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Quit Praying For Rain and Go to Putting Down Irrigation Wells—Dig! Dig! Dig!

GAINESVILLE BIDS BAILEY FAREWELL

Senator's Home Folks Pledge Anew Love and Loyalty to Distinguished Citizen.

On the eve of his departure for Washington, Senator Bailey was given an elaborate banquet at the Turner Hotel at Gainesville by his neighbors. It was first arranged to provide plates for but seventy-five, but his admirers were so anxious to be with him on this occasion that space was provided for 100. When no more could be accommodated in the spacious dining room, hundreds of friends congregated on the lawn and cheered loudly when Mr. Bailey came out to shake their hands and bid them good-by again for a short time. J. M. Potter was toastmaster, and when he stated that the honor must soon be given up to Fort Worth to entertain Senator Bailey as a citizen, tears were seen around the tables, and several volunteered the information that they too, would become citizens of the city in which the distinguished citizen would take up his lot at the termination of his service in the senate. Aside from the response by Senator Bailey, the following programme was carried out: "Joe Bailey," Hon. J. C. Murrell; "Senator Bailey as a Friend," Hon. J. T. Leonard; "Senator Bailey as a Citizen," Judge Stillwell H. Russell of Ardmore; "Senator Bailey as a Statesman," Judge C. B. Potter.

The occasion was an old fashioned love feast, and those citizens who have heretofore disagreed on other questions forgot their dissensions and talked solely of Senator Bailey, his achievements in the national congress, and wished him still greater success in his private life.

A heart to heart talk with his neighbors was the senator's response, guest of the evening carefully avoiding all political issues.

Danger in Pumping Out Water.

A brand new objection was raised to irrigation this week when a good farmer came forward to remark that if everybody should put down wells and have one on each 160 acres that all the water would soon be pumped out and that there would be great danger in the surface of the earth sinking or that possibly great chunks of earth would fall in and leave yawning holes in the fields into which a whole crop of maize or alfalfa would be engulfed. The conclusion is that if the surface sinks on account of removing the underground water that, unless the surface settles down evenly and slowly, our houses will be careened out of line, some leaning one way and others just the opposite. Our fine court house might be split in two and the grade of the Santa Fe road changed to such an extent that new fills and cuts would have to be made. Thus another danger is pending. Let's not put down too many wells as we might exhaust the water and the world fall in.

Rev. O. P. Kiker of Amarillo was in Hereford Tuesday and reports a good meeting in progress at Amarillo where Rev. Sherman is doing the preaching.

World renowned Garland Ranges at Garrison Bluff. 33tf

Letter To Missionary Society. Artesia, N. M., Sept. 14, 1911.

The Woman's Missionary Society, Hereford, Texas.

My Very Dear Friends:

Next Wednesday will be the time for our regular meeting, and it will not be possible for me to be with you in body, but my thought will be there and my heart's sincere and loving interest. During the years that we have been associated together in the missionary work, I have been drawn very close to you, my dear co-laborers, and wherever I may go, and no matter what new ties of friendship I may form, there shall ever be kept a warm place in my heart for you.

During the years to come, whenever you chance to think of me, remember the missionary cause. For years my best love and service have been given to its interest, for I believe that our Saviour's dying command to "Go teach all nations," was largely intended for women, who more than any others have been blessed by the gospel light and privilege, and it is their duty and gracious opportunity to carry that light, with its hope and joy, to those who know nothing of its comfort and saving power. Let me urge you to be faithful to the trust committed unto you. Do not let our society fail! And to insure its success, each member must feel her personal obligation to attend the meetings, and be willing and ready to give her time, her service and her means to the great cause. Some of you have thought, perhaps, that I have laid too much stress, from time to time, on the "giving" feature of our work, but I really believe that next to the spiritual element in all Christian service is that of giving, either of labor or money, for Christ himself said, "By their fruits you shall know them," and if the love of God be in our hearts, it will evidence itself by doing and sacrificing, to be able to give for the advancement of his kingdom.

The study course is very important, and I hope all of you will take it up heartily, but we are not a literary society for the mere improvement of the mind. The object of the study of missions is that we may know about the conditions and needs of those people who need the gospel, that our hearts may be stirred with the vision, that the knowledge may lead to interest, and the interest to enthusiasm and a determination to do something to relieve the condition of the needy, and to minister to the souls and bodies of those for whom our Saviour died, whether in our home land or in regions beyond the sea, where the name of Jesus has never been heard. Please excuse my long exhortation, but maybe I shall never have the opportunity again. I shall pray always for you, that our God would count you worthy and fulfil all the good pleasure of his goodness, that the name of our Lord Jesus Christ may be glorified in you and ye in him.

I want to thank you again for the delightful social occasion that you honored me with the Saturday before I left, and for the beautiful and useful gift. Wherever I shall go, I will carry with me the lovely handbag, and it will be full and running over with pleasant memories of the dear friends in the beautiful, little city of Hereford.

With much love for you and every one, I am ever and always

Yours sincerely,
MRS. MARY E. BULLOCK.

SHOW TRAIN HERE OCT. 5TH

The Santa Fe's Big Demonstration Which is Tearing the System Will be in Hereford.

The train is made up of old and new style equipment including two locomotives and fourteen cars. The locomotives will be a feature of the train. One is 048, which was regarded as a giant in the late seventies the other is a great Mallet of the 3000 class built at the Topeka shops and used in the freight service. This is the largest locomotive in the world. The smaller locomotive is 43 feet, eleven inches long and has four drivers. It weighs 135,000 pounds and cost \$7,740. The Mallet is 126 feet long and has twenty drivers. It weighs 360,000 pounds and costs \$45,880.

Half a dozen general officials will accompany the train. Experts from the Topeka shops will be along to tell about the big engine.

The train is educational, and school children are especially invited to see it. No doubt the authorities will allow the public school to see the train as it would be worth a whole day's school.

Walter E. Gunn of Chicago, editor of the Texas Panhandle Magazine, was here Monday for a few hours between trains and called a meeting of the Hereford auxiliary of the Panhandle Publicity Association. A few men met at the courthouse and heard his report, which showed that as editor of the magazine he had done more than he had ever promised. Each issue of the Magazine has been a good one, readable in every part and attractive in its make-up. While his report was satisfactory the main object of his visit was to ask Hereford and Deaf Smith county to prepare and send an exhibit to the World's Land Show to be held in Chicago this fall. He explained that over a half million people would come into the great coliseum and that the Association had already secured and paid for space for the Panhandle. All the good towns are preparing exhibits. A committee composed of the following men were appointed: T. E. Shirley, Eli Dunlap, A. H. Elliston, Adam Backus, C. F. Kerr and D. L. McDonald. A committee on finance was also appointed. The object in raising funds is primarily to pay for the exhibit, but also to have literature published and distributed at the Big Show. Amarillo has raised \$1,500 for this purpose.

Mr. Gunn was very optimistic for the future of the Panhandle. Hundreds of inquiries had been received at his office in Chicago and he asked for a hearty co-operation of all the towns of the Panhandle in making it possible to send out the proper kind of literature. The magazine, he remarked, could be used to a good advantage if the business men of the different towns would subscribe for it and after reading it, send it to some interested friend. The meeting was presided over by L. Baskin in the absence of chairman, W. H. Ray.

The regular meeting of the Fruit and Truck Growers Association is held on first Saturday afternoon of each month at 2:30 o'clock. All invited. 30tf

Good and Bad Grammar.

The pupils of the Hereford High School will please take notice to the following sentences from the Dallas News:

"It would have been amazing, indeed, if Senators Martin and Swanson had been defeated in Virginia for renomination, nor that either of them are typical of the State's best intellect, but that both of them are pre-eminently conservative."

"Mr. Hearst has well-nigh made himself a political pariah. The fact that he has been denounced in Illinois by an organization which he himself called into existence and built up is only additional evidence that the selfishness of his motives are coming to be understood."

Are they correctly written?

Maine Wet by 26 Votes.

Augusta, Maine, Sept. 18.—Complete official returns from the special election last Monday, when Maine voted on the question of repeal of the constitutional prohibitory amendment, as convassed by the Governor and council tonight showed a majority of 26 votes in favor of repeal.

