

# The Hereford Brand

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A TWO-INCH RAINFALL IS OUR RECORD FOR THURSDAY NIGHT

## GO TO MOUNT'S

For Your Dry Goods, Millinery  
Notions, Shoes, Hats, Clothing  
and Gents, Furnishings ❁ ❁ ❁

YOU WILL FIND THERE THE GREATEST VALUES  
AND HIGHEST CLASS MERCHANDISE

#### Forrester-Pierce.

At their home in South Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Pierce give their daughter, Miss May, in Marriage to Mr. L. M. Forrester on Tuesday morning at the eleven o'clock hour.

The bride has many friends in social circles, in church and school that have been won by her pleasant and affable ways and by her charming and interesting personality. The groom has lived in Hereford several years and claims the regard and confidence of everyone and is to be congratulated in winning for a life companion one so ably fitted to make his home a happy abiding place.

The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. T. S. Barcus in the presence of only a few relatives and neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrester left im-

mediately after their marriage for El Paso and other South Texas cities for a season of utter abandonment of care and trouble, and after a few weeks of unalloyed happiness in blissful companionship of hearts that now beat as one they will return to earth—and to Hereford, where they will be at home to their friends.

#### Two Inches of Rain.

There can be no further demand or complaint from Deaf Smith County farmers about lack of moisture for wheat sowing after the rain which extended throughout the greater portion of the county Thursday night. The fall is conservatively estimated at two inches and will delay plowing and other farm work for a few days.

A gentleman's smoke, the Franklin 5c cigar. T. M. Coulson, agent.

#### Notice to Patrons.

We are requested by the school board to say to the public that no pupils under school age will be received into the public school this session. The action by the board is made necessary on account of the crowded condition of the primary grades, as it is found that to receive the "unders" would materially detract from the work of those who are entitled to the public funds. For the information of those who may not have investigated the question, we will state that for a pupil to get the benefit of the public school this year he must have been seven years old before the first day of September 1906. All patrons please take notice of this ruling of the board.

FOR SALE—A good second hand buggy. Apply to R. L. Ball. 34-1f.

#### Peaches for Sale.

I am now ready to put my 1906 peach crop on the market. The public is hereby notified that they can be supplied with peaches from my orchard five miles west of Dimmitt at 50 to 75 cents per bushel. Have about 2,000 bushels to market. W. M. Smith.—From the Hereford Brand.

And this is on the "plains," where "they can't grow peaches". It is next county but one from the New Mexico line and at an elevation of 3,500 feet or more. Farm and Ranch congratulates Mr. Smith on his peaches and the "plains" on this feather in its cap.—Farm and Ranch.

The unprecedented demand for the Franklin 5c cigar shows the business sagacity of T. M. Coulson, the up-to-date druggist. It.

#### Only One Adverse Vote.

We understand that in the recent election held in Canyon City to ascertain whether or not that town should be incorporated only one vote was cast against the measure. This being the state of affairs in our neighbor city, we cannot help having a deep and abiding interest in their welfare; for their unanimous action in this matter indicates that they are not too stingy and close-fisted to enjoy a few of the privileges and benefits which always attend a clean and progressive town. We consider this one of the most important events in Canyon City's history, and we now see in our imagination at no distant day a complete system of sidewalks, besides beautiful and well-kept streets in this proud little city.

Subscribe for the BRAND, \$1.00.

## CHOICE FARM LANDS IN THE PANHANDLE OF TEXAS

Dear Sir:--I have bought 11 sections of land situated 19 and 20 miles west of Hereford and 4 and 5 miles of a growing town which I am offering at special prices to actual settlers. These prices will hold only a short time as land is advancing rapidly here. This is all nice, smooth land, every foot of which can be put in cultivation; water can be had at 100 to 150 feet. Will sell to suit the purchaser in 160 acre tracts and up, on the following terms: \$250 on signing of contract; balance, \$390, cash on Nov. 1st, 1906; Jan. 1st, 1907, \$80; April 1st, 1907, \$80; Nov. 1st, 1907, \$160; Nov. 1st, 1908, \$128; and \$96 to be paid on Nov. 1st of each year as follows: 1909-10-11-12-13-14-15; interest 6 per cent per annum. This is a snap and we hope we can do some business with you. . . .

## H. H. HAWKINS & COMPANY

HEREFORD, TEXAS

# WE ARE HEADQUARTERS

FOR EVERYTHING IN THE HARDWARE LINE

We sell the McCORMICK ROW BINDER, the only corn harvester made that satisfies the farmer. The P & O SUCCESS SULKY, (the plow that the hired man loves). SUPERIOR GRAIN DRILLS, the drill that helps you make big wheat crops like this year. THE CANTON AND OHIO DISC HARROWS. DRAG HARROW in two or three sections. THE CELEBRATED CANTON LINE of walking plows. In WAGONS we can give you choice of the three best made--THE BAIN, THE MITCHELL, and THE LUEDINGHAUS. We carry a full line of the P & O BUGGIES, SURREYS and HACKS--QUALITY GUARANTEED. WAGON, BUGGY and PLOW HARNESS, the largest and best line in Hereford. We sell the best Stoves on earth, Buck's White Enamel Line--THE GREAT MAJESTIC RANGES--that for durability and satisfactory service stand without an equal. We are receiving the largest line of QUEENSWARE, TINWARE, GLASSWARE, and GENUINE IMPORTED AUSTRIAN CHINA ever brought to Hereford. We have on hand FOUR CARS of BAKER PERFECT BARBED WIRE, bought at a low price and we will sell it the same way. We have TWO CARS of PIPE arriving that we are breaking the price record on also. Last but not least the ECLIPSE WINDMILL, the windmill that has contributed in the largest way to making almost a Garden of Eden out of the dry, treeless plains of the Panhandle. Always on the lookout to serve our customers to their advantage.

WE ARE YOUR FRIENDS

## STRINGFELLOW-HUME HARDWARE CO.

HEREFORD, TEXAS

### ARNEY NEWS.

Walter Donald and his father were in Dimmitt Saturday.

Myrtle Storm has returned home from Hereford.

This community was visited by a shower last Thursday night.

Miss Evelyn Storm left Thursday for Goodnight to enter the college at that place.

Miss Rosa Bell Crum returned last Monday from an extended visit in Lockney.

Mr. Hunt of Hereford was buying fat cows in this community last week.

B. F. Donald of Justin, Texas, visited his son, Walter, a few days last week. Mr. Donald is still favorably impressed with this country.

We regret that our neighbor, Mr. J. L. Crum, has sold his ranch. We are glad to know however that he doesn't intend to leave this community for some time yet.

Mr. Holden has taken Raymond to Kansas City for treatment. We hope that he may soon return with his health completely restored.

W. D.

#### B. Y. P. U. Program.

Following is the B. Y. P. U. Program for September, 14, 1906.

Subject—Hereford Baptist Young People's Union.

Leader—Miss Lizzie LeGrande.

How can the Union Help the Church?—paper, Sina Hodges.

What Do Members Owe to the Union?—paper or talk, Mr. J. L. Lillian.

Solo—Maud Dean.

Prayer—Bro. Dean.

Why Should We Work for Some Definite purpose—paper, Miss Besie Curtsinger.

The Need of Active Members—paper by leader.

Closing exercises.

#### For Sale.

Good five room house, out houses, windmill, fifteen acres of land joining town section, half sub-irrigated and set in alfalfa. Fenced into three fields. Apply to J. M. Boone at Barber Shop.

#### Called Indefinitely.

All local Brand readers, irrespective of church affiliations, will be glad to learn of the action of the Baptist Church at this place on the Second Sunday in September in which Rev. O. W. Dean was called to an indefinite pastorate of that Church. During his year's residence in our city, Bro. Dean has not only served his people well in building up the spiritual and numerical strength of his Church, but has allowed his interest and good works to go out to our entire community in such a way as that he enjoys the fullest friendship and highest esteem of everyone. There are but few better men than Bro. Dean and it brings a large degree of satisfaction to his numerous friends of all religious denominations to see his valuable services and ability thus recognized and appreciated by his congregation.

#### Jr. B. Y. P. U. Program.

The following is the Jr. B. Y. P. U. Program for Sunday Oct. 7:

Reading of minutes.

Leader—Morris Garner.

Subject—The Bible.

Scripture Lesson—2 Tim. 3:14-17.

Prayer—Emma Dean.

What the Bible is—paper, Clara Bradley.

Song No. 197.

Talk—What the Bible is for—Eustace Coward.

