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BIG RAIN FOR TWENTY FIVE CENTS

Buying Rain by the Acre Best and Latest Method—Farmers Hold the Key.

In all departments of human endeavor, thinking men have solved many problems of nature's mystery. They have gone into the depths of the earth, they have harnessed the air of the heavens and the waves of the sea, they have battled the lightning of the clouds and pictured the light of the sun. No field of science has not been turned, no stream of thought has not been seized, no department of life has not been catalogued.

The last, yet most sustaining power of the human race, to be studied and investigated has been that of farming—the tillage of the soil. At one time it was thought that any one could farm, and only the slow and tardy were permitted to remain on the farms, the boys of brighter minds being pushed into the so-called professions. As a result, farming deteriorated. But, within the last ten years, men of mind have devoted their best efforts to soil study and plant culture. In semi-arid and rainless districts private and government enterprise have developed millions of otherwise barren acres into veritable gardens. The question of irrigation, taken along with proper soil culture, has lifted the desert up to the clouds and snatched from its hidden bosom the life giving streams of providence.

Experience has shown that all countries are subject to periodical drouths—or rather subject to changes of minimum and maximum rainfall. In those years when the rain gods are tardy or when, perchance, they are off on their summer vacation, men of science have snatched the scepter from the sleepy grasp of Junius Pluvius, the chief rain god, and have hurled it at the head of Jupiter, the thunderbolt god, breaking up the drouth of revelry and opening the springs of summer showers.

At Hereford the farmers are making contracts for the purchase of rain at a stipulated price per shower for each acre under cultivation. They hold the key which unlocks the chambers of watervale in which are stored the showers for thousands of acres of fertile fields. As with a magic wand, the farmer opens the sesame of his fortunes, turning on at will the needful showers for his thirsty fields. He waits not for the wind nor the clouds, he observes no signs, he studies no weather maps, he counts no days, and consults no prophets—he sees no moons nor listens for the croaking frogs; he places his faith in the power of gasoline to save his crops from the devouring drouth god, whose hot breath scorches his green fields and makes desert the fertile valleys.

The contract price for a good shower, 3 inches spread over his entire field, will not exceed, under proper conditions, 25 cents per acre, and who would not pay this price for such a good rain? Under irrigation, the farmer is master of the situation. In the morning he follows a flowing stream of crystal through his field and returns in the evening with a song in his mouth, feeling that a day's labor has not been spent in vain. He beats no tom-toms nor

fires no salutes to break lose the rain clouds from their moorings in the sky. The clouds are of little use to him except to brighten the blue of the sky-scape or mellow the green of the land-scape. Yes, they are all doing it at Hereford and not many days hence the broad, fertile plains will be waiving in green fields. Come to Hereford and irrigate. Wait not on tardy cloud rents. Throw out the life line of water. And save your fields for twenty-five cents.

Miss Purser Reads.

Seldom have we seen the Baptist church so crowded as it was last Sunday evening when Elizabeth Purser rendered "The Lost Word," a cutting from the book of that title by Henry Van Dyke. Great expectations are seldom realized, but in this case the packed house was more than pleased and crowded around Miss Purser at the close to express their pleasure and thanks.

Miss Purser's charm as a reader is her naturalness. Her graceful figure, pleasant, musical voice and expressive face are all brought under full tribute in reproducing the thought and feeling of the author. Miss Purser will always be greeted with a full house when she reads in Hereford.

Oceans of Water Guaranteed.

D. L. McDonald & Co., fathers of Hereford irrigation, are having the south side of the Britain building adorned with these words: "Oceans of Water Guaranteed, Pumping Plants Installed, D. L. McDonald & Co." This sign will be visible to the occupants of the passenger trains thru Hereford and will be a boost for the town as well as for the company.

Baptists Notice.

Rev. Purser asks The Brand to announce that his Sunday morning subject will be, "Your Sin; Come if You Want to Hear About It." There will be no services Sunday night on account of the protracted meeting at the Christian church.

H. Hudson and F. Leming both of Ohio, who have been here making an investigation of the soil and water, left Tuesday for their home. They were well pleased with the water and soil and especially the crops of alfalfa, wheat and oats under irrigation.

From Maj. Caraway.

Wellington, Tex., July 2, 1912.
Editor Brand:

While the organic body and rational soul are united we can have a grand time here on earth, cultivating our love of country and strengthening our loyalty to the best and freest organized government under the sun. Recently the Republican party named Taft as its favorite to lead the party to success or defeat, and no man living has the means of knowing which. Today the Democratic party at Baltimore nominated Wilson to champion its principles, and policies and time alone will reveal the strength of the respective political parties. As to my part I have no fear as to the result in the Electoral College where the supreme will of the American people will be made known to all nations. I am sorry that "Teddy" cannot be consoled and glad that the Baltimore convention was so harmonious in its deliberations for the best interest of the government demands two healthy political parties. Our government as it was passed down to us by our revolutionary Fathers is good enough for me, giving us all the political and religious liberty we deserve while sojourning here on earth. All we demand is the elevation of good, honest, patriotic and loyal men to places of trust to administer the affairs of state without any radical changes in our system of government. I think we have enough patriotism in the nation to perpetuate the government with all its institutions and blessings to mankind. The Lord being willing, I will soon make tracks in the sand of Hereford where I can meet and greet some old time and newly made friends and exchange ideas for the mutual pleasure of all. Permit me to state that the prospect for fine crops from Ft. Worth to this point was never better, the people are hopeful that the good rains will continue and fill the country full of support for man and beast. It is needless for me to tell your intelligent readers that this is a fine country, for the most of them know it. You will please allow me to declare without partiality that no man who is contending for Senator Bailey's place in the United States senate will be able to fill it to the entire satisfaction of Texas. We have but one Bailey. He is a national

democrat, and is the peer of any man in the senate as a profound constitutional lawyer and statesman of the highest order, and is representing the sovereignty of our commonwealth with marked ability. His retirement from his lofty position is akin to a national calamity and is a lamentable fact. I am politically disconsolate in our senatorial race and cannot tell much interest in the contest. From all signs and indications Mr. Randell is in a hot box having his political anatomy fired into from all sides while the fight is going on between Wolters, an avowed anti, and Shepperd, a full blood prohi. It now looks like Randell will share the same fate of Bell and Davidson in the past. Success to the Brand family. Will be up soon. Outlook fine for crops generally.

Very Respectfully,
L. J. CARAWAY.

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the Methodist church July 3, 4 p. m. Quite an interesting program was rendered. The ladies voted a standing vote of thanks to those who so kindly assisted in making the cream supper of recent date a success. The society will meet with Mrs. Price July 17, 4 p. m., in a social meeting. "The Days of June" will be read by Mesdames Kelly and Harrison during the hour. All ladies are invited to be present and bring their "fancy" work.

Press Supt.

Notice.

There will be an annual meeting of the members of the Hereford Benefit Association of Hereford, Texas, held under date of July 20, 1912, for the purpose of electing officers and directors for the ensuing year.

J. H. HEAD, President.
23-2t D. F. ASHBROOK, Secretary.

In mentioning the new suite of rooms which E. F. Connell had fitted up in the Miller-Walker building we made a mistake in the number of the rooms, and take this method of correcting same. The rooms are numbers 8 and 10 and are located at the head of the stairs and just to the right.

We endeavor to keep every thing fresh and absolutely clean at the City Meat Market. Phone 21. 23-2t
Buy lumber at Kemp's and save money. 22-2t

CIVIC LEAGUE TO-MORROW

Every Citizen Interested in the Campaign for a Clean City is Expected at the Court House at 5 o'clock.

At the meeting of the Civic League at the court house last Saturday many of the more important arrangements of the work to make Hereford a winner in Holland's clean city contest were perfected, and much enthusiasm was in evidence.

It was decided by the League and the decision carried out, to divide the city into districts, and a permanent chairman was appointed for each district. The purpose being to create friendly rivalry between the various districts in the all important work of cleaning up.

A meeting has been called for tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock at the court house, and every person interested in the clean-up crusade is urged to be present. The ladies of Hereford are doing much earnest and faithful work, and each and every Hereford citizen should give them all the support possible.

Remember, tomorrow, (Saturday) afternoon at 5 o'clock at the court house.

Canyon Man Has Narrow Escape.

M. P. Garner, son-in-law of our townsman, Theodore Cochell, and county clerk of Randall county, narrowly escaped death on the 4th. The Randall County News gives this account of the accident:

M. P. Garner, county clerk, very narrowly escaped death on the Fourth by having his gun accidentally discharged, the load of which cut his necktie in two and bored a clean hole through the right lapel of his coat, missing his head not over three inches. Mr. Garner was in the phaeton with his son, Welton, and brother-in-law, Clell Cochell, of Hereford. They were on their way to hunt and saw an owl sitting on a fence post. They had almost driven past when Mr. Garner decided to stop and take a shot at the bird. He turned in the seat and threw one leg over the side of the seat and in so doing unconsciously kicked the loaded gun with the other causing it fall over the side of the phaeton. The hammer struck hard as it fell and the gun was fired leaning against Mr. Garner's breast and only a few inches below his head. The shot did not have time to scatter, but cut his necktie in two and cut a hole through the right lapel of his coat. The powder burned his breast considerably, but otherwise Mr. Garner escaped uninjured. It is the greatest of wonders that Mr. Garner escaped death.

