

The Hereford Brand

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No. 15

TWO INCHES OF RAINFALL IS OUR RECORD FOR THIS WEEK

YOU SHOULD BEAR IN MIND

That you can always find the best Merchandise at the lowest price at our store. We want your trade and want it bad. We are going after it with quality and price. We believe we are going to get it. We only ask you to investigate and we believe we will win. We always have some very special bargains for you. We are going to offer at cost, until closed out, our entire line of Ladies' Shirt Waists, and Ladies' Dress Skirts; we are also offering at special bargain prices Laces, Lace Curtains, White Quilts, Ladies' and Misses' Corsets and Girdles; also another lot of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Slippers at less than cost. When you need anything in Clothing, Men's Boys' and Children's, don't forget that our Closing Out Sale will save you big money, besides you get the best. We were much pleased with the success of our prize sale. The prize was won by Will Laswell of Hereford, the prize No. being 9640; we thank one and all for their liberal patronage. :: :: ::

YOURS RESPECTFULLY

S. H. MOUNT

POLITICAL INFORMATION.

Requirements of Terrell Election Law to be Observed by Candidates and Voters.

Since it has been definitely decided that there will be a democratic primary election held in this county and perhaps in Castro county, we give below a synopsis of the Terrell Election Law relating to both primary and general elections:

June 4. On or before this date candidates who desire their names to appear upon the official ballot to be used in the primary elections must make application to the chairman of the state executive committee of their party.

June 11. State executive committee meets to certify to county committees the names of candidates for state offices and to transact other business.

June 14. Candidates for county and precinct offices who desire their names to appear on the ballot to be used in the primaries must, on or before this date, make application to the chairman of the county executive committee of their party.

June 18. County executive committees meet to arrange for primaries.

July 9. Primary committees meet in each county to arrange ballot for primary election.

July 28. Primary election day.

Aug. 4. County executive committees meet to canvass vote of primary elections. County conventions meet on same day.

Aug. 7. Within ten days after primary election day, that is to say after July 28, and before Aug. 8, candidates shall file a written itemized statement with the county judge of the county of their residence showing all expenses incurred in the campaign.

Aug. 13. State executive committees meet to canvass returns of the primary election, and to transact other business.

Aug. 14. State conventions meet.

Aug. 15. District conventions meet—Judicial, Congressional, Senatorial.

Aug. 7. Independent candidates who desire their names placed upon the official ballot to be used in the general election must make application, with indorsement of qualified voters as prescribed, within thirty days after primary election day. This application to be made to the secretary of state if a state or district office, or to the county judge if a county or precinct office.

Nov. 6. General election.

Nov. 17. Candidates must file itemized statements of expenses.

Auto Line.

A company with a capital stock of \$5,000 is being formed to put into operation an automobile line from Canyon City to Lubbock to be used for passenger and express purposes. This company proposes to furnish the latest and most practical facilities and will be a great improvement over the present mule-car system of transportation. Up to Thursday about two thirds of the shares had been taken and the remaining part will be easily raised. This will be a grand thing for Lubbock, as the length of time required to make the trip to the railroad will be shortened many hours.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Closing Out Sale.

In this issue will be found the display ad of Mrs. R. S. Coward in which she is offering her entire stock of merchandise at actual cost of goods. Mrs. Coward is forced to make this sacrifice on account of the house which she now occupies having been rented to other parties and it becomes necessary for her to close out her entire stock within the next 30 days.

See the line of goods which she is offering.

Subscribe for THE BRAND

Mr. Roberson Dies.

The sad news of the death of Chas. Roberson, one of Boom's most respected citizens, which occurred at 7 o'clock Thursday afternoon, was spread abroad in Hereford at an early hour today. Mr. Roberson had been low for sometime with tuberculosis, and for the past few weeks no hope for his recovery has been entertained by relatives and friends.

Deceased will be greatly missed in his community where the high standard of Christian life which he has always led has won for him the esteem and admiration of all who knew him. He was a strict member of the Baptist church and a valuable citizen.

The funeral services will be conducted at the city cemetery this afternoon at four o'clock by Rev. J. T. Burnett of Canyon City.

The BRAND joins in offering deepest sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

Appreciated Treat.

The BRAND was placed under lasting obligations to Eli Dunlap this morning for a large box of red-ripe strawberries gathered from the latter's garden in this city. We had often heard of Mr. Dunlap's strawberries, but had not before been brought into the fullest realization that they were as fine as they really are.

The BRAND man and family can now attest to the excellent quality of strawberries grown in the Panhandle under the proper care and we feel justified in saying that Mr. Dunlap has the best.

Cattle For Sale.

I have 300 head of stock cattle, good grade of Durham, which I am offering at reasonable prices. Address or call on

MCGILL & SON,
Olton, Texas.

15-3tp
Subscribe for the BRAND—\$1.00.

VEGA NEWS.

The farmers are about done planting and a shower of rain would be in order.

Grass is good and cattle are doing well.

The Vega school opened on the 14th with Miss LeGrand as principal.

The school at the Bassett school house, taught by Mrs. Ford, is one of the best in Deaf Smith.

The "yaller" legged chickens, that were fortunate enough to escape the Baptist meeting at Vega Sunday, can now come out from under the barn.

James K. Polk Henderson can be found at Mr. Hornbocks every Sunday.

Charles Augustus Emanuel Jones is very sweet on Lady Blarney.

J. Terrestrial Patterson, a youthful Tennessee benedict, of uncertain age, says that the reason so many girls get married is they can eat onions whenever they want to. "Gee fuzzy rod!" Don't lots of 'em like "ingerns."

In the scrimmage between the snarling polar bear of the White House and the snapping South Carolina saurian, of the U. S. senate, I propose to bet my money on the saurian. "Lay on" Mr. Saurian "and condemned be he who first cries enough."

Your lovin' friend

HARRISON SLIGER.

Excels them all.

The Hereford Brand is having built a new brick office building. There is one point wherein Hereford excels all other Panhandle towns, and that is in the patronage and moral support extended its newspaper.—Clarendon Banner-Stockman.

Genuine Shumach cane seed at Barnard & Co.'s.

Will be Here Soon.

The following letter will be self-explanatory:

Longview, Texas, 5-22, '06.
Editor BRAND,
Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir:

You may say to the people of your town that I will be on hand at an early date to begin work on putting in steam laundry.

Yours for business,
F. A. STEWART.

Big Tent Coming.

The money has been raised by local subscription for purchasing a large tent, costing \$500, to be used in the camping which is to take place here this summer. Also there have been ordered a number of smaller tents to accommodate the visitors from a distance.

Orders were placed this week with the BRAND for advertising matter and a united effort will be put forth to make this the Panhandle's most attractive features this season.

Who Can Vote.

It seems to be a question in the minds of some as to who will be a qualified voter in the approaching primary election. For the benefit of those who have doubts along this line, we will say that one who will be entitled to vote in the general election in November can also vote in the primary, notwithstanding the fact that he has not been in the state and county the required time at the time the primaries are held. The only requirement is that he shall be a qualified voter at the time of the general election.

Train Wrecked.

Today's Santa Fe train was delayed for several hours on account of the wreck of a freight train near Miami.

Geo. A. Brandon of Canyon City is the guest of the BRAND force today.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED
ONE CAR

BUGGIES SURREYS AND HACKS

They are the BEST VALUES for the PRICE ever brought to Hereford, Come in and look them over.
Their QUALITY and PRICE tell the whole story.

THE GREAT MAJESTIC RANGES

The LIFE PRESERVERS for the LADIES. The BEST RANGES made, REGARDLESS of PRICE.
Our pride and pleasure to show them.

CHLORO NAPHTHOLEUM DIP

The DIP that SATISFIES the CATTLEMEN and the ITCH-RIDDEN CATTLE. In 5 GALLON TINS
at EIGHTY CENTS per GALLON. In BARRELS at SEVENTY CENTS per gallon.

STRINGFELLOW-HUME HARDWARE COMPANY

PANHANDLE ACQUISITION

Chicago's Most Beautiful Woman to make her Home on the Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farwell who have large interests in the X I T Ranch and whose home is in Chicago will soon move to Channing for their permanent home.

In speaking of their move, the Chicago American has the following to say:

"Chicago society is to lose Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farwell. They have sold their house, 47 Bellevue place, and will make their ranch near Channing, Texas, their home in the future. A report that they were to take up permanent residence in London was denied to-day by Mrs. Hobart Chatfield, Chatfield-Taylor, Mr. Farwell's sister. Mr. Farwell will retain his interest in J. V. Farwell & Co., of which he is vice president. Mrs. Farwell was called "the most beautiful woman in Chicago society," in the "Beauty Book," compiled by Beatrice Cameron in the East a few years ago, and of which she and Mrs. Chatfield-

Taylor were chosen to represent Chicago beauty. Her friends regret her leaving Chicago society to live on the Texas plains."

Precinct Number Two.

We take pleasure in presenting the name of T. M. Palmer to the voters of precinct No. 2 as a candidate for reelection as commissioner of that precinct. Mr. Palmer has only served one term, during which time he has had an eye single to the welfare of the county at large. Whenever it became possible to save a dollar to the county funds without interfering with her progress and development, he cheerfully did so.

Mr. Palmer thoroughly understands the needs of the county as well as her financial condition and we know of no man who would be more acceptable to the people of precinct No. 2. It is not at all likely that Mr. Palmer will have an opponent.

