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Deaf Smith County Fair Postponed At Behest of Representative Citizens

Responsive to numerous inquiries and suggestions relative to the Deaf Smith county fair, proposed to be held on September 16, 17 and 18, this year at considerable expense to all concerned, the chamber of commerce desiring to have expressions from business interests of every type from farming down to the minor classifications, called a meeting at the city hall Tuesday evening at 8:15 o'clock for that purpose.

After a statement of the purposes of the meeting, Judge Jno. P. Slaton, president of the chamber of commerce, introduced J. E. Hill, president of the Deaf Smith county fair association. Mr. Hill stated that a number of men and women in Hereford and in the rural sections had suggested to him the wisdom of postponing the fair for this year, out of consideration of the price of wheat and the incidental scarcity of money.

Then followed a general discussion in which the interests of all the citizens of the entire Hereford country were considered. Early in the discussion the fact developed that the welfare of the producers on the farms was the paramount issue in the minds of the business and professional men in attendance on the meeting. The fact that more than fifty per cent of the attendance is actively engaged in farm pursuits, made recognition of the agricultural angle entirely easy.

Desiring to do all the good possible, and no harm at all to the producers of agricultural products in the Hereford country, open, free and heart-to-heart statements were made by every person present. All phases of the situation were reviewed carefully, intelligently and conscientiously. In discussing the proposition of holding a fair this year, no lines of demarcation between the people were recognized. On the contrary, the interests of the whole region were considered.

Business men in Hereford, engaged in the task of buying and selling essential commodities, stated their convictions that the frame of mind of the producers of agricultural products is not such at this time to lend itself advantageously to a fair this year. They stated that if they were convinced that the enterprise would work to the benefit of the farmers, their wives and children, they would make such investments as necessary to put the enterprise over. But doubting this, they favored postponing the fair until next year.

Both Mr. Hill and County Agent Dunkle stated that farm products this year are of the most uniform excellent grades, and from this viewpoint no question could be raised as to the character of the exhibits proposed to be offered. They also gave out the fact that already considerable time and money had been expended in getting samples of wheat, oats, barley, rye, and other products together and in shape for the fair. But when the vote came at the end of the discussion, the ballot was unanimous.

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ADRIAN MAN LOSES LIFE IN CAR WRECK AND FIRE

J. F. Strader of Adrian was burned to death in a car accident near Canadian last Saturday afternoon, and his son, Leslie, was reported seriously injured, as was another man, Joe Griffith, also of Adrian.

It is thought their car side-swiped a truck in passing, and was overturned and caught fire. The youth and Griffith escaped from the car and were assisted in putting out the flames on their clothing, but the elder Strader was caught within the car and burned to death.

Harvest Nears Completion as Peak Is Passed

Reports from some of the elevators and shipping interests of Hereford Wednesday afternoon gave a slightly more optimistic tendency to feelings regarding the wheat situation. For the first time in sixteen consecutive days the board of trade closed Wednesday with an upward swing in prices.

Elevator interests have been busy this week visiting farmers and advising them to hold their grain on the farms if possible, until the first of August, when the new shipping rate effective through this area will permit the payment of nearly two cents a bushel more.

Estimates of the present harvest status placed its progress at two-thirds or a little more completed, from forty to fifty per cent of the wheat shipped out, and the difference being held in storage or piled on the ground.

Nearly 1000 cars of wheat have gone out, this number probably will be exceeded by tonight. No rain during the past week has kept combines running until the peak of the work is past. Smaller fields have been finished, and the greater part uncut being in the area toward the west end of the county. Shipments up until Tuesday night were Hereford 789, Summerfield 88, Joel 19, and Dawn 67.

Band Concert Friday

Ralph Smith, director of the Hereford band, has announced a concert for Friday evening of this week at 8:30 at the Riverside golf grounds down along the creek southeast of the city.

Rehearsals are being held each Monday and Thursday evenings at the city hall, and from 30 to 35 are attending. When wheat harvest rush is over, Mr. Smith says weekly concerts will be held by the band.

Big Wheat Yield

The firm of Latham, Yocham and Ferguson, northwest of Hereford, finished Saturday the delivery of 41,000 bushels of wheat to the Great West Mill elevator here.

DAWN MAN FORCED INTO DITCH; ROBBED OF \$28.00

According to the Brand's Dawn correspondent, Glenn Greer, a citizen of that community, was forced to drive his car into a muddy ditch between Dawn and Hereford Saturday night, July 4, and was robbed of \$28.00 by four unmasked men, who made good their escape. To date no clue has been found which might lead to the apprehension of the thieves or recovery of the money.

City Charities Solicits Wheat to Make Flour

Hereford's Charities Committee which looks after the needy poor of the city, has organized and put into operation a plan to assist greatly in carrying on its work for the coming year.

Three of the grain elevators, McLean & Pitman, Farmers and S. E. Cone, have each donated 500 bushels storage capacity to hold wheat for the committee. The local mill, Packard Milling Company, has made a special concession to grind this wheat into flour for the committee, and the cases of charity deemed worthy will be recipients of the flour as occasion demands.

Those wishing to donate from one to 100 bushels of wheat to this cause are asked to leave it at either of the named elevators and notify any member of the charities committee, secretary-manager Joe L. Pope of the chamber of commerce, or its president, Judge John P. Slaton. The committee is formed of four pastors of Hereford, Revs. V. M. Cloyd, First Baptist church, chairman; J. M. Fuller, First Methodist church; E. P. Geiser, First Presbyterian, and J. M. Johnson, First Christian church, and Sheriff John B. Miller.

Buchanan & Rosson and County Judge Earl W. Wilson were the first donors to the charities wheat fund, and many others are following their lead in this worthy work.

Interscholastic Debate Subject In Announced

Preparation of the bulletin for the debate contest of the Interscholastic League is now under way, according to Roy Bedichek, chief of the University of Texas League Bureau. The question for next year is, "Resolved, that lobbying is generally practiced in this country is detrimental to the best interest of the people". The debate bulletin will contain rules of the contest, suggestions for developments of arguments, both pro and con, and tentative briefs for both affirmative and negative sides of the question.

The new spelling list will also be ready for distribution. About 170,000 copies of this pamphlet will be issued. The revised constitution and rules of the League will be released about August 1.

Marvin Jones Here Monday for C. C. Meet



HON. MARVIN JONES

Congressman Marvin Jones has accepted an invitation from the Hereford Chamber of Commerce to address its luncheon gathering in the Club cafe next Monday noon, July 20.

It is expected that the congressman will touch briefly on some of the vital issues of the day, but he has made no statement as to the subject matter to be used.

The chamber of commerce issues an invitation to citizens of Hereford and this section of the Panhandle without distinction, to be present at the luncheon to meet Mr. Jones and other friends in attendance.

Commissioners Refuse Plea of Club Women

At their regular term of court Monday, the Deaf Smith county commissioners, despite the pleas of some twenty delegates to the contrary, made final their expressed intention of discontinuing indefinitely the work of the county demonstration agent here.

The commissioners expressed themselves individually as being in hearty accord with the work and realized its necessity as fully as those who plead so eloquently for its continuance before them that morning, but as commissioners of the county and custodians of the expenditures of the county funds, they felt they must retrench in finances in view of the present economic conditions over the county. It was necessary to bring future expenditures within the possible revenue for the coming year, and much investigation had been made before a decision was reached, they stated.

Even so, that the order of the court reads that the work be indefinitely discontinued, and the (Continued On Last Page)

300 MILES COUNTY ROAD WORKED DURING JUNE

Records tabulated during the recent term of Deaf Smith county commissioners court revealed the fact that during the month of June over 300 miles of highways in the county had been worked in preparation for the hauling of wheat to market.

Heavy rains in some districts had made it necessary to go back over work done for the third time to keep the roads in the condition desired.

Hospital Has Many Patients Past Few Days

E. H. Brooks, 80, of South Hereford, was given a minor operation Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Lance and Mrs. Phil Radovich were operated on Tuesday and are recovering nicely.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Corbett, Sunday, a baby boy, who has been named James Martin Corbett.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Voth, Sunday, a baby girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Denny last week, a baby girl.

Chester Hodges of northwest of Hereford, seriously burned on the legs and abdomen Saturday when gas being loaded in truck caught fire, is still under treatment and doing well.

Louie Huckert of Summerfield was treated for a badly bruised foot.

Buddy Faris of South Hereford was treated for mashed fingers resulting from the construction of a diving board.

Mrs. T. L. Conner of Tulsa, Oklahoma, dismissed after treatment for cuts and bruises received in car wreck near Joel Switch, resultant of a tire blowing out.

Gerald David Smith, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, who was accidentally struck by car while playing on East 5th street Saturday morning and whose leg was broken between knee and ankle, has been dismissed in shape for convalescence, which will take considerable time.

Course of Study In Journalism for High School

Announcement has been made that the state department of education will publish in bulletin form an outline of study for high school journalism classes, written by Miss Edith Fox of Flatonia, as part of the requirements for the master of journalism degree at the University of Texas.

Miss Fox received her degree in June. Her thesis, entitled, "A High School Course of Study in Journalism for Texas" presents a complete outline of each day's lesson for a year's course in school journalism, including a model plan on which the laboratory class for such a course should be run.

Interest More Pronounced In Brand's Big Campaign; All Contestants Showing Speed

W. A. GENTRY EXHIBITS ODD BUNCH OF CARROTS

Nature pulls some queer freaks with the growth of plants, but three carrots that twisted, twined Brand this year to date was that brought in by W. A. Gentry from his garden in Hereford.

This peculiarity was formed by three carrots that twisted, twined or braided themselves into a perfect plait, like the pig-tails little girls used to wear before short hair came in style. The carrots are of healthy growth and had been thriving lustily until Mr. Gentry happened to pull them up as he was thinning out the patch.

Teachers For City Schools Are Announced

The faculty for the Hereford schools for next fall was recently completed when Miss Eloyse Pitman was elected to fill the place of Miss Ruby Redin. There will be only three other new teachers in the schools, according to present indications. Miss Carol Corbett of Hereford was added to the primary department in an effort to avoid half-day sessions next year.

Mrs. Alma McGowen will teach in the departmental grades in the place of Mrs. McCollum. Miss Neville Wrenn will take the place of Miss Read, and Miss Thalia Parker will teach vocational home economics in the high school.

Misses Corbett and Pitman are both graduates of the local high school and have attended the college at Canyon. Miss Corbett has taught at Dawn for the past two years. Miss Pitman has taught at Black and Friona, having spent the last three years at the latter place. Mrs. McGowen attended College at Canyon and also at Clarendon, and has taught several years, the last at Dawn. Miss Wrenn has taught at Memphis for several years and graduated at the Teachers' College the past year where she was awarded a \$300 prize for her paper on helium in the national contest sponsored by the National Chemical Society. Miss Parker will graduate at the Technological College, Lubbock, in August with a vocational certificate that qualifies her to teach in schools working under the Smith-Hughes Law where one-half of the salary is paid by the state and federal governments. She is being substituted for a teacher who was not replaced when a vacancy occurred in the middle of last year. She is being placed in the high school because the high school grade is to be kept in the high school, and by changing some teacher assignments to provide for a vocational home economics teacher the school will be reimbursed

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With the close of the first period this Tuesday night, in the Brand's big subscription campaign, a big shake-up in contestants' positions was noted, with new candidates who have not heretofore shown much strength coming into the running with a falsified batch of votes to their credit.

While no vote schedule is being published in this contest, yet it might be said that the race is a close one and the winners will be determined by the amount of work done, for work is what will count the most in this campaign.

Friends of the various candidates are beginning to get interested in their favorite's success and are lending their support in a substantial way. Just a little help for your favorite contestant along the road will help a lot by way of encouragement.

Contestants are once again urged to consider the value of the various prizes. The new Chevrolet special sedan now on display at the Brumley Chevrolet Co. and which is the first prize should be sufficient inducement for every worker to devote every moment of their time to the business of securing new and renewal subscriptions to this newspaper.

The suite of furniture now on display at the E. B. Black company store is a worth while prize. It is even priced for more than the contract calls for, it being a \$265 suite. The fine Majestic radio at Orr's is a beauty and the \$75 diamond ring and \$42.50 Gruen wrist watch are nice prizes. These are now on display at F. M. Keeter & Son's store.

\$1000 In Cash.

To the candidate turning in the most money during the time from now until July 28, \$1000 in cash will be given and an extra bonus vote of one million votes will be allowed. This extra vote may determine your standing in the contest at the close when the final vote is made up. The \$1000 in cash is given to you to help you in your efforts to secure new and renewal subscriptions.

Secret Ballot.

After July 28 the vote is to be a secret one until the close of the campaign. After this date all money and names secured will be sealed in an envelope and dropped into a locked ballot box. These turn-ins must either be in cash or bank draft. No personal checks will be counted when dropped into the locked ballot box.

On and after the date of July 28 no one will know the standing of contestants except the contestants themselves, and then they will not know each other's standing. A secret vote standing is used in this campaign for the reason that it appears to be the fairest method of conducting contests of this nature.

A final word to all contestants is that you make use of every moment of your time until the last minutes of the campaign. Workers win in contests of this kind and nature.

Westway Boys 4-H Pig Club Demonstration

That Deaf Smith county 4-H club boys take the lead in modern feeding devices is illustrated in the accompanying picture of the Westway boys with their club demonstration. These boys of today will be the farmers of a few years from now, and by keeping up with progress they will be leaders then.

The modern way of feeding hogs by means of self-feeders is on the increase in Deaf Smith county. Some farmers are including this labor-saving device in plans worked out for feeding demonstrations. Tests that have been made at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station show this method gives the most economical gains where corn or grain sorghums are fed free choice with a protein supplement consisting of equal parts of cottonseed meal and tankage.

Experiments reveal that most grains can be economically fed unground, except in the case of wheat, grinding will increase its feeding value from 15 to 20 per cent. Hogs on self-feeders eat slowly, chew their grain better and a very small amount of the grain passes thru the hog undigested.

The economy of the self-feeder,



Boys of the Westway 4-H club and their demonstration feeder. Reading from left to right:

T. J. Corn, Everett Campbell, Geo. Ridgeway, Bob Campbell, Marcus Houser, S. M. Hicks, Jack Owen, and George Turentine.

with 4 to 4 1/2 pounds of feed. The type of feeder recommended is four to six feet in length, three or four feet in height and one foot in width, with a feeding trough at the bottom 12 inches wide, covered with wooden slats, as shown in the above picture.

550 Sample Copies of Brand Sent Prospective Subscribers

Five hundred fifty copies of this week's issue of the Brand is being mailed out complimentary to a selected list of people who reside in and near Hereford, or are directly interested in this territory.

This practice will be followed throughout the remainder of the subscription campaign now under way in order to assist the workers who are laboring to win the Chevrolet Special Sedan given as the first prize in the campaign.

