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ALL WORK AND TALK FOR THE "PANHANDLE SHORT-LINE"

## THE DAYS OF GREAT BARGAINS

The days of great bargains at Mount's Store will be fully realized when you read this notice and visit our store. You will find that you can supply your needs at one-half the regular price. We have found that we have lots of goods that we don't need and very little money that we do need, hence we have resolved to trade part of our goods for money. To do this quickly we will give you all the profit and part of the cost. We mean all we say and are very anxious to trade with you. We will give you choice of over 100 pairs misses' and children's \$1.25 to \$2.00 Slippers for only 50c; your choice of 150 men's and boys' 25c and 50c Straw Hats for 15c; over 75 men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Straw Hats for 75c; 100 ladies' and children's Hats for only 25c each; about 75 men's \$2.00 Felt Hats for \$1.25; your choice of about 50 ladies' Shirt Waists, worth from \$1.25 to \$5.00, for only \$1.00; over 1000 yards 12 1-2c to 15c Lawns for 8 1-3c per yard; all our 25c and 35c Lawns for only 15c; misses' and children's 25c Black Lace Hose, 2 pair for 25c; a 50c-bottle of high-grade Perfume for only 25c; a job lot of Silk remnants at less than 1-2 price, besides numerous other articles that have been included in this bargain list. We have also decided to make another reduction in men's, boys' and children's Clothing. We are going to close them out. Our stock of extra Pants also go at these slaughter prices. If you need anything in Underwear, we have the best. Come to see us, we want to figure with you. :-: :-: :-:

YOURS RESPECTFULLY

# S. H. MOUNT

**To Erect School Building.**  
The work of soliciting funds for the erection of an additional public school building for Hereford was taken up this week and subscriptions are coming in at a fairly good rate, considering the fact that, as yet, only one man has been in the field. W. B. Parmer has undertaken the laudable task of raising the required amount and judging from the amount which he turns in for publication, he is meeting with encouraging results. The list which we give below represents the most of those who have been seen to date. There are yet many other patrons and friends to education who can be relied upon to carry their part of the financial burden of providing adequate facilities for the education of our boys and girls. By next week we hope to be able to include in this list the name of every parent in the district as well as those who own property in the district. Let's all pull together and look well to the proper education of the children of our community.

The list is as follows:

	BRICK	WOOD
T. J. Graves	\$100.00	\$50.00
C. G. Witherspoon	100.00	50.00
The Brand	50.00	25.00
W. B. Beach	50.00	25.00
Robt. Humphrey	25.00	12.50
W. H. Garrison	50.00	25.00
W. G. Ross	50.00	25.00
B. Barnard	10.00	10.00
A. E. Argo	10.00	10.00
J. A. Johnson	10.00	5.00
C. T. Dobbins	1.00	1.00
S. H. Mount	25.00	10.00
H. C. Myrick	10.00	7.50
T. M. Palmer	10.00	50.00
T. M. Coulson	5.00	5.00
Dr. W. J. Rogers	5.00	5.00
D. H. Bryant	5.00	5.00
R. H. Barnett	7.50	7.50
J. G. Callens	2.00	1.00
L. R. Bassham	10.00	5.00
Louis Smith	2.00	2.00
L. A. Stroud	5.00	5.00

M. A. Lamkin	10.00	10.00
J. M. Garner	10.00	10.00
H. O. Park	5.00	5.00
Burton Lingo Co.	5.00	15.00
C. S. Richards	5.00	5.00
Geo. H. Guinn	15.00	15.00
W. M. Cogdell	5.00	5.00
T. D. Humphrey	5.00	5.00
J. D. Curtsinger	10.00	10.00
J. D. Bourn	5.00	5.00
H. H. Hawkins	5.00	5.00
W. O. London	2.50	2.50
A. J. Lipscomb	10.00	10.00
G. E. Burns	5.00	5.00
J. W. English	5.00	5.00
A. B. Bynum	5.00	5.00
R. J. Kibbe	25.00	25.00
Cardwell Bros.	5.00	5.00
C. P. Estes	25.00	25.00
W. J. Montgomery	10.00	10.00
A. H. Murchison	5.00	5.00
R. W. Baird	5.00	5.00
R. P. Brazill	2.00	2.00
J. H. King	5.00	5.00
Clarence Smith	5.00	4.00
W. B. Dameron	10.00	10.00
C. L. Davis	5.00	5.00
C. B. Oxendine	5.00	5.00
G. R. Hay	5.00	5.00
H. B. Webb	10.00	10.00
H. O. Hubbert	2.50	2.50
J. J. Ward	2.50	2.50
E. B. Black	10.00	10.00
W. B. Boyd	5.00	5.00
J. S. Jones	10.00	10.00
B. F. Stanley	10.00	10.00
J. T. Inmon	10.00	10.00
J. P. Wood	5.00	5.00
L. W. Vaughn	10.00	10.00
First Nat'l. Bank	100.00	50.00
W. J. Walters	10.00	10.00
J. H. Beach	2.00	2.00
Vannoy & Ray	5.00	5.00
J. H. Bowers	25.00	25.00
Walter Orr	2.50	2.50
Sam Dunn	10.00	10.00
D. R. Gass & Sons	10.00	10.00
M. S. Acuff	5.00	5.00
J. T. Tygret	5.00	5.00
D. W. Hawkins	30.00	30.00
E. F. Connell	25.00	25.00
B. W. Miller	10.00	10.00
J. W. DeAtley	10.00	10.00

Geo. W. Irwin	10.00	10.00
S. S. Evans	10.00	10.00
Max Roberts	10.00	10.00
W. H. Russell	20.00	10.00
Eli Dunlap	10.00	10.00
M. M. Major	5.00	5.00
West. Nat'l. Bank	100.00	50.00
G. F. Pearce	5.00	5.00
Hereford Lbr. Co.	25.00	25.00
Falwell & Sons	10.00	10.00
G. W. Eagle	2.50	2.50
W. R. Eubanks	10.00	10.00
Robt. L. Ball	10.00	10.00
L. Gough	100.00	50.00
J. W. Hicks	5.00	5.00

### Barnett-Boone.

A complete surprise was experienced by Hereford people on last Sunday when it was announced that Paul Barnett and Miss Leta Boone, both of this city, had been married at 6 o'clock p. m. of that day.

The wedding was strictly a private one, only Misses Merline and Estelle Patton being present to witness the solemn rites which were performed by Elder J. N. Wooten at his residence.

Both the bride and groom have a wide-extended circle of friends among the young people of this city who will join the BRAND in wishing for them one unchanging season of conjugal bliss.

They will make their home in Hereford.

### Bargain in Land.

I have a section of patented land 15 miles northwest of Hereford which I am offering at the low price of \$7.00 per acre. This is a smooth section, fenced on three sides and is the best bargain in Deaf Smith County. Apply to B. W. MILLER & Co., Hereford, Texas. 18tf

### Contractor and Builder.

I am prepared to do all contract and building work. All specifications free of charge on short notice. Headquarters at Burton-Lingo Co. 19tf C. B. DALTON.

### ADVERTISING CAR.

Arrangements Being Perfected for Exhibiting Panhandle Products Throughout the Northeast.

