

The Hereford Brand

20th YEAR, NO. 48.

HEREFORD, DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS, DEC. 30, 1920.

TWO DOLLARS A YEAR.

CASH REWARD ON POULTRY AND BUTTER

SURPRISING FIGURES ON RETURNS FROM "SIDELINES"

1,000 PERCENT

Three Years Show Tremendous Strides in Development of Industries

If the average man in this community were told that the surrounding farmers and ranchmen actually sold \$20,000 worth of butter-fat in Hereford during the past year, not to mention the quantity shipped out direct, that \$18,000 worth of eggs were shipped out, and that \$22,000 worth of turkeys, chickens, etc., were produced and sold, he would probably tell you to stop kidding him.

Yet these figures are facts and, if anything, under the real grand total. The records of the local commission men are such as to make the eyes of the average man pop open in wonder at the steady growth and development of these "side lines" to the agricultural interests of the community.

More and more it is beginning to be realized that diversification pays and that the hog is not the only mortgage lifter available to the farmer. The present prices for hogs makes this old adage something of a joke, but the saying is a true one in the long run and hogs will "come back." It is estimated that the production of poultry, turkeys and butterfat has increased one thousand percent locally in the past three years. There has been quite an influx of new producers who realize the money value of these side lines to the farming industry, and many local families are taking up the development of these lines.

Just as a big hole is made in a man's bank account from an accumulation of small expenses that could be eliminated, so is a big wad added to a man's bank account by an accumulation of small incomes from these sources. With a real thrift campaign on among the people as a reaction from the recent spending orgy the future outlook for the building up of these lucrative side lines in Deaf Smith county and surrounding territory is extremely bright and encouraging.

Telephone Co. to Change Method In Calling "0"

Manager E. Hooks, of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., says that on January 1, 1921, the Telephone Company will change the practice in regard to the pronunciation of the figure "0" in repeating telephone numbers. Heretofore, in Texas we have called this "naught." We are going to change it to "Oh."

The figure "0" in a telephone number is, correctly speaking, a figure, and as such it is, as Texas calls it, "naught." But all the rest of the country is now considering it the letter "o," and calling it "Oh."

Because all the rest of the States, in their business languages, call 0 "Oh," Texas proposes to do the same thing, because our business, our activities, our influence and our communication certainly extends in every direction, far beyond the border of this State.

The Telephone authorities have been reluctant to ask the people of Texas to abandon their correct practice for this up-to-date business method, which has business expediency rather than right to recommend it. However, the business life of Texas, being to a very great extent an interstate existence, now justifies, at least in the opinion of the Telephone Company, the adoption of this universal business practice in our telephone language in Texas.

SUMMERFIELD TO DEDICATE SCHOOL ON JANUARY 10th

The new brick school house at Summerfield, erected on the site by the counties of Castro and Deaf Smith, will be ready for occupancy January 10. The trustees are now advertising for bids for the sale of the old structure.

The new schoolhouse is of concrete and brick, has three class rooms, an auditorium and basement, and was built expressly to meet state requirements in the matter of ventilation, sanitation, etc. The district will employ two teachers, and eventually will have three. At present 61 pupils are enrolled.

Here's a "Bull" Story

Maybe this one is true, maybe not. But here's how we heard it:

One dark night last week a traveling man alighted from the night train and took a casual look around before starting up town. His eye happened to alight upon the handsome new stuccoed Barn and Sale Pavilion of the Hereford Registered Breeders' Ass'n across the street and, without the slightest hesitation, he walked snappily across and tried to open the front door. A local man passed by about that time.

"What's the matter with this hotel?" queried the traveler. "This is a good looking place on the outside, but awfully dark on the inside."

"That is not a hotel," said the local man, that is a Bull Barn.

"Gosh," remarked the stranger, taking a long look at the building, "you fellows up here sure must treat your bulls right!" There're two morals to this story—who knows what they are?

Members to Meet Hereafter Once In Each Month

The first membership meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held at the club rooms last Tuesday night. The fire which destroyed the McEntyre home broke out just as the meeting was scheduled and cut down the attendance materially, but the program was carried through.

The Secretary made a detailed report of the financial condition and activities of the organization, and this was followed by individual reports from directors and general discussion of the needs of the community and methods of procedure.

The exchange of ideas was highly gratifying to all present, and it was voted to hold a similar meeting on the first Tuesday night in each month hereafter, beginning with February.

The vital point stressed at this meeting was that members and other citizens who should be members but are not, who do not attend the weekly luncheons occasionally cannot keep themselves informed as to the work of the organization and naturally begin to ask questions. A resolution was passed to make extraordinary efforts in the future to secure the attendance of business men and others at these meetings.

The affairs of the organization are in a healthy condition, the various committees have planned out several lines of vital work, and the outlook for future service of real merit to the community is bright.

Come to the Monday Luncheons!

Gun Club Shoots Are Getting to Be Very Popular

The Hereford Gun Club is holding regular weekly shoots on Tuesday of each week, and on Christmas day chose sides and had a contest that excited lots of rivalry and produced a good time all around. Some of those who could not get the hang of it at first are rapidly developing in crack shots, and the general average of "dead" birds is gradually rising with each additional practice.

On Christmas Day two teams were chosen, one headed by Allen Bell and the other by D. L. McDonald. The former crew won by a close margin.

The grounds are located south of the Santa Fe tracks near the old laundry building. It is understood that the club members are to hold an election of officers in the near future and put the organization on a permanent business footing.

ROWAN ACCEPTS TEACHING WORK AT RUSK, TEXAS

Robert E. Rowan, who has been representing an insurance company at this point for several months past, has accepted a position as instructor in mathematics in the Rusk Junior College at Rusk, Texas, and left for that place Wednesday. Mrs. Rowan and children will follow later on.

Mr. Rowan has sold his home to F. A. Robinson, who will move his family in from northwest Hereford at once.

Mr. Rowan was coach of the town football team during the late gridiron season and has made many warm friends locally who regret to see him leave here. He will work for his college degree while teaching in the Rusk college.

One-Nine-Two-One-A. D.



J. E. McENTYRE'S HOME WIPED OUT TUESDAY BY FIRE

The residence of John E. McEntyre, adjoining that of J. Frank Potts and across the street from the D. C. Laird home, was totally consumed by fire about 7:00 o'clock Tuesday evening. No one was at home at the time, Mrs. McEntyre and daughter being way at Dimmitt and Mr. McEntyre and a friend had just gone down town. There had been a fire in the heater, and it is presumed the blaze originated from that, although nothing definite is known.

Messrs. Laird and Potts first discovered the fire coming through the roof and upon attempting to open a door were forced back by a rush of flames, the entire exterior being a solid blaze. The fire department responded as promptly as its crippled condition permitted and a fight to save the house was made, but without avail. It was only by careful work and luck in that the wind was right that Mr. Potts' home was saved.

Only a few articles were rescued from the house, and these were damaged. It is understood that insurance to the amount of \$3,000 was carried on the house and \$1,000 on the furnishings.

The house was known as the old Charlie Williams place. Frank McCall purchased it from Mr. Williams, and Mr. McEntyre acquired it several months ago.

LOCAL CHURCHES WILL OBSERVE A WEEK OF PRAYER

The Week of Prayer will be observed by the churches of Hereford. At a meeting of the ministers of the city, held at Mr. Sharp's study Tuesday afternoon, the week of prayer, Jan. 3 to 7 inclusive, the subjects announced by the Federal Council of Church of Christ in America, were thoroughly discussed and the following program agreed upon.

Monday Night, at the Methodist Church. Subject: Thanksgiving and Confession—discussed by Mr. Asbell. Tuesday Night, at the Presbyterian Church. Subject: The Church Universal—discussed by Mr. Beavers. Wednesday Night, at the Christian Church. Subject: Nation and Their Rulers—discussed by Mr. Sharp. Thursday Night, at the Methodist Church. Subject: Families—G. A. F. Parker; Educational Institutions—E. E. Ramsey; The Young—A. M. Jones.

Friday Night, at the Presbyterian Church. Subject: Home Missions—What do we Mean by Home Missions—Mr. Asbell; Home Mission Work in Hereford—Mr. Beavers; The Layman's Contribution to Home Missions—Mr. Sharp. It is a beautiful sentiment which calls upon all local churches to forget denominationalism for one week and unite their forces in the gospel of the knee. It is not only a beautiful sentiment, but it is statesman-like for the people of God to begin the year with one week of prayer and devotion. We call upon all the people of Hereford to unite in this series of services.

That Christmas Cantata at the Christian Church last Sunday night, led by Miss Mattie Swisher, has provoked perhaps the greatest amount of pleased comment of any similar undertaking here in years. The best singers of the community participated, the program was tastefully arranged and handled without a hitch, and the evening hour was filled with the melody that lingers in the memory with pleasing anticipations of more to come.

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Entertainment of this nature cannot be bettered. All honor to Miss Swisher and the members of the Community choir who lent their aid to this successful undertaking.

JOHNNIE ORR VERY BADLY HURT WHEN KICKED BY HORSE

Little Johnnie Orr, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Orr, is lying in the Hereford Sanitarium in a critical condition as the result of a most unfortunate accident about dusk Wednesday afternoon. A horse kicked the little fellow just below his ribs and literally tore him all to pieces inside, although, strange as it may seem, the skin was unbroken and no visible marks left outside.

Dr. Price, assisted by Drs. Gabbert and Hicks, performed an emergency operation early Thursday morning. Johnnie stood the shock well, but is too early at this writing to predict the outcome.

The boy went out to the Jim Robinson farm, three miles west of Hereford, about four o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Together with some other boys he was unharassing the horse when the animal suddenly wheeled and kicked him hard. He was brought to town at once and medical attention given him. The operation revealed the fact that a terrible hole had been torn through the inside of his body and the cavity was filled with blood.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr have the sincere sympathy of the community and their hosts of friends are praying that the little fellow pulls through to long life and good health.

