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## LECTURES BY FARM EXPERTS

State Department Sends Men To Assist Farmers in Securing Better Methods—Two at Hereford.

Many farmers around Hereford were too busy last Monday to be at the lectures given by Mr. Neill and Maj. Duffell of the department of agriculture, but those who were fortunate enough to be present were more than well repaid for the two hours. The department has made no mistake in sending Maj. Duffell and Mr. Neill among the farmers to advise with them. For the benefit of those who could not attend, a synopsis of their talks is appended hereto:

Maj. W. J. Duffell of Claude made a most informational talk on sheep raising and hog breeding. He said in part that sheep had been one of the principal sources of food and raiment for the human family since time immemorial. England was really the first to improve the breeds of sheep for mutton and wool, and now a breed that would not double in value each year was not considered profitable. He said that the mutton breeds were the best for the Plains, as the weeds and grass of this section were especially suited for growing mutton, and farmers could not do better than to have a few sheep if not a large herd around them. Wool and mutton should always bring a good price, and the right care of the flock will always bring profitable returns.

On the subject of hogs, Mr. Duffell was at home. His life long experience with this animal has made him past-master in raising the porker. Hogs, he said, did not have such a pleasant history as the sheep. No poetry, except in derision, had been written about the hog. The Jews rejected Christ and the Master sent the demon spirits into the swine, the filthy animal as the extreme punishment and eternal abode. But the

hog has in the last 100 years furnished most of the meat and lard for the household. Unfortunately for Texas, its smoke house had been in the north, until the boll weevil struck the cotton patch and forced the farmers to try the hog. As a result, Texas stands third in the states as to the number of hogs produced, and first in the quality of the pork. The main trouble is that the farmers do not know what kind of a hog to raise. The best answer is this—raise the kind that the packers demand. Mr. Duffell declares the Plains to be the best climate in the United States for hog breeding and raising. He gave some valuable advice to those present as to the handling of the sows and pigs, their feeding and housing.

Following Mr. Duffell, J. W. Neill, director of institutes, after paying a tribute to Com. Kone, discussed the subject of home grown seed, silos, and insect pests. Mr. Neill warned the people of the rapid spread of injurious insects by continued sending off after seed. He urged the people to climatize their seed, by so doing they can breed up a drouth resistant seed; that the success of large crops of weeds were wholly due to the fact that the seed were climatized and therefore drouth resistant. He urged the people to build silos for storing their feed crops. With a sufficient number of cattle a silo properly filled might pay for itself the first year, and urged someone to see the silos at Tulla and other places. Mr. Neill then discussed some of the insect pests, and told the people they would have to pay the penalty for keeping insects, or pay the price to destroy them. Mr. Neill demonstrated with a hood how to control the melon lice, how to train the young vines to get the first crop of melons.

Mr. Neill told the farmers how to poison certain insects, and that certain insects could not be poisoned, also in what stages of the insect's life it was most destructive, and when to destroy it. He explained the use of certain poisons and sprays. He showed how the cabbage worms could be poisoned with arsenate of

lead, at the rate of 2 pounds to 50 gallons of water. It would likely not burn the foliage, stay on longer and not wash off by rains, while Paris Green, unless used with equal amount of lime, was very coustic on some plants, but if the plant was to be used soon he urged the use of Hellebore as this poison would not stay on long, but was poisonous to worms. He declared that tobacco was the greatest insecticiale man ever produced when properly used. Mr. Neill said that the cabbage and squash bugs, being sucking insects, could not be poisoned, and that a spray strong enough to kill the adult bugs would often kill the plant upon which they bed, and urged the farmers all to plant trap crops, as the insects make their appearance in a community about the same time. It is necessary that the farmers all prepare their trap crops about the same time, and urged early trap crops for cabbage bugs by planting mustard, a few early squash vines for the squash, early turnips for flea beetlers and leaf hoppers. Mr. Neill explained how these insects passed the winter. He warned the people against the spread of orchard insects, and said that the flat head apple tree boner was killing many trees on the Plains, and that the codling moth was destroying the apples. In closing Mr. Neill explained the importance of Farmers' Institutes, and urged the farmers to send delegates to College Station on July 29 next, that Commissioner Kone was planning for a big meeting by securing free transportation on the railroads. He wants every section of the state represented.

After the meeting Mr. Neill was carried to some orchards in town, and reports that the flat head apple tree boner was in Hereford. Some trees are affected with rust and show signs of the codling moth.

He spoke in the highest praise for Hereford and its people. Now let our people reorganize the institute and go to work to destroy the insects. Let everyone do his duty, get in touch with the state department of agriculture, which stands ready to do all it can to aid the farmers.

beautiful gold-handled umbrella; Miss Lena Gregory, second bonus prize, a silver mesh hand bag; Miss Eddith Smith, third bonus prize, an elegant gold laid jewel case; Mrs. Allan Bell, fourth bonus prize, a silver dresser set.

This closes the counting periods for the contest. Hereafter no more counts will be made, all votes being kept under seal until after the close on July 31st. No information of any kind will be given out about the standing of the candidates. The votes already cast and all the votes to be cast will be counted at the end to determine who gets the piano.

In addition to the Piano Grand Prize, a number of Success Prizes will also be awarded. It is possible for each and every one to secure one of these prizes, and it is hoped that each one will get the prize of their choice. The present standing of all the candidates is shown in the table published on this praise.

Hereford at Amarillo on Fourth. Manager Ben Hubbert of the Hereford ball team is in receipt of a communication from the manager of the Amarillo ball team requesting that the Hereford boys play there on July 4th. When Amarillo wants a good game they always depend on Hereford. Hereford boys draw a crowd. The probably line up for the Hereford team will be: Alban, catcher; Beene, pitcher; J. Carter, 1st base; C. Bennett, 2nd base; B. Hubbert, 3rd base; Wilson, s. s.; C. Beach, lf; Jones, cf; Estes, rf; Wheeler, sub.

For Mrs. Odell Elliott. A very pleasant occasion was last Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock when Mrs. J. H. Pitman entertained over a score of guests in honor of Mrs. Odell Elliott of Dallas. The very popular game of "325" was played with much enjoyment. Refreshments consisting of cream and angel food cake were served and on each plate was placed dainty pink roses as favors. The out-of-town guests present were: Mrs. Frank Goodloe of Wellington, Kans., and Miss Rhone of Winsboro, Miss Bain of Silvertown and Miss Gamble of Clovis.

West End East 3rd Challenges. E. B. Black, one of the prominent citizens of the west end of East 3rd street, states that he and his neighbors will rival the east end of the same street in keeping the street in the best condition. And not only that, but will enter their end of the street in competition with any street in the city. The spirit is very commendable and if followed throughout the city Holland's inspector will indeed find on his visit here a town worthy of the highest prize.

City Commissioners Meet. The city dads met Wednesday night and were in session until 12 o'clock. Among other business transacted they order all street taxes paid, and issued an order to the city marshal to see that the weed cutting and work on the streets began immediately.

Cutting Alfalfa. On the L. R. Bradley farm harvesters are at work cutting and baling 100 acres of very fine alfalfa. It measures 2 feet in height and the yield is extra fine. This alfalfa is on sub-irrigated or valley land.

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When you need a carpenter call R. H. Kemp Lumber Co. 20-2t

## ALFALFA AND IRRIGATION

Demonstration Shows Feasibility of Projects—Other Crops Make Good.

In beginning any new project, especially among people accustomed to stock raising and farming by uncertain and haphazard methods, a kind of "hit and miss" process, the feasibility of irrigation must be clearly demonstrated before many will believe.

