

The Hereford Brand

TUESDAYS—TWICE-A-WEEK—FRIDAYS

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LOCAL FOLKS TAKE FOURTH OUT FISHING

RAIN CATCHES MOST OF THEM, AT THAT. A NUMBER VISIT ELSEWHERE

There was no concerted Fourth of July celebration attempted in Hereford this year, the Roundup and Firemen's Fracas of the latter part of June being substituted instead. Practically every business house in town, however, closed for the day with the exception of the hardware and automobile shops and the drug stores.

It looked like everybody in town went fishing on the creek. Loaded cars were departing nearly every hour. Most of those who went late were caught in the rain and given a thorough soaking.

A great many Herefordites took in the celebrations at Amarillo, Clovis and Plainview. Many of them have not yet returned, owing to the deep mud and almost impassable roads. Carloads of tired folks came drifting in to town all the way from ten p. m. to daylight Tuesday morning, after fighting their way homeward.

Tuesday morning was an exceedingly quiet one in Hereford business circles, with the rain keeping the country people at home, part of the population mud-bound elsewhere, and the remaining portion recuperating from the strenuous times of the day before.

Tourist Camp in Need of Wood to Feed Camp Fires

The Highway committee of the Chamber of Commerce want donations of wood, brush, tree trimmings, etc., for the camp fires of the tourists who use the new Hereford Tourist Camp. The wood problem will be the biggest one to solve this summer and efforts will be made to scrape up all available material for this purpose. There is a lot of tree trimming going on and anyone having anything of this kind to dispose of will be performing a patriotic civic duty in reporting same to the Chamber of Commerce headquarters.

REPAIRS ON BOTH SCHOOL BUILDINGS WELL UNDER WAY

Work of thoroughly repairing the two city schools buildings in preparation for the coming school term is now under way. At the high school the belfry is being removed, as it is believed this will help the looks of the structure as well as doing away with the leaks in it caused from blocked snow. The plastering in the building will be repaired, concrete work is being installed in the toilets, and repair work on some of the wall stones will be done. A new room is to be added, also.

At the Central building only slight repairs will be needed. The blackboards will be refinished, and the boys' toilet repaired. Oscar Vaughn has been retained as janitor for the High School, and D. C. White is the new janitor for the Central school.

R. T. EVANS AND WIFE SUMMER AT ATLANTIC CITY

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Evans, who were expected to come to Hereford from Wichita Falls for the summer, changed their minds at the last minute and are now at the Hotel Traymore, Atlantic City, N. J. The Brand has the following post card from them:

"We are enjoying the Atlantic very much. Climate and water fine. Entertainment the best. But after all there is no place we enjoy more than the Hereford climate during the summer." The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Evans will be glad to hear that they are pleasantly situated, although sorry they did not return here this year.

McDONALD SHOOT AT AMARILLO AND COPS FEW PRIZES

D. L. McDonald went to Amarillo Monday and competed in the big Fourth of July Shoot of the Amarillo Gun Club. He took high gun for visitors with a score of 135 out of a possible 150. In addition he won third and fourth places in two of the different events. He reports a splendid shoot and lots of interest in the sport at Amarillo.



Firemen Secure Extra Donation For Fight Fund

A great deal of local interest was manifested in the outcome of the Dempsey-Carpenter fight on the second of July, and a huge crowd was down town after lunch to watch the returns. The Associated Press accounts of the struggle were secured by the Corner Drug Store and excellent service was rendered to the milling mob on the sidewalk. An overwhelming majority of the bunch appeared to be Dempsey men and the result was about what had been predicted here.

Manager McLean, of the Corner Drug Store, states that he took up a collection to pay for the telegrams and received \$5.50 more than the bulletins cost. He turned over this amount to the Fire Department, to be utilized in their expense account. Mr. McLean states, however, that anyone who contributed who did not get their money's worth can get it back upon application.

PAPERS HIT HARD BY UNCLE SAM IN NEW ZONE CHANGE

Newspapers all over the country are hit hard by the newest raise in zone postal rates taking effect July 1. While the cost of doing business in practically every other class of business is being reduced it seems that the burdens of the newspaper fraternity are steadily growing instead of diminishing. The country newspaper that does not carefully watch its overhead expenses, collect for its subscription list, and receive a fair price per year for the publication is headed for the Sheriff's Sale Column as sure as fate, if conditions do not change. The postoffice department's announcement of the increased postal rates is as follows:

"Pursuant to an order from the office of the third assistant post-master general, your attention is invited to the rates of postage, which, under the act of October 3, 1917, embodied in section 429, postal laws and regulations, will be chargeable on and after July 1, 1921, on publications entered as second class matter when mailed by publishers or registered news agents, such rates being as follows:

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THREE FISHERMEN INVADE NEW MEX. 'ICO ON VACATION

Albert Herbst, Doug Fox and W. O. Fox left Hereford Sunday morning about daylight in a car for a week's fishing trip near Las Vegas, N. M. The trio were equipped with an enormous amount of fishing tackle of all kinds, extra bedding to keep out the chill, and a commodious tent. They hopefully expect to play havoc with the bass of the mountain streams around Las Vegas and to have a regular old fashioned good time while on the vacation.

ROBERSON IS CHEF OF BARBECUE FOR CLOVIS BOOSTERS

Hereford furnished Clovis a Chef to head their crew of barbecue cooks for the big Fourth of July celebration this week. The Chef is J. P. Roberson, who has made such a hit at Clovis in the past in similar work that he was drafted again this year.

Hereafter Only Week End Movies At Star Theatre

Manager R. R. Johnson, of The Star Theatre, announced Tuesday that, after Tuesday night's pictures, he will discontinue regular service, except on Friday and Saturday nights, for the rest of the summer months. The Star will open next Friday and Saturday as usual, and during each week end hereafter.

FRIONA MEN TAKE TWO VICTORIES IN BIG DOUBLEHEADER

Friona staged a double header baseball game last Sunday, the Friona team capturing both contests. In the first game, a seven inning affair, Bovina was the victim. The score was 13 to 10. In the second game, held to five innings, Friona defeated the Bellview nine 8 to 0. However, the Bellview team was crippled by the absence of several regular players. A large crowd witnessed both games.



Miami, Florida, Boosters Tell Country About "Magic City" on Automobile Tour To Los Angeles

"Silvery Chimes will bear the message of Magic Miami," says the Miami (Florida) Herald.

On May 18th T. J. McLean, house manager of the Park Theatre, accompanied by R. S. Case, mechanic, M. C. Byce, musician, A. L. Melton, camera man, and last but not least, Prince, Mr. McLean's fine Collier, who is quite a globe trotter, made a formal start from Miami to Los Angeles.

The party arrived in Hereford Saturday afternoon in their special Cadillac

C. B. WILLIAMS IS BENEDICT; SURPRISES FRIENDS

C. B. Williams, director in the First State-Bank & Trust Company, and well known business man here, who has been sojourning in California for the past year or so, drove into Hereford Monday afternoon and blandly presented his bride to the astonished members of his family and to his numerous friends.

The happy couple were married in Santa Anna, Calif., on April 13 of this year and, although Mr. Williams has been in constant touch with Hereford since, and has even visited here meanwhile, not an inkling of the momentous event had any one in Hereford received prior to the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. Williams was Miss Beulah Hunkler, of Nashville, Tenn. She had been visiting in California for several months and met Mr. Williams in Los Angeles. When they decided to marry they also decided that they keep the matter to themselves for the time being, and quietly slipped over to Santa Anna, where the nuptials were performed. Since April 13 the couple have toured southern California on a bridal trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams will make Hereford their home. A little later on in the summer they expect to make an automobile trip to Tennessee, the home state of the bride. Local plans have not yet been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams are receiving hearty congratulations on all sides and compliments upon their cleverness in so effectively concealing the important event from everyone concerned.

PLAINVIEW SECRETARY ENROUTE TO LAS VEGAS SHOW

Secretary John Boswell, of the Plainview Chamber of Commerce, passed through Hereford Saturday morning enroute to Las Vegas, N. M., to attend the big Roundup. Incidentally Mr. Boswell was inspecting the new auto line between Plainview and Tucumcari, of which he is Secretary and E. W. Harrison of Hereford is president.

Young Boswell is a live wire and does not let many bets get away from him.

NOW HOOVER AID



W. J. Raybold of Housatonic, Mass., president of the American Pulp & Paper Co., the federal organization of the paper industry, has been called into consultation with Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover to help devise ways for American industries to get back into world markets.

Weekly Concerts By Band Will Be Resumed July 14

The regular weekly Thursday night concerts by the Hereford Band will be resumed on July 14. Practice was interrupted the past two weeks owing to the demands made upon the leader and the members of the band by the Roundup and Fourth of July celebrations over this section, but regular schedules will start with this week. The program to be rendered on the night of the 14th has been selected and the band members will be drilled in the pieces to be given between this date and the night of the concert.

AMARILLO PLANS LARGE FALL SHOW ABOUT SEPTEMBER

The citizens of Amarillo are planning a labor and industrial show in September. All fraternal organizations, lodges, clubs, civic bodies, chamber of Commerce, business men's association, and labor organizations will be asked to participate in this celebration. The men in charge hope to demonstrate that Amarillo can put on an entertainment equal if not better than the Battle of Flowers at San Antonio, The Cotton Carnival at Waco, the Stock Show at Fort Worth.

This is to be an annual affair and will be known as the All Panhandle Labor and Industrial Show.

All Panhandle towns will be canvassed in the near future by the general chairman, and talks will be made before the different organizations in an effort to interest all near cities in the show and also to see if it will be possible for them to become a part of this new project.

Wholesale and retail business houses will be offered a chance to demonstrate their different lines of merchandise to the visitors and home people, also invitations will be mailed to concerns in other cities to come to Amarillo and exhibit anything that would be of interest to the people of this vicinity.

