

HEREFORD REPORTER

ATTEND THE IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY MEETING NEXT TUESDAY

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HEREFORD, DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS, APRIL 13, 1901

\$1.50 PER YEAR

SENTENCED TO TWO YEARS IN THE PENITENTIARY.

Such Was the Verdict of the Jury in the
Third Trial of the

BRISCOE COUNTY MURDER CASE.

The Town Full of Lawyers, Witnesses and Visitors. Attending the
Regular April Term of District Court—Several Cases
On the Civil Docket Disposed of.

On Monday Hon. H. H. Wallace, judge of the district court, arrived in town and immediately that court went into session. The following grand jurors were empaneled:

A. J. Lipscomb, foreman; W. D. Keliher, W. B. Phillips, Geo. L. Muse, C. R. Moreman, J. R. Armstrong, D. R. Gass, J. M. McGlothlin, T. M. Palmer, R. J. Kibbe, S. S. Evants and A. Ragsdale. Noah Taylor and Jas. Carter were appointed bailiffs.

After giving instructions to the grand jury as to their duties the judge retired them and the tiresome task of obtaining a jury to try the Thornton murder case, brought here from Briscoe county, was begun. The jury as finally chosen composed of the following named gentlemen:

W. T. Ross, W. R. Evants, C. L. Bounds, T. R. Reagan, W. S. Higgins, C. T. Splawn, J. E. Ferguson, T. A. Fox, J. W. Bradley, W. H. Clary, R. R. Harris and C. E. Wheeler.

Jack Harwell was appointed to act in Sheriff J. T. Inmon's place on account of the latter's illness.

The counsels for the State were District Attorney Ira Webster of Claude, G. F. Thomas of Bowie, D. B. Hill of Clarendon and Browning & Madden of Amarillo. Messrs. Kinder & Wilson of Canyon, Plemons & Veale of Amarillo, J. N. Stalbird and W. F. Kelly of Silvertown defended the prisoner.

This case was tried twice before—once at Claude and once at Tulia—and resulted in a hung jury in both instances.

The arguments before the jury by the different counsels followed and at 5:45 o'clock on Thursday the

judge made an impartial charge to the jury and the jury retired.

At 2:45 p. m. Friday the jury filed out into the court room and Foreman Ferguson announced that they had agreed upon a verdict, which was that the defendant was guilty of manslaughter and fixed the penalty at two years in the penitentiary. For reasons stated elsewhere we refrain from commenting further on the case or the verdict.

There was one other case on the criminal docket, that of the State vs. W. S. Dean. The case was dismissed on motion of the State for reasons filed.

In the civil docket the following cases were disposed of:

The case of the State of Texas vs. W. P. Wright, et al., was discontinued.

In the case of the Western Union Land Company vs. Mike R. and B. G. Duncan, judgment was rendered by default.

The case of C. V. Walker vs. Deaf Smith County was continued.

The case of C. T. Splawn vs. W. M. Zumwalt was compromised by the defendant paying \$250 for the land in litigation.

Judgment was rendered for the plaintiff in the case of R. H. Gough vs. J. L. Moreman, et al.

AN EXPLANATION.

The Reason Why The Reporter Is Late This Week and Does Not Contain the Proceedings of the Murder Trial.

The REPORTER had the type all set and was ready to print a full account of the Thornton murder trial, the testimony of each witness, the speeches in brief of Attorneys Webster, Wilson, Madden, Veale

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and Thomas, the judge's charge to the jury and opinions of those who had been following up the case, when our District Judge, Hon. H. H. Wallace, came in the office and requested us not to publish the proceedings, as it would work an injury to the cause of justice by disqualifying most of the eligible jurors in Randall county from serving on the jury in the case of the State vs. T. J. Thornton (the latter being the father of the defendant in the case tried here) to be held at Canyon, April 25, 1901, this latter case being a companion to the case tried here.

Of course we feel it our duty to comply with Mr. Wallace's request and we hope that our readers will forbear with us in our inability to fill eight pages with the usual, good, live, newsy reading matter,

promising to try and not let it happen again.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a regular meeting of Hereford Lodge No. 476, I. O. O. F., the following resolutions on the death of Roy Kibbe, son of our Brother in Odd Fellowship, R. J. Kibbe, were read and adopted:

WHEREAS, It has been the will of our Heavenly Father to take from our Brother his beloved son; be it Resolved, That this Lodge extend to him and his family our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of affliction.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge and a copy be handed to the family, also a copy be sent the editor of the HEREFORD REPORTER for publication.

