its old friends and makes new ones every day.

LION COFFEE has even more than its Strength, Flavor and Quality to commend it. On arrival from the plantation, it is carefully roasted at our factories and securely packed in 1 lb. sealed packages, and not opened again until needed for use in the home. This precludes the possibility of adulteration or contact with germs, dirt, dust, insects or unclean hands. The absolute purity of LION COFFEE is therefore guaranteed to the consumer.

Sold only in 1 lb. packages. Lion-head on every package. Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums.

SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE

WOOLSON SPICE CO., Toledo, Ohio.



From many who have returned from the reunion at Canyon it is learned that walking and looking was the order of the day. Some report that walking was specially good, and one could look as much as he pleased.—Talia Standard.

Good! Canyon City never drew a more intelligent or better lot of speakers than at this Reunion, and the intellectual feast spread before her visitors was therefore a grand one, but some would not, of course, as in an incident recorded in the Bible in which heaven was the prize. The "many" after whom our esteemed contemporary talks, evidently either belong to this class of "will nots" or else they are of that branch of humanity whose chief usefulness to the world consists in filling blank spaces.

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Witherspoon & Gough.

We clip the following from an exchange: "What's become of the boy in patches?" "Why, bless your soul, he is on the farm hopping clods sixteen hours a day. He will come to town after awhile to run the banks and stores, and be the successful lawyers and preachers and physicians. Don't worry about the boy in patches. It's the slick looking, store-clothed, nicely groomed lad that you want to inquire about. He's the fellow that's going to drop through a crack in the sidewalk out of sight one of these days."

It is with pleasure that The News calls the attention of its readers to the Ad of the Christian College at Hereford. This institution is now on good solid footing and is able to give all that could reasonably be required of any College anywhere.

Notice the date following your name on the paper—it tells how you stand on The News subscription books.

WHY NOT?

All our Lumber is well seasoned and kept dry under good sheds.

Why not buy this kind?

BURTON-LINGO CO. LBR.

The evidence bids up on the cattle men of the State that they are not lacking in those little weaknesses that betoken common humanity. An exchange notes the two facts the common reports last winter and spring was "Haven't lost a single head," and that in more recent times the dry hide shipments from the state are enormous. The inference is left that the boys skinned 'em alive and are holding them to grow another hide. The market reports are brutal in more ways than one.—Henrietta Review.

One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned.

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unnecessary expenses. Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by S. V. Wirt, druggist.

B. D. McLarry is now at Uvalde, Texas, whence he desires The News sent. He also wants back numbers so as not to miss what has happened about town since his leaving it. At an early date he promises our readers a brief description of the country over which he has traveled since leaving the plains.

Texas Lands.

A partial list of lands for sale by B. Frank Buie, Canyon City, Texas:

1—640 acres, 12 miles west, on public road, school land, well improved, house, well wind-mill, out-houses, farm and pasture. Price \$5 per acre and purchaser assume balance \$1 per acre to the State on about 35 years time and 3 per cent interest.

2—640 acres school land as above—price \$4 per acre bonus.

3—1280 acres 18 miles S. W., school land, 4 miles fence, well and wind mill; price \$2.50 per acre bonus.

4—1920 acres 10 mi. S. on public road; near church.

5—2 tracts of 640 acres each only 2 miles from town.

6—640 acres only 4 miles from town on public road, near school house, well improved.

7—A four section ranch.

8—An eight (8) section ranch, well improved, also 1 mile living water on same.

9—A four league (17712 acres) ranch, well improved for ranch purposes, sold on reasonable terms.

Also many other tracts, prices and description made known on application. Decide what you want and then call on or write

B. Frank Buie,
Canyon City, Texas.

A. N. HENSON,
NOTARY PUBLIC
Office with County Treasurer.

**CAMP STONEWALL JACKSON
U. C. V.**

Camp Stonewall Jackson U. C. V., was organized at Plainview in 1897, with Capt. J. T. Bobbitt as commander. It held two reunions there since which time its annual gatherings have been held at Canyon City, the one just past being its sixth, and counting the two held at Plainview, the eighth year of its existence. Capt. Bobbitt has been so far its only commander and was again re-elected unanimously at this reunion. The other officers elect are, W. J. Patton, of Amarillo, first lieutenant; P. L. Crawford, of Silverton, second lieutenant; W. F. Heller, adjutant and J. M. Vansant, secretary.

The time for the next reunion, also to be held at Canyon City, was set for Tuesday on or before the first full moon in August 1906. The following resolutions were adopted by the camp prior to its adjournment:

"First—the thanks of this camp are voted to the Santa Fe railroad, the Fort Worth & Denver railroad and all other lines granting excursion rates for this reunion—especially to the Pecos Valley railway management for furnishing water for use on the grounds.