Speakers of note will be invited to speak on this occasion and many men of prominence in all walks of life will probably be there for the show, all attractions that can be secured for September will be signed for at an early date, and it is the wish of those in charge that something new will be secured.

The program in part will be published at an early date. One day will be set apart for the farmers and one day will be known as All Panhandle Day. The others will be set aside for the different clubs and organizations who participate in the celebration.

STEADY RAIN INTERRUPTS THE HARVEST

MAY HURT RIPE WHEAT TOO. JULY FOURTH CELEBRATIONS DAMPENED

Rain, which began falling Monday afternoon, spoiled the holiday amusements of many pleasure seekers, as well as the harvest work of hundreds of industrious farmers over this section. Monday night it continued to rain, and all day Tuesday a steady drizzle descended, with little prospect of an immediate letup at nightfall. The official rain gauge showed one and three-tenths inches had accumulated up to Tuesday morning. The moisture was not particularly needed at this time, and will seriously interfere with the harvest work if continued. Most of the wheat is dead ripe now and real damage may result if the rainfall continues any length of time.

FARMERS NEED NOT WORRY ABOUT THE TEXAS TRUCK LAW

There still seems to be a general misunderstanding as to the provisions of the new truck law. The first reports of the nature of this law contained misleading information, and many people especially farmers, have not yet received the correct facts.

As The Brand understands it, the new law does not go into effect at all until January, 1922.

Again, farmers are not effected by the law at all.

The law applies to truck lines only, used in commercial hauling, and then only on trucks over 2,000 tons capacity.

Farmers will not be taxed on their own trucks when hauling their grain and other products, state those who have studied the law and familiarized themselves with its provisions.

CLOVIS-LAS VEGAS ATTRACTIONS DRAW CROWDS OF PEOPLE

Reports from the Clovis and Las Vegas Fourth of July celebrations are to the effect that huge crowds attended both events. Clovis claimed 5,000 visitors. A barbecue was served the hungry crowds, although rain sadly demoralized the Legion auto races and Roundup features.

MR. AND MRS. F. H. BRITAIN MAKE QUICK AUTO TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Britain went to Clarendon in their car Sunday morning to visit relatives and friends for a few days, but the weather looked so threatening that they made a hurried trip home Monday. They brought their daughter, Mrs. D. O. Stallings, and granddaughter, Fray, home with them for a visit.

LOCAL MEN MOTOR TO LAS VEGAS TO TAKE IN ROUNDUP

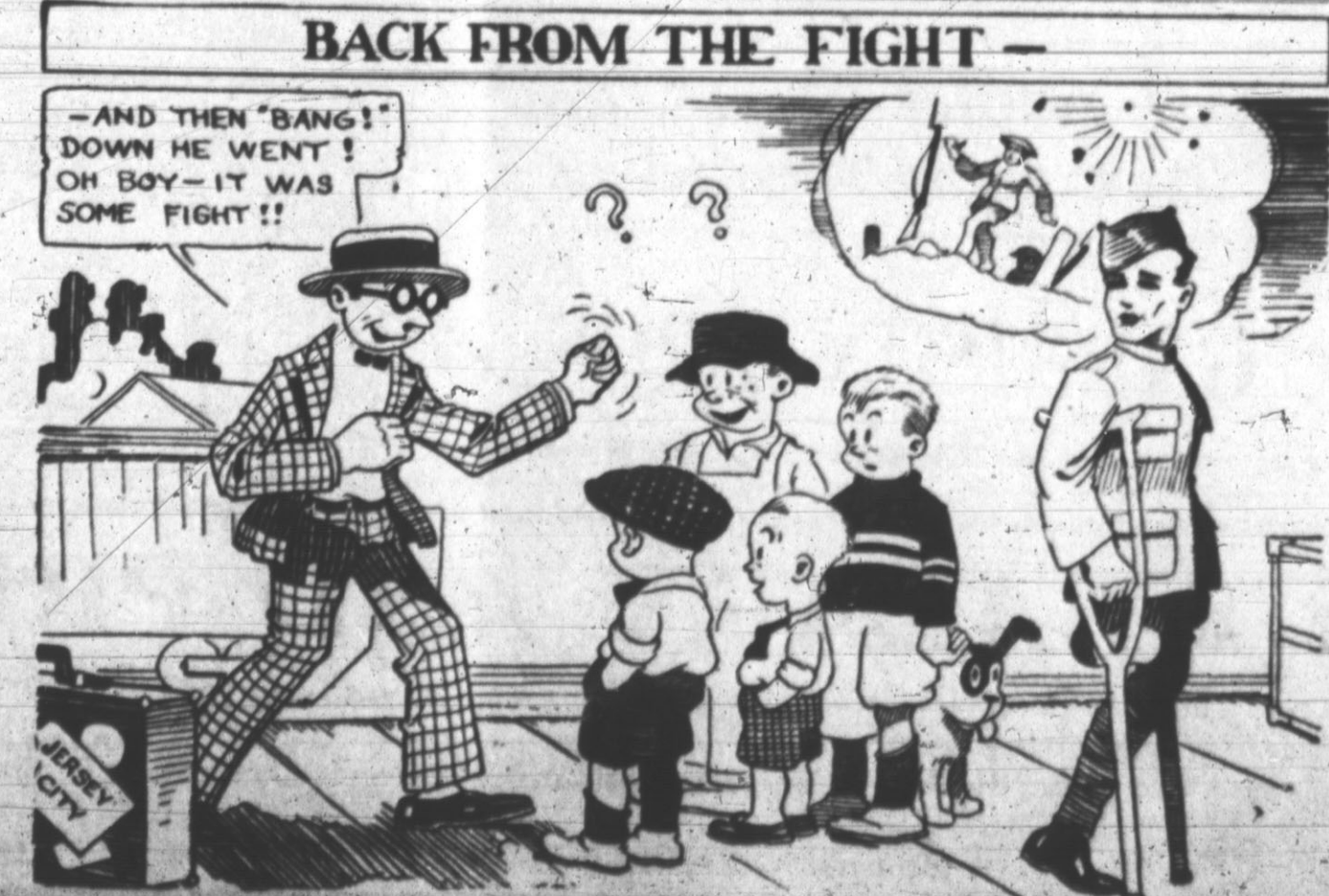
A number of Hereford men left here Sunday for the big Roundup and Fourth of July Celebration held at Las Vegas, N. M., on Monday. Among those who drove across country Sunday were J. O. Newell, W. H. Ray, Roy Jowell and George McMahon.

MISS MINNIE DEA COFFIN STUDYING MUSIC IN DALLAS

Friends of Miss Minnie Dea Coffin will be interested to know that she is now in Dallas reviewing her music work with Mr. MacDonald of Chicago. She writes that she is "meeting away" for it surely is hot here. Be thankful you live on the Plains!

CLOVIS TIRE MAN AND WIFE ARE ON WAY TO CANADIAN

J. H. Graham and wife, of Clovis, N. M., passed through Hereford in their car last Saturday, bound for Canadian, Texas, and other points in that vicinity. Mr. Graham is in the tire business at Clovis.



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THE LAWS WILL STAND

Bro. Shaw in the Higgins News deplores the fact that the anti-bootlegging laws seem inefficient in coping with the whiskey traffic, and that in our courts people who are notoriously guilty are dismissed from prosecution on account of some legal loophole.

It isn't so much the trouble with the law, Brother Shaw, as it is with the law trifiers. And by that term we mean all classes of people—criminals, lawyers, and judges—who seem to be in sympathy with the so-called personal liberty idea which would let a man handle all the liquor he wants to and be responsible to his conscience only. And juries are included in the list of trifiers.

What we need is a little old-fashioned justice from England—once in a while. English courts do not recognize the American's adoption of "technicalities" in defeating the punishing of a law violator. The failure to dot an "i" or to cross a "t" is not considered in English courts. The courts there consider only as to the guilt or innocence of the defendant and that he has had a fair trial. If he is innocent he is acquitted; if he is guilty he must suffer. In other words, it is a court of justice and not a court of law mumble-peg.

The officers are sometimes responsible under our system because they don't know how to prepare a case and make it proof against irregularities. After a little experience they will know how to prosecute Mr. Bootlegger to a successful conviction, and the apparent ease with which the offenders "beat the law" will be ancient history. The action of the sheriff of Deaf Smith County in stating that he would profit by his first errors—due to no experience in the working of the prohibition laws—and make his cases from here on out proof against mis-carriage, is commendable.

MONEY THROWN ON THE WATER RETURNS TO YOU IN A FEW DAYS



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This is true of every town and city in the land. But the town that can coax money from the people of other towns, soon becomes so prosperous that people flock to it, and that's how wealthy cities are made.

It is the duty of every man and woman in this community to spend every cent he intends to spend right here. It is his duty to himself, so that his own property, his own business, his own job will be worth

more—worth more in the selling market. Homes and farms and blocks and businesses and jobs are least valuable and poorest in communities whose people spend their money elsewhere.

TRADE AT HOME

have been granted special rates to their State convention to be held in Amarillo in July and other special rates are being granted.

The railroads should be interested in the development of the Panhandle as much as any other interest, but perhaps a legislative trip does not appeal to them.—Panhandle Herald.

MANY FARMERS INTERESTED IN STANDARD BRED POULTRY

In the absence of census data on the quality of farm poultry, information being received by the United States Department of Agriculture in connection movement is believed to be of interest with the "Better Sires—Better Stock" to poultrymen. For instance, of 75 live stock owners in Webster County, Nebr., who in one day enrolled in the better-sires drive 95 reported standard-bred fowls. The flocks averaged 94 birds. The principal breeds reported are, in the order stated, Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns, Rhode Island Reds, Orpingtons, and Wyandottes. Barred Plymouth Rocks were more numerous than other varieties in the breed. Of the Leghorns the White Leghorns were raised in largest numbers while of the Wyandottes the white variety was somewhat more popular than the Silver Laced Wyandottes, which were second. Buff

Orpingtons were the only variety of their breed reported.

