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HEREFORD, TEXAS, APRIL 26, 1907

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INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE.

The Canadian College Defeated the Panhandle Christian College Last Friday Night.

On last Friday night, April 19th, the debate between the Panhandle Christian College of this place and the Canadian Academy of Canadian was "pulled off" in the College Auditorium. The subject was, "Resolved, that the Phillipines should be Given Immediate Independence," which was represented on the affirmative by Chas. S. McDonald and James P. Carr of the Canadian Academy, the negative by Earl Wilson and Elmer Dameron of the Panhandle Christian College.

After a few selections of piano and instrumental music, the "battle royal" began. Hon. G. W. Barcus many friends while here.

of Hereford, Rev. Wilson of Clarendon and Judge Buie of Canyon City were selected as judges. The debate was intensely interesting from start to finish and both sides of the question was handled with great skill. The boys showed that great preparation had been made and that they had spent a great deal of time and study on the question. They all acquitted themselves well and in a creditable manner to their respective colleges. At the close of the speeches the decision of the judges was rendered two to one in favor of the Canadian boys. Although the P. C. C. boys were defeated they brought great credit and honor to their institution in their first intercollegiate debate, and this will only serve to make them strive all the more in other contests.

The Canadian boys won a great

Rain and Snow at Hereford.

Beginning last Friday night and continuing almost without intermission until Monday morning a good season of rain and snow fell at Hereford. The temperature reached as low as twenty-four degrees, but we had nothing like the zero weather that was reported from this place. The lowest temperature was reached at night, in the day time it being above the freezing point. The rain and snow has put a fine season in the ground, and without injuring vegetation, except of the tenderest growth.

This precipitation is worth millions of dollars to the Panhandle. Some of the farmers had begun to put on long faces on account of the engineer and has had a great deal of continued dry spell, but now their experience in railroad surveying. countenances have changed and they He was the original surveyor of the work, once well under way, will be say there is sufficient season in the old Texas Central Railroad in East- pushed to completion rapidly. ground to insure the small grain =

For Sale.

For the next 30 days I will sell my six room residence, with one acre of ground, house ready furnished. This will also include one Jersey cow, fresh, and about 40 chickens. Price \$3200. -S. J. Williams, Hereford, Texas.

Baptist Meeting Continues:

The meeting at the Baptist church continues with renewed interest and zeal after the cold spell of the latter part of last week and the first of this. Rev. Dean, the pastor, has secured the services of Elder S. R. Corruth, pastor of the Baptist church at Memphis, Texas, to do the preaching. Elder Corruth is an earnest Christian worker and a strong preacher. A great deal of interest is being manifested and quite a number have already been converted and reclaimed, and the church has been tenefited in no small degree.

Herbert Reynolds and wife of Dallas, Gospel singers, have charge of the music. Mr. Reynolds is an excellent choir leader and a good singer. The evening services are being largely attended, the building being hardly large enough to hold the crowds. The morning services are also well attended.

'or Sale.

1 span larg mules; 1 span good work horses; several head fine registered Hereford bulls, different ages; also about 110 head high grade Hereford two year old heifers and about the same number two year old steers. All at reasonable prices. See or address J. E. Tucker & Co., Dimmitt, Texas, or D. C. Laird, Hereford, Texas.

SURVEYORS IN THE FIELD.

Full Corpse at Work on Panhandle Short Line Railroad Out of Hereford.

Col. J. T. Ransom has let the contract for surveying this end of the Panhandle Short Line Railroad to Hans Helland, a civil engineer of Waxahachie. Mr. Helland has a full corpse of surveyors and they have been at work all this week. Beginning at the Tierra Blanco river south of town in the early part of the week they have surveyed and set the stakes as far as Frio creek, about five miles south.

Mr. Helland is an expert civil

ern Texas, now known as the Texas Midland. Mr. Helland expects to reach Dimmitt with his surveying crew by the latter part of this week or the first of next.

Col. Ransom informs us that the grading contract will be let next Saturday or Monday and the work will be begun right away. He is keeping the letter of the contract by beginning the road "on or before the first of May." Actual work was begun about a month ago by grading across the Santa Fe road to the Tierra Blanco, and from there it will be taken up and graded south through the different counties that have entered into contract with Col.

Grading outfits will be brought here in a very short time and the

### GOOD CLOTHES M A MINUTE

Did you ever get a call on short notice to go out of town or attend some affair, and felt the need of proper clothes? It comes frequently to most men, and most men hereabouts come right to our store for they know we sell Schwab Clothes that fit in a minute—and the prices fit too. \$10 to \$25.



Geo. A. Stambaugh Hereford, Texas

# SEASON OF 1907

Maple Stock Farm

Saddle and Harness Stallion

Will make the season one mile south of Hereford. Artest Pedigree: He was sired by Old Artest, his dam by Kentucky saddle mare Artist has proven himself to be one of

the best sires of saddle and harness horses in Montgomery County, Mo. He has as many friends as any Stallion in Montgomery County.

Black Prince, Black German Coach Horse is one of the best all purpose horses known. Owned by Seabears & Brothers.

Pedigree of Clyde Clyde was sired by Charous Wonder. Record No. 7816. Grand Sire King of Topsonian. Record No. 1119 Great-grand sire Irvin. Dam of Bismark a full blooded many and Taised at Grimnell, Iowa.

Redigrac of Jack BLACK BOB is a mamoth 15 1-2 hands high, (Jack measure) 5 years old. Was sired by Crow's Big Jack, he by Mason's Black Jack, he by Hoble Knee, mammoth of Kentucky, who sold for \$1,800.00. Mother of Crow's Jack by Daughtery Maringo, mammoth of Tennessee; he by Great Western, who sold for \$2,100.00. Mother of Black Bob was a very large Jennet, 15 hands high. She was sired by Black Morgan, a fine black Jack 15 1-2

hands high, Black Hawk Morgan by Turley big Jack; he by Weatherford Jack.

Look Black Bob's Pedigree over and I will leave this to you if you can find a better bred Jack in Texas than him, a better individual than him, my advice is to breed to him. Parties who have Jeunets to breed call and see this Jack, as I don't think you can find as good Jack in this part of Texas.

Terms of Breeding for 1907.

ARTEST, \$20.00 to insure colt to stand up and suck. BLACK PRINCE, \$12.00 to insure colt to stand up and suck. CLYDE \$15.00 to insure colt to stand up and suck. JACK, \$15.00 to insure colt to stand up and suck.

JACK to Jennet, \$20.00 for Jennet colt or \$40.00 for Jack colt (If you prefer you can breed by the season, \$10.00 for Artest, \$7.50 for Clyde, \$7.50 for Jack, with return privilege next year. Money due when mare is bred.) Not responsible for accidents or escapes, but due care will be taken to prevent the same. Colts to stand good for season of colts. Money due when mare is sold or parted with, without written permit from me. Pasture furnished reasonable for mares from a distance. SEASON CLOSES JULY 15, 1907. No service rendered on Sunday.

Jack Johnson, MANAGER OF STOCK

T. A. PEW.

Poland China Pigs for sale. Brown Leghorn eggs for sale 25 cents for 15.

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TS our stock of Hardware, Implements, Windmills, Barb Wire and Vehicles. Those MONEY MAKING FRIENDS OF THE FARMERS, THE SUCCESS SULKY and SUCCESS GANG PLOWS, are our leaders. Put in your spring wheat with our SUPERIOR GRAIN DRILLS and your crop is started on the road to success. Our KATYDID Sod Plows, Gang Rod Breakers, Canton Double Lever Disc Harrows, Canton Two and Three Section Drag Harrows, Canton and Moline Disc Plows, Baker Perfect Barb Wire, American and Ellwood Hog Fence, Bain & Mitchell Wagons, Enterprise Buggies, Surries and Hacks, and the GREAT ECLIPSE WINDMILLS are the FINISHED results of the highest quality of material and skilled workmanship that money can produce. Our stock of everything in the Hardware Dealers Lines are large and complete. Our desire is to give all a square deal and full value for their money in all things.

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CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING

Interesting Talks Made on Subjects of Civic Improvement.

The Civic League of Hereford met at the court house on Tuesday evening, April 16th. The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. Taliaferro. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Committees, Judge Gough, chairman of the committee on Constitution and By-Laws, asked for more time, which was granted.

A motion was made by Judge Gough to appoint three more committees, viz: A Street, a Park and a Public and a Public School Grounds Committee. The following were appointed:

Street Committee-L. A. Hough, chairman, J. P. Snyder, Mrs. W. H. Russell, Mrs. W. M. Cogdell and L. A. Stroud.

Public School and Public Grounds Committee-G. W. Barcus, chairman, T. J. Graves, Miss Pearl Turrentine, Mrs. Irwin and Miss Dameron.

