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HAS GREAT PROPOSITION

Plainview Boosters Visit Hereford To Inspect Irrigation Wells and Pumping Outfits.

E. A. Harp and D. R. H. Wilkin of Plainview were in Hereford this week to inspect the McDonald wells and pumping outfits. They were not only highly pleased but were enthusiastic in their praise of what had been done for the Hereford country. "You have a great proposition," they said. "You people don't realize the real value of the demonstration already made and you should not wait another day before twenty wells were being punched into old mother earth. At Plainview, no less than twenty men are now making arrangements to install pumping plants, and Hereford has just as good proposition as we have."

These two Plainview boosters were shown both the wells by Mr. McDonald and they pronounced them a success. All you need they said was to get together, stiffen your backbone and go after it.

Texas Strawberries.

There were 175 carloads of strawberries shipped to northern and eastern markets from Texas during the season of 1910, according to late government reports, which brought \$175,000. Texas can keep strawberries in the market the entire year.—Alvin Sun

SUGAR BEET FACTORY TALK

Soil, Water and Sunshine Exactly Right for Beet Culture—Factory Will Come.

There is not the least doubt but that the Hereford soil, water and sunshine are adapted to the successful culture of sugar beets. Colorado has about 200,000 acres in beets with a yield of an average of 9 1/2 tons per acre. California comes next with about 65,000 acres with a yield of 10 tons. Idaho, Michigan, Utah and Wisconsin each have a small area in beets. There are 20 factories in Colorado.

The per cent of sugar in the Panhandle beets compares favorably with Colorado and other states.

The following table shows the sugar content and the co-efficient of purity for a number of states and the Panhandle.

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| California, | 13.8 | 83.2 |
| Colorado, | 11.0 | 81.8 |
| Utah, | 11.7 | 84.1 |
| Hereford, by Wyche, | 16.0 | 80.0 |
| Plainview, by Ellard, | 13.3 | 77.0 |
| Miami, by Carter, | 11.5 | 57.0 |

The first column shows the average extraction of sugar based on the weight of the beets; that is the per cent of sugar in the beets. The second shows the average purity co-efficient of the beets.

The Panhandle beets are raised without any instructions while fac-

DAIRY POULTRY AND STOCK TRAIN

The Santa Fe will run a Special Train over its lines in the Panhandle beginning Thursday, Feb. 14th, at Canyon, and closing March 14th. The train will be at Hereford at 9 a. m. Thursday, Feb. 16. Everybody invited. Admission Free

tory beets are planted, irrigated, cultivated and harvested under the supervision of a beet expert. Hence it may be concluded that the purity co-efficient could be materially raised when beets are cultivated properly. That a factory could be induced to come to Hereford is not a dream or air castle. If the farmers will agree to plant as much as 4000 or more acres for a term of years, sufficient capital could be interested in the project. The beets would have to be irrigated once, at the time of planting. Even with the light rainfall of last summer, there was sufficient to grow beets. With the modern machinery, beets are no more trouble to harvest than any good paying crop. The price obtained for the beets will be fixed by agreement between the factory and the farmers.

W. J. McEhenie of La Salle, Ill., came in yesterday and will install a six-inch pump on a quarter section south of town.

SET STATE-WIDE ELECTION DAY

Antis Fail In Effort to Have Date Changed and July 22 is Final.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 31.—The Senate late last evening, after a day of keen debate, passed to engrossment the joint resolution calling for the submission of a prohibition constitutional amendment to a vote of the people.

The vote was 21 ayes, 8 nays and 2 present not voting.

The antis sought to change the date from the fourth Saturday in July to the fourth Saturday in June but were defeated. It is evident that both sides in the speeches were trying to furnish material for use in the coming campaign.

The final passage of the resolution is assured for tomorrow by practically the same vote as that of today. This was the only work of legislation of general interest done today by either house.

Spring Lake Wants Cotton

A number of farmers from the Spring Lake community were here last Saturday making inquiry for cotton seed. They applied to the Business Men's League but found that the car of seed already here had been more than over ordered by the farmers around Hereford. The League will order another car, no doubt, to supply Spring Lake with seed.

APPELLATE COURT BILL PASSES

Amarillo and El Paso Each Gets Court of Civil Appeals.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 8.—The house today passed the Amarillo and El Paso Court of Civil Appeals bill and also the McNealus bill for party primary elections in cities, with slight amendments, which will be concurred in by the Senate.

