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Pleasant

It is a great thing to be Pleasant. It is an essential necessity for anyone to be pleased in order to be pleasant. It is our scheme to please the trade--that is everyone who visits our store. If we please you, then you will be pleasant. We please both in variety, quality, style and price. When we sell you a bill of Furniture, we can meet you face to face and we know it will be a pleasant meeting, because we handle only dependable goods. We buy the best goods from the best concerns in the land.

Our Big Sale

Is catching like wild fire. You who do not avail yourself of this opportunity will surely regret it.

All Floor Coverings are moving out at a rapid gate.

It would surprise and please you to see how those nice Dressers are going.

It would make you smile, your mouth water and your limbs rest easy to see those comfortable Rockers we sell and how cheap.

All Folding Beds and Davenport are the prize winners in this moving out sale.

Our Extension Tables and Sideboards are creating a rush demand.

Let everyone come quick---we will see to it that YOU go away with a pleasant smile too.

Yours for the best and for less,

Wholesale and Retail
Furniture Dealer

E. B. BLACK

O. E. THOMAS
Embalmer and Funeral Director

AN INQUISITIVE HOOSIER.

Illinois Man Applies for Information and Asks a Lot of Pertinent Questions.
Genoa, Ill., March 7, 1908.

The Hereford Brand:—

Will you please give me a little information in regard to your town and vicinity? What is land worth? also residence lots and what size are they? What does a four to six room cottage rent for? Can you tell me what wages carpenters get there? What is the prevailing disease? What is slow fever? I hear they have it in the Panhandle. I am a carpenter by trade but would like to get from one to five acres of ground near a good growing town, where I could raise poultry, build a house and work at my trade. How many photographers are there in Hereford? What is coal, lumber, eggs, butter and meat worth there? Are groceries and clothing any higher there than in the north? Are there many negroes and Mexicans there? Will you please give me the names and addresses of two or three contractors and builders, so that I can write to them? Do you have good schools? How many churches there? Is there any fishing in the rivers there, or is the river there too small for any large fish? Please give me any other information you think might interest a man that is looking for a location for a home in a good country and a healthy climate. Yours respectfully,

E. J. BUSS

Santa Fe Improvements.

The Santa Fe has been doing some

very extensive improvements in the local yards preparatory to laying the new industrial track along the south side of front street touching the coal, lumber and feed houses and also the cement plant and elevator. The drains being put under the track at the main crossing and the general leveling and filling being done will add to the convenience of the road as well as to the comfort of the patronage.

Texas Post Card Club.

The Texas Post-Card Club is now being organized, the object of which is for the membership to exchange cards. A list of the members will be printed on the 25th of this month, a copy of this list will be mailed to each member. If you are collecting post cards this is your chance to get cards from all parts of Texas as well as other states as already have members in Colorado, Oklahoma and other states. If you join at once your name will be printed on every list issued for the next three months for a dime. See ad in classified column. 1tp

Court House For Tulia.

Tulia, Texas.—A petition is being circulated over this county asking the commissioners' court of Swisher county to order an election to vote bonds for the erection of a courthouse at this place to cost not less than \$50,000. It is reported that about two-thirds of the voters have already signed the petition, which seems to assure the issuance of the bonds in case the commissioners' court orders the election.

ANTI-BAILEY CONVENTION

Nominates National Convention Delegates—Adopts Platform Raises Campaign Fund.

The Dallas News reporter from Waco reports the Anti-Bailey meeting as follows:—

Waco, Tex., March 7.—The State anti-Bailey convention, attended by about 2,500 delegates, well representing all sections of the State, today nominated four candidates for nomination by the Democratic party of Texas to be delegates at large, to the Democratic National convention, and four candidates for alternates. It adopted ringing resolutions indorsing and praising William J. Bryan; condemning the action of the State Executive Committee in denying the Democracy of Texas the right of a direct vote in the selection of delegates at large; denouncing Baileyism and the practices of Senator Bailey, and indorsing the administration of Attorney General Davidson, particularly his warfare upon trusts. It ratified and adopted the organization of the Democratic Club of Texas as a permanent organization to wage incessant battle for purity in official life and honest administration of government.

As an earnest of their determination the delegates raised \$5,450 as a campaign fund. A notable feature of the platform was the statement that Senator Culberson, as well as Gov. Campbell, declined to stand for delegate at large, and commending those officials for their course as evidencing a desire to let the people

make the platform by which they would be bound.

A striking feature of the convention was the speech of Senator E. B. Mayfield of Bosque County for purity in official life and against Baileyism. Toward the conclusion of it he declared that he loved principle more than office, and announced that, as there was another gentleman in the Fifth District (Col. Sterret) a candidate for the same office, who was in agreement with him on principles, he would not jeopardize their principles, but would withdraw from the race for congress and would complete his term in the State Senate.

The meeting throughout was enthusiastic, stirring speeches being made by several prominent men. The enthusiasm was especially pronounced when the campaign fund was in process of subscription.

SUCCESS OF HOME CANNERS.

Surplus May be Utilized and a Good Profit Made by Simple Process.

The following clipping from the Farm and Ranch will be of interest to many of the Panhandle farmers. A little investigation will indicate that a home cannery costs but little; in fact, many places down in Texas, the farmers have a simple cannery made at the local tin shop at a small cost. The cans are bought, the fruit or vegetables prepared at home and all the work done by the family. Each farmer brings in his canned stuff and the whole is collated and sold or shipped together. In this way, the small home cannery may

compete with the big establishments of the east. Why not a few of the Hereford people try the plan this summer?

The old fallacy that it required expensive machinery and a high salaried expert man to put up marketable canned goods is forever exploded. It has been demonstrated beyond the shadow of a doubt that the highest quality, naturally flavored, purest, cleanest, most wholesome canned fruits and vegetables that can be obtained in this world, can be put up on the farm throughout the fruit and truck growing sections of Texas, by the most simple and easy methods which places successful canning within the reach of every family living on a farm or on a few acres of land. Organized co-operation is all that is lacking to make the home canning industry one of the most profitable industries in the country.

The Texas Home Canners' Association, the past year, has created a demand for Texas home canned goods that is far in excess of the supply by several hundred car loads, and it would take several thousand car loads to supply the home markets in Texas, while Texas grown tomatoes, peaches, berries, etc., canned on the farm where they are grown, can be shipped in car load lots and sold at profitable prices in Baltimore, Boston, New York and every city in the north.—Farm and Ranch.

Annual Meeting.

The annual election of officers for the Commercial Club will be held at the court house Friday evening, (to-night) at 8:30 o'clock. Besides the election of officers, other matters of importance are to be brought up, among other things, the flour mill proposition and a report of the condition of the Panhandle Short Line. All members are requested to be present.

JNO. P. SLATON, President.

WE ARE PREPARED TO SUPPLY FARMERS WITH THE BEST OF IMPLEMENTS

to successfully cultivate their farms. **THE SUCCESS GANG** and **SULKY PLOWS** are the best made; the easiest running, lightest draft and less trouble to the operator, than any plow made. The **Moline Disc Plows** are the undisputed champions of the Panhandle. We have the **Force Feed Superior Grain Drills** from the five disc one horse to the twenty-two horse sizes with or without the **Presser Wheels**. We have a full line of

Katydid Sod Plows, Canton Walking Plows, Disc and Drag Harrows

Our stock of **Baker Perfect Barbed Wire**, galvanized and painted is complete. We can sell you **Hog Fence and Farm Fence** in any quantity from one rod to thirty miles. **WE SELL THE AMERICAN, ELWOOD and PITTSBURGH WOVEN FENCES.** They are the best that money can buy.

We know that we can save you money on anything in our line. Come in and look through our stock. It is our pleasure to show you. With sincere thanks for your valued trade in the past. We are, yours truly.

STROUD-GARY HARDWARE CO.

THE NEW PLAINSCITY.

Newsy Notes From Rising Young City in the Panhandle—Progress and Push Evident.

The new city of the Plains, with a name suggestive of hidden and untold wealth, Ontario, is springing up and taking on the mien of a city as if some wonderful magician had waved his wand over the spot. Where only a few weeks ago, stretched a level carpet of grassy prairie and the stillness of the day was disturbed only by the whisper of the winds of El Llano Estacado and the night by the wailings of a lone coyote; crossed by cattle trails and uncertain paths made by the Plainsmen in their lonely rides; now may be seen the busy movements of mechanics and husbandmen. Business houses, residences, shops and farms are being opened.

