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All Over the Panhandle

A fire of an incendiary origin occurred in Wichita Falls May 17.

A local option election will be held in Montague county on June 7.

It is said that fifty more good carpenters can find steady employment at Amarillo.

Nearly all the papers in the Panhandle, except the Seymour Banner, report good rains.

Rev. Addison Clark, the eminent Amarillo divine, is holding a series of meetings at Memphis.

Clarendon college will hold its commencement exercises from May 30th to June 3d, inclusive.

Wichita Falls capitalists are about to build an oil mill at that bustling city. Over \$30,000 of the requisite \$50,000 has been subscribed.

On May 21 the court of criminal appeals decided the local option law to be constitutional. The case will be carried to the federal courts.

It is said that the "Denver" road will lay mains and pump water from Giles to Childress on account of not being able to get water at the latter place.

The fine residence of Judge M. M. Hankins at Quanah was destroyed by fire on May 22d. The loss was about \$3500, most of which was upon his library, which it had took the judge years to collect. It was insured for \$2000.

An exchange says that Childress citizens are trying to make their own the dryest on the plains. They have no water and will try to vote their town prohibition on June 3d. The same paper says the town will go anti by a large majority.

The Oklahoma & Western Railway will erect a brick depot at Quanah.

Memphis is to have a cotton gin plant. It will be owned by Givens Crump of DeKalb.

It is stated that the Fort Worth & Denver railroad has passed into the hands of the Rock Island.

The libel case of the State vs. H. H. Brooks, editor of the Amarillo Livestock Champion, was continued until next term, the special judge, Hon. Frank Buie of Canyon, not being present.

BIRTHS.

To Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Childress, a baby.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lane of Childress, a baby.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Blair of Childress, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Walsh of Clarendon, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mayfield of Memphis, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Orr of Canyon, a girl, May 21.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Estes of Childress, a boy, May 20.

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Erwin of Clarendon, a boy, May 21.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dilworth of Clarendon, a boy, May 17.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dickerson of Silverton, a boy, May 17.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Oakes of Silverton, a girl, May 23. Mr. Oakes is the editor of the Silverton Enterprise.

MARRIAGES.

Miss Willie D. Skinner and Crockett W. Taylor of Clarendon, May 27.

Miss Lizzie Eldridge of Mission, Moore county, and C. A. Wood of Mead, Kan., at Stratford, May 18, Rev. P. W. Eldridge officiating.

Miss S. F. Busby and P. O. Sanders of Amarillo, Judge Lon D. Marrs officiating.

Miss Rosabelle Penney and J. C. Royalty of Lubbock, May 11, Rev. T. W. Sharp officiating.

Miss Lucy Hardesty and Ira C. Tucker of Amarillo, May 22, Rev. Addison Clark officiating.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Ed Bryan of Plainview, May 16.

Mrs. Nancy A. Wadlow of Quanah, May 20.

Lewis Ely Rock of Wichita Falls, May 21.

Dr. E. C. Puckett of Silverton, May 15.

Miss Vashti Boren of Portales, formerly of Tulia, May 22.

Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thrasher of Memphis, May 20.

Letter of Recommendation.

Congressman John H. Stephens, hearing of Frank M. Avis' candidacy for the office of judge of this county, sent the following unsolicited letter of recommendation to that gentleman which we publish with pleasure. Of course this letter is unnecessary among those who are acquainted with Mr. Avis, but perhaps will have some weight with the new comers to this county:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
MAY 13, 1902.

To Whom it May Concern:

I take pleasure in stating that I have known Mr. F. M. Avis of Hereford, Texas, from his childhood and at all times and under all circumstances I found him to be an honest, upright and conscientious citizen, an excellent neighbor and a kind hearted, excellent man.

I take pleasure in stating that he would fill any office to which he might aspire with credit to himself and with full satisfaction to his constituents.

He has been a successful business man and comes from a good family and can always be relied upon.

Very respectfully,
JNO. H. STEPHENS.

To convince the people who have patronized me so liberally that their confidence is not misplaced, I submit the following from a man who stands high in the profession—the secretary of the State Board of Dental Examiners. Also a letter from the president of the Board at that time:

ITASKA, TEXAS, JUNE 3, 1897.
To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that I am personally acquainted with Dr. W. E. Robertson of Alvarado, Texas. I have seen several cases of crown and bridge work done by him and have been very much gratified to find so many evidences of splendid workmanship brought out by him. I have had several years' experience in dentistry and have helped to teach several young men and can cheerfully say that Dr. Robertson excels anyone that has come under my observation. I taught Dr. Robertson two or three years in the past, but in recent interviews with him I have been able to learn some good points from him. His success in the profession is little short of marvelous.

Respectfully, etc.,

C. C. WEAVER.

Mayor of Itaska and Secretary Examining Board 18th Judicial District of Texas.

OFFICE OF
W. M. ST. JOHN,
TREASURER JOHNSON COUNTY,
CLEBURNE, TEXAS, JUNE 7, 1897.
To Whom It May Concern:

I wish to say that I have known Dr. W. E. Robertson since his childhood and recommend him to be a young man of good moral character and a dentist of ability. Anyone needing his services in this line will be safe in trusting their practice to him.

Respectfully,

W. M. St. JOHN,
President Board of Dental Examiners
18th Judicial District of Texas.

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She was just an ordinary woman, without much leisure or time for culture. She did not know the difference between an Ionic and a Doric column in architecture, and she was not "up" on china painting or the Roman emperors. But she brought up three children to tell the truth, to love God, to love their brothers and to do honest labor with their hands and not be ashamed of it. When she died the papers did not notice it, but the Recording Angel said as he reached for a fresh pen and turned over a clean page: "A queen is coming, get her throne ready."—Chas. M. Sheldon.

Strayed.

One red heifer yearling white face with red spot in forehead, branded with a cross on left side high up on back. Any information will be rewarded by A. J. Oliver. 15tf

One On Childress.

Memphis Presbyterians bought a bell in February and they have no clapper. The Amarillo Advocate suggests that they use the tongue of some gossiping old lady to do business with. If it was Childress we could use the tongue of one or two men who put in their time lying about their neighbors. From the size of the lies told the tongue would fill a 5,000 pounder.—Childress Post.

Notice to Fishermen.

