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T. & P. LINE TO HEREFORD VIRTUALLY ASSURED, SAYS SLATON

Eight Active Workers Now Enrolled in Brand's Big Campaign; Interest Keen

Today finds eight active workers in the Brand's recently launched drive for subscriptions, and several other ladies are thinking of entering and by next week at this time it is expected that at least ten in all will have entered. Those who have started out to win the fine new Chevrolet are as follows: Miss Ruth Wolfe, Hereford; Miss Louise Johnson, Hereford; Miss Opal McMahon, Hereford; Miss Glenn Curry, Summerfield; Mrs. Marvin Mundell, Hereford; Mrs. B. G. Fulkerson, Hereford; Siver community; Miss Lavinia Mayfield, Down; Miss Mary Benner, Hereford; Mrs. George McMahon, Hereford, nominated; Miss Dorothy Arnold, Hereford, nominated.

Much interest is being manifested and the contestants are looking many promises of support, collections on subscriptions to be made during the campaign. All who are promising this support to either of the contestants are urged to pay the amount so promised in time for the contestants to report it paid on July 14, as on that date votes on subscriptions will begin to decrease.

Business men of Hereford are giving loyal support to the campaign. In this issue of the paper will be found a fine letter from the chamber of commerce supporting the plan. At the luncheon on Monday, Mr. Keese was given a place on the program to speak of the campaign and state the purposes for launching such a drive at this time, and his remarks were heartily received.

As stated in the announcement (Continued On Last Page)

Girls Team of Dawn Awarded Leading Place

The Dawn girls' demonstration team, composed of Alma Miller and Lois Anderson, was adjudged winner in the county tryout at the club room here Saturday in the court house, and the girls will compete on July 10 with the teams from Wheeler, Gray, Hemphill, Hall, Donley, Carson and Potter counties in Amarillo.

At this district meet two teams were chosen to give a demonstration, the well-equipped sewing box, at the A. & M. College short course the latter part of this month.

There were only three teams in the local competition, including Alma Miller and Lois Anderson, Dawn; Allene Caraway and Frances Hutson, Ward; Mary Turentine and Billie Louise Corn, of Westway. Ford and Sims did not get in.

The girls have been working on their demonstration, under direction of Miss Emma Gunter, since the close of school and big advancement has been shown.

Judges were Miss Lillie Hostetler and Miss Nell Hall who said they had a difficult task in deciding which was the best from the standpoint of superior showing at Amarillo Friday week.

Luncheon at Club Cafe.

The regular weekly luncheon of the chamber of commerce will be held at the Club cafe. A good meal is promised and things of interest will be taken up.

Department Head Here.

Frank R. Phillips, head of the college agricultural department at Canyon, spent a day last week here attending the Eastern Star school of instruction. He said the best music he ever heard in the Baptist church was that furnished during the luncheon by the Smith Music Makers.

Miss Marie Reed is in Plainview visiting Ruth Houston.

Lower Rate On Ice Announced

The Texas Utilities company announced a reduction in the price of ice, effective Wednesday, July 1. The complete schedule of new rates is carried in this issue of the Brand elsewhere over the utility company's signature, covering delivered prices for cash, delivered prices on coupon books and cash platform prices.

Mrs. Carroll Critical.

Mrs. Kate Carroll is reported in critical condition as result of injuries received last Friday when she fell at the home of her daughter and broke a lower limb.

No Short-Test Found On Cream Buying Locally

Fred Pool of the state department of agriculture, specialist in charge of testing cream and milk for butterfat, is visiting officially in Hereford and surrounding communities where dairy products are assembled, bought and sold.

The visitor is making his initial rounds under a recently enacted law of authorization. He is enthusiastic about Hereford, the Hereford country and the entire Panhandle and Plains area. Better than in some other sections of the state already visited, Mr. Pool states that he has found no evidence of efforts on the part of buyers to short-test the producers. On the other hand, he says that those engaged in buying cream, according to their equipment and information, are doing their utmost to handle the produce honestly and fairly in the interest of all concerned.

Deeply interested in civic as well as agricultural and commercial affairs, the official states that no part of the state is more sanitary and inviting than is North-west Texas. While he has no direct connection with the health department, he has made unofficial investigations in this city and section, and says conditions are highly satisfactory here. He declares that all the Panhandle and Plains country now face the greatest years of its history, with the agricultural development only cleverly begun.

Special Theme On Patriotism Sunday Morn

A patriotic address at the First Christian church for Sunday morning at 11 o'clock is announced by Rev. M. J. Johnson, pastor, who will preach on "America," an Independence Day theme. All veterans of wars are given a special invitation to be present, as well as the public in general.

In keeping with the occasion of celebrating the Fourth, the church will be decorated in flags and other suitable holiday colors.

At the evening hour, "Double Hearts" will be the subject, beginning at 8:30. Endeavor services are at seven Sunday evening and prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:30.

Band Concert Thursday Night.

A band concert at Lake park tonight, Thursday, is announced by Ralph Smith, director, provided the lighting system is installed by that time. The public is invited to come out and hear the music.

Rural Women File Touching Plea for Help

A strong plea for retention of the home demonstration work in Deaf Smith county was made Monday at the luncheon meeting of the chamber of commerce by 11 club women and service organizations leaders, and the business group responded unanimously that it stood squarely with the rural representatives in their request.

The ladies had asked to have charge of the program, and with Mrs. Bob Wilson in charge what the home work meant was delineated. She stated that the commissioners court had seen fit to discontinue support of the work here but she felt it should continue.

How the appropriation was secured one year ago was recalled by the speaker and she said the work within that short time had a good foundation, programs were well planned and the communities were thoroughly organized.

"We cannot have women, men, girls and boys able to do big things unless they have vision," said Mrs. Wilson. "Great things cost money. To give up now would mean the stopping of progress and going backward 25 years."

"Farmers are making social and cultural as well as economic adjustments, and the women are doing the same, in which readjustments they are asking for help. We cannot overestimate the value of home demonstration work in raising our standards and assisting in making better homes."

Mrs. S. A. Miller talks. Mrs. S. A. Miller, president of the county home demonstration council, said the government had set aside funds for bettering rural homes and that service came thru the home agent. She stated that present-day women could not run their homes as well as their grandmothers did.

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Stores Not to Close On 4th, Is Indication

Indications are that there will be no general closing of mercantile houses in Hereford for July 4, since Independence Day falls on Saturday and closing might bring much inconvenience to the public. No announcement had been made Wednesday afternoon as to any agreement among business men to observe a holiday here and whatever closing there is will probably be done independently.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Tynes and children, Rex and Nina, spent Sunday in Plainview visiting Mrs. Tynes' sister.

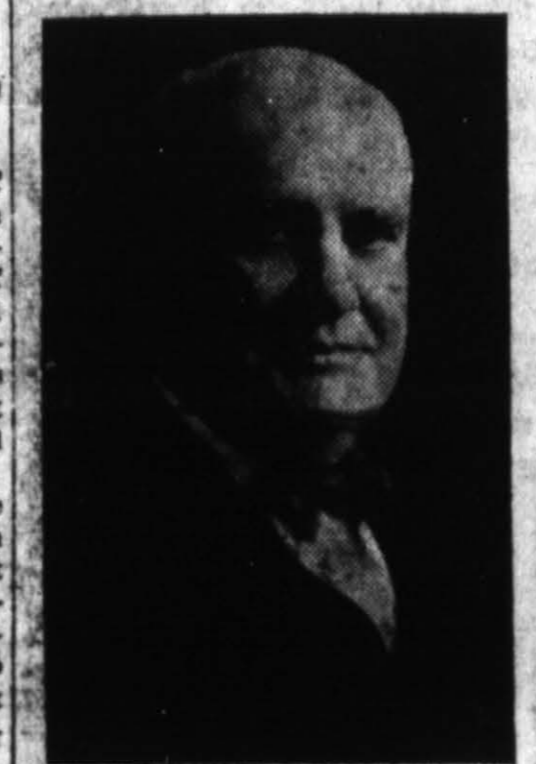
Out-of-State Haulers of Grain Who Are Swapping Work Need No Texas Tags; Traffic Man Here to Iron Out Troubles

Contrary to rumors circulated, there have been no fines assessed in Hereford against truck haulers of wheat, according to the county attorney's office, while several drivers have been called upon to purchase additional license to cover heavier loads, approached by John Keller, state license and weight inspector, and his patrolmen who have been checking up on streets near some of the elevators.

"The highway department's policy is to be fair and square with everybody and pull through the trying problems at hand without injuring anybody," said J. W. Longley, lieutenant in the state license and weight patrol, in a meeting Wednesday morning in the office of Judge John P. Slaton, attended by elevator men, county agent, county attorney and Carl Gilliland, lawyer.

Mr. Longley was sent here by

PRESIDENT T. & P. ASSERTS FIGHT IS ON FOR ENTIRE LINE



J. L. LANCASTER

Recommendation that the counties accept the report of Examiner Weed for only a part of the T. & P. Northern railroad has been advised by Attorney Donnelly, representing the West Texas counties in their fight at Washington, according to Jno. P. Slaton, who refuses to listen to him.

A wire was received by Judge Slaton Monday from J. L. Lancaster, head of the Texas & Pacific railroad, who said he and his railroad system were pushing the battle for the entire line asked for and he wanted continued support from the citizens here.

Late Briefs

Lightning Strikes House.

Lightning struck the home of Mrs. Ida Malone, 800 Lee avenue, Wednesday afternoon, set fire to the house and shocked and stung Mrs. Malone and Miss Jessie Malone, but did not seriously injure them.

The blaze was quickly suppressed by the fire department after some damage had been done to the roof. Water damage to contents was also reported.

The lightning struck the roof of the house near a fue, knocking some of the brick loose and running down into the interior. Miss Jessie suffered with her head and ears at result of shock, but was reported to have practically recovered Thursday morning.

Fine Rain Falls.

An inch rain fell here Wednesday afternoon and night. The fall was slow and no damage to crops is reported, with exception that the grade may be lowered slightly. The moisture is timely for row crops which were needing rain.

The one-inch measurement was recorded here by the First National bank, while to the north there were only a few inches. H. C. Bowers, one mile south of town, reported three inches, and it was apparently heavier to the south and east.

Masons Bury Pioneer Man, T. J. Bassett

Thomas J. Bassett, age 69, who died at Vega last Thursday morning, was buried here Saturday afternoon in West Park cemetery, where his father, J. A. Bassett, was laid to rest years ago, the first interment upon opening of the cemetery.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, conducted by Rev. V. M. Cloyd, pastor, after which the Masonic lodge of Vega took charge and administered the ceremonial rites of the order to a departed brother.

Mr. Bassett was one of the old-time cattlemen of this country, coming here in 1890. He owned land before the organization of the county and still owned land here at the time of his death. He was instrumental in organizing Deaf Smith county and was a commissioner from precinct four when the present court house was contracted for and built.

Deceased was always active in public affairs. He took a leading part in building the first school house at Ford and was a trustee of schools for several years. He was a charter member of the T. Anchor association, having been an employe of the T. Anchor ranch in the early days, and he attended the reunions of the old cowboys regularly.

Mr. Bassett was born June 6, 1862, at Mooresburg, Tennessee. He was married to Miss June Corbett on February 19, 1888. To them were born several children of whom six are now living. One son, L. J., died at the age of 20.

Mr. Bassett joined the Baptist church at Ford in 1902. Surviving are his widow, Hereford; two daughters, Mrs. John Whitsett, Hereford; Mrs. Harry Weldon, La Junta, Colorado; four sons, Thomas C. and J. E., Hereford; Joseph, Ontario, Oregon, and C. E., La Junta, Colorado.

City Sets Out Hours Park May Not be Visited

Effective with publication today of a city ordinance, visitors are prohibited from entering Lake park between 10:30 o'clock at night and five o'clock in the morning, under penalty of from \$5 to \$50 fine.

The ordinance cited that visitations at these late hours were in such numbers that peace of people residing near was disturbed. This created an emergency, said the commissioners, and it was provided to put into effect the law at the earliest possible date.

First Round Won; Amarillo Now Pitted Against Growth of Lubbock and Must Fight

Hereford Ties With Plainview

Hereford golfers went into a tie with Plainview in the Wheat Belt golf league by defeating Clovis last Sunday, 10 to 2. The two leading towns have lost only one game each.

Other results Sunday were Plainview winning over Lockney, Happy over Vega and Canyon over Tulla. There is an open date next Sunday for the league.

Club Standing.	Score
Hereford	.835
Plainview	.835
Canyon	.687
Tulla	.687
Happy	.500
Clovis	.353
Lockney	.167
Vega	.000

Charlie Jowell Dies Suddenly At Hot Springs

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the First Christian church for Charlie W. Jowell, age 47, who died suddenly Sunday afternoon, from an attack of acute indigestion, at Hot Springs New Mexico, where he had gone with his family on a vacation and to take the hot baths.

Rev. M. J. Johnson, pastor, had charge of the rites, assisted by Rev. V. M. Cloyd, Baptist pastor. Interment was made in West Park cemetery.

Deceased was born June 13, 1884, in Palo Pinto county, Texas, later moving to Midland with his parents at the age of three. In 1900 they moved to Hereford. He had been employed in the post office here for the past 17 years, and at the time of his death was rural carrier for routes one and two. To pay their respects to a departed co-worker, the post office closed Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Jowell was in the military service of the nation for four years, making a trip around the world in the navy with Bob Evans. He was married to Miss Nora Arthur of this city on November 15, 1915, to whom four children were born.

Surviving are his widow, four children, Charles Arthur, Marylyn, Anita and Jerry; his mother, Mrs. J. T. Jowell; two brothers and a sister.

E. B. Black Undertakers brought the body back from Hot Springs Monday night.

Price Sags As Harvest Speeds to Completion

Harvesting of wheat in the trade territory is at high tide this week with distressing prices prevailing. The price was only 30 cents a bushel Wednesday afternoon.

Upon announcement of the federal farm board that only an orderly marketing of grain held would be the policy, wheat jumped up several cents but sagged immediately to new low levels.

Reports from the various points of the surrounding wheat belt state that harvest is well under way with good yields, but there is no enthusiasm because of marketing conditions.

In almost every instance where growers have not been pressed to meet obligations, there is a tendency to stay off the market. Thousands of bushels are being piled on the ground in hope of a rise.