In conversation with a gentleman who had just made a visit to the young city, The Brand learns that

Ontario is located on the new Rock Island grade, 36 miles out from Amarillo and 35 miles north from Hereford. The actual work which may be mentioned as in actual progress is a large two-story brick building, 25x50 feet, two or three nice residences of from four to seven rooms, a commodious hotel, two stories, 36x96 feet, furnished thruout with a complete system of sewerage, water and lights; thirty men are putting in a complete system of waterworks covering the entire plat of the little city, the system to have a 1000 barrel reservoir on a 36 foot steel tower, with pipes laid for connection to every business and resident block, including ample number of fire plugs and 1000 feet of hose, the water to be supplied from wells by an 18-foot wind power mill and a gasoline engine. One man who has recently purchased two sections of land adjoining the town has made a contract with an Amarillo party to turn 1000 acres of sod and to prepare

the ground for planting this year. A Mr. Williams from Kentucky, who came out on the last excursion, bought land and on passing through Amarillo let the contract for a house and barns and will move at once. That section of Oldham county is filling up with actual settlers; few speculators are buying land as the company holding the land prefers to sell to actual farmers and settlers. As a matter of record, 80 or more lots in the town of Ontario and fourteen or fifteen sales of sectionized land was made on the last excursion to that part of the Panhandle.

The new road that is being built thru that section will soon have steel laid as far as that young city and the people are preparing to give the advent a warm reception.

Men's Spring Suits.
Are now in. We can fit you out of stock or can take your measure. Satisfaction guaranteed. It
GEO. A. STAMBAUGH.

New Street Lamp.

The enterprising firm, The Baskin Land Company, have placed in front of their office of Main Street, a 1500 candle-power gas lamp, known as the Boulevard Arc Lamp. The lamp is mounted on a steel post some ten feet high and gives a brilliant light. The gas is generated in the bottom of the post and carried by a pipe to the lamp on the top. The strength of the light is such that four would easily light main street. If you have not seen the lamp, you should drive down in the evening to see it in operation to appreciate its work.

Garden Plants.

The Hereford Truck Farm 1 mile northeast will have on sale at the proper time, cabbage and tomato plants and potato slips. 4-2p
WALTER NELSON, Manager.

Misinformation.

The following clipping taken from the Canyon City News does Hereford an injustice. There has not been a case of small pox in the town for two or three years. Just why the News should print this, The Brand cannot say, but when a Clarendon paper reprints it and gives further circulation to what it thinks to be the truth there is some grounds for the Hereford people to object. The clipping follows:

Amarillo, Hereford, Tulia and Plainview as well as Canyon City all

have smallpox, and it is said that all have, or will at once, adopt measures to put a stop to its spread.—Canyon News.

Shirt Waists, Skirts.

See our new line before you buy. It
GEO. A. STAMBAUGH.

H. C. Myrick is having some extensive improvements made in his store on Main street by the addition of two large show windows. In these will be displayed the handsome things that men like to wear.

To Buyers of all Kinds of Building Material

There are many little advantages to be obtained by dealing with us. The close association we have with the demands and needs of our customers has made our relations mutually pleasant. Those who have patronized us have found it greatly to their advantage. Give us your bill

Alfalpa Lumber Company
C. M. Miller Local Manager

We Can Tell You That We
Have Correct Things for
Spring and Summer

**LADIES'
Dress Goods**



AMERICAN BEAUTY Style 998
Kalamazoo Corset Co., Makers

Shangtai, Suesine, Okimo and Chiffon Silk, Soie Tonkin, Soie Mirage Chiffon Voille. A full line to select from of Dress Linens, White Mulls, Organdies, Baste and all of the up-to-Spring Novelties. A beautiful line of Shirt Waists, Collars and Ties for you to select from. See our stock before buying your spring outfit.

D. R. GASS & SON

HALF THE PEOPLE

never recognize an opportunity until it is past.

The "get-ahead" class are always ahead because they "see" and "act" at the right time. They have nearly all been in. It's the "other" half we are after now.

IF THEY WAKE UP

and realize the genuine money savings during our sale, we will not have enough to go around. Whatever you buy, you'll save a good bunch of money, especially on

- Hats,
- Shirts,
- Overalls,
- Ladies' Muslin
- Underwear,
- Blankets
- and Notions

Take a "bee line" for **The Hub** and don't stop until you get there. There's money in it for you

POOR MEN IN THE SENATE.

Only One-Third of the Senate Solons in the Millionaire List.

That it has become almost impossible for rich men to get into the senate of the United States, the most august and austere body in the world, may be judged from the few men who may be counted as rich and who hold seats in the Upper House. Of the ninety-two men, ONLY thirty-two have fortunes that go above the One Million mark; all of the rest are on the poor man's list. This is certainly encouraging to the rising young statesmen of the country, that they do not have to await the influence of a fortune to take them into the senate.

A writer in the Kansas City Star submits a list of the millionaires in the senate, basing his estimates upon "information secured from members of their own state delegations and from other reasonable trustworthy sources." The list follows:

Jos. W. Bailey, Texas	\$1,000,000
Limon Guggenheim, Colo.	\$60,000,000
Isaac Stephenson, Wis.	30,000,000
Stephen D. Elkins, W. Va.	25,000,000
Nelson W. Aldrich, R. I.	12,000,000
John Kean, N. J.	10,000,000
Redfield Proctor, Vermont	8,000,000
Henry A. DuPont, Dela.	7,000,000
Jonathan Bourne, Jr., Ore.	6,000,000
Francis S. Newlands, Nev.	6,000,000
Chauncey M. Depew, N. Y.	5,000,000
Geo. P. Wetmore, R. I.	5,000,000
Morgan G. Bulkey, Conn.	3,000,000
Levy Ankeny, Wash.	3,000,000
Geo. S. Nixon, Nevada	3,000,000
W. Murray Crane, Mass.	3,000,000
Eugene Hale, Maine	3,000,000
Geo. C. Perkins, Cal.	2,000,000
Francis E. Warren, Wyo.	2,000,000
Nathan B. Scott, W. Va.	2,000,000
Philander C. Knox, Penn.	2,000,000
Jos. B. Foraker, Ohio	2,000,000
Henry C. Lodge, Mass.	1,500,000
Thos. G. Platt, N. Y.	\$1,000,000
Albert J. Hopkins, Ill.	1,000,000
Thos. S. Martin, Va.	1,000,000
Henry A. Richardson, Dela.	1,000,000
Wm. Alden Smith, Mich.	1,000,000
Frank O. Briggs, N. J.	1,000,000
Robert L. Owen, Okla.	1,000,000
Boise Penrose, Penn.	1,000,000
Reed Smoot, Utah	1,000,000
Total	\$210,500,000

"There may be other millionaires in congress" says the authority quoted, "but if there are they have succeeded in suppressing general knowledge of the fact that they have crossed the line which is accepted as marking the beginning of plutocracy. There are any number of men known to be very wealthy who have not been set down as millionaires. For instance, Vice President Fairbanks is often referred to as a millionaire, but the best obtainable information places his fortune at between one half and three quarters of a million dollars. Chas. A. Culberson of Texas, the democratic leader in the senate, is another whom common report has placed in the millionaire class. Senator Culberson is a rich man, but his friends declare that to write him down a millionaire is to exaggerate his wealth. Senator Brandegee of Connecticut, Senator Overman of North Carolina, Senator Burnham of New Hampshire, Senator Dillingham of Vermont, Senator Flint of California and others are in the near-millionaire class, and most of the senators are well fixed. Senator Brown of Nebraska, it is said, is the only member of the upper branch of congress who does not own his house."

In the senate, every third man is a millionaire and in the house one in every 27 is in the seven-figure column. A majority of the millionaires of the national legislature were rich men before they were sent to Washington, but others of them began political life poor and have gradually gotten over it.—Dallas News.

Seed.

Flax seed, June corn, white wonder corn, yellow dent corn, dwarf maize, kaffir corn and millet seed.

It WARREN GRAHAM CO.

HEREFORD HARDWARE CO.

Have You Ever Thought About It?

Spring is coming, and you will need Poultry and Garden Fencing, Screen Doors and Wire, Garden Plows, Hoes, Rakes, Etc., Hose for watering trees, Farm Implements and Windmills. See our new Pulverizer and Windmill. And we want to tell you that we will have in a very short time some

SWELL RIGS, STANHOPES, BUGGIES, SURREYS, ETC.