The facts stated are believed to show interest in the keeping of well-bred poultry, especially since the Better Sires—Better Stock blanks merely call for the number of poultry kept; and in all cases the live-stock owners volunteered the facts about breeds and varieties. It is also noteworthy that whereas the better-sires drive is aimed chiefly at the improvement of breeding

males, in the case of poultry a large majority of females likewise are standard bred.

The Texas Pecan Growers have accepted the offer of the Farm Bureau to organize the industry for marketing purposes.

Reports from the cotton belt show boll weevils to be numerous and doing much damage.

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and means that the law will in the end enforce prohibition.

Then there are the judges. If a judge shows too much of an inclination to favor the defendant in a whiskey case, his position will be filled at the next election by a man more in sympathy with cleanliness and morality.

It isn't so much the fault of the laws as it is the necessity of trying them out. The laws will stand and bootlegging will one day be much more taboo than the taking of human life is today.—Canadian Record.

LEGISLATORS WILL NOT VISIT THE PANHANDLE

During the recent session of the Legislature West Texas members conceived the idea of a visit of the entire membership of the Legislature to Central, West Texas and the Panhandle by special train during the special session. It was contemplated that the railroads would make such an excursion possible by making a special rate for the movement of the train, but no concessions

whatever will be made by the roads and the fact that the cost of the trip was to be borne by the West Texas and Panhandle towns, makes it out of the question to raise the fourteen thousand necessary to cover the expense of the trip; therefore, it seems that the proposed trip must be abandoned.

The Herald very much regrets the failure to put the trip over for it meant so much to West Texas and the Panhandle in that people who have never visited the Panhandle of Texas have an idea that we are a bunch of extravagant boosters out here, but a visit among us never fails to make converts out of the doubting Thomases.

The membership of the Legislature was anxious to make this trip and the failure to put it over is as much a disappointment to them as it is to us.

Railroads usually give reasonable concessions on trips of this kind, but why they are so "hard boiled" on this proposed excursion we are unable to understand. The Sheriffs of the State



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Plainview Holds District Meeting Methodist Women

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Plainview District of the Northwest Texas Conference, met in annual session on June 28 and 29, at Hale Center, Mrs. D. F. Ashbrook, District Secretary presiding.

Opening Song—"My Faith Looks up to Thee."

Devotional was given by Mrs. Ashbrook, who gave us a wonderful lesson, "Who offers for Christ," taken from the scriptures, "Ye are not your own, Choose ye this day." She emphasized the challenge of the hour—stewardship—and the need of an army of stewards like Phillip, wherever he would have them labor, whatever he would have them do and where he would call they would gladly lift their faces towards their Lord and Master and say, "I am at your service."

Prayer—Mrs. G. W. Heard, Hereford, Texas.

Appointment of committees.

A very hearty welcome was extended the Auxiliaries of the District by Mrs. Phillips of Hale Center, which was responded to by Mrs. Israel of Plainview. Bro. Howell, of Abernathy, was then called to the front and introduced to the Conference.

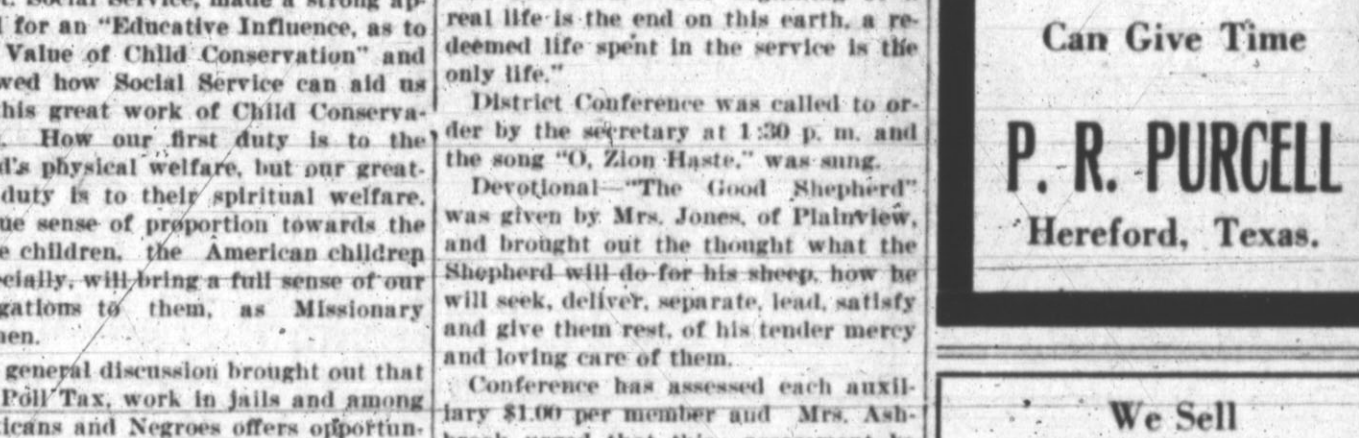
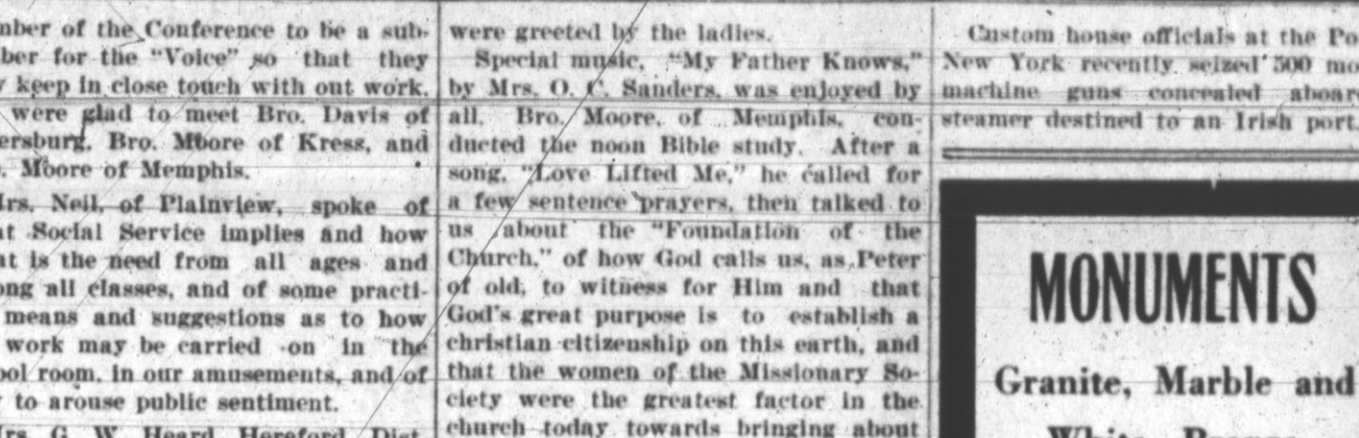
Mrs. Phelps brought us a message from our Northwest Texas Conference which met at Quanah, the last of May and she spoke of the great work undertaken by our women and of the part that impressed her most. That the increase in spirituality has been brought about by spending more time with God, by the nine o'clock prayer service, which hour has been set aside by our Conference. The increase in membership is due more than anything else to systematic visiting among the sick and strangers. Mrs. Phelps spoke of how Social Service work was stressed and of the need of Christian stewardship, Christian censorship and Christian education.

The District Secretary report came next, which after a few words of appreciation of the work throughout the district, and of the associations, showed that every department of the work had made a steady growth, and one thought was emphasized—that we plan largely and then strive to do more than we have planned. She urged that everyone stand in her place, to be ready to go and serve and do her part, however small it may be.

Dr. Irvin, evangelist, and Dr. Fraizer, the singer, who were in Hale Center to conduct a revival, were then introduced. Report of the District Officers was then continued.

Supt. of Social Service, Mrs. Heard, has kept in touch with all the Auxiliaries in the District but two, has written circular letters and cards, and published a series of articles, written by Mrs. J. B. Smith, our ex-Conference Supt. of Social Service, in the local newspapers.

Agent for the "Voice" urged every



member of the Conference to be a subscriber for the "Voice" so that they may keep in close touch with our work. We were glad to meet Bro. Davis of Petersburg, Bro. Moore of Kress, and Bro. Moore of Memphis.

Mrs. Neil, of Plainview, spoke of what Social Service implies and how great is the need from all ages and among all classes, and of some practical means and suggestions as to how the work may be carried on in the school room, in our amusements, and of how to arouse public sentiment.

Mrs. G. W. Heard, Hereford, Dist. Supt. Social Service, made a strong appeal for an "Educative Influence, as to the Value of Child Conservation" and showed how Social Service can aid us in this great work of Child Conservation. How our first duty is to the child's physical welfare, but our greatest duty is to their spiritual welfare. A due sense of proportion towards the little children, the American child especially, will bring a full sense of our obligations to them, as Missionary women.

A general discussion brought out that the Poll Tax, work in jails and among Mexicans and Negroes offers opportunities every day for Social Service work.

Mrs. H. B. Watts, of Lockney, issued a strong call for "Life Enrollment" for definite Christian service and until we hear and heed the call of Jesus Christ to "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel," we will not meet our obligations or know the blessed joy of service. At the close of her address, the Secretary asked those who had enlisted in the service to please stand and four volunteers stood.

Our Conference officers, Mrs. Tom Delaney, Supt. Y. P. M. S., Memphis, Mrs. A. L. Moore, Supt. Study, Memphis, and Miss Jessie Green, our recording secretary, came to the front, and

were greeted by the ladies.