Park Committee-W. G. Ross, chairman, Mrs. Mounts, Mrs. Price, stranger notices first the appearance these lines and see what is being Mrs. Delphia Cox.

L. P. Landrum and Mrs. Irwin.

There were a great many present who were absent at the former meeting and when asked to make short talks along the line of civic improvement responded readily. Several who had been absent in Northern and Eastern towns and others living elsewhere gave interesting talks. In the general discussions, among other things it was decided that the Under the head of the Report of best way to have a sanitary pig-pen was to do without the pig. Other topics of interest were discussed.

Mr. Snyder said, in part: "Hereford looks better to me now than any place I have been. Am in favor of securing funds at an early date to carry on this good business. Sidewalks-there is where I am with you to the finish."

Mr. Meachum of Missouri :- "I am not a resident of your beautiful town and hesitate to suggest anyplace and each would have to carry home a more pleasant remembrance of Hereford."

of your main street. It is wise to done elsewhere. Keep on with your put down side walks now while stran- good work." gers are visiting your town. Nice walks are a credit to a town this were said which added interest to size. Now a person of Hereford the meeting. The meeting adjournmight walk on side walks that are so uneven in safety but a gentleman Monday night, April 29th, at 8:30. from Minnesota could not." (Laugh-

Mr. Grim of Coleman :- "If you will make Hereford attractive now, ten years later you will not recall with regret, 'Oh, if we had just thought of that ten years ago.' It is possible to have a vision of the beautiful city, not only a material city but with esthetic ideas. We do not like to hear if this place were as pretty as where I came from. You can have it even more so. Let this place be known not only for the fine and numerous cattle, the waving wheat fields, or even for the many railroads which run through, but for thing but if you people will push a community of high ideas, culture that side walk question and have and refinement. Hereford is one of nice crossings I am sure we could the nicest towns I have ever seen. 'show' more Missourians about your Other places are attractive but I want to say without any exception that Hereford is the most attractive town of all. Let me advise this club Gentleman from Minnesota :- "A to take some art magazine along

A great many other good things ed to meet at the court house next

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100 acres of land in good state of cultivation. Already disced and doubledisced. Must be planted in cotton. Farm located 1-2 mile south of Here-Will furnish house and plenty of other work to right party. / Apply to S. L. Boone, Hereford, Texas. 11-3t

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We have some choice residence lots in Evants addition, adjoining College campus, size 52x175 feet. As we have only a few of these lots left, we will sell them for \$10 a lot less than similar lots can be bought J. P. SNYDER LAND Co., Hereford, Texas.

WANTED .- Several fat chickens

Special Notice.

We are closing up our Hereford business, and respectfully ask all parties who are indebted to us to call at Johnson - Gary Hardware Co's store and arrange to settle same on or before May 1st. After that date we expect to transfer all unsettled notes and accounts to our Amarillo office.

Yours truly,

Stringfellow-Hume Haw Co.

Notice to the Public.

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

\$8.00 per Acre.

For a patented section in Castro county, 3 miles of Nazareth. See C. R. Smith. 10-tf

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Is the term which describes conditions at our lumber yard. We anticipated, several months ago, a large demand for building material and hence placed large orders for everything in lumber, doors, sash, paints, varnishes, etc. We are selling all these at low prices as compared with those at other western points, and will be glad to figure with those contemplating building. =

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Our stock of **GROCERIES** so complete and our goods so FRESH that we have no hesitancy in saying that we can please everyone, & & & & Our policy is to sell THE BEST GROCERIES for the LEAST money If you will investigate, you will find this to be our record.

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Hereford, Texas

Mt. Calm, Texas, April 21, 1907 drilled regulars. TO THE EDITOR OF THE BRAND:

I have been thinking of subscribing for the BRAND for some time, but have neglected it. I enclose fifty cents for which please send me the BRAND. I have read several of the West Texas papers; the Amarillo paper, the Albany paper, and think the BRAND is the newslest paper of them all and really like the tone of it. It seems to be on the right side all the time. / Yours truly,

P. H. BURKHALTER.

For Sale.

nice bundle sorghum.

BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO

universary of Texas Indepen Observed by Banks and

On account of the 21st of April coming on Sunday this year, Monday was observed as a holiday throughout the state of Texas. At this place only the banks and the postoffice took advantage of the holiday. It was observed generally, though, throughout the Northern, Eastern and Southern parts of the state by the public schools, and in a great many places by closing all of the stores in honor of the great event it commemorates.

We were asked by a great many people why the postoffice and banks were closed on that day, and for the benefit of a great many who have lately moved here from other states and are not familiar with Texas history, we give the following:

Seventy-one years from April 21st (last Sunday), was fought the great battle of San Jacinto between the Texans and Mexicans, and from which date is determined the independence of Texas. For a long time Texas had been struggling to free herself from the tyranny of the Mexican yoke and every Texas school boy and girl remembers full well the horrors of that long and unevenly matched contest. How our brave men were butchered at the Alamo, and ambushed and murdered at Goliad. Finally, when it seemed that everything possible had been done on the Texas side and when the Mexicans thought they had their adversaries whipped, our men under Houston determined to make one more hard struggle for liberty. The small band of Texans numbered only 743 raw recruits, while the Mexicans had between 1300 and 1400 well

On the morning of the 20th of April Santa Anna was informed by a scout that the Texans were coming, and had already captured a number of the stragglers of his army. This took the Great Napoleon of the West, as he proudly called himself, by surprise and he dashed out of the amid the wild shouts and cries of the day and was brought trembling becity at full speed, shouting : "The Texans. After exchanging a few enemy are coming! The enemy are coming!" This announcement and the mad and strange conduct of their general threw the Mexican army into great confusion. Finally order was See Fred Millard if you want some restored and a line of battle was 4-tf formed just outside the city, but

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We have just received a car lot of beautiful Ranges and Stoves, from the smallest to the largest, We can sell you a nice Range from \$25.00 on up.

Don't fail to see our full line of wagon, hack and light driving Harness. We sell the only Tennison Bros. No. 44 collar, the best collar on the market.

We sell Windmills, Imperial Steel Mill, which has either direct or geared stroke. Althouse Wheeler and the Standard wood mills.

Our line of Machinery is complete. Inspect our line of Builder's Hardware

### We Have It FOR SALE

no enemy was in sight. At about 2 selves into the angry stream and o'clock in the afternoon Houston and perished rather than to face the terhis handfull of men appeared and Santa Anna opened fire upon them with his small artillery, but with lit- were killed and twenty-five wounded, tle result. After exchanging a few shots the Mexican skirmishers the latter. advanced but were received with a fire that promptly drove them back, more shots Santa Anna withdrew and established his camp in front of the West that he would be protected. deep marshes of the San Jacinto river.

On the morning of April 21st, after spending the night under double guard, the Texans arose early, cooked their breakfast and awaited the orders of their general. A council of war was held, after which Houston summoned Deaf Smith (for about eight miles above the camp, and over which both armies had to pass to get away from the position they held. Accordingly, Deaf Smith and his companion destroyed the bridge, "the only means of escape for either rmy, and made the coming battle a struggle for life and death."

In the afternoon Houston gave orders for his troops to form into line of battle. At 4 o'clock the order was given to advance, and the eager, restless Texans who had been waiting impatiently all day for the attack, moved forward with a rapid march and finally quickened their pace into a dead run. When near the enemy's fortifications, Deaf Smith dashed up on his horse and shouted : "You must fight for your lives! Vince's bridge has been cut down!" The Texans delivered a volley then dashed forward with terrific yells, "Remember the Alamo! Remember Goliad!" Santa Anna had given up all hope of an attack that day and was in his tent enjoying his "siesta" and many of his officers were lounging around lazily. They were taken entirely by surprise and thrown into the greatest confusion. Some of the Mexicans were driven into the marshes of the San Jacinto river and were there killed with little trouble. Others fled to Vince's bridge, hoping to escape, but it had been destroyed and they threw them-

lible foe in front. Six hundred and thirty Mexicans were killed and 208 wounded. Of the Texans, only six General Houston being included in

Santa Anna escaped from the battle field but was captured the next fore the wounded general, who assured the Great Napoleon of the

Cheap Town Lots.

I have some 56x140 just east of nursery. \$150 each. Easy terms. B. M. HESTER, Hereford, Texas.

Postoffice for Friona.

The government has established a postoffice at Friona, in Parmer County. Mrs. Sarah D. Olson has been appointed Postmistress.

For Sale.

I have for sale seventy acres of land in Southwest Hereford, known as the old Butcher place. This tract is platted into parcels of five acre blocks of four lots to each block. It. joins the place where I now live and will make excellent building lots. A good investment for anyone wanting to invest in city property either for trading or for building a home. A bargain if sold at once.

IOHN W. DEATLEY.