"Second—This camp desires to express thanks to the people of Canyon City for their generous open handed hospitality; for the way in which they received us and provided for our every want.

"Third—The thanks of the camp are extended to The Canyon City News for courtesies freely given and thoroughly appreciated by this camp."

The following committee report was also adopted:
Camp Stonewall Jackson,
U. C. V.

Comrades:
We your committee appointed by Commander J. T. Bobbitt to draft memorial resolutions on the death of Mrs. I. E. (Russell) Gough, beg to report.

Mrs. Gough was a native of Missouri. Her ancestors were Southern people. She was born at Ozark Mo., April 20, 1869, moved to Castro Co. in 1893, was elected sponsor of this Camp in 1898, died on the 1 of July 1904 as she had lived, a loving Christian wife and mother.

Resolved, that the Camp has lost a faithful friend and her husband and children a devoted loving wife and mother.

Sister Gough was untiring in her efforts in behalf of the Camp and we deeply mourn her death.

Resolved further that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Camp, one furnished The Canyon City News and The Hereford Brand, and a copy furnished the family of deceased.

W. F. Heller }
F. M. Lester } Committee.
Jim Vansant }

Mrs. J. R. Bertrand and children of Waco, Texas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. P. Yeary at Umbarger.

C. P. Hutchings failed to get off on his contemplated trip to St. Louis and Kansas City.

HAGLER & WHITE

TO THE PUBLIC:

We have determined to move our Real Estate Headquarters here and for that purpose have secured the Hutson Building opposite the Hotel Victoria. We are now having it fitted up as a modern Real Estate office and from it we expect here-after to handle lands in Randall and adjoining counties.

Just 12 months ago we came into the South Plains and photographed the entire country, and in the next few weeks we will have 15 agents on the road who will tell of the condition in this section and work immigration this way. In addition to this we have 37 strong local agents in the North and East, and Sixty well selected Periodicals, through which we will advertise this country besides our Journal, the **SOUTH PLAINS HOMESEAKER.**

We feel that we are in a position to assist materially in building up the country and that we are in touch with those who are wanting to change their location.

We trust that we can secure a share of the public patronage in our line, assuring you that we will endeavor to do our utmost to merit your good will and support.

Respectfully,

Hagler & White.

Office--Hutson Building, opposite Hotel Victoria.

W. F. Lofland, who abandoned his home in this county for the old one in Rockwall, is back again with us. He looks as yellow as a ripened pumpkin and pretty shaky and says he just had to come back or go to the graveyard.

Nearly every home in town was crowded with visitors during the reunion. From twenty-five to forty at a place was not at all unusual.

Mrs. Walter G. Cobb left Wednesday for a few days visit at Tulia.

Miss Newell of Silverton was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Howell during the reunion.

Misses Bessie Sloan and Jewel Smith, of Clarendon, were guests of Misses Amelia and Berta Wilson this week.

Mrs. L. A. Knight and daughter, Miss Bettie, of Plainview, were guests of F. M. and L. T. Lester's families last week.

The News has received from Austin a list of state lands that go on the market Sept. 1. You can see them by calling here.

Miss Cora Leonard of near Tulia is visiting relatives in town this week.

W. E. Bates' wheat which he is now threshing will run about fifteen bushels to the acre and his oats about thirty.

Witherspoon & Gough.

A True Story.
This is neither a rhyme nor a fable. Neither is it a bit of humor or philosophy. It is merely a plain statement of a fact, and those who read may draw their own conclusions.

A few weeks ago district court was in session in a western city, and one of the jurymen, during a recess of the court, finding himself temporarily without funds, accosted an attorney interested in the case then being tried and sought the loan of a dollar.

The judge learned of this, and when court convened called the juror before him and administered a judicial rebuke that fairly sizzled. The juror was dismissed with a rebuke, and the trial began over again with a new juror in the box.

The case in question was one wherein a railroad company was a party to the suit. The judge who dismissed the juror who had tried to borrow the dollar, leaned back in his judicial chair and resumed his hearing of the case, notwithstanding the fact that he carried in his pocket an annual pass over that railroad, the pass being good for himself and family, with dining-car and sleeping-car privileges added.

As before stated, the reader is invited to draw his own conclusion.—Bryan's Commoner.

Subscribe for the News.

Japan has Stood the Test.