Various discrepancies were found in the official returns as compared with the tabulations compiled by the Secretary of State's office.

The latter indicated a majority for repeal of 136.

Some doubt still remains as to the correctness of the returns and Gov. Plaisted announced that the City and Town Clerks would be given twenty days to check the results.

The total vote of the State as shown by the official figures tabulated tonight is as follows: For repeal 60,487, against repeal 60,464; majority for repeal 26.

The council adjourned tonight to meet tomorrow morning.

Postal Bank For Hereford.

Last Monday C. Smith, postmaster of this city, opened the first account in the Postal Savings Bank of the Hereford post office. W. T. Stanberry, manager of the Hereford Brand, holds certificate No. 1, and while it was for only the price of a year's subscription, nevertheless, it made a beginning. J. Eagle Henderson, also of the Brand force, holds certificate No. 2, and both have begun to fill up a stamp card and thus become regular patron depositors of the office. Leslie Smith, assistant postmaster, secured certificate No. 3. Bill Robinson, another member of the Brand force, secured a stamp card.

Calls New Pastor.

The Baptist church at this place has extended a call to Rev. R. H. Purcer of Brook Haven, Miss. Rev. Purcer is of a distinguished family. Is a brother of the Dr. D. I. Purcer, pastor First Baptist church, Atlanta, Ga., who is also president of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. Rev. Purcer is scholar and a man of rare ability. The church is highly elated over the call. A message from Mississippi gives the information that Rev. Purcer has accepted the call and will take charge at once.

Notice to Rebekahs.

To members of Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228. The time of meeting has been changed to Tuesday at 2:30 p. Tuesday at 8:00 a. m. 33-2t

RAMSEY FOR GOVERNOR

Will Outline Views on Important State Issues Within Next Few Weeks.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 19.—Judge William F. Ramsey, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, whose name for some time has been connected with the gubernatorial race next year, this evening set at rest all further speculation on the subject by officially announcing himself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of governor.

Judge Ramsey's announcement is brief. It is as follows:

"I will not be a candidate for the nomination for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, but will be a candidate for the office of governor of this state, and my name will be submitted for that office in the Democratic primaries next July.

"I will, within the next few weeks, outline my views on some of the more important issues, and questions now in the public mind, and in due occasion will inaugurate a campaign which should, and I believe will, be successful."

Off to College.

A number of young people from Hereford have gone to the different colleges of the state. Some have already left for their schools and others are to follow. C. G. Wither- spoon left Monday for Trinity University to arrange for his daughter and others. Following is a complete list of the students:

At the Texas Presbyterian College, Milford; French David, 2nd year. At Trinity University, Waxahachie, Ila Estes, Bertha Wither- spoon, Meda Woodburn, Irene Williams, all first year. At Texas College of Industrial Arts, Denton, Bertha Dameron and Frankie Dameron, last and third year. At Southwestern University, Georgetown, Nellie Black, second year. At Baylor University, Waco, Earl Wilson, third year, Edna Fuqua, first year. At Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Harriett Shirley, third year, Beulah Potter, second year, Claude Ricketts, first year. At A and M, College Station, Charley Cogdell, first year. At Austin, Velma Slaton, first year. At Northwest Texas State Normal, Canyon, Fred Baird, first year. At Chicago School of Oratory, Matt Johnson, first year.

Dinner With Miss Gallaher.

Miss Percy Gallaher was hostess on Saturday evening at a seven o'clock dinner. Plates were laid for four in the dining room beautifully decorated in gold and green. The guests found their places by floral initials at each plate, of their respective names. The room was lighted by four candles with gold and green shades, placed at the corners of the table, while on a large cluny center piece rested a miniature garden of yellow daisies bor-

with green. After the delicate 3310 feet
cou-o has... 3663 feet
made mabe... 3887 feet
Hardware... 3986 feet
... 4000 feet
... 3998 feet
... 4127 feet

THE BENCH CONGRESS

On last Saturday at a session of the Bench Congress, H. B. W., member from Parker, arose to a point of personal privilege, and in a long, windy speech in which he denounced the Bench Record as biased in its reports, prejudiced in its conclusions and wholly unreliable in its statement of facts, and vehemently and ferociously denied that he was now or ever was tainted with that bewiskered malady known as populism and that the appellation to him as the "populist from Parker" was a willful misrepresentation of the facts and a reflection upon his political history and physiognomical features, and that he further asked that that august body expunge that part of the minutes from record. Whereupon, by a vote in which the chair cast the deciding vote, it was ordered that the phrase "populist from Parker" be yanked bodily from the Record and the space therein be left blank.

The regular session of the Bench Congress was held Wednesday afternoon, not that a Wednesday meeting had any semblance to a prayer meeting, except that the chaplain offered his stereotyped prayer for the victim under investigation. It was the occasion of the report of the committee to investigate the charges against Uncle Joe, who had recently been elected from the Bell county district, but against whom many of the members had a strong umbrage. The galleries were full of the elite society who had come to bring pressure in favor of the champion of chess and checkers. When the chairman of the committee passed his report up

to the reading clerk and the president of the Bench let fall his iron gavel a heavy, death-like stillness hovered over the assembly. As the sonorous tones fell from the throat of the reading clerk, giving in detail damaging evidence against the perhaps most popular candidate elected in recent times, a wail of ah's, oh's and hisses went up, and it was with great difficulty that the president kept the maddened mob from lynching W. B. D., chairman of the committee, under whose direction the charges had been brought to light. Uncle Joe had made his campaign upon a simple, but appealing platform—that he was an honest man, and had defeated his opponent, J. P. S., by an overwhelming majority. A copy of the written report follows:

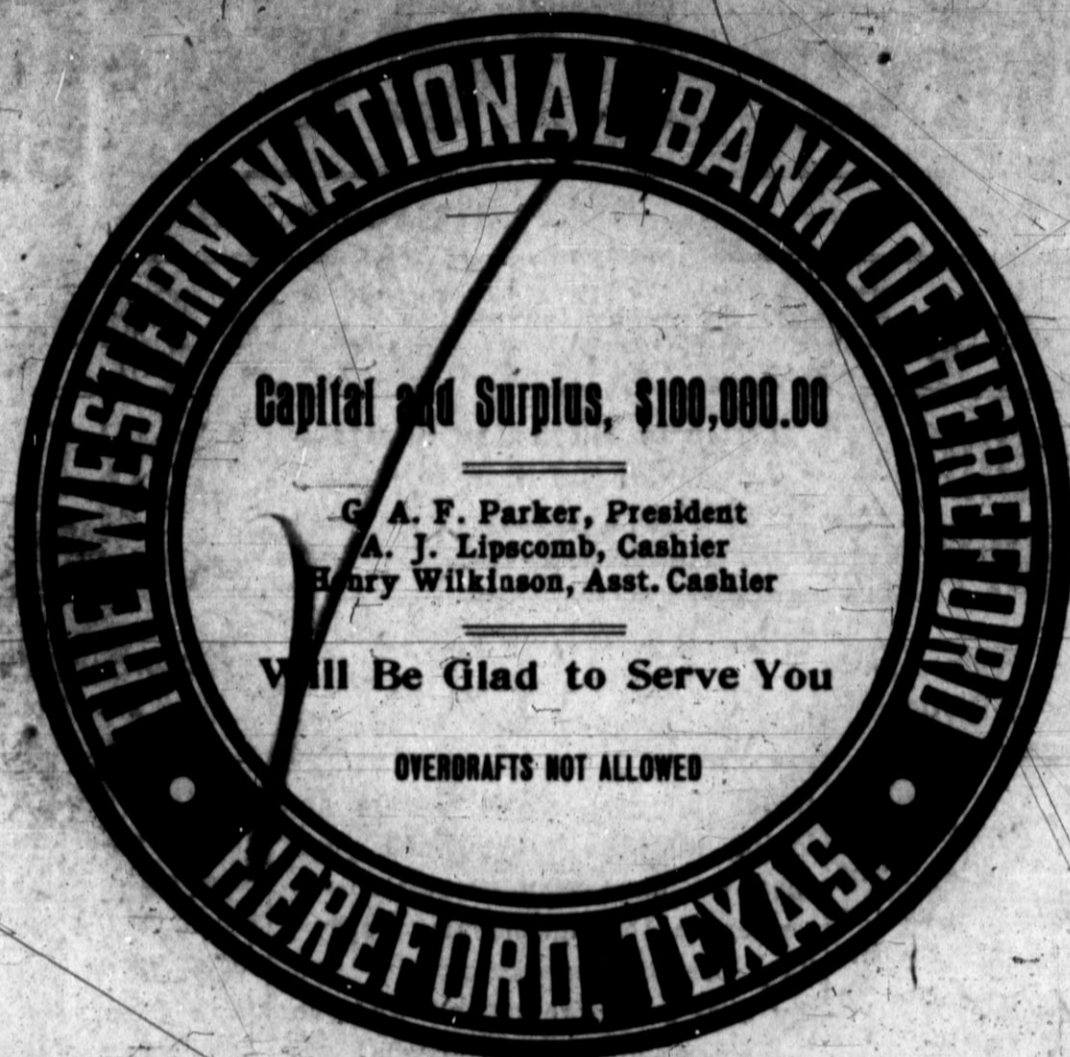
First, that Uncle Joe had been seen to work and that he had worked his one-eyed pony and his gotched-eared mule all day and that he left them hitched to the cultivator during the noon hour while he perambulated to the house and there refreshed himself with food and drink.