There is no longer any doubt—the last Thomas has been converted, all are alike in their praise of the fine crops of wheat, oats and alfalfa on the irrigated farms around Hereford. The one farm which is not only attracting attention at home, but abroad, is that of the McDonald Company. Mr. McDonald was the first to drill a well for irrigation purposes on the Plains, and he has met with indifferent success during the nearly three years of experimentation. But this year the crops on the McDonald farms were properly planned, the water was applied, and as a result, a most wonderful demonstration is to be seen on the four mile farm north of town. The alfalfa has been cut one time and the second is now ready for the sickle and this only the last days of June. Talk about being "knee deep in June," the McDonald farm is more than knee deep in growing green and waving fields. The wheat, oats and alfalfa are there and in sufficient quality and quantity to convince the most skeptical.

As a result a score or more of big pumpers are being planned and contracted for by the farmers around Hereford. The Walker-Perkins Company are pushing the development of their league west of town. This tract has about 4,500 acres and some 25 wells will be built, each well being on a unit of 177 acres. This company is now installing the first three wells, and well No. 1 will be ready for operation this week or next.

There is another well drilling company to operate on an independent scale, who will be in the field in a few days. The first well by this new company will be put down for Alex Thompson on his Frio farm.

But, perhaps, the largest undertaking and the most extensive development plans are being made by the Farrar-Cole Syndicate of New York and Ohio. This concern, through the Evants-Snyder Company, have optioned over 50,000 acres. A list of 25,089 acres has been checked in at an average of \$9.74 per acre and the list forwarded by Judge Galloway, who is here from New York as attorney to the home office of the Company, where the executive committee will take final action. This land is located at various distances around Hereford. The next 25,000 acres and the abstracts thereto is being examined and tabulated.

It is hoped that these different companies will push their plans of development rapidly from now on to a successful issue. The water is here, the sunshine is here, the soil is here, all awaiting the touch of the twin powers—Capital and Labor.

Everybody's a doin' it!  
What?  
Getting their cleaning and Pressing done at the Palace Tailor Shop  
at Orr's Barber Shop. 21-2t

CONTEST OPENED MONDAY, APRIL 1, 1912 AT 8 P. M.

### Standing of Candidates

In The Merchants and Publisher's Trade Campaign Contest Up to Saturday, June 22nd at 10 p. m.

Mrs. Allan Bell, Hereford	1049100 Votes
Miss Eddith Smith, Hereford	924150 Votes
Miss Lena Gregory, Kelso	841880 Votes
Mrs. Estelle Tucker, Hereford	806945 Votes
Miss Eloise Pitman, Hereford	472340 Votes
Miss Margie Baker, Summerfield	107460 Votes
Miss Lena Roberson, Summerfield	105560 Votes
Miss Percy Gallaher, Hereford	100870 Votes
Miss Louise Oberthier, Hereford	77715 Votes
Miss Dollie Whitaker, Dimmitt	26585 Votes
Miss Ora Ramey, Dimmitt	21650 Votes
Miss Maude Wyre, Dimmitt	7330 Votes
Miss Mildred Gilbert, Springlake	5210 Votes

We the committee; selected to count the votes in the Merchants and Publisher's Trade Campaign Contest for the Fourth Three-Week Period ending Saturday, June 22 at 10 p. m., certify that the above and foregoing is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. And that in accordance with the rules of the contest the Third Bonus Prize, the Silver Dresser Set is awarded to Mrs. Allan Bell, she having received the greatest number of votes between June 1st, 1912 and June 22nd, 1912 at 10 o'clock P. M.

W. B. DAMERON,  
L. W. DAVIDSON,  
W. T. STANBERRY, } Committee

CONTEST CLOSSES WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 1912 AT 8 P. M.

## FOURTH BONUS PRIZE AWARDED

The Count for Saturday, June 22, Shows a Grand Total of 4,746,795 Votes Cast in Contest.

There was unusual amount of interest in the Merchants' and Publishers' Contest for the week ending last Saturday, it being the date for the awarding of the last Bonus Prize and the last count to be made until the close of the contest.

Mrs. Allan Bell was awarded the prize, the silver dresser set, she having cast 507,745 votes during the three-week period, while Mrs. Estelle Tucker was a close second with 449,815 votes. And for the three-week period Miss Smith cast 266,815 votes and Miss Gregory 151,140 votes. All the other candidates likewise polled a very heavy vote. The Merchants Trade Coupons were in demand up to the last hour and the friends of all the candidates worked hard to collect as many as possible. A good many subscription votes were also cast.

As the contest now stands the following have won the Bonus Prizes, and the last one awarded: Miss Nannie Davidson, first bonus prize, a



# GRAND SALE NOW ON

## AND CLOSES 4TH OF JULY

Our ENTIRE STOCK of SUMMER GOODS at BIG CUT PRICES. Don't put off coming if you want some of the Real Bargains we are now offering the public. We mean business. Our stock is too full and it must be reduced quick.

Look at the Prices Below Which Will Give You Some Idea What We Are Doing:

<b>Men's Shirts, Overalls and Hats</b>	All Dress Calicos.....42c	All Table Linens.....1-3 Off	Ladies' \$1.50 Silk Gloves, now.....98c
Men's \$1.50 Shirts go at.....98c	15c Ginghams, only.....11c	Embroideries and Laces...40 PER CENT OFF	Ladies' \$1.25 Chamois Gloves.....69c
Men's \$1.00 Shirts go at.....65c	12 1/2c Ginghams, only.....8 3/4c	White Dress Goods...33 TO 40 PER CENT OFF	Dress Skirts.....50c ON THE DOLLAR
Men's 65c Shirts go at.....45c	10c Ginghams for.....7 1/2c	35c Ladies' Hose go at.....23c	White Lawn Waists.....ONE-HALF OFF
Men's \$1.00 Overalls.....88c	15c Bleach Domestic.....11c	20c Ladies' Hose go at.....12c	All Pumps, Slippers, Oxfords and Spring purchases of Shoes 25 PER CENT OFF
Men's Hats.....PRICE NO OBJECT	15c Fine Cambrics.....10c	\$1.00 Ladies' Silk Hose go at.....49c	Ribbons.....SLAUGHTERED
	Very Best Bed Sheetting.....25c	75c Ladies' Silk Hose go at.....39c	

PRICES CUT SIMILAR TO THE ABOVE THROUGH THE ENTIRE STOCK

This Sale runs until the 4th of July, so don't fool around and lose something good. Be sure you bring THE CASH.

Six Spools Clark's Thread  
25 CENTS

# J. G. CALLENS

Six Spools Clark's Thread  
25 CENTS

**Mrs. Sellars at Home.**

Mrs. J. W. Sellars entertained last Wednesday afternoon with a most delightful at home in honor of her niece, Miss Berry, of Cleburne. In the receiving line were Misses Berry, Bain, Belle Woodburn; Mesdames Moreman, Cliett and Tucker. From the reception hall the guests were ushered to the beautifully appointed dining room where they were served with sherbet and wafers in the soft glow of many candles in

pink and white holders, the color scheme for the occasion being pink and white, and the rooms were profusely decorated with sweet peas. After an exceptionally pleasant hour the guests were invited to register in the guest book presided over by Miss Nellie Black.

Mrs. John Comer of Clovis, N. M., who has been visiting relatives in Hereford for the past several days, left for her home Wednesday.

**Imboden Here.**

Wiley M. Imboden of Rusk, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, spoke to a large crowd at the courthouse this afternoon. Mr. Imboden's speech was interrupted at various times by hearty applause.