PURCELL ARRESTS CAR SUSPECT; IS SENT TO CLOVIS

Sheriff C. S. Purcell picked up a stranger on the streets last Thursday and held him temporarily on suspicion of having a car in his possession belonging to some one else. The sheriff's suspicions were aroused by the actions of the man. The man has been turned over to the sheriff of Curry county, Clovis, N. M., as it is believed the trail leads back that way.

J. W. McQueen Wins \$5.00 Prize For Being Most Polite Merchant During Xmas Rush in Muskogee

J. W. McQueen of Muskogee, Okla., formerly in the grain business in Hereford, won a newspaper contest for politeness to customers during the recent Christmas rush. The Muskogee Daily Phoenix ran a "Politeness Contest" and offered a cash prize of \$5.00 to the winner, testing out the merchants by personal interviews through reporters and by telephone orders. Here's what the Phoenix has to say about it:

"Yuletide's festive spirit seems to have made everybody in Muskogee polite. At least the Phoenix politeness reporter found nothing but civility on his rounds yesterday, and he supposed it was the Yuletide spirit working in people.

"But maybe the politeness tests have something to do with it. They have been making folks think a little more than usual about politeness and thought usually is followed by conscious effort of some kind.

"Anyway it appeared to the politeness reporter yesterday as if everyone was on his mettle to be polite and picking the winner of the Phoenix's cash prize of \$5 was no easy task. Finally, however, he decided the plum belonged to:

J. W. McQueen, of Third street near Court.

Mr. McQueen is a florist and his busiest season comes in the holidays. Notwithstanding this fact he answered a variety of questions put to him, over the telephone yesterday by the politeness reporter without a show of impatience. Then the test like this:

Had No Sunflowers
"Got any sunflowers?"

INTEREST PAYMENTS DEFERRED

LAND COMMISSIONER TO PROTECT PUBLIC IN TROUBLE

County Clerk Lee Biggs is in receipt of the following communication from J. T. Robison, Commissioner of the General Land office at Austin, concerning interest due January 1 on land, and unpaid owing to money stringency:

GENERAL LAND OFFICE, AUSTIN, STATE OF TEXAS
December 23, 1920.

County Clerk, Deaf Smith County, Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Having ascertained something about the money stringency and how utterly impossible it is for parties owning land to get the money with which to pay their interest I am writing you this to say I am not going to forfeit and place on the market land advertised to be forfeited and for sale January first even if the interest on it is not paid.

Please phone or write to all of the banks in your county and to such other persons as you may desire and especially to local newspapers.

I do not know when forfeitures will be declared, but the people will be given ample time before that event in which to get their payments here. I do not believe the Government should take from the people the land, during a time of distress. They should be encouraged to know that the Government will try to protect them in time of need.

Yours truly,
J. T. Robison, Commissioner.

Discuss the Gas Situation With Amarillo Folks

President D. L. McDonald, E. W. Harrison and the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce visited Amarillo last Monday and met representatives of the Amarillo gas company. The question of the probability of securing natural gas from the Amarillo fields for Hereford was discussed. Everything has to have a beginning and the trip was made to start the beginning.

The discussion revealed the fact that it may be possible to secure gas here in the future, and that Amarillo is looking to the Hereford shallow water belt for her future water supply. Both propositions will probably come to a head during 1921. The meeting resulted in a good understanding and the most cordial kind of feeling on both sides.

Following this conference Santa Fe officials were interviewed and a promise secured to have the lighting situation at the Santa Fe depot looked into at once.

"Sunflowers?"

"Yeh."

"No sir, we haven't," said Mr. McQueen.

"Why haven't you?" asked the politeness reporter.

"Why, sunflowers went up last August."

"How do you mean went up?"

"Dried up at the end of their season," Mr. McQueen replied.

"Well, can't you get me some sunflowers?"

"I'm very much afraid I can't. There isn't a one on the market anywhere that I know of."

"Well, it looks like you fellows would grow sunflowers in your greenhouses," continued the politeness reporter. "I'm from Kansas and I like to have sunflowers with my Christmas tree."

Thought It Good Joke

"Would seem like 'home, wouldn't it?"

"Why don't you try growing them for us boys from Kansas? Looks like you could do that much for us."

"I hadn't thought of that," replied the florist. "Mabe I can have sunflowers for the Kansas boys next Christmas. That's a good suggestion, much obliged for it."

Mr. McQueen considered it a good joke when the politeness reporter told him who he was.

The politeness reporter decided the prize belonged to the florist after he had made numerous excursions into heretofore unexplored regions in search of politeness.

WATCHMAN IS NEEDED; FIRE MEN ALSO

NIGHT GUARD AND FIRE COMPANY WILL BE PROVIDED

CRIME EPIDEMIC

Merchants Believe That An Ounce of Prevention Good Dope.

Mayor Knight issued a circular Thursday of this week calling a meeting of merchants and business men generally at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Thursday night.

A nice audience greeted him when he rose to explain the two objects of the meeting: (1) the immediate need for a Night Watchman for the business district, to guard against fires, burglaries, etc., and (2) the necessity for the organization of a Volunteer fire department.

Both subjects were threshed out in detail. It was finally resolved to present the matter of the Night Watchman to the directors of the Chamber of Commerce at their weekly meeting next Monday, and the City Commission was asked to appoint a Fire Chief who, with the aid of the Commission, could pick a volunteer company to handle the fires of the future.

The epidemic of crime all over the country may hit Hereford at any moment and the opinion was unanimous that a Watchman is an absolute necessity just at this time. Incidentally, the employment of such a man will reduce the insurance premiums of the business district about \$500 per annum.

Whether a member of the Chamber of Commerce or not, every property owner and interested citizen should be on hand Monday noon, at the Morrison Cafe, to settle this matter for all time. Reservations for a place at the table should be made by phoning the Chamber of Commerce, number 54, before nine o'clock Monday morning.

Benefit Ass'n Meeting Without A Legal Quorum

The Hereford Benefit Association held a called meeting at the office of Secretary D. F. Ashbrook Tuesday afternoon. President J. H. Head explained that the object was to change the constitution and by-laws so as to conform to state requirements. Heretofore the association has not had to make a report to the State Department of Insurance & Banking, but it is necessary now. The present fiscal year runs from July to July while under the new arrangement it will be necessary to report from January to January.

After discussion it was discovered that the constitution requires a minimum of fifty members present to change the by-laws and as there were not that many present it was decided to continue as at present for the time being and hold another meeting later when the state requirements could be met with a legal quorum.

PLAINVIEW SECTY VISITS HEREFORD ON BUSINESS TRIP.

Secretary Boswell, of the Plainview Board of City Development, was a visitor to Hereford the past week. Mr. Boswell is working on several matters of mutual interest to Plainview and Hereford. He is a young man, just turned twenty-one, and a native product of his home town. His address is very pleasing and his enthusiasm and earnestness is contagious. The Hereford Chamber of Commerce entertained Mr. Boswell while here, and the two organizations plans to do constructive work together in the future.

CALIFORNIA HAS NOTHING TO BEAT WEATHER OF LATE

Talk about California climate! Come to Hereford in December. There never was any prettier weather than the brand served out locally by the Weather Man during the past week. Clear, bright skies, a smiling sun, cool crisp snappiness in the atmosphere, cold enough at night to struggle down under the cover and sleep the sleep of the dreamless.

OLD FRIENDS OF L. L. GARTON HERE

L. Thomas and wife of Mayfield, Kentucky, are visiting in the home of L. L. Garton. The two families were former friends and neighbors back in the Kentucky town. Mrs. A. J. Thompson, of Amarillo, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

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STRICTLY IN ADVANCE

JUST CARRY ON

Daily papers in the cities are receiving from \$2.50 to \$4.00 per inch for advertising. They are buying their white paper by the car lots at several cents per hundred less than the weekly papers and are able to produce from twelve to sixteen pages per thousand circulation for the same or less than the weekly paper can print six or eight pages. On the other hand the weeklies are receiving from twenty-five to forty cents per inch for their space. Printer's wages are higher now than in the history of the country and will continue to be so, for there is a shortage. During the war many printers joined the colors and of those who lived to be discharged, many drifted into other lines of work. For the past five years there has been such a rush of business that printers have neglected to train up any apprentices, not caring to undertake the time and loss of material incident to their training. Thus weekly publishers find themselves in a worse plight than at any time in the memory of the oldest veteran. Not one single item entering into their costs has dropped in cost, nor is there any signs in the heavens which give promise of near relief. There is just one thing for the publisher to do—act like any other business man in the same circumstances and hold his overhead expenses as low as possible while he sells his product—space, subscription, and job printing—for a fair profit. By this means he may hold the respect of his banker, his business connections and his own self respect.—Clarendon News.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Deaf Smith.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, on the 22nd day of Nov., 1920, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of H. G. Hendricks and A. M. Mood versus C. W. Strance, and to me, Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in January, A. D. 1921, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, in the town of Hereford, the following described property, to-wit:

All that part of Section No. 19 in Block A, situated and lies in the County of Deaf Smith and the State of Texas, being about 111 acres of said section.

Levied on as the property of C. W. Strance to satisfy a Judgment amounting to \$550.00 in favor of H. G. Hendricks and A. M. Mood and cost of suit. Given under my hand, this 8th day of December, 1920.

46-4t C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Deaf Smith.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, on the 7th day of

December, 1920, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of H. F. Glessler vs. Clarence McKey and Amy Pearl McKey No. 1192, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales on the FIRST TUESDAY in January, A. D. 1921, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, in the city of Hereford, the

following described property, to-wit: Situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, and being all the E. 1-2 of the N. E. 1-4 of Section 87, Block K-4, Certificate No. 133, containing eighty acres located about one mile West and fifteen miles North of Hereford.

