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PROPOSES TO BUILD CREAMERY

Respected Firm May Erect Large Creamery Plant if Farmers Will Furnish the Cream—Agent Here.

One of the largest butter and cream concerns in Texas proposes to build a large creamery at Hereford if sufficient co-operation can be had from the farmers of the district. Their agent, John Clark, well known here, put the proposition up to the citizens at a quick called meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night.

It is not a stock selling graft, but a straight business offer. It comes from the Alvin-Houston Creamery Company, the second largest concern of its kind in the Southwest. Mr. Clark says he did not come here for the express purpose of making the proposition, but after seeing the big irrigation wells, the silos and the farming interests in the best way, he felt that his company would be glad to have a plant here. They will want a guarantee of two thousand pounds of butter fat each week, he says, and this amount will require from 300 to 350 good cows. While there may not be near that many now in the territory, they can soon be had. It is proposed to make the cream district reach out to Dimmitt, Parrott, Friona, Summerfield, Umbarger and other near by places, all of the cream to be concentrated at Hereford.

A committee was appointed to communicate with the people of these different points and a general mass meeting was called for Thursday, March, when a definite plan will be offered and a consumation of the plan made.

City Continues to Build Crossings.

A force of men are again at work this week laying crossings. One from the Parker building, corner of Main and 4th, was completed yesterday. During the first of the week, the crossing from the Palmer Lumber Company's corner to the court house walk was completed. It is a little below the grade of the two walks connected and those who go that route will have to steady themselves in making the run across the walk. None of the new crossings have that "scoop the shoots" effect.

To Debate Compulsory Education.

Two of the high school orators in the senior class are to debate the compulsory education question in the near future. Affirmative, Farmer; negative, Owens. They will be assisted by two local debaters from the citizens, the Hon. Bill Ray being one of the combatants. The other has not been selected.

Orders City Election.

At a meeting of the City Commission yesterday morning, the regular city election was ordered, same to be held on Tuesday, April 7. Other routine business attended to. The City Secretary's books have been audited, a full report of which is published this week.

C. R. Smith bought for Bob Duke of Channing, 140 head of cows from O'Brien & Hicks. The lot was shipped to Poreo, near Halhart.

W. H. Daugherty of Clovis, one of the commissioners of that county, was in Hereford this week buying up grade bulls.

Teachers Examinations.

To the County or Ex-Officio County Superintendent:

Your attention is called to the fact that a special examination for teachers certificates will be held in all county seats in the State the first Friday and Saturday, and Thursday preceding, in April, instead of May, as heretofore. There will be no May examination this year. The change is made to accommodate a large number of teachers who desire to hear from their papers before the regular June examination. The April examination will be limited to State certificates only, and the same rules and regulations which govern the regular examinations will also govern in this instance. You are requested to give notice of this examination to the public through the local papers of your county and by other available means. The following schedule will be adhered to in all examinations for 1914, except the two series of summer normal examinations:

Thursday Forenoon: History of Education, Physics, Solid Geometry, English Literature.

Thursday Afternoon: Psychology, Chemistry, Bookkeeping, Plane Trigonometry.

Friday Forenoon: Physical Geography, Physiology, Composition, Arithmetic.

Friday Afternoon: Texas History, Grammar, Descriptive Geography, Plane Geometry.

Saturday Forenoon: Spelling, Writing, Methods and Management, Civics, Reading.

Saturday Afternoon: United States History, General History, Agriculture, Algebra.

Sincerely yours,
W. F. Daugherty,
State Superintendent.

Mrs. Emmett Cardwell left Tuesday for her new home at Independence, Kansas, where Mr. Cardwell has been for several days preparing for the move. The many friends of these good people regret to have them leave Hereford, but wish them that good luck which they deserve wherever they go. Having lived here for many years, both have a host of warm personal friends. The Brand joins the rest of Hereford in wishing them well and for their soon return.

Panhandle News.

W. M. Andrew, a resident of Henderson, Co., died on a Denver train between Henrietta and Bellevue on Monday of last week. The remains were taken from the train at Bowie and prepared for burial.

Dr. J. M. Bell, mayor of Wichita Falls and one of the leading physicians of Northwest Texas, died at his home Wednesday of last week, following an operation for appendicitis.

Thirty building permits were issued in Wichita Falls during January, the total valuation being \$93,387.

Miss Mollie J. Carter, 58 years old, for many years a resident of Quanah, died at her home near Eldorado, Okla., one day last week. Interment took place at Quanah.

New wells brought into the Northwest Texas oil field bring the total daily production up to 31,000 barrels. This field includes wells at Electra, Petrolia, Burkburnett and Iowa Park.

It is reported that Governor Colquitt has pardoned J. P. Rippetoe, who was given a five year sentence from Collingsworth county about one year ago.

WITH COUNTRY NEWSPAPERS

Department of Scissors and Paste-pot—Clippings and Comments—Politics et Cetera.

PRIZES FOR ESSAYS.