All persons are hereby warned not to fish or hunt on our premises. Some of us posted our places last year and people paid no attention to it. Hereafter we will prosecute to the full extent of the law all parties found fishing or shooting on land owned or controlled by us. *This means you!*

J. C. COX.

W. H. CLARY.

L. R. BRADLY.

G. R. JOWELL.

D. F. JOHNSON.

TANNEHILL RANCH SOLD.

Messrs. Hicks & Coldwell of Henrietta Are the Purchasers.

Lisle Tannehill of Roswell, who owned a large ranch about ten miles east of town, recently closed a deal whereby he relinquished all claims to the same. The sale included 250 head of two-year-old steers, which brought \$22.50 around.

Messrs. W. E. Hicks and E. S. Coldwell of Henrietta were the purchasers, the former of whom will move his family from that town and become a resident of this county. THE BRAND extends to them a cordial welcome.

This ranch consists of seventeen sections, seven of which are owned, the others being leased, and is situated superbly, the Tierra Blanco river intersecting the ranch. The terms of sale for the ranch property are private, but we understand it was a cash deal all around.

Hereford Cattle.

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15tf G. A. F. PARKER.

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THE BRAND

WE are pleased to announce in this week's issue of **THE BRAND** the candidacy of Roscoe Harris for the office of treasurer of Deaf Smith county. Mr. Harris is a native of Illinois. In 1886 he moved to Cedar county, Mo., where he resided until 1893, when he moved to Collin county, Texas. Here he remained for a period of five years, when he came to the conclusion that the plains was the place for a young man. Acting upon this wise decision he moved to Hereford, which was then in its infancy as a town, and engaged in the feed, grain and coal business, which he later sold out to A. J. Lipscomb. The business he founded is still in existence, being carried on now by the Hereford Grain and Coal Company, Messrs. Beach, Hay and Camp comprising the firm. After selling out this business he engaged in the cattle and stock farming business, which enterprise he is still engaged in. As a business man he has been very successful, commanding the confidence of all by his ability and strict integrity, and as such he asks the support of Deaf Smith county voters in his candidacy for the office to which he aspires. We ask that you consider his candidacy when at the polls next November.

ANOTHER ROMANCE.

Judge Polley of Canadian Weds the Bride of His Youth After 40 Years of Separation.

Judge Polley returned to his old home at Canadian yesterday. He had been spending the winter in Indiana and thereby hangs a romance. In the year 1861 Judge Polley was a brilliant young lawyer in an Indian town, and a married man with two children. He enlisted in the Union army and went to the war. He was wounded and laid up in a Southern stockade for months and all trace of him was lost, his name appearing on the dead list. His wife married again and Mr. Polley moved west after the war was over. In the meantime his wife heard that he was living and she secured a divorce and remarried her second husband. Judge Polley then married and raised a family, settling about fifteen years ago at Canadian, where he now has a married daughter. Last fall the judge went to his old home on a visit and there learned that his wife was a widow, practically alone in the world and—and, well, the fire of youth burned fiercely in their hearts and they were re-married after a separation of over forty years. The Champion extends congratulations and hopes that they may enjoy the full beauty and glory of life's setting sun.—Amarillo Champion.

Keep Cool.

Make arrangements with Troy Womble to bring you ice every morning. Phone 76. 10tf

Jefferson's Bible.

"Jefferson's Bible," which is to be reprinted in facsimile as a public document, is sure to meet with approval.

The volume is a duodecimo of about 164 pages, though Jefferson paged only left-hand pages. He used testaments in as many languages. On the left-hand pages he pasted clippings in two columns, first in Greek and Latin. On the right-hand he put French and English versions. It makes four finely printed columns in Greek, Latin, French and English. There are marginal notes in Jefferson's own hand writing, with a table in front giving pages and citing chapters and verses from which clippings are taken. He omitted everything of a miraculous

nature, confining the clippings to the teachings of Jesus. In the concluding verse of the work Jefferson combined two versions, as follows:

"John xix. 42: There they laid Jesus (Mat. xxvii, 60) and rolled a great stone to the door of sepulcher and departed."

Jefferson, being a freethinker, buried Jesus forever in the grave, and gave no hope of resurrection and life.

Notice.

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Denver Road Excursion Bulletin.

Triennial Convention National Sunday School Association, Denver, Colo. Tickets on sale June 22nd, 23rd and 24th, at a rate of one fare, plus \$2.00 for the round trip, tickets good for return until July 31st, 1902. Stopover privileges north of Trinidad, Colo.

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Announcements.

County Clerk Deaf Smith County.

EMMETT R. RICE.

W. B. BEACH.

J. H. Collins, of the contracting firm of Holland & Collins, has our thanks for \$1.50 on subscription to THE BRAND.

Ellam Hartsell of Dimmitt was in town Tuesday having some needed dental work done at the Hereford Dental Parlors.

S. M. Sears, who represents the Manhattan Life Insurance Company in this district, had his name enrolled on our subscription list this week.

Prof. J. H. Mowry of Childress came in Tuesday and is looking over our section of the country. He is registered at the Hereford House.

J. H. Holland and J. H. Collins have formed a co-partnership for the purpose of doing a general contracting and building business. See their new adv in this issue of THE BRAND.

The Hereford Nursery has a new adv in this issue. When in need of anything in that line our people would do well to buy of this nursery as their trees, shrubbery, etc., are grown here and is therefore acclimated and less liable to perish.

The proprietor of THE BRAND has authorized W. F. Stimson, manager of the Hereford Nursery, and P. R. Purcell, an employe of the same, to solicit and collect subscriptions for that paper and any courtesies shown these gentlemen will be appreciated by us.

Born—On Wednesday, May 28, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Claybrook of Endee, N. M., a ten-pound boy. Both mother and son are progressing nicely under the skillful care of Dr. C. P. Estes, at whose house Mr. and Mrs. Claybrook are stopping.

Roscoe Harris has decided to follow the example of F. H. Britain and on Saturday, June 14, will sell to the highest bidder a full blood Missouri bred Durham cow, the proceeds to go to the Hereford College fund. See the adv of the same in another part of this issue.

Dr. W. E. Robertson, proprietor of the Hereford Dental Parlors, has ordered a new operating chair for his parlors, which, it is expected, will arrive in a few days. In a recent letter to the public published exclusively in this paper the doctor stated that he would have one of the best equipped dental offices in the west and it looks as though he would soon have it.

The new residence of Judge W. B. Boyd, in the west part of town is nearing completion and the judge expects to be domiciled in the same soon.