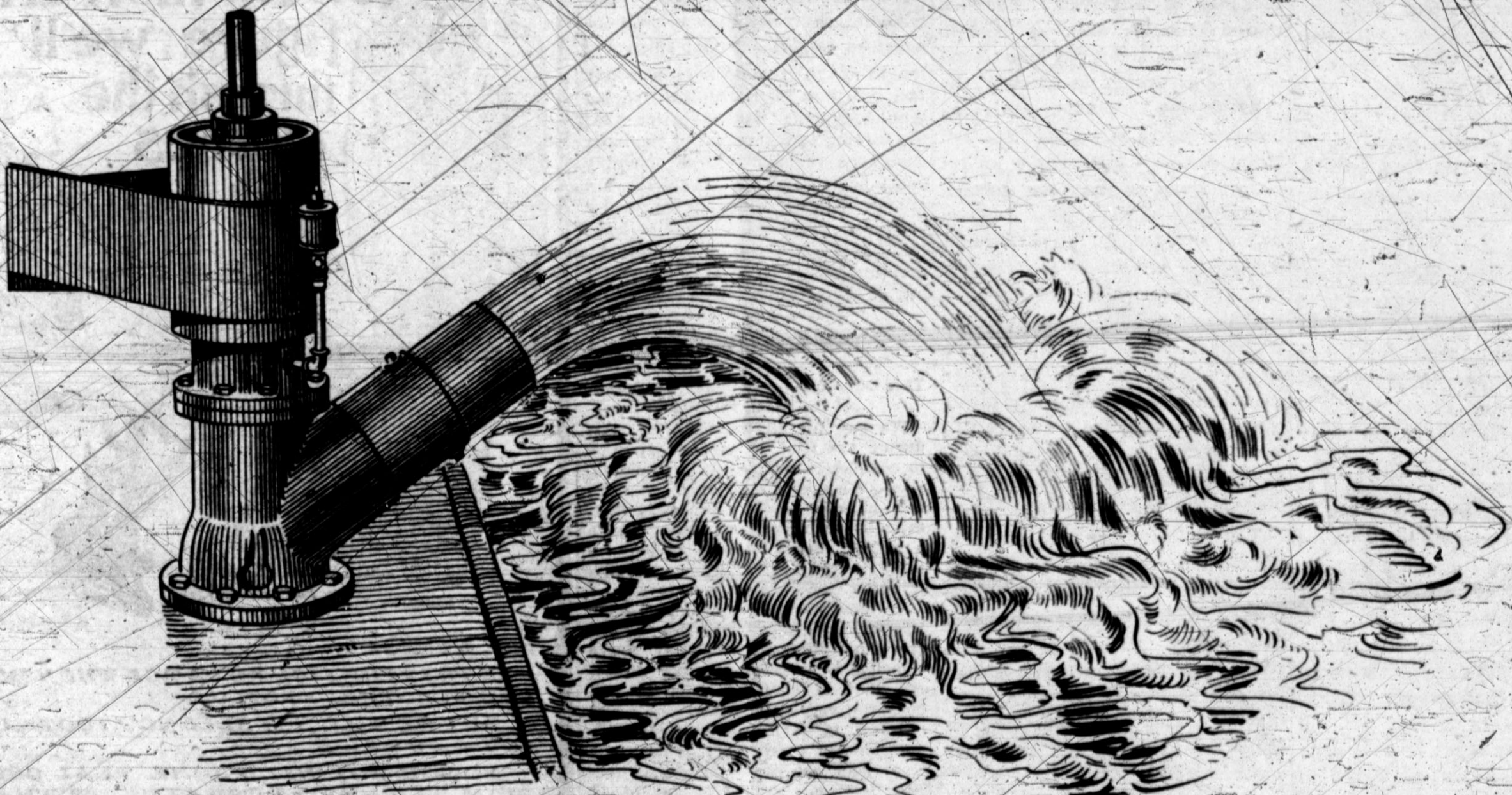
The senate had the early closing bill before it all day and hustled it through to the final passage stage but could not muster quite enough votes to suspend the rules and pass it finally. This stage will be reached tomorrow and the amendments made will undoubtedly be concurred in by the House. The principal amendment adopted today was to so frame the liquor dealer's bond provision so that he is barred from making contributions to political campaign funds.

There is no certainty as to what Governor Colquitt will do with the bill when it reaches him. The preponderance of opinion is, however, that he will veto it.

Rummage Sale.

Saturday, Feb. 18th at the O. K. land office the ladies of the Christian church will have a "Rummage Sale"; will also have on sale cakes, pies, Boston brownbread, and many other things. Don't forget the time and place. 11

IRRIGATION WELL 4 MILES FROM HEREFORD



This is a sketch of one of the pumps on the McDonald farms at Hereford. The pump is discharging 1500 gallons of water per minute, and is being driven by a 25 H. P. gasoline engine. This pump has a capacity of 3 acre feet of water for 160 acres of land. The water question has been solved and having the right kind of soil and sunshine, the Hereford country must become one of the most prosperous sections in the Southwest.