Lockney Beacon.—Hon. Ruben M. Ellerd of Plainview is offering a number of valuable prizes for the best oration delivered by school boys in Hale and adjoining counties. The subject of the oration is "State Wide Prohibition," and the length of each oration is to be from 5 to 10 minutes, to be graded on composition and delivery. This is a splendid way to encourage the young men of the country in better preparation of mind and heart. Mr. Ellerd is a true friend to the young men of the country.

DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

Lockney Beacon.—Our friend Johnson of the Memphis Herald says that old Peter Radford is in the pay of the whiskey interest of Texas. His remarks were occasioned by Radford's appeal to farmers to stay out of those rumb primaries last Saturday. We do not think so. Radford wants more legislation for farmers, and less pro agitation. The question now with the farmer is not so much what they drink as what goes on their backs and into their bellies. They stayed out of the conventions and are going to vote for Jim Ferguson on a full belly platform.

BALL IS THE MAN.

Childress Post.—If the Ft. Worth eliminating convention nominates any man, it now seems certain Tom Ball will be the man, and if the prohibition Democrats of Texas get behind any man and support him with unanimity, it seems certain that man will be Tom Ball. All this without any solicitation on his part, in fact, in the face of Mr. Ball's announcement some months ago that he could not make the race for governor at all, most certainly be construed as a very high compliment to the man on his record. It very plainly shows that the people of Texas believe Mr. Ball has in him the elements for making Texas a great governor, and that he is the political Moses who can lead them out of Egyptian darkness of saloon politics with which the state has so long been dominated. Fortunately, Mr. Ball is a broad gauged man, one who, we think, is able to grasp all the pressing needs of the state, as well as the interests of the prohibition movement. If he is elected, the Post believes he will be a governor of all the people and will treat all fairly and squarely.

SAYS BALL NOT THE MAN.

Lockney Beacon.—Its a colossal joke, this nomination of Tom Ball. In a progressive state an ultra reactionary has been chosen by the prohibition democrats for governor. He is one of the biggest corporation lawyers in Texas, attorney for John H. Kirby, helped to nominate Alton B. Parker against Bryan, fought Hogg to a queen's taste and opposed Tom Campbell for second term. No wonder he was kept in the background—his political record in Texas represents the checkerboard. Do the prohibitionists of Texas think Texas democrats are going to elect this sort of man governor? Nay verily. We think now we can hear James Stephens Hogg turning over in his grave with a sigh. Elect Tom Ball governor of Texas—we think not. To place an avowed representative of corporate greed in the governor's office in Texas is extreme folly.

Mr. Nevell, a traveling man for Swift Company, is locating in Hereford in order to be more convenient to his territory. His family will occupy the Potter place in north Hereford.

"YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD."

The Schuberts Entertainment.

This company of artists brought to Hereford by the Ladies Aid of the Christian church drew a full house last Monday night despite the biting cold weather. The program consisted of high class musical renditions by the company. The individual work of Mr. Purcell, violinist, was good, his execution and technic being most excellent. While some of the lesser trained ears of the audience would have been pleased to hear him play "Money Musk" or "Snow Bird in the Ash Bank," they admitted that his playing was fine. Miss Corder, first soprano, was the delight of the music lovers of the audience. The other members of the organization did splendid work and the entire program was altogether satisfactory. This is their third appearance in the city and each time they have drawn a larger house, Monday night the receipts being near \$100.00. The ladies were pleased with the venture and wish to thank the public for their liberal patronage.

Another Cold Snap.

Another real cold wave moved over the Plains this week, being the swinging end of the blizzard that passed over the northwestern states. A strong dust moving wind from the west all day Sunday made it quite disagreeable to church goers, but about 4 o'clock in the afternoon a sudden change brought a high wind and clouds of dust from the northeast. The thermometer began to drop at once and fell from about 70 to 4 above Monday morning. Tuesday morning was not better, it being 4 above zero again. This is the second cold snap this month; the first covering the dates of February 6 and 7, when the thermometer stood at zero on the first date and at 4 above on the following morning. This first cold wave killed most of the fruit, especially the peaches. This second spell may nip the balance of the peach crop, but the plums and cherries are said to be safe.

Pay Your Poll Tax or Work the Road, Which?

Article 6973, Rev. Stat. 1911, Provides that the Tax Collector shall furnish to the County and Precinct Road Superintendents of his county a list of all those citizens subject to a poll tax, by the first day of May each year, who have not paid such poll taxes, and such delinquent persons shall be subject to three days extra road duty, as a penalty to pay such taxes, and in case they refuse to do the work when summoned, or to pay \$3.00 in lieu thereof, shall be prosecuted and fined not to exceed \$25.

Creamery Committee Visits Towns.

The creamery committee composed of J. W. Barnett, A. H. Elliston and J. A. Wear, in company with John Clark, has been visiting all the surrounding towns and communities this week working up the creamery interests. Every where they have a ready and hearty response. The Chamber of Commerce hopes to have a large attendance at the mass meeting to be held next Thursday when this matