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PAY YOUR POLL TAX AND BE A WORTHY CITIZEN

No Longer A Game Of Chance.

Why will men, who love everything else morally right, continue to "buck" the "game of chance" in farming? It's wrong to gamble, the preachers say, and the state says the law will pinch you if caught "shootin' craps." Now, you will get caught as long as your "crops" fail to turn up the right spots. Make a sure thing in farming as you would in another line of business. It's sure when you control the rain making machinery if you will do your part of the work in cultivating and planting.

The Brand invites its friends "down in Texas," in Colorado and in Kansas to cease their gambling proclivities and come to Hereford where "We've got the water," the key to the rain house. Down in Texas where the farmers hold prayer meetings when the corn is the tassel, and have to fight both the boll weevil and the bulls when they raise cotton, and in either case always lose out in the fight, the "game of chance" is even worse than one could imagine. They are invited to leave the weavels and the bulls to their own destruction, come to Hereford where they can raise alfalfa and hogs with an insurance policy attached to each crop. Why raise 9 and 10 cent cotton to feed the boll weavels and to fill the bulls, when they can defy both with big crops of grain, alfalfa and hogs in the Panhandle?

Running For Office.

The expenses incurred to run for any of the state offices or district offices have grown to an alarming amount. No sooner does a man decide to offer himself than he must open "headquarters" in some of the central cities when a force of clerks and stenographers are kept busy making up and sending out letters and literature. The postage used by a single candidate for governor if he sends out one batch of campaign literature to each poll tax payer, would stagger the pocketbook of an ordinary citizen. In 1911 there were 548,631 poll tax payers in the state. At 2c each this would amount to \$10,972.62 the first "dab down." And this does not consider the printing of over a half million pieces of literature, nor the envelopes, nor the stenographer's work. Oh, its awful. Hence, many qualified men, who do not possess a small fortune, or who are not backed up by the "interests" have no shadow of a chance to even get their names before the public. Just the other day, a well qualified attorney for a place on the Appellate bench at Amarillo stated that it would cost from one to two thousand dollars to properly cover the district in making the campaign and, though being urgently solicited, he is about to decline the overtures of his friends. It ought not so to be, when a man of small means cannot offer his services to the state or district.

Dear Candidates.

In many counties candidates have already announced for the various offices. Deaf Smith county is a little backward in getting into line. The Brand will be glad to enter your name for any of the races for the following entry fees, all fees being payable in advance:

FEES.

County Officers	\$10.00
City and Precinct Officers	2.50
District Officers	10.00
Congressmen	25.00

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

News From Texas and Elsewhere.

A woman disguised as a "book agent" served the papers on the county clerk of St. Clair, Mo., in that famous suit of \$1,800,000 on an old railroad bond issue.

The Duke and Duchess of Connaught paid a two days' visit to the Reids of New York this week.

In a mine explosion in Wyoming 5 miners are reported to have been killed outright and 18 hurt.

The over-sea railroad was opened for traffic this week. The line runs from the mainland to Key West, Fla., and is 156 in length, running mostly over the water at a height of 25 feet.

Joseph Marion Edwards has been appointed state treasurer to succeed Sam Sparks, resigned.

According to the "latest" hand-down from the Supreme Court, railroads must carry beer, when offered for transportation into "Dry Counties" of another state.

In a rear-end collision on the Illinois Central near Kimmunity, Ill., four officials in private car were killed. They were: James T. Harahan, former president of the road; Frank O. Melcher, 2nd Vice-President of the Rock Island; E. B. Pierce, general counsel of the Rock Island; E. E. Wright, Vice-President of the Rock Island bridge company.

Presidential Year.

This year many young men will, for the first time, have the pleasure of voting for presidential electors. In Texas all offices from the highest to the lowest are to be filled. But no one can vote in Texas unless they have a poll tax receipt or an exemption certificate, and if they live within an incorporated town they must also have a city poll tax receipt. Let every loyal American son place himself in position to vote this summer and fall. Don't let yourself be disfranchised.

Why Some Fail.

Why so many people fail to achieve even a competence in the course of a lifetime has one answer ready, according to the recent experience of Dr. Faunce of Brown university. During the course of a lecture before an audience of 500, the doctor called for a showing of hands by those persons who took pleasure in the work they were doing. Only fifty hands were raised, and the conclusion is warranted from the showing made that only ten per cent of the workers in all employments take actual pleasure in their labor, aside from the money they get out of it. May not this be the fundamental reason why failure rather than success attends the efforts of the average man? Unless one can get some fun out of his work other than the Saturday night check there is little hope that he will make a conspicuous success at that undertaking. There must be personal initiative and interest in the matter that dominates a man's mind and effort or there will be a lack of attainment.

Texas Almanac For 1912.

One of the most comprehensive compendiums of facts issued for any state in these United States is the Texas Almanac by A. H. Belo & Co., publishers of the Dallas News. Every loyal Texas should possess a copy and if interested in inviting the outside dollar should send a few copies to other states.

I'll meet you at the Corner Drug Store. 38tf

With Miss Head.

A pleasant afternoon at "42" was afforded to the married friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Head by their daughter, Miss Beulah Head, Wednesday from 4 to 6 o'clock. She was assisted by her friends, Mrs. Leslie Moreman and Miss Nell Wyche. Progressive games at eight tables were played and greatly enjoyed by all present. Light refreshments of bisque and cake were served.

In the evening, at the same place, the young people enjoyed a similar hospitality, when Miss Head, assisted by Miss Wyche, had with them a number of young people. Four tables of progressive "42" were surrounded by a merry lot. During the evening Misses Gallaher and Gregg delighted those present by a few well rendered piano numbers. Light refreshments were served. The occasion was one of pleasure to those present, who were: Misses McLean, Gallaher, Clingman, Elder, Gregg, Wyche and Mrs. Tucker. Messrs. Skelton, McLean, Thomas, Betts, Nesbitt, Dameron and Mercer.

How To Stop a Paper.

Many papers, especially of the home comfort style, country weeklies and church papers, have a way of sending a once-subscriber the paper forever and a day afterwards whether he pays or not. The post-office department has been "rounding them up" all alike for their unbusiness like methods. Sometimes a subscriber really wishes to quit. He has paid one time likely when he first "signed" for the paper and expected the publisher to stop it when his time was out, but not so, weeks and weeks, months and months, even years went by and each week the paper would show up. He would write to the publisher, or see him, but still it would come. Finally the publisher would attempt to collect the back dues, claiming as the reader took the paper out of the office, he owed for it. This may be the law, but it is poor business to force a paper on a man and then threaten him with dire visitations by still sending him the paper. Here's a cue. If you want to stop a paper, mark it "refused" and hand it back to the post master. It then becomes his duty to notify the publisher and to cease putting the paper in your box. Another way to "stop" the paper is to "shoot" the editor, but this might make him shuffle off his mortal cover without due preparation.

Geo. L. Lynch of Castro County.

Comes forward with the announcement that he wants to be sheriff and tax collector of Castro county. He is a native Texan and well qualified for the place. Born in Denton county in '72, at the age of 20 came to the Panhandle, and has lived in this section since. Twelve years ago he took up his residence in Castro county, where he has been engaged in farming and stock raising. If elected, he promises to perform the duties of the office to the best of his ability. So when you go to make out your ticket in the primary this summer leave his name unscratched and he will be your next sheriff.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Webb had a number of friends at a family dinner Wednesday of this week. Rev. Sherman and wife and E. B. Black and family were present and enjoyed the hospitality of the Webb home.

Sneed Admitted to Bail.

John Beall Sneed, the alleged slayer of Col. A. G. Boyce, Sr. was admitted to bail in the sum of \$35,000 by Judge Simmons of the Sixty-seventh District Court at noon Wednesday.