IRRIGATION FROM WELLS

E. J. Wixon, Prof. of Agricultural Practice, University of California and Horticulturist of the California Experiment Station, in discussing Irrigation from Wells in that State says:

Sinking wells into water bearing strata to secure irrigation supplies is now being resorted to as never before. New and broader conceptions of the relations of subterranean water to irrigation have recently prevailed. This follows because it may be much cheaper to raise water to adjacent towers than to catch it in a remote ravine and pipe it for miles. However this may be, irrigation undertakings have been recently established very largely upon wells and pumps or upon flowing wells, wherever they can be had. In California during the last three years there have been perhaps ten times as many pumping outfits set up for irrigation as has been employed during the whole earlier irrigation of the state. Large irrigation companies sank groups of wells and pumped from them into their distributing ditches and flumes when, for lack of rain, their immense reservoirs went dry. Individual irrigators sank wells and bought pumping plants when the ditch water failed, and have now learned the superiority of home supply, to be drawn up just when it can be used to the best advantage, and often to be had for much less than the rates of the ditch companies. Large regions which had never secured irrigation systems, and doubled, perhaps, the need of them, were forced by drouth to seek water, and having found it below ground in ample quantities they will not fail in the future to use irrigation as a supplement to rainfall. To illustrate this advantage in well irrigation very comprehensive data are found in the following outline of a systematic inquiry.

In Santa Clara Valley, one of the leading fruit regions of central California, there are about 1,500 irrigating plants of all kinds in the valley proper. About 900 of them have been put in during the past three years. Many of them have centrifugal pumps run by steam. These are the larger plants, from where 15 to 40 horsepower, and in some instances more are used, and the size of the pumps ranges from 4 to 12 inches. Most of the smaller pumps are run by gasoline, though several use crude oil, and many of them are also centrifugal. Some of these are deep-well pumps, and they are very satisfactory in raising water from a greater depth than 100 feet. From 100 to 500 feet they work admirably.

The cost of pumping differs materially with the different kinds of power, sizes of pumps and depth of wells. Figuring from what may be a safe average of the actual cost of fuel, a No. 4 pump, centrifugal, with gasoline as power, at 70 feet depth, would cost \$3 per day. This would result in 600 gallons per minute, 36,000 gallons per hour, or 300,000 gallons per day of ten hours. Such a stream of water is calculated to irrigate about 5 acres per day to a little more than two and one-half inches. But these figures being of the best experiments, a better and safer estimate would probably be 4 acres per day to a depth of about 2 inches.

But generally speaking, it is safe to say that at a cost of about \$3 per acre for the water orchards of Santa Clara county can, under the present process, be irrigated two to three times at \$6 to \$9 per acre.

rather deep wells and the cost is correspondingly high, both for the plant and for the water delivered. In many cases the cost per acre will be only a fraction of that given. But even the higher figures are below the cost warranted by the saving of a fruit crop, as the expense of individuals has shown. These figures are, however, used as a standard, because they are a deduction from broad data, and it is unwise to proceed either upon minimum cost or maximum value produced.

Over large areas of country windmills are used as motors for irrigation pumps, and careful accounts of their efficiency are available. They unquestionably serve an excellent purpose under favorable conditions up to the limits of their capacity; but irrigation for fruit growing, except in the the family garden or on small areas of small fruits, is proceeding upon the basis of motors of higher efficiency. Gasoline engines are being used even up to a capacity of 5,000 gallons of water per minute, but the ordinary plants are less than one tenth of that. Crude oil engines are also used, and steam plants using small stationary and portable engines are pressed into service, while electric motors along long-power circuits from generators at water-falls or other great sources of power, are being fully employed. Instances of the profitable employment of these agencies are abundant all through the fruit growing districts of the arid region.

MINOR RESULTS OF IRRIGATION.

It is obviously impossible to include in this general sketch many of the minor results of irrigation which have been demonstrated by half a century of experience in the arid regions, but a few may be noted:

In parts of California light frosts are likely to occur while citrus fruits are ripening and after the deciduous fruits have bloomed and set their fruit. This is from December to May. There is no hard freezing, but even a slight drop below the freezing point may occasion considerable loss of fruit. It has been found that over ground with a wet surface fruit may escape injury while that near by over a dry surface may be destroyed. For this reason irrigation water is used to prevent frost, and it has been found effective even when the mercury falls to 27 degrees F., providing this temperature covers only a brief interval. If the mercury falls lower or remains to long at the point named, injury will result in spite of the presence of water unless more effective methods of protection are resorted to.

To a measurable extent irrigation is found to hasten fruit ripening. In some cases several days have been gained with early varieties by giving water just as the fruit was getting good size. The same varieties near at hand produced more slowly without this stimulus.

The application of cold water to the roots of growing plants is very undesirable. Nearly all water derived from subterranean sources is improved by exposure to the sun, either by standing for a time in shallow reservoir or traveling some distance in a shallow stream. Exposure to sun heat can not make the water to warm.

Irrigation performs a host of small services. In the nursery the budding season is lengthened because a run of water will cause the bark to slip later in the season. In the English walnut orchard the nuts will be more readily discharged from the husks if an irrigation is given a little in advance of the dropping time. Within certain limits fruiting can be timed by irrigation and succession secured. This is especially true of small fruits. Strawberries can be made almost constant bearers in

suitable thermal situations and can have two main crops in the summer even where the winters are to cold for fruiting. Raspberries follow the same course, and ever-bearing blackberries are the ruling varieties in the warmer parts of the irrigated region. Of course these performances of plants are dependent upon temperature conditions as well as moisture conditions, and upon the length of the growing season which the irrigated semi-tropical region enjoys; but the fact remains that the forcing summer heat of the more northerly regions of the country could accomplish far more for the grower if by forethought and wise provision he should arrange to have that beneficence always attended by ample moisture. This is evidently one of the great works of the future.