Attention Ladies' Men.

If you can't bring your "Jewspicy" to the cream parlor, why, take her a nice box of bon bons, the kind Ralph Barnett keeps.

Large Cattle Deal.

J. O. Janes of the ranch firm of Janes Bros. near Bovina passed up the road Tuesday on his way to Austin, Ft. Worth and other Texas points on business. In conversation with a BRAND representative, Mr. Janes stated that his ranch recently sold to Kansas parties 3100 head of four and five-year-old steers which are to be delivered for feeding purposes. This number of cattle would be considered a large live stock deal anywhere in America, but the best and biggest part of the transaction was the price for which they sold which was \$32.50 around, or \$100,750.00 for the entire herd.

This ranch consists of over 100000 acres, 25,000 acres being the undivided property of Janes Bros., the remainder being leased, with a total valuation of nearly a half million dollars.

We are told there yet remains about 8000 cattle on the ranch.

List Your Lands.

If you want your lands to move list them with the
51-1f
HEREFORD REALTY CO.

Mr. Burnam Announces.

As was seen from last week's BRAND Press Burnam is again in the race for the office of sheriff of Castro County. Mr. Burnam has served in this capacity for two terms and he needs no better recommendation than the faithful and fair way in which he has performed the duties of the office. Notwithstanding the fact that Castro County does not even have a jail, Mr. Burnam tells us that he has never allowed a single prisoner to make his escape. "Press", as he is better known, is vigilant, fearless in the performance of duty and is in every particular worthy the confidence of the people. Should he be the people's choice, Castro will continue to have a good sheriff.

Cows for Sale.

I have 75 cows for sale—also some good milch cows. Will sell all together or any number. 10tf
J. H. WILSON,
Hereford, Texas.

Mrs. Jno. B. Vannoy left Saturday for Effingham, Ill., where she will join her husband.

Candidate For Re-election.

By referring to our announcement column in this issue, it will be seen that T. A. Turnbow, present treasurer for Castro County is offering for re-election for another term. Mr. Turnbow is well known to the majority of our Castro readers who have had ample means of finding him out during his four years in office. We feel that it is not saying too much to state that he has looked carefully after the funds of his county and has performed the duties of his office in an impartial manner and so far as the writer has been able to ascertain, has acquitted himself to the satisfaction of the people. We bespeak for Mr. Turnbow the consideration of the voters when they go to the polls.

Paper Hanging.

For first class paper hanging you should see Comer Brothers. We have had long experience in the business and guarantee every piece of work we do. Telephone 155. 3tf
COMER BROTHERS.

The Western National Bank now has money to loan on real estate. tf

GREAT THINGS FOR JUNE

Rockers, Art Squares, Straw Matting, Carpetings, Lace Curtains, Portier Curtains, China, Glass and Queensware, Sewing Machines, etc. We have inaugurated the greatest sale of our history, beginning May 28 (next Monday) and continuing through June. We have always made the strongest efforts to get the BEST in all departments of our store and we have had access to the best markets of the country, hence all lines are full to over-flowing with good things that you need. You should avail yourselves of this rare opportunity in supplying your wants.

ART SQUARES.

The Chicago visitors tell us that we can equal their department stores in this line.

Ingrain 9x12 Art Rugs \$10.75 down to \$4.35
The best Tapestry Brussels \$17.95 down to \$14.95
Wilton, Axumister, Velvet and Smyria Art Rugs go at a most liberal reduction for the Sale.

CARPET DEPARTMENT.

In this department we take no back seat with any of them. Quality first. We handle these goods in full rolls from the best factories in the land. We can cover your floors out of the best Ingrain goods from 69c down to 24c.

WALL PAPER.

Big stock of new, fresh Wall Paper at about half price.

PORTIERS AND LACE CURTAINS.

From diligent search we have made a most careful selection of high grade draperies that will be sold for much less money than was ever offered at any previous sale.

Lace Curtains from \$5.50 down to \$1.25
Portiers from \$8.25 down to \$3.50

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE.

Nothing is so highly prized in a home as a nice selection of these goods. We claim to show as good China, in complete sets, as good decorated and white Queensware and as good Press-Cut Glass as can be found in West Texas. Your inspection of these goods will show an over-whelming reduction in price for the Sale.

CHINA AND JAPAN MATTING.

We show absolutely the best goods made in these countries. We do not handle the cheap chaffy stuff. We show over 25 patterns. These prices will be greatly chopped for this Special. From 37½ down to 19c.

SEWING MACHINES.

We occupy the front ranks in Sewing Machines. Our lines are too well known for comment—The New Home, The White. \$18.75 gets a life time guaranteed Machine. Some good second-hand machines in first-class repair for \$7.50.

ROCKER DEPARTMENT.

In this line we show as good stock as can be found anywhere at a range of prices from \$9.85 down to \$1.45 for the June Sale. We show over 40 styles.

A most LIBERAL reduction will be made on all BILLS of furniture during this sale. We have no scanty, ragged nor odds and ends to offer you, but a full and well selected fifteen thousand stock for you to pick from. We will always maintain our high standard of quality.

YOURS FOR A
FAIR DEAL

E. B. BLACK

FURNITURE DEALER
AND UNDERTAKER

The Deering Binder is the Binder that Binds

and is the King of light draft machines. The harvest season is near at hand and you should not fail to examine the many merits of the Deering Binder before placing your order for a machine. Our stock of Cultivators was never more complete than it is this season. We are showing eight styles of these machines. The Elk and Lucky Jim balance frame styles are especially popular. Come and inspect them. We are headquarters for Shelf and Heavy Hardware and Stoves. Make our store your headquarters when in town.

GARRISON BROS.

Are you a Judicious Business Man?

If so you will not allow your property to remain uninsured. After the flames appear and sweep away your possessions, it is then too late to figure on insurance. Now is the time, and my 13 Old Line Companies are anxious to carry your risk. See me at once at the office of C. G. Witherspoon & Son.

B. H. Smith
Hereford, Texas

SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

Large Crowd Assemble to Witness Final Exercises of Graduating Class.

At the appointed hour on last Friday evening, a large audience, all of whom could not be seated, had assembled to witness the program prepared by the graduating class of the public schools.

The exercises were begun with an invocation by Elder J. N. Wooten after which the attentive crowd listened spell-bound to the essays and orations, and the interspersed music by the Hereford Orchestra.

Too much cannot be said for the high character of the work which was done by this, the first graduating class of the Hereford Public Schools. The work not only indicated marked ability on the part of the pupils, but showed that their teachers had been faithful in giving them thorough and careful training.

The class this year was composed of the following: Sam Bratton, Earl Kibbe, Myrtle Witherspoon, Leta Boone, Nellie Robinson, Nannie Hughes, Bessie Lay, Audrey Argo and Pattie Estes.

At the conclusion, Judge Russell addressed the class in a most impressive manner, in connection of which, he presented the diplomas.

Special mention should also be made of the splendid educational address by T. J. Graves, representing the school board. Mr. Graves naturally has a very deep interest in the public schools, having been president of the board of trustees for several years. This, with the large audience before him, seemed to be the right inspiration and an address was made which was welcomed by all who heard it. Mr. Graves pointed out that the growth of the school has been almost phenomenal and that while we have been educating Missouri the past year, we may as well prepare to take care of Illinois and Iowa next session. Special stress was placed upon the urgent need of more room at the public school as well as other features of the school work.

Patrons and friends went to their homes after the program was over feeling a just pride in our public schools and with hearts filled with gratitude to the teachers who have labored so faithfully for their girls and boys the past year.

The first graduating exercises of the Hereford Public School will long be remembered.

We give below the class poem by Nellie Robinson which was enjoyed by all:

CLASS POEM

Hereford, '06 a class turns out
Who will "climb though the rocks be rugged,"
What road is too rough for the heart that is stout?
The low, easy way is the path of the slug-gard.
Before you are nine, seven girls and two boys,
Around the loved colors where the white rose hides,
Guided by loving hands, life knows now but joys,
We're in training to do later work that abides.
You must first know Nannie, the peerless one,
Whose rank bespeaks her a leader true;
Bringing some noble deed at each setting sun,
She teaches us all to be and to do.
Next Audrey, our artist, with canvas and brush,
She's not merely daubing bright colors to please us,
But she strives through day's busy rush

and-night's hush
To show us ourselves as the great world sees us.

Kibbe, our merchant, must handle the trust
And teach that fair dealing in business is gain.
God knows the work of the man that is just,
The ballast to sail success with is brain.

Hid away from the world, in some beauty nook,
You certainly always will find Bessie Lay;
She learns the sweet lessons from Nature's own book
And gives out to the world what it tells her to say.

In politics, Bratton his country will serve,
We can see by his standing in schoolboy dominion,
For honor he stands, from right he'll not swerve,
A master moulder of public opinion.

And then there's Myrtle, society's girl,
Not with the tide does she idly drift,
With noblest of purpose, she goes in the whirl
The whole to sweeten, to stay, to uplift.

Our musician, Patti, I'd have you to know,
Her voice, an inspired one, her music, divine,
Its power is with us wherever we go,
A soul-stirring song that inspires all mankind.

Then Leta, the teacher, whose brain is on fire
To make noble men of the boys that she trains,
To give them ideals, to lead them on higher,
We drink her a toast for her love and her pains.