Loveless & Black, the up-to-date and low priced furniture dealers, have a new adv in this issue of THE BRAND which will be of interest to the furniture-buying public.

W. B. Beach had the misfortune to have five calves and one registered Hereford bull killed by lightning in a recent storm which passed over his Castro county ranch.

Does This Mean You?

As we are desirous of getting all accounts closed on our books, you will confer a favor by calling at an early date and settling.

15tf Smith, Walker & Co.

To Be of Stone.

It has now been definitely decided by the board of directors of the Hereford College to erect the building from the sandstone in the quarries near Roswell, N. M., and a letter to that effect has been sent to E. S. Rasmussen, the owner of the quarries, and requesting him to get the stone ready for delivery as soon as possible. Such a building as is contemplated will, when finished, be an ornament to the place, as well as a standing monument to the enterprise and progressiveness of our thriving city, and its situation will be such that it will attract the attention of railroad passengers passing through the city.

For Sale.

A good span of young mules.
C. H. Harlan, drayman. 12tf

It gives us pleasure to announce the candidacy of W. B. Beach for the responsible position of county and district clerk for Deaf Smith county. Mr. Beach is a native of Louisiana, but came to Texas in 1871, settling in Grayson county, where he remained until 1891, when he very properly made up his mind that the Panhandle of Texas was superior to any other portion of these United States as a place to live. Acting upon this decision he moved to Castro county, then unorganized. When the county was organized in December, 1891, he was elected to the office of county and district clerk. In the general election of 1892 he was again elected to this office, which he held for four consecutive terms, declining to be a candidate for re-election in 1900, as he deemed that his services were needed more at his ranch in that county, which he still owns. In 1901 he moved to Hereford in order that his children could have the advantages of our excellent public schools. Last fall he, in company with G. R. Hay, bought G. A. Stambaugh's interest in the coal, grain and feed business conducted by Stambaugh & Camp, and with J. R. Camp organized the Hereford Grain and Coal Company. Mr. Beach has shown marked business ability and by fair and impartial dealings has gained an enviable reputation as a business man. Having had such a wide experience in the duties of the office to which he aspires it is safe to assume that should he be the choice of the voters of this county in the November election he would fulfill the duties to the entire satisfaction of his constituents and with credit to himself. We bespeak for his candidacy your careful consideration.

A Financial Success.

At the ice cream social given by the ladies of the Christian church last Friday evening \$40.05 was cleared above expenses. This is a nice little sum to be added to their exchequer and the ladies who managed the affair are deserving of great credit for their enterprise. It is gratifying to see that these enterprises of the church are so well patronized—it shows that our people appreciate the good work that is being done here by the followers of the lowly Nazarene.

Notice.

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PHONE NO. 64

R. L. Ball was in from his ranch on Wednesday.

Miss Abbie Hubbard returned last week from Goodnight, where she has been attending college.

Holland & Collins have secured the contract to erect a five-room residence for Mrs. Burns on her lots on Sampson avenue, west of the court house.

Randolph Clark came in Tuesday from Lancaster. He will remain until the erection of his new residence is under way. He will build on his lots in the Evants addition.

Tom W. Simpson, well known throughout the Panhandle as a saddle maker, is now employed in Guy Gamble's saddle shop, where he would be pleased to see his many friends in this section of the country when they are in need of anything in his line.

G. A. F. Parker of Claude, who will be the manager of the new Smith, Walker & Co. bank at this place, came in Friday to look after the interests of the new institution of finance. He has come here to stay and THE BRAND gladly extends the hand of welcome.

W. H. Dougherty of Gainesville came in Sunday and is prospecting for a place along the Tierra Blanco suitable for the erection of a summer home. Mr. Dougherty is one of the best known cattlemen in the country and we hope that he will be able to find something that suits him.

B. C. Wadlington, a prominent attorney from Texarkana, has decided to locate in Hereford and is having erected a residence on his Sampson avenue lots. He has his family with him and will move into his new dwelling as soon as Contractors Holland & Collins have finished their work on the same. Mr. Wadlington paid us a call on Wednesday and is a very pleasant gentleman to meet and we hope to become better acquainted with him, though not in a professional way. THE BRAND extends to him and his family a cordial welcome.

THE BRAND office has been busily engaged this week in filling a large order of job printing for Smith, Walker & Co., the new bankers. When the fact is taken into consideration that few banks have their printing done at their home office, on account of not being able to get good work, it is gratifying to us to feel that our job work is of such superior quality as to merit the patronage of these institutions of finance. It might not be out of place to add that this office has had the printing of the Hereford National Bank ever since we have been in business at this place.

A Wonderful Growth

During the past eighteen months our business has experienced a wonderful growth. Notwithstanding this favorable condition, we are not disposed to let this growth stop. We therefore solicit your business.

PHONE No. 10

THE HEREFORD NATIONAL BANK

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15th Smith, Walker & Co.

W. B. Beach left yesterday for his ranch in Castro county.

J. T. Heath of Bovina was in town Tuesday having some dental work done at the Hereford Dental Parlors.

The Misses Lura and Empress Jowell returned Sunday from Fort Worth, where they had been attending a conservatory of music.

Holland & Collins, the contractors, have the contract to erect a seven-room residence for J. D. Files on his lots in the Evants addition. It will be a modern two-story structure and will be an ornament to that section of the town.

It gives us pleasure to report that Henry Davenport, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is rapidly improving under Dr. Tinsley's care. The Odd Fellows, of which excellent order Mr. Davenport is a member, deserve great credit for the constant attention which they have accorded to their brother member. Good nursing is half the battle in such cases.

Charles Croley, who recently sold his ranch in Castro county, has purchased forty sections in Ochiltree and Hansford counties, and left for his new possessions yesterday. Mr. Croley has many friends in this vicinity, including THE BRAND, who regret to see him leave this section of the country, and who will wish for him unbounded success in his new venture.

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Hugh Witherspoon has returned from Goodnight College.

J. D. Tucker, of the OYO ranch in Castro county, gave us a nice order this week for stationery.

R. A. Campbell, the well known Canyon cattleman, passed through town Tuesday with a train of cattle bound for some point down the line.

G. F. Abbott, one of Castro county's prominent young cowmen, was a business caller in town Wednesday.

J. L. Underwood was in from his North Draw ranch this week. He says that the lakes are all full and that the North Draw is a young river.