**Church of Christ Meeting.**

The protracted services at the Church of Christ, continuing for two weeks, closed last Sunday with 10 additions including 4 by baptism. Rev. Ira Winterrowd of Fort Worth did the preaching. He is a young

man of splendid ability. He has been a student of Polytechnic College for three years, graduating this year. The membership of this church has been strengthened and edified by his preaching and though quite a young man is well posted on Bible subjects.

NO. 8812  
**Bank Statement.**

Report of the condition of the Western National Bank, at Hereford, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, June 14th, 1912.

<b>RESOURCES.</b>	
Loans and discounts.....	\$42,506.07
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	7,465.25
Other Real Estate owned.....	6,160.35
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....	854.50
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	168.44
Due from approved Reserve Agents.....	7,396.47
Checks and other Cash Items.....	700.70
Notes of other National Banks.....	555.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents.....	226.50
<b>LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:</b>	
Specie.....	3,528.10
Legal tender notes.....	649.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent circulation).....	4,177.10
.....	2,500.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$222,710.38</b>
<b>LIABILITIES.</b>	
Capital stock paid in.....	50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	50,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid.....	5,697.50
National Bank Notes outstanding.....	50,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	36,540.04
Time certificates of deposit.....	23,500.84
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	6,972.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$222,710.38</b>

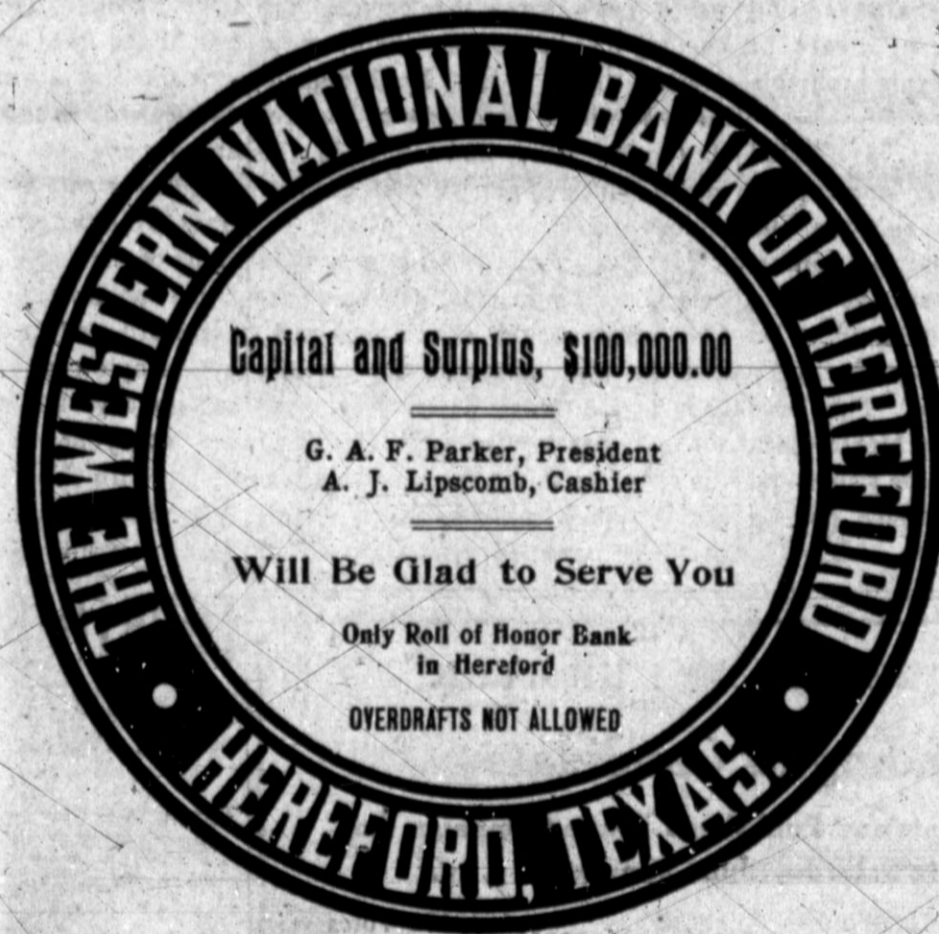
STATE OF TEXAS } ss.  
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH }  
I, A. J. LIPSCOMB, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
A. J. LIPSCOMB, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June, 1912.  
[SEAL] A. P. MURCHISON, Notary Public.  
CORRECT—Attest:  
G. A. F. PARKER }  
J. T. WILKINSON } Directors.  
B. C. D. BYNUM }  
Crushed rock stock salt and all kinds of feed at Star Mill and Elevator. 20-21

NO. 8804  
**Bank Statement.**

Report of the Condition of The First National Bank at Hereford, in the State of Texas, at the close of business June 14th, 1912.

<b>RESOURCES.</b>	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$117,841.14
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....	500.00
Bonds Securities, etc.....	3,562.56
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	12,000.00
Other Real Estate Owned.....	55,658.03
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....	54.54
Due from approved reserve agents	5,861.70
Checks and other cash items.....	352.09
Notes of other National Banks.....	1,300.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	130.35
<b>LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:</b>	
Specie.....	8,024.80
Legal-tender notes.....	2,273.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	10,297.80
.....	2,500.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$260,058.21</b>
<b>LIABILITIES.</b>	
Capital stock paid in.....	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	5,868.83
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to other National Banks.....	43,931.46
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers.....	6,928.38
Due to Approved Reserve Ag'ts	126.88
Individual deposits subject to check.....	72,139.18
Time certificates of deposit.....	25,233.48
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	830.00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed.....	5,000.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$260,058.21</b>

STATE OF TEXAS } ss.  
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH }  
I, J. J. GALLAHER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. J. GALLAHER, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, 1912.  
[SEAL] A. M. JONES, Notary Public.  
CORRECT—Attest:  
W. S. HIGGINS }  
J. L. FOQUA } Directors.  
R. N. MOUNTS }



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Our Best 5.00 Suits	3.95

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### Meeting Well Attended.

The protracted services which have been conducted at the Methodist church for the past two weeks has been well attended, many evenings the house overflowing. Last Sunday night the overflow meeting was held at the Baptist church, and this building was also filled. Rev. Frank Neal, pastor of that church at Canyon City, is doing the preaching. Pastor J. M. Sherman is assisting in his own good way and some splendid work is being done to arouse the moral and religious sentiment of the people of the town. Prof. Wood has charge of the singing and has built up quickly a good choir of voices. Mr. Neal is a young man, native of Texas and has a style of delivery and pulpit action peculiarly his own. His subjects have been on upright living and the condemnation of sin, and the way he handles some of the touchy subjects has kept his audiences on ear-tip to catch every word that falls from his lips. He is fearless in his arraignment of wrong doing in church members as strongly as he is against sin found anywhere; he knows no difference, he excuses no one. Mr. Neal has a good speaking voice and has it under control. At times he lets fly a bit of phrasiology that smacks of street slang, but uses it in such a way as to drive a hard point and to clinch a thought. A number of confessions have been made up to date. The meeting will continue over Sunday and perhaps longer.

### Calomel Is Bad.

But Simmons' Liver Purifier is delightfully pleasant, and its action is thorough. Constipation yields, biliousness goes. A trial convinces. (In yellow boxes only.) Tried once, used always. 18-41

### Parrott Paragraphs.

Mrs. B. F. Neely returned from Plainview Monday.

Don't forget that our pastor, Rev. Smith, of Dimmitt, will preach for us Saturday night. All come out and hear him. It will be worth while.

We are having fine Sunday school every Sunday now and will be glad to see there.