Judge Simmons based his judgment that Sneed was entitled to bail on the opinion of the court that Sneed was not capable of cool, deliberate action at the time of the killing, or at any time after his wife left the Arlington Heights Sanitarium with A. G. Boyce, Jr.

Sneed's bond was immediately signed by his father, Joe. T. Sneed, Sr., of Georgetown, his father-in-law T. W. Snyder, of Clayton, N. M., his brothers, Joe and Marvin Sneed, of Dalhart, and by one hundred prominent business men from different parts of the state who had given Joe Sneed, Jr., power of attorney to sign their names to a bond in any sum.

Every man who filed into the court room Thursday morning was searched by Deputy Sheriffs Andrews and Hutchinson, acting upon the orders of Judge Simmons, given Tuesday afternoon. No person was found armed.

The defendant was brought from the jail up through an ante room of the court room. He spoke lightly of the precaution for his safety, saying to the officers that he was not afraid of anyone hurting him.

Good-Bye! Farewell!

No, we are not going off on a visit, but the "high ball" words at the top of this piece are meant for a number of our dear readers whose subscription to The Brand has expired and they have failed to send the necessary coin of the realm, or to "see" the circulation manager about it. With tearful trembling of the hand he has signed the death warrants, and the head man has whetted his axe ready at the signal to "cut off" the names of a number of expired subscribers. The day of execution has been set, and the only way to escape the calamity is to bring a peace offering to the manager's chamber. A dollar a head is enough for a year's commutation. If you, who are in arrears, and have not "seen" the circulation manager about it nor have "sent in," you need not expect to get another copy. We are sorry, but good-bye, au revoir, and so forth. 51-2t

R. W. Baird For Re-election.

R. W. Baird, present incumbent of the sheriff and tax collector's office authorizes the Brand to place his name in the list of candidates for re-election, his candidacy being subject to the action of the Democratic party. He says he has little to say except that his record is a matter of public record and is open for inspection. He wants the office again and if elected promises to fill the place to the best of his ability in the light of the law.

Makes Big Deal.

Thos. Cook and Geo. F. Caylor closed a trade this week by which they become owners of the Loden ranch and cattle. The total consideration was \$35,000, half of which included some fine Amarillo business property.

Leave your order for coal, grain and hay with Hughes Grain Co., and be sure to have the cash when the goods are delivered. 51-2t

Texas Industrial Notes.

A Fannin county farmer sold one thousand dollars worth of sweet potatoes grown on eight acres of land.

The Amazon Fire Insurance Company with an authorized capital stock of \$1,000,000 has been organized and is now ready to do business in Dallas.

The largest registered Hereford herd of cattle in the world is located at Midland on the South plains of Texas.

Texas is the only state in the Union that is making tin from native ores. This industry has been established in the Franklin Mountains, near El Paso, where tin ore occurs in granite.

Texas has the only tobacco lands in the United States on which can be produced a duplicate of the famous Cuban cigar leaf tobacco.

Twenty families, numbering eighty people, from Greely, Colo., have purchased land near Fowlerston, Frio county, and are now preparing to raise alfalfa, onions and other products. They are experienced in farming by irrigation and will use this method at Fowlerston.

Valuable deposits of fire brick and pottery clay have been found in the vicinity of Texline. A company is being organized for the purpose of putting up a manufacturing plant to make use of this clay.

Piano Tuning.

I will be in Hereford Monday, Feb. 5th, to tune pianos. Phone your orders to the Hotel Cordova as I will not have the time to make a house to house canvas. Will make regular trips if I get enough work to justify. My prices Five Dollars.

J. E. B. WRIGHT.

Tuner for Heyhe Piano Co., at Amarillo, also tuner for Lowery-Phillipps schools, public schools, Grand Opera, all Theatres, and all teachers in Amarillo. Please investigate. 1tp

For County Treasurer.

The present incumbent of the office of the county treasurer, Roscoe Davidson, authorizes The Brand to place his name at the head of the list of candidates for that office, and he sincerely hopes it will be well at the head when the primary election comes off. Mr. Davidson is holding his first term and has made a faithful and competent officer. He wants the place again for the same reasons that he wanted it the first time, which reasons are all good and sufficient, and if elected again will endeavor to give good service to the county.

Notice.

All persons living in city limits between the age of 21 and 45 are due an annual road tax of \$.50.00. By paying in January you can pay \$3.00 per year.

C. L. SULLIVAN, Collector.

On track until Monday night, car of Gallup, N. M., best nut coal. \$6.00 per ton delivered. E. W. Harrison. 1t

Mrs. H. B. Stephens.

Will teach voice in class and in private. In class will be taken up the theory of music, music reading, breath control, care and culture of voice, vocal technic and glee club work. Two lessons weekly in class at \$1.75 per month. Class work begins first week in February. Telephone No. 46. 51-2tp

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Hurley Items.

Something doing all the time at Hurley. That black smoke you saw was from Robert Morris's threshing machine. Several have threshed and their yield while not large was better than was expected. Millet, maize kaffir and sorgum have been threshed.

A. Kirchavall of the Spring Lake neighborhood topped the wheat market at Plainview last Saturday, and on the same day Mr. Bails of the same neighborhood topped the cotton market for the season at Plainview.

At a school meeting Saturday it was decided to move the west end school house to the extreme west end and move the Hurley school house to where the west end school house now stands and to build a new school

house at Hurley and employ 3 teachers with first grade certificates to teach next year. This was on account of a recent decision of the state superintendent that in unorganized counties, teachers with first grade certificates could teach the high school courses.

Hurley Hustler and wife visited at Spring Lake Sunday.

Fall wheat is greening up again since the snow left.

HURLEY HUSTLER.

Summitt Breezes.

Alfred Grant and C. P. Galley are delivering baled millet in Hereford this week.

Mr. Mounst of Hereford is looking after his cattle interests in this neighborhood this week.

Candidates for Castro county of-

fices are about as numerous as bugs in a potato patch in June, and they wear such a pleasant smile.

There are those of us who are rejoicing that the Hereford merchants have at last arranged to buy cream and pay the cash for it. Now the next step is to establish a branch station at Dimmitt, have regular cream days and thus accommodate all who would like to use the cow as a means of adding to their income in cash.

Butchering and fresh sausages is the order of the day among the neighbors on the Summitt.

Many are surprised to find 2 1/2 feet of frost in the ground. Experienced men from the north assure us that it will be of great benefit to the land that is to be cropped this year, as it will help it in absorbing moisture, and that is what plant life needs.

NO REASON FOR DOUBT.

A Statement of Facts Backed by a Strong Guarantee.

We guarantee complete relief to all sufferers from constipation, or, in every case where we fail, we will supply the medicine free.

ReXall Orderlies are a gentle, effective, dependable, and safe bowel regulator, strengthener, and tonic. They aim to reestablish nature's functions in a quiet, easy way. They do not cause inconvenience, griping, or nausea. They are so pleasant to take and work so easily that they may be taken by any one at any time. They thoroughly tone up the whole system to healthy activity.

ReXall Orderlies are unsurpassable and ideal for the use of children, old folks, and delicate persons. We cannot too highly recommend them to all sufferers from any form of constipation and its attendant evils. Three sizes, 10c., 25c., and 50c. Remember, you can obtain ReXall Remedies in this community only at our store—The ReXall Store.

Corner Drug Store.

Frio Items.

Rev. Johnson filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Ed. Stanley and family entertained Sunday Rev. Johnson and Mrs. Maggie Stanley and family.

Mrs. Moselley is spending this week with Omer Dendy and wife.

Miss Maggie Ray Stanley of Amarillo spent a few days with homefolks.

W. B. Green is spending a few days with friends in the Arney neighborhood.

W. B. Green, Joe Stagner and J. W. Beatty transacted business at Dimmitt Thursday.

Miss Sue Wilson spent Saturday with homefolks.