Second, that he had feed his favorite family horse on Russian thistle and had made the said horse believe the stuff to be alfalfa, accomplishing this by tying green goggles over his eyes.

Third, that both of these charges were an evidence of cruelty to animals and coupled with the fact of his (Uncle Joe's) spell of working caused him to neglect the ties of friendship with his compatriot, T. M. P., whom he delights to beat at checkers, justifies the committee to make an adverse report on his eligibility to a seat in the Bench Congress. A long and heated debate followed. Uncle Joe defended himself with fervor and eloquence. He denied the charges in toto, and as he delineated how his horse would beg with tears in his eyes to be allowed to chance rolling thistle across the pasture in order to secure a square meal, the ladies in the gallery jerked the flowers and plumes from their hats and threw them down upon the honest man from Bell county, the "champeen" of chess and checkers. At the close of the great debate, president E. T. W. ruled that he would take the report under advisement and that Uncle Joe would be seated temporarily under six months' suspicion, and if at the end of that time, no further charges had been made, that he would be seated permanently.

First Cotton.

E. B. Black is supposed to be the first to pick cotton in this neighborhood. Last Monday he picked his patch over and while he would not give out the exact number of pounds gathered, he says that he picked an average of 1020 pounds of seed cotton per acre and that he expects to get 2,000 pounds per acre. It will be remembered that Mr. Black's cotton was planted in fertilized soil, using at the rate of 300 pounds of commercial fertilizer to the acre. The patch was planted on April 28, and the first picking was done Sept. 18.



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Dept. A, Cohoes, N. Y.

Notice to Creditors of the Estate of W. D. Cloyd, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the estate of W. D. Cloyd, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1911, by the county court of Deaf Smith county, Texas.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are Hereford, Texas, Deaf Smith county.

MRS. EMERLINE CLOYD,
Executrix of the estate of W. D. Cloyd, Deceased. This the 20th day of Sept. 1911. 33-4t

Junior Christian Endeavor.
Topic—Missions in Africa.
Leader—Jim Lipscomb.
Song.
Scripture—Acts 8-26-40.
Recitation—Gladie May Baker.
Song.
Prayer.
Talk on—Mrs. Estes.
Song.
Benediction.

Our Altitude.	
Hereford	3810 feet
Amarillo	3663 feet
Wildorado	3887 feet
Vega	3986 feet
Alamoosa	4000 feet
Adrian	3998 feet
Cap Rock	4127 feet

No Crown For Willie.
"Wouldn't you like to go to Heaven, Willie, and wear a nice gold crown?" asked the Sunday school teacher.
"Not if a dentist is going to put it on," said Willie.

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List of Lots and Parcels of Land Delinquent for the Taxes of 1910 in the City of Hereford



TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

TO WHOM ASSESSED	DIVISION	AMOUNT ASSESSED AND LOCATION IN LOT OR BLOCK	LOTS	BLOCK	TOTAL TAXES
Alban David	City		5 6 7 and 8	38	7.40
Allen J P	Evants	1/2 Acre		14	1.60
Butts and Butts	DeAtley S D Womble			1	2.40
Baker C H					4.00
Bogard Noada	City and Add	75x140 ft NW Cor		58	12.00
Brunk S D	Whitehead		3 4 5 and 6	16	15.40
Beach and Meadows	Evants	1 Acre NE Cor		21	3.40
Bonnie and Hayne	City		10 and 11	18	5.60
Basham W A					1.80
Bryan Annie	Higgins S D Womble		6 and 7	9	4.00
Beach J H	Whitehead		9 to 12	13	18.44
Brazil R P			7 8 and 9	19	12.20
Black and Parker	City	2 Acres	3 4 5 and 6	28	12.80
Butts and Butts			1 and 2	9	11.20
Briggs G E	Evants	55x208 ft W S		10	1.60
Coulson T M		3 Acres N end		15	10.98
Commercial Hotel					6.40
Copes & Palmer					8.72
Cox Mrs Tom	City		11 and 12	68	9.00
Clements H B					4.78
Chase F A	Evants	115x200 ft E 1/2 of S 1/2		11	15.40
Dodson & Mosley	City and Add	W 1/2	10	17	6.40
DeAtley Jno W	Womble	1 1/2 Acre 17 1/2 ft thru	1	4	
DeAtley Jno W	City		17	19	21.80
Davis A B	Womble	100x104 NE Cor	2	2	1.60
Davis W B			7 and 8	9	1.60
Enna Paul					10.00
Edwards Miss Mattie	City and Add		9	41	3.20
Evants S S	Evants	1/2 Acre N E Cor		7	1.60
Ferrell F T		1/2 Acre E Side		14	11.00
Fuller G E					1.80
France Chas	Evants	W Side	22 and 23	5	7.00
Fox J A					40.00
Fretz E H	Evants	99x147 ft		16	1.60
Ferrel F T		1/2 Acre		9	1.60
Gainey Mrs M W	Womble	2 Acre W end	2	2	6.40
Green and Hope	Whitehead		5 and 6	19	1.60
Gainey M W	Evants	139x150 N E Cor		9	2.40
Heifner T N	Evants	1 Acre S E Cor		21	13.00
Hough L A			18	21	9.60
Higgins W A Estate	H Sub Div Womble		76	8	.80
Hussey Ida C	Evants		21 to 24	17	3.20
Hunter Osborne		230x417 ft		11	4.00
Hough Luther			12	5	.80
Hope R B	Whitehead		5 and 6	19	3.20
Hough R W	Evants		11	5	.80
Hough L A		1/2 Acre N end		10	1.60
Heifner T N	City	S 1/2	4	27	4.00
Holland and Wills	Evants	3 lots N E		18	2.40
Hereford Pool Hall					4.00
Jowell G R Jr	Evants		34 35 and 36	18	22.20
Johnson W A		S W Cor		16	19.20
Karr Mrs Geo	City		7 8 9 and 10	29	20.80
Keliehor Joe					1.00
Loughmiller G F	Evants	1/2 Acre N of S 1/2 of NW 1/4		14	2.60
London W O	Whitehead		7 and 8	15	8.00
McBride L	City		7 and 8	14	17.00
Mosley and Hough	Evants	12 lots		8	4.00
McCracken Mrs S H	Welsh	10 Acres N Side		3	16.00
McLeroy W F					4.20
Myrick E L Dr	Womble		7 and 17	6	16.00
Mollenhour J S	City and Add		17 to 20	38	15.40
Miller J H	Whitehead		7 and 8	16	9.00
Miller W M & J F	Evants	178x217 ft		21	3.20
Mollenhour J S		52x104 ft W Side		14	1.60
Mose C H		1/2 Acre N end & NW Cor		10	1.60
Nance T C					1.20
Osman O T	Womble	100 ft W Side		3	2.40
Orr Lucy	Evants		7 8 9 and 10	20	3.20
Oustead J H			20 and 21	5	1.60
Roberts Mrs E	City and Add		7 8 and 9	67	12.00
Roberts Hardy					1.00
Roberts W G	Evants	N E Cor		6	8.00
Roberts Max	Whitehead		9 and 10	29	
Roberts Max	City and Add		All	79	7.72
Rood N E					5.60
Rickets L A	City		11 and 12	32	11.20
Renfro and Price	Evants	100x108 ft SW Cor		5	7.92
Rickets W A	Womble		4 5 6 and 7	8	28.00
Rogers T G	Evants	100x200 ft S 1/2 of N 1/2		15	2.00
Rance W S	City and Add	100x200 ft		75	12.36
Richards C S			7 and 8	13	10.60
Rogers and Story	Evants			21	3.20
Reid Elbert			16	5	.80
Roberson Fannie			17	5	.80
Shertliff Geo		95x176 ft S W Cor		21	1.60
Stanley J F					3.00
Snyder J P Land Co					2.00
Smith W T	Womble	1/2 Acre E 1/2	6	7	5.80
Spratt I H	City and Add		11 and 12	42	9.60
Sutherland O P					2.40
Smalley A J	City and Add		9 and 10	43	13.80
Schrimsher Con	City		3 and 4	68	12.00
Schrimsher Con	Evants	75x140 ft		9	1.20
Sellers J W		Part		11	1.60
Sailor Oean			5 and 6	5	1.60
Thompson Mary A	DeAtley S D Womble	4 Acres (1 to 15) DeA S	2	10	
Thompson Mary A		121 ft DeA Sub W Si	1	10	9.60
Townsend S H	Whitehead	100 ft W Side		48	12.80
Thompson A O	Evants		19 W 1/2 20	14	9.00
Tucker H G	Whitehead		5 and 6	28	1.60
Thompson A O	Womble	127 ft W Side		4	3.20
Thompson A O	Evants		7 and 8	19	1.60
Vanderburg & Kelly					32.00
Vanderburg F L	City	125x140 S W Cor		12	12.00
West W F	City and Add		12, 15 & off 11	17	17.00
Williams J T					3.32
Ward Mrs J J					90
Ward J J	Whitehead		9 and 10		18.48
Ward J J			11 and 12		21.88
Worley Sam	City and Add	140x150 ft		58	21.88