Arrangements are now being made to send an exhibition car from this part of the Panhandle to all the leading cities of the north and east late this summer and in the early autumn. The car, which has been tendered free of charge by the Pecos Valley Road, will carry samples of farm produce from the leading cities of the upper plains country, and will be under the immediate supervision of men who can and will give such information as is desired by those seeking homes in a new and developing country. A subscription list has been circulated in both Amarillo and Hereford and a handsome sum has been raised to defray the necessary expenses of collecting the various exhibits as well as the services of thoroughly reliable men to go out with the car. This plan is the one which has made the Pecos Valley famous and the upper plains country can find no better and more effective way of placing the producing resources of our country before the general public. With our waving fields of golden grain, including wheat, oats, barley, millet, etc., etc., together with our luscious apples, peaches, pears and plums, we can send out a car which will completely eclipse all previous efforts in this direction.

The work of raising the required amount of money for the undertaking is in charge of U. L. Roberts of some point in Indian Territory. Mr. Roberts was in this city for several days this week and met with a ready response from many of our real estate and business men.

Announcement of the plans will be made through the BRAND at an early date, so that no feature will be overlooked.

Drink Sulphur water.

### Aged Lady Dies.

At about 12 o'clock Wednesday evening, Mrs. Mattie E. Lee, who with her daughter, recently moved here from Louisville, Ky., suddenly died with heart failure. Mrs. Lee had been feeling unusually well all the preceding day, having taken a drive about town in the afternoon and attended prayer meeting in the evening; hence her death came wholly unexpected to her relatives and friends.

Deceased is the mother of Mrs. E. D. Morgan who, with her sister, Miss Etta Lee, accompanied the remains to Louisville for interment.

The BRAND joins in extending sympathy to the sorrowing ones in this, their hour of deep bereavement.

Wall paper stock full up. Prices below wholesale at Black's. 14tf

## Help Settle Your Own Country

Send us the names of your Old friends back east

Some of them may want to change their location and come west.

A little help from you will assist us in reaching many who are looking for new homes.

We will mail your friends truthful literature about YOUR part of the country and place their names on the complimentary mailing list of "The Earth," an interesting monthly, devoted to Southwest immigration.



Don't put it off. Write this week to

C. L. SEARGRAVES, General Colonization Agent, 1115 Ry. Exchange, Chicago.

# THE OLD RELIABLE McCORMICK BINDERS

For SATISFACTORY SERVICE and DURABILITY have never been EQUALED in the harvest field. The Hot Air Artist will tell you that his binder is just as good as the McCORMICK, but when you put them in the field in actual service the McCORMICK ALWAYS LEADS THE BUNCH. We have them in 6-ft., 7-ft. and 8-ft. cuts. We also carry a full line of McCormick Mowers, Rakes, Twine, Oils and Repairs.

## STRINGFELLOW-HUME HARDWARE COMPANY

### PUBLIC INSTALLATION

#### Local Masons Give Reception to Visiting Members and Friends.

One of the most important functions which have been witnessed in Hereford this season was the public reception given by the Masonic Lodge at their hall in this city on Monday evening of this week, the primary purpose of the occasion being the annual installation of officers. Besides the members of their respective families, a large number of visiting members and friends were invited, the majority of the latter being eager to gain all the information possible about the hidden mysteries of Masonry.

At the appointed hour, the gavel of Worshipful Master, L. A. Simpson, brought the house to a death-like stillness and the impressive ceremonies attendant upon the installation of officers was begun, these being under the immediate supervision of Mr. Simpson and District Deputy W. B. Boyd.

The newly elected officers for the ensuing year were installed in their order as follows:

W. H. Russell, W. M.; C. B. Googer, S. W.; G. M. Suggs, J. W.; Geo. W. Irwin, Sec.; J. F. Easley, Treas.; H. C. Myrick, S. D.; Dr. J. W. Hicks, J. D.; E. B. Black, Chaplain; T. M. Palmer, S. S.; W. B. Beach, J. S.; J. A. Kirkpatrick, Tiler.

After a brief, but spirited, address by Judge Russell in which he paid some very high tributes to the man whom he was succeeding in office, all repaired to the Ritchey House where a sumptuous repast had been prepared under the espionage of Messrs T. M. Palmer and W. B. Beach. It was here in the spacious dining hall of this popular hostelry, through the kindness of the genial and courteous proprietor that all were permitted to enter into more than an hour of unalloyed enjoyment of feasting and strains of enchanting music.

The visitors in attendance could but be deeply impressed with the solemnity and systematic order pervading all the exercises of the venerable order and were glad in their hearts for the privilege of the evening.

### Railroad Business Doubled.

Station Agent J. W. Lacey informed a BRAND representative this week that the gross receipts of the company at this point are more than double what they were at this season last year. This is a pretty good index to the real prosperity and substantial growth which Hereford is now enjoying. So far as our knowledge goes, there is no West Texas town which can claim so much along the line of material growth and advancement.

The railroad company are awake to the fact that their business at this point is becoming quite voluminous and that it is but a matter of a short time when they will be compelled to furnish more adequate depot facilities, both in new buildings and additional help.

### Mules for Sale.

I have five two-year-old mules, one six-year-old mule and two one and two-year-old horses for sale at a bargain. Call at once if you wish any of the above. Byrle Elliston, Hereford, Texas. 16tf

Drink Sulphur water.

### Intermediate Endeavor.

Following is the Intermediate Endeavor program for July 1:  
Subject—Building the Foundation of Virtue.

Leader—Sam Bratton.  
Song and prayer.  
Bible Lesson—Matt. 20:20-28; 1st Peter 5:5.  
Duet—Ingals Gyles and MacXie May Mason.

What should be our Thoughts of Others?—Grace Mason.

Solo—Pattie Estes.

What is the Result of self Exaltation?—Earl Wilson.

Song.

Business period.

Mizpah.

Best for Women and Children.

On account of its mild action and pleasant taste Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup is especially recommended for women and children. It does not nauseate or gripe like pills and ordinary cathartics. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels without irritating them. Remember the name Orino and refuse substitutes. T. M. Coulson.

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

Following is the Program for the B. Y. P. U. Sunday, July 8th:  
Subject—The Power of His Resurrection.

Scripture Lesson—Rome 6:3-13.  
Leader—Miss Willie Dyer.  
The Resurrection the Crowning Testimony of Jesus—Miss Bessie Curtsinger.

The Resurrection the great Revelation of the Future Life—Miss Sina Hodges.

The Resurrection as a Comfort to the Believer—Matt Gilliland.

What the Resurrection means to us—Miss Maggie Argo.

### 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.

15tf  
Good two section ranch to lease near Hereford. Also land to rent adjoining town. Apply to C. G. Witherspoon. 8-tf

OUR REGULAR

# Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

Begins Monday, July 2nd and will continue Through the Month

In order to make space for the mammoth stock of Furniture bought for fall trade (before the advance in prices) we propose to make this sale of double attraction to the public. Our June sale surpassed our expectations and we thank you for your liberal patronage.