We've sung of the eight, of might and of brain,
What think you the muses could say of me? Well!
With those who find labor for love not in vain,
Look well! can't you see me enrolled there?
Just Nell.

That Fountain Pen.

Have you tried using one? If not, you can't realize its true worth. It is always ready when you need it and no business man can well afford to miss the convenience which is afforded by the right kind of fountain pen. The best pen on earth is Conkland's self-filler. If you will try one you will use no other.

Call and let us explain the merits of this excellent pen to you. 15-2t
VANNOY & RAY, Jewelers.

New Phone Line.

An outfit is now at work putting in a telephone line from Hereford to the ranch headquarters of the George G. Wright Land Co. The new line will be the property of the company and will make connection with Central at this place. The poles are now being put up and the line will be in operation in the course of a few weeks.

List With Me.

I handle real estate, livestock and wool, Hereford business and residence property, Panhandle farms and ranches. Bell county black land farms for sale or trade. List with and buy from me.

MAX ROBERTS,
Hereford, Texas.

In the Van.

The Hereford Brand is to erect a new 25x80 brick building for a permanent home for the paper. Editor Ray is certainly to be congratulated on the progress that he has made in the field of Panhandle journalism. He keeps right in the van.—Hall County Herald.

Bids Wanted.

For privileges of soft drinks and lunch counter on campmeeting ground. Meeting to begin second Sunday in July and continue through the month. For particulars, see committee, A. C. Elliott, Chairman. Better see L. Gough about it. tf

FOR...

Gents' Furnishing
Groceries
Implements
Lumber
Coal
Building Material
Cotton Seed Cake
See Us

LAIRD-HERRING MERCANTILE CO.
BOVINA, TEXAS

HEADQUARTERS

We are headquarters for anything in the Grocery line. We keep Staple and Fancy Groceries, Tin-ware, 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.

The Hereford Meat Market

Wants your business and if fair treatment and first-class service counts for anything we will get it. Phone your orders to 107 and they will be carefully and accurately executed. Will kill for the public.

C. P. ARTHUR, PROP.

Tierra Blanco Herefords

L. R. BRADLY
BREEDER OF Registered Hereford Cattle

Herd Headed by Chorister, No. 93983
Assisted by Dawn, No. 122944

Will sell a quantity of young stock either singly or in car load Lots

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

...WE WANT...

YOUR BUSINESS

Our constant endeavor is to please all who trade at our store, for we realize that a pleased customer is the best advertisement any business man can have. With this in view, we refrain from all misrepresentation. On the other hand, our policy is to keep the very best merchandise which money can buy and satisfy ourselves with a living profit. If you will make our store your trading place for 1906, we believe that our fair, square way of treating our customers will convince you that we are worthy of the splendid business which is being given us.

Yours for business

Kerr, Slover & Ireland
DIMMITT, TEXAS

Public Notice.

Dr. Harrison, the dentist, will be absent from his office Monday's and Tuesday's of each week. 43-tf

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FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1906

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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

For State Senator:
D. E. DECKER
JNO. W. VEAL
For District Judge:
J. N. BROWNING
IRA WEBSTER

Deaf Smith County.

For County Judge:
W. H. RUSSELL.
For County and District Clerk:
W. M. COGDELL.
J. H. KING.
A. J. OLIVER
J. W. ENGLISH
For Sheriff:
J. T. INMON.
E. F. CONNELL.
J. H. TURNBOW
R. W. BAIRD
For Tax Assessor:
J. W. FORD.
C. E. EDWARDS.
L. E. COBB
For County Treasurer:
L. A. SIMPSON
P. R. PURCELL
CHAS. E. SMITH
For County Commissioner Prec. No. 3:
J. R. ARMSTRONG
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2
T. M. PALMER

Castro County

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

ALFALFA AND WHEAT

The above heading is becoming the general topic of conversation, not only to the farmers of this county, but to the business men as well. The successes of the past few years in growing these two valuable crops upon our fertile plains soil have caused everyone to feel that the agricultural possibilities of the Panhandle will certainly surpass those of any other section. After the phenomenal success of last year's small grain crop, we are again brought face to face with the brightest prospect in the cereals yet known to old-timers. If it had been predicted four years ago that this country would ever grow 35 bushels of wheat and 75 bushels of oats per acre, it would have been treated as the lightest kind of jest; even those who grew up, so to speak, with this country would not have listened to such folly. But these four last years have witnessed some wonderful revelations. They have seen cotton growing one half bale to the acre, although the people are not yet friendly to the production of cotton, owing to the vast amount of work required to make and gather the crop; they have seen the entire country changed from a grazing to a stock-farming basis and above all, have seen many fields of waving golden grain and rich alfalfa making glad the hearts of farmers as well as filling their pocket books with the Coin of the Realm.

From present indications, this year will surpass all others in agricultural advancement and we truly believe our lands will be selling for twenty-five dollars per acre within the next eighteen months.

Wheat, oats and alfalfa are doing the work.

ALL that Hereford lacks being a splendid city is a system of sidewalks and better sanitary conditions. At present, it is safe to state that she is entirely wanting in both. How long these conditions shall continue remains for the people to decide.

ACTIVE CAMPAIGN

President Elliott of the College has begun an active campaign for pupils for the session of 1906-'07. Already he is getting requests for catalogues and inquiries about the school from parents in other states as well as from different parts of this state. In this connection, we wish to say that Prof. Elliott is losing no time in placing the advantages of the school before the public. Each and every mail carries from this office a large amount of different kinds of literature and through the work of the session of 1905-'06 has been over less than a week, the copy for the large annual catalogue is now ready for press.

Mr. Elliott is determined to give instructions to 200 bright young men and young ladies next session and with the support which he may reasonably expect from our local people, we believe he will not be disappointed in this wise.

With the high standard of work which was maintained the past session and the excellent faculty which has been selected for the coming year, we feel that too much cannot be said in favor of the College. The important thing to be done is for us all to use our influence for the school and all the pupils which can be taken care will be here ready for the work September first.

HEREFORD will be a busy little city during June and July with the Summer Normal in session here. It is now thought that there will be at least 100 teachers enrolled at this summer school. They ask no special entertainment at the hands of our people, but it is safe to say that Hereford will put forth her best effort to make their five weeks stay with us as pleasant as possible. Following closely upon the Normal will come the Camp Meeting which will draw visitors from many quarters of Texas. Hereford will acquit herself in a creditable manner in taking care of all these gatherings.

AFTER the experiences of last week in the closing exercises of the schools, everyone is made to feel the great and pressing need of a larger assembly hall than any that have yet been built in Hereford. Many who wished to witness the exercises of both the college and public school were doomed to disappointment, and many who did witness them were so uncomfortably situated as would not permit of their full enjoyment.

It should be borne in mind by those interested that tomorrow is the time for the meeting of the Wool Growers of Deaf Smith and Castro County. This will be a very important meeting in as much as steps will be taken looking towards the marketing of this season's wool crop. With this in view, as many sheepmen as can should be on hand.

Methodist Meeting.

The protracted meeting now in progress at the Methodist church is attracting large crowds, especially at the night services, and continues to grow in interest. Rev. Mr. Bonner arried from Quanah Monday and has since been doing the preaching. Though a young man, Mr. Bonner is old in experience and is preaching discourses at each and every service, which are impressing not only Christians with the importance of leading a better life, but is influencing numbers of the unsaved to accept Christ as their personal savior.

The meeting will likely continue through next week and the indications now are that before it shall have come to a close conversion and conviction will come to many in our town.

Contract Let.

The committee appointed to look after the grading and otherwise improving Dewey Avenue has at last let the contract for the grading and the work will be commenced at once. As soon as the grading is finished, the work of graveling the street will also be pushed to a rapid completion.

To those who subscribed, we are authorized to state that the committee will call upon you in a day or so for the amount subscribed.

In this connection, we wish to urge upon all the importance of making a free and liberal response. The committee has worked long and hard to find someone to take the contract and now that they have succeeded, let us all cooperate with them.

J. L. FUQUA, President

C. W. DODSON, Cashier

The First National Bank

HEREFORD, TEXAS

CAPITAL	\$ 50,000.00
SURPLUS AND PROFITS	10,000.00
SHAREHOLDERS LIABILITY	50,000.00
TOTAL	\$110,000.00
ASSETS	300,000.00

DIRECTORS: L. GOUGH, J. L. FUQUA, C. W. DODSON, R. J. KIBBE, W. H. FUQUA

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

Just Received

- New line Ladies' Belts
- New line Ladies' Collars
- New line Ladies' Ties
- New line Men's Dress Shirts
- New line Children's Shoes
- New line Men's Night Shirts

THE CAUSES

The highest grade of goods, latest fashions of the day, most varied stock and complete assortment, goods that are dependable and trustworthy, prices that cannot and will not be beaten, honest methods and truthful representations. These are the causes that have built up our business and under this banner we continue to march, ever gaining friends. We invite you to join our army.

Hereford Mercantile Co.

We Must Lead in the Sale of

COAL, GRAIN, FUEL OIL, HAY, POSTS

Seed Oats, Millet, Cotton Seed, Sorghum, June Corn

WE SHALL ALWAYS BE GLAD TO HAVE YOU FIGURE WITH US WHEN IN NEED OF ANYTHING IN OUR LINE WHETHER YOU BUY OR NOT

YOURS FOR BUSINESS

WILL H. HINES

Sells Deaf Smith Lands.