#### THE FIRST STATE BANK whom this county was named) and told him to cut Vince's bridge. The bridge was over Vince's bayou, a stream running into Buffalo bayou

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Combs, Check hooks, hitch reins, trace holders, harness Square chains, neck yoke straps, Deal neck yoke chains, wax ends and needles, buggy tops, storm

aprons, rain coats

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and scores of other things you need. When you want anything come to us. All goods guaranteed to be as represented. We are here to stay. It is worth something to buy where you can come in, any time and see us. We meet all competition. There are no better barga ns than we have to offer. You believe in fair play. So do we and we are here to prove it-here, where you can return the goods if not as represented. We expect you. Courteous treatment and a square deal, is our motto. We know that you believe in the same. Always at the old stand.

A. Canterbury

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Real Estate and Live Stock

#### Sustains Fracture of Skull.

As a result of a fracture of the skull, Jeff D. Johnson is lying unconscious and in a critical condition at his home, 203 Hawkins street. About 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Johnson staggered into the office of Dr. J. E. Baldwin on Elm and Hawkins streets. He was unable to talk and soon fell into a stupor.

An examination developed that the asal bones had been fractured and but the skull over the left eye was ikewise broken. Dr. J. M. Neel as called and assisted in the diagosis after examination. The injury spears to have been the result of a blow from some blunt instrument. The physicians suspect it was brass knucks. After preliminary treat-

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ment Johnson was conveyed to bis home.

How the blow was received is a mystery which the police are investigating. He had taken dinner at his home and at 1 o'clock started for the coal office of J. L. A. Thomas, more was seen of him until he staggered into the office of Dr. Baldwin He is without immediate family, his wife having died about a year ago.

The only clew the police have is a man that he was struck by a young man, whose first name he did not give.-Dallas News.

Mr. Johnson is a brother of Dr R. M. Johnson of Hereford. Dr. Johnson received the intelligence Wednesday that his brother died Tuesday evening from the injuries sustained.

Ready for Delivering.

I am now prepared to deliver from the Weaver place in southwest Hereford all kinds of fruit, shade ornamental trees. I have in t stock a limited number of ash, elm, sycamore, ashbury, mulberry and weeping willow from 10 to 15 fee high. If you wish any of these large varieties, come quick. In fact, I can interest you in any department of nursery stock. S. L. BOONE.

Reno at the College.

cian and wonder-worker, appeared the first colonial mansion erected in rooming house. Mr. Yarbrough is at the College Auditorium on last that State, where General Washing- furnishing the rooms with new and Saturday night, but on account of ton held many of his councils of up-to-date furniture and is sparing the snow and rain the attendance war." where he is a bookkeeper. Nothing was very small. Those present re- The naval display will be one of rooming place as possible. All the port him as being one of the best the greatest features of the exposi- boarding places in town are full and entertainers that has ever been to tion. In this will be represented it is hard to find a good place to Hereford. With his magic he per- ships from all the leading navies of stay. This will be a great conformed some marvelous tricks. Mr. the world, besides the entire great venience to people was are continmurmured statement of the wounded Reno has promised to return to Atlantic Fleet of our own navy under ually coming to Hereford. Hereford in the near future, if suit- command of Rear Admiral Evans. able arrangements can be made with his Lyceum Bureau. The attendance no doubt would have been large had weather conditions been more favor-

> Mr. Reno is the third number of the Lyceum Course being presented to the public by the ladies of the Methodist church.

#### Notice.

My new real estate office east of the T. M. Palmer Lumber Company is nearing completion and I will soon be ready to go back into business after having been out for a few weeks on account of having sold my office on Dewey Avenue. Those who have had lands listed with me that have been sold please notify me. Prompt attention given to all kinds of property listed with me. Special attention given to city property. List your real estate with me if you want quick results.

THE J. W. ENGLISH REAL ESTATE AGENCY

#### Jamestown Exposition Opens.

The Jamestown Exposition, commemorating the three hundredth anniversary of the English settlement in America, opened at Norfolk, Va., to-day, (Friday).

The exposition grounds and buildings are incomplete and in this condition are opened to the public with great pomp and ceremony. The program for to-day is so great and grand that it is said that the exposition visitors will not have time to take notice of the unfinished state of the buildings and grounds. President Roosevelt plays the principal role in the opening ceremonies and is the guest of honor for the day.

"The inception of the Jamestown Exposition sprang from a desire of the people, many of them descendants from that hardy English stock that settled among the Indians here three hundred years ago, to teach the traditions that have been handed down by those colonists."

When completed it will be almost all that is implied in the expression, 'A World's Fair,' but it will not stop there. Twenty-five States of the Union will trace their history from their earliest days to the present, and the exhibits will be sheltered by appropriate buildings. For instance, the Virginia State building is modeled after an ideal colonial mansion; Kentucky presents a replica of Fort Boone; Ohio shows Adena, the first stone house erected west of

Edward M. Reno, the great magi- cut reproduces the Talmage home, east, and is having it made into a

#### For Sale.

Brick business house occupied by B. Barnard and Company's grocery store. One residence known as the Dr. Hicks place ; one residence known as the J. W. Hough place, and one residence known as the Claude Gass H. B. WEBB. 9tf Administrator for B. Barnard Estate.

New Rooming House.

John Yarbrough has bought the W. H. Rayzor building that has been recently moved from Dewey

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Nurseries at Hereford and Lockney

### Still Headquarters

We are still headquarters for groceries. We have just received a fine lot of all kinds of Syrups and are up-to-date on quality and prices. We appreciate the business we had the past year and assure you we will always treat you right. Our business has been beyond our expectations and we believe it is because we deal fair and square with our customers. Thanking you for past patronage and soliciting your trade in the future, we remain :-:

Yours for Business

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# GARRISON BROS.

Have just received a car of New Moline and Burr Oak Wagons, a new shipment of Garland Stoves and Ranges, and also the new up-to-date Insurance Gasoline Stoves-the latest improvement in gasoline stoves. A full line of John Deere Planters, Cultivators, Plows and Harrows. Come and see us for anything in the line of General Hardware, Barbed Wire, Harness and the well known Sampson, Wood, Star and Leader Windmills.

#### Automobile Excursion Postponed.

The automobile excursion to Canyon City and Amarillo, set for next Sunday, has been postponed on account of several auto's not arriving as expected. The excursion will take place Sunday May 5th. Great preparations are being made to make this a pleasant and successful trip.

#### For Quick Sale.

My two fine lots just 200 feet east in May. of college, each 50x200 feet east front. \$400 for both lots, easy terms, or can sell 4 lots, same location and dementions for \$800. Easy terms. B. M. HESTER,

Hereford, Texas.

#### Superintendent Elected.

The local public school board met at the office of J. H. Bowers on Thursday afternoon to consider the election of a superintendent for next school year. Several applications had been filed with the secretary, but after a survey of the situation, the board voted to elect Prof. E. H. Wray of Denton.

Mr. Wray has been connected with the Denton public schools for a harness, see M. H. Lile.

number of years, is an excellent man and a good school worker, he being Denton.

and Mrs. E. H. Wray being chosen.

#### Give Attention.

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

C. M. McGHEE at Mrs. W. B. 8tf Robinson's residence.

N. M. Bartley, bookkeeper of the Western National Bank, is suffering this week with a painful swelling on his right hand, caused from a scratch received several days ago.

#### Notice.

#### Advisory Board Chosen.

It was announced in last week's personally known to a number of our BRAND that there would be no advislocal citizens who moved here from ory school board for the city public schools this coming year, as the The board at this meeting also matter was over-looked in the recent took action on other teachers of the election. In this we were mistaken, high school, Miss Millicent Griffith as the board got together this week east part of town. See Mrs. J. M. and decided that it would be best to Witt. The grade teachers will be elected continue to have the council of such at a meeting which will be held early a body. Hence they asked the former members to serve again. The advisory board for 1907-1908 will be composed of C. G. Witherspoon, W. B. Beach, T. J. Graves and

#### For Sale.

A ten-acre block near college on easy terms. Also pair of good work mares, 5 years old. Apply to J. B. PHILLIPS,

Hereford, Texas.

#### Moves to Texico.

Robt. Humphrey and family moved to Texico this week and will make that place their home for the pres- New. C. G. Witherspoon & Son. tf them at once. ent. Mr. Humphrey is an old and respected citizen of Hereford and If in need of teams, wagon and we regret very much to lose him and 52tf his estimable family. We wish for close in.

them success and happiness in the new home. Dee Humphrey will re-Stroud-Gary Hardware Co.

#### For Sale.

Nine-room house with two lots, in

#### Moves to California.

A. H. Elliston and family left Thursday afternoon for Norwalk, California and will make that place their future home. It is with renumber of years he has been prominently associated with the business interests of Hereford and Deaf Smith County. He has been a great class work. factor in the improvements of our 11tf city and has alway had her interest at heart.

#### For Sale.

One Oliver Typewriter.

#### For Rent.

Paul Barnett.

