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County Quota Safe; Canvass To Continue, However, To Equalize Load

CUT UP DIDOES IN AIR

Undoubtedly the outstanding feature of the Fifth Liberty Loan Drive, in the minds of the people of this section, aside of course from the fact that we went over the top in eight days, will be the visit of Lieutenants R. B. Wooley and W. B. Hough, of the Aviation Section of the U. S. Army, who arrived in Hereford Saturday morning, May 3, about ten o'clock in their Curtis biplane. They came as representatives of the Government Publicity Division of the Loan Drive, and as an aid to the local Committee in raising our quota.

All Hereford, and large drafts from the surrounding population, were out to greet them at the ball grounds. After being refreshed at the Canteen building Lieutenant Wooley put on an exhibition of trick flying that was applauded for its smoothness, and daring. The birdman looped, flopped, turned upside down, and wound up with a thrilling corker nose dive.

Following this the aviators strapped Troy Womble, largest and buyer at that time, into the spare seat, and Lieutenant Wooley again took the air. Mr. Womble was given a good, steady ride for several minutes.

Meanwhile the Liberty Girls sat lots to see which one would secure the coveted prize of a ride. Miss Helen Sisk drawing the lucky number. She faced the aviators' cap, coat and straps without a quiver, and gaily waved her hand as she soared aloft.

Miss Sisk was treated to "everything he had" in the way of air tricks by the Lieutenant, as he himself expressed it. The gritty young passenger demanded that he cut loose and forget she was in.

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Arizona Editor Reports Fine Conditions

H. R. Sisk, editor of the Nogales Ariz., Daily Herald, accompanied by Mrs. Sisk and baby, spent several days in Hereford the past week visiting his brother Bart, and other relatives and friends. Mr. Sisk reports a brisk business in his thriving little city, and is making extensive additions and improvements to his already modern plant.

"Price of Peace" Attracts Well Pleased Crowd

The great Government War picture "The Price of Peace," was shown at The Star theatre last Friday afternoon and night, and shown free to all. The schools were dismissed in the afternoon and the students attended the picture in a body, overflowing the house and expressing their appreciation in no uncertain terms. The picture was given free through courtesy of Manager Fullwood of the Star.

Rev. Asbell Stops A Sizzling Hot One

As Troy Womble stepped from the airplane last Saturday, following his first flight, the Rev. J. M. Asbell asked him, jocularly, "Well, did you meet Saint Peter up there?"

"Yes," replied Mr. Womble, quick as a flash, "but he didn't ask a thing about you!"

Reverend Asbell, famous for his humor and repartee, failed to respond to the curtain encore.

Army Lieutenants Perform In Many Towns For Loan

Lieutenants R. B. Wooley and W. B. Hough of the Aviation Section of the United States Army who gave such a pleasing exhibition of the art of flying Saturday, were sent out from Taliaferro Field Ft. Worth on April 23, and had put on exhibitions at Moran, Baird, Sweetwater, Benjamin, Haskell, Wellington, Childress, Clarendon, Pampa, White Deer, Amarillo and Canyon. While here they received orders for about seven days itinerary which included Perico, Dumas, Higgins, Panhandle and other North Plains cities.

Lieutenant Wooley's home is Champaign, Illinois, and Lieutenant Hough's home is Chicago. They are gentlemen of excellent qualities. They never seemed to tire of answering the many questions which were asked them, and always answered with the best of grace, although quite a few were absurd and ridiculous. A young lady asked one of the young men if the earth looked round when they were up high in the air, and another asked if they ever got out of sight of the earth. To these kind of questions they replied with all seriousness just such answers that would not offend any one. They did not seem to lose their temper when some enthusiastic person got too much in the way or accidentally stepped thru one of the planes and ripped a large hole in the canvas.

The plane which they were driving was a Curtis Biplane of the Student Type, two passenger in tandem with double control. The plane was driven with a Hispano Suiza engine, 8 cylinder V. engine, 150 horse power, with an economical speed of 85 miles per hour. The engine consumed about eleven gallons of high test gasoline per hour and about a quart of oil. The plane measured 43 feet 7 3/8 inches from tip to tip across and 27 ft. in length. The planes were five feet wide. The propeller was 8 ft. 6 inches across and traveled at the rate of 2000 to 5000 revolutions per minute. The engine was invented by a Swiss and patented in Spain, thus the name "Hispano Suiza." The engines are made in the United States. The United States Government values these machines at \$12,000 each.

Berry Orr Resigns; Leonard Foster Is Deputy Sheriff

Berry Orr, Deputy Sheriff under Sheriff C. S. Purcell, has resigned his position and is in charge of the fine registered Hereford herd of Jones & Dameron on the creek. Mr. Orr has been succeeded as Deputy Sheriff by Leonard Foster, recently returned from France.

If All Pledges Are Met Promptly, And Every One Does His Duty, Patriotic Guarantors Will Be Safe-Guarded

Announcement was made Tuesday by our local Loan Committee that the quota of \$92,500 for this county was safe, and that the amount had been certified to the Federal Reserve Bank; but at the same time warning was issued by the Committee that this announcement was only made possible through the sacrifice of several patriotic citizens who, rather than have the campaign drag on through the allotted period, with consequent stagnation to business affairs, had authorized their subscriptions doubled if need arose to make the quota good.

In other words the remaining balance of the quota is guaranteed by a few men, and those of us who have pledged must make the pledges good, and those of us who have not done our full duty must do so, if these men are not to be

made to suffer for their confidence in the patriotism of their fellow citizens.

On Tuesday of this week Mr. Gilliland wired the Federal Reserve Bank as follows: "Deaf Smith County went over last night." The response to this read: "God Bless the good American citizens of Deaf Smith county. We knew the good old county would respond as usual, and that you would go over the top. Extend to your citizens our sincere congratulations and appreciation of the splendid spirit they have exhibited."

Mr. Gilliland is confined to his bed from overwork, and could not give definite figures this week. He asks the citizens of the county, however, through The Brand, to "keep at it" and be sure to relieve the guarantors of the quota from their responsibility.

Liberty Girls Will Receive Liberty Bond

A thoughtful and well-deserved compliment was paid our Liberty Girls at last Saturday's mass meeting when T. E. Shirley suggested that sums in small denomination be given with which to purchase a Liberty Bond for the Girls. The response was generous, over \$600 being announced within a few minutes.

Senior Class In Play Shows A Lot of Talent

Last Monday evening at the Star Theatre the Senior Class gave their Class Play. The house was crowded to the overflowing point, even though the clouds were so heavy that a storm was almost a sure thing.

The play was one of a patriotic nature, and by the clear and forceful way in which it was presented the fact was brought to those present just how much the man or woman who really made a sacrifice for their country had done to help. The characters all showed time spent in preparing their parts, as well as much native talent.

Hereford should feel very proud of the home talent that was shown in this play and that it was a great success was more than expressed by the overflowing house the first evening, and the request that it be repeated the following evening.

Lyceum Ladies Delight Large Gathering

A packed house greeted the Theresa Sheean Concert Company at the Central School building Wednesday night, in the last Lyceum attraction of this season. Those fortunate enough to attend this number state that it was undoubtedly the best of the entire list, and unstinted praise was heard on all sides of the work of the three young ladies comprising the company.

STORK SPECIAL
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sheppard Sunday May 4, 1919, a girl.
Born—Tuesday May 6, 1919 to Mr. and Mrs. Esker Robinson a five pound baby boy.

Whitten Has Arm Broken By A Horse

E. T. Whitten is a patient at the Sanitarium, where he is being treated for a broken right arm.

Mr. Whitten was thrown from his horse last Friday on a ranch thirty five miles northwest of Hereford, and the horse then kicked him, breaking his arm. The injury is a very painful one, but the arm is slowly mending and it is expected that he will be able to return home about Saturday of this week.

Breeders Hold Big Meeting; To Have Barbecue

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Hereford Breeders Association of Deaf Smith County was held at the Courthouse last Thursday. Many interesting talks were made, and discussions entered into. The report of the Committee on Constitution and Bylaws was read and adopted. Three new members were admitted. A committee, consisting of Ray Barber, Ezra Norton and W. E. Dameron, was appointed to look into the matter of a permanent site for the Annual Sale and the registered division of the County Fair. G. R. Jowell was made an honorary member, and delivered a very valuable and entertaining address.

The next meeting of the Association will be held on July 15, and will be in the form of a barbecue held at the T. C. Tvy ranch on the creek. Members and their families will be entertained in the well-known Ivy style on this occasion with Mr. Ivy furnishing the fatted calf and the membership the red lemonade. This will be in the nature of a "get together" and social meeting, followed by a business session. It is possible that Prof. Jno. C. Burns of the A. & M. Animal Husbandry Department, may be present on this occasion. A list of the membership of the growing organization follows:

W. T. Womble, Henry Wilkinson, D. L. McDonald, Jones & Dameron, R. J. Kibbe, G. H. Womble, Shore Bros., Allen Powelson, S. G. Sanders, J. H. Bowers, Walter Lupton, W. C. Russell, C. C. Bowman, J. C. Sanders, Leslie Neal, C. O. Norton, W. B. Phillips, John Purcell, H. T. Weedle, Geo. B. Combs, L. L. Cannon, Wes Bradley, Chas. Paddock, Ezra Norton, Hinds & O'Brien, T. C. Ivey, C. E. Barber, W. G. Rensison, R. M. Allred, Honorary members—G. B. Jowell, S. B. Holman.

Service Men Show Indifference For Vet Organization

The Soldier and Sailor meeting scheduled for last Thursday night, when Delegate Biggs was to have made report of his trip to San Antonio, failed to materialize through lack of interest of the men, apparently. Therefore this county will not be represented at St. Louis National meeting at St. Louis on May 8.

This is a movement which in time will undoubtedly be very popular with the returned soldiers and sailors but, like every other new organization, has to "show them" before the propat interest is taken.

BATTLE TANK IS VISITOR

"Everybody and the purp," too, seemed to be in Hereford Monday to view the Battle Tank sent to us by the Government in the interest of the Liberty Loan drive. It was probably the largest crowd that has assembled here for years. They came from every direction, and they spent most of the day with us.

The tank arrived on a flat car about 8:30 o'clock and was unloaded at once and started on a round of the business part of town, skirting the paving. The privilege of riding the little monster was accorded the various organizations of the county, the first being the mothers of the boys in Service, then the Liberty Girls, then the Rainbow Girls, with Professors Fertach and Hodges. Next came the Canteen workers. Then the Old Soldiers took their turn, followed by the Boy Scouts. Following this everybody had a turn and the crawling fighting craft looked like a moving mass of humanity.

A novel feature of the exhibition was the ease with which the tank climbed all over our steep railroad dumps, near the creek. The catapillar treads of the fighting machine made nothing of the steep grades, and went up almost perpendicularly seemingly without trouble, to the vast delight of the big crowd.

The tanks was in charge of Privates Clayton F. Warring of Kent, Washington, and Samuel Militello of New York City. It was of forty horse power and had not seen service in France, although just ready to go over when the armistice was signed.

The tank was a complete novelty to most of our people, and the visit and inspection was much appreciated.

Hereford Garage Now Has Two New Owners

A change in the business affairs of The Hereford Garage & Machine Works was announced this week taking effect Tuesday, May 6. E. W. Kinney and George Beams purchased a half interest in the business from Vern Witherspoon and J. H. Weems, the four now holding a one fourth interest each.

Mr. Kinney was formerly interested in the Ford Garage, while Mr. Beams has long been connected with the Hereford Garage as expert mechanic.

Market Hog Is Worth \$92.50 To Owner

What was probably the highest price ever given here for a purely market hog was paid last week by G. W. Brumley to John Wagner for a brood sow, to fill out a car of hogs Mr. Brumley was shipping that day to market. There was no time to weigh the animal, but they agreed on a weight of 300 pounds, for which Mr. Brumley handed over \$92.50.

Our Ball Team Wins One And Loses One

The Hereford base ball team essayed to play two games in one day last Sunday, and as a result took a wallop in the second.

In the forenoon the Whitefaces licked Texico to the tune of 12 to 8. They then drove across to Clovis, stood around in the wind for several hours, became stiff and sore as a consequence, and allowed the Clovis men to scalp them 9 to 3. Features of the day was the all around work of Ralph Smith and a great catch by Caylor against the grandstand.