If you are one of those to receive the complimentary copy, turn to the page carrying the announcement of the campaign and select from the list of workers your favorite candidate and then send in your name, along with your check, attached to the special coupon which doubles the voting power of each subscription.

The Brand is your county newspaper and endeavors at all times to carry news of reader interest to every person in this section of the Panhandle.

If it happens that you get a duplicate copy of the paper it is because of error in making up the list.

Clip the Coupons and Help Your Favorite Win Chevrolet

In order to make it easier for you to help your favorite win in this campaign, a special coupon is published elsewhere in this issue of the Brand and may be used in connection with your subscription to add to the voting strength of subscriptions. These coupons when clipped and properly filled out, will double all votes allowed on subscriptions up to and including July 28th. This date is the closing day for the second period of the race. Clip the coupon today and help your favorite win the \$10 cash prize and the extra million votes, in addition to the extra votes allowed on the coupon.

Here they Are:

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 - MISS OPAL McMAHON, Hereford
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 - MRS. J. J. BOLING, Widorado
 - MRS. C. E. MCCOLLISTER, Hereford

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What's become of the Deaf Smith county baseball tournament idea. There was a lot of fun last year in that event, but it was so jumped-up that it was over before all the folks learned about it. The rural teams have been playing all spring and summer in anticipation of a county tournament, and it's time to begin getting them together and laying plans for this annual occasion.

While it might be vain to feel that way, there's a certain satisfaction in listening to the folks who come from other places praise Hereford for its trees, flowers and beautiful lawns. It is a delight to go through the city and enjoy the sight of shady places, green grassy plots and the riotous color of blossoms. While Hereford folks should be pleased to hear such praise, we still ought to keep in mind that it took lots of work to produce those things—they aren't natural, and understanding and hard labor were necessary to make those beauties develop. Let's tell our neighbors and friends how much we appreciate what they have done to make our town a more desirable place to live.

The Panhandle and all the towns therein are ideal visiting places for folks who live down where it really gets hot. We don't blame them for coming, either; it's a fine place to

Nineteen Years Ago In Hereford

(From Files of The Brand, July 19, 1912.)

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones were visiting in their old home city, Baltimore, Maryland, where he had attended the Democratic convention that gave Woodrow Wilson his first nomination for the presidency. In an excellently worded letter Mr. Jones gave a fine description of that great and historic event, and talks intimately of the people and incidents of the occasion.

The Brand carried advertising of a livery stable boasting one of the best barns in West Texas.

C. A. Skelton was gone to visit his parents at Frost.

Morris Kellehor was home from Dallas to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kellehor.

H. L. Rice had for sale an automobile with steel-studded tire treads.

The Hereford city commissioners were waging war on weeds by having all in the streets and allees cut, and trash removed. The Brand carried a stirring editorial urging folks to swat flies.

Mayor Wm. M. Knight issued a warning calling attention to the ordinance against chickens running at large, as some citizens were making complaints.

John Patton had returned from Los Angeles to be associated in business with Homer Wilkinson.

Ed Connell had been down to Floydada and Lockney on business.

Then, as now, E. B. Black Co. and the Corner Drug Store were regular advertisers.

be around this time of year. It seems hot to us here, but the visitors exclaim over the pleasantness of the temperature.

Another good thing about visiting any portion of the Plains area this time of year is the abundance of "natural" good eats. What we mean is fried chicken right now, and roasting ears and Panhandle water melons in just a week or two. Truly, folks around Hereford will enjoy the height of good living for the next two months.

Well, the fire truck last Thursday didn't happen to find any tie-up in traffic due to double parking, when the department made that fast run up Main to North Hereford, so some folks will think they are guaranteed double parking privileges without danger of getting hit for the next year. Just to remind them, here are some of the most important of Hereford's traffic rules:

Speed Limit: Twenty miles an hour on residence streets, fifteen miles an hour on business streets.
Parking: On Main park

SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH. By virtue of an Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Deaf Smith County on the 24th day of June, 1931, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of General Motors Acceptance Corporation versus B. B. Farmer, Case No. 942 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 FIRST TUESDAY in August A. D. 1931, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County in the City of Hereford, the following described property, to-wit:

All of lot 1 and the north 20 feet of lot 2, block 3, original Town of Hereford, situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas. Levied on as the property of B. B. Farmer to satisfy a Judgement amounting to \$242.13 in favor of General Motors Acceptance Corporation and cost of suit. Given under my hand, this 8th day of July, 1931.

J. B. MILLER, Sheriff.

Whale Deep Diver
 The maximum dive of the whale is supposed to be about 600 feet.

at an angle of 45 degrees between the lines marked on the pavement or curb. On other streets, park parallel with curb within 18 inches thereof. Don't park within 10 feet of fire hydrant and DON'T LEAVE CAR STANDING IN MIDDLE OF STREET. Approach corners cautiously and remember the cars coming from your right have the right of way.

Copies of the above rules may be had by looking on the back side of the tag which invites violators to report at the city hall and show why they didn't know better.

Those new lights up at Lake Park are turned on and the

youngsters up to 75 years old may enjoy the playground appliances until 10:30 of an evening. A trip past the park shows that they take advantage of it.

And while we are talking about Lake Park, indications are that a small-sized baseball diamond may appear there in a short while and the park benefit games would be resumed there, the combatants using the larger size, soft, indoor ball.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION

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Peace Court of Justice Precinct Number One, of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on June 10th, 1931, on a judgment rendered in said Court, on the 26th day of December, 1930, in favor of C. A. Skelton and against J. R. Higgins and Claude Benton, in the cause of C. A. Skelton, plaintiff, vs. J. R. Higgins and Claude Benton, defendants, numbered 1127, in such court, in which case the said C. A. Skelton recovered judgment against J. R. Higgins as the principal maker of the note sued on, and on which judgment was rendered and Claude Benton as endorser thereon, and said judgment was paid off and satisfied by the said Claude Benton, together with all interest and costs, and I did, on the 25th day of June, 1931, at six o'clock p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land, situated

in Deaf Smith County, Texas, as the property of J. R. Higgins, to-wit:
 All of the West one half of Section No. 2, Block K-8, Deaf Smith County, Texas, and the northeast one-fourth of section No. 2, block K-8, except the southeast one-fourth of said northeast one-fourth of said section No. 2, block K-8, all containing 440 acres of land, known as the J. R. Higgins land about 11 miles northwest of Hereford, Texas; and on the 4th day of August, 1931, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., on said date, at the Court House door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. R. Higgins and to said property.
 Dated at Hereford, in Deaf Smith

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GROUP 1 Dresses \$3.00 VALUES TO \$7.95 —We are boasting of the artful fashioning that each of these dresses represent. MONEY-SAVING PRICES GROUP 3 Dresses \$7.00 VALUES TO \$14.75 —Come to our store Friday and inspect the styles and compare the values.		GROUP 2 Dresses \$5.00 —Every dress in stock bears a green sale ticket that tells the price, and they are priced to clear the house of every dress in stock. GROUP 4 Dresses \$9.00 Values to \$19.75 and \$16.75 —We need the space for incoming merchandise . . . you need the dress.
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Dress Shirts, 84c

Values to \$1.98
One table of men's dress shirts, both fancy and solid colors, all sizes.

MEN'S

Dress Shirts, \$1.39

\$1.95 and \$2.45 Values
Ide, Lenox and Lustray Brands.

Silk Ties, 49c

THREE FOR \$1.00—NEW COLORS
Silk-lined Ties, in all the new colors and designs **79c**

Men's Fancy Sox

One Group Fancy Sox	10c
One Group Fancy Sox	25c

(Five Pairs, \$1.00)

36-Inch

Brown Domestic, 6c

YARD, HEAVY GRADE
—Better be here on time for this item. 1913 PRICES!

LADIES' HOSIERY

Rayon and silk mesh all colors **34c**
Silk to top, full fashioned all colors **77c**
(Values to \$1.49)

Piece Goods

—Here are a few of the many values in piece goods:
—One group, dotted and printed organdies, vat dyed, yard . . . **13c**
\$1.95 Corticella Crepe, in plain and printed; now **98c**
\$1.95 Georgettes, a real value, yard **98c**
54-inch Kaasha Wool Flannel, \$1.95 value **98c**
Oretonne, 36-inch, Sunfast, a real value **19c**
Bradford Cambric, in guaranteed fast colors, per yard **14c**

Men's Suits

GROUP ONE	\$4.95
GROUP TWO	\$9.85
GROUP THREE	\$12.85
GROUP FOUR	\$19.95

Most of These Suits Have Two Pairs of Pants.

RICO SUITS TWO PANTS **\$19.95**

—Our Shoe Department is brim-full of real up-to-date shoes for men, women and children. Buy during this sale at ridiculous reductions.

LADIES' SHOES	
Four Groups	
\$1.00	\$3.49
\$2.49	\$3.98
MEN'S SHOES	
Three Groups	
\$2.49	\$3.49
\$3.49	\$4.49
CHILDREN'S SHOES	
Three Groups	
79c	\$1.49
\$1.49	\$1.79

Leadall Unionalls

\$1.98

\$2.95 Value
—Extra heavy, full cut, tripple-stitched and bar-tacked.

Leadall Overalls

\$1.00

—All we ask is that you come in and compare this overall with any other within 50c of this price.

Shoes \$1.00

—Come and see our large table of Shoes that formerly sold at high as \$6.95.

Men's Dress Pants

\$1.00

—We have only 200 men's Dress Pants to sell at this price. COME EARLY!

BOYS' AND GIRLS' Tennis Shoes 69c All Sizes	O'all Pants, 69c —A real value that you cannot afford to miss.	BIG YANK Work Shirts 74c 98c VALUE	Canvas Gloves 5c ECONOMY SALE PRICE Good grade of canvas
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We do not intend to make any bones about it . . . here are the facts: Merchandise is selling lower in the Eastern Markets than in many years, which means we are buying cheaper. We are passing on this saving to you at the lowest prices since 1913.

Stone Department Store

Incorporated
HEREFORD, TEXAS

VALUES!

—No, there is nothing free, but we ARE going to give you plenty of values. Prices lower than they have been since 1913.

Jumbo News

BY EDNA HALL

Mmes. M. L. and Pat Hardy and Kathleen visited Mrs. Keel at Flagg Monday afternoon.

Miss Lella Thomas visited Tincy Andrew at Plainview Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Gains spent Saturday night in the M. L. Simpson home.

Miss La Valle Beck visited Kitty Oxford Sunday.

Mr. Bell and two small daughters visited in the L. E. Beck home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Beck and Luther Beck visited Mr. and Mrs. Bell at Summerfield Wednesday.

Mrs. Ben Andrew and children and Mrs. Zibe Andrew and children visited this week in the C. Andrew home.

Mrs. Gaines took dinner with Mrs. W. A. Hunter Sunday.

Mmes. B. M. Hines, W. A. Means, Odice Bulls and Ovid Pinckert spent Wednesday with Mrs. Lowell Baggott.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hull left Thursday for a visit in Mexico.

Pete Hicks got his face badly burned Saturday morning when he took the cap from a tractor radiator and boiling water spurted up in his face.

M. L. Hardy and wife visited in the Hall home Saturday afternoon.

Miss LaRue Beck spent Sunday with Mary Ann Baird.

Ben Medley and Marion Turner visited Kathleen and Johnnie Hardy Sunday afternoon.

Miss Eva Faremon and father are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Laisure.

Bro. Gaines took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Beck Sunday.

Miss Kate Sublett, who has been visiting her sister the past month,

returned to her home in Shamrock last week.

Bro. Gaines and wife spent Sunday night in the H. C. Baird home.

Mrs. Pat Hardy is spending a few days this week with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hardy Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hardy spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Noland.

Tincy Andrew has returned home and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Beck and son, who have been visiting in the L. E. Beck and Oxford homes several days, returned to their home in Denver, Colorado, Thursday of last week.

Mrs. W. A. Hunter and Mabel Pinckert have been sick this week.

Miss Octava Collins of Lockney is visiting Mrs. Mac Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hartley visited friends near Summerfield Sunday afternoon.

Easter News

By MISS LOUISE FRYE.

This community will about finish harvest this week.

Mrs. J. H. Sanders and children spent Thursday in the Jay Sanders home at Big Square.

Mrs. Jim Florey and children of Amarillo, Mrs. C. H. Churchill and Mrs. Storey of Summerfield spent Thursday afternoon in the Carl Frye home.

Mrs. Barnard Saxon's mother and sister were recent visitors in this community.

B. H. Medley and Miss Martha called in the George Chambliss home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Maggie Johnson and children of Friona called in the J. S. Smith home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bert Turner and son, Marvin, accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Cason and family of Wellington brought Grandmother Cason home. She had been in Wellington several weeks.

Lee Jones and Leonard Jones of Marlow, Oklahoma, are in this community this week.

Mrs. W. E. Betts of Clovis, Misses Mattie and Loma Woodburn of Hereford were recent visitors in the Carl Frye home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Allison and Miss Estelle Allison were at Bethel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Cason and family, Davy and Frank Allen went to New Mexico last week.

Misses Annie Mae Smith and Jennie Turner and Evelyn Reynolds spent Friday in the Carl Frye home.

Ren Medley and Corlyrae Frye were dinner guests in the Smith home Sunday.

Bryan Braley, who has been visiting with his son the past several weeks, returned this week to his home at Denton.

The Home Demonstration club will not meet this week because of the busy harvest season.

the harvest hands last Friday.

J. W. Benson and daughters, Miss Leatrice and Mrs. F. H. Benson, went to Amarillo last Friday.

Mrs. C. P. Caldwell and daughter, Eunice, visited Mrs. Owen Neel last Monday evening.

Mrs. Ray Hershey and Mrs. Horace Hershey visited Mrs. Carl Donovan one evening last week.

Mr. Johnson and family of Claude visited his sister, Mrs. G. D. Webb, Sunday.

The Progressive Jolly Workers met Thursday, July 9, at the school house, with eight members present. The afternoon was spent making a club pennant, which was finished in a short time. "If you want anything done right and in a short time, just bring it to the Progressive Jolly Workers club."

Mr. and Mrs. Brayer of Hereford called in the J. E. Blakemore home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Roberson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hodges and daughter took dinner in the C. P. Caldwell home Sunday.

Mrs. Ray and Horace Hershey, visited Mrs. Owen Neel last Friday evening.

Mr. Jones of Oklahoma visited in the Blakemore home Sunday.

Mrs. C. P. Caldwell visited with Mrs. Carl Donovan last Thursday evening.

Howard Posey of Oklahoma is helping Lester Galley through the harvest season.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Neel and sons visited in the Blakemore home Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Andrews of Friso spent Sunday in the J. W. Benson home.

Mrs. C. P. Caldwell and Eunice visited Mrs. J. W. Caldwell Friday evening.

Ruth Park spent the week end with her folks.