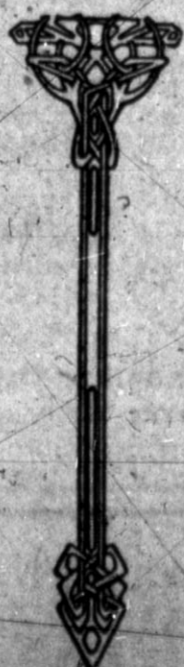
Several years ago Mr. Garner lost his leg through a gun accident. He was hunting with a friend and this friend accidentally fired his gun just behind Mr. Garner, tearing off the limb. Mr. Garner says he has hunted all his life, but last week was the only time he ever remembers of letting a gun go off accidentally.

Cut down the cost of living by using a Gurney Patent Refrigerator. They keep your provisions from spoiling. For sale by E. B. Black Co. 15t

Get a Deaf Smith County Map. Up-to-date, only \$1.50. H. G. Hays, Co. Surveyor, Hereford. 21t

I Buy At Home WHY?

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- BECAUSE my interests are here.
- BECAUSE the community that is good enough for me to live in is good enough for me to buy in.
- BECAUSE I believe in transacting business with my friends.
- BECAUSE I want to see the goods.
- BECAUSE I want to get what I buy when I pay for it.
- BECAUSE every dollar I spend at home stays at home and works for the welfare of this town.
- BECAUSE the man I buy from stands back of the goods.
- BECAUSE I sell what I produce here at home.
- BECAUSE the man I buy from pays his part of the town, county and state taxes.
- BECAUSE the man I buy from gives value received always.
- BECAUSE the man I buy from helps support my school, my church, my lodge, my home.
- BECAUSE when ill-luck, misfortune or bereavement comes, the man I buy from is here with his kindly greeting, his words of cheer, and his pocketbook, if need be. Here I live and here I buy.

I BUY AT HOME, DO YOU?

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Notice.

The Peerless Soft Wheat Flour, \$2.60 per cwt. at the Elevator.

We can save you money on your feed bill.

We have a full line on hand.

We have mixed feed for chickens.

We will pay cash for all the wheat you can sell us.

We do our own grading at the Elevator.

We will pay cash for all your oats, sacked or bulk.

We pay you the cash when you deliver your grain.

We are here the year thru, wet or dry.

We can handle a train or a wagon load of grain.

We want you to give us a trial.

We have a phone, business No. 265.

We have a phone, residence No. 287.

We do not buy or sell only when we see a profit.

We are here trying to make some money and serve the people.

23-2t Star Mill & Elevator.

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

The Democratic Pledge.

It appears that the State Democratic Executive Committee has refused to require the "Pledge" to be printed on all the ballots, but has referred the matter to each county committee. If the county committees follow the law all the primary tickets will have the pledge printed thereon. Section 114 of the Election Laws reads: "No official ballot for primary election shall have on it any symbol or device or any printed matter except a primary test, to be uniform throughout the State, which shall read as follows:

"I am a Democrat and pledge to support the nominees of this primary," and any ballot which does not contain such test printed above the names of the candidates thereon shall be void and shall not be counted." Then if a county should not print such pledge on the "Official Ballot," the primary election held in that county would be null and void and the votes should not be counted. In the case of a contest, the votes of a county, not having such a pledge, would be thrown out. If we are to follow the law, let us abide the letter and spirit.

This Is So.

We wish to state in as plain and vigorous way as words can express it that Hunt's Cure will positively, quickly and permanently cure any form of Itching Skin disease known. One box is guaranteed to cure. One application affords relief. 23-3t

Disciples To Hold Meeting.

The Disciples (First Christian church) will begin a protracted meeting next Sunday. The first service will be held at 11 o'clock. Rev. Arthur W. Jones, State Evangelist for the Panhandle District, will assist Pastor S. T. Shore and will do the preaching. Prof. Logan Martin of Fort Worth will conduct the song service. Choir practice has been held this week and will again be held tonight (Friday). The people of the town are invited to attend and participate in the same.

CUT PRICE FOR ONE WEEK!

JULY 13TH TO JULY 20TH

For ONE WEEK we are giving our customers the benefit of very low prices on a number of articles. We will be glad to show you.

Ginghams

We have a nice assorted stock, and will make some very low prices on these goods for one week.

35c Shamberg and Silk Ginghams at	25c
25c " " " "	19c
15c Fancy Plaids and Stripes	12c
12 1/2c Checks and Fancy Ginghams	10c
10c Check Ginghams	8c
8c Check Ginghams	7 1/2c

Embroideries

Our Embroidery stock is in good shape, but in order to give our customers some real bargains, they go for one week at 1/2 Off.

\$1.00 Flounce or All-Over for	75c
50c Wide Edges or Bandings for	37 1/2c
35c Wide Edges or Bandings for	26 1/2c
25c Edges or Bandings for	18 1/2c
20c Edges or Bandings for	15c
10c Edges or Bandings for	7 1/2c

Lace Hose

In Ladies' and Children's go at a Big Reduction.

Ladies' Unions

Summer Weight. 65c and 75c kind 48c

Men's Shirts

Men's Negligee Shirts at 20 per cent Off for one week.

Men's Suits

Choice of lot at HALF-PRICE.

A \$25.00 Suit, for only	\$12.50
A \$20.00 Suit, for only	\$10.00
A \$15.00 Suit, for only	\$7.50

Pat. Leather Shoes and Slippers

In men's or youths' for one week.

\$5.00 value in men's, for only	\$3.45
4.00 value in men's, for only	2.95
3.50 value in men's, for only	2.75
3.00 value in youth's for only	2.35
2.50 value in youth's for only	1.90
All other men's or youths' oxfords	1/2 Off

GEO. A. STAMBAUGH

THE CASH STORE HEREFORD, TEXAS

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

L. R. Cox

Real Estate and Pumping Machinery

Associated with the G. E. Green Machinery Company, Plainview, Texas.

I handle the Shallow Water Lands. Estimates furnished on complete installation of Pumping Plants. Machinery handled in car lots convenient to repairs. Results guaranteed.

Hurley, Texas

FOR TRADE

Persons having land to Trade for good paying Oklahoma or Texas Real Estate can get values by writing at once to

J. B. ELLISTON Hereford, Texas



PENSLAR REMEDIES

are not sold with the intention that they will to the slightest extent take the place of the services of the family physician who should always be consulted at once in case of serious illness.



A little Booklet entitled "TOILET ART"

a treatise on the proper care of the Skin, Teeth, Hair, Etc., will be presented to every lady calling at our store and requesting same. It is beautifully printed and full of valuable information.



121 Household Remedies



25 Toilet Preparations

It is well understood that there are many ailments and diseases which for a variety of reasons do not come under the observation and care of the family physician. In the slight ailments and injuries which are of every day occurrence, household remedies are universally employed. It is because of this fact that the Penslar remedies have been prepared and are offered to the public. They consist of a series of well made, scientific preparations, each one designed for a particular purpose, and each one the best combination of remedies that can be secured for the treatment of that particular condition. The ingredients made use of are the ones which experience has shown to be effective, and the proportion in which they are combined has been made the subject of much careful study in each case.

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There is nothing secret about the composition of the PENSLAR REMEDIES. Their active constituents are standard remedies of the Pharmacopoeia and in every case the ingredients are plainly stated. They are compounded by pharmacists who have made a study of the art of combining remedies, and no pains have been spared to render them pleasant and palatable, so far as this result can be secured without the sacrifice of efficiency.

Furthermore the PENSLAR REMEDIES are guaranteed by the manufacturers to conform to the requirements of the Pure Food and Drugs Act, the label in each case bearing the guarantee in accordance with the provisions of that Act.

We believe in the efficiency of the PENSLAR REMEDIES, and have no hesitation in recommending them unreservedly, believing that they will meet the indications of the various conditions for which they are offered.

The Penslar Toilet Preparations are among the most excellent in the world and we extend an invitation to every lady and gentleman in the city to call and let us show you the line.

E. T. WOODBURN & SON

MAIL ORDERS GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION

\$6.50
EDWIN
CLAPP
OXFORDS
\$4.95

WHAM! BANG! WHIM! WHIZ!

On Goes Our Big UNLOADING Sale!