E. Bailey pitched the first three innings at Texico, being relieved by Curtsinger, who also did the heaving at Clovis. The men state that the delay between games crippled them so that they had no pep or punch at Clovis. The lineup: Ralph Smith, ss, Caylor, 3b, Holloway, lf, Carter, cf, E. Bailey, lb, Whitehead, 2b, Curtsinger, p, Guy Smith, c, Bailey, rf.

Auctioneers See Aviators Pull Stunts Here

Some six or eight members of the Northwest Texas Auctioneers Association met in Hereford last Saturday, with W. S. Williams as host. They participated in the Liberty Loan celebrations of the day, as well as transacting their regular business. Robert Campbell of Canyon was elected President for the ensuing year, W. S. Williams Vice President, J. W. McCrerey of Wayside Secretary, G. W. Adams of Wayside treasurer and C. F. Sjogren Sergeant at Arms.

The Secretary was authorized to attend the National Convention at Chicago May 16 and 17.

Orr And The Top Shop Both Are To Make Move

W. F. Orr has leased the old Carlyle Grocery stand and is having extensive and modern improvements installed, preparatory to moving into the building with his Barber and Tailor Shop. The new Top Shop, owned by L. W. Hough, will move into the old Orr location as soon as vacated.

Exceedingly Attractive Prices

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See our New ATTACHMENT for LISTERS; can be attached to any Lister for killing weeds, cultivation, etc.

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After Deaf Smith county has responded to the patriotic appeal and oversubscribed its quota of the Fifth Liberty Loan Bonds.

As Mr. Gilliland said in his announcement of the accomplishment to the Federal Reserve Director: "And every cent of this quota means a real sacrifice."

After closely watching the people this county show such grim determination to do their duty, however hard it may be, The Brand is more than ever proud of its city, and its county, and its State.

The showery weather keeps up. Nearly every evening the clouds gather. Tuesday night we had a splendid rain. We did not especially need it, and it is holding back farming to a certain extent. One of our good farmers remarked Wednesday that he had about worn out his harrow. But—

can always use it, and most Panhandle farmers had rather fight weeds than dust.

A man and his wife will both vote the same way, why then both at the polls, thus doubling the number of ballots and the cost of holding elections? If the women are to vote against their husbands they will neutralize against the voting power of the family and thus leave the elections to single people after all, so why all this agitation for female suffrage?—Childress Post.

But a man and his wife will not always vote the same way. We tried to vote our wife in the last primary on one candidate and she showed us where to head in. The old theory that a man can vote his wife, or that the wife hasn't an opinion of her own has long since been proven a fable. A woman has a mind of her own, and is just

as capable of the exercise of her reasoning faculties as we men folk. The time was when the anti-equal suffrage advocates could have gotten by with their sort of argument. That time was before women took her proper place along with men as his equal mentally and every other way. Equal suffrage is right, and right must and will prevail.—Lockney Beacon.

The Panhandle Chamber of Commerce is now almost a sure thing. For several weeks leaders in every town and city in this section have been busy. They have known that an organization of this kind, a central organization, would be of great benefit to all.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is a great organization and will be the means of greatly benefitting many sections, though business men in the Panhandle feel that an organization with headquarters nearer home would be of more benefit to people in the Panhandle. Several towns in this section are members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Panhandle organization will in no way conflict with the state organization, but will make it possible for Amarillo and surrounding country to obtain many new industries that would never be realized otherwise.

An organization of this nature would be of great benefit. It will be a home institution for home people. No country has a greater future than the Panhandle, yet unless the people of this section work with untiring efforts, it will be a long time before any great change made may be noted. With the right men at the head of the new organization, this section of the country may expect some visible results and that in the near future. The field is unlimited.

At this time it would be impossible to do anything that would be of more benefit to all, for in truth every property owner and every laborer will be rewarded. It is to be an organization to promote the general welfare of all.

As a stock country the Panhandle ranks with the best, yet cattle men are at disadvantage on account of poor markets. The Panhandle Chamber of Commerce will aid them. With proper inducements it is very reasonable to think that a packing house may be secured. And with a packing house at Amarillo, the success of the cattle growers in this section is assured.

During the past few years the Panhandle country has made a record in agricultural lines. Few districts surpass the Panhandle as a wheat country. Even without more rain many farmers in this section will harvest 40 bushels of wheat per acre this season. The Panhandle Chamber of Commerce could be of untold benefit to the farmers, in the way of finding a good market for this crop.

Too much can not be said in behalf of this proposed organization. Once it is organized its success is assured. The people will find that it is one of the greatest organizations in the country.

It is now only a matter of time until the people of this section are going to demand their rights. As producers they rank with the best, yet their reward has never been satisfactory. With The Panhandle Chamber of Commerce as a spokesman the people may demand their rights. Cooperation is the only sure way to success. Let the organization be made and then ask the people to cooperate.—Amarillo News.

Hereford Banks To Close Here After At 3:00

Notice is hereby given that the three banks of Hereford will hereafter close their doors promptly at three o'clock and no business of any nature will be transacted after closing hours.

This has been made necessary because the patrons of the banks have carelessly and unthoughtfully ceased to respect the opening and closing hours of the local institutions and continue to call to transact business long after three o'clock and as early as they can get into a bank before time in the morning.

The bankers themselves have indulged their clientele in this respect until it has become almost impossible for the officers and employees to find time to transact the business of the bank which has to be attended to, such as getting out their correspondence and balancing their books when the day's

work is over, and with the increased amount of work imposed upon the officers and employees of the banks during the war, it has made it practically impossible for them to do their work, much less get any rest or recreation.

The banks of other communities have for sometime past been forced to observe their regular hours and in announcing our future policy in this respect, we are only restoring the custom that was abandoned during a period of time when the keeping of office hours was not of prime importance but with a restoration of normal times and the increased amount of work, it is an absolute necessity and we respectfully ask the cooperation of our patrons to the end that the privilege of transacting business in the banks after regular hours be not abused, thereby increasing the efficiency of your banks very materially.
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The company will consist of six splendid soloists, supported by flute, piano and violin. They are perfectly capable of singing anything in music, yet the bulk of their program is to consist of the songs that have long been favorites with the public. Old favorite songs will mean more to us after we have heard them sung by these artists, for they know how to put the sentiment into them with their rich expressive voices. Elaborate stage settings designed especially for this company by Mattern of New York City will lend added effectiveness and charm to this important program.

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IT'S NOT YOUR HEART IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced back to kidney trouble. The kidneys are the most important organs of the body. They are the filters, the purifiers, of your blood. Kidney disease is usually indicated by weakness, sleeplessness, nervousness, dizziness, backache, stomach trouble, pain in loins and lower abdomen, gall stones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica, and lumbago. All these derangements are nature's signals to warn you that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The soothing, healing oil stimulates the kidneys, relieves inflammation and destroys the germs which have caused it. Do not wait until tomorrow. Go to your druggist today and insist on GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In twenty-four hours you should feel health and vigor returning and will bless the day you first heard of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil. After you feel that you have cured yourself, continue to take one or two capsules each day, so as to keep in first-class condition and ward off the danger of other attacks. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand. Three sizes. Money refunded if they do not help you.

3:00 p. m.

IS OUR CLOSING HOUR. THE THREE HEREFORD BANKS HAVE AGREED TO CLOSE AT THIS HOUR EACH DAY, AND TRANSACT NO BUSINESS UNTIL THE FOLLOWING DAY. SEE THE JOINT ANNOUNCEMENT TO THIS EFFECT.

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Program for week beginning May 12th

Monday and Tuesday, May 12 and 13.

A BRADY SPECIAL

"LITTLE WOMEN"

Mutt and Jeff in "LANDING AN HEIRESS"

Wednesday and Thursday, May 14 and 15

Wallace Reid in

"THE DUB"

*Seventh Episode of "THE MAN OF MIGHT"

Friday and Saturday, May 16 and 17

A BIG FOX SPECIAL

Second Episode of "THE TERROR OF THE RANGE"

Matinee every Friday and Saturday. Picture starts 3:00, doors open 2:30.

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Castro County Farmers
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CASTRO COUNTY

Next Friday night the pupils in Mrs. Rayzor's room will give a program call "The American Flag."

Rev. Hill of Canyon will preach the commencement sermon next Sunday morning. The following Wednesday evening the graduating exercises will be held and on Friday evening the students of the high school will give a play.

Mr. John Lange and other officers of the German Mutual Fire Association were in town Monday getting the papers arranged to pay the insurance on Mr. John McCormack's house and contents.

Judge Kerr and family went to Hereford Tuesday morning to see Mr. and Mrs. Dock Lovelace off for LaFera, Texas, their future home.

Mr. Johnson and Mr. McCune of Tullia were in Dimmitt Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Vaden received a telegram from her son Jeffie saying he had landed in New York last Tuesday.

Mr. W. B. Green and son, Lt.

James Green, were in town last Monday.

Mr. John McCormack was in town last Monday.

Mr. Houston and family passed through here enroute to Hereford last Tuesday.

Mr. Louie Huseman of Nazareth was accidentally killed by a horse falling with him last Wednesday. He was buried Thursday morning.

Mr. Vernie Lust came in this week. He had been doing Guard Duty in the Philippines.

Quite a number of people from here went to Hereford last Saturday to take in the war picture show and to see the Airplane.

Mr. Dick Dickson came in last Saturday. He had lately come over from France.

Mr. Morris Kimble has accept-

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ed a position in the City Drug store.

M. Sweptston a Layman of Tullia, occupied the pulpit Sunday morning.

Mrs. Rayzor, Mrs. Warwick and Miss Winkleman spent the week end at their homes.

The Victory Liberty Loan drive was held at the school house Sunday afternoon. Castro County Committee was assisted by the Deaf Smith county Committee. The Liberty Girls of Hereford rendered a delightful program which was enjoyed by all. A very stirring speech was made by Mr. Carl Gilliland. We went over the top as usual, our quota being ten thousand six hundred, but sixteen thousand two hundred and fifty dollars was raised in a short time. The largest amount subscribed was one thousand dollars by Mr. Jeff Gilbreath.

Mrs. Bruce McLean returned from a month's visit at Artesia, last Wednesday.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of expressing to the good people of Castro County our deep appreciation for the many acts of kindness and the neighborly assistance given us during the hours of our recent sorrow and trouble growing out of the burning of our home and the death of our little ones. You have put upon us a debt that we can never repay.

J. S. McCormack and Wife.

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REGISTERED AT HOTELS

Amarillo, Texas—E. Brands, O. M. Lash; Robt. T. Somil, J. B. Ratliff, Jack Blake, O. B. Holland, V. I. Stevenson, Doc. Balton, E. T. Smith, Chas. Heard, R. G. Whyman, C. H. Barnes, Earl Bennett, Mrs. H. G. Ballard, H. W. Earle.

Canyon, Texas—T. J. Cochman, J. R. Daniel, W. R. Harris, W. A. Daniel, R. A. Campbell, J. L. Dufflot.

Dalhart, Texas—Miss E. Shackelford, Clifford Braly, Judge Reese Tatemam.

Dimmitt, Texas—W. S. Kerr, Jay Hastings, Leland Smith, B. C. White, E. H. Noble, Elmer Noble.

Abeline, Texas—A. E. Henderson.

Dallas, Texas—S. A. Longman, R. W. Mago, Roy Bregg.

Bovina, Texas—P. J. McDonald.

Plains, Texas—F. L. Boyd.

Vernon, Texas—V. Y. McCurdy.

Houston, Texas—J. P. Diome.

White Deer, Texas—Mrs. W. A. McDuff and daughter.

Black, Texas—G. A. Doffin.

Sherman, Texas—W. W. Pitts.

Big Square, Texas—Emerson Weyer.

St. Louis, Mo.—Henry J. Loeb.

Chicago, Ill.—C. W. Alexander.

J. O. Flead, C. K. Webster.

Grand Summers, Kansas—L. L. Hiath.

Onaga, Kansas—Chas. Day.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—F. A. Jones.

Kansas City, Mo.—R. M. Gaines

Brood Sows Will Pay Their Way!