The young people of the community had supper out on the prairie south of the J. E. Blakemore home Saturday night. It was rather late when several got there, due to the work of harvest, but everyone enjoyed the games and supper.

Brown, deceased, the unknown heirs of Samuel F. Brown, deceased, the unknown legal representatives of the said Samuel F. Brown, deceased, and the unknown heirs and their heirs and legal representatives of the unknown heirs of Samuel F. Brown, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive 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 Deaf Smith County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Hereford, Texas, on the third Monday after the second Monday in July A. D. 1931, the same being the 3rd day of August A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of June A. D. 1931, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 1908, wherein Tom Bandy is Plaintiff, and the heirs of Samuel F. Brown, deceased, the unknown heirs of Samuel F. Brown, deceased, and the unknown legal representatives of the said Samuel F. Brown, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Samuel F. Brown, deceased, and their heirs and legal representatives of the unknown heirs and their heirs and deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That on or about the 29th day of June, 1931, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises, situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

First tract being a part of the southeast quarter of Section No. 2, Block M-7, Original Grantee B. S. & F. Certificate No. 1285, described as beginning at a brick in a pit, the southeast corner of said Survey No. 2, and running thence North 594 varas; thence west 475.2 varas; thence south 594 varas; and thence east 475.2 varas to the place of beginning, containing 50 acres of land. Second tract being a part of the southeast quarter of Section No. 2, Block M-7, Grantee B. S. & F. certificate No. 1285, described as beginning at a point in the east line of said Survey No. 2, 594 varas north of the southeast corner of said section and running thence north 356.4 varas; thence west 950.4 varas; thence south 950.4 varas; thence east 475.2 varas; thence north 594 varas; thence east 475.2 varas to the beginning, containing 110 acres of land.

That on the day and year last aforesaid, defendants, and each of them, unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of \$3,000.00. That the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is \$500.00. Plaintiff pleads a regular chain of title by Patent and Deeds from the State of Texas to himself.

Plaintiff further pleads in the alternative that the defendants, and each of them, asserts some claim to said land, which is an apparent cloud on plaintiff's title, but that said claims are only apparent and not real.

Plaintiff pleads he and his grantors have had the peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating the same and paying all taxes thereon, claiming the same under deeds duly registered, for more than ten years, and is entitled to the land by reason of the three, five and ten year statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff prays for the title and possession of the land, for rents and damages and costs of suit, and for removal of all clouds upon his title.

Herein fall not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, 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 Hereford, Texas, this the 30th day of June A. D. 1931.

(Seal) L. H. FOSTER, Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County. 25-4c

Extra Specials

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY



LADIES' Patent Pumps \$1.95

Ladies' Light, One Strap

Shoes

\$2.39



BLACK KID SHOES One Strap

\$1.95

ALL LIGHT SHOES GREATLY REDUCED

Genuine HOPE MUSLIN 36 Inches Wide

yd. 9c

Large Assortment MEN'S DRESS SHOES

\$1.95

MEN'S LOW QUARTER

Calf Skin Shoes

\$2.95 and \$3.95

Sprouls-Cronin & Co.

Complete Elevator Service

—We are in a position to handle your wheat in whatever way you wish. We have made arrangements whereby we can store your wheat for 30 days or for 12 months.

We are the Only Bonded Elevator In Deaf Smith County —Our equipment is the best and our desire is to please you. If we can be of any service to you, use us.

We Never Close!

McLean & Pitman

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NO. 1531
OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE **First State Bank** AT HEREFORD.

State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1931, published in the Hereford Brand, a newspaper printed and published at Hereford, State of Texas, on the 16th day of July, 1931.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts on personal or collateral security	\$310,308.55
Loans secured by real estate	8,618.43
Overdrafts	NONE
Acceptances of other banks	NONE
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	22,500.00
Other bonds and stocks owned	NONE
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping	NONE
Banking House \$5,500.00, Furniture and Fixtures \$3,673.70	9,173.70
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	5,000.00
Cash in bank	15,545.97
Due from approved reserve agents	62,810.20
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	50.00
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	NONE
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	NONE
Other resources	NONE
Other assets	354.75
TOTAL	\$433,861.00

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, net	115.22
Reserved for	NONE
Dividends unpaid	NONE
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	\$2,548.06
Individual deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	304,030.80
Time Certificates of Deposit	33,067.53
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	2,300.00
Bills Payable	NONE
Redeemments	NONE
Customers' Bonds deposited for safekeeping	NONE
Other Liabilities	NONE
TOTAL	\$433,861.00

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Deaf Smith. We, C. B. Williams, as President, and C. C. Acker, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

C. B. WILLIAMS, President.
C. C. ACKER, Cashier.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
H. R. FRITZ,
H. G. CONKWRIGHT,
E. S. IRELAND,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, A. D. 1931.

VIOLA CARPENTER, (SEAL) Notary Public, Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Effect of Walsh
Rashes do not exhilarate us so much with their possession as they torment us with their loss. —Gregory.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.
THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of Samuel F.

Itchy Toes
Hand Ringworm, Athlete's Foot
Why suffer from the queer skin disease causing severe itching of toes and feet, cracking, peeling skin, blisters, Ringworm, Trench Foot or Crotch Itch, when you can avoid infection and quickly heal your skin with Dr. Nixon's Nixoderm? Based on the famous English Hospital formula, discovered by a leading London skin specialist, Dr. Nixon's Nixoderm acts with amazing speed, because designed for this particular skin disease. Nixoderm is guaranteed. It must stop itch and quickly heal your skin or the small cost will be refunded.

CORNER DRUG STORE

Progressive News
By PROGRESSIVE CLUB GIRLS
We had a large crowd at Sunday school Sunday. Every one is invited to attend.
Gilbert Donovan spent Saturday night with J. E. Blakemore.
Mrs. Clyde Russell helped her mother, Mrs. Ira Ricketts, with



Successful Farmers Have Money

THE success of a farmer does not depend entirely upon the conditions of this year's crop or price, but upon the increase in balance shown in his pass book at the end of this year.

Saving is as important as sowing.
START SAVING REGULARLY NOW
We Welcome YOUR Banking Business

THINK! **THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK** HEREFORD, TEXAS. THINK!

MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

HAVE MONEY! — A Strong Bank Thoughtfully Managed — HAVE MONEY!

CHARTER NO. 5604 RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE **FIRST NATIONAL BANK** OF HEREFORD
In the State of Texas, at the Close of Business On June 30, 1931

RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts	\$314,488.18
2. Overdrafts	358.23
3. United States Government securities owned	90,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	1,500.00
5. Customers' liability on account of acceptances executed	NONE
6. Banking house, \$11,103.71, Fur. & Fix. \$4,787.00	15,890.71
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	NONE
8. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	25,022.17
9. Cash and due from banks	102,689.57
10. Outside checks and other cash items	4,772.90
11. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
12. Acceptances of other banks and bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank	NONE
13. Securities borrowed	NONE
14. Other assets	NONE
TOTAL	\$557,206.56

LIABILITIES	
15. Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
16. Surplus	NONE
17. Undivided profits-net	38,734.16
18. Reserves for dividends, contingencies, etc.	NONE
19. Reserves for interest, taxes, and other expenses accrued and unpaid	NONE
20. Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
21. Due to banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	9,911.01
22. Demand deposits	\$11,368.44
23. Time deposits	75,576.84
24. United States deposits	NONE
25. Agreements to repurchase U. S. Government or other securities sold	NONE
26. Bills payable and redeemments	18,616.41
27. Acceptances of other banks and bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank	NONE
28. (a) Acceptances executed by this bank for customers, and to furnish dollar exchange	NONE
(b) Less acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted	NONE
29. Acceptances executed by other banks for account of this bank	NONE
30. Securities borrowed	NONE
31. Other liabilities	NONE
TOTAL	\$557,206.56

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH, ss:
I, E. B. Posey, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
E. B. POSEY, Cashier.
Correct-Attest:
F. A. GYLES,
ORISS RENFRO,
GEO. L. MUSH, Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1931.
(SEAL) EDNA PARK, Notary Public.

"They're Off" on the Second Lap

The first vote period closed Tuesday night in The Brand's big subscription campaign and after a close check of all votes it was found that the active candidates are running neck and neck in the race for the new Chevrolet Sedan. No one candidate has a substantial lead over the others, and the race could be won by even a starter at this state of the campaign if they would get in and work hard!

Contestants Will Appreciate Your Help---

This is a race in which friends can help their favorites and a time when help is appreciated by the various contestants. Do not forget your friends in this campaign. You are also subscribing to a paper that is well worth the price asked for it. The Brand prints county news of Deaf Smith and adjoining counties. It tells of the development that is taking place in this section.

RULES GOVERNING CAMPAIGN

1. Any reputable man or woman may enter this campaign and compete for awards. Nominations may be taken at any time during the first two periods of the campaign.
2. No employees or blood relatives of any employee of this paper will be permitted to enter this campaign. This does not exclude correspondents of this paper and the campaign manager reserves the right to accept or reject any nomination.
3. The winners of the awards will be decided by their total number of votes, being represented by votes issued on subscriptions and coupons clipped from the paper.
4. Contestants are not confined to their own particular town or community in which to secure subscriptions, but may take orders anywhere in his section, or for that matter anywhere in the United States.
5. Cash must accompany all orders where votes are issued. There will be no exception to this rule.
6. Votes are issued on subscriptions. Subscribers should ask for votes when paying their subscriptions.
7. Votes can not be purchased. Every cent accepted through this campaign must be represented by subscriptions.
8. Votes are not transferable. Contestants can not withdraw in favor of others. Should a contestant withdraw from the race his or her votes will be cancelled! Neither will it be permissible for one to give or transfer subscriptions to another. Votes on such transferred subscriptions will be subject to disqualification at the discretion of the campaign manager.
9. Any collusion on the part of contestants to nullify competition or any other combination, arrangement or effect to the detriment of contestants or this newspaper will not be tolerated. Any contestant entering into or taking part in such arrangement, or effect will forfeit all rights to an award or commission.
10. Any vote issued on subscription may be held in reserve and cast at the discretion of the contestant. The printed coupons appearing from time to time in this paper must be cast before they expire according to the date printed thereon.
11. In the event of tie for any of the awards, the contest manager shall have full authority in the matter of determining awards.
12. In case of typographical error, it is understood that neither the contestant nor the publisher shall be held responsible except for the necessary correction of the same.
13. No statement, assertion, promise, either written or verbal, made by any solicitor or contestant will be recognized by the publisher or the contest manager.
14. Every contestant is an authorized agent of this paper and as such may collect subscription payments from present as well as new subscribers.
15. It is distinctly understood and agreed that contestants will be responsible for all money collected, and that they will remit such amount in full at frequent intervals on demand of the campaign manager.
16. No standing of the contestants will be published. Their vote standing to remain a secret. The contestants and the management will be the only persons to know the standing of the contestants until the final close.
17. Each contestant at the close of the campaign will be allowed to select his or her own judge to assist the management in determining the winners in the contest.
18. A ballot box for all votes for the last period of the campaign will be provided and each contestant will deposit his or her vote in this secret ballot box. This plan of a secret ballot for the last period eliminates any chance for deals in this campaign in which one contestant would receive favors.

The Judges of the Campaign

It is the sincere aim of the Brand to conduct this Campaign from start to finish in a fair, honorable and impartial manner. Every precaution has been taken to safeguard the interest of the participants, therefore we will allow each participant to select her or his own judge to count the votes the last day of the campaign and to recheck all the records kept by the Campaign Manager, and to see that each contestant is given the correct vote count.

Schedule of Votes and Subscription Prices of the Hereford Brand During Subscription Campaign

FIRST PERIOD	SECOND PERIOD	THIRD PERIOD
Embracing the first weeks (terminating on July 14) the following votes will be issued for subscriptions:	Embracing the fifth and sixth weeks (terminating July 28) the following votes will be issued for subscriptions:	Embracing the last 10 days (terminating August 8) the following votes will be issued for subscriptions:
1 year, \$2.00 -- 10,000	1 year, \$2.00 -- 7,500	1 year, \$2.00 -- 5,000
2 years, \$4.00 -- 25,000	2 years, \$4.00 -- 20,000	2 years, \$4.00 -- 15,000
3 years, \$6.00 -- 50,000	3 years, \$6.00 -- 40,000	3 years, \$6.00 -- 30,000

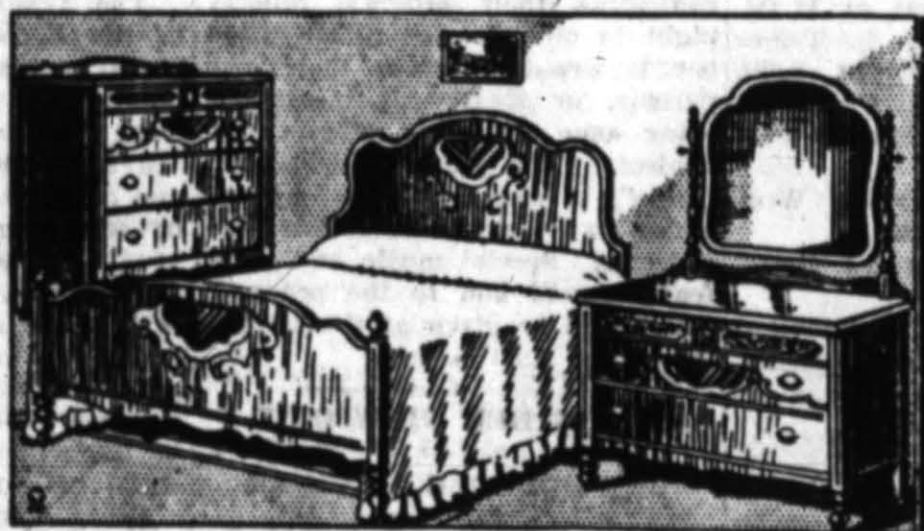
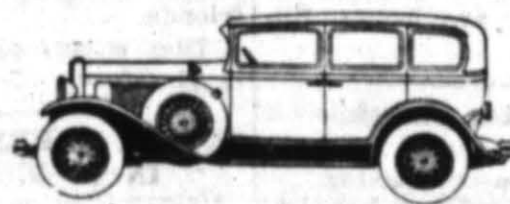
The above schedule of votes is on a declining scale, positively will not be changed during the competition. However, a special ballot, good for 50,000 EXTRA votes will be issued on every "club" of \$20.00 turned in. This arrangement will be in effect throughout the entire campaign and is to be considered a part of the regular schedule. This newspaper reserves the right to include job printing and advertising, in which event the above schedule of votes will obtain and in the same ratio of increase for larger orders up to a limited amount. No subscription will be accepted for less than one year, nor for more than three years to advance from any one candidate.