J. F. Dollar and family left for their new home at Lockney, Texas, Monday.

Miss Allie Dendy spent Sunday with Miss Callie Sanders.

Omer Dendy and wife took Sunday dinner with Steve Sanders and family.

Mrs. John Thomas Cured of Cancer.

Hereford, Tex., Jan. 9, 1912.
To My Friends in Hereford and Vicinity:

I take this method of thanking my friends in Hereford and other places in this county, who interested themselves in my behalf in arranging for me to go to Dr. E. O. Smith, 214 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo., for treatment for the cancer on my eyelid. I went to Dr. Smith the 22nd day of last November, and am now at home, cured and well. The cancer was very much larger than I supposed it to be, but four weeks after I commenced treatment, I was well and ready to come home.

I find that Dr. Smith has many old patients whom he has cured of cancer, who live in Texas. He performs wonderful cures, and does his work without surgical operations. Some cases of cancer, of course, reach an incurable stage, but I saw cures enough of Dr. Smith's to know if anyone afflicted with cancer will go to him in any reasonable time, he will cure them. If Dr. Smith can not cure them, there is no hope for them.

I could not have been treated with

30c PER POUND FOR CREAM

Until further notice we will pay 30c per pound for cream. Your money will be CASH as soon as the cream is tested. Tests will be made twice a week at our store and your money given you as soon as tests are completed.

"PEACEMAKER FLOUR" FOR THE PARTICULAR HOUSEWIFE

Our store is headquarters for all kinds of staple and fancy groceries, country produce, etc. Prompt delivery and courteous treatment.

We meet all competition in our line. Let us figure on your next grocery bill.

JNO. A. JOHNSON
TELEPHONE NO. 7 PROMPT DELIVERY

THE month of February is regarded by many as a dull season—it's a sort of between hay and grass affair.

Many advertisers retrench—others quit altogether.

Maybe the experience of Sigmund Baer of the Grand Leader Department Store, St. Louis will put some stiffening into the backbone of those advertisers who only buy newspaper space when conditions are favorable—who avoid alleged dull seasons as they would the smallpox. Mr. Baer so impressed the editor of the St. Louis Times a few months ago with his enthusiasm about All-The-Year-Round Advertising that the editor printed a strong editorial on the subject. He quoted Mr. Baer as saying: "We do not recognize any dull season," and then wisely commented as follows:

"The merchant who recognizes a dull season, who stops advertising and weakens his force, is deliberately tying one hand behind him. The chief benefit to be derived from advertising is to be traced to the familiarity of the advertisement.

"You do not need a certain article today, nor perhaps in six months. But sooner or later the need asserts itself, and then you permit your eyes to do a little 'reminiscing.' And your eyes faithfully bring before you the antique lettering, the bold face name, the pictorial appeal, the apt phrase, which have been crossing your vision-day after day in advertisements.

"The merchant who recognizes the dull season is like a soldier who throws his ammunition away between engagements. Only, in the mercantile world, there need be no time between engagements. The merchant whose ammunition is ready can locate an army of buyers at any moment."

A merchant does not need to control a big business to do advertising all the year round; neither is big space required. Many advertisers hesitate at regular publicity because they cannot compete in space with big merchants. That's a foolish reason.

Whatever an advertiser spends in a year should be equally distributed throughout the twelve months, opinions to the contrary, notwithstanding.

A rolling stone gathers no moss—neither does an irregular advertiser gather the full benefits of his publicity.

It is wise for a merchant to keep in touch with the public all of the time.—William C. Freeman.

The Brand Is the Best Advertising Medium in Deaf Smith County. Phone 30.

SACRIFICE CLEARANCE SALE

continues on winter goods until Saturday night, Jan. 27th. Don't wait, but come today and buy all the goods you will need for winter. Others are taking advantage of this great money saving event. Why not you?

New Spring Goods are coming in every week. Our Spring shipment of Gingham, white, brown, tan and colored Linens, Flaxons, Voils, Tissue Gingham, India Lawns, figured Lawns, Valenciene Laces and Embroideries are now in. See these new things before you buy.

GEO. A. STAMBAUGH "THE CASH STORE"

more kindness at my own home, than I was at Dr. Smith's. He and his wife and all connected with his house, are thoughtful and attentive in looking after the comfort of the patients.

I will be glad to give any one who comes to see me or writes me, any information I can about my case and about Dr. Smith and his treatment.

Again sincerely thanking my friends for sending me to him, I am gratefully,

MRS. JOHN THOMAS, Hereford, Texas.

R. R. 1. 1tp

When you have a bad cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to cure it with as little delay as possible. Here is a druggist's opinion: "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for fifteen years," says Enos Lollar of Saratoga, Ind., "and consider it the best on the market." Sold by all dealers.

Our Altitude.

Hereford	3810 feet
Amarillo	3663 feet
Wildorado	3887 feet
Vega	3986 feet
Alamoosa	4000 feet
Adrian	3998 feet
Cap Rock	4127 feet

IS THIS 81?

Send me some of
That Good Barrel Kraut,
 Some
White Swan Prunes,
 A can of
White Swan Syrup,
 A sack of
Queen Anne Flour,
 A bottle of
Heinz Tomato Catsup
 and a can of
Chase & Sanborn's Seal
Brand Coffee.

We want your business on
Price, Quality and Promptness.

HOMER WILKINSON
CLEAN GROCERY **PHONE 81**

REDUCED RATES!

The Hereford Benefit Association of Hereford, Texas, announces its rates for membership will be reduced from \$2.50 to \$1.25 per member from now until April 1st, 1912.

This will mean a saving of \$1.25 on each membership—Half Price from now until April 1st, 1912. Hereford Benefit Insurance is insurance among neighbors. The rate is the lowest possible.

A personal call or a card addressed to either of the gentlemen below will bring you the details.

J. H. HEAD, **D. F. ASHBROOK,**
 PRESIDENT SECRETARY

The Marlin Model 20 REPEATING RIFLE



Without change of mechanism it handles .22 short, long or long-rifle cartridges perfectly. The deep Ballard rifling develops maximum power and accuracy and adds years to the life of rifles.

The solid top is protection from defective cartridges—prevents powder and gases from being blown back. The side ejection never lets any powder get on your face and allows quick, accurate repeat shots. With its down construction, removable action parts, least parts of any .22—it is the quickest and easiest to clean. A great vacation rifle. Ask any gun dealer.

The 136 page Marlin catalog will help you decide what rifle best suits your individual desires. Send 3 stamps for it today.

The Marlin Firearms Co.
 42 Willow Street New Haven, Conn.

Thoughtlets.

Men who do little are constantly talking about how much they do, while men who do much are continually wondering how they can do more.

If you are afraid of yourself, how can you expect to inspire confidence in others? You know yourself better than anybody else, or at least you ought to.

It is only a few men who can do things quickly and do them well, and a few more that can do things slowly and do them well. If you can not get into one class, then strive for the other.

Business is an exact science, not a game of chance. The men who succeed are those who understand the laws and principles of business, and put them to the best use.

Do not complain oftener to your employer than is absolutely necessary.

If you do not know men, it is your business to learn them. When once you have gained this knowledge it is not necessary to let them know you have found them out.

Success does not always come to the man who has plenty of grit and determination, but it never comes to the man who lacks these qualities.

It is worth your while to do more work than you are being paid for. Your employer will be the gainer, but you will not be the loser.

It is hard to know that you have not some money in the bank, and harder to know that you have no friends to your credit. If you have not one, see to it that you have the other.

Don't believe that any one owes you a grudge, but if somebody does, make so light of it that it becomes a boast.

Take it for granted that you have a place in the world and do not waste time finding out where the place is. By Delia Austria.

ONE MILLION DOLLARS FOR A GOOD STOMACH.

This Offer Should Be a Warning to Every Man and Woman.