Mrs. Frank Barrows and son, Donald, of Plainview, are in Hereford visiting Mrs. Barrow's mother, Mrs. J. M. Boone.

In spite of the recommendations made Wednesday of last week by an examiner to the Interstate commerce commission, giving an adverse turn to the T. & P. Northern's application to build a railroad from Big Spring through Hereford to Vega, the victory has been virtually won and there is a cinch for the entire road, according to Judge John P. Slaton, president of the chamber of commerce and chairman of the railroad committee.

"The first round we knocked 'em down and they are now prone on the ground," said Mr. Slaton, after going through the complete report of the examiner. "We've got 'em groggy, their morale is soggy, their knees are wobbly."

Examiner Admits Most Contentious. "The examining attorney for the commission at Washington has finished studying the record of testimony," continued Mr. Slaton, who took an active and leading part for the tier of counties effected in presentation of evidence at Lubbock and in examining witnesses, "and he recommends that the south half, less 40 miles, of the entire line be permitted to build at once.

"The examiner further states that the north half will soon be needed, but suggests that the Texas & Pacific Northern should wait until the business depression is past before this part is started. That is the substance of the recommendation of the examiner who reviewed the testimony and record for division four of the commission.

Commission May Rule Favorably. 'Division four may grant the

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Grain Rates Unlikely To Be Elevated

Hon. Ezra Brainerd, Jr., chairman of the Interstate commerce commission, replying to a telegram of protest by Judge John P. Slaton, president of the Hereford chamber of commerce, protesting against the application of the railroads for a general increase in rates, says:

"I have your telegram of today and note the objection of your association and citizens to any increase in the rates of grain under the carriers' recent application for a general increase in freight rates, our ex parte No. 303.

The commission's order June 19, 1931, copy enclosed, calls for a specific statement of the carriers' proposal respecting grain and several other commodities, before it proceeds to the hearing in this matter.

"Very truly yours,

"Ezra Brainerd, Jr., Chairman." Upon the receipt of this message from Mr. Brainerd, Judge Slaton gave out the statement that in keeping with the general and special policies of the chamber of commerce, he shall keep this matter closely in hand, and do everything possible to see that the rights of the producers are protected, if possible.

Not only has Judge Slaton entered this protest in the name of the chamber of commerce of Hereford, but in the name of the people of the Plains area of Texas. He says that any time the interests of the people as a whole are assailed, he shall use not only his personal influence but that of the chamber of commerce and all other facilities against the invading or contrary forces.

In the reply of the interstate commerce commission chairman's statement, Judge Slaton says he sees at least a considerable delay in decision of the proposition offered by the railroads for a raise in freight, and in the mean time the present charges will remain unchanged. While this is not good, it is better by comparison than an increase would be for the people, he said.

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Nineteen Years Ago In Hereford

(From the Files of The Brand July 5, 1912)

In the merchandising shoot at Amarillo, the \$100 trophy cup was awarded to Allan G. Bell of Hereford, with a total of 148 out of a possible 165. His brother, Grayson Bell, Pampa, won \$50 in cash for second place.

C. R. Smith, Jim Clark and Cecil Siler attended the Flynn-Johnson world championship boxing bout at Las Vegas.

Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton University, was nominated by the Democrats for the presidency on the 46th ballot at Baltimore.

A. L. Sherk was visiting in Granite, Oklahoma. Miss Sherk was enrolled at Washburn College.

The use of common drinking cup on trains and in depots had become unlawful and Agent Head for the Santa Fe here said he would see that the order was enforced on property in his charge.

Mrs. A. M. Jones had entertained with a six o'clock dinner, setting a long table laid in satin damask.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ferguson on July 5, a son.

E. H. Fullwood had moved back to Hereford from Amarillo.

Mrs. W. B. Robinson and Mrs. Ben Hubbert had returned from Gainesville, accompanied by Miss Mabel Stevens to spend the summer.

J. H. Brink of North Draw had been a visitor here.

Wheat harvest was on and the best recorded was at Umbarger where the yield was from 10 to 15 bushels an acre.

A Lutheran church had been organized with 50 members. Officers were Wm. Frye, Wm. Cassens and Henry Schuetz, directors; D. L. McDonald, treasurer; Peter Eckert, secretary; Rev. A. M. Lomann, pastor.

Roy Thompson, age 12, son of Jeff D. Thompson, ranchman of Hereford, had been to Kansas City and was lauded as a fine specimen of a junior cowboy by the Drovers Telegram.

Miss Nellie Lee Wyche spent the week here with Miss Beulah Head.

Mrs. Jimmie Harrison and Miss Winnie Cornett spent Thursday in the Harrison home.

Mrs. Caraway and Allene called on Mrs. Saltzman Friday.

Mrs. Bob Higgins called on Mrs. Suggs Saturday.

The Bayers attended the Plateau singing convention at Berger Sunday.

Bill Hutson and family spent Sunday in the Jack Hutson home. Miss Gertie Kelly spent Sunday night with Maye Harrison.

Mrs. Suggs called on Mrs. Caraway Monday.

Messrs. and Mmes. M. D. Fincher, Jesse Carter and baby and Mrs. Hattie Rutherford, all of Hereford visited the Wiley Roberson home Sunday.

Alma Cox of Hereford spent the week end in the Fred Saltzman home.

Mrs. Bob Higgins got the Summerfield club quilt.

Alma Cox spent Thursday night with Allene Caraway.

Wiley Hicks Roberson spent Friday and Saturday in the home of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Roberson, in Hereford.

Frank A. Gyles, jr., spent the past week in the country with Donald and Francis Gaetz.

Mrs. H. P. Sindt, who suffered a near heat stroke last week, has recovered with no ill effects. During one of the hot days Mrs. Sindt was working in her garden at one o'clock when she was struck by a severe headache, probably induced by the intensive heat. She soon recovered after a rest.

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Bargains for Friday and Saturday

Blackberries, new crop	Gallon	49c
	No. 2 Can	12c
LEMONS, Sunkist, 360 size		32c
PINEAPPLE	Libby No. 2 1/2 sliced or crushed	26c
COOKIES, assorted, pound		31c
KRAUT	No. 2 can	8c
	No. 2 1/2 can	12c
CORN FLAKES, two for		25c
COFFEE, Four pounds		99c

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Messrs. and Mmes. John and Ernest Comber and families of Clovis spent Friday and Saturday with friends here.

Mmes. John Higgins, W. P. Caraway and Allene called on Mrs. Stivers Thursday.

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communities need, and, as Mrs. Bob Wilson remarked, they saw no crime in asking for what they wanted and what they thought was necessary for their well-being. As they see it, home demonstration work, under trained leadership, is vital for their happiness and the happiness of their children, and they are "carrying the message to Garcia".

It is a good old American or Chinese custom to pan the leaders and hurrah for the underdogs in most any kind of contest, especially if it begins to show a one-sidedness. In the benefit baseball games the commercialists have had rather easy sailing and in order to make the contest more even some good-natured raillery has been indulged in at the expense of the chamber of commerce.

No one has found anything wrong with the chamber of commerce's sportsmanship or ability to get men across home plate. The two defeated clubs have been yelping because the fat fellows of the winning organization wouldn't get in the fray, but put up "lean and hungry" boys who had nimble legs and keener eyes. Those are the kind of men Casear feared, they thought and did too much, and he preferred the fat ones who were given to contentment.

It matters not what club it might be that had a similar advantage, they would be open to the same kind of attack and the sole object of such an attack is to keep interest up, to level the struggle in the eyes of the fans, to keep them coming. If these public exhibitions are to be worthwhile, there must be a gate receipt. To do that, the appetite of the fans must be whetted. Eat 'em out if you can't lick 'em. Spectators must have their interest keenly aroused to enjoy a contest. Americans must take sides. An apathetic spectator doesn't enjoy a game, and few in that indifferent state of mind would go to a ball battle.

When the harvest is over these schedules are planned to resume, for Lake Park has need of a lot of improvements. The children are looking to us to furnish them a playground. Everybody can help a little and be treated to some fine sport while doing it. The clubs will supply sweat in staging the affair and the fans may boost their favorites over by attending and add a little to the park fund at the gate.

If the chamber of commerce diamond performers have been panned, that is the penalty of being leaders. It is costly to go to the top, and part of the price paid is bearing up under attacks of those beneath. A leader has to possess the stuff to get there and be able to withstand the gaff after he arrives.

Ward News Notes
BY MRS. WILEY ROBERSON

Ward, June 25.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Edwards and children and John Edwards were Sunday dinner guests in the Wiley Roberson home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Suggs entertained a large number of their friends with a fishing party on Tierra Blanca Friday, all returning to the Bob Higgins home that night where they enjoyed ice cream.

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Leading club women from the different parts of Deaf Smith county came to the Monday luncheon and extended their hands with "Come over into Macedonia and help us", and the chamber of commerce membership present became Paulists and answered unanimously, "We are coming".

The occasion was a concerted effort to persuade the commissioners court to yield and not make permanent a recent action to withdraw support of county funds from the home demonstration work. It was an inspiration to hear these intelligent rural women, upon whom hangs rural citizenship advancement and achievement, make their impassioned pleas to the chamber of commerce for assistance in re-establishment of the extension service, that they might have fuller lives, that they might taste of the better things in these hours of distress, that their homes might be made more comfortable and attractive for their children, lest underprivileges warp their character development, wither their bloom of hope, and shut out the stars, the "forget-me-nots of the angels", that beckon to every American citizen to come higher.

There was no embitterness against anyone from these ladies but they know what their

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Home Demonstration News

MISS GUNTER VISITS, O.K.D.A.

Miss Gunter has visited, with two exceptions, all the gardens of the 4-H pantry demonstrations this month. She found that Mrs. Lester Galley has the most outstanding garden of the eight inspected to date. Mrs. Galley has 35 varieties growing and has gathered eight and canned three of them. She has a pressure cooker and new sealer. She represents the Dawn club.

Mrs. W. M. Schwartz of the Ford club has 25 varieties. Her garden was set back on account of hail but will be in full maturity soon.

Mrs. H. E. Smith of the Wyche club has the largest amount of ground planted, but it is rather young. She has an advantage over some of the demonstrators in that she has some fruit she may can. She has also made a big success with Bermuda onions.

Mrs. C. E. Tice of the Frio club has a late garden, set back by hail. She is canning and plans to fill the canning budget as completely as possible.

Mrs. S. A. Miller of the Dean club has a small garden with a good variety of vegetables. She has a pressure cooker and will begin using it soon.

Mrs. J. A. Noland had her first garden in good production but has not planted her second. She was the champion canner last year in the county.

Miss Odie Matthews of the North Hereford club has an early garden and is canning her vegetables.

Mrs. G. C. Hartman, Westway club, has a promising garden. She is fortunate in having an orchard and will be able to fill her fruit budget while some of the demonstrators will have to can extra tomatoes. Miss Gunter had not visited up to Tuesday the garden of Mrs. F. R. Stivers.

Black

MRS. J. J. CRAWFORD

Wheat harvest is in full blast now. Most of the combines are busy all day and part of the night as the wheat acreage is large. The average yield is around 15 bushels per acre.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Powers

of Baileyboro visited in the Roy Price home Wednesday night. Mr. Powers is a cousin of Mrs. Price.

The Baptist church had its foramy opening Sunday, with a service in the morning, basket dinner on the ground and a musical program in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Price took dinner in the Tom Pressley home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Crawford and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Whitefield of Lakeview.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver of Wellington visited Mr. and Mrs. George Wiley this week end.

Rank and File Required For Complete Fair

"Our special committees and helpers are showing the proper spirit in support of the coming Deaf Smith county fair, September 17 and 18, says President J. E. Hill, 'but we must depend more than in the past on the individual citizens, for they are in direct contact with the actual products of the entire county."

"It is a mistake to assume that a few of the most active men working for the fair can put it over as a great success. I know that we can have the greatest fair ever shown in Deaf Smith county only when the individual producers in each and every community will get busy and preserve their sheaves and other samples for expository purposes."

"Truly we must have these special workers, but they cannot take the places or do the work of the rank and file of those who are interested in improving farms and farm home conditions through cooperative enterprises such as a county-wide fair. It has been generally agreed that a good fair stimulates improved crops, livestock, gardens and orchards as well as home conditions more than any other undertaking."

"We are working for the homes, farms, orchards, gardens—the people—all of them at last through the fair. It is with the thought of rendering service to the entire county that I personally and my associates have agreed to undertake this stupendous task. We know that Hereford and the Hereford county will be about as good as the wide-awake men and woman will make them."

"Please say to the good people of this county and nearby communities that we are depending on them and expecting them to save their samples of all crops produced in this territory to exhibit at the fair. We really must have a great showing this year, regardless of the price of wheat. Let us pull together and not separately."

We need our friends more, if possible, when times are less favorable than when everything is at high tide. Let us join hands from the center to the remotest point in the Hereford country to make this a great fair and we will put it over."

Misses Tallie and Madeline Bell who have been visiting their sister in Palacios, Texas, returned home Sunday.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Deaf Smith County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon J. W. Wright, Mrs. J. W. Wright and E. R. Casteel, their unknown heirs and their legal representatives, and the unknown legal representatives of the said J. W. Wright, Mrs. J. W. Wright and E. R. Casteel, and the unknown heirs and their heirs and legal representatives of the unknown heirs of J. W. Wright, Mrs. J. W. Wright and E. R. Casteel, 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 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 23rd day of June, A. D. 1931, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1897, wherein George W. Ware, Laura Adele Ware, a widow, Fannie M. Ware Funk, joined pro forma by her husband, Arthur N. Funk, Emily Jane Ware Rux, joined pro forma by her husband, George Rux, Jennie Mary Ware Dunn, joined pro forma by her husband, Bert F. Dunn, and Lucy Bell Ware Wilson, joined pro forma by her husband, Clyde E. Wilson, are Plaintiffs, and J. W. Wright, Mrs. J. W. Wright and E. R. Casteel, their unknown heirs and their legal representatives, and the unknown legal representatives of the said J. W. Wright, Mrs. J. W. Wright and E. R. Casteel, and the unknown heirs and their heirs and legal representatives of the unknown heirs of J. W. Wright, Mrs. J. W. Wright and E. R. Casteel, are Defendants, and a brief statement of Plaintiffs' cause of action being as follows: Plaintiffs allege that they are

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,
20-9c President.

the owners in fee simple and are lawfully entitled to the possession; of the following described land in Deaf Smith County, Texas: Being all of Sections Nos. 35 and 55, Block K-6, G. B. & C. N. G. Ry. Co. Survey, and that heretofore, on the 1st day of June, 1931, the defendants and each of them unlawfully disposed the plaintiffs of said land; that defendants and each of them are claiming some interest in said land, said interest being apparent but not real, but constituting a cloud on plaintiffs' title; plaintiffs further claiming said lands as against said defendants and each of them by reason of deeds under color of title and adverse and peaceable possession, use, enjoyment and occupancy under the three, five, ten and twenty-five years statutes of limitation; plaintiffs, further alleging that The American-Canadian Land Company was a co-partnership composed of E. Van Metre, Sam S. Wright and J. W. Wright and that title to said land was at one time taken

by Sam S. Wright pursuant to the terms and provision of a contract of purchase by The American-Canadian Land Company, and that the said Sam S. Wright held title for the benefit of said co-partnership and with full right, power and authority to sell and convey the same, and that said subsequent conveyance by Sam S. Wright was in all things binding and valid upon the said other members of said co-partnership; and plaintiffs pray 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 full 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. H. FOSTER, Clerk,
District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas. 24-4c

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JULY 2 - JULY 3 - JULY 4
DOLLAR DAYS
A MIGHTY JULY 4 BARGAIN FESTIVAL

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This is how you save on smart new summer frocks: If a dress is marked \$4.99 you just deduct one dollar from that price and you have our dollar day price on this garment. If it is marked \$5.99 you just deduct a dollar from every three and you have a saving of \$3.00. If a dress is marked \$12.99 deduct a dollar from every three, and you will have a saving of four dollars. Buy a new summer frock for the July 4th celebration.

\$4.99 \$5.99 \$12.99

LET US SHOW YOU HOW YOUR DOLLAR WILL STRETCH

Men's Felt Dress Hats	\$1.00
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Thursday, Friday and Saturday we are going to stretch that good old United States Dollar so full of values that you can not possibly afford to miss this unusual event. We have planned this one big event to prove to you that this store is the logical store in which to buy every day and save—Prices hit a new bottom and you will admit that they are remarkable when you gaze upon this vast array of items that we have assembled for you to sell for one dollar. You can not afford to miss it. You will lose if you do.

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DOLLAR DAYS BARGAINS GALORE ALL OVER THE STORE!

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BACON, "Amarillo", heavy, lb	21c	VANILLA WAFERS, 1 lb carton	21c
GRAPE FRUIT, nice size, each	6c	MILK, Armour's, 6 oz cans, 6 for	25c
HONEY, pure Texas	10 lb bkt 98c 5 lb bkt 55c	Blackberries, new crop, gallon	49c
Pork and Beans, 3 cans for	21c	Kraut, Van Camp's No. 2 1-2, 2 for	23c
BANANAS, nice and ripe, dozen	19c	Pancake Flour, three 15c pkgs	25c

Hereford Wholesale Grocery Company
L. W. GARLEY
PHONE 164

Chamber of Commerce Voluntarily Indorses Newspaper's Aim to Be Regular Visitor In Every Home

(Editor's Note: Upon the announcement of the Brand that an extensive effort had been started to cover the trade territory completely, the Hereford chamber of commerce voluntarily gave its unqualified support of the idea. Upon suggestion of John P. Slaton, president, the subjoined statement was issued by Joe L. Pope, secretary-manager.)

By Chamber of Commerce, through Joe L. Pope, Secretary-Manager. Hereford and the Hereford county have no better friend than The Hereford Brand. It is the newspaper of this town and surrounding areas.

Published primarily in the interest of this town and the country surrounding this rural center, the Brand is fighting for the increasing success of every legitimate enterprise throughout the territory which it serves. It matters not what the undertaking is: farming, manufacture, merchandising, education, religion—all are movements in which the Brand has a most intimate interest.

Filled from week to week with news from every nook and corner of the Hereford country, seeking to be of use to citizens within as well as without its borders, the Brand is possessed of a definite merit and worth to every citizen. Both in its strictly news and editorial columns, and in its advertising spaces, the Brand carries to its readers, essential information. For, although known as advertising, what more interesting news is contained for the busy housewife, the buyer of essential commodities for the family than the columns where these articles are obtained, their variety, quality and prices made known?

Back of Hereford and her trade territory one hundred per cent, the Brand is the newspaper of this country. It is the duty of the people living within the country covered by the Brand to subscribe for and read this worth while newspaper. In fact, they cannot be informed as they should in any other way. Then, too, they owe this investment in reading matter to themselves and to the newspaper that is doing so much for the development of Hereford and the Hereford country.

It is not only correct, but highly desirable, if in accord with the wishes of the citizens, to purchase one or more of the large dailies printed in Texas or elsewhere, but it must be remembered that these publications have but small interest in the strictly local news field. The news of the territory served by the Brand is gathered

by, and printed in, the local newspaper, and not in the larger mediums.

If the people living in this territory are to be informed about their own country they must depend upon their own local newspaper. The Brand is now engaged in an extensive campaign for the purpose of adding new readers to its subscription list. With the ending of the work, every home in this county seat town and in all that country served by the county seat should have secured as a weekly visitor—the Hereford Brand.

The husband, wife, children, each member of the family will be better informed and happier by reason of this small investment.

SHORT COURSE MAPPED TO FIT NEEDS OF THE FARM

There never was a time when the farmer needed so desperately more knowledge on increasing profit, comfort, culture, influence and power of the family, according to the director of the extension service of A. & M. College.

For developing this theme the short course at the college July 27 to August 1 has been planned, pointing to wiser agriculture and better home life. Every minute of the course will be directed to these ends.

Meals and lodging will be furnished by the college for \$6.50 for each person during the five days. Railroads have reduced rates so that the round trip ticket will cost only two-thirds of the regular one-way fare.

MAY LEARN HOW TO PASS ON HOUSE AT 10c COST

A new publication on how to judge a house when buying or trading for a piece of property has just been issued by the national committee on wood utilization, a bureau of the department of commerce, Washington, designed to help develop new standards of convenience and comfort in living conditions on the farm.

The book gives prospective buyers pointers on how to appraise the good and bad features of a house already built so that the purchase may be made wisely and economically. The keynote is comfort without extravagance.

The new book is written in light, readable style and is easily understandable. It contains 84 pages and is illustrated. It may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., for only ten cents.

La Vana's at Mrs. Jennings'

The La Vana beauty shoppe is operating for the remainder of the week with Mrs. Carl Jennings at her home, 507 McKinley, specializing in steam oil permanents.

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 lions, 1 brown bear, 1 cage, 5 monkeys, 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 pintos), 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) J. H. FOSTER, Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County.

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International Sunday School

Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

July 5, 1931.

THE GIFT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Acts 1:6-8; 2:1-8

6. When they therefore were come together, they asked of him, saying, Lord, wilt thou at this time restore again the kingdom of Israel?

7. And he said unto them, It is not for you to know the time or the seasons, which the Father hath put in his own power.

8. But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

9. And when he had spoken these things, while they beheld, he was taken up; and a cloud received him out of their sight.

Acts 2:1. And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

2. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.

3. And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.

4. And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

5. And there were dwelling at Jerusalem Jews, devout men, out of every nation under heaven.

6. Now when this was noised abroad, the multitude came together, and were confounded, because that every man heard them speak in his own language.

7. And they were all amazed and marvelled, saying one to another, Behold, are not all these which speak Galileans?

8. And how we hear every man in our own tongue, wherein we were born?

Golden Text: Ye shall receive power, when the Holy Ghost is come upon you; and ye shall be my witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.—Acts 1:8.

Introduction.

During the first six months of this year we have been studying the Life of Jesus in lessons taken from the third book of the New Testament, the Gospel of Luke. During this quarter we shall have the lessons from the fifth book of the New Testament, the Book of Acts; lessons from the same writer, Luke, who wrote the Gospel of Luke. That the author of the Book of Acts is the same as the author of the Gospel of Luke is manifest from the introduction of

both books. In Acts 1:1 the author refers to his "former treatise", addressing the letter or book to the same person, Theophilus, as he addresses in Luke 1:3. An abundance of internal evidence, also proves the identity of the authorship of the two books.

The Gospel of Luke ends with the story of Christ's ascension, Luke 24:50-53. The Book of Acts begins with the story of the same event, Acts 1:1-11. The two books make a continuous, well-connected history.

The Day of Pentecost.

"And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place." Fifty days after the Passover, ten days after the Ascension. A celebration of harvest home, a season of joy and thanksgiving. "All." The one hundred and twenty; men and women. "In one place." Possibly the upper room already so sacred to the disciples. However, the experience, not the place, is the main thing. "As of wind . . . as of fire." The sound and the appearance were not wind and fire, but like them. The rushing sound meant power, the tongues utterance. There is no explanation of this experience on natural grounds. "Filled with the Holy Spirit." The dynamic effect upon the crowd is indicated by the three words, confounded (or bewildered), amazed and marvelled.

The Promises of the Holy Spirit. Before the Crucifixion the Lord had spoken of the coming of the Holy Spirit after his departure, and had told his disciples something of what the Spirit would mean to them. In John 14:16 he calls the Spirit another Comforter or Paraclete; and the promise is that this other Helper or Advocate will be with them forever. In John 14:26 the promise is that the Holy Spirit shall teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all that I said unto you. In John 15:26 Jesus says, "He shall bear witness of me"; and in John 16:8, "And he, when he is come, will convict the world in respect of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment."

The Promise of Power.

When Jesus met with the disciples on Olivet just before his ascension, he spoke again of the Spirit, commanding them that they should tarry in Jerusalem until they should receive the promise of the Father, and saying, "Ye shall be baptized in the Holy Spirit not many days hence." Hardly knowing what Jesus meant, they began one after another to ask if he meant that he was about to restore the kingdom of Israel, and so bring his redemptive work to its glorious consummation. And for answer he replied that times and seasons were wholly in the authority of God and not for them to know; and he again turned their thoughts to the promised Spirit who would come upon them to supply their needs in whatever the future might require of them.

Two things they must look forward to—not a speedy consummation, or authority in a finished Kingdom, but (1) the gift of power through the Holy Spirit. "Ye shall receive power when the Holy Spirit is come upon you." Power to go on without their Lord's bodily presence, power to meet an unbelieving and hostile world, power to endure afflictions and persecutions, power to win men and to accomplish that for which they were sent. (2) And having received power from heaven, they should then become his witnesses to all the world.

Waiting for Power. The story between the two passages of our printed lesson is a story of waiting. After the Ascension, the amazed group of disciples went back to the upper room where the promise of the Spirit was given to wait for its fulfillment. We are told that they "continued steadfastly in the prayer". There was no languid or idle waiting. Whether they remembered the parable of the importunate widow or not, they possessed her spirit and fainted not. "With one accord in one place," day after day they continued to pray with great desire, and with hope; for had the Lord not said, "not many days hence"? Now also they were thinking of their mission, and sought while they waited to fill the gap in the number of Apostles by selecting a successor to Judas. Until the tenth day they tarried there at the command of Christ.

The Gift of the Holy Spirit. Early on the day of Pentecost the faithful supplicants were in the place of prayer. The city of Jerusalem was all astir. Every inn was crowded. Homes swarmed with visitors. It is on such a background of noise and motion, of joy and song, of sacrifice and thanksgiving that we must picture the quiet scene in the upper room.

The time had come for the fulfillment of the Lord's promise. "Suddenly there came from heaven a sound as of the rushing of a mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting."

What is more irresistible than the rushing wind? Who can stop

it? The wind-like sound spoke of the advent of power, sweeping heavenly power. And he had said, "Ye shall receive power." But that was not all. "There appeared unto them tongues parting asunder like as of fire; and it sat upon each of them." Tongues! A tongue as of fire for every one! This could mean nothing but the Spirit of utterance, of eloquent, compelling speech. And had he not said, "Ye shall be my witnesses"? "And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance." And that is the heart of the lesson for us.

The Effects of Power. "And when this sound was heard, the multitude came together, and were confounded, because that every man heard them speaking in his own language." You can no more hide the fact of a Spirit-filled church than you can stop the wind. The multitudes heard and came, and although they were "from every nation under heaven" every man understood what was said by the Spirit-filled disciples. There is no explanation short of supernatural power. God is saying that his gospel is for all nations and tongues, and that the power of the Spirit is equal to every demand in the mission of world proclamation.

Struck by the amazing fact, the wiser and more serious of the multitudes cried, "What meaneth this? Others superficial and smart souls said, "They are filled with new wine" (verses 12, 13). It is always so. When men move under the power of God, some will inquire and some will scoff. Read Peter's sermon for the kind of message they had, and also as an illustration of the power of utterance, the courage and eloquence which the Spirit brought to that great apostle.

When he had finished, the crowds were more amazed than before. And further, many of them were convicted of sin, and cried for guidance. Then not only Peter, but the other Spirit-filled men and women testified also, with the result that 3000 souls believed. What a wonderful first harvest for the believers! What a verification of the promise of Christ!

Wyche Items
MRS. L. P. PERKINS

Wyche, June 25.—The club met June 23 with Mrs. Spencer. Each member brought a vegetable, dried fruit or chicken to demonstrate a meal cooked in the pressure cooker. Roll call was responded to by each member telling what they intended to exhibit at the fair.

Wyche had a good showing of dresses at achievement day. No prizes were won by our club but we are proud, nevertheless. The club will meet with Mrs. Tommie

Lee July 23. Mrs. McKinney and Mrs. E. J. Smith visited at the last club meeting. Relatives from Amarillo spent Sunday in the Sanderlin home. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Young were guests in the Perkins home Saturday night. Miss Eula Sanderlin spent Monday in the Perkins home. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith of Amarillo and daughter, Oleeta are visiting the H. Earle Smith home. Mr. and Mrs. Bandy of Happy and Mr. and Mrs. Head called in

the Cook home Sunday. H. Earle Smith and family spent Saturday night with relatives in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Thiele called in the Perkins home Sunday. Mrs. Ward and family called in the Cook home Sunday. Miss Alma Henry is here visiting Mrs. Walker. Mrs. T. A. Lee has been in Paducah. She brought her mother, Mrs. J. M. Williford, home with her. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ott were in Amarillo Sunday, bringing her

mother, Mrs. Bernhardt, home with them. Mrs. Lorry Walker and children, Mrs. DuBois Walker and children, Miss Eunice Walker, Miss Alma Henry visited Mrs. John Gold Sunday. Misses DuBois Walker and Jack Spencer went to Amarillo Monday.