THINK THIS OVER.

This Offer Should Gain the Confidence of the Most Skeptical.

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. That's a mighty broad statement, but we mean every word of it. Could anything be more fair for you?

A most scientific, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. Their active principle is a recent scientific discovery that is odorless, tasteless and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. This ingredient does not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping or any inconvenience whatever. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons.

If you suffer from chronic or habitual constipation, or the associate or dependent chronic ailments, we urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Remember you can get them only at our store. 12 tablets 10 cents; 36 tablets 25 cents—The Rexall Store. For sale by Corner Drug Store.

"I had been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by all dealers.



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When your feet are wet and cold, and your body chilled through and through from exposure, take a big dose of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, bathe your feet in hot water before going to bed, and you are almost certain to ward off a severe cold. For sale by all dealers.



MR. DRESSER:-
NOR IS THE FIGURE LARGE WHEN YOU BUY YOUR CLOTHES FROM US. BUT WE WILL NOT SELL YOU POOR CLOTHES FOR ANY PRICE.

DO YOU NOT NEED SOME REAL GOOD MEDIUM WEIGHT UNDERWEAR? IT WILL KEEP YOU WARM NOW, AND IT WILL BE WORN THINNER AND THEN IT WILL SERVE YOU IN GOOD TURN EARLY NEXT FALL.

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Hereford, Texas

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We have just received and opened up our new stock of Spring Dry Goods, which is very attractive—being new designs and handsome patterns. Consisting of the principal lines used for early Spring trade, such as Novelty Suitings, Galateas, Gingham, Zephyr Gingham, Tissues, white and colored Madras, Percales, white and colored Dress Linens, Linen Sheetings and a nice line of White Goods and Silks in small checks and stripes. We have nearly 100 bolts of the prettiest Gingham ever sold on this market. Don't wait but call and select your Spring needs before the nicest and best things are gone. Our new Spring Slippers and Shoes are also ready for inspection. Also Men's Furnishing Goods. Call and see us.

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CASH STORE

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Any erroneous statement affecting the
character or reputation of any individual or
firm which may appear in The Brand, will
be gladly corrected upon being brought to
the attention of the publishers.

THE Brand is 10 years old today,
February 10, 1911.

BEHIND THE TIME.

No one except a knocker or a groucher has ever accused Hereford of being behind the time,—but in fact it is—about 58 minutes. Our position on the face of the earth and Uncle Sam's division of time, puts us at a disadvantage. This is often an inconvenience. It has been suggested by Sunday-school workers and church goers that everybody in Hereford set their time pieces back 58 minutes, and ask the railroad to keep two clocks in the waiting rooms at the depot. The big clock there now is always right on the dot—it never moves.

This difference in actual and standard time (called railroad time) also puts a burden on the clerks and laborers. Seven o'clock comes too early in the winter time for any use.

Another solution to the problem is this: For all house-wives, hotels, and restaurants to agree to serve the noon day meal at 1:00 p. m. instead of 12 m. This would divide the day in the middle and would give the preacher on Sunday time to close up his "thirdly" without having Waterbury's snapped in his face.

PAPERS COMBINED

The Tulia Herald and Standard have consolidated and hereafter only one paper will be issued. Lee Satterwhite will be editor and manager and promises a better paper than two. J. H. Foster, a veteran newspaper man, retires from the editorship of the Herald.

THE scare headlines which have been running in the press of the state announcing that the railroads are being sued by the state of Texas for running late trains and various other causes may, as a spectacular event, have in it all the colors of the rainbow, but as a business proposition, it is as unwise as a farmer plowing up his cotton crop because the plants don't grow according to his dictation.

Theoretical railroading is worse

than book farming and the state can easily plow up a few railroads in learning the business. Our railroad commission, like our agricultural department, is a great institution and of great service to the state, but it is equally as incumbent upon it that it encourage railroad development as it is that our agricultural department encourage farming. How long would our agricultural department last if the Commissioner of Agriculture used his appropriations in filing law suits against farmers? But we are making progress and these twisters are merely the tail end of a cyclone which has been raging in Texas for sometime but is passing on to other states, leaving the Texas atmosphere as pure and inviting as the morning of creation.

The Brady Commercial Club has hit upon a novel and effective way of encouraging agriculture in that section and has set a precedent which may be established by other clubs throughout the state. The president of the club, Mr. S. S. Graham, has given 20 acres of fine agricultural land in McCullough county to be used as an experimental farm by the club, the farm to be placed under the special supervision of State Experimental Director, H. H. Harrington of College Station. The railroads running into Brady have been induced, through the Commercial Club, to co-operate with the Club and \$800.00 has been raised by the Club for the Industrial Departments of the roads to carry on the work, and several hundred more has been pledged.