Levied on as the property of Clarence McKey and Amy Pearl McKey to satisfy a Judgment amounting to \$912.16 and interest thereon in favor

of H. F. Glessler and cost of suit. Given under my hand, this the 8th day of December, 1920.

46-4t C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff,
Deaf Smith County, Texas.

W. S. WILLIAMS
Auctioneer
Office with Morgan & Williams
Ellison Building
Phone 273 Hereford, Texas

When in need of job printing, call The Brand.

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J. Frank Potts

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DALLAS, TEXAS

Your love for those dear ones is expressed in the Monument you buy.



What does an unmarked Grave designate—Love or Negligence?

LET ME PLAN WITH YOU FOR A GREAT WESTERN MEMORIAL WHICH IS KNOWN FOR ITS TENDER EXPRESSIVENESS AND ETERNAL DURABILITY.

P. R. PURCELL, AGENT
Hereford, Texas

1921 Greeting

Cotton Seed Meal—Cold Pressed Cake. Our prices are always right.

Jones & McLean Grain Co.

Phone No. 1 for Quick, Prompt Delivery

Where do your feet hurt?



Are you able to put your finger on the location of the pain or discomfort? Is the pain caused by such conditions as corns, bunions, burning, tender spots on the sole, cramps through the toes, and an aching or bruised feeling in the heels?

Dr. Scholl's Foot Comfort Appliances

We have a thoroughly trained foot expert whose special training enables him to instantly locate foot troubles, explain the cause and advise the proper course to pursue. He will give you a practical demonstration of how Dr. Scholl's Appliances produce foot comfort and effect permanent correction.

This service is absolutely free and is installed by us for your benefit and comfort. It will be worth your time to drop in and see our expert regarding your difficulty. He can undoubtedly tell you something about your feet you never knew before and render you an exceptionally valuable service. These corns, bunions, calluses, aches and pains are probably outward symptoms of a weakened structural condition. Delay only aggravates such matters. Make it a point to have your feet attended to today.



Watch Your Feet!

Dr. Miles will be here Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, January 4, 5 and 6.

Tubb Shoe Shop
Repairing That's Different

WHO PAYS THE BILL?

High rent, big interest on large stocks and goods bought through salesmen whose large salaries must be paid by the consumer, means a big overhead expense.

Compare it with low rent, small stocks turned often and no salesmen's expenses and our "quick sales and small profits" plan and think it over. Who pays the bill.

Let us show you that retreading and repairing does pay.

H. L. RICE

Opposite new Magnolia Filling Station.

MAKE THIS BANK YOUR BANK

The New Year

Start out on the new year with a resolution to SAVE more of your earnings and to place the money in our Bank where it will be safe.

You couldn't well make a better start. The year lies before you. Success or failure depend largely upon your own efforts. Start right. Then, no matter how slowly you travel you are at least going ahead and in the right direction. Resolve to make this year the best year of your life. The past is a closed book, leaving nothing but experience. The new year opens a new book of opportunity. Make the most of it. We will help you.

The First State Bank and Trust Company

of Hereford

"Courtesy first"

"Safety always"

OUR DEPOSITS ARE GUARANTEED BY THE STATE

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS OVER \$100,000

For Sale

Here is your chance to own you a Home. 2,000 acres of fine wheat land. Will sell 100 to 640 acre tracts. Price, \$20.00 per acre, 1-4 cash; balance from one to fifteen years, or will sell entire tract on same terms.

J. H. Pitman
Hereford, Texas

The Good Year 1920 Is Gone

Many of our loved ones and friends passed to the great beyond during 1920. Many more will pass out during 1921. It may be you. It may be me. This is a time of readjustment of things incident to the Great War, and many of us are having a hard time getting through, but if we live, we will get by; but the serious thought is have we made provision for our families if we die.

Just one way, take out sufficient amount of Life Insurance to, not only protect our creditors, but to protect our families. Have you done this? If not, call to see me. I have a Policy that won't cost much, but will meet this emergency.

I thank you, one and all, for your business during the past; and shall greatly appreciate your business during 1921; and promise you the best possible Insurance Service.

Strongest in the Panhandle.

The T. K. Wilson Insurance Agency

CHURCH NOTES

Presbyterian Church
 9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
 11 a. m. Preaching—By the Pastor.
 3 p. m. Junior C. E.
 5:30 p. m. Senior C. E.
 6:30 p. m. Preaching—Roy T. Nunn.
 Come to think about it, how much would I have known about the Bible had I not gone to Sunday School and Church. Yes, it is true the Bible is a universal book and wherever the Bible has gone conditions have improved. The Bible is the real foundation of all morality of civilization in fact.
 Guess I'll go back. I'll start the New Year right. I'll be at Sunday I'll go for my own sake.
 I'll go for the sake of my family.
 I'll go for the sake of the church.
 I'll go for the sake of the community.
 I'll go for the sake of my (Christian) nation.
 I'll go for the sake of that larger portion of the world that needs the Holy Sacred influence of the Church now as never before.
 Yes, I'll go next Sunday and every other Sunday thereafter.
 Try our welcome.
J. E. Sharp, Pastor.

Y. P. M. S.
Sunday, January 2, 1922, M. E. Church
 3 p. m.
Part 1.

Song.
 Prayer.
 Bible Lesson—Jesus Choosing his Traveling Companions. Mark 3:13-19.
 Song—No. 420 Hymnal.
 Missionary Tour Outlined—Miss Swisher.
 Deposit for Tickets and Touring Books. Advance Deposits—Lenis Anthony.

Part 2.
First Stop—Thomasville, Georgia—
 Kathleen Hawkins.
 Seeing Yashti—Gladys Beavers.
 Prayer for Yashti—Maurine Hughes.
 Gladys Bryant, Grace Sites.
 Special Song—Mildred Cross, Anita Parker.
 Off to New Orleans, via Montgomery, Mobile, and Biloxi—Elizabeth Stegall.
 Installation of Officers—Bro. Beavers.
 Other business.
 "Pop" meeting.
 Leader—Lenis Anthony.
 Everyone come, bring some new member. We have an important meeting. Be sure and bring all dues.

First Christian Church
"The Big Church with a Big Welcome"
 The Community "Christmas Sing" was a big success. Every seat in the auditorium was filled. The gallery overflowed and extra chairs filled some of the aisles. Much credit is due to Miss Swisher and Miss Williamson, two talented musicians from our public schools.

The offering of the evening went to feed the three million five hundred thousand starving children of central Europe. It amounted to \$276.30. Hereford still maintains her reputation for liberality in spite of the low price of cattle and grain. It is one fine community. If anyone desires to get in on the Near East Belle, you can hand or mail a check to J. M. Abell, County Chairman, and he will send it in.

The Church Calendar is as follows:
 Beginning Monday Night with a business session of Mr. Asbell's class in the church office. Wednesday night, Service of Prayer. Thursday night, the Young People's Class Supper in the basement dining room. They will gather at 6:30, cook supper, set the table, eat, have a business session around the table, wash the dishes and go home. That makes a happy combination. It is great fun to see some of the boys, with big checkered aprons, doing K. P. duty. The menu will consist of: creamed potatoes, Oysters served in any style, celery, pie, cocoa, coffee and milk. Mr. Asbell and Mrs. Jane Dameron are the champion consumers of raw oysters. The class has an enrollment of 60 and is still growing.

Saturday, the ladies will meet in the basement auditorium for a business session and to set the tables for the big Sunday Dinner. It has been the custom of the First Christian Church for a number of years, to have a Membership dinner on the first Sunday of the New Year.

Sunday morning there will be an election of Church officers. All the members are asked to be present and help elect the body of men. No greater honor can come to a wife or mother

than to have her husband, son or brother set apart as an officer in the Church of the Living God.

The Pastor will preach Sunday morning on "The Dignity and Glory of Being an Elder or a Deacon." The evening service will be at 6:45.

Supt. Claude Ricketts is working hard to build up a live Bible School and his efforts are meeting with success. The C. E. meets at 5:30. Bible School at 9:45 and the Communion and Preaching at 10:45. You are welcome to everything the Christian Church has to offer.

J. M. Asbell, Pastor.

Methodist Missionary Society

On Wednesday, Dec. 22, the ladies of the Methodist Missionary Society very agreeably surprised their Vice President, Mrs. G. A. F. Parker, with a birthday dinner. It was so arranged that the ladies met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Hammer at 10:30 and by 11:00 quite a procession wended its way to Mrs. Parker's back door, where they greeted the honoree with the demand that she tell how old she was. The house was soon filled with guests, Mrs. Billy Eicks, Mrs. R. W. Carroll, and Bro. Beavers, also being invited for this occasion. A wonderful turkey dinner was soon spread on the table, each lady having brought a dish of something good to eat.

As each guest left the table she registered in the "guest book," also giving the date of her birth.

In the afternoon, the regular business meeting of the Society was held at the Parker home. Mrs. Ashbrook, as the Planview District Secretary, gave a splendid "tithing" and she also conducted the devotional. Mrs. Billy Hicks led in prayer, after which written reports of officers of the last quarter, as well as for the whole year, were given, the summary of which will be published in next week's issue of The Hereford Brand.

After the reports of all standing committees, of the "kitchen and floor" committee of our new church, Mrs. Stocking in the name of The Music Study Club, presented the Society with a donation of \$15.29 to be used as a donation towards our pipe organ fund. A rising vote of thanks was given the Music Club. A Missionary Tea was discussed and it was decided to have a series of teas in the near future. The Nominating Committee submitted their report which was accepted as a whole as follows:

President—Mrs. J. Frank Potts.
 Vice-President—Mrs. Frank Ward.
 Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Roy Stocking.
 Rec. Secretary—Mrs. J. B. Jones.
 Treasurer—Mrs. H. H. Hawkins.
 Supt. of Young People—Miss Mattie Swisher.