Ned and Charlton Neely were entertained by Roy Wagner Saturday and Sunday night while their father was in Plainview for Mrs. Neely.

Our young people had a very pleasant time at Brother Edward's Sunday night singing.

Mr. Metcalf and Mrs. John Hacker were in Dimmitt last week.

Miss Mary Galley spent the night with Miss Fanny Neely and went to Hereford with Mr. Kopp Tuesday.

Messrs. Floyd Hacker, Ned and Charlton Neely took dinner Sunday with R. S. Neely.

Mrs. Emmerson Hacker and Mrs. Jennings and Ethel were callers at Miss Fannie Neely's.

R. S. Neely received a new Victrola from his brother, Perry, of Wisconsin this week.

Messrs. Guthrie, Kopp and Ned Neely were in Hereford Friday.

Mr. Guthrie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore.

Mr. Kopp is painting Percy Shepard's buggy. He has just finished Mr. Guthrie's and Mr. Metcalf's. Jack.

For soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

### Dimmitt Gets Postal Bank.

A. J. Bennett, post office inspector with headquarters at Wichita Falls, was in Hereford Tuesday on his way to the Castro county seat town where he went to establish one of Uncle Sam's Postal Savings Banks. He instructed postmaster Woodburn on all the details of the system and the Dimmitt office will be open for deposit August 1st.

### REMEMBER YOUR LAST

### DOSE OF CALOMEL

You Probably Recall the After-Effects of the Calomel More Than You Do the Sickness You Took It For.

You don't have to go through this again.

Next time your liver gets sluggish and inactive, we suggest that you go to Betts-Clark drug store for a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, a vegetable liquid that will start your liver as surely as calomel ever did and with none of the after-effects of calomel. It is absolutely harmless both to children and adults and demands no restriction of habits or diet.

Betts-Clark guarantees Dodson's Liver Tone to take the place of calomel, and will refund your money if it fails in your case.

Judge and Mrs. C. G. Witherspoon and daughter, Miss Bertha, who have been visiting with friends in Hereford for some days, left Tuesday for Bakersfield, Calif., via Pecos, Texas, where Mr. Witherspoon still had some Texas interest. Miss Bertha had been at Trinity University for the year, where her mother spent a part of the time after leaving Hereford last winter, and they were joined by Mr. Witherspoon at the close of the school term and the family came by Hereford for a visit. The Judge says he likes California fine and that everything in business lines is in good condition, and that everything there is irrigation—irrigation by wells, ditches, dams, etc., and he feels sure that irrigation at Hereford will bring lasting prosperity to this section. He was agreeably surprised at the progress made by those applying irrigation around Hereford, and he will watch with interest the work of converting a stock country into a veritable alfalfa garden.

### Helping a Woman

Generally means helping an entire family. Her back aches so she can hardly drag around. Her nerves are on edge and she is nearly wild. Headache and Sleeplessness unfit her for the care of her family. Rheumatic Pains and Lumbago rack her body. But, let her take



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**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

**Dear Smith County Offices:**

The Brand is authorized by those whose names appear below to announce their names for the respective offices subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held on July 27th, 1912.

**For County Judge:**

W. M. MEGERT  
 C. D. WRIGHT.

**For County Clerk:**

J. S. JONES.

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector:**

R. W. (Bob) BAIRD

**For Tax Assessor:**

C. P. (Phil) ARTHUR

**For Treasurer:**

ROSCOE DAVIDSON  
 MRS. DELPHIA COX

**For County Attorney:**

L. W. DAVIDSON.  
 W. ELMER DAMERON,

**Castro County Offices:**

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector:**  
 GEO. T. LYNCH

**That Straw Vote.**

Straw votes don't signify anything, particularly in politics, but one obtained in Hereford last Saturday may serve as a subject of meditation. Out of 87 men approached 81 expressed their choice, but 6 preferred not to commit themselves. A few were timid in saying who, others answered the questions straight from the shoulder. The vote for U. S. senator stood as follows: Sheppard 63; Wolters 5; Randell 9. For governor: Colquitt 19; Ramsey 62. These votes were taken without regard to crowds or parties, all the stores on Main street being visited and all men met on the streets were asked. Contrary to the notion of some, the straw vote was not taken for a boost for any candidate or cause, but was taken and that is all there was to it.

**The Rule of the People.**

The platform adopted at the State Democratic Convention at Houston recently indorsed Woodrow Wilson and his campaign platform for the presidency of the United States, favoring the initiative and referendum, and the rule of the people, including a plank to the effect that legislators should not accept fees nor serve in any manner public service corporations, and throughout the convention adhered to the idea adverse to machine rule and machine politics in any form. In our opinion it was a real democratic convention, or as much so as can be under the convention system. The time is already here when democratic conventions will meet only to consummate the wishes and instructions of the party membership. The day of the professional political trickster is passing and the time is here when true representatives will do the wishes of a majority of the people.—Texas Spur.

**The Pledge.**

"I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary."

**\$100 Reward, \$100**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.  
 Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
 Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**Children's Day at Summerfield.**

Children's Day at Summerfield last Sunday was largely attended. A number of visitors from Hereford and other places were present. Miss Ollie Cochran of Belton Baylor College was present and made a most interesting address. She is special mission worker for the Baptist Ladies on the Plains. The entire program was enjoyed. Rev. G. T. Bailey and daughter, Miss Electra, of Hereford were present. Also J. E. Garrison, Misses Calla Lambert and Ethel Fuqua, Mrs. W. J. Gilliland and Mrs. C. S. Richards of Hereford were in attendance. H. C. Jackson and family of Dimmitt and others were present. Dinner was spread at the noon hour for all.

**Lutheran Services.**

Evangelical Lutheran services in English will be held at the College chapel next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

A. M. LOHMAN, pastor.

Everybody's a doin' it!

What?

Getting their cleaning and Pressing done at the Palace Tailor Shop at Orr's Barber Shop. 21-2t

Dr. E. A. Bare of Hollen, N. M., and his friend, Park Flanders, was here Tuesday and paid this office a pleasant visit. Dr. Bare has a sheep ranch near Findley, this county, and is running some 2,700 head. He says that his flock wintered well and that his clip will amount to an average of 7 pounds.



**YOU**  
**CANNOT BE INDIFFERENT**  
 to our soda. Little as you may care for the ordinary kind, once you taste. The  
**BEST GLASS OF SODA**  
 you ever tasted before will not compare with our delicious beverage. We have the secret of making the flavor so tempting that each swallow is a dream of delight. You put down the empty glass with a sigh of satisfaction and wonder if you could possibly drink another.  
**TRY IT**  
**Betts-Clark**  
**DRUGGISTS**

Prof. Guy T. Rogers has been unanimously elected as superintendent of the Farwell schools for the 6th year. Mr. Rogers is well known here and his continued success is quite gratifying to his many friends. He and his family are here visiting for a part of the summer. Miss Berry of Childress, Miss Dean of Farwell and Miss Boone of Farwell will assist him in the school.

Eyes tested and glasses correctly fitted. W. H. Ray. 21-2t

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cross are now residing in Hereford, the Warren hardware stock at Crosbyton having been sold out. Mr. Cross was at his old and accustomed place Wednesday morning. Hereford is glad to get these good people back. It was Miss Cassie Weaver and Marvin Cross when they left Hereford, but return as Mr. and Mrs. Cross.

A. M. Jones writes Fire Insurance and would like to have a share of business. 9tf

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey N. Brandell and Miss Anna May Kidd of Amarillo have spent the past week outing on the peaceful Tierra Blanco. Mr. and Mrs. Brandell left Thursday afternoon for Amarillo, but Miss Kidd will remain some two weeks visiting her kinswoman, Mrs. Leslie Moreman.