The encouragement of agricultural production and the building of good roads have been foremost in the line of work laid out by the various clubs throughout the state for the coming year.

Windmill Pumping.

A cylinder pump 6 inches in diameter, with a mill that will give an 18 inch stroke will deliver 53 gallons of water per minute of 24 strokes.

Counting 50 gallons per minute, this would be 3000 gallons per hour, or 36,000 for 12 hr day. (A good mill will run an average of 12 hours out of each 24.)

A reservoir 50 feet in diameter and 5 feet high will contain 73,600 gallons and will be filled in 2 days.

Built of 2x6 boards and set edge to edge and held in place with wire hoops, it will require 80 pieces 20 feet long.

The water from one filling of this reservoir will irrigate one acre putting 2 3-4 inches of water over the entire surface.

When you have a cold get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will soon fix you up all right and will ward off any tendency toward pneumonia. This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. Sold by all dealers.

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AND TRUST COMPANY HEREFORD TEXAS

Local and Personal

I'll meet you at the Corner Drug Store. 38tf

Justice corn 10c a can at Homer Wilkinson's. 52-tf

M. A. Lampkin was in Plainview Monday.

Buy your flour and meat of Homer Wilkinson and save money. 52-tf

J. R. Cook of Tulia was in Hereford Thursday on business.

See A. O. Thompson Lumber Co. for Mules and Horses. 43-tf

16 lbs Pure Cane Granulated Sugar for \$1.00. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

J. G. Callens returned Saturday from a several days trip to Dallas.

"Monte City Paints may cost a trifle more, but—Hereford Lbr Co"

Van Camps No. 3 can hominy only 1c. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

Will Head of Dimmitt, was in the city this week doing some shopping.

Your neighbor pays cash, why can't you? Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

I'll meet you at the Corner Drug Store. 38tf

Rooms, with or without board, at Nance Boarding House, 506 Jackson Ave. 51-4t

Dr. J. N. Bolard of Independence, Kansas, is here this week looking after some business matters.

"Charge it" is a bad habit, get out of it. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

Rev. J. M. Sherman was in Clarendon Thursday on business.

Henry Cloyd believes he deserves to be placed on the sick list this week.

Our goods are fresh, our prices are right. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

Auto Livery. Service, good; charges reasonable; Phone 135. S. B. Moore. 50tf

No. 3 Kraut only 10c. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

J. H. Collins of Fort Worth was looking after his real estate holdings Monday and Tuesday.

Cash makes prices at Homer Wilkinson's. 52-tf

Mules and Horses. See A. O. Thompson Lumber Co. 43-tf

It makes such a great difference in price when you pay cash at a cash store. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

Glen Greer, of Dimmitt, was a business visitor in Hereford this week.

C. W. Dodson is spending the month at Waco, his old home.

Hand packed tomatoes, No. 3 cans 10c. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

Homer Wilkinson sells for Spot Cash. 52-tf

Robertson Broom Co. at 507 Miles Ave. will buy broom corn. Hereford, Texas. 2tp

Sliced Pineapple, large can, best quality for only 25c. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

A dime saved is a dime made. Buy your groceries of Homer Wilkinson, the Spot Cash Grocer. 52-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clifton of were here last Saturday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ketchor.

Extra good soft wheat biscuit flour only \$1.55 per sack at Homer Wilkinson's. 52-tf

Jno. Sherman who has been with the Brand force for the past few weeks has accepted a position with The Western National Bank.

Amarillo's Best or Royal XXX Flour, \$1.40 a sack at Homer Wilkinson's. 52-tf

A. L. Gibson, is one of a number who are having small plots of ground for gardening put under the tiling system for irrigation.

Compare Spot Cash prices with credit or 30 day prices and see the saving of the Cash system. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

Walter Bennett, of the City Barber Shop left Monday for several days visit in Coryell county, his old home.

Miss Leta Taylor, returned to her home in Tulia last Monday after a few days visit with her cousin, Miss Gertrude Taylor.

You will admit that it is better to pay cash. Why not do it? Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

Mesdames Artis Daniel and Jno. C. North are in Bruner, Missouri on a visit to their parents. Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hammack, formerly of Hereford.

GARDEN PLANTS—Will have tomato, cabbage, pepper and potato plants in season. Get your ground ready. G. C. Major, South Hereford. 52-4t

The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger from pneumonia and other serious diseases. Mr. W. L. Hall, of Waverly, Va., says: "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be absolutely the best preparation on the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me." For sale by all dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hurst of Kansas City have moved to Hereford to make their home. They are occupying the residence of J. B. Elliston on 3rd St.

Pay Cash for your groceries and get the right prices at Homer Wilkinson's. 52-tf

Ed Connell and son, of Hereford, accompanied by a Mr. Dobbin, land commissioner for the F. T. Syudicate, were in Endee Saturday and Sunday.—Endee, (N.M.) Enterprise.