The newspapers and medical journals recently have had much to say relative to a famous millionaire's offer of a million dollars for a new stomach.

This great multi-millionaire was too busy to worry about the condition of his stomach. He allowed his dyspepsia to run from bad to worse until in the end it became incurable.

His misfortune serves as a warning to others.

Every one who suffers with dyspepsia for a few years will give everything he owns for a new stomach.

Dyspepsia is commonly caused by an abnormal state of the gastric juices, or by lack of tone in the walls of the stomach. The result is that the stomach loses its power to digest food.

We are now able to supply certain missing elements to help to restore to the gastric juices their digestive power, and to aid in making the stomach strong and well.

We know that Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are a most dependable remedy for disordered stomachs, indigestion, and dyspepsia.

We want you to try them and will return your money if you are not more than satisfied with the result.

Three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store, Corner Drug Store.

Dokata Men To Come.

Gattlieb Schimke of Dokata has traded for 5 quarters of land in Deaf Smith county near Geo. Bipus' ranch, the consideration being \$27 per acre for the Panhandle land. Mr. Bipus says a number of North and South Dokata families are coming to his neighborhood this year, as he gets letters every week making inquiry about the country. Mr. Bipus says that he feels sure of a good crop this year. He has 50 acres of spring wheat up and growing and will plant a large acreage of feed stuff at the right time.

Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach. Take Chamberlain's Tablets and correct that and the headaches will disappear. For sale by all dealers.

The Doctor AND The Druggist

**One Decides on the Remedy,
 The Other Prepares It.**

The suffering patient is to be cured and to effect the cure as quickly as possible, a learned physician is called.

The matter of deciding what remedy is to be used is important, but isn't it of equal importance to have that remedy prepared just right, accurately and from pure, active drugs?

Prescriptions brought to us will receive the attention only possible where there is a perfect knowledge of pharmacy from long actual experience.

PRESCRIPTIONS PUT UP HERE ARE INVARIABLY RIGHT and the price is also right.

CORNER DRUG STORE
 "A GOOD PLACE TO BUY DRUGS"

Castro County Clippings.

From The Dimmitt Plainsman of Friday, Jan. 19.

Anyone wishing to secure a job picking cotton can get it in the Nazareth community.

Mr. Carter and family of Indiana arrived at Spring Lake yesterday. They will improve their land southwest of that place.

Mr. Rice of Spring Lake, who was burned out recently, purchased one of the Bennett houses. The neighbors helped him move yesterday.

The average attendance at the Spring Lake Sunday school for the year 1911 was 110. M. W. Axtell was re-elected superintendent.

L. D. Shepard went to Hereford Sunday after a load of coal returning the next day.

Harvey Cash made a trip to Hereford last Thursday returning Saturday.

C. J. Terrell of Cleo was in Hereford several days last week.

Last Saturday the Plainsman editor was going to Hereford and we noticed several wagons and buggies loaded down with household goods,

lumber, merchandise and people for Castro county and several wagons headed for Hereford, the railroad point, to be loaded with goods.

Joe Greer was in Hereford last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Schwieters are the proud parents a baby boy, born on January 14.

THE HEREFORD BRAND ONLY \$1.00 A YEAR

Slap Shots.

The ideal husband is a man who goes around to the kitchen door to enter his own domicile to keep from making "tracks" on the carpet of his wife's "front room."

A really good neighbor will not borrow the only fresh egg in your house during the "hen strike."

Many a man brags about how he would manage a family of children, who never dared to have himself called "daddie." Heroes are picked out after the battle and not before.

When you would criticise a young man for his seeming indifference to moral rectitude, consider how no count you were when you was a growing up.

Had It Ever Occured To You?

That every winter before this one when coal was hard to get and at all times when there was a shortage in the local market the price would go up to \$9.00 per ton and even higher at times, whereas, this winter, the price has been \$8.50 per ton for the best Colorado Coal.

There's a Reason For It

We have held the price down and delivered coal to you during the worst weather we have had this winter. Now that things look brighter don't you think it right and fair to stay with the people who have stayed with you? Give us your order now and let us deliver it while the weather is good.

HUGHES GRAIN COMPANY
 JAS. A. HUGHES, Manager

The Cash Grain and Coal Store. Phone No. 1

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

City Offices

For Marshal and Collector:
H. O. HUBBERT,
R. P. (Bob) BRAZIL.

Deaf Smith County Offices:

The Brand is authorized by those
whose names appear below to an-
nounce their names for the respective
offices subject to the action of the
Democratic Primary to be held on
July 27th, 1912.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
R. W. (Bob) BAIRD

For Tax Assessor:
C. P. (Phil) ARTHUR

For Treasurer:
ROSCOE DAVIDSON

Castro County Offices:

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
GEO. T. LYNCH

CITY MANAGER ACAIN.

"The constant dropping of water"
and so on for several words more
comes in again for use. At first no
one paid any attention to the "city
manager proposition; in the second
round, a few sat up and took notice
and the wheel went around; this
week it's all the talk in the business
offices and on the curb. As a re-
sult a meeting of volunteers will be
held at the County court room today
at 2:30 o'clock to discuss in a gen-
eral way the commission form of
city government and its modified
forms for small towns. If you are
interested in the reduction of ex-
penses and taxes and in favor of in-
creased in results, attend the meet-
ing—its open to everybody.

FOUR more days and you will
either be a citizen or a political exile.

MANY important questions are
likely to arise in the district and
state campaigns this summer and
you may feel like voting again, but
there are two things needful, if you
live in the city. Hike yourself to
the city collector and then up to the
county collector—he will put you
next.

DON'T repose in the hope that the
commissioners can suspend the tax
penalty. They can't do it. Ten
per cent will be added after Feb. 1,
and then 6 per cent interest there-
after, and a fee advertising the de-
linquent property on top of that.
Pay now and save some.

Sheriff's Sale.

State of Texas,
County of Deaf Smith
Whereas, by virtue of an order of
sale issued out of the District Court
of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on a
judgment rendered in said court on
the 7th day of June, A. D. 1911, in
favor of the First State Bank &
Trust Company of Hereford, Texas,
and against M. A. Montague, C. M.
Montague, Mrs. J. Thresher, J. C.
Meacham and W. S. Higgins, No.
394 on the docket of said court, I
did on the 11th day of January, A.
D. 1912, at 1 o'clock p. m., levy up-
on the following described tract or

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Re-
ward for any case of Catarrh that
cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh
Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J.
Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe
him perfectly honorable in all business
transactions and financially able to carry
out any obligations made by his firm.
NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE,
Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally,
acting directly upon the blood and mu-
cous surfaces of the system. Testimonials
sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold
by all Druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

parcel of land situate in the County
of Deaf Smith, State of Texas, and
belonging to the said M. A. Monta-
gue and C. M. Montague, to-wit:
Being all of Section No. 72, Certifi-
cate No. 131, Original Grantee H.
O. & B. Ry. Co., in Block K-4, con-
taining 640 acres of land; and on
the 6th day of February, A. D.
1912, being the first Tuesday of
said month, between the hours of 10
o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.,
on said day at the courthouse door
of said county, I will offer for sale
and sell at public auction, for cash,
to the highest bidder, all the right,
title and interest of the said M. A.
Montague and C. M. Montague in
and to said property.

Dated at Hereford, Deaf Smith
County, Texas, this the 11th day of
January, A. D. 1912.

R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff,
Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Here is a woman who speaks from per-
sonal knowledge and long experience, viz.,
Mrs. E. H. Brogan, of Wilson, Pa., who says,
"I know from experience that Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy is far superior to any other.
For croup there is nothing that excels it."
For sale by all dealers.