The war between China and Japan made clear to the English speaking people that a new great power had arisen in the Far East. It is impossible for the most skeptical to refuse to recognize that we are face to face with a world power which is destined to exercise great influence, not only in the East, but also in the West—that, in fact, the ascendancy of Europe is at an end now that there are two non-European great powers. It is never to be forgotten that a great war is the supreme test of national efficiency.—That Japan in single combat with one of the greatest military powers of the world, the power which hitherto has been supposed to possess numerically the largest army, has borne the test well nobody can deny. Therefore, we seem warranted in assuming that the progress of Japan in the early future will be very rapid—at least as rapid as that of Germany during the past generation.—London Statist.

Travis Shaw leaves today for Waco on a visit to relatives and friends. He expects to be absent a week or two and returning will bring his mother with him for an extended visit.

There is a best way to live, and it is best to live the best way.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

Bright Sayings From the Mouths of the Rising Generation.

Small Harold after sizing up the new baby said, "Well, that kid hasn't got any hair to comb, but he's got an awful lot of face to be washed."

Mamma—Do you love your teacher, Tommy?

Tommy—Yes, mamma, but I don't want you to tell her.

Mamma—Why not?

Tommy—'Cause she might sue me for breach of promise.

Visitor—Well, my little man, have you any brothers?

Bright Boy—Yes, ma'am, I have one, but my sister has two.

Visitor—Why, how's that?

Bright Boy—She has me and my brother.

"Why, Nellie," said a mother to her small daughter, "you never saw me act as naughty as you have been acting."

"Of course not," replied Nellie. "I'm too much of a lady to notice such things."—Chicago News.

In the Past.



Mr. J.—Her age really surprised me. She doesn't look twenty-eight, does she?

Mrs. J.—Not now. But I suppose she did at one time.

Before and After.

Nagg—Very curious how matrimony sometimes changes a woman, Stagg.

Stagg—Changes her? In what way?

Nagg—Well—er—before we were married my wife seemed to be—er—rather simple minded.

Stagg—And now?

Nagg (resignedly)—She is simply minded.—New York Times.

He Wrote Frequently.

Mrs. Gaddabout—Here are the letters my husband wrote me before we were married. There are about thirty of them.

Mrs. Neverholm—He wasn't much of a correspondent, then?

Mrs. Gaddabout—Oh, yes, he was. You see, I only knew him three days.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Self Centered.

"Is there any reason why you should insist on playing Hamlet?" said the friend.

"I never thought of that phase of the question," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes. "What I desire to know is why the public should insist that I shall not play it."—Washington Star.

J. A. Williams, formerly of "The Mercantile," was around town Wednesday shaking hands with old acquaintances.

J. Ray, editor of the Hereford Brand, was the welcome guest of The News family Tuesday night returning home Wednesday morning.

The responsibility for what we are depends upon ourselves.

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITS.

The agricultural exhibits, an entirely new departure at this reunion, attracted perhaps more real interest than anything outside, of course, of the "Old Confeds" themselves. While very early in the season for the Plains country along most of this line what was on exhibition, and of Randall County raising, would have reflected credit on even the much famed black land section of the State, and in some notable instances, that of grains and fruits, surpassed the black land's best. As an example, take wheat with a yield of 26 bushels per acre and weighing 61 to 63 pounds to the bushel. The other grains such as rye, barley, oats, maize, Kaffir corn and even Indian corn were also in evidence and they too in quality and quantity produced to the acre, were up to anything old Denton, Tarrant, Ellis or Williamson could show. On the fruit line, especially apples, plums and grapes, the black land counties wouldn't have been there at all, at all. On the variety of products shown, The News here cites the P. Friemel exhibit. It included:

Indian, Mexican June, Sweet, Kaffir and Pop corns, sugar cane, maize, pencilaria, watermelon, pie melon, musk melon, wine peach, cantaloupe, squash, pumpkin, peanut, potten, artichokes, cowpeas, rape, macaroni wheat, rye, barley, oats, broom-corn, Irish and sweet potatoes, castor beans, alfalfa, cabbage, kohlrabi, lettuce, kale, spinach, carrots, parsnips, beet, radish, horseradish, celery, peas, parsley, asparagus, winter and potato onions, garlic, dill, okra, wax and Mexican beans, tomatoes, pepper, pie-plant, sage, calamooser and peppermint.

Not only Friemel but others had exceptionally fine exhibits there—all showing that this country is rapidly approaching its destiny, one of the finest farming sections of the great Southwest. It was an "eye opener," and not only to visitors from a distance, but to several of our own folks—those who won't see until they are almost knocked down by the facts.

The premiums, by whom subscribed and to whom awarded, are fully set out in the table at top of this page. The judges were J. E. B. Stuart of Gray County, W. Martin of Lamar County and F. J. Vansant also of Lamar County. As no prizes were offered for Indian corn and Irish potatoes, the judges awarded, on the first, a blue ribbon to John Knight and on the second, potatoes, a blue ribbon to P. M. Miller. A blue ribbon was also awarded Quitman Robinson on brooms—extra good ones too—made by him out of Randall County grown broom corn. The Hereford Nursery received a blue ribbon on its magnificent display of plums Nursery products were not contestants for premiums.