Our Harness Line is Complete and if you should want something not carried in stock we will make it for you, also repair your old harness. We want you to call on us when you need anything in our line.

WE WANT YOUR TRADE

HEREFORD HARDWARE CO.

J. L. FUQUA, President

C. W. DODSON, Cashier

The First National Bank

HEREFORD, TEXAS

CAPITAL	\$ 50,000.00
SURPLUS AND PROFITS	27,087.60
SHAREHOLDERS LIABILITY	50,000.00
TOTAL	\$127,087.60
TOTAL ASSETS	500,000.00

DIRECTORS: L. GOUGH, J. L. FUQUA, C. W. DODSON, R. J. KIBBE, W. H. FUQUA, W. S. HIGGINS, J. T. JOWELL.

Safety Deposit Boxes For Rent

This Bank is well equipped to handle all business entrusted to its care and respectfully solicits your account

INSURE

Your homes. They are constantly in danger of that Red Demon. Do not neglect your duty in protecting your home, but get a Policy today.

DO IT NOW

I desire to announce to my friends that I am Resident Agent for the following Fire Insurance Companies, in Hereford and vicinity:

	Organized	Capital	American Assets
Royal of Liverpool	1845		\$12,928,254
Northern of London	1836		4,230,182
Home of New York	1853	\$3,000,000	20,839,174
Ins. Co. of North America	1792	3,000,000	10,741,510
German American of N. Y.	1872	1,500,000	13,798,730
Phoenix of Brooklyn	1853	1,500,000	9,501,321
Westchester of N. Y.	1837	300,000	3,738,676
Shawnee Fire of Topeka	1882	200,000	1,092,463
Colonial of N. Y.	1896	200,000	773,406
		\$9,700,000	\$77,650,716

I do not claim to represent all the Companies in the world, but from the above statement, you are compelled to admit that I do represent a number of the strongest Companies doing business in the state.

Yours very truly,

J. H. KING, Agent

FREE \$600.00 WORTH OF FREE
HAND-PAINTED CHINA GIVEN AWAY

Opportunity is now knocking at your door, asking you to take advantage of the Greatest Furniture Sale of the whole year. Sale to begin Saturday, March 7th, 1908, and close Friday, April 10th, 1908. Now is the time to furnish your home at a small cost.

Why and How We Make This Offer

Our stock is so large and our house so small that we are compelled to make room for our large shipment, which is already on the way. In order to reduce our stock and make room for our Spring goods we have gone through our store in every department and re-marked everything at a discount of 25 PER CENT. In addition to this big cash discount, we are giving with each \$10.00 cash purchase a coupon which will draw a valuable piece of imported hand-painted china. Every ticket draws something. NO BLANKS.

List of Premiums to be Given Away

- 12 12-piece Toilet Sets, worth each - \$12.50
 - 2 Large Hand-Painted Lamps, each - 8.50
 - 9 Beautiful Water Sets, worth, each - 5.00
 - 11 Beautiful Japanese Vases, each - 4.50
 - 1 Hand-Painted Water Pitcher, worth - 3.50
 - 24 Hand-Painted Cake Plates, worth, each 250
 - 12 Large Jardiniers, worth, each - 1.50
- and many other pieces of hand-painted imported china, such as Celery Trays, Sugar Bolls, Cream Pitchers, Jelly Dishes, Chop Dishes, Cups and Saucers, Etc. BE SURE you get a COUPON. IT WILL DRAW YOU ONE OF THESE HANDSOME PREMIUMS.

Drawing takes place Saturday, April 11. DON'T FORGET the DATE, and be sure you come in time to get a Coupon

GILLILLAND FURNITURE COMPANY

Day Phone 115

LEADERS IN FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING

Night Phone 113

NEW INTERURBAN

C. N. Wilson, Head of American Engineering Co., Ready to Close Deal.

Definite arrangements for the immediate completion of the Fort Worth-Mineral Wells interurban may be made at a conference Friday afternoon between C. N. Wilson, president of the American Engineering Company of Indianapolis, and members of the Fort Worth interurban committee.

Seven miles of grade work is completed between Fort Worth and Mineral Wells on the Springtown route, and Mr. Wilson is ready to make arrangements for the line with the Fort Worth committee. He reached Fort Worth Friday morning on his way from Oklahoma City to Dallas. When seen by a reporter he was making plans for a conference with Major Jarvis, J. B. Buchanan and other members of the Fort Worth committee.

Asked if he was ready to make arrangements with the Fort Worth committee, Mr. Wilson answered emphatically, "Yes." He also said that there would be no difficulty in securing outfits for the work and that a force could be started Monday if need be.

J. B. Buchanan, one of the committeemen, says that the people now have the best chance since the negotiations began for the work, and that if the people still want an interurban line from Fort Worth to Mineral Wells by the Springtown route, and are willing to go ahead with the original contract and carry out the original plans, it is now up to them.

"Under the present movement there is plenty of energy, money and

ability to construct the line," Mr. Buchanan says, "and I take it that every other member of the committee, like myself, wants to see the road built and operated, without regard to whom the contract is awarded, or who controls the line. I hear a great deal of talk about Major Beardsley and his financial troubles, but outside of his equity in the city of Mineral Wells, and the six or seven miles of line that has been built from that place in the direction of Fort Worth, he has nothing to do with the building of the interurban under the new proposition.

"The people want the road by the Springtown route, and I believe that they are yet willing to stand by their contract. With \$200,000 subscribed and the right of way secured, the road can be built this year, and I believe it will.

"What is wanted is an interurban line that will handle both freight and passenger traffic, for the benefit of the country between here and Mineral Wells, and it is just such a line as is now in contemplation."

Wheat Report.

The condition of the wheat in the Hereford country continues at a high percentage, many of the farmers declaring that the prospects grow better and better each week. The census of the acreage shows a gradual increase.

	Acreage
Total previously reported	16,437
W. F. Deible	80
Frank Devore on W. A. Higgin's ranch	240
A. B. Hadden	150
A. W. Barker	65
J. W. Rogers	150
Total	17,122

We sell the best \$3.50 shoes in the United States. SELZ "ROYAL BLUE" and FRIEDMAN-SHELBY'S "ATLANTIC." Give us a trial. J. G. Calens.

To Panhandle Farmers.

Within a month we will have Sugar Beet Seed, directly imported from Germany, for sale in any quantity and at actual cost, 15c per pound; 12 pounds required for an acre. Send your order now to J. H. Avery, Secretary, Amarillo, Texas.

The Best Papers.

The papers you want are the papers that will suit your entire family best. A combination that will answer this requirement is this paper and the Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Record.

The Record is a general newspaper of the best type. Ably edited splendidly illustrated, it carries a news service which is the best that knowledge and experience can suggest. Special features of the Record appeal to the housewife, the farmer, the stockraiser and the artisan.

The colored comic pictures printed

the Friday issue are a rare treat for the young folks.

Its market news alone is worth the money.

You will surely be a constant reader of The Record once you try it, and the favorable clubbing offer made below is an opportunity not to be missed:

Semi-Weekly Record 1 year, \$1.00.
 The Brand 1 year, 1.00.
 Both papers 1 year, 1.75.
 Subscribe at this office.

If it's land you want to sell, see Edwards & O'Brien, office next door south of Palmer Lumber Co. 4-2t

Bulk Olives

There's a Big Difference Between
GROCIERES

Sweet Pickles

There is a difference in price and another in quality. Judged by either standard it will pay you to buy your groceries here. Our groceries are the best that money can buy. The saving you make is caused by our close buying and our moderate ideas of a legitimate profit. Our stock is fresh and complete in all lines. Give us a trial.

Yours for business,



THE HUBBARD GROCERY CO.

Local and Personal

W. L. Sims and wife was up from Parmerton this week.

A. M. Jones was in Parmerton Thursday on business.

Miss Elma Patton is visiting relatives at Mineral Wells.

Jeff Gilbreath of the Cleo community was in town this week.

Judge B. H. Baker went down to Portales Wednesday on business.

Wash buttons, wash buttons, at D. R. Gass & Son's. 5-2t

Judge W. H. Knight has been in the Panther City this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ricketts are attending the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

The Cash will buy more goods at CALLENS' than any place in Hereford. Try us.