Supt. of Social Service—Mrs. G. M. Heard.

Supt. of Study and Publicity—Mrs. D. F. Ashbrook.

Supt. of Supplies—Mrs. I. H. Spratt.
 Local Treasurer—Mrs. J. A. Stegall.

A rising vote of thanks was given our president, Mrs. D. F. Ashbrook, for her faithful, efficient and earnest work in the Society for the past two years.

Mrs. D. W. Hawkins then gave a toast to the honoree, Mrs. G. A. F. Parker, Mrs. D. F. Ashbrook, Mother Turrentine and Mother Betts, Mrs. Parker and Mother Betts giving a response. Mrs. Roy Stocking and Mrs. A. C. Thompson gave a special duet.

All too soon the closing hour came and one of the best meetings of the Society was closed with prayer.

Program for January 4th, 1922

Hymn.
 Bible Lesson.
 Prayer.

Topic—"The City of Tampa."

1. Facts About the City—Mrs. G. A. F. Parker.
 a. Work Settlement—Mrs. W. O. Fox.
 b. Its Origin and Past History—Mrs. Roy Stocking.

c. Its Present Service—Mrs. Eaca Harrison.

2. Ross Valdes Settlement:
 a. The Community; b. The School—Mrs. F. T. Roloson.

c. The Social Center—Mrs. M. M. Beavers.

d. Urban Society Bird Free Clinic—Mrs. J. A. Stegall.

Special Prayer for Workers of the Wolf and Valdes Settlement.
 Announcement of Committees.
 Pledge cards—distributed and collected.

Message from Home Base by all the Society in unison—page 397, "Voice."
 Members please bring their December Voice to this meeting.

VICTIMS RESCUED

Kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles are most dangerous because of their insidious attacks. Heed the first warning they give that they need attention by taking

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for these disorders, will often ward off these diseases and strengthen the body against further attacks. Three sizes, all druggists. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box.

Big-Boned Poland China Hogs

I have always something to sell, in either aged or young stock.

There's nothing better than the hogs I raise.

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and the surest, quickest and most economical method of finding foot efficiency is to pay a visit to our Foot Comfort Department. We have specialized on this one subject and have acquired a degree of expertness and proficiency which will actually astonish you.

Our success is attributed to two things, first

Dr. Scholl's Foot Comfort Appliances

and Remedies and, second, to our specially trained foot expert. This man is a genius when it comes to putting abnormal, painful feet in a comfortable, efficient condition. Step in and let us tell you more about this wonderful service. It is absolutely free but is invaluable to those who do not know what foot comfort really means.

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Gives quick relief to tired, aching feet, weak ankles, callouses, fallen arches, and weak feet. Equalizes weight of body, and relieves strained muscles and ligaments. The world's greatest foot comfort appliance. Over two million in use.



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We Have For Sale in Second Hands Cars

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- 1 1919 Coupe
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These cars are in first rate mechanical condition. Worth the money.

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YOU ARE INVITED

to be on hand Tuesday, January 4th to see us load our first car of grain from our excellent new elevator which is just completed and in operation. Come and inspect the new plant.

E. W. HARRISON

Phone 76



We wish you a most Happy and Prosperous New Year

Your Good Will and Fine Spirit of Co-operation has resulted in an enlarged ability and willingness for service on the part of this Bank.

Here is to the health of each friend and parton of our bank; may our relations grow closer, our place in your financial affairs become larger, is the wish that accompanies this New Years Greeting.



Society

Xmas Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Phillips and Carl Mounts and family took dinner in the home of Frank Lambert on Christmas Day.

Bridge Party

On Monday evening, December 27, 1921, a number of young people were very charmingly entertained at the T. K. Wilson home. Games of Bridge and Five Hundred were played throughout the evening.

Those to enjoy this occasion were: Misses Sena Mae Mounts, Olive Wilson, Dean Dunlap, Laura Gregg, Grace Skelton, Gladys Hicks and Douglas, Catherine and Victoria Wilson, Messrs. Jack Mounts, Ho Chamness, Homer Wilson, Claude Skelton, Ferd Johnson, Caldwell Hicks, Johnathan Pitman, Hubbs Pitman and Mac Pitman.

Dinner Guests

E. W. Harrison and family, Geo. and Mother Turrentine were entertained at a big dinner on Sunday, Dec. 26, at the country home of Dr. Turrentine, one mile north and west of Hereford. No flowers or special decorations, but just a good old fashioned country dinner, which was enjoyed by all.

Forty-Two Party

Miss Maurine Hughes entertained on Christmas night with a 42 party, honoring Cecil and Hazel O'Brien, of Amarillo.

The house was decorated with the usual Christmas decorations, and at a late hour a salad course was served to the following guests: Eloyse Pitman, Virginia Laird, Eva Skelton, Elizabeth Stegall, Mary McDonald, Grace Ferguson, Annie W. Lee, Frances Wilson, Kathleen Hawkins, Dorothy Barber, and Hazel O'Brien; Roger Wilkinson, Paul Wilson, Milton Beavers, Bill Black, Thurmon Hines, Roger Corbett, Newell Hughes and Cecil O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams Entertain

Bridge furnished very enjoyable entertainment for a number of young people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams on Wednesday, Dec. 29. At the close of the evening a dainty salad course was served to the following guests:

Misses Clara Dunlap, Bonnie Chamness, Mary Jane Fox, Douglas Wilson, Vivienne Steckman, Gladys Walton, of Mangum, Okla., Ethel Fuqua, of Amarillo, and Messrs. Bobo McLean, Fred Oberthier, Clifford Acker, Roy Jowell, Johnathan Pitman, Clyde Gregg, and Arthur Lawrence.

Birthday Party

Mrs. R. K. Bruner entertained with a delightful birthday party, in honor of her little daughter, Mary Christine's, eleventh birthday, December 23, from 2 until 5 o'clock. During the time, miscellaneous games and music were enjoyed and at a late hour the youngsters repaired to their homes, after having voted Mrs. Bruner a most charming hostess. Those present were: Wanda and Mary Wilkinson, Frances Oberthier, Frances Guinn, Jessie Rhea Glibbreath, Ruth Conkright, Ina Mae Hastings, Pauline Wilson, Alleath Elliston, Arlena Savage and Mary Christine Bruner, the honoree.

A Christmas Dinner

A most enjoyable day was spent on Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wagner, of Parrott, when a bountiful dinner, including turkey and all the "fixings," was served to their children and grandchildren, with the exception of one son, who resides in Wisconsin.

One feature of the day, which was enjoyed especially by the grandchildren, was the Christmas tree, laden with goodies and surrounded by stockings for each one. The afternoon was spent in devouring Christmas eats and in homey conversation and distributing presents. The parents were presented with a gas lamp from the children, and in return each one received remembrances from the parents. Those who were present at this delightful holiday affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Backus and children, Leslie, Marie and Earl; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Birkenfeld and children, Lillian, Clarence and Elleen; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagner and son, Lawrence; Mr. and Mrs. John Stork and little daughter, Florene, and Miss Loretta Wagner. One who was present.

Junior Missionary Society

M. E. Church, January 1st, at 4 p. m. Opening Song—Never Be Afraid. Prayer in unison. Minutes and roll call. Bible Lesson: Resolutions for 1921. (Eph. 6:10-17) Here are the things we will promise to do. (Please commit to memory.) I will tell the truth at all times. I will try always to be square. I will be helpful at home and remember my mite box. I will take Jesus as my Savior. I will read my Bible. Song. A trip and what came of it—Josephine Stocking. Piano Solo—Martha Duncan. Losing yet finding—Gwendolyn Spradley. Closing prayer. Leader—Frances Oberthier.

Hereford Markets

Wheat, bu.	\$1.50
Oats, bu.	.45
Kafr, per 100	.65
Maize, per 100	.70
Red Top, per 100	.75
Butter, lb.	.40
Cream, lb.	.38
Eggs, doz.	.40
Turkeys, lb.	.24
Chickens, lb.	.18
Lard, lb.	.15
Beef dressed, lb.	.18
Pork, dressed, lb.	.12

NOTICE
The Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, will on the 14th day of February, 1921, receive proposals from any Banking Incorporation, Association, or Individual Banker in said County who may desire to be selected as the Depository of the funds of said County, for the two years following.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$500.00 as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder.

Each sealed bid shall state the rate of interest that said Banking Incorporation, Association or Individual Banker offers to pay on the funds of the County for the term between the bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository, and be delivered to the County Judge of said County on or before Monday, February 14th, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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Money lost without question if HOFFER'S Salve fails to cure treatment of ITC, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Try a 75 cent box at our risk.
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The said Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject all bids.
W. M. MEGERT,
County Judge.

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Farm Sales a Specialty.
Write for Dates.
Terms, 1 percent on the Dollar.
Box 41, Friona, Texas.

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Buys all kinds of Poultry and Cream. Top market Cash price paid at all times.
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We desire to extend to you the Compliments of the Season and express our sincere wishes for your prosperity the coming year with a continuance of the cordial relations existing between us.
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Cleaning and Pressing
Store Closed Xmas Day!