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D. H. ALEXANDER, Mgr.

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All classified advertisements must be paid in advance unless arrangements are made in person to care for the payment of them. Classified ads received through the mail will not be published unless accompanied by the cost of insertion. Classified advertising includes Cards of Thanks, Resolutions of Respect, Verbatim copies of Obituaries, Legal Publications of all kinds, Announcements, Etc., as well as Reading Locals scattered about thru

personal mention columns. All of the above styled advertising, with the exception of Cards of Thanks, short Announcements and Reading Locals cost 1-1/2 cents per word for the first insertion, and 1/2-cent per word for each continuous insertion thereafter without change. Reading Locals and short Announcements cost 10 cents per line for each insertion, counting six words for each line or part of line.

Cards of Thanks cost 50 cents each in the usual form, when of more than ordinary length the cost is the same as for reading locals. No ad in any issue may cost less than 25 cents. If desired set in black face type add 25 cents to cost of the advertising. Word ads intelligently—do not try to save a few cents by leaving out necessary words; tell who, what, where, and if essential, when and why.

Lost and Found

LOST: White gold Bulova wrist watch with link band. Reward. Call at Brand office. 25-1p

FOUND: Truck end gate, Tuesday, east of Hereford near dump ground. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for this ad. At Brand. 25-1d

LOST: Roll of rugs on East Third or Main street; reward for return. Inquire at Brand. 25-1c

FOUND: Model A Ford wheel and tire south of Hereford. Owner may recover same by paying for ad and identifying wheel. At Brand office. 20-1c

Wanted

WANTED: To do wheat cutting and plowing. Have good machinery. A. Taylor, Box 1017, Hereford, Texas. 25-1p

REPAIRING: eight cents a yard. Thread furnished free. Mrs. Hugh Witherspoon, 311 West 5th, phone 192-7. 21-1c

WANTED: Second hand windmill tank, 80 barrels or more, must be cheap for cash. At Brand Office. 25-1p

WANTED: A farm. Have good equipment to farm with. Lewis Harvey, Happy, Texas. 24-3p

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CALL 577, and we'll get your sat. BURRELL. 17-1c

Notice

NOTICE: All my real estate and property is now withdrawn from the market or sale. Alvin C. Thompson. 23-1c

Lodge Directory

HEREFORD LODGE
No. 478, I. O. O. F., meets Monday, 8:30 p. m. Visiting Brothers welcome. R. L. DOWELL, N. G. L. H. Foster, Secretary.

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For Rent

FOR RENT: Five room house, all conveniences, admirably located. Phone 706. 25-1f

FOR RENT: Unfurnished four room house, \$15.00 per month. Raymond Hawkins. 24-2p

FOR RENT: Modern duplex, nearly new, close in, unfurnished. H. B. Webb, phone 746-W. 14-1c

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For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE: Keystone drilling machine, in good shape; equipped with wire cable, three strings tools, 3 to 10 inch bits; jars, screws, runners, 8 sand pumps, new water tanks and wagon. Dies from 1/4 to 3 inch—all kind jacks; chain wrenches and hand tools. Col. J. T. Owen, Vega, Texas. 25-1p

FOR SALE or trade: One of the finest building locations in town to trade for reasonably good car and some cash. Jowell Murchison, at court house. 19-1c

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FOR SALE: Combine, tractor, wheat drill and plow. See E. C. Eubanks, at Western National bank Hereford, Texas. 20-1c

FOR TRADE: Service station, grocery store and tourist camp to trade for farm located on 66 highway. For information write W. B. Pennington, owner, Erick, Oklahoma. 23-3p

FOR SALE: Two-pound frying chickens, 50c each. Phone 445. Roger Brumley. 21-1c

FOR SALE: Baby chicks, J. O. Lytle, phone 94; room 14, Dunlap building. 18-1c

FOR SALE: New Remington and Underwood portable typewriters. Come in and see the many improved features in plain or sport models. Jowell Murchison, Court House. 10-1c

FOR SALE:

Two-ton International truck in good condition, priced right. M. D. Womble, Implementers. 22-1c

FOR SALE: Watkins products. Phone your order between calls. I make deliveries. Phone 9025-F2. George W. Smith. 10-1c

FOR SALE: Several 4, 5 and 6 room houses, easy terms. Phone 436. Alvin C. Thompson. 23-1c

FOR SALE: Building lots, \$50.00 fine lots facing on Federal Highway 60, soon to be paved, at low up; on gas line. Block of ten lots, on gas line, for \$350. One east front lot, extra big, on gas, light and phone lines, for \$165. Have prices and easy terms. Thousands of cars will pass over this road each day. L. Baskin, Owner. 9-1c

TRACTOR Value seat rings, installed while you wait. Case and International 75c each. Bishop's Auto Shop, Canyon, Texas. 24-3p

WANT TO TRADE: nice ranch, well improved, stocked with cattle, horses and mules, clear of debt, for wheat-land, stock, furniture, hardware or gen's furnishings. A. E. Whithead, Slaton, Texas. 24-4p

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. 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 held 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, the unknown legal representatives of the said Samuel F. Brown, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Samuel F. Brown, deceased, and the unknown legal representatives of the unknown heirs of Samuel F. Brown, 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, 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 its office in Hereford, Texas, this 30th day of June A. D. 1931.
(Seal) L. H. FOSTER,
Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County. 25-4c

Group Would Attack Wheat Trading Board

A national conspiracy is being perpetrated upon the farming classes and general public, charged the meeting of about 60 wheat growers here Friday afternoon at the court house, called to order by Judge L. Gough, of the Farmers Protective League of America.
In the opinion of those at the meeting, a few manipulators in the wheat pit at Chicago have set the price of wheat at a point of confiscation, in violation of moral and economic laws and penal codes of states and national governments, according to a resolution adopted before adjournment.
It was also agreed that the growers would resist with all lawful means any effort of creditors to force them to sell their wheat at the present low price.
The over-production idea, advanced to explain depressed prices, was branded as false propaganda.
"Future Selling Is Crime."
Judge Gough stated that as soon as sufficient funds had been raised an attorney of national reputation would be hired to file charges against the Chicago board of trade, alleging that the board is engaged in pure and simple gambling, fixing prices without growers' consent, carrying on an unfair and unjust business, and the courts would be asked to stop such illegal operations and request damages.
It is claimed that trading in futures, or selling short, constitutes the law violation. Unlimited short selling goes on, said Judge Gough, so that 20 billion bushels of wheat are sold each year when less than a billion is grown.
The following resolution was presented and adopted:
Self-Protection Resolved.
"Whereas, there is every evidence to show that a deep conspiracy is being perpetrated upon the agricultural classes as well as the general public. That a few manipulators in the wheat pit have in violation of all moral laws, economic laws, and in violation of the penal codes of the states and national governments manipulated the price of wheat down to a point of confiscation, not only of the wheat, but of the farm homes and making it impossible for the wheat grower to meet his obligations; and
"Whereas, these pit operators had as much right to manipulate and destroy the face value of the notes the farmer has given as they had to destroy the value of wheat; and
"Whereas, the holders of the farmers' notes who have silently seen this manipulation go on are probably guilty of aiding this confiscation.
Would Resist Selling Now.
"Therefore, be it resolved; that we resist by all lawful means any effort on the part of our creditors to force us to submit to the confiscatory price of wheat as unlawfully placed on it by pit operators.
"And be it further resolved that we are not trying, and do not intend to try, to evade the payment of any just debt, but we are only trying to protect ourselves against confiscation so we can pay our obligations.
"It is a well known fact that the nation cannot exist without the agricultural producer, therefore, we call on all who want to see justice prevail to render service in combating the crime now being committed on agriculture.
"Of course we understand this low price confiscation is being done under the false propaganda of 'over-production'. The over-

production is not in wheat, but in hunger for wheat. The over-production is not in cotton, but in rags being worn for want of cotton.
"Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be given to the press and that all other means of publicity be given them so the people may know the truth."

L. H. C. Is Not After Farmer, Says Manager

Buchanan & Rossion, local dealers of International Harvester company, are heartily indorsing the announcement made by this company in last Sunday's issue of the Amarillo News-Globe, relative to the recent publicity given mortgage conditions affecting farmers. The article is reproduced in full:
W. A. Fisk, branch manager of the International Harvester Company, states emphatically that his company has not been a party to "leveling down" on the farmers' wheat when they haul it to the elevators.
"We do not have collectors stationed at any of the elevators and have not notified any of the elevators not to pay the cash over to farmers who owe us for the wheat they bring in.
"Our company has tried in every way to help the farmers who are customers and upon whom we must depend. We have several millions of dollars in this district that has been due since 1929 and 1930 and we are still carrying it. And there are thousands and thousands of cases where we have waived our first lien rights on property so that the farmers could obtain additional loans. We have sacrificed our first security and taken second notes in their place to help out our friends.
"The farming industry will pull out. We have had similar hard times before but this one seems worse because it is here now. The farmers do need help and every possible consideration should be shown those who are making an honest and determined struggle to maintain their families and to pay their honest debts."

Church of Christ.

East Sixth Street, H. Earle Smith, pastor.
Bible classes Sunday morning at 10. Preaching at 11. Communion 11:45. Young people's meeting at 8. Regular preaching services at 8:30 o'clock. Bible study Wednesday evening at 8:30.
Ladies' Bible class will meet at the church Thursday afternoon at four o'clock.
The public is cordially invited to all these services.
It's Grandpa Joe Pope.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Pope announce the advent of their first born, a daughter, Alice Louise, at the farm home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alexander, two miles south of Hereford, Saturday evening at 7:30. This young couple came here recently from Enid, Oklahoma, and went to make their home on the farm after a brief visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pope. The young mother and her infant daughter were removed Sunday to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Pope to remain during wheat harvest.

Canyon Minister Here.

Rev. A. C. Williams, student of W. T. S. T. C., Canyon, preached at the Church of Christ in Hereford Sunday. Rev. Williams' home is in Forgan, Oklahoma.

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 held 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 409 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. B. Brunk by deed recorded in Volume 00 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 League, Number 409 1/2, at the northwest 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 409 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, Tex-

as, 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, interest 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 costs and creates a cloud on plaintiff's title to said lands.
Plaintiff prays for judgment against all the defendants for title to 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 indebted-

ness 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. 25-4c

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Society

Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Robinson Entertain

Mrs. J. Wallace Robinson and Mrs. O. G. Hill were joint hostesses to twelve tables of bridge at the home of Mrs. Hill, 804 Main street, last Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

High score went to Mrs. Glenn Snyder, low to Mrs. John McLean, and high cut to Mrs. A. M. Jones. A series of five games was enjoyed by the guests, during which rhubarb punch was served.

At the close of the playing ice cream and cake were served to Mrs. J. B. Jones, W. E. Dameron, R. F. Guthrie, C. H. Dyar, Travis Dameron, A. H. Jones, Frank Thurmond, A. A. Foster, Alton Fraser, Chas. Donald, J. H. Pittman, C. A. Skelton, Dwy Mercer, Powell Marchison, S. P. Rowson, L. F. Borden, Ruby Shirley Gilbreath, J. L. Fuqua, F. J. Owen, J. J. Clark, Ines Folk.

Misses Roy Jowell, Jim Black, Jesse Stanford, W. H. Russell, Edgar Johnson, H. K. Whaley, L. L. Edwards, W. H. Gilbert, J. M. Posey, M. D. Womble, D. Rose, Glenn Snyder, Oscar Enley, Homer Fox, Cliff Acker, N. E. Gass, B. H. Hopkins, F. M. Kester, John Olson, John McLean.

Misses Frances Dameron, Bertra Dameron, Mary Owen, Mattie Owen, Marie Seed and Billie Hill.

O'Daniel & Painter Open Bakery.

Ray O'Daniel and H. Painter have opened a new bakery at 108 West Third Street, handling bread and all kinds of pastries. The new shop was opened Monday in the store building next door west to Western Union telegraph office.

Harvest Needs

May we suggest Hand Lotions Eye Lotions Sunburn Lotions Goggles Shaded Glasses and many other useful things

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Whether it's a camping trip in the mountains with all its needed accessories for lots of fun



Or just a picnic lunch served under the trees by the creek

We have a store full of happy suggestions and useful items you will need or will find it mighty convenient to have along.

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LESSONS ON PRESSURE STEAM COOKING HELD BY N. HEREFORD CLUB

The North Hereford demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Bonnie Brumley on June 22 for an all-day meeting, demonstrating a meal prepared in the pressure cooker and canning peas, beans, beets, fried chicken and cherries. Members brought their lunch. A delicious meal was served to about 30 members and guests. In the afternoon there was a brief business session and program. Mrs. Cox gave an interesting talk on the value of the pressure cooker in making the 4-H pantry complete.

New members included Mrs. H. A. Hershey, Mrs. O. L. Rutherford, and Mrs. Ed Cox. Other visitors of the day were Meses. G. B. Conklin, Arch Conklyn, Ray Hershey, Geo. Brumley, D. R. Brumley, N. B. Dillehay, A. F. Ringman, W. A. Knox, Allen Hughes. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ed Cox at 108 Jackson avenue on July 6.

Bridge Given by Mrs. Dean Rice, June 23

Mrs. Dean Rice entertained with bridge Tuesday afternoon, June 23, at her home on West Fifth street. Refreshments of punch, sandwiches and salad were served to:

Mmes. James Witherspoon, J. C. McCracken, Rayford Ricketts, Alton Fraser, B. M. Wiltshire, Burrell Witherspoon, Ivor McClendon; Misses Bessie Lee Barnard, Virginia Stovall, Ina Mae Hastings, Bady Rice, Martha Duncan, Gladys Seigler, Floyd Wilson, Ruth Conkright and Zella Mae Walser.

