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LET EVERY MAN VOTE FOR THE MAN OF HIS CHOICE

KENTUCKY MEN BUY BIG RANCH

Will Open Tract for Colonization and Build City on Great Plains of Texas.

Last week through the Snyder-Evants Land Co. a local realty concern, a deal involving the sale and exchange of 4 leagues of land on the Plains of Texas was consummated. The purchasers all from Henderson, Kentucky, were Messrs Fred Haag, and G. W. Posey.

The tract of land lies in the Western half of Lamb County, Texas, contains 17,712 acres, is 3 miles wide by 12 miles long. This body of land is practically all level, smooth plains land, the soil of a rich chocolate loam and sandy loam, suitable for all kinds of crops. The water is abundant and is obtained at shallow depths.

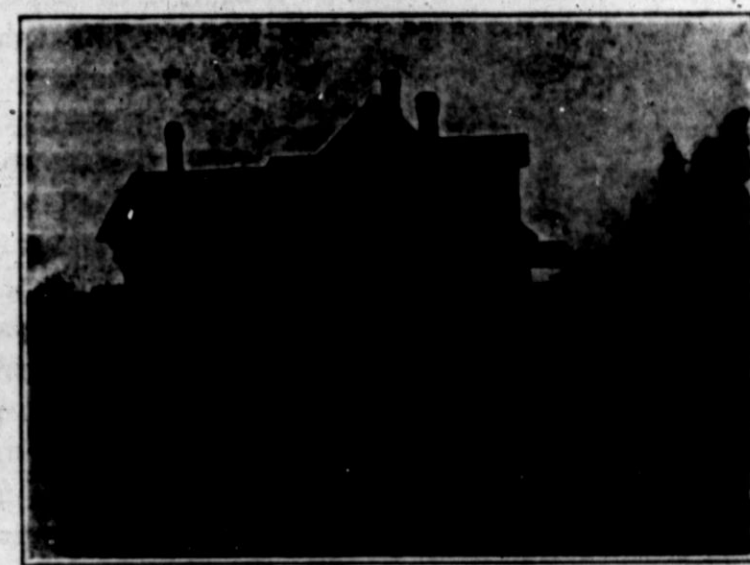
The purchasers of this land have in view a definite plan which, if followed, will make this county one of the best in this section.

It is proposed to use the natural and artificial sources to develop this county. Of the natural resources, the soil and water are the principal ones; of the artificial aids the construction of the Santa Fe cut-off from Lubbock to Texico will be the main thing and the building of a modern western city in the center of the tract an auxiliary feature. Two other things may eventually develop that will bring that county into the spot light. On an adjoining tract of land a concern is sinking a well for the purpose of testing for oil and gas. The well is down about 1,500 feet and the indications favorable. Secondly, the abundance of a large amount of underflow water and shallow depths makes it possible to develop one of the most profitable irrigation sections on the plains. While the rainfall is sufficient for all ordinary crops, the addition of a small amount of water by irrigation will broaden the field of products to an unlimited degree. While the buyers will continue the big ranch for a while, when the Santa Fe extends its line to intersect the tract will be laid out, the land cut into small tracts and sold to actual settlers. The town will not be of the quick boom, town lot sale sort, but will be substantially built. A real "city plan" will be thoroughly worked out. Wide streets, drives, public parks and public building sites will be set aside; sanitary and modern conveniences will be installed, making the city a habitable place from the beginning.

With the advent of the railroad which is a certainty, the young city built, in a short time the citizens will designate it as the county seat.

These Kentucky gentlemen, and all Kentuckians are gentlemen, the writer is from the blue grass state himself, are to be congratulated on the purchase of this fine body of Texas Panhandle land.

Rev. G. H. Bryant of Dimmitt who has been assisting in a meeting at Iowa Park for the past ten days, returned on Tuesday with a report of a successful meeting. On next Sunday, Rev. J. T. McClure of Dallas will arrive at Dimmitt and assist Rev. Bryant in a meeting at that place for a number of days.



Hereford is Known Far and Wide as a City of Beautiful Homes

THE SUPREME LOAF

Illinois Woman Makes Fine Bread From Milo Maize Flour.

Superior to hard wheat bread, rye or whole wheat loaf, in color, flavor and wholesomeness, is the Milo loaf. In keeping with a promise, Mrs. A. J. McElhenie of La Salle, Illinois sent to the editor of The Brand, by the hands of Mr. McElhenie a loaf of bread made from Milo Maize flour. This mlo was rried at Hereford and shipped to Illinois, where Mr. McElhenie ground it and Mrs. McElhenie who is an expert in bread making, fashioned a loaf that would please the palate of an Epecurian. As a judge of bread the editor pronounces the loaf superior in every respect to the ordinary baker's loaf. It has a rich nutty flavor and contains all the properties of a perfect bread.

Thanks are due Mrs. McElhenie for this lesson of converting one of the abundant products of the Panhandle into such a palatable edible. She will, no doubt, give us the receipt for making this bread which The Brand names—The Supreme Loaf.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Notice Presbyterians.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid earnestly solicits the presence of every Presbyterian and every one who regularly attends Sunday School or church services of the Presbyterian church at a social on Friday at 8:30 p. m.

PROGRAM.

Song—"America."
Reading—Miss Louise Irwin.
Music—Miss Lora Guinn.
Reading—Miss Lola Lacy.
Music—Miss Blanche Potter.
Reading—Mrs. C. D. Wright.
Solo—Miss Gyles.
Reading—Grace Ferguson.
Duet—Misses Estes and Potter.
Music—Miss Mary Williams.
Solo—Miss Pattie Estes.

Plumming on the Canadian.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Norton, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kicketts, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moreman and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Palmer returned home on Monday from a week's outing on the Canadian, where they went to gather plums.

The report comes to the Brand that they had a "bushel" of fun, and brought home many gallons of the beautiful red fruit.

Bids Wanted.

Bids are solicited for the two-story Public School Building. Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until noon July 30th 1910.

Reasonable terms will be given on of purchase price on approved security.

Building to be moved and ground cleared by August 20th, 1910.

A. P. MURCHISON, Secretary,
1t Hereford Ind. School Dis.

The Weather.

Date	High	Low	Wind	Sky
July 15	95	65	sw	clear
16	88	63	sw	clear
17	105	65	sw	clear
18	98	76	se	pt cldy
19	95	60	se	pt cldy
20	95	66	se	pt cldy
21	96	62	s	pt cldy
22	98	65	sw	pt cldy

Taken Above.

"Shall I have naught that is fair saith Death,

Have naught but the bearded grain?

"Though the breath of these flowers is sweet to me,

I will give them all back again.

Just when somber night was retreating, and the first silvery rays of light were reaching the earth on July 18th, did little Haden Lemond Witherspoon go away with the heavenly messenger to his home above.

This little son came into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Witherspoon, March 15, 1910, and after fulfilling his mission here he was sent for, that he might more fully develop and grow to the full stature of manhood in his higher home.

We will not weep because little Haden Lemond has left us, because

"There is no death.

What seems so is transition;
This life of mortal breath
Is but the suburb of the life Elysian,
Whose portals we call death."

Funeral services were conducted at the home at 6 p. m. Monday evening by Revs. Baker, Dean and Bandy and the little form was placed in the city cemetery.

The Brand joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Witherspoon in sympathy for the home is lonely now, and the little cradle bed is empty.

Was Very Ill.

Katreen Mosley, the little five-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mosley of the Northern Hotel, became suddenly ill on Tuesday,

and in a few hours her life was despaired of. When the physician arrived, her temperature was very low and the heart was almost failing to perform its function. By prompt action and strenuous efforts, the little life was resuscitated, and in an hour or so, the little sufferer was made fairly comfortable. Katreen suffered from congestion, probably caused by eating too much ice-cream on Monday.

She is now rapidly recovering, and it is hoped will be her little self again in a few days.

Spoke at Tulia.

Saturday, July 16, being the 20th Anniversary of the town of Tulia, the people of that place celebrated the birthday in a most befitting way with a big picnic and a barbece.