Announcement
After considerable effort we have secured the services of Dr. Miles,
A Foot Expert, of Chicago
specially trained in the Dr. Scholl Method of Foot Correction, who will be at this store
Tues. - Wed. - Thurs.
January 4 - 5 - 6
Tubb Shoe Shop
Hereford, Texas
You are cordially invited

1921 Greetings
We cordially invite you to make this store yours for the coming New Year.
D. R. Gass & Son
"Your Store Always"

Pay Cash
Beginning Saturday, January 1, 1921
We will sell Gasoline, Oils, Etc. For Cash Only. 25 percent Discount on Vulcanizing and Retreading.
Let us work on your Caseing. Our work is guaranteed.
Hereford Garage, Storage & Filling Station
Ralph Barnett John Miller

1921--GREETINGS--1921
Resolved—To use Amaryllis and Great West Flour
"Amaryllis" and "Great West" Flour
You know good flour from bad, but do you know the difference between "good" flour and flour that is "perfect?"
Great West and Amaryllis Flour, milled from the choicest wheat of the Panhandle, cleaned, washed and scoured—ground and refined, are the "Perfect Flours."
AT YOUR GROCER'S
Great West Mill & Elevator Company B. R. DIXON, Mgr.
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Don't Neglect Your Feet
Are they well shaped, high arched feet—free from defects—enabling you to thoroughly enjoy life? Comfortable feet unconsciously stimulate desire for vigorous walking and wholesome recreation—and this action in itself is an aid to health.
Or, are your feet like the above, which typify seventy-five percent of the feet of persons who are compelled to be on their feet long hours. Notice the weakened and degenerated arches—the cramped and contracted toes—the crooked and enlarged great toe joints (bunions)—corns on the tops of the feet and callouses on the balls of the feet. Such feet mean inefficiency. They tire easily, the soles burn, the heels ache and frequently cause pain in the ankles and legs, like rheumatism. These conditions can be quickly relieved and permanently corrected with
Dr. Scholl's Foot Comfort Appliances
Thousands of people suffer from some form of foot trouble and are unable to determine just what causes it. Recognizing the great prevalence of foot ailments we have in attendance a Practitioner, a specially trained foot expert who will be pleased to explain to you the Dr. Scholl method of foot relief and correction.
His services are gratuitously given. You are placed under no obligations whatever. He will explain to you why your feet are giving you trouble and how to correct the difficulty by being fitted to the proper Dr. Scholl Appliance. Remember there is a Dr. Scholl Foot Appliance or Remedy for every form of foot trouble.
If you have neglected your feet here is the opportunity to have them put in the highest state of perfection.
Watch Your Feet!

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Repairing That's Different

1920-21

At the close of the busiest year in our history, we extend to our many customers and friends the heartiest expressions of good will, and cordial wishes for a Prosperous New Year.

"HURRY BACK—SOME-TIME"

Geo. E. Burns

To Our Customers and Friends

who have made it possible for us to enjoy the biggest business in the history of the store,

WE THANK YOU and wish you a Happy New Year.

The Fair Racket Store

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TANK-TYPE TRACTOR

I have taken the agency for CLETRAC TRACTORS after a thorough demonstration on my farm that they would make good the claims of the manufacturers. The demonstration consisted of pulling two 14 in. mould board plows 9 1-2 inches deep and five disc plows seven inches deep at a speed of three and one-half miles an hour with a good reserve of power. The engine pulled beautifully and the plows did the best work I have ever seen—just like a real good job when done with horses.

My guess is that the tank or caterpillar type tractor is the proper type for tractor farming. I intend to use two Cletracs on my own farm.

Have just received six Cletracs and shall be glad to demonstrate their merits to any one interested. Also sell all implements for use with Cletracs. Plows, tandem discs, listers, grain drills and culti-packers designed with proper hitches for Cletracs.

Ask Cletrac Owners Who Use Them Every Day

D. L. McDonald

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ten foot Eclipse windmill, tower, pipe and tank. 35-47 F. T. Holson.

PHONE T. B. Slaughter, 195, or come to my place 1 1-4 miles east of Court House for Gravel and Sand of 1st quality. Best Rock. 44-47

FOR SALE—Two Jersey milk cows, fresh in milk—6 1-2 miles north on Progressive Ave. 47-21 Pd Mrs. P. H. Forsom.

FOR SALE—A few choice Buff Orpington Cockerels. 48-41 Pd C. M. Hicks.

FOR SALE—Kindling wood, about 2 or 3 loads. See 49-21 Pd R. L. Elliston.

FOR SALE—Well improved, modern equipped, 85 acre dairy farm, 2 miles of Amarillo, with 2 year lease on grass section. 35 head fine cows, 10 yearling heifers, 8 heifer calves, one bull, 3 horses, harness and wagons, three gas engines, boilers, steam bottling and bottle washing machine; cream separator, Jelco lighting plant, complete set of bottles, buckets, cans and crates. One Ford Truck. For prices, terms and other information, see or write 48-21 A. A. Ott, Hereford, Texas.

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, gray wicker. \$18.00. Phone 289. 47-47

FOR SALE—or Trade for a good brood mare, my Chevrolet Roadster. Phone 338 or 273. E. W. Morgan. 49-47

FOR SALE OR RENT—One 8 room house with 10 acres of land. 49-21 Pd R. L. Elliston.

FOR SALE—Large Plymouth Rock Cockerels, June hatched, \$2.00 each. Come and see. 47-31 Pd Mrs. Cal Walker.

FOR SALE—6 room house, 2 blocks from Central School. Good terms. 43-47 H. C. Bowsler.

FOR SALE—2 fresh Jersey Cows, giving milk, 3 years old. One 1919 model Ford. 48-41 Pd Mrs. E. B. Elliott.

FOR SALE—All furniture from a seven room house. Phone 338 or 273. 49-47 E. W. Morgan.

FOR SALE—One full-blood Berkshire Hog, male—about 10 months old. Will trade for lighter weight. Also Buick Six racer will sell cheap or exchange for stock. W. S. Williams. 49-21 Pd

FOR SALE—Pure bred Buff Wyandott Cockerels, blue ribbon winners. Price \$1.00-\$1.50-\$2.00, according to age. Mrs. W. H. Chambers, near Cemetery, on J. H. Harris' place. 49-41 Pd

FOR SALE—Ford car, or will trade for cattle. H. C. Bowsler. 39-47

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—From the Brand pasture, 12 miles west of Hereford, two white-face yearling heifers. Branded—HC connected on right hip. 39-47 H. C. Bowsler.

LOST—Auto tire mud chain, size 34x4, about Dec. 9, between bridge and city on Main St. Please notify M. R. Corbett. 49-11 Pd

FOUND—A black fur muff at the Post Office Tuesday—owner call at Brand office and pay for ad. 48-21

STRAYED—From C. H. Lupton's Pasture, 9 miles east of town sometime the past fall, one registered Hereford yearling heifer, tattoo number in ears, either 81, 85 or 94. Heifer with underbit in left ear. Notify G. W. Bramley and receive reward. 47-47

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE HOG MEN—Have scales at stock pens now and want to buy all your fat hogs, will pay every nickel the market will allow. See us before you sell. Claud Higgins or Grover Sanders. 38-47

FOR RENT—Three rooms northeast of Nursery. See 49-21 Mrs. W. T. Roberts.

TO TRADE—Ranch in northeast Panhandle near Oklahoma, containing 3 3-4 sections improved, for ranch in Deaf Smith or Castro counties. This is an exceptional tract of land for all kinds of grain, both wheat and row crops. About 400 acres sown to wheat, good water plentiful, A-1 stock farming place. Anyone interested in a proposition of this kind, see or write 48-21 A. A. Ott, Hereford, Texas.

TO TRADE—2 mares, for a Ford car. 48-21 Inquire of J. H. Cardwell.

WANTED

WANTED—Help! 40 47 Hereford Steam Laundry.

WANTED—To plow and harrow gardens. Phone 26. Robert Barrett.

WANTED—Work! A man, 27 years, has wife and one child. Prefer ranch work, can furnish reference. Write C. O. Falls, Petersburg, Tex. Rt. 1. 47-41 Pd

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Phone 117.

BOVINA

Norman Wilson received numerous bruises and a general shake-up when he fell from a scaffolding at the lumber yard last week. He suffered quite a bit for some days, but is again able to be about.

The Christmas tree at the Baptist Church was loaded with pretty things, and a large crowd attended.

Bovina possessed a couple of drunks male and female, Christmas Eve. As a result, they lost their job and were shipped instanter.

Some of our citizens are losers of grass from the prairie fire last Saturday. It originated at or near the home of Mr. Reisinger on the State line and moved eastward to the Santa Fe railroad between Parmerton and Friona.

The First Quarterly Conference of Bovina Methodist Church will be held in Bovina Sunday. Preaching by the presiding Elder at 11 a. m. and business session 2:30 p. m.

Misses Jessie and Beulah Davis, of Hereford, spent Christmas here with friends.

Mrs. F. W. Jersig spent a day or two last week in Clovis. Shelby Jersig spent a part of the holidays with his sister in Amarillo.

The Epworth League entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stagner Tuesday night while the Junior Young Folks attended a social at the parsonage.

Miss Naomi Tidenberg, who has been attending business college in Amarillo, spent the holidays with homefolks.

The Bovina Mercantile has been sold to G. T. Wakefield, who recently moved here from Floyd county. C. F. Hastings, who has been connected in various ways with this store constantly for the past 18 years, will retire from the mercantile business to take care of his farm and ranch property. The delivery team, which has been continually on the job for 21 years, will be taken to a pasture and given their freedom. Mr. Wakefield takes charge on March 1, 1921.

Notice
Civil Service Examination for P. O. Clerk will be given at the Court House January 8, at 2:00 p. m. For information apply at P. O. 47-31

No dust, no germs, no smell of gasoline in the suits and dresses cleaned by the Hereford Laundry. 38-47

CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE
STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Deaf Smith.

Whereas, on the 3rd day of May, 1920, C. O. Norton executed and delivered to the Western National Bank of Hereford a Chattel Mortgage creating a lien on the personal property hereafter described for the purpose of securing the payment of a note for \$10,000.00, dated May 3rd, 1920, due November 13th, 1920, bearing interest from maturity at 10 percent per annum.