Mrs. J. D. Woodburn, who has been visiting at the Woodburn here, is in Dimmitt this week visiting with Estes and Bill Woodburn. Mr. J. D. Woodburn of Claude came up Monday and went down to Dimmitt to join them.

Buy a Big Ben Alarm Clock and get up early. W. H. Ray. 21-2t

Miss Lena Gregory and younger sister and Miss Edna Shelton were shopping in Hereford Friday and visited this office to watch the wonders of making newspaper. They came to town in Jay Gregory's runabout.

Fresh butter and cream at College Dairy. Phone 281. 18-4tf

Atty. F. T. Roloson has returned from Tuscola, Ill., where he spent several weeks at the bedside of his brother, who was somewhat improved when Mr. Roloson left.

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

Asa Jenkins, a prominent young business man of West, Texas, who has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jenkins, left for home Monday.

J. H. Wilson, returned Saturday from a two weeks' trip into the Black mountains on the Rio Grande where he had been to round up and get out some cattle for Jim Williams. He found 142 head and shipped them in. Mr. Wilson says that part of Texas is the roughest country in the world and that the cattle are as wild as deer.

Rev. G. T. Bailey is at Kress, Texas, assisting in a 5th Sunday meeting. He and Rev. Purcer are attending from Hereford.

Mrs. Paul Barnett of San Benito, Texas, came in Wednesday on the 11 p. m. train to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Boone.

Ice cold Watermelons at City Meat Market. Phone 21. 1t

Howard Charlton, nephew of A. M. Jones of this city, wrote from Hallis, Okla., that he was to have taken unto himself a wife yesterday. Mr. Charlton was with the Hubbard-Barnett Company while living in Hereford.

Special attention is given to cleanliness at the City Meat Market. Phone 21. 21-2t

Mr. Bonner of Amarillo, dealer in wool and hides, was here Monday on business.

**Presented With Horns.**

It is not often that a real Texas gentleman is presented a pair of horns, (if he's a Texan, he usually grows them), but such is the case with S. B. Edwards, president of the First State Bank and Trust Company. The donor is Mr. Oval Keene of Canyon, a warm personal friend of the Hereford banker. The horns were purchased at El Paso and were valued at \$50. The set consists of two beautifully polished and perfect symmetrical horns from the head of a bull killed in the fighting ring at Juarez by a famous Matador. These are mounted in their natural position on a velvet form, on which is surmounted two highly polished, mountain goat horns of spiral shape. Below the head of horns, but on the same mounting, is secured the front pair of hoofs from the same slaughter beast. These two are beautifully polished, the whole mounting making one of the most attractive souvenirs seen in this part of Texas. Mr. Edwards is proud of the gift.

The Ladies of the Christian church will hold their sale at Geo. A. Stambaugh's tomorrow, Saturday. Every body is invited to come and get their dressed chicken and Baked Bread. 1t

Carl Gilliland left Thursday evening on a business trip to Tascosa. Carl says that he has been on the plains for nine years and this is his first visit to Tascosa.

Geo. W. Danders of Fort Worth, but formerly of Farwell, was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Oscar Cliett, this week.

**A Great Bargain.**

We have for sale at a great bargain a good 5 room cottage with 2 acres of land seeded to alfalfa, located in Artesia, N. M. Write J. H. Pitman Land Co., Hereford, Texas. 20-2t

G. W. Orr of Summerfield, candidate for county judge of Castro county, was in town Monday and reports crop conditions in his neighborhood to be fair.

J. H. Pitman leaves today for Missouri where he will close up several large land deals for the J. H. Pitman Land Co.

Dr. and Mrs. Rogers returned to Hereford Wednesday from Fort Worth where he had been for treatment. He is much improved in health.

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing housework all day, and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

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For One Week Only—Saturday, June 29th to Saturday, July 6th

Below we quote some very low prices for one week. Any person needing any of the list of goods below will save money by purchasing during this Special Sale Week. : : : :

**Mens' Patent Leather Shoes**

\$5.00 kind **\$3.35**  
 \$4.50 kind **\$3.40**  
 \$4.00 kind **\$2.95**

The above is in high-tops and Oxfords in both the Walk-Over and Hamilton-Brown makes.

**Men's and Boys' Ties**

\$1.00 grade, Special Price **68c**  
 75c grade, Special Price **45c**  
 65c grade, Special Price **40c**  
 50c grade, Special Price **35c**  
 35c grade, Special Price **25c**  
 25c grade, Special Price **20c**

**Men's Suits**

Our stock is somewhat broken in this line, but in order to close out our line of Men's Suits they will go for **ONE-HALF PRICE**

**Table Damask**

A good grade Mercerized Damask, 64 inches wide. The 65c kind at a Special Price of **43c**

**Toweling**

15c Huck **11c**  
 12c Linen **9c**  
 10c Brown Linen **7c**

**THE PRESENT "Nufangl" TROUSERS**



**Men's Pants Specials**

\$7.50 Values go during this Special Week for **\$6.00**  
 \$6.50 Values go during this Special Week for **\$5.35**  
 \$6.00 Values go during this Special Week for **\$4.90**  
 \$5.00 Values go during this Special Week for **\$4.00**  
 \$4.00 Values go during this Special Week for **\$3.25**  
 \$3.50 Values go during this Special Week for **\$2.90**  
 \$3.00 Values go during this Special Week for **\$2.45**

A \$2.50 White Duck Colonial Pump for ladies at a Special Price of **\$1.68**

We have some Linen Suits at a Special Price of **One-Third Off**

**Hosiery**

We carry the Black Cat Hosiery. Every pair guaranteed to be satisfactory.

35c Grade Men's Silk Lisle Sox, Special Price **25c**  
 25c Cotton Sox, black and colors **20c**



**Waisting and Dress Goods**

One lot of All-White Figured Waisting and Dress Goods go in this Special Sale.

15c grade **11c**  
 20c grade **14c**  
 25c grade **17c**  
 35c grade **25c**  
 50c grade **35c**

**Ribbon Bargains**

All No. 100 to 150 widths. These are extra wide and of good quality silk and satin and in most all shades.

75c Value, Special **48c**  
 65c Value, Special **40c**  
 50c Value, Special **35c**  
 35c and 40c Values, Special **25c**

**Ladies Hats**

Our stock of Hats is small, but we have some very good numbers. All go at **ONE-HALF PRICE**

**White Lingerie Dresses**

We have only a few of these. They go during this Special Week at **HALF PRICE**

**Geo. A. Stambaugh**  
 HEREFORD, TEXAS  
**THE STORE FOR SAFE BUYING**  
 EVERYTHING SPOT CASH COR. MAIN AND 2ND

**Local and Personal**

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

All kinds of Fresh Meats at the City Meat Market. Phone 21. 21-2t

Let Kemp figure on that lumber bill. You will save money. 20-2t

Rev. Purcer went to Kress yesterday to address the 5th Sunday at Kress, Texas, but will return today to take up his usual work.

Crystal Ice, 40c per 100 at my ice house. W. G. Ross. 18tf

I cure sick watches when others fail. W. H. Ray. 21-2t

Geo. Bippus from the northwest part of the county was here Wednesday on business.

A. M. Jones represents several first class Fire Insurance Companies. See him. 9tf

Leave your call with Big Ben, he won't let you overleap. W. H. Ray. 21-2t

Mrs. Potts of Amarillo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Cloyd, this week.