Recitation of Matt. 24:35—Sena Mae Mounts.

Song No. 21.

Recitation—Pearl Mount.

The difference between the Bible and other books—Edna Witt.

Recitation of Heb. 4:12—Clara Robinson.

Solo—Maud Dean.

Why we should study the Bible—Frank Richards.

Application of lesson—Bro. Cowart.

#### Horses for Sale

I have seven head of good single and double drivers, which are for sale. Apply to

J. A. SPIRES,  
Hereford, Texas.

WANTED—Room with private family, with or without board. Address W. L. Smoot, Hereford, Texas. 2tp.

#### "Going Some".

Among the really busy people of this city at present is S. J. Williams who lives in College addition. Mr. Williams recently sold his residence and is now making preparations to build a more elaborate and complete home on an adjacent block, which when completed, will be entirely in keeping with the many other magnificent homes which are being built in that part of the city.

In addition to the arduous duties incumbent upon one in getting ready to build, Mr. Williams is also looking after the sowing of his 100-acre wheat crop northwest of town. Mr. Williams learned the art of being industrious when in Oklahoma a few years ago and we consider him fortunate in being able to retain a large measure of it, for industry is always an essential to success in the Panhandle. To see him thus moving about his work, one cannot help but conclude that he "is going some".

#### For Trade.

I have a black land farm consisting of 432 acres near Itasca in Johnson county, one brick house 100 feet by 25 feet in Hillsboro, one brick house in Osceola 90x25 feet, one brick house in Valasco 80x25 feet and two business lots in Valasco, which I will trade on reasonable terms for good plains lands. For particulars, see

H. B. MCKINLEY,  
Hereford, Texas.

#### Ships Fine Cattle.

J. E. Rhea of Bovina was in the city the first of the week arranging for the shipment of a bunch of fine Hereford cows, recently purchased from J. D. Burkett, to his ranch in the Pecos City country. This bunch was sold at a fancy price, all being high-grade stuff.

#### For Sale At Bargain.

One school section 14 miles from Hereford at \$8.50 per acre bonust good land on good terms. This is a bargain for quick sale.

J. H. CARDWELL  
and L. A. STROUD.

#### List Your Lands.

If you want your lands to move list them with the  
HEREFORD REALTY CO.

## Jno. E. Ferguson

### ...LANDS...

SAFE  
SECURITIES

COMPOUND  
INTEREST

Safety is the first requisite in making an investment.

If you buy from my list of  
.....PANHANDLE LANDS.....  
you will have both of the above

HEREFORD, TEXAS

## HEADQUARTERS

We are headquarters for anything in the Grocery line. We keep Staple and Fancy Groceries, Tinware, Glassware, Enamelware, Queensware and Feed Stuff. We assure you we have appreciated your past patronage and will equally appreciate your trade in the future. We will meet any legitimate prices. We get our Flour, Salt and Feed Stuffs by the car load and own our own building. Come and see us.

Yours for Business

## BARNARD & CO.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE BRAND---\$1.00

# Look At This

## 12,000 ACRES GOOD FARM LANDS

Lying within two miles of the Choctaw grade.  
 About 30 miles northwest of Hereford, Texas.  
 Will sell together or in tracts to suit purchaser.

<b>PRICE:</b>	School Land	=	=	=	\$8.50 Bonus
	Patent Land	=	=	=	= = \$9.00

THIS IS ALL SMOOTH PLAINS LAND AND IT WILL  
 PAY PARTIES CONTEMPLATING BUYING IN THE  
 PANHANDLE TO INVESTIGATE \* \* \* \* \*

**MURCHISON, THOMPSON & COMPANY**  
 HEREFORD, TEXAS

# Many Thanks to the Public

We wish to express our appreciation to those that have patronized us during the past two and one-half years and especially during the month of September just closed, which proved to be the best month of our entire business. We are proud of the fact that **FAIR DEALING and LOW PRICES** have given us the best **DRY GOODS** business (according to capital) in the town of Hereford and we believe in the Panhandle Country. Now we wish to say that our stock of **DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, SHOES, HATS, PANTS, ETC.,** is complete and we are here for business with the goods at **CHEAPER** prices than competition. When in need of your fall goods, **DON'T BUY TILL YOU GIVE US A CHANCE TO SHOW YOU OUR GOODS AND PRICES.** Our object is to please you and sell you fall goods at a bargain. Come and see us.

**YOURS VERY TRULY J. G. CALLENS HERFORD, TEXAS**

Better see L. Gough about it. If you can find anything in the jewelry line at Vannoy & Ray's. 33-2t

Paul Barnett is in Chillicothe this week assisting in the organization of a Praetorian lodge.

Elbridge Brodie has entered the Southwestern University at Georgetown for a year's work.

James Cox left Saturday for Waco where he will pursue a course in the Texas Christian University.

If you have any stock that you want to sell see Buck Roberts. Office next door to J.W. English. 33-2t

Lee Bivins of Amarillo was in the city this week to receive 1000 head of two and three-year-old steers which he purchased from Mr. Martin of Bailey County.

Roy Hill, an experienced photographer, has accepted a position with M. M. Majors, which better enables Mr. Majors to take care of his rapidly growing business.

C. B. Guffey and C. D. Crum of Onega, Kansas, arrived Wednesday and are the guests of the former's brother, R. G. Guffey, who lives a few miles north of town.

I still have a few cans of Aldemy Baking Powder and with every 25c can you get a chance at a fifty dollar range stove. Come early for they won't last long. J. M. Garner. 21tf

E. R. Garten and family of Iowa arrived with their immigration car the first of the week and are now at home on their 240 acre farm just north of town, which was recently purchased from S. S. Evants.

Mrs. E. C. Byrd and daughter of Lone Grove, I. T., are in the city for a ten-days visit with their brother and uncle, Geo. A. Stambaugh, and other relatives. Mrs. Byrd is also a sister of Mrs. W. O. London.

We engrave buildings from photographs. Vannoy & Ray. 33-2t

See me for genuine bargains in wall-paper. J. W. English. 27tf

J. R. T. Bassett was a business caller from Amarillo for several days this week.

Mrs. R. H. Barnett left Wednesday for Farmington, New Mexico, to visit relatives.

Dr. Robertson and family left this week for Rockport on the coast where they will live.

I can make it to your interest to buy your canned sweet potatoes, pumpkins and Boston baked beans of me. J. M. Garner. 21tf

Judge W. B. Boyd has purchased the G. R. Hay residence in West Hereford, which place is intended for a permanent home.

LOST—One small purse on Saturday, Sept. 29th, containing four dollars. Finder please return to this office or owner, Pearl Martin. 1tp

J. K. P. Gilliland left Sunday for Knoxville, Tenn., where he will visit relatives. He will be accompanied on his return by his daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Ritter.

Chas. Havenhill has purchased a lot from C. E. Edwards near the Presbyterian church and will begin the erection of a four-room cottage at an early date.

Buy your suit from us, if it is good workmanship, style and fit you want. Prices no more than you pay for something that doesn't fit. Ralph Barnett. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. E. Megert were in town from their Castro ranch the first of the week signing the papers whereby their ranch becomes the property of someone from Missouri. It is Mr. Megert's intention at present to look out a home in some other portion of the state.

Souvenir goods in sterling silver at the jewelry store. 33-2t

Phone W. T. Smith for all kinds of transfer-work. Our service best.

Mrs. Jno. E. Ferguson is reported quite sick this week with slow fever.

FOR SALE—A team of large gray match horses, weighing about 1100 pounds each. See R. L. Ball. 33tf.

Col. S. T. Howard continues to improve and it is now thought he will be out again in a few weeks.

Mrs. W. J. Walters has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Dallas and Thorpe Springs.

Parties wishing to sell their city property, will get results by placing a list with Murchison, Thompson & Co. 31tf

Mrs. Gillespie, an experienced dry goods saleslady, has accepted a position in the dry goods store of J. G. Callens.

R. E. Dyer, who is engaged in stock-farming a few miles north of town was in Wednesday after lumber with which to make ranch improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Barnett of Whitesboro stopped over in the city with relatives this week. They were returning from a visit with relatives in California.

Presiding Elder J. M. Sherman was in the city over Saturday and Sunday, preaching his last official sermon to the local congregation Sunday night. This being his fourth year as presiding elder of this district, he will be given work elsewhere after the general conference meets in November. Mr. Sherman is a strong man both in intellect and character and the good work which he has done for the several churches of this district will live long after him.

Ladies' coats and furs at Geo. A. Stambaugh's. 34-tf.