Special music, "My Father Knows," by Mrs. O. C. Sanders, was enjoyed by all. Bro. Moore, of Memphis, conducted the noon Bible study. After a song, "Love Lifted Me," he called for a few sentence prayers, then talked to us about the "Foundation of the Church," of how God calls us, as Peter of old, to witness for Him and that God's great purpose is to establish a Christian citizenship on this earth, and that the women of the Missionary Society were the greatest factor in the church today towards bringing about that condition. "The beginning of a real life is the end on this earth, a redeemed life spent in the service is the only life."

District Conference was called to order by the secretary at 1:30 p. m. and the song "O, Zion Haste," was sung.

Devotional—"The Good Shepherd" was given by Mrs. Jones, of Plainview, and brought out the thought what the Shepherd will do for his sheep, how he will seek, deliver, separate, lead, satisfy and give them rest, of his tender mercy and loving care of them.

Conference has assessed each auxiliary \$1.00 per member and Mrs. Ashbrook urged that this assessment be paid at once. This money is to be used on a Methodist dormitory to be erected at Texas University for Methodist girls.

Mrs. Delaney compared the "Work of Women's Clubs With Missionary Societies," showing how the educational and spiritual inspiration is greater through the society than it could be in clubs, if the women would be as loyal and as faithful, rain or shine, to the society as they are to the clubs.

Special music—Mrs. McOuit, of Hale Center.

Reports from auxiliaries, illustrated by poster representing us as a "child" in this part of the Master's work, showed that Floydada, Hereford and Plainview have made good with every part of the work, that 15 of the auxiliaries have Mission and Bible study and Social Service, five Y. P. M. S., six Jr. Divisions, that all are doing local and connectional work and that all but six societies reported in full during the past year.

Abernathy delegates spoke of "Conference Expense Fund, Retirement and Relief," setting for the extent of the work in both home and foreign fields.

Mrs. Cunningham, of Kress, in her talk about the "Children's Work," says the most important thing is to get the child's point of view, to always be there at every meeting and to set a good example. Mrs. Duckett, of Tulla, spoke of the "Qualifications of the Superintendent." As love of God, love of children, patience, firmness, knowledge of the work, enthusiasm and responsibility, all of which are necessary in a good Superintendent.

"A Loving Ministry"—Mrs. Harrison, of Happy, said, "If we as Missionary women are interested in a loving ministry, if we would do unto the least of these we should willingly and lovingly give 'in His name' to the Bethlehem Wesley, Virginia K. Johnson and other homes supported by our Conference and following her talk, Plainview.

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MY NEIGHBORS

We run across folks everywhere that's full of superheated air... and who, by various hoogs or crooks, would fain impress us by their looks... But I confide in mighty few—only folks that I live neighbors to...

I alters pride the bosom friend, who has a willin' ear to lend... Who digs around me when I'm stuck, an' helps me steer for better luck; who comforts me when I am blue,—the man that I live neighbors to...

To tell the truth, I ain't afraid to lend my hoe, or rake, or spade, or kitchen-tool, to drive a tack,—because I know they'll fetch 'em back an' thank me for 'em when they're through,—the folks that I live neighbors to...

Sometimes I think about the place where sinners go that's saved by grace... An' wonder what the Judge will say, when souls that's perfect come his way... I'll bet he let's 'em go right through,—these folks that I live neighbors to...

For every Sunday

LOOK HERE FOLKS!

We Still Have Quite a Bit of Stock to Close Out and We Want to Close It Out as Quick as Possible and if You Have Any Doubt in Your Mind That We Are Anxious to Sell It Just Come In and See the Prices we Are Making on It.

Hughes & Crouch

MONUMENTS

Granite, Marble and White Bronze Can Give Time

P. R. PURCELL

Hereford, Texas.

We Sell

Para Bell Tires that stand the test better than any tire on the market.

Cord and Fabric

Let us wash and grease your car.

Thompson Garage

Opposite Courthouse
Phone 216

HE COMES BEARING GIFTS



We all like visitors—when they come "bearing gifts." That accounts for the popularity of this new Chinese manikin, Ho-Thoi, who has just made his bow in the gift shops of the land. "Ho-Thoi" means good luck—whether we are superstitious or not—and in his little cupped hand he carries an unmounted jewel—always symbolic of the month in which the recipient was born—January a garnet; April a diamond, etc. He is one of the newest novelties of the year as shown at the Busb Terminal Sales Building in New York.

Our Advertising Columns

are read by the people because it gives them news of absorbing interest. People no longer go looking about for things they want—they go to their newspaper for information as to where such things may be found. This method saves time and trouble. If you want to bring your wares to the attention of this community, our advertising columns

Should Contain Your Ad

The New International Speed Truck



WITH the addition of the new Model S speed truck the great International line includes a size and a style for every hauling purpose. Sizes now range from the 1,500-pound truck, with a speed of 35 miles, to the 10,000-pound truck for heavy-duty service.

The new model is a successful combination of strength and speed. In every detail, it is designed and built to measure up to the quality standard so firmly established by International Motor Trucks. The same combination of skill and experience gained through 90 successful years of high-grade manufacture stands back of every International Motor Truck.

The four-cylinder engine has the neces-

sary margin of power, sturdiness, and durability to cope with all road, weather, and traffic conditions. The internal gear drive rear axle and all other units measure up to the standard of quality set by International engineers. The Model S is regularly equipped with 34 x 5 pneumatic cord truck tires, electric lighting and starting equipment, and power tire pump.

Back of this dependable line of trucks stands the International free inspection service, which fully assures low-cost operation for all Internationals.

It will pay you to know more about International trucks and service. Come in at your convenience and let us explain just what low-cost haulage really means.

Motor Sales Co.

Hereford, Texas

Society

Mrs. B. F. Guthrie, Editor,
Phone 189.

Forty-two Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Guthrie was thrown open on Saturday evening to a number of the friends of their son, Gwynne, who entertained at forty-two.

Tables were placed on the lawn where Chinese lanterns in red, white and blue produced an effective lighting, charmingly suggestive of Independence Day. On the gallery the same decorative idea was carried out in flags and bunting.

Five tables of animated players enjoyed several rounds of the game and, later, angel food cake and ice cream were served.

Entertain Dinner Guests.

A charming dinner party given Sunday by Miss Mattie Woodburn, honored Misses Valda Squires and Ladie Lee Cogburn, both of Weatherford, Texas.

The beautifully appointed three-course dinner was served at twelve o'clock, covers being laid for Col. E. T. Woodburn, Misses Valda Squires, Todie Lee Cogburn, Olive and Katherine Wilson, Mattie Woodburn and Paul Wilson.

Miss Squires is a grand-daughter of Col. Woodburn. She and Miss Cogburn are students in the Canyon Normal and visited over the week-end in the Woodburn home.

Lawn Party.

The nation's birthday suggested the motif of one of the prettiest of the week's parties when Miss Jewell Porter delightfully entertained a number of friends at her home Saturday evening.

The guests were entertained on the lawn, which, bordered by a profusely blooming garden, was wonderfully lovely under the glow of electric lights.

The national colors draped about the columns of the veranda were most effective against a background of potted ferns.

The ever entertaining game of forty-two was enjoyed, Victrola music adding a pleasant feature to the evening's program.

Ice cream with doll's food cake provided a delicious refreshment course, tiny flags being used as favors.

Anniversary Celebration

A pretty social event of Wednesday evening was an eight o'clock dinner celebrating the joint anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Vogeles and that of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Womack.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Womack, the scene of the happy occasion, was very charming in its special adornment of June roses, attractively combined with ivy.

In the dining room a beautiful table centerpiece showing crimson roses arranged with glistening sprays of ivy, carried out the decorative idea.

Every appointment of the dinner was exquisite and added no little to the pleasure the occasion afforded. Covers were laid for Rev. and Mrs. Sharp, Messrs. Frank Gyles and Wallace Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Vogeles and Mr. and Mrs. Womack.

Birthday Celebration.

A charmingly appropriate Fourth of July celebration combined with a birthday celebration, afforded a pleasant day Sunday for the citizens of that progressive and patriotic community just north of town.

The hospitality of the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knox was extended for the occasion, the company assembling after the morning church services. The beautiful grounds at the Knox home with its abundant shade was a delightful spot in which to spread the elaborate feast that was enjoyed at noonday. The National colors attractively displayed, and a program of patriotic music given during the afternoon were suggestive of the day.

This very enjoyable event is an annual affair, commemorating as it does,

The Port of Missing Men



the birthday of the nation and also that of Mrs. J. E. Cockrell and Mr. J. W. Robinson, both of whom are honored in the occasion.

The day's guests included Dr. Atwood, Rev. Porter, Rev. Witt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cockrell, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis, R. J. Kibbe, Miss Lora Kibbe, Misses Gladys and Bertha Chambers, J. M. Robinson, George Robinson, Jess Winterrowd, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knox and family.

Class Entertains.

The irresistible appeal of starlit skies and the flower scented breeze of midsummer evenings has been expressed in social circles this week by a number of lawn parties, all of which have occupied the hours of early evening.

One of the largest of these was that given Friday evening by the young people's class of the Christian Sunday School at the home of Mrs. Guthrie, teacher of the class.

The arrangement committee who planned the very pleasant affair included Misses Lollie Shore, Zena Owen and Inez Ricketts.

The lawn and gallery were attractively lighted, palms and ferns adding an effective note. A pretty arrangement of sweet peas adorned the table from which punch was served by Misses Mozelle Hill, Mary Pauline Ray and Dorothy Shore.

Forty-two furnished the evening's diversion, seven tables being occupied. A Victrola placed on the gallery lent its musical accompaniment to the hum cheery conversation and gay laughter that spoke the pleasure the games afforded. At their conclusion, the party went in-doors where a musical program was enjoyed. A refreshment course of ice cream and cake was served to thirty young people.

Continuing its good time program the class again followed the call of the out-doors in a

Fourth of July Picnic.