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any constable of Castro County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon C. L. Dewees, William J. Dewees, Ida M. Stockton, Charles W. Stockton, Lowrissa O. Dewees, Dora A. Dewees, Joseph W. B. Dewees, by making publication of this citation for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Castro County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Dimmitt, on the Third Monday in May, 1919, the same being the 19th day of May, 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of April 1919, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1361, wherein J. R. Sowell is plaintiff and C. L. Dewees, William J. Dewees, Ida M. Stockton, Charles W. Stockton, Lowrissa O. Dewees, Dora A. Dewees and Joseph W. B. Dewees are defendants. Said petition alleging that Plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of all of Survey No. 12, Block M, Castro County, Texas, containing 160 acres, claiming the same under the following title: Patent from the State of Texas to C. L. Dewees, dated March 9, 1894, recorded in Vol. 1, page 28, Patent Records of Castro County, Texas; Warranty Deed from C. L. Dewees to Lillie Dewees, dated November 8, 1894, recorded in Vol. 4, page 547, of the Deed Records of Castro County, Texas; Warranty Deed from Lillian Dewees and husband C. L. Dewees to S. Kirksey, dated December 23, 1891 and recorded in Vol. 5, page 415 of the Deed Records of Castro Co. Texas; Warranty Deed S. Kirksey and wife Josie Kirksey to W. T. Strickel dated July 24, 1902 and recorded in Vol. 6, page 133, of the Deed Records of Castro County, Texas; Warranty Deed W. T. Strickel and wife Bessie P. Strickel to J. R. Sowell dated October 28, 1918 and recorded in Vol. 22, page 286 of the Deed Records of Castro Co. Texas.

Plaintiff would show to the Court that he and those under whom he claims are and have been in continuous, peaceable

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and adverse possession of said tract of land under title from and under the State of Texas, for more than three years before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff would show to the Court that he and those under whom he claims are and have been in continuous, peaceable and adverse possession of said tract of land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying the taxes thereon and claiming the same under deed or deeds duly registered for more than five years before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff would show to the Court that he and those under whom he claims are and have been in continuous, peaceable and adverse possession of said tract of land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for more than ten years, before the commencement of this suit.

That the defendants are asserting some claim to said land, the nature of which is to plaintiff unknown but which is inferior to Plaintiff's title, and that by reason of said pretended claim a cloud is cast on plaintiff's title to his damage.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendants be cited to appear and answer herein and that upon final hearing he have judgment quieting his title to said tract of land and removing the cloud on plaintiff's title and divesting defendants of all title, if any they have, and vesting same in plaintiff and for any further relief, in law or equity that he may show himself entitled to.

Herein full not, but have before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness W. L. Rickett Clerk of the District Court of Castro County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court in the town of Dimmitt this 23. day of April, A. D. 1919.

W. L. RICKETT,

Clerk of District Court of Castro Co.
Issued this 23 day of April 1919.
13-4t.

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PARMER COUNTY

FRIONA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Max Brownlee of near Dimmitt, were guests of W. E. Goodwine and family Sunday.

Most of our farmers have begun planting their rowcrops and some of them already have a considerable acreage planted. All agree that the ground was never before in so fine a condition for planting and starting a crop as it is now. Many believe that enough season is now in the ground if properly conserved to produce a fair crop. Wheat and oats are looking most promising and grass was never better. Verily, "Ceres" doth smile on the Panhandle.

It is predicted by some that good crops this season will bring an influx of new settlers to the Friona country.

W. J. (Daddy) Foster, who was formerly one of Friona's leading business men, was visiting friends here last week.

Cloe Wright, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright, was run over Sunday afternoon by a car driven by John Gamble, the young son of O. A. Gamble.

The little girl received some painful bruises but fortunately no serious injuries were sustained.

A large number of cattle have been dipped during the past three weeks at the vat constructed by G. C. Taylor on his ranch northwest of town. It is given out by inspector Martin that all cattle must be dipped this fall.

The Baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. Willman at the Congregational church at 8:30 p. m. next Sunday. Everybody cordially invited.

The Commencement exercises of the present term of school will be held in the auditorium of the school building on Friday night, May 16. Three girls compose the graduating class.

The Friona ball team was successful over Portales Sunday at that place in a score 24 to 12.

R. H. Kinsley was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Dayton Hanson has moved his family into R. G. Clennin's property on north Main street.

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BROOD SOWS AND DAIRY COWS!

Bangalore, India,
January 3rd, 1919.
To the Ford Auto Company
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Sirs:
I was reading a few advertisements of different papers on autos, pertaining to what they have done in this war. But nothing about our little Ford. So I'm writing you a few facts, which are as follows:

In France 700 cars out of 1,000 were Fords.

In Italy 850 cars out of 1,000 were Fords.

In Egypt 996 cars out of 1,000 were Fords.

In Meso. 999 cars out of 1,000 were Fords.

Under British capture, the first car in Bagdad was a Ford.

The first car to cross the Persian Mountains was a Ford.

The first car in the genuine Garden of Eden was a Ford.

The first car in the Holyland was a Ford.

Lines of communication contained Fords by the hundreds from Bagdad to the Black Sea.

I have seen the Fords used as tanks, armoured moving forts, electric light plants, water pumps, ambulances, supply cars, and lots of other things, and they were always ready for anything at any time.

These statements are facts as I have served in action all through the countries named. And I name the Ford the best auto in the world. The Iron-Mule-With-a-Kick.

I remain, Your friend,

Bosun Gilbert, 313331-W. R. I. W.

T. R. E.
A British American; Bangalore, India.

P. S.—Also when we recaptured Kut, the first thing we landed on was a Ford with nothing left of it but its under frame, bare wheels, and engine. Forty-five minutes afterwards, Mr. Ford was manned by a machine gun, and was on the chase of the retreating Turks and the Cobra Hun.

SOME RECORD

The above tells its own story. We have not added to, or detracted from it, one word or syllable, and it is doubtful if higher tribute could be paid to the sterling merits and all around dependability of a

motor car than that coming to the Ford car through this simple letter from a soldier, who would not have the opinion he has of the Ford Car if he had not seen it deliver a service unequalled, not only in the history of war, but in the history of peace.

Mrs. Price Bruce Read, of Hereford, was a visitor on April 25th at the big exhibit of Southern California products maintained free to the public in the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce. She also attended the lectures and moving pictures that are part of the daily program. The exhibit is the largest of any in the country maintained by a commercial organization. Before returning home, Mrs. Read expects to visit several of many other places of interest in the Southland.

Robert L. Finch, known to his friends as "Bob," speaks the last day of the Chautauqua on "Shifting Gears." "Shifting Gears" is a community lecture. Every one who hears "Shifting Gears" becomes a better citizen. It enlightens people on the responsibilities of citizenship and helps to make this a better town to live in. Bob Finch has the happy faculty of being able to dwell on the weakness of communities without offending and he is one of the few really constructive and interesting community lecturers before the American public today.

The Methodist Missionary Society will meet at the church May 14, 1919, for the Bible Study lesson. Our Supt. of Study has assigned the following lesson.

Song
Prayer
Scripture Psalms 103
Song—Mrs. Welliver.
Lesson—Entire 5th Chapter
Members are to be prepared to answer questions at end of chapter.
One minute discussion on each daily reading.
Reading—Edith Rayzor
Song
Business Session.

"Methodist Centenary Rally."

The Methodists will entertain and rally themselves at their church on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, May 12th, in the way of a "Methodist Centenary Rally."

The printed program announces some things to eat and drink, interspersed with speechmaking, and further states that it is "free and that no collections or subscriptions will be asked." All Methodists over 12 years of age are invited.

Evidently something unusual is to be pulled off at the Methodist church next Monday night about 8 o'clock. In fact, it is unusual for Methodists to bar from any meeting their members under 12 years of age. And it is very unusual indeed, to bring together a large congregation in their church and not take a collection or ask for a subscription. We believe that if we were a Methodist and over 12 years of age we would go and see what is going to happen about there next Monday night.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express to the good friends and neighbors of this community our appreciation and thankfulness of their untiring and unselfish assistance to us during the sorrow through which we have just passed in the death of our wife and mother. May God's blessings rest upon you.

H. G. Garnett and children.

DEATH OF MRS. GARNETT.

Mrs. H. G. Garnett, aged 62 years 9 months and two days, died Monday May 5, 1919. She was born in Carthage, Ill., July 15, 1856. Funeral services were held May 7, 1919, at the First Christian church at three o'clock, conducted by Elder T. G. Nance. Besides her husband Mrs. Garnett is survived by one brother, J. A. Ross of Lott, Texas, two sisters, Mrs. Joe Ennis of Kentucky, and Mrs. L. Edwards of LaPlatta, Mo., one daughter, Mrs. C. B. Ross of Hollene, New Mexico, and one son E. P. Garnett of Narvissa, New Mexico.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, on the 30th day of April 1919 by A. O. Thompson Clerk of said court against J. A. Powell et al for the sum of twenty three hundred twenty and 62/100 (\$2320.62) dollars and cost of suit in cause No. 1156 in said court, styled Silas A. Billington versus J. A. Powell et al and placed in my hands for service, I, C. S. Purcell, as Sheriff of Deaf Smith County, Texas, did, on the 30th day of April 1919 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Deaf Smith County, described as follows, to-wit all of survey or section number twenty in township number three north of range number one east being a part of Capitol League number 418 and containing 640 acres of land and being situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said W. D. Jones and Bertie F. Jones and on Tuesday, the 3rd day of June 1919, at the Court House door of Deaf Smith County, in the town of Hereford, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. D. Jones and Bertie F. Jones by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Hereford Brand, a newspaper published in Deaf Smith County.

Witness my hand, this 30th day of April 1919.

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Sheriff, Deaf Smith Co., Texas

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Are the wheels on your car out of line, making it hard to steer. Let us line them up for you.

We want to help you get full value out of your tires. Our section work and retreading is absolutely guaranteed.

A few rebuilt casings for sale. Tire examination and advice given free.

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Best Bargain in shallow water section in Deaf Smith county.

Have some dandy resident property for sale at the right price.

4174 acres, all in solid body, fenced; small improvements; all good, level land. Only 12 miles from Hereford. Best buy in this country. Only \$16.50 per acre. A money maker, and I want to sell it.

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I have sold my farm, and must give possession soon. I will therefore sell at public auction at my farm, three miles south and two miles east of Hereford, Texas, two miles east of the Dimmitt Road, and one-half mile southeast of the Frio Draw, the following described property:

Tuesday, May 13

Beginning Promptly at 11 a. m. Mothers Club will Serve Lunch

12 Head Horses

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| 1 span black mares, 7 and 8 years old, weight about 2400, pounds with one colt by side | 1 good work mare, about 15 years old, weight about 1100 |
| 1 gray mare, 8 years old, sound, weight about 1200, with foal by Jack | 1 span bay mares, 7 and 8 years old, weight about 2200, sound, and with foal by Jack |
| 1 spotted horse, 7 years old; broke to harness and saddle | 1 span black matched fillies, one year old past; good ones. |
| 1 bay mare, 7 years old, weight about 1100 | 1 span yearling colts, mare and horse |

13 Head Cattle

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| 2 good young Jersey milk cows, both with calf by side | 3 Jersey heifers, coming three year olds, to be fresh soon |
| 2 black Jersey cows, both with calves | 2 short yearling steers |

6 Head Hogs

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| 5 Duroc-Jersey brood sows, 2 with pigs now, balance to farrow soon | 1 full-blood male Duroc-Jersey, about one year old |
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Farm Machinery

- 1 Moline Sulkey Rake, good as new
- 1 5-foot McCormack Mower, in good condition
- 1 2-section Harrow
- 1 3-section Harrow
- 1 John Deere single row Lister
- 1 Case single row Lister
- 1 McCormack Row Binder
- 1 Oliver single row Cultivator
- 1 John Deere single row Cultivator
- 1 Disc and Knife Go-Devil
- 1 Sled Knife Go-Devil
- 1 P & O Gang Mould Board Plow
- 2 Farm wagons, with racks and beds
- 1 Garden harrow
- 1 4-horse disc harrow
- 1 12-inch Walking Plow
- 1-Bowsher Feed Grinder
- 1 single buggy and harness
- 5 sets work harness
- 1000 bushels Kafir and Maize, good enough for seed. Will be sold in small lots to suit purchaser.
- Chicken coops, hog wire, double trees; numerous other things.

TERMS:—(except Grain) all sums of \$15.00 and under cash; all sums over \$15.00, nine months time with bankable note, with approved security by the First State Bank & Trust Co., of Hereford, 8 percent interest from date; 5 percent off for cash.