Perfection Oil Stoves, one to three burners, with and without ovens. See the Hereford Hardware. 16tf

Frank Shelton from the western part of the county was in town Saturday.

Young onions for transplanting now ready; best varieties. 25c. 100. R. T. Mooney. Phone 75-3R. 20-2tp

G. H. Brink found a trip spring cultivator sweep on 25-Mile Ave., last Wednesday. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for ad. 1t

Somebody has a birthday every day in the year. Cut Glass, China, Silverware, Watches and Diamonds make acceptable gifts. W. H. Ray. 21-2t

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ault of Bovina were in Hereford Wednesday shopping.

Perfection Oil Stoves at the Hereford Hardware. 16tf

J. A. Anderson of Hollene, N. M., was in Hereford Thursday on his way to Pampa, Texas.

Sprinkle some Hydrated Lime on your plants. It will keep off the insects. R. H. Kemp Lbr. Co. 20-2t

L. McBride has leased the Star Restaurant from Bert Applegate and asks that all his old friends come his way when hunger assails them.

The hot days are here. Its time to vamoose the coal stove. Perfection Oil Stoves make summer cooking delightful. See them at the Hereford Hardware. 16tf

Miss Ila Estes returned Wednesday evening from an extended visit to relatives and friends at Granbury, Waco, Waxahachie and other central Texas points.

Just received a lot of the best varnish stains on the market. R. H. Kemp Lumber Co. 20-2t

Everybody's a doin' it! What? Getting their cleaning and Pressing done at the Palace Tailor Shop at Orr's Barber Shop. 21-2t

Hereford has the best watch hospital in the Panhandle. A cure guaranteed for all diseases of watches. W. H. Ray. 21-2t

J. L. Park, 7 miles southeast from Hereford, was in this office Saturday and says that every kind of crop is looking well since the rains.

FOR SALE—12 foot McCormick header and barge, in first class condition. See F. H. Oberthier.

**YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!**

**RELIABLE PREPARATIONS**

Nearly everybody has need of some remedy sometimes. If a physician is not employed it's often a question of what to take for certain disorders. When our advice is asked, as it often is, we recommend

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because we know exactly what they contain and just what they will do. They are all prepared from the freshest and purest drugs obtainable and the compounding is done by experienced pharmacists in their own laboratories.

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Ten years ago there were a dozen different makes of creamery or factory separators in use. To-day over 98 per cent of the world's creameries use De Laval separators exclusively.

When it comes to buying a separator why not profit by the experience of the creameryman, which qualifies him to advise you correctly.

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There can be no better recommendation for the De Laval than the fact that the men who make the separation of milk a business use the De Laval to the practical exclusion of all other makes. They know from experience.

Easiest to turn, easiest to wash, skims the cleanest, lasts the longest.

**SOONER OR LATER YOU WILL BUY A DE LAVAL**

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 HEREFORD





**Not Informed As To Ticket.**

In taking the "Straw Vote" last Saturday, the news faker for the Brand learned with some surprise that many of our citizens were not informed as to the names on the state and district ticket. Nearly everyone approached had made up their minds as to Colquitt and Ramsey, candidates for governor. Several had not chosen between Shepard, Walters, Randell and Zollner for the U. S. Senate, and quite a few were not sufficiently posted on the qualifications and policies of these four candidates to make a choice. As to the Congressmen-at-Large, most of the straw votes were cast for the Panhandle candidates, Browning of Amarillo and Lancaster of Plainview running "neck and neck," each receiving 50 votes out of a total number of 87 votes. The other votes were scattered among 11 other candidates, Cureton of Bosque getting 13 votes, Roche of Williamson 4 votes, Garrett of Houston 5 votes and all the others one and two.

The race for the place on the Amarillo Court of Civil Appeals dragged behind, not more than half of the citizens knowing anything of

the merits of the different candidates. Huff of Vernon had 21 to Graham's 20, in the "straw vote," but 38 had no choice or could not make a choice. Hendricks got 24 to Pressler 13 in the same vote.

As to the candidates for Lieutenant Governor, Comptroller, Atty. General, Treasurer, Commissioner of Land Office, Commissioner of Agriculture, and other places, few voters had enough information to make an independent choice. Many of these candidates will be voted for by a "guess," or by the suggestion of friends on the day of election. But we believe it a duty of every man to find out by reading and inquiry the merits of all candidates before the day of election on July 27. How can intelligent voting be secured in any other way? The full ticket was printed in the Brand last week and will be printed several times between now and the election. Study it.

Get your Screen Doors at Kemp's. 20-21

**Fell From Scaffolding.**

Oklahoma City, Okla.: Oscar A. Anderson of 2401 South Walker street fell from a scaffold, and, though considerably sprained and bruised, is able to be about. He says Hunt's Lightning Oil took all the soreness away. It is also good for Headaches, Neuralgia, Rheumatism. All dealers sell in 25c and 50c bottles. 18-41

**Program.**

Program for Woman's Missionary Society July 3, at M. E. Church, 3:30 p. m.

Song.  
Prayer.  
Roll Call—Respond with verse of scripture.  
Scripture lesson, "How to Live," Matt. VI.—Mrs. Betts.  
Minutes of last meeting.  
Reports.  
An Ideal Missionary Society—Mrs. Spratt.  
Talk, The Missionary Spirit—Mrs. Roloson.  
Forward Movement Quiz—Mesdames Harrison and Mitchell.  
Social Service and Local Work—Mrs. Rutherford.  
Quiz.

**This Is So.**

We wish to state in as plain and vigorous way as words can express it that Hunt's Cure will positively, quickly and permanently cure any form of Itching Skin disease known. One box is guaranteed to cure. One application affords relief. 18-41



Meet me at Harrison's coal yard 17th

**Hurley Pappengings.**

The weather continues fine and the order of the day at present is the harvest of the wheat and oats, reports coming all the time good.

L. R. Cox, the real estate man, made a flying trip to Amarillo Friday, returning Saturday night.

Quite a lot of business men from all sections have been in Hurley the past week looking out for some of the fine "Hurley Valley Lands." They all know a good thing when they see it, for when once they get a glimpse of these wells all want land.

Mrs. J. F. Metsker and daughter, Miss Alma, made a trip to Clovis Friday returning on Saturday afternoon.

This week the surveyors are to be in Hurley corsecting this part of the road, it will only be a short time until the work of throwing the dirt will begin, then watch things move.

James Johnson of Dorchester, Neb., has been spending a few days with his sons, Clyde and Harry, but returned on his way homeward Sunday morning. He said he was coming back to Hurley soon.

Hurley Hustler.

**Prohibition Election Called In This County.**

In accordance with the election laws, a prohibition election cannot be held sooner than two years after the last election was called. This time restriction is not recognized, however, by the people in recommending Hunt's Lightning Oil for Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headaches, etc. For thirty odd years it has been acknowledged to be the best. Sold everywhere in 50c and 25c bottles. 18-41

**Taft, The Nominee.**

That the Republican convention should have nominated President Taft was no surprise. He represents the stand-pat men of that party; they controlled the party machine; they dominated the convention; they used the steam-roller effectively, and what other result could have been expected? Mr. Roosevelt, the strenuous, while not bolting, has splintered the old party so badly that mending may be too slow for the November running. He may not be a real candidate, though a rump convention went thru the form of nominating him—he just had to have a nomination and "half a loaf was better than none."

**Fire Boys Attention.**

All members of the Hereford Fire Company are requested to meet in the city clerk's office Tuesday night, July 2nd, as there is business of importance to be attended to. One of the matters to be discussed will be the company's competing for the Fuqua Cup at the fire meet in Vernon on August 21, 22 and 23. Hereford has one of the best equipped fire departments in the Panhandle, and the men who compose the volunteer company can easily take down the honors at the meet if it decided to attend. Any citizens who feel an interest in the department are also cordially invited to be present.