How To Get Hick's Almanac Free.
If you are not a subscriber pay
\$1.00 for a year's subscription and
you will get one copy of Hick's Al-
manac free. If you are on the list,
renew your subscription for one year
and get a copy free.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas,
County of Deaf Smith,
Whereas, by virtue of an order of
sale issued out of the District Court of
Deaf Smith County, Texas, on a
judgment rendered in said court on
the 6th day of December, A. D.
1911, in favor of A. F. Hendrix and
against L. A. Stroud, No. 436 on
the docket of said court, I did, on
the 11th day of January, A. D.
1912, at 1 o'clock p. m., levy upon
the following described tract or
parcel of land situate in the County
of Deaf Smith, State of Texas and
belonging to the said L. A. Stroud,
to-wit, a part of Survey No. 79,
Block K-3, and being known as Lot
or Block No. 9, in the Welsh addi-
tion to the town of Hereford, Texas,
as shown by the plat of said addition
of record in the Deed Records of
Deaf Smith County, Texas; and on
the 6th day of February, A. D.
1912, being the First Tuesday of
said month, between the hours of
10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.,
on said day, at the courthouse door
of said county, I will offer for sale
and sell at public auction, for cash,
all the right, title and interest of the
said L. A. Stroud in and to said prop-
erty.

Dated at Hereford, Deaf Smith
County, Texas, this the 11th day of
January, A. D. 1912.

R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff,
Deaf Smith County, Texas.

\$1 The Hereford Brand \$1
\$1 \$1.00 a Year. \$1

J. W. Copeland, of Dayton, Ohio, pur-
chased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy for his boy who had a cold, and be-
fore the bottle was all used, the boy's cold
was gone. Is that not better than to pay a
five dollar doctor's bill? Sold by all dealers.

HEREFORD NURSERY

Choice Fruit, Shade and
Ornamental Stock. Write
for Catalogue today.

L. P. LANDRUM, Proprietor

Fire Companies:
North British & Mercantile of
London and Edinburg, Eng.
Insurance Co. of North America,
Philadelphia, Pa.
German-American of New York,
Connecticut, of Hartford Conn.
Hanover, of New York.
Peoples' National, of Philadel-
phia, Pa.
Accident and Health, Liability,
Burglary, and Plate Glass:
the old Fidelity and Casualty
of New York.

TELL ME If You have Bargains to Offer
in City or Country Property.
I have frequent inquiries for both. I make a
specialty of exchanges.
Insurance of all kinds sold in strong reliable
companies whose Financial Strength and past
Record is their best advertisement. Any work
entrusted to us will receive careful attention.
Satisfied customers is our constant effort.
YOUR NOTARY WORK SOLICITED
Office in Denlap
and Britain Build-
ing, Rooms 2
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AND TRUST COMPANY HEREFORD TEXAS

Want Ads 5c Per Line—Try One

Local and Personal

I'll meet you at the Corner Drug Store. 38tf

Thos. Cook made a business trip to Miami last Saturday.

Room with electric lights \$7.50 per month. J. M. Boone. 48-tf

Dr. H. H. Taylor was at Friona Saturday.

Holland's Magazine and The Brand, one year for One Dollar.

Homer Wilkinson will pay 32 cents per pound for your butter fat. 1t

Mrs. J. E. Ferguson is spending a short time at Amarillo in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Boyce.

American Lady Flour known as the best. Cliett's Grocery. Phone 50. 50-2t

Miss Elsie Cloyd left Monday for Pilot Point, Texas, where she will remain several months with relatives.

5-room house, good barn, garden, in Evans addition for rent. See L. Baskin. 51-2tp

Butter fat will fetch 32 cents per pound at Wilkinson's grocery store. 1t

Fred Baird, who is in school at Canyon, was at home two days of this week.

On track until Monday night, car of Gallup, N. M., best nut coal. \$6.00 per ton delivered. E. W. Harrison. 1t

J. L. Fuqua of the First National Bank was in Houston this week on business.

Now is the time to plant onion seed. Cliett has them. Phone 50. 50-2t

Weght Boydston of Edgerton, Mo., was a business visitor in Hereford this week.

Order your coal now and let us deliver it while the weather is fair, it may get cold in a few days. Hughes Grain Co. 51-2t

Col. Buie and two daughters of Canyon were in the city Wednesday of this week.

American Lady Flour known as the best. Cliett's Grocery. Phone 50. 50-2t

E. B. Black was at Black City Thursday of this week looking after his farm.

On track until Monday night, car of Gallup, N. M., best nut coal. \$6.00 per ton delivered. E. W. Harrison. 1t

Albert Johnson and family, who have been at Plainview for the past six months, are visiting in Hereford this week.

Onion Seed! Onion Seed! in bulk, all varieties. Cliett's Grocery. Phone 50. 50-2t

J. N. Russell, who has been acting trustee in a bankrupt sale at Amarillo for the last two weeks, was at home Sunday.

Coal, Grain, Hay, Salt and Posts are cash. Hughes Grain Co. 51-2t

R. W. Ralston, general baggage agent for the Santa Fe at Amarillo, was in Hereford Tuesday as a guest of Agent Reid.

American Lady Flour known as the best. Cliett's Grocery. Phone 50. 50-2t

W. T. Smith, who has been at Childress for some months, has returned to Hereford and will remain here permanently.

On track until Monday night, car of Gallup, N. M., best nut coal. \$6.00 per ton delivered. E. W. Harrison. 1t

Mrs. W. D. Cloyd, who has been visiting for some months with a daughter at Dallas, returned to her home in Hereford Wednesday.

If you have anything that you wish to dispose of advertise it in the Brand Liners and sell it.

J. W. Hood of Elida, N. M., has accepted the position of manager for the Hereford Lumber Company, to succeed J. F. Barker, who has gone to Waxahachie.

If you have young children you have perhaps noticed that disorders of the stomach are their most common ailment. To correct this you will find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets excellent. They are easy and pleasant to take, and mild and gentle in effect. For sale by all dealers.

Jno. W. Dale, cattle inspector, left Thursday for Vega where he will superintend the dipping of 6,000 head of cattle for Jackson Bros. of that place.

Program.
The Woman's Monday Club will meet Monday, Jan. 29, with Mrs. Roloson.

Leader—Mrs. Hough.
Roll Call—Sketch of American Artists.

Notable Landscape Artists—Mrs. Gallaher.
Modern Figure and Portrait Painters—Mrs. Parker.

Pictures, Use, Abuse, Influence—Mrs. K. Nutter.

The Back Ground and Hangings of Pictures—Mrs. Slaton.

Round Table—"The Life of America as Reflected by its Artists and Illustrators."

B. G. Wyer and Otis Burton of the Spring Lake community were in Hereford this week each with a load of maize heads which they sold readily at \$15 per ton. They loaded their wagons with supplies on returning.

E. B. Black Co.
Embalmer & Funeral Directors
AT YOUR SERVICE DAY OR NIGHT
DAY PHONE 14. NIGHT PHONES 92 OR 299

O. J. Beene, one of the proprietors of the City Barber Shop, is spending a short while with homefolks at Gatesville. He will make a try out for a place on the Texas League at Galveston.

Poll Tax Payments.

Only four more days remain in which to pay your poll tax and thus become a voting citizen. Wednesday night next at 12 o'clock the last chance will be gone. The following number of polls had been paid up to noon Thursday:

Presinct	Polls	Exempts
One	62	3
Two	130	4
Three	4	0
Four	7	0
Five	7	0
Six	4	1
Seven	2	0
Eight	6	0
Nine	3	0
Ten	3	0
Total	228	8

O. M. and L. H. Shore received a wire yesterday saying that their brother, Joe Shore, had died at his home in Kansas City. He was tax assessor of Wyandotte county. No other information was received by them.

A Brand Liner will rent that room for you—5c a line.

Seed Sweet Potatoes

Southern Queen Variety. The best producing kind for this section. Send in your advance orders. Ask for prices on Swift's Fertilizer.