#### Killing at Texico.

Deputy Sheriff Tipton of Roosemain here in the employ of the velt County, N. M., was killed at Texico Wednesday morning about nine o'clock Byron Parish, Deputy Sheriff from Portales, N. M., was arrested charged with the killing. Sheriff Connell went to Texico Wednesday morning and brought Mr. Parrish to Hereford. Personal difficulties of long standing between the two parties were the alleged causes of the killing.

#### First Class Barber Shop.

We have opened up our new bargret that we give up Mr. Elliston ber shop on the east side of Dewey and his Estimable family. For a Avenue where we would like to meet our old friends. We have the largest shop in town and are prepared to furnish the public with first

ORR BROS.

The Baskin Land Co. of Kansas City have opened a branch in Hereford. They have cash customers Good as for land in the Panhandle. See

Wanted-To sell Newcomb Loom. One 14x14 room, unfurnished, Cheap for cash. J. A. Cowart, 10tf-1tp 11/tf Hereford, Texas.

# QUICK COMFORT REFRIGERATORS

### Quick Comfort Refrigerators

Combine Solidity, Cleanliness, Perfection and Durability. They are built to last, simple but thorough in every detail. Easily cleaned and so arranged that no mould, mildew or foul substances can gather in the walls. The walls are Charcoal Lined this retaining all the cold and assuring perfect sanitary conditions. Time tells. The Quick Comfort outlasts all others.

### SEE US FOR

THE BEST

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FURNITURE

### The Finest of Furniture

We have made a long and carefull study of the needs of home builders and as a result have a large variety of goods and broader range of prices than can be found elsewhere.

See our line of rugs. We have a large assortment. In fact everything for home builders can be found here. Give us a trial.

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### Brand

RAY, Editor and Proprieto . E. THOMAS, City Editor

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SOMETHING WRONG.

The BRAND has never been accustomed to complaining of conditions unless it felt deeply impressed that there was a good and sufficient cause for complaint. Not are we going to complain now, for there is no one to complain at. We just merely wish to state that there is something materially wrong with the sanitation of Hereford. Our city council has done its part well in seeing that local scavenger work has been properly executed, but local scavenger work will not keep a city of 4,000 people in a thoroughly sanitary condition. We believe now and have believed for some time that something else is needed in Hereford, but have not been quite able to ascertain what it is. We believe the best interests of our city would be subserved by having a sanitary expert come here and outline a few of the things most needed to remove the cause for fevers and other diseases traceable to unsanitation.

The Panhandle is by nature a healthful country and Hereford a healthful town; but sanitation, or rather unsanitation, is a problem which all towns of any consequence must sooner or later solve. If it requires a first-class sewerage system here as has been the case elsewhere, by all means we should have it would cost but a nominal sum to have an expert on sanitation come and make a careful investigation and aggertain wherein we are wanting.

### Holderby & Co. General Merchandise

FRIUNA, TEXAS

We handle a complete ine of Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Implements, Bain Wagons, P. & O. Implements, etc. We buy, sell and exchange country produce. We are here to stay and will appreciate your trade. .: .: .:

### Holderby & Co.

FRIONA, TEXAS

THE NEWS, published at Whitesboro, and by the way a good paper, came out in its last issue with a rather lengthy discussion of the way the drouth and green bugs have destroyed the grain crop in the vicinity of Wichita Falls and closes by saying: "Blessed is he who did not go West last fall," Now, really we are surprised that any North Texas paper could be guilty of even casting a reflection upon any portion of the West after the direful experiences of that part of the state the past few years. Texas is a great state from center to circumference, but we are compelled to agree with Horace Greely when he admonished the young men to go West. If the Grayson county farmers who read the News had come here last fall and invested their money, they would have made thirty-three and a third per cent from the enhancement in the value of lands, besides they would have had as fine small grain prospect as was ever seen anywhere in the state. A few of those farmers did this and are now rejoicing in their good fortune. The BRAND would exclaim, "Blessed is the man who had the good judgment and forethought to part company with the boll weevil and green bugs last fall and come to this favored West.'

THE FOUR brick business houses, together with the two-story stone bank building, which are now under construction, causes our business street to present a different picture to that which has been before us for the past years. While Hereford has always been a good, wide-awake business point, yet the absence of substantial two-story brick buildings has detracted greatly from her real importance. The walls of the bank builking and E. B. Black's furniture store are completed and work is progressing rapidly on the two two-story the sewerage system. At any rate buildings of T. M. Palmer and W. S. Higgins on South Dewey Avenue, as well as that of J. M. Bogard on North Dewey Avenue. These buildings, when completed, will supply a long-felt want in Hereford, as they will enable some of our leading merchants to transfer their merchandise from "shacks" to more inviting and commodious quarters.

> THE efforts of every good citizen should be bent in the direction of making Hereford a town of 5,000 people by the commencement of 1908. With no cessation in our present growth, these figures will easily be reached. What we need is to stand united so that we may be prepared to look well to every interest of our community. The BRAND has always held Hereford in greatest confidence and we yet believe that a few more short years will give us the largest, the best and the prettiest city on the plains. Our people have succeeded well thus far, never allowing an enterprise which would be for our betterment to pass us by. With this same keen interest and vigilance, things of even greater import will come to us before we are aware. The thing and the only thing to do is to talk, work and pull for Hereford.

THE AGITATION which has been made the last few days over the state relating to the valuation of taxable property is creating considerable bitterness between North and South Texas, the former opposing a readjustment, the latter favoring it. This question concerns every portion of the state alike, and should be handled in a way which will give justice to all. The tax question is a difficult one, but it is evident that a uniform system should be enforced throughout the state so that the burden will fall equally upon all. We believe the intention of the Assessor for Deaf Smith County this year is to make his assessments at about 50

J. L. FUQUA, President

C. W. DODSON, Cashier

### The First National Bank

HEREFORD, TEXAS

TOTAL

CAPITAL SURPLUS AND PROFITS SHAREHOLDERS LIABILITY

\$ 50,000.00 27,087.60 50,000.00

TOTAL ASSETS

\$127,087.60 500,000.00

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

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

per cent of the actual value, which seems to be in keeping with the customs in other western counties.

THE town of Dalhart seems to be getting busy in raising bonuses and meeting other requirements necessary for securing the Panhandle Short Line Road when it is extended north from Hereford. Dalhart is wide-awake and will never allow the road to miss the town if money and land bonuses speak for anything.

#### Bearders Wanted.

One to four. Apply 3 blocks east

#### Pride Makes Progress.

The BRAND editor could not help but feel deeply impressed this week as he walked down our principal business street and witnessed the pride which our local business men are manifesting in their respective bound at Coulson's drug store where a large, oval, polished, plate glass soda fountain was being installed at the enormous expense of \$2000. A little further glancing about revealed the fact that Herbert O. Park and Woodburn & Son were at the of College. W. F. Stimson. 9-3tp same time engaged in installing sim- 11-4tp

ilar fountains at their respective stores. These must all be seen to be appreciated as they are seldom equaled in towns of 10,000 people. It is this kind of local pride which makes up-to-date towns and Hereford can attribute much of her proplaces. We were first held spell gressiveness to the fact that she has always had a class of merchants who tried to excell in their respective

#### For Sidewalk Construction

Of cement, brick or plank. Estimates furnished on application. All work warranted. Phone No. 191. G. F. LOUGHMILLER.

# PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

We have engaged in the grocery business in Hereford with a two-fold purpose, viz: To make a living for our families and to serve the public of Hereford and surrounding country with first-class groceries. If we had not believed we could accomplish both these, we would not have engaged in the business. We ask all our friends, as well as everybody needing groceries, to figure with us. Our constant desire will be to treat you right.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS BBARD & RICE SUCCESSORS TO J. M. GARNER

### The Ice Man

Is getting busy in Hereford and expects to grow more and more so all the time. We are now ready for prompt delivery to any part of the city. You only have to phone us your wants to have them promptly supplied. As soon as we have enough daily calls to justify, our wagon will visit all parts of the city each day. Remember that we are also interested in selling your grain and nigger head coal. We always protect our customers' interests.

Hancock & Furche

Hereford. Texas

Read its development in he condensed statement of

at the close of business, March 22, 1907

RESOURCES	7 - 7 - 7
Loans and Overdrafts	289,745.16
U. S. Bonds (par)	50,000 00
Banking House and Fixtures	5,912.27
Other Real Estate	3,362.32
Redemption Fund	2,500 00
'Cash and Exchange	162,760.20
	514 270 QS

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THIS BANK OPENED FOR BUSINESS JULY 1ST, 1903

Deposits at the end of six months 55,959.21 Deposits at the end of one year 90,016.08 Deposite at the end of eighteen months Deposits January 1st, 1907

Deposits at the end of two years Deposits at the end of 2 1-2 years Deposits at the end of three years \$327,692.15

\$104,628.68

DEPOSITS NOW

\$382,369.68

#### H. J. Houck went to Amarillo Wednesday on business.

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J. P. Burch and family returned Friday from Mineral Wells.