\$6.00
Stetson
Hats
\$5.25

The Sensation of the Season! Look Out! The Great Sale only lasts 15 Days, and the way it has started off, the goods wont last that long. You'll have to Hurry! Don't forget Everything goes--Nothing Reserved. Follow the Crowd. Get in the Game. : : : : :

One Big Lot of
Men's \$4.00
\$5.00 & \$6.00
Shoes and Ox-
fords. Choice
\$2.50

H. C. MYRICK

"Everything for Men and Boys"

HEREFORD,

TEXAS

One Big Lot of
Men's \$1.00
\$1.25 & \$1.50
Dress Shirts
Your Choice for
75c

Just Looking On.
One of the largest crowds to ever assemble at any place on the Plains of Texas to celebrate the Glorious Fourth came to Plainview on our natal day. Not counting the incidental attendance by people from out of the state and many other visitors, who were not there for the purpose of celebration, the big crowd was made up of Texas people from more than 30 counties; from Dallam county on the north to Andrews on the south, from Dickens on the east to the state line on the west. They came by horse back, in buggies, in camp wagons and by train, but perhaps the largest number came over the Plains by auto. These chug wagons literally filled the streets of the little city. There was one visitor who had come all the way from Utah in a small four-wheel spring wagon drawn by a very small donkey. On the front sheet bow of the wagon the owner and driver had fixed an exceptionally large pair of deer horns. On the side of the sheet was this legend—"To Utah and Re-

turn 1000 Miles."
While the street carnival and feature attractions continued from the 2nd to the 6th of July, the really big day, the day of the big crowd, was on the 4th. The townspeople turned out en masse and joined in every kind of entertainment and amusement. In the early morning of that day the people filled the square and main streets, so that when the pageant parade was started, it required the combined efforts of several mounted officers to make a way for the long line of decorated floats, buggies and autos to pass. The merchants and other business men of Plainview evidenced great enterprise in their various "get-ups" and features in the parade. One firm had a large ship which glided along the streets as if on actual water, another float represented a barber shop and one man was seen to be giving a shampoo to a customer, others had floats equally as attractive.
At the close of the parade the fire boys gave an exhibition by "making a run" to a supposed fire, after which

they engaged in a water fight, much to the amusement of the spectators.
In the afternoon, near the city, the races were well attended. Horse racing, pony racing and auto speeding were the main features. During all the day and far into the night the Carnival Company, which occupied with their tents a whole block, held large crowds. The high diver, the bicycle leap, the water duck, the ferris wheel, negro minstrel, fat woman, big snake show, and all other usual features were there. Not to mention the organ merry-go-round, which was patronized by all sizes and ages, would be derelict of the writer's duty. A harvest of rubber whistles and balloons, whips and red caps was made, while the games of luck were all there, from the red spot disk to the bung-hole throw.
That the Plainview folks know how to entertain a typical Plains-of-Texas crowd goes without dispute. Every citizen had a glad word and welcome for you. Strangers were found no where, except by him who would be a stranger. Even the candidates, almost as numerous as the proverbial black bird on the wheat stacks, were treated with utmost care and consideration.
This "Just Looking On" would not be complete without the mention of the splendidly good spirit that prevailed throughout the day and week. There was no rough and rowdy play, no coarseness nor unseemly conduct, no drunkenness or brawling. Good will and favor possessed the big crowd and only relaxation and recreation was sought. The other towns of the Plains would do well to emulate the success of Plainview in the celebration of the 4th.
A. C. ELLIOTT.

SALIVATED BY
DANGEROUS CALOMEL
If You Ever Saw a Man Salivated
You Don't Want Any More
Calomel Yourself

There's no real reason why a person should take Calomel anyway, when fifty cents will buy a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant tasting vegetable liquid which will start the liver just as surely as calomel, and which has

absolutely no bad after-effects. Children and grown people can take Dodson's Liver tone without any restriction of habit or diet. Betts & Clark's drug store sells it and guarantees it to take the place of calomel and will refund your money if it fails in your case.
C. Palmer of San Antonio, who used to buy wool here some twelve years ago, was here on that mission again the first of the week, but finding that most of the Hereford wool had already been disposed of, went on up into Colorado.

W. L. Palmer having purchased Mr. Cope's interest in the firm of Copes & Palmer Sheet Metal and Plumbing Co., the firm will now be known as Palmer & Palmer Sheet Metal and Plumbing Co., and are open to do all kinds of first-class plumbing and sheet metal work.

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 249.
A. L. SHERK HEREFORD, TEXAS

Precinct Conventions To Be Held.
The Democratic Executive Committee for Deaf Smith county has issued a call for all precincts to hold a convention on Saturday, July 27, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time each precinct shall elect delegates to the county convention to be held on the following Saturday, same being August 3, and there to elect delegates to the various district conventions and the state convention. The State Convention will meet at San Antonio, Tuesday, August 13. All district conventions will be held on the fourth Saturday in August.

Are You Nervous?
What makes you nervous? It is the weakness of your womanly constitution, which cannot stand the strain of the hard work you do. As a result, you break down, and ruin your entire nervous system. Don't keep this up! Take Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is made from purely vegetable ingredients. It acts gently on the womanly organs, and helps them to do their proper work. It relieves pain and restores health, in a natural manner, by going to the source of the trouble and building up the bodily strength.
TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic
Mrs. Grace Fortner, of Man, W. Va., took Cardui. This is what she says about it: "I was so weak and nervous, I could not bear to have anyone near me. I had fainting spells, and I lost flesh every day. The first dose of Cardui helped me. Now, I am entirely cured of the fainting spells, and I cannot say enough for Cardui, for I know it saved my life." It is the best tonic for women.
Do you suffer from any of the pains peculiar to women? Take Cardui. It will help you. Ask your druggist.
Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 190

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We pay you the cash when you deliver your grain.

We are here the year thru, wet or dry.

We can handle a train or a wagon load of grain.

We want you to give us a trial.

We have a phone, business No. 265.

We have a phone, residence No. 287.

We do not buy or sell only when we see a profit.

We are here trying to make some money and serve the people.

23-2t Star Mill & Elevator.

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

The Democratic Pledge.

It appears that the State Democratic Executive Committee has refused to require the "Pledge" to be printed on all the ballots, but has referred the matter to each county committee. If the county committees follow the law all the primary tickets will have the pledge printed thereon. Section 114 of the Election Laws reads: "No official ballot for primary election shall have on it any symbol or device or any printed matter, except a primary test, to be uniform throughout the State, which shall read as follows:

'I am a Democrat and pledge to support the nominees of this primary,' and any ballot which does not contain such test printed above the names of the candidates thereon shall be void and shall not be counted." Then if a county should not print such pledge on the "Official Ballot," the primary election held in that county would be null and void and the votes should not be counted. In the case of a contest, the votes of a county, not having such a pledge, would be thrown out. If we are to follow the law, let us abide the letter and spirit.

This Is So.

We wish to state in as plain and vigorous way as words can express it that Hunt's Cure will positively, quickly and permanently cure any form of Itching Skin disease known. One box is guaranteed to cure. One application affords relief. 23-3t

Disciples To Hold Meeting.

The Disciples (First Christian church) will begin a protracted meeting next Sunday. The first service will be held at 11 o'clock. Rev. Arthur W. Jones, State Evangelist for the Panhandle District, will assist Pastor S. T. Shore and will do the preaching. Prof. Logan Martin of Fort Worth will conduct the song service. Choir practice has been held this week and will again be held tonight (Friday). The people of the town are invited to attend and participate in the meeting.

CUT PRICE FOR ONE WEEK!

JULY 13TH TO JULY 20TH

For ONE WEEK we are giving our customers the benefit of very low prices on a number of articles. We will be glad to show you.

Ginghams

We have a nice assorted stock, and will make some very low prices on these goods for one week.

35c Shamberg and Silk Ginghams at	25c
25c " " " " " " " "	19c
15c Fancy Plaids and Stripes	12c
12 1/2c Checks and Fancy Ginghams	10c
10c Check Ginghams	8c
8c Check Ginghams	7 1/2c

Embroideries

Our Embroidery stock is in good shape, but in order to give our customers some real bargains, they go for one week at 1/4 Off.

\$1.00 Flounce or All-Over for	75c
50c Wide Edges or Bandings for	37c
35c Wide Edges or Bandings for	26c
25c Edges or Bandings for	18c
20c Edges or Bandings for	15c
10c Edges or Bandings for	7 1/2c

Lace Hose

In Ladies' and Children's go at a Big Reduction.

Ladies' Unions

Summer Weight. 65c and 75c kind 48c

Men's Shirts

Men's Negligee Shirts at 20 per cent Off for one week.

Men's Suits

Choice of lot at HALF-PRICE.

A \$25.00 Suit, for only	\$12.50
A \$20.00 Suit, for only	\$10.00
A \$15.00 Suit, for only	\$7.50

Pat. Leather Shoes and Slippers

In men's or youths' for one week.

\$5.00 value in men's, for only	\$3.45
4.00 value in men's, for only	2.95
3.50 value in men's, for only	2.75
3.00 value in youth's for only	2.35
2.50 value in youth's for only	1.90
All other men's or youths' oxfords	1/4 Off

GEO. A. STAMBAUGH

THE CASH STORE

HEREFORD, TEXAS

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

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Real Estate and Pumping Machinery

Associated with the G. E. Green Machinery Company, Plainview, Texas.