IV. GENIUS.

MICHAEL Angelo made the canvas glow with life and Phidias made marble speak and throughout ages civilization has felt the elevating influence of the painter and the sculptor. Their success was due to the fact that they had the ability to put the stuff in their work and what is true in art, is also true in government. We need in our Legislature men who can put the stuff on our statute books that will make industry glow with life and the soil speak with a glorious harvest.



A MASTER HAND.

To meet the issues of civilization now confronting us, we must place in position of power men who can chisel out empires and draw the tendrils of civilization Texasward. We must have statesmen who can pour wisdom into the fountain head of prosperity and who can wave the magic wand of genius over a land as full of opportunities as the morning of creation. Texas needs great men.

Notice to Cattlemen.

We wish to call the attention of cattlemen to the following rule adopted by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas, the same being signed by the Governor of the State:

"Rule 22. And whereas, the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas, has ascertained that cattle located in some portions of the State of Texas are infected with a contagious and infectious disease known as scabies, mange or itch, and that such cattle and the pastures in which the scabies has existed at any time since the first day of January 1911, are now and here declared infected, and that the cattle therefrom, if brought in contact with other cattle not so infected, will communicate such contagious and infectious disease, it is therefore ordered by the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of the State of Texas that no cattle affected with scabies, mange or itch, or which are in pastures in which scabies, mange or itch has existed at any time since the first day of January, 1911, shall be shipped, driven, transported or moved from out of said pastures or any of them, until they have been cured of such disease, provided however, that cattle in pastures found to be infected where satisfactory dipping is practiced, upon inspection by an inspector of this Commission, are found free of such infection, may be moved upon receipt of such inspector in the form of a certificate, and be shipped for interstate commerce under the regulations of the States Department

and such regulations are now here adopted as a part of these regulations as to interstate shipments."

I therefore respectfully call on all cattle raisers to report to the undersigned any case of scabies or which may come within their knowledge and to notify me when any cattle are to be dipped or treated for this infection. The Live Stock Sanitary Commission is making strenuous effort to stamp out this contagious disease and calls upon all cattlemen to aid as far as in their power to do so.

Respectfully,
JOHN W. DALE,
Inspector L. S. S. Commission,
Hereford, Texas.

The Fruit and Truck Growers Association meets on the first Saturday of each month. You are invited to attend. The place—county court room; time 2:30 p. m. 31tf

Slap Shots.

Hair mattresses should be cheaper now as a large surplus of rats' puffs has been accumulated by the sudden decree of Dame Fashion. If a newspaper don't dish up local happenings to suit your taste, buy it out and make it a good meal. It's easy to please.

If honest altitude. are few. 3810 feet
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character or reputation of any individual or
firm which may appear in The Brand, will
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the attention of the publishers.

WHAT'CHER goin' to do about it?

There are three doctors and two
dentists in Childress, judging from
their cards in the Post.

It is just about time the men of
Hereford to have an "eat." This
was talked about Monday evening by
the few who met at court house to
discuss the publicity business.

Will Hereford have a part in the
publicity campaign now being carried
by the Panhandle Publicity Associa-
tion which has done more in the last
eight months to advertise the whole
Panhandle than all other agencies
combined.

THE ACTION of the state-wide pro-
hibition committee to refrain from a
contest and the announcement about
the same time that Tom Ball would
be a candidate to fill Senator Bailey's
place would have no political mean-
ing except that Mr. Ball is the Sena-
tor's good friend.

Final arrangement for the big
Products Exposition at Roswell,
October 5, 6 and 7, are practically
finished and from the reports of the
various committees it looks as though
it will be the greatest event of this
kind ever held on this side of the
state if not in all New Mexico. For
the fun seekers there will be the
Jey-way containing a number of the
usual midway attractions. For the
tenderfoot and the cattlemen there
will be Henry Russell's Wild West
Show, Broncho Busting and Goat
Roping, which takes place all three
days. The farmers have the apple
and alfalfa show with its myriad ex-
hibits of products. There will be
the flower parade, the battle of the
Clouds, a wonderful fireworks dis-
play on the last two nights. The
big event will be the airships which

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot
reach the diseased portion of the ear.
There is only one way to cure deafness,
and that is by constitutional remedies.
Deafness is caused by an inflamed con-
dition of the mucous lining of the Eusta-
chian Tube. When this tube is inflamed
you have a rumbling sound or imperfect
hearing, and when it is entirely closed,
deafness is the result, and unless the in-
flammation can be taken out and this
tube restored to its normal condition,
hearing will be destroyed forever; nine
cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh,
which is nothing but an inflamed con-
dition of the mucous surfaces.
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of
Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by
Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.
F. J. CHENEY, & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

will make flights on each day of the
Exposition. There will also be a
Shooting Tournament in which there
are prizes offered to the amount of
\$500.00. While the airships are
flying the automobiles will contest
for supremacy on the track before
the grandstand. Lovers of horseflesh
can attend the horse show on Satur-
day while the dairy cattle will be ex-
hibited Friday. In fact it will be an
exposition worth attending.

Happiest Girl in Lincoln.

A Lincoln, Neb., girl writes, "I had been
ailing for some time with chronic constipation
and stomach trouble. I began taking
Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets
and in three days I was able to be up and
got better right along. I am the proudest
girl in Lincoln to find such a good medi-
cine." For sale by all dealers.

Club Room.

The K. of P's. have added a read-
ing room in their hall. The latest
magazines and daily papers and two
domino tables are available. The
members and friends accompanied
by members are welcome to the club
room.

Robert Elliott was at home Sun-
day. He has been promoted to the
position of general manager of the
Amarillo National Life Insurance
Company with headquarters in that
city. He assumed the duties of the
position Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hitz of In-
dianapolis, Indiana, are here this
week looking after their land inter-
est, and paid a visit to the McDonald
irrigation wells. They were very
enthusiastic over the proposition and
may put a large area under irriga-
tion.