ONE MILLION VOTES \$10.00 CASH

To the contestant turning in the most money during the second period of the campaign, ending July 28, an extra bonus of ONE MILLION votes will be given, along with a \$10.00 CASH PRIZE!

LIST OF AWARDS

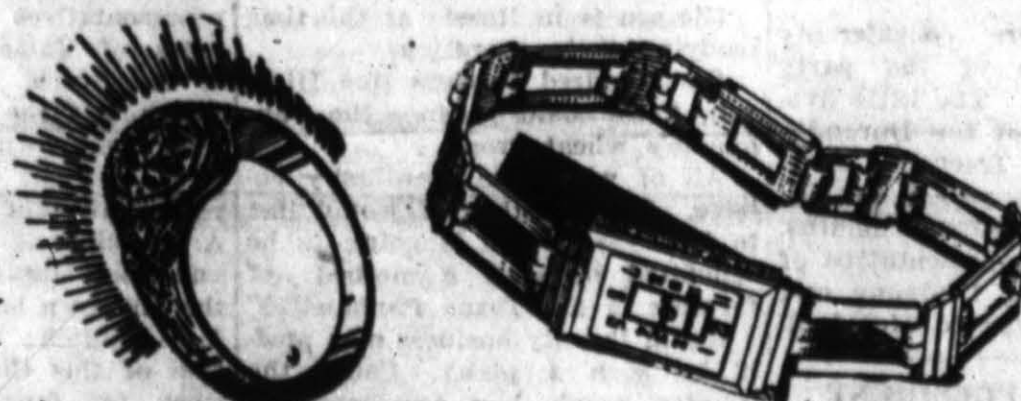
FIRST PRIZE: A beautiful Chevrolet Special Sedan, purchased from and now on display at BRUMLEY CHEVROLET COMPANY.



SECOND PRIZE: A fine bedroom suite purchased from and now on display at Black Furniture store. Winner of this prize may exercise the choice between this suite, living room or dining room suit, not to sell for more than \$250.00.



THIRD PRIZE: This beautiful High Boy Majestic Radio, selling for \$195. Purchased from and now on display at Orr's Tailor Shop.



FOURTH AND FIFTH PRIZES: This beautiful \$75.00 Virgin Diamond ring and the \$45.00 Lady's Gruen Wrist Watch purchased from and now on display at the Kester Jewelry Store.

(Clip the Coupon)

50,000 EXTRA VOTE COUPON

In Order to Help My Favorite Win the

\$10.00 CASH

and the

ONE MILLION VOTE BONUS

Given to the contestant turning in the most money during the second period of the campaign, running from July 14 to July 28, I am enclosing my check for the amount indicated herein and ask that the contestant whose name is written herein be given credit for my subscription.

Vote Schedule of Coupons

When Accompanying Subscriptions

3-Year Subscriptions, extra votes	50,000
2-Year Subscription, extra votes	25,000
1-Year Subscription, extra votes	10,000

Subscribers may either mail this coupon in with their money or hand it to their favorite candidate along with their subscription.

Here they Are:

Pick out your favorite and then subscribe:

- MISS RUTH WOLFE, Hereford
- MISS LOUISE JOHNSON, Hereford
- MISS GLENN CURRY, Summerfield
- MISS OPAL McMAHON, Hereford
- MRS. MARVIN MUNDELL, Hereford
- MRS. B. R. FULKERSON, Hereford, Route 4 (Scherer)
- MISS LOVIE MAYFIELD, Dawn
- MRS. J. J. BOLING, Wildorado
- MRS. C. E. MCCOLLISTER, Hereford

Extra Vote Coupon

Subscriber's Name

R. F. D. or Box or Street No.

City State

Contestant's Name

\$..... No. of Years.....

**A WINNER NEVER QUILTS--A QUITTER NEVER WINS!
SEE THE CAMPAIGN MANAGER TODAY!**

WOMEN'S PAGE

Mrs. Campbell Entertains Wife of Governor

Mrs. R. L. Campbell of Fairview-Palo Duro community, entertained friends and guests at a sunrise breakfast near her rural home one morning last week, honoring Mmes. Kellogg and Shaefer, of North Dakota, mother and sister of Mrs. C. C. Kellogg of Wildorado. Mrs. Shaefer is the wife of Gov. Shaefer of North Dakota.

The scene for the breakfast was a beautiful, picturesque knoll just above the Campbell ranch home. Bacon and eggs were fried on an open fire and the long breakfast table was ornamented with a center piece of orchid colored blooms of the cactus. Breakfast was ready just as the sun rose, and in a short space before its service, Mrs. Lester Dyseret gave an original poetic tribute to the rising sun.

The following guests were present beside the honorees: Mmes. C. C. Kellogg of Wildorado, Geo. Rogers, Carl Fogua, W. E. O'Neil, Thomas Watson, Pete Gouidy, Lester Dyseret, Guy Roberson, Ollie Grabbe, John Boling, Ben Ozee, Harry Elam; Misses Mary Ghant, Doris Gene Robertson, Nadine Elam, and George Shaefer.

ZELMA RUTH SHORE HOSTESSES TO BREAKFAST PARTY

A charming breakfast and bridge party was given fifteen girl friends by Miss Zelma Ruth Shore at the home of her parents on East Tenth street Tuesday morning at 8:30.

Those present were Billie Hill, Emma Jackson, Marie Seed, Earle Marie Foster, Ardelle Foster, Violet Marrs, Opal McMahon, Virginia Barnett, Wilma Jo Jones, LaVerna Womble, Wilma Saylor, of California, Addine Hastings, Kathleen Cronin, Ruth Marie Mounts and Lueta Borden.

After the delightful breakfast, served at 8:30, the tables were cleared and bridge enjoyed until the close of the party. Orange ice and ginger ale were served later. High score went to Miss Emma Jackson, with Miss Ardelle Foster receiving second high.

Garden flowers adorned the tables and the appointments were suggestive of silhouettes.

Camp Fire Girls Entertain.

Misses Nora Alice Daniel and Mary Elizabeth Stanford entertained last Thursday evening at the home of the latter's parents in honor of the Weocantewaste camp fire girls.

Refreshments were served to Misses Lueta Borden, Ruth Marie Mounts and Elaine Newell, guests; and Betty Jones, Katherine Miller, Patricia Wederbrook, Florence Boardman, Sally Skelton, Sally Gilbreath, Jimmy Clark, Nancy Conkright, Emma Roberson, Aloise Matthews and the hostesses.

MRS. FRANCES WEBBER DIES FRIDAY MORNING

Frances, wife of Ben Webber, and mother of four small children, the oldest of whom is but eight years of age, died here Friday morning of last week. The remains were taken by ambulance Saturday morning to Wichita Falls where burial was made.

The family has been making their home with Wilhelm Bros. of Wyche community.

METHODISTS PLAN TENT MEETING IN AUGUST

Rev. J. M. Fuller, of the First Methodist church, has announced a revival meeting to begin Sunday, August 2nd, the services to be held in a 50 x 80 foot tent to be put up on the vacant lots south of the church.

Presiding Elder L. N. Lipscomb, former pastor here will do the preaching and Willie Mat Culwell of Abilene has been engaged to lead the song service.

Card of Thanks.

"Humanity's greatest sorrow reveals humanity's greatest blessings—the heart of those who are our friends."

We want to express our grateful thanks and appreciation to you who have entered into our sorrow and helped to make the load more endurable by your many acts of kindness and comforting words in the loss of our loved one.

Joe L. Baker
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parmer,
Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Norton,
and Son.

Misses Lonnie Beth and Mary Weaver of Canyon have been visiting in the N. C. Vogele home. Lonnie Beth has been honored by being chosen editor of The Prairie, the W. T. S. T. C., weekly school paper.

MMES. NEILL AND KESSIE ENTERTAIN AT BRIDGE

Mrs. J. A. Neill and Mrs. R. E. Kessie entertained friends at the home of the latter Tuesday afternoon, July 7, with seven tables of bridge. Punch was served throughout the afternoon.

The hostesses were assisted by Miss Ruth Kessie and Mrs. B. M. Wiltshire in serving. High score for the afternoon went to Mrs. Minnie B. Jones, second to Miss Bertha Dameron and low to Mrs. W. F. Gabbert.

Orange sherbet and angel food cake were served to the following guests: Misses Martha Duncan and Bertha Dameron; Mmes. J. C. McCracken, Egbert Bradly, Homer Fox, Alton Fraser, Lloyd Edwards, Jesse Stanford, J. Wallace Robinson, W. F. Gabbert, Minnie B. Jones, C. H. Dyar, Raymond Cone, Hubert McEntire, Elmer Dameron, J. M. Gilliland, Andy Moore, Amarillo; A. M. Jones, F. M. Kester, Dean Rice, Ruby Gilbreath, D. H. Alexander, Grace B. Guthrie, Ray Conaway, Harry Frits, W. S. Kerr, A. A. Foster, T. C. Mathies, and James E. Black.

R. C. BRIDGES DIES THURSDAY OF LAST WEEK

R. C. Bridges, 66, for the past 28 years an honored citizen of Hereford, died here Thursday night, July 9, after an illness of but a few days.

Mr. Bridges was born in Camden, Tennessee, July 6, 1862, came to Gainesville, Texas, in 1888, and to Hereford in 1903.

He was married January 12, 1890, to Miss Josie Williams, who survives him, as does two brothers G. W. Bridges, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, and Simon Bridges of Mangum, Oklahoma, who with his daughter and her husband were here for the funeral; two sisters, Mrs. Victoria Cowell, of Camden, Tennessee, and Mrs. Eva Cowell of Bruceton, Tennessee, and a host of friends here who knew and appreciated Mr. Bridges for his sterling citizenship and Christian character.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. M. Fuller in the Methodist church Saturday afternoon, assisted by Rev. V. M. Cloyd. Interment was made in West Park cemetery.

Daniel News

BY MRS. JOE THURMOND

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore, July 5th, a son, who has been named Billy Leroy; Mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tomlinson and children spent the week end with her parents at Plainview.

Mrs. Luna Jacobs was shopping in Hereford Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Shugart and Elmo of Hereford ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thurmond Sunday night.

Callers in the W. R. Moore home during the week to see the new baby were Mmes. Luna Jacobs, Durwood Vernon, Joe Moore, Floyd Tomlinson, Will Bishop, Joe Thurmond, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Thomas of Canyon, Mrs. Wayne Carthall of Dimmitt, Misses Hall and Park of Hereford, Mrs. Coy Phillips of Fairview, and Miss Isora Clark of Amarillo.

Mrs. Joe Moore called on Mrs. Luna Jacobs Saturday afternoon. Miss Mary Thurmond of Amarillo spent Sunday night in the home of her brother, Joe Thurmond.

W. R. Moore was in Amarillo on business Saturday.

Most of the wheat in this vicinity has been cut.

Mrs. Herman Denkil spent Tuesday with her mothers, Mrs. Luna Jacobs.

MISSING PONTIAC SEDAN FOUND DESTROYED BY FIRE

The Pontiac sedan belonging to Fred Jackson of near Vega and reported missing from Hereford streets Monday night of last week, was found abandoned and burned 40 miles south, just off 25-Mile avenue, and reported to Sheriff Flannagh of Castro county, who in turn notified local officers.

Deputy Sheriff J. C. Allred made the trip and found the car which had been burned, and had also later been stripped until it seemed nothing but the engine could be recovered as usable.

Club Cafe Sold.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McClung of O'Donnell and owners of the McClung Hotel there, came as new citizens to Hereford this week with the purchase and assumption of the management of the Club cafe from C. G. Bennett Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. McClung are known to many Hereford folk who have traveled in the neighborhood of O'Donnell and these friends are welcoming the McClungs to the city. Mrs. McClung is an experienced cafe operator, previously having been in charge of a Fred Harvey eating house.

High Stepper Motif for Otra Vez

Nothing more pleasing can be imagined than an enjoyable breakfast, followed by bridge, such as the Otra Vez club was entertained with by Mrs. J. C. McCracken, Wednesday morning, July 8, at her home on East Third street.

The High Stepper idea was carried out in the place cards, tallies, prizes and decorations. Score favors went to Miss Gladys Seigler, guest, and Mrs. Tom Carter, club. During the course of the bridge playing a refreshing ice drink was served to those attending.

Guests were Mmes. O. E. Easley, B. H. Hopkins, J. A. Neill, Hal Bruner, Pat Elliston, Travis Dameron, Dean Rice, Victoria Wilson; Misses Gladys Seigler, Ruth Elliston, Elizabeth Toik, Eloise Pittman. Club members: Mmes. J. W. Witherspoon, Ivor McClendon, T. J. Carter, J. M. Murchison, B. M. Wiltshire, E. L. Bradly, L. L. Edwards, Alton Fraser, J. M. Posey, Misses Emma Jeanne Donald, Martha Duncan.

COUNTY LIBRARY MORE THAN DOUBLES SERVICES IN TWELVE MONTHS

The report issued the first of July by the Deaf Smith county library revealed the very interesting information that during the past year its services have more than doubled in work.

During the months of March, April, May and June, 1930, a daily average of 73.6 books were issued, and through those same months in 1931 the daily average had grown to 160.3 books. Also, on July 1, 1931, the library had readers cards in circulation numbering 1,058; and on the same date of this year the number of cards in use was 2348.

Truly, this is an exceptional showing, and serves to illustrate the great work Miss Hostetler and her assistants are doing, and how their plans for the expansion of the library work are being fulfilled.

First Christian Church.

Rev. M. J. Johnson, pastor. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. A. M. Jones, general superintendent. Morning worship hour at 11:00. "Companionship in Tribulation." Evening hour at 8:30. subject, "Man's Seven Creators." Christian Endeavor Sunday evening at 7:00.

Prayer meeting services Wednesday evening at 8:30.

Stereopticon Bible pictures Thursday evening at 8:30.

The public is cordially invited to each and all of these services.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends who so willingly assisted in the last illness and death of our dear husband, brother and uncle. Especially do we thank the good doctors, kind ministers, faithful nurses at the hospital—all who assisted us in any way—those who contributed flowers, the flower girls, the pall bearers, all who befriended us. May heaven's richest blessings rest upon each and every one of you, is our sincere prayer.

Mrs. Josie Bridges.

Simon Bridges and Daughter.

Myrtle Bowman and Husband.

Mrs. J. Wallace Robinson Slightly Injured in Wreck

Mrs. J. Wallace Robinson was but slightly injured Wednesday night of last week when the car in which she was riding with friends was overturned east of Shamrock. In company with Lloyd Durand and family, Mrs. Robinson was enroute for a visit with home-folks near Tulsa, Oklahoma, and the wreck resulted from their car becoming unmanageable in sand and water.

While all were considerably bruised, only one of the party was seriously hurt. The little five-year-old daughter of the Durand's, Betty, suffered a fractured limb, near her hip joint, which will inconvenience her for several months. Mr. Durand is representative of the Wilson Packing Company and makes frequent trips to Hereford.