Our friend, J. R. T. Bassett, called while in the city Saturday and handed us the following list of land sales which he has recently made in Deaf Smith county:

4 sections of LeGrand land to H. T. Trigg; 2 sections of LeGrand land to Vineyard Bros.; 2 sections of LeGrand land to W. F. Wells; 1 section of LeGrand land to C. B. Reeder; 1 section of LeGrand land to H. H. Cooper; 4 sections of LeGrand land to J. W. Veal and J. W. Crudginton; 3 1/2 sections of S. S. Evants land to Veal & Crudginton;

3 1/2 sections of Moreman to Veale & Crudginton; 1 section of Chas. Hodges land to Veale & Crudginton; 1 section A. P. Murchison land to Veale & Crudginton; 1 section of LeGrand land to J. F. Parks; 1 section Clifford Slayton land to F. L. Aldridge; 1 section of Vineyard land to P. H. Buckhalter; 2 sections of Veale & Crudginton land to W. B. Woodrum; 1 1/2 sections of Veale & Crudginton land to Fulkerson; 1 section Veale & Crudginton land to J. C. Marse; 1 section of Veale & Crudginton land to Arthur Barber and other Missouri parties; 1/2 section

of Frank Bassett land to Elmer Miller & Son; 1 section of Veale & Crudginton land to Smith & Herald; 1 section of Veale & Crudginton land to J. W. Clark; 4 sections of H. T. Trigg land to Graves, Ellison & Co.; 1 section of F. L. Aldridge land to Veale & Crudginton.

Special bargains in our 10 and 15 cent counters. Barnard & Co. tf

Rev. E. E. Baker of Vega is purchasing supplies in the city today.

Ribbon cane syrup sold at cost in five gallon lots. Barnard & Co. tf

G. A. F. PARKER, President. J. L. SMITH, Vice-President. ROSS W. DAVIS, Cashier.

Condensed Statement of
The Western National Bank
 OF HEREFORD, TEXAS
 at the close of business, April 24th, 1906

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans - - - - - \$230,435.34	Capital Stock - - - - - \$50,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums 51,500.00	Surplus and Profits (Net) 18,308.38
Banking House and Fixtures 5,600.00	Circulation - - - - - 50,000.00
Redemption Fund - - - 2,500.00	DEPOSITS:
Cash and Exchange - - - 86,278.20	Individual \$251,005.18
	Banks - - - - - 6,999.98
	\$376,313.54
\$376,313.54	\$376,313.54

THIS BANK OPENED FOR BUSINESS JULY 1st, 1903
 Deposits, January 1st, 1904 - \$51,300.62. Deposits, July 1st, 1905 - \$104,628.68.
 Deposits, July 1st, 1904 - \$55,959.21. Deposits, January 1st, 1906 - \$220,466.42.
 Deposits, January 1st, 1905 - \$90,016.68. Deposits, Now - - - - - \$258,005.16.

Take the Discount

We now have in stock a car of Flour, 2 cars of Sugar and Syrup—in fact our stock of both Staple and Fancy Groceries is complete in every detail. We wish to announce to the trade that we will give a reasonable discount on all cash purchase amounting to \$10 or more, except on Sugar, Bacon and Lard. Try buying your Groceries in large quantities and see the big decrease in your monthly grocery bill. :: ::

J. M. GARNER
 HEREFORD, TEXAS

640 a bargain. See L. Gough about it. 49tf
 List your land's with Slade & Bassett at Amarillo, Texas. 43-tf
 Joe Killough of Amarillo was in the city for a short while Monday.
 W. B. Beach returned Thursday from a week's business trip over the Pecos and South Plains country.
 Elbridge Brodie went to Amarillo Thursday where he will likely secure a position as stenographer.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hay and Miss Morris Garner have returned from an extended outing at Mineral Wells.
 Where can I spend my vacation most pleasantly and profitably? Amarillo Business College, of course. 14tf
 W. M. Witt and family left this week on a hunting and fishing excursion in the White Mountains in New Mexico.
 My residence for sale, five rooms and hall, four lots, shade trees, barn, well, cellar, flower pit, one block west of school building. W. A. Hancock. 1t

The First National Bank will buy land notes. 9tf
 Wall paper stock full up. Prices below wholesale at Black's. 14tf
 Dr. W. E. Robertson left Thursday on a business trip in Texas.
 J. S. Wyche moved his family back to the ranch this week, the school having closed.
 A. C. Harrow and family left this week for Missouri where they will likely make their home.
 Mrs. L. B. Blair of Texico is the guest of Mesdames W. G. Ross and A. A. Davidson this week.
 Do it now. Write to Amarillo Business College for a catalogue and information about a business training. 14tf
 Miss Annie Collins came in Thursday from Pilot Point where she spent the year as teacher in the public school.
 For furnished front room, southeast exposure, apply to Mrs. J. C. Mason at W. M. Murphey's residence. 15tf
 Mrs. S. C. House and daughter, Miss Margaret, left Thursday for Ft. Worth to spend the summer with relatives.

Early plants of all kinds at the Racket Store. 11tf
 J. P. Snyder left Thursday for Missouri and Illinois points.
 Elmer McGill of Olton was a welcomed caller at this office while in the city today.
 Rev. Joseph Reisdorff and Henry Saalfeld of Nazareth were in the city Thursday. The former was on his way to the sanitarium in Amarillo where he goes to take treatment for eczema.
 A telegram was received from W. Robinson of Princeton, Missouri, this week stating that he will arrive in Hereford on Tuesday of next week with his brick and stone manufacturing plant.

To Business Men.
 We take much pleasure in the announcement that we have just received J. W. Butler's line of 1906 calendars and are now in a better position to take care of the business in this line than at any previous time. Our line of about 500 different varieties is so complete that we feel we can please everyone. These goods are now on display at the BRAND office and we hope to be favored with every order in Hereford this season. If you are in the market for calendars, please bear constantly in mind that we are the "Calendar Makers."

By an Alfalfa Crank.
 Alfalfa, bluegrass, corn and wheat, One and all are hard to beat, And we grow them all and grow them well; Some we feed and some we sell, But one will make the surest gains, Bring most money at least pains, Jes' so you get a stand, by jing, (The stuff it grows to beat the band, Once you get a proper stand.) But that's not all the stuff will do; 'Twill square your debts, both old and new, 'Twill beat the mortgage in a race, Bring thrift and plenty to the place, Put green stuff in the barn and bank, And make you an alfalfa crank. Ex.

Read the Ads.
 We insist on a careful perusal of our ads in this issue. Our merchants do not take space in a newspaper through idle curiosity, but because they have something special to offer in the way of bargains. Read the advertisements and patronize the merchants who appreciate your trade enough to ask you for it through your home paper. We believe this will be to the interest of all.

Advertised Letters.
 Remaining in the postoffice at Hereford for the week ending May 19, 1906.
 F. May, Mrs. E. W. Neece, T. H. Olinger, D. Oliver, (2), Mrs. H. W. Oliver, John Schurpurd, J. K. Smith, Mr. Starkny, H. C. Stockard, Charles Wilks; Mrs. Fred Johnson.
 When calling for letters, please say "advertised." One cent will be charged for advertising.
 W. J. WALTERS, P. M.

Jno. A. Johnson
 Can sell you what you want, he has everything in stock that you need to eat—such as Albatross flour, good old cold storage beef, fresh pork, fresh bread, baked daily, vegetables three times a week, everything the market affords in all lines of good things to eat. Meat market open on Sundays from 8 to 9 a. m. and 5 to 6 p. m., Johnson's goods and prices are guaranteed.

Strayed—From my place in Hereford, a bay horse and bay pony on Tuesday of last week. Horse has one white hind foot. Do not know brands. Any information leading to their recovery will be rewarded by P. R. Brazil, Hereford, Tex. 12tf
 Jno. P. Burch returned Thursday from Mineral Wells where he had been for several weeks to drink the mineral waters of the wells of that place. Mr. Burch is so much improved that he can walk without his crutches. He tells us that he believes he has been cured. His many friends will be glad to learn of the change.
 A. C. Aten of Round Rock arrived in the city Saturday to spend a few weeks in the enjoyment of our delightful Panhandle climate. He was met in Hereford Sunday by his son, C. G. Aten, of Rock Lake in Oldham county, whom he will visit while here. Mr. Aten tells us that he expects to visit his son, Ira, at El Centro, California, before returning to Round Rock.
 Rev. V. H. Trammell left Monday by private conveyance for Stamford where he will visit his parents a few days before going to Georgetown where he will spend the summer months in pursuing his work in theology in the Southwestern University. Mr. Trammell requests us to say that all his appointments on the Hereford Mission will be filled during his absence.
 Robt. L. Ball returned Sunday from Temple where he had been with his wife who remained in the Temple Sanitarium under treatment of Drs. Scott and White. Mr. Ball did not forget to make special mention of Mrs. G. A. F. Parker, Mrs. Parsons, superintendent of the institution, and Miss Carlton, chief nurse, for kindnesses shown himself and wife. We are glad to learn that Mrs. Ball is rapidly recovering and will soon be able to again greet her Hereford friends.

Summer Tourists Rates via the Rock Island

Daily from June 1st to every important tourist resort in the United States, Canada and Mexico, including Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Milwaukee, Buffalo, Detroit, Mackinac, Yellowstone Park, Portland, Seattle, San Francisco, Los Angeles, City of Mexico, and the unnumbered places of health and pleasure in the Southeast. Long limits. Varied routes to the Far West.