C. G. WITHERSPOON,
L. A. MONTGOMERY,
A. J. LIPSCOMB,
Committee.

POSTOFFICE HOURS
General delivery open from 8:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m. Office open Sunday for an hour after arrival of train.
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P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE

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

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

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

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Happenings in Our Busy County Seat Briefly Told.

Beds at the restaurant. 4tf

C. E. Wheeler was in town this week attending court.

See Smith, Walker & Co. for the latest in spring novelties. 6tf

Accuracy and cleanliness is our motto. Gough's Drug Store. 5tf

G. A. Sachse and wife were in town Wednesday and Thursday.

Go to Stambaugh & Lipscomb for cotton seed, hay, grain, salt and coal. 4-tf

Screen doors of all sizes and prices at Stringfellow-Hume Hardware Co. 7-2t

McGibbin & Black will order your wall paper cheaper than any one in town. 7-2t

An elegant line of new spring percales and lawns at Smith, Walker & Co. 6tf

For Sale—6-room house with hall and gallery. A bargain. Call and see me. H. Smith. 4tf

H. C. Rawlins, a drummer from Kansas City, was registered at the Ritchey Tuesday.

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John McKnight returned Thursday from his New Mexico trip.

New spring goods at Smith, Walker & Co. 6tf

New fishing tackle and baseball supplies at Gough's Drug Store. 6tf

Miner Crawford of Silverton was attending court here this week.

A full assortment of new embroideries and laces to be seen at Smith, Walker & Co. 6tf

Your attention is called to the Colorado Lumber Co.'s change of adv.

J. N. Maney of El Reno, Okla., one of the Rock Island contractors, was in town Monday.

A line of new zephyr gingham. New! New!!! Smith, Walker & Co. 6tf

Call and see me when you want paints, nothing but the best-handled. Gough's Drug Store. 3-tf

Ponder Greer of Dallas, a commercial traveler, was among the Ritchey's guests Tuesday.

T. M. Palmer of the live stock firm of Avis & Palmer, was in town this week, a grand jurymen.

Plain and fancy screen doors in white pine or oak with prices to suit you at Hereford Lumber Company. 7tf

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Ira Aten of Bovina, manager of the Escarbada division of the X I T's, was in town this week.

We have put in a stock of paints and oils. Get our prices before buying. Bounds' Drug Store. 7tf

J. Coffey of Barnes, Kansas, employed on the Rock Island extension, was registered at the Ritchey Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Gough, who have been spending some time at St. Louis, returned Thursday morning.

D. B. Hill of Clarendon, formerly district attorney of this district, was among the attorneys attending this term of the district court held at this place.

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

District Attorney Ira Webster of Claude arrived on Wednesday to prosecute the different cases to be tried at this term of court.

Russell Sanders of Amarillo, stenographer for Browning and Madden, was attending court here this week taking testimony.

B. C. D. Bynum, of the firm of Smith, Walker & Co. and manager of their store at this place, was a visitor in Amarillo on Sunday.

John Armstrong of Bovina, manager of the Bovina division of the X I T cattle company, was here this week—called to serve on the grand jury.

Judge H. H. Wallace of Amarillo came in on Monday's train for the purpose of holding the regular April term of the district court.

Stambaugh & Lipscomb are the exclusive agents for the International Stock Food and Poultry Food. Give it a trial and be convinced of its merits. 4-tf

Attorney G. F. Thomas of Bowie, one of the counsels for the prosecution in the Thornton case, arrived on Tuesday and is registered at the Ritchey.

We are prepared to make prices on the various lines that we carry that will astonish you. Call and price before buying elsewhere. D. R. Gass & Son. 4tf

Geo. L. Muse of the cattle raising firm of Connell & Muse, was among the visitors in town this week. He was also called to serve on the grand jury.

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HEREFORD, TEXAS

COMING AND GOING.