We are making a specialty of Misses and Childrens hats, Nettie Patterson, with J. A. Fox & Co. 1t

Dr. Price has been indisposed this week and has been confined to his room. His friends hope to see him at his office again soon.

Mrs. C. W. Dodson and son, Charles, returned Wednesday afternoon from an extensive visit to friends at Waco and in Oklahoma.

For bicycle repairing see Wharton Brothers. We will also buy or trade for any of your household goods. Come and see our bargains. 48-tf

Latest styles in ladies street and dress hats, Nettie Patterson, with J. A. Fox & Co. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Barcus left last Friday for Kansas City where they will make a short visit and return via Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Sisk, of Evansville, Ind. have been in Hereford several days spending their honey-moon with Mr. Sisk's father and mother.

Rev. J. N. Wooten filled the pulpit at Roswell for the First Christian Church of that city last Sunday. He reports a pleasant visit to the New Mexico city.

N. J. Matthews has accepted a position with H. C. Myrick furnishing house where he will be pleased to meet his friends in a social as well as business way.

Dr. Howser has been confined to his home for the past several days on account of his eyes. He has suffered great pain but it is to be hoped that the worst is passed.

Do not buy your street or dress hats until you have seen my new creations just from Gage Bros. & Co. of Chicago. Nettie Patterson, with J. A. Fox & Co. 1t

Ladies don't buy Dry Goods, Shirt Waists, Muslin Underwear and Notions until you see our lines. We are the CASH Store and make less prices. J. G. Callens. 1t

Judge Renfro of Silvertown came in yesterday to attend the "Full Rendition Convention." He favors a fair and equal rendition by all, thus making all property bear its share of taxation.

Our opening will be announced later at which time we expect to have one of the largest showings of ladies pattern hats that you have ever seen in Hereford. Nettie Patterson, with J. A. Fox & Co. 1t

Rev. John A. Wallace of Canyon was in the city Thursday and made The Brand office a visit. It had been some time since he had been in Hereford and he was greatly surprised to see how the town had grown and said that he hardly knew the place.

\$25.00 Reward.

Stolen from the livery stable of Paul Mersfelder at Bovina, Texas by one W. F. Scott, one dark dun horse, 14 1-2 hands high, branded WIN on right hip and AD connected on left flank, gait is long pace.

Scott is a man of medium height, smooth shaven, weight 135 to 150 pounds, light complexion, scar under chin. The above reward will be paid for the recovery of horse and arrest of man. \$15 will be paid for arrest of man and \$10 for recovery of horse. Notify E. F. Connell, Sheriff Deaf Smith Co., Hereford, Texas, or E. T. Stevens, Sheriff Farmer County, Farwell, Texas. 1t.

Mr. Bryan's Opinions.

The plan of guaranteed bank deposits has probably found favor, among all classes of people, irrespective of political affiliation, more rapidly than any other public question.

The new state of Oklahoma has already enacted a law taxing state banks, the fund thus accumulated to be used in paying the depositors of any state bank that from any cause becomes unable to meet its obligations. A special session of the Kansas legislature has been called for the purpose of enacting legislation similar to the Oklahoma plan. The governor of Nebraska is considering the advisability of calling a special

session of the legislature on account of the growing belief among the people that protection to bank depositors in the form of state or federal guarantees of their deposits will stop the hoarding of money, bring into circulation sufficient currency to conduct the business of the country, and prevent a recurrence of such disastrous panics as the one through which we are now passing.

Mr. Bryan has been an advocate of a law guaranteeing deposits in state and national banks since 1893. The legislature of Ohio has adopted a joint resolution inviting Mr. Bryan to address its members in joint session February 18, 1908, on the subject of Guaranteed Bank Deposits.

Mr. Bryan, in discussing the tariff question, insists that residents of the United States should be permitted to buy home-made goods at home at as low a price as the foreigner can buy American-made goods abroad. He also insists that our government should be by and for the people as a whole, rather than by and for the trusts, and administered in the interest of a few beneficiaries of the trust system. He believes that national legislation for the purpose of better regulation and control of interstate commerce and common carriers should supplement state legislation, and not be a substitute for state legislation.

Mr. Bryan's paper, The Commoner reflects his opinions each week on questions of public importance and in its columns may also be found his magazine articles, public speeches, addresses and lectures, which are referred to in the daily press from day to day.

If you are interested in political questions, if you desire to keep in touch with the progress of the campaign and to read Mr. Bryan's speeches bring sixty cents to this office, and the paper will be sent to you each week until the close of the next presidential campaign.

W. H. M. Society.

At our last business meeting it was decided to change the day of meeting from Tuesday to Wednesday, so next Wednesday we will meet with Mrs. E. B. Black for our devotional service.

One interesting feature of the program will be the Question Box, conducted by Mrs. DeAtley, the members responding.

At this meeting it was also decided to repeat the "Spelling Bee" of last year, and to add to the enjoyment of the occasion a "Box Supper" will constitute one of the chief features of the evening's entertainment.

These boxes, which are to be attractive both inside and outside, are to be sold at fifty cents each to the gentlemen, young men and married men, who will then invite his best girl to share the contents.

The following program will be rendered:

Invocation—Rev. J. W. Story.
Piano Solo—"Falling Water"—Miss Ina Gregg.

Reading—Selected—Miss Gregg.
Male Quartette.

Spelling Bee.
Box Supper.

"Blue Back Spellers" may be had at The Brand office at 25c each—while they last. As before, the ladies will spell against the gentlemen.

A cordial invitation is extended to one and all—not only to attend, but to spell.

The pupils of the two schools are especially invited to enter the spelling contest.

Remember, Friday night, March 20th, at the opera house.

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Flax seed, June corn, white wonder corn, yellow dent corn, dwarf maize, kaffir corn and millet seed. 1t
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TEXAS POST-CARD CLUB—Join at once; get your name on list to be issued March 25th. Three months' membership 10c. You will receive cards from all parts of Texas and other states. Address, Texas Post-Card Club, Box 489, Hereford, Tex.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

MONEY TO LOAN—on patented land. Your vendor's lien notes extended. J. H. King. 21tf

FOR SALE—Good red seed oats, at 65 cents. Turrentine Bros., at E. W. Harrison's. 3-tf

FOR SALE—Red Rust Proof Oats, Plains grown; carefully selected for seed. Hereford Grain Co. 52tf

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BLACK LOCUST TREES for sale 10c to 50c each. See G. C. or M. M. Major. 3tf

FOR SALE—1000 peach trees from 2 to 5 feet high at 5 cents apiece, 3-4 mile northeast of College. G. W. Shonkwiler. 2-4tp

FOR SALE—Nice young black locust trees, at the patch or delivered. At Black Locust Grove 4 1/2 miles southwest of town. George E. Burns. 4-3tp

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One good span of mules, cheap. See J. B. Elliston. 4-tf

INSURE YOUR LIVESTOCK against any accident, or death from any cause. See A. M. Jones. 4tf

FOR SALE—Three good work or driving horses, two of them are good, safe family horses. John W. DeAtley. 1-tf

FOR SALE—See Fred Millard, the Hereford horse dealer, when in need of anything in the way of work teams. Will sell you a good team or trade for yours. 50tf

FOR SALE—175 head of good grade stock hogs, a number of young horses and mules, \$3,000 worth of farming implements of all descriptions also household furniture. Now is the time for bargains. Lone Star Ranch, Bovina Texas, B. B. Curtis, Manager. 5tf

FEED FOR SALE

Feed—For sale cheap 1 mile south town. E. E. Adams. 1tp

FEED—200 acres maize in stack for sale. Inquire at J. S. Mullenhour's. 2-4tp

FOR SALE—Some baled millett and broadcast bundle sorghum. All nice and bright. Fred Millard. 51tf

FOR SALE—Baled alfalfa in ton or 1/2 ton lots, \$17 per ton delivered Verne Witherspoon. 49tf

REAL ESTATE WANTED

OWNERS who want to sell their Panhandle lands, send full description and price with legal numbers and distance from station, to A. M. Kauffman, Lockridge, Iowa. 4-4tp

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR SALE.—Two houses, one two blocks, the other four blocks from business center; one has 8 rooms, the other 4. Both new and well built. Will be sold at a bargain. See Chas. Havenhill. 4tf

TO TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Soda fountain and all necessary fixtures for running same. Will trade for town property or stock. Phone 228 or call at Brand office. 4-tf