ROSWELL SEED CO., ROSWELL, N. M.

AVOID RHEUMATISM

Rheumatism with its accompanying pains and tortures, is the result of a decreased action of the kidneys which results in an accumulation of Uric Acid in the blood. Treatment should commence with the first hint of trouble.

Those almost insignificant pains in the small of the back mean trouble—it's a warning of kidney weakness—inability to separate the poisons from the blood.

The action of the kidneys is incessant—they work constantly and in company with the liver and bladder strive to purify the blood and keep the system free from poisons. They should have help—if they become weakened and neglected it means Rheumatism or Bright's disease. If you would avoid these dangerous diseases use

Nyal's Stone Root Compound—start with the first symptoms

and make sure that the kidneys are restored to their normal strength and activity. Nyal's Stone Root Compound was devised for that very purpose—to assist the kidneys, bladder and liver in their functions and rid the system of Uric Acid and other poisons. Does it, too! Fifty cents and One Dollar the bottle.

Any doctor will tell you that when we compound a prescription it's done right. Bring us your prescriptions.

E. T. WOODBURN & SON
"The Nyal Drugstore"

Browning or Lancaster.

The Plainview newspapers have insisted for several weeks that Judge J. N. Browning, of Amarillo, should not be a candidate for congressman-at-large since a Plainview man, Joe E. Lancaster, was in the race first and there should be only one man from the Plains in the contest. The Plainview newspapers hold that one Plains man can be elected while two men in the race would injure the cause and neither could be elected. Their contention, we believe, is good and the only solution of the proposition now is to choose the better man of the two. Both are strong men, but we believe that taking the state over Browning is far better known and will make a better campaign than Lancaster. Browning has been prominent in state politics before while Mr. Lancaster has not so wide an acquaintance. While we are not acquainted with Mr. Lancaster we believe from reports he does not stand half the chance as Judge Browning, and that if this section of the country is to have but one candidate the Judge is the proper man. The campaign is yet young and the leaders in the Panhandle should get together on their man and then pull together in order to land the office for him.—Randall County News.

Texas Meat Market.

Handles all kinds of fresh meats, dressed fowls and produce. Clean and sanitary. Will buy hides and fat cattle. 51tf

F. H. Britain has on exhibition a Mexican ant bear. Looks like a cross between a Texas badger and a coon, and no doubt would put up a "nasty fight" in a "badger" contest.

Berry Orr, wife and baby, who have been at Portales for some time, have returned to Hereford. Mr. Orr will become manager on the Ferguson ranch north of town.

R. L. Hime and family arrived in Hereford Wednesday night and will make their home in this community. They are from Nebraska and are welcome to the Panhandle.

Take Dr. Miller's Laxative Tablets for constipation. They will help you.

Special Notice.

If you owe Hughes Grain Co., please come in now and make settlement, we need the money to meet our obligations. 51-2t

Rev. James Bell visited friends and relatives in Hereford last week, leaving for his mission in New Mexico last Saturday.

On track until Monday night, car of Gallup, N. M., best nut coal. \$6.00 per ton delivered. E. W. Harrison. 1t

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND

FOR ALL COUGHS AND COLDS

For bronchitis, hoarseness and tickling in the throat. Especially recommended for children and delicate persons. No opiates. A medicine, not a narcotic. **The Bee Hive on the carton is the mark of the genuine.** Refuse substitutes.

Mrs. T. J. Adams, 522 Nor Kansas Ave., Columbus, Kas., writes: "For a number of years my children have been subject to coughs and colds. I used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and found that it cured these coughs and colds, so I keep it in the house all the time." Refuse substitutes.

BETTS-CLARK, Druggists

THE WORLD ALMANAC 1912 Edition

At this time, when the globe and our entire life are in a state of transition, it is more than ever that you will find the most authoritative and reliable information in the World Almanac. It contains the most complete and up-to-date statistics, news, and information of the year. It is the most valuable and interesting of all the year's publications. It is the most complete and up-to-date of all the year's publications. It is the most valuable and interesting of all the year's publications.

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NEW GOODS

New Gingham and Fine Tissues. A beautiful line in Fast Colors. Also new line of Embroideries and Laces, very cheap.

Ladies' Dress Skirts, White Lawn Waists, and Children's Bear Coats and Caps at almost your own price. Don't fail to see them at once.

Our Motto:—SPOT CASH and get your money's worth.

J. G. Callens

Geo. F. Caylor and family have moved from Canadian to Hereford and will make their home at the Farmer place, a beautiful suburban home in south Hereford. The family consists of Mr. and Mrs. Caylor and 5 children, 4 boys and 1 girl. This good family is welcome to our young city.

Edwards Reynolds, immigration inspector for the U. S., was at Hereford last week on a return trip from El Paso where he was rounding up some celestials who had gotten into Uncle Sam's territory without permit. Mr. Reynolds is a cousin of J. H. Bowers of this city.

O. E. THOMAS
EMBALMER AND FUNERAL DIRECTOR
Night Phone 299

E. B. Black Co.
FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING—HEREFORD, TEXAS

HEREFORD, TEXAS
DAY PHONE
Number fourteen

ONLY 5 MORE DAYS

In Which to Secure Both Holland's Magazine and The Hereford Brand One Year For Only One Dollar

A letter the first of the month from Holland's Magazine stated they would continue their Low Clubbing Rate until February 1st. Therefore it gives us great pleasure to announce to our readers that we will also stand our part of the low rate for the balance of the month and give them a TWO DOLLAR VALUE for ONE DOLLAR.

Holland's is a Texas Magazine and deserves the support of every Texas citizen. Each month it contains several high-class fiction stories; departments devoted to the older folks, to the children, to fashions, to needlework, to the kitchen, etc., etc. Holland's is a paper for the entire family. One of the best values in the magazine world for the money.

If your subscription to The Brand is already paid-in-advance, don't let that fact deter you but hand us a dollar and tell us that you want your subscription advanced twelve months and Holland's Magazine for one year. If your subscription to The Brand has expired it will be an awful good time to get in the advance line.

Below are a Few Other Clubbing Offer Which We Will Continue Until the First of February

Clubbing Offer Number 1	
Hereford Brand (52 issues)	\$1.00
Dallas Semi-Weekly News	\$1.00
Total Value	\$2.00
	Our Price \$1.50

Clubbing Offer Number 2	
Hereford Brand	\$1.00
Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News	\$1.00
Total Value	\$2.00
	Our Price \$1.50

Clubbing Offer Number 5	
Hereford Brand	\$1.00
Holland's Magazine50
Total Value	\$1.50
	Our Price \$1.00

Fill out the Order Blank Opposite and Mail At Once

Cut This Slip Out, Fill Out Properly, Enclose the Correct Amount of Money, and Mail AT ONCE

Brand Publishing Co., Hereford, Tex. Date _____ 1911

Gentlemen: Enclosed find _____ Dollars _____ Cents for which send to my address or addresses listed on separate sheet the papers specified in Clubbing Offer No. _____

Name _____ Street or R. F. D. _____

Postoffice _____ State _____

If papers are to be sent to any addresses other than your own, be sure to give the names and addresses on separate sheet taking care to specify which paper goes to each address.

Clubbing Offer Number 7	
Hereford Brand	\$1.00
Dallas Semi-Weekly News	\$1.00
Holland's Magazine50
Total Value	\$2.50
	Our Price \$1.75

Clubbing Offer Number 10	
Hereford Brand	\$1.00
Panhandle Magazine (14 issues)	\$1.40
Total Value	\$2.40
	Our Price \$1.35

Clubbing Offer Number 11	
Hereford Brand	\$1.00
Scientific American	\$3.00
Total Value	\$4.00
	Our Price \$3.25

Clubbing Offer Number 12	
Hereford Brand	\$1.00
Dallas Sunday News	\$1.50
Total Value	\$2.50
	Our Price \$2.00

Clubbing Offer Number 14	
Hereford Brand	\$1.00
Ft. Worth Sunday Record	\$1.50
Total Value	\$2.50
	Our Price \$2.00

Address All Communications and Make All Drafts, Checks, Postoffice or Express Money Orders Payable to

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CALOMEL SOMETIMES CAUSES SALIVATION

Dodson's Liver-Tone Has All The Medicinal Properties of Calomel With None of the Dangerous After Effects.