Henry Schuttie, Owner

W. S. WILLIAMS, Auctioneer, Hereford, Texas

Clerked by The First State Bank & Trust Co., Hereford

FROM CHAS. A. GREER

Toulon, France, April 2, 1919

Dear Mamma: I have just got back from a ten days' convoy across France so I suppose that you are anxious to hear from me. I am getting along fine minus a pretty bad cold. We went by train to Romarin, a place close by Toulon to get twelve ambulances. We spent eight days on the return trip and we came through Orleans, Paris, Chateau Thierry and Chalons. We spent a day in Orleans and I saw all the historical spots that I could find anything about.

Am sending you a bunch of pictures so you can tell quite a bit more about my description. That was the city that Joan of Arc besieged. I saw the spot where she crossed the river to get into the city and we crossed over the same bridge that she had. I intended crossing but it was too heavily guarded by the English. I visited the cathedral where she went to pray after entering the city. It is the most magnificent building that I have ever seen. The front part dates from the 14th century and the back part from the 12th century.

We went around the eastern edge of Paris so I didn't get to see much of it. Strong fortifications are thrown up all around the city. The part of the city

that I saw was built right up to the edge. It looked very queer to see buildings from four to eight stories on one side of the street and open country on the other, not counting the string of earthen defenses. Paved roads lead for miles out of Paris. I didn't see what I expected when we came through Chateau Thierry. The town wasn't shot up but very little but there were lots of bullet marks on the buildings. I couldn't find out where the actual battle took place.

We finally managed to get in to Toul but we had quite a bit of breakdowns.

I made a trip to Neufchateau yesterday and came back by the famous city of Douaumont where Joan of Arc was born. Her old house is remarkably preserved but was repaired some years ago. The old fireplace is still just as she left it and the wooden beams overhead are as solid as ever. The house was over seven hundred years old. The woodwork was mutilated by half-bred souvenir cravers who were endeavoring to carry the whole thing away.

I visited the memorial in her honor which was erected on the spot where she first received her vision. It is a beautiful thing and has some splendid paintings on the walls.

Well from all accounts I think that this detachment will rejoin the company in a day or two. The company is moving to a different place to establish a hospital or something.

You were asking me questions about the different cities over here so I am sending you a map and you can tell more about it. I will trace the different roads I have been over since coming here.

No Toul isn't a large place at all and it is far from being a beautiful city. Lyon isn't in the war zone at all. It is between Paris and Marseilles and is a pretty nice looking city. Don't worry about me when you don't hear from me very often, for I will write as often as I can.

Am sending papa, Glenn and Percy a little souvenir watch chain that I bought in Douaumont. Answer soon. Charles Greer. Amb. Co. 39.

Romagne, France, April 8, 1919

Dear Mamma: Well we have made that move that I

wrote you about and I am certainly not pleased with it. This place is northwest of Verdun and is in the Argonne sector. The country around here is nearly destroyed and the towns are mostly spread out over the ground in little pieces. This is in a few kilometers from Dun, the place where the armistice was signed. The Germans certainly must have been on the run when they passed through this country for they didn't dig any trenches and the fields are littered with their equipment. Every one of us have a bunch of German rifles.

This is a big negro camp and they are digging up the dead Americans and putting them in one big cemetery.

We are here to open up a field hospital and we are building the wards and barracks now. It will be several days before it is opened.

We are sleeping on spring beds and mattresses now and we consider that a luxury indeed.

Stenay, the place where the company was stationed was the Crown Prince's headquarters for four years.

We have a piano here that was taken out of a German dugout. Some of them are fitted out with valuable furniture and pianos. It was a shame to break up their little playhouse.

Dun, the town where the armistice was signed is only a few kilometers from here. I am on permanent guard now so I may not get to learn the carpenter's trade. We have a little guard to do around camp here.

Will write again in a few days. Your son, Chas. A. Greer

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express to our neighbors and friends our sincere thanks and appreciation for their many acts of kindness toward us during the recent illness and death of our father.

Alvin C. Thompson and Family

NOTICE

This is to advise that I have sold my Blacksmith Shop and expect to leave here by the 15th.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to me please call and settle before that date, or I will be forced to leave accounts in a Collector's hands.

15-2t A. C. BARNHART.

THE BACKMAN-TINSEH WILD ANIMAL CIRCUS

Entirely New Departure in Tented Amusements, Coming Here For One Day Only.

At last Hereford is to see the newest novelty in out-door tented amusements, when the new Backman-Tinseh two ring wild animal circus comes Thursday, May 15th and to its credit everyone will concede the program for extreme novelty is unequalled in thrilling wild animal training.

This organization is a well known enterprise in all the largest cities and now for the first time will devote its endeavors to all sizes of cities and towns, giving the same high-class entertainment at every place where the big tents are erected.

This enterprise is calculated to please every admirer of wild and domestic animal training, and is particularly pleasing to the children and the ladies, for when the management pays particular attention, and where they are as safe and comfortable as at a lecture, or in their own home.

A big thrilling lion act by a skilled trainer is one of the features, interspersed with all kinds of startling and dangerous performances, in a long and praiseworthy program.

For the children and all the little ones, this management has made such special provision and attractive arrangements that they will never forget the pleasant visit to the big Backman-Tinseh Wild Animal Circus, for during the visit to this clean, clever and well conducted enterprise all the little folks will be invited to ride and play with the educated ponies, the little horses and complete a full day's enjoyment.

Habitual Constipation Cured in 14 to 21 Days

"LAX-FOS WITH PEP-SIN" is a specially prepared Syrup Tonic-Laxative for Habitual Constipation. It relieves promptly but should be taken regularly for 14 to 21 days to induce regular action. It Stimulates and Regulates. Very Pleasant to Take. 60c per bottle.

Wall paper—big stock, old price. 18-4t E. H. BLACK CO.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 24th day of May, 1919, at Summerfield School House, in Summerfield Common County-Line School District No. 1 of Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer counties, as re-established and redesignated by the joint action of the county boards of trustees of Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer counties on the 3d day of July, 1918, which is recorded in Book No. 1, page No. 1, book designated "Record of School Districts," Deaf Smith Co., to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property-taxpaying voters of that district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said common County-Line school district in the amount of \$12000.00, the bonds to be of the denomination of \$100 each, numbered consecutively from "1" to "120," both inclusive, payable forty years from their date, with option of redemption after twenty years, and bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable annually on April the 10th, of each year to provide funds to be expended in payment of accounts legally contracted in building and equipping a public free school building of brick material and to determine whether the Commissioners Courts of Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer counties shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds or any of them are outstanding, a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state and in one of the three counties and who are resident property taxpayers in said district shall be entitled to vote at this election.

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this county by order made on the 23d day of April, 1919, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated this the 23d day of April, A. D. 1919.

C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff, Deaf Smith County, Texas. 13-4t By BERRY ORR, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County on the 26th day of March 1919, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Commercial Investment Trust versus A. T. Tokell, et al. Case No. 1171 and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sale, on the second Monday in May A. D. 1919, being the 12th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County in the town of Hereford the following described property, to-wit:

One Strickbaker Motor Car, Touring Model Eighteen, Serial No. 100920, Motor No. 10965. Levied on as the property of A. T. Howell and Mrs. A. T. Howell to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$818.15 in favor of Commercial Inv. Trust and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 29th day of April 1919.

C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff. 14-2.

Raise Berkshires

Both market and crop conditions indicate big prices for hogs for the next year at least. Hogs are scarce not only here but all over the country. I have for sale some well bred Berkshire gilts old enough to farrow this fall. Good individuals and reasonable prices for the breeding. These gilts are by Epechal's Lone Star, son of the famous \$50,000 Epechal.

Ask the Man Who Irrigates

D. L. McDonald



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"Spoiling the ship for a penny's worth of tar"

You know the old saying—Don't let this happen to our American Ship of State.

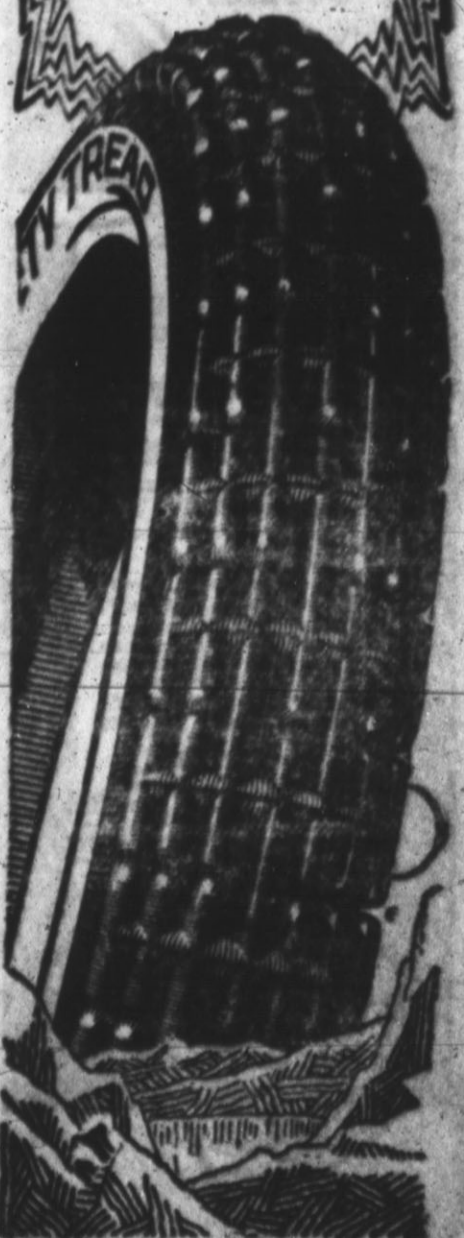
Our Country has never stood higher in the eyes of the world than it does today. A place second to none among the Nations has come to us—a place in the sun calling upon us Americans to be teachers and exponents instead of followers.

We fought to make the World a decent place to live in, now we must PAY to KEEP the World a decent place to live in—the eyes of all people are upon us, we must put this Victory Loan over in double quick time.

Remember, 4 3/4 per cent—a quarter more this time, and with America's whole resources behind you. Do it now. Do your bit towards steering our American Ship of State towards the greatest smooth sailing prosperity the world has known—and finish this war in a business like way.

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Special Sale
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Dishes

During the
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ANNOUNCE PROGRAMS GRADUATION EXERCISES

The Superintendent and faculty of the Hereford High School are pleased to announce the graduating exercises with the following programs:

SUNDAY MAY 11, AUDITORIUM CHRISTIAN CHURCH

March—Mrs. Dyar.
Doxology
Lord's Prayer
"Gloria Patria."
Song.
Scripture—Rev. J. E. McClurkin.
Prayer
Special Music—Chorus.
Sermon—Rev. J. M. Asbell.
Benediction.

TUESDAY MAY 13, 8:30 P. M. AUDI- TORIUM CHRISTIAN CHURCH

March—Miss Minnie Dee Coffin
Quartet—Misses Owen, Mounts,
Greene, and Lucas.
Reading—Sena Mae Mounts.
Piano Solo—Jessie Womble.
Salutatorian—Dorothy Boardman.
Vocal Solo—Helen Lambert.
Valedictorian—Frankie Mae Baker.
Address—Prof. J. L. DuFlot.
Delivering of Diplomas.

Big line of dishes and glass-
ware just received at Skelton's.

The Sophomores enjoyed a lawn party given by the Juniors of the H. H. S. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burns Thursday the twenty ninth at eight o'clock. Many lively games were played also two prizes were given as contest games were enjoyed among the others. The couple winning first prize was Miss Victoria Wilson and Leland Gilbreath; while Miss Lura Gregg and William Baker won second prize.

At exactly eleven o'clock delicious refreshments of Brick ice cream and cake were served to the happy bunch after which "Flying Dutchman" was enjoyed for a short time then all went to their homes after expressing to Mr. and Mrs. Burns thanks for the most enjoyable evening spent in their home.

A palatable sauce, especially good with boiled beef or steak, is made by adding grated horse-radish and a little vinegar to a little whipped cream, or as follows:

Thicken milk with cracker crumbs by heating them together in a double boiler, using 3 table-

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spoons of cracker crumbs to 1 1-2 butter and flour some of the water cups of milk. Add one-third of a in which the meat was boiled; add a generous quantity—1 or 2 table- tablespoons of butter, and one-half spoons—of grated horse-radish, teaspoon of salt; or thicken with boil a short time, and serve.