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FOR SALE—Two fine sections of land for sale on easy terms. See or write J. B. Elliston. 50-tf

FOR SALE—One section fine land on long time if sold at once. See or write J. B. Elliston. 50-tf

A BARGAIN—Six sections fine smooth Panhandle land near railroad. See or write J. L. Fuqua, Hereford, Texas. 46tf

FOR SALE—A nice smooth section of land two miles south of Dimmitt. One-third cash; balance on easy terms. See or write J. R. Hastings, the owner, Dimmitt, Texas. 4-4tp

160 ACRES—Of land in the artesian belt, near Artesia, N. M., for sale or will trade for property in or near Hereford, Texas. See or write J. H. Powers, Hereford, Texas. 2-3t

LAND—320 acres 7 miles west of Hereford; also, well-improved 20 acres adjoining town. See or write owner, T. B. Kellow, P. O. box 22, Hereford, Texas. 2tf

197 ACRES in _____ county, 1 1/2 miles from Altamont, Missouri, 117 acres well improved, 25 acres corn land, balance blue grass. Fine spring, good 6-room house, 40x60 barn. Also 80 acres, 60 in cultivation, balance blue grass. All to trade for Panhandle land. Write H. H. Hawkins, Hereford, Tex. 1f

FOR SALE—Paloduro Stock Farm and Ranch, 15 1/2 miles northwest of Hereford, Texas. Two, three or more sections, 400 acres in fine state of cultivation, about 200 acres in wheat. Ready stocked with white-face cattle. Price on land \$15.00 per acre, half cash, balance on time. Address P. O. Box 162. 51tf

FOR SALE—All of section 33, township 4 north, range 2 east, in Deaf Smith county, Texas. An elegant section, good rich soil. Price per acre \$14.00. Terms, 1-3 cash, and balance 10 years time, payable on or before at 6 per cent. If interested, look this up and write to Mathew R. Faber, Remsen, Iowa. 52-8t

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NEW ENTERPRISE.

VOLUME I, No. 1, of The Plainsman, the new weekly paper for Dimmitt, with P. H. Calahan as editor, comes to the exchange table this week, filled with the enthusiasm of all Panhandle papers and the local news of the county. The Plainsman starts out in his opening address to the citizens of Dimmitt by saying:

We do not come to you as a charitable institution, but come as an independent enterprise, asking your patronage on our merits only as a self-sustaining and worthy institution.

Thus The Plainsman enters the field, asking for "patronage" and not for "support." This is the stand that all papers should take. If the business is legitimate, ask for patronage and not for a "hand-out." Too many papers place themselves in the attitude of a beggar, as if the people owed them a support without due compensation. The Plainsman is to be congratulated upon the stand it has taken and the good showing it has made in its first issue.

The Brand contains this week considerable railroad news, showing the progress being made on the Plains and in other parts of the state in railroad building. Mr. Wilson, who was in Hereford some weeks ago, has taken an interest in the Fort Worth-Mineral Wells Interurban and will, no doubt, take over that project for completion. This shows that Mr. Wilson is able to take care of a large contract, and those who doubted his financial connections may now rest assured that he is properly "connected up," and if the local authorities will close a deal with him, there will be something tangible for the P. S. L.

ALL members and non-members of the Commercial Club should attend the annual meeting at the court house tonight. If you have any "kicks coming," now is the time to get them in good and strong. While the Club is the "deadest thing in town," (to quote a high authority), there will be something doing at the meeting tonight. The president asks all to bring their kicks with them and they, including their kicks, will be promptly "tabled," or referred to the committee on cemetery rules.

Neither the city election nor the bond issue is attracting a deal of attention. This may be interpreted to mean that the people are satisfied with the administration of the present city fathers and that the successful outcome of the sewer and water bonds is sure. In fact, The Brand has heard no objection to the issue of bonds in the sum of \$20,000.00 except that the amount was possibly too small to supply the needs of the city.

HEREFORD College, no doubt, will be well represented at the Panhandle Oratorical Contest to be held in Amarillo on April 17. A large delegation of students and friends should go along to encourage the speakers from Hereford College. The College will be represented by Earl Wilson and Joe Brown.

Announcements

Deaf Smith County.

For District Attorney, 47th Judicial District:
A. A. LUMPKIN.
HENRY S. BISHOP, (re-election.)
JUDGE B. H. BAKER.

For County Judge:
W. H. RUSSELL, (re-election.)
JAS. A. HUGHES.
S. J. DODSON.

For County Attorney:
W. M. MEGERT.

For Sheriff:
E. F. CONNELL, (re-election.)
HENRY HUBBERT.

For County Clerk:
W. M. COGDELL, (re-election.)
G. M. SUGGS.
J. H. KING.

For County Treasurer:
C. E. SMITH, (re-election.)
G. R. JOWELL.

For Tax Assessor:
J. W. FORD, (re-election.)

For City Marshal:
BOB BRAZIL.
C. L. SULLIVAN.
S. B. FEEMSTER.
J. B. ROGERS.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
G. W. ROSS.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
H. B. MCKINLEY.

Castro County.

For County and District Clerk:
EDGAR S. IRELAND, (re-election.)

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
ROY BARBER.
J. H. FLANAGIN.
JOE B. COLLINS.
PRESS BURNAM.

For County Treasurer:
S. I. LEE.

For Tax Assessor:
ARCH CONNER.
F. J. AXE.

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The undersigned have associated themselves together under the firm name of The Hereford Land Company, of Hereford, Texas, for the purpose of buying and selling lands in Deaf Smith and adjoining counties and attending to all other matters pertaining to a general real estate business.

It is our aim to give prospectors full value of their money, and a careful investigation of our list of lands and the values thereon, will convince you that we are offering the best bargains on the market. Property listed with us for sale at its actual value will receive prompt attention.

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" Tissues - 25c to 75c yd
" Percals - 10c yd
" Laces - 5c to 75c yd
" Embroideries - 5c to \$3.00 yd
" Allovers - 25c to \$3.50

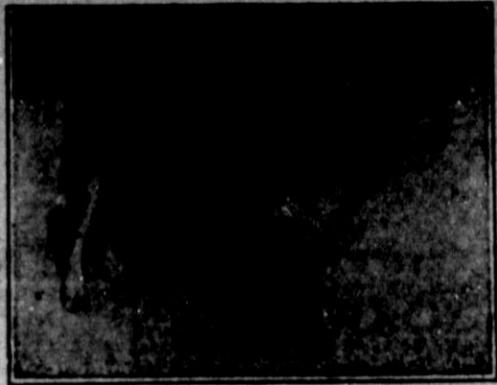
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Local and Personal

Albert Johnson was in Amarillo Monday.

Mayor L. Gough is in Galesburg, Illinois this week.

P. D. Mersfelder, of Bovina was in the city Tuesday.

C. F. Kellner of Summerfield was in Hereford Tuesday.

J. B. Collier of Roswell was here the first of the week on business.

A few more tons of coal at \$5.00. E. W. Harrison. 5-2t

Insure your livestock with A. M. Jones, local agent. 4tf

See M. M. Major for the Racycle. Best Bicycle made. 47tf

For fresh Jersey milk, call on the Hereford Dairy. Phone No. 9. 24-tf

For all kinds of grain and hay, call on E. W. Harrison. 5-2t

Artis Daniel of Elk City, Okla, is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

E. T. Stephens of Farwell came over on Tuesday on a business errand in the city.

If you have a bargain in land, Edwards & O'Brien can sell it for you. Office next door to Palmer Lumber Company. 4-2t

Miss Irma Carter of Gainesville, Texas, is visiting relatives in the city this week.

W. H. Rayzor left Tuesday for points north in the interest of his land company.

Mrs. A. J. Lipscomb left Tuesday afternoon for a short visit at her former home in Missouri.

Judge W. H. Russell left Monday for Tascosa to attend the district court in session at that place.