For Sale—Four head of good hogs. Apply to J. H. Bowers. 31tf

J. E. Smith of near Dimmitt was a business caller in the city this week.

List your Parmer county property with W. L. Sims, the pioneer Land man, Bovina, Texas. 32-4tp

W. A. Slover of Dimmitt was in Hereford Tuesday after coal and other heavy supplies.

I now have two good teams and can do your transfer work on short notice. W. T. Smith. 34tf.

Jas. B. Harris, representing the Fort Worth Record, was a welcome caller at this office while in the city Wednesday.

STRAYED—One bay horse 3-years-old with shoulders sore and one 3-year-old mare. Return to Kelley Gray and receive reward. 2tp.

Elder J. C. Mason is in from a trip through the state in the interest of his state missionary work to spend a few days with Mrs. Mason and daughters.

Our correspondent, T. M. Hart, of Hart, and his neighbor, J. C. McClain, were in Hereford on business Wednesday. Both gentlemen favored this office with a pleasant social call.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Googer left Monday for Crawfordsville, Ga., where they will spend two months visiting the former's mother, whom he had not seen for a number of years. Charlie has been a valued member of the BRAND force almost since the paper was organized and it is with sincere regret that he has made up his mind to seek employment elsewhere. The BRAND's best wishes will follow him wherever he may go.

For Sale—A 12x14 foot tent. See C. P. Author.

Go to Vannoy & Ray for high-class silverware. 33-2t

J. M. Gollehon of Dimmitt was in the city Saturday after supplies.

Fallwell & Sons will buy your wheat and oats. See them before you sell. 23tf

W. S. Hasting of Nazareth was a visitor at this office while in the city Tuesday.

Wanted.—A list of your city property—to sell. Murchison, Thompson & Co.

Lumber has been shipped from the city with which to build a large hotel for the George G. Wright Co. at Frio.

I am agent for Samuel H. Cohn ready-to-wear clothes. Fits guaranteed. Mrs. S. H. McCracken, Hereford, Texas. 32tf

J. D. Curtsinger was called to Denton Monday afternoon to attend the bedside of his father, who is reported dangerously ill.

My store is headquarters for the man that follows the plow as well as the one who owns the cow. In fact, my store is headquarters for everything good to eat. J. M. Garner. If

Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Stallings of the Star Ranch were in the city Saturday, the guests of the family of F. H. Brittain, and purchasing furniture with which to begin housekeeping.

J. S. Mollenhour was a business caller at this office while in town Saturday. Mr. Mollenhour is just closing up his work of thrashing. Mr. Mollenhour authorizes us to say to local BRAND reader that all who will plant as much as 100 acres in wheat this season will be enabled to have their crops thrashed with an independent outfit.

# APPRECIATED

We would take this means of expressing our appreciation to our old friends, as well as new ones, for your very liberal patronage during the month of September. I requested of you, one and all, to help me make September my best month for this year. You even did more, you made it the best for me since I came to the city five years ago. I must take this as an expression of your high appreciation for the excellent values in **HOUSE FURNISHINGS** that we are offering you. Just here allow us to say that we shall always give you the very **BEST** for the **LEAST** money possible in all departments of our store. We have a determined will at this time to make October a better month still than September. We ask your cordial co-operation. As for our part, we have an immense stock of goods and each item possesses high merit that we will offer to you at a small margin of profit. Allow us to figure with you on all your wants.

**YOURS VERY TRULY E. B. BLACK FURNITURE DEALER AND UNDERTAKER**

# PLOWS, WAGONS, WINDMILLS, ETC.

Now is the time to break your stubble for fall seeding. We handle a complete line of the Celebrated John Deere Plows and Implements and Hancock Disc Plows--there is none better. The Studebaker and Moline Wagons and Vehicles are recognized as standard everywhere--come and see them. We have a complete line of Builder's Hardware, Queensware and Glassware, Charter Oak and Garland Stoves and Ranges. Our stock of Samson Steel Windmills and Leader and Star Wood Mills is complete--we can furnish you any size wanted. Be sure and see us before you buy. We will save you money. :-: :-: :-: :-: :-:

# GARRISON BROS.

## Items From Hart.

Mrs. G. B. Edwards and children are visiting her brother near Portales.

Crops are in fine shape and it requires all hands and the cook to save it.

Everything and everybody is full of business down this way and have been for some time.

Geo. Riley of Sherman, Texas, is visiting relatives at this place and prospecting with a view to owning some of our good real estate.

J. M. Braselton a real estate hustler of Plainview was in town a few days ago looking well and feeling good over the prospects of this country.

Ray Bros. have completed the well for Hancock and are now in the Nazareth country where they have two or three wells to put down at once.

Press Burnham the high sheriff of Castro County was down this way last week "telling the good people" how well he would be pleased if they would send him back to the office in November.

J. R. Riley of this place is visiting his parents near Sherman, and of course will have many good things to say to his many friends of this country who might do well to investigate.

Threshing of wheat and oats is over and a fair and satisfactory yield made. About 2500 bushels is not a bad turn out for those who sowed last spring. It means about \$1000.00 cash and adds much to the acc'ts now already in the banks. A large acreage will be sown to wheat this fall. The oat crop will no doubt be marketed in plainview as

our people are offered a better price there than elsewhere.

While threshing at Hancock's last week there came up a very dark angry cloud from the north and we all took shelter under a shed near by when lightning killed a colt, knocked George Riley down, turned T. W. Hart over was sitting on the ground and J. M. Hacker staggered from under the shed. All present felt more or less of the shock. It was with great effort that George Riley was brought to as his lifeless form lay on the ground for some minutes before life was visible. Cold water with much rubbing saved him. The shed does not show the least particle of damage or trace of lightning. It is all a mystery how it could do so much damage under the shed and not strike the shed.

T. W. H.

### Dissolution Notice.

The copartnership existing between B. W. Miller and E. B. Orr in the real estate business has, this day, by mutual consent been dissolved, E. B. Orr retiring from the firm. The business will still be continued under the name of B. W. Miller & Sons, who are authorized to collect all money and commissions due said firm; receipt for the same, and the said E. B. Orr is hereby released from all liabilities of said firm.

B. W. MILLER,  
E. B. ORR,  
32-44  
Hereford, Texas, Sept. 17, 1906.

### Mr. Shelly Indicted.

We learn from a dispatch from Abilene that the grand jury has returned a bill of indictment against Mal W. Shelly, charging him with murder. At the conclusion of the habeas corpus proceedings, Mr. Shelly was remanded to jail without bond.

### Turn the Cows in.

"Weeds on vacant lots may be alright to show the land seeker that stuff will grow in the Panhandle, but they don't look real well from the standpoint of civic beauty!"—Daily Panhandle.

We are compelled to admit of our great surprise in the "Queen City" of the Plains allowing such obnoxious things as weeds to grow on her streets and vacant lots. Why, Hereford is not more than half as large as Amarillo and she hasn't a single weed growing within her limits, no, not one. The hundreds of old hungry cows which daily roam our beautiful streets keep them clipped at least two inches beneath the surface. That's the way we do things down at Hereford.

We are not compelled to await the order of a City Council to tell us what to do. And if one of our good farmers drives in with a load of kaffir corn for sale, he is soon relieved of the trouble, unless he keeps close watch. Our town cows will do the work for him. You see, Mr. Editor, we are not "corporated" down here and hence have to cut no weeds. There's where the advantage comes. We do not have to bother ourselves about civic beauty—that is an unknown quantity with us.

### For Sale.

One good span two-year-old mules partially broken, one span three-year-old geldings partially broken, one span aged mules (large) blemished, good for farm use; one family pony and suckling colt, safe for any lady or child, one lot of farming tools. I have sold my ranch and must sell this stuff. I am 5 miles southwest of Vega, Texas, which is my postoffice.

34-4f. E. E. BAKER.  
Send the BRAND "back yonder."

### Announcement of Business Change.

A change in business which was made some time ago but which was not admitted to publication until this week is in the real estate firm of Graves, Elliston & Co., whereby all the old members of the firm except B. M. Hester have retired from the business. Messrs Graves and Elliston are preparing to take their respective families to some of our leading health resorts for the winter, while Mr. Bowers will devote his time to looking after his private interests here.

The new firm is composed of W. B. Park, B. M. Hester and Byrle Elleston, all of whom are well known to our readers as young men of sterling worth and splendid business ability. These gentlemen will continue to do a general land-business and we bespeak for them the same successful career which has been the lot of the old firm.