Earl Gough, eldest son of Judge L. Gough of our city, was one of the main speakers; and though just beginning to place his feet on the oratorical platform, word comes to the Brand that his was the speech of the day. It is with great pleasure that the Brand receives this good report, for Earl is a "home product," having lived in and near Hereford all his life.

Earl's aunt, Mrs. J. N. Russell accompanied him to Tulia.

Ladies' Home Missionary Society

The Ladies' Home Missionary Society met with Mrs. Burks, Wednesday afternoon from five to six. The following program was rendered and each subject discussed with much interest. After the devotional meeting Mrs. Burks extended her hospitality; so we lingered for a social chat, a cup of iced tea and wafers.

City missions—Deaconess.
Devotional, Mrs. Hamilton.
Problems of Cities, Mrs. Britian.
Texas Deaconesses Homes, Mrs. Spratt.

Rescue Homes, Mrs. H. H. Hawkins.

Mrs. W. A. PRICE,
Press Supt.

Raise Beans.

W. H. Wheeler is the champion bean raiser so far reported this season. On two rows, each 60 feet long, Mr. Wheeler has harvested 20 bushels of beans. At this rate, one acre of ground would produce 2400 bushels, and this would be some beans. The variety grown by Mr. Wheeler is know as the "Kentucky Wonder," and are wonderfully prolific.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stanford of Lorena came in Wednesday to visit relatives in this city and to summerate for a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Stanford are the parents of Mr. Jessie Stanford who is operating a large ranch near Black.

Automobile Burned.

On Tuesday evening late, when L. D. (Dow) Mercer was making his way home from quite a distance in the country northwest of town, all at once, he discovered his machine on fire, and being alone and without any kind of a fire extinguisher, he had to yield to the inevitable and see his auto burn.

While on his way to the nearest house six miles away, if he turned and looked back, it was to see the flames doing their work of ruin.

This is quite a loss to Mr. Mercer, and a great inconvenience to say the least.

Robert Elliott returned from Ill., yesterday.

C. B. Fullerton who holds the position of Chief Clerk in this census district with headquarters at Gainesville, came in Saturday to visit with his family. He says this district which is composed of the Panhandle and North Texas will show the largest percentage of gain in population than anyother district in the United States.

Mrs. Edgar Johnson and sons' after spending a few days in Hereford, returned to their claim near Endee, New Mexico on Wednesday. Mrs. Johnson expects to visit her mother in Des Moines, New Mexico in the near future, where a family reunion will be held, with all the children at home.

W. H. Thompson and wife who have been visiting in the home of J. D. Thompson went to Portales on the a. m. train Wednesday to visit other relatives, then will return to Hereford for a more extended visit with Mr. Thompson's brother before returning to their home at Marietta, Okla.

Rev. H. M. Bandy and wife of Ballinger and their daughter, Mrs. Walter Ricketts, of Adrian, came in on Saturday evening for a visit with W. M. Megert and family and other relatives and friends. Rev. Bandy was former pastor of the Christian church in Hereford, and the family has many friends who are glad to have a chance to visit with these good people again.

WHO CAN VOTE

Extracts From Terrell Election Law and Some Comments—Inquiry Answered.

There seems to be general confusion and misunderstanding as to the qualifications for voters in the primary election to be held tomorrow. In order to set the matter straight a few extracts from the election laws may not be amiss.

GENERAL LAWS.

Section 2 of the general laws reads: Every male person subject to none of the disqualifications who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six months within the district or county which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector.

Section 23 of the general laws reads:

Every male person who will be twenty-one years old on or before the day of an election and was not subject to a poll tax preceding the election at which he desires to vote, and who by reason of minority has not therefore been subject to a poll tax but has or will become twenty-one years old on or before the date of any election, and who possesses all the other qualifications of a voter, shall be entitled to vote at such election, if he has obtained a certificate of exemption from the county collector before the first day of February, which shall specify the day when he will be twenty-one years old, and contain all the requisites of a certificate of exemption. Before the certificate of exemption shall issue the applicant therefor shall make affidavit of his age to the administrator and certified to by the county collector, who shall file and preserve same.

The above sections apply to the general election in November and other general elections.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

SEC. 102 The term "Primary Election," as used in this act, means election held by the members of an organized political party for the purpose of nominating the candidates of such party to be voted for at a general or special election, or to nominate the county executive officers of a party.

SEC. 103 No one shall in any primary election unless he has paid his poll tax or obtained his certificate of exemption from its payment, in cases where such certificate is required, before the first of February next preceding, which fact must be ascertained by the officers conducting the primary election by an inspection of the certified lists of voters of the precinct and of the poll tax receipts or certificate of exemption; nor shall he vote in any primary election except in the precinct of his residence; provided, that if this receipt or certificate be lost or misplaced, or inadvertently left at home, that fact must be sworn to by the party offering to vote; and provided further that the requirements as to presentation of the poll tax receipt, certificate of exemption or affidavit shall apply only to cities of ten thousand population or over as shown by the last United States census; provided, that the executive committee of any party for any party for any county may prescribe additional qualifications for voters in such primaries, not inconsistent with this act.

According to the last section, the presentation of a poll tax receipt or certificate of exemption will not be required except in cities of ten thousand population. Therefore in the country boxes and smaller towns young men who have become 21 years old since the First day of February, 1910, may vote in the election tomorrow, tho they may not possess an exemption.

AN INQUIRY.

The following interesting inquiry was received this week and the same is given in full:

Editor, The Brand:

In your issue of The Brand last week you said, "Any Democrat who will have been a resident of the state one year and of a county six months at the time of the general election in November is entitled to vote July 23rd." Is a Democrat the only party who is allowed to vote in this state? If not how long does a Republican have to live before he is allowed to vote?

A SUBSCRIBER AT PARROTT.

The Brand was in error in part when it stated that a qualified voter for the November election would be entitled to vote July 23rd, the primary election.

The statement was contained in a clipping from an Amarillo paper and seemed to be the rule established there.

The law as given above will clear that error. The voter must possess the qualifications of one year in the state and six months in the county in all elections.

Now as to only Democrats being allowed to vote The Primary Election law of Texas may be brought in action by any political party. The election tomorrow, July 23rd, being organized by the Democratic party, only Democrats should vote, tho a Republican may vote if he so desires; but, when he does, he takes the party pledge. The head of the ticket as it will appear will be

OFFICIAL DEMOCRATIC BALLOT

TEST:—I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

The question has been asked—Can a Republican vote in the primary election tomorrow? He can, but he must take the pledge. He wont, if he is a true-blue Republican because he cannot take the pledge.

This primary is a party primary and is intended for Democrats only and those who pledge themselves to vote the Democratic ticket.

Farm for Sale.

375 acres 16 miles northwest of Hereford, 100 acres in cultivation. A new modern 7-room house with all conveniences, splendid water, improvements, cost \$3,700. Every inch of this land is first class soil. It joins my home section which is one the best improved in the Panhandle country. Will sell for \$16.00 per acre if taken within 30 days. Terms 1-3 cash balance in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years at 8 per cent.

1914 Address H. D. RUCKER, 119 West 9th St., Austin, Tex.

Texas Central Railroad Company.

Notice of Special Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Texas Central Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors of said Company to be held at the general office of the Company in the City of Waco, Texas, on Thursday, the 22nd day of September, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the following purposes:

(a) To consent to, approve and authorize the creation and issue of mortgage gold bonds of the Company to be limited to a principal amount, at any one time outstanding, of not exceeding \$20,000,000 such bonds to bear interest from September 1, 1910, at such rate or rates not exceeding 6 per cent, per annum as said Board may, from time to time, determine, to mature and at such date, to be issuable for such lawful purposes and in such denominations as said Board may determine, such bonds to be payable, both principal and interest, at the office or agency of said Company in the City of New York in gold coin of the United States of America, of or equal to the present standard of weight and fineness without deduction for any tax, assessment or governmental charge which said Company may be required to pay thereon or to deduct or retain there from under any present or future law of the United States, or of any state, county, municipality or other taxing authority therein;

(b) To consent, to approve and authorize the execution and delivery, to secure such bonds, of a mortgage and deed of trust on and of the railroads, equipment, franchise and property owned by said Company at the date of the execution and delivery of such mortgage and deed of trust or any time thereafter used as a basis of issue of any of such bonds or their proceeds;

(c) To approve the form and terms of such mortgage and deed of trust or to authorize said Board in its discretion to determine the form and terms thereof;

(d) To ratify and confirm and to authorize and consent to any action theretofore taken or authorized by said Board and which may be submitted to the meeting whether for the purposes of or in connection with or in contemplation of any of the matters aforesaid or otherwise; and

(e) To transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed for such meeting on Wednesday, the 20th day of July, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, and will be reopened on Friday, the 23rd day of September, 1910, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Dated, Waco, Texas, July 8, 1910. By order of the Board of Directors. 24-8t R. BAKER, President.