As this was the first display of the kind ever had in this county, little preparation had been made to show it to the best advantage; no means at all were on hand to retain life in the exhibits, but all this will be

Premiums for Farm Products at the Reunion and the Awards.

Best General display of Farm Products by Garrison & Harrison	\$10.00	To P. Friemel, Umbarger.
1/4 bushel wheat by Gober, Hume & Kenyon 1 ton best coal	8.00	" Geo. Simms, "
" Wheat in sheaf first prize by Burton, Lingo & Co., 3 Fancy screen doors	5.70	" Geo. Simms, "
Second best wheat in sheaf second prize by Thomas Bros., 1 Picture	2.00	" L. N. Lochridge, Happy.
Best Oats in sheaf first prize by Thompson Drug Store Gents watch chain	5.00	" W. F. Taylor, Canyon
Second best oats in sheaf second prize by Coleman Lysaght & Blair 30 pounds sugar	5.00	" J. no. Knight, "
Best Rye in sheaf first prize by First Nat'l Bank Cash	5.00	" P. Friemel, Umbarger.
Second best rye in sheaf second prize by W. G. Cobb 20 pounds Pearl Rice	5.00	" P. M. Miller, Happy.
Best Barley in sheaf first prize by Canyon Lumber Co., 1000 Redwood shingles	4.00	" John Knight, Canyon.
Second best barley second prize by Clark Smith 1 Box Cigars	5.00	" P. Friemel.
Best General Display of Hays	5.00	" L. C. Lair, Canyon.
Best General display of Garden Products first prize by Canyon Supply Co., 1 Pair pants	3.50	" Mrs. P. Friemel, Umbarger.
Second best general display of garden products second prize by W. F. King 1 pound Star Tobacco	2.00	" M. S. Lusby, Canyon.
Best group of 5 Beets by M. S. Lusby 1/2 dozen Photos	2.00	" E. A. Upfold, "
" " " 5 Onions by M. S. Lusby 1/2 dozen Photos	2.00	" James Knox, "
Best gallon String Beans by J. T. Moser 50c	50	" T. J. Cochran, "
Best general display of home grown flowers first prize by Canyon Mer. Co., Mdse.	3.00	" Mrs. P. Friemel.
Second best general display of home grown flowers second prize by S. V. Wirt Mdse	1.00	" Mrs. John Knight, Canyon.
Best general display of Fruits first prize Canyon Coal Co., 1/2 Ton Coal	3.00	" J. E. Rogers, Ceta.
Second best display of Fruits second prize by Canyon Hwd Co., Best Knife in stock	3.50	" G. N. Caler, Happy.
Limbo of best Apples by Reynolds & Co., 1 Hat	3.50	" Pete Mellroy, Canyon.
" " " Plumbs by Nobles Bros., 1 Case Fruit Jars	2.25	" J. M. Cooper, Canyon.
" " " Grapes by Stringfellow-Hume Hdw. Co., 1 Lamp	2.25	" Mrs. G. N. Caler, Happy.
" " " Peaches by Harter & Chesser Shoeing 1 Horse	2.25	" J. E. Rogers, Ceta.
" " " Pears by J. T. Parks, Bath, Shave, Shampoo and Hair cut	2.25	Nothing offered.
Largest Family of Children, D. N. Reilburn, Dinner and Ice Cream for family.		To Sam Shotwell, Canyon.



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Every reader of this notice is requested to send to the undersigned a list of his friends in the East who may possibly be interested. Literature regarding your country will be mailed to them, and any questions they may ask will be fully answered.

Send list this week to
William Nicholson,
General Colonization Agent, A. T. & S. F. Ry. Railway Exchange Chicago.

in the midst of her usefulness. She died as she had lived—a Christian, a patriot who loved her country and its traditions next to her God and her children.

We beg, therefore, to submit that in her, Camp Stonewall Jackson lost a true friend, a faithful worker for its pleasure, one whose place cannot easily be filled. We further beg to submit that this feeble tribute to a noble daughter of the South be spread upon the minutes of this Camp, a copy furnished her children and one published in the County paper.