Ladies are invited to inspect our line of street and dress-hats at J. A. Fox & Co. Nettie Patterson. 1t

If it's land you want to sell, see Edwards & O'Brien, office next door south of Palmer Lumber Co. 4-2t

For red rust proof oats see Eli Dunlap at Hereford Hardware Company. 51-tf

For fine dressmaking by first-class seamstresses, inquire at Mc's Boarding House. 45-tf

See our fine showing of millinery at J. A. Fox & Company's. Nettie Patterson. 1t

Messrs. Jowell and Norton took the 2:45 Pea Vine Tuesday afternoon for the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

Panhandle oats, 42 pounds to the bushel, free from Johnson grass, raised by candidate F. J. Axe for sale by E. W. Harrison. 5-2t

Veterinary calls answered day or night; phone 142; will be at Warren Grain Co.'s on Saturdays for dental work. F. E. Bowe. 1-tf

Notice Ice Customers, cant keep ice all the time. Expect to get small amounts on Saturdays only. E. W. Harrison. 5-2t

First-class sewing done by Mrs. F. M. Caddell. Satisfaction guaranteed, prices reasonable, ladies skirts a specialty. First residence west of Coulson's drug store. 4-4tp

N. J. Heimbach of the firm of T. Carrabine & Co., has been in the city this week and reports that Ontario, the new town of the Rock Island is rapidly taking on the habiliments of a city.

C. L. Stanley from Nebraska was in Hereford this week selecting a place to locate. He will move his family here within a short time, having bought a ranch near the city, which he will improve.

Just received a big shipment of street hats from Gage Bros. & Co., of Chicago, and would be glad to have the ladies call and see them. Nettie Patterson, at J. A. Fox & Company's. 1t

Mrs. Carrie Storts has returned from her vacation and will continue dressmaking at her home in the northwest part of town. Will be glad to see all her old customers and many new ones. 4-tf

Mrs. Clarence Smith has returned from Fort Worth, where she was sent by the Rebeckah Lodge of this city as a representative to the Grand Assembly that convened at that place. She reports an enjoyable time and Fort Worth as royal entertainers.

J. F. Axe will leave this week for Terrell and Dallas on a visit and incidently and also purposely will tell his friends about the Hereford country. He goes armed with a rapid fire maxim gun, The Hereford Brand, the magazine loaded with with 100 rounds.

A. W. Gregg, one of our new citizens, left Tuesday afternoon for Fort Wayne, Indiana, on business. Mr. Gregg has been convinced of the great possibilities of the Plains and has shown his faith by buying another section of Hereford land, which he will improve.

Coming to Hereford. Dayton, Iowa, March 6, 1908. Hereford Brand, Hereford, Texas.

Dear Brand:—Please change my Brand from Dayton, Iowa, to Hereford, Texas, as I expect to become a resident of your country in a week or so. I am moving my family down and will locate in Hereford for a time at least. Two other families will move down with us at the same time. Yours very truly, LAWRENCE JOHNSON.

Open Air Concert.
The Hereford Cornet Band gave an open air concert on Main Street Monday night, a good number of visitors and local people enjoying the event. Taking up their stand under the 1500 candle-power lamp in front of the Baskin Land Company's office, the band rendered a very pleasing program. Each week as the weather will permit, the band will continue these "practices" as the leader calls these exercises. The band will soon begin work preparing a special repertoire for the annual fair. The music furnished by the band last summer, tho then only recently organized, was highly satisfactory and this summer the band will, no doubt, be able to add to their won laurels.

Who Has It?
I want at once a ranch between San Angelo and Amarillo in solid body, not less than 50 per cent tillable, from \$4.00 to \$7.00 per acre, in exchange of from \$50,000.00 to \$200,000.00 worth of first class well improved, unincumbered black waxy farms and high grade business property; all in same community and owned by one man.
There could, perhaps, \$70,000.00 be borrowed on the above mentioned properties, if desired.
Want reply from owners of land only. Address Box 166, Hillsboro, Texas. 4tf

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NUTPATCH, 8713, Sire of Albert Darling P. 2.17 1-4, Hardpatch sire of Hazelpatch, 2.02 3-4, and the dams of Carrie Bell 2.14 3-4, Nutbrill p. 2.14 1-2.

NOTE—145 sons of Nutwood, 600, have sired 556 trotters and 462 pacers in the 2.30 list.

GRACE C., dam of Hardpatch, sire of Hazel Patch p. 2.02 3-4, sold for \$9,000.

Hardpatch Stands 16 1-2 hands high, weighs 1200 pounds; color, chestnut-sorrel.

A. B. TURNER
Feed for sale in Bundle.

BAILEY'S GREAT SPEECH

Senate Listens to Young Senator's Reply to Aldrich Bill With Interest—Comment Favorable Fort Worth Record.

Washington, March 10.—Senator Bailey's great speech in the senate yesterday in opposition to the Aldrich bill was the principal topic of comment in congressional circles today and the senator continues to be the recipient of congratulations.

Democrats at both ends of the capitol unstintedly accord to Senator Bailey the praise of having done much to crystalize the divergent views which have prevailed among Democrats generally on the currency question.

Senator Bob Taylor of Tennessee said to The Record correspondent: "The speech was fully up to the Bailey standard, which is the highest standard in America. It was the greatest speech I ever heard. It will greatly strengthen the Democratic position, not only in the eyes of the country, but I think it made votes in the senate for Bailey's substitute in place of the Aldrich bill. I think it has brought the Democrats closer together, and it would not surprise me to see several Republicans vote for Bailey's bill. You can put me down as one of the Democrats who will support it."

Representative Clayton, chairman of the house Democratic caucus, remarked: "It's the greatest speech I ever heard in the senate, and in my opinion it is one of the greatest ever delivered in that body."

The venerable Teller, a senator for over thirty years from Colorado, who quit the Republicans and became a Democrat on account of the money question, remarked to a friend: "That speech of Senator Bailey's equals any ever made in the senate during my period. It was as good as any of the speeches made by Clay, Webster and Calhoun. Bailey is as big as any of them."

Senator Frye of Maine was heard to remark to Senator Bailey; "I would rather be able to have made that speech than to be the czar of Russia."

Senator Newlands said: "It was, of course, a great speech. I enjoyed every word of it. Senator Bailey is the greatest debater in the senate."

Similar expressions could be multiplied without number, but they would be only cumulative, not varying materially in sentiment.

The Thrice-a-Week World.

A President of the United States will be elected this year. Who is he and who is the man whom he will beat? Nobody yet knows, but the Thrice-a-Week edition of the New York World will tell you every step and every detail of what promises to be a campaign of the most absorbing interest. It may not tell you what you hope, but it will tell you what is. The Thrice-a-Week World long ago established a character for impartiality and fearlessness in the publication of news, and this it will maintain. If you want the news as it really is subscribe to the Thrice-a-Week edition of the New World, which comes to you every other day except Sunday and is thus practically a daily at the price of a weekly.

THE THRICE-A-WEEK WORLD'S regular subscription price is only \$1.00 per year, and this pays for 156 papers. We offer this unequalled Newspaper and The Brand together for one year for \$1.65. The regular Subscription price of the two papers is \$2.00.

W. B. Miller came near missing the train last Tuesday when starting for the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth. Word comes that he has not missed a thing since arriving there. All of the free sample booths have been visited by Messrs. Norton, Jowell and Miller with considerable manifested interest. We expect them to return loaded with solid and liquid samples for their friends.

Sweet Potatoes

Should be bedded soon. Price list of field seed now ready. Roswell Seed Co., Roswell, N. M. 3-2t

First State Bank of Hereford

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RAILROAD BUILDING.

Scraps of News About Railroad Construction in Northwest Texas.

MIDLAND GOING AFTER NEW ROAD.

From Midland Examiner.
The old theory of the knockers that Midland couldn't be interested in a railroad proposition was effectively exploded at the public meeting held last Monday afternoon. It was a thoroughly representative gathering attended by many of the leading citizens. The meeting was one of the results of the recent visit paid our town by the officials of the Panhandle Short Line. It was stated at the gathering that the surveyors for this road were then working between here and Hereford and were expected to reach Midland either Saturday (today) or some time next week.

Mayor S. J. Isaaks was chosen to preside over the meeting and C. B. McGonagill acted as secretary. Several good addresses were delivered. A. S. Hawkins made a vigorous speech. E. M. Whitaker, Judge

E. R. Bryan and others also spoke briefly but forcefully. The gist of the opinions expressed was that it is a question of only a very short time until the Panhandle Short Line or some other north and south road will cross the T. & P. somewhere in this vicinity, and that it is "up to" Midland to capture this prize as a matter of self defence if for no other reason.

It seemed to be the sense of the meeting that the time has come to act and whenever the officials of the road made any reasonable proposition the town's representatives ought to be in position to accept with the assurance that the people would stand by them.