I handle the Shallow Water Lands. Estimates furnished on complete installation of Pumping Plants. Machinery handled in car lots convenient to repairs. Results guaranteed.

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Hereford, Texas



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are not sold with the intention that they will to the slightest extent take the place of the services of the family physician who should always be consulted at once in case of serious illness.



A little Booklet entitled "TOILET ART"

a treatise on the proper care of the Skin, Teeth, Hair, Etc., will be presented to every lady calling at our store and requesting same. It is beautifully printed and full of valuable information.



121 Household Remedies



25 Toilet Preparations

It is well understood that there are many ailments and diseases which for a variety of reasons do not come under the observation and care of the family physician. In the slight ailments and injuries which are of every day occurrence, household remedies are universally employed. It is because of this fact that the Penlar remedies have been prepared and are offered to the public. They consist of a series of well made, scientific preparations, each one designed for a particular purpose, and each one the best combination of remedies that can be secured for the treatment of that particular condition. The ingredients made use of are the ones which experience has shown to be effective, and the proportion in which they are combined has been made the subject of much careful study in each case.

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sulted at once in case of serious illness.

There is nothing secret about the composition of the PENSLAR REMEDIES. Their active constituents are standard remedies of the Pharmacopoeia and in every case the ingredients are plainly stated. They are compounded by pharmacists who have made a study of the art of combining remedies, and no pains have been spared to render them pleasant and palatable, so far as this result can be secured without the sacrifice of efficiency.

Furthermore the PENLAR REMEDIES are guaranteed by the manufacturers to conform to the requirements of the Pure Food and Drugs Act, the label in each case bearing the guarantee in accordance with the provisions of that Act.

We believe in the efficiency of the PENSLAR REMEDIES, and have no hesitation in recommending them unreservedly, believing that they will meet the indications of the various conditions for which they are offered.

The Penlar Toilet Preparations are among the most excellent in the world and we extend an invitation to every lady and gentleman in the city to call and let us show you the line.

E. T. WOODBURN & SON

MAIL ORDERS GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION

\$6.50
EDWIN
CLAPP
OXFORDS
\$4.95

WHAM! BANG! WHIM! WHIZ!

\$6.00
Stetson
Hats
\$5.25

On Goes Our Big UNLOADING Sale!

The Sensation of the Season! Look Out! The Great Sale only lasts 15 Days, and the way it has started off, the goods wont last that long. You'll have to Hurry! Don't forget Everything goes—Nothing Reserved. Follow the Crowd. Get in the Game. : : : : :

One Big Lot of
Men's \$4.00
\$5.00 & \$6.00
Shoes and Ox-
fords. Choice
\$2.50

H. C. MYRICK

"Everything for Men and Boys"

HEREFORD,

TEXAS

One Big Lot of
Men's \$1.00
\$1.25 & \$1.50
Dress Shirts
Your Choice for
75c

Just Looking On.

One of the largest crowds to ever assemble at any place on the Plains of Texas to celebrate the Glorious Fourth came to Plainview on our natal day. Not counting the incidental attendance by people from out of the state and many other visitors, who were not there for the purpose of celebration, the big crowd was made up of Texas people from more than 30 counties; from Dallam county on the north to Andrews on the south, from Dickens on the east to the state line on the west. They came by horse back, in buggies, in camp wagons and by train, but perhaps the largest number came over the Plains by auto. These chug wagons literally filled the streets of the little city. There was one visitor who had come all the way from Utah in a small four-wheel spring wagon drawn by a very small donkey. On the front sheet bow of the wagon the owner and driver had fixed an exceptionally large pair of deer horns. On the side of the sheet was this legend—"To Utah and Re-

turn 1000 Miles."

While the street carnival and feature attractions continued from the 2nd to the 6th of July, the really big day, the day of the big crowd, was on the 4th. The townspeople turned out en masse and joined in every kind of entertainment and amusement. In the early morning of that day the people filled the square and main streets, so that when the pageant parade was started, it required the combined efforts of several mounted officers to make a way for the long line of decorated floats, buggies and autos to pass. The merchants and other business men of Plainview evidenced great enterprise in their various "get-ups" and features in the parade. One firm had a large ship which glided along the streets as if on actual water, another float represented a barber shop and one man was seen to be giving a shampoo to a customer, others had floats equally as attractive.

At the close of the parade the fire boys gave an exhibition by "making a run" to a supposed fire, after which

they engaged in a water fight, much to the amusement of the spectators.

In the afternoon, near the city, the races were well-attended. Horse racing, pony racing and auto speeding were the main features. During all the day and far into the night the Carnival Company, which occupied with their tents a whole block, held large crowds. The high diver, the bicycle leap, the water duck, the ferris wheel, negro minstrel, fat woman, big snake show, and all other usual features were there. Not to mention the organ merry-go-round, which was patronized by all sizes and ages, would be derelict of the writer's duty. A harvest of rubber whistles and balloons, whips and red caps was made, while the games of luck were all there, from the red spot disk to the bung-hole throw.

That the Plainview folks know how to entertain a typical Plains-of-Texas crowd goes without dispute. Every citizen had a glad word and welcome for you. Strangers were found no where, except by him who would be a stranger. Even the candidates, almost as numerous as the proverbial black bird on the wheat stacks, were treated with utmost care and consideration.

This "Just Looking On" would not be complete without the mention of the splendidly good spirit that prevailed throughout the day and week. There was no rough and rowdy play, no coarseness nor unseemly conduct, no drunkenness or brawling. Good will and favor possessed the big crowd and only relaxation and recreation was sought.

The other towns of the Plains would do well to emulate the success of Plainview in the celebration of the 4th.

A. C. ELLIOTT.

Precinct Conventions To Be Held.

The Democratic Executive Committee for Deaf-Smith county has issued a call for all precincts to hold a convention on Saturday, July 27, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time each precinct shall elect delegates to the county convention to be held on the following Saturday, same being August 3; and there to elect delegates to the various district conventions and the state convention. The State Convention will meet at San Antonio, Tuesday, August 13. All district conventions will be held on the fourth Saturday in August.

23-2t

SALIVATED BY DANGEROUS CALOMEL

If You Ever Saw a Man Salivated You Don't Want Any More Calomel Yourself

There's no real reason why a person should take Calomel anyway, when fifty cents will buy a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant tasting vegetable liquid which will start the liver just as surely as calomel, and which has

absolutely no bad after-effects.

Children and grown people can take Dodson's Liver tone without any restriction of habit or diet. Betts & Clark's drug store sells it and guarantees it to take the place of calomel and will refund your money if it fails in your case.

C. Palmer of San Antonio, who used to buy wool here some twelve years ago, was here on that mission again the first of the week, but finding that most of the Hereford wool had already been disposed of, went on up into Colorado.

Are You Nervous?

What makes you nervous? It is the weakness of your womanly constitution, which cannot stand the strain of the hard work you do. As a result, you break down, and ruin your entire nervous system. Don't keep this up! Take Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is made from purely vegetable ingredients. It acts gently on the womanly organs, and helps them to do their proper work. It relieves pain and restores health, in a natural manner, by going to the source of the trouble and building up the bodily strength.

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Grace Fortner, of Man, W. Va., took Cardui. This is what she says about it: "I was so weak and nervous, I could not bear to have anyone near me. I had fainting spells, and I lost flesh every day. The first dose of Cardui helped me. Now, I am entirely cured of the fainting spells, and I cannot say enough for Cardui, for I know it saved my life." It is the best tonic for women.

Do you suffer from any of the pains peculiar to women? Take Cardui. It will help you. Ask your druggist.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 150

W. L. Palmer having purchased Mr. Cope's interest in the firm of Copes & Palmer Sheet Metal and Plumbing Co., the firm will now be known as Palmer & Palmer Sheet Metal and Plumbing Co., and are open to do all kinds of first-class plumbing and sheet metal work.

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 249.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Deaf Smith County Offices:

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

For County Judge:

W. M. MEGERT
C. D. WRIGHT.

For County Clerk:

J. S. JONES.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

R. W. (Bob) BAIRD

For Tax Assessor:

C. F. (Phil) ARTHUR

For Treasurer:

ROSCOE DAVIDSON
MRS. DELPHIA COX

For County Attorney:

L. W. DAVIDSON.
W. ELMER DAMERON,

Castro County Offices:

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

GEO. T. LYNCH

Messrs. Ed. T. Massey and Dr. Duncan and families of Clovis, N. M., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cliett on the fourth to a picnic day on the Tierra Blanco. They report a most enjoyable visit and that the finny tribe was in a biting mood.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Shirley, who are spending a part of their summer vacation at Melissa, Texas, in writing to Hereford friends, state that it is roasting weather there and that they long for the comfortable days and cool nights of the plains.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists. 75¢
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

W. J. Chapman, a prominent farmer and ranchman of the northwest part of the county, was in Hereford Tuesday and paid this office a pleasant visit. Mr. Chapman is one farmer who keeps an accurate, itemized account of all his expenses, so at the end of the year, he knows just how the ledger stands. He believes and practices deep plowing in the fall and shallow cultivation in the summer. Besides the cultivation of a good sized farm, he grazes some 9 sections of land, raising a good breed of cattle.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Why Take Calomel?