And Whereas, said Chattel Mortgage described and conveyed the following personal property, viz:

12 Registered Hereford Bulls, 2 and 3 years old,
2 Registered Hereford Bulls, 2 years old,
1 Registered Hereford Bull, 4 years old, named Donbitt,
1 Registered Hereford Bull, 1 year old,
4 Registered Hereford Cows, 4 years old,
23 Registered Hereford Cows, 3 years old,
3 Registered Hereford Cows, 2 years old,
4 Jersey Cows, 1 Holstein Cow, 3 to 5 years old,
10 Mules, 2 to 8 years old,
12 Mares, 2 to 6 years old,
2 saddle geldings and 1 work gelding,
2 Colts, coming 2 years old (1 bay horse, 1 brown mare),
3 yearling Colts (2 blacks, 1 bay, all horse colts),
together with the increase of the cows, about 25 calves.

And Whereas, said Chattel mortgage provided that in the event default should be made in the payment of said debt or any part thereof, then the said Bank should be authorized by an officer or an agent to seize and sell the property mortgaged at public sale after giving notice of such sale in the manner and form and for the time, as is required by law in cases of such sales under execution, and to make to the purchaser a good and sufficient conveyance, selling the same in bulk or in parcels for the best price obtainable.

And Whereas, said debt is now past due and entirely unpaid and the said Western National Bank has elected to advertise and sell all of said property in satisfaction of said debt at public auction.

NOW THEREFORE, The Western National Bank of Hereford, by authority given by said Chattel Mortgage will sell at public auction for cash; on the 4th day of January, 1921, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on the farm of C. C. Bowman, about 7 miles North from Hereford, Texas, all of the property above described. Four Jersey cows and three calves and one Holstein cow and calf are now situated on the place of J. B. Phillips, about one mile North of Hereford on Twenty Five Mile Avenue, where they can be seen by contemplating bidders.

The Western National Bank of Hereford.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER CHATTEL MORTGAGE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
Deaf Smith County.

Whereas, by virtue of authority vested in me, as mortgagee named in a certain mortgage recorded in Vol. 8 page 163, and No. 9004, of the chattel mortgage records for Deaf Smith County, Texas, executed and delivered

Happy New Year 1921 to 1913

Come in and let's talk it over. Let me take you back to the good old days when clothes were priced right.

20 Suits—Novelties and Conservatives

All wool—wool trimmed and lined—absolutely all wool throughout.

\$26.00 to \$37.50

Also some Serges that are priced no higher than \$43.00.

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308 Main Street

Hereford, Texas.

to me on April 1st, 1920, by Leo Terry, and to secure 12 notes signed by Leo Terry payable to J. C. Ricketts, all of said date and each for \$240.00, and due respectively on the 1st of each succeeding month for 12 months beginning on May 1st, 1920, and providing for 10 percent interest from date and also providing for 10 percent attorneys fees; and four of said notes having been paid, and default having been made in the payment of four of said notes; and said mortgage providing that on failure to pay any of said notes at maturity the holder may declare the whole indebtedness due; and the said J. C. Ricketts has and does hereby declare the whole of said indebtedness due and payable, to wit: 8 notes for \$240.00 each, date as aforesaid and with 10 percent interest from date and 10 percent attorney's fees, as stipulated in said notes.

Said mortgage also provides that upon default as aforesaid the mortgagee may take possession of the property therein mortgaged, to wit: One White Two-ton (Automobile) Truck, Model 18 2 44, TBC, Engine No. 34 39 7, and sell the same as provided by law; and the said mortgagee having possessed himself of said property under the terms of said mortgage;

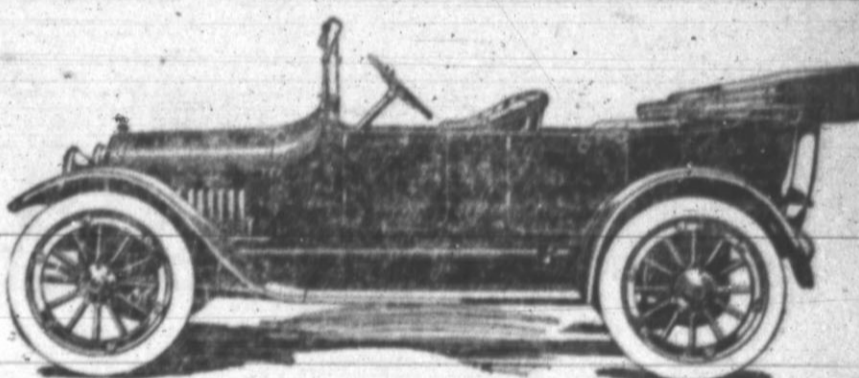
NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I, J. C. Ricketts, the mortgagee named therein, will proceed to sell at public auction, between the hours of ten a. m. and four o'clock p. m., on the tenth (10) day of January, A. D. 1921, at the Hereford Garage in Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas, the above described personal property, to the highest bidder for cash; the proceeds to be applied to the payment of said notes and costs and the balance, if any, to be paid to the said Leo Terry.

This 27th day of December, A. D. 1920.
J. C. RICKETTS, Mortgagee.

Notice
The Trustees of Summerfield School District No. One will, on the 11th day of January, 1921, at 2 p. m. offer for sale, on the school grounds, at Summerfield, the old frame school building belonging to the District.

The above sale will be at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash. The successful bidder to pay one-fourth of his bid on acceptance of said bid, and the remainder within five days thereafter, and before the building is torn down or removed from the grounds.

B. C. Roberson,
L. Johnson,
S. L. Walsler, Trustees.



Take Me

to Shore Brothers, The Ford-Garage.
Fill Me with Texas Gas and Oil and I'll go where you want me to go.
Keep me clean and well greased. Shore Brothers will do it. I like their service.

Trade—Trade—Trade

Have you anything to trade?

We have some bargains in fine Ranch Properties.

We have all kinds of offers covering Blackland Farms—Hotels, Drug Stores, Stock in Corporations, or most anything you want.

If there is any trade in you, come to see us. Come to our office TO:

List your land—
Give us a trade—

Get a Free Ticket to the Matinee.

Byrd, Mikel & Hill


Phone 358

Elliston Bldg.

SHERIFF'S SALE
STATE OF TEXAS.
 County of Deaf Smith.
 By virtue of an Order of Sale issued by the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, on the 18th day of December, 1920, by the Clerk thereof in the case of Dunlap Hardware Company versus E. F. Elmberg Company, No. 1251 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on Tuesday, the 4th day of January, A. D. 1921, at the Parcels Barn, located one block west of Main Street, near the Santa Fe depot, in the town of Herford, Deaf Smith County, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:
 250 Elmberg Feed Grinders, and 250 Elmberg bell attachments, for Ford au-

tomobiles, levied on as the property of E. F. Elmberg Company to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$12,000.00 in favor of Dunlap Hardware Company and cost of suit.
 GIVEN under my hand, this 21st day of December, 1920.
 48-21- C. S. PUBCELL, Sheriff.
 The dyemaking industry in America represents an investment of \$450,000,000.

ECZEMA
 Money back without question if HUNT'S Salve fails in the treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Try a 75 cent box at our risk.
 George E. Burns Drug Company.



New Year Greetings

Longwear and Hartford Tires
 Start the New Year with us.

Phone 216 **THOMPSON GARAGE**
 Across the Street from Court House
THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE

CASINGS AT COST

Buy reliable Tires that you know.

BLIND STATION

Why fill up at a blind station, when the clear vision pump is at your service.

APPLES

Believe me, I am selling um fast. Best in town. Best ever in town. Get your Holiday supply.

Coupon Books save money and time.

W. C. Fallwell

30 Days

All accounts must be paid in 30 days. Beginning January 1st, we sell on 30 days time. Your credit will stop after the 5th of the month. Don't ask us to continue in the old way. Start 1921 with us.

G. & R. Grocery

We Wish To Thank

our friends for the nice business, square dealing and cordial relations shown this firm during 1920. We feel it appropriate at this time for us to assure you of our determination to merit a continuation of these relations during 1921.

"May Your Shadow Never Grow Less"

Garrison Bros.

In 1921

we believe this country will develop the soundest financial basis we have ever had here.

we believe the lessons of Reconstruction will be taken to heart and be of lasting benefit.

we believe this condition can be materially helped by cheerful, optimistic *Thinking* by our business men.

we are resolved to do our bit in securing this cheerful, optimistic spirit by setting our own house in order.

we have taken a New Year's resolution to give the people of this community **THE BEST POSSIBLE SERVICE, THE HIGHEST STANDARD OF GOODS, AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES**, consistent with business safety, it is possible to give during 1921.

A Prosperous Year to You All.

Dunlap Hardware Company
(INC)

A Change in Our Business

Owing to conditions over which we have no control, together with poor collections, we are forced to make the following change. Beginning January 1, 1921,

Our Terms Will Be 30 Days STRICTLY

All accounts will be due the first of each month. And any account not paid by the fifth of said month will be

DISCONTINUED

Now don't deceive yourself by treating this as a joke, as we cannot, and positively will not, carry any account for a longer time. There will be no distinction made, nor deviation from this rule. We ask your co-operation in this matter, as it is a clear-cut case of necessity with us.

Thanking you one and all for the business given us in the past, and earnestly soliciting a continuance of same, we are

Respectfully,

Williams Bros.

P. S. All accounts must be paid by January 1, 1921.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Deaf Smith.
By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, on the 8th day of December, 1920, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of W. E. Neal vs. W. P. Lupton, et als, No. 1250, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales on the first Tuesday in January, 1921, which is the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, in the City of Hereford, the following described property situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, and being:

FIRST TRACT

All of the W. 1-2 of the S. W. 1-4 of Section 86, Certificate 916, Original Grantee S. K. & K., Block K-3, containing eighty acres.

SECOND TRACT

All of Section No. 95, Certificate 911, Grantee S. K. & K., Block K-3, containing 640 acres.