### Give Attention.

Are you interested in repapering your house? If so, let me make you a proposition. It is this: If you will let me do the work, I will sell you the paper at wholesale cost. Figure with me and see how cheaply it can be done. Best of references in Hereford.

C. M. MCGHEE at Mrs. W. B. Robinson's residence. 5tf

### Puts Steam Plow to Work.

Eli Dunlap tell us that he now has the steam plow at work on the Park ranch east of town breaking 200 acres to be placed in cultivation. He also tells us that he will sow 200 acres of this splendid ranch in wheat this season.

FOR SALE—Three registered Poland China sows. Also a double-disc plow, cultivator and small-tooth harrow. Apply to J. W. Brooks, Hart, Texas. 2tp.

## QUALITY FIRST

While we endeavor to make our prices as low as possible on every article we sell, yet our primary and constant endeavor is to see that each and every article is first class, of its kind, before allowing it to leave my store. :-: :-:

Remember that Saddles, Bridles, Harness, and Hand-Made Boots are here for you in great profusion :-: :-:

J. A. Canterbury

## MONUMENTS

The Ft. Worth Marble Works has the best and latest designs in all kinds of Monuments, Granite Goods and Iron Fencing. Let me figure with you.

S. B. FEEMSTER  
Local Agent

HEREFORD, TEXAS

# KEMP LUMBER COMPANY

(SUCCESSORS TO BURTON-LINGO CO.)

We are still here to extend to our customers the same kind treatment we always have and we are now in better shape to fill your bills than ever before, as our stock is complete. We have the celebrated Long Leaf Yellow Pine in abundance. Don't fail to come in and see our stock. It is a beauty. We have on the road more than one half million Red Cedar Shingles and also a nice assortment of 4 inch Red Wood Siding and Ceiling. We thank you for your trade in the past and will endeavor to merit your trade in the future. New Comer, give us a trial. We can suit you.

# KEMP LUMBER CO.

J. W. BURKS, MANAGER

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

[All candidates for County and District  
 offices will be charged \$10 for announce-  
 ments; for precinct, \$5, payable invariably  
 in advance.]

For State Senator:  
 JNO. W. VEAL  
 For District Judge:  
 J. N. BROWNING

### Deaf Smith County.

For County Judge:  
 W. H. RUSSELL.  
 For County and District Clerk:  
 W. M. COGDELL.  
 For Sheriff:  
 E. F. CONNELL.  
 For Tax Assessor:  
 J. W. FORD.  
 For County Treasurer:  
 CHAS. E. SMITH  
 For County Commissioner Prec. No. 3:  
 J. R. ARMSTRONG  
 For Commissioner Precinct No. 2  
 T. M. PALMER  
 For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:  
 W. D. KELIEHOR

### Castro County

For County Judge:  
 M. F. BARBER  
 For County and District Clerk:  
 EDGAR S. IRELAND  
 HARVEY CASH  
 For Tax Assessor:  
 W. S. DIXON.  
 For County Treasurer:  
 S. I. LEE  
 T. A. TURNBOW  
 For sheriff and tax collector:  
 I. O. JACKSON  
 PRESS BURNAM

### SHOULD MAKE PARK.

Many times in the past, the BRAND has taken the liberty of calling attention to the golden opportunity which is afforded Hereford to establish a most excellent city park at the lake in the northern portion of town. By aiding nature's water supply with a few windmills this lake could be replenished throughout the year and the additional expense to make this a resort of which we would all feel proud would be a nominal one. From what we can learn, we have every reason to believe that the Western Union Land Co. would exchange the land in this lake for the tract set apart a few years ago which is located near the crossing on the river. As Hereford continues to grow, the necessity of these public resorts will become more and more apparent and while lands are cheap is evidently the time to make provision for them.

THE chief sport which Hereford citizens have been permitted to enjoy today is wading mud and water. The crowds of visiting homeseekers who are here cannot help but see that we are back numbers so far as local pride figures. They cannot understand why a town of 3,000 people should be absolutely void of sidewalks and public crossings. And to be absolutely frank the BRAND editor is somewhat at sea in this respect.

THE complaint about the crossing of the Frio a few miles south of Hereford is becoming quite general among the Castro Citizens, who purchase their heavy supplies here. Hereford has always profited by this trade and such a small item as repairing a crossing should not be overlooked. Good roads leading to a town from all directions is a guarantee that that town will be a popular trading point.

### A Bargain.

I have a new carriage, double harness and good team which I will sell cheap for cash.  
 34-tf. BYRLE ELLISTON,  
 Hereford, Texas.

### For Sale Cheap.

Two fine sections patented land 12 miles from Hereford. Price \$10.00 per acre. Partly on time. Apply to  
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 27tf or W. C. WITHERSPOON.

Program Oct. 7th, 8th, and 9th.  
 Season of Prayer and Self-Denial.

SUNDAY 11 A. M.  
 Song—Choir.  
 Chorus—Choir.  
 Quartette.  
 Annual W. H. M. S. Sermon—  
 Pastor.  
 Song.  
 Collection.  
 Benediction.

EVENING 7:30.  
 Organ Voluntary—Miss Edward.  
 Hymn—Choir.  
 Prayer—Mrs. Turrentine.  
 Anthem—Choir.  
 Scripture Lesson—President.  
 Chorus—Choir.  
 Violin Solo—Miss Marshall.  
 Phases of Home Mission Work—  
 Mrs. Barcus.

Male Quartette.  
 What is the W. H. M. S. Doing to Meet the Industrial and Social Condition of Our Southern Cities—  
 Mrs. Burks.  
 Vocal Solo.  
 Collection Talk—Mr. G. W. Barcus.

MONDAY 3:30 P. M.  
 Topic—Immigration.  
 Hymn.  
 Prayer.  
 The Promises of the Father, Luke 24:32-47; Joel 2:28—Mrs. DeAtley.  
 Foreign Immigrants—Mrs. Stroud.  
 Reading—Mrs. Black.  
 Universal Trusts, Luke 19:12-27—  
 Mrs. Bowers.

What are we doing for the Latin People, Oriental, Negroes and Mountaineers?—Mrs. Parker.  
 Prayer.  
 Self-Denial Collection.  
 TUESDAY, 3:30 P. M.  
 A Quiz Meeting.  
 Prayer.  
 Song.  
 "Requirements for Service" (Luke xiv, 26-33)—Mrs. Parmer.  
 Ruth Hargrove Seminary—Mrs. J. Ray.  
 "God Working Through Us." (Phil ii, 13-16)—Mrs. Myrick.  
 Leaflet—Mrs. D. W. Hawkins.  
 Quizzes by President.  
 Thank Offering.

### Schedule Changed.

Effective Wednesday September 26th, there will be a general and important change of time on the Fort Worth and Denver City Ry.

Under the new schedule trains Nos. 7 and 8, known as the Colorado and Texas Express, will be operated through between Fort Worth and Texline only, there being no connection with the Colorado and Southern Ry. No. 7 will leave Fort Worth at 8:45 as at present, reaching Texline at 5:25 the following afternoon. No. 8 will leave Texline at 12:01 p. m., arriving at Fort Worth the following morning at 7:45 instead of 7:25 as at present, still maintaining all connections at Fort Worth. These trains will carry a 16-section Pullman sleeper between Fort Worth and Amarillo, the last through sleeper between Denver and Fort Worth will leave the respective terminals Monday night, September 24th.

Trains Nos. 3 and 4 now running between Fort Worth and Quanah will be extended to Childress. No. 3 will leave Fort Worth at 8:30 a. m., or ahead of No. 1, The Denver Special, arriving at Childress 6:50 p. m. No. 4 will leave Childress at 6:55 a. m., reaching Fort Worth at 5:00 P. m., instead of 1:30 as now.

Train No. 1 will leave Fort Worth at 9:45 a. m., the present time, but will reach Denver slightly later, though still early in the afternoon, and in ample time to make all transcontinental connections there and at other Colorado common points. No. 2 will arrive in Fort Worth at 6:45 p. m. instead of 5:10, also continuing to connect in that City with lines for various points in Texas and other states. These trains will also continue to handle a through Cafe Car service between Fort Worth and Denver.

It is anticipated that this change, particularly the extension of trains Nos. 3 and 4, will result in much additional convenience to the traveling public.

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 General Passenger Agent.

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Two Brown Work Horses, 16 hands high, each branded H on shoulder, will pay for information leading to their recovery.  
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Best paying business in Hereford. Would trade for land, made \$500.00 in Sept. If you want it and mean business, call at this office for party's address.