When Simmons' Liver Purifier is so easy and pleasant yet acts just as thoroughly as those harsh purgatives. (In yellow tin boxes only.) Tried once used always. Price 25c.

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing housework all day, and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

Lester (Bugs) Wilkinson is the proud possessor of a new four horse power Indian motorcycle of the vintage of 1912. Lester says it is speeded up to 70 miles an hour whenever he feels the necessity of going that fast.

Dysentery is always serious and often a dangerous disease, but it can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured it even when malignant and epidemic. For sale by all dealers.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Johnson of Groom, Texas, made a few days' visit in the home of Mrs. W. H. Garrison. Mrs. Johnson is a sister of Mrs. Garrison.

Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Miss Thornton Lyle, who has been here for some six months on a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. G. Conkwright, returned to her home at Winchester, Ky., Sunday afternoon. She was accompanied by Mrs. Conkwright, who will spend some two months with relatives. Miss Lyle, during her stay in Hereford, made many friends among the young people and was a social favorite.

Mrs. A. A. Davidson returned from Estelina Monday night where she has been on a two weeks' visit to relatives. Her little nephew, Master Jim Billingsly, returned with her for a month's stay.

Misses Jessie Sisk and Eunice Estes came in from attendance at the Normal at Canyon Tuesday evening. Miss Estes will remain in Hereford and Miss Sisk returned Wednesday afternoon.

Messrs. Rhodes Bros. of Dayton, Ohio, were here Tuesday and Wednesday looking the Hereford irrigation proposition over. They were delighted with the wonderful showing made by the various wells.

Miss Sue Wilson, who has been attending the Canyon Normal for the past six weeks, came in yesterday for a ten days' visit to her sister, Miss Amelia Wilson, after which time she will join her parents at Lorenza, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Miller of Mobeetie arrived Tuesday to make their future home in Hereford. Mr. Miller a short time ago traded for the Gough two hundred acre farm near the Geo. Burn's place. Mr. Miller will engage in the real estate business and will occupy offices in the Dunlap building.

Mrs. G. A. Stambaugh states that she received word from Mrs. A. B. Crump the first of the week to the effect that Mrs. Crump, who is now at Canadian, would leave in a short time for the eastern markets and would return to Hereford with a well selected stock of fall millinery.

The Indian Motorcycle

"Count the Indians on the Road!"

This is Your Machine!

HAS been steadily proving its supremacy as the tourist and business vehicle.

For endurance, reliability, hill climbing, speed, economy and ease of control, the Indian holds more official records than all other motorcycles combined.

Free Engine Clutch and Magneto on all 1912 models without extra charge.

4 H. P. Single Cylinder, \$200. 7 H. P. Twin Cylinder, \$250.

Ask for a Free Demonstration

Sold on easy payments. Local agents wanted. Write to-day for new catalogue and literature to

T. M. Caldwell, General Agent
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Quench your thirst with a "Root Beer Special" at Betts-Clark. C. W. Warren went to Lubbock via Canyon Tuesday morning.

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J. W. EDWARDS,
Vice Pres.



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CONTEST OPENED MONDAY, APRIL 1, 1912 AT 8 P. M.

Standing of Candidates

In The Merchants and Publisher's Trade Campaign Contest Up to Saturday, June 22nd at 10 p. m.

Mrs. Allan Bell, Hereford	1049100 Votes
Miss Eddith Smith, Hereford	924150 Votes
Miss Lena Gregory, Kelso	841880 Votes
Mrs. Estelle Tucker, Hereford	806945 Votes
Miss Eloise Pitman, Hereford	472340 Votes
Miss Margie Baker, Summerfield	107460 Votes
Miss Lena Roberson, Summerfield	105560 Votes
Miss Percy Gallaher, Hereford	100870 Votes
Miss Dollie Whitaker, Dimmitt	26585 Votes
Miss Ora Ramey, Dimmitt	21650 Votes
Miss Maude Wyre, Dimmitt	7330 Votes
Miss Mildred Gilbert, Springlake	5210 Votes

We the committee, selected to count the votes in the Merchants and Publisher's Trade Campaign Contest for the Fourth Three-Week Period ending Saturday, June 22 at 10 p. m., certify that the above and foregoing is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. And that in accordance with the rules of the contest the Third Bonus Prize, the Silver Dresser Set is awarded to Mrs. Allan Bell, she having received the greatest number of votes between June 1st, 1912 and June 22nd, 1912 at 10 o'clock P. M.

W. B. DAMERON,
L. W. DAVIDSON,
W. T. STANBERRY, } Committee

CONTEST CLOSES WEDNESDAY, JULY 31, 1912 AT 8 P. M.

Local and Personal

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

Crystal Ice, 40c per 100 at my ice house. W. G. Ross. 18tf

Low prices on all kinds of lumber still prevail at Kemp's. 22-2t

J. B. Frizzell of Amarillo was a Hereford visitor Sunday.

Perfection Oil Stoves at the Hereford Hardware. 16tf

Cleve Hamilton and wife of Spring Lake were in Hereford Tuesday.

Let Kemp figure your next bill of lumber. You will save money. 22-2t

B. A. Hubbard made a business trip to Friona Tuesday.

Phone No. 21 for the choicest fresh meats. 23-2t

Earl Wilson of the City Barber Shop left Saturday for an extended visit to his mother at Crawford, Tex.

A thirst quencher, "Root Beer Special." Betts-Clark. 1t

The report reaches us that an infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mead of Friona died Tuesday.

Screen doors at Kemp's at one third less than regular prices. 22-2t

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rogers Wednesday morning, a ten pound boy.

Perfection Oil Stoves, one to three burners, with and without ovens. See the Hereford Hardware. 16tf

E. F. Connell, real estate dealer, made a trip to McLean leaving Tuesday.

When hot and thirsty try a "Root Beer Special." Betts-Clark. 1t

Mrs. Parry Lee Wilson of Summerfield is here this week on a visit to Mrs. Guy Rogers.

A. M. Jones writes Fire Insurance and would like to have a share of business. 9tf

Messrs. Roy Stocking and Earl Thomas and families enjoyed a pleasant outing on the "crick" Tuesday.

Cold, delicious, invigorating, "Root Beer Special" at Betts-Clark. 1t

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD:

H. O. Hubbert, constable, who accompanied Mr. Egerton to the Arlington Sanitarium, returned home Sunday night.

All kinds of fresh and cured meats and vegetables in season at the City Meat Market. Phone 21. 23-2t

An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lee of Friona died Monday night.

We have anything that is ever carried in a lumber yard and are anxious to quote you prices. R. H. Kemp Lumber Co. 22-2t

John Bennett of Coryell, Texas, is here for a two weeks' visit to his uncle, W. W. Bennett.

Miss Roberta Hill of Amarillo, who has been here the guest of Mrs. Leslie Moreman, returned home Monday afternoon.

For soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. W. B. Robinson was called to Amarillo Thursday morning on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Smith McLeroy.

Mesdames W. E. Hicks and J. E. Garrison left Wednesday afternoon to attend the annual session of the Baptist Women Mission Workers at Canadian Thursday and Friday.

The hot days are here. Its time to vamoose the coal stove. Perfection Oil Stoves make summer cooking delightful. See them at the Hereford Hardware. 16tf

Mrs. Roscoe Davidson returned Tuesday night from a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Will Smith, at Plainview.

Miss Minnie Barnard returned Tuesday evening from Plainview where she has been on a visit of some length to Mrs. W. Peterson.

Special attention is paid to sanitation at the City Meat Market. Prompt deliveries and courteous treatment. 23-2t

Alvin Ously, a prominent attorney of Denton, Texas, was here prospecting the first of the week. Mr. Ously was pleasantly surprised in the wonderful showing made by the irrigation wells.

Mrs. D. R. Gass left last Saturday for a visit of some length with her sons, Charlie Gass at St. Joe, Texas, and C. L. Gass at Ringgold, Texas.

Rev. McDonald of Bovina, Methodist minister who preaches at Summerfield on the first Sunday of each month, came here Monday to take the train. Mrs. Johnson accompanied him.

Our Soda Service

IS IDEAL

- ☞ The one great reason for our Soda's goodness is expressed in one word, "Painstaking."
- ☞ We select the choicest fountain fruits and combine them with pure cane sugar syrups.
- ☞ We take pains to provide expert service so that our customers may have beverages served as they should be. We also take special pains to keep everything about our fountain bright, clean and inviting.
- ☞ Come to our fountain and let us serve your favorite drink in the quality and style that will convince you of our superior service.

Corner Drug Store

ASHBROOK & DALE

WRITES ALL KINDS OF

FIRE INSURANCE

Rev. Geo. Smith of Dublin, Texas, accompanied by his mother from McKinney, Texas, are here on a visit to Mrs. Smith's daughter, Mrs. J. A. Freeman.