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

Rev. N. B. Bennett will hold services at the church next Sunday morning and evening.

Earnest Brown, who has been on the sick list with measles, is able to be out again and greet his many friends.

J. F. Morris, who has been visiting his brother at this place for some time, returned Thursday to his home at Gainesville.

Our new stock of dry goods, notions, etc., are now arriving. Come and see if we have what you want, prices down. W. W. Meeks. 8-1t

Dr. W. E. Robertson of Liberty, N. M., will be at the Ritchie House about May 1st, to attend the dental needs of the citizens of Hereford and vicinity. 6tf

Prof. Overstreet requests us to say that the school will open on Monday as usual and that a teacher will be furnished for Mrs. Overstreet's pupils.

Robert Faulkner of Jamesport, Mo., a breeder of fine Herefords, was here this week attending the cattle sale, and to buy any of our fine stock which might be for sale.

W. F. Kelly of Silverton, one of the attorneys for the defense in the Thornton murder case, was in town this week. He thinks some of locating here. We would surely welcome him.

I have decided to order watch repair tools and material. Bring your watches to me for repairs. Satisfaction guaranteed. 7tf
W. W. Meeks.

J. N. Stalbird, county judge of Binscoe county, and one of the attorneys for the defense in the Thornton case arrived on Tuesday's train. He stopped at the Humphrey.

F. C. Malone was a pleasant caller at this office yesterday and ordered the paper sent to his father at Finger, Tenn. Mr. Malone says his father expects to make this place his home soon.

The way to make money is to save it by buying what you need where you can get them the cheapest. We make no concessions to our competitors. Don't fail to call on us. D. R. Gass & Son. 4tf

W. T. Bratton and children left today for their future Brownwood home, and we note their departure with regret. Mrs. J. T. Inmon accompanied them for a week's visit with her parents at that place.

On Tuesday Mrs. F. L. Vanderburgh left for an extended visit among friends and relatives in New York state. As a consequence we are keeping "bachelor's hall," but you should see the "hall."

Judge C. F. Kerr of Dimmitt was a pleasant visitor at the REPORTER office Wednesday and Thursday and left a nice order for job work as well as paid us for a year's subscription to the REPORTER. He was a guest of Landlord Humphrey.

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The many friends of Sheriff Inmon will be pleased to learn that he has so far recovered from his recent attack of erysipelas as to be out on our streets again.

W. B. Plemons and J. W. Veale, the prominent law firm of Amarillo, were among the attorneys in attendance at court this week. Besides having some minor cases they were counsels for the defense in the Thornton murder case.

Geo. W. Dale, W. R. Evants, Conner Jowell and Joe Killough left on Sunday morning's train for Galveston where they will attend the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias. Mr. Dale goes as a representative of Hereford Lodge 278.

Greene Wilson of Canyon, a member of the law firm of Kinder & Wilson of Canyon and Plainview, was among Monday's passengers from the north. He had several cases on the docket, and was one of the counsels for the defense in the Thornton murder trial.

Will Thompson of Amarillo was in town yesterday looking after his business at this place, he being the senior member of the firm of Thompson & Fierabend. After satisfying himself as to the prosperity of his business here he, in company with Alva Bryan, went duck hunting. In this they were also successful as they returned with 26 of the feathery tribe.

T. R. Allison, of the broom manufacturing firm of Woodruff & Allison, brought an article to the REPORTER office for publication relative to the raising of broom corn. On account of lack of space we were forced to omit it in this issue but it will be published in our next and will be interesting to our farmers, especially to those who are raising or intend to raise broom corn.

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Resolutions of Respect.

At a regular meeting of Hereford Lodge, No. 476, I. O. O. F., the following resolutions on the death of our Brother, S. H. McCracken, were read and adopted:

WHEREAS, It has been the will of an all wise Father to take from among our number a beloved Brother of our Order, S. H. McCracken, and redeemed the soul that was given him; and

WHEREAS, Though we mourn the loss of a true Brother and friend and miss him in our daily walks and his presence at our meetings, we

Resolve to bow in humble submission to the mandates of our Father in Heaven, whose wisdom and actions are above our comprehensions, and though now we know not why, some day we'll understand.