ONE FARE ROUND TRIP PLUS \$2 to
 Des Moines, May 14, 15, 16, 17, 21, 23.
 Decatur, Ill., May 14, 15, 16, 17.
 St. Paul, May 26, 27, 28, 29, 30.
 Louisville, June 11, 12, 13.
 Greenville, S. C., May 12, 13, 14.

THROUGH SLEEPERS, ELECTRIC AND NEW STYLE GAS LIGHTED CHAIR CARS, modern in every part, daily, Dallas and Fort Worth to Chicago.

THROUGH SLEEPING CAR SERVICE TO COLORADO
 Commencing June 1st. Send for literature. For trip anywhere, write



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For pure Drugs and Medicines, call at our store. Our prices are right. Your attention is especially called to our prescription department, which is in care of a graduate pharmacist. We handle the famous Sewel Paints, Oils and Varnishes. :: ::

Herbert O. Park

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 HEREFORD, TEXAS

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TO HOMESEEEKERS AND INVESTORS

DO YOU WANT A SQUARE DEAL?

It Pays US to give our customers the benefits of the OWNER'S LOWEST PRICE. It pays PROSPECTORS and INTESTORS to BUY through us. We can save you from \$1.00 to \$2.50 per acre. :: :: :: ::

Our sales since last report aggregate - - \$152,067.40

WE ARE SELLING LANDS STRICTLY AT THE OWNER'S PRICE--NOTHING ADDED

We sell on a five per cent commission--NO MORE, NO LESS

**RAYZOR & DEATLEY, REAL ESTATE DEALERS
HEREFORD, TEXAS**

HOW TO PREPARE ALFALFA

Well Known Dealer Talks of Cutting, Curing and Baling.

The following article prepared for the Kansas City Drovers' Telegram by J. T. Woolsey, an alfalfa expert, gives interesting facts about this very popular forage:

Complying with your request to give you a series of "Hay Talks" permit me to say I believe the best and most valuable hay, or rough feed, of the present age is alfalfa, and my advice to farmers is to raise more alfalfa, to make more money, to buy more land, to raise more alfalfa; to make more money to buy more land. The demand for alfalfa is growing all the time and in spite of the increase of acreage the past few years, prices have gone on higher and higher each succeeding year. I will not endeavor here to tell the value of alfalfa, but will write about that another time but as just now is the beginning of the season's alfalfa harvest, I will try to give a few pointers on the proper handling of this valuable hay for the general market.

W. J. Spillman, of Washington, D. C., says: "Alfalfa is the plant on which Nebucadnezzar fed his horses and mules or donkeys when he was conquering the world." Then alfalfa is not such a new plant as people imagine. It has been raised in France for hundreds of years but it was left for poor old bleeding Kansas to prove its value first in the United States, and only

within the last five or six years has it become known to any extent in the Eastern and Southern states.

The farmer who raises alfalfa is not obliged to spend money for fertilizers; but when he raises it in connection with corn, Kafir corn, hogs, cattle and mules he must patronize the banks very frequently (to deposit his surplus cash.) When alfalfa is used for hay the grain ration may be reduced one half.

The time to cut alfalfa hay is just when it is coming into bloom. Cutting should be completed when half the blooms appear; when cut at this time the stem is smaller, the leaves do not fall so easily, a better feed is secured, better prices can be obtained in the large markets, and the greatest benefit of all is, that the succeeding crop will yield much better and grow faster and instead of three, coarse, stemmy, woody, off grade crops which are usually cut, four fine, leafy, green, rich crops should be secured.

When cut late the succeeding crop suffers both in yield and quality. Any plant cut when nearly matured will not grow up and yield again as it will do when cut in a younger state.

After cutting, the alfalfa should be raked in windrows before it is thoroughly dry, if it becomes perfectly dry, before doing this it will become brittle and will largely lose the leaves while handling, but if windrowed before perfectly dry it will retain the leaves, which is an essential feature, especially when placed on the market for sale. It

can finish drying in the windrow and then be hauled to stack or barn.

Many farmers and shippers ask if alfalfa can be baled and shipped direct from the field. We answer yes, if the weather is dry and all conditions favorable, but not one man in twenty will do successfully. When new hay of any kind is freshly baled and placed in a box car look out. Alfalfa is the most difficult of all hay to handle in this manner; if there is any moisture in the hay at all it is sure to heat in transit, then the poor commission man is doomed for a good "cussing" because he could not get the top price for hot hay. The larger portion of alfalfa coming to this market is reshipped east and south and fed to dairy cattle, and during the summer months cows are out on grass and the demand is limited and prices low, and this is the reason for the strong advances during the fall and winter months.

Well Drilling Notice.

We wish to notify the citizens of Deaf Smith and Castro Counties that our well-drilling outfit is now in first class condition and we can sink your deep well on short notice. Give us a chance to figure your job. Leave orders at Stringfellow-Hume. Hereford or Laird-Herring, Bovina, Telephone Boom line. 5tf

P. C. PYLANT & SONS,
Boom, Texas.

For Sale.

A pair of good work horses and five or six good milk cows. I. N. DILLARD. 14-2tp

Ice Plant News.

Frank R. Wright, who spent last week in Hereford with a view to taking the initiative in establishing an ice plant in this city, left for his home in Indiana this week, but not until he had made a thorough and careful investigation into the question as to whether or not a plant of this kind would pay. Mr. Wright is experienced in this line of work and before leaving stated to a BRAND representative that he is convinced that this field would support a 10-ton plant and that if he can secure a suitable location, he will install one of this character.

Negotiations are now on with the Western Union Land Co. for a building site.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Following is the B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, May 27:

Subject—How we are in training to succeed others.

Scripture lesson—Duet. 34:7-12. Leader—Matt Gilliland.

Joshua the Successor of Moses—Bro. O. W. Dean.

The work we must look forward to—W. B. Park.

Song. How can we get ready to do Successful work—Miss Stella Renfro.

What must we do to be ready for the unexpected work—Miss Sifa Hodges.

Captured a Bass.

Our friend, Geo. W. Eagle, informs us that he recently captured a black bass in the Palo Duro at Canyon City, which weighed 3 1/2 pounds. This is considered a big fish in Canyon City and of course Mr. Eagle is now the head fisherman of that city; but such experts as Sam Dunn and Geo. Dale claim that they are accustomed to throwing this size back into the clear waters of the beautiful Tierra Blanco. Nothing under a six pounder causes either of these gentlemen to realize that they have been fishing.

For Sale.

My entire herd of high-grade Hereford cattle, consisting of one hundred head of cows and heifers and fifteen steers. Will have good calf crop. See me for particulars. 1t

ROBT. L. BALL.

Sanitarium Proposed.

A move was inaugurated this week by local citizens which has for its purpose the building of a sanitarium in Hereford. It is claimed that an institution of this kind would draw patronage from the surrounding towns and country and would have a strong support from the beginning. It is proposed to form a stock company and build a sanitarium which would be equal to the best in the West.

With further developments more will be given about the enterprise.

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 next door to BRAND office. 5tf

Cattle Wanted.

I want to buy from 200 to 300 good grade cows from three to seven years old. Apply to G. W. MILLION, Hereford, Texas. 9tf

...THE...
Hereford Nursery

IS PREPARED TO SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS. MY ENTIRE TIME IS DEVOTED NO GROWING AND STUDYING THE BEST VARIETIES OF FRUIT, SHADE AND ORNAMENTAL STOCK ADAPTED TO OUR SOIL AND CLIMATE. I AM THE ONLY EXCLUSIVE NURSERY MAN ON THE PLAINS. SIXTEEN YEARS EXPERIENCE IN TEXAS. :: :: ::

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A GOOD SPRING TONIC
AND
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TRY IT THIS YEAR • PRICE \$1.00 PER BOTTLE

T. M. COULSON, Special Agent

Public Announcement

Having purchased the grocery business of E. B. Orr, I wish to invite my friends and the public to call on me when in need of anything in my line. I shall keep at all times a complete assortment of fresh Staple and Fancy Groceries and endeavor to treat everybody right.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS

J. D. CURTSINGER

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

COLLEGE NOTES

Monroe Hill returned to his home at Claude.

Will Bush will hold down his claim near Texico.

Lilla Bell Denson returned to her home in Amarillo.

Jess and Earnest Carper are at their home in Roswell.

Mr. Russell will spend the summer at his home in Amarillo.

Lizzie Jarrett left with her father and mother Thursday for their home at Vega.

Rufus and Charley Hubbard will for a time be on the ranch near Dimmitt.

Cora Hendrix goes for the present to her grandparents at Claude, but will return for the normal.

Jet Fore of Memphis and Metz Kerr of Claude, visited old scenes at the college during commencement.

Lucile Boyce, with her sister, Miss Bell, who had been visiting her went to her home near Dalhart, Friday.

Helen Carter, with her mother and brother who had attended the exercises, left for her home near Canyon, Friday.

Mrs. Neal and Mrs. J. C. Mason and daughters will not be at the Home but will remain in Hereford this summer.

Mrs. Lula B. Koonce, with Charley and her daughters, Esta and Alice Turner, left for their home in Mt. Vernon, Saturday.

Mrs. Taliaferro and Miss Mary will leave next week for a prolonged vacation tour, but will return in time for the camping.