S. H. MCCARTNEY, Secretary.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

For Sale or Exchange.

240 acres smooth, level, unimproved land situated two miles south-east of Dexter, New Mexico, in the famous Pecos Valley and in the heart of the great Artesian Belt. Soil is very rich and when improved and set to alfalfa will produce from \$50.00 to \$75.00 per acre per year. Owner is not in a position to improve it and besides has his interests in the Panhandle and will sell this land at less than its value or will exchange his equity for Panhandle lands. This is a great opportunity for the right man and will make him rich in a few years. Here is your chance to make from \$10,000.00 to \$20,000.00 and do it easy. For particulars see my exclusive agent, Dr. W. I. Joss, at Hereford, Texas. Price very low and if lands are taken in exchange they must be at value. 21-1f

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REVIVAL MEETING IN TABERNACLE

Sunday, July 31, Revival Services will Begin—Famous Divine to Preach.

Under the auspices of the Methodist church but with the cooperation of all the churches of the town, a revival meeting will begin in Hereford on Sunday, July 31st, with Rev. J. B. Andrews of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, as the preacher.

A note from Pastor Story says:

A large tabernacle will be erected on Main Street, and the services will begin the 5th Sunday in this month at 11 a. m. Rev. J. B. Andrews of Siloam Springs, Arkansas will do the preaching. All the pastors of the city have signified their willingness to cooperate in the work of the meeting. And all christian people are cordially invited to take part in the work.

J. W. STORY, Pastor of the Methodist Church.

The News of Wolf City, Hunt County, Texas, has this to say about a big meeting held in that town in May:—

BIG MEETING CLOSED MONDAY

Greatest Revival in the History of Wolf City.—Two Hundred and Fifty Conversions.

Rev. J. H. Andrews left Monday night for his home in Siloam Springs Ark., after closing the most successful meeting ever held in Wolf City. Two hundred and fifty conversions and reclamations were recorded during the revival and Wolf City and surrounding country have been blessed in a spiritual way as never before. The most unusual feature about the meeting has been the large number of grown people who have professed faith and allied themselves with the churches. The Christian people are rejoicing over the great victory and are still holding services and several have been converted since the closing of the regular revival.

The meeting was co-operative and all the churches of the city will make substantial additions to their membership as a result.

Six hundred and twenty-five dollars was raised at the Sunday morning service for Rev. Andrews and his helpers, besides one hundred and fifty dollars was taken in as incidental collections, to defray the expenses of the tabernacle, lights, etc.

Therefore approximately \$875.00 was donated by the Christian people of the town toward carrying on the great work being done by these workers. The meeting has been of inestimable value to our town and country and we are indeed glad to know that our people have donated liberally to further such work. Rev. Andrews will begin a meeting at

Celeste next Sunday and doubtless many of our people will attend while the services are in progress.

Prof. Huston, who has had charge of the singing for the meeting complimented the local talent very highly upon their ability as singers and willingness to assist with the choir work. He is undoubtedly the best choir director ever in the city and his efforts here were crowned with success in every particular, as the finest singing ever heard here was rendered during this meeting.

Rev. Andrews is a lovable character and a most earnest, consecrated expounder of the gospel. He won a warm place in the hearts of our people, and he will always find a cordial welcome awaiting him in this city should he ever decide to make us a second visit.

Taken all in all, the meeting fully met the expectation of the Christian people of the town and will redound in much good to this section generally.

Wallace Cox Came Near Drowning.

Last Monday while a half dozen small boys were swimming in the creek below the old Nursery, Wallace Cox came near losing his life. It appears that he was using a wide board to assist himself to float, when the board turned and he went into deep water. Two men Joe Dobbins and D. W. Crawford happened to be present and noticed the disappearance of Wallace and by their efforts was snatched from an untimely death. It was some minutes before the men could bring him to life.

This should serve as a warning, as this makes the fifth near-drowning that has occurred this summer. And it should not surprise any one to hear the sad news that a boy has lost his life in the creek. Of course small boys like to take a swim but the deep holes in the creek and the very cold water makes it positively dangerous for boys to "go in swimming" in the Teirro Blanca.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD:

Junior C. E. Program.

For Sunday July 24.

Leader.—Gilbert Fox.

Topic.—Pilgrim's Progress Service.

Scripture Reading.—Psalm 23:4

Song.

Roll Call.

Prayer.

Outline Talk.—Supt.

Miscellaneous Questions.

Song.—Effie Lee Guinn.

Recitation.—Ruby Williams.

Repeat in Unison 23rd Psalm.

Benediction.

Notice Stockmen.

From now on I will make head quarters at Stanek & Sherk's livery, feed and sale stable. Phone 249. I use a motor cycle for country calls. Dental work at any feed barn or yard in town.

DR. F. E. BOWE, D. V. S.

To The Voters of Deaf Smith County

The rumor has been started in this city and to the effect that my father, in the interest of prohibition intends to withdraw from the race for Senator in favor of Mr. Johnson of Memphis. I have also heard it said that my father entered the race in the first place to defeat Mr. Staton of this city. Now my fellow voters I want to say that the reports and those of a similiar character that may be started, are absolutely false and without the slightest semblance of foundation. They are simply the schemes of the ietriguers to defeat an honest man. I trust that the men of good common sense and judgement in this town and county will not be misled by these reports which are being circulated by my father's opponents. You have known and known my father for years; have you ever, during that time, known him to be a quitter in any undertaking in which he felt himself to be in the right? He entered this race at the solicitation of friends all over the district, honestly believing that he had a right to enter it, and he has not and has never had the slightest intention of withdrawing from the race. My father is in this race to stay and I sincerely trust that you will elect a man as your Senator who knows your needs and interests and who is not afraid to uphold righteousness and honesty in all things.

[Adv.] Sincerely,
EARL GOUGH.

Will not Kill Flies.

Last week the Brand published a clipping from a well known farm paper which recommended carbolic acid fumes as a sure kill for flies. It wont do it. E. J. Ball tried it. He poured about an ounce on a hot stove closed the doors and awaited results. Smart Mr. Fly settled on the floor below the fumes and played hide and seek while the fumes fumed and Ball bawled, but not a fly keeled over. Mr. Ball suggests that the best fly killer is to catch them and pull their heads off. A cheaper way is to buy "fly poison" from the drug stores.

For Sale.

My entire household outfit, including piano. Must be sold by Aug. 1 Call at residence, corner 6th and Schley. T. L. Pearson. 23-1f

The A. O. Thompson Lbr. Co. has just received a large assortment of Screen Doors all fresh and new. Call and see them. 8-1f

Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Britain.

It is certain that our daily toils and cares are lightened, and our burdens made less irksome by pleasant environments.

On last Friday afternoon, when each member of the Brand force was beginning to feel the weight of the duties of the day, in stepped Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Britain, Mrs. Britain carrying a large bouquet of choice flowers, which she knew would give pleasure, and whisper a pleasing story.