J. W. Rhea, of the well known cattle firm of Rhea Brothers of Bovina, was a pleasant caller in town Wednesday.

In Tuesday's storm lightning killed a valuable horse belonging to T. F. Cardwell and a mule owned by T. D. Hunt, which were in the former's pasture.

J. T. Claybrook, the well known Endee, N. M., cattleman, came in Wednesday on important business, notice of which is given elsewhere in this issue.

ATTENTION STOCKMEN!

Roscoe Harris will sell to the highest bidder on

SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1902

in front of the Hereford National Bank, a full blood Missouri bred 5-year-old

DURHAM COW

Proceeds to go to the fund for the building of the

HEREFORD COLLEGE

The Brand
 A Weekly Journal Devoted to the Interests
 of the Panhandle Country of Texas
 FRANK L. VANDERBURGH
 Editor and Publisher

Notes and Comments

WE say incorporate by all means.

Now that we have established within our town a nursery there is no excuse for treeless yards. We agree with the motto of the late J. Sterling Morton, which was "plant trees."

OUR farmers and stockmen were never in a more jubilant mood. And why shouldn't they be joyful? Copious rains have insured an excellent season and large crops of all kinds are assured.

MANY visiting cattlemen who were here last spring express surprise at the rapid growth and progressiveness of Hereford. If they are astonished now, what will be their feelings when they visit us again next year?

WE heard a prospector remark recently that this was the most beautiful country he had ever visited. And the fine rains we have been enjoying this spring did not serve to make him change his mind either.

THE Amarillo Daily Champion of May 22, says: "The ground for the Christian college at Hereford was laid off yesterday and work on the foundation commenced this morning." We would infer from this that the Champion is under the impression that the Hereford College (not the Christian College) is to be a denominational school, and would respectfully call the Champion's attention to the fact that the Hereford College, according to its incorporation papers, is to be strictly non-denominational, non-sectarian and non-partisan in its teachings.

ONCE more we call the attention of our citizens to the advisability of incorporating our rapidly growing city. While Dalhart, Plainview and other towns have made this most important of moves Hereford is still on the seat of hesitancy. With a new college in the course of erection, which will cause many residents of other portions of the country to make Hereford their home, and with prospectors coming in daily we owe it to the interests of our city to incorporate and thus to be in a position whereby we can enforce certain ordinances which should be passed.

WE would like to be one of many to subscribe to a fund to fence the public school grounds and plant trees and shrubbery thereon. How many will join us?

EVERYONE should assist the ladies in their efforts to improve and beautify the city park. There is no reason why Hereford should not have a shady, beautiful place of recreation—something that we have not seen in any other Panhandle town. And we are sure to have it, for when the ladies of Hereford undertake to do a thing they do not rest until it is done.

Keep ever in your mind the necessity for voting for an anti-lease man for representative. It is time the fertile lands of the plains were in the hands of their rightful heirs—the farmers—who will develop and make prosperous this "Garden of the Gods."—Lubbock Avalanche.

Philippine pacification has earned the definition, "make it a desert and call it peace."

In going over the blessings that would accrue from tariff reform has it ever occurred to you that customs inspection insults would, to a great degree, be obviated?

Mr. Roosevelt's proneness to rash statement is illustrated in the fact that the American flag did not "stay put" in Cuba in spite of his above quoted assertion that it would remain where once planted.

If Mr. Lodge is as anxious to get his bill through as he says he is it would be wise for him to limit the general opportunities for franchise and land-grabbing at present provided for in the Philippine act for which he is sponsor.

The frivolous disposition of the Paris public was shown in connection with the Martinique disaster, when the city's populace was occupied with minor local sensations, and the distant horror made no impression at first although one of France's oldest and most prosperous colonies was blotted out.

The tariff that enables manufacturers to sell goods abroad cheaper than they do at home is robbing the American public just as surely as the beef trust is.

Judge Griggs of Georgia, chairman of the Democratic congressional committee, represents a district in which only twenty-four votes were cast against him at the last election.

Virginia is modernizing her old state capitol, but without change in the general architectural plan which was sent from France by Thomas Jefferson just prior to the first construction in 1785.

A Chicago minister has announced that he will make no more eulogies at funerals, but will confine his remarks to general truths applicable to the occasion. He thinks that one should "speak no evil of the dead,"—likewise not too much good.

The high price of beef has resulted in rioting in New York city, where mobs have attacked butcher shops in the tenement districts and in some cases applied the torch. Their vengeance is misdirected. The prices started farther back.

Citizens of Washington cannot get appropriations for increase in the fire department and extension of streets, but when the Pennsylvania railroad wants a bonus of \$7,000,000 for erecting a railway station in that city, "Subsidy Hanna" comes forward with the required legislation.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie offered to reimburse the United States in the sum of \$20,000,000, the amount paid Spain for the Philippines, if the administration would secure peace by a prompt guarantee of ultimate independence. Each day that passes makes thinking men wonder what kind of statesmanship declined an offer which would have saved this nation from an embarrassing dilemma and international dishonor.

The secretary of the treasury has issued an edict that persons going abroad can make a list of their possessions, leave it with the custom house, and, on returning, have their baggage admitted free, provided it tallies with the list. Of course the same old obnoxious examination will be necessary to verify the tally, and the traveller will have to bring back his old clothes to make the tally perfect. As a remedy for custom house outrages this possesses an element of humor.

For the Stockman
 The greatest stock raising country in the world, with a direct transportation route above the southern quarantine line to and from all markets and the great pasture lands of the west and northwest

For the Homeseeker
 Cheap farming and grazing lands in the Panhandle of Texas. Lands under irrigation in the Pecos Valley of New Mexico, producing the finest fruits, melons, alfalfa, celery, garden produce, etc., etc. Business opportunities of all kinds in a new and prosperous country

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 General Manager
 AMARILLO, TEXAS

THE BRAND

IN the absence of our cuts this week we will give a list of fees which will govern in the future; and let it be understood that I use nothing but the very best materials that are made, my alloys never tarnish, my teeth are cast on platinum pins, and my prices prevail with the BEST Dentists of the country:

Devitalizing Nerve and Filling Canals.....	\$1.00	Obturator or Artificial Palate.....	50.00 to 150.00
White Alloy Fillings.....	\$ 1.00 to \$ 2.00	Making Interdental Splints.....	15.00 to 25.00
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Richmond Crowns.....	7.50 to 10.00	Painless Extraction.....	1.00
Logan Crowns.....	5.00	Setting Fractures of the Jaw.....	25.00 to 50.00
Bridge Work is governed by number put in		Reducing Dislocation Lower Jaw.....	10.00
Gold Plates, according to gauge.....	50.00 to 75.00	Removing Sarcomas.....	5.00 and up
Aluminum Plates.....	20.00 to 35.00	Replanting Teeth.....	5.00 to 10.00
Rubber Plates.....	10.00 to 15.00	Treatment of Calcic Inflammation of the Gums and general Sore	
Celluloid Plates.....	15.00	Mouth will be charged for as the occasion requires.	