Gathering at the church early Monday afternoon, despite threatening rain clouds, the jolly company motored to the Club Grounds at Sulphur Park where fishing and boating were enjoyed until supper time, when a delicious picnic luncheon was served.

The return trip was chilled by a steady downpour of rain, which, however, did not succeed in dampening the ardor of the jolly picnickers.

SPRING LAKE

Farmers are very busy harvesting. The hail did quite a little damage in this community.

Mrs. Cleavinger and son, Elmer, went to Plainview Saturday.

Mr. Gatlin took hogs to Plainview Saturday for Milt Ott.

Mrs. Fred Ott and daughter, Inez, came down Friday to help Mrs. Willis White in the harvest.

Monk Chapman is hauling wheat to Hereford for Mr. Mundell.

Mrs. Louis Linville came in Thursday from Potter, Kansas, where she had been at the bedside of her mother, who died shortly after her arrival

there. We extend her our heartfelt sympathy.

We were indeed sorry to hear of the death of W. B. Green. He made several trips through this community and made many friends, who extend to the family their sympathy.

Wallace Phipps came in from Amarillo Friday with a new International truck.

Ben Phipps, Cecil Johnson and Ed Ramsey were shopping in Hereford Saturday.

Mrs. Willis White will spend this week in Hereford.

Mrs. John Harris' cousins are visiting here at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston, of Hereford, attended the program at Spring Lake Sunday.

Messrs. Luther Hough and Howard took dinner Sunday at the home of J. I. Phipps.

Jack Hinson went to Littlefield to be treated last week.

Ed Ramsey visited his uncle, Luther Ramsey Sunday.

W. S. Hall and family and several others from Spring Lake attended the picnic at Littlefield Saturday.

Mrs. Kimball and children visited her daughter, Mrs. Savage, near Hart, Sunday. Fred Rudd spent Friday and Saturday in Hereford.

SURE YOU DON'T COME UNDER PROVISION NEW LAW

Have you filed with the county clerk the real owner or owners of your business, as the new law requires, providing you are operating under any name other than your own?

Remember!—Failure to do so by the tenth of July subjects you to a state fine.

PORTALES BOY IS DROWNED SUNDAY AT SMITH RANCH

Reports from Portales, N. M., state that Ohie Weatherford, aged 10, was drowned Sunday afternoon in a tank on the Ben Smith ranch, fifty miles south of Portales. No further details were obtainable.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Deaf Smith

Whereas, by virtue of authority vested in me, as trustee, named in and appointed in a certain deed of trust, recorded in volume 24 page 169, records of real estate mortgages of Deaf Smith County Texas, executed and delivered to me on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1920, by A. F. Reedy and wife, Fannie May Reedy, for better securing the payment of one certain promissory note of \$2000.00 more fully described in said deed of trust, executed by the said A. F. Reedy and wife, Fannie May Reedy, payable to W. S. Higgins at Hereford, Texas, twelve months after date, bearing ten per cent interest per annum from date until paid, interest due and payable annually as it accrues, providing failure to pay either said note or

any installment of interest thereon when due, shall at the option of the holder of said note mature said note, and in such event the holder thereof may proceed to collect the same in the manner as if the full time provided for in said note had expired, and also providing for the payment of five per cent additional on the amount of principal and interest then due as attorney's fees, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or if foreclosure is made by trustee.

And, Whereas, the said W. S. Higgins is the holder and owner of said note and the said A. F. Reedy and Fannie May Reedy has made default in the payment of said note above described, together with interest thereon, and the same is now past due and unpaid, principal, interest and attorney's fees, by reason thereof and as provided for in said note and in said deed of trust the said W. S. Higgins has declared said note and all of said indebtedness immediately due and matured and has heretofore notified the said A. F. Reedy and Fannie May Reedy in writing; and, whereas, said note is now past due and unpaid; and, whereas, I have been requested by the said W. S. Higgins to enforce said trust, I will offer for sale, between the legal hours thereof, to wit: between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the first Tuesday in August, A. D. 1921, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the courthouse door in the town of Hereford, in Deaf Smith County, Texas, the following described property to wit: All of the SOUTHWEST one-fourth of

Section EIGHTY-SIX, in Block K-4, containing 160 acres.

Also all of the NORTHWEST One-fourth of Section EIGHTY in Block K-4, containing 160 acres of land; all of the above described land is situated

in Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Witness my hand this 22nd day of June, 1921.

30-22-24 E. B. POSEY, Trustee.

The Texas Legislature will be called in special session July 11.

Customers of this store receive the finest of groceries and courteous service at all times. Orders delivered promptly—Telephone now.

IF IT IS SOMETHING GOOD TO EAT WE HAVE IT

The G. and R. Grocery

FRANK A. GYLES
J. R. RUTHERFORD

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HEREFORD, TEXAS

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Cleaning and Pressing Prices

Effective July 1, our prices for Cleaning and Pressing Suits will be reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.50.

You Get the Difference!
Bring Us Your Work.

C. P. RINGER'S Tailor Shop

CLEANING AND PRESSING

Uncle Johns Job

EUROPE NEEDS ONE MORE GRAVE-YARD TO BURY THE HATCHET.

Feet Hurt You These Hot Days?

in many instances this is caused from improper fitting, or poorly finished shoes. Here's a real tip for you:

Friedman-Shelby

Shoes, for Men, Women and Children—"the ALL leather, ALL the time" kind of shoes, are *Finished*, from the tip of the toe to the back of the heel. They are *Guaranteed* as to workmanship and satisfaction.

We are offering unusual values in these shoes just at this time, especially in

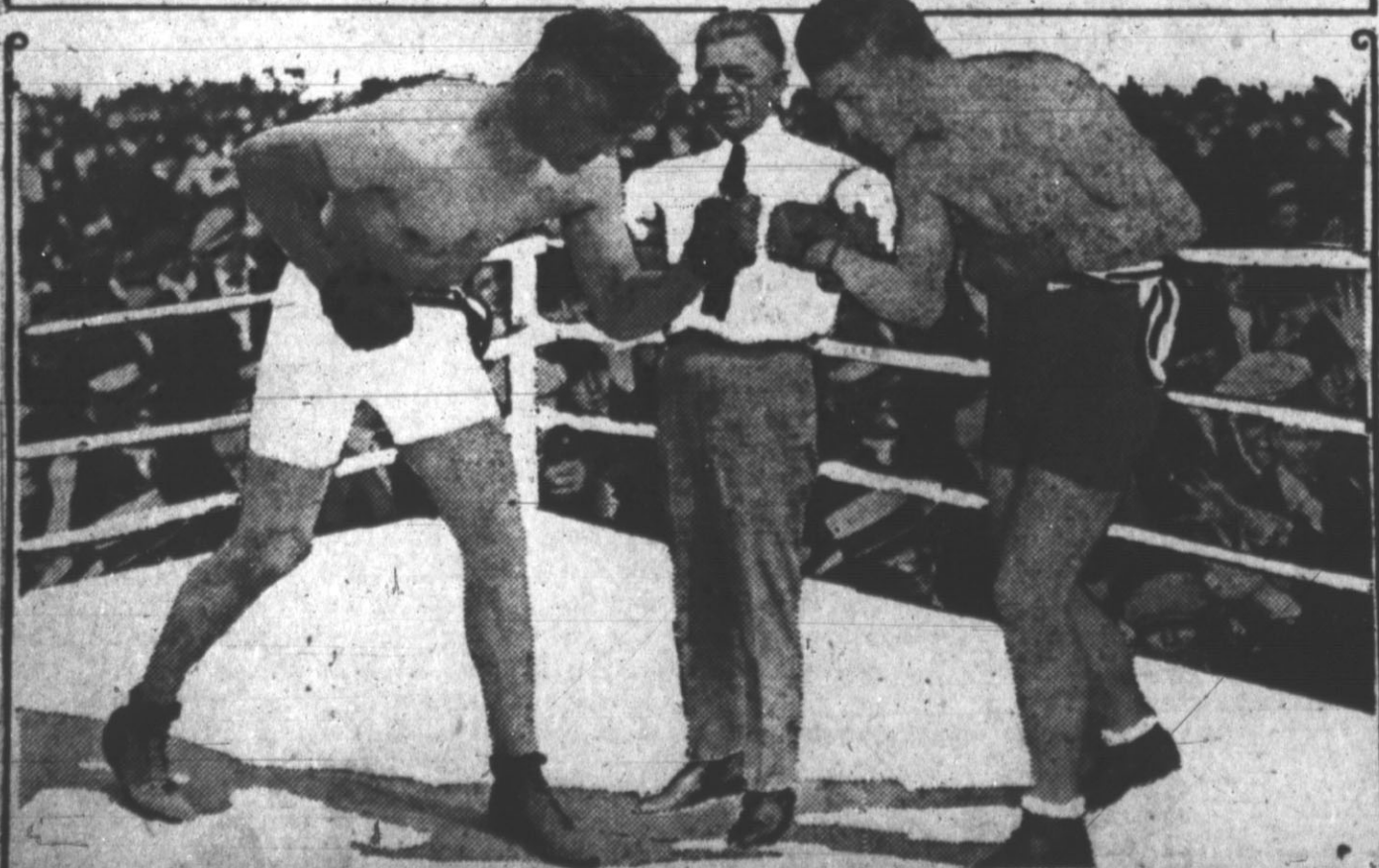
Shoes for Men and Boys

All Sizes All Widths Latest Designs
AND WE KNOW HOW TO FIT YOU, TOO

We Never Let Anyone Undersell Us.

J. O. NEWELL

AS CHAMPION DEMPSEY FACED THE CHALLENGING CARPENTIER



The three men in the ring at Jersey City Saturday afternoon who held the attention of folks the world around. Champion Jack Dempsey facing his challenger from Europe, Georges Carpentier, of France. The third man was referee Harry Ertle, of Jersey City.