Carl Gilliland went to Amarillo Wednesday on legal business.

See W. T. Smith, the transfer man for all kinds of hauling.4tf

W. A. Slover of Dimmitt, was in the city Wednesday on business.

Just received a new line of Ties at D. W. Pinkston & Son's.

If you want a bargain see Park & Bourn.

See the Hereford Grain Company for alfalfa and flax seed.

WANTED-A good gentle family horse. A. C. Smith, phone 200. 7tf

Room mouldings and wall paper at | Pinkston & Son. Black's.

FOR SALE-My residence in college addition.

Complete line of Cluett Peabody Collars at D. W. Pinkston & Son's.

See what is said about "Because I Love You" elsewhere in this issue of the BRAND.

WE ARE WELL PREPARED TO DO YOUR

> Painting and Paper Hanging

All work guaranteed. Best of references furnished

Slaughter & Hilburn

ROBERT F. PARKS

DRAYMAN

Phones Number 126 and 167

"Because I Love You," a four-act drama, at College Auditorium Tuesday, April 30.

You can't afford to miss "Because I Love You," Tuesday, April 30, at College Auditorium.

Mrs. B. G. Ramey and sons and daughters of Dimmitt were in the city this week shopping.

Let us decorate your room with hand-painted scenery. Hilburn & Warrick.

Mrs. Head and daughter, Miss Beulah, left Monday for Mineral Wells for a few days' outing.

G. R. Jowell and wife left Monday for a few days's visit to Mineral Wells for rest and recuperation.

We now have a complete line of Cluett Peabody Coat Shirts. D. W.

for city property. What have you able to handle all kinds of hauling. J. B. Allen. 7tf to sell? Park & Bourn.

> Herbert Coulson left Tuesday for Amarillo to bring down an automobile that has been snow-bound there for several days.

> The contract for E.T. Woodburn's new home has been let to Sam Worley and the work of construction was begun this week.

FOR SALE .- New 7-room house, lot 75x150 feet, close in, for \$2,000 cash. This is a great bargain. See Renfro & Price.

Mr. Patton is building an addition to her residence in west Hereford. The work is being done by Comer Pros., contractors.

Tom Bobb and Frank McCoy of Dallas came in Tuesday. At presert they are with Mapes & Bose, contractors and builders.

R. H. Heinley, manager of the Hersford Telephone Company left Wednesday for Kansas City on busifor the telephone company.

Call on us at our new office near Alfalfa Lumber Co. when we can serve you in sign painting. Hilburn & Warrick.

Mrs. W. B. Daniel and daughter, Mrs. W. H. Russell, returned Friday from a few days' visit to relatives in Elk City, Oklahoma.

We have exclusive bargains that will interest the local investor as well as the new comer. Call on us. Murchison & Jones.

Frank Wolf and family left Wednesday for Carter, New Mexico, to settle on their claim near there, which they intend to cultivate this year.

M. S. Acuff, formerly a citizen of Hereford but now of Austin, is visiting in the city this week. Mr. Acuff is a welcome visitor in our midst.

My business has increased so much that I have been compelled to put on We have a great many inquiries another transfer wagon. Am now W. T. SMITH.

> Mrs. C. G. Witherspoon returned Wednesday from Mineral Wells. where she has been for the past few weeks for her health. We are glad to report her condition much better.

FOR SALE-I have completed a map of Greater Hereford, showing all the subdivisions and all the new additions to the town. This is the only complete map of Hereford. L. A. Hough. 9-tf.

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The International Land Company is building a garage at Summerfield this week. Five new cars have been ordered, three Winstons and two Rapid Motors, the two latter being twelve passenger machines. They will build a garage here later.

We cannot help envying the Panhandle. West of Clillicothe there are no green bugs and everything ooks fresh and fine. The country that has heretofore had the reputation of being exceedingly dry now seems to be the garden spot of the state. - Wichita Herald.

J. A. Fox of Mangum, Oklahoma, is in the city this week. He is here with a view of locating and entering into business again. Mr. Fox is an old citizen and business man of Hereford and while he was here won many friends who will be glad to hear of his intention of returning to this place. We gladly welcome all such broad-minded men and good citizens as he has proven himself to

### Have Your Eyes Tested at Home

I have a man who understands fitting glasses and have bought everything necessary to fitting same. I guarantee every pair to give perfect satisfaction. My optician has served a term with the best optician in the state. Prescription fitting a specialty. Patvonize home people; they depend on their reputation.

Park's Drug Store

HEREFORD, TEXAS

### CITY RESTAURANT

Regular Meals

Short Orders

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Rooms also

C. SCHRIMSHER,

Proprietor

Tierra Blanco Herefords

R. BRADLY

Registered Hereford Cattle Herd Headed by Chorister, No. 93983

Amisted 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 Lets

City Barber Shop

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.

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### TO THE PEOPLE OF DEAF SMITH AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES

We want you to know that we keep constantly on hand a large stock of Grain, Hay, Salt, Posts, Cotton Seed Meal and Field Seed. We have the exclusive sale in Hereford for Chandler Lump Coal—The best that money can buy. Flour! Flour!! We have added to our stock a strictly first-class and up-to-date flour-The Border Queen-Every sack guaranteed. Highest market price paid for Wheat, Oats and Hides. See us before you sell. Get our prices before you buy. We have the best wagon yard in Hereford. Our motto: A square deal to everyone :-: :-:

W. L. FALLWELL & SONS

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### Come, Send or Telephone

Your wants to the Hereford Lumber Co. for anything in the Building line. Our Prices are in line and our goods can't be beat. We handle two brands of Paints, the Celebrated, Neverto-be-Forgotten

> Sherwin-Williams and Mound City Horseshoe

Ask about them. We also handle the "HANDCRAFT STAINS" the latest thing for inside finish.

Hereford Lumber Co.

### "THE BEST IS ALWAYS CHEAPEST"

We feel no hesitancy in making the statement, "That we have the strongest line of Men's Clothing ever on the market." Then why not come where you can buy the very best at a reasonable figure. Read the following guarantee:

#### TO CLOTHES WEARERS

When you buy Hart, Shaftner & Marx clothes, the dealer who sells them is authorized to make the following guarantee in our name:

Every garment made by H. S. & M., and bearing our lable, is guaranteed to be made of all wool and silk fabrics with no mixture of "mercerized" or any other cotton; the seams sewed with pure silk thread; the garments tailored in clean, sanitary shops; the cloth thoroughly sponged and shrunk before cutting.

Any H. S. & M. garment which proves defective or unsatisfactory may be returned and the money paid for it will be refunded.

HART, SHAFTNER & MARX.

WE HAVE THEM

## D.W. PINKSTON & SON

W. H. M. S.

our next business meeting at the ing to invest their lives, and traveled church next Tuesday afternoon, remember the hour, which, owing to the lengthening days, has been changed from 3 to 3:30 oclock.

Two matters of interest and importance to every member, are to be considered, besides several of minor importance.

Because of the inclement weather, very few were present at the college Saturday evening to here, Reno, the magician. Those who attended, however report the entertainment as being very fine.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Board of Home Missions will be held in Houston, beginning Thursday night, April 25th and continuing to May 1st.

Miss Belle H. Bennett, President of the W. H. M. Society wound up March 10th.

This last Itinerary began January 10th and for three months she gave institutions, for which she raised ers and Taylor.

\$9000, held conferences with num-Members, do not fail to attend bers of young people who are seekhundreds of miles by land and sea.

All this because of her love for humanity, devotion to country and consecration to Him whose "love constraineth."

PRESS SUPT.

#### Notice.

Local Union No. 1816, Carpenters and Joiners of America, meets each Friday at 8 p. m. in the I. O. O. F. Hall. All transcient members are COMMITTEE. invited to attend.

#### New Hotel.

The BRAND was in error last week in stating that Max Roberts had secured the services of a man to run his hotel. F. O. Gamble of Shawnee, Oklahoma has leased the building from Mr. Roberts and is running the hotel in his own name which will be known as the "Hotel Gamble." Mr. Gamble is an experienced Hotel her visitations for the fiscal year man and has his new quarters in 1906-1907 at Brunskick, Georgia, arst class condition being up-to-date in every particular.

#### Notice.

Drs. Caldwell and Hicks Specialunremitting service in the states of sts on diseases of the eye, ear, Tennessee, Georgia and Florida. nose and throat, Carson Building, During this time she addressed more Amarillo, Texas. Will be in Herethan forty congregations, planned ford second Wednesday and Thursfor the enlargement of three of our day of each month-with Drs. Rog-

#### That Parker Brothers Remember

Are still building some of the nice houses in Hereford. See us for plans and specifications. Phone 212.