Resolved, That we, as members of his Lodge, extend to his sorrowing family our heartfelt sympathy, realizing that their loss is far greater than ours; that we obey the teachings of our beloved Order by watching o'er his loved ones and extend a helping hand in every time of need.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this meeting, a copy be handed to the family of our late Brother, and a copy be handed to the editor of the HEREFORD REPORTER for publication.

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HEREFORD was especially bright on Monday—probably caused by having within her borders so many legal lights.

THE Amarillo Advocate and the Evening News are carrying on a "pleasant" controversy as to the merits and demerits of their respective papers.

THE HEREFORD REPORTER, by Frank L. Vanderburgh, is one of the Observer's neatest and best edited exchanges. It is chock full live local news and has a good line of advertisements.—Quannah Observer.

TWO MORE PASSED AWAY.

Roy Hugh Kibbe and Mrs. J. R. Overstreet Gone to Meet Their Reward.

Once again it is the REPORTER'S sorrowful duty to chronicle the death of two of Hereford's fairest—a pupil and then one of his teachers.

On Saturday last the news came that Roy Hugh Kibbe, the 10-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kibbe, had passed away and that his sufferings were at an end. Roy had been ill since last December, suffering from acute Brights disease. Of late, however, he had seemed to be gaining and strong hopes were entertained for his recovery. Friday night he gradually grew worse and at 1:10 a. m. the end came.

Roy Hugh Kibbe was born at Persia, Iowa, on the 19th of January, 1891, and came here with his parents the following March.

As he merged from infancy into boyhood he attended the public school and was beloved alike by his teachers and schoolmates.

The funeral was held at the church last Sunday at 11 a. m., and was largely attended by his friends and schoolmates.

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HEREFORD - TEXAS

The bereaved parents and brothers and sister have the sympathy of all in this, their hour of sorrow.

DIED—At St. Anthony Sanitorium, Amarillo, Mrs. J. R. Overstreet, April 10, 1901.

To the casual observer or outsider the above paragraph means little—only another one gone to the beyond. But to the citizens of Hereford, and especially the rising generation, it means that a most beautiful and noble life has passed away, and a life that could be ill spared from those whom she loved and who loved her in return.

Emma Bell Owens was born in Kemper county, Mississippi, June 7, 1877, and was united in marriage with Prof. J. R. Overstreet at Plainview on the 3d day of September, 1899. With her husband she came to Hereford November 1, 1899, and assisted Mr. Overstreet in the opening and conducting of the Hereford High School on November 13, 1899.

Her life was devoted to the instruction of the young, both as to their spiritual and intellectual welfare. She taught them on individual lines—talked with them privately and conferred with their parents on those lines and even as death drew near pleaded with her husband to carry on the work she had to leave undone. Her only wish before death o'ertook her was that she could be permitted to have her children about her for a couple of hours that she might give them one last talk, and it seems a pity that that could not have been the case as it would have done more

good than years of instruction and would have left an impression on their young minds that would be carried to the grave.

Mrs. Overstreet confessed Christ at the age of 16 and has lived the life of a pure, devoted and consistent christain, ever ready to sympathize in time of sorrow, to extend a helping hand in time of need, and was always ready to share in the pleasures or troubles of those who were honored with her acquaintance.

Those who were with her to the last said that death came to her as a sleeping babe. She was cheerful and was as sweet in death as in life. After giving her husband final instructions as to the care of her pupils she looked at the clock and said at three o'clock she would pass away. Just as the clock struck that hour she gave her husband's hand a last loving pressure, smiled and was with her Father in Heaven. May her life and death be ever a shining example to those who knew her and loved her.

The funeral was held at the church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, which was filled to overflowing by the loved ones she left behind, most of whom went to the grave, there to pay their last respects. It was Mrs. Overstreet's wish that her pupils march behind her remains to the grave, and this wish was carried out.

Mr. Overstreet has the condolence and sympathy of the entire community, and who share with him his great bereavement.

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PORTALES NEWS

Items of Interest in the Busy
 New Mexico Town
 EDITED BY MISS HELEN M. HALL

Mrs. Pearson died last Friday and her remains were taken to Granite, Oklahoma, for burial.

The Presbyterian Aid Society met with Miss Plant Thursday afternoon.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Benson died Monday, April 8. They have the sympathy of all in their trouble.