CLASSIFIED COLUMNS
 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 cent per word; minimum 25c.
CASH WITH ORDER.

FOR SALE

PHONE T. B. Slaughter, 195, or come to my place 1-4 miles east of Court House for Gravel and Sand of 1st quality. Best Rock. 44-1f

FOR SALE—Ribbon Cane (Brumley kind). I have placed a limited amount of this extra good seed at the Great West Elevator Co. for sale at \$1.25 per hundred, sacked. 13-1f R. H. Jacobs.

FOR SALE—A hay rack, in good condition. L. B. Feehan. 32-3t On 25 Mile Ave., No. 900.

FOR SALE—Mountain Cedar Posts, 6 1-2 to 20 ft. Largest and best stock of posts in San Saba Co. Write for prices, F. O. B. San Saba, Texas. 29-64-Pd Aylor Cedar Co.

FOR SALE—Have 1-4 sec. land near Hereford, want to put in cultivation. Will give all that can be made on it this year and next. Has well and fenced. See C. D. Shaw, Hereford, or write J. W. Boyle, Plainview, Tex. 24-4t



GEORGES CARPENTIER



JACK DEMPSEY

Stock Special.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Durham, June 10th, a girl.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. V. Skypala, of Dawn, June 12, a boy.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McDonald, of Bovins, June 17th, a boy.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Easter, a boy, John Frank, July 2.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Preston Florence, of Dimmitt, a girl, July 1.

NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS AND CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the Texas State Bank has been closed and is now in my hands for the purpose of liquidation.
 All persons having claims against the Texas State Bank, Farwell, Texas must present such claims and make legal proof thereof on or before September 4, 1921.

ALL CLAIMS OF GUARANTEED DEPOSITORS MUST BE PRESENTED AND LEGAL PROOF THEREOF MADE NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 4, 1921.

ALL CLAIMS OF GUARANTEED DEPOSITORS PRESENTED AFTER SEPTEMBER 4, 1921, SHALL NOT BE ENTITLED TO PAYMENT OF ANY PORTION THEREOF OUT OF THE DEPOSITORS' GUARANTY FUND.

All claims and proof of claims must be presented to the special agent in charge of the banking house of the Texas State Bank, Farwell, Texas or mailed direct to me in Austin, Texas.

ED. HALL,
 Commissioner of Insurance and Banking of the State of Texas.
 24-48

Did you ever try a want ad in our classified column? You'll get results.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Suits cleaned and pressed, \$1.50. 32-1f Hereford Steam Laundry.

Misses Alta Mae Purcell, of Friona, and Ethel Rice went to Friona Tuesday morning. Miss Rice will visit in the home of her friend, Miss Purcell, until the latter part of the week. Miss Purcell has been visiting friends the past two weeks in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kearns and children, and Mr. Kearns brother, Harold, left Saturday morning for Las Vegas and the mountains. They went overland in their car and will probably be gone two weeks or more.

Mrs. E. J. Williams and daughter, Edna Mae and son Finis, left Saturday for Dallas, Austin, Lockhart and San Antonio to visit relatives the remainder of the summer.

Notice—I will be home in August. Those interested in the study of Piano or Harmony, see me then.
 Helen Lambert.

Ancel Major went to visit his father and sisters at Hitchcock, Texas, Tuesday morning. Mr. Major has been with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Major for the past four or five months.

Farmers Attention
 We want to work to the interest of the farmers while they are busy in their crops. Should you find us closed when you get to town, just call phone 123 and we will be glad to come and wait on you any time. Don't hesitate to call us.
 Hereford Produce, I. H. Spratt, Mgr.

Mr. R. L. Ferguson and family have arrived in Hereford from Rome, Texas, to make this place their home. Mr. Ferguson is a prominent ranch man and farmer. They will occupy the residence of Mrs. E. J. Williams for the summer months.

Words of Appreciation.
 Envoy J. D. Rowlands and wife of the Salvation Army, desire to thank the people of Dimmitt for their cooperation at the meetings held at that place last week.

They also wish to publicly thank the management of the Star Theatre for the reproduction of the picture, "From the Manger to the Cross," and the 10-per cent of the admissions for the benefit of the Salvation Army.

Jim Carter left Sunday for Clarendon, Texas, to play ball with the Clarendon team Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Carter who had been visiting at Ft. Worth, was expected to join Mr. Carter at Amarillo.

Notice
Wheat Men
 Header Pushers to be used with Fordson Tractors. One man handles both.
 32-3t Wilkinson & Stocking.

A Special Card of Thanks
 To our dear neighbors and friends: We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for the help and loving kindness shown us during the long illness and death of our loving husband, father and brother.

Especially do we thank Dr. Roberts, who worked so faithfully and untiringly until God saw fit to call him home.

We all join in returning our thanks for the many beautiful floral offerings and pray God's richest blessings to rest upon you all.
 Mrs. W. B. Green and children,
 Mrs. Myra Parks.

Abstracts and Loans
 J. Frank Potts
 Maps, Deaf Smith Co.—50c.

WANTED

WANTED—One good drill and good 2-foot header.
 3-1f J. L. Fuqua.

WANTED—Your Liberty Bonds. Will pay market value less reasonable brokerage.
 3-1f First National Bank.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms or light house-keeping—modern conveniences.
 33-1f Fred Millard.

FOR RENT—The Lipscomb house. Call or see H. L. Broadwell.
 12-1f

Two or three-piece Suits cleaned and pressed for \$1.50.
 2-1f Orr's Tailor Shop.

FOR RENT—A house.
 1f H. L. Broadwell.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A moto-meter from a Buick, last Sunday evening. Finder please return to the Brand office.
 3-1t-Pd. C. H. Carl.

Dr. Crume Changes Date

Instead of the first Tuesday in each month, Dr. Crume, of Amarillo, will be in Hereford the first Wednesday in June, September, December and March. If interested, remember these dates.
 2-1f

The End of a Perfect Day

Food for Thought

Three things I love to look upon:
 A Golden Sunset,
 A Master Painting
 and An Artistic
 Job of Printing
 Are they not all the work of master hands?
 —G. Tuttle

PERSONALITY is an important factor in a man's success. It is equally necessary for the success of a business house. Did you ever stop to consider that every letter, every printed word you send out can help to develop your personality or destroy it?

Our printing business is built on the principle of doing more than just enough to get by with our customers. We consider every account as an individual with a personality and every piece of work done by us is designed to help that personality.

Our facilities are such that we can add a few more Real Seekers after Quality Printing that will reflect the personality of their house.

ARE YOU IN THIS CLASS?

The Hereford Brand

Appreciation

We certainly appreciate the way the public has responded to our new ruling, "Cash Only."

We feel like we have much to be thankful for in the kind attitude that you have taken toward us.

Geo. E. Burns
 "Hurry Back"

Culling Poultry Is Necessary to Build up Flock

Culling, as it is carried on on commercial poultry ranches between the months of May and November, is based for the most part on two fundamental principles: first, that the profitable layer must be a long distance layer—that is, she must lay a good many months without interruption; second, that whatever interferes with production is detrimental to profit and constitutes a reason for segregating the hen that is interfered with. If not for disposing of her altogether. When a hen stops laying the first question we have to ask is, "Why?"

Now some hens quit laying or lay only tentatively and without much spirit because they have not the constitutional vigor necessary to consistent production. Such a hen may be spotted by her lusterless eye, her feeble, desultory ways. Does she stand back in a corner when the others are squabbling over their dinner? Off with her head. Does she loaf on the roost in the morning when the others are scratching, or seek it before supper is over? Is her crop half filled when she goes to roost? Is her comb pale and shrunken? Out with her. She is a slacker, not because she is lazy, but because she is a weakling. On up-to-date ranches every hen that stops laying for any reason whatever before the first of July is eliminated. She is not a long distance layer.

But the two things most likely to interfere with the laying of a normally vigorous and healthy hen are broodiness and molting. Hence we cull first for broodiness and second for molting.

Eliminate the Broody Hen

On one ranch every hen that goes broody before the first of July is eliminated. If she goes broody so early in the season she will go broody again, and the hen that stops laying every month or so and begins to cluck will never lay 200 eggs. Most likely she will not reach 120. The hen that goes broody after July 1, but goes broody only once, is permitted to remain, but she is banded and not allowed in the highest class. The hen that goes broody twice is eliminated.

On another ranch early molting is made the supreme test, second only to vigor. No hen that molts before September is allowed to remain in the flock. The hens that go into the molt after September 1 are divided into 3 classes: those that molt before September 15, those that molt before October 15 and those that molt before November 15. The latest molters are

HOW MUCH LONGER WILL THE WORLD SEE THIS?



Here is his majesty, the King of England, and her highness, the Queen, in their royal robes of purple on the throne and with their coat of arms on royal plush back of them; ruling at the opening of Ulster parliament at Belfast, Ireland, while 4,000 soldiers and 1,000 constables guarded their lives.

banded as the choicest layers and are used in the cockerel breeding pens. The others are second and third class, according to time of molting.

Such a rule may seem arbitrary to some and likely to cut out some deserving hen, but the fact is that many hens do pass the test and lay for a year or more before they molt. If these hens are carefully selected and used as breeders to the exclusion of other birds just as good looking and typey, improvement of the flock is inevitable. Two years ago the necessity of breeding up was urged because of the high price of feed. Feed has gone down but the low price of eggs still demands improvement. If eggs are cheap we must increase profits by cutting expense and that means making one hen do the work of a hen and a half. When feed bills are less smaller egg checks will not be so serious a matter.

The color test is really only a molt-

ing test. Heavy production tends to fade the color from shanks, vent, beak and earlobes, and when the production stops the color returns. A hen that in June shows bright yellow shanks and beak has not been laying heavily. She may have already begun to molt, and she may have done so little laying that the color has never faded. Whatever the reason she may safely be eliminated.