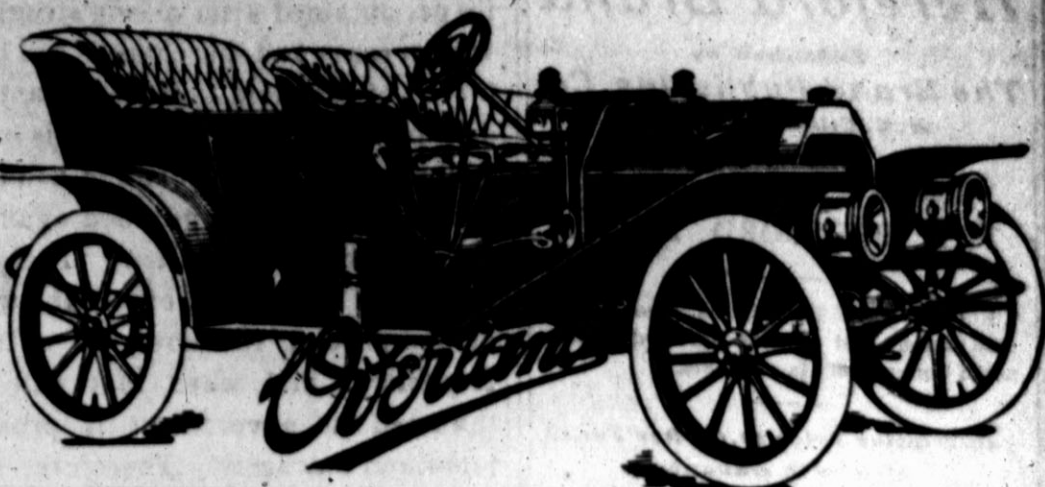
Soon after this, Mr. Britain said, "My wife and I are going out into the country to see the steam thresher run; come and go along. The invitation was heartily accepted and after a spin out and back of an hour or two, all the world was bright again.

Many thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Britain for such kindness shown.

Semi-Weekly News 50 Cents.

For a period of 3 months, beginning May 1 and ending July 31, Brand subscribers may obtain the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News for a period of EIGHT months for 50 cents. If you are not already a paid-up subscriber to the Brand, move up your figures and get the Semi-Weekly for 8 months for 50 cents.

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For County Judge:—
W. H. RUSSELL
C. D. WRIGHT
C. M. HUNT

For County Clerk:—
J. H. KING
FLETCHER ROGERS
O. B. PIRKEY
G. M. SUGGS.
SAM WORLEY
J. M. (MATT) GILLILLAND

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:—
F. H. BRITAIN,
E. F. CONNELL, re-election
R. W. BAIRD

For Treasurer:—
H. B. WEBB
ROSCOE DAVIDSON
L. A. STROUE
J. M. BOONE

For Tax Assessor:—
L. D. (DOW) MERCER
C. T. (JOE) DOBBINS
C. P. ARTHUR
J. W. FORD, (re-election)

For Constable:—
J. H. TURNBOW.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
L. R. BRADLEY

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
R. I. KIBBE
H. B. MCKINLEY.

Attention Readers

I will stand my Mal-
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ranch 14 miles north
on 25 Miles Avenue
and 3 miles west

**TERMS: \$10 to
INSURE FOAL**

My Stallion will also
make the season at
the same place
Terms: \$5 to insure
foal.

J. D. THOMPSON

CASTING A BALLOT.

The right of suffrage to the com-
mon people is a most sacred priv-
ilege, obtained after a long struggle
with tyrants and purchased by the
blood of patriots. While granted
as a privilege, it nevertheless is one
of the inalienable rights and as such
should be sacredly guarded against
fraud and contamination. The ob-
ject of the ballot is to obtain the will
of the people, the sovereign of all
Republics, and when that will is
thwarted the government is prosti-
tuted and outraged. Therefore, all
law-abiding people should foster a
pure ballot and fair administration
of the rights of suffrage. But
strange as it may seem, there are
occasions, even in free America,
when this most sacred privilege is
used as a means of abasement and
corruption. The privacy of the bal-
lot, the honesty of the voter, the
oath of the officers of election, and
the safe-guards of the law, all tend
to protect each sovereign citizen in
the rights of suffrage. The sale and
barter of votes is an unlawful tra-
versity of suffrage. It abases the
voter and makes bold the purchaser;
it enslaves the people and makes
tyrants of governors. On the other
hand, coercion, intimidation or re-
straint are in the small low plane of
morality.

The ballot of the employee, bor-
rower and obligatee should be free
from the finger stains of the employ-
er, lender, and obligator. While it
is true—"The lender is the master
of the borrower," it should not be
made to cover the sin of political
coercion. So tomorrow when the
polls are opened let the ballot be
free. Let the blood stains of our
fathers on the banners of victory cry
aloud for the sacred rights won on
the battle fields "right against
might." Let the people rule, let
the people be free and they will be
right.

THE Brand calls attention to some
provisions of the election law in this
issue.

"TIME and tide wait for no man"
is another way of saying "interest
and mortgages will run off with you."

THEY say that SEVEN is a lucky
number, but what will the six can-
didates for clerk think about it after
the primaries?

ALL the Texas towns who have
had their population cut in two by
the census man will please revise
their literature.

BURBANK has been urged to make
a cross between the milk-weed and
the dew-berry, in order to have
"peaches and cream."

It has been suggested that all the
candidates and idle voters cut weeds
tomorrow while the election is on.
Some of the Main streets need at-
tention.

For Sale or Exchange.

Four acre improved place adjoin-
ing town section in Ricketts Addition
to Hereford. Will exchange for
cattle or good young horses.

if C. O. LEE.

Telescopes.

The Brand has a few more tele-
scopes which it will give out with
subscriptions, new or old, at \$1.50
for both. The telescope sells for
\$1.00 and a million have been sold
in the United States this year.

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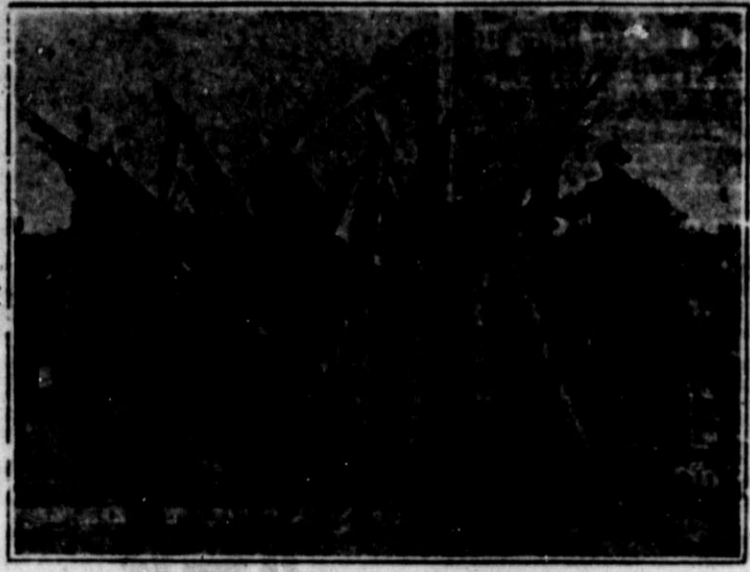
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L. P. LANDRUM, PROPRIETOR

Local and Personal

Vote for Suggs for Clerk. 23-2t

China and Queensware, Black Co. Money for hens. Nelson. 21tf

John Patton returned from Plainview on Sunday.

Big Bargains in those high grade watches at Ray's. 24-2t

R. W. Lovelace made a business trip to Amarillo, on Saturday.

Campbell sub surface. Warren Hardware Co. 4tf

J. N. Russell was in Clarendon the first of the week.

Baldwin Pianos, E. B. Black Co.

W. B. Parks returned on Wednesday from his business trip east.

"If it isn't an Eastman it isn't a Kodak." Corner Drug Store. 24-2t

J. P. Collier of Adrian made Hereford a short visit the last of the week.

Jewelry at Half-Price at Frank Barrow's. 24-2t

Hon. Otis Truelove of Amarillo had business in Hereford on Saturday.

"Mound City Paints may cost a trifle more, but—! Hereford Lbr Co"

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Taylor of Friona were in Hereford on Tuesday.

Beautiful line of Back Combs at Ray's Jewellery Store. 24-2t

W. S. Rance has returned from a three weeks stay in Barber county Kansas.

Brand new Electric Fan for less than cost at Frank Barrow's. 24-2t

Prof. and Mrs. Robinson returned Wednesday from their summer vacation.