Accordingly Spence Jowell, John M. Cowden, S. M. Estes, E. R. Bryan, W. N. Pence and J. F. Haley were appointed as a reception and entertainment committee whose business it is to extend every courtesy to the Panhandle party when it shall arrive and act upon any proposition that may be presented.

LAMESA MAY LOOSE.
From Lubbock Avalanche.
The West Texas & Northern Ry.

has placed an order for 40 miles of steel to be delivered at Stanton by March 15th. Ties for ten miles of track have already been unloaded and orders placed for more.

There seems to be no question of the early resumption of work on this line which is projected from Stanton to Lubbock, passing thru the counties of Martin, Dawson, Lynn, and Lubbock, opening up some of the finest farming land in Texas.

It is quite possible that Lamesa will not be able to secure this road, although every effort has been made to meet the demands of the company up to the time of their withdrawal Wednesday.

"We will not consider any proposition from the Lamesa people other than that submitted by us" was the reply of Senator Martin et al to the committee that waited upon them to see if some change in the form of contract could not be made that would be alike satisfactory to the railroad and the people of Dawson county. The committee was further informed that the people of Lamesa only had a few days in which to accept and notify the construction company that the amount had been raised.

In brief, the above was the report of the committee to the mass meeting held Tuesday night at the court house. The citizens having faith in the integrity and honesty of purpose of certain directors of the construction company decided that in spite of the bad features of the notes they would accept the opposition rather than do anything that would balk the progress of the development work.

On Wednesday afternoon Mr. O'Donald phoned to parties here asking that contract notes, etc., be returned to the construction company at Stanton as they wished to withdraw the proposition made to Lamesa.

OKLAHOMA INTERURBAN.

Fort Worth Telegram.
Mr. Wilson has been conducting negotiations in Oklahoma for an electric line from Oklahoma City to Sulphur. He is also interested in the Dallas-Terrel line and goes to Dallas Friday evening in that connection.

He believes that the end of the financial stringency has been reached and that construction work can be pushed ahead without delay.

PANHANDLE SHORT LINE.

As a measure of the activity in building in Texas, the Panhandle Short Line, to run from Colorado to Gulf, is being pushed forward. Contracts for 1,100 miles of Texas line practically have been closed, involving the construction of the line thru Hereford, Dalhart, west of Lubbock and on to San Antonio, where temporary Gulf connections are to be arranged. The line is the only one thru a wide area of country and is expected to prove of great value in

building up that section.

CLOSING THE GAP.

Hamlin, Tex., Feb 27.—E. A. Stilwell, president, and several other officials of the Orient, accompanied by about 100 Northern and English capitalists, were in Hamlin looking over the town and inspecting the new terminals.

Mr. Stilwell says steel bought for the completion of the road between Benjiman and Red River will begin to arrive in April.

The gap now separating the Texas division from the Oklahoma and Kansas will soon be closed.

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Horse-Shoeing.

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Epitome of the Week

Resume of the Most Important State and Ultra-State News.

Plainview is agitating the question of sewerage and water-works.

Roscoe will vote bonds for a \$6000 school building in the near future.

Amarillo has organized a chautauqua and fair to be held this summer.

Five Thousand Dollars has been subscribed for a Campbell farm at Midland.

Amarillo will soon entertain the stockmen of the Panhandle and Northwest Texas.

A fire at Midland destroyed property to the amount of \$2,000 with about \$1,000 insurance.

Memphis is to have an ice and light plant. A location has been selected and work will begin soon.

Swisher county citizens are petitioning for an election to issue bonds for the erection of a new court house.

The construction of a sewer system at Dalhart will begin in a few weeks. Bonds for the construction have been issued.

The state has placed on the market 32 sections of Texas school land and as soon as properly classified will be open for settlement.

A whole business block at Melrose, New Mexico, was burned last week; loss estimated at \$10,000. The town has no fire protection.

James Dunn, the chief engineer who built the Belen Cut-off, is dead. He was considered one of America's greatest railroad builders.

Fort Worth and other Texas cities have ordered a remodeling of all their public school buildings on account of the terrible holocaust at Collinwood.

At an election last Tuesday at Panhandle, Texas, bonds by a majority of 44 to 7 were voted for the erection of a school building in that place. One by one the towns of the Plains are falling into line.

Caveny, The Chalk Talker.

Monday evening at the Hereford Opera House a fair audience was entertained by the magic hand of Caveny, the chalk talker. This was one of the numbers of the lyceum course and Mr. Caveny was no disappointment to the play-house goers. While he goes as a chalk talker, he is more than that, being equally as well handy with clay. With a rapid hand, dashing the colors of a brilliant picture on the canvass, he makes the speech of an orator, quoting rapidly and constantly from many of the world's famous writers and historians. With a few strokes of the hand, he changes the familiar features of a Shakespeare to a Buffalo Bill; with another touch of the chalk Uncle Sam appears in their stead. With a lot of meaningless strokes, that no one could imagine what the picture would be, Mr. Caveny piles on the hue and the blue, then suddenly turning the canvass the great Niagara in all its beauty, tipped with the brilliant rays of a bursting sunset, comes into view. Like a dissolving picture, the artist changes from scene to scene with ease. His clay work was none the less successful. Taking a handful of lifeless clay upon a board, working with both hands, the congenial young artist made the familiar faces of famous people.

To close the evening, Mr. Caveny selected a gentleman from the audience and without asking him to come to the stage or even turn his head, with the rapidity and certainty of a master hand, he touched the board and the familiar features of one of our leading citizens appeared on the canvass. After receiving the hearty applause of the audience, the artist rolled up the picture and threw it over the first row to Judge B. H. Baker.

In all, the evening's entertainment was a success. Many home people went forward to make the acquaintance of Mr. Caveny and to ask about his work, some begging for the papers that he had kicked away from his easel as he had worked.

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Sunday, March 15.
Topic, "The wise use of money."
Leader,—Yuma Day.
Song.
Prayer.
Talk on lesson by leader.
Scripture readings.
Song.
The wise use of money.—Miss Dameron.
Reasons for placing God's work first.—All Endeavor.

Jr. B. Y. P. U. Program For March 15.

Song No. 198.
Minutes and roll call.
Collection.
Leader—Alma Norton.
Subject,—"The Golden Rule."
Scripture Lesson, Matt. 7, 1-12.
Memory verse, Matt. 7, 7.
Prayer,—Vera Cadell.
Song,—Effie Lee Guinn.
Correcting our own faults before condemning others.—Leslie Francisco; Matt. 7, 1-11.
The Golden Rule, Matt. 7, 12,—Clyde Wilson.
Song No. 113.
The two ways; Matt. 7, 13-23,—Helen Sisk.
Report of committees.
Closed by prayer,—Mrs. Mullens.

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FROM FAR-OFF PASADENA

Subscriber Makes Comment and Suggestion.—Talks About Campbell System.

Pasadena, Cal., March 2, 1908.

The Brand:

While I am not a farmer and doubtless never will be, I take great interest in reading anything concerning the advancement being made in agricultural methods. I have been especially interested in the so-called "Campbell System of Dry Farming" and have lately read "Campbell's 1907 Soil Culture Manual."

The wonderful results obtained by this system are undoubtedly not unknown to the farmers of the Hereford country, yet in the series of letters from practical farmers that you are publishing, I do not find one which mentions the employment of the Campbell methods. In your first edition of "The Mirage" you give the wheat crop of a number of individuals, which ranges from 15 to 23 bushels per acre. One instance is mentioned in which the Campbell system was employed with "35 bushels for his pains." If one man in a community, by using the Campbell system, is able to produce from 15 to 20 bushels more wheat per acre than his neighbors employing the ordinary methods of farming, why is it that the system is not promptly adopted by all? Is it that the expense is so great, or is it that they are simply satisfied to take the chances of producing an average crop of 15 to 20 bushels by ordinary methods? They are doubtless sure of at least the average crop if they have the average rainfall; but why do the majority take chances on a possible insufficient rainfall when it has been so thoroughly demonstrated that the Campbell system will produce more than the average crop with a rainfall considerably below the average?

I do not know that this subject would interest the readers of The Brand in general, but if you think it would I should like to suggest that the writers of the letters you are publishing be asked to express themselves on this subject.

As I said, I am not a farmer, but if I ever decide to become one, I shall certainly go to the Hereford country and I shall use the Campbell system unless I can be shown good reasons for not doing so.

Enclosed find 30 cents for which please send me two copies of the last number of The Mirage.