SOCIETY AND CLUBS

MISS CECIL GILLILLAND, Phone 30

BAY VIEW CLUB

Wherever an invitation to an "Open Meeting" is received from the ladies of the Bayview Club, the event is anticipated with the greatest pleasure, knowing full well how enjoyable these occasions have been in the past. This year the Bayviews most graciously received their friends at the home of Mrs. Chas. Donald on Thursday, May 1st, from 9 to 11. A perfect May morning it was, and the Donald home was beautiful in its spring attire.

Upon entering each guest was given a "basket of flowers"—an emblem of May Day—where upon was daintily inscribed the program for the occasion.

Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, in a charming manner, conducted the program, presenting the first "flower"—a piano solo, Gavotte in B Minor, by Arthur Foote, beautifully played by Mrs. Dyar.

Mrs. Ferguson then received in a most interesting way, the year's work, which had been a study in Modern Drama.

The Scotch ballad, "My Highland Mary," Burns. Bartlett, was never sung more sweetly than by Miss Jane Gregg.

We were held spell bound by the readings of Mrs. Guthrie, who contrasted Shaw's Anthony and Cleopatra with Shakespeare's. Her

marvelous memory aided in showing the different style in which these two masters handled their subject.

A double number, Forethough by Lambert, and Dear Old Pal of Mine by Lieut. Rice, were sweetly sung by Miss Elzina Mounts, whom we all love to hear. A most interesting and instructive paper, on Vocational Education, was beautifully read by Mrs. Roloson, which closed this feast of wit and wisdom, music and flowers.

Dainty refreshments of Neapolitan cream and cake were served.

A GUEST

Come to Skelton's next Saturday and see what you can buy for 49 cents.

The W. O. W. and the circle entertained the families of the members and their friends last Saturday evening in the W. O. W. hall. A most enjoyable evening was spent, a good program rendered, and also a report was given of the convention at Dallas by the delegates. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Don't forget; when you want a sack of flour we have the PERFECTO, the best on the market. Hereford Produce Company.

RECITAL

Pupils of Misses McClurkin and Minnie Dee Coffin, Central School Auditorium
Monday May 12,
8:00 p. m.

PROGRAM

"In Rank and File"	Longe
Maud Dalton	
Silent Night	Gillet
Gwendolyn Price	
Menagerie Diet	
Bessie Lee Barnard	
Forward March	Orth
Wanda Wilkinson	
Day Dreams of Youth	Hornesh
Maurine Hughes	
a. Under The Buggy Seat	
b. Coquette Conquered	
Jacquelin Pogue	
Honoring Butterflies	Gaynor
Virginia Laird	
Watching the Sparking	
Georgia Karr	
Little Sailor	Kroeger
Jack West	
Returning from Vacation	Orth
Mary Wilkinson	
Miss Edith Helps Things Along	
Mozelle Hill	
Happiness	Longe
Elizabeth Stegall	
Assisting Uncle Joe	
Marlin Gililland	
Old Oaken Bucket	Meachem
Grace Ferguson	
Mr. Brown Gets His Hair Cut	
Mabel Renfro	
In The Swing	Wachs
Mary Hicks	
Massa's In De Cold Cold Ground	Kern
Mary McDonald	
The Dude	
Frances Wilson	
a. Nosturne op 31 no. 2	Chopin
b. Butterfly	Laralee
Viola Nunn	
Suburbanites	
Winnie V. Potts	
Valse	Scharwenka
Frankie Mae Baker	

HARVEST TIME IS COMING

We handle—

The Deering Line

If you need a new

Binder or Header

please give us your order within the next few days, so that we will be sure to get the machines.

We will try to always have a full line of parts and repairs, but if you will look the old machine over and let us know, we will be sure to have the repairs.

The C. O. LEE HARDWARE

S-O-M-E Goodies!

—the kind that melt in your mouth—light, fluffy, tender cakes, biscuits and doughnuts that just keep you hanging 'round the pantry—all made with

CALUNET BAKING POWDER

the safest, purest, most economical kind. Try it—drives away bake-day failures.

You save when you buy it. You save when you use it. Calunet contains only such ingredients as have been approved officially by the U. S. Food Authorities.

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Yes!

There are thousands of people all over America who have told their friends and neighbors how Tanlac restored them at last after other treatments had failed. And they had almost lost all hope. Can you afford to suffer longer?

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Then read in the papers every day about the great benefits your own neighbors have obtained from it and let us sell you a bottle so you can ascertain for yourself that there is curative power in Tanlac for you



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Want Ads., Rentals, Lost and Found, Exchanges, Lands and Stock, City Property, etc. RATES: classified, first insertion, 1c per word; minimum 25c; subsequent insertions, 1-2 cents per word; minimum 25c. CASH WITH ORDER.

FOR SALE

HOME BAKING.

Let me have your baking troubles for parties, picnics and all social occasions. Fresh cakes baked daily. Phone 211.

MRS. COOPER MORGAN FOR SALE—Registered yearling bulls. 15-21-pd C. J. PADDOCK.

FOR SALE—My garage building, known as the Barnhart & Rice Garage. Will sell building. It will make good cattle sheds. 15-21 A. C. BARNHART.

FOR SALE—Mower and rake in good shape. 15-11-pd LEE CONKLIN.

FOR SALE—Fifty-six (56) good cows, twenty-eight (28) yearling heifers, two good 2 year old Hereford males, several young calves. Now prospect of 100 per cent calf crop. 15-21-pd E. C. BROWN, Eldora, N. M.

FOR SALE—Modern seven room house; bath, basement, plenty of closets, electric lights, hot and cold water. One acre of ground; fruit and shade trees; out buildings. Priced to sell. Part cash, balance easy terms. H. L. RICE.

60-11 Ford Roadster or speedster in good condition. Will sell or trade for cattle. 8-11 A. E. LUSE, phone 54.

FOR SALE—with lease, half section of land, with improvements; also with sale goes lease to nine and half sections of grass land. Plenty of water. 13-4 J. E. GYLES.

Blue grass and clover seed for that lawn! Hereford Produce Co.

FOR SALE—Bundle feed. Kafir with grain \$25 per ton. Feterita \$20 per ton. Worth the money. 14-31-pd R. T. NUNN.

FOR SALE—Choice irrigated farm, close in. Would take some good residence property in town, also would consider half section raw land. Apply at box 345. 14-11(3)

REGISTERED BULLS Ten yearlings and two 2-year-olds. That combination of size and quality so hard to find. Well wintered and of good growth and flesh. All A-1 range bulls. W. T. WOMBLE, Hereford, Texas.

13-31 WANTED—your order for a new suit guaranteed to fit. Hereford Steam Laundry.

FOR SALE—Good milch cow. Gives five gallons of milk when fresh. Address Box 424. 14-31

FOR SALE—Small Tractor and plows. 13-31-21pd A. F. WOOD.

PLANTS

Now ready at the old stand. Bradley Yam Sweet Potatoes, Tomatoes and Cabbage. 14-21-pd G. C. MAJOR, Phone 97 South Hereford.

FOR SALE—Cane seed, Shumack and Ribbon at 5c per pound. 14-21-pd H. B. BOARDMAN.

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My 7-room bungalow home here for land or a good Hereford home. See G. B. Elliston, Hereford or write me here. A. H. Elliston, Pomona, Calif. 14-21-pd.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rose Comb Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching. Per setting \$1.00. Phone 202-F22. 14-11 MRS. GEO. W. SMITH.

Bake sale each week at Cardwell's Grocery. MRS. COOPER MORGAN.

1917 Ford Touring Car Dandy 1917 Ford Touring Car. Bargain and terms on part if desired. Better see about this car before Saturday. 14-11

1917 Chevrolet Touring Car Bargain in Chevrolet Touring Car. In good mechanical condition and ready to go now. Might trade this Car. "Gayno"

Sixty-one Cows with calves. Twenty yearlings and one Four Room Bungalow well located and modern, to trade for improved or unimproved section close to Hereford or South. Would assume some difference. "D-G"

1914 Ford Touring Car, with 1918 engine. Perfect shape and a bargain for cash if sold Saturday.

Overland Touring Car

Late Model Overland Touring car. In first class condition for sale or exchange. Will take Liberty Bonds.

For Exchange.

160 acres, with fence and good well 4 miles of town. Will trade equity for residence property in Hereford. Party can assume difference on good terms at 7 per cent.

RALPH BARNETT Phone 50 or 150.

FOR SALE—Plants! Cabbage, pepper and tomatoes also celery. 15-11-pd Lillie Oden, On Twenty Five Mile Ave.

FOR SALE—Fifty-six (56) good cows, Twenty-eight (28) yearling heifers, Two good 2 year old Hereford males, several young calves. Now prospect of 100 per cent calf crop. 14-21-pd E. C. BROWN, Roswell, N. M.

HARDY OPEN GROWN PLANTS Now shipping the leading varieties Sweet Potatoes, Tomatoes, Postpaid, 500 \$2.00, 1000 \$3.50; Hot and Sweet Peppers, Eggplant, Beets, 200 \$2.50, 1000 \$4.00; Cabbage, Bermuda, Onions, 500 \$1.25, 2000 \$2.00. Write or wire for catalog and wholesale prices. Order early and notify us when to ship. LIBERAL PLANT COMPANY, Crystal City, Texas. 14-31

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Residence, H. L. Broadwell

FOR RENT—Good residence with 20 acres ground adjoining city limits. Phone 202-F22. GEO. W. SMITH, Hereford, Texas.

WANTED

WANTED—Laundry workers, Hereford Steam Laundry.

WANTED TO BUY—A small horse, gentle, to drive single. Emil Rowsher, residence near college. 15-11-pd

WANTED—Your suits to clean and press and repair. Hereford Steam Laundry.

LOST

LOST—Three and half miles north on 25 Mile Avenue, a mud chain. Finder please return to W. E. BETTS.

LOST—Tuesday May 6, between town and Alex Lowery's place a rocking chair. Finder please leave at Brand office and receive reward. 15-11pd(4)

MISCELLANEOUS

FOUND—Small coin purse containing money and other things. Owner call at Brand, identify property and pay for this notice.

WANTED—Your dirty clothes. Hereford Steam Laundry.

Now is a good time to sell your chickens while they are a good price. Call us before you sell yours. Hereford Produce Co.

Want to buy or trade car for small house. Can also use a few thousand feet of shed or corral lumber. 12-41-pd KYE HIGGINS.

Registered Hereford and Jersey bulls at J. B. Phillips' barn. Price \$3.00, or \$3.50 if I call for and return cows. Terms cash. Phone 378. 11-41-pd

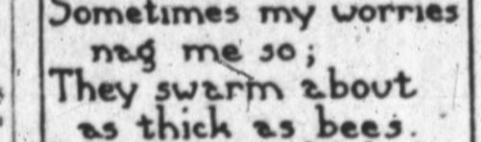
Camping, Fishing and Picnic Parties. Take Notice.

Sulphur Park is private property and in no sense belongs to the public.

Any one wanting to camp, fish or picnic will please get permit before entering the premises. We have no trouble with people coming from a distance and hope the people of Hereford will be as nice as those from other towns. If you are we will have no trouble either. 14-31 L. GOUGH.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

Sometimes my worries nag me so; They swarm about as thick as bees. It's nice to think in times like that The world is full of books and trees.



Mrs. Valentine Entertains With Shower

On Tuesday afternoon, May 6, the ladies of Hereford met, by special invitation at the beautiful home of Mrs. Valentine's. The occasion being a shower for Mrs. Christian and baby, whose husband was burned out several days ago.

After the guests had all assembled, the hostess began to pass the gifts around so each one might see the beautiful things which were many and useful.

After this Mrs. Valentine presented a beautiful and well rendered program with Mrs. Tubb's pupils assisted by a few others. The pupils showed skilled teaching and also great talent. The readings were enjoyed very much. Serenades receiving encores. The song "Smiles" by Jessie Rea and Harold Gilbreath was well rendered. The play, "The Bite" given by Veda Hicks, Florence Shore, Ruby Thompson assisted by the little chorus was pleasingly given.

We were favored with a vocal solo by Mrs. Mounds and a violin solo by Doyle Womble. Each

number was well rendered. Those taking part on the program were Misses Lambert, Bradley, Womble, Marguerite and Ruby Thompson, Jessie Rea Gilbreath, Juanita Standifer, Frances Locker, Mary Valentine, Ruby Fay Bennett, Veda Hicks, Florence Shore, Mrs. Mounds, George Suggs and Harold Gilbreath.