Palmer's Toilet Water and Perfumes at Betts & Clark. 24-2t

After a two weeks' visit, Miss Bess Nance returned from Plainview Friday evening.

Eastman Kodaks at the Corner Drug Store. 24-2t

Mrs. F. P. Wilson went to Hale Center on the a. m. train Wednesday for a visit with relatives.

Art Wall Paper, E. B. Black Co.

Miss Emmer Dent went up to Amarillo on Wednesday for a two weeks visit with friends.

Have your eyes tested at Ray's. It will cost you nothing. 24-2t

Mrs. W. M. Megert is enjoying a visit from her father, L. J. Caraway of Weatherford.

Standard Kodak goods at the Corner Drugstore. 24-2t

Miss Bessie Denison of the Dimmitt community was shopping in Hereford Saturday.

Ladies' Summer Dresses go at One-Third Off at D. R. Gass & Son's. 24-2t

Mrs. J. B. Sasser went down to Black on Tuesday to join her husband who is employed at that place.

We have an unexcelled line of fine writing tablets and special correspondence stationery. 24-2t

Mrs. C. W. Warren went to Amarillo Friday for a short visit, returning home Saturday.

Confections at Frank Barrow's at actual cost. 24-2t

J. P. Slaton returned home Tuesday from a campaigning trip down the Fort Worth and Denver.

Eclipse and Woodmanse wind mills. Warren Hardware 4 4tf

Mrs. Claude Fallwell and children left Monday for Mangum, Okla., to visit relatives the next two weeks.

Some beautiful glassware at bankrupt prices. At Nelson's. 1t

Mrs. M. E. Horton and Miss Kate Trimble went up to Canyon City Monday to spend the day.

Some swell pipes below cost at Frank Barrow's. 24-2t

Miss Eleanor Hawkins of the Cordova Hotel went to Saint Louis Saturday to visit indefinitely.

Fine line Men and Boy's Summer Suits to close out at ACTUAL COST at D. R. Gass & Son's. 24-2t

Mrs. J. P. Slaton returned on Monday from a short visit with friends at Wichita Falls and Vernon.

We grind our own spectacle lenses and guarantee a fit. Ray, Jeweler and Optician. 24-2t

Willie Smith after several days leave from the postoffice and a visit in Roswell, returned home on Friday evening.

Glass tumbler, 30 to 90 cents a dozen. Nelson's Racket Store. 1t

Charles L. Gass and family of Nocona, Texas are here on a two-weeks' visit to D. R. Gass and family.

At last you can get Eastman Kodaks and films in Hereford. Corner Drugstore. 24-2t

L. W. Hough of the Hereford Hardware attended the Hardware Men's Association at Amarillo on Friday.

Haviland & Versailles chinaware at Warren Hardware Co. 4tf

The Brand is glad to see G. H. Sasser out again, and at his post of duty, after a few days "off" caused by an indisposition.

Some good selections in Ladies' Dress Skirts at 25 per cent off at D. R. Gass & Sons. 24-2t

J. H. Galbreath of Corsican who has been visiting, J. A. Fox, for a number of days, returned home on Wednesday p. m.

When you go to vote tomorrow remember J. M. Boone wants to be the next County Treasurer. 1t

Leslie Smith the worthy assistant postmaster is spending his fifteen days' vacation at his old home in Missouri.

Our stock of fine solid gold Jewelry is complete and we do first-class engraving at Ray's. 24-2t

Mrs. E. A. Thompson and daughter, Ruby went to Kiowa, Kans. on Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Thompson's parents.

Our repair work on watches is the best and guaranteed at Ray's. 24-2t

Mrs. J. M. Swinford and children of Tucumcari spent Wednesday in Hereford, going on to Amarillo on the evening train.

Gasoline stoves, 2-burner \$3.00, 3-burner \$4.00. At Nelson's. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Warren made a short visit to Friona on Wednesday evening, returning on the a. m. train Thursday.

If you vote for Suggs on July 23 you will never have cause to regret it. 23-2t

Mrs. R. S. Walker and children returned home from Lexington, Okla. where they had been visiting for a number of weeks.

Little Louise Garrison went down to her home near Clovis on Saturday after spending a few days visiting her father in Hereford.

A big line of Straw Hats at D. R. Gass & Sons to go at cost. 24-2t

Marvin Cross returned Friday from Lindale where he spent several weeks visiting and recuperating.

Good pole buggy with good harness \$40.00. Walter Nelson. 21tf

C. W. Warren attended the Hardware Men's Convention Thursday and Friday at Amarillo, returning home Saturday.

Men's Oxfords are going at a price you can't afford to miss, at D. R. Gass & Sons. 24-2t

W. J. Slover and mother came up from Dimmitt Friday when Mrs. Slover left for Canyon City to visit relatives for a number of weeks.

Bring your picnics home with you by getting a Kodak at the Corner Drugstore. 24-2t

M. J. and E. L. Williams who have been visiting in the home of their relative J. H. Williams, returned to their home at Las Cruces on Saturday.

Vote for Suggs for Clerk. 23-2t

Mrs. J. N. Woodard and children of Amarillo came down Saturday evening for a visit with Mrs. A. L. Skeen and family of Hereford Heights.

Trunks and Suitcases, Black Co.

W. B. Parks was called to Indianapolis, Indiana by wire in Saturday by wire on Saturday in connection with the Parks & Nesbitt insurance business.

Enamelware is cheaper at Nelson's than any other place. 21tf

Mrs. Mary Smith returned home on Monday evening from Roswell, after spending two weeks very pleasantly in the home of her brother, Milton Anthony.

Big reduction on Lawns and all Summer Dress Goods at D. R. Gass & Sons. 24-2t

Mrs. L. A. Harral returned to her home at Abernathy Saturday after spending a number of days in the home of her sister, Mrs. Carl Gilliland.

P & O listers and double row planters. Warren Hardware Co. 4tf

Miss Willa Highsmith who has been visiting with Miss Beulah Wright the past few days, went to her home at Fort Summer, New Mexico on Saturday.

My confectionery and cold drink business for sale at a bargain. See me at once. Frank Barrow. 24-2t

Mrs. J. H. Cardwell and little son Kenneth went down to Clovis Friday to spend a few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gamble, parents of Mrs. Cardwell.

This is the season to buy your cultivators. See Warren Hardware Company. 16-1t

Mrs. Henry Hall of Dallas left for Amarillo Friday after spending a number of days with her sisters, Mesdames Chris Garrison and C. E. Wheeler.

If you want your sewer connected call the Panhandle Plumbing and Heating Co., Phone 31. 12-1t

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Morel and little daughter left on Wednesday for Cincinnati, Ohio, where they will visit Mr. Morel's parents the next six weeks.

This is the season to buy your cultivators. See Warren Hardware Company. 16-1t

Mrs. Elma Coulson who has made a protracted visit in Hereford, left on Wednesday for Tulsa, Okla. where she will join her husband and reside in the future.

Vote for Suggs for Clerk. 23-2t

Albert Mauk who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. T. B. Kellow for the past number of days, returned to his home near Oak Cliff, on Tuesday.

Emerson Double and triple adjustable disc plows. Warren Hardware Co. 4tf

Frank Elliott of Lubbock spent Monday in Hereford with Mrs. Elliott who has been in our city the past two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Kellow.

If you want anti-freezing closets call Panhandle Plumbing and Heating Co., Phone 31. 12-1t

Mrs. Harmon Beach and children, and Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Beach's mother, came up from Clovis on Wednesday where they have spent the past few weeks visiting relatives.

Water coolers, 3-gallon \$2.00, 4-gallon \$2.50. Nelson, the square deal man. 21tf

Miss Lois Garrison came up from her home near Clovis on Wednesday, accompanied by her friend, Eskalee Roberts who has been visiting Miss Lois in her country home.

Two-row, 12-shovel Pivot wheel Cultivators. The one that will do the work. Warren Hdwe. Co. 16-1t

Miss Fredda Streight, who has been visiting her grandparents, Judge and Mrs. M. F. Barber for a number of weeks, returned to her home at Fort Worth on Wednesday evening.