Said tracts of land are located about three miles N. and two miles W. of Hereford, and known as "The John J. Elmer Irrigated Farm," levied on as the property of W. P. Lupton to satisfy a judgment for the respective amounts of \$856.69, \$12,581.07 and \$6,562.89, totaling \$20,000.65, with interest thereon from November 8th, 1920 at the rate of 10 percent per annum and costs of suit. Said judgments have been rendered in favor of the Plaintiff, W. E. Neal, against the Defendants, W. P. Lupton, Albert Zinsner and John J. Zinsner.

And, as directed by the said Order of Sale, I will proceed first to sell the said W. 1-2 of the S. W. 1-4 of Section 86, and in case it does not sell for a sufficient amount to pay off the said respective sums of \$856.69, \$12,581.07 and \$6,562.89, with interest thereon from November 8, 1920, at the rate of 10 percent per annum and costs of suit, I will then proceed at said time to sell the said Section 95.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND this, the 9th day of December, 1920.
C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff,
Deaf Smith County, Texas.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES SALE

Whereas, on August 15th, 1918, M. W. Goodnight and wife, Mrs. A. E. Goodnight, made executed and delivered to Wm. Balfour, their certain trust deed to secure J. N. Ivy in the payment of a Note for \$3,000.00 due Nov. 1st, 1918, which trust deed is recorded in Vol. 18 page 608 trust deed records for Deaf Smith County, Texas, and covers all of section No. 42, Cert. No. 93, in block K-8, Deaf Smith County, Texas; and on December 5th, 1919, said note was renewed, maturing June 1st, 1920, by note dated December 8th, 1919, drawing 9 percent interest from date, and secured by an additional trust deed executed by M. W. Goodnight on the land above described, which trust deed is recorded in Vol. 23 page 580 trust deed records for said Deaf Smith County, Texas. Said note also providing for 10 percent on both principal and interest due as attorney's fees; and no part of said note, or interest or attorney's fees have been paid, but remains, after due demand, wholly unpaid and unsatisfied; and

there will be due on said note as principal and interest and attorney's fees on January 4, 1921, the sum of \$3,621.75.

And whereas, the said J. N. Ivy, being the owner and holder of said note, has requested me, Wm. Balfour, the trustee named in said trust deeds, to enforce said trust;

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I will, by virtue of the authority vested in me as trustee aforesaid, offer for sale and sell, between the legal hours thereof, to wit: Between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the first Tuesday in January, A. D. 1921, the same being the fourth (4) day of said month, at the Court House door in the town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas, all of said Section No. 42, Cert. No. 93 in Block K-8, Deaf Smith County, Texas, with all the members, rights and appurtenances thereto in any wise belonging, as I am fully authorized by said trust deed.

Witness my hand this 12th day of November, A. D. 1920.
WM. BALFOUR,
Trustee.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Deaf Smith.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 9th day of December, 1920, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of F. P. McCormick vs. Carl Lorenz, et al, number 1206, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales on the first Tuesday in January, 1921, it being the 4th day of said

month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, Texas, in the City of Hereford, the following described property, to-wit: situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, and in the City of Hereford and being all of Lot No. 17, Block No. 11 of the Town of Here-

ford, said land foreclosed as to and against the Defendants, Carl Lorenz and R. L. Lorenz, and levied on as the property of Carl Lorenz to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$221.52 in favor of F. P. McCormick and costs of suit.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 9th day of December, 1920.

C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff,
Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Good Printing at The Brand.

1920-1921

The old year has been the best in point of volume we have ever had and we desire to thank you for your patronage and to ask a continuance of some for '21.

We are reducing prices on most of our merchandise and it will pay you to get the readjustment prices.

"DO IT ELECTRICALLY"

Hereford Light & Power Co.

We Wish You a New Year of Prosperity and Happiness

At this joyous season of the year, we look back over the past with gratitude for the friendships that are ours. We greatly value the confidence and esteem of our many friends.

J. O. NEWELL

Business is good at the Fashion Store.

Performance, Not Words

is our New Year's resolution for 1921. It is a notorious fact that New Year pledges are easily given and as easily broken.

We ask you to just watch our monthly PERFORMANCE during the new year, in the stock carried, in the prices offered, in the service given.

We sincerely hope that the end of the year 1921 will find each and every one of you happier, younger and wealthier than the end of 1920.

**The C. O. Lee
HARDWARE**

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

"The Ford Touring Car"

Surely the most universal of all cars. Serving, satisfying, and money-making, day after day, year after year, everywhere throughout the world of civilization. It stands in a class by itself—the one universal car. A source of pleasure and a bearer of burdens on the farm and in the city. Anywhere, and everywhere, the Ford Touring Car stands supreme in its service-giving, satisfying, money-making qualities.

That reliable, satisfactory, economical, dependable "Ford-After-Service" which is making the Ford dealer and the Ford car twin factors for prosperity, is, as you know, universal in its possibilities because wherever you go the Ford dealer is prepared to take care of your wants and nowhere are they better prepared than right in our shops. We have everything in the way of labor-saving, time-saving machinery, Ford-taught and skilled workmen, and the genuine Ford-made parts. We want you to remember this because it means that your car need never be idle.

We can now give you reasonably prompt deliveries and it is only fair to us that you should leave your orders with as little delay as possible, if you want us to be prompt in making delivery you will be prompt in placing your order.

Wilkinson & Stocking

THE BEST RESOLUTION YET!

"Good stock, well fed, will not bring as much a good stock, well fed and also WELL SHELTERED. Therefore, as a matter of good business, I will build that barn and shed and make the most out of the cattle."

PANHANDLE LUMBER CO.

OUR AIM—TO HELP IMPROVE THE PANHANDLE

Here and There Among People You May Know

N. C. Vogels, L. Ed. Ph. 30.

Arthur Thompson and wife went to Amarillo Monday.

A. M. Jones made a business trip to Ft. Worth this week.

Jno. Moseley arrived in Hereford the fore part of this week.

Mark Bray made a business trip to Kansas City this week.

Edgar Ireland made a business trip to Clovis Wednesday morning.

Special—Kodak Enlargements. McGhee's Studio.

E. F. Hardwick, of Clovis, was in Hereford the fore part of this week.

Guy Terry, of Canadian, Texas, is in Hereford this week visiting friends.

Mrs. Fred Skalna, of Memphis, Texas, spent Christmas visiting her parents.

Just received a shipment of Moulding and frames. McGhee's Studio.

Bring us your chickens this week. We have a special order to fill.

Hereford Produce Co.

Mrs. R. H. Womack is visiting her parents near Coleman, Texas this week.

Will O'Brien and family spent Christmas in the home of Jno. Brownlee.

John Edwards, of Odessa, Texas, spent a few days in Hereford this week.

High cost of living knocked out by the new prices of the Hereford Laundry.

Helen Lambert is spending a few days in Amarillo this week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stewart arrived in Hereford Wednesday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

McGhee will enlarge that photo and frame it for less than agents ask you for the photo.

Perfecto Flour, the best on the market. Hereford Produce Co.

E. H. Womack and three children, Oscar, Alice and Ary Fay, spent Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. Hicks Daniels.

See our new line of Moulding. We make frames to fit any size picture. McGhee's Studio.

A. Lawrence returned home Monday, after several days visit in Lawrence, Kansas.

H. H. Hawkins arrived in Hereford Tuesday from a business trip to Portales, N. Mex.

Just received a shipment of Moulding and frames. McGhee's Studio.

Miss Jessie Anthony went to Amarillo Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Grady Stegall.

L. F. Bolton, Deputy U. S. Marshall

of Amarillo, was in Hereford Sunday and Monday.

G. W. Brumley shipped three car loads of hogs Monday to the Ft. Worth market.

Our family rate makes a face towel cost about 2 1-2c washed and ironed. Hereford Steam Laundry.

Mrs. B. F. Neely drew 1st doll and Marie Haberer, 2nd, at the Hereford Produce Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lucas spent Christmas near Coleman visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. L. Davis spent Christmas with her husband and returned home to Dallas Monday.

When you make your order, call for Perfecto Flour.

Hereford Produce Co.

We will do your family washing cheaper than you can afford to do it at home. Phone 246.

J. T. Guilan returned to his home in Higgins, Texas, after spending Christmas with his parents.

Picture frames, large and small, 44-t McGhee's Studio.

Mrs. Emi Bowsher left Wednesday for Sulphur Springs, Texas to visit relatives over the holidays.

G. A. Harris and wife spent Christmas in Miami, Texas visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Gaetz left Hereford for Los Angeles, Calif. to spend the winter with her sister Wednesday.

We heat our work 50 percent hotter than boiling water, without injury to goods or color, thus killing all disease germs. Hereford Laundry. 39-tf

T. A. and F. Counsellor, of Van Wert, Ohio, arrived in Hereford the latter part of last week. The Counsellor brothers own land northwest of town and are here in the interest of same.

Dr. C. C. Pirle returned from Kirksville, Mo. Friday, where he had osteopathic treatment for the past month.

Fred Skelton arrived in Hereford Monday to visit in the home of his brother, C. A. Skelton, for a few days.

E. E. Heard, after several days visit in the home of his uncle, Dr. Heard, left Tuesday for his home in Ranger.

I will continue my reduced prices on Auto Tops thru December and January. 46-4t

Powelson Top Shop.

Mrs. D. E. Turrentine and baby returned last week from Moberly, Mo., after a month's visit with her parents.

Perfecto Flour takes all the premiums at Baking Contests.

Hereford Produce Co.

See our new line of Moulding. We make frames to fit any size picture. McGhee's Studio.

There is no coffee on the market better than Bee-Ess-Ko.

Hereford Produce Co.

Mrs. W. D. Womble, of Wildorado, drew 1st Doll at D. R. Gass & Son's Dry Goods Store and Walter Spradley 2nd.