BROTHERS PARKER

Contractors and Builders

Grain Crope Assured.

The recent rain and snow has assured a good out and wheat crop in this section of the country. The precipitation was slow and steady but extended over a period of several days and nights, giving the ground an excellent season. Small grain had begun to suffer some on account of the dry weather and when the snow and cold weather came it was thought by some that it would all be killed, but upon investigation the contrary was found to be the case. It is not the least damaged and in fact the prospects for a great harvest are now very flattering.

A BRAND representative has interviewed several farmers in the vicinity of Hereford and they all report their grain crops in excellent condition. J. N. Askren, who lives east of town and who has a large acreage of wheat and oats, said that he had examined it closely and that the cold weather had not injured it the least bit and that it was growing nicely.

J. K. P. Gilliland has about sixty acres in Castro county and he says it is in excellent condition and has not been damaged in the least.

L. W. Ricketts has 80 acres south of town which he says will make a large yield. The prospects for a good wheat crop in this country are very flattering indeed, he stated, and the snow, instead of injuring it, is the salvation of it.

Judge Gough was very much surprised at the condition of his small grain crop after the snow. Fearing that it had been damaged by the snow and freeze, he examined it closely and found that his fears were groundless and that it was in excellent condition. He says he feels sure that an average wheat and oat crop will be harvested this year.

J. S. Mollenhour has 400 acres north of town that he reports to be growing nicely, with flattering prospects for a large yield. It is the grandest place for wheat he has ever been in, he says.

#### - A Bargain.

One section of patented land 3 miles from Dimmitt, \$12.50 per acre one-third cash, balance in one to four years at eight per cent interest. See Woodlee & Kerr, Dimmit Texas.

#### New Automobile Received.

Dr. W. J. Rogers very kindly favored the City Editor, on Wednesday evening, with a pleasant ride in his new Ford Gasoline Runabout, which he has recently received. This machine is for his own private use and will be used in his medical practice.

#### 8 Lot Bargains 8.

I have 8 lots in the Maybry additions, will give splendid terms. Don't wait but call at Park's drug

Beautiful Mabry Addition lots, just east of College, each 56x140. We offer for a short time at \$100 for corner lots, \$80 for inside lots. One-half cash, balance one year at 8 per cent interest. Baskin Land Company, Hereford, Texas.

C. E. Wheeler returned Wednesday from Mineral Wells where he has been for his health.

#### For Sale.

Several spans of good work mules. 52tf See FRED MILLARD.

#### Seed Corn.

Extra quality; hand shelled; home grown. See Barnard & Co.

Mrs. J. H. Stinson of Amarillo is visiting Mrs. Dr. Rogers this week.

#### For Sale.

I am offering my twenty-two horse power engine and threshing machine. Cheap for cash. Will trade for land or other good property. 49tf J. S. MOLLENHOUR.

#### For Rent.

Nice large residence near the Suggs & Jones.

#### Wanted.

Wanted to rent two unfurnished rooms suitable for man and wife. Apply at Orr Bros. barber shop. 1tp

#### Strayed.

One black rayzor back sow weighs about 225 lbs. Liberal reward if returned to Amos' rail road camp 10-2tf east of city.

### CHINA AND CUT GLASS

It requires skill and experience to determine the value of these two articles, just as much so as it does to classify and determine the value of precious stones. There are a thousand cheap, inferior grades in these goods, and as many imitations in cheap stamped and press-cut goods that closely resemble the genuine. Come and examine our goods and you will be convinced that our goods posses quality and the price is right. All our china is imported and of the very best quality. In cut glass we handle the best that can be had for the money.

W. H. RAY, Jeweler and Optician

### Shoes at a Bargain

DURING the next 30 days we are going to sell shoes at a bargain never heard of before in Dimmitt. We have several lines of shoes we wish to close out, and in order to do this we are going to sell them at absolute cost. Come in and let us show you.

### Lee & Gollehon

Dimmitt. Texas

Town Lots for Sale.

We are now placing on the market ten acres of valuable town lots adjoining the college Campus on the west and can please the most exacting when it comes to a question of selection a location for a home. Can sell a single lot or any size block desired. 37tf E. F. CONNELL LAND CO.

#### Notice.

I have a new steam plow and am ready to do plowing on short notice. Am well equipped with a good engine and plows and will guarantee first H. F. MITCHELL class work. At City Restaurant.

#### Land For Rent.

I have 55 acres of land at the Clark place just east of Hereford, to rent. For terms apply to, LESTER WEAVEE.

#### Notice.

See Fred Millard for nice bundle sorghum.

#### Notice to Stockmen.

I shall be glad to assist those needing my services in the treatment of diseased horses. Have had years of experience and am familiar with the treatment of all the diseases prevalent in this state. Will also castrate young horses. See me at Carter & Houck's furniture store. J. M. Travis.

#### Notice to Breeders.

I will stand throughout the coming season, a black Spanish Jack, at my ranch three miles southeast of Arney. Terms reasonable. Mares kept through season if necessary.

Walter Donald. 6-13t

#### For Rent.

Two-section farm and ranch, 6 miles from Hereford. Apply to C. G. WITHERSPOON.

Can always be depended upon to bring handsome returns from what they will produce. Hence from a productive standpoint they are popular as an investment; but aside from what can be produced from year to year, all good lands are constantly enhancing in value, which makes the income from them a twofold one. The best cheap farm lands are in the Panhandle of Texas and the best bargains can be found at the office of

and will appreciate any business given us, either as a seller or buyer. Our charges are only five per cent commission on sales made. If you have any large tracts of land for sale, list them with us, as we have several calls for Our motto is square dealings with all customers.

AT COLLEGE AUDITORIUM Tuesday, April 30.

In last week's issue of the BRAND there appeared a notice of the fouract drama, "Because I Love You," to be presented on the College Auditerium stage, giving cast of characters and description of the play.

The play is to be given for the benefit of scating the College Auditorium and for some time the Hereford Dramatic Company has been from Dalhart south to Hereford and working to make this the best show that has ever been presented before a Hereford audience. "Beca Love You" has been used by professionals with great success. In fact it is a copyrighted play and only recently has permission been granted nished on all lines of work pertainfor amateurs to present it. It is full of humor, but at the same time it has a good plot and a fascinating love story.

Good music and other specialties will be introduced between each act. In short, this will be an evening's our fellow townsman, Hon. G. W. tertainment that you cannot afford Barcus, and of the former pastor 30. Price of admission 35 cents. Reserved seats on sale at Barnett's Monday, 50 cents.

Park & Bourn want to sell that place of yours.

Dalhart Raises Bonus.

Dalhart, Texas, April 19 .- The committee selected at a mass meeting of the citizens of Dalhart for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions to Short Line Railroad has within two days secured nearly the required the state. Bro. Barcus has gained a amount necessary to have this road built into Dalhart.

This road is intended to be built from there to the south plains.

Bros. Hung Wall paper the past four months and are not dead yet. Our office and shop are located northeast corner from City Cafe. Estimates furing to our trade. Plain and fancy sign work a specialty. Phone 33, Cottage Hotel.

BENSON BROS.

Rev. I. Sam Barcus Coming. Rev. J. Sam Barcus, brother of to miss. Remember the date, April the Methodist church, Rev. T. S. This was done several weeks ago, Deaf Smith Counties? Silbermann' Barcus, will fill the pulpit at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and evening.

faculty of the Southwestern Univer-

sity and his visit to Hereford will be in interest of that institution. He will attend the Plainview District Conference at Plainview this week and has been induced by the pastor the bonus required by the Panhandle of this church, Rev. Smith, to visit his congregation while in this part of considerable reputation as an educator and is an imminent preacher. It will be a great treat to hear him. All are cordially invited to come out Sunday morning and evening.

> New Arrivals in Millinery Goods. See what we have in new things before you buy. Geo. A. Stambaugh.

> > Prof. Elliott Resigns.

Prof. A. C. Elliott, President o Panhandle Christian College for the past two years. has handed in his resignation to the local board of trustees to become effective with the closing of the present school year. but the board took no action in the Bros. of Chicago want to handle our matter until recently, thinking that wool. What shall we do? Mr. Elliott would reconsider the Rev. Barcus is a member of the matter and gain his consent to remain with the school.

> The BRAND, as one of Mr. Elliott's admirers, feels very regretful over his resignation at this particular period in the development of the College. Taking the management of the institution when it was all but ready to fall to pieces, he has, in the short space of a year and a half, laid the foundation which not only insures its permanancy, but the accurate and systematic work which has been done during his administration has served the excellent purpose of inspiring our citizenship with that confidence which is seldom witnessed in similar institutions just springing up. The school has enjoyed a liberal attendance this year, nearly 200 matriculates having been registered, and the harmony which has prevailed among teachers, patrons and pupils is the best evidence we could have that the work has been well and faithfully done.