**\$35.00 — THIRTY-FIVE DOLLARS — \$35.00**

in merchandise to be given away during the Clearance Sale. The special low range of prices for June will be in force for the July sale and in many instances some extremely low prices will be applied to close outs in various departments of our store. Our plan will be the same as used before. With each dollar purchase for cash you will receive a coupon bearing the same number as the one we keep. On the last day of July at 6 o'clock we will have a drawing for the prizes. 1st ticket drawn, the holder of the same number will receive \$20 in merchandise of your own selection. 2nd ticket, the holder will receive \$10 in merchandise. 3rd ticket, the holder will receive \$5 in merchandise. This is no catch penny plan, but simple, solid facts. We propose to give you first-class, honest values in all departments, at very moderate prices indeed and will give these prices as an inducement to trade now.

China and Japan Matting stock is overflowing--at never before such prices. Art Rugs, Small Rugs, Lace and Portier Curtains, Window Shades, etc.--all you want. Chamber Suits, Folding Beds, Iron Beds, Sideboards, Buffets--plenty of them. China, Glass and Queensware still goes cheap. See our big line new Pictures. All Sewing Machines, Carpeting and Rockers at prices to suit all.

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 dollar 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

**Big Land Trade.**  
C. W. and J. R. McFarling of Hereford, Texas have made quite a purchase of land south of town. They secured two sections adjoining from the W. & N. W. Railway and one section from A. J. Fires. They also leased two sections from Mr. Fires. The land is about three miles from town. While the greater part is rough there is lots of tillable lands to be found on the purchase. The section purchased from Mr. Fires contains at least four hundred acres of good farm lands, and we understand these gentlemen will build upon this section and put it into cultivation. They will move down as soon as arrangements can be made and make this place their future home.—Childress Index.

Referring to the above, it is but justice to Dr. McFarling as well as his brother to state that the Index speaks without authority in the above notwithstanding the fact that this splendid paper is usually very accurate in what it says. Immediately upon reading this notice the BRAND editor interviewed Dr. McFarling who assured us that he has never entertained such a thought as leaving Hereford, and speaking for his brother, he stated substantially the same. These gentlemen found a bargain in lands in Childress county and took advantage of the opportunity for a good investment; but they would have it understood that Hereford and Deaf Smith county is still their homes.

**Advertised Letters.**  
Remaining in the postoffice at Hereford for the week ending June 23, 1906.

B. C. Addison, Mrs. Julia Blair, J. W. Cameron, Arvie Campbell, Frank Crandler, G. E. Drew, Gus Ferch, H. P. Grimes, Hugh Horn, J. R. Mallan, George B. Martin, Miss Eska Lee Roberts, Miss Laura Roberts, Mrs. Nellie Riggle, Ben Smith, Mr. Starkney, A. L. Steel, Lee Steed (2), Mrs. Shem Wood, W. O. Young.

When calling for letters, please say "advertised." One cent will be charged for advertising.

W. J. WALTERS, P. M.

**Slaughter Interested.**  
Geo. Slaughter, president of the American National Bank of Roswell, was in Texico this week. Mr. Slaughter and his associates are interested in financing a railroad proposed from Hereford to either Stamford or Marionfield, Texas, touching at Dimmitt. The proposed road would cross the road from Texico to Brownwood at a point about sixty miles east of Texico. This crossing point is near the geographical center of a county, and situated as it is in a good country it will make an ideal location for a good town.—Texico Trumpet.

**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 HEREFORD PRESSING CLUB,  
43-tf Walter Orr, Proprietor.

**Land to Exchange.**  
To exchange for property in Hereford—160 acres of land in Artesia, New Mexico. Address box 144, Artesia, N. M. 19-4tf

The Anchor buggy is the best. 11tf

**Social Event.**  
Quite a nice and greatly enjoyed reception was given Tuesday afternoon from five till eight by Mrs. H. H. Hawkins in honor of her friend, Mrs. Marcy B. Boren, of Ft. Worth.

In addition to the much pleasure realized through happy and congenial social conversation, progressive forty-two was engaged in, the successful players being Mrs. J. W. Burks and Mrs. G. A. F. Parker. However, as several of the guests not sufficiently conversant with the game to do satisfactory playing, it was suggested that the giving of the prizes, souvenir spoons with date engravings, be decided by a drawing the result of which made Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Chas. L. Sullivan the lucky ones.

A beautiful and tasteful color scheme in pink and white was carried out by the hostess with carnations, sweet peas and graceful streamers from chandelier to corners of the dining table where delicious refreshments consisting of cherry and lemon cream, angel food and pink and white marquerites were served.

Besides the guest of honor as an out of town guest, there was present Miss Tarver of Belton, those from Hereford being Mesdames J. W. Burks, Geo. W. Barcus, Jno. P. Slaton, J. F. Easley, G. A. F. Parker and Chas. L. Sullivan.

**G. B. Burhans Testifies After Four Years.**

G. B. Burhans, of Carlisle, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick dust sediment, and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of any of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble." T. M. Coulson.

**Invests More Money.**  
There is perhaps not a man in Hereford who possesses a more abiding faith in the Panhandle than T. J. Graves of the firm of Graves, Elliston & Co. In addition to his already large holdings in this and Castro counties, Mr. Graves this week closed a deal by which he became the owner of the four-section ranch, formerly owned by J. A. Johnson of Castro and J. H. Bowers of Hereford. The deal also included 2000 head of high-grade sheep.

**Notice.**  
The Seventh Annual Reunion Stonewall Jackson Camp U. C. V. will meet in Canyon City this year on August 28, 29 and 30.

The committee have begun early and propose to advertise widely and to add new and unusual attractions, and make this the best of all these big meetings. 20-4t

**New Livery Stable.**  
J. W. Easterwood who has been here for several months for the benefit of his health is building a livery stable on the lots just east of the Tygret Hotel near the depot. Mr. Easterwood is originally from Waxahachie.

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

### 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

### HEADQUARTERS

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

Yours for Business

**BARNARD & CO.**

### 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.

**G. F. PEARCE, Prop.**

Tierra Blanco Herefords

L. R. BRADLY

BREEDER OF

Registered Hereford Cattle

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

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

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

### ...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

**Horses for Sale.**

I have two teams of good work horses which I will sell at a bargain. Apply to J. H. Bowers at Graves, Elliston & Co., Hereford, Tex. 17tf

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

For State Senator:  
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.  
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. ARMS-TRONG  
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:  
T. M. PALMER  
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:  
W. D. KELIEHOR

### Castro County

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

### INDICATES GREAT PROSPERITY

Elsewhere in this issue of the  
BRAND will be found the statements  
of our two local banks at the close  
of business, June 18th, which show  
both these institutions to be in a  
very prosperous condition.

Think of a small town of only  
2500 population, in the Panhandle  
of Texas, having two banks within  
her borders which carry a combined  
deposit subject to check of about  
\$400,000, and much of the time con-  
siderably more than this amount.

The prosperity of this immediate  
section is of a permanent nature and  
is such as is seldom witnessed in  
any of the older sections of the  
country.

HEREFORD has received her full  
quota of home-seekers this summer  
and it is remarkable to note the  
numerous actual buyers which come  
with each excursion. The trades of  
the last two excursions have been  
almost too numerous to publish in a  
local paper. Our fertile soil, shal-  
low water and delightful climate all  
combine to do the work of locating  
farmers. Hereford is doing more  
along the line of immigration than  
any other two towns on the plains  
combined.