You get more for your money when you trade at the Spot Cash Store. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

Mr. E. A. Hurst who has been engaged in the real estate business in K. C. is moving here. If you want to exchange your lands for city income property you will do well to see him. 1tp

For Rent, Sale or Trade—640 acres improved land 12 miles southwest of Dimmitt, county seat of Castro County, Texas. Inquire of F. Lambert, Hereford, Texas, or write to owner, James M. Vanatta, Kiowa, Kansas. 50-4tp

Buck Roberts has returned from a short business trip to Wellington. He reports that our fellow townsman, M. W. Sturdy who recently moved there is doing well in the insurance business.

All orders for \$5.00 or over delivered free. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf

The Brand will have a fine lot of Calendars in a few weeks from which the merchants and banks may make their selections for 1912. The prices will be right. There is no use to be in a hurry about buying. 52-tf

E. B. Black Co.

Embalmers & Funeral Directors
AT YOUR SERVICE DAY OR NIGHT
DAY PHONE 14. NIGHT PHONES 92 OR 299

Mr. W. B. Kramer, manager of the Alfalfa Lumber Co's yard had as his guests, Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Foresman and Miss Peabody of Amarillo who came down by auto. Mr. Foresman is auditor for the Alfalfa people and was here to check up the yard.

E. F. Connell of Glenrio Townsite Company has his office at Hereford and says that his company has made a contract for a well 2000 feet deep, work to begin at once. Oil prospects are good. He has recently sold several tracts and is receiving inquiries daily. On Tuesday he had a long distance call asking about Glenrio oil lands. Ask him about it? 48tf

Revival. Revival Services will begin at The Methodist Church on Feb. 12th at 11 a. m. and the preaching will be done by Rev. C. M. Shuffler, Conference Missionary Evangelist. Everyone who has the interest of his own soul or the souls of others at heart is earnestly requested to be with us, and take part in the meetings. Have you a son or a daughter or a friend you want saved? Now is your best opportunity. The next meeting may come to late. In the name of Him who died for you, come help us. J. M. Sherman, Pastor.

Our Altitude.

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| Hereford | 3750 feet |
| Amarillo | 3676 feet |
| Wildorado | 3887 feet |
| Vega | 3986 feet |
| Alamoosa | 4000 feet |
| Adrian | 3998 feet |
| Cap Rock | 4127 feet |

Buy Your Calendars

For 1912 from a home institution. The Brand can and will save you from 25 to 50 per cent on all orders. Traveling commission drawers will visit the merchants of Hereford within the next sixty days, but you do not have to buy until July if you place your orders with The Brand. Wait until you see our 500 samples from which to select; then buy from a home institution.

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THE BRAND:

Find enclosed \$_____ cents for which send me _____ copies (at the rate of ten cents each) of the Special Edition of the Brand.

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H. C. MYRICK

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PLANT NOW Onion Sets, Irish Potatoes, Onion Seed. Send for Special February Price List. Catalogs of Seed, Bee Supplies, Poultry Supplies and Fruit Trees. ROSWELL SEED COMPANY, Roswell, N. M.

Every family has need of a good, reliable liniment. For sprains, bruises, soreness of the muscles and rheumatic pains there is none better than Chamberlain's. Sold by all dealers. Just think how much you can save by paying cash for your groceries. Homer Wilkinson. 52-tf



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FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING—HEREFORD, TEXAS

HEREFORD, TEXAS
DAY PHONE
Number Fourteen

In Bad Fix

"I had a mishap at the age of 41, which left me in bad fix," writes Mrs. Georgia Usher, of Conyers, Ga. "I was unconscious for three days, and after that would have fainting spells, dizziness, nervousness, sick headache, heart palpitation and many strange feelings. I suffered greatly with ailments due to the change of life and had 3 doctors, but they did no good, so I concluded to try Cardui.
"Since taking Cardui, I am so much better and can do all my housework."

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Irrigation Meeting

The irrigation meeting held at the courthouse yesterday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock did nothing. Good talks were made by Shirley, Taylor, Barcus, McDonald, Rogers, Baker, Hays, and others. A motion to organize a company of \$10,000 stock to operate a model irrigated farm was carried by a small number voting, but the response was weak. Most of the 75 men present left the room at this juncture, and those remaining after a short discussion, adjourned sine die, which means that nothing further will be done under the present move to put in a farm.

Ranch for Rent

1760 acre ranch in Castro Co. for rent. 150 acres in farm. House, well and mill, sheds, etc. See A. C. Elliott, Hereford, Texas.

Orr-Rogers

Sunday evening at their home, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rogers gave their daughter, Miss Inna, to Mr. Berry Orr in marriage. Rev. J. C. Boyd officiating. The wedding was witnessed by the families of the contracting parties and a few close friends.

Miss Rogers was one of the efficient employees of the Telephone Company, and Mr. Orr holds the position of bookkeeper at the Western National Bank.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles, A Hereford Citizen Shows How to Cure Them

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all other symptoms of kidney disorders. This is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to dropsy or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It is for ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Hereford people testify to benefit received.