Beginning with June, the color test may be used for culling out unprofitable birds, and in September, October and November it may be used for classifying the layers. In October the hen with the bright yellow shanks and beak and glossy feathers is the one that has already finished molting, and the ragged, faded bird is the long distance layer. Hens may be classified as good, better, best, according as they much or little yellow color, but the bright colored birds are the early molt-

ers and the faded ones are the late molters, so it narrows down to a molting test after all.—Jean A. Koethers in the California Cultivator.

No. 75. THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Parmer County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded To cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year next preceding the date of the notice in the County of Parmer, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof: IF THERE BE A NEWSPAPER published therein but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published. NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

The State of Texas. To all Persons Interested in the Welfare of Lena Bultemeier, a minor. Fred Bultemeier has filed in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the Person and Estate of said minor Lena Bultemeier, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the 1st Monday in August A. D. 1921, the same being the 1st day of August A. D. 1921, at the Court House thereof, in Farwell, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minor may appear and contest said application if they see proper to do so.

Herein Fall Not, but have you 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.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this the 30th day of June A. D. 1921.

B. N. GRAHAM, Clerk. County Court, Parmer County, Texas. A true copy I certify.

J. H. ALDRIDGE, Sheriff of Parmer County, Texas. 33-35-pd.

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 2nd day of July, 1921, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Vern Witherspoon versus W. H. Terry, et als., No. 1289 and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the 16th day of July, 1921, it being the 16th day of said month, At the Hereford Garage in the town of Hereford, in said Deaf Smith County, the following described property, to-wit: 1 Lathe; 1 Planer; 1 Abor Press; 1 Emery Stand; 1 Motor and shafting; 1 motor and bench tools; 1 work bench; 4 chain hoists; 1 Electric blower; 1 Royal hand blower; 1 Acetylene welder; 1 drill press; 1 bench vise; 1 wrought box vise; all light fixtures; 1 safe; 2 show cases; 1 Burroughs Adding Machine; 2 desks; 1 Oliver typewriter; all shelving and tire racks; 1 bolt rack; 2 parts racks; and all shop tools used and belonging to said machine shop connected with said Hereford Garage.

Also all automobile tires; Beesemer engine parts; bolts, tap screws, automobile accessories being the entire stock of goods in the Renfro Building

connected with said Hereford Garage, and one burning stand. A complete and itemized invoice of the property to be sold will be made and exhibited on the day of said sale. Levied on as the property of W. H. Terry, John G. Terry and R. A. Terry to satisfy a Judgment amounting to \$7,184.20 in favor of Vern Witherspoon and cost of suit.

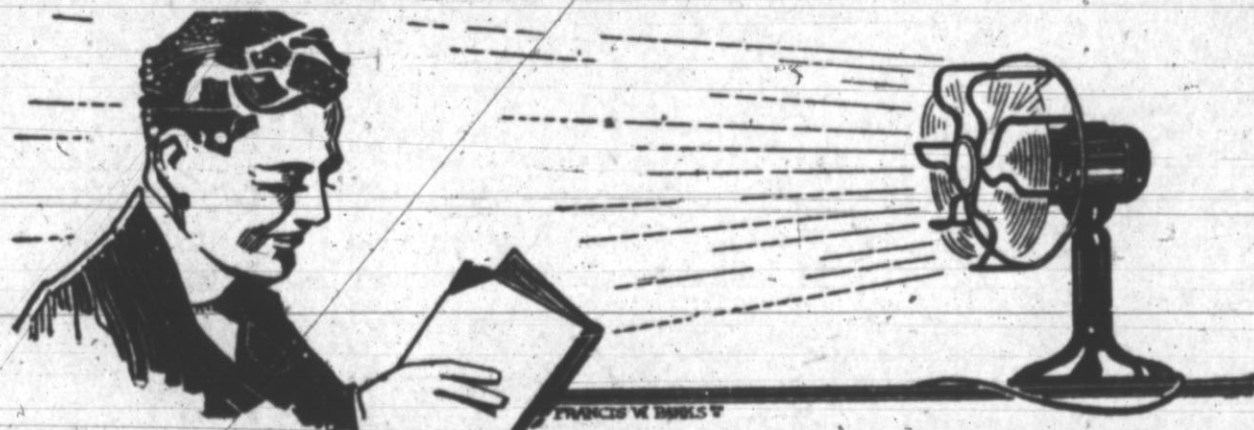
Given under my hand, this 5th day of July, 1921.

C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff Deaf Smith County, Texas. 33-35

Potted Plants
Ferns
Cut Flowers

MRS. EDGAR JOHNSON,
PHONE 95

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PLAINVIEW HOLDS DISTRICT MEETING METHODIST WOMEN

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alls, Floydada, Carr's Chapel and Hereford pledged a box of supplies to at least one of these homes this year.

Mrs. Porterfield, of Floydada, made a splendid and helpful talk about "What retards our Growth Most as a Missionary Society," showing how lack of spirituality, lack of prayer, cooperation and study of God's Word, does retard our growth as nothing else can. Bro. Howell said lack of knowledge, in his mind, was another reason, for "an informed woman is a transformed one."

"Our Task," by Mrs. Conaway, of Summerfield, showed how as Missionary women there is a task for all, and should be soul-winning, spreading the Kingdom, more giving, deeper spiritual life, cleansing our land and working for peace, doing this not alone, but through cooperation.

Social Service was again taken up and Mrs. Delaney, in the discussion, said, "We have been talking about Social Service; but it is now time to do something." She suggests a Federation of Missionary Societies in each community or County, or a Public Welfare organization with the live men of the town in the organization. Mrs. Moore added a few words on dress reform, cigarette habits, etc., showing the wide scope for service.

Bro. Moore, of Kress, spoke a few words on "Stewardship."

"When and How to Report"—Mrs. Adwell, Tulsa.

In response to our Dist. Secy.'s question, "How many women here are willing to put their church first?" every woman in the house stood and gathered around the altar and reconsecrated their lives to the Lord and after a few moments of silent prayer, Bro. Howell led in prayer and Mrs. Delaney closed.

Special music—"In the Secret of His Presence"—Mrs. Ray Conaway, Summerfield. Dismissed with a word of prayer by Bro. Davis.

8:30 p. m.

Mrs. Tom Delaney took charge of the evening service and the songs, "Loyal" and "Onward Christian Soldiers," were sung. The service was by the volunteers and termed a Volunteer Service. For devotional, Miss Terry, an earnest consecrated girl, chose a passage from Isaiah in which, after Isaiah's vision of God he said, "Here am I, Lord, send me."

Prayer—Mrs. Delaney. Ladies Quartette.

Miss Jessie Green, our Conf. Sec. and Volunteer, spoke of "Why I am a Volunteer," and of her joy and love in the service and of her consecration for future work.

Mrs. Sweat, from Happy, another volunteer, asked the young people especially, to not fight the call to service, but to be ready to go.

Special prayer—Mrs. Ashbrook. An impressive reading was given by Miss Brotherton, of Lockney, on Christian homes, for as she says, "It takes a heap of living in a house to make it a home."

A student from Scarritt, Miss Ethel Wells, told us of the work in that great school, of its beginning and of how it is carried on today and the way we

can all help by praying for Scarritt and not to forget to pray for the girls.

Mrs. Delaney spoke of the working forces among our young people in our Conference, of the lack of leadership and of finances, but of her joy in working with the girls even with these handicaps. Mrs. Delaney said, "If you can fit yourself for the work and you see the need of the work, then that call is for you." In the consecration service that followed, the volunteers came joined them as "Home guards." While to the altar first and then six others they were gathered around the altar, the song, "Where He leads me I will follow," was sung very softly, and then a few prayers closed the service.

The Wednesday morning session of the Plainview District Conference was called to order by Dist. Sec. Mrs. D. F. Ashbrook.

Minutes read and approved. Devotional—Mrs. A. L. Moore, Memphis.

Reports of Committees: Auditing, Finance and Resolutions, were read and accepted.

Mrs. Sweat, of Happy discussed "Our Prayer Circle," showing how prayer is our most defensive weapon and our only way of talking with God. She spoke of how a Prayer Circle may be formed and how nine o'clock is the time for prayer, as set aside by our Conference. She spoke of how Spurgeon's helpers pray for him and how all church should pray for their pastors, for truly "nothing lies outside the pale of prayer except that which is outside the will of God."

Bro. Lynch, the Presbyterian Minister, was introduced and in a very characteristic and hearty manner he welcomed the Conference and the "Methodist girls" especially, to Hale Center and to the use of their church.

The next hour was given to Mrs. A. E. Moore, or Con. Supt. of Study, and her discussion of the Bible and Mission Study was very fine. We were impressed more than ever with the fact that we must study the Scripture if we want to know God. She told the story of Hawthorne's "Great Stone Face" and how earnestly studied it until his own face became its likeness and she insists that it is the only way we can become like God and that not less than one hour each day should be given to the study of His Word. It is only through our Mission Study that we learn of the conditions of other people, of our "Brothers across the sea." In the discussion it was brought out that we should alternate the study of the Bible and Missions to get the best results. The book "Bible and Missions" is now being used throughout the District by Adult societies and "Lamp-lighters across the sea" by Juniors. Conference Bulletins, maps, posters and other helps should be used in connection with either study and all lessons should be illustrated as much as possible. There is a school of Missions in Dallas, an interdenominational school, that brings out so many helpful things in the study of Bible and Missions. There are 70 Mission Study classes in our Conference, a gain of 20 over last year.

Mrs. Miller, of Lockney, spoke further of the value of "Publicity, Maps and Posters and why should we not advertise in the church since we see that it pays in larger institutions. She

SIMS REPORTS AT WASHINGTON



Rear-Admiral Sims, U. S. N., went immediately to Washington to report to Secretary of Navy Denby upon his arrival from England. This photograph shows the Admiral and Mrs. Sims leaving the steamship Olympic at New York, while en route to the capital.

gave some fine illustrations, advised putting catchy programs in the newspapers as some will come from curiosity. Said to pay special attention to "shut-ins"—old ladies, cripples, sick, and the mothers with babies.