W. E. ROBERTSON

DENTIST

PHONE 65

A Boston man has arranged a list of the "best fifty American poems." We do not know by what standard he measured them, but suppose it was by the foot or the meter.

New York city spends \$20 per head of the school population for education per annum. The average for the country is \$9.50. In spite of New York's big school bill there are 40,000 children who cannot get into the schools on account of lack of room.

All real democrats are united for the success of the party in the congressional elections of this year and the presidential contest of 1904. The issues are clear and when you find a man "out of harmony" you will also find that his democracy is only skin-deep.

Publicity for trusts is demanded not merely to curb them but to protect the people. Dividends are declared when they are not earned; share values are lowered or raised at will, and leases can be inflicted on buyers and sellers, to affect the values of other properties. These facts make public statements essential to public welfare.

There are a few things on which the republicans cannot get together:

Tariff concessions to Cuba, financial legislation, Philippine policy, military and naval controversies, and even prosperity—because cost of living has grown faster than increases in wages. In a word, they are divided on all the great questions now stirring the minds of the people. In exercising a wise choice of policy and taking advantage of republican disintegration the democracy embraces a great opportunity.

Drouth Rot.

The Texas Stock Journal has an article headed, "Panhandle Drouth Broken," then goes on to tell of affairs way down in Scurry, Borden and Kent counties—not in the Panhandle at all. The Panhandle has not suffered from drouth to any extent since 1894, but it is common for eastern papers to have great headlines about "Panhandle drouth," then tell of the situation of counties

from one to 300 miles from the Panhandle. It is time to call a halt, especially in papers like the Stock Journal, that is supposed to know where the Panhandle is.—Industrial West.

Announcements.

District Judge of the 47th. Judicial District.

H. H. WALLACE.

IRA WEBSTER.

County Clerk Deaf Smith County.

EMMETT R. RICE.

County Judge Deaf Smith County.

W. B. BOYD.

FRANK M. AVIS.

Sheriff and Tax Collector of Deaf Smith County.

J. M. M'GLOTHLIN.

JOHN A. JOHNSON.

J. T. INMON.

Treasurer Deaf Smith County.

C. L. DAVIS.

J. W. BRADLY.

ROSCOE R. HARRIS.

Assessor Deaf Smith County.

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Local News Items

F. M. Avis was in from his ranch Wednesday on business.

Grayson Bell of Dimmitt was a pleasant caller in town Saturday.

J. D. Tucker of OYO ranch was registered at the Hereford House Wednesday.

Jack Harwell of the Hereford Manufacturing Company spent Sunday at Portales, N. M.

We have the largest assortment of stationery ever brought to Hereford. Killough & Montgomery. 9tf

Ben Wofford received the sad intelligence this week that his mother, who resides at Albany, was seriously ill.

T. H. Collins of Wichita county is among the prospectors registered at the Hereford House, having arrived Wednesday.

L. T. Lester, president of the Stockman's Bank of Canyon, was in town Wednesday on business, being registered at the Hereford House.

L. R. Bradley was in from his Tierra Blanco ranch Wednesday on business. He says that the river is the highest now that he has ever seen it.

Are you needing some painting done? If so, we would like to furnish you the paint, having just received a large supply of the best paints and oils. Hereford Lumber Company. 14-2t

J. C. Galbraith, of the Burton-Lingo Company, came in Tuesday. Since the sale of that company's lumber yard at Roswell, N. M., Mr. Galbraith has decided to open a branch yard at Canyon.

Mrs. Arthur Doolan is entertaining her sister, Miss Dora Rambo, her cousin, Miss Kate Rambo, and Miss Zella Avis, of Hereford. The young ladies expect to remain three weeks after which the Misses Rambo, will return to Hereford and Miss Avis will visit in Wichita Falls.—Amarillo Champion.

J. J. Keller, vicepresident of the Perfect Baking Powder Company of St. Louis, was in town Wednesday. This is Mr. Keller's first visit to this section of the country and he is combining business with sight-seeing. He paid this office a pleasant visit and casually remarked that he was wonderfully surprised at the growth and progressiveness of this country. He also made a contract with us for some local advertising for his product which will be handled by the Hereford Mercantile Company.

B. T. Hinton has been on the sick list for the past week.

Charley Davis came in Wednesday from his ranch in in Castro county.

G. D. Sikes of Dimmitt was among the guests at the Hereford House on Tuesday.

George Waters of Dimmitt was in town Tuesday and autographed at the Hereford House.

Sheriff W. D. Orr of Canyon was in town Monday on business. He made his headquarters at the Hereford House.

Lewis Hale of the North Draw was in town Wednesday on business. He says that his section of the county received a fine rain this week.

J. N. Russell of Pilot Point is enjoying a visit with his father, J. K. P. Russell, and sister, Mrs. L. Gough, and incidentally recuperating in health, having become indisposed on account of attending too steadily to business.

It is said that fully six inches of water fell in the rain of Monday.

W. W. Watts of Emma came in Wednesday and is registered at the Hereford House.

Sam H. Morris left yesterday evening for a visit among Gainesville friends and relatives.

Miss Nora Gamble has accepted a position in the dry goods department of the Hereford Mercantile Company.

R. N. Mounts was in from his ranch Wednesday on business. He says his ranch received plenty of rain Tuesday.

We have hats in all the latest effects of stylish millinery, and can please the most fastidious tastes. Call and inspect them. W. H. Stone. 13tf

Does This Mean You?

As we are desirous of getting all accounts closed on our books, you will confer a favor by calling at an early date and settling.

15tf Smith, Walker & Co.

W. A. Hubbard of Castro county was in Tuesday on business.

Miss Deora Scott has returned from her studies at Goodnight college.