Mr. Morrison is confined to his home this week with la grippe.

Tuesday and Wednesday night Portales was refreshed by heavy showers which were much needed after the sand storms of last week.

IN HYMENEAL'S BONDS.

J. H. Connally and Miss Dora Hughes Made One.

The Humphrey House parlor on Tuesday evening was the scene of another happy event, when two of Endee's most popular young people, J. H. Connally and Miss Dora Hughes, were made man and wife.

At about 9 o'clock the parlors were filled with admiring friends of the contracting couple, who soon made their appearance and were joined in wedlock by Rev. N. B. Bennett.

Congratulations followed in which the happy young couple were the recipients of many well wishes for their future happiness and welfare.

After spending a brief honeymoon at this place they left Friday evening for their Endee, New Mexico, home where the groom is a prosperous and successful business man.

Judge Witherspoon Resigns.

Last Tuesday at a special meeting of the commissioner's court the resignation of County Judge C. G. Witherspoon was read and accepted and W. B. Boyd was immediately appointed to fill the vacancy.

Found.

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DIMMITT SQUIBS

Happenings in the Busy Castro County Seat Briefly Told
EDITED BY MISS HESTER BELL

(Received too late for last week's issue.)

The buffaloes have come to town. Shoot the buffaloes!

Mrs. F. W. Carter and her daughter have just returned from an extended visit at Amarillo.

We are glad to welcome a doctor and a dentist among us as they will supply a long-felt need.

The Dimmitt young people spent quite an enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Bell-fast Friday.

We are anticipating a pleasant and profitable time next Sunday, as our Methodist minister, Mr. Bennett, will be with us.

The sheep men of our county are contemplating putting in sheep shearing plants, as they much prefer this to the old style of shearing.

The Dimmitt dramatic club is thoroughly organized and promises to afford great pleasure to all who attend the closing exercises of the public school.

We understand that Mr. Frank Vaughn is to have a new residence erected in the near future. This, among other new ones, will be a valuable addition to our town.

Mr. Chas. McDonald, one of our most popular young men, was married in Newport, Texas, last Tuesday, and we hope soon to welcome him and his bride among us.

Mrs. F. M. Burnham was called to Fort Worth several days ago to the bedside of her son, William. He is reported better and we hope soon to hear of his entire recovery.

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PORTALES NEWS

Items of Interest in the Busy New Mexico Town

EDITED BY MISS HELEN M. HALL

(Received too late for last week's issue.)
L. Horn spent several days in town this week.

C. N. Lawrence has returned from his Texas trip.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Benson March 29, a daughter.

A prairie fire swept over the north and west of town last Wednesday afternoon.

The fence on the Presbyterian church lots is about finished and will be quite an improvement to the town.

Mrs. Buchanan is enjoying a visit from her brother, Mr. Dancer, who has recently been in the Philippines.

James Curtis of Curtis Bros. & Davidson will ship a number of thoroughbred calves from Roswell this week.

The Misses Johnson and brother arrived a few days ago and will spend some time with their brother, Lee Johnson.

Mr. Cowen of Roswell is surveying for Mr. Horn.

Elie Schwalb will soon start a short order lunch room.

The Misses Plant and Hall wish through the columns of your valuable paper to thank Dr. Pierce, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Wagner and others who gave such timely and efficient aid during the recent prairie fire.

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Precinct No. 1 L. R. Bradley
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Precinct No. 4 A. P. Murchison

District Court convenes on the second Mondays of April and October.

Commissioners' Court convenes on the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.

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

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

HEREFORD LODGE, U. D., A. F. & A. M.

Regular meetings Saturday night on or before full moon in each month in the Court House. Visiting brothers invited to attend.

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

K. OF P.

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

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

W. OF W.

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

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

C. M. A.

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

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

HEREFORD SANITARY AND IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY.

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

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

METHODIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Meets once each month.

Mrs. M. P. Finnicum, President.

BAPTIST LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

Mrs. Geo. W. Irwin, President.

HOME CHARITY SOCIETY.

Meets on Thursday of each week.

Mrs. A. E. McKellar, President.

CHURCHES.

CHRISTIAN.

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

METHODIST.