Very respectfully,
Mrs. M. S. Park
Mrs. J. C. Pipkin
Mrs. W. F. Heller
Mrs. R. W. Morgan
Committee,

C. P. Hutchings of the Canyon City Supply Co., left Wednesday for Kansas City and St. Louis where he goes to assist J. A. Williams, formerly of the Mercantile Company, in the selection of a stock of dry goods which he, Mr. Williams, intends putting in at Temple, Oklahoma. Mr. Hutchings says he will be absent about two weeks.

remedied next time. Joe Garrison presided by day and guarded by night, and no better man for the situation—an extremely trying one under the circumstances—could be found in the Panhandle.

STOCK EXHIBITS.

Upon this portion of the program there was a woeful fall down. C. T. DeGraftenreid was there with five choice registered Hereford cows, one of them having an eight months-old calf that weighed close to 600 lbs., and John Hutson had two fine looking Hereford males on the grounds for a brief period of time, but that was all. With just as good cattle in Randall county, Herefords, Short-horns, and Poles; plenty of them, and just as fine in all respects as can be found on top side of earth and no exhibit! And then no horses nor mules, and not even hogs and lots of good ones all over the county. What's the matter with us anyway? We have the stuff and why not show it?

We must not neglect this very important feature at our next Reunion.

Miss Fannie Morgan was the guest of Miss Zina Henson during the reunion.

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In Memoriam.
Canyon City, Texas, 7-15-'05.
Camp Stonewall Jackson,
Comrades:—

We, your committee, appointed by Commander Bobbitt, to draft memorial and resolutions on the death of Mrs. M. J. Overhuls, beg to report:

May J. Overhuls was a native of North Carolina; her ancestors were among the first settlers of that commonwealth and were patriots who gave freely of their time, treasure and blood for the cause of civil and religious liberty. She was born just before the breaking out of the Civil War, and was imbued with the spirit of love for the cause

we hold so dear. Her father, uncles and brothers were all soldiers who served faithfully until service availed no more.

When Camp Stonewall Jackson decided to hold its annual reunion in Canyon City, Mrs. Overhuls kindly consented to take charge of the music for your entertainment. How well she succeeded is a matter of local pride and history. For weeks before each reunion she devoted almost her entire time to the selection and preparation of the music, and training of those who sang. Her services were given freely and without stint and added much to the pleasure of the meeting. She passed to everlasting life

I have just about got in my line of Gents and Ladies furnishing goods, also staple piece goods.

They are all new and fresh. Nothing old or shelf worn about them and the prices are such as will attract your consideration.

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TOWN & COUNTY

PERSONAL AND OTHER MATTERS THAT CONCERN OUR CITIZENS.

W. T. Brown of Denton, came in Friday to spy out the land. This is his second trip to Canyon City, having visited here before railroad days.

Judge Beall, an attorney from Sweetwater, Texas, was one of the impromptu orators Wednesday evening and like all who preceded him he made an excellent talk.

Witherspoon & Gough:

If it's candy you want see Wilson for the best kind.

Silverton will have an old soldiers reunion on the 27th and 28th of this month.

Chas. R. McAfee of Corsicana, a friend of C. N. Harrison's, was here during the Reunion, returning home Monday. He talks of locating with us this fall.

T. F. Palmer and wife of Cataline, Hemphill county, here on a visit to "Uncle" Geo. Palmer, left for home Monday evening. Uncle George and W. B. Robeson went with them.

Mrs. Scott and daughter, Mrs. Bradley, were in town Monday, the later and children on her return home to Memphis.

The Christian protracted meeting which was to have commenced this last Wednesday has been postponed to the second Sunday in August.

R. W. Morgan of Amarillo, was in town Monday. He expressed himself as thoroughly disgusted with East and South east Texas.

Joe Roth of Willow Point, an old friend of postmaster Cobb, was a visitor during Reunion leaving for home Monday. Mr. Roth is a substantial farmer and a judge of good things and expresses himself as delighted with this country.

Dr. Tadlock has set up in business for about two weeks at his old stand, opposite the post office, and people in need of dental work had better call in and see him while chance offers.