YOUNG PEOPLE SPEND SUNDAY AT CANYON RESORT

A group of mixed young people spent an outing at Harding's ranch on the Palo Duro last Sunday, leaving here early in the morning. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Reed Williams, Zelma Ruth Shore, Woodrow Gilbreath, Addine Hastings, Newt Gilliland, LaVerna Womble, Pick Harmon, Billie Hill, J. A. Tapp, Marie Seed, Ralph Hastings, Earle Marie Foster, Bernard Seed and Emma Jackson.

WADITAKI GIRLS ENJOY NIGHT AIR IN TACKY PARTY

The Waditaki group of campfire girls met at the home of Viola Beryl Phillips June 24 at four o'clock. Several games were played and supper was served in picnic fashion to 12 members.

Afterward a tacky party was given. The girls went to bed on the lawn but did not go to sleep until 3:30 o'clock. At 5:30 they were aroused for a hike before breakfast.

At the Monday meeting the girls were taught to Spatter Print. The session was cut short by a rain.

MISS SOWELL HONORS GUEST FROM OKLAHOMA

Miss Lois Sowell entertained with four tables of bridge and a dinner at her home Wednesday, June 24, in honor of Mrs. J. D. Harris, of Ryan, Okla. The dinner was served at seven o'clock.

Present were Meses. J. D. Harris, Ed Shannon, Roy Smith, McWright, Ruth Shannon, Edwin Mjauk, Bessie Smith, J. W. Mobley, Audis Martin, R. V. Miller, Hureal Hill, Buren Deane, Zett Sowell, Edgar Sowell, Charlie Sowell, Fear Singletary; Misses Vendell Brooks, Ruby Faye Bennett, Lyndell Brooks and Lois Sowell.

WARD CLUB GIVES PREPARATION TO MEAL

The Ward home demonstration club met June 24 with Mrs. George Rogers as hostess. Eleven members and one guest were present. Roll call was answered with the vegetable chosen to demonstrate at the fair this fall.

A substantial meal was cooked by Mrs. Frank Stivers in the steam pressure cooker and served to the club. Ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

Nine club women from Ward enjoyed the first birthday celebration June 17 in Hereford. Four had house dresses in the contest and one received favorable mention, belonging to Mrs. G. M. Suggs.

A nice lunch was spread at noon and then the play and dress parade was held. The club hopes to show more achievement at the second birthday and be twice as successful.

Brightens Up Theatre.

W. L. Pickett, manager, has had the appearance of the Star theatre building improved this week. The front was repainted, the interior and exterior work gone over and the foyer and lobby touched up, adding to the attractiveness of this amusement center.

Seen On the Screen at the Star



GARY COOPER in "I Take This Woman" A Paramount Picture

Monday and Tuesday at the Star, with one-cent sale: One person 35 cents, two for 36 cents.

"Girl of the Golden West" is a stirring drama of the gold rush days. It is not a western, but is a love story of a girl who falls in love with a bandit who becomes regenerated. The Star theatre presents this picture Friday night, Saturday matinee and night. David Belasco wrote the drama. Harry Bannister and Ann Harding play star roles.

TEA IN HONOR OF MRS. TRAVIS DAMERON ATTENDED BY 150

There were about 150 guests present at the home of Mrs. A. M. Jones on June 20, instead of 50, as carried in the Brand, to take part in the tea and do honor to the recent bride, Mrs. Travis Dameron.

In putting the account of this social feature into type, an error was made listing the callers at 1530. In making the correction another slip occurred and the number was reduced to 50, and this mistake went into the paper undetected, since only one proof is read on news matter.

GOOD PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED FOR MARRIED PEOPLE'S B. Y. P. U.

An announcement states that a surprise is in store for those who attend the young married people's B. Y. P. U. next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Baptist church.

Songs and instrumental selections will bring a message of helping others. A fine all-musical program is planned. Visitors are especially welcomed.

How the Union works together is related in "Razzie, dazzie, never faze, every thread is wool. All together, all together, that's the way we pull."

ALBUQUERQUE LADY HONORED BY LE GRANDS

Mr. and Mrs. Louie LeGrand entertained with a steak fry Tuesday night in honor of Mrs. Ernest Handley of Albuquerque, New Mexico. Steak, buns, pickles and other good things to eat were served to Messrs. and Meses. A. C. Hales, E. B. Hicks, Burl Matthews, George McConnell, Mrs. Ernest Handley, Mrs. Hubert McEntire and F. F. White.

MISS HASTINGS GIVES SWIMMING PARTY AND BREAKFAST

Miss Ina Mae Hastings entertained with a swimming party and breakfast Saturday morning. In honor of her guest, Miss Bertha Zimmerman, of Tulsa.

Guest were Misses Molly Ray Cronin, Bessie Lee Bardard, Bertha Zimmerman, Virginia Stovall, Bady Rice and Mrs. Dean Rice.

MISS CONKRIGHT HONORS GUEST FROM TULSA

Miss Ruth Conkright gave a supper and bridge party Monday evening at her home, honoring Miss Bertha Zimmerman. Present were Misses Vida Hicks, Florence Shore, Kathleen Cronin, Bessie Lee Barnard, Virginia Stovall, Bady Rice, Bertha Zimmerman, Ina Mae Hastings, Mrs. Dean Rice and the hostess.

LIONS CLUB STARTS NEW YEAR WEDNESDAY LUNCH

The Lions club held its first luncheon meeting of the new club year at Stockman's cafe Wednesday noon under a new regime. S. P. Rowson, elected two weeks ago to the presidency, presided over the session and had the new tall twister, H. K. Whaley, collect a ten-cent fine from every one who failed to vote for the incoming staff. All present paid off and seemed to think it was cheap.

Most E. Baker, groceryman, was inducted into the club as a new member.

Mrs. Arthur Thompson and son, Junior, left Friday for Emporia, Kansas to visit her mother.

METHODIST PASTOR TO TAKE WHEAT AT 50 CENTS

Rev. J. M. Fuller, Methodist pastor here, indicates he will do his part on raising wheat values by announcing he will accept grain at 50 cents per bushel on church pledges, up to 2,000 bushels. The church would square off promises of support in a big discount of about 30 per cent.

Probably only growers may sell to the minister at what now seems a big price. No one is supposed to buy wheat at the distressed price and contribute it to the church, profiting to the tune of 40 per cent.

Hickman Price Optimistic On Wheat Future

Hickman Price, said to be the largest wheat producer in the United States, was here Tuesday for a short while en route with his outfit to his fields 40 miles northwest of Hereford where he was to start combining Wednesday morning.

He was accompanied by Fred Jackson, director in the Massey-Harris machinery company, who is spending some time in watching actual operations of the harvest.

Mr. Price has 4,000 acres of wheat in Deaf Smith county and he estimated the yield would be between 32 and 35 bushels to the acre, the total acreage producing close to 140,000 bushels. This field ranks along with the best of his holdings in other counties.

Mr. Price said he would try out this week a new process of wind-rowing.

When asked about the work of the German nobleman, Bernstorff, who is in his employ at headquarters near Kress, Mr. Price said he was the best greaser on the staff. Bernstorff is in America to learn how to manage farming on a large estate and he took a minor job with Hickman Price in order to become familiar with all details.

Passing up the immediate reality of disastrous prices for this year's wheat grower, Mr. Price said the future was favorable, especially in view with low costs of fuel in power farming, which would cut the cost of production for next year in preparation of the land and in-sowing. He said gasoline was as low as four cents a gallon delivered on the farm in large quantities.

Mr. Price said he had not sold his wheat but was shipping it, hoping for an advance in price.

Card of Thanks.

With deepest appreciation, we wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy, especially for the many services in the home and beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. T. J. Bassett
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bassett
La Junta, Colorado.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weldon.
La Junta, Colorado.
J. M. Bassett and Children,
Ontario, Oregon.
T. C. Bassett
J. E. Bassett
Mr. and Mrs. John D. Whitsett and daughter. 1p

Mrs. Ernest Handley and two children of Albuquerque, New Mexico, are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Brazil.

ED COX SUBSTITUTES ON ROUTES ONE AND TWO

Ed Cox, substitute carrier on routes one and two, who was relieving Charlie Jowell who died on his vacation at Hot Springs, will continue in that capacity until examinations have been filed for a regular carrier and appointment made.

Finds Pullets Beat Old Hens.

A direct comparison of the laying of pullets and old hens in the flock of Mrs. William Lange in Grimes county has shown her that the pullets outlaid the hens more than two to one during the first three months of the year, according to W. I. Bass, county agent. She put 217 April pullets to themselves in a new laying house last fall and noted their production and that of 225 hens kept in a separate house.

In January the pullets laid 7 1/2 eggs each to 1 1/4 for the older hens; in February the flocks were not separated and average 17 eggs each; and in March again separated, the pullets laid nearly 24 eggs each to about 10 eggs for each of the hens. The latter were from one to three years old, had been culled twice yearly, and had the same ration, including milk, that the pullets received. The hens, however, were kept in the old house and got their green feed from an old pasture while the pullets had a housing advantage and a fresh range. Mrs. Lange has culled out and sold 180 of the hens and is going in for more pullets.

John Hanlin Still at Home.

John Hanlin, who was reported to have been taken to the state penitentiary last week by authorities, did not go. Mr. Hanlin is still at home here, and this statement is made to correct the error.

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 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 30th day of June A. D. 1931, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 1909, 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 of each of the aforementioned J. B. Johnson, Cora Johnson, Paul Johnson, Margaret Johnson, Margaret Johnson, and their legal representatives, and 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 tract of 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 125.5 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, 93 varas to an iron pipe for corner; thence south 73 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 38 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 81 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 100 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 300 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 30 degrees 30 minutes west 140 varas; thence south 43 degrees west 95 varas; then south 73 degrees west 25 varas; thence south 70 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. Canfil and by mesne conveyances from A. W. Canfil 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. Mosley 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 mesne convey-

ances from G. L. Woods to J. E. Witten, from J. E. 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 30th day of June A. D. 1931.

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

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Progressive News

By PROGRESSIVE CLUB GIRLS

Several from Dawn attended singing here Sunday night. Lorine and Corine McBeyer visited Ethel Webb Thursday. Mrs. Hershey and Katherine visited Mrs. Jim Ricketts last week. Dorothy Lee Mills returned to her home in Amarillo after visiting a week with Mrs. Blakemore. W. A. Ricketts and wife spent Wednesday afternoon with their son, Ira Ricketts. Mrs. Jack Baker called on Mrs. Tom Baker Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith visited the Hershey home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sherm Williams of Poplar Bluff, Mo., visited the Tom Baker home last week. J. R. Benson of Shamrock visited his father last week. Mrs. Clyde Russell visited Eunice Caldwell Tuesday. People of this community may get library books from the Hershey home under the same rules as they get them from the library at Hereford. Melvin and Buster Webb visited Jimmy and Forbus Blakemore Saturday. Mrs. M. C. Baryer, mother of Mrs. Baker, is back from a visit with relatives in Amarillo. **83rd Birthday.** Friends and neighbors of Grandma Eldred gathered at the home of Mrs. J. W. Clark Wednesday afternoon and helped celebrate her 83rd birthday. The afternoon was

spent visited. Club ladies gave her a cap, apron and a pot of flowers. Refreshments of cake, sandwiches and punch were served to about 25, all of whom wished Grandma many more happy birthdays. Eunice Caldwell visited Mrs. Clyde Russell Saturday. Mrs. Ray Hershey and daughter went to Canyon Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell and daughter were in Amarillo Monday. Mrs. J. E. Blakemore visited in the Blakemore home at Summerfield Sunday. Ethel Webb spent Thursday night in the Misses McBrayer. Katherine Hershey called in the Gregory home Thursday. Mr. Benson, daughter and son attended a family reunion at the Andrews home at Frio recently. Mrs. Ray and Horace Hershey attended a quilting at Mrs. Conkling's at Hereford. Annie Laurie Sawyer entertained a few friends at her home Wednesday night with a party. Mrs. Ed McBrayer and children called on Mrs. Caldwell Thursday. Progressive Jolly Workers met Thursday with Mrs. Blakemore, with seven members and two visitors present. Miss Leatrice Benson and Mrs. H. F. Benson visited at Friona Thursday. Progressive club ladies entertained Palo Duro club Friday at the school house when the time was spent in games and visiting. The rooms were decorated for the occasion. After games, plate lunch was served to about 18. G. W. Baker has returned from a visit with his son, Tom Baker. Mrs. Horace Hershey is visiting Mrs. Jim Ricketts while Mr. Hershey is working. Carl Donovan's mother of Fargo, Okla., is visiting here. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Caldwell and daughter visited the Cecil Hodges home at Daniel Sunday.

Ford Doings

MISS LA VERNE MANN—Ford, June 25.—Singing has been dismissed for the next six weeks on account of harvest. The girls 4-H club met June 19 with La Verne Mann. The girls received lessons on how to make

salad dressing and Parker house rolls from Miss Emma Gunter. Nine girls were present. Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Larson and son, Amarillo, brought Mrs. O. F. Turner home after a few days in Amarillo. Herman Larson was in Plainview last week. Mrs. Rye Casey and children visited the Simpson home Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Rempel visited the Larson home Friday night. Miss Vineta Simpson spent Sunday with Miss Ethel Tooley. Miss Dorothy Norton spent the week end with Miss Oleta Reeves. O. F. and J. P. Turner, Herman and D. S. Larson were in Amarillo Monday night. Dave and Otis Hansen are here from Oklahoma to harvest their wheat crop. Orvil Nickerson of Hobart, Oklahoma, spent Saturday night with Clyde Mann. Miss Archie Jean Buller spent Friday night with Miss Leota Reeves. Miss Leota Reeves spent Saturday night with Miss Viola Rempel. W. M. Stewart was in Hereford Monday. Maurine and Dorothy Norton, Mrs. Elizabeth Woods, Robert Lee and Elvris Earl Orr visited Miss La Verne Mann Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Benson and children and Mrs. Parks visited the D. B. Mann home Sunday. Ted Langley and family visited the Frazier home Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thurber and grandson and A. J. Sanderford spent Monday night in the D. B. Mann home. West brothers of Woodward, Oklahoma, are here to work thru harvest.