J. M. SHAFER, the pioneer news-  
paper man of West Texas, who has  
operated the Herald at Plainview  
for ten or fifteen years is putting on  
considerable style of late, as a result  
of the advent of the new railroad.  
He has purchased new equipment,  
out and out, for his paper and is now  
putting out a 5 column quarto, which  
is in every particular a creditable  
sheet. May friend Shafer live long  
and prosper in his efforts to build up  
the plains country.

W. D. HORNE,  
ARCHITECT,

Office with Hereford Lumber Co.  
Hereford, Texas.

THE work of raising the necessary  
funds to erect a new public school  
building is being carried on with re-  
newed energy this week and it now  
begins to appear that almost every  
patron is anxious to have a hand in  
the providing of adequate room for  
our public school. The plan now  
undervisement is to build a substan-  
tial three-room frame building to  
relieve the crowded condition at the  
main building. This will accommo-  
date our public school interests for  
two or three years at which time we  
will be in a position to incorporate  
our district for school purposes and  
issue bonds for the erection of a  
brick structure which would be  
adequate for all time to come. This  
is a move in which everyone is vit-  
ally interested and it is pleasing in-  
deed to note that nearly everybody  
is giving substantial financial aid.  
We publish elsewhere in this issue a  
list of those who have already sub-  
scribed which list will be carried in  
the BRAND till the required amount  
is raised. If you have not yet been  
seen by the solicitors, you will con-  
fer a favor upon them by calling on  
W. B. Parmer or notifying the  
BRAND editor of the amount you  
wish to subscribe.

THE CANYON CITY NEWS this  
week issued a special 12-page edi-  
tion, consisting of about 7000 copies,  
which is one of the best advertise-  
ments for the Panhandle we have  
yet seen. While it is not quite so  
large as some illustrated editions  
which have preceded it, yet it con-  
tains a systematic compilation of  
facts from the able pen and brain of  
the editor, Geo. A. Brandon, which  
cannot help but result in untold  
benefit to the whole plains country  
in general and Canyon City and  
Randall County in particular. We  
heartily congratulate the News  
management upon their splendid  
success. The business men of Can-  
yon certainly will appreciate this  
edition.

Jr. B. Y. P. U. Program.  
The following is the Jr. B. Y. P.  
U. Program for Sunday July 8th:  
Reading of minutes.  
Subject—Courage.  
Leader—Edith Rayzor.  
Scripture Lesson—Joshua 1:1-7.  
Explanation of lesson—Mary Ella  
Coward.  
Solo—Maude Dean.  
Give the meaning of Courage—  
Herbert Rayzor.  
Why we need Courage to succeed  
in Life—Emily Dent.  
Recitation of Joshua 10:25—Zula  
Wood.  
Recitation of 11th Samuel 10:11—  
Leroy Richards.  
Song—Have Courage, my boy, to  
say no—Elzina Mounts, Pearl  
Mounts, Essie Smith and May  
Bourne.

Our need of Courage in Christian  
Life—Onida Irwin.  
Recitation of Psalm 31:24—Jim-  
mie Hubbert.  
Recitation of Isaiah 41:6—Louise  
McFarling.  
Recitation of 1st Cor. 16:13—  
Teddy Estes.  
Recitation of Ephesians 6:10—  
Rhyan Estes.  
Recitation—Be a Daniel—Jack  
Mounts.  
Song by Juniors—Stand up for  
Jesus.

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. 51f

Incorporation at Memphis.  
At the election held in Memphis,  
Texas, on the 18th inst., for the  
purpose of incorporating the town  
for municipal purposes, the measure  
carried by a small vote.

Other Panhandle towns would do  
well to follow in the footsteps of our  
neighbor at the foot of the plains.  
Mr. Holloway Coming.  
I take this method of notifying  
the public of Hereford and vicinity  
that I will arrive in that city the last  
of this week to engage in the practice  
of dentistry. Best of references  
given as to qualifications.

ROBERT HOLLOWAY,  
1t Round Rock, Texas.

Give us a chance, look at our  
goods. If they suit you we will  
make as low prices as any house in  
the Panhandle. J. G. Callens. 1t

J. L. FUQUA, President

C. W. DOBSON, 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. DOBSON, 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
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- 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 repre-  
sentations. 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 :: :: :: ::

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### Amarillo Steam Laundry

AMARILLO TEXAS  
All work promptly and neatly exe-  
cuted. Basket leaves Tuesday  
and returns Saturday. All  
laundry shall be cash.  
GEO. W. DALE, Local Agent

For Sale.  
80 acres for sale, north side, close  
in, some improvements, choice prop-  
erty, \$25.00 per acre, 5 per cent.  
commission allowed.  
J. D. BOURN,  
Hereford, Texas, 181f

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ford. If you need the proof,  
give us a trial and be con-  
vinced. 'Phone 87.

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Proprietors

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		258,005.16
			\$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	\$90,016.08	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

**Announcement.**  
Our meeting at Dimmitt will begin Saturday evening before the 4th Sunday in June. At Bovina Thursday evening before the 2nd Sunday in July. At Vega Saturday evening before the 1st Sunday in August. Bro. Waddill will be with us at Dimmitt, Bro. Fort at Bovina and Bro. Sherman will be with us most of the time at Vega.

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

V. H. TRAMMELL,  
Pastor Hereford Mission.

### Will Reduce Grade.

A corps of civil engineers have been at work in the vicinity of Hereford the past week with a view to putting the Pecos Valley track in condition for the heavy traffic which will pass over this line when the Texico "cut-off" is completed.

Their principal work here was in straightening the curves just west of town and reducing the heavy grades at the same place. This same work will be extended to all points on the line over which the California traffic will pass.

Barnard & Co. take orders for blackberries. See us. 18tf

### Mexico Mining.

Hermosillo, Lona, Mexico,  
June 13, 1906.

Mr. W. E. Robertson,  
Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir:—I find that it is necessary to have the property surveyed and monuments put up, and in order to do this I will have to have the original plat of the property and authority from the company before it will be legal; so if you wish that part of the work done before you come down, send me the plat by express, and authority to do the work; and I will see to it at once. We are getting the water down into the last drift in the shaft and I think we will be able to see what is in the bottom of the shaft by the last of this week or the first of next any way. I am going to take out powder and such material as will be necessary for blasting as we will need it as soon as we get the water out of the shaft. This is the first time I have been down to town since we come down. We have everything in shape now so that I don't think the yakies will try to bother us for we can stand off all the Indians in Sanora if we once get inside. I went after 5 o'clock, day before yesterday, and killed a fine (buck). I guess he had been living in CaMou's wheat by him being so fat. The boys are getting along fine, and feeling good over the prospects. We find some very rich ore and if we find that there is plenty of it you need not look for anything better, for I find some ore that is almost half silver.

When you come down bring some good smoking tobacco with you or your name will be dennis. 1t

Yours respectfully,  
A. J. NICKEL.

### About the Bonus.

Thus far the committee appointed to raise the bonus for the new railroad has made no systematic canvass, only a few hours having been devoted to the work in a haphazard way. The result is that only about \$8000 or \$9000 of the \$15,000 has been raised. However, the balance of this amount will be a short work when the committee gets down to work in earnest.