### For Sale.

We are offering for sale 200 good stock ewes, 225 wether lamb, one work horse, several milch cows, all our farming implements, all of which can be had at a bargain.  
 33tf S. B. HARBISON and SON,  
 at Locust Grove Ranch.

### Work Horses For Sale.

On Saturday afternoon there will be a pair of good work horses sold on the streets of Hereford to the highest bidder. If in need of such horses, be certain to be on hand soon after noon.  
 1tp.

### The Biggest Bargain.

I have a good folding bed and mattress which can be bought at a bargain. Can be seen on front porch of the Ritchey Hotel.  
 34-tf. ROBT. L. BALL.

### Outing Flannels.

We have them, the biggest line we have ever had. Now is the time to buy while the line is complete.  
 34-tf. GEO. A. STAMBAUGH.

### Mules for Sale.

17 mules, 12 mares, 3 yearling fillies, one 2-year-old horse and one of the finest jacks in West Texas. These mares are neither bronks or broomtales. For further information call at my ranch 14 miles north of Hereford.  
 34-3tp. R. A. HALL.

### Town Lots for Sale.

See J. L. Fuqua for some bargains in choice city lots and suburban property.  
 25tf

### For Sale

A Caligraph typewriter in good condition. Apply to  
 27tf A. P. MURCHISON.

# The Western National Bank of Hereford

CAPITAL - - - \$ 50,000.00  
 SURPLUS - - - 22,000.00  
 DEPOSITS - - - 327,692.15

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Fresh bread, pies and cakes at the City Bakery at all times. 32tf

Lots of gray goods just arrived at Barnett's store.

For Sale.—Shumach cane seed at 30 cents per bushel. Apply to Henry Farmer. 22-tf

All trains were about 10 hours late Thursday on account of the regular bi-weekly excursions.

If you wish to sell that house and lot or vacant lot just tell Murchison, Thompson & Co. about it. 31tf

Wanted—Several girls at the Hereford Steam Laundry who can do ironing. Apply at once. 30tf

FOR SALE—Forty acres of extra good maize in the shock now. Will sell cheap. Robt. L. Ball. 34-tf

The chilly mornings of this week remind one in a very forceful manner that winter is fast approaching.

LOST—A gold locket containing two pictures. Finder return to Cottage Hotel and receive reward. 2tp

FOR SALE—Three head of good work horses, wagon and harness at a bargain. See E. P. Whitson. 34tf

We carry at all times a large assortment of high grade Elgin, Waltham and Hampden watches. Vannoy & Ray. 33-2t

The work of invoicing is going on at Stringfellow-Hume's hardware store. It will require the remainder of the week to complete the invoice.

L. W. Vaughan has purchased a block of land lying between J. L. Fuqua's place and the lake in West Hereford and is preparing to begin the erection of his new residence.

Claude Norton left Saturday afternoon for Kansas City where he goes to buy a complete outfit for his new livery stable, which he is putting in for the Wright Land Co. at Frío.

FOR SALE—One good match team horses, weighing 1100 pounds. Three good medium size mares, one colt year-old. Also a few more farming tools. See me for price. Robert L. Ball, Hereford, Texas. t

Rev. H. H. Burks of Waxahachie arrived Wednesday to spend a month resting in the city. Mr. Burks owns 3 1-2 sections of land near Dimmitt and has under advisement placing a steam plow to work on it at an early date.

S. I. Lee, one of Castro's successful stock-farmers, was a business caller in the city Saturday. Mr. Lee recently purchased the mercantile business of Kerr, Slover & Ireland at Dimmitt and will move there to take charge at once. Mr. Lee tells us that he and Robt. Gollehon have now consolidated their mercantile business under the firm name of Lee & Gollehon. We call attention to their ad elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ball have broken up housekeeping and are boarding at the Ritchey Hotel for a few days preparatory to going to Temple where Mrs. Ball will receive medical aid from a specialist, while Mr. Ball will take a business course in the Metropolitan College at Dallas. They will return to Hereford, however, next spring and build a home on their 10-acre block in Evans addition.

See the City Bakery for all kinds of pies. 32tf

White and graham bread at City Bakery. 32tf

Mrs. Paul Barnett is visiting relatives and friends in Whitesboro.

We are prepared for special manufacturing and engraving. Vannoy & Ray. 332t

4lbs soda for 25c at J. M. Garner's, guaranteed to be as good as Arm & Hammer. 21tf

If it's work stock or farming tools you want, see me, I have 'em. Robt. L. Ball, Hereford, Texas. 34-tf

For Sale—Two good second hand office stoves at a great bargain. Apply to the BRAND office. 31tf

For Sale—A good sorghum mill and equipment. Apply to J. M. or S. L. Boone for particulars. 30tf

The superior quality of the Franklin 5c cigar is attested by its large sale. T. M. Coulson, sale agent. 1t

If he smokes a Franklin 5c cigar, we know he is a judge of the best. For sale at Coulsons drug store. 1t.

For Sale—A Kary safe in good condition. Can be had at a bargain. Apply to A. P. Murchison for terms. 30tf

E. P. Whitson has returned from a six-weeks' outing with the railroad surveyors, who run a line from here to Big Springs.

I now have a new hack and will haul passengers to any part of the country. Prices right. C. T. Dobbins, Hereford Texas. 27tf

J. S. Warner and wife are on a visit to their old home in Missouri. Mr. Warner will spend two weeks talking the merits of the Hereford country to his neighbors and friends.

Tucker Wyche has returned to A. and M. College at College Station. Tucker is now entering upon his second year's work in that institution and we congratulate him upon the opportunity which is afforded him for receiving a well-rounded education.

S. J. Dodson has returned from Tenn., where he went a few weeks ago on legal business. Mr. Dodson has purchased a fine auto cycle which was selected from the eastern manufacturers and which is a very convenient machine.

W. H. Garrison returned from Mineral Wells last Saturday without having experienced any improvement in his health. Mr. Garrison's trouble is a serious one of the stomach and bowels. He was accompanied on his return by Mrs. Garrison and his brother, Foss Garrison, of Cleburne. It is to be hoped that a change back to this high altitude may prove beneficial.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Eagle left Monday for Wichita Falls, their future home, contrary to the wishes of our entire community, for it can be truthfully said of them that they can claim every one here as their friend. They will be sorely missed not only in church, but in every other enterprise in the advancement of the town. The BRAND wishes them well in their new home, but trusts they will pay an occasional visit to their friends in the Gem City of the plains.

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**OUTING AT SULPHUR PARK.**

**Splendid Picnic and Fishing Party Given in Honor of Evangelist Fitzgerald.**

It has been a long, bright summer full of sunshine and bird music. A long play day for the little flowers, and the tiny insects that have joined in the sport.

The brooks have romped and prattled, and told such pretty tales to the grass and flowers, while the tall trees have had such merry times, and have bloomed so long, and drunk the sunshine.

But Nature is tired now, and longs for repose. She is laying aside her gala dress for Autumn's more sober colors are replacing her robes of green, and the leaves are changing hue. The breezes murmur the first whispers which tell us that soon the storm-king will come and with his mantle of fleecy snow cover the little buds that the Autumn winds have lulled to sleep.

That all might gather from the sweet things of nature, and hear her speak in her softest tones before her quiet repose, a number of the members of the Presbyterian church

and their friends in company with Brother Fitzgerald, who has been conducting a meeting in Hereford the past ten days, on last Saturday morning found their way to the banks of the Tierra Blanco near the old Jowell home.

What a jolly crowd it was that left our town at 9-30 o'clock that morning. Fathers and mothers forgot their gray hairs, and all were children again. Not long before the chosen spot was reached, and each one free to go and come at will. The purple grapes hung above our heads, and the fish played and frolicked in the waters at our feet. The fishing rods were not forgotten, and soon the fishing began. Some caught fish, some turtles, while others had their hooks and lines caught in the trees that overhang the stream. Of all those who fished, Revs. Fitzgerald and Howard were the champions of the day, for their long string numbered twenty-one.

When the dinner hour came and the baskets were unloaded, who can find language to tell the story? Under the shade of the trees, in the mellow light of this September day, was spread a feast fit for the gods of

old. After enjoying the afternoon in games, more fishing, and "swinging in the grape-vine swing", and when the shadows began to lengthen, all started for home that they might reach Hereford in time for the church service that evening. This outing and picnic was planned for Evangelist Fitzgerald who has been with us the past two weeks, and whom everyone esteems so highly.