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

BAPTIST.

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

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. Charles Lotton, pastor - Services held on the fourth Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Union Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m.

A NEEDED ENTERPRISE.**J. B. Hardy is Erecting a New Laundry Building.**

Hereford will soon have added one more enterprise to those already here, and one that has been needed for some time.

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hardy arrived in town prospecting for a location for a laundry. They had not been here long when they decided that a better location for their business could not be found.

They immediately bought of Witherspoon and Gough, the lot just northeast of the Humphrey House and commenced the erection of a

building suitable for their purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy have had long and valuable experience at their business and will provide the people of the town with a long-felt want. In addition to laundry work they will make a specialty of cleaning and dyeing and repairing of clothes.

They expect to have their machinery and other necessary paraphernalia in working order about May 1st.

Improvement Society Meeting.

Members of the Society and others interested in the welfare of our town are requested to be present at the postponed regular meeting of

the Hereford Sanitary and Improvement Society. Election of officers and other important business will come before the meeting.

A HOME WEDDING.

T. J. McAteer and Miss S. F. Coyle United in Marriage Sunday Night.

A quiet home wedding was celebrated last Sunday night at 8:30 o'clock when T. J. McAteer and Miss S. F. Coyle were happily launched on the sea of matrimony. Rev. N. B. Bennett performed the ceremony.

Mr. McAteer was formerly a member of the firm of Meeks &

McAteer but now is the genial dry goods clerk at D. R. Gass & Son's, while the bride was interested with her sister in the millinery business.

The happy couple have the best wishes of a host of friends and predict for them many years of happiness and usefulness.

They have took possession of Mr. McAteer's fine residence where they are at home to their many friends and acquaintances.

Found.

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Situated about a half-mile to the northward at the head of Polk street, the main thoroughfare of Amarillo, stands an imposing brick structure prettily trimmed with Potter county stone. On first impressions the stranger fails to comprehend why such a magnificent building should be so isolated from the business part of the town, but, on inquiry, readily understands the cause of its isolation, for he is told that it is a hospital, or more properly, the St. Anthony Sanitorium.

It was through the courtesy of Dr. J. W. Pierson of Amarillo, one of the best known and foremost physicians of the Panhandle, that the writer was privileged to inspect the sanitorium.

Upon gaining admittance to the reception rooms, which are fitted up like the parlors of a fine residence, we were met by Mrs. David R. Fly, the charming and estimable wife of the house surgeon, who escorted us throughout the entire building.

First a visit to the kitchen, situated on the ground floor was paid. This department is fitted up with all the latest devices known to the culinary art, and was spotlessly clean. Next we were ushered into the dining room, a place which would make even a well-fed man long to sit at the tastily arranged table and enjoy a meal from its dainty china and glistening glassware. A well appointed pharmacy is also on the ground floor.

The resident surgeon's quarters were next viewed and a more exquisitely furnished apartment would be hard to find. The chaplain's room across the hall is also tastily furnished.

Next we ascended the broad staircase to the second floor on which are the patients' apartments, all cosily furnished with a view of making life as pleasant as possible for the sick.

Our attention was first directed to the operating room, which is fitted up with all the latest surgical appliances, and to the sterilizing room, which is patterned after the most up-to-date styles.

The chapel was next to be visited and a model place of worship it is.

There are sixteen private rooms for patients, two of which are specially fitted up, one called the Victoria room, being furnished by Englishmen in memory of their departed queen, and containing a large portrait of her likeness, and the other called the Blue room, which is for use of the more wealthy patients. On this floor are also situated the bathrooms, water being forced through the entire building by means of a windmill and tank.

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The erection of the sanitorium was commenced last September and was formally opened February 15, with Mother Superioress Sister Cleophas in charge. On February 22nd they received their first patient. Since that time twenty more have entered for treatment, which has made it a self-sustaining institution from the start.

Under the supervision of Mrs. Fly the grounds are soon destined to be a place of beauty and fragrance. Flower beds are seen here and there and shade trees have been set out throughout the grounds. A large orchard will soon be set out, so that in a few years the patients will be provided with plenty of fresh fruit in season. The building will be lighted with electricity as soon as the electric light company gets their machinery in working order.