G. F. Pierce, who owns a ranch ten miles south of town in Castro county, was a business caller in town Wednesday.

W. Folwell of Greer county, Okla., on Tuesday purchased through Witherspoon & Gough 5000 acres of land in Castro county from W. A. Hubbard; consideration \$12,500.

Troy Womble, the ice man, takes this means of notifying his patrons that on Sundays ice will be delivered in the morning only. Anyone wanting ice on that day will please bear this in mind. 13tf

Guy Gamble is spending a few days among Oklahoma and Texas points on business. Mr. Gamble has a bunch of fine horses in Oklahoma which he will either dispose of while absent or bring them to Hereford.

Our Entire Stock of Clothing and Dry Goods

Will Be Closed Out at COST FOR CASH

We are just compelled to close this store, not that we are not doing business, but we need Mr. Sam Isaacs in our Amarillo store. This is a statement of facts—nothing more. Everything will be sold AT COST and what is left over by June 1st will be sent to Amarillo

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Summer Rates will be on June 1st. We believe we can give you inside information regarding Kool Colorado, including the prices of living there (as low as \$4 a week) at hotels, ranches and boarding houses, which you will consider worth while. Get your name on our list (10c. in unused stamps puts it there in ink.) If you read LETTERS FROM O. B. COMFORTABLE you'll find some things you'd like to know. That's our book that gives the prices—not a picture in it—needed the space for real information. But we have some very select stuff, with handsome illustrations, which we have had printed just to give away to those who appreciate it and are interested in Kool Colorado, and Ticket Agents, all over the State, have supplies. They will be glad to give you these books, also to sell you your tickets, and, if you tell them you want to go so that "You Don't Have To Apologize," on the "Only One Road" with direct lines and thru trains (people enjoy our service after traveling in the ordinary way) they will recognize that you are wise and discerning. We'd be glad to hear from you, too.

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LIVESTOCK NEWS.

Items of Interest to Those Engaged in That Business.

Cattle buyers from the north have not arrived in any great numbers as yet, but are expected in the near future.

There is not much doing in the cattle business at present on account of the railroad not being able to furnish cars.

Winfield Scott is here to deliver a herd of cattle to some northern buyers which had been contracted for some time since.

W. B. Beach has sold to B. W. Miller, who recently purchased a ranch north of town, a bunch of 65 two- and three-year-old steers at private terms.

C. C. Bradford on Saturday purchased 2000 twos from different Castro county parties, most of which were purchased from Messrs. McLean, Croley and Ovetheir.

Messrs. Avis & Palmer on Wednesday sold 75 head of stock, cows to W. G. Slagle, who recently purchased a ranch about fifteen miles northwest of town, at private terms.

John T. Shy, the well known cowman, who has been here some time buying cattle, left last week for Amarillo, where he has several cattle deals pending. He will ship a large herd from Roswell on the 10th.

J. F. Merritt of Lubbock is here with a herd of threes which are on the open market. Mr. Merritt has been under Dr. R. M. Johnson's care since coming here, having had a bilious attack. We are pleased to note that he is rapidly recovering.

George Neafie of Elgin, Kansas, who is employed by Lee Russell, the well known stockman, left Tuesday for Billings, Mont., with a train load of cattle which the latter gentleman had purchased from the Littlefield Cattle Company. The cattle were shipped from Kenna.

We are pleased to announce to cattlemen contemplating the driving of trail herds to this point that all the lakes are full to overflowing and that there is plenty of surface water for all. A short time ago cattlemen were rather uneasy on account of the scarcity of the thirst quenching fluid, but that feeling is passed now and the cowman is jubilant.

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15tf Smith, Walker & Co.

For Sale.

53 Stock cattle and 12 fine, registered bulls. See Will Stone Hereford, Texas.

8tf

Some Damage Done.

A. S. Bassett phoned THE BRAND Wednesday that Tuesday's heavy rain and wind caused the loss of many calves in his neighborhood, and that D. W. Dillon's corrals were blown down. Mr. Bassett is also mourning the loss of part of his strawberry crop and says that his whole patch is under water. He was out in the weather during the entire length of the storm and says that if irrigation will make him grow he may yet become a "man," as at present he is only six feet, three inches in height.

For Sale or Exchange.

One well bred jack, 8 years old. Will be sold cheap or will exchange for mares or young mules. J. E. Hughes, Amarillo, Texas.

4tf

D. M. Phillips Dead.

The many friends of W. B. Phillips, who owns a ranch in the north-eastern part of this county, will be pained to learn of the death of his brother who was living with him, being a sufferer of consumption, and from which disease his demise came. D. M. Phillips was a native of North Carolina and his remains were shipped to that state for interment. The surviving brother has a host of friends in this city, including THE BRAND, who deeply sympathize with him in his sorrow.

For Sale.

A good team, harness and wagon, three saddle ponies and an extra single driver. Inquire at Johnson & Ferguson's feed store.

11tf

The Tie That Binds.

The writer of the following is unknown to us or we would gladly give him credit: Referring to the much discussed question how shall boys be kept on the farms, we have it in mind to recommend tying them up. To do this most effectually a good stout cord should be used, and the knot should be so swell that even a cabinet fakir would fail to loosen it. The cord should be made of three very strong strands, viz: First, parental love; second, the love of nature; third, self interest; these three, but the greatest of these is love. Where there is the full measure of parental love, and a love of nature has been incited by training and education, the boy will find it for his personal good to remain at or near the farm; and if he strays away for a time he will yearn to get back to the soil.—Farm and Ranch.

Bid for Land.

On Friday bids were opened at Washington for the lease of 480,000 acres of grazing lands from the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache Indians. The bidders are: J. H. Stein, Lawton, Ok.; A. Siberstein, Dallas, Texas.; W. H. Jennings, Fort Worth; J. L. Huggins, Henrietta; E. B. Carver, Henrietta; Thomas L. Burnett, Fort Worth; Sol Noyes, San Angelo; W. T. Waggoner, Decatur.—Wichita Falls Times.

Score One For Dalhart.

It is now positively known that the Rock Island has bought the C. & S. from Texline to Denver with control of the F. W. & D. C., from Dalhart to Texline. This, railroad men here say, means that the division at Texline is to be removed here, and that very soon. This, they say, will necessitate the building of at least fifteen more stalls to the round house here.—Dalhart Sun.

Contractor J. P. Snyder secured the contract for the work to be done on the court house grounds. F. C. Hutchinson, of the Hereford Well Company, is drilling the well.