Now came a happy hour for the children as well as the older ones. The hostess showed her great mother love for the little ones by having planned a little picnic in her lawn for them. One whole gallon of cream had been frozen just for these little folks. But owing to the cool weather the children had their picnic in the house. Mrs. Valentine was very anxious that the children receive several helpings to the cream and cake, while the little ones were enjoying their cream and cake the elders were making way with their refreshments and looking as tho they were longing to be children once more. We left at a late afternoon hour, each expressing themselves of a pleasant afternoon.

IRRIGATION IS CROP INSURANCE! Brood Sows Will Pay Their Way!

McCONNELLISMS. By LINCOLN McCONNELL

Who Speaks at the Chautauqua "Friendship Day"

Some people tell the truth when they say they are "enjoying bad health."

Marriages may be made in heaven, but they are delivered on earth, and a lot of folks seem to get the wrong package.

The records show one divorce for every nine marriages in the U. S. and lots of other folks don't have the price.

One reason why some people decline to be happy is that others would enjoy it, too, if they were.

The people you hate must be of a lot of importance to you; else you would not devote so much time or thought to them, to say nothing of the cost to you otherwise.

You'll pay a dollar to hire folks to amuse you and make you glad for one hour; but you let others make you miserable for weeks for nothing.

Some folks you would not allow in your house a minute occupy a prominent place in your mind for hours at a time. You say you cannot stand the sight of them, but you seem to enjoy the thought of them.

There are three kinds of trouble—those you have had, those you are having—those you are going to have—some insist on having them all at once.

Ever notice what a good time a friendly dog has? Nearly always some pup or boy who wants to play, too.

About all the associates a mean dog has are fleas—and it's not his disposition that attracts even them.

Some people explain their boorish, unkind speech by saying, "I say what I think; I'm no hypocrite," but even a pole-cat is admired when he acts like a gentleman.

It takes neither brains, courage, nor culture to hurt others' feelings. Anybody mean enough can do it.

Your wife married you because she believed you a true man, who meant what you said and acted. Does she still think so?

Your husband married you because he thought you had the power plus the disposition to make him happier than any girl he had met—whom he could get.

The world don't care whether your husband feels good or bad. It says, "Deliver the goods or get out."

He needs someone to love him when he's tired and sick and things go wrong—has he got it?

A woman's heart never grows old—it may dry out, starve, die—but it's always the girl's heart that loves the gentle words—the tender caress.

I know men who have been married 40 years and are still perfect gentlemen in their every action—toward other men's wives.

Considering its cheapness, some people use very little courtesy.

A grouch is a person who wants to make others share his misery in having to live in the same community with himself.

If some people actually taste as bitter as they seem to themselves—it's no wonder they don't have fleas on 'em.

"Oh mamma!" said a child who had watched a grouch's face awhile, "that man feels bad 'cause he cannot spit himself out, don't he?"

Revenge is like a double ended sword with no handle; you may

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cut your enemy some with it, but you're sure to cut yourself if you try it. Some seem proud of their "will power," as shown when they refuse to speak to folks, etc. Looks more like "won't" power. We are generally supposed to set a value on things we take trouble to preserve. How about the memory of insults? Get into a War Savings Society and get out of debt. 11-11

Cut Up Didoes In Air

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the machine. Rather doubtfully he dipped around a bit, observed that she seemed to like it, and then proceeded to follow her instructions. The audience was spell-bound while the pair circled upside down and through the entire repertoire of the skilled aviator, winding up with that same fascinating corker nose dive. Miss Sisk emerged from this grueling test smiling broadly and waving at the crowd as the machine stopped.

The plane and its occupants remained in Hereford until 1:00 p. m., Sunday awaiting orders, and Saturday afternoon the pair put on a few more stunts up there and scattered Liberty Bond literature all over the landscape.

Mass Meeting

All stores closed for over an hour in the afternoon and the population adjourned to the Court house, where the Board Committee again stated the crisis facing us and the Liberty Girls sang for the appreciative audience. Exact figures at this meeting were not obtained, and while the sum secured was a goodly addition to the growing total, it did not amount to the subscription of the week before. Soldier and Sailor boys in uniform again formed an attractive feature of the meeting.

Amarillo, Texas May 7—A converted movement on the part of a number of Panhandle counties to organize a compact body for Chamber of Commerce work has culminated in a call issue by the Board of City Development of Amarillo for a convention to be held in that city on Tuesday, June 3rd. At this time it is expected that an organization will be perfected that, for cohesiveness and definiteness of aims, will prove a model.

I have been thinking and working along that very line and there are a number of counties that are ready to line up. It will be a pleasure to me to attend the

Amarillo meeting and participate in this deliberation," says Frank R. Jamison of Canadian, in a letter to the Board of City Development of Amarillo.

"A heavy movement of home-seekers and new enterprises is due as soon as the nation begins to adjust itself, to come this way, and such an organization as you suggest should help this movement very much," is the comment of Jess Adams of the Plainview News.

"Mr. Ramsey has done what we have thought a number of times of doing—The interests of all this great section are for the most part identical and a marvelous period of development is in sight," says C. H. Walker, editorially, in the Dalhart Texan.

"Let us build an institution at home where interests are identical," says J. C. Temple of Farwell.

"We shall thank you for additional information as to the details and it is quite likely that we shall co-operate," says R. B. Morgan of Memphis, Secretary of the Hall County Chamber of Commerce.

These are samples of half a hundred comments received by letter at the offices of the Board of City Development of Amarillo and it is believed that a large delegation from every county in the District will be in Amarillo for the convention on June 3rd.

Advertisement for Exide batteries. Includes a cartoon of a smiling face and text: "The 'Exide' Smile goes with 'Exide' Starting & Lighting Battery Service. It is always a pleasure to serve you. It makes no difference whether you wish your battery inspected—which we are always glad to do free of charge—or whether your battery needs repairing, for which our charges are always reasonable—or whether you wish a new battery—in which case we will furnish you an 'Exide.' 'Exide' Service is prompt, reliable and courteous. Remember, 'there's an 'Exide' Battery for every car.' BYRON BROWN Distributor at Miller & Fallwell's"

Mr. and Mrs. Can You Shift Your Gears?

Are you 100 per cent individuals in your homes, at work and at play? If you are not you are not getting what you are entitled to.

If you want your body and brains to be at their best all the time, hear Dr. Charles E. Barker tell you how you can be physically and mentally "fit" the year round by a few minutes of effort each day.

Dr. Baker will also tell you some of the things that he did to keep Ex-President Taft in good condition, while acting as physical advisor to the president during Mr. Taft's administration. Dr. Baker speaks at the Chautauqua.

Don't forget to mark May 21 on your calendar, for on that day Bob Finch tells of the great possibilities open to men who can shift their gears.

As indicated by the title, "SHIFTING GEARS," Mr. Finch's lecture deals with the common sense application of the power we have to our tasks. It is a lecture for every man, woman and child, personally and also for the community.

Advertisement for E. F. Connell. Includes text: "Connell says— IF YOU will watch this space every week you may find a bargain that will interest you. For instance, this week, I have the following, which is worth the price asked for it: Shallow water section 7 miles from town. Joining irrigation well. \$20.00 per acre, 1-4 cash, balance 1 to 5 years, 6 percent. 50 head high grade heifer yearlings for sale. E. F. Connell The Land Man"



RALPH PARLETTE
Editor, Author, and Orator, will speak at the Chautauqua.



Harold Procter



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and
PAULINE WETTSTEIN
Musical Artists, will be at the
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Will give a program of vocal and instrumental music at the Chautauqua. Everyone is an accomplished musician, organized under the personal supervision of Chas. F. Horner.



DR. CHARLES E. BARKER
Tells you How to Live 100 Years, and be physically fit every day.



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A Chautauqua comedian, with
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ST. CLAIR SISTERS
Lead off with the fun on "Friendship Day." They are personality, music and entertainment plus.

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As the bride.



ELECTRA PLATT
Will be at Chautauqua.



PARLETTE
Editing his magazine.



LINCOLN McCONNELL
Comes to the Chautauqua "Friendship Day." He is the official
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"BOB" FINCH
Helps you boost your town—hear
him the last day of the
Chautauqua.



JEAN MACDONALD
Impersonator, will put some of the
joy into "Friendship Day."



Greatest Comedy-drama of the past decade. **"It Pays to Advertise"** Played by the New York cast that made it famous.
Greatest dramatic production ever on your Chautauqua program. Laugh with New York and Chicago. Ask anyone who has seen it.

Premier Concert Artists

Nine Musical Artists of highest rank, organized under the personal supervision of Chas. F. Horner, will appear both afternoon and evening of the last day of the Chautauqua.

This Company consists of six splendid soloists, supported by Piano, Flute, and Violin. The program will be given in English.

Elaborate stage equipment accompanies these artists.

Hear Your Favorite Songs
Sung by These Artists

CHURCH NOTES

Christian Church.

The Baccalaureate sermon will be preached Sunday at 11 a. m. Mr. Asbell will have for his theme "Living Worthily in the World the Boys Died to Make Free." The sermon will be in keeping with the reconstruction idea.

In the evening the Mothers Day program will be rendered, with a sermon on "Unrowned Queens," by Mr. Asbell. The union service

will be at the Christian church. Miss Swisher and Mr. Curtis will render solos.

Bible school at 9:45, Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock.

J. M. ASBELL, Pastor.

Methodist Church

On account of the uniting of all the churches in the services for the commencement occasion there will be no services at the 11 o'clock hour. Sunday school as usual.

The Epworth League will ob-

serve the anniversary of the League with a splendid program Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Every body is invited to this special service and we assure you that you will enjoy it.

W. H. TERRY, Pastor.

Baptist Church.

We will have no services at our church Sunday at 11 o'clock on account of the Commencement sermon at the Christian church. However we will have our regular services at 8:30 p. m. Remember Sunday school at 9:45 and the Senior B. Y. P. U. at 7:30. Then let us have a good crowd for evening service.

J. E. McClurkin, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Junior and Intermediate Endeavor 3:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.

All services were well attended and very interesting and helpful last Sunday. Mr. Roy Bregg of Dallas, State Field Secretary for Christian Endeavor spoke at the 11 a. m. service, and Prof. Duffin of the Canyon Normal delivered a very instructive and interesting address in the evening.

There will be no church services in the morning on account of the graduation service at the First Christian church. The union service will be at the Christian church, at which time Mr. Asbell will deliver an address appropriate to the occasion "Mothers Day."

W. M. BAKER, Pastor.

Christian Endeavor Program for May 11th.

Topic—Our Relation to God—Serving.

Song Service

Leader—Vernor Curtis
Scripture—Matt. 20: 20-28—By leader.

Song followed by prayer

Business
Leader Talk—Lena Bodkins.
How may we Endeavors serve the church—Ruth Lee.

What service may we Endeavors render in the Sunday School—Audrey Carroll.

Music—Elizabeth Tatman.

What are the rewards of serving God—Viola Nunn.

General Participation and roll call.

Song.

C. E. Benediction

Junior Christian Endeavor Program for May 11th.

Leader—Velma Carroll

Song service with Intermediate C. E.

Topic—David who trusted in God and later Davids.
Scripture—1 Sam. 17: 32-37—Charles Ferguson Jr.

David plays for Saul—Paul Baker.

23rd Psalm—May Belle, Evelyn, Gordon and Willard Witherspoon and Ina Hastings.

Song

Sentence Prayer

Collection and prayer for Missions.

A Black Board exercises—Pauline Fortsch, Francis Guinn, Eleanor Stubbs, Alice Womack and Pearl Witherspoon.

Story of David Livington told by a Negro.

Story of David Broinard told by an Indian.

C. E. Benediction.

Epworth League Program, May 11

Subject: The Call of Today.

Scripture—(3 Cor. VIII 15.)

Song Service.

Prayer

Our Confession.

Address—The Call of Eighteen Nineteen and the Call of Nineteen Nineteen Compared—Judge Slaton.

Piano Solo

Address—Christ's Call to Youth Today—Jessie Stanford.

Special song by Young Ladies Missionary Society.

Address—Youth's Response to the Call—Annie J. Price.

Announcements

League Benediction

The public is most cordially invited—one and all.

Program for Y. P. M. S. Sunday May 11th, 1919.

Subject: The Leaven.

Leader—Jewell Porter

Song

Prayer

Scripture Lesson—Matt. 13: 33. Luke 13: 20-21.