Those who went were: Revs. Fitzgerald and Howard, Mesdames Witherspoon, Cogdell, Humphrey, Misses Tarver, Smith, Roxie and Leona Witherspoon, Mercer, Burns, Feemster, Edwards, Acuff, Griffith, Messrs. Cogdell, Jones, Thomas, Mallard and Suggs, Masters Charles and Blake Cogdell, Loyd Snider and little Misses Magdolen Humphrey and Alice Duff.

**Work Guaranteed**

We have come to Hereford to engage in our trade—a trade which we have thoroughly mastered in detail. We do sign painting, house painting, and paper hanging so that it does not have to be done over again. See us about your work.

27tf **BENSON BROS.**  
Wall Paper—E. B. Black. 44

**Panhandle Record Broken.**

R. A. Hall who lives a few miles north of town can justly lay claims to the championship in the art of melon-growing, as will be attested to by those who had the pleasure of viewing the products which he exhibited on our streets this week. From one vine, Mr. Hall gathered two melons weighing 59 pounds and 78 pounds, respectively, either of which was sufficiently large to create considerable interest in those who saw them.

The smaller of these, Mr. Hall left with his compliments with the BRAND Editor while the larger was placed in care of Murchison, Thompson & Co. to be sent to the Panhandle Exhibit Car. This last one mentioned was, without a doubt, the largest melon we ever remember having seen.

**List with Us.**

We are now located in our new offices on South Dewey Avenue and can give excellent service to those having real estate of any description for sale or trade. List your property with us. We will work well for your interest.

32tf **THE PANHANDLE LAND CO.**

**Railroad Charter Filed.**

Austin, Texas, Oct. 1.—The Attorney General approved and the Secretary of State filed the charter of the Roscoe, Snyder and Pacific Railway Company, with principle office at Roscoe, Nolan Co. Capital stock \$200,000.00 Purpose, construction of a line of railroad from Roscoe, on the Texas and Pacific, northwest through the counties of Nolan, Fisher, Scurry, Borden, Garza, Lynn, Lubbock, Hockley, Cochran and Bailey on the Mexican border, a distance of 200 miles. Incorporators E. W. James, J. E. Wills, Eugene Wood, W. G. Swenson, Ed Hughes, Henry James, and J. M. Wagstaff, all of Abilene, Texas, and N. T. Reed and A. A. Reed, both of Hutchinson, Kansas.

**Will Buy Grain.**

I want all the good wheat and oats you have. Also a few cars of kaffir corn and milo maize in the head. Also will buy your hides at the best market price for all you have to sell. Office at Cardwell Bros.

C. L. CYRUS,  
Hereford, Texas.

I will trade land for cattle. J. H. Bowers, Hereford, Texas. 32tf

## A BARGAIN

Four sections solid school land, beautifully located, on big road, 7 miles northwest of Dimmitt, county site of Castro county, all fenced, good house, 2 fine wells with 12 and 16 foot Eclipse mills, 150-acre farm, \$12.50 per acre, half cash, long time on balance.

## FOR QUICK SALE

My fine match team, Glencoe horses, high bred, stylish drivers. Also old carriage and harness, new rubber tire buggy and harness, piano and organ and some new furniture. :: ::

See or write the owner

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**HEREFORD, TEXAS**



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Some merchants advertise cheap goods and low prices. My motto is: To buy in every line and department the highest grade of goods it is possible to get and such lines as we can recommend and guarantee and at prices the very lowest when grade of goods is considered. Below is some lines we handle:

**SCHWAB CLOTHING**

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**The Banner Brand Waists and Skirts**

**NOXALL AND F. McK. SHIRTS**

**Hamilton Brown and Queen Quality Shoes**

**Jno. B. Stetson, Thoroughbred and Globe Hats**

**Great Western and M. W. Hadkins Gloves**

It is a pleasure to us to show and sell such goods. You will always find our prices in line. Yours for good goods at low prices.

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You are always welcome at  
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## TO THE PEOPLE OF DEAF SMITH AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES

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**W. L. FALLWELL & SONS**

### Educational Column.

"If thou wouldst win success, join thyself to some unpopular but noble cause".

Faithfulness in small tasks is the best sort of preparation for the larger undertakings.

Today (Friday) ends the first month of the Public School.

Gertrude and Oscar Taylor who, with their parents have lately come to Hereford to make their home, entered the 8th grade on Monday.

Mrs. Ford, the 6th grade teacher, being unable to attend to her school duties on Monday, Miss Roxie Witherspoon supplied her place.

We are sorry that sickness has made vacant the seats of Alice Walker and Ida Thompson in the 5th Grade. Hope they may be able to resume their work soon.

Bessie Simms, Maude Havenhill and Charles Hubbert are new pupils in the 5th Grade this week.

The Literary Society lately organized in the 7th grade rendered its first program today.

Many things suffer by neglect. If you would be strong body or in mind, you must give attention to the making of muscle and the development of the mental faculties. It is easy not to do the thing that needs to be done, even though there are great rewards promised. But the pupil who prefers to do only what is easy will never be able to do the thing that is hard.

Little Mac Pitman is a new pupil in the third Grade this week.

The natives of the Malay Peninsula have in use the smallest current coin in the world. It is a sort of a wafer made from the resinous juice of a tree and is worth about one-twenty thousandth of a cent.

The second Grade has hoisted "Old Glory" in its new home this week, and are beginning to cut a five-pointed star with one clip of the scissors, just as Betsy Ross did it. The pupils are working manfully, for the first perfect star is to be pasted on the flag to represent our new state. This grade also has a volcano of sand that is to become active next week by the aid of potash and sugar.

At the Fourth of July celebration in Manila, "America" was sung (sometimes in their own language) by the Filipinos, Japanese, Chinese, Indians, Germans, French, Spaniards, English, Italians, Australians and Americans.

The great question that has been so long in controversy between the states of Kansas and Colorado over the waters of the Arkansas River will be argued in the United States Supreme Court next month. Kansas claims that Colorado wrongfully diverts the waters of the river for irrigating purposes, while Colorado claims she has this right because the river rises in her borders. The Court's decision will involve the whole future of irrigation in large sections of the country.

On the 29th of September, Kansas celebrated the one-hundredth anniversary of the unfurling of the American flag on her soil.

Boys and girls, one of our recent writers has said, If you want to be loved:

Don't contradict people even if you're sure you are in the right.

Don't be inquisitive about the affairs of your most intimate friend.

Don't believe all the evil you hear.

Don't repeat gossip, even if it will be of interest to a crowd.

Don't believe that every body else in the world is happier than you.

The pupil who is willing to try in each recitation to get all out of the lesson possible, and when the opportunity is given for each to recite, always try though he may blunder

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and not do so well as some of the others, in time will be able to tell with ease and assurance what at first was so hard. We learn by doing.

Autumn is robing herself in her hues of brow and yellow.

Notice.

Owing to important legal business in the East I have been absent for some weeks and will for a few days shortly go East again after which time I hope to be here regular.

S. J. DODSON.

Luther Hough is in East Texas this week on business.

Selling Potatoes.

G. T. Galloway of Olton was in Hereford Wednesday with a wagon load of sweet potatoes, consisting of 25 bushels, which he disposed of at \$1.00 per bushel. We learned from Mr. Calloway that his potatoes were grown without either cultivation or irrigation, which is all the evidence necessary to convince him that the Panhandle is really a potato country.

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**COLLEGE NOTES.**

Rev. J. C. Mason of Dallas is here visiting his family.

Author Thompson of Hereford entered the Business Department this week.

Miss Roxie Witherspoon has been enrolled in the College Department.

Come and bring your friends to "New Hampshire Gold" next Tuesday night.

The baseball game between the College nine and the public school nine resulted in a victory for the College.

Several visitor from town attended the open session of the society last Friday night.

Mr. Harris of Ft. Worth was a visitor at the College on Wednesday last. He made a very interesting talk in chapel.

Bro. Mason is always a welcome visitor at chapel. He gave us a most interesting talk on Wednesday morning.

The Faris Literary Society gave its regular program last Friday evening. Some of the new members who appeared on this program did credit both to themselves and to the society.

On next Tuesday evening, Oct. 9th, the play "New Hampshire Gold" will be given in the College chapel. This play received very favorable comment when it was given last May and several requests for repetition have been made. The play will be given under the auspices of the Faris Society. Admission 25 cents. The curtain will rise at 8:15.