Witherspoon & Gough

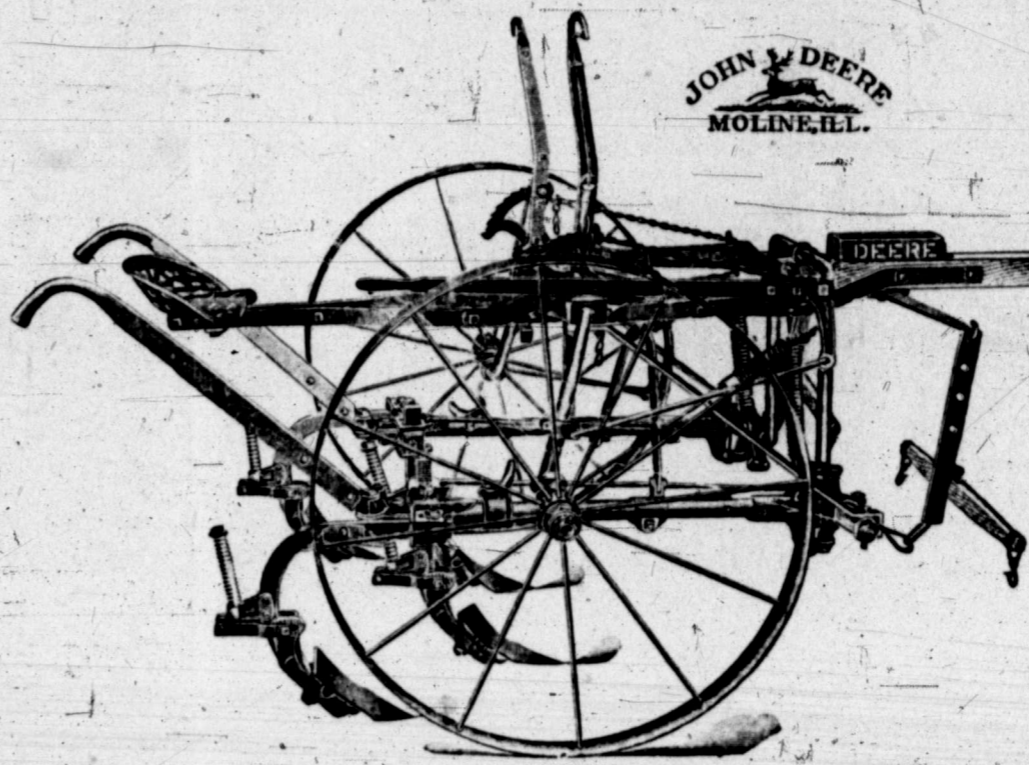
Almost a Hurricane.

—On Friday evening last, this town was visited by the heaviest northeast wind that it has ever experienced. The wind struck this town about 3 P. M. and a heavy rain accompanied the wind, lasting about 30 minutes. Dr. Haygood's Dental Car was blown upside down with the wheels looking up. The Car would have rolled over again but it lodged against C. A. Bawron's Jewelry Store and stopped. Quite a number of windmills in town were wrecked, among them were; Lee Shropshire's, Wayne Paxton's, Mrs. M. L. Bryant's, Tom Garner's, a mill at the camp ground pavilion, John Ligon's, Dr. L. Lee Dye's, Henry Harkey's and others to run total up to 18 or 20. East of us a few miles, there was a heavy hail storm with the wind that demolished everything it struck, beating cotton and corn beyond resurrection, on quite a number of farms. There were some fine orchards on the trail that were badly torn up and stripped of leaves and fruit. All the orchards in town suffered considerable from the wind and perhaps half of the fruit was knocked off, and covering the ground under the trees. Several Locust trees in the court house yard were broke down and a few uprooted, and some trees in nearly every orchard in town were blown down. There was no one hurt by the storm and the damage to trees and crops generally was only temporary as most everything will out grow the injury. There was no damage to houses or any good buildings. It was the worst storm this country ever had, and makes us feel grateful that it was nothing like the storm that visited Montague county and other sections of the lowlands on the same date. —Plainview Herald

W. B. Waters, formerly of Ceta, now of Iowa Park, was with us during the Reunion. He says that the grain crop down his way, owing to too much wet weather just preceding and about harvest, is not near coming up to expectations. He was here chiefly trying to dispose of his Ceta land.

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I do not mean to say that I will sell the horns and tail of a Hereford or even its marking—but I will sell the Hereford in its broadest sense—those with individuality and quality—no better anywhere. This I guarantee. My Herefords are not pampered for show purposes but bred and raised for quality and for service as breeders on the range and will compare favorably with anybody's herd at any place—Northern breeders have no edge over me. I will make the prices right. Come and see the cattle—they speak for themselves—or write

C. T. DeGraffenreid,
Ceta, Texas.

L. P. Taffinder is seriously considering, if he has not already undertaken, the proposition to put up a first class steam laundry in Canyon City. A good one, such as Mr. Taffinder has in view ought to pay here as in addition to local custom it would undoubtedly halt at this place much of the South Plains trade of this character which now goes to Amarillo. This enterprise should meet with hearty endorsement and encouragement from our citizens.

Rev. W. B. Wilson, the new Methodist pastor, arrived with his family Friday and is now at home in the parsonage. He preached his initial sermon Sunday morning. Much was expected of him from the hearty recommendation given him by the retiring pastor, Bro. Stephens, and our reporter, who heard him Sunday, predicts that he will fill the measure.

Life Insurance.