In the Debate which followed, "Resolved that my Office is the Most Important," the duties of each officer were discussed beginning with the Pres., Social Service Supt., etc. The three Judges, Mrs. Sanders, Miss Brotherton, found it hard to decide just which office was the most important, according to points made, but finally decided upon Supt. Y. P. M. S.

Abernathy, Happy and Floydada asked for the meeting next year and, by vote, it was decided to go to Floydada. Mrs. Delaney spoke of the Camp for the Y. P. M. S. girls this summer and

distributed pamphlets, bulletins, etc., giving information concerning same. When she told of the purpose of the Camp, of her hopes and plans for a ten days session this summer and how anyone could help by buying shares at \$5.00 per share. Sixteen shares were sold from the floor and four ladies contributed \$1.00 each, making a total of \$84.00. Auxiliaries are requested to send money for shares to Mrs. Jno. W. Smith, Floydada, Texas.

An expression of the benefits and blessings received, from this meeting were given from any number of ladies and Mrs. Phelps, of Plainview, asked every woman, who would join her in praying for Mrs. Ashbrook, our Dist. Secy., that God would give her grace, power and strength to carry on the work, to please stand—every woman in

the house stood.

"Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow," and the meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Phelps, and so closed one of the most interesting helpful and spiritual meetings ever held in this District.

The Conference was served a noon lunch by Hale Center ladies both days in the basement of the Presbyterian Church, and 113 visitors and delegates attended the meeting, four Conference officers, nine ministers and four volunteers also being present, besides many others from the various churches.

The following resolutions were adopted:

"Your Committee on Resolutions wish to thank the good people of Hale Center for their hearty welcome and

unstituted hospitality, while in their midst. We want to thank each one personally who has contributed in any way to our entertainment, the ministers, who have so heartily endorsed our work and whose words will ever be an inspiration for us to press onward and upward, the Singers, who gave us "Sermons in Song" and whose words were so appropriate that we as Missionary women feel like pressing on and saying, "Use me"; and the Presbyterians, for the use of their beautiful church, and the minister, for his cordial welcome."

The delegates from Hereford to the Conference at Hale Center were: Mesdames Heard and Potts, and Misses Gladys Bryant and Dollie Ward, from the Y. P. M. S.

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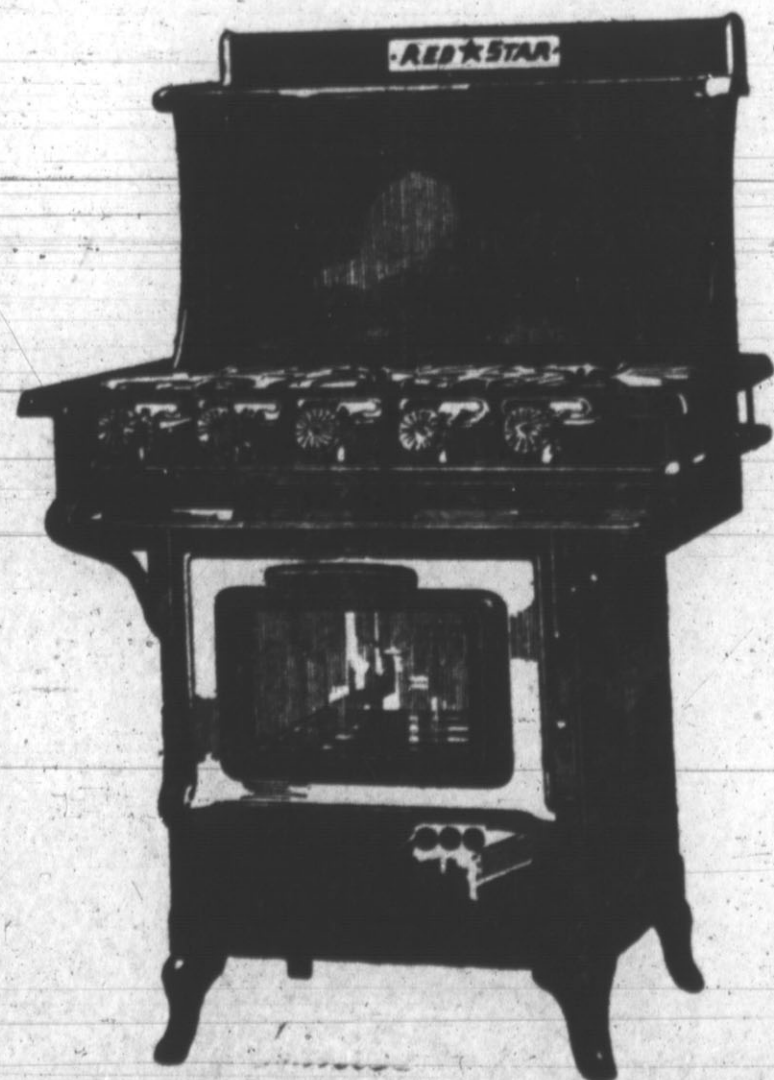
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E. Carter returned from a business trip to Amarillo, Saturday.

J. S. Jones went to Amarillo Monday to celebrate the Fourth.

Beese Hough went to Clovis Saturday morning on business.

Mrs. Edgar Johnson arrived from Amarillo Tuesday morning.

W. B. Phillips, of Wildorado, was in Hereford on business Tuesday.

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Mrs. J. W. Wheeler went to Eureka Springs, Ark., last Saturday.

Will Womble, of near Wildorado, was in this city last Saturday.

Junior Burns and Geo. Suggs, Jr. went to Clovis Monday morning.

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J. S. McCormick of Canyon, was in Hereford between trains, Monday.

R. M. Horn, of Bard, N. M., spent last Saturday in this city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lindsey returned to their home in Comanche, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hellman and children returned from Umbarger Monday morning.

Pull your harvester with a Cletrac—then prepare your wheat land and seed it with a Cletrac.

Mrs. Ed. Short went to Albuquerque, N. M., Tuesday morning to visit her parents.

Jack Jones, of Canyon, spent Sunday with his parents, returning the same day.

Pull your tandem disc with a Cletrac and get the wheat land ready early—it pays.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Terry returned to their home in Canadian Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rockwell spent the fourth in Amarillo, returning home Tuesday morning.

Swat the rooster and bring me your eggs and cream. H. H. Hawkins Golden Rule.

Envoy Rowlands and wife, of the Salvation Army, left Hereford for Amarillo, Saturday.

Miss Lucille Manner, of Waco, is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steckman.

J. B. Allen, of Plains, Texas, arrived in this city Saturday morning, to visit with relatives and friends.

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E. Witherspoon and A. F. McDowell, of Bellview, N. M., transacted business in Hereford Friday.

Mrs. M. Taylor returned from a visit with relatives and friends at Sweetwater, Texas, last Saturday.

Misses Melanie Stuermer and Lillian Fulkerson spent the week end in the home of Miss Fulkerson's parents.

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N. E. McIntire, of Canyon, spent Friday and Saturday in the home of his father-in-law, D. R. Gass.

O. G. Hill returned Tuesday morning from an extended trip to Kansas, Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan.

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Miss Waldine Wilson spent the week end with her parents, returning to her home in Amarillo Monday morning.

Henry Wilkinson left Hereford for St. Louis, Kansas City and Emporia, Tuesday morning on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Farmer, of Clovis, returned home, after spending the week-end in the home of Mr. Farmer's parents.

W. D. Demorest, city drayman, took pity on some of the wheat farmers and went to the country to harvest.

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Mrs. Rayzor spent the week end with friends here and returned to her home in Canyon, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Vogele went to Amarillo Sunday to accompany their nephew, Chester Glassley, of Dallas, to this city.

W. W. Locker and A. A. Ott went to Clovis to take in the celebration on the fourth. Mr. Ott will visit his brother a few days.

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Misses Rosabelie Jones and Beulah Thompson of Canyon, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Chandler.

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Mrs. S. H. Condon returned to her home last Saturday after several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Palmer.

Mrs. S. E. Nible went to Princeton, Mo. Tuesday morning, after several day visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cockrell.

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Jim Chapman of Adrian, was in this city Friday on business. Mr. Chapman says that he will start harvesting this week.

Mrs. Luther Hough and two children and Mrs. Henry Wilkinson and two children, left Hereford for California, Tuesday morning.

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Mrs. B. C. Jamison returned to her home in Kansas City, Monday morning after several weeks' visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Beedle.

Mrs. R. W. Bowers and little daughter arrived Tuesday morning from Lubbock where she has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. H. H. Stanley.

Mrs. S. M. Carley, after several week visit with her daughter, Mrs. Matt Johnson, returned to her home in Waco Monday morning.

Misses Cotta and Helen Sisk left Hereford for Cedar Park Inn, Taney-coma, Mo., last Saturday. Cedar Park Inn is located in the Ozarks. Later they will visit their sister, Mrs. Frank Ball, at Farber, Mo.

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Ben Short and family, of Amarillo, and Mr. Short's brother, Gladney, of Dallas, arrived in Hereford Saturday night to camp a few days at Sulphur Park.

Miss Pearl Deering, of Comanche, arrived in this city last Thursday and is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Chandler. Miss Deering is a teacher in the Comanche public schools.

Miss Mary McLean spent several days with her two brothers John and Bobo, the latter part of last week, returning to her home in Clarendon Monday morning.

Mrs. J. A. Scrutchins returned the latter part of last week from a visit in Dallas and Decatur. At Decatur Mrs. Scrutchins visited with her daughter Mrs. O. M. Shore.

Mrs. E. W. Queen and two daughters, Effie and Eddie Lee returned their home last Saturday after several weeks' visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Bailey.

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