All jewelry half price to close out. Nelson's Racket Store. 21tf

When the Bryant-Snyder Ice Co., cannot deliver the goods their customers will confer a favor on us by phoning us before 9 a. m. Hereford Ice Company, Phone 400. 1t

FOR SALE—Team of mares, colt and harness. Cash or bankable notes. Call at this office. J. L. V. 23-2t

FIELD SEED.—Maize \$1.00, millet \$1.35. See G. R. Ward, South Hereford. 23tf

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\$15.00 SUIT, NOW FOR	\$10.00
18.50 SUIT, NOW FOR	12.35
20.00 SUIT, NOW FOR	13.35
22.50 SUIT, NOW FOR	15.00
EDWIN CLAPP \$6.50 OXFORDS FOR	\$5.50
" " 6.00 " " "	5.00
FLORSHEIM \$5.00 OXFORDS FOR	4.25
PACKARD \$4.50 OXFORDS FOR	3.75
PACKARD \$4.00 OXFORDS FOR	3.25

H. C. Myrick

Society Notes

Club News, Society Functions,
Personal Mentions, Etc.
Telephone 30 or 351

WEDDED IN CANYON CITY

On last Sunday, while the cool zephyrs of the morning freighted with the perfume of flowers were borne to the little city of Canyon, the wedding bells chimed forth, and at 9:30 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holland, Rev. M. E. Hawkins of the Methodist church in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends and in a most impressive manner joined the lives of Mr. Thomas Stewart and Miss Mattie Holland for all time.

After congratulations, and happy wishes for the future welfare of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, the wedding party composed of the bride and groom, Misses Mamie Connor and Maude Brandon and Messrs. Grady Holland and Tat Thompson immediately left on the westbound train for Hereford to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Rogers of Hereford Heights, Mrs. Rogers being a sister of Mrs. Stewart.

Soon after the arrival in the Rogers' home the wedding breakfast was served in keeping with Mrs. Rogers' style and good taste. Roses and sweet peas made the home beautiful, and shed their sweet aroma as a welcome to the guests.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Rogers accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Stewart to Sulphur Park where a few pleasant hours was spent in Hereford's pleasure resort. Supper was spread on the green grass, and an orchestra of crickets furnished the music for the repast.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart remained over until Monday evening, while the other members composing the party returned to Canyon City on the afternoon train Sunday.

Miss Holland is one of Canyon City's representative young ladies and is well known in the society circles, while Mr. Stewart is a young business man of good standing where he lives. The young people will make their home in Canyon City, and the Brand join their host of friends in hoping for them a life of usefulness and pleasure.

MISS GARNER HONORED

On Monday afternoon, Mrs. D. C. Laird assisted by her, sister Miss Mary Hill, entertained a large number of the girls of Hereford who are in their "latter teens" complimentary to Miss Morris Garner of Minerla Wells who is now visiting in Hereford.

Most of the girls present, where former friends of Miss Morris, when she lived in Hereford a little girl and played with her doll.

No conventions were thought of, and when they gathered around the punch bowl, it mattered not, even if some one drank two full glasses instead of sipping at one.

"42" furnished a great deal of pleasure, until Mrs. Laird announced her presence with sherbet and cake, when the game at once seemed dull, and all decided that they did not desire to play any longer.

This little "afternoon" was one of the most pleasant of the season, and it was a real delight to watch these blithesome girls who are just reaching the margin of womanhood, enjoying the good times provided for them.

When the time came to go, they were loath to part, and many of the girls accompanied Miss Morris home to Mrs. N. M. Patton's before they could bid her good evening.

A NOVELTY SHOWER.

On last Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Leo N. Wolf who reside in the

vicinity of Hereford south of town, were almost overwhelmed with surprise, when a large number of their friends and neighbors, both old and young came en masse to their home for the purpose of spending the evening and to remind them that they had now been keeping house, a month.

On June 21, Miss Jennie Wear and Mr. Leo N. Wolfe were married at Miss Wear's home south of town, and immediately went to the new home provided by Mr. Wolf. As all their friends could not be present at the nuptials, and remember Mr. and Mrs. Wolf in a substantial way, they chose Monday evening as a very opportune time, and gave them a copious shower of many and useful presents of divers kinds.

This community is especially noted for its social gatherings, but there has been none that surpassed this one in the pleasure it afforded.

At a convenient hour, lemonade and cake were served, and when all were ready to take their leave and wend their ways homeward, it was with a feeling that it was good to have been there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolf are very grateful to their friends, and appreciate such acts of friendship on the part of these good people.

WITH MRS. ROLOSON

On Friday, at the noon hour, Mrs. F. T. Roloson gave a luncheon to a number of her lady friends, Mrs. J. L. Barnes and Miss Cassie Weaver being the guests of honor.

In the near future, the honor guests expect to leave Hereford, for Central Texas to make their home, and Mrs. Roloson desired to contribute this happy little pleasure before their leave taking.

On each place card, was a little "assignment" and this part of the entertainment proved very interesting.

This was a most congenial gathering, and will be held in the mind of each guest as a sweet savor of friendship.

Those present were Mesdames Warren, Barnes, Kelly, M. F. Barcus, Mitchell, G. W. Barcus and Miss Cassie Weaver.

IN THE COUNTRY

We all belong to each other, but the the happy associations of kindred lives are the green swards bordered with flowers along our journey.

On Tuesday evening, when the shadows were lengthened, a party of young people left the city for the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ricketts ten miles southeast of town. Some one who had not thot long and well planned that all should go on the "conventional" hay-wagon, but it was soon discovered that the "overflow" was great. Not dismayed, soon buggies were brought into requisition, and away all went chaperoned by Mrs. N. M. Patton who did her part in the making of fun.

The miles were very short, and soon the goal of pleasure was reached.

As it was in the country, it was not indiscreet for a young lady to laugh loud and to expand her lungs by a hearty "scream" or two, and how the opportunity was improved.

That Mr and Mrs. Ricketts did their parts well as entertainers, is proven by the fact that it was 3:30 a. m. when Hereford and home were seen again.

The entertainment of the evening

consisted of various games both in and out-of-doors, and a general good "romping" time.

The refreshments of cream and cake were in especial accord with the appetite after having eaten an early supper, and traveled over ten miles in a "springless carriage."

The age of chivalry is not past, and the spreading of his velvet cloak in the pathway of the Queen of England by Sir Walter Raleigh, is not to be compared with the gallantry of the young men who were in this party, when they walked "all the way" that the young ladies might be seated comfortably, and have room for their tiny little patent leather shoes.

When Mr. and Mrs. Ricketts were bidden good morning, it was with the promise that all might "come back" again for another good time.

MISS LACY HONORED.

At the home of Dr. J. W. Hicks, on Thursday evening, Miss Minnie Barnard received a goodly number of the society young people of Hereford, and made the environments happy, that Miss Lola Lacy, niece of Dr. Hicks, who is visiting in this home, might have another opportunity of meeting and becoming better acquainted with the young folks of Hereford.

The game of "progressive pins" afforded an opportunity for quick thinking and prompt action, then came the "conventional 42."

The delicious sherbet and cake was the climax of the evening's entertainment, being so cordially served by Mrs. Dr. Hicks and Miss Barnard.

Presently, and ere any one was a-

ware, the little clock on the mantletree told the time of the home-going. Soon the good-nights were said, and happy expressions made to the hostess for the happy occasion.

Mrs. H. H. Hawkins had for her guest on Saturday and Sunday, Miss Beulah Stoker of El Paso, who, it will be remembered, visited in Hereford last summer, and was a member of the house-party entertained by Mrs. Hawkins at that time. Miss Stoker has been spending the past two months visiting friends and relatives in Waxahachie, Denton and Marshall, Okla., and after her visit in our city, returned to her home in El Paso.

German Colony near Findley.

Last Saturday C. Gallmerer and Chas. Savall went to Friona on business.