The committee at Dimmitt is doing some effective work, about \$10,000 already having been raised, leaving \$5000 yet to be raised.

This proposed road means much for this part of the Panhandle and everybody will do the right thing at the proper time.

### The Normal's Progress.

With the close of this, the second week of the Panhandle Summer Normal, much and deep interest is developing on the part of both instructors and pupils.

A number of new teachers enrolled for the term this week which now places the attendance at near the seventy mark. A united effort is being put forth by all concerned to accomplish the greatest possible good in the six weeks session.

A special feature of the Normal is a series of lectures which will be duly announced from time to time.

John Goley Veterinary Surgeon is prepared to pull and dress horses teeth and treat all kind of diseases. Will be in town next Saturday and next week. See me at Davis & Bell's land office. 17tf

### Additional Train Service for Colorado Tourists.

Beginning on the 10th inst the F. W. & D. C. Ry., ("The Denver Road") re-established double-daily train service between Fort Worth and Denver under faster schedules than ever before. These trains leave Ft. Worth at 9:45 a. m. and 8:45 p. m. and arrive at Fort Worth from Denver at 5:10 p. m. daily, thus preserving connections with all other Texas lines in both directions and affording Colorado Tourists all that could be desired. Each of these trains is operated solid between Fort Worth and Denver, and carry Pullman Palace Sleepers and also serve all meals in Superb Cafe Cars at City Prices upon the "Pay Only for what you Order" plan.

In connection with the foregoing, this company has placed in service additional trains between Fort Worth and Quanah, Texas, a distance of 192 miles, for the accommodation of local travel, and by reason of same has been enabled to reduce the time of through trains between Fort Worth and Denver more than two hours, all of which should and will be appreciated by Vacationists bound for "Cool Colorado" and by the traveling public generally. 19-4t

### Special Round Trip Rates

Account of Fourth of July, 1906. All Agents:

You are hereby authorized to sell round trip tickets between points on the Pecos System, between points on the Southern Kansas Railway of Texas; under the following conditions:

Rate, One fare for the round trip; Selling dates, July 3rd and 4th, 1906; Final limit, July 5, 1906.

D. L. MEYERS,  
Traffic Manager.

19-2t

### Texico to Celebrate.

This office this week turned out an order of large posters advertising the Fourth of July Picnic at Texico July 4th.

Elaborate preparations are being made and Hereford people have a special invitation to attend.

### Reunion Privileges.

All persons desiring to secure ground privileges at the Canyon City Reunion will make application to L. G. Conner who has supervision of sale of privileges. Reunion dates August 28, 29 and 30, 1906. 20-6t

### Church Notice.

Elder S. W. Smith of Bethel, New Mexico (generally known as a non-progressive Christian) will preach at the Court House in Hereford next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and at night. Everybody invited to attend.

### House For Sale.

I am offering for sale at a bargain my residence, consisting of four rooms, one acre of land well improved. Will take wagon and team as part payment. Balance cash. 20tf C. T. DOBBINS.

### 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

### Notice.

D. W. Crawford will take all your cast-off clothes for carpet rags. Please don't put them in your closets. 19-4t

## 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.  
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Greenville, S. C., May 12, 13, 14.

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Our market will be open on Sundays from 8 to 9 a. m. and 5 to 6 p. m. Remember the hours.

Very Respt. Yours

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# PURE DRUGS

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.

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## 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**

**PRAISES THE PANHANDLE**

J. A. Bourn of Pulaski, Iowa, recommends the Hereford Country to His Friends Through Home Paper.

Pulaski, Ia., June 12.

Editors Democrat:

After receiving several letters from my brother at Hereford and reading some literature, my curiosity was somewhat aroused to see and learn more of Northwestern Texas.

I feel that the journey proved very profitable, as well as a visit of pleasure. We often hear the question asked and wonder ourselves why this beautiful land of promise containing all of the qualities that are required of an agricultural soil, why it is not further advanced as an agricultural country. But this is really understood after learning that the state of Texas sold to a syndicate three million acres of this choice prairie land for the building of the state capitol and this syndicate has been grazing this land until quite recently, not knowing that it was so valuable for producing all kinds of grain and vegetables. The cattlemen had large tracts of land leased from the state, which barred the settler and gave the cattle industry full jurisdiction, but their control of the range being almost exhausted they will be compelled to give way to the homeseekers. We find quite an element of speculation among real estate men. This we predict cannot last long at present rate of immigration to that country. I firmly think that

the time is now at hand when the Panhandle of Texas will be developed and will find beautiful homes on every section and many one-half and one-fourth sections developed as in other parts of the country. The soil is of a dark chocolate loam and runs from 4 to 7 feet deep.

Crops of all kinds look quite promising, the season being more favorable than in Missouri or Iowa.

The staple crops are wheat, oats, maize, Kafir corn and some Indian corn. I inspected one piece of Macaroni wheat that we put at 30 bushels to the acre, it being the 2nd crop. This will more than pay for the land this year. Any one that is looking for a land proposition cannot beat this country. I expect to close a deal for 3 sections this week if things develop as I anticipate. I had the pleasure of seeing three antelopes grazing on the land referred to. I visited Amarillo, Canyon City and Hereford, all these places being in Panhandle country. Hereford is the choice of many homeseekers, the water question being more favorable which ranges from 40 to 125 feet, but the best I ever drank. Every one seems delighted with the water and climate which is equal to Colorado.

Hereford is a town 6 years old with 2,500 to 3,000 population is the county seat of Deaf Smith county with fine schools. Hereford is famous as a windmill town, said to have more windmills than any one town in the United States.

Land ranges in price from \$5 to \$20 per acre, accord to location and

the same land located in Iowa or Missouri would sell for \$60 to \$75. The opportunities will not last long. As evidence of this prediction the train that took me down last week carried over 100 home seekers and some speculators and none of them hesitated on investing in land after seeing such a promising country. I will be compelled to omit many things of interest which I would like to mention but am writing this on my road home rather hastily and am molested many times but should one who reads The Democrat become interested I would be glad to communicate with or see him. I have samples of all kind. This is plainer than words. Will again say the only way to fully understand the situation of things is to go and see for yourself, but if you want on the ground floor do not delay as procrastination is the thief of time.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH A. BOURN.

**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.

**Mules for Sale.**

I have a span of small mules I will sell at reasonable figures, \$175. Good for farm work. Apply to Robert Oden, 15 miles northwest of Hereford. 18tf

**NEW SANTA FE LINE**

**Rio Puerto-Tejico Extension Being Substantially Built.**

Chicago, Ill., June 20.—On the 262 miles of new line which the Santa Fe is building from Rio Puerto to Tejico the engineers are doing work that is extraordinary in the Southwest.

When this link in the system is finished the through freight from St. Louis, Chicago and Kansas City to San Francisco and Los Angeles will be diverted from the present main line via Lajunta to the lower grade line via Tejico. Possibly all the limited passenger trains from St. Louis, Chicago and Kansas City to San Francisco and Los Angeles will be operated over the new line.

This link will have a six-tenths grade from end to end. Every bridge will be built of concrete, and every unusually large bridge, such as the one which will be erected over the Pecos River, will be a massive steel structure. Every depot on the line and every roundhouse will be built of concrete. Every bridge and every mile of the road will be ballasted for permanent and easy service.