**New Fire Insurance Company.**  
We have secured the agency for the following Old line Millionaire Fire Insurance Companies: Phoenix Insurance Co., Camden Fire Insurance Association, Michigan Fire and Marine Insurance Co. Let us insure your property against Fire, Tornado and Cyclone. 22-tf  
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**For Sale Cheap.**  
A large residence lot, 210 feet front—Evants addition, see, W. M. HINES, Hereford, Texas.

30tf

**Pretty Good Crop.**

Jno. P. Burch of the Bassett school house community was in the city Wednesday and was rejoicing over being ready to move into his new and modern five-room ranch home which has just been completed.

We learn from Mr. Burch that his grain crop which was recently thrashed, consisting both of wheat and oats, amounted to about 4,000 bushels, a pretty good crop for the worthless "Staked Plains" of a few yaers ago. Not content with one or two years' success, Mr. Burch is now engaged in sowing 200 acres in wheat to say nothing of the large acreage which he will consign to oats next spring. There is nothing to prevent those who will from doing things on a grand scale here in the Panhandle.

**For Sale.**

One school section of land 4 miles south of Hereford, all fenced. Price \$15.00 per acre bonus. Apply to 34-tf.

C. W. DODSON.

**Splendid Showing.**

Pres. Elliott of the college has made his report for the month of September to T. E. Shirley, president of the board of trustees, in which a most excellent and encouraging showing is made. A matriculation of 142 and an enrollment of 88 different pupils was the record for the first month. This is far in excess of any previous record which the college has made, and all friends of the school feel that they have been well rewarded for the work which they have done in the way of advertising the institution the past few months.

October opens up with an increased attendance and the total enrollment is now near the 100 mark.

The BRAND'S prediction early in the year was that 150 young men and ladies would receive instructions in the college this session. We are now convinced that our figures were conservative.

W. T. Smith the transfer man.

**The Union Society.**

Next Thursday, 11th, inst., at p. m. at Christian church, meeting of Union Society. A good attendance is urged. Some changes in former plans will be proposed and discussed and something entirely new will be presented for consideration and adoption. Come, "Let us work while it is called day for the night cometh when no man can work," and let us meet for fellowship in service while the days are pleasant for the cold, dark days are coming when we cannot meet.

MRS. TALIAFERRO, Pres.  
MISS LEGRAND, Sec.

**Notice to the Public.**

I now have a good crew of men together and will figure on all building contracts. No job too large for us. As to what we can do along this line we refer to the number of substantial homes which we have built in Hereford. All work guaranteed. Figure with us. 34-tf.

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**Market Change.**  
The City Market has changed prop-  
rietorship, C. T. Dobbins being the  
lucky one in the transaction. This  
popular market has certainly had  
a checked career the past year.  
We shall not now attempt to say  
just how many times it has changed  
hands.  
For Sale—A good sorghum mill.  
Call on J. M. Boone at barber shop.

**HEREFORD MOVES FORWARD.**

**Canyon City News Man Sees Us in Favorable Light.**

"A trip to Hereford Monday con-  
vinced the News reporter that this  
Plains town is still in the van of  
progress. Her cement stone machin-  
ery is running on full time and is  
putting out all sorts of blocks, orna-  
mental and otherwise, and for which  
a ready sale is being found.

Several residences are going up  
out of this material and one business  
house, the BRAND office. This  
cement stone is also taking the place  
of wooden underpinning and brick  
foundations for frame houses—every-  
body seems to be using it in these  
particulars. Perhaps, one reason is  
that the owners of the plant are lay-  
ing the stone or having it done. As  
far as the News reporter could see  
the Hereford cement stone is not a  
whit better than is that made here  
and cannot be gotten out as cheap  
as here because the sand has to be  
shipped there, but the owners are  
pushing it for all it is worth—there's  
the main difference.

Another new wrinkle for Hereford  
is a splendidly equipped and well  
planned steam laundry. It cost  
something like \$6,000 and is said to  
be the best in the Panhandle. It is  
also doing a fine business and is the  
neatest and best ordered establish-  
ment of its kind our reporter ever  
visited, at least it was so Monday.

Hereford's electric light system  
has also been improved upon and in  
many other ways our nabor is keep-  
ing up with the band wagon of Plains  
improvement. Her big elevator, that  
is to be, and her "short line rail-  
road" are still very much in the  
vapor stage, but who knows to the  
contrary? She may land them too.  
Hereford's sidewalks, however,  
those on the main business street are  
wretchedly bad and do much to de-  
tract from her other most excellent  
features.

**Dissolution Notice.**

The coal and grain firm doing  
business under the name of Collup  
& Burkett has this day been dissolved  
by mutual consent, J. D. Burkett  
having sold his entire interest in  
said firm to J. F. Collup, who will  
continue the business. The public  
is hereby notified that all outstand-  
ing accounts due the old firm are  
payable to J. F. Collup and that he  
assumes all the indebtedness of said  
firm of Collup & Burkett. Given  
under our hands this 4th day of  
October, 1906, at Hereford, Texas.  
J. F. COLLUP,  
J. D. BURKETT.

**Meeting Closes.**

The Fitzgerald meeting after hav-  
ing been in progress for about ten  
days was closed Wednesday even-  
ing. The preaching by evangelist  
and the music under the leadership  
of Mr. Mallard were a veritable treat  
to those who were regular in attend-  
ance and while the number of conver-  
sions was not as large as in other in-  
stances, yet the earnest work done  
will not only strengthen the church  
at this place but will prove a bened-  
iction to our town as well. Mr.  
Fitzgerald is regarded as one of the  
state's foremost evangelist.

**Public Notice.**

I owe a few little bills and have a  
few owing to me, that I wish to set-  
tle at once as I will soon leave for  
the winter. I thank my many  
friends for all courtesies extended  
me during the past two and one-half  
years at Hereford and hope to re-  
turn next summer and do lots more  
business with you. I will be at  
Mineral Wells, Texas, during Nov.  
and Corpus Christi, Texas, in Dec.  
and Norwalk, California, balance of  
winter. Write me there and oblige.  
A. H. ELLISTON.

**County Court.**

The October term of the County  
Court has been in session this week  
with Judge Russell on the bench.  
The usual number of both civil and  
criminal cases are coming up for  
settlement, yet all and all the docket  
for this session is not a very heavy  
one.

**Public Notice.**

We have a first class well machine  
and are prepared to put down wells  
any depth. All work done promptly  
and satisfaction guaranteed in every  
instance. See me or leave your  
order with Stringfellow-Hume Hard-  
ware Co.  
30tf

Phone your orders for fresh  
bread, pies, cakes and cookies to the  
City Bakery. No. 68. 32tf

**700 Acres of Wheat.**

"Harry Huston, of near Conlen,  
was in town last Tuesday and informs  
us that he is going to plant over 700  
acres of wheat on his place this fall,  
and that he already has over 200  
acres that is up and growing nicely.  
Mr. Huston has plowed this ground  
with his steam plow which enabled  
him to handle a great deal more  
ground than he could have possibly  
done had he have plowed the ground  
with teams."—Stratford Star.

From the above we gather that  
that Stratford country is becoming  
a successful wheat country. Mr.  
Huston can perhaps boast of having  
one of the largest, if not the largest,  
wheat farms in the entire Panhandle.  
However, reports from every quar-  
ter of the Plains bring us the same  
satisfying information that farmers  
are devoting far more than the usual  
attention to the sowing of wheat this  
season. At the present rate of in-  
crease a few more years will witness  
not only many 700-acre wheat fields,  
but the Panhandle will be one vast  
field of waving golden grain.

**Jr. B. Y. P. U. Program.**

Following is the Jr. B. Y. P. U.  
program for Sunday Oct. 14.  
Subject—Freedom from sin.  
Leader—Annie Mae Hodges.  
Scripture Lesson—8:33-36.  
Song No. 161.  
The sinner in bondage—paper,  
Elzina Mounts.  
How the Sinner is made free—  
paper, Ethel Fuqua.  
Song No. 134.  
Recitation on Jno. 8:32—Jack  
Mounts.  
Recitation of Romans 8:2—LeRoy  
Richards.  
Prayer.  
Recitation of Jno. 8:36—Johnnie  
Wood.  
Song.  
How Christ sets the sinner free—  
Earnest Cowart.  
Recitation of Romans 6:18—John-  
nie Bourn.  
Lesson truths—Bro. Dean.