Steering the course of a new school is no easy task, but so well has this been done under the present administration that the burden will fall lighter upon the shoulders of the successor of the retiring president.

In speaking to a BRAND representative. Mr. Elliott stated that he will remain in Hereford and that while he is shaping and formulating plans for the future, yet he has no statement to make at present further than that he will retire temporarily from the school work.

Lost.

On Sunday April 31st, by Ed Connell's little girl, a gold ring, claw mounting with Mexican opal, Finder please bring to this office and receive liberal reward.

#### CLEO COMMUNITY.

Arch Johnson has just completed a nice barn, which adds a great deal to the looks as well as the convenience of his home.

C. H. Cox and family of Arney are visiting O. M. Burch and family of this community.

W. C. Fitzwater, we understand has already planted some cotton.

W. T. Gollehon, we are sorry to learn, happened to a painful accident last week while trying to catch a young horse. He had the horse hemmed in a corner when it became frightened and jumped on Mr. Gollehon, dislocating his shoulder and and bruising him up considerably.

O. M. and George Burch have finished fencing J. T. Gilbreath's sheep ranch. Gilbreath Bros. now have several sections under a wolf-proof

What has become of the Wool Growers' Association of Castro and

Our Suuday School is progressing nicely under the management of C. J. Terrell, who is superintendent.

W. S. D.

For spring seed wheat see J. R. Higgins. Price \$1.00 per bushel.

Land Bargain.

I will sell 1-4, 1-2 or 1 section of patented land, all smooth with south slope and joining school house One-fourth cash, balance on time Twelve miles north-west of Hereford Shallow water. Also 50 head of stock cattle, some good milk cows I. N. DILLARD.

#### ABSTRACTOR HEREFORD, TEXAS

I have a complete Abstract of the Capitol Syndicate Lands, Western Union Lands, and Evants Addition to Hereford. 1-1 1-1 1-1

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Near one of the best towns on the plains. Can sell in 10,000 acre blocks. All Fine Farm Land.

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For a short time I will offer my 2555 acre Castro County Farm and Ranch of fine wheat, fruit and alfalfa land for sale on 10 years time at 7 per cent. It is gently rolling and every foot tilable. All fenced, 175 acre farm; good 4-room house; 2 splendid wells, 14 and 18 foot Eclipse mills, tubs, tanks, etc.; good sheds and corrals; 2,000 choice fruit and Walnut trees; 8,000 forest trees; a beautifull 25 acre ridge located nicely for another building site. This can be made an Ideal Ranch Home.

#### **ALSO 75 1-2 ACRES**

Near the Panhandle Christian College. A very choice location; south and east front on two section lines and lays nice to cut in blocks. 25 acres in cultivation, 6 acre model orchard of choice fruit and forest trees; fine well 65 feet deep; 12 foot Eclipse mill All improvements new and good. DO IT NOW.

FOR PARTICULARS SEE OR WRITE OWNER

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th its shallow water and alfalfa valleys, on the market in small tracts to suit pur-0 and \$15.00 per acre. Terms, one third payments at 6 per cent interest, interest

> It is located fifteen miles south of Hereford, eight miles north-east of Dimmitt, the county seat of Castro County, and seven miles east of the Panhandle Short Line Railroad, now in course of construction, and is in the shallow water belt. The deepest water on the entire tract is 160 feet, and the shallowest 60 feet. is good average plains land and is in a good neighborhood. A little calculation will show you that you cannot afford not to own land at these prices. 160 acres at \$15.00 per acre is \$2,400.00. One third cash is \$800.00, leaving \$1,600 to be paid in four years, which is \$400.00 per year with 6 per cent added. These prices hold good for 90 days from April 1, 1907.

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#### East Hereford Items.

Hurrah for the Panhandle! We gladly welcomed the rain and snow last week. The farmers were very much discouraged over the dry reather, but the fine rains have cheered them up and they are ready for work again.

The teacher of the Arney school, Miss Ada Wood, has resigned and will return to her home in Eastern Texas in a few days. A teacher from Canyon will faish the term,

Broyles, Sunday.

Wash Storm spent the past week

Ed Thomas and Joe Payne, prominent farmers of Castro county, were transacting business in the county seat Thursday.

Earl Warren was a business caller in Hereford last week.

Mr. Harvey and Len Golden, former Missourians, purchased land of W. G. Broyles last week.

A crowd from this vicinity attended a fishing party Friday night on the Canyon six miles east of Hereford, and as the weather was rather cool all reported an unpleasant time.

Mrs. J. W. Hendrix, who has been sick for some time, is slowly recovering and we hope, she will be about

in a few days. Ed and Arthur McGowan of Swisher county, left for Garrett, Okla., last week with a herd of horses. Mason. We wish them success in their new

Mr. Hillyarp has built a new barn which adds much improvement to his Missions-Mrs. Mason.

Say, Tom, you have heard from Blue Eyes once more; the cat has scratched up a few items this week. You ought to be thankful that you don't have to call on the cat.

Come again Tom-Go-Quick, your items are gladly accepted.

BLUE EYES.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors. THE STATE OF TEXAS, DEAF SMITH COUNTY.

To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of B. Barnard and Melissa Barnard, de-

of B. Barnard and Melissa Barnard, is especially for the public. deceased, late of Deaf Smith County,

J. P. Broyles and family visited the county court of said County, on at the home of his brother, George the 8th day of April, 1907, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in the town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas, his post office address. This, April 8, 1907. H. B. WEBB.

> Administrator of the Estate of B. Barnard and Melissa Barnard, Deceased

Intermediate Endeavor Program. Following is the Intermediate Endeavor program for Sunday, April 28. 1907 : -

Subject: Foreign Missions. Christ in the Continent of Asia. Isa. 49:8-13

Lesson by Leader-Earl Wilson. Prayer.

Song. Name the first Missionaries to China, Japan and India.-Grace

References-Members. Voluntary parts.

Tell the best news from Asaitic

Song. Pastor's Talk. Business.

Mizpah. All are requested to be present with their Bible.

See the Hereford Grain Company for alfafa and flax seed.

#### To the Public.

The Alfalfa Lumber Co., would like for the public to call at our yards and inspect our stock of building material of all kinds and get our prices before buying. We charge nothing for showing you The undersigned having been duly through our yard and giving you all appointed administrator of the estate the information we can as our time

ALFALFA LUMBER COMPANY. Texas, by W. H. Russell, judge of 11-2t J. M. Nichols, Manager.

### City Meat Market

My business having grown to such an extent, find it necessary to take in extra help, and hereafter Mr. Reid, who now owns an interest, will be found at the blocks and we will at all times endeavor to give to our customers the best that money can buy.

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See Hilburn & Warrick for carriage and sign painting.

Leron Gough has accepted a position at T. M. Coulson's Drug Store.

Remember we have a full line of fishing tackle and base ball goods. Park's Drug Store.

Judge Kerr and B. D. Woodlee of Dimmitt, were in the city Wednesday and Thursday on business.

NOTICE .- I will buy all the hens you have for sale at \$3.00 per dozen. GEO. DENT.

We have cash customers for land in the Panhandle. See us at once Baskin Land Co., Hereford, Tex. tf

You are next at Boone's Barber Three chairs. Courteous treatment and good work guaran-

J. S. McCleary, civil engineer, left Thursday for Summerfield to lay off a two hundred acre townsite north of the railroad at that place.

Paint brushes the best, and our Sewall paint will make your house look new. Try it. Sold at Park's Drug Store

Miss Henrietta Marshal has accepted a position as "Hello Girl" in the local Telephone, Miss Madge Wasson having resigned.

If interested in city property let us figure with you. We own some choice property in Evants' Addition. Evants Land & Immigration Co. 1t

Drs. A. L. and L. F. Taylor have been appointed by the City Council as health officers for the city of Hereford.

Mrs. W. B. Daniel returned to her Max Roberts claim near Texico Tuesday after a wo weeks' visit with her daughters. Mrs. W. H. Russell and Mrs. Allan Bell.

> Henry Wilkinson has resigned his position as salesman at Pinkston & Son's and has accepted a position with the Stroud-Gary Hardware Co as book keeper.

I am now prepared to clean up your streets and alleys. See me before the city marshal gets you Phone 106.

D. W. CRAWFORD. 9-4t

See Fred Millard, the Hereford horse dealer when in need of any thing in the horse or mule line. I will pay you to get his prices before buying elsewhere.

320 acres 3 miles north of Hereford on public road, with 3-room house, and and mindmill. Finest location in Deaf Smith county. For particulars apply to or write B. M. Hester, Hereford, Texas.

The C. W. B. M. Auxiliary will meet next Tuesday May 2nd at 4 p. m. in the Christian Church. A full attendance of all members is earnestly requested Mrs. L. Gough, President; Miss Mercer, Secretary.