Heretofore the nearest hospitals were Fort Worth on the south, Trinidad, Colo., on the north, Topeka and Kansas City on the east, and El Paso on the west, and this institution fills a long needed want for the proper care of the sick in this section of the country and will, we trust, meet with unbounded success.

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A GREAT EVENT.
The Fall Meeting of the Northwest Texas Fair Association.
The northwest Texas Fair Association is already beginning arrangements for its fall meeting, September 3, 4, 5 and 6. The program will soon be out and it will show some changes from the established custom of Texas fairs. The "Broncho Busting" and "Steer Roping" will be omitted this year, and a "Gentlemen's and Ladies' Riding Contest" will be substituted. Handsome premiums will be awarded the best riders, and it is expected that the "Beauty and Chivalry" of Northwest Texas will enter into this contest. There will also be a shoot to which all the gun clubs along the Denver road will be invited. This will be the largest shoot ever held in Northwest Texas, and a great deal of interest is already being manifested. The purses and premiums have been materially increased, and competition in all lines will be spirited. The race purses are sufficiently large to bring some of the cracks among the harness horses as well as the runners. Neither time nor money will be spared to make this meeting a grand success.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the sickness and death of our beloved son.
R. J. KIBBE.
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INTERESTING STOCK NEWS

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

J. T. Claybrook of Endee, N. M., bought one Durham bull of R. N. Mounts and three more of the same breed of W. S. Files of Hereford for his New Mexico herd.

It will be an agreeable piece of news to cattlemen hereabouts to know that it is an assured fact that Hereford has the same rate on cattle for any point as has Amarillo. General Passenger Agent Don A. Sweet was in Hereford recently and confirmed the statement made to that effect in a recent issue of the REPORTER.

The Panhandle Stockmen's Association has adopted a feature that has never been tried by any association of the kind and which will be a great help to its members. Blanks are being sent out upon which any member who has a ranch or cattle for sale can list the property with a complete description. Upon return of the list to the secretary's office it will be transcribed into a book kept for that purpose, which will be open to the inspection of all cattle buyers.—Canadian Record.

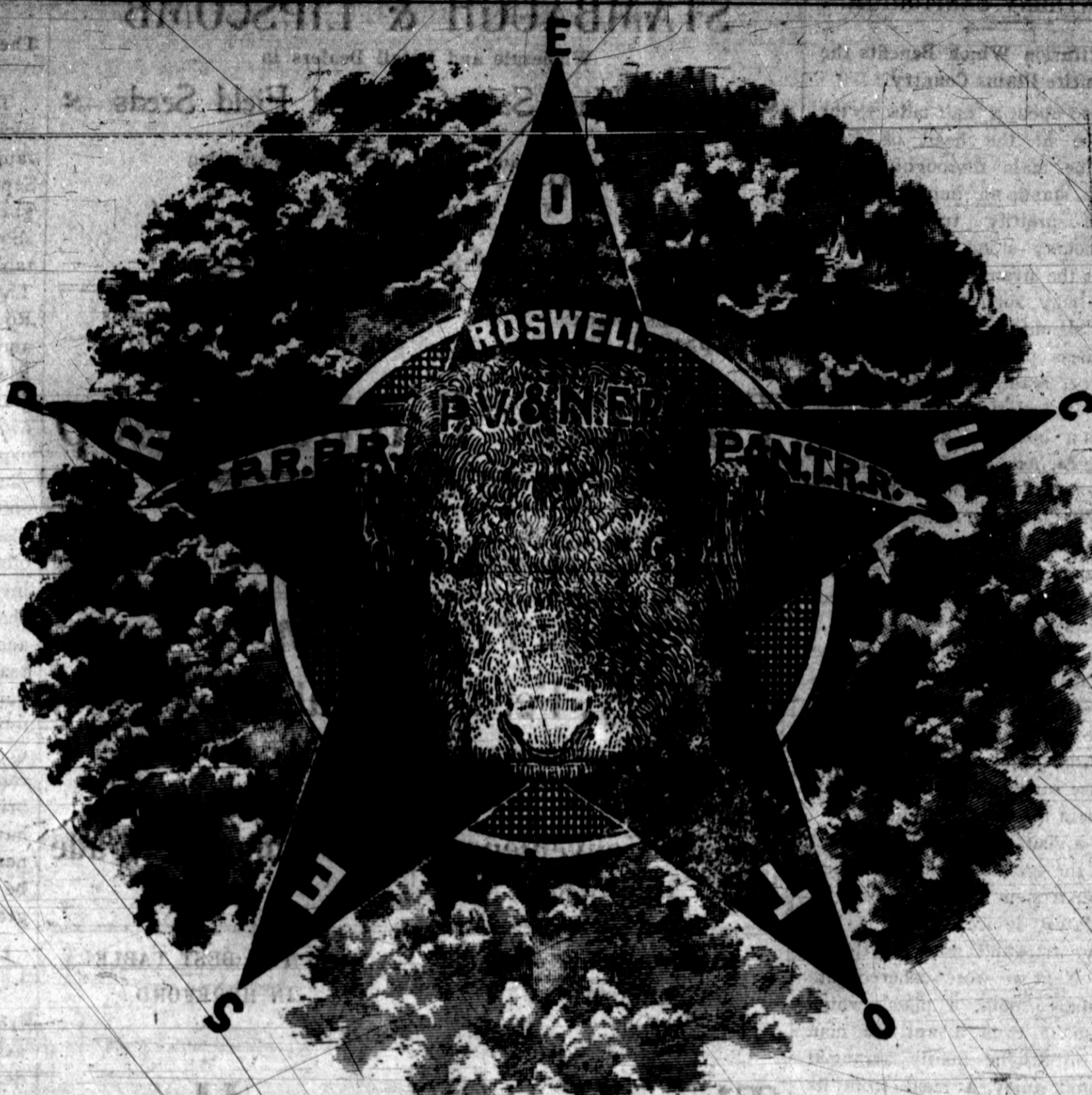
CATTLE SALE.