**Cheap for Cash.**

A lot of Furniture and racket shop  
goods for sale at Buck Roberts' place,  
next door to J. W. English. 34tf

**League Program.**

Following is the League program  
for Oct. 7, 1906.  
Leader—Mr. Haag.  
Subject our duties to those of our  
own Household, Eph. 3:14-19.  
Organ voluntary—Miss Edwards  
Song.  
Reading of Scripture Texts—Ma-  
bel DeAtley, Nellie Black, Prilla  
Stanley and Ethel London.  
Prayer.  
Leader's talk on the Topic.  
Song.  
Illustration from Era read and  
commented upon—Miss Turrentine.  
Voluntary Prayers.  
Violin Solo—Miss Marshall.  
Song.  
Benediction.

**Card of Thanks.**

I take this means of expressing  
my appreciation to the public for  
their liberal patronage during my  
brief tenure of business life in Here-  
ford. Having retired from the busi-  
ness, I wish to commend to your  
favorable consideration my succes-  
sor, Mr. J. F. Collup, who knows no  
other principle in business than to  
deal honestly with every one who  
entrusts his business to him. Mr.  
Collup is in every particular worthy  
the confidence of the public and we  
cheerfully recommend him as a  
straightforward business man.  
34-1t. J. D. BURKETT.

**Survey Complete.**

E. P. Whitson returned from Big  
Springs this week, where he went  
with J. R. Ransom and surveyors in  
establishing a route for the proposed  
"Panhandle Short Line Railway."  
We are informed that Mr. Ransom  
is now in Denver arranging the de-  
tails for actual grading from Here-  
ford south. This survey has been  
made at a probable cost of \$1500,  
which is a considerable sum of  
money to be spent, if there should  
be no intention of building the road.

**Will Thrash Kaffir Corn.**

I wish to announce to the public  
that I have secured an engine to go  
with my thrashing outfit and am now  
ready to begin thrashing maize and  
kaffir corn for the public. We have  
already contracted for about 10,000  
bushels and would suggest that those  
wishing me to their work see me at  
once so that definite arrangements  
may be made.  
34-2t J. J. WARD.

For Rent—A 125 acre farm. Ap-  
ply to R. H. Norton. 30tf

**To School Children**

Our stock of Pencil and Fancy Tablets, Inks, Pencils, Etc., is complete. We can sell you just the design you want in Writing Tablets. Come to our store when you need anything in this line.

**T. M. Coulson**  
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**To The Public**

Having purchased the City Meat Market from Geo. F. Pearce, I take this method of inviting my friends and the public at large to call on me for anything in the fresh meat line. I shall butcher only fat stuff and you may rest assured that if you will buy your meat of me you will always get the best.

Yours for business,  
**JAS. H. WILLIAMS**

# For Lung Troubles

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral certainly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption. And it certainly strengthens weak throats and weak lungs. There can be no mistake about this. You know it is true. And your own doctor will say so.

"My little boy had a terrible cough. I tried everything I could hear of but in vain until I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. The first night he was better, and he steadily improved until he was perfectly well."—Mrs. S. J. STEELE, Alton, Ill.

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**Ayer's**  
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Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills and thus hasten recovery.

### Panhandle Onions.

"Smith & Mundy are loading out a car of onions this week. This is a surprise to most people, as onions have not been considered a market crop here. Mr. Wood raised upward of 12,000 pounds of them from 80 cents worth of seed, on about one acre of ground and received \$1.20 per hundred pounds for his product.—Shamrock Texan.

And still some would have us believe that the Panhandle has no adaptability for this delectable and wholesome vegetable. The only reason why numerous cars of onions are not being shipped from every community of West Texas each year is that in most instances our unlimited resources have been lost sight of amid the great speculation of the past year or so."

## Don't Wait

The time to have your property insured is not after the fire has consumed it; it will then be too late. It cost but little to protect yourself against loss by fire and I can place you in either of a dozen of the best companies in the country. See me at once.

**B. H. SMITH, Agent**  
HEREFORD TEXAS

## Easterwood's Livery, Feed and Sale Stable

Located one block east of the depot is now open for business. Everything brand new. Up-to-date rigs, fancy and spirited drivers. A trial with us will convince you that we are prepared to serve you well in our capacity.

**J. F. EAS** Some Proprietor  
appeared

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Write me or call at my ranch, situated five miles east of Hereford, on the Tierra Blanca river.

### Eiler Coming.

We are in receipt of a letter from W. A. Eiler stating that he has purchased a new play entitled the "King of the Cattle Ring," a western melodrama in five acts, written by the popular play wright Hal Reid.

Doubtless many of our readers will remember Mr. Eiler's Rip Van Winkle show which showed here a year ago and gave universal satisfaction. He has a large company of well known artists who have been carefully selected for their respective roles.

The company numbers thirty people, sixteen take part in the drama and fourteen musicians in the band. Every one who wishes to attend a first class performance should wait for the "King of the Cattle Ring" which will appear here under canvas about October 30th. 34-1t.

### Your Attention.

I have secured the services of three expert laundrymen and can now turn out all work on short notice. We not only solicit the work of this town and surrounding country, but that of other neighboring towns as well. Remember that we have free delivery to any part of the city. 34-tf. F. A. STEWART, Prop.

### Light Excursions.

The excursions of this week brought fewer homeseekers than usual owing perhaps to the fact that farmers in the north are now busy with their own affairs, especially with sowing wheat. It is expected that immigration will continue light through this month.

### Second Hand Buggies.

We will trade several second hand buggies and surries for feed or horses or will sell for cash. 25tf  
CARTER BROS.,  
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For Rent—A 125 acre farm. Apply to R. H. Norton. 30tf

### STATE FAIR OF TEXAS.

The Entertainment of 1906 is About Ready for the Inspection of the People of the Southwest.

Dallas, Texas, Oct.—The twenty-first annual entertainment of the State Fair of Texas will begin on Saturday, October 15th, with an up-to-date plant. The fair when it opens will represent a value of more than five millions of dollars. The coming entertainment has cost nearly four times as much money as any preceding one. Every one of the departments has been enlarged, with reference both to the accommodation of exhibits or attractions, and to the amount of money offered. The displays of live stock and poultry, of vehicles and machinery, and of farm and mill products, are the largest and most complete ever made at any state fair.

During the thirteen week days of the fair, one hundred and twelve events will take place on the race tracks. The money offered in purses and stakes amounts to \$50,000. More than eight hundred horses have been entered for the races.

Besides the permanent amusement devices, such as the scenic railway, the chutes, the figure 8, and the Caroussel, more than one hundred of the newest and best shows to be had will make up the Amusement Park. In addition to the regular attractions, Seymour's famous military band, and the free vaudeville performances, in the Auditorium, several of the greatest soloists and greatest musical aggregations of the day have been provided for that department, among them: Mme. Marcella Sembrich, the greatest living soprano; Campanari, the baritone; Forest Dabney Carr, the basso; Holmes Cowper, the tenor; Mme. Force-Harmon, the oratorio soprano; Mme. Logman, the alto. All of these, except Semboich and Campanari, will be heard both in the Oratorio of the Messiah and the drama of Hiawatha. The Leo Adde Musical Comedy Company is another card for the Auditorium.

The fair will begin October 13 and close October 28, 1906. The railroad rates will be the lowest since the fair was organized.

JAMES MORONEY, Pres.  
SIDNEY SMITH, Sect.

### When Ralph Barnett Makes Them.

When your coat won't hide your elbows,  
And your shirt sticks through your pants,  
When your hat's so awful ratty,  
That your old friends look askance.

Do you patronize the clothier  
Who will quote the lowest price  
On shoddy, sweat-shop garments  
That grow shabby in a trice?

When you've done a little shinning,  
And the court you've got to face,  
Do you want the cheapest lawyer  
You can find to take your case?

If you've eaten lobster salad,  
Or have tarried at the cup,  
Do you get the cheapest doctor  
In the town to fix you up?

When you want to dress in fashion,  
Do you see the clothing dealer,  
And risk to get into a passion,  
Because you look a common heeler?

Why not have clothes made to measure  
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Luther McCalamant and wife of Missouri are in the city today with a view to making arrangements to move here. Mr. McCalamant has been a BRAND reader for sometime.

R. V. Folkers and family of Diller, Nebraska, are moving here to make Hereford their future home. They have not yet been able to find a house in which to move.

J. C. Newman and family left overland this week for Plainview where they have just completed a fine home. Mr. Newman will have charge of Rockwell Bro's lumber interests on the South Plains. We regret to lose Mr. Newman and family from our town, but congratulate Plainview upon securing so valuable a family. We predict that Mr. Newman will be the same earnest worker for the Metropolis of the South Plains that he was for Hereford while this was his home.

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