Buy a ten cent Postal Savings
Stamp each time you go to the post-
office and in a few years you will
have saved enough to start a bank
of your own.

W. L. Brodie, who until recently
was with H. C. Myrick as a partner
in business, has accepted a position
with D. R. Gass & Son where he
will be pleased to see his many
friends.

The First National Bank

Calls attention to its splendid Board of Directors, who stand
responsible to you for every dollar's business
you entrust to the Bank's care:

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R. J. KIBBE, J. T. JOWELL, L. GOUGH,
R. N. MOUNTS, J. H. BOWERS, J. J. GALLAHER

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and its citizens in the past—respectfully asks your consider-
ation when you come to place your account now.

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London and Edinburg, Eng.
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Philadelphia, Pa.
German-American of New York.
Connecticut of Hartford Conn.
Hanover, of New York.
Peoples' National, of Philadel-
phia, Pa.
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Burglary, and Plate Glass:
the old Fidelity and Casualty
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I have frequent inquiries for both. I make a
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companies whose Financial Strength and past
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sell has been a burden to you. I de-
light in them. Large tracts are my
specialty. Write me about it today—
whether you want to buy or whether
you want to sell.

Panhandle Lands

are the best lands in the world and
doubtless I have just the bargain you
to want. Lands in the shallow water
cold and lands out. Whatever your
dry coal. Whatever your
thing in Coal, may be, write me about it.

We will have a
the track about

JAMES W. WELLS
STRICTLY HIGH CLASS TAILOR-MADE

Want Ads 5c Per Line—Try One

Local and Personal

Have you noticed Ray's window sale? 1t

Landrum will buy your peach seed. 33-2t

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Landrum Thursday, September 7, a girl.

New way, air-cooled gasoline engines at Garrison Bros. 33tf

T. O. Cuning visited Postmaster Smith Saturday.

I'll meet you at the Corner Drug Store. 38tf

E. C. Brodie has returned to Dallas after a short visit in Hereford.

Deering pure Sisal twine 10c at Garrison Bros. 33tf

J. H. Bowers was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Fall hats now on display at Mrs. T. N. Heifner's. 1t

L. Gough has been at Crosbyton this week.

High grade Jersey milch cows for sale. R. T. Edwards. 31-3tp

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Famous Garland smokeless heaters at Garrison Bros. 33tf

Geo. Muse went to Clovis yesterday on business.

New Line of Men's and Boys' Pants. We will sell cheap. J. G. Callens. 1t

B. D. Woodlee of Dimmitt was in Hereford yesterday on business.

Save your windmill by keeping it in repair. Phone 40. B. F. Turner. 33-4tp

Mrs. Baird of Oklahoma is here visiting her mother, Mrs. L. W. Vaughn.

Garland smoke burning heaters at Garrison Bros. 33tf

Jno. Gregory of Kelo, commissioner, was in town this week attending a session of the court.

New way, air-cooled gasoline engines at Garrison Bros. 33tf

The style and price is right in Heifner made hats. 1t

Garland smoke burning heaters at Garrison Bros. 33tf

J. Ray, editor of the Vernon Record, was in Hereford Saturday and over Sunday.

Winter is coming. Get your windmills repaired. Phone 40. B. F. Turner. 33-4tp

Rev. J. M. Sherman returned yesterday noon from Amarillo where he has conducted a successful revival.

We are giving the Best Values in Gingham, Domestic, Outings, Madras and Chevots to be found. J. G. Callens. 1t

Oscar E. Schneil of Scottsville, Kansas, was here this week looking after his land interest north of town.

Remember the window sale at Ray's. One window with 50 cent articles, the other at \$1.00 1t

Mrs. L. Gough has returned from a visit to relatives at Memphis, Texas.

Ladies, Childrens and Misses Underwear. All kinds cheap. J. G. Callens. 1t

Star and Leader windmills, the highest type of windmill construction at Garrison Bros. 33tf

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Thomas, Monday, September 18, a girl.

Famous Garland smokeless heaters at Garrison Bros. 33tf

Mrs. Jno. P. Slaton went to Austin this week to place her daughter, Velma, in school.

Heavy Sergees and Soliels for Ladies' Skirts are the thing for Fall. We have them. J. G. Callens. 1t

Miss Jessie Wright has returned from Clarendon where she paid a visit to friends.

Fine Mercerized Silk Poplins, Silk Jacquares and Suitings for Fall. They are cheap. J. G. Callens. 1t

We Carry the Best Hosiery for Ladies and Children. Look and be convinced. J. G. Callens. 1t

Miss McLean was at Claude this week in the interest of the Eastern Star.

Star and Leader windmills, the highest type of windmill construction at Garrison Bros. 33tf

E. B. Black Co.
Embalmers & Funeral Directors
AT YOUR SERVICE DAY OR NIGHT
 DAY PHONE 14. NIGHT PHONES 92 OR 299

The commissioners court was in session this week and made examination of the tax assessor's rolls.

At Ray's window sale, one window is filled with articles that are selling at 50 cents each, the other includes articles at \$1.00 each. 1t

J. P. Collier, president of the Adrian State Bank at Adrian, was here Wednesday on business.

We have a nice line of Men's Shirts, Ties and Hats. Come in and look. J. G. Callens. 1t

If the street walker and pen pusher for this paper should be poisoned what would you advise him to take?

We Carry Selz Royal Blue & Friedman Shelby's Good Shoes. Don't buy till you see these lines. J. G. Callens. 1t

Sprains require careful treatment. Keep quiet and apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely. It will remove the soreness and quickly restore the parts to a healthy condition. For sale at all dealers.

Good For Young Girls

The health of every young girl just budding into womanhood necessitates careful consideration.

Almost invariably she will require special attention—she becomes anemic, restless and does not seem to be herself—the body functions peculiar to her sex are about to assert themselves.

This is the critical period of a girl's life—should she be neglected—not assisted in every way and the delicate organisms prompted to regularity, the chances are it will destroy her future comfort and happiness.

Do not experiment—prepare her ahead of time—fortify her system to withstand the coming trials—have her go through life with her good health unimpaired.

Nyal's Vegetable Prescription

will invigorate and tone up the entire system

—supply nourishment to broken down tissues and insure regularity of organic functions. This preparation is peculiarly adapted to any functional disorder and is prompt and effective in its action.

You need have no hesitation—use Nyal's Vegetable Prescription—we know it or we would not recommend it.

A Large Bottle for One Dollar.

E. T. WOODBURN & SON

"The Nyal Drugstore"

Mrs. Heifner will make it to your interest to see her hats before you buy. Everything at Ray's window sale going at a discount, some below cost! 1t

A HOUSE FULL OF SEASONABLE

FALL GOODS

We offer to the buyers of Hereford and vicinity one of the most complete lines of Fall Goods ever shown in West Texas. They are strictly up-to-the-minute in style and material and are priced to suit the times.

Big assortment of the season's Novelties. Large line Ladies' Belts and Collars.

Ladies Ready-to-Wear Suits

We would call especial attention of the discriminating woman buyer to our Fall Tailor-made Ready-to-Wear Suits. Large variety of colors and cloths. Stylish patterns. Prices range from \$12.50 to \$25.00.

Silks and Woolens

Our Silks and Woolens offer a wide range of selections. The patterns and colors are the best of the year. Trimmings to match. Prices are right.

Ladies' and Children's Coats at from \$2.00 to \$25.00.

Big Line of Furs

Especial care was given to our selection of Furs for this year. We are confident you will be pleased with our showing. They are on display and await your inspection. Prices per set range from \$3.00 to \$25.00.

D. R. GASS & SON



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Ye Shall Know Them," says the good book. That's the way we want you to know us.

The Most Tempting Fruits

you can imagine are here in all their luscious beauty. Every country, every clime yield up their best for your enjoyment. Have you acquired the habit of eating fruit for breakfast? Do so by all means. it will tone you up better than anything else you can eat.