At the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Gallmerer on Friday evening occurred one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season, it being Mrs. Gallmerer's birthday. The evening was spent in music and games. At eleven o'clock a delicious luncheon was served. The guests departed at a late hour, wishing Mrs. Gallmerer many happy returns of the day.

Since A. B. Schultz and family have moved to Hereford, the Escarbada is a quiet place. Visitors either find a locked up house or a lonesome bachelor babing his biscuit.

Chas. Schraeder and Reinking went to Farwell and Texico the first of the week. CY.

Echoes from Parrott.

The Fourth was a great success both financially and socially. With the proceeds we have dug a well and put a windmill on our new school grounds and there is still some to the good. The lumber and all building material is on the ground and the work of building the new school house will be commenced as soon as the erection of the windmill is completed. The water being necessary in making the cement foundation.

We are going to have the best up to date country school house in Panhandle.

Brooksie Henderson is living with B. F. Neely.

A week ago last Sunday our young people were entertained by Stacy Easter. The following were present: Carl, Basil and Ethel Jennings, Gladys, Mable, Floyd and Hazel Hacker, Jake and Ada Bradston and Grace Scruggs.

Last Sunday Grace Scruggs entertained the same crowd with the addition of Elma Phillips and Willie Hacker.

Ralph Scruggs who is working at Canyon City was at home for the Fourth.

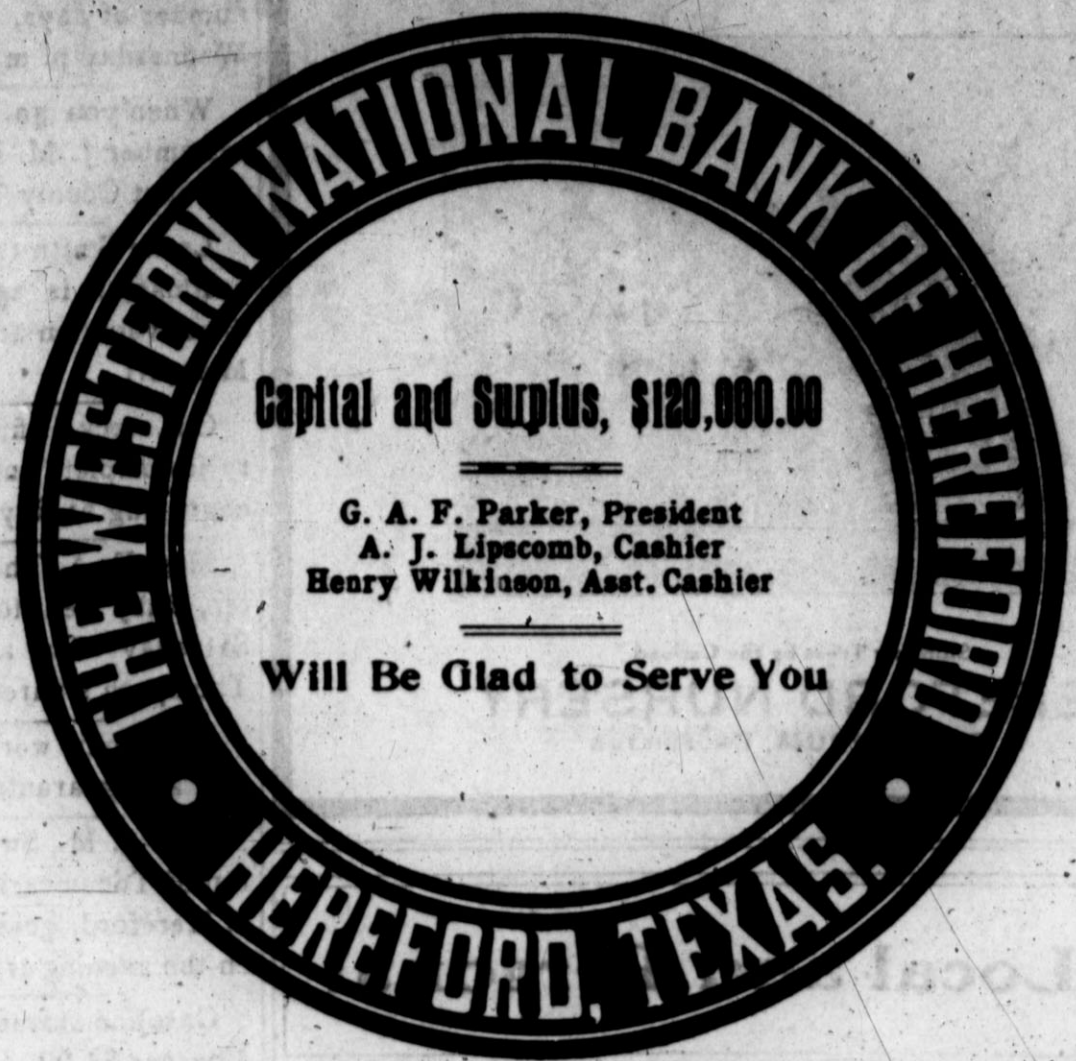
Emmitt Scruggs has gone to Canyon to plow.

Miss Fannie L. Neely took Sunday dinner with B. F. Neely and family.

R. S. Neely and Mr. Galley had two cows killed by lightning.

F. R. Metcalf went to Tulia Saturday to play ball with Dimmitt.

JACK and JILL.



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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Authorizing the Establishment of a Home for Wives and Widows of Confederate Soldiers and Sailors.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

Joint Resolution to amend Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, so as to authorize the grant of aid in the establishment and maintenance of a home for the disabled and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers sailors and such women as aided the Confederacy, and making an appropriation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION I. That Section 51 Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3. Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, associations of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1880, and who are either over sixty years of age or whose disability is the proximate result of actual service in the Confederate army for a period of at least three months, their widows in indigent circumstances who have never remarried and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since March 1, 1880, and who were married to such soldiers or sailors anterior to march 1, 1880; provided said aid shall not exceed eight dollars per month, and provided further, that no appropriations shall ever be made for the purpose herebefore specified in excess of five hundred thousand dollars for any one year. And also grant aid to the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law; provided, the grant to aid said home shall not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for any one year, and no inmate of said homes shall be entitled to any other aid from the State; the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home; and provided further, that the provisions of this Section shall not be construed to prevent the grant of aid in case of public calamity.

SECTION II. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the regular election of the State officers, in November, 1910.

The sum of \$5,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this Resolution.

2214 W. B. TOWNSEND,
[A true copy] Secretary of State.

Poultry Fair.

Parties wishing to enter poultry at the Texas-Oklahoma Fair to be held at Canadian, Texas, September 6th to 10th will get in correspondence at once with H. J. Murrell care Poultry Department Texas-Oklahoma Fair Canadian, Texas. No charge for entering poultry.

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TEAM—Good work team, 5 years old. Apply to C. A. Butler. Phone 20. 15-tf

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LOCAL

Vote for Suggs for Clerk. 23-2t

W. A. Parton of Mobita is in Hereford on business.

Post cards 1cent each at Nelson's.

Miss Bessie Lay returned Thursday from a few days visit in Amarillo.

Eastman Kodaks and films at the Corner Drugstore. 24-2t

J. A. Morrison of Plainview was in Hereford Thursday in a business way.

Nelson buys hens with cash. 21tf

Miss Ruth Ricketts left Thursday afternoon for a month's visit with friends at Goodnight and Groom.

We have a complete stock of disc harrows. Warren Hardware Co. 4tf

Mrs. V. J. Joyner of Fort Worth is spending the heated term in the home of her son D. C. Laird.

Miss Bell of Peora, Illinois, came down yesterday to look after some land matters.

White Sewing Machines, Black Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Keller are happy over the arrival of a baby boy in their home. He will answer to the name of William Elisha.

Dr. W. P. Barton of Tennessee returned yesterday after two week's stay at Hereford. He was a former citizen and likes Hereford.

S. B. Edwards, president of the First State Bank & Trust Company returned yesterday from a business trip to Ohio.

Fine line Men and Boy's Summer Suits to close out at ACTUAL COST at D. R. Gass & Son's. 24-2t

Mrs. Jennie Williams of Harts-ville, Ind., arrived in Hereford Thursday for a visit in the home of her brother, Ira Braden.