The Santa Fe Water Service crew are tearing down the two well houses and derricks to be removed to Happy, Texas.

W. A. Percival, of Clovis, former express agent, and wife spent Christmas with Mrs. Percival's mother, Mrs. Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Thompson left Hereford Wednesday to visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Russell.

W. E. HICKS

Brand: Right Shoulder

Dealer in Hereford Cattle Hereford, Texas

McGhee Guarantees to save you Three to Five Dollars on your Enlarged photos. Get his prices before ordering.

Miss Cosette Hawkins returned to Dallas Tuesday, after several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hawkins.

Miss Olive Wilson spent Christmas with her parents and returned Tuesday to Dawn, where she will again take up her school work.

W. J. Young, of Lawton, Okla., arrived in Hereford Sunday to spend Christmas with his sister, Mrs. Lee Alexander.

Call for Bee-Ess-Ko Coffee. Hereford Produce Co.

Mrs. W. H. Heinen and baby left Hereford for San Diego, Calif. Wednesday morning. Mr. Heinen will follow in about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Newhouse, of Akron, Ohio, stopped off in Hereford this week to inspect their land holdings near here. They left for Los Angeles, Calif. Wednesday morning.

Miss Waldine Wilson returned Monday to Amarillo, after spending Christmas with her parents. Miss Wilson is employed by the First National Bank of Amarillo.

Remember, our work is sanitary while the washing that hangs outdoors is very unsanitary.

Hereford Steam Laundry. 39-tf

D. W. Jones, secretary of the Clovis Chamber of Commerce, passed through Hereford enroute to Birmingham, Alabama to attend a general highway meeting.

There is no coffee on the market better than Bee-Ess-Ko.

Hereford Produce Co.

Fred Arnold, of Timewell, Ill. arrived in Hereford Tuesday. Mr. Arnold owns a ranch about seven miles southeast of town.

Miss Millicent Griffith of Hereford was in Clovis the latter part of last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Roberts on North Connelly Street. Miss Griffith was formerly one of the faculty of the Clovis schools but is now principal of the high school at Hereford. She has, however, been acting as the superintendent of the schools there for the past several weeks on account of the fact that the superintendent had his leg broken in an accident recently and has been unable to fill the duties of his position.—Clovis News.

The Parent-Teacher Association will hold its regular meeting at the High School Friday, Jan. 7. An interesting program will be given. There will be a social half hour during which refreshments will be served. All parents are cordially invited.

Wanted—Grain

About 10,000 bushels of maize or kafir corn. Will pay cash.

Mark Bray.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mason will be host and hostess during the holidays to a number of out-of-town visitors. They will be Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Evans Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Massie and children, Mrs. Joseph Collins, and Mrs. A. C. Witherspoon and daughter, Wengella, all of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Arch Collins, of Hereford; and Mrs. Joe Collins of Frederick, Okla.—Vernon Record.

FORDSON TRACTOR MAKES RECORD RUN

Stopping only for gasoline and oil, a Fordson tractor owned by N. Korpus, of Ludden, Dickey County, North Dakota, recently completed a record run of forty days. Three operators were assigned to the tractor, each working an eight hour shift, and thus keeping the tractor in operation twenty-four hours a day. "Nine hundred acres were plowed without one minute's stop for repairs," says the affidavit received by the Ford Company from the Fordson owner.

The tractor was purchased during the summer of 1919. In the Spring of 1920, Korpus began his plowing and had already turned 200 acres before he conceived the idea of working the tractor day and night.

Electric head lights were installed, operators were obtained, and with no further special preparations, the little Fordson entered upon what turned out to be a record run for endurance.

JOEL

Christmas was duly observed here. The school had a fine program Christmas eve, with Santa Claus attachments. After the Christmas part was over we had a regular old-fashioned spelling match, with a cake for a prize to the winning side. The cake was furnished by our teacher, Miss Catherine Walker. Miss Catherine Hershey and Master Elmer Sharp, having the best average in spelling the past month in school, were allowed to do the choosing of the spellers on opposing sides. It took almost an hour to finish the contest and get the spellers down. Mrs. Ray Hershey won the contest for Elmer Sharp's side. No doubt we'll try it again soon.

On Christmas Day the whole community assembled at the school house, bringing their dinners and what a splendid dinner they had. Among other good things, there appeared four great big turkeys and sweets galore. At night the crowd gathered at the home of Ray Hershey to have a good old "sing," which was enjoyed by all. At Sunday School Sunday afternoon the crowd were all invited to attend a practice sing at Jim Park's home and how that crowd did sing and rejoice. This week the whole community is invited to a gathering of friendly folk at the home of Felix Robinson on Wednesday evening to spend a while in visiting and seeing the youngsters have a good time. Mr. Robinson is expecting to move to Hereford soon. We dislike to see them leave the neighborhood for they are a great help to our moral and social welfare.

Mr. Lewis Smith, having leased the place Mr. Robinson now has, will move thereto as soon as Mr. Robinson leaves. C. F. Galley and family attended a family gathering at the S. J. Rice home on Christmas Day. Those present were Grandpa Botsford and family, Roy Botsford and family, Hollis Galley and family.

Edgar Rice came home from school at Kingfisher to enjoy some of Ma's cooking and to see all the folks. He is one of the instructors at the school and is teaching mathematics.

Threshing is resumed with great vigor this week. We need to save all of this good crop. It may not be so good next season. "In time of plenty, prepare for famine."

Lewis Smith and family spent Sunday with his brother-in-law, Mr. Odell, who lives near Summerfield.

DIMMITT

Mr. Marlin Cone, who has been employed with the City Drug Co., and Doyle Hix left Monday for California.

Miss Alice McLean, who has been attending the T. W. C. at Ft. Worth is home for the holidays.

Miss Dera Cone, who has been teaching school in Crosby Co., is spending Christmas with relatives south of town.

C. F. Kerr and family are visiting in Dimmitt this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cash and fam-

Better Than Expected

Our friends were generous to us in 1920. We have had a nice business, which we greatly appreciate.

We will strive to merit your continued good will and patronage in 1921. The best of good luck, physically, spiritually and financially, to you during the coming twelve months.

Corner Drug Store

ily are visiting friends in Dimmitt this week and enjoying many good Christmas dinners.

Mary, Ruth, and Jack Cowart, who are attending the West Texas Normal are home for the holidays.

Mrs. Jno. E. McEntire and daughter, Dede, are visiting Mrs. Cleve Tate this week.

Mrs. W. P. Boyd, who has been very ill for some time, is no better, and has employed a nurse, Mrs. Richardson, from Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer T. Walker visited Mrs. Mayes Miller Monday afternoon.

Miss Alice McLean surprised Miss Fay Alexander with a miscellaneous shower on Wednesday evening. The bride received many useful and beautiful gifts. The guests were entertained throughout the evening with music and readings. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches and chocolate were served to the following guests: Misses Fay Alexander, Myrtle Knox, Daisy Womack, Helen and Ruth Cowart, Elise Smith, Ola Parks, Mesdames J. W. Alexander, Bruce McLean, J. A. Hodges.

A Wonderful Christmas Dinner

Mrs. Cleve Tate entertained a host of her friends Saturday with a wonderful Christmas dinner. The living and dining rooms were artistically decorated with holiday decorations. The dining table had a Christmas tree in the center, with lighted candles and from which each guest received a Christmas token.

After dinner was served, various games and contests were enjoyed. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Douglas, Mrs. Jane Fuqua, Mr. and Mrs. John Carter, Mr. Joe Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tate, Mrs. Edna Tate, Judge and Mrs. Westbrook, of El Paso. Dr. and Mrs. Mayes Miller, Misses Ola Parks and Elise

Smith, Messrs. Marlin Cone, Doyle Hick and Ester Nobles.

Alexander—Montgomery

The marriage of Miss Fay Alexander to James Cecil Montgomery was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alexander, Saturday morning at nine o'clock, Rev. Sharp officiating. Miss Alexander, with Miss Alice McLean and Mr. Montgomery with Mr. Ray Sheffey came in to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Miss Elise Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery expect to visit Ft. Worth, Arlington and other points east. After their return, they will make their home on the Montgomery ranch north of Dimmitt.

Get More Butter

Mrs. Hattie Meece of Glenn, Missouri, says: "I was not making enough butter from my cow's milk production for a family of two. After using Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders a short time, she gave a half gallon more milk a day, and a pound of butter a day."

Dr. LeGear's Stock Powders give to milk cows just what is needed to keep the digestive organs in proper condition, so that they get the most possible good from their feed. Give equally wonderful results when used for horses, hogs, and sheep, because they are a tonic, appetizer and worm expeller.

It matters not what ailment you may have among your stock or poultry, it will pay you to get the proper Dr. LeGear Remedy from your dealer. They are the Doctor's personal prescriptions, compounded during his 23 years of Veterinary Practice and Expert Poultry Breeding. They must satisfy you, or your dealer will refund your money.

A Most Prosperous and Happy New Year

to all our customers and friends.

May you have The Best the World can give

Health to enjoy it—

Wealth to buy it—

Happiness to make it worth while.

The Western National Bank

Hereford, Texas

Capital and Surplus \$125,000.

Largest tax payer in the City of Hereford

Only Roll of Honor Bank in Deaf Smith County.

G. A. F. PARKER, President,

J. L. SMITH, Vice President,

ROSCOE L. DAVIDSON, Cashier,

CLIFFORD O. ACKER, Asst. Cashier.

Thank You!

—and good luck

We deeply appreciate the splendid business the good people of this community gave us during the year 1921.

We have earnestly striven to give value received in the goods we sold and in the prices we made.

We are resolved to do even better, if possible, in 1921. Start the New Year right by paying us a little sociable visit and giving our big stock of REAL furniture "the once over."

Yours for a Prosperous New Year

E. B. Black Co.

FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING—HEREFORD, TEXAS