Fresh things just arrived are Cranberries, Michigan Concord Grapes, Colorado Apples, Red Ball Oranges and Lemons, Cuba Bananas, home grown Peaches, Tomatoes, Watermelons and Canteloupes.

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Altitude	3810 feet
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Our Public Schools.

In a recent issue of the Brand the classification of the public schools of the county was published as outlined by the county board. This week will be given a few extracts from the same bulletin.

TEACHERS' REGISTERS HELP.

The teachers' daily registers, if properly kept and returned at the close of the school each year to the office of the county superintendent, will be of assistance to the county board of education and the county superintendent in classifying the schools of the county. The register of each school should show the name, age, classification or studies pursued, and the attendance of each child, page reached in each text-book at close of school, or at the time of withdrawal from school, and the promotion or non-promotion of the child. This information will enable the county superintendent to prepare a statement indicating the number of children of scholastic age and of non-scholastic age in the different grades of the school, or where the school of the district has not been properly graded, to prepare a statement showing the number of pupils studying the different subjects of the curriculum; and on this information the county board of education can properly classify the school and limit the instruction offered therein so as to make possible the systematic organization of the work resulting in efficient and satisfactory instruction.

TEACHING ALL GRADES.

It is rankst folly to permit one teacher to attempt to teach all of the classes or the grades of work ranging from the first grade in the primary department up to and including the high school subjects, the number of classes being from twenty to forty per day and the time given to each class being from five to ten minutes. Such is the condition in many of the country schools today, and which condition is sought to be improved by the new law and this course of study. A more reckless waste of the school funds could not, I dare say, be devised, nor could the proper education of the children be more effectually prevented than to continue the plan of organization and work that at present prevails in a majority of the country schools. No wonder



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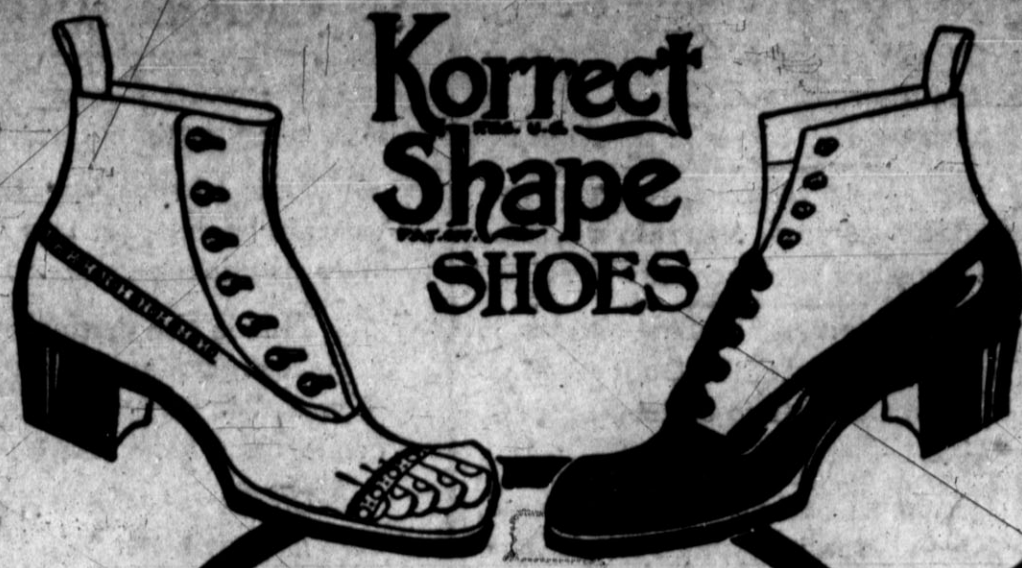
is an object lesson worthy of the most serious consideration of the good citizens of our town.

PURE DRUGS

Each bottle does you good. When sick you want medicine. You can get it here. You can get it here. You can get it here.

We will have a car on the track about

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STRICTLY HIGH CLASS TAILOR-MADE



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Your Safe-Guard**

Burt & Packard are the only concern in the world guaranteeing patent leather shoes made of "Burrojaps" leather.

**STOP A MINUTE
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Absolute assurance against fear, doubt or mistrust in purchasing patent leather shoes. Patent leather has always been considered unreliable. Here is a leather with nothing unreliable about it, it is absolutely guaranteed. **TITE-OKE soles in every pair.**

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If the "Burrojaps" upper breaks through before the first sole is worn through, we will replace with a new pair FREE.

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"EVERYTHING TO EAT AND WEAR"

SHOES

It is with great pleasure that we announce to the public that we have just received our Fall shipments of the Famous Korrekt Shape Shoes—the Guaranteed kind.

We have guaranteed Hose to go with them also. The shoes come in tans and blacks and popular leathers. The styles are the very latest. We want you to call and see them. It will be worth your while.

Fall Line SHEUERMAN Skirts just received in all the late colors and patterns. Big line Silks and Woolens. Trimmings to match. Dorothy Dodd Shoes—the best shoe made for women. A store full of things for particular women. You are always welcome.



GROCERIES!

TELEPHONE 25

Large stock of Fresh Goods. Prompt service. Highest quality. Prices right.

TELEPHONE - 25

many children become discouraged and quit school and parents marvel at the supposed stupidity of their own children, complain at the inefficiency of the teacher, and become indifferent in their moral and financial support of the school!

NUMBER PUPILS PER TEACHER.

Competent authorities are agreed that one teacher should not undertake to instruct more than forty children in the best organized schools, and that the number of years or grades of primary work for one teacher in a well organized school should never exceed two. In a country school, however, on account of the sparseness of population and other unavoidable conditions it has been found advisable to permit one good teacher to give instruction in as many as the four primary grades, where the number of children in said grades does not exceed forty. It is doubtful if one teacher in a country school should even be permitted to attempt to give instruction in all of the seven grades of the intermediate school, and the county board of education, before authorizing an intermediate school of seven grades in a district, has authority to require the district school trustees to provide at least two teachers for such school. Such provision can be made and must be made if the children in the schools are to get full value for the money expended for their education. The county board of education, acting in co-operation with the county superintendent and the district school trustees, has ample authority to promote the efficiency of the schools of the entire county by the wise and judicious exercise of the power conferred by law. A thorough study of the rural high school law with respect to the classification of schools and the limitation of work therein, the consolidation of school districts, and the establishment of high schools should be carefully made, and the attention of district trustees should be directed to the fact that they are authorized under the law to provide transportation to and from

school for such children as live at too great distances to walk to school, if such arrangement in the judgment of the district school trustees is necessary in the conduct of the school.

WEAKNESS OF COUNTRY SCHOOLS.

The fundamental weakness of the country schools of Texas is evidenced by (1) the lack of proper classification and systematic organization of the work of each school, (2) the lack of interrelation among the different schools of the county, (3) the absence of adequately equipped rural high schools, and (4) failure to provide for high school children, who reside in common school districts not maintaining high schools, to attend free of charge the high schools of convenient independent school districts. A practical remedy for this fundamental weakness in the country schools was provided by the Thirty-second Legislature in the enactment of the rural high school law, and this course of study is an effort on the part of the State Department of Education to assist the county superintendent, the county board of education, and the district school trustees in their work for the improvement of the schools.

These articles will be continued from time to time and all the patrons of the public schools should read carefully the above extracts as well as those which may follow.

Notice Stockmen.

Bids will be received by I. E. Hopkins, 9 miles north of Hereford, or C. O. Lee, Hereford, until 12 o'clock noon, Sept. 30, 1911, for the leasing of one grass section with well, windmill and tanks, known as No. 1 well, same being sec. 27, T. 22 N., R. 10 E., in syndicate. For farther particulars call on either party.

The Brand has a new supply of those Passport Railroad Manila second-species cigars every one likes so well. In two sizes, 8 1/2 x 11, and 8 1/2 x 14. Phone No. 30. 3tf

**Roswell Product Exposition,
OCTOBER 5, 6 and 7, 1911**

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Curtiss Aeroplane in daily flights. First airship to be flown in New Mexico. Broncho busting and goat roping. \$350.00 in prizes. Gigantic apple and alfalfa exhibits. Horse and cattle shows. Dazzling Fireworks display. Beautiful Flower Parade. Automobile Contests.