J. E. HILL NEW PRESIDENT COUNTY HOSPITAL BOARD

At the last meeting of the county commissioners for the fiscal year of the Deaf Smith County Hospital, June 22, J. E. Hill was elected to succeed the retiring president, George L. Muse, and at a subsequent meeting of the hospital board, Mr. Hill was chosen president.

Other members of the board are the same as before: Mrs. L. R. Brady, Dr. J. W. Hicks, Dr. G. F. LeGrand and Mayor E. S. Ireland. The members serve for two-year terms.

VIOLET MARRS ENTERTAIN FRIENDS TUESDAY EVENING

Miss Violet Marrs entertained a group of friends in the home of her parents Tuesday evening of this week, honoring Misses O'Neill and Louise Johnson. Beside the honorees, those present were Misses Virginia Barnett, Opal McMahon, Wilma Jo Jones, Ardelle Foster, and Messrs. Burl Alexander, Kelba Muse, J. C. Line and Sherman Morgan.

After an evening of entertainment the young ladies remained for a bunking party, to arise the next morning and go for an outing and sunrise breakfast, chaperoned by Mmes. Frank Mrs and A. A. Foster.

Car, Taken Friday, Is Found Sunday

Oca Whinery was returned Sunday from Lark, east of Amarillo, where he had been apprehended by Sheriff John B. Miller, in connection with a Ford coupe reported missing Friday evening from the rear of the Durham Motor company here. The car was found abandoned just off the highway south of Amarillo.

In a statement to John Coffee, county attorney, Whinery acknowledged taking the car, and has been held in custody here this week.

ORLAND NEWELL AND MERLE BARBER MARRIED

News of the marriage of Orland "Bub" Newell to Miss Merle Barber in Tucumcari April 18, was just released this week, and came as a complete surprise to their many Hereford friends.

Bub is a son of City Commissioner and Mrs. J. O. Newell, and his bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber, south of town. The two are among the most popular of the younger social set and congratulations are being showered upon them by a host of friends.

They expect to make their home in Hereford.

YOUNG MARRIED PEOPLE IN B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

The young married people are dedicating their program Sunday night to our parents. Each member is urged to bring their own parents, or if that is impossible, bring some one else's parents. Our subject, "The Holy Spirit Our Guide", is one that both old and young will enjoy. Visitors are welcome. Special music and other features will add to the program, which will be given at the Baptist church at 7:30 p. m.

THE OTHER VIEWPOINT

By PHOEBE K. WARNER

"I see by the papers" that the Panhandle of Texas has the largest wheat farmer in the world. That this great wheat farmer is harvesting a half million bushels of wheat from his 30,000 acre wheat farm.

That he is operating 25 combines, 30 tractors and 100 trucks to harvest his crop.

That 250 men are employed to harvest this immense crop. That this world's greatest wheat farmer grows his own feed. That he has in 5,000 acres of row crops this year, and a 15-acre garden.

"No farmer can afford to buy food or feed that he can grow," declares this greatest of American farmers.

This wonderful farmer buys his gasoline, oils and greases by the carload and all other supplies in the same way. He sells his crop directly to the miller and thereby saves 6 cents per bushel on the price of his wheat.

He is not afraid of the competition of Russia, because he is able to produce wheat by his big farming plan as cheaply as they.

His son is in Russia at this time studying their operations.

One hundred farmers like Hickman Price could produce the Panhandle's wheat crop.

All of which we steadfastly believe. But the thing I would like to know is: "Who is going to be benefited by such a method of farming in the Texas Panhandle?"

Would the city business men profit by such a plan? Could the country people buy any more by such a plan? Would the consumers get their bread for any less by such a plan?

Here are a few facts for those 100 big farmers to consider as well as the other people who believe in industrializing the great-est business and the most essential business in the world: There are today about a million people in the Panhandle and West Texas. Most of these people have come here in the past 40 years. Many of them came in a covered wagon, with all their worldly goods in the wagon with them. They moved out on to these

barren plains, dug a hole in the ground and there they lived until they could transform some of this soil into a home. They have suffered every discomfort and danger. They have sacrificed every comfort and convenience of the older states to transform this marvelous country from a wilderness of waste land into the greatest wheat producing country in the world. They have gradually built schools and churches and towns and roads. They have created by their toll and experiments and untold losses the cattle and the crops that have brought the railroads across the plains and opened the way to the markets for them.

Does any body with a grain of red blooded patriotism think such people will quietly submit to yielding up their homes and their life earnings to a group of industrial farmers and become the hired man on their own land, to be employed for a few months during the harvest and seeding seasons and then back to the streets of some city to join the bread line the rest of the year?

Which would be the safest for the nation? A hundred great industrial plants in the Texas Panhandle or 100,000 comfortable homes scattered all over the country. Homes where the family took care of themselves all the year round. Homes out in the fresh open air instead of huddled into some back alley and both parents and all the children big enough, looking for a job.

Which will mean the most trade for the cities? The 100,000 families who are making their living outside of the city or a few thousand employees who would hold a job five or possibly six months of the year on these industrial farms?

But there is another side to the question. Who has brought on this surplus and depression and 33-cent wheat? Has it been the home owners in the county who live there all the year and make their living on the farm? Or has it been the big city farmers who make their living in some other business and just farm for fun?

The small farmers were asked this year to CUT their wheat acreage 40 per cent. How much did Hickman Price cut his acreage? —23,000 acres of wheat; 5,000 acres of row stuff; 15 acres in garden. Wonder what he is going to feed the row stuff to? The little home making farmer is urged by every organization to diversify. The big farmer does as he pleases and the same advisors and critics praise him for it.

When you talk about Russianizing the Texas Panhandle you better stop and think who's here. What kind of blood settled this county and how and where have they been reared?

The Texas Panhandle is a part of the U. S. A., and not Russia. 32,000 acres of good rich Panhandle land is enough to make at least 100 good farms with from 100 to a thousand acres in every one of them. It is not a question of who can raise 33-cent wheat at a profit and compete with Russia and the Argentine. But what is best for OUR OWN COUNTRY and our own people. Which will mean the most to the women and children and the Texas homes? Which will mean the most in our standards of citizenship?

What would a hundred thousand families buy for their homes and their farms as compared to 100 great industrial plants that might direct all the Panhandle farming?

Sure, it can be done at the sacrifice of home ownership, home pride and a free citizenship.

There are many good methods in the Hickman Price program that every farmer ought to study and practice. And no doubt his Panhandle experiment will result in much good. It will at least wake some of us up to what we are coming to if we don't wake up. But what will it profit this country to exchange our home ownership for foreign peasantry?

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Deaf Smith County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon James A. Burch, the unknown heirs and their legal representatives, and the unknown legal representatives of the said James A. Burch; Mrs. J. A. Burch, wife of James A. Burch, and the unknown heirs and their unknown legal representatives of the said Mrs. J. A. Burch; by making publication of this Citation once in each week 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 Deaf Smith County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Hereford, Texas, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1931, the same being the 3rd day of August A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 23rd day of June A. D. 1931, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court

No. 1896, wherein F. A. Paul is Plaintiff, and James A. Burch, the unknown heirs and their legal representatives, and the unknown legal representatives of the said James A. Burch, the unknown heirs and their heirs and legal representatives of the unknown heirs of James A. Burch, Mrs. J. A. Burch, wife of James A. Burch, and the unknown heirs and their unknown legal representatives, and the unknown legal representatives of the said Mrs. J. A. Burch, and the unknown heirs and their legal representatives of the said Mrs. J. A. Burch, are Defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action being as follows:

Plaintiff alleges that he is the owner in fee simple and is lawfully entitled to the possession of the following described land in Deaf Smith County, Texas, to-wit:

Tract 1: All of Section No. 13, Certificate No. 27, in Block K-Six (K-6), Gaiveston, Brazos & Colorado N. G. Ry. Co., Original Grantee, lying in Deaf Smith County, Texas;

Tract No. 2: All of Section Number Twelve (12), in Block K-Six (K-6), Certificate No. 29, Gaiveston, Brazos & Colorado N. G. Ry. Co., Original Grantee, lying in Deaf Smith County, Texas;

said tracts being more minutely described in Plaintiff's Original Petition, and that herefore on the 1st day of June, 1931, the Defendants, and each of them, unlawfully dispossessed the Plaintiff of said lands; that Defendants and each of them are claiming some interest in said lands, said interest being apparent but not real, but constituting a cloud on Plaintiff's title; Plaintiff further claiming said lands as against said Defendants, and each of them, by reason of deeds under color of title and adverse and peaceful possession, use, enjoyment and occupancy under the three, five, ten and twenty-five year Statutes of Limitation; Plaintiff prays for judgment against each and all of the defendants for title and possession of said lands, that cloud be removed from title, and for damages.

Herein fall not, but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this 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, Texas, on this 23rd day of June A. D. 1931.

(Seal) L. F. FOSTER, Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County, Texas. 24-4

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International Sunday School

Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

July 19, 1931.

THE GENEROSITY OF THE EARLY CHRISTIANS

Acts 4:32-35, 6:1-4, 2 Corinthians 9:1-7

32. And the multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul; neither said any of them that aught of the things which he possessed was his own; but they had all things common.

33. And with great power gave the apostles witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus; and great grace was upon them all.

34. Neither was there any among them that lacked; for as many as were possessors of lands or houses sold them, and brought the prices of the things that were sold.

35. And laid them down at the apostles' feet; and distribution was made unto every man according as he had need.

Acts 6:1. And in those days, when any number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration.

2. Then the twelve called the multitude of the disciples unto them, and said, 'It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables.'

3. Wherefore, brethren, look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business.

4. But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word.

2 Cor. 9:1. For as touching the ministering to the saints, it is superfluous for me to write to you:

2. For I know the forwardness of your mind, for which I boast of you to them of Macedonia, that Achaia was ready a year ago; and your zeal hath provoked very many.

3. Yet I have sent the brethren, lest our boasting of you should be in vain in this behalf; that, as I said, ye may be ready.

4. Lest haply, if they of Macedonia come with me, and find you unprepared, we (that we say not, ye) should be ashamed in this same confident boasting.

5. Therefore I thought it necessary to exhort the brethren, that they would go before unto you, and make up beforehand your bounty, whereof we had notice before, that the same might be ready, as a matter of bounty, and not as of covetousness.

6. But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully.

7. Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loveth a cheerful giver.

Golden Text: He himself said, It is more blessed to give than to receive.—Acts 20:35.

TRY A WANT AD IN THE BRAND

The Christian Community at Jerusalem.

We think of them as ablaze with spiritual fire and enthusiasm; but they had also thus early developed a strong social consciousness. It could not have been otherwise, for many of them had been with Jesus when he was going about doing good and saying such things as the parable of the Good Samaritan and John 17. See how interrelated here are the various aspects of true religion, of true Christianity: "One heart and soul; unselfishness in personal goods (which is no easy form of unselfishness!); a powerful witnessing of the corner-stone truth of the resurrection; the grace of the Lord Jesus; no lack of the necessities of life.

As one might expect, there was no compulsion in their partial communism. Peter reminds Ananias of this (Acts 5:4). That miserable man's sin was lying and false pretense. It appears from Acts 12:12 that at a later time John Mark's mother, a prominent member of the Jerusalem Christian community, still owned her house. In other words, they were Spirit-led in this as in other respects. Some of them were poor, and when they joined the Jesus company it became still harder for them to eke out a living; others of them, like Barnabas, were well-to-do, and it was necessary for such to sell some of their property to meet the common need.

Unity and Community.

In Acts 4:32 and 34 is a beautiful picture of fellowship. And for Luke the primary fact is the unity. His words are few, but full and clear. First, he points out the basal fact of a common religious experience. All who enjoyed this fellowship were believers in Christ, men and women over whom the shadow of persecution was already beginning to creep, who staked all on the same Power and lived in the same Spirit. Secondly, Luke says that they were of one heart and soul. Drawn to Christ, they were therefore drawn to one another. In Christ, such a sense of kinship and commonness of interest sprang up that differences melted away. The writer once asked a man how he felt toward his twin-brother and he replied, "I feel that he is just my other self." It was so with these men and women after Pentecost. A likeness in feeling, in thought and in purpose gave a controlling sense of unity. Thirdly, Luke says that unity of heart and soul was followed by a community of goods in which no brother or sister was permitted to suffer.

Power and Grace.

Generosity was not the only flower in the garden of that early fellowship. Luke says, "With

great power gave the apostles their witness of the Lord Jesus'. The emphasis is twofold: (1) upon the witnessing, and (2) upon the power. In the joy of their fellowship they did not slacken in their obedience to Christ's command, nor lose the Pentecostal fire. They continued their evangelism with great power.

Again Luke says that "great grace was upon them all." The grace of the Lord Jesus transfigured them, appearing in their beautiful unity, and generosity, and burning enthusiasm for the Saviour.

A Problem of Growth.

One trouble of these early days was that recorded in our lesson. It was a problem of growth. The church continued to grow, through the constant witnessing of the apostles and other believers. And with the increase the task of distributing help to those who needed became more difficult and exacting. At the same time the hearts of the apostles were aflame with the desire to preach the gospel. Drawn thus between two desires it was all but inevitable that one thing or another should be neglected. And in this case the problem was made more delicate by the presence of a sensitiveness which was quite natural. There were in the church Jews who were reared in Palestine and spoke Aramaic, and Jews from other lands who spoke Greek and were more favorable to Greek culture. They spoke a different language and had different opinions regarding many things.

Grecians and Hebrews.

So the problem arose. The Greek-speaking Jews began to murmur against the Hebrews "because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration". We are reminded of conditions in our modern churches which challenge us to utter love and fairness. There are, for instance, the differences in education. Men have different social standing and associations; and the barriers of wealth and poverty. All of these tend to make people sensitive to slights, and the church must be ever on its guard that these differences may make no difference, that the natural human tendencies shall not be fed by neglect or unfairness, but rather forgotten in true brotherhood.

A Christian Solution.

Although the neglect was unintentional, it was probably real, and the apostles responded to the criticism in a wonderful Christian spirit. The critics could ask no more in fairness or promptness. See verses 2 and 3. And the church went full length in its choice of men who would avoid the same error and convince the Hellenists that the language they spoke made no difference in love. Notice in verse 5 the names of the men chosen. Every one of them had a Greek name. Some think that all were Greek-speaking Jews. One of them we know was not a Jew at all. Others think the division of the six Jews was equal as between the Hebrews and Hellenists. At any rate, those chosen were noted for their goodness, fairness and faithfulness, men full of the Holy Spirit. So by its spirit of

generous brotherhood the church not only corrected the error, but (1) released the apostles for their spiritual ministry and (2) called into service men who would be "some great in the work of the kingdom."

Bounty and Extortion.