A Number of Fine Animals Sold to Hereford Parties.

On Wednesday last Messrs. Hudspeeth & Chiles held a public sale of fine Hereford and Durham cattle. On account of the inclemency of the weather and the fact that most of our buyers of fine cattle were detailed for jury duty on the Thornton murder case, the sale was not as successful as their former one held last February.

The following beauties were cried off by the noted Pandandle auctioneer, "Bob" Campbell of Canyon, A. P. Murchison acting as clerk:

- Lot 1—Duke of Walnut Grove—Shorthorn bull—sold to J. H. Harris of Hereford for \$115.
- Lot 2—Queen of Buckner Hill—Shorthorn cow—sold to R. N. Mounts of Hereford for \$130.
- Lot 3—Felix Renick—Shorthorn bull—sold to L. A. Arnold of Hereford for \$125.



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- Lot 4—David Rankin—Shorthorn bull—sold to W. S. Files of Hereford for \$115.
- Lot 5—Highland Chief—Shorthorn bull—sold to W. S. Files for \$175.
- Lot 6—Consul Prince—Shorthorn bull—sold to W. S. Files for \$175.
- Lot 7—Sharon's Duke—Shorthorn bull—sold to Geo. A. Sachse of Hereford for \$115.
- Lot 9—David Green 120854—Hereford bull—sold to Troy Womble for \$115.
- Lot 17—Lakeview Queen 4th 92232—Hereford cow—sold to T. M. Palmer of Hereford for \$165.
- Lot 19—2nd Duke of Buckner Hill—Shorthorn bull—sold to C. F. Crowley of Hereford for \$120.

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COMING AND GOING.

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

Remember
The meeting
Tuesday afternoon
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Stambaugh & Lipscomb will pay cash for good second-hand grain sacks. 4-tf

At a session of the commissioner's court O. M. Conoley resigned from the office of assessor and J. S. Wyche was appointed in his place.

S. H. Madden of the firm of Browning & Madden, the well-known Amarillo law firm, was in town this week attending court. He was one of the state's attorneys in the Thornton case.

Try Martin's for chilli. 4tf
See Stambaugh & Lipscomb for African millet seed, cane, Johnson grass, milo maize, kaffir corn, millet and seed corn. 4-tf

W. D. Keliehor was in town this week, having been drawn to serve on the grand jury. Mr. Keliehor paid this office a visit and subscribed for the paper.

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