We are expecting a car of "Buck-eye harvesters and corn binders in a very short time and will meet our competitors with a machine that we will stake all we are worth on as being the only up-to-date machine on the market. D. R. Gass & Son. 15tf

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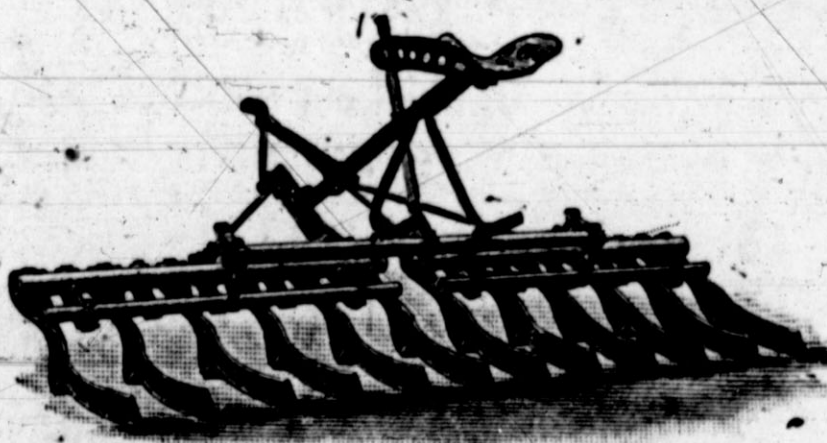
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THE HEREFORD NURSERY
HEREFORD TEXAS

Local News Items

Fresh bread at the restaurant. 1tf

J. C. Cox was a pleasant caller in town Saturday.

Examine our new line of Hohner harps. Killough & Montgomery. 9tf

W. Folwell of Greer county, Okla., is prospecting hereabouts, having arrived Monday.

We have just received a new consignment of Loose Bros.' fine chocolates. Killough & Montgomery. 8tf

No more credit in the oil or ice business, must be strictly cash. Ice tickets for sale. Troy Womble. 14tf

B. C. D. Bynum, who has been making an extended visit among friends in Mississippi, returned Monday.

Killough & Montgomery are now selling home-made candy, made by G. H. Price, an experienced candy maker of Corsicana. Try it. 8tf

C. M. Hardin came in Monday to look after his lumber interests here. He found everything in a flourishing condition under the able management of J. C. Newman.

Remember that we have the largest line of agricultural implements in the Panhandle and we will sell them at reasonable prices. Stringfellow-Hume Hardware Company. 5tf

We have a fine line of single and double buggies. Nice weather will soon prevail and you should discard the old buggy and drive in one of our swell turnouts. Stringfellow-Hume Hardware Company. 5tf

We have the latest fashions of ladies' visiting cards. Killough & Montgomery. 9tf

Orville Folwell is among the Greer county, Okla., citizens who are prospecting in this section of the country.

We have just received three cars of wire. Call and get prices. Stringfellow-Hume Hardware Company. 5tf

Born—On Saturday, May 24, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Blankinship, a boy. Both mother and son are progressing nicely.

Parties wishing wells drilled by F. C. Hutchinson of the Hereford Well Company can leave their orders at this office, where they will be promptly attended to. 14tf

Parties wishing to fish on "posted" premises will have to have a printed permit from the owners and signed by them, otherwise they will be prosecuted for trespassing. These printed permits can be had at this office. 14tf

J. R. Allen of Greer county, Okla., came in Monday and is prospecting.

Conner Jowell returned Monday from a business trip to Amarillo and Canyon.

We have a quantity of old type at this office which makes excellent babbiting metal for windmills, etc., for sale at 10c per pound. 48tf

L. R. Bradley was in town Monday after supplies. While here his team took a little spin on their own account, but were stopped before much damage was done.

The ladies of Hereford and vicinity are cordially invited to call at our new store and inspect our stock of millinery. Everything up-to-date and prices right. W. H. Stone. 13tf

Novelty knives and razors are the prettiest and best, your name and address and photo in the handle, and any other design or emblem you may want. Will be here again the last of June. W. H. MINTER, 13-7t Clarendon, Texas.

Go to W. W. Meeks for watch and jewelry repairing. He also carries a nice stock of watches and jewelry for sale. 13tf

J. W. Koons, a prominent Sanger attorney, was in town Monday on legal business. He expressed himself as being agreeably surprised with the growth of this country and the enterprise of its citizens.

J. L. Smith of Amarillo, president of the new banking firm of Smith, Walker & Co., was in town last Friday to inspect the building of their new brick banking house, which is rapidly approaching completion.

W. B. Robinson, who recently sold his ranch near Tombstone, has purchased the C. L. Tanner ranch, situated five miles southeast of town. While this property contains only one section, it is valuable on account of its being highly improved. Consideration \$2500.

THE BRAND this week printed candidate cards for the following seekers for public office: C. L. Davis, J. W. Bradley and Roscoe Harris for county treasurer; J. T. Inmon and John A. Johnson for sheriff and tax collector, and Emmett R. Rice for county and district clerk. We hope that they will all be elected.

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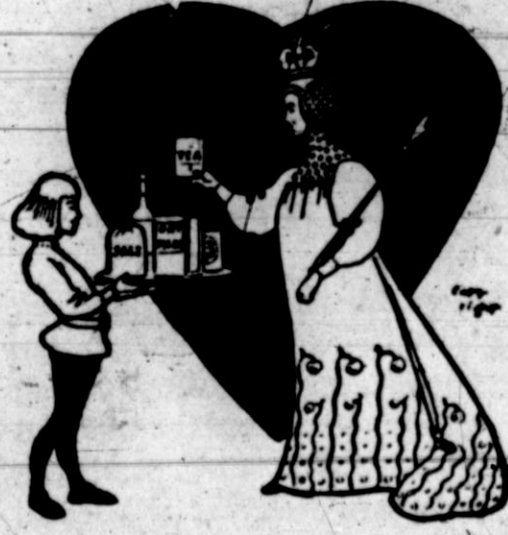
Write me or call at my ranch, situated five miles east of Hereford, on the Tierra Blanca river.

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P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE

Pass. Train	Leaves
No. 201, south-bound,	11:12 a. m.
No. 202, north-bound,	4:12 p. m.