Mrs. E. Russell of Melrose, who has been in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Smith Keller the past three weeks, returned home on Thursday.

A. W. Stevens of Gainesville who has been visiting his Aunt, Mrs. W. B. Robinson the past few days, returned to his home Thursday.

Men's Oxfords are going at a price you can't afford to miss, at D. R. Gass & Sons. 24-2t

A. F. Wood of Kirksville, Mo. was in Hereford Thursday prospecting, and made the Brand a pleasant call.

The ladies of the Methodist church will serve cream and cake on Main Street on the open block north of the Northern Hotel this evening. (Friday.) 1t

The ladies of the Christian church will have tickets on sale for the dinner they will serve tomorrow (Saturday) at the old O.K. Land office at the place of serving. 1t

Mr. H. D. Thomas of Fairfield, Iowa, brother of Mrs. Ira Braden, came in with a car this week and expects to make the Hereford country his home.

P. & O. Jewel Hammock, four and six shovel Cultivators at a Price that will interest the farmer. Warren Hardware Co. 16-tf

Mrs. C. H. Miller and children of Collinsville arrived in Hereford Thursday for a visit in the home of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Miller.

Vote for Suggs for Clerk. 23-2t

Miss Clara Harvey, sister of the Misses Harvey of the Ladies' Furnishing Store, arrived Thursday from Washington, D. C., where she has spent the past two months visiting her brother.

Mrs. J. H. Rachford of Beaumont arrived in Hereford on the afternoon train Thursday for a visit with her niece and family, Mrs. D. C. Laird.

We sell heavy team harness that will interest anyone who is in the market for this line of goods. Warren Hardware Co. 4tf

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson left the first of the week to take charge of the hotel at Endee, New Mexico. The Brand hopes for them a great success in this new venture.

Arnold & Matthews, Furniture and Undertaking. J. M. Gilliland, Embalmer and Funeral Director. Day Phone 115. Night Phone 251. 1-tf

The Brand is glad to report that Mrs. B. A. Hubbard who has been very ill for the past few weeks is improving rapidly and able to sit up some at present.

Majestic Ranges and Buck's Cook stoves the standard of all cook stoves and ranges. Warren Hardware Co. 4tf

"Uncle" Blake Lee of Wheeler County, who has been in Hereford the past few days buying horses and mules, shipped a car load from this point the middle of the week.

Your house cleaning wont be complete until you have bought that new set of Screen Doors from the A. O. Thompson Lbr. Co. 8-tf

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Smith who visited Mrs. Smith's mother Mrs. Hawkins of the Cordova Hotel the first of the week left Wednesday for various points in New Mexico then on to Canada.

Nelson pays cash for hens. 21tf

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Hays of Grinnell, Iowa, father and mother of H. G. Hays is visiting with the latter's family for a season. Little Miss Mary Zolliger, sister of Mrs. Hays is also with them.

Miss Zoe Head who has been visiting with relatives in this city left this morning for Dalhart where she will be joined by a number of friends and all will then go to cool Colorado for a month.

R. S. Robertson of Stanberry, Mo., dropped in yesterday to look after his land interests. He is making purchase of two more pieces on this trip. He says now is the best time to buy Panhandle land.

Excellent pasturage for a few horses and mules. Bottom land, spring water. None better on Plains. 9 mi. east of Hereford. S. J. Rice. P. O. Box 31. 21-tf

When the Bryant-Snyder Ice Co., cannot deliver the goods their customers will confer a favor on us by phoning us before 9 a.m. Hereford Ice Company, Phone 400. 1t

Miss Annie Schramm of Dallas stopped off Wednesday on her way to New Mexico for a short visit with her old time friends, Misses Bell and Mattie Woodburn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker who have spent the past few days at Spring Lake on their wedding tour in the home of their relatives, E. Rudds, left for Oklahoma City on the Thursday afternoon train.

P. & O. Sewel Hammock, four and six shovel Cultivators at a Price that will interest the Farmer. Warren Hardware Co. 16-tf

Mrs. J. R. Wallace and daughter, Bessie of Amarillo attended the funeral of little Haden Lemond Witherspoon on Monday. Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Hugh Witherspoon are sisters.

Have you bought a new Straw Hat? Well don't! Just get a package of Elkay's Straw Hat Cleaner and clean your old one, 10c a package at Corner Drugstore. 24-2t

Two-row 12-shovel, pivot wheel cultivators. The one that will do the work. Warren Hdwe. Co. 16tf

C. B. Fullerton who is employed by "Uncle Sam" and who has headquarters at Gainesville, came up on Tuesday for a visit of a few days with his family who reside in Hereford.

A big bargain in some nice store fixtures at Frank Barrow's. Includes chairs, tables, fount, show cases, mirrors, etc. 24-2t

Mrs. J. A. Fox and sisters, Mesdames Slaughter and Garner, who have been visiting in Hereford for the past few days went to Plainview Monday morning for a few days visit with other relatives.

Souvenirs of Hereford 15 to 20 cents. Nelson's Racket Store. 1t

Messrs W. A. and L. W. Ricketts received the sad news by wire Wednesday that their aged father of eighty-six, who lived with a son in Midlothian, had died. The message was received too late for these sons to attend the funeral.

Vote for G. M. Suggs for County and District Clerk. He will appreciate your vote. 23-2t

Dr. A. L. Taylor and family attended the picnic and barbecue at Tullia, Saturday, remaining over till Monday, visiting relatives. Miss Gertrude who has spent the past two weeks in Tullia, returned home with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shelton who have been visiting the former's parents Commissioner and Mrs. Frank Shelton of the north part of the county, went to Alpine Monday for a visit of a few days returning to their home in Dallas.

Ladies' Summer Dresses go at One-Third Off at D. R. Gass & Sons. 1 24-2t

Rev. O. W. Dean and daughter, Emma returned from Morgan on Saturday after visiting a daughter and sister at that place. Miss Emma has been gone a number of weeks.

I will invoice my stock of confections, cigars, novelties, etc. and sell the entire business at a discount of ten per cent. Frank Barrow. 24-2t

S. A. Sprouls and daughters, Misses Ethel and Bertha, and son Clarence who have been living in the vicinity of Hereford for past few months, returned to their old home at Cayuga, Indiana on Tuesday.

Miss Jessie Sullivan, who formerly resided in Hereford, but now of Pilot Point, is in the city for a two weeks' visit in the home of her sister Mrs. Geo. Cloyd. Miss Sullivan is on her way home from the Colorado Rockies where she spent most of her vacation.

Elkay's Straw Hat Cleaner will make your old straw hat look as good as new in three minutes. 10c at the Corner Drugstore. 24-2t

Mrs. Fred Crosby and children stopped off on Saturday on their way home from Palestine where they had been spending a few days visiting, to spend a day with Mrs. Station Agent Bryant, and then go on to Portales on Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Le Grand returned to Hereford on Friday to spend her summer vacation with her mother and other relatives. The past year, Miss Le Grand has been teaching in the city schools of El Paso, and expects to resume her work there about the first of September.

Mrs. J. N. English, who has spent the past two months in the home of her relatives, E. B. Black and family, returned to Amarillo on Tuesday morning, where she will visit her, nephew, J. N. Vernon, and family a few days before returning to her home in Cleburne.

Some good selections in Ladies Dress Skirts at 25 per cent off at D. R. Gass & Sons. 24-2t

J. H. Bowers and family accompanied by Mr. Bowers' mother and sister, Minnie, went up to Hartle County Monday to spend a few days on Mr. Bowers' ranch, when Mother Bowers and daughter will go to Childress for a short visit before returning to their home in Montague county.

Collectors' handy Index Books at The Brand office. Makes keeping of accounts easy and saves double work. Fillers printed to suit business. They are popular, everybody most has one. 1tf

Odd Fellows Attention.

All members of Hereford I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 476 are requested to be present at the next regular meeting July 28, 1910, as there will be business of importance to come before the lodge at that time.

By order of the Lodge,
C. O. LEE, Sec.

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