The New Person
The new party is the person who doesn't know that for Headaches, Neuralgia and Rheumatism, Hunt's Lighting Oil is almost instant relief. It has been the standard pain reliever for thirty years. 23-3t

Odell Elliott of Dallas joined his wife here Sunday on a visit to his parents and many friends. Odell, who left the employ of The Brand something over a year ago to accept a position with the Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association at Dallas, has made good with that concern and now holds the responsible position of General Division Clerk of the Accounting Department.

Major L. J. Caraway of Weatherford, Texas, arrived in Hereford yesterday from Wellington where he has been visiting with daughter, Mrs. A. Y. Bell. While Mr. Caraway is here on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Walter Megert, he counts the entire population as his friends, and some of the older citizens are especial cronies.

Mrs. E. I. McCoy and daughter, Miss Velma, of Celina, Texas, who have been here on a visit to Mrs. McCoy's daughter, Mrs. Russell Carroll, returned home Tuesday. They were accompanied by Miss Iva Biggs.

Miss Ray Fitz, who has been here on a visit to Mesdames Thos. C. and G. A. Stambaugh, left Sunday afternoon for Canadian where she will be the guest of Mrs. Meeks.

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We don't ask you to take our "say so." We prefer to let the machine itself talk for us.

Why not let us set one up at your house? You can test it yourself alongside of any other machine you like for capacity, cleanness of skimming, and ease of operation.



We don't ask you to buy a De Laval upon "claims." We do ask you to be sure and give it a fair trial before you purchase any cream separator. Don't put it off. Do it now.

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DAY PHONE
Number fourteen

Hurley Items.

Jacob Weidder, engineer of this division of the Santa Fe, was in Hurley this week and he assures us that the railroad grading will begin just as soon as the railroad gets the right-of-way on a few more tracts of land between here and Texico.

Every one in the Hurley vicinity was invited, and most every one attended, the big dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Bearden on July 4th. Everything imaginable in the eatable line was had, and one and all helped themselves to the abundant supply which was set before them. In the afternoon cream was served in the same good, old fashioned way and everyone participated in the cream eating, then the games came, such as tug-of-war, races, high jumping and the like. Should you see the people or visit them in Hurley you would not think them many families, but all one big family. Am sure that the 4th of 1912 will long be remembered by the attendants at the dinner, and again we thank Mr. and Mrs. Bearden for the good time shown one and all on this grand day. A dinner was also had at Mr. and Mrs. Welsont's and all reported a big time and plenty to eat.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Cox made a trip to Plainview Friday bringing over their children that had been over to their grandmother's for a week or so.

More real estate changed hands last week in the Hurley Valley. There is always some one purchasing some of the irrigation lands of the black water belt, as it is worth the money.

Crops around Hurley are beginning to need a little rain, that is the dry farming part, the irrigated part of the valley is looking fine, for there is nothing like having the convenience of a shower of water to come on your crop just as you want it and just the amount that you want.

Mrs. Louis Gartner and little daughter made a flying visit to Plainview last week. They report a nice and enjoyable trip.

Quite a number attended the Sunday school here Sunday, something that is never neglected by the people in this vicinity.

The auto road is now completed

from Hurley to Friona and you have no stops now to make such as opening gates, in fact, it is a real pleasant drive from Hurley to Friona.

During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

Kelso Items.

The Kelso community celebrated the 4th with a picnic at Kelso. There was a nice crowd and plenty of dinner present. On account of it looking so rainy that morning the candidates from Hereford, who were going to speak, did not put in an appearance. There was a base ball game in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Drum of Endee, N. M., visited Mrs. Drum's sister, Mrs. John Gregory, part of last week.

Misses Edna Shelton and Cecil Dillard visited at Mrs. Hall's Wednesday.

We are beginning to need rain in this section.

John Gregory and F. M. Drum were in Hereford Wednesday.

Edgar Riffe was in Hereford Saturday.

Little Bessie Gregory has been on the sick list, but is better at this writing.

Misses Edythe and Edna Shelton were shopping in Hereford last Friday.

W. S. McDaniel went to Endee Wednesday and while returning home was caught in a hail storm, his team got away from him, but no serious damage was done.

Otto, Ellison and Luther Gregory went to Hereford after ice and picnic supplies Wednesday.

After this we will try to send in the Kelso Items every other week. Heretofore it has been impossible to do so.

Nameless.

Notice.

Bids will be received by the board of City Commissioners from all eligible institutions desiring to become the Depository of the city for one year from August 1st, 1912. All bids to be in the hands of the City Clerk by July 30th. By order of the Commission.

23-2t P. W. PRICE, Clerk.



Meet me at Harrison's coal yard 176f

Tom Thumb Wedding.

The entertainment given by the ladies of the Library Club at the court house Monday night was well attended. A temporary stage with scenery from the opera house and college was set up within the court hall. The program as given was interesting to both young and old. The Tom Thumb-Jennie June padlock nuptials was carried out with exact precision for every form of wedding etiquette. Part II of the program, consisting of songs by the little people and a reading by Miss Purser, was well received. The furiously funny thing of the evening, however, was the farce—"Popping the Question." The ladies realized a good sum of money for the benefit of the library.

PROGRAM.

Bride.....Ethel Dunlap
Groom.....Albert Snyder
Best Man.....Cecil O'Brien
Maid of Honor.....Thelma Tynes
Minister.....Jack Mounts
Father of Bride...Willard Garrison
Mother of Bride...Margie Dameron
Ushers...Danjel Bell, Jack Murphy, William Black, Thos. D. Cox.
Bridesmaids...Josephine Kelly, Maurice Hughes, Kathleen Hawkins, Elouise Pitman
Flower Girls...Dorothy Gallaher, Mary Wilkinson, Margurite Gilliland, Gwinline Price.

GUESTS AT THE WEDDING.

Grace Ferguson, Carey Estes, Ruth Davis, Roger Wilkinson, Francis Wilson, Bill Russell, Buelah Rutherford, Otto Witherspoon, Hazel, C. R. Hendrix, Jewel Ward, Jessie Anthony, Comodore Wheeler, Lewis Anthony, Mary Pauline Ray, Georgia Irwin, Rosa May Carl, Marie Estes, Ira Connell, Annie Parker, Mildred Cross, Lucile Megert, Thos. D. Cox, Floyd Wilson, Gladys Beams, Barnard Hicks, Mary Lou Arthur, Harold Spratt, Louise Rayzor, Loretta Baker, May Mounts, Olive Wilson, Ruth Fox, Vivian Stambaugh, Edna Elliott, Esther Fox, Veta Squires, Gladys Hicks, Delma Rayzor, Enma Elliott, Mary Hicks, Annie Wilde Lea, Vida Squires, Mattie Mounts, Nora Beams.

PART II.

"They Always Pick on Me"....Jack Murphy
"I've Got Your Number".....Annie Fitzhugh Parker, Olive Wilson
"Let Me Have Kiss until Tomorrow"
Francis Wilson, William Black
"The Old, Old Story".....Miss Elizabeth Purser

"POPPING THE QUESTION".
Scene—An apartment in Mr. Primrose's House.

CAST

Ellen Murray.....Miss Gallaher
Bobbin.....Mrs. Moreman
Miss Winterblossom.....Miss Woodburn
Miss Biffin.....Mrs. Slaton
Henry Thornton.....Mr. Dameron
Henry Primrose.....Mr. Byrne