STAGE TO DIMMITT.
Lv. Hereford at 7:30 a. m. daily ex. Sunday
Ar. Dimmitt at 12:00 m. " "
Lv. Dimmitt at 1:00 p. m. " "
Ar. Hereford at 6:00 p. m. " "

STAGE TO ENDEE
Lv. Hereford Mondays-Fridays at 6 a. m.
Ar. Endee " " at 8 p. m.
Lv. Endee Tuesdays-Saturdays at 6 a. m.
Ar. Hereford " " at 8 p. m.

Fresh bread at the restaurant. 1tf
Charles Taylor and family were in town Saturday after supplies.

F. H. Britain was in from his Castro county ranch Saturday on business.

If you are not a regular customer and want ice, watch for the wagon. Delivery from 7 to 10 a. m. 10tf

See F. C. Hutchinson, the well driller, if you want anything in his line. He guarantees all his work. 13tf

W. H. Thompson of Gainesville came in Sunday and is visiting his brother, J. D. Thompson, and incidentally is looking for a location.

P. R. Purcell will leave about June 1st on a canvassing trip for the Hereford Nursery. He will visit Randall, Armstrong, Potter and Carson counties.

Do you want a summer hat? We have the latest in up-to-date millinery, and would be pleased to show them to you and quote you prices. W. H. Stone. 13tf

E. Carter was in from his ranch east of town Saturday on business.

If your eyes give you trouble go to Meeks for glasses. Many times headaches are received by proper use of spectacles. 13tf

W. G. Higgins is having done at the Hereford Dental Parlors what is without doubt the largest piece of dental work ever done in the Panhandle. The work consists in crowning all of the upper and lower teeth and the putting in of four bridges. The cost for the entire work will be something over \$200.

Breed your cows to Troy Womble's fine registered Hereford bull. \$3.00 per season. 10tf

F. C. Hutchinson of the Hereford Well Company went to the ranch of J. D. Farley, sixteen miles northeast of town on the South Draw, on Tuesday where he will drill a well.

Commencing Saturday, May 31, I will sell my entire stock of millinery at cost. The ladies are invited to call at D. R. Gass & Sons' and inspect these goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere. Mrs. Anna Osborn. 15-1t

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District Court convenes on the second Mondays of April and October.
Commissioners' Court convenes on the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.

Meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in their hall over Beach & Orr's furniture store. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.
A. J. Lipscomb, Noble Grand. Geo. W. Dale, Secretary.

HEREFORD LODGE, NO. 849, F. & A. M.
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Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting Sovereigns always welcome.
J. T. Inmon, Council Commander. A. C. Bratton, Clerk.

C. M. A.

Meets every Tuesday evening in the Court House at 8 o'clock.
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CHURCHES.

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Rev. H. M. Bandy, pastor — Services held on the first Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

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Union Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m.

METHODIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Meets once each week.
Miss Margaret Syms, President.

BAPTIST LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

Mrs. H. B. McGee, President.

Local News Items

Fresh bread at the restaurant. 1tf

W. J. Killough was a business caller in town Monday.

Blue grass seed at Johnson & Ferguson's coal and grain store. 11tf

J. D. Tucker of the OYO ranch in Castro county was in town Saturday on business.

For Sale or Trade—My residence property in town. Price \$1100. J. D. Files, Hereford, Texas. 8tf

R. J. Sanders of Corsicana came in Friday to look after his large paoperty interests at this place.

We pay cash for your produce—chickens, butter, eggs, etc. Highest market prices. Hereford Meat Market. 13tf

Born—On Wednesday, May 21, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clements, a boy. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

For Sale—1 3-4 inch Marcy cylinder. Been in use two years. Will sell cheap. Inquire at Johnson & Ferguson's grain store. 8tf

W. F. Stimson, manager of the Hereford Nursery, will leave about the first of June on a canvassing trip in Deaf Smith, Castro and Hale counties.

C. E. McLane, the well known Castro county ranchman, was in town Monday to make out the bill of sale for the cattle which he sold to C. C. Bradford.

Do you want a well drilled? If so F. C. Hutchinson will make you special prices while his machine is in town. He guarantees his work to be satisfactory. 13tf

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LOCAL AGENT

Hereford, Texas



Fresh bread at the restaurant. 1tf

Have your picture taken at Meeks. 13tf

Frank Evarts of Gillman, Mo., came in Friday and is prospecting hereabouts.

Walter Rush came down from Hereford Friday to visit the home folks for awhile.—Childress Post.

Dr. W. E. Robertson of the Hereford Dental Parlors was engaged Monday in doing a fine piece of dental surgery for Lawrence Long of Fort Worth.

I have secured on experienced baker, W. C. Green, and can furnish fresh bread at all times of an excellent quality. Also cakes and pies baked to order in any quantities. Charles Orr. 9tf

For fine soda water, confectionery, etc., go to B. T. Hinton's. 9tf

Will the party who borrowed my shot gun please return it? Sam H. Morris. 8tf

C. B. Hightower of Frost is among the prospectors in town, having arrived last Friday.

THE BRAND force was treated to a large plate of assorted cake on Saturday last by Mrs. R. M. Johnson, which was very much appreciated.

A. A. Lumpkin, a rising young attorney of Meridian, came in Sunday and is prospecting for a location. We would be pleased to have him locate with us. He is a friend of G. A. F. Parker, the manager of the Smith, Walker & Co. bank at this place.

Henry VonLienen was a business caller in town Saturday.

James Garrett was in from his Castro county ranch Saturday.

See Troy Womble for ice. He will deliver it at 14c per pound. Phone 76. 10tf

Miss Maud Patton, of Hereford, has been visiting Miss Gyp Holland.—Canyon Stayer.

Take your fresh eggs to the Hereford restaurant and receive the highest cash prices. 14tf

S. C. Wilson went to Canyon Saturday to spend Sunday with his parents at that place.

Wanted—Highest cash price paid for chickens and turkeys. Write T. F. Griffy, Amarillo, Texas. 4-12t

Mrs. Anna Osborn is closing out her entire stock of millinery at cost. See her local adv elsewhere in this issue.

Joe Brown of Lubbock was in town Saturday and had a fine piece of dental work done at the Hereford Dental Parlors.

Miss Tot Mercer, who has been attending Goodnight college, returned home Friday. Her brother, Dow, came in from the ranch to meet her.

R. H. Norton and family were callers in town Saturday. Mr. Norton says that all of the recent rains have struck his place and that his crops are in good condition.

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