In this final paragraph of the lesson (2 Cor. 9:1-7) Paul is writing to the church at Corinth. Christianity had spread far out into the Empire. Because of persecution the Christians in Jerusalem were in want, and Paul was taking up a collection for their relief wherever he went. A year previous to his writing, the Corinthians had expressed great willingness to share in the collection, and in Philippi he held them up as an example, and so inspired the Philippians to bountiful liberality. Now he is about to return to Corinth (perhaps accompanied by some Philippians) to receive the collection, and is anxious for them to make good their promise and justify his boasting. And in his message he says some things that ought to be of great value to us.

First, he exhorted them to give "as a matter of bounty and not of extortion". He had no taste for urging people overmuch. He did not wish to appear as covetously grasping and coercing them to give against their will.

A Harvest Principle.

Secondly, he reminded them of a principle of the harvest. "He that soweth sparingly shall reap sparingly; and he that soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully". Let them purpose in their hearts, but not on too small and sparing a scale. Men may boast of having paid their pledges when their pledges are mere pittance, unworthy of them, and testifying as loudly to their stinginess and lack of love as to their faithful performance of a promise. We

cannot lay out our stewardship on a sparing scale and expect to reap bountifully of the blessing and joy. The law of sowing and reaping operates as truly in the realm of our contributions as in other fields of conduct. A deacon once said "I have been giving till it hurt, and the less I gave the more it hurt. Now I am going to give till it doesn't hurt".

Fairview-Palo Duro Items

By MRS. JOHN BOLING

Fairview, July 10.—We had a good rain Saturday evening that will help row crops, which were badly in need of moisture. The amount varied at different points near here. Fairview had a good rain Wednesday and a three-inch rain fell in the Wildorado vicinity Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Smith and family went to Panhandle last week to the funeral of her sister's baby.

Mrs. Mary Hicks of Umberger visited in the Dan Higgins home Wednesday.

Mrs. R. L. Campbell attended an elaborate tea given by Rev. Mrs. Kunze at Canyon last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ben Ooze and children were Sunday dinner guests in the O. J. Grabbe home.

Mrs. S. Oretzinger, Temple and Ivona Jarnagin attended church in Amarillo Sunday.

Claude Pierson of Bushland spent the week end in the Cecil Allred home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flynn of Amarillo were here on business Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grabbe of

Fort Worth are visiting his brother, W. M. Grabbe.

Irene Hannah visited Mary Ghant Sunday.

Sunbeam Price visited Leda Smith Friday.

Mrs. Jim Daniels of Panhandle visited in this community last Sunday.

Mrs. C. Oretzinger called on Mrs. Dick Allred and Boyd Bates Monday afternoon.

Attorney E. B. Morgan, of Galena, Kansas, was a business visitor in Hereford last Friday, concerning litigation over inconveniences reported to have been caused bus passengers during one of the stormy spells of last winter.

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Scherer Items

MRS. B. E. FULKERSON

Scherer, July 10.—Some fine rains have fallen the past week, which were appreciated.
Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hubbard spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hubbard.
Miss Ragdale spent Sunday with Bessie Gunn at Westway.
Mrs. Fulkerson visited Mrs. Bates Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hubbard of Fort Worth have come to help through wheat harvest at the J. H. Hubbard home.
Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Fulkerson took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Sunday.
Mr. Strickland was a visitor at the Fulkerson home Thursday.
Mrs. Odice Bulls of Wichita Falls visited Miss Ragdale last week.

Ford Doings

MISS LA VERNE MANN

Ford, July 10.—The C. W. club met Friday afternoon at the school house, with Miss Emma Gunter in charge, and with five members present.
There was an attendance of 102 at Ford Sunday school and preaching. There was singing in the evening.
Beryl Davis arrived here Tuesday from Roosevelt, Oklahoma, to begin harvesting. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Davis, and John Lester.
Thomas and Floyd Simpson took dinner Sunday with Clyde Mann.
Misses Dorothy and Maurine Norton and Chester Norton visited in the Reeves home Sunday morning.
Misses Birdine and Tiny Brunson spent Saturday night with Misses Mabel and Viola Rempel.
Misses Vineta and Gladys Simpson were Sunday supper guests of Miss Ruby Rempel.
B. Fair and children and Miss Tooley were in Amarillo Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mann and daughter took supper in the D. B. Mann home Saturday.
Misses Dorothy and Maurine Norton visited Miss Tooley Friday afternoon.
Miss Edith Mann, who is going to school in Amarillo, spent the

week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Mann.
Edgar Christie arrived home Friday from Okmotee, Oklahoma, where he has been working.
Doc Lloyd visited in the Norton home Monday.
D. B. Mann and daughters visited Mrs. Roy Mann Saturday afternoon.
Some of the farmers in this vicinity are having trouble with their harvesting.
Cecl Raynor ate dinner in the Mann home Friday.
B. F. Irvin, Leota and Oleta Reeves, Cecl Raynor and La Verne Mann visited in the J. Y. Norton home Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. Henry Rempel's sister and family are here visiting friends and relatives.
Mrs. Bob Orr visited Mrs. D. B. Mann Monday afternoon.

Westway Items

MRS. PINK GILLILLAND

Westway, July 10.—Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Gilliland and Bob were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gilliland of Hereford.
Mrs. L. O. Gore's sister-in-law, Mrs. Jess Hill, and Mrs. Hill's sister, Mrs. Ivy, are here from the West Coast for a visit.
Mrs. J. D. Rose has relatives from Littlefield visiting her this week.
Rev. Boyer filed his regular appointment here Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Caraway were over Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kelly.
Mrs. Cordia Landers of Yaocoma, Washington, is visiting her son, Joe Landers.
Mrs. G. C. Hartman and Myra called on Mrs. P. H. Gilliland last Thursday.
Mrs. Otis, from near the New Mexico line, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. S. B. Campbell.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn visited his parents at Hereford Sunday.
Mrs. H. E. Richmond spent Monday with Mrs. Keller.
Little Vesta Mae Landers visited Nanette Little Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pierce and Miss Mildred Wilder attended church services at Hereford last Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gore spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Campbell.

Arney News Items

BY MRS. F. W. FORTNER

Arney, July 10.—Mrs. Lee Ott and two children visited in the home of Mrs. Tipton Wednesday.
The hum of the combine and tractor can be heard in every direction now.
Miss Dorothy Edmondson of Amarillo is visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cox for a while.
We are glad to say that Mrs. John Cole, who has been quite ill, is rapidly improving.
Leslie Ward and Glenn Luther of California are here visiting the farmer's brother, George Ward, and family for a few days.
Mr. Kilcrease of Olney is here seeing after his place.
We gladly welcomed the little shower Saturday night. The row crops need more rain.
A number of the neighbors visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boyd Sunday.
CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Fred G. Brunk, Emma Brunk and S. D. Brunk by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive 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 Deaf Smith County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Hereford, on the first Monday in August A. D. 1931, the same being the third day of August A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 27th day of June A. D. 1931, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 1907, wherein A. Allison is Plaintiff, and M. M. Gregg, L. J. Hatley, Fred G. Brunk, Emma Brunk and S. D. Brunk are Defendants, and the following is a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action:
A suit in trespass to try title by plaintiff against all of said defendants in which plaintiff seeks to recover of and from each and all of said defendants; both the title to and possession of the following described lands, situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, to-wit:

Being 300 acres of land off of the south end of the section of land sold to W. B. Garvin by the Capitol Free Hold Land and Investment Company, Ltd., by deed dated January 17, 1902, recorded in Volume 10 at pages 394-5 of the deed records of Deaf Smith County, Texas, the same being a part of League Number 400 1/2, and patented to Abner Taylor by patent Number 442, Volume one; the 300 acres being all of said section except 100 acres out of the northwest corner sold to Dan Davy, and 180 acres out of the northeast corner sold to Mrs. S. E. House; and being the land conveyed to Fred G. Brunk by Mrs. Emma Brunk and S. D. Brunk by deed recorded in Volume 60 at page 492 of the deed records of Deaf Smith County, Texas; the same being the said south 300 acres of said section so conveyed by said deed recorded in Volume 10 at pages 394-5 of the deed records of Deaf Smith County, Texas, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the east line of said Capitol Le-

gue, Number 400 1/2 at the north-west corner of said section No. 67, block K-8, of the Tyler Tap R. R. Company survey; thence north with said east line of Capitol League Number 400 1/2, 1900 varas to a point; thence west 1900 varas to a point; thence south 1900 varas to a point; thence east 1900 varas to the place of beginning.
He also alleges that on February 12, 1931, in cause number 906, in the County Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, entitled Earl Brumbo vs. Fred G. Brunk, said court rendered judgment in favor of the plaintiff, Earl Brumbo, against the defendant, Fred G. Brunk, for the sum of \$772.40 with interest thereon from September 9, 1930, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and costs of suit and for foreclosure of an Attachment Lien issued out of said court in said cause and levied on said land;

And that on the first Tuesday in June, 1931, under an order of sale issued on said judgment, foreclosing said Attachment Lien, the same was sold at the Court House door of Deaf Smith County, Texas, by a constable of said county, in which the said order of sale had been placed for execution and that plaintiff became the purchaser at said sale, he being the highest bidder, and through said sale acquired his title to said land.
Plaintiff also charges in his petition that all of the defendants are claiming some right, title, in-

terest and estate in and to said lands, the nature of which is unknown to plaintiff, and that such claim creates a cloud on plaintiff's title to said lands.
That by deed dated May 14, 1929, recorded in the Deed Records of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in Book 60 at page 492, the defendant, Emma Brunk, who was then the owner of said lands, joined by her husband, the defendant, S. D. Brunk, sold and conveyed said lands to the defendant, Fred G. Brunk, and as part payment therefor, the defendant, Fred G. Brunk, executed and delivered to the defendant, Emma Brunk, payable to her order, five notes for \$880.00 each, all dated May 14, 1929, due and payable on or before 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years from date respectively, and each bearing interest from its date at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, interest payable annually; and that said notes are described and recited in said deed and record thereof, and that each and all of said notes and interest thereon have been paid, but the Vendor's Lien securing them has not been released and that the defendants, Emma Brunk and S. D. Brunk, are claiming that no part of said notes and no interest thereon has been paid and that they have a valid lien on said land securing the payment, all of which casts and creates a cloud on plaintiff's title to said lands.
Plaintiff prays for judgment against all the defendants for title

and possession of said lands; for his rents; that the claims of rights, titles, interests and estates of the defendants; and the apparent Vendor's Lien shown by the said recitations in said Deeds of said notes; and the claim of the defendants, Emma Brunk and S. D. Brunk, that the said indebtedness and lien on said land still exist, all be cancelled, annulled and removed as a cloud on plaintiff's title to said land; for costs of

suit and for general relief.
Herein fall not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, 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 Hereford this 27th day of June, A. D. 1931.
(Seal) L. H. FOSTER,
Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County, Texas. 25-4e

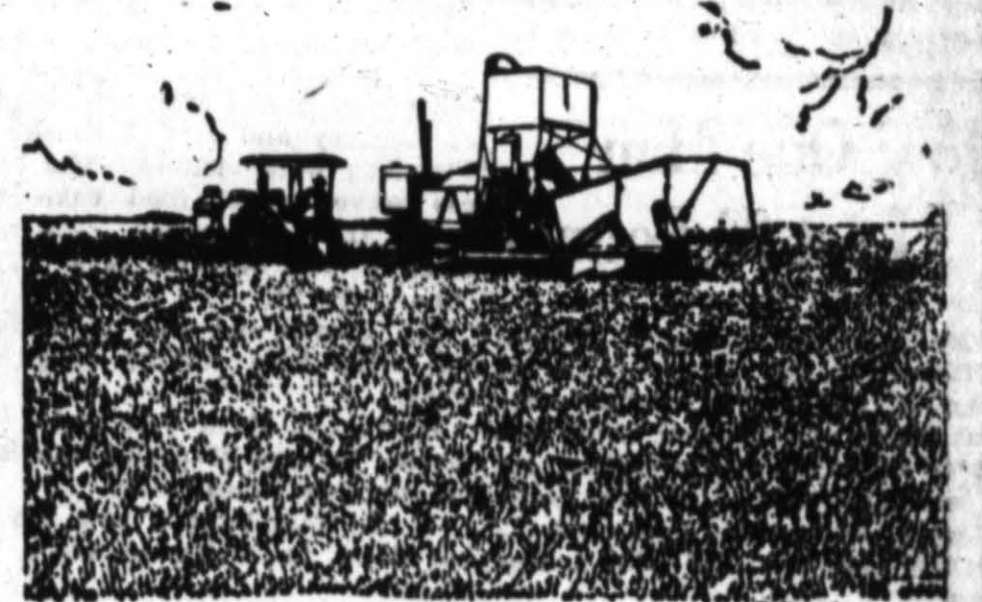


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Fairview-Palo Duro Items

By MRS. JOHN BOLING

July 13.—The community extends sympathy to Mrs. E. W. Womble in the loss of her brother, Gerald Thomas. Gerald was an electrician working at Tyler when he came in contact with a live wire which caused his death. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Thomas and family formerly were citizens of Willadoro.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett McClain and children and Oren McClain of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Womble visited the C. O. Phillips home Sunday.

Frances and Byron Campbell attended the Epworth League social at Mrs. Vernon Stanley's of Willadoro, Friday afternoon.

Mmes. Dick Allred and Sam Griggs called on Mrs. C. Crestinger Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Henry of Plainview visited her brother, C. Allred, Sunday.

Several ladies of this community attended a tea given by Mrs. C. C. Kellogg of Willadoro, honoring her mother and sister, Mmes. Kellogg and Shafer. Mrs. Shafer is the wife of Governor Shafer of North Dakota. About 60 guests were present.

Our Sunday school enrollment was greater the past two Sundays than it has been for several weeks, which is unusual during harvest. Some say the Lord is bringing his

people back to a consciousness of the commandment, Remember the Sabbath to keep it holy. Others have a feeling that the lords of earth had a hand in causing the farmers to forsake their wheat on Sundays. Harvest is near completion. Row crops are in need of rain.

Miss Hostetler brought out a new supply of library books last week.

H. J. Oglesby is cutting wheat on his section in the Ward community this week.

Frances Campbell visited with Doris Gene Robertson of Willadoro Friday.

Rev. J. M. Jones was a Sunday dinner guest in the John Boling home.

Lela Mae Oglesby is spending the week in Ward community, cooking for her father while he is harvesting there.

Mrs. W. O. Comingoer visited in Conway Monday.

Mrs. Kellogg, of North Dakota, who has been visiting her son at Willadoro, was at the Campbell ranch last week and complimented Mr. Campbell on the fine grade of whitefaces he has. Mrs. Kellogg said they, too, raise whitefaces.