**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. 12tf

MAX ROBERTS.

**Notice to Sheep Men.**

President J. P. Carr has called a meeting of the Wool Growers' Association of Deaf Smith and Castro counties for Monday afternoon, July 2. A number of wool buyers are expected to be on hand and a full attendance of the members is desired.

**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.

**Rock Island Sleeping Car Line to Chicago.**

The Rock Island operates the only through sleeping car line from Texas to Chicago. Car leaves Dallas 7:00 p. m., Fort Worth 9:00 a. m. with through Sleeper to Kansas City, connecting thence with through car to Chicago.

Both of above trains carry new style chair cars, and high back coaches.

Very low tourist rates are in effect via the Rock Island to every notable tourist resort in the country, including St. Louis, Chicago, Kansas City, St. Paul, Denver, Colorado Springs, etc.

Full details will be given on application to MR. PHIL A. AUER, G. P. & T. A., CRI & R'y., Fort Worth, Texas. 17-4t

**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. Wither- spoon & Son, Hereford, Texas. 12tf

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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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NO. 5004

### Bank Statement.

Report of the Condition of The First National Bank at Hereford, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, June 18th, 1906:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$158,062.61
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	13,206.07
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,816.41
Bonds, securities, etc	468.39
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	4,265.34
Other real estate owned	3,236.97
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	44,437.00
Due from approved reserve agents	48,083.35
Checks and other cash items	2,664.70
Notes of other National Banks	835.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	151.77
<b>LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:</b>	
Specie	\$ 6,722.85
Legal-tender notes	3,000.00
	9,722.85
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,500.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$339,450.46</b>

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,432.77
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to approved reserve agents	38.22
Individual deposits subject to check	205,775.26
Time certificates of deposit	21,338.00
Reserved for taxes	1,866.21
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$339,450.46</b>

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH } SS.  
I, C. W. DODSON, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
C. W. DODSON, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of June, 1906.  
[SEAL] W. C. WITHERSPOON,  
Notary Public.  
CORRECT—Attest:  
J. L. FUQUA,  
L. GOUGH,  
R. J. KIBBE,  
Directors.

### Items From Hart.

Dry, dry, down this way just now and a good rain would be acceptable to those who remains.

Anderson Bros. have gone to parts unknown and when we learn more of them we will then have some more to say.

Mrs. J. N. Bryant and children with her daughter, Miss Ida will leave for Looney, Oklahoma; to visit Dr. J. P. Lee, but will return soon to leave for the southern country.

W. F. Stimson, a representative of the Hereford Nursery is now in town looking to the interest of the poor old nester and persuading him to plant trees and beautify his home and ranch. Mr. Stimson is a fine man and will fully comply with his contracts in every particular.

L. N. Hancock and family start for Hereford tomorrow to meet Mrs. Hancock's brother and sister of Sherman.

### RAILROAD MEETING.

A. H. Elliston in company with Maj. Jno. H. Ransom of Boulder, Colorado, advocate and promoter of the Panhandle Short Line met Jno. W. Woods an Attorney and speculator of Baird, Texas and C. M. Merreel and R. E. Hadley real estate men of Plainview with a few citizens of Hart. Railroad building and speculation ran real high and a grand and glorious time they had for several hours. Land selling was next in order and several sections changed hands at good prices.

Excuse a poor old nester that ought to be killing weeds.

I am respectfully,  
T. W. H.

### Camp Meeting Program.

The BRAND is now engaged in printing the programs for the Panhandle Camp Meeting which will be held in this city next month. The full program will appear in next week's issue.

L. A. Simpson and other Herefordites are attending the Masonic picnic and rally at Vega today.

Mrs. J. T. Inmon and children returned today from an extended visit with relatives at Brownwood and other Texas points.

O. C. Nuss of West Union, Iowa, this week purchased through the firm of Guinn, Lamkin & Arnold 5 sections of land in the north part of this county.

Send the BRAND "back yonder."

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WILL H. STONE, At Mrs. Buster's Hotel

### Misses Warren Entertain.

On Wednesday from five to seven in the afternoon, Misses Sudie Belle and Josephine Warren at the home of their sister, Mrs. Geo. W. Barcus, entertained with progressive forty-two party in honor of their friend, Miss Zoe Boyette, who is visiting them from Waco.

A color idea in pink and blue was brought out in the score cards and refreshments consisting of sandwiches and ice-tea.

The guests were: Misses Merline and Estelle Patton, Edna and Dede Allen, Millie and Addie Vaughan, Anna and Amber Collins, Maggie Ewbank, Essie Bourn and Mesdames Jack Garvin, Will Walters and Paul Barnett.

### For Sale.

Three sections of land four, five and six miles north of Hereford. All good farming land, small house, barn and out houses; all fenced and cross fenced. \$12.00 per acre. One-half cash, the other one-half in one, two and three years at 8 per cent interest. These figures will not last long. For further information write the owner.

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## 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.

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Mr. Connell Writes.  
Hillsboro, Texas, June 26, '06.  
Mr. J. Ray,  
Editor of the BRAND,  
Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir:  
Enclosed, I hand you check for \$1.00 for which you will please advance any subscription to the BRAND for one year. I am glad to note the continued prosperity of your section of country, and especially so that of the BRAND. Your paper by its persistent efforts to show up the advantages of the plains country has contributed largely to bring about that prosperity, and richly deserves the liberal patronage that is being given to it by your good people. I am, yours very truly,  
J. P. CONNELL.

**Gov. Browning Will Lecture.**  
We are requested to announce that Gov. J. N. Browning will lecture for the Panhandle Summer Normal in this city on Friday evening, July 6th, at the Presbyterian church.

His subject will be "How our laws are made".  
While the lecture is for the benefit of the Normal students, everybody is cordially invited to attend.

**For Sale.**  
I am offering my residence in West Hereford, also my household goods and a good organ for sale. Call at residence for terms. 19-1f  
MRS. E. J. JACKSON.

The Anchor buggy is the best. 1f

**Olton Community**

Rev. Winn filled his regular appointment Saturday and Sunday. Bro. Winn was accompanied by Bro. Williams of Hale Center who is to be our pastor for another year.

Misses Zola and Evelyn Storm of Arney were visiting their uncle, Chas. Keenan and family Saturday and Sunday.

T. F. Brown of Olton went to Canyon City again this week after supplies.

J. Z. Powell formerly of Olton, but who now resides at Plainview attended church Sunday.

Mr. Ogden and his son, Walter, are fencing this week.

E. W. Green is dipping and de-horning cattle this week.

A surveying crew of the Santa Fe Railroad Co., passed through Olton over the right-of-way from Texico to Plainview last week. Look out for the cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols of Lockney are the guest of their daughter, Mrs. Cowart this week.

BUDDIE.

**Presbyterian Church.**

Bible school opens at 10 o'clock on the Sabbath.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

WM. G. KEIRY, Minister.

\* Drink Sulphur water.

**ARNEY NEWS.**

Dr. McFarling of Hereford was called to see Raymond Holden last Tuesday.

Mr. Storm and Walter Donald purchased a binder last week.

Mr. Crum had a very severe attack of toothache last week, but is better at this writing.

Wheat cutting is in full blast, fifteen bushels per acre is the average expected.