Song

Interpretation of Parable—Miss Annie Price

Song

Story of Franktown and John

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son's—Winnie V. Potts.
How Miss Malvina Became a Tithier—Mable Barnhart.
Song
"Thanksgiving Ann"—Annie F. Parker.
Benediction.

Program for Juvenile Missionary Society for May 10, 3 p. m.

Subject—Brazil

Bible Lesson—Daniel interested for the people (Dan. IX)

Roll Call and response with Bible verses.

Prayer

Leader—Gwendolyn Spradley

Song—"Jewels"

Leaflet—"How Iracema Got on the Honor Roll"—Eloise Pitman.

Reading—Martha Duncan

Song—"Give Your Pennies"

The Child and the Centenary—

Mattie Lou Harrison.
How the Centenary will Help Brazil—Supt.

Song—"Battle Hymn of the Centenary."
Prayer.

Are You Doing Your Part?

The sentiment of this country is crystallizing into an unprecedented demand for HOME BUILDING.

The National Government is calling upon the American people to BUILD HOMES, and build NOW. "During the war it was patriotic not to build, now we can best show our patriotism by building," says one of numerous official bulletins sent out from Washington.

BUILD YOU A HOME NOW!

Rockwell Brothers and Company

3:00
p.
m.

is the closing time agreed upon by all Hereford Banks.

It is also agreed not to transact any business after that hour, so PLEASE do not ask us to do so hereafter.

Congratulations on the success of our County in raising its quota of the Fifth Liberty Loan bonds! We knew old Deaf Smith would do it.

Yours for service,

The First National Bank

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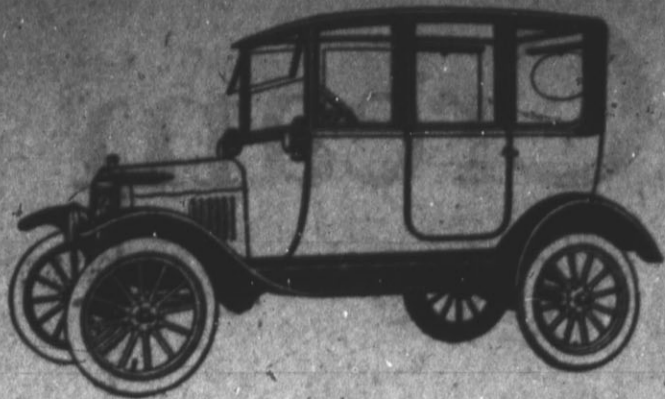
Let's Get Together

You often hear folks talk of "co-operation." To co-operate you must have friends. No one lives to himself. The same is true in a business sense. A merchant depends on his friends for business. Then if one succeeds he must make money off his friends. That is one reason why we treat our customers right—they are our friends and we do our best to please them, not just because it pleases them to treat them right, but because it is RIGHT that we should treat them that way. If you are not one of our regular customers, let's get acquainted.

LET US BE YOUR GROCER

J. H. Cardwell's Gro.

Phone 81



It's no longer necessary to go into the details describing the practical merits of the Ford car—everybody knows all about "The Universal Car." How it goes and comes day after day and year after year at an operating expense so small that it's wonderful. This advertisement is to urge prospective buyers to place orders without delay. Buy a Ford car when you can get one. We'll take good care of your order—get your Ford to you right now—and give the best in "after-service" when required.

Ford Garage

being entertained in a Red-Cross Canteen Hut. The girls felt highly complimented when their guests declared that Fred Harvey had nothing on them. The climax came when some of the official Canteen Workers announced that the Liberty Girls and the Canteen Officials would be hostesses to our own soldier boys, and Lieutenants Hough and Wooley with a moonlight picnic on the Terra Blanca. Mrs. Jennie Thompson entertained the Aviators at dinner Sunday.

The next opportunity that the Canteen had to show what it could do was Monday, May 5th. When the 7:52 train came in and brought the tank men, the girls were taken by surprise as they were expecting the boys from the other direction. Equal to any emergency, however, within less than a half hour Messrs Militillo and Waring were eating a most delightful breakfast of fruit, hot-cakes, butter, maple syrup, and good coffee with real cream and sugar. Breakfast over, one of the tank boys proposed a ride for the entire Canteen force on the Tank. Although the girls were almost beside themselves with excitement, nevertheless, at 12:30 a sumptuous five course luncheon was served at the Hut, in regular Harvey House fashion. After their morning's work, the boys were really hungry and it was a great pleasure to see them eat, regardless of the fact that the train master kept bobbing into the Hut in his urgent endeavors to hurry them. Even when the engineer began ringing the bell, the boys were unmoved. At length when they had finished they hastened to catch the already moving train, each pouring out in lavish terms his praises for the Great American Red Cross, The Soldier's Friend.

On May 6th, the Canteen served to "Ice-cold-lemon-ade"—some nine hundred men of the Ninety-first Division, Frisco Bound.

How would you like to be a banker? Most people envy the man who handles the other fellow's money, but most any banker will tell you that there are two sides to the question.

In this week's issue of The Brand the local banks carry an announcement that hereafter the

ICE

EVERY HOUSEWIFE TAKE NOTICE
—THIS IS IMPORTANT!

ADVANCE IN PRICE: Owing to the fact that ice costs us just exactly FIVE CENTS more per hundred at the Factory this year, than it did last year, we are compelled to add that 5c to our retail price. THEREFORE, Ice will retail in Hereford this year at 70c per hundred when sold on Main street, or at the ice house; and for 80c per hundred when delivered in the residential section.

A CASH PROPOSITION: We will sell Ice this year absolutely for Cash, and on no other terms, whether coupon books are used, or 15c worth is bought at the Ice House. We simply have to do this to break even, and WILL NOT KEEP ANY BOOKS ON OUR ICE SALES. Please don't ask for Credit, for we cannot grant it.

ICE CARDS: These cards are your notice to us that you want Ice—we have no other way of knowing your desires, and we cannot stop and ask at each house. Every family in town should get one of these cards and use them in the windows. You will get your ice promptly this way, and it will save us both time and annoyance.

PHONING ORDERS: The ice wagon will leave the Ice House at 8:00 each morning, and anyone expecting delivery should phone in orders BEFORE that hour. THERE WILL ONLY BE ONE DELIVERY EACH DAY.

THE PLACE: We are installing a big ice-box at our office, and everybody, both those who live out in the country, and those in town, who call for their own ice, will be supplied from this storage box.

Yours for Ice Cooperation,

McQueen Grain & Coal Co.
Telephone ONE

DISTRICT COURT

Hon. Reese Tatum, Judge, A. O. Thompson, Clerk.

The May term of the District Court convened Monday May 5th, with the Hon. Reese Tatum, Judge of the 69th Judicial District presiding, Miss Elva Shackelford of Dalhart as Court Reporter, and Hon. Clifford Braly of Dalhart, District Attorney.

The Grand Jury was empaneled and immediately went to work. The Grand Jury consists of D. C. Laird, foreman, Geo. Beams, J. A. Buekner, C. J. Paddock, W. D. Kellehor, J. M. Chapman, W. T. Womble, C. H. Barrett, J. A. Wear, O. S. Tatman, O. K. Higgins and D. F. Ashbrook. The Bailiffs are J. M. Boone, E. H. Norton, Berry Orr and Leonard Foster.

The court was attended by the following out of town attorneys: H. C. Pipkin, Jno. W. Veale, and M. J. B. Jackson all of Amarillo.

The following cases have been disposed of up to press time:

R. O. Byrd vs Della Byrd. Dismissed.

J. Frank Potts vs J. Ross Bell. Suit on notes and foreclosure vendor's lien. Judgment by default for plaintiff.

First State Bank & Trust Co., vs A. T. and Mary W. Howell. Suit on note and foreclosure Chattel Mortgage Lien. Judgment in favor of plaintiff by default.

W. B. Arnold vs O. B. Jackson et al. Suit on notes and foreclosure

Vendor's Lien. Judgment by default for plaintiff.

Louis J. Ochs vs W. B. Mersfelder et al. Suit on notes. Judgment by default for plaintiff.

Joe Friemel et al vs Joe Beckman et al. Injunction proceedings dismissed.

City of Hereford vs Mrs. Mag-

Harold Proctor, Irish Tenor

This big hearted, genial Irish singer will sing both afternoon and night at the Chautauqua.

Harold Procter has won his way into the hearts of thousands of people by his wonderful singing and by his good fellowship.

With the voice of an artist and the heart and temperament of his race, he brings real joy to all who hear him.

Miss Pauline Wettstein, formerly of the English Opera Company, assists Mr. Proctor to make their day a memorable event in Chautauqua annals.

gie Pratt et al. Suit to foreclose side walk lien. Judgment by default for plaintiff.

W. B. Arnold vs C. L. Powelson et al. Suit on notes and foreclosure vendor's lien. Judgment by default for plaintiff.

Ex-Parte, Charles F. Odell, a Minor. Application to have disabilities removed. Dismissed for want of jurisdiction.

Mrs. E. B. Galloway vs Roy K. Bruner et al. Suit on notes and foreclosure vendor's lien. Dismissed on application of plaintiff.

Alice N. Grantland et al vs J. J. Perkins et al. Suit on note. Dismissed.

Claude Norton et al vs P. & S. F. Ry. Co. Suit for damages. Dismissed.

J. D. Thompson vs P. & S. F. Ry. Co. Suit for damages. Dismissed.

W. H. Davis vs Edna Davis. Dismissed.

L. P. Landrum et ux vs City of Hereford. Suit for Mandamus. Dismissed.

"THE MAN OF MIGHT"

Star Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday Nights.

Episode 7—"Into the Trap"

The Cast
Dick Van Brunt.....William Duncan
Polly Ransome.....Edith Johnson
Scarface Bender.....Joe Ryan
George Teel.....Walter Rodgers
Joseph Stebbins.....Del Harris
Chu Chen Ling.....Frank Tokanaga
Juan Dix.....Otto Lederer
Tommas.....Willie Calles

Dick and Polly VanBrunt hold one of six pieces of a chart flag, the only key to the location of a buried treasure. Scarface has another piece and he kills Polly's father and gets her. A struggle to the death for the missing flag and the treasure begins. Three other flag holders join Dick. They are caught by Scarface out on the desert and left suspended over a cliff to perish.

Fine Work By Canteen Much Appreciated Here

The work of the Red Cross Canteen Service of late has been hard, and these ladies are certainly deserving the praise and hearty support of every loyal citizen of this county.

During April the Canteen served a total of 501 men. The Bird-Men who were sent to Hereford in the interest of the Fifth Liberty Loan, expressed themselves in quite extravagant terms with reference to the hospitality shown them while in Hereford. Upon reaching the field designed for their landing, they were greeted by the Canteen workers, who took them to the Hut and served them to feed Punch, which refreshed them very much and, as they expressed it, put them in good shape for the morning's flying. At noon they were again taken to the Hut and served to a lunch so daintily prepared and so elegantly served that they almost forgot they were

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doors will close at 3:00 p. m. and will be really closed and locked. In conversation with the local bank officers and employees The Brand is informed that the life of a banker is a dog's life at its best, under present conditions, that these poor men of money never do get a crack at their own gardens; never have a chance to play with the baby; have to borrow the neighbors' cows to mow their lawns; never get much chance to go anywhere with their families at night. All because the rest of us won't attend to business during business hours, and allow the bank forces to clean up the days' accumulation after that time and go home like the rest of us.

during business hours might be well applied to a lot of the rest of us, too. It would mean just as much business and much more pleasure out of life. We started to make a motion to this effect but—shucks, what's the use? The only way to do it is to follow the lead of the bankers, and DO it.

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817,000 cars were "scrapped" in 1917



"Mother, the old car certainly deserves the best we can do for it!"

"Surely our old friend Car ought to have a new Eveready battery to carry it through the long year ahead. It will be little enough for all he has done for us."

"We can't any of us afford to gamble on whether the car will stand up to the work in 1919, and its got to. So I move, Mother, that we get an Eveready right now—it's guaranteed for a year and a half—and I'll bet the whole family will second the motion. The Eveready Service Station has just the size we need for the car, and they're mighty decent people at testing the battery and keeping it up to the mark."

"Make it unanimous—don't let the old car think we are pikers."

Electric Service Station
W. S. FULLWOOD, Mgr.