Here and There

BY MRS. C. E. TICE

Here and There, June 25.—Rev. Fields of Plainview preached at Frio Saturday night and Sunday and the B. Y. P. U. of Hereford gave a program Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hacker who took care of the chores while the Lindseys were away, have moved into rooms at the Sparks residence in town. Mrs. G. P. Owen and Miss Olive Stagner of Flagg spent Thursday with Mrs. J. B. Harlin.

J. W. Berry helped M. L. Hardy build a granary in which to store his wheat last week. Mrs. H. M. Mobley was very ill last week with tonsillitis. Harry Gillispie moved his family east of Pampa the latter part of the week where he has rented a farm for the coming year. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Brown spent Saturday night on the creek. Mr. and Mrs. Felton Doss of Hugo, Okla., are visiting in the John Jordan home. Mrs. Hazel Sparks and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with her father, Mr. Hacker, and attended the Father's Day program at Jumbo. Rev. Swartz of Tulsa preached at Frio Sunday morning and spent the remainder of the day in the Henry Allman home. K. R. Hunter was taken home the latter part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Mitchell moved to the Gillispie place last Friday. Gene Murdock got his fingers badly cut last Friday when he caught his hand in a car door. John Jordan is moving his camp outfit to Wildorado and will harvest wheat. Messrs. and Mmes. Leo Williams, Oscar Campbell and C. E. Tice; Gene Murdock, Lloyd Tice, Misses Nita Doss, Oneda Jordan and Maxine Tice enjoyed ice cream at the Mitchell home Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry went to a ball game at Jumbo Sunday

Mrs. C. Morris and baby have returned from the hospital. Prayer meeting at Frio every Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. King and Mr. King, sr., of Pollette spent Thursday and Friday at the J. E. Andrews home. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bagwell of Bethel spent Sunday at the Paul Williams home. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tice, Lloyd and Maxine spent Sunday with W. L. Tice at Umbarger. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lindsay were called to Caddo last Wednesday by the sudden death of his father, J. O. Lindsay, who was a pioneer of Castro county. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dixon attended singing at Cleo Sunday. A family reunion of Mrs. J. E. Andrews' brothers and sisters was held at the Andrews home Sunday. Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. J. R. Benson, Shamrock; Haskell Benson, Duncan; J. N. Benson, Jodie and Leatrice Benson, Progressive, Mr. and Mrs. Dayo Benson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Andrews. Col. and Mrs. J. T. Owen of Vega were in Hereford Saturday, attending the funeral of Thomas J. Bassett. The Owens formerly lived here where Mr. Owen engaged in drilling wells, later moving to Vega where he continued the water well contracting business. T. A. Singer was a business visitor in Hereford from Dimmitt at the close of last week.

Dr. R. E. Cogwell of Waco visited friends in Hereford last Friday and expressed himself as being greatly pleased with the Hereford country. Mrs. Maggie Smith, Riverside, California, is spending two weeks here the guest of Mrs. Gertrude Smith, a cousin. She has a half section of land northwest of town and will remain here until the wheat crop on her land has been harvested.

J. S. GARRETT ELECTED OFFICIAL OF SINGERS
J. S. Garrett, Deaf Smith county man, was elected assistant secretary of the Plateau Singing convention in its meeting last week in Borger. John F. Taylor of Clovis, was re-elected president for the eleventh time. B. P. Abbott of Bovina was placed on the advisory board.

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50 pound cut	\$.30
75 pound cut	\$.45
100 pound cut	\$.60
150 pound cut	\$.90
200 pound cut	\$1.00
300 pound cut (one cake)	\$1.50
600 pound cut (2 cakes or more), per hundred pounds	\$ 4.50
DELIVERED PRICES	Coupon Books (Cash)
300 pound books, 12½ lb cuts	\$2.00
500 pound books, 25 pound cuts	\$2.75
1000 pound books, 50 pound cuts	\$5.50
2000 pound books, 100 pound cuts	\$10.00
PLATFORM PRICES	Cash
12½ pound cut	\$.10
25 pound cut	\$.15
50 pound cut	\$.25
75 pound cut	\$.40
100 pound cut	\$.50
150 pound cut	\$.75
200 pound cut	\$.90
300 pounds (one cake)	\$1.35
600 pounds (two cakes or more), per 100 pounds	\$ 4.00

Texas Utilities Co.

Hereford, Texas

BEGINNING FRIDAY, JULY 3 AT 8:30 A. M.



We're Telling You to Be Here! The Greatest Selling We Ever Held!
We're Knocking the Bottom Out of Prices!

In opening this sale next Friday we are taking into consideration the present price range on dry goods and ready-to-wear and bringing it down to the level of every-day living. There isn't any question of profits—they were forgotten long ago. The price on everything has been put down so low that it seems next to giving the merchandise away. We invite you to the biggest bargain feast Hereford and its trade territory have seen in many a day on a complete line of highest class general dry goods merchandise. Come and buy as you never bought before. **WE NEVER MISREPRESENT MERCHANDISE. GET THE HIGH GRADE GOODS AT RIDICULOUS PRICES.**

EXTRA SPECIAL

Flat Crepes, 40 inches wide, in plain colors, guaranteed all silk, heavy quality, Harvest Sale price, per yard....

98c



Opening Day Special

RAYON HOSE, pair... **5c**

On Friday Morning, July 3, at 8:30, we will sell the first Fifty Ladies who enter our store one pair of our 48c quality rayon hose for only

5c A PAIR

This special is for ladies only—no children. Limit one pair to each customer.

EXTRA SPECIAL

One table of printed voiles and batistes, all new patterns, values up to 48c, your choice during Harvest Sale, per yard

28c

FOX MERCANTILE COMPANY

Farms In County Average Over 700 Acres: Home Ownership On Increase; Woodland Disappears

Only 33 per cent of the farms in Deaf Smith county are operated by tenants, covering 28 per cent of the acreage and caring for 10 per cent of the total valuation of land and buildings classed as farms, according to a preliminary announcement of the 1930 farm census, released June 26 by the department of commerce.

On April 1, 1930, there were 300 farms, valued at \$14,474,903, including land and improvements and involving 442,225 acres. The average value an acre of improved farms was placed at \$32.06, compared to \$16.55 in 1925 and \$19.40 in 1920. The year 1930 marked the peak of a boom in all values, and in a greater part of Texas and other states present and values are far below the 1920 level.

Farms Average Over 700 Acres.
That large scale farming is the rule in this county is indicated by figures in several departments. The average acreage on a farm is placed by the bureau of census at 705 1/2 acres, and 70 per cent of the farms run from 200 to over 1,000 acres. In the entire county only 188 farms have less than 200 acres, while 102 have over 1,000 acres.

Following out this same trend of large farms, the census shows that during the past five years the number of horses and mules decreased 36 per cent, and the value of implements and machinery has increased over 100 per cent, advancing from \$603,000 in 1925 to \$1,296,450 in 1930.

Battle has decreased 35 per cent, while milk cows have increased 200 per cent for the five year period. There are 15 per

cent less hogs, but chickens have increased 106 per cent.

In 1925 the county had 24,068 individuals in the flocks and in 1930 a total of 50,837, an average of 80 chickens to the farm.

There appears to be an uptrend of owners operating their own farms. Ten years ago the ratio was 63 out of a hundred and it is now 67.

Clearing Out Timber.
Last year was considered one of short crops on account of dry weather, but only 2,744 acres were reported to be abandoned.

The report also indicates that Deaf Smith county is gradually being "cleared" of timber for cultivation, and this in the face of a prairie country. If data gathered in 1925 by the government's employees is correct, there were 1900 acres in woodland. This has been cut down now, however, to a mere 657 acres, located somewhere in the northwest rim of the county.

Dr. Bowe Has Fine Crop Of Bermuda Onions

Dr. F. E. Bowe, 310 West Second street, has demonstrated in his garden plot what can be done in the way of growing Bermuda onions. He had six or seven rows which were harvested Saturday morning, and the estimated yield on an acre basis, said Dr. Bowe, would have run around 1,000 bushels. The onions were well formed

and of the right size to be marketable.

Dr. Bowe has been growing the Bermudas for eight or ten years here, and has worked out sure production methods. He not only has plenty of onions at harvest time, but has fresh onions all during the winter and stewed ones as early as the middle of March.

For part of the crop seed are sown in September and the balance is made up of sets put out in October. They are put in thick and rows arranged close together. For winter the middles are filled with barnyard manure, the only fertilizer used. This year's crop was produced with a small amount of water, outside the regular rains.

Dr. Bowe's garden is full of almost every other vegetable product, growing luxuriantly. Outstanding is the success he has had with a row or two of crisp lettuce.

Contradicting the general view that lawns have to be resodded every three or four years, Dr. Bowe has a front lawn of blue grass and clover seeded about 15 years ago. He is not troubled with dandelions as the grass is unusually thick and is mowed several inches above the soil, preventing dandelions finding a place to germinate.

of the City of Hereford, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Ordinance Number 259, as shown by the records of the City of Hereford.

Witness my hand and seal of said City, this the 23rd day of June, 1931.

(Seal) EVA SKELTON, City Secretary.

HEALTH SERVICE MAKES SUGGESTIONS ON DIET

Mothers are advised by the county health service to be careful about the children's diet during the hot weather. It is suggested that no abrupt changes be made in the diet of children under one year old, and all food given them should be of good quality. It is also safer to boil all milk consumed by the smaller children.

Only well ripened fruits and well cooked vegetables should be served the tots, says Miss Nell Hall.

Those who took the first dose of toxoid during pre-school examinations are asked to call at the health office in the court house and receive the second shot during this or next week. At the same time smallpox vaccine should be taken, especially if the child is entering school this fall.

The health committee will have its regular monthly meeting at the court house Friday afternoon, July 3 at three o'clock.

Dust goggles, all kinds, at Corner Drug Store. 1c

ORDINANCE NO. 259.

An Ordinance by the City Commission of the City of Hereford, providing for the regulation of the use of the City Park, commonly known as "Lake Park", limiting the time in which it may be visited or used by any persons and prescribing the penalty for failure to comply therewith:

Section One: Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Hereford, that the City Park, known as Lake Park, located within the city limits of the City of Hereford, shall not be visited, used or entered upon by any person between the hours of 10:30 o'clock p. m. and five o'clock a. m.

Section Two: Any person violating or causing to be violated the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$50.00.

Section Three: Emergency Clause: The fact that visitation to said Park between the hours of 10:30 o'clock p. m. and five o'clock a. m. by great numbers of persons causes the disturbance of

the peace of the people residing near said park creates an emergency, and by necessity, that the rule requiring an Ordinance to be read at two several meetings before passage, be and the same is hereby suspended, and this ordinance enacted at the meeting of its introduction and first reading, and it is so ordered.

Passed by unanimous vote of the City Commission of the City of Hereford, on this the 23rd day of June, 1931, and approved.

(Seal) E. S. IRELAND, Mayor of the City of Hereford.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH, CITY OF HEREFORD.

I, Eva Skelton, City Secretary

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH.

By virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of the Justice of the 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 in and to said property.

Dated at Hereford, in Deaf Smith County, Texas, this the 25th day of June, 1931.

J. C. CARROLL, Constable, Justice Precinct No. One, Deaf Smith County, Texas. 25c

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The Salesman That's Always Welcome—

IT'S A SALESMAN that edges its way into every office . . . eases its way into every home. A salesman that is expected; welcomed eagerly; attended with interest and relied upon for shopping information.

—Truly, the most sensible, certain, direct, productive and economical way of selling your goods, Mr. Merchant.

—Absolutely the safest, most dependable, most easily understood, best guarantee of satisfactory shopping for the household.

—The oldest and truest advertising force in Deaf Smith County for over 30 years. Often imitated, but incomparable for the service it renders and the news and facts it supplies thousands of eager readers every week.

The Hereford Brand

The Newspaper for the Home

Interior Trim---

"It takes a heap o' livin'
To make a house a home."
—Edgar A. Guest.

The inside of a house is the part that makes it attractive to those who call it home. The interior wood-work has more to do with making the inside of your house attractive and a pleasant place to be, than any other one thing.

Our years of experience as builders and supervisors of construction have taught us the correct proportions, the proper materials and the right finish to make your home beautiful. May we show you some homes we have helped build!

R. H. Kemp Lumber Co.

Dawn Items

BY MISS LOVIE MAYFIELD

Noyle Bryant of Hereford delivered a good sermon to a large crowd here last Sunday.

Mrs. Anna McGowan and family have moved to Dawn.

Misses Ethel and Vera Harris spent last week end with home folks.

Bud, Ruby and Lois Harris and Lovie and Lorena Mayfield called at the P. H. Barnes home last Saturday morning.

William and Misses Ruby and Lois Harris spent Saturday afternoon in the Mayfield home.

Miss Lois Anderson visited the H. H. Miller home Sunday.

Misses Maxine and Modine Barnes took dinner in the Harris home Sunday.

W. F. Mayfield visited Bob Gollehon at Dimmitt Sunday.

Mrs. P. H. Barnes and children spent Sunday afternoon in the W. L. Harris home.

J. C. Southard, Albert Frye and Clifford Stewart ate dinner in the Mayfield home Sunday.

Mrs. C. Beckman and daughter and Mrs. Tommie Beckman of Umbarger called in the Mayfield home Sunday.

Albert Bailey and sons of Childress ate dinner at the Mayfield home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan of Canyon called at the Mayfield home last Sunday.

Mrs. C. L. Buchanan spent last Sunday in the Mayfield home.

Joe Fermaux of Dallas visited in this community last week.

Able Mae Christian of Hereford spent last week end in the Glenn Greer home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kessie and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday in Lubbock, guests of Mrs. Kessie's brother, A. C. Jackson and family. Ruth remained for a week's visit in Lubbock.

Summerfield

BY MRS. L. JOHNSON

Wheat harvest is on and such a wonderful yield, but the price is not to make us happy.

Mrs. R. A. Baker and daughter of Amarillo spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Lee Curry. Mr. Baker came for the week-end.

Mike Huckert and Harry Look- ingbill were in Amarillo Thursday. Williams and Hicks, formerly of Oklahoma have put in a wheat loader and scales and expect to buy grain in the future.

Roy Spencer and Homer Lee of Eldorado, Okla., are here working in the harvest.

Mrs. Bob Seales and son of Progressive, Mrs. G. W. Roberson and son of Falls and Mrs. Joe Johnson of Crosbyton spent Friday in the Lee Curry home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Euler announce the birth of a baby girl one day last week, and all parties are doing nicely.