You can get along without taking calomel yourself or giving it to your family when you can buy a substitute for it as good as Dodson's Liver-Tone. Dodson's Liver-Tone is a pure, harmless vegetable liquid that starts the liver to action just as surely as calomel does. But unlike calomel, Dodson's Liver-Tone does not stimulate the liver too much. It cures constipation gently instead of

making you more bilious than you were at first, and it can no more salivate you than a tablespoonful of maple syrup can salivate you.

Dodson's Liver-Tone has given such perfect satisfaction to every person to whom Betts-Clark has sold a bottle that this store will give the money back to any person who buys a bottle and does not find it a perfect substitute for calomel. It is worth something to you to try a medicine with a guarantee like that.

To My Many Friends.

Our great, Supreme Ruler in His love and mercy has spared us thru another year. He has favored us with health and strength and the proper exercise of our minds and bodies. He has allowed us to be-

hold the dawn of another year, 1912, with many bright prospects all of which we could and should feel thankful, and I do.

I am also not unmindful of the many courtesies shown and acts of kindness bestowed by my friends in Hereford, not only in matters of business but in many other ways. I assure you that I appreciate those acts of brotherly kindness much more than you may think and far more than I have words to express. Now as I shall soon leave to join my family in our newly selected California home, I assure you I do so having the best and kindest feeling for my native state, for our great Texas panhandle, and our beautiful little city of Hereford.

May the rough paths just trodden

by many of us be soon forgotten and instead strewn in the near future with rare flowers of brighter prospects. I am ever,

Yours truly,
A. H. ELLISTON.

Panhandle Stock Meet.

The Panhandle stockmen's convention will be held this year at El Paso and the programme for the meeting is now being prepared. The headquarters of the association are at Amarillo and the meeting dates are March 5, 6 and 7. A letter from William Harrell, secretary of the association, who resides at Amarillo, says the convention has been promised one of the greatest entertainments in its history at El Paso. That city is already at work raising

funds and preparing for the meeting. About \$5,000 will be spent for the entertainment, which will have many novel features and visitors are expected from all parts of the Southwest.

The transportation committee appointed at El Paso to confer with the passenger agents and procure excursion rates expects to obtain a rate as low as \$15 for the round-trip from any city in Texas.—Live Stock Reporter.

One On Amarillo.

During the cold weather a citizen of Plainview was sitting at the dinner table in one of Amarillo's popular hotels and caually remarked to one of the other guests: "You shore do have mighty cold weather up here at Amarillo."

UP-TO-DATE LIVERY and SALE BARN

When you want a good drive or an up-to-date rig call at our Barn. We have spent a great deal of time and money lately improving and enlarging our premises. We have one of the best barns in West Texas and can give you the best accommodations in any line of livery service. We guarantee courteous and fair treatment to all. Phone 749.

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That large tract of land you want to sell has been a burden to you. I delight in them. Large tracts are my specialty. Write me about it today—whether you want to buy or whether you want to sell.

Panhandle Lands

are the best lands in the world and doubtless I have just the bargain you want. Lands in the shallow water belt and lands out. Whatever your need may be, write me about it.

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The Patronage of the General Public is Cordially Solicited.

Gave Up Hope

"I suffered five years, with awful pains, due to womanly troubles," writes Mrs. M. D. McPherson, from Chadbourn, N. C. "They grew worse, till I would often faint. I could not walk at all, and I had an awful hurting in my side; also a headache and a backache.

I gave up and thought I would die, but my husband urged me to try Cardui, so, I began, and the first bottle helped me. By the time the third bottle was used, I could do all my work. All the people around here said I would die, but Cardui relieved me."

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

For more than 50 years, Cardui has been relieving woman's sufferings, and making weak women strong and well. During this time, thousands of women have written, like Mrs. McPherson, to tell of the really surprising results they obtained by the use of this purely vegetable, tonic remedy for women.

Cardui strengthens, builds, restores, and relieves or prevents unnecessary pain and suffering from womanly troubles. If you are a woman, begin taking Cardui, today.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 140

NO REASON FOR IT.

When Hereford Citizens Show the Certain Way Out.

There can be no just reason why any reader of this will continue to suffer the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders, the dangers of kidney ills when relief is so near at hand and the most positive proof given that they can be cured. Read what a Hereford citizen says:

Mrs. Elizabeth Tomamichae, 506 Miles Ave., Hereford, Texas, says: "About two months ago I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills from Woodburn & Son's Drug Store, as I was then suffering from a pain in my back, together with stiffness in my loins. I found Doan's Kidney Pills to be good for this trouble and also a splendid tonic for the kidneys. They were prompt and effective and I advise their use in all cases of kidney complaint. I do not think there is a better kidney medicine to be had than this one."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Lou D. Sweet of Denver, expert potato grower and an irrigationist of national reputation, was in Hereford this week as guest of Mr. McDonald, and inspected the irrigation possibilities. He thinks well of the development.

Sheriff's Sales.

State of Texas,
County of Deaf Smith

Whereas by virtue of an Order of Sale, on the 4th day of January, 1912, issued out of the District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said Court, on the 11th day of December, 1911, in favor of John E. Ferguson and against Minnie M. Clarkson, C. R. Mahan and J. M. Brown, No. 402 on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 10th day of January A. D. 1912, at 9 o'clock a. m. levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land situated in the County of Deaf Smith, State of Texas, as the property of the said Minnie M. Clarkson, to-wit:

Being the N. E. 1-4 of the following described 640 acre tract of land, to-wit: About 310 acres out of Capitol League No. 426 and 330 acres out of Capitol League No. 425, Original Grantee for both Leagues being Abner Taylor, which said 640 acre tract is described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a pine stake and three pits, C. F. Renfro's Northwest corner; Thence West, at 580 varas pass an iron pipe, J. S. Richard's southeast corner, at 1900 varas for Northwest corner; Thence South 1900 varas to pine stake and three pits for corner; Thence East at 979 varas cross the east line of said League No. 426 at 1900 varas a pine stake and three pits for C. F. Renfro's Southwest corner; Thence North 1900 varas to place of beginning containing 640 acres, situated about 16 miles West of Hereford, Texas, and on the 6th day of February, A. D. 1912, same being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the Court House door of Deaf Smith County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash all of the right, title and interest of the said Minnie M. Clarkson in and to said property.

Given under my hand at Hereford, Texas, this the 10th day of January, A. D. 1912.

R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas.