Miss Evelyn Storm visited Miss Zola at Hart Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Lona Holden has returned from her claim in Beaver county. She was accompanied home by her sister Mrs. Pearl McGowan.

W. D.

**Rock Island Sleeper to Colorado.**

Daily, from June 3rd, the Rock Island will operate a through sleeping car to Denver, leaving Dallas 7:00 p. m. and Fort Worth 9:00 p. m. reaching Denver 8:30 second morning.

Very low tourist rates will apply this route, and full details can be obtained by addressing 17-4t  
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**Land Wanted.**

Wanted to buy a good, smooth half section or section of land not over ten miles from Hereford. If any improvements are on land, state what the improvements consist of, also the distance land is from Hereford and in what direction.

Address LOCK BOX 406,  
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Better see L. Gough about it. 1f

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The First National Bank will buy land notes. 91f

Mrs. J. B. Stone is visiting in Amarillo today.

Allan G. Bell is in Gainesville this week on business.

Wanted—A good cook at Richard's restaurant at once. 20-1f

Alex Wright has been removed to Amarillo for medical attention.

Special bargains in our 10 and 15 cent counters. Barnard & Co. 1f

Men's and boy's pants and hats at a great bargain. J. G. Callens.

A slaughter sale on men's and children's low shoes and slippers. J. G. Callens. 1t

We are carrying a very large line of gloves. Don't buy till you see them. J. G. Callens. 1t

Call No. 78 for fresh home ground meal. Every sack guaranteed. W. H. Laswell, the mill man. 201f

Elder J. C. Mason left today for Paradise to attend the District Mission Convention.

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Bring your corn and threshed grain to W. H. Laswell, the mill man, Hereford, Texas. Phone No. 78. 201f

We are the only house in Hereford that carries a full line of fruits. Call on us. Give us your trade. J. G. Callens. 1t

Alex Strachan and J. W. Booth, two of the owners of the Collier ranch north of town, whose homes are in Oregon, are in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Ball returned Sunday from Temple where the latter had been several weeks for medical treatment.

G. F. A. Robertson of Amarillo is installing a blacksmith shop in the iron building belonging to T. J. Graves on North Dewey Avenue.

The play given at the Stone Opera House on Thursday evening by the Hereford Dramatic Co. was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by all. The fact that Hereford has some excellent local talent was plainly evinced.

We have one Waller H. Wood 7 ft. harvester and binder that we will close at \$100, 1-2 cash balance in deferred payments. Call and see us. The machine guaranteed. 19-1f  
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Everything good to eat at Bar-  
nard & Co.'s. 9tf  
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Barnard & Co.'s. 9tf

Wall paper stock full up. Prices  
below wholesale at Black's. 19tf  
T. M. Palmer is visiting relatives  
and friends in Wichita Falls this  
week.

Gov. J. N. Browning, candidate  
for district judge, was in the city  
Tuesday.

See residence lots in Higgins ad-  
dition before purchasing. W. B.  
Boyd, agent. 14tf

For Sale—A good milch cow.  
Apply to T. B. Kellow, Hereford,  
Texas, for terms.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cardwell have  
returned from a visit with relatives  
in Central Texas.

W. P. Armstrong and family left  
Wednesday for Merkel where they  
expect to make their home.

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

Prof. Horace Russell came down  
from Amarillo Monday for a few  
days visit with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swims of Wil-  
barger County are guests of their  
friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eng-  
lish, this week.

A. Lowther of Colorado has been  
in the city for several days this  
week, the guest of his brother-in-law,  
Rev. W. G. Keiry.

Good farms and ranches for sale  
at great bargains in Castro county.  
See me for terms. Max Roberts,  
office with E. F. Gonnell, Hereford,  
Texas. 17tf

J. A. Bourn, who was recently  
prospecting in Hereford and visit-  
ing his brother, J. D. Bourn, has  
purchased the Eubanks section two  
miles north of town.

Joe E. Rhea was in the city  
Wednesday from Bovina. Mr.  
Rhea informs us that his big ranch  
near that place has been almost  
completely disposed of to northern  
homeseekers.

The BRAND editor and wife are  
now homeless; they having sold  
their residence this week to W. B.  
Arnold who has decided to make  
Hereford his home. The considera-  
tion was \$2100.00 cash.

C. A. Smith, assistant cashier of the  
Waukomas, O. T., National Bank  
was a business caller in the city a  
few days this week. Mr. Smith,  
with others, owns a five section  
ranch in the Carr community north-  
west of town.

E. R. Casteel and T. D. Coin of  
Princeton and Cainesville, Missouri,  
are among the latest additions to the  
BRAND's subscription list. Both  
gentlemen are engaged in the laud-  
able work of inducing immigration  
to the Panhandle.

A deal was closed this week where-  
by Robert Humphrey sold his home  
place, consisting of 170 acres just  
north of town, to Prof. D. W. Haw-  
kins, taking in exchange a section  
of land belonging to the latter and  
situated west of Hereford.

S. S. Evans this week sold to E.  
R. Garten of Iowa 240 acres of land  
lying about one mile north of town,  
consideration being \$6000. Mr.  
Garten bought this tract for a home  
and will move his family here as  
soon as he can improve same.

John A. Benson of New Windsor,  
Illinois, was in the vicinity of Here-  
ford several days this week in search  
of a land investment. Mr. Benson  
purchased 960 acres a few miles  
north of town and thinks of moving  
his family here a little later on.

William Havenhill of Runnels  
County was in Hereford several  
days this week, the guest of his  
friend, J. M. Sybert. Mr. Haven-  
hill will move his family here be-  
tween now and September 1st for  
the benefit of our College and public  
school.

Prof. A. C. Elliott and Earl Gough  
returned Saturday from Dimmitt,  
Tulia and other South Plains points  
where they had been distributing  
advertising literature for the Pan-  
handle Christian College. It is the  
intention of the management to  
place one of the 34 page catalogs in  
every West Texas home.

The Anchor buggy is the best. 1f  
Evaporated salt cheap at Barnard  
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For choice residence lots see W.  
B. Boyd. 14tf

Mrs. Houghton of Memphis is  
visiting Mrs. L. Gough this week.

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

W. S. Higgins called Saturday to  
have the BRAND sent to his daugh-  
ter, Miss Maude, at Old Fort, Tenn.

H. B. McKinley and family re-  
turned this week from a visit with  
relatives and friends in Hill County.

F. B. Fuller came in Saturday  
from California and is again at home  
as cashier of the Western National  
Bank.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cash came  
up Monday and took Tuesday's  
train for Roswell, where they will  
take a several days' vacation.

Our stock of ladies, men's and  
children's shoes and slippers is com-  
plete, come and see the goods. Our  
prices are reasonable. J. G. Callens.

C. E. McLean of Dimmitt was in  
the city a few days this week. Mr.  
McLean is on the committee for  
raising Castro's bonus for the new  
road.

Good farms and ranches for sale  
at great bargains in Castro county.  
See me for terms. Max Roberts,  
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Texas. 17tf

Frank Smith of Onega, Kansas,  
left for his home this week after  
spending several days in the vicinity  
of Hereford looking after his ranch  
interests.