For twenty-five cents you can now insure yourself and family against any bad results from an attack of colic or diarrhoea during the summer months. That is the price of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, a medicine that has never been known to fail. Buy it now, it may save life. For sale by S. V. Wirt, druggist.

George Merrick, aged 27, was adjudged insane in court Saturday. He has lived in and around Clarendon a long time, was a cigarette fiend and was said to be addicted to opiates. Two years ago he was struck a hard lick on the head in Canyon City with a beer bottle, which may have had something to do with his affliction. Application has been made for his entry into the asylum.—Clarendon Chronicle.

TOWN & COUNTY

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THAT CONCERN OUR CITIZENS.

THE REUNION.

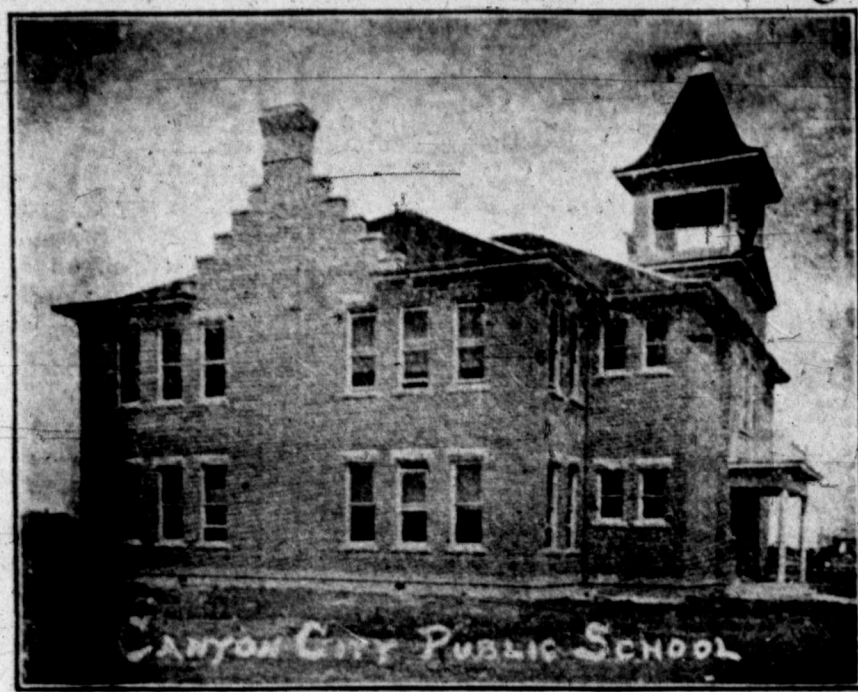
The Reunion of last week, the sixth of the kind at this place, compared favorably, at least in its main feature—the old soldier part—with those of 1903-'04. There was some falling away in attendance and this is no doubt attributable to the absence at this Reunion of the old Cowboy feature of roping, now forbidden by law. An estimate of 5,000 people for each of the first three days and about 2,000 on the fourth day would not be far from right.

THE PROGRAM

That, pertaining to the first two days—the old “Confed” part—was a success in every particular, all the speakers being present save that Congressman Stephens was substituted for Hon. J. H. Milliken, who failed to come, and barring the “balloon ascension.” The “old soldiers” without exception expressed themselves as satisfied in every way and everybody else ought to have been. The morning of the third day the regular program was varied a little by a “farmers experience meeting” at which highly instructive and interesting talks were made by J. E. B. Stewart, an old timer in the West, now of Gray county, Dr. J. W. Cartwright, M. S. Park, and Hereford's nurseryman, L. P. Landrum. Each of these gentlemen briefly related what they knew of the plains country relating to its adaptation to agriculture and all of them predicted a very bright future for the plains in this direction. This part of the program got right next to where we live; it touched our material interests side, bottom and all around and The News hopes to see this feature given a first place at our future Reunions and at frequent intervals between times. In this connection The News would mildly suggest to Dr. Cartwright and M. S. Park that they lend their efficient aid in the getting up of a Farmers' Institute for their own county. This experience meeting with the Cowboy parade and its accompanying address of welcome by Judge Henson closed the morning.

The leading attraction of the evening was a parade of Odd Fellows from the local hall followed by an address on Odd Fellowship by H. E. Hoover Esq., of Canadian. It was a long line of substantial citizens from all points of the compass and made quite an imposing appearance. Hoover's address was not only good but spicy; it had the unqualified endorsement of his “Three Link” brethren and was enjoyed by all within hearing. In the afternoon Broncho riding was the cowboy program and Charlie McDade, Jim and Charlie Stratton, and E. F. Freeman rode pitching horses for the amusement of the whole, and possible edification of some of the crowd at \$5 apiece.