Dysentery is always serious and often a dangerous disease, but it can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured it even when malignant and epidemic. For sale by all dealers.

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Beginning Saturday and continuing as long as they last I will sell all Summer

### Hats, Shapes and Flowers at Half-Price

This remarkable discount is made to move the goods and make room for my large Winter Stock. It's a big discount, but these high-class summer goods must go. Call and let me show you.

Mrs. T. N. Heifner  
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All wood parts of these mills are covered with two coats of white lead and oil, hand brushed. WE SELL THEM.

VAN BRUNT Grain Drills sow anything from millet and alfalfa to oats and cow-peas. WE SELL THEM.

JOHN DEERE Listers, Harrows, Planters and Breaking Plows are the world's standard in farming implements. WE SELL THEM.

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**Many Hereford People in Poor Health Without Knowing the Cause**

There are scores of people who drag out a miserable existence without realizing the cause of their suffering. Day after day they racked with backache and headache; suffer from nervousness, dizziness, weakness, languor and depression. Likely the kidneys have fallen behind in their work of filtering the blood and that is the root of the trouble. Look to your kidneys, assist them in their work—give them the help they need. You can use no better remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills.

Below is grateful testimony from a sufferer in this locality.

Mrs. A. E. Whited, 201 N. Fillmore St., Amarillo, Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been so beneficial to us that I feel justified in recommending them to persons afflicted with kidney trouble and lame back. I can say that this remedy can be relied upon to correct difficulties, caused by weak kidneys."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**Another Protracted Meeting.**

The protracted meeting at the First Christian church will begin on the 2nd Sunday in July. Pastor Shore will secure the assistance of some preacher and the two will conduct the meeting. The Christian people, regardless of church affiliation, are invited to attend and to participate. A special invitation is extended to the singers of the different churches. Other announcements will be made later.

**Wright-Jones Nuptials.**

At the home of the bride's parents in this city, Wednesday, June 26, at 10:30 a. m., Mr. Wm. E. Wright and Miss Jewell Jones were united in marriage in the presence of a large circle of friends, Rev. S. T. Shore, pastor of the First Christian church officiating. Miss Jewell is the daughter of Atty. and Mrs. W. C. Jones of Hereford and Mr. Wright is a young business man of Carlsbad, N. M. They left on the 3:38 p. m. train the same day for Oklahoma City and for other points in Texas on a visit with friends and relatives, after which they will return to Carlsbad where they will make their home.

Miss Inez Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Morgan, is here from school at Fort Collins, Colo.

The meeting at the Church of Christ closed last Sunday night. Those who intended to go and did not, have missed a golden opportunity to hear the Gospel preached in all its simplicity and true worth. Bro. Winterrowd is a forcible speaker and one who does not shun to declare the whole council of God. And being a young man, there can be expected great good to be accomplished through him for the Master. The singing was fine, being led by him. There were several additions to the church and the church was greatly encouraged and built up. This was the first trip of Bro. Winterrowd to this country, and he was very much pleased with it and has promised to visit again the Plains in some future time.

**WANT ADS**

**MISCELLANEOUS WANTS**

**WANTED**—Your shoe repairing at Norton-Powelson Saddle Co. 35tf

**BULLS**—Four registered Hereford bulls for sale. See or write T. E. Money, Umbarger, Texas. 16tf

**FOR EXCHANGE**—160 acres good, smooth land for good residence in Hereford. See J. B. Elliston. 21tf

**WANT A BUYER**—For good half-section in 4 miles of Hereford. Shallow water, price right. Pitman Land Co. 16tf

**MONEY TO LOAN**—We have a friend who wants a few good land loans. See us. The Western National Bank. 15tf

**\$500,000 TO LOAN**—On ranch properties in Central and West Texas. Fred E. Haynes, 302 Wilson Building, Dallas, Texas. 15tf

**FOR SALE**—160 acres of land in Roberts county, Texas, 20 miles northwest of Miami, to trade for Hereford city property. J. M. Gilliland, Pecos, Texas. 19-4t

**FOR SALE**—I still have some of that nice California honey left, also some 14 year old grape vinegar. See me at our old office. J. B. Elliston. 13tf

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—For good stock one 3 year old, black steel dust stallion. For further information see John Gregory, Kelso, Tex., or address F. M. Drum, Endee, N. M. 21-2tp

**WANTED AT ONCE**—About \$9000 worth of good, clear, well located land in exchange for a good, clear stock of groceries and residence property in good Panhandle town. See me at once. J. B. Elliston. 21tf

**EXCHANGE**—I have several good farms and income properties in Oklahoma and Central Texas to exchange for good, shallow water land near Hereford. If you want to trade tell me about it at once. J. B. Elliston. 19tf

**FOR SALE**—My new, modern, ten room home with bath, lavatories and sinks, two large verandas, located on East Houston street near State Normal. For particulars address B. Frank Buie, Canyon, Texas.

**FOR SALE**—Three acre block with good 7 room house, barn 24x30 with feed loft, plenty of large fruit trees, well and windmill, elevated tank, water piped to barn lot, also into house, well house and other improvements, splendid location, only six blocks from stores. A bargain for quick sale. See C. O. Lee. 10tf

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 "I had been troubled, a little, for nearly 7 years," writes Mrs. L. Fincher, in a letter from Peavy, Ala., "but I was not taken down, until March, when I went to bed and had to have a doctor. He did all he could for me, but I got no better. I hurt all over, and I could not rest. At last, I tried Cardui, and soon I began to improve. Now I am in very good health, and able to do all my housework."  
**TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic**  
 You may wonder why Cardui is so successful, after other remedies have failed. The answer is that Cardui is successful, because it is composed of scientific ingredients, that act curatively on the womanly system. It is a medicine for women, and for women only. It builds, strengthens, and restores weak and ailing women, to health and happiness. If you suffer like Mrs. Fincher did, take Cardui. It will surely do for you, what it did for her. At all druggists.  
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 When you want a good drive or an up-to-date rig call at our Barn. We have spent a great deal of time and money lately improving and enlarging our premises. We have one of the best barns in West Texas and can give you the best accommodations in any line of livery service. We guarantee courteous and fair treatment to all. Phone 249.  
**A. L. SHERK HEREFORD, TEXAS**

W. L. Palmer having purchased Mr. Cope's interest in the firm of Copes & Palmer Sheet Metal and Plumbing Co., the firm will now be known as Palmer & Palmer Sheet Metal and Plumbing Co., and are open to do all kinds of first-class plumbing and sheet metal work.

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During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers. Cut down the cost of living by using a Gurney Patent Refrigerator. They keep your provisions from spoiling. For sale by E. B. Black Co. 15tf

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**To Head-Off a Headache**  
 Nothing is Better than  
**Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills**  
 They Give Relief Without Bad After-Effects.  
 "It gives me great pleasure to offer a word of recommendation for Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, as there are thousands suffering unnecessarily from headache. I was afflicted intermittently for years with headache and after other remedies failed, I tried Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. For the past ten years I have carried them constantly with me, getting instant relief by using one or two on the approach of headache. They are also effective for neuralgia, giving immediate relief."  
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 FT. WORTH and Return \$14.60, July 8th. Limit July 13th.  
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# Great "White Tag" Sale

## JULY 1<sup>ST</sup>

The **GREATEST** Event Of The Season.  
A Strictly broadgauge Sale. Large plans  
with much preparation. : : : : :

## JULY 6<sup>TH</sup>

**SIX BIG DAYS!** BEGINNING MONDAY MORNING, JULY 1st at 8 o'clock and CLOSING SATURDAY EVE, JULY 6th, at 8 o'clock. Our immense stock will be decorated with White Tags and with a blue pencil in hand the Price Smashing will take place. Our Big Store is brimming full of choice merchandise. On this occasion many things will be marked to ONE-HALF their real value.