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Dr. Charles G. Richardson.
Mrs. Sallie Bickel Miss Mary Smith
Miss Gertrude Moore Mrs. Painter
Bill Head, the land man.

When calling for these letters, please mention that they are advertised.

Respectfully,
CLARENCE SMITH, P. M.

In the Saloon Towns.

Wichita Falls is fast filling up with tin-horn gamblers, hobos and thugs. They are seen daily wandering about the streets, apparently happy and at peace with the world. No one has ever seen them work or ever heard of them trying to secure employment. They spend the days very much after the fashion of the owl—they sit around, look wise and spot their victims for the night—and when dark comes they sail forth from their respective holes and stalk abroad to do the work they have mapped out during the day.—Wichita Herald.

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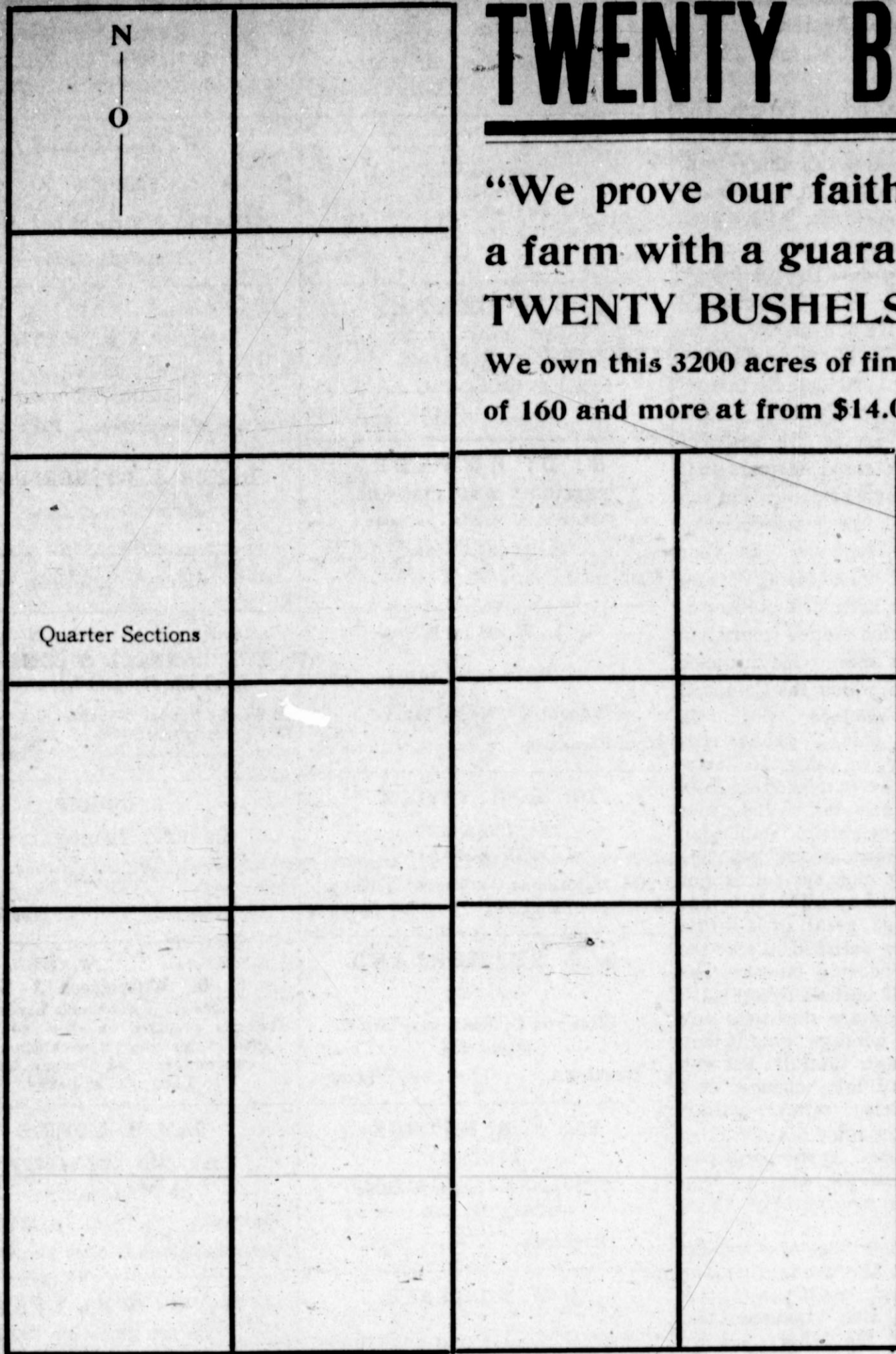
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Young Men's Democratic Club of Hereford Endorses Judge B. H. Baker for District Attorney.

To the Democracy of the 47th Judicial District:

The Young Men's Democratic Club of Deaf Smith county, Texas, send you this greeting and wish you a happy and successful year in your campaigns.

We believe this will be a momentous year in the history of Democracy in these United States. We discern an awakening in politics and a quickening of conscience in this field of thought. It is evident from careful reading, that corruption in political institutions and bossisms are now being rephended and relegated to the background. A deep and vital reaction in favor of Americanism is now being ushered in. Men of

moral worth and intellectual stamina are being pushed to the front. Loud demands are now being made for more God made men and fewer law made men. It behooves us to be on the alert to organize our democratic forces so that we may this year do our best work. Many people are locating in our field who, doubtless, have been trained under Republican management and it will take careful campaigning to keep pace with our past wonderful success.

The Democracy of Deaf Smith county, Texas, feels that it has a common political interest in the whole district. And knowing that a strong and efficient prosecution is what our district needs, we beg to offer Judge B. H. Baker for the office of District Attorney. Judge Baker is an efficient and experienced lawyer, and we believe thoroughly competent to fill this office and we ask that you

carefully satisfy your minds as to his efficiency and unite with us in electing him to this important position.

Should you respond to our solicitation in this matter, you will have claims on us in the future.

JOE. S. BROWN,
DR. A. L. TAYLOR,
J. D. BOURN,
Committee.

To Beautify Cemetery.

We, the Rebeckah's of Hereford, have undertaken to beautify our cemetery which has been so sadly neglected and in order to accomplish this we must have help. We first want to put a well and windmill there and we must have funds to work with. All those that are interested will want to assist in this good work, we will have a lock box at the postoffice in care of Postmaster, and anyone desiring to help us, please give your deposit to the Postmaster with your name and amount and you shall have due credit for same. The brother that promised to start this fund with \$25.00 please come forward with same and oblige

MRS. CLARENCE SMITH,
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Program.

Christian Endeavor, Sunday, Mar 15, 1908, at Presbyterian church:
Subject, "The wise use of money."
Scripture Lesson, 1 Tim. 6, 17-19.
Leader.—G. M. Suggs.
For what purpose do we hold our possessions?—Mis Tarver.
When is a man truly rich?—C. D. Wright.
Holding money for God, or Tithe Giving.—G. A. F. Parker.

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ORATORS IN AMARILLO

Panhandle Colleges Prepare For First Contest of Panhandle Oratorical Association

From Daily Panhandle

On April 17th, Amarillo will have the distinction of entertaining the first gathering of the Panhandle Intercollegiate Oratorical Association, and will also have the opportunity of hearing the first contest for the oratorical championship of the Panhandle. Saturday the representatives of the four colleges that compose the association were in Amarillo and completed plans for the contest. The college contests will be held in a short time to decide upon the representatives in the final contest here.

Four colleges, Clarendon, Hereford, Goodnight and Canadian, are members of the association which was formed here last fall for the purpose of holding an annual contest. Other contests may not be held in Amarillo but as this is the most

central point it was decided by the various schools that the first contest would be more widely attended if held here.

Saturday at the meeting here, Mannie Joslin of Goodnight, C. H. Doak of Clarendon, B. S. Carr of Canadian, Charles Brackney of Goodnight and Earl Wilson of Hereford, who compose the executive committee of the association, made arrangements for judges and for the conditions under which the contest will be held.

Each college will send a large, active bunch of partisans for its speaker in the contest and these will not be slow nor backward in letting Amarillo know their opinion as to which college is the best and which speaker is the winner. Each college plans to secure a special car for its delegation and as every member of the parties will count one or more, the crowd which will be in Amarillo on April 17 will be in some respects at least the biggest that has ever been here.

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