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WANTED—Direct from owners, lands in and around the Hereford country that are for sale. Address Mason & McElhenie, La Salle, Ill. 1-tf

LEGAL BLANKS—The Brand has on hand a fresh supply of Warranty Deeds with Vendor's Lien and Joint Acknowledgment, also Promissory Notes. In fact we have almost any sort of Legal Blank you could want.

\$7000 stock of Merchandise to trade for land near Hereford. Also store building and office and two residences. Will trade together or separate. See J. A. Wear. 1tp

LOST—A lady's shirt waist pin, letter D. Finder please return to Mrs. DeGuire. 1tp

FOR SALE—One steam plow outfit, consisting of one 35-horse power plow engine, three hauling wagons with beds complete, one 16-foot breaking plow; will give terms on same. Murdock, Ernst, Gregg Realty Co., 10th and Main St., Kansas City, Mo. 1tp

IF you have broom corn to sell call or address Robertson Broom Co at 507 Miles Ave, Hereford, Tex. 2tp

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628 ACRES—well improved farm 5 1/2 miles southwest of Hereford and 1 1/2 miles east of Summerfield. Will sell or trade. See F. C. Bradley, Summerfield, Texas. 41-tf

FOR SALE—We have some fine Jacks for sale or trade. Write or see us.—Higgins & Suggs, P. O. Box 461, Hereford, Texas. 51-4t

FOR SALE—Second-hand farm wagon with feed rack and wagon box. Inquire of Albert Patterson, east of Nursery. 1tp

FOR RENT—150 acre farm one and a half miles Dawn station. Good residence, barn, sheds and fine well of water. See or write W. B. Parmer, Hereford, Tex. 52tf

FOR SALE, 160 acres in Section 67, block K-8, Deaf Smith Co., Texas, 11 miles Northwest of Hereford, smooth quarter, good soil, the whole quarter slopes gently to the north, 60 acres broke. Write, Oscar Schmeil, Scottsville, Kansas. 1-15p

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A \$4000.00 Stock of Drugs in Eastern Kansas to trade for \$7000.00 worth of good land worth the cash. J. A. Wear, Hereford, Texas. 1tp

238 acres 1 mile from town in Indiana, all tilable, 100 acres in cultivation, 100 acres pasture, 25 acres bottom land, house 30x40, 5 rooms, 2 good barns, well and creek, 1 1/2 miles hog fence, price \$3,000.00, clear. Will trade for good land in southwest. What have you to offer. J. A. Wear, Hereford, Texas. 1tp

WANTED—Sheep on Share or will take care of bunch by the month and furnish range. Berg of Barn & Corrells. Address, Box 41, Dimmit, Texas. 2tp

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Panhandle County Sells 277 Bales and Gets Above Market Price at Galveston.

The following letter from W. L. Moody & Co., of Galveston, well known cotton buyers, is self-explanatory:

Galveston, Texas, January 25, 1911.

Mr. J. J. Long, Mobeetie, Texas.

Dear Sir:—We take pleasure in advising you that we have today sold 277 bales of your cotton on the basis of 15 3-16 cents for middling, which we consider an excellent sale on today's market, and trust the price realized will be highly satisfactory to you.

The market today is disappointing, futures being down some five or ten points, instead of higher as we expected, and all things considered we thought best to sell rather than to hold longer.

Hoping you had a pleasant trip home, we remain with best wishes. Yours very truly, W. L. MOODY & Co.

The cotton mentioned above was a shipment made entirely from the Mobeetie country, (Wheeler county, Texas). All of this cotton graded first-class, the staple was above an average, and sold at a premium of 3-16 cent over the market quotation, which was 1-16 over any other cotton sold on the Galveston market up to the 25th of January, on a down market, as on that day futures were off from 10 to 15 points.

This is a splendid turnout for a shipment of cotton of this size from any locality, and especially so late in the season. Good for the Panhandle of Texas.

This means that the farmers of Wheeler county who raised this shipment realized \$75 per bale for their cotton besides the seed which were worth at least \$20 per bale. Wheeler county is north of Deaf Smith and why could not cotton do as well in this county?

A Crosby county farmer, W. H. Shell, raised in 1910, 27 1/2 bales from 50 acres and sold the entire lot for \$1947.73, the seed being worth \$370 in addition.

The New Panhandle will plant several thousand acres of cotton this summer.

Holds Monthly Meeting.

The Pranthian and the "B. C." Classes of the Presbyterian Sunday School held their monthly meeting last Friday night at the church. After meeting separately the two classes came together to consider the questions of a magazine exchange and music for the church.

The classes were the prime movers in enlarging the rostrum so as to have more room for those who sing. This work was done last week at a relatively small expense as the men of the church donated most of the labor. Everyone is greatly pleased at the change in the building. Now the classes are calling upon one and all who will assist in the music to meet with them one night each week for choir practice which will occur this week on Saturday night at 7:30. They agreed also on a magazine exchange which will be installed at the church.

Parrott Paragraphs.

Messrs. J. Wagner, F. R. Metcalf, R. S. and B. F. Neely drove to Hale Center last Friday to advise with Mr. Allen of that place on the feasible thing to do in the way of farming when it is so dry. They feel that they have been well repaid for their journey both by the advice that they received and the kindly welcome.