Just received new lines hosiery,  
embroideries, laces, ladies vest, lace  
curtains and many other things at  
the Best Bargains in Hereford. J.  
G. Callens. 1t

Grayson Bell has purchased the  
Presbyterian manse near the college  
and will move there as soon as he  
can get possession. Consideration  
was \$2300.

Ross W. Davis and family have  
taken their departure for Waxaha-  
chie where they expect to visit for a  
time. Mr. Davis has not, as yet,  
decided where he will locate.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, specialist  
on diseases of the eye, ear, nose and  
throat, of Amarillo, Texas, will be  
in Hereford July 25th and 26th lo-  
cated at the offices of Drs. Hicks  
and Rogers. 4tf

J. B. Miller came in from Stam-  
ford this week to visit his parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Miller. Mr.  
Miller has been in the mercantile  
business until recently when he dis-  
posed of the business.

Miss Edith Prestidge of Alvarado  
arrived last week, the guest of Mrs.  
O. W. Dean. Miss Prestidge has  
decided to spend the summer in  
Hereford, during which time she  
will teach a class in music.

Miss Lee and mother of Louis-  
ville, Kentucky, arrived this week  
and will make Hereford their home.  
Miss Lee has made office arrange-  
ments with Judge Gough and will do  
stenographic work for the public.

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell came down  
from Amarillo Wednesday to attend  
to the wants of his large list of pa-  
tients. The doctor has been unable  
to make regular visits to Hereford  
of late owing to serious sickness in  
his family.

J. F. Barker put a full force to  
work Monday morning in the erec-  
tion of a four room residence in  
North Hereford. The BRAND is  
glad to note that Mr. Barker is  
making preparations for a permanent  
residency in Hereford.

H. J. Houck of the firm of Cock-  
rell & Houck of this city arrived  
with his family from Princeton,  
Missouri, last week and is now busily  
engaged in the arrangement of his  
firm's furniture stock on North Dewey  
Avenue.

W. H. Deshler, an experienced  
architect of Princeton, Missouri, is  
now in the city to assist in the es-  
tablishment of the stone plant of  
Messrs Hill & Robinson. Also  
Chas. Hamilton, Gory Brummett  
and William Todke of Princeton are  
here for the same purpose.

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of Lakeview 106040. Have now 15 nice young bulls in  
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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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I think that Ayer's Hair Vigor is the most wonderful hair-grower that was ever made. I have used it for some time and I can truthfully say that I am greatly pleased with it. I cheerfully recommend it as a splendid preparation. — Miss V. Brock, Wayland, Mich.

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**Ayer's** SARSAPARILLA, PILLS, CHERRY PECTORAL.

### Installing Brick Plant.

Some weeks ago, it was announced that Messrs. Hill & Robinson of Princeton, Missouri, had decided to install a plant for the manufacture of concrete brick and stone in Hereford. These gentlemen are now on the ground with their machine and are engaged in the erection of buildings and installing their machinery on lots near the right-of-way a block east of the depot.

These gentlemen have had considerable experience in the manufacture of concrete blocks and their coming to Hereford will give additional impetus to the large volume of building now going on here.

They bring with them architects and are in a position to erect the buildings from foundation to roof. Already several plans have been turned to Messrs. Hill & Robinson for their estimate and it is believed that there will be two or three fine concrete business houses built at an early date as well as several large residences.

The proposition now under advisement is to ship the sand from Miami as that is supposed to be about the best building sand in this part of the state.

### List Your Lands.

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

## CLEO COMMUNITY.

A. J. Owen made a business trip to Hereford last week.

W. H. Gilbreath will finish shearing his sheep this week.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Williams is still sick.

Crops are looking well considering the continued dry weather.

Emmett and Clarence Dixon visited Leland Smith last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Estes, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Greer of this neighborhood last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Burch and daughter, Miss Mattie, are attending the Primitive Baptist meeting at Silverton.

Our summer school will begin on the 20th inst. Our teacher's name is Miss Scott. She came in from Hamilton county on the 17th.

We are having some very dry weather right in this immediate neighborhood, but has rained plenty east and south-east of here.

Everybody in this part of the country is cutting wheat and oats (or those that can get a binder) I should have said. The crop is fairly good I think.

W. S. D.

### 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.

14tf W. B. POYD.

### Sunday's Wedding.

J. E. Hood of Dalhart and Miss Edna Griffis of Paris were united in marriage in this city at the home of A. E. Argo on last Sunday afternoon, Rev. O. W. Dean officiating. The young couple will make their home in Dalhart.

### Show Cases for Sale.

I have for sale at a bargain 3 six-foot show cases. Apply to HERBERT O. PARK. 17tf

List your land's with Slade & Bassett at Amarillo, Texas. 43tf

## Bank Statement.

Report of the Condition of The Western National Bank at Hereford, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, June 18th, 1906:

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	\$251,918.13
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,332.21
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,500.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	5,600.00
Other real estate owned	2,644.50
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	1,719.06
Due from State Banks and Bankers	3,273.50
Due from approved reserve agents	17,413.75
Checks and other cash items	50.30
Notes of other National Banks	690.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	38.46
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	\$19,755.20
Legal-tender notes	2,001.00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) 2,500.00

Total \$361,436.11

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	3,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	18,462.46
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to State Banks and Bankers	3,242.37
Individual deposits subject to check	171,399.96
Time certificates of deposit	43,832.32
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,499.00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	20,000.00
Liabilities other than those above stated	None

Total \$361,436.11

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH ss.  
I, Ross W. Davis, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ROSS W. DAVIS, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22th day of June, 1906.  
[SEAL] JNO. P. SLATON,  
Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:  
G. A. F. PARKER,  
W. S. HIGGINS,  
G. R. HAY. } Directors

### Is Not Crazy.

Gatesville, Tex., June 1, 1906.  
Mr. J. P. Wood,  
Hereford, Texas.

Dear Jim:—I got home day before yesterday. Found the folks all well except that Effie has a very sore eye. I went up to Channing and out to Dumas. Did not find anything that suited me as well as the Hereford country.

I have placed what I have on the market and have one or two prospective purchasers for my farm now. I don't know whether I will be able to sell or not, but if I can will be with you in August.

I am afraid I have ruined my reputation for "truth and veracity" telling what I saw on the plains. I am expecting to be "pulled" any time on a charge of "lunacy." I tell them that it is the people here that are crazy and not me. If I get "pulled" I shall expect the people of Hereford to furnish evidence to show that the people here are crazy and not me.

Keep your eyes open for bargains in a residence. Also look out for a house to rent. If I can sell here, if I can't buy there will want to rent until I can buy. Let me hear from you. Will write you again as soon as I see further. Regards to all.  
Yours,  
J. R. McCLELLAN.

### For Sale.

A choice section of patented land only 4 miles from Nazareth in Castro County. This is a fine section and has shallow water. The low price of \$8.00 per acre will get it. Will give terms on half the amount at 7 per cent. interest. Apply at BRAND office for particulars. 18tf

### Big Land Deal.

J. N. Ivy this week sold his eight section ranch situated 22 miles north of Hereford to a company of local capitalists, composed of A. P. Murchison, J. D. Thompson, G. A. F. Parker, J. L. Wilson, H. B. McKinley and J. W. Hall. Terms private.

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