**FIVE THOUSAND DOLLAR SALE!** It is our purpose and desire to convert at least Five Thousand Dollars worth of House Furnishings into CASH during this week. Remember in THIS, THE GREATEST SALE OF THE YEAR, we will truly disregard PROFIT.

### Floor Coverings

#### Room Size Rugs

We have just received our new fall line of Art Rugs which shows the latest creations of the Eastern mills. We invite the most critical inspection. \$45 and \$50 value Royal William, White Tag Price **\$33.75**  
\$35.00 and \$37.50 Welton Velvets, White Tag Price **26.75**  
\$28.75 and \$30.00 Colonial Velvets, White Tag Price **19.75**  
\$22.50 and \$25.00 Axminster, White Tag Price **16.75**  
\$16.74 Tapestry Brussels, White Tag Price **12.75**  
\$12.50 Tapestry Brussels, White Tag Price **9.50**  
\$4.50 value Rug, 36x72 inches, White Tag Price **2.75**  
\$2.75 value Rug 27x54 inches, White Tag Price **1.75**  
All other values go in like proportion.

### Straw Matting

Our Floor Matting is the 116 Warp best made, your choice, White Tag Price **27½c**  
Some Remnant lots at less than half price.

### Linoleums

75c quality, White Tag Price **55c**  
65c quality, White Tag Price **47½c**  
We handle the best qualities

### Sewing Machines

Now is the time. You rarely have such an opportunity of buying a first class machine at such prices. \$60.00 White machine, White Tag Price **\$37.50**  
\$60.00 New Home Machine White Tag Price **37.50**  
\$30.00 Ruby Machine, White Tag Price **20.00**  
These prices prevail for one week

### Glass and Queens-ware

We expect to make a big run on these goods during this sale. We are very anxious to close out this department entirely, and we expect to do so on this occasion. We have just what you want in either full sets or odd pieces. We will have on display special job lot assortments.

We have a big line of press cut glass consisting of Berry Bowls, Preserve Stands, Sugar and Cream Dishes, Pitchers, etc. These will be 25c to 50c values and will be in two assortments and will be sold at 10c and 15c each. A limit of 5 pieces to each customer.

### THIS WILL BE A STRICTLY CASH SALE!

Our object in making this Great Sacrifice is to GET CASH, and remember that it takes the CASH to get the goods at the WHITE TAG SALE Price.

### Dining Room Goods

It is a rare treat to go through and look at all the new and nice things we show in this line. This is your opportunity. \$50.00 Buffets, White Tag Price **\$35.00**  
\$37.50 Buffets, White Tag Price **26.75**  
\$27.50 Buffets, White Tag Price **19.75**  
\$20.00 Buffets, White Tag Price **13.75**  
\$27.50 Extension Table, White Tag Price **19.75**  
\$20.00 Extension Table, White Tag Price **13.75**  
\$15.00 Extension Table, White Tag Price **11.75**  
\$11.50 Extension Table, White Tag Price **8.75**  
\$25.00 Set Chairs, White Tag Price **18.00**  
\$20.00 Set Chairs, White Tag Price **14.50**  
\$15.00 Set Chairs, White Tag Price **11.75**  
\$12.50 Set Chairs, White Tag Price **9.75**  
\$10.00 Set Chairs, White Tag Price **7.50**

### Bedroom Suites

We think we can show you a line of these goods that will certainly please. Just see what we are doing. \$115.00 Chamber Suite, White Tag Price **\$77.50**  
\$75.00 Chamber Suite, White Tag Price **47.50**  
\$50.00 Chamber Suite, White Tag Price **35.00**  
\$37.50 Chamber Suite, White Tag Price **26.75**

### Trunks and Suitcases

We have on display the best line of real good Trunks and Suitcases we ever shown. All these goods will go in this White Tag Sale: \$27.50 Trunk, White Tag Price **\$18.75**  
\$20.00 Trunk, White Tag Price **15.00**  
\$15.00 Trunk, White Tag Price **11.75**  
\$12.50 Trunk, White Tag Price **9.75**  
\$12.50 Leather Cases, White Tag Price **9.75**  
\$10.00 Leather Cases, White Tag Price **7.50**  
\$6.75 Leather Cases, White Tag Price **4.95**  
\$4.65 Fiber Cases, White Tag Price **2.50**  
\$3.00 Fiber Cases, White Tag Price **1.95**

### Mattresses

We handle the Ostermoor, the Sealy and Columbia Sanitary Mattresses. These are plain non-tufted, sold under strict guarantee. \$22.50 Sealy, White Tag Price **\$18.75**  
\$20.00 Columbia, White Tag Price **15.00**  
\$16.50 Ostermoor, White Tag Price **13.75**  
\$10.00 Felt, White Tag Price **6.75**

Everything is Cash at These Prices.

### Parlor and Library Furniture

Among these goods we show a choice selection of the new and useful things. Every item will have a White Tag. \$27.50 Library Table, White Tag Price **\$19.75**  
\$18.75 Library Table, White Tag Price **13.75**  
\$15.00 Library Table, White Tag Price **11.00**  
\$12.50 Library Table, White Tag Price **9.25**  
\$40.00 Parlor Suite, White Tag Price **27.50**  
\$27.50 Parlor Suite, White Tag Price **19.75**  
\$47.50 Davenport, White Tag Price **35.00**  
\$40.00 Davenport, White Tag Price **28.95**  
\$32.50 Davenport, White Tag Price **22.50**

### Rockers Galore!

\$10.00 Spring Rockers, White Tag Price **\$6.75**  
\$7.50 Roll Seat Rocker, White Tag Price **4.95**  
\$5.00 extra good Rocker, White Tag Price **3.75**  
\$3.50 Extra good Rocker, White Tag Price **2.50**

### Refrigerators 1-3 Off

We handle the Gurney, Greenland and Cold Wave makes. We know of no better. We have on hand about 15 at present. We intend to close out this line during the week. If low prices stand for anything we will surely do it. \$35.00 Refrigerator, White Tag Price **\$23.75**  
\$30.00 Refrigerator, White Tag Price **20.00**  
\$25.00 Refrigerator, White Tag Price **16.75**  
\$20.00 Refrigerator, White Tag Price **13.75**  
\$10.00 Refrigerator, White Tag Price **6.75**

### Metal Beds

We handle the celebrated Smith & Davis Metal Beds, the best made and best finished bed produced in our nation. \$50.00 Satin Brass Bed, White Tag Price **\$35.00**  
\$30.00 Brass Bed, White Tag Price **20.00**  
\$30.00 Fine Metal Bed, White Tag Price **20.00**  
\$23.75 Fine Metal Bed, White Tag Price **17.50**  
\$15.00 Fine Metal Bed, White Tag Price **9.75**  
Every Bed in stock will have a White Tag with price smashed.

## SPECIALTIES

Space forbids our giving prices on all lines, but we cordially request that you see our stock of elegant Odd Dressers, Chiffoniers, Bookcases, Chiffo-Robes, Hall Trees, Porch and Lawn Furniture, Hammocks, Croquets, Arabian Curtain Nets, Bed Comforts, Etc.

We will be pleased to have everyone in Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer Counties visit with us on this occasion.

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