We test and repair **EVEREADY** Our repair work all makes of batteries is fully guaranteed

Harris Outlines Patriotic Duty In Form of A Story

All of you remember Tubbie Smith who grew up back in our old home town. His mother you know did the washing for the town and other more fortunate of the towns people. They money she earned, kept her and Tubbie in food and clothes. If there were any doubt about Tubbies being well clad, and there was sometimes he wore a patch on the west side of his pants as big as a meal sack, they were offset by the fact that he fairly bristled and bulged with American boyhood, so he must have had good food. Tubbie you remember, was the most

fearful of any boy in school, in the scuffling ring, and the most dreaded by all the mothers and the town generally for they never could tell just what was going to happen to their cows or chickens or cats. He could throw a stone with such accuracy that it usually took the head of Grandma Garrison's Plymouth rock rooster, or broke the hind legs of Miss Mattie Mannings cherishes. Tubbie would never amount to a row of pins, for as he grew up his sole occupation was base ball and billiards. He had an arm that felt more like a mules leg, and the fans said "it was the best 'wing' anywhere". But when the war came on and Tubbie was one of the first to volunteer to make the World a safe place for little children, and their mothers and big sisters. We all saw that the Deacon was wrong, and we had all under estimated, this great boy. For we were sending one from among us that we knew could match any Hun from Hindenburg

down. And when it came to pick and spirit and bravery we knew that Forsling didn't have much the "edge on him."

Red Ratliff volunteered, and went off with Tubbie Smith. You remember how we all liked old Red, always so gentle with his big freckles and broad smile, and red hair sticking thru the holes in his old straw hat. He was so kind and had just grown up along with the Jimson weeds, till we could scarcely believe he was a man, but there he was tall and proud, and wanting to get a chance to "get a gun".

And the chance came, for he and Tubbie had been in the front line trenches under shell and gas and fire for hours. The Germans were here using their choice troops to counteract these terrible fighters from across the Atlantic, and wave after wave of shock troops had been hurled back in vain attempts to take the American trenches, for it was now or never, and if they failed German militarism would vanish from the earth. It seemed as tho all the members of the machine gun crew would be "bumped off" but Tubbie and Red, when there was a lull in the on rushing Hun, on the moment of victory had come, and khaki was pouring "over the top" in a stream and racing eagerly toward the Germans on the other side of No Mans Land. Straight into the hell that modern warfare knows. A roar deafening, followed a shell explosion and a score of mangled and dead were lying about or buried beneath the dirt of the shell crater. Red's right leg was shattered below the knee, and Tubbie was gone. But thank Heaven there was a machine gun right by the top of the hole made by the shell, as he slipped the ribbon into place he saw old Tubbie, standing with the toe of his shoe dug into the earth, the same grin on his face that he wore in the pitchers box, back in the old home town, hurling grenades into the machine gun nest of the enemy that were moving down his comrades on his right. "I'll help the ted break up that nest" he said as his gun began to "spit". But God how long is he going to stand there. It wasn't long for the opposing machine gun ceased its popping, either the ribbon was out or its operators were out of the game.

The fragments of another shell took away Red's left arm, and Tubbie was down. He fell close to the shell hole, and Red by efforts that cost him unspeakable pain clasped his right hand in his and dragging him into the pit. But the machine gun bullets and the shells were fewer now, for the boys, who were left, had completely routed the enemy.

Red held to Tubbies hand as you have seen a friend do when he is going on a long journey, and presently Tubbie began calling for his mother. "It's not your mother its "Red old man" and Tubbie opened his eyes. "We struck him out didn't we Red," and he closed his eyes as peacefully as tho he had been in his mothers arms, and went west on his long, long journey. And when the stars began to blink that evening over what was the day before "No Mans Land", the litter bearers found Red unconscious still holding Tubbies hand. But thanks to Uncle Sam's efficient surgeons and the little Red Cross nurses he is back, back in the old home town. And maybe you don't think we are proud of him, Pretty Winnie Wilson, the bankers daughter who used to make faces at him behind her geography, is giving a tea tomorrow at 6 p. m. in his honor. He is versatile, and if you could forget the missing arm and leg you would think he is just back from college. He will tell you all about his travels, and about the Hero our Tubbie was, but he shuts up like the lid on Grandmother Garrison's snuff box when you ask him to tell how he got that French decoration for bravery.

We shall have to hear all he will tell, and do all our honoring him this week, for Uncle Sam is going to teach him a trade where he will fit in and be just as necessary as you or me in this reconstruction plan.

The little red star in the window of Tubbie's mother has changed to a star of gold, but listen, she no longer takes in washings for Uncle Sam pays her a monthly allowance that will keep her in plenty the rest of her days.

That then Brother, is where the money you and I lend to Uncle Sam goes when we buy our Victory bonds, back in the old home town.

For our Uncle Sammie is not going to see the other thousands of Red Ratliffs go without feeling that they are useful in the world. Those efficient surgeons, and the little Red Cross nurse must be paid. And the hundreds of thousands of Tubbie Smith mothers hearts are too heavy to do many washings. It all takes money, and the old town is going over the top in a whoop, with her quota.

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There are "hurry up" ways with tobacco but only patient ageing (two years in wooden hogs-heads) can bring out the mellowness that sets Velvet apart.

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Velvet's nature-aged mildness and smoothness make it just right for cigarettes.



You know what mellowness is—now think of a good friend who is never harsh to you.

There you have the big thing about Velvet—mellow friendliness.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Deaf Smith County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To all persons interested in the estate of William A. Lipscomb, a minor.
A. J. Lipscomb, Guardian of said minor, has filed in the County Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, Final Account of said estate which will be heard by our said County Court on the

first Monday in June 1919, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House of said County, in Hereford, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said final account should they desire to do so.
Herein Full Not, but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, his writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Hereford this, the 16th day of April 1919.
A. O. THOMPSON, Clerk.
County Court, Deaf Smith Co., Texas
15-4

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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All items appreciated.

Don't overlook Skelton's 49c sale Saturday.

Mrs. Russell Carroll was an Amarillo visitor Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Press Dyar, of Dimmitt, were Hereford visitors last Monday.

Finances sold with small cash payments balance on terms to suit you. Buy while the old stock lasts.
10-4f E. B. BLACK CO.

Carload of DODGE Automobiles just received. Latest Models. See me quick.
L. W. HOUGH, Agent.

Miss Victoria Wilson went to Amarillo Tuesday to spend the day with friends.

Mayor Knight has been on the sick list this week but is improved at this writing.

Lots of new goods at Skelton's.
We will buy your Vendor's lien notes.
11-4f Baskin Abstract & Title Co.

The 49c sale is next Saturday at Skelton's

Mrs. J. H. Ballard of Amarillo spent a few days in Hereford this week visiting friends.

Cecil Hodges, who returned from France only a few weeks ago arrived home Monday.

When you want crackers don't forget to call us before buying. Hereford Produce Company.

Carload of DODGE Automobiles just received. Latest Models. See me quick.
L. W. HOUGH, Agent.

Glenn Sullivan arrived Thursday from Amarillo for a few days visit in Hereford.

R. P. Coneway left the first of week for Indianopolis, Ind., for a few days business trip.

Pathophone is a machine with merit. We sell them at special prices and give you terms to suit.
10-4f E. B. BLACK CO.

We candle all our eggs before leaving the store, you get none but the fresh ones.
Hereford Produce Company.

We can save you money on hosiery. Skelton.

Hiram Terry who has been with the American Army in France returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Wear returned Thursday from a visit with her daughter Miss Lula Wear, of Dallas, Texas.

Carload of DODGE Automobiles just received. Latest Models. See me quick.
L. W. HOUGH, Agent.

Palmolive soap 10c per cake at Skelton's next Saturday.

The Hoosier kitchen cabinet is the most convenient as well as the greatest labor saving article in the home. On easy terms.
10-4f E. B. BLACK CO.

Mrs. Jim Lipscomb and Miss Lela Patton who are teaching at Farwell spent the week-end with home folks last week.

Mrs. A. L. Gibson arrived home Saturday from an extended visit with friends and relatives in Wichita Falls, Texas.

Bring us your produce. We pay the highest cash price—eggs 35c per dozen to the farmers.
Hereford Produce Company.

Carload of DODGE Automobiles just received. Latest Models. See me quick.
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Children's socks in both lists and silk. We save you money. Skelton.

W. E. HICKS

Brand: O Right Shoulder

Dealer in Hereford Cattle Hereford, Texas

Mrs. W. Tidwell-Smith left Sunday for Milton, Iowa, where she will spend the summer visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. E. L. Sanders returned to her home in Sinton, Texas, Thursday after a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dent.

Skelton's 49 cent sale takes place next Saturday. Be there.

Don't you want fresh marshmallows just from the oven? We order direct and get them fresh.
Hereford Produce Company.

L. Baskin returned Friday of last week from a combined business trip and visit with friends, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Lieut. John Mooney who has just returned from France is spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Mooney.

We carry the best Varnish stain on the market. Skelton.

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The Crispette Shop, formerly located in the Star Theatre building, has been moved into the building occupied by the Stockman's Cafe.

T. F. Richards, appraiser for this District of the Federal Land Bank at Houston, with headquarters at Plainview, was a Hereford visitor Thursday.

Germany has finally acknowledged the defeat of her army, and that she was to a certain extent responsible for the world war, but she refuses to accept all of the responsibility. However, we will accept your orders at any time Hereford Steam Laundry.

The aeroplane was here last Saturday Skelton's 49c sale will be here next Saturday.

Mrs. Elmer Ireland, of Dimmitt, was brought here to the Sanitarium last Sunday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. However at this time Mrs. Ireland is doing nicely.

Troop Train With Nearly 900 Men Aboard Goes By

Tuesday afternoon a long troop train, with nearly 900 men of the Ninety First Division aboard passed through, enroute to San Francisco. The fighting men were treated to ice-cold lemonade by the indefatigable ladies of our Canteen Service.

You will lose if you overlook the 49 cent sale Saturday. Skelton.

Miss Marion Erwin, who has been teaching the Progressive school near Hereford closed a successful school term last Friday and left Tuesday for her home in Dallas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kibbe motored to Canyon last Saturday after his sister, Miss Lora and two of her school chums, Misses Evelyn Monahan and Rosa Jackson to spend the week-end with home folks.

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Flying Men Entertained Royally By Hereford People

Lieutenants R. B. Wooley and W. B. Hough reported a good time while in Hereford. They were entertained with twelve o'clock lunch at the Canteen Hut Saturday by the Canteen workers who were on duty that day and Mrs. Price as hostess. At eight o'clock several cars, loaded with Liberty Girls, returned soldiers and sailors and Canteen workers and all kinds of delicious food, congregated at the court house for the purpose of going on a picnic in honor of the Flying Lieutenants. The crowd arrived at the creek near the dam at Sulphur Park about eight thirty and while some were setting the table others were building a fire, carrying water and slicing bacon. The fun started when the amateurs began broiling their bacon by holding it over the fire with long sticks, which were prepared for the purpose. Sometime the sticks would burn in two and let the bacon fall into the fire but that made no difference to the joy crowd as the meat flavored with ashes was good because they were on a picnic.

After supper was over a demonstration was put on by the champion cone filler of the world "Pitty Pitman" who broke all former records by filling one hundred cones with ice cream in three minutes flat. A record was to be made of who ate the most cones but Clifford Acker broke up the contest when he began to eat ice cream from a salad bowl.

The crowd played a familiar game called "Three Deep" which was intended for physical exer-

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Ten o'clock arrived too soon but as the Liberty Girls had an engagement to leave for Dimmitt the next day at one o'clock the picnic had to adjourn so they could get a little sleep and be ready to "Go Over The top" at Dimmitt.

The crowd was chaperoned by Mesdames Price, Wilkinson and Thompson and Messrs. Carl Gilliland and Alex Thompson.

The Flying Lieutenants were entertained in the home of Mrs. Jennie Thompson Sunday to an old fashioned dinner, the kind where you eat a long time and then sit and talk a long while as if you had nothing else to do.

Finally the guests of honor informed the hosts that their Uncle Sam would soon be wondering where his nephews were and though that it might be best to leave before he got uneasy.

Finally after bidding adieus and promising to come back if ever the opportunity presented itself, they cranked their ship with the assistance of about one thousand of our citizens and arose from the airdrome about three o'clock and after cutting a few didoes for our amusement, sailed due north with the good wishes of all our people.

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