WANT ADS

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

FOR TRADE—Will trade shot gun or buggy and harness for good saddle. A. H. Elliston. 1tp

WANTED—To rent a typewriter. Inquire at this office. 1tp

FIRE INSURANCE is so cheap now that it is in the reach of everyone. Better let me insure your home. R. E. Cook. 10tf

WANTED—Your shoe repairing at Norton-Powelson Saddle Co. 35tf

FOR SALE—1 dozen Rhode Island red hens for sale at \$1.00 each and one young cockerel at \$1.50. Mrs. Geo. A. Stambaugh. 50-2t

FOR SALE—High grade Jersey milk cows, fresh. Also one thorbred 4-year old Jersey bull. R. T. Edwards, 10 miles southeast. 50-2tp

FOR SALE—Registered Hereford bull, 5 years old. Hays Brds. 50-2t

FOR RENT—Buck pasture, plenty of water and grass. Address Grant Van Horn, Adrian, Texas. 48-4tp

FOR SALE—Lots 2 and 3, Block 1, Whitehead addition to Hereford. Price \$225.00, \$150.00 cash, balance one year, six per cent interest. James A. King, Blinkley Hotel, Sherman, Texas. 48tf

FOR SALE, RENT OR TRADE—640 acres 14 miles S. W. of Dimmitt, Castro Co., Texas, 250 acres broke, fenced, 4 room house. See F. Lambert, Hereford, or write owner Jas. Vanatta, Kiowa, Kans. 49-5tp

FOR RENT—The S. J. Williams place for rent, together with 80 acres of land, for one third and one fourth of the crop for the year 1912. J. A. Fox, Newlin, Tex. 1t

PLOW—Success Single bottom Plow for sale or will trade for lister. Plow practically new, both rod and mould-board. F. J. Axe, Hereford, Texas. 49-3tp

WANTED—Gentle pony or horse to ride or drive, also buggy and saddle. See W. M. Cassens at Tabler place, West Hereford. 1t

FOR RENT—Buck pasture on Rutherford Ranch. Address C. Mountz, Hereford, Tex. 51-5tp

FOR RENT, SALE OR TRADE—120 acre farm close in, well located, shallow water, but no house. Will also rent to reliable hustler my land office, equipped for business. List with him my own lands and rental property, land list, good will, etc. Pluck this rose while its in bloom. See, phone or write A. H. Elliston. 1t

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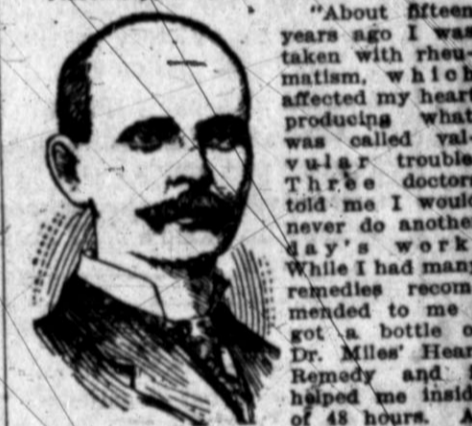
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The regular meeting of the Fruit and Truck Growers Association is held on first Saturday afternoon of each month at 2:30 o'clock. All invited. 30tf

A Prominent New York Politician Near Death

Hon. R. N. Lansing, of Rensselaer, N. Y., Six Times a Member of the Assembly, Tells of Narrow Escape.



"About fifteen years ago I was taken with rheumatism, which affected my heart producing what was called valvular trouble. Three doctors told me I would never do another day's work. While I had many remedies recommended to me I got a bottle of Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy and it helped me inside of 48 hours. At the end of the week I called on my doctor and asked him to examine me. He said I was better than he ever expected to see me and asked if I was taking his medicine. When I told him I was not, but was taking Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy, he said, 'Thank the Lord for Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy.' I continued to take it, and while I realized my heart was damaged so I could not expect a permanent cure, for fifteen years I worked every day, notwithstanding I had been told I would never work again. In July, 1911, I was taken with rheumatism again, and it went to my heart as before. I got so bad that one of the Albany papers wrote up my life and said I could not live but a few hours. I again took Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy with very satisfactory results, and have not missed a day at business or in the legislature since January. I feel that Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy has saved my life and cannot recommend it too highly."

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Forget your little feelings. Trade where your money buys the most. I need the MONEY and YOU need the GROCERIES. Why not pay cash and save a big per cent on your purchases? Below you will find prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries which you cannot duplicate in the west.

Canned Goods

We have a full car of canned goods on the road and in order to make room we will make the following prices:

3 cans Best California Peaches	50c
3 cans Best California Pears	55c
3 cans Best California Apricots	50c
3 cans Best California Grapes	50c
10 pound can California Peaches	50c
10 pound can Arkansas Apples	35c
10 pound can Arkansas Blackberries	45c
3 pound can Hominy, per can 10c, per dozen	\$1.10
3 pound can Kraut, per can 10c, per dozen	1.10
3 pound can Pumpkin, per can 10c, per dozen	1.10
2 pound can Victory Blackberries, per dozen	1.10
2 pound can Victory Early June Peas, per can	10c
2 pound Monarch Asparagus Tips, per can	20c
3 cans Van Camp's Soup, assorted	25c
3 cans Van Camp's No. 1 Pork & Beans	25c

Cereals

2 packages Post Toasties for	25c
2 packages Cream of Wheat for	25c
2 packages Wheat Hearts for	25c
5 pounds Oat Meal for	20c
5 pounds Quaker Corn Flakes for	30c
5 pounds Grape Sugar Flakes for	25c

Lards

10 pounds Pure Lard for	\$1.30
10 pounds Cottolene for	1.35
4 pounds Cottolene for	.50
10 pounds Jewel Compound for	.90
10 pounds Crusto for	1.25
5 pounds Crusto for	.45

Garden Seed to go at Cost

Now is the time to buy. We have a broken lot which we are going to sell at Actual Cost.

Ten 5c packages to go during this sale for	25c
Yellow Globe Onion Seed, per pound	75c

Granite and China Ware

25c Stew Pans go for	15c
15c Stew Pans go for	10c
10c Stew Pans go for	5c

We have quite a pile of assorted Chinaware, we are closing out at your own price.

Salmons and Sardines

Best Red Salmon	20c or 2 for 35c
Best Pink Salmon	15c or 2 for 25c
Best French Sardines	15c or 2 for 25c
Best Oil Sardines	7 for 25c

8 Boxes of Matches for 25c

Washing Compound and Soaps

7 Bars Clairette Soap for	25c
6 Bars Sunny Monday Soap for	25c
Best Toilet Soap per bar	5c
1 large package Gold Dust for	20c
6 small packages Gold Dust for	25c
7 Borax Washing Compound for	25c
7 packages Rub-No-More for	25c

Oil and Gasoline

5 gallons Best Oil for	50c
5 gallons Best Gasoline for	70c

Milk

4 cans 10c Domestic Milk for	25c
4 cans 10c Borden's Milk for	30c
1 dozen 5c cans V. C. Milk for	45c

Brooms

A Good Broom for	20c
Toy Brooms for	5c

Deserts

Gelatine	10c
Jello	10c
Lepton Jelly Tablets	5c
Cake Iceing	5c

TELEPHONE NUMBER FIFTY

Flour! Flour!

100 lbs. Monarch Flour	\$2.65
100 lbs. American Lady Flour	2.85
17 1/2 lbs. Corn Meal for only	.45

Coffee and Tea

4 pounds of Good Coffee for	\$1.00
\$1.00 Bucket Coffee for	.90
1 pound Best Tea, any kind	.50
1 pound of Baker's Cocoa for only	.40

POTATOES, per hundred pound, only \$2.50

Syrups

Rock Candy Compound, per gallon	55c
Bear Brand Sorghum, per gallon	50c
King Kamas, per gallon	65c

Baking Powder

3 cans 10c K C Baking Powder, for	25c
3 cans 25c K C Baking Powder, for	50c
2 cans 15c K C Baking Powder, for	25c
1 can 80c K C Baking Powder, for	50c
1 can 80c Calumet Baking Powder	75c

Extracts

25c Vanilla for	15c
25c Lemon for	10c
10c Vanilla for	5c
10c Lemon for	5c

Pickles

\$1.00 Bottle Wapco Pickles for	75c
75c Bottle Kuners Pickles for	40c
25c Bottle Kuners Pickles for	20c

We have a full line of Pickle Relish and Prepared Mustard, and everything goes like the above.

Remember this sale is for the CASH. The prices are the lowest ever offered you. Study the list carefully and let us supply your groceries. A like opportunity may never come your way again. : : : :

Every article in the Sale is guaranteed in every respect, if not satisfactory you can return the goods and we will refund your money. Yours to save you money,

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