Mrs. Laird and Kelly who had attended the commencement exercises returned to Bovina Thursday. Zora remained at the college till Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donovan of Mason City, Illinois, attended the commencement exercises and with their daughter, Ada, left for their home Sunday.

Miss MacDiarmid has returned to her home in Cincinnati, Miss Dimmitt to her home in Benjamin, and Miss Chapman to her home in Ripley, Tennessee.

Of the faculty, Mr. Herod will continue the business department during the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott will remain at the Girls' Home and get things in readiness for the Normal which opens June 19.

After the busiest week in its history the college has settled down into a quiet that is painfully vivid by contrast. The visitors and students began leaving last Thursday and now the college family is widely scattered over this and other states.

The leave takings after the pleasant associations of the year made the girls glad they could cry and from some indications made the boys wish they could. All are planning for a renewal of the association next year, and are looking forward to a greater session in 1906-07.

Intermediate Endeavor.

Following is the Intermediate program for May 27, 1906:

Subject—Missions in the South Seas.
Leader—Glennis Coulson.
Song.
Scripture lesson—Psalm 97:1-12.
Prayer.
Duet—Ethel Graves and Ida Beach.
Question—What can the Gospel do for the lands that are yet in Darkness?—McXie May Mason.
Business.
Roll-call.
Song.
Mizpah.

Higgins Addition on Market.

The addition to the town of Hereford is now offered for sale on reasonable terms. This tract consisting of forty acre is situated on the west side of the town section and is absolutely free from dust. This is divided into lots of a quarter acre each, but one can buy more than one lot if more land is wanted.

I have exclusive agency for this property and shall be glad to show same to those wishing desirable residence locations.

14th W. B. POYD.

Whose Is It?

The owner of a three-months-old sow pig can get same by calling at R. H. Norton's ranch and paying for this ad.

Treasurer's Report.

Following is the affidavit of Commissioners' Court of Castro County, Texas, to the County Treasurer's Quarterly Report of said county, May term, A. D. 1906, in the matter of county finances in the hands of T. A. Turnbow, treasurer of said county.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Includes JURY FUND, ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, GENERAL FUND, COURT HOUSE FUND.

Witness our hands this 14th day of May, A. D., 1906.

M. F. BARBER, County Judge.
A. P. EATON, Com. Precinct No. 1.
J. A. ODEN, Com. Precinct No. 2.
W. B. GREEN, Com. Precinct No. 3.
W. R. WOODBURN, Com. Precinct No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of May, A. D. 1906.

HARVEY CASH, County Clerk, Castro County, Texas.

Ranchman Found Dead.

Chillicothe, Texas, May 17.—The lifeless body of T. M. Ray, a prominent ranchman, was found on one of his ranches about seven miles north of town at 10 o'clock this morning. He left his home yesterday morning to visit his ranch and was expected to return during the day. Failing to do so, his family made inquiry about him in every direction, and being unable to get any trace of him, gave the alarm in town about 9 p. m. A searching party was immediately gotten together and proceeded to his ranch, where a systematic search was instituted. He was found on a small glade or basin of land surrounded by sand hills. He was found lying upon his back. His hat was lying about three feet from his body, badly torn and powder burned in the back through and above the band. His pistol was found about ten feet away, containing one cartridge and five empty shells. Upon examination it was found that death had resulted from a wound in the back of the head.

The coroner was summoned and after gathering all the evidence available rendered a verdict of death from a gunshot wound from unknown hands.

A Clear Complexion and Bright Eyes.

In most cases a sallow, blotched complexion and dull heavy eyes are due to poor digestion and an inactive liver. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels and makes the complexion smooth and clear. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. T. M. Coulson.

Mistake Corrected.

In last week's BRAND we stated that J. D. Thompson purchased two registered Hereford bulls, one nine months, the other a year old, from J. D. Burkett for \$125 and \$150. The purchase was made from L. R. Bradley, the well known Hereford breeder, who has done much towards the improvement of numerous herds in this part of the state.

Well Drilling Notice.

Having bought R. P. Brazil's well and windmill business will appreciate any and all work given me in that line. I guarantee satisfaction, and all work finished as promptly as possible. Leave your orders with any of the hardware firms of Hereford or with me at E. F. Connell's office.

12th MAX ROBERTS.

Lands for Rent.

The following lands situated in Deaf Smith Co., are for rent, for a period of 3 years at 4 cents per acre: Sections 7, 9, 13, 29, Block K 8. Apply to JOHN ARNOT, Amarillo, Texas.

14-4t Genuine Shumach cane seed at Barnard & Co.'s. 9tf

FOR PURE DRUGS

For Pure Drugs, patent medicines, drug sundries and school supplies, you should see us & Our prescription department is under a competent pharmacist and your wants in this line will always be attended to

T. M. COULSON DRUGGIST

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We carry a large line of genuine high-grade Elgin, Waltham and Hampden Watches. We have also a select stock of Cut Glass, Silverware, Novelty Jewelry and Diamonds. We do manufacturing, designing, engraving, and all kinds of watch and jewelry repairing. We stand ready to give prompt service and render to the customer every accommodation consistent with a legitimate business

VANNOY & RAY, Jewelers

BILL HEAD

Dealer in Panhandle Farms, Ranches and HEREFORD CITY PROPERTY

We can furnish you some of the choicest bargains to be found anywhere in the west. The following affidavit shows upon what terms I propose to do business:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Deaf Smith
Before me, W. H. Russell, County Judge in and for said County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. W. (Bill) Head who is to me well known, and who, after being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is in the land business for the purpose of selling land in the Panhandle of Texas on a commission of five (5) per cent and that he positively will not sell land for any amount above the list price.

14-4t J. W. (BILL) HEAD.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February 1906.
W. H. RUSSELL, County Judge
Deaf Smith County, Texas.

If you have lands for sale or if you wish a bargain, see me.

BILL HEAD, THE LAND MAN
HEREFORD, TEXAS

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W. C. Green THE BAKER

First Class

Ours is the most up-to-date transfer ever put on in Hereford. If you need the proof, give us a trial and be convinced. Phone 87.

W. T. Smith & Son Proprietors

CLOSE IN THIRTY DAYS TO GIVE POSSESSION

On account of having to give possession of the building which I now occupy, I am close-out to quit business. All my stock including the following will be sold for cost and carriage. PENCILS, TABLETS, BOOKS, SLATES, CHINAWARE, GLASSWARE, TINWARE, ENAMELWARE, TOILET SETS, FIRE WORKS, DOLLS, CANDIES, NOTIONS OF ALL KINDS, TOYS

MRS. R. S. COWARD, HERFORD TEXAS

C. W. B. M. Notes.

"Go ye into all the world."
The next meeting of the C. W. B. M. auxiliary will be at the church, Thursday, June 7, at 4 p. m. Special literature has been ordered and an interesting program will be rendered. Lack of interest in mission work is largely due to a lack of information on the subject. A deeper insight into the world's awful destitution and need would certainly tend to quicken within every true follower of the Master a deeper sense of obligation and responsibility and ultimately result in renewed activity along the lines of missionary endeavor, and then a better knowledge of just what is being accomplished in the way of world-wide evangelism would prove a source of great inspiration and lend zeal and enthusiasm. Such knowledge our missionary literature is designed to furnish, and may the dissemination of such knowledge soon enlist the active, systematic support of every one who desires the gospel preached to every creature, and the sin-cursed earth redeemed.

A Man Got Pressed.

For nice fitting clothes to wear and took his old suit to Walter Orr at Dale's Barber Shop where they were cleaned and pressed to look as well as a new suit. Take your suit to him and let him fix it for you.

THE HERFORD PRESSING CLUB, 43-tf Walter Orr, Proprietor.

For Sale.

One Poland China sow 18 months old. See W. B. FARMER. 10tf

Two Inch Rain.

The hearts of every Deaf Smith and Castro county citizen was filled with rejoicing Wednesday afternoon and night by the fall of one of the best rains of this season. The weather had been threatening for several days and local showers had visited different portions of the country, but when the heavy, dark cloud began to hang low over the entire western horizon, it was evident that a general rain was to be given to the Panhandle country. There was but little wind and hail, so there was nothing to mar the joy in viewing a constant downpour of more than two hours duration. It is said the total fall amounted to at least two inches and came just in time to insure the Panhandle the largest small grain crop in the history of the country.

Given up to Die.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." T. M. Coulson.

Get marble of W. M. Cogdell to mark the graves of your beloved dead. 11tf

Denver Road Announcement.

The Fort Worth & Denver City Railway Company, popularly known as "The Denver Road", announces that effective June first it will establish a new through sleeping car line between Lafayette, La., and Denver Colorado, the routing of same to be via the lines of the Southern Pacific Company between Lafayette and Houston, the H. & T. C. Road between Houston and Fort Worth, and "THE DENVER ROAD" between Fort Worth and Denver. This is a new feature in favor of the satisfactory accommodation of a constantly increasing tourist business to Colorado, and will undoubtedly serve with favor and tend to increase such tourist business from Louisiana and Southern Texas points; also from points in Central Texas along the line of the H. & T. C. Road.

In addition to the foregoing, announcement is made that double daily through train service will be again established via the F. W. & D. C. Ry. through to Denver about June 1st, and that in all likelihood a train will be placed in service for the accommodation of local business between Fort Worth and Quanah, Texas.