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LEGAL NOTICES

Sheriff's Sale
 STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Deaf Smith, }
 In the District Court of Deaf Smith
 County, Texas. H. L. Goats,
 Plaintiff vs. Leon A. Murrills, et.
 al., Defendants.
 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 5th day of June A. D. 1911, in
 favor of H. L. Goats, against the
 said Leon A. Murrills, C. H. Sowle,
 Wm. W. Shepard, J. H. Bowers and
 John P. Burch, No. 108 on the
 docket of said Court, I did on the
 21st day of June, A. D. 1912, at 10
 o'clock a. m. levy upon the following
 described tract or parcel of land
 situated in Deaf Smith County,
 State of Texas, belonging to the said
 Leon A. Murrills, C. H. Sowle, Wm.
 W. Shepard, J. H. Bowers and John
 P. Burch, to-wit:
 Survey Number Forty-Two (42)
 Certificate No. 282, Block K 5, con-
 taining Six-Hundred-Forty (640)
 acres of land. And on the 6th day
 of August, A. D. 1912, same being
 the first Tuesday of said month,
 between and hours of 10 o'clock a.
 m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said date,
 at the Court House 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
 Leon A. Murrills, C. H. Sowle, Wm.
 W. Shepard, J. H. Bowers and John
 P. Burch in and to said property.
 Dated at Hereford, Texas, this
 21st day of June, A. D. 1912.
 R. W. BAIRD,
 Sheriff, Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale
 STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Deaf Smith, }
 By virtue
 of an Order of Sale issued out of the
 Honorable District Court of Deaf
 Smith County, on the 19th day of
 June, 1912, by the Clerk thereof, in
 the case of L. E. Cobb, et. al. versus
 W. S. Rance, et. al., No. 440, and to
 me, as Sheriff, directed and deliv-
 ered, I will proceed to sell, with-
 in the hours prescribed by law for
 Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday
 in August, A. D. 1912, it being the
 6th day of said month, before the
 Court House Door of said Deaf
 Smith County, in the city of Here-
 ford, the following described real
 property, to-wit:
 Situated in Deaf Smith County,
 Texas, and being a part of Block
 No. 75 of the town of Hereford, and
 additions, and being 150 feet South
 and 200 feet deep out of the
 South-West corner of said Block No.
 75 and described by metes and
 bounds as follows: Beginning at
 the South-East corner of said Block
 No. 75, thence West with the South
 line of said Block 10 feet to a point
 in the South line of said Block;
 thence North parallel with the West
 line of said Block 200 feet; thence
 East parallel with the South line of
 said Block 150 feet; thence South
 with the West line of said Block 200
 feet to the place of beginning. Levied
 on as the property of W. S. Rance
 to satisfy a judgment amounting to
 \$572.28 in favor of L. E. Cobb and
 Temperance Cobb and cost of suit.
 Given under my hand, this 10th
 day July, 1912.
 R. W. BAIRD,
 Sheriff Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale
 STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Deaf Smith, }
 By virtue
 of an Order of Sale issued out of the
 Honorable District Court of Deaf
 Smith County, on the 4th day of
 May, 1912, by the Clerk thereof, in
 the case of S. B. Arnold versus Fred
 Millard, et. al., No. 493, and to me,
 as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I
 will proceed to sell, within the hours
 prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales,
 on the first Tuesday in August, A.
 D. 1912, it being the 6th day of said
 month, before the Court House door
 of said Deaf Smith County, in the
 town of Hereford, the following
 described property, to-wit:
 All of Lots 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the
 Miller and Mosley sub-division of
 Block No. 26 of the Evans Addition
 to the town of Hereford, in Deaf
 Smith County, Texas.
 Levied on as the property of Fred
 Millard to satisfy a judgment
 amounting to \$72.24 in favor of S.
 B. Arnold and costs of suit.
 Given under my hand this 26th
 day of June, 1912.
 23-4t R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale
 STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Deaf Smith, }
 By virtue
 of an Order of Sale issued out of the
 Honorable District Court of Deaf
 Smith County, on the 20th day of
 June, 1912, by the Clerk thereof,
 in the case of George G. Wright
 versus J. H. King, et. al., No. 439,
 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and
 delivered, I will proceed to sell,
 within the hours prescribed by law
 for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tues-
 day in August, A. D. 1912, it being
 the 6th day of said month, before
 the Court House door of said Deaf
 Smith County, in the city of Here-
 ford, the following described prop-
 erty, to-wit:
 Being Parcels of Survey No. 80 in
 Block K-3. 1st Tract: All of Block
 No. 5 of John W. DeAtley's sub-
 division of Blocks Nos. 2 to 14 in-
 clusive of DeAtley's Addition to
 Hereford. 2nd Tract: All of Block
 No. 6 of John W. DeAtley's sub-
 division of Blocks Nos. 2 to 14 in-
 clusive of DeAtley's Addition to
 Hereford. 3rd Tract: All of Block
 No. 7 of John W. DeAtley's sub-
 division of Blocks Nos. 2 to 14 in-
 clusive of DeAtley's Addition to
 Hereford. 4th Tract: All of Block
 No. 8 of John W. DeAtley's sub-
 division of Blocks Nos. 2 to 14 in-
 clusive of DeAtley's Addition to
 Hereford. All of said lands being
 in Deaf Smith County, Texas. Said
 Blocks will be sold separately to
 satisfy a lien of \$372.28 adjudged
 against each Block, and one-fourth
 of the costs of the suit. Levied on
 as the property of J. H. King and
 wife, Jennie D. King, on the 27 day
 of June, 1912, to satisfy a judgment
 amounting to \$1489.11 in favor of
 George G. Wright and cost of suit.
 Given under my hand this 1st day
 of July 1912.
 23-4t R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale
 STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Deaf Smith, }
 By virtue
 of an Order of Sale issued out of the
 Honorable District Court of Deaf
 Smith County, on the 4th day of
 June 1912, by the Clerk thereof, in
 the case of B. A. Witherspoon, et.
 al. versus W. J. Saltmarsh, et.
 al., No. 478, and to me, as Sheriff,
 directed and delivered, I will proceed
 to sell, within the hours prescribed
 by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the
 first Tuesday in August, A. D. 1912,
 it being the 6th day of said month,
 before the Court House door of said
 Deaf Smith County, in the city of
 Hereford, the following described
 real property, to-wit:
 Situated in Deaf Smith County,
 Texas, and being all of Section No.
 69 in Block No. K-7, Certificate No.
 1-104, Original Granete B. S. & E.,
 containing 640 acres. Levied on as
 the property of J. A. Fife to satisfy
 a judgment in favor of B. Anderson
 Witherspoon amounting to \$4701.00,
 and in favor of Harry T. Yost,
 amounting to \$4432.64 and cost of
 suit. Given under my hand this
 10th day of July, 1912.
 R. W. BAIRD,
 Sheriff Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Sheriff's Sale
 STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Deaf Smith, }
 By virtue
 of an Order of Sale issued out of the
 Honorable District Court of Deaf
 Smith County, on the 30th day of
 April, 1912, by the Clerk thereof, in
 the case of Farley Loetcher Manu-
 facturing Company, versus F. D.
 Scharle, No. 463, and to me, as
 Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will
 proceed to sell, within the hours
 prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales,
 on the first Tuesday in August, A.
 D. 1912, it being the 6th day of said
 month, before the Court House door
 of said Deaf Smith County, in the
 Town of Hereford, the following
 described property, to-wit:
 The East Half and Northwest
 Quarter of Section No. 7, Township
 No. 4, North of Range No. 4 East,
 of a Capitol Syndicate sub-division
 as shown by the Deed Records of
 Deaf Smith County. Levied on as
 the property of F. D. Scharle to
 satisfy a judgment amounting to
 \$1478.58 in favor of Farley Loetcher
 Manufacturing Company and cost of
 suit.
 Given under my hand this 26th
 day of June, 1912.
 23-4t R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale.
 STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Deaf Smith, }
 By virtue
 of an Execution issued out of the
 Honorable District Court of Deaf
 Smith County, on the 2nd day of
 July, 1912, by the Clerk thereof, in
 the case of Garrison Bros. versus C.
 L. Davis, No. 480, and to me, as
 Sheriff, directed and delivered, I
 will proceed to sell, within the hours
 prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales,
 on the first Tuesday in August, A.
 D. 1912, it being the 6th day of said
 month, before the Court House door
 of said Deaf Smith County, in the
 City of Hereford, the following des-
 cribed property, to-wit:
 All of Survey No. 19, in Block
 M-7, Certificate 1291, issued to
 Beaty, Seale & Forwood, containing
 640 acres situated in Deaf Smith
 county, Texas, about eight miles
 southeast from Hereford. Levied
 on as the property of C. L. Davis on
 the 3rd day of July, 1912, to satisfy
 a judgment amounting to \$667.59 in
 favor of Garrison Bros. and cost of
 suit.
 Given under my hand this 6th day
 of July, 1912.
 23-4t R. W. BAIRD, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale
 THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
 County of Deaf Smith }
 In the District Court of Deaf Smith County,
 Texas. H. L. Goats, Plaintiff vs. Leon
 A. Murrills, et al., Defendants.
 Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale
 issued out of the District Court of Deaf
 Smith County, Texas, on a judgment ren-
 dered in said Court on the 5th day of June,
 A. D. 1911, in favor of H. L. Goats,
 against the said Leon A. Murrills, C. H.
 Sowle, Wm. W. Shepard, August B. Olin,
 Willard D. Campbell, J. H. Bowers and
 John P. Burch, No. 107 on the docket of
 said Court, I did on the 21st day of June,
 A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m., levy upon
 the following described tract or parcel of
 land situated in Deaf Smith County, State
 of Texas, belonging to the said Leon A.
 Murrills, C. H. Sowle, Wm. W. Shepard,
 August B. Olin, Willard D. Campbell, J. H.
 Bowers and John P. Burch, to-wit:
 Survey Number Thirty-eight (38) Certi-
 ficate No. 280, Block K 5, containing six
 hundred and forty (640) acres of land. And
 on the 6th day of August, 1912, same being
 the first Tuesday of said month, between
 the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four
 o'clock p. m. on said date, at the Court
 House 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
 Leon A. Murrills, C. H. Sowle, Wm. W. Shepard,
 August B. Olin, Willard D. Campbell, J. H.
 Bowers and John P. Burch in and to said
 property.
 Dated at Hereford, Texas, this 21st day
 of June, A. D. 1912.
 R. W. BAIRD,
 Sheriff Deaf Smith County, Texas.

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Society

A RECEPTION.