Hon. J. C. North of San Antonia, arrived in the city Tuesday and will spend several months here with Judge J. P. Slaton. Mr. North is here with a view to locating. We will gladly welcome him into our midst.

B. C. Robinson of Boom returned Wednesday from Temple, where he took Mrs. Robinson to have an operation performed. The operation was successful and Mrs. Robinson is doing well but will remain in the hospital there for some time for the benefit of medical treatment.

> DR. W. A. PRICE PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office at Park's Drug Store

List your property with Park & WANTED-Hands at nursery. 39tf L. Boone.

> Robt, L. Ball of Amarillo came down Thursday on business.

See that swell line of Men's Belts at D. W. Pinkston & Son's.

See J. A. Wilson, at the City Meat Market, for pure home made lard.

Call on Murchison & Jones for Real Estate. Upstairs, opposite depot.

Try 'J. M. Boone's Barber Shop for a clean shave and an up-to-date hair cut.

Men's Saranac Work Gloves at Geo. A. Stambaugh's.

Mrs. Jack Howell of Canyon City, came in Saturday to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. T. Inmon.

We own a well improved section twelve miles from Hereford. A bargain if sold within next ten days. Evants Land & Immigration Co. 1t

If your property is not on Murchison & Jones' list, place it there at once. It will pay you and they will appreciate it.

Mrs. Stonewall Bailey returned to her home in Vergon Tuesday after a few days' visit with her relatives, D. R. Gass and family of this place.

For Sale-A new 4-room house well located on large corner lot near College. Price and terms right. Evants Land & Immigration Co. 1t

WANTED-To buy an extra good gentle saddle horse, one that will work single if necessary.

JNO. L. WILSON. 10-2t

Jowell & Vaughan has some choice acreage property in Evants addition also nice locations in lots in different parts of Hereford. Call on us. 10th

Mrs. C. E. Oliver of Castro county and friend, Miss L. M. Thompson of Burton, Kansas, made the BRAND office a pleasant call this week. Miss Thompson is a printer and is with the Burton Graphite.

Orville Newell has resigned his position at J. G. Callens' dry goods store and has accepted a position as salesman in the gents' furnishings department of D. W. Pinkston & Son's.

FOR SALE-I have completed a map of Greater Hereford, showing all the subdivisions and all the new additions to the town. This is the only complete map of Hereford. L. A. Hough.

Rev. A. C. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Church, G. A. F Parker, E. B. Black and Geo. W. Barcus, delegates, will leave Friday for Plainview in Frank Tucker's automobile to attend the session of The Plainview District Conference which convenes there Friday morning. They will return Saturday evening bringing with them Rev. J. Sam Barcus who will all the pulpit at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and evening.

The Evants Land & Immigration Co., now operating out of Hereford own and control 25,000 acres of the choicest tracts in the Panhandle. Having completed all arrangements and established Eastern and Northern agencies, we are in position to handle carefully, and wish to list, all bargains, both improved and raw lands. All lands listed with us will receive our careful consideration and benefit of our long experience in the Panhandle. Evants Land & Immigration Co.

Cheap Lots.

5 lots on Twenty-five Mile Ave. \$100 each if taken at once. Call

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### Just A Moment!

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Anything in Galvanized Tanks Drinking Tubs, Vats and All Tin Goods

Our Repair Department is well equipped.

We will appreciate your orders.

Brazil & Sewell

#### Medical Association Organized.

Dr. D. R. Fly of Amarillo, Medical Councellor for this district, came down the 17th of this month and organized a medical association a this place. It will be known as the Tri-county Medical Association, consisting of Randall, Deaf Smith and Castro Counties. The meeting was held in the office of Dr. C. W. Mc-Farling.

Dr. A. L. Taylor was elected to a profitable business for 1907. president, Dr. S. D. Howser, vice president and Dr. C. W. McFarling secretary and Treasures. Drs. A. L. Taylor and C. W. McFarling were elected delegates to the State Medical Association to meet at Mineral Wells on the 7th, 8th and 9th of May.

the association and those of Randall and Castro Counties will join later. Their meetings will be held once each month at which papers will be read on scientific questionspertaining to the many phases of medical practice.

This organization promises to be one of great benefit to the medical blowing over the city. profession in this country since they will every one receive the benefit of the ideas of each in their discussions on the different subjects.

A big selection of Mexican Straw Hats. See what we have before buy-

#### Bank Opened.

A BRAND reporter called at the office of the First State Bank of Hereford this week and found W B. Beach and O. H. Vardeman, president and cashier, respectively, in harness and everything running as smoothly as could be desired. We are told the opening is very satisfactory to the officers and stockholders and that everything points

Elsewhere in this issue is the ad of the First State Bank to which we call attention.

#### Acreage Property.

Now is the time to make money on Hereford city property. The biggest money is in acreage property. I have 80 acres adjoining the All the doctors of the town joined town on the south which I will sell in 5 and 10-acre blocks at a very low price for the next few days.

J. P. SNYDER.

#### Notice.

All parties owning or controlling water closets are hereby notified to put a covering on hinges on back of said closets to prevent paper from

H. O. HUBBERT, City Marshal. A. L. TAYLOR, Health Officer.

#### L. GOUGH, Mayor. Lost.

A fraternity pin with the letters P M S across top; diamond shaped; set with pearls and rubies. Finder please return to O. E. Thomas a Geo. A. Stambaugh Brand office and receive reward. t

On Friday evening May the 3rd at the College Chapel six members of the Oratory class of Panhandle Christian College will engage in an oratorical contest. This is the first contest of the kind in the history of the college and it is hoped that a large audience will be present to lend interest and inspiration to the contestants. Those taking part in the contest are as follows: Earnest Carper, Earl Wilson, Misses Jessie Deshler, Grace Mason, McXie Mae Mason, Mildred Waterman. Three judges have been selected from Hereford to pass judgement upon the respective merits of the readers and a suitable prize will be presented to the victorious contestant immediately following the decision of the judges. This contest will be the last of the series of recitals given by the Curtain Club during the year. program for the evening is as follows :

Music.

The King of Boyville Earl Wilson The Madonna of the Tubs ..... Stuart

Jessie Deshler Music.

The Heart of Old Hickory Will Allen Dromgoole Grace Mason

Passing the Love of Woman...

Selected Earnest Carper

Music. The Fiddle Told ...

Mildred Waterman The Shepherd's Trophy...

...McXie Mae Mason Admission 25 cents.

#### Land Bargains Near Hereford.

We have about 4000 acres of land near Hereford which we intend selling at once. Any size tract to suit purchaser. These are all good farming lands and will be sold at from \$2 to \$5 below the prevailing price, quality and location of lands consid-J. P. SNYDER LAND CO., ered. Hereford, Texas. 11-tf

#### For Sale.

I have for sale at a bargain a carriage and a good heavy ranch A. O. THOMPSON. 7tf buggy.

#### Gambling Law Construed.

Austin, Texas, April 19-No more spinning the wheel for cigars, under the new anti-gambling law, says the Attorney General's department in the following opinion made public this morning:

"Hon. Ben Palmer, District Attorney, Twenty-Ninth Judicial District, Stephenville: Dear Sir-We are in receipt of your letter asking for a construction of House Bill No. 84 against gambling, which was recently enacted by the Thirtieth Legislature, and which is now a law. In your letter you say:

... 'There are quite a number of drug stores and other business houses in this district that keep on their show case a certain kind of slot machine which resembles a clock A customer goes in and drops a nickel in the slot of this machine, and it etrikes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6. If it strikes one time the customer gets one cigar, if it strikes twice he gets two cigars, and so on up to six, which is the limit. The dropping of the nickel in this machine and taking chance on winning the cigars, is this betting within the meaning of this act? Is it a violation of this act to keep and exhibit such a machine as described above?'

"I am of the opinion that both of your questions should be answered affirmatively. WM. E. HAWKINS, "Office Assistant Attorney General"

#### To The Public.

Until further notice I will be at the Evants Land and Immigration Co's. office. Any one wanting sidewalks built please call.

W. T. CARRUTHERS, Manufacturer. C. E. McLean, Pres.

Beecher Rowan, Cashie

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#### Another Enterprise For Hereford.

W. T. Carruthers of Trinidad, Colo., comes to Hereford May 1st, and will do all kinds of cement work, sidewalks his specialty. All work guaranteed and strictly firstclass.

#### Will Buy Kaffir and Maize.

We are now in the market for all the kaffir, cane and maize seed the farmers have for sale and will pay the highest cash price for same. FALLWELL & SONS,

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We are now manufacturing Concrete Blocks for building purposes and would be glad to have the public call at our yard near the depot and inspect our product. No material is so durable as this and its comparative cheapness cannot fail to make it popular. We make a specialty of building foundations, walks, etc., and will erect your residence or business house on reasonable terms. See us for prices on Portland Cement. :-: :-:

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