With the inauguration of this third train it is understood the schedules of the through Colorado trains will be materially quickened or shortened, since the local train referred to will make it possible to cut out a number of stops enroute which have been necessary to the through trains during former seasons. 14tf

A. A. GLISSON, General Passenger Agent.

Notice to School Patrons.

In order to get the benefit of the public school money next school year, all pupils will have to be enrolled before June 1st. It is utterly impossible for me to see every man in the county in so short a time; hence I urge upon all the necessity and importance of enrolling your children at once. If your children have not yet been enumerated, please send or bring in at once their full names, the date of their birth and exact age.

Your prompt compliance with this request will save many dollars to our school fund and will be greatly appreciated by

Yours truly,
W. M. COGDELL,
Census Trustee.

Would Build Flour Mill.

A. H. Morrow of Oklahoma was in Hereford a few days this week endeavoring to induce the people to go in with him in building a flouring mill in this city. Mr. Morrow received considerable encouragement—in fact all that could be given any man, but he did not see fit to undertake the enterprise. Everybody told him that we stand very much in need of a first class mill and that they should be glad to see him launch the enterprise; but it was soon learned that he wished the people to build it and give it to him to run. Or at least he wanted a cash bonus of \$2500 which of course he was told he could not get; so he went on his way to greener fields.

I have for Sale

150 head highest grade stock cattle also 2 two-year-old mules and some good farming tools as follows: Lister, mower, cultivator, row binder; 15 miles north of Hereford. A. H. MORRIS. 12tf

Wall Paper—E. B. Black. 44

For Sale

I am offering for sale at a bargain my 22 horse power engine, thresher, cyclone separator and feeder. This machine has been used only one year and is as good as new. Will give terms. :-:

J. S. Mollenhour

RANCH 10 MILES NORTHWEST OF HERFORD

SOMETHING DOING

We aim to close out our line of Boy's and Children's Clothing the next few days and make the following prices:

Regular price \$8.00 Suit	\$6.60
Regular price \$5.50 Suit	3.95
Regular price \$4.50 Suit	3.30
Regular price \$3.50 Suit	2.65
Regular price \$2.25 Suit	1.65
Regular price \$2.00 Suit	1.40

Every article named above is a good value and every one is strictly new goods. We invite you to inspect these values and if you need anything in this line you will buy. These are prices for cash. We cannot charge goods at these prices.

H. C. MYRICK

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HEREFORD, TEXAS

JUNE 19TH TO JULY 27TH

This normal is under the auspices of the Panhandle Teachers' Association. No more desirable surroundings can be found in Texas for student work. High altitude, cool, invigorating atmosphere—just the place to do successful school work. Come, be with us, and better equip yourself for the duties of your profession. Address all communications to

W. B. QUIGLY, Conductor
AMARILLO, TEXAS

"COMMON SENSE"

Everyone knows that a drink of good clear water, daily, for stock helps them. Then, in place of the old mud hole you have for your poor cows to wade into to drink from why don't you put in a tub that is guaranteed not to leak nor fall to pieces. The time is near when a mud hole on the place is sure to be a death trap for some weak animal you have, so now is the time to avoid it

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All work promptly and neatly exe-
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9x12 Art Rugs \$4.95 at Black's.
Evaporated salt cheap at Barnard
& Co.'s. 9tf
Wanted—100 acres of sod broke.
L. Gough. 2t
W. D. Robinson of Arney spent a
few days in the city on business this
week.

Highest cash price paid for hides
of all kinds. Call at Arthur's meat
market. 5tf
Miss Nellie Wyche left this week
for Terrell to attend the wedding of
her cousin.

See residence lots in Higgins ad-
dition before purchasing. W. B.
Boyd, agent. 14tf
W. H. Rayzor left Wednesday for
northern points to solicit immigration
for his firm.

New wool goods just received at
Barnett's, some snappy patterns for
skirts and shirt waists. 1t
A. H. Elliston and family spent
Monday in Amarillo, attending the
Taylor lecture in that city at night.

Frank Tucker went to Texico
Wednesday to install a light plant
which is being put in there by Tom
Reagan.

Prof. D. W. Hawkins left Monday
for Midlothian in response to a mes-
sage telling of the serious illness of
his mother.

Miss Donald of Denton is visiting
her brother and sister, Mr. and
Mrs. Chas. Donald, at their ranch
north of town.

Dr. J. J. Hanna, specialist on
diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat,
of Amarillo, will be at Smith's Drug
store June 12th and 13th.

Higgins addition in West Here-
ford contains the most desirable res-
idence lots in the city—free from
dust. W. B. Boyd, agent. 14tf

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Laird came
up from the ranch Monday to join
Hereford friends in the enjoyment of
Bob Taylor's lecture in Amarillo on
that night.

The new three-room cottage home
belonging to Luther Hough and
situated in East Hereford is now
about completed and ready for
occupancy.

If your windmill needs repairs, it
will be to your interest to see me. I
guarantee all my work to be equal
to the best. Phone me your wants.
T. D. Humphrey. 4tf

We understand that Chas. Q.
Barton, formerly president of the
college at this place, is now con-
nected with the Carr-Burdette Col-
lege at Sherman.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, specialist
on diseases of the eye, ear, nose and
throat, of Amarillo, Texas, will be
in Hereford June 6th and 7th lo-
cated at the offices of Drs. Hicks
and Rogers. 4tf

O. P. Smith, who formerly resided
here but is now located in Oklahoma,
is spending a few days in this part
of the Panhandle. Mr. Smith has a
valuable two section ranch near
Dimmitt.

J. D. Thompson informs us that
he will move his family from the
ranch to Hereford at an early date.
Mr. Thompson owns the Aten resi-
dence in North Hereford. We are
glad to learn that Mr. Thompson
has thus made his disscission.

Chas. Daughtry, the blind piano
tuner, went to Plainview the first of
the week to look after his business
on that end of the line. Mr.
Daughtry, though absolutely blind,
is an expert in his line and has built
up a trade in the Panhandle of which
he has just cause to feel proud.

H. D. Crum of Onaga, Kansas, is
in the city this week looking after
his ranch interests north of town.
He owns two sections of the
Phansteel ranch. Mr. Crum tells
us that he intends to buy more land
and move his family here as soon as
he can adjust his business interests
in Kansas.

S. P. Colby who has been here for
the past three weeks' making a care-
ful investigation into the true merits
of this country and visiting his
friend, A. H. Elliston, returned to
his home in Chicago this week; but
not until he had purchased three
choice sections of our lands. Mrs.
Colby was here last month and so
well pleased was she that she would
not rest satisfied till her husband
came down and secured some of
these lands.

For choice residence lots see W.
B. Boyd. 14tf
Everything good to eat at Bar-
nard & Co.'s. 9tf

Good buggy and harness for sale.
See Byrle Elliston. 15tf

Miss Imo Gass has returned from
Nocona where she had been to visit
her sister.

To sell—A good piano at low price
on payments of \$10.00 per month.
A. C. Elliott. 12tf

Mrs. Farley and daughter returned
last week from a visit with relatives
in California.

When you pass Barnett's store
read the blackboard matchless bar-
gains on it every day. 1t

J. C. Womble came in Tuesday
from his ranch in the north part of
the county after supplies.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gough visited in
Amarillo a few days this week, tak-
ing in the Bob Taylor lecture.

Wanted—From 8 to 15 good shoats
weighing from 75 to 150 lbs. Apply
to W. H. Rayzor, Hereford, Texas.

Miss Jessie Long of Canyon City
was the guest of the Misses Vaughan
and Miss Nannie Jowell this week.

Did you know you can buy all you
want of the best grade, white wash
silk at Barnett's for only 25c
yard? 1t

John Cardwell of Dallas arrived
this week to accept a position in the
grocery store of his brothers, Card-
well Bros.

Good two section ranch to lease
near Hereford. Also land to
rent adjoining town. Apply to C.
G. Witherspoon. 8-tf

C. P. Arthur is this week engaged
in building an additional room to his
residence, adding new porch and
otherwise improving.

Say, boys! just received a new
line of late styles in hats, and what
do you think, we sell Stetsons' for
\$4.25 and \$4.50. Ralph Barnett.

Big new line art rugs, portier cur-
tains, straw matting, etc., just re-
ceived, prices lower than any time
this season at the Furniture Store. 1t

W. A. Conner of Dimmitt was a
business visitor to the city Tuesday.
Mr. Conner is now engaged in the
confectionery business in the Capital
of Castro.

We have enlarged our ice cream
parlor and invite you to our store,
the only place for ladies to enjoy a
cool drink or dish of ice cream and
crushed fruit. Ralph Barnett. 1t

Miss Lena Greer is spending her
summer vacation with her parents
near Dimmitt. Miss Lenna will re-
turn to Hereford next month to at-
tend the Panhandle Summer Normal.

W. S. Dixon, Lee Shive and J. D.
Burch, all of Cleo community in
Castro county, were up Tuesday and
Wednesday to purchase material
with which to make ranch improve-
ments.

Geo. W. Irwin will at an early
date begin the erection of a substan-
tial six room residence on his ten
acre block near the college. Mr.
and Mrs. Irwin have fully made up
their minds that Hereford is good
enough for them for a permanent
home.