Miss Thelma Humphries spent the week end with relatives and friends here. She is attending school at Canyon.

Several from here attended the dedication and opening of the new Baptist church at Black Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McMinn of Abilene are here assisting with the harvest of wheat on their farm.

Preston Ivey is here from Eldorado, Okla., visiting his uncle, Ky Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. DeLosier are the happy parents of a son, born last Thursday. All doing nicely.

Joe Huckert of Hereford is helping his brother harvest.

Bluford McMinn and family of Hereford spent several days with their son, Perry, and wife last week.

Geo. Williams and family of Eldorado, Okla., and Mrs. Leroy Hicks and children of Dimmitt visited their husbands last Sunday.

Easter News

By MISS LOUISE FRYE.

The Coconaugh family of Sudan, and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Patterson of Panhandle spent the last week end here in the Coconaugh home.

Messrs. and Mmes. Jim Sanders and Wilkins spent Thursday in the J. H. Sanders home.

B. Saxon and family called in the Sanders home Monday.

T. J. Bydman of Aspermont is helping H. B. Medley harvest.

C. O. Dixon and family went to church at Friona Sunday.

W. E. Brady and wife called in the Sanders home Friday night.

Mrs. Carl Frye and children called on Miss Mattie Woodburn at Hereford Wednesday.

Jennie Turner and Annie Mae Smith spent Wednesday afternoon with Mozelle Whitfield.

Mrs. Geo. Chambliss and family spent Tuesday with Mrs. Lynn Axe at Jumbo.

H. H. and Carl Frye and families and Mr. and Miss Medley went to the creek Friday afternoon.

Linnie Hise is helping Mrs. Carter during harvest.

Carl Frye and E. R. Woodburn were in Amarillo Monday night.

Mrs. Luther Cornelius has been very ill the past week.

Mrs. Fred Walton spent Friday in the J. S. Smith home.

Fred Walton and wife, Carl Frye and family took supper in

The H. Frye home Sunday.

Miss Estelle Allison of Plainview is spending the summer in the Allison home here.

Flagg News

By MRS. W. T. SUMMER

Mr. McCormick of Canyon was in Flagg Thursday.

Col. E. T. Herring of Amarillo visited his brother at the Flagg ranch headquarters Sunday.

F. H. Smyers of Arlington is here seeing about his wheat.

Jay Taylor and Mrs. Elizabeth Herring were here from Amarillo Wednesday.

Ray Sheffy was here from Dimmitt Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Price have moved to Flagg from Wellington and will make their home in the Flagg hotel.

Mrs. Raymond Gage visited her mother in Altus, Okla., last week.

Bill and B. B. Tidmore are visiting their uncle, J. T. Tidmore. J. C. Fain was here from Amarillo this week.

E. F. Lyon of Hinton, Okla., is here harvesting wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Strother Walker were in Crowell Thursday.

Mr. Tull was here from Plainview Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilson have returned to Flagg.

Kenneth Turner and I. B. Brooks of Dimmitt were here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Sheffy were Sunday dinner guests in the W. T. Summer home.

Rev. Peters and family were dinner guests in the Meed home last Sunday.

Like Glass
Fortune is glass, just when it is bright it is broken.—Seneca.

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, the unknown heirs and their legal representatives of the unknown heirs of James A. Burch; Mrs. James 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; 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 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 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, 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, 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), Galveston, 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. 25, Galveston, 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 heretofore on the 1st day of June, 1931, the Defendants, and each of them, unlawfully disposed of 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 season 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. H. FOSTER, Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County, Texas. 24-1c

Miss Molly Ray Cronin left this week for Huntsville to visit her aunt, Mrs. Texie Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dunn visited their daughter in Abilene last week.

FOR JOB WORK, TRY THE BRAND. FOR JOB WORK, TRY THE BRAND.

WHEAT GROWERS Attention!

We Are Buying Wheat At Our Usual Place of Business.
SELL US YOUR WHEAT

West Texas Feed & Seed Co.

PHONE 265

SPECIALS! FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

- Peaches Gallon 49c
- Apricots Gallon 49c
- Coffee, 3 lbs Sam Houston, with china plates or glass-ware and 3 lbs sugar free \$1.25
- Sugar, 10 lb cloth bag 55c
- Tomatoes, No. 2 1/2 can 13c
- Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can, in syrup 17c
- Pork and Beans Veribest, No. 1 7c
- Canned Pumpkin Gallon 28c



CRISCO
Foods taste better when made with Crisco
3 lb can 67c



IVORY FLAKES
Sole people everywhere say, "Use Ivory to protect silks and wools!"
1 large pkg 21c

HELPY SELFY

SPECIALS FOR Friday and Saturday

- Men's Athletic Unionsuits
50c Values 29c
98c Values 59c
- Fourth of July FIREWORKS
Assortment of All Kinds!
- Tableware, dishes, glasses, pots, pans and tinware for Harvest Needs.

WEIR'S VARIETY

Announcing--- The Opening of Hereford's New Bakery

—We are pleased to announce the opening of our new bakery at 108 West Third Street.

—We will be pleased to have you try our new bread and pastries, believing that you will be highly pleased with the quality of our products.

FREE SHOW TICKETS—Beginning Saturday, watch for free show tickets in our bread wrappers.

The City Bakery

O'Daniel & Painter, Proprietors. Hereford, Texas

CASH SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Our Specials Are Absolutely CASH to ALL.

COFFEE	Maxwell House, 3 lb can	98c
ONIONS	No. 1 Bermuda, 5 lbs	18c
CORN	No. 2 Extra Standard, 3 cans	33c
PICKLES	Quart jar, sweet	28c
MACARONI	Or Spaghetti, four packages	18c
CHERRIES	Gallon can, Solid pack	85c
Pork and Beans	Or Red Beans, six cans	49c
CABBAGE	Gallon can, cooked, ready to serve	29c
ORANGES	Medium size, Red Balls, 2 dozen	35c
BANANAS	Golden ripe, per dozen	17c

Bakers Cash Grocery
MONT E. BAKER

Sidelights ON Ranch AND Farm Activity
E. O. DUNKLE
County Agent

Farmers in Deaf Smith county are interested in the experiment with seven varieties of wheat on the Ky Lawrence farm, four varieties on the G. C. Hartman and J. M. Chapman farms. These experiments have been conducted for the past two years under direction of the state experiment station at Denton.

It is believed that the results of this test within another year or two will be of much value to the North Plains farmer, since it will show the variety of wheat that best suits this climate, yield and all other things considered.

Yields of all the varieties have been checked this week by I. M. Atkins of the Denton station. Tested varieties are Kanred, Black-hull, Turkey Red, Kellehor Russian, Tenmark, Denton and native Turkey Red. Results of this year's test were a little in favor of Kanred. When complete a comparison of results will be complete.

Four club boys of the Wyche community purchased registered spotted Poland China girls last week from F. F. Schlenker. These pigs are of high quality and will be shown at the county fair this fall.

Carl's Cash and Carry Grocery

Phone 324

FRIDAY and SATURDAY SPECIALS

- BLACKBERRIES, new crop, gallon 44c
- BACON, not sliced, pound 23c
- PEANUT CANDY, two pounds for 25c
- POST TOASTIES, package 12c
- SOAP, any brand, laundry, ten bars 33c
- COFFEE, Schillings, pound 39c
- KARO SYRUP, dark, gallon 63c, half-gallon ... 34c
- PEANUT BUTTER, quart jar 34c
- CHEESE, full cream, lb 20c
- BANANAS, nice and ripe, pound 5c

Genuine Chevrolet Parts and Chevrolet Service To Take Care of Your Troubles During Harvest Time.

Fast repair service in repairing, greasing, oiling, and parts. We'll get your car or truck in OK condition while you rest, day or night, and have it ready to go when you are.

SEE OUR USED CARS For Real Bargains In Automobiles

There Is a **Chevrolet Truck** For Every Hauling Need.

Brumley Chevrolet Co.
Incorporated

Get In and Win

The Hereford Brand needs a few more workers in the big subscription drive announced in last week's issue. Take advantage of this opportunity to present yourself a useful prize. Call at the office now. It's not too late to enter TODAY!

**A Beautiful Chevrolet Sedan Is the Capital Prize---
Other Prizes of Value and Cash Will Be Given!**

Started Officially, Saturday, June 27th
Closing Saturday, August 8th, 1931

Read the Rules and Instructions On This Page!

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 right 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 doubt 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.

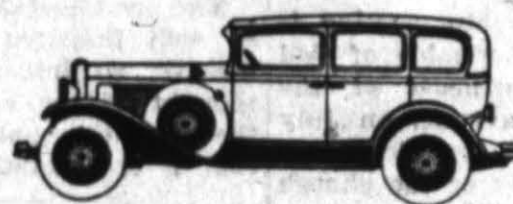
Schedule of Votes and Subscription Price of the Hereford Brand During Subscription Campaign

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.

LIST OF AWARDS

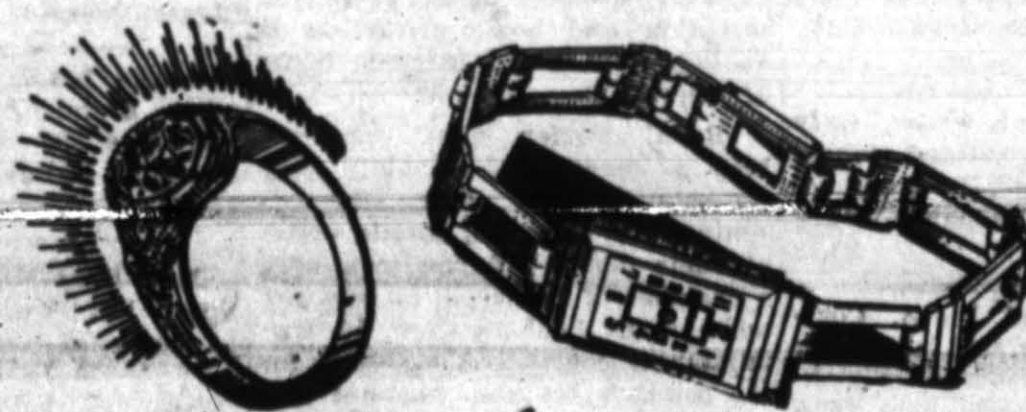
FIRST PRIZE: A beautiful Chevrolet Special Sedan, purchased from and now on display at BRUMLEY CHEVROLET COMPANY.



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.

What to Do First

(1) Fill out the "Entry Blank" and bring it to the campaign manager, Hereford Brand. Then you will be given a club member's receipt book and full instructions which will enable you to start right out after subscriptions. (2) Turn in your first subscription with "First Subscription Blank" and you will have over 100,000 votes with a flying start. (3) Tell your friends that you are out to win one of the big FREE prizes. Ask your friends to subscribe through you. Each subscription counts thousands of votes. (4) Make daily report of your very best effort, each and every day and you will be a WINNER. Ten per cent Cash Commissions given to all non-prize winners who remain in the Campaign until the close. This is a Campaign in which Everybody Wins. To share in this Cash Distribution you must turn in at least FIVE one-year subscriptions each week of the Campaign.

Campaign Plan In Brief

The object of this big prize distribution is two-fold. Primarily, to increase the already large subscription list of this newspaper, to collect arrearage and advance subscription payments from present or old subscribers, and at the same time to afford the live-wire, energetic hustlers of this city and surrounding territory an opportunity to profit, and in a Big way, through their spare time during the next few weeks. So it is a plan that works both ways, and to the ultimate good of all concerned. The plan adopted is the fairest and most impartial conceivable. There will be no "special vote offers" inaugurated during the life of this campaign. The plan is straight forward and simple, and is fully outlined in this announcement. Let it be understood at the very outset that this is not a "beauty" nor "popularity" contest, but a strictly legitimate competitive proposition for enterprising men and women, and one into which no element of chance enters. One feature of this campaign is the fact that "Everybody Wins". There will be no LOSERS in this race.

You Have Always Wanted Your Own Car

You have always wanted a fine new car and now is your time to obtain it. Just six short weeks of intensive work and you call this car your very own if you will just make up your mind to do so. What would bring you more pleasure than to call this car your own? And it is not impossible for that to happen. Just real hard work for the next few weeks will bring you this realization. What work could you engage in for the next few weeks that would mean \$805, the price of this beautiful car! You can not lose in this campaign, for if you stay in you will win some one of the five prizes, besides the cash commissions paid to non-prize winners.

Subscription Prices to The Brand and How They Will Count for Votes

1 Year \$2.00	10,000
2 Years \$4.00	25,000
3 Years \$6.00	50,000

The first period of the campaign will close Tuesday, July 14, 1931. 50,000 extra votes will be given for each three year subscription turned in during the first period. For each club or combination of \$20.00 the same number of extra votes will be given.

NOMINATION BLANK GOOD FOR 50,000 EXTRA VOTES!

You can nominate yourself or any other person. This coupon will count for 50,000 votes when properly filled and sent to the contest manager, only one coupon will be credited to any one candidate.

PLEASE NOMINATE:

Name

as a candidate in The Brand's
Get Good-Will Campaign

FIRST SUBSCRIPTION COUPON

Address

Signature of person making nomination.

Good for 50,000 Extra Votes

Name of Subscriber

Address

Candidate

\$..... Amount enclosed.

This coupon, accompanied by the Nomination Blank, will start you with 50,000 votes, plus the regular votes allowed on the subscription, as shown in the schedule. For example, if the subscription is one for 12 months, the total votes will be 60,000. Only one of these allowed to a candidate.

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

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Nall, Durant, Oklahoma, have been visiting this week in the home of their daughter, Mrs. V. T. Downs, and family.

F. L. and Truitt Behrends of Clarendon, are visiting in the home of their brother, O. T. Behrends, and family.

T. R. Clancy of Cleburne has been visiting this week in the home of his sister, Mrs. O. T. Behrends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward spent the past week visiting relatives and looking after business in Dallas.

Mrs. Voline Downs and children returned Monday from a visit with home folks in Durant, Oklahoma.

J. P. Jamieson of Lone Wolf, Oklahoma, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mark Benefield. Mr. Jamieson is Mrs. Benefield's brother.