Distinct among the social events of the week was the reception given on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. T. E. Shirley as a compliment to her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Haile of Chicago, Miss Rhone of Winsboro, Texas, and Mrs. Karl Shirley. The guests were received by Mrs. Shirley and passed to the receiving line in which stood Mesdames Haile, Karl Shirley, and Kelley, Misses Rhone, Gregg and Shirley. Fruit nectar, cool, refreshing, was served from a vine covered table by Miss Bertha Dameron assisted by Misses Nance and Buelah Potter. Ferns and cut flowers tastily arranged, gave to the receiving rooms an air of cool comfort preparatory to the greatest enjoyment from the program which followed:

Overture to Guillaume Tell	Rossini
Miss Rhone and Miss Gregg	
Piano. Valse	Chopin
Miss Nance	
Song. Sunbeams	Landon Ronald
Mrs. Haile	
Piano. 2me Valse	Durand
Miss Shirley	
Piano. Capriccio Brilliant Op 22	F. Mendelssohn-Bartoldy
Miss Gregg	
Reading	The Trouble With Rastus
Mrs. Kelly	
Piano. 12th Rhapsodie	Liszt
Miss Rhone	
Song. Life's Lullaby	Gerald Lane
Mrs. Haile	
Reading	The Clown's Baby
Mrs. Kelly	
Piano. Sembranide	Rossini
Miss Rhone	
Trio. Afloat at Dunk	Barnes
Miss Rhone, Miss Gregg, Mrs. Haile	

In the rendition of the program each one seemed at her best, but the climax was reached when Miss Rhone, with exquisite touch and perfect technique, played Liszt 12th Rhapsodie, and Mrs. Haile gave in sweet song Life's Lullaby. Dainty refreshments of brick cream and cake were served.

ON THE MOREMAN LAWN.

Miss Head and Mrs. Leslie Moreman entertained charmingly with a lawn party on the evening of July the 4th, complimentary to their guests, Misses Kidd and Hill of Amarillo, and Mr. Green of St. Joseph, Mo. The setting for this social function was pretty, festive and quite patriotic, the National colors having been used in all decorations. Japanese lanterns lent their aid in producing artificial moon light while numbers of flags floated proudly in the Panhandle breeze, two large ones draped over the porch entrance serving as a canopy under which Mrs. Tucker and Miss Wyche served punch. The progressive game "325," together with music, both instrumental and vocal, made the evening one of unusual pleasure. Fruit ice and cake were served.

SIX O'CLOCK DINNER.

Miss Buelah Head entertained on Tuesday evening with a six o'clock course dinner as a courtesy to her friend, Mr. Green. The dining room was quite pretty in the soft glow of a number of Japanese lanterns, while red carnations and ferns gave an artistic floral touch to the tastily appointed table. Covers were laid for

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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moreman, Misses Gallaher, Kidd, Wyche, Head, and Messrs. Green, Mercer, Skelton and Collins. Music and "325" were other enjoyable diversions of the evening.

FOR MISS RHONE.

The breakfast given on Tuesday morning by Mrs. A. W. Gregg at "Willow Wood," complimenting Miss Rhone, was one of the most pleasant social events of the week. The beauty and freshness of the early morning, together with the sincere welcome, made each guest appear at the very best. The long table was laid in snowy linen having in the center a large bowl of sweet peas and ferns. The place cards had on them dainty little floral designs done in water colors:

Menu.
Mixed Fruit
Flakes and Dates
Cream
Brown Bread—Butter
Mock Turtle Hams
Brown Potatoes—Hot Biscuits
Butter Coffee
Pineapple Fritters.

Covers were laid for Mesdames E. M. Haile, Luther Hough, Kelly, Wright, and Misses Rhone, Nance, Elliott and Gregg. After the breakfast music, readings and a game of "325" made the noon hour come all too quickly.

A LAWN PICNIC.

Quite unique and pleasant was the lawn picnic given on Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cardwell to a few friends as a little courtesy to Mr. and Mrs. Charlton and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Elliott. Supper was spread in real picnic style, and after a bounteous repast, the guests sat around an imaginary camp fire and indulged in the fascinating amusement of "story telling."

WITH MRS. B. S. ARNOLD.

Ever thoughtful of her friends, Mrs. Arnold entertained on Tuesday morning with a delightful course breakfast for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Charlton of Hollis, Okla., Mr. and Odell Elliott of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jones. The table was laid in handsome embroidered pieces and had in the center a cut glass bowl of sweet peas, the season's flower. The guests lingered through the morning enjoying to the fullest the association of congenial friends.

HOUSE PARTY.

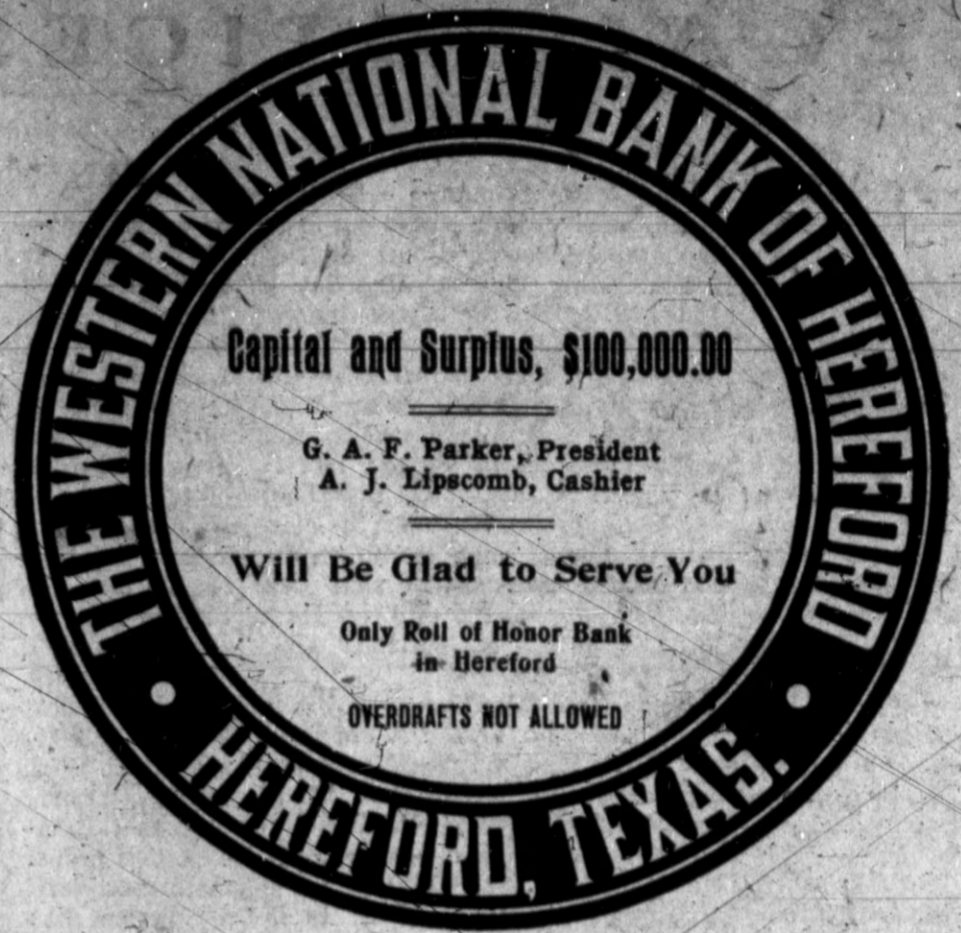
Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Connel of G street entertained a number of young people recently with a house party. Misses Pearl Tate and Ora Ramey of Dimmitt, and Misses Mary Williams, Lula Wear, Mattie Woodburn, Nannie Davidson and Calla Lambert were the guests. At the close of the week the young ladies entertained a large number of young people of the town. Games were played as a pastime and at the close of a most jolly time, light refreshments were served.

Miss Rhone, after a month's visit in Hereford, left on Thursday morning for her home in Winsboro, Tex. Her charming personality and rare musical talent have won for her an abiding place in the hearts of her many friends, who anticipate another visit.

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It is with our whole hearts full of love that we take this method of thanking our very dear and true friends for the never tiring help and deeds of kindness during the sickness and death of our husband and father. May God in His infinite Mercy ever hover near and bless you one and all in the wishes and prayers of:

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When the wise (?) man tells you the ground crusts, bakes, cracks and gets hard as a brick bat don't you believe him. When he says the water supply will not hold out ask to mention some good underflow that has been exhausted by excessive pumping. When he says the wells will go dry, there's too much expense, too much hard work and no money in it ask him if he ever tried it. Ask this wise guy to make good his illogical theories against irrigation, tell him he knows nothing about it—call him a knocker because that's what he is and watch him back up. Take him out to our farm and run him through oats up to his neck, through alfalfa almost to his waist, then push him in the ditch and ask him if the well has gone dry. Don't allow this knocker to hinder your ideas on irrigation because we're all going to irrigate and before long this same knocker will be leaning on an irrigating shovel kicking because the sun is shining. But just so sure as the sun shines there are going to be hundreds of irrigating plants in the Hereford country—nothing can prevent it.

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