J. A. Johnson, who is engaged in
the sheep business near Dimmitt,
was a business caller in Hereford
Tuesday, renewing for the BRAND
and Dallas News. Mr. Johnson has
over 1300 sheep on his ranch and is
now making preparations to have
their wool clipped.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Motley of
Prosperity, Missouri, favored the
BRAND office with a pleasant call
before leaving for their home this
week. They own a valuable half
section of land north of town and
Mrs. Motley came down this trip to
ascertain how she would like the
country.

J. B. Woods this week received a
35-horse power traction engine to be
used in pulling a 20-disc plow which
he has on the road. Mr. Woods
tells us that when everything is
favorable, his plow will cut 200
inches or ten inches to the plow.
This is perhaps the largest outfit in
the Panhandle and is a complete
revelation to those who have been
accustomed to using the ordinary
"sulky" or turning plow. The
Panhandle country is certainly break-
ing the record.

Ribbon Cane Syrup

We are overstocked on Georgia Ribbon Cane Syrup
and have decided to cut the price to

40 CENTS PER GALLON

from now until its all gone. Bring your keg and
get it filled with the finest syrup you ever tasted
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When you need Lumber, Sash, Doors, Brick, Lime and
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We not only have the largest stock in Hereford, but
you will always find we handle the best grades of Lum-
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The home of some of the best Registered Hereford Cattle
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of Lakeview 106040. Have now 15 nice young bulls in
fine condition, suitable ages for the best range service.
My Berkshires are headed by Bachelor Combination
70134 by (imp.) Lustre Bachelor 52462. Am now book-
ing orders for spring pigs. Call on or write your wants
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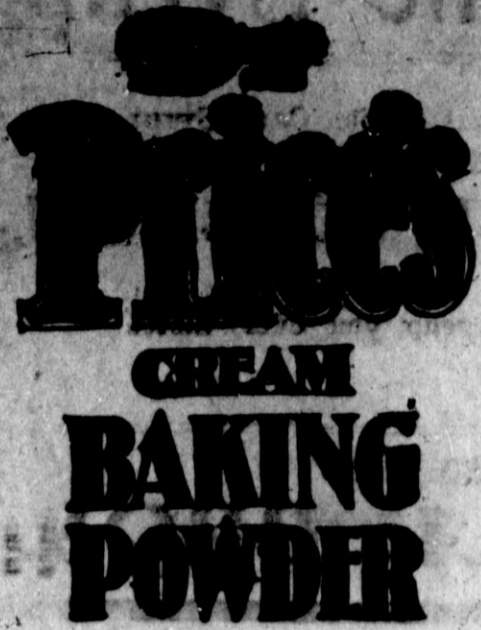
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City Barber Shop
IN BRICK BLOCK NEAR DEPOT
George W. Dale, Proprietor

THREE CHAIRS TWO BATH ROOMS

I keep first-class Barbers and guarantee satisfaction.
Two Porcelain Bath Tubs. Hot Baths always ready.

HEREFORD, TEXAS



Improves the flavor and adds to the healthfulness of the food.

Furniture Sale.

We call special attention to the half page ad of E. B. Black which appears in this issue. Mr. Black now has the best stock of furniture the writer has ever seen in a town the size of Hereford and in this sale he proposes to make it to the interest of everyone needing furniture to place his order. The prices which Mr. Black is giving in connection with the high quality of his goods will be a great saving to those who need to buy furniture.

Big Orchard.

While in the city a few days ago, W. M. Smith of near Dimmitt gave out the information that he now has twenty acres in orchard, fifteen acres being in selected varieties of peaches. With reference to the crop this year, Mr. Smith stated his peach trees are litterly loaded down with flattering prospects for a crop of 1000 bushels of peaches. Still some maintain that this is no peach country.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Deaf Smith. By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 9th day of April, 1906, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Troy Womble versus Add-Ran College, No. 90, and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in June, A. D. 1906, it being the 5th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, in the town of Hereford, the following described real property to-wit:

All of the East one-half of Block No. 23, of Evans Addition to the town of Hereford, Texas, the same being a portion of Survey No. 62 in Block K-3, Certificate No. 1833, Original Grantee, Weiss and Sanders, situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas and containing eight acres of land. Levied on as the property of Add-Ran College at 1 p. m., on the 28th day of April 1906, to satisfy a judgment against the said Add-Ran College and in favor of Troy Womble, and costs of suit and to satisfy the costs of the said execution; said judgment being for the sum of \$600.00 with interest thereon from the 28th day of April 1903, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, which said judgment was rendered on the second day of January, 1906. Given under my hand this the 28th day of April, 1906.

J. T. INMON, Sheriff of Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Mares for Sale.

I have twenty five mares bred to the best jack and trotting horse which I am offering for sale at very reasonable prices. Will sell all or any number. Also will sell jack and the well-known trotting stallion, Charles Wilks. 11tf Apply to S. T. HOWARD, Hereford, Texas.

In Memory of Mrs. Martha Williams, who Died at Hereford, Texas, Feb. 5th, 1906.

Our dear mother has departed; After sixty years of toil And battle with this wicked world, We have laid her in its soil. Long she was here to comfort us And guide her children eight, With Father as a guiding star They brought us all up straight.

And while we all were grown and gone Just Pa and Belle at home, We needed her every hour you see Regardless of where we roamed. And Father needed her the most To help him keep their home, Its out upon a rance you see And leaves him so alone.

But God said no! She's done enough I'll take her home with me, The rest of you may toil away Till time to cross the sea. So Pa and Belle and Mattie there, Just doing their very best To keep things just the same you see While she so quietly rests.

She's sleeping in her narrow grave Right by sweet Royal's side, Where he was laid a year ago After a struggle with the tide. And they are happy there we know For they loved each other so well, But think of us poor mortals left, None but those who tried can tell.

Yes all was done that could be done By each and all the neighbors too, Who thrust a helping hand at once Toward keeping Royal and mother too. Kind friends and neighbors, listen! Yes one and all of you, Now listen while we thank you For your kindness good and true.

Yes they've gone, they've surely left us And we miss them every where, See the vacant places left us Even see their vacant chair. May your God be ever with you, It's no matter where you roam; Casting clouds and shadows from you While he's building you a home.

-Mrs. M. C. BENTLEY, Roswell, N. M.

Jr. B. Y. P. U. Progrm.

The following is the Jr. B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday June 3rd, 3 p. m.:

Reading of minutes. Leader—Alma Beach. Subject—God's Love for us. Scripture lesson—Romans 5:6-11. Prayer and song.

How God has shown his love for us—Mary Ella Coward.

Why does God love us?—Nulty Renfro.

Show how God loves his enemies—Maude Dean.

Recitation of 1st John 4:7—Annie Dean.

Recitation—Onida Irwin. Solo—Jewell Buster.

Recitation of 1st John 3:1—Mable Cowart.

Recitation of John 3:16—Ted Estes.

Why we should love God—Edna Fuqua.

Recitation—Lota Fuqua. Recitation of Romans 8:35—Belle Turnbow.

Recitation of 1st John 4:10—Essie Smith.

Recitation of 1st John 4:19—Bessie Dean.

Insurance on Grain.

The time of year is now at hand when the wheat and oat crop is likely to be damaged by hail. A little money invested in insurance will protect you. Let me write a policy on your grain crop. B. H. SMITH, office with C. G. Witherpoon & Son, Hereford, Texas. 12tf

Baptist Church Notice.

There will be the usual services at the Baptist church on next Sunday morning, May 27. Preaching by the pastor or Bro. O. F. Smith. There will be no preaching at night on account of the protracted meeting at the Methodist church.

Land Bargain.

We have a section of land 10 miles south of Hereford on Dimmitt road, well improved, with three room house. Shallow water. For terms see J. H. BEACH, Hereford, Texas. 11tf

Cane Seed.

Seeded ribbon cane seed, the best for feed or syrup, \$2.00 per bushel, at J. E. Martin's 5 miles south-west of town or at J. M. Garner's Hereford, Texas. 12-4tp

Notice.

We have for sale at ranch and at J. K. R. Gilliland's barn in Hereford choice Shumach sorghum seed. See us before buying. 11tf J. K. P. GILLILAND & SON.

Notice.

I have sold out and would like for all who know themselves indebted would call at once and pay up. 11tf O. F. SMITH.

O. M. Daniel left Wednesday on a prospecting trip over the Pecos and Midland country.

Ballard's Snow Liniment advertisement. Features a decorative border and text: 'A Sure Cure for Rheumatism, Cuts, Sprains, Wounds, Old Sores, Corns, Bunions, Galls, Bruises, Contracted Muscles, Lamé Back, Stiff Joints, Frosted Feet, Burns, Scalds, etc. AN ANTISEPTIC that stops Irritation, subdues Inflammation, and drives out Pain. PENETRATES the Pores, loosens the Fibrous Tissues, promotes a free circulation of the Blood, giving the Muscles natural elasticity. BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH ONCE TRIED ALWAYS USED CURED SCIATIC RHEUMATISM Mrs. E. A. Simpson, 500 Craig St., Knoxville, Tenn., writes: "I have been trying the baths of Hot Springs, Ark., for sciatic rheumatism, but I get more relief from Ballard's Snow Liniment than any medicine or anything I have ever tried. Inclosed find postoffice order for \$1.00. Send me large bottle by Southern Express." THREE SIZES: 25c, 50c AND \$1.00 BE SURE YOU GET THE GENUINE Ballard Snow Liniment Co. ST. LOUIS, U. S. A. SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY T. M. COULSON, Druggist

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