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Fancy
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are sold on an equally low basis. You can get the finest things to eat here at prices you usually pay for the ordinary grade.

CARDWELL BROTHERS

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My Doctor Said

"Try Cardui," writes Mrs. Z. V. Spell, of Hayne, N. C. "I was in a very low state of health, and was not able to be up and tend to my duties. I did try Cardui, and soon began to feel better. I got able to be up and help do my housework. I continued to take the medicine, and now I am able to do my housework and to care for my children, and I feel as though I could never praise Cardui enough for the benefits I have received."

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Cardui is successful, because it is made especially for women, and acts specifically on the womanly constitution. Cardui does one thing and does it well. That explains the great success which it has had, during the past 50 years, in helping thousands of weak and ailing women back to health and happiness.

If you are a woman, feel tired, dull, and are nervous, cross and irritable, it's because you need a tonic. Why not try Cardui? Cardui builds, strengthens, restores, and acts in every way as a special, tonic remedy for women. Test it for yourself. Your druggist sells Cardui. Ask him.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 118



Special Round Trip Rates

SUMMER TOURIST TICKETS on sale daily to September 30. Final return limit October 31, 1911. Call on agent for particulars.

E. R. READ, Agent.

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UP-TO-DATE LIVERY and SALE BARN

When you want a good drive or an up-to-date rig call at our Barn. We have spent a great deal of time and money lately improving and enlarging our premises. We have one of the best barns in West Texas and can give you the best accommodations in any line of livery service. We guarantee courteous and fair treatment to all. Phone 249.

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The Patronage of the General Public is Cordially Solicited.

The Marlin Model 20 REPEATING RIFLE

You can buy no better gun for target work and all small game up to 200 yards.



Without change of mechanism it handles .22 short, long or long-rifle cartridges perfectly. The deep Ballard rifling develops maximum power and accuracy and adds years to the life of rifles.

The solid top is protection from defective cartridge—prevents powder and gases from being blown back. The side ejection never lets ejected shells fall from hand and is a most convenient feature. With simple take-down construction, unobstructed action parts, least parts of any .22—it is the quickest and easiest to clean. A great vacation rifle. Ask any gun dealer.

The Marlin Firearms Co. 42 Willow Street New Haven, Conn.

The Steam Engine

The record of civilization is accurately written in the progress of the steam engine. The use of steam has enlarged the purposes of the human race, built up civilization and developed mankind. Of all the potential energies, it is the most useful and it renders a service to every living creature.

The steam engine has been in more political brawls than any other force in nature and the politicians have been trying title with the owners ever since it became a factor in transportation. This mighty force of nature has often been handicapped by having boards and commissions placed over it who have neither knowledge or experience in the business and free railroads have become as popular a campaign issue as free trade.



ILLINOIS

TEXAS

Railroad mileage is the yard stick of progress. We have in Texas 14,000 miles of railroad and rank first of all states in the Union in mileage. In miles per area, we rank fortieth, having 3.15 miles of railroad per 100 square miles of territory. In mileage per population, we rank nineteenth, having 38.43 miles of railroad per 10,000 people.

The comparative test of railroad facilities is in miles per area. If we had the mileage per area that the state of Illinois has we would have 55,506 miles; that Indiana has 54,000 miles and that Iowa has 46,000 miles. We have only 14,000 miles.

According to the last interstate commerce commission report, compiled June 30, 1909, we constructed 273 miles during the previous year and ranked fourth in the list of states in the Union in construction during the year. We are more in need of railroad construction than any other state in the Union. The railroad development of Texas has not kept pace with the development of other lines of industry. Our railroad mileage during the past ten years has increased 35 per cent; the value of manufactured products has increased 92 per cent; the value of farm lands 15 per cent and the development of all lines of industry has been retarded for want of railroad facilities.

Texas is the most important field in railroad construction of any state in the Union. According to the 1911 comptroller's report, we have forty-seven counties in Texas without railroad facilities and we have approximately 40,000,000 acres of territory that is a distance of ten miles and over from a railroad.

Light running spinner washing machines at Garrison Bros. 33tf

Public School Exercises.

The seats having arrived, the public school will hold a formal opening next Monday at 9:20 a. m. to which the public is invited. A program will be arranged and a large crowd is expected.

NO REASON FOR IT.

When Hereford Citizens Show the Certain Way-Out.

There can be no just reason why any reader of this will continue to suffer the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders, the dangers of kidney ills when relief is so near at hand and the most positive proof given that they can be cured. Read what a Hereford citizen says:

Mrs. Elizabeth Tomamighae, 1506 Miles Ave., Hereford, Texas, says: "About two months ago I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills from Woodburn & Son's Drug Store, as I was then suffering from a pain in my back, together with stiffness in my loins. I found Doan's Kidney Pills to be good for this trouble and also a splendid tonic for the kidneys. They were prompt and effective and I advise their use in all cases of kidney complaints. I do not think there is a better kidney medicine to be had than this one."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Lumley Co., Buffalo, New York, agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

READ for PROFIT

Use for Results

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

They work directly on the KIDNEYS, BLADDER and URINARY PASSAGES, and their beneficial effect is felt from the start. For BACKACHE, KIDNEY and BLADDER TROUBLE, RHEUMATISM CONGESTION of the KIDNEYS, INFLAMMATION of the BLADDER and annoying URINARY IRREGULARITIES they exercise a permanent benefit.

TONIC IN ACTION - QUICK IN RESULTS

F. S. Rexford, 615 New York Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo., says: "I had a severe attack of a cold which settled in my back and kidneys and I was in great pain from my trouble. A friend recommended Foley Kidney Pills and I used two bottles of them and they have done me a world of good."

BETTS-CLARK, Druggists

WANT ADS

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

FIRE INSURANCE is so cheap now that it is in the reach of everyone. Better let me insure your home. R. E. Cook. 10tf

FOR PUMPING ENGINES—See J. L. Johnson at the Sub-Irrigation Plant. 28tf

CALVES FOR SALE—700 native calves, 90 head of 2-year old mules. Address Green Valley Ranch, Umbarger, Texas. 31-4tp

FOR SALE—At a bargain. Kitchen furniture, dining room furniture, dishes, stove, cooking utensils, etc. Apply to or write J. C. Cummins, Hereford, Texas. 32-4tp

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey to be sold at a bargain. See J. T. Lovejoy, 4th house east of Landrum's Nursery. 1tp

WANTED—Your shoe repairing at Norton-Powelson Saddle Co. 35tf

A book for every need in the famous I-P loose leaf goods at the Brand office. Call and let us show you. Endorsed by thousands of business men. Phone 30. 3tf

FOR TRADE—I will trade my home in Hereford for a section of good land. A reasonable encumbrance on the land will not interfere. J. N. Russell. 30tf

Call at The Brand when in need of Legal Blanks.

Windmill Work!

Have your mill repaired, remodeled, rebabbled; your wells cleaned out. First-class work done by men of long experience. Also will dig new wells with good steam outfit. PHONE No. 40.

B. F. Turner

\$4.00 For \$1.50.

Read the advertisement elsewhere in this issue and see how this can be done. \$4.00 worth of real stuff for \$1.50 and this includes a year's subscription to the Brand. The Black Beauty Kitchen Set is guaranteed by the factory to be as good as the best. Come in to see the set.

For summer diarrhoea in children always give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and motor oil, and a speedy cure is certain. For sale by all dealers.