On the fourth day, aside from the base ball, the leader was the broncho riding contest from about 10:30 to 12:30. Those entering were Jim and Charlie Stratton, Charlie McDade and E. F. Freeman. Jim Stratton carried off the first prize of \$20 and the second



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prize, \$10, went to Charlie Stratton. In the other two cases the horses came out best McDade and Freeman both getting thrown. The judges were Albert Baird and Veto Jennings.

BASE BALL

This was on the program for each evening. Tuesday, the Canyon City nine played the “Cowboys” of Vega, with a result of 21 for the Cowboys against 16 for Canyon.

Wednesday, the same teams were matched with 9 for the Cowboys and 7 for Canyon.

Thursday the same teams again hitched, this time for a purse of \$150, Canyon City winning by a score of 11 to 3.

Friday it was Hereford against Canyon City, and a close hard fought game, Hereford getting there by a score of 8 to 7. The purse in this contest, \$50, going to Hereford.

The champion player, judged from results, among the Canyon City boys was Pennon Reynolds—he was the “catcher.”

Money to loan on Real Estate at 8 per cent from \$1,000 up. Five years with option to pay 1-5 of principal each year or to pay all or any part of same after 3 years.

L. G. Conner.

Don't fail to see that five and ten cent “Racket Counter” at Wilson's.

Jim Pipkin who has been toying with fortune at Yuma, Arizona returned here for the reunion. He is not over fond of Arizona.

On Sunday the 23 of this month our Baptist brethren will begin a camp meeting at their new church, Bethel, 15 miles south of town.

*Dave Auld's family is making preparation to join him in Oklahoma about the 15th of next month.

The second cutting of the alfalfa crop is now on hand and the yield in some cases reaches two tons per acre. The demand for it is not so good as last year. That sold, only a small amount so far, has ranged in price close around \$8 per ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Robeson of Canadian, visited their parents here last week.

For Sale or Trade.—One Illinois Stallion, chestnut sorrel, 16 hands high, 5 years old, weighs 1250 pounds. Call write or phone

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Reunion Disturbances.

On the nights of the second and third days of the Reunion, there was some disturbances on the grounds and one of the results is that there are five cases on the criminal docket of the county court and seven on the justice docket—all non-residents barring one “plain drunk” to the credit of Randall county. The offenses in the county court consist of one for pistol toting, the remainder are for selling “booze” on the reunion grounds.

In the justice court one is for malicious mischief, three for vagrancy and three for “drunks.”

As stated all were visitors except one; the others failed to have much of a “good time” as they were “pulled” by our vigilant officers before they had fairly ripened and they will beyond doubt reap the just reward of their several indiscretions. Canyon City is not a good place to come to for engaging in this brand of a “good time.”

The Dallas Semi-weekly News and this paper one year for \$1.80.

Lost—on reunion grounds Tuesday the first day a New York life insurance book in which was a five dollar bill. Finder please return book to this office retaining the bill for his trouble.

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There are cheap rates in effect daily until September 30th, via the Santa Fe to Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Kentucky, District of Columbia, and all points in the north, east and west.

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It is the most direct line to all points, making close connection at Kansas City and Chicago for the north and east, and at Newton for the west.

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Calls promptly answered night or day.

I. B. Vansant of, as he says, “the country of red apples and pretty women,” is here to stay a week or so with his brother, our county judge, and it is to be hoped that during his stay his mind will be cleared of the delusion he is unfortunately laboring under with reference to Arkansas having anything like a monopoly of “pretty women.”

A. S. ROLLINS
LAWYER.
CIVIL PRACTICE SOLICITED.
Furnishing Abstracts of Title a Speciality and business in this line will be appreciated.

The hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Wilson was the scene of merry making Tuesday evening when Misses Amelia and Berta entertained in honor of their guests, Misses Bessie Sloan and Jewell Smith, of Clarendon. Those present were: Misses Minnie Donohoo, Carrie Jordan, Bessie Sloan, Jewell Smith, Wilida Blackburn, Amelia and Berta Wilson, Maud and Emma Brandon; Messrs. R. A. Sowder, Travis Shaw, Harry Howell, Jim and Pipkin, Tom Frank Wilson.

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Harrison & May, Mgr's.

T. C. Thompson and family, Mrs. Dean, Grandma Leonard, Bro. Haynes and the two Lumpkin brothers, classmates of Bro. Haynes at Trinity college, are camped out this week fishing in the C. P. Money pasture.

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GEO. A. BRANDON,
News Office.

J. A. Wallace received a letter from Bro. Stephens Wednesday in which he states that the family arrived safely at Hico, were cordially welcomed, and that he is delighted with the situation there.

Only five new subscribers for The News this week.