Here and There

By MRS. C. E. TICE

The W. W. club met with Mrs. J. W. Berry last Tuesday and the day was enjoyably spent quilting. During the short business session the club rug was given away and Miss Nell Hall held the right number.

Roll call was answered by ten members and Mrs. Will Rigdon of Lockney and Mrs. Robinson of Floydada were visitors. The hostesses served angel food cake and punch after the session. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. E. Tice, July 21.

Mr. Barton and sons of Wellington were here several days last week.

Harvest is about over and every farmer is busy preparing the land for another wheat crop.

N. E. Gass built a new bin on his farm in which to store his wheat.

W. D. Rigdon of Lockney joined his family here last week and will assist in the harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Tice of Texarkana, spent Sunday afternoon at the C. E. Tice home.

Mrs. John Turner and Mrs. Barrett Sowell spent Sunday afternoon in the C. L. Goad home.

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If you plan a vacation or trip this summer, you should protect yourself against typhoid by taking the serum. We are by no means immune from typhoid here, even though we have had few cases in recent years. There is no reason why we should have any. Immunization is far safer and less expensive than the disease.

How about your milk supply during this hot weather? Are you sure that it is being carefully handled? Foods spoil easily this hot weather, and half spoiled food will cause many digestive disturbances. Watch the children's diet a little more closely.

We are very much interested in the action the Hereford Independent school board has taken in regard to smallpox vaccination and immunization against diphtheria. It means a great loss to the school in time and money for an epidemic to break out, not to mention the individual loss to the children who contract the disease. There is no reason why there should even be an epidemic of smallpox or diphtheria, for both are easily and safely prevented.

Begin planning now to have the whole family vaccinated, and all children between the ages of six months and fourteen years immunized against diphtheria during the month of August. The work will be done free of charge at any of the doctor's offices in town.

Come in yourself and insist upon your neighbor coming, thus helping us to keep Deaf Smith county free from epidemics.

Black

MRS. J. J. CRAWFORD

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hinds were called to Forgan, Oklahoma, last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hinds' five-month-old nephew who died of heart failure. They were accompanied by Mrs. Hinds' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hodges. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Marler took care of their things while they were gone. They returned home Sunday.

Miss Opal Hays is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Price took dinner in the Lee Clymore home Sunday.

Sid McKinney of Borger was here last week visiting his many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mahler visited in the J. J. Crawford home Sunday.

Wheat is not coming in very fast. The local elevator is assisted in handling the big crop by a number of track loaders. Many farmers are holding most of their grain in anticipation of an increase in price.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scarborough of Roswell, and two sons, Clay and Aubrey, visited in the J. J. Crawford home this week.

Summerfield

By MRS. L. JOHNSON

The Home Makers study club met last with Mrs. Duke Storey. Although the attendance was very small the meeting was interesting, and on the subject of canning budget.

Round table discussion on how and what to can was expressed by each member present. During the social hour the hostesses served delicious refreshments to the members and several visitors present.

Mrs. Oglesby spent Sunday in Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batton spent the week end in the parental Meharh home.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Flowers were in Canyon Saturday.

Christine Fincher, Margaret Fuller, Theda Lou Wilson, all of Hereford, spent the week end with Mary Lee Curry.

W. H. Flowers of Sweetwater is visiting in the home of his son, Adam Flowers, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis had relatives from Borger visiting in their home last Sunday.

The many friends and neighbors of Mrs. J. A. Noland sympathize with her in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Nance, at Lockney. Mrs. Nance had many good friends here who were made sad by her passing away.

Mrs. N. M. Patton, Mrs. John Patton and son, Billy, all of Hereford were Sunday guests in the Lee Curry home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Woodward of Wichita Falls and their daughter, Mrs. A. A. Smith of Dimmitt visited in the home of Mr. Woodward's niece, Mrs. W. L. Huntley, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Welby enjoyed a visit with their son, Herman, near Muldoon recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Mote of Black

visited in the Oglesby home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard and son visited with her parents at Black Sunday.

Assembly of God Announcements.

If I knew you and you knew me, how little trouble there would be; we pass each other on the street, but just come out and let us meet at the Assembly of God church next Sunday.

Each one intends to do what is fair, and treat his neighbor on the square; but he may not quite understand why you don't take him by the hand, at the Assembly of God next Sunday.

This world is sure a busy place, and we must hustle in the race; for social hours some are not free, six days, but all should be at the Assembly of God church next Sunday.

Don't knock and kick and slam and slap at everybody you find on the map; but push and pull and boost and boom and use up all of the standing room at the Assembly of God church.

Regular services: Sunday school 9:45 a. m., preaching services at 11:00 a. m., subject, "And it shall stand forever". Sunday night services 8:00 p. m., subject, "The efficacy of the blood of Christ". This will be illustrated by a chemical experiment.

Notice of Liquidation.

The Western National Bank of Hereford, located at Hereford, in the State of Texas, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment.

G. A. F. PARKER,
President.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. B. Johnson, Cora Johnson, Paul Johnson, Margaret Johnson, Margaret Johnson, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of each of the aforementioned individuals, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the unknown heirs of each of the aforementioned individuals by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive 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 Deaf Smith County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Hereford, Texas, on the first Monday in August A. D. 1931, the same being the 3rd day of August A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of June A. D. 1931, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 1900, wherein G. L. Woods, of Deaf Smith County, Texas, and William P. Lethermon, of De Baca County, New Mexico, are Plaintiffs, and J. B. Johnson, Cora Johnson, Paul Johnson, Margaret Johnson, Margaret Johnson, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the unknown heirs of each of the aforementioned, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That the plaintiff, William P. Lethermon was on June 1, 1931, and still is the fee simple owner, and was in possession and entitled to the possession of the following land situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, particularly described as a part of section No. 111 of block M-7, beginning at an iron pipe set in the south line of the public highway which said beginning point is 125.9 varas south 38 degrees 45 minutes west of an iron rod set 31 varas west of the southwest corner of section 61 of block K-3; thence south 26 degrees east, 98 varas to an iron pipe set at corner, thence south 75 degrees west, 81 varas to an iron pipe for corner; thence north 79 degrees 15 minutes, west 40.5

varas to an iron pipe for corner in the south line of the public highway; thence north 33 degrees 45 minutes east with the south line of the public highway 124 varas to the point of beginning. That the plaintiff G. L. Woods was on June 1, 1931, and still is, the fee simple owner, and was lawfully seized and possessed of the following tract of land, excepting only that part thereof above alleged to belong to William P. Lethermon, situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, particularly described as a part of section No. 111 of block M-7, beginning at the northeast corner of said section 111, thence west with the north line past the southwest corner of section 61 of block K-3 to a point 51 varas west of the said southwest corner of section 61, to a point in the south line of the public highway; thence south 38 degrees 45 minutes west with the south line of the public highway to a point in the center of Tierra Blanca Creek; thence south 48 degrees 30 minutes east with the meanderings of said creek about 160 varas; thence south 68 degrees 30 minutes east with the meanderings of said creek 273 varas to a point in the east line of said section at the center of said creek about 360 varas south of the northeast corner; thence north with the east line to the point of beginning. SECOND TRACT: a part of section No. 111 of block M-7, beginning at the center of Tierra Blanca Creek at a point 370 varas south of a rock set in the southwest corner of section 61 of block K-3; thence up the said creek with its meanderings south 50 degrees 30 minutes west 140 varas; thence south 43 degrees west 95 varas; then south 73 degrees west 25 varas; thence south 79 degrees 45 minutes east 250 varas; thence north 100 varas to center of creek and point of beginning.

That thereafter on June 2nd came the defendants and made entry and asserted claim and title to all the aforesaid lands unlawfully to plaintiffs' damage. That the plaintiffs deraign their title from J. M. Boone by transfers of vendor's lien from him and foreclosure and sale thereunder to A. W. Canli and by meeme conveyances from A. W. Canli to E. A. and T. C. Roberts, from E. A. to T. C. Roberts, from T. C. Roberts to J. R. Mosley, from J. R. Mos-

ley to J. P. McMahon, from J. P. McMahon to G. L. Woods; that William P. Lethermon deraigns his title in privity with G. L. Woods and from him by meeme conveyances from G. L. Woods to J. H. Witten, from J. H. Witten to W. A. Harmon, from W. A. Harmon to William P. Lethermon. That the defendants assert some sort of title because they claim the foreclosure sale was irregular and invalid. That plaintiffs have held possession of said premises long enough to perfect title under the three, the five and the ten year statutes of limitation, and that all rights of defendants are otherwise barred by limitation and laches, and constitute only a cloud to plaintiff's true and lawful title.

Wherefore plaintiffs pray for issuance of citation, for judgment for the title and possession of said premises respectively, that their titles be quieted and clouds removed, and other equitable and legal relief. That this suit is brought as well to try title as for damages.

Herein fall not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, 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 Hereford, Texas, this the 30th day of June A. D. 1931.

(Seal) L. H. FOSTER,
Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County.)

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Owing to cheaper flour, we are giving our customers the advantage of it by reducing the price of bread. Our large Pullman loaf will now sell for 10 cents, and twin loaf will sell one cent cheaper than it has been. Our bread will be the same good quality and full size and weight.

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Dawn Items

BY MISS LOVIE MAYFIELD

Dawn, July 10.—Doyce Griffith of Nocona came in last Sunday and will stay with his uncle and family, W. J. Stewart, through harvest.

Mrs. I. A. Bynum and Mr. and Mrs. Marks were visitors at Amherst last Sunday.

H. H. Miller and family visited the W. J. Stewart home Sunday. Mrs. W. J. Stewart, accompanied Mrs. H. E. Miller to Umberger last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Will Snapp, Miss Mignon Greer were in Hereford one day last week.

Misses Gladys and Mignon Greer ate dinner in the P. H. Barnes home last Sunday.

Mrs. Bob McConnell called at the L. A. Smith home one day last week.

W. J. Stewart brought his combine home last week from where he had been cutting wheat on the El Toro farm.

Lovie and Lorena Mayfield visited the P. H. Barnes home last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. W. J. Stewart, Raymond and Mr. Boydwell called in the W. F. Mayfield home last Sunday.

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J. O. Miller of Hereford called at the Mayfield home Sunday.

Mrs. P. H. Barnes and family visited the Mayfield home last Sunday.

Mr. Flimmings called at the P. H. Barnes home last Sunday.

Mrs. Glenn Greer and daughters were in Hereford last Thursday afternoon.

W. F. Mayfield, Reuben, Lovie and Lorena attended church at Cleo last Sunday.

Due to rains last week several farmers stopped their combines, and took time to work in their row crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greer were in Hereford last Tuesday.

Miss Lois Harris spent Saturday night in the P. H. Barnes home.

Miss Nell Hall called at the W. F. Mayfield home Tuesday.

Misses Maxine and Modine Barnes spent last Sunday night in the W. L. Harris home.

Oda D. Williams of Tascosa visited in the Harris home Sunday.

Adolph Frye and family spent Sunday afternoon in the W. L. Harris home.

Doyle Christian of Hereford visited in this community Sunday.

Rufus Mayfield spent Sunday in the Stewart home.

Miss Modine Barnes narrowly escaped having pneumonia last week, but is now recovering.

After being forced to drive his car into a muddy ditch, Glenn Greer was robbed of \$28 by four unmasked men about ten o'clock last Saturday night on the highway between Dawn and Hereford.

W. W. Wimberley has a new granary nearing completion.

Walter London had several dollars worth of parts taken from his combine one night last week.

W. F. Mayfield and children were in Amarillo on business one day last week.

Due to bad roads and busy times there was no Sunday school here last Sunday, nor was there singing that night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Barnes were in Hereford on business one day last week.

Doyce Griffith called in the Mayfield home last Monday.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Fred G. Brunk, as once before you have been commanded to summon him by personal service of citation and now to summon him by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive 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 Deaf Smith County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Hereford, Texas, on the First Monday in August, A. D. 1931, the same being the 3rd day of August A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 16th day of September A. D. 1930, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1850, wherein Chris Olson is Plaintiff, and Fred G. Brunk is Defendant, and said petition alleging in substance, the following:

On or about August 20, 1929, plaintiff was owner of the following described personal property, to-wit:

One light plant, 2 cages, 1 black bear, 2 Hons, 1 brown bear, 1 cage, 1 stomach, 1 cage, 2 panthers, 1 cage, 1 leopard, 1 cheetah, 1 Sumatra tiger, 1 cage, 1 steel arena (20 ft.) in ten sections; six sections reserve star-back seats, 9 sections blue seats, 5 ponies (Arizona platos), sixty (60) feet round top tent, one thirty (30) foot middle piece, 3 center poles, all quarter poles and side poles, three hundred twenty (320) feet side wall, one (1) marquee.

On or about said date, plaintiff sold said personal property to defendant, and as part payment, defendant executed and delivered to plaintiff two notes, one for \$500.00 due on or before November 18, 1929, and one for \$1000.00, due on or before August 20, 1930, both notes dated August 20, 1929, said notes executed by defendant, and payable to the order of the plaintiff, both bearing interest from date at the rate of six per cent per annum, to maturity, and twelve per cent thereafter, said interest payable semi-annually, and each note providing that failure to pay it at maturity, the maker thereof, would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the collection thereof.

On or about November 18, 1929, defendant, in renewal of said \$500.00 note, executed and delivered to plaintiff, a note payable to his order, ninety days after November 18, 1929, for the sum of \$500.00, bearing interest from date to maturity at the rate of six per cent per annum, and ten per cent thereafter, and providing that if it is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, an additional amount of ten per cent on the principal and interest would be added thereto as attorney's fees.

On or about June 2, 1930, defendant had not paid said note for \$1000.00, or the said renewal note for \$500.00, or any part of said notes, or any interest thereon, and defendant, for a valuable consideration, resold to the plaintiff the above described personal property, except one of the said monkeys and one of the said panthers, and on or about said date, plaintiff and defendant entered into a written contract, dated June 2, 1930, by which plaintiff rented and leased to defendant all of said personal property so resold to plaintiff, as well as one 1924 model Reo truck, and five saddles, for a term beginning with June 2, 1930, and ending with November 15, 1930, and as a consideration therefor defendant agreed to pay plaintiff \$2000.00 in the following manner: ten per cent of the gross daily receipts derived from conducting a traveling show or circus with said personal property, and in case the said ten per cent of said gross daily receipts was insufficient to pay the entire \$2000.00 by November 15, 1930, then defendant would pay plaintiff any unpaid balance thereof on said date.

That although both parties intended that the said truck and saddles were to be included in said written contract with the other property, through mutual mistake in preparing said contract they were omitted therefrom and not described therein, but that the same were, together with said other property, delivered to defendant at the time said written contract was entered into.

The said written contract provided that if defendant should fully comply with all the terms and conditions thereof, and pay to plaintiff the said sum of \$2000.00, as and in the manner provided therefor, on or before November 15, 1930, that plaintiff would convey to defendant the title to said personal property so leased, and cancel and surrender said two notes, dated August 20, 1929, for the respective sums of \$500.00 and \$1000.00.