Mixed barley and wheat, sixty cents a hundred. Mixed wheat and oats, 55 cents a hundred. Herford Farmers Exchange, south of Savoy Hotel. 25-1c

Miss Maurine Spradley of Canyon spent the week end with Miss Virginia Barnett.

Perry Pickett of Newport is here visiting his brother, Walter Pickett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Giles have been visiting in Colorado points since the first of this week.

Mrs. Chris Garrison and son of Lubbock were in Herford Friday. Mrs. Garrison was principal of the grammar school here several years ago.

Miss Bertha Zimmerman of Canyon is here visiting Miss Ina Mae Hastings.

Take home a quart of Steffins ice cream. Corner Drug Store, Ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Joseph and daughter of Carrollton, Missouri, spent the past week in Herford with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolfe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCullough and son, Donald, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McCullough, returned to their home in Amarillo Monday.

Photos Wanted To Give Views Of Territory

Wishing to assist in the constructive exploitation of Herford and all the surrounding country, the chamber of commerce desires to secure photographs of attractive farm homes, ranches and cattle, unusually good crops, together with gardens, trees, shrubs, flowers and lawns, in connection with agricultural properties.

Believing that comparatively little is known of the rich, fertile and productive acres of all this fortunate territory, the chamber of commerce desires to carry the message by picture and story to the outside regions. To this end it is engaging its own photographic equipment and soliciting the aid of those, who have facilities for making the approved class of photographs to submit their products for use.

Good photographs, like good news stories, will assist the officers of the chamber of commerce say, in getting over to the people throughout the country the glories of this but sparsely settled country. They declare that this is a work slow of accomplishment, but that it can be done when every expedient shall have been worked to the limit. So it is a matter of pictures through which the work of the writer may be augmented and assisted for the general good.

Rural Women

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She pleaded for continuation of the home work here, saying the rural boys and girls are entitled to the best, since through them is being laid the foundation for better homes and good citizenship.

Eloquent Plea Presented.

Mrs. P. H. Gilliland eloquently voiced the struggles and the heart-wishes of the rural women and children in a thoughtful talk, pointing out that every other industry required organizations to promote their welfare and that rural home life was no exception. In a dramatic gesture of emphasis, she interjected that the rural women's vote counted in election returns as much as any other.

Mrs. L. P. Perkins of Wyche asserted that the supervised work had brought her community close together and her people were for Miss Gunter, the agent.

Commerce Body Pledges Aid.

The program was concluded by Joe L. Pope, secretary-manager of the chamber of commerce, who expressed a pride in the county judges and commissioners, but said they were only human and could err. He thought they would be making a grave mistake to make their gesture of last week a permanent order.

"It is my judgment and yours that we should go to the limit to persuade the court to rescind its action in withdrawing support. If we are traitors to our women, to whom shall we be true? Shall we stand with them? (Voice: Yes, followed by applause.)"

The speech of Mrs. Gilliland was so well prepared and so comprehensive, so interpretative of the thought of the rural women upon the problem under consideration that it is reprinted below in full:

HOME, DEMONSTRATION WORK MAKES BETTER AND HAPPIER HOMES

By MRS. P. H. GILLILAND, Prominent Club Woman of Westway Community.

I want to impress you with at least one thought that will make you want to uphold home demonstration work as a needed training for Deaf Smith county rural women.

It is a known fact that empire rise and fall, civilizations wax and wane, systems and creeds flourish and die—yet through it all the home lives on.

In the promotion and progress of rural homes there are three major phases wherein the home demonstration work is of great importance, namely, service, education and cooperation.

In order for the rural woman to grow and be able efficiently to stand behind the motives of her community and county, she must realize the sense of duty through the activity of service. If we leave out the deeds of service rendered, Deaf Smith county's history is a closed book.

The work under consideration is the great factor of service thru the task of doing. It is an organization of rural women that creates a central station toward achievement. We have an agent of thorough knowledge and experience who has promoted our efforts in worthwhile service. She has directed and stood shoulder to shoulder with us in laying a foundation of organized service that brings out the task of doing.

Under her organized direction we are planning and doing things on a live-at-home plan. Food conservation and home marketing is an important factor in these hours of depression.

Rural women need organized help as never before while they are standing by their husbands against the wolves of unfair prices at their doors. If you men need a chamber of commerce to help you make plans hold together, if commissioners courts are necessary for the county's welfare, why not give rural women a leader to help them hold an organization together that will provide a chance to accomplish the service that is best?

Does not the rural woman's vote at the county election mean just as much in the election's returns as that of her helpmate and town friend? And yet she is cast aside in a time of depression.

If Deaf Smith county expects rural women to achieve, they must do.

Home demonstration work is a place for them to have a chance to receive the service best, and it is a work that aids you, too.

Education is the formation of all achievement. The education or training to the rural women thru this work lies primarily in the program. Given an agent of exemplary education and training, we have programs that are an enrichment, ones that bring added intelligence.

In the rendering of programs the rural woman has a task of doing what brings added endeavor of intelligence and sportsmanship. The club programs bring rural women together to study the problems of the community, county and world. As we study these problems under the guidance of a leader, we are better prepared to help our children to live and stand

behind county progress in an age made up primarily of problems.

Home demonstration work is not only for women, but girls as well. The agent goes into communities where the girls cannot have the privilege of domestic science and domestic art training. She teaches them in an organized manner to sew, cook and can; thereby laying a foundation of efficient training that will make better home makers of tomorrow.

May I add that educationally speaking, home demonstration work gives the rural women more enthusiasm for learning that she will not acquire without organized leadership. Figuratively speaking, it carries her on the mountain top where she can enlarge her vision of the valley.

To achieve worthwhile service and attain an enrichment of intelligence, the rural woman must give and receive cooperation.

Right here let me say, in this financial depression, why can't the spirit of cooperation be shown to rural women by cutting expenses on several things, without injury to any one individual and let us keep the organization we need? This would not be a large sum, for the state and federal governments come to our help with half of the expenses.

Back to the phase of cooperation, may I say H. D. W. is the important dynamo in the life of the rural woman; it brings about friendly cooperation.

The enrichment of friendship is particularly centered around our H. D. W. It is training for rural women through wise and worthy leisure. Gathering together we learn to lay aside cares and enter into our work in the spirit of entertainment. We share with one another, receiving and giving a cooperation of friendship that prepares us to stand by county progress.

May I say: if service, education and cooperation are the motive of H. D. W., let us stand shoulder to shoulder in the struggle for its permanent maintenance.

Let it be understood, in my parting words to you, that I am no pessimist as to my county. I always bet on the sunshine in Deaf Smith county and Herford. I know beyond a doubt that the rural women are an important factor in the county's struggle for progress and why can't there be a sacrifice to give us the home demonstration work that is to us a door into service, an armory of uplifting influence, and an anchor where friends share labors, leasures, joys and sorrows in a friendly cooperation for better homes and communities?

Mrs. J. B. Harris of Ryan, Oklahoma, who has been visiting Mrs. Julia Sowell and family, returned home Saturday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Singletary.

Mrs. Grace Hughes Dyer and family are in Spearman visiting Mrs. Dyer's son.

Mrs. J. A. Neill and daughter, Nancy, returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wiltshire, in Abilene.

We sell you any remedy in the Rexall line cheap as in any large city. The Corner Drug Store, the Rexall Store. 1c

Mrs. Mark Galloway and baby of Amarillo spent last Friday in Herford with Miss Eva Skelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie P. Smith of Canyon spent Sunday here in the Megert home.

Mixed barley and wheat, sixty cents a hundred. Mixed wheat and oats, 55 cents a hundred. Herford Farmers Exchange, south of Savoy Hotel. 25-1c

Mrs. Fred Mills and Mrs. J. A. Speer left Wednesday for Dallas to be gone until Saturday.

Mrs. G. A. F. Parker was in Canyon Monday.

Eight Contestants

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last week, this drive is solely to the purpose of making the influence of the Brand felt in every nook and corner of Herford's trade territory, and it is the hope of the Brand management to place the paper in every home in the county.

With the earnestness with which the ladies who have enrolled as workers in this special campaign and viewing the outcome from this distance, it is safe to predict that the paper will be in almost every home by the time this drive closes on August 8.

The prizes offered as compensation for the effort are well worth while. The new Chevrolet special sedan, purchased from Brumley Chevrolet, is worth one's best effort. The suite of furniture now on display at the E. B. Black company is attractive. The Majestic radio, now on display at Orr's tailor shop, is a beautiful machine. The fourth and fifth prizes, a \$75 diamond ring and a \$42.50 Gruen watch are prizes to be coveted.

Saturday afternoon, July 14, at 6 o'clock will be the last chance to get bonus votes on three year subscriptions. After that date and until the close of the campaign there will be no bonus on three year subscriptions. Subscriptions will count for only the regular schedule.

It will be possible for some candidate to put themselves into a comfortable lead on this bonus and if you fall to take advantage of this opportunity it might mean that you would not win the new Chevrolet.

A good way to help your favorite to win is to get in a lot of boosting and help her secure subscriptions during the next week of the campaign. The contestants should not grow discouraged at some discouraging remark that might be made but should work every day of the campaign from now until the closing hour.

Contestants should once again, at this stage of the campaign stop and consider the value of the different prizes. After you have considered the prizes then make up your mind just which one will be awarded to you and then start right out to win the one you set your heart upon. It all depends upon your own efforts after all. Your friends are awaiting to help and it is up to you to see them.

Think of the pleasure once more of owning a fine, new motor car all your own and earned by your own hard effort. Work of this nature is real work and it takes courage to stay right in the battle each day. But courage and perseverance will win. Are you going to be a winner or just a runner in the race? Acclaim yourself now.

First Round

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building of the entire line at once instead of the south half. This division consists of only three out of the 11 commissioners. If division four should adopt the recommendation of Attorney Weed's rule that it is best to build of the south half at this time because of the serious depression, then we will appeal to the entire commission, composed of 11 members, and ask that the entire line be permitted to be built now.

"And we will prove to them that the territory at the north end is much more in need of the new road than in the south end."

Refers to Denver's Fight.

"About two or more years ago the Fort Worth & Denver applied to build a new line running from Childress north to Wellington, Shamrock and Pampa. The Santa Fe, Rock Island and the whole town of Amarillo fought it. The examining attorney at Washington recommended to division four that no part of the line be permitted to build. Division four refused to permit the Denver to build."

"The Denver then appealed to the whole body composed of the 11 commissioners and they refused to permit the Denver to build. We all thought that settled it but the Denver had a different idea. I asked and got a new hearing before the whole commission and at that hearing the commission reversed all former rulings, and granted the Denver to build as actively as it had first requested. It is now building the line."

It's Amarillo vs Lubbock Now.

"We are in much better condition. Half of our request was approved in the first round. We will knock 'em out for the count is the second round."

"In the Denver's contest Amarillo was helping the other rail roads to fight the Denver, now Amarillo is helping us and she is as much interested in getting the T. & P. N. to build as any other town is. It's to her interest, especially since Lubbock has got the Texas & Pacific. Amarillo must have it."

"I have communications from the T. & P. N. officials at Dallas saying they are in the fight as strong and determined as ever to get the whole line as applied for, all the way to Vega and Amarillo."

STAR THEATRE

HEREFORD, TEXAS

Last Time Tonight
THURSDAY, JULY 2



WILLIAM POWELL
"Ladies' Man"

ALSO GIFT NIGHT!

Monday and Tuesday
JULY 6 AND 7

1c SALE

See this picture for only 1c. If you accompany any one who pays a 35c ticket you can see the show for just 1c more. Thus two persons may see the show for 36c. See a good picture and save 34c.

Friday and Saturday
JULY 3 AND 4



ANN HARDING

in **GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST**

Gary Cooper and Carol Lombard



I TAKE THIS WOMAN
A Paramount Picture

Coming Friday and Saturday

OF NEXT WEEK, JULY 10-11

Buck Jones in "Desert Vengeance"

ASSEMBLY OF GOD WILL HAVE FELLOWSHIP MEET

An all-day fellowship meeting is announced by the Assembly of God at the church, northeast of the high school on G avenue, on July 6 and beginning at ten o'clock in the morning. Ladies of the church will serve a basket dinner.

There will be speakers from all over the section. Rev. O. Berryhill, a noted Indian preacher will speak at the night services, opening at 7:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Arrive from South America.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Elliston arrived last week from Barranquilla, Colombia, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Elliston. They journeyed a big lap of their trip by airplane over the Caribbean sea and Atlantic ocean. Pat has been in employ of an oil company in South America.

Mrs. S. D. Little arrived Sunday from Wichita, Kansas, to spend an indefinite time in the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. R. Major, and family.

Mrs. I. E. Butler and baby of Big Spring are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pétree, and her sister, Mrs. Ellis Wilson, of Herford.

Mixed barley and wheat, sixty cents a hundred. Mixed wheat and oats, 55 cents a hundred. Herford Farmers Exchange, south of Savoy Hotel. 25-1c

Bill Benton, Amarillo insurance man, was in Herford Thursday on business and visited old friends, Mr. Benton and E. S. Ireland were formerly associated in the abstract business in Dimmitt.

B. G. Cloninger of Littlefield and Vernon, began work Thursday in the shop of Ireland-Beavers Motor company. He brought his wife and two children to Herford the first of the week.

Mixed barley and wheat, sixty cents a hundred. Mixed wheat and oats, 55 cents a hundred. Herford Farmers Exchange, south of Savoy Hotel. 25-1c

C. Alexander and W. A. Cogswell were in Herford last week end and state that wheat is making much better yields here than in their home county, but that their row crops are good.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilkins drove to Lawton, Oklahoma, over the week end to bring their children home from a several weeks' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Mountz and his father, Clarence Mountz, are here this week from Detroit, visiting in the home of their brother and son, Carl Mountz and family.

S. H. Garrett of Fort Worth is in Herford this week looking after the harvesting of the wheat on his farm 11 miles northwest of town.

Mixed barley and wheat, sixty cents a hundred. Mixed wheat and oats, 55 cents a hundred. Herford Farmers Exchange, south of Savoy Hotel. 25-1c

Miss Margaret Brown, who is attending school in Canyon, came home for the week end.

Wright Ireland, who has been attending college in Amarillo, returned home Sunday.

Miss Billie Hill returned Friday from Van Horn where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jim Neill.