Professional and Business Cards

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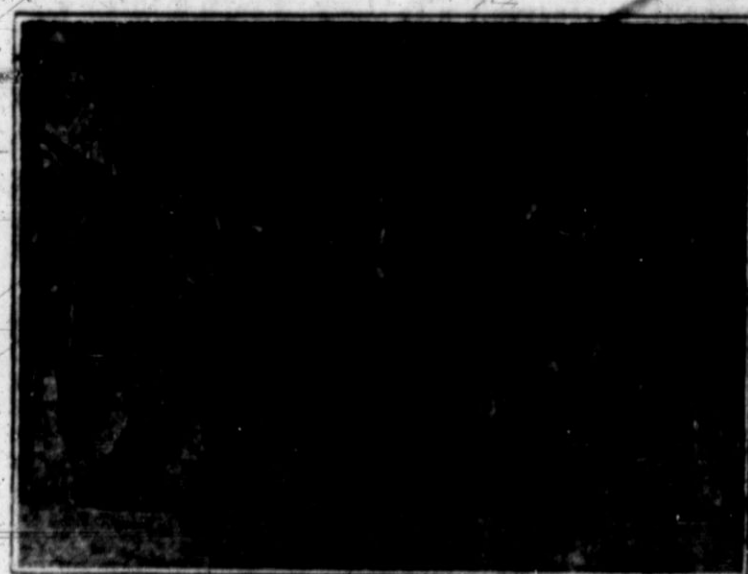
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Complete Abstract of Title to Deaf Smith County Lands.
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HEREFORD NURSERY

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Building	Rate	Altitude.
We handle ALL KINDS of	ing hi	3810 feet
first-class Lumber	who has	3663 feet
meet	made	3887 feet
sure on your part	Hardware	3986 feet
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The Brand \$1 Per Year

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New Telephone Directory.

This office has put out this week a new local directory for the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company. The new list contains 300 names. The farm, city and business phones are all placed in the same alphabetical list, so that it will not be necessary to use two separate places. The suggestions on pages 2, 3 and 4 of the directory are timely and if the patrons, as well as the operators at the switch board, would use them, the service would be greatly improved. The Brand calls special attention to the paragraph on page 4, "Suggestions to Make a Local Call," and for the benefit of those who use the phones the whole paragraph is here given:

Look up the number in the latest directory.

Call central in the usual way.

When operator answers "number" give your order slowly and distinctly one figure at a time, as four-one-six for 416.

When operator repeats be sure she has correctly received the number asked for.

If the line is in use the operator will report "line busy."

If the person does not answer within a reasonable time the operator will report "they don't answer."

When through talking replace the receiver on the hook and turn the handle once, the operator will disconnect and thus permit the use of your line for other calls.

To gain operator's attention any time during a connection, replace the receiver on the hook and give one short ring and repeat until the operator answers.

In answering calls time will be saved if you immediately give your number or name as "This is 156," or "This is Jones Bros. & Co." this informs the person calling that the desired connection is established.

E. H. Steed of Winsboro, Texas, was in Hereford this week and was pleased with our irrigation possibilities especially in the line of truck growing. He was the leader in the organization of truck growers' association in his county several years ago, and as a result of the good work of the association, the county has made rapid strides. Their specialty is tomatoes. He alone raised 1082 crates this year which sold for 70c per crate and many others did as well, all selling through the association. Mr. Steed bought some land in New Mexico and may buy a tract at Hereford.

Irrigation Reservoir.

J. W. Barnett is having built a re-enforced monolithic reservoir with a capacity of 925 barrels. J. L. Johnson has the contract and work is progressing.

President Cousins to Speak.

R. B. Cousins, president of the Northwest Texas Normal, will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 o'clock. The public is invited to hear him.

A. S. Howren of Canyon, Tax Agent for the Syndicate, was in the city yesterday looking after the delinquent taxes of those who had bought land in this county.

Light running spinner washing machines at Garrison Bros. 33tf

Commissioner John Gregory is supporting a brand new baby buick auto in which he sails around with speed and pleasure.

We have shoes Witherspoon & Harrison. 21tf

Mrs. Homer Wilkinson left yesterday for Pote, Okla., where she will visit relatives. Mr. Wilkinson accompanied her as far as Amarillo.

You have a good opportunity to buy china, stick pins, belt pins, hat pins, etc., at R's window sale cheap. 1t

J. D. Jarrott is here this week visiting with his family. They will leave in a few days for their new home at Fort Worth.

Ladies Dress Shoes and a New Line of Ladies Slippers just in, also we carry the Best School Shoes for Boys and Girls to be found. See our Goods. J. G. Callens. 1t

The library of the Woman's Monday Club will be open on Wednesday from 4:30 to 6 and on Saturday from 4 to 6.

Right in your busiest season when you have the least time to spare you are most likely to take diarrhoea and lose several days' time, unless you have Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand and take a dose on the first appearance of the disease. For sale by all dealers.

Rev. J. C. Boyd has resigned the pastorate of the Baptist church at Hereford and will leave next week for Louisville, Ky., where he will enter the Southern Theological Seminary. It is reported that Rev. and Mrs. Boyd are preparing themselves to enter the foreign field as missionaries.

Notice.

The Star Mill and Elevator Company is now ready to take orders for Cotton Oil Cake and Meal in car lots for shipment in Oct., Nov., and Dec. Price \$25.00 per ton, F. O. B. Mills. For further information call or write, Star Mill & Elevator Co., Hereford, Texas. Phone 265. P. O. Box 253. C. R. Holman, local manager. 33-2t

Rev. A. M. Lohman and wife left this week for Attenburg, Mo., where they go on a three weeks' visit to friends and relatives.

I'll meet you at the Corner Drug Store. 38tf

COAL HODS TOMORROW SATURDAY, SEPT. 23

The Fair is going to give you the opportunity tomorrow from **TWO O'CLOCK** in the afternoon until they are all gone of buying a regular

40c VALUE COAL HOD for TEN CENTS

Sales of Coal Hods will be made to married people only. No children need apply. Our new goods are beginning to come in and will be on display for inspection tomorrow.

THE FAIR The People's Store

CITY DELINQUENT TAX LIST 1910—Con. From Page Three

TO WHOM ASSESSED	DIVISION	AMOUNT ASSESSED AND LOCATION IN LOT OR BLOCK	LOTS	BLOCK	TOTAL TAXES
Ward E P	Evants	104x208 ft N.E. Cor		11	1.60
Worley S T	"	91x200 ft Side		7	1.60
Youngblood A W	Womble	Acres S side		4	10.00
Unknown	Evants		9 and 10	20	1.60
Unknown	"		1 to 8	4	6.40
Unknown	"		4 5 and 6	18	2.40
Unknown	"		20 and 21	18	1.60
Unknown	"		22 and 24	18	1.60
Unknown	"		25 and 26	18	1.60
Unknown	"		27	18	1.60
Unknown	"		1 2 7 and 8	17	3.20
Unknown	"		11 to 14	17	3.20

THE STATE OF TEXAS) COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH) I, C. L. Sullivan, Tax Assessor and Collector for the City of Hereford, Texas do hereby certify that the above lots and parcels of land assessed in the Tax Rolls of the City of Hereford, Texas for the year 1910 are delinquent for Taxes due for the year of 1910. C. L. SULLIVAN, Collector.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of August, 1911.

W. E. DAMERON,

Notary Public in and for Deaf Smith County, Texas.

SEAL

The most extensive showing of all hats in the city at Mrs. T. N. Heifner's. 1t

Teach your boys and girls to save their dimes via the Postal Savings Bank route. Its also good for older people who have not learned the lesson of saving.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Ray's window sale is now going on. 1t

T. W. Scales of Amarillo has been here this week. He is one of the most popular agents of the Volunteer State Life Insurance Company.

Mrs. S. T. Shore was called this week to San Jon, N. M., where her mother is seriously ill.

THE HEREFORD BRAND ONLY \$1.00 A YEAR

FRENCH DRY CLEANER

WISH TO ANNOUNCE to my friends and patrons that I have installed a DeVasher French Dry Cleaning Machine for all kinds of cleaning work that usually comes to a first-class tailor shop. No water touches the garment, the work is done quickly, no wrinkles, no possibility of tear. Will be glad to have you call and let me demonstrate this ideal machine. Ladies work given special attention.

JAMES A. SNYDER

STRICTLY HIGH CLASS TAILORING SUITS CLEANING AND PRESSING

Everwear
TRADE MARK
Hosiery

Every member of the family can now have Everwear Hosiery—the kind that are more than merely guaranteed.

For Men, Women and Children

The new children's hose carry the same six months' guarantee as that for men and women. The knees are reinforced the same as the heel and toe. The hose are made of the extra long staple cotton. The lady has twice the number of heels, which permits it to be worn longer.

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