At the time said written contract was made the said note for \$500.00, dated August 20, 1929,

had been renewed, by said note for \$500.00, dated November 18, 1929, and it was intended by the parties at the time the written contract was entered into to refer to and describe said note for \$500.00, dated November 18, 1929, instead of said note dated August 20, 1929, and the reference to said note for \$500.00 as being dated August 20, 1929 was a mutual mistake on the part of plaintiff and defendant.

The said written contract provides that time is of the essence thereof, and should defendant fail to pay any of the said rentals at the times and in the manner provided for therein, or refuse to fulfill any other agreements contained therein, to be performed and fulfilled by defendant, plaintiff could, at his option, declare said contract terminated without notice to defendant, and take possession of the personal property, and retain the said note for \$1000.00 and the said note for \$500.00 dated November 18, 1929, but through mistake described in said contract as being dated August 20, 1929, as liquidated damages, and in satisfaction of such damages as plaintiff would suffer by reason of such breach of the contract on part of defendant.

If plaintiff be mistaken in his allegations that the notes were to be retained by him as liquidated damages, then that when said written contract was entered into it was agreed and understood between the parties that if defendant breached said contract said notes should be retained by plaintiff as a penalty therefor.

That after said property was so delivered to defendant, defendant converted to his own use said saddles, which were of the value of \$175.00, and said truck, which was of the value of \$200.00, and has not accounted or paid to plaintiff therefor, said damages.

That defendant has breached his part of said contract in that: the contract provided that it should be defendant's duty to use said personal property in carrying on a traveling show or circus and pay to plaintiff ten per cent

of said gross daily receipts derived therefrom, and on August 12, 13, 14, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 28 and 29, 1930, defendant gave traveling show and circus performances and on each of said dates received daily gross receipts therefor, and defendant kept account of such receipts, plaintiff had no opportunity to do so, and does not know the amounts of said receipts but said amounts are unknown to plaintiff, but that said gross receipts average not less than \$100.00 daily, and defendant has refused to pay plaintiff any portion of said gross receipts and by reason thereof plaintiff elected and declared said lease contract terminated.

That the said personal property except the saddles and trucks so converted by defendant, are in Deaf Smith County, Texas, in possession of defendant, and is of the value of \$1500.00.

On September 16, 1930, plaintiff employed attorneys to institute this suit and placed said note for

\$1000.00 and said note for \$500.00 dated November 18, 1929, in said attorneys' hands for collection and agreed to pay them ten per cent of the principal and interest on each of the notes, which plaintiff charges was necessary and reasonable attorneys' fees for the services of said attorneys.

Plaintiff prays for judgment for the principal and interest due on said notes, for said attorneys' fees, for \$375.00, the value of said saddles and truck converted, the title to and possession of said personal property and costs of suit.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, 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 the City of Hereford, Texas, on this the 25th day of June, 1931.

(Seal) L. H. FOSTER, Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County.

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Locals

B. L. Keith and family of Borger were visiting relatives and friends in Hereford and Summerfield Sunday.

Why impose on others when you have a flat tire? Get a jack of your own. At RICE'S. 1c

Miss Nell Hall, county health nurse, will leave Saturday for a two weeks visit with relatives and homefolks in South Texas, near Houston and Beville.

Bring the family. Your wheat is worth 50c a bushel in trade at Stockman's Cafe. 1c

O. L. Whitehead, his son, Russell, and daughters, Madeline and Mary Virginia, were visitors with relatives in Clovis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Martin, parents of E. A. Martin of the Brand, were down from Amarillo visiting their son and wife over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Alexander spent the past week end in Memphis visiting his father.

Mrs. G. A. F. Parker was in Amarillo Thursday visiting friends.

Mrs. R. L. Davidson and children of Clovis have been visiting her parents; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Anthony, and other relatives and friends here for the past week. They were joined Sunday by Mr. Davidson and an older son who had been vacationing in the New Mexico mountains.

W. C. Nix, Brand Linotype operator, accompanied by the family, was a visitor and business caller in Dimmitt Saturday, to assist the News there in straightening out some machine troubles.

Mrs. J. M. McEntire and son, Ray, of Dimmitt, were visiting relatives and friends while attending to business matters in Hereford Saturday.

Wheat Farmers, remember to use copper carbonate of Ceresan to prevent smut. Corner Drug Store has it. 1c

H. J. Line was in Panhandle on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMinn and daughter, Edna, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ward. Mr. McMinn is also harvesting his wheat here.

Mrs. John H. Olson, sr., is here from Two Harbors, Minnesota, visiting her son, John, jr., and family. Her visit has aroused reminiscent thought of boyhood days for John and he is telling folks of the beauties of Lake Superior at this time of year.

Why spoil a vacation trip by starting with weak tires? Buy Brunswicks at RICE'S. 1c

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson will leave Friday of this week instead of Monday as reported in last week's Brand. They will be two weeks in Denver and adjacent towns, Dr. Robinson attending post-graduate work in electrical therapeutic work while they are gone.

G. W. Slagle of Joel Smith community was an interesting visitor in the Brand office Thursday of last week.

Jack Cartwright of Dimmitt spent the week end in Hereford with his sister, Mrs. John Robinson.

If your time is worth anything you will appreciate RICE'S Instant Tire Service. 1c

Rev. J. A. Thomas, pastor of the Assembly of God, has just returned from Tucumcari, New Mexico, where he has been engaged in a revival. He reports that the power of God was made manifest in each service.

Miss Viva Cox of Canyon spent Sunday in Hereford, the guest of Emma Jackson.

Misses Mary and Ella Broadwell left Tuesday for the Presbyterian encampment in Ceta Canyon.

Charles Newell and Gilbert Hooper left Tuesday for Ruidoso, New Mexico, for a several days' outing. J. O. Newell and daughter, Virginia, who have been there several weeks are expected to return home with them.

We are prepared for the next muddy spell. Our stock of chains is complete. At RICE'S. 1c

Get a bushel of wheat some way and trade it for a meal at Stockman's Cafe. 1c

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Cady and children of Canyon spent one day last week in the J. F. Ward home.

Mrs. S. E. Fisher and children and Miss Eva Owensby of Wichita Falls are visiting their mother, Mrs. A. K. Gillis, this week.

Mrs. Katherine Purcell of White & Kirk, Amarillo, is spending her vacation visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Hicks.

Mrs. Helen Lambert Joes of Altoona, Pennsylvania, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Carl Mounts, and other home folks and old acquaintances.

Miss Opal McMahon was in Dimmitt Thursday.

Mrs. J. H. Straley of Brownwood is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Neu.

Mrs. Ray Barber and little daughter, Margaret, are visiting relatives in Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Roy Ashbrook and his mother, Mrs. Will Ashbrook, have been here the past week from their home in Spickard, Missouri, visiting old friends and looking after business interests.

Magazines at the Corner Drug Store. 1c

Ira L. Carpenter, business man of Panhandle, was trading in Hereford Thursday of last week, and visiting old friends who had moved here.

Carl Osborn and Leo Thomas of Clovis were trying their luck with the fish in the Tierra Blanca Thursday of last week.

NOTICE: That shipment of Brunswick Heavy Service truck tires for which we wired the factory, has arrived and we are again "ra'in" to go. Brunswicks at RICE'S. 1c

Mrs. J. A. Neill and little daughter, Nancy, moved to Clovis Thursday to join Mr. Neill, who was recently transferred from the Brand to the Clovis Evening News-Journal.

Ray Barber, who has been looking after business interests in New Mexico for the past several weeks, was back in Hereford for a short while Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Heath of Denver are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Witherspoon, Mrs. Heath and Mrs. Witherspoon being former college mates. She will be remembered in Hereford as Miss Eleanor Smith of Paducah, Kentucky, who visited here during the summer several years ago.

Postpones Fair

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inuous to defer the exposition 12 months.

Those taking part in the discussion, aside from Judge Slaton, President Hill of the fair association, and County Agent Dunkle, were Mrs. Marion Howard, Messrs. S. P. Rosson, A. H. Streu, George Muse, G. W. Brumley, Harry Fritz, J. L. Sharman, R. E. Kessie, E. B. Black, N. E. Gass, H. A. Hoffman, Harry Seed, C. H. Dyar, A. O. Thompson, Claude Ricketts, T. E. Majors, R. J. Richardson, Marvin Alston, E. F. Skinner and F. A. Gyles.

Before the close of the meeting a general expression of confidence in the ability of Deaf Smith county to meet any emergency and to overcome any unfavorable condition, was voiced. The chamber of commerce, it is stated, felt that its efforts in behalf of the people in connection with the fair and other items of its program are appreciated and understood by the people.

That there is but one welfare and one interest to be considered, not only with reference to the fair, but also as touching every other movement and enterprise, was the unanimously endorsed sentiment. It was developed in the meeting that there are no differences between people of Deaf Smith county, but that whether they live on the farm or in town they are standing together for the general good of all, and will so continue.

With changed conditions, restored profit gaining, shared by those on the farms and those engaged in mercantile pursuits, the opinion was expressed that in 1932 a really wonderful fair will be staged for the benefit of Deaf Smith county and adjoining areas.

Petition Refused

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commissioners expressed the hope individually that the county demonstration work be re-established at the earliest possible time.

Representatives of five of the ten women's clubs of the county were present Monday morning before the commissioners court, and made desperate pleas to save county funds in some other way but the deliberations of the court convinced them it was best to carry out the original plan of discontinuance.

Name Teachers

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for one-half of the salary paid her.

The complete list of teachers is as follows: High school: G. M. Hudson, Irene Crawford, B. H. Hopkins, Sayda Rigler, Tom McCollum, Mable Gene Campbell, James Wilson, Bess Westbrook, Fern Carlisle, Rozella Veazey, Neville Wrenn and Thalia Parker.

Departmental grades: Frances Fullingim, Jeanette Rogers, Dorothy Flanery, Gwendolyn Spradley, and Mrs. Alma McGowen.

Central school: Edith Shields, Lucille Brand, Ruth Doster, Madeline Bell, Mary Bradley, Ella Alkman, Tallie Bell, Edna Daughtee, Eunice Rutherford, Carol Corbett, Eloyse Pitman.

Special: Lucille Hicks, public school music; Ralph Smith, band and orchestra; Carey Estes, Bible; C. H. Dillehay, Superintendent.

E. D. CURTSINGER HURT IN DRILLING ACCIDENT

E. D. Curtisinger was rather badly injured Thursday of last week when an article fell from a water well rigging and struck him on the head. He says it didn't amount to a great deal, as it just cut through to his skull, but it was entirely too serious to contemplate as a pastime. He is recovering as well as could be expected.

Al Miller Family Visits Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Miller and daughter who now reside at Stinnett, spent Sunday here with his brother, Sheriff John B. Miller, and family and other relatives and friends. Mr. Miller is tax assessor of Hutchinson county. He was formerly connected with the county official family of Deaf Smith county and has many friends here who are always glad when he visits Hereford.

J. C. PARKER SELLS PORTALES THEATRE

J. C. Parker, former owner of the Star theatre here, last week sold the Palace theatre at Portales, New Mexico, to Burt Johnson of that city. Mr. Parker has been around Hereford rather closely for the past several weeks looking after his wheat harvest interests. He is also owner of the show at Tulla, which is managed by his brother.

B. A. Grimes of the Avery Plow company was transacting business in Hereford with the local dealer for that line, J. O. Miller, this week.

Traffic Average 5,000 Daily On 25-Mile Avenue

Recognizing the desirability and importance of state designation of the highways traversing Deaf county, the chamber of commerce has been engaged since February in a campaign to have the state highway department designate and take over 25-Mile avenue through Hereford to Vega.

From Hereford south this line would extend to Dimmitt, Hart, Plainview, Crosbyton and thence through Abilene to Brady, connecting with paved highways to the Rio Grande river and the Republic of Mexico. Hale county already has approximately \$300,000 ready to apply on its part of this highway when state designation shall have been secured. Deaf Smith, Castro, Hale, Crosby, Kent, Fisher, Taylor, Coleman and McCulloch counties are all deeply interested in this enterprise.

As a part of the brief to be offered by several counties in this interest, a traffic census was made of the proposed highway in each county named in the foregoing on July 6, 7 and 8. The census on 25-Mile avenue into and out of Hereford for the three days showed the following:

Total cars north and south ... 7,763
Total trucks north and south 7,619
Total ... 15,382

This census was taken by six men, divided into shifts. Those taking the census were Russell Daniel, Roy Manning, J. J. Bodkin, Ben N. Hubbard, Carl Brookshire and Horace Hawkins.

It is reported that other counties taking this census show results comparable to the count revealed by the local traffic census. This road improvement item is considered important to every interest in Deaf Smith county and will be continued by the chamber of commerce, looking to a presentation of these and other vital facts at a meeting of the Texas highway commission in Austin in the latter part of this month.

Chicken dinner, Sunday, for 1 bushel of wheat. Stockman's Cafe. 1c

Mrs. C. R. Bentley returned Sunday from a ten-day vacation trip spent visiting home folks in McLean and Shamrock.

That Good Steffens Ice Cream is found at Corner Drug Store. 1c

ROUND TABLE TALKS AT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Last Monday's luncheon of the chamber of commerce at the Club cafe was featured by round table talks by members and merchants of Hereford, the general theme being the popular subject of trading at home.

New speakers to appear before the body were E. F. Skinner, who recently assumed charge of the cafe; W. R. O'Daniel and H. Painter, of the City Bakery, and C. McMilye, of the Hereford Bak-

ery, the latter two thanking local people for the cooperation accorded them in establishing new acquaintanceships in Hereford and promising a continuance of quality bakery products.

Miss Nell Hall, county health nurse, talked a few moments on the importance and convenience of the health department work in immunization for smallpox and diphtheria, the campaign being set for next month.

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Oscar Killian, who helped at the Stone Department Store while H. K. Whaley, manager, was buying fall and winter merchandise in Dallas last week, returned Friday to his home in Slaton.

Mrs. W. M. Megert, Mrs. Rayford Ricketts, Mrs. Travis Hill and Mrs. J. H. Weeden and children visited relatives and friends in Stratford from Wednesday to Friday of last week.

Mrs. F. B. Orenshaw of Brownwood is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. L. Lucas, this week.

Mrs. Carrie Glassley, secretary-manager of the Southwestern Ticket and Coupon company, of Dallas has been visiting her sister, Mrs. N. C. Vogel, during the past week.

W. A. Neal was a business visitor in Spearman Tuesday.

Mrs. Ezra Norton and her mother, Mrs. Mary Palmer, returned the first of the week from a trip to Wichita Falls.

Mrs. J. G. Weir leaves today for Detroit, Michigan, for a three weeks visit with her mother and brother.

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