Tom Shepherd has come home much to the joy of all.

Our young people had a very gay time last Friday night when a jolly load went to Dimmitt and were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Easter. All had a good time and they feel very much indebted to Mrs. Easter.

Our young people met at Mrs. Fincher's to sing last Wednesday. Tommie and Alva Metcalf spent the night with Rhoda Bess.

Mrs. Hacker and Mr. Guthrie came home last week. Mr. Guthrie expects to return to Illinois, much to the regret of all. We feel that to lose such a man will be very hard on our neighborhood. We need his integrity and sterling worth. We wish very much that he might stay with us.

Sunday night we met at Mr. Jennings' to sing.

Mrs. B. F. Neely and Charlton went to Dimmitt Thursday.

Ned and Charlton Neely and Floyd Hacker went hunting Saturday.

A very pleasant time was had at Mr. Guthrie's last Thursday. The occasion was the killing of Hogs. Jack and Jill.

Good Photographs Wanted

The Brand wants a hundred good photographs—pictures of city and country-homes, ranch headquarters, herds of cattle, sheep and hogs. They will be used in the Special Edition of The Brand. Bring the photos to this office and after the cuts are made they will be returned to you. Bring them in within the next ten days.

Sheriff's Sale

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Deaf Smith.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, on 10th day of February, 1911, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of M. O. Kersey et al versus E. F. Connell et al, No. 289 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 March, A. D. 1911, it being the 7th 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:

Beginning at a mound and semi-circular trench the N. W. corner of N. A. Hunt's pre-emption survey. Thence N. 851 varas past mound and two pits, the N. E. corner of survey No. 7, block K-3, A. B. and M. at 1846 varas, a mound and semi-circular trench in E. line of survey No. 8 in block K-3. Thence E. at 483 varas a mound and semi-circular trench in W. line of survey No. 5 in block K-14. Thence south 33 minutes E. with W. line of said block 1846 varas to a mound and semi-circular trench. Thence W. 499 varas to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres of land. Said land being known as the H. B. Shaw pre-emption, situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas. Levied on as the property of M. O. Kersey and Jeff Kersey to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$40.78 in favor of E. F. Connell et al for cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 10th day of February, 1911.

R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff.

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Uncle Joe Lost.

Not Uncle Joe Cannon, but a cannon might as well have exploded, for J. M. Syper, familiarly known by his many friends as Uncle Joe, was ingloriously defeated in a game of checkers last Saturday, by a one Mr. Crockett of Roswell. It just happened—it didn't occur. The man with the name of a famous Texas scout and warrior dropped in to Hereford and in mixing around with friends met Uncle Joe at the Palmer Lumber Co's. office, where checkers are wont to be played, and like two old roosters shied at each other when checkers were mentioned and the fight was on. Uncle Joe shifted his Battle Ax to starboard and cleared the deck for action. The first shot David Crockett broke into the king row, and though a fresh chew was often loaded 20 straights went to the man with a Bowie knife name, and Uncle Joe like the great man he is acknowledged his defeat and handed over the honors to the stranger.

Sheriff's Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Deaf Smith.

BY virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 12th day of January, 1911, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the First National Bank vs. J. T. Montague No. 366, and delivered to me as Sheriff, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law, for Sheriff's sale, on the first Tuesday in March, 1911, the same being the 7th 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, being all of Section No. 72 Block K-4 Certificate No. 131, Original Grantee, H. O. R. R. Co. containing 640 acres of land, levied on, as the property of said J. T. Montague, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$669.72 in favor of the First National Bank of Hereford, with interest thereon from the first day of November, 1910, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this the 2nd day of February A. D. 1911. R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff of Deaf Smith County, Tex.

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Sheriff's Sale

THE 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 12th day of January, A. D. 1911, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of H. B. McKinley vs. A. J. Smalley No. 346, and same has been directed and delivered to me as Sheriff, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law, for Sheriff's sale, on the first Tuesday in March, 1911, the same being the 7th day of said month, before the Court House door of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in the City of Hereford, the following described property, to-wit: Situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, and being an one-half undivided interest in and to part of league No. 409-1-2 patented to Abner Taylor by Patent No. 442, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a rock set in the ground in the North West corner of Survey No. 74 Block K-8 T. T. R'y Company, and the S. W. corner of W. B. Garwin's 640 tract; thence West 964 vrs. pass a rock at 1900 vrs. a stake for the S. W. corner of this tract, from which a rock set in the ground bears West 34 1-2 vrs.; thence N. 1900 vrs. to a stake from which a rock set in the ground bears N. 53° W. 43 vrs.; thence East 1900 vrs. to an iron pipe for the said W. B. Garwin's N. W. corner; thence S. 1900 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, levied on, as the property of A. J. Smalley, to satisfy a judgment in favor of W. B. McKinley amounting to the sum of \$485.11 with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1910, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1911.

R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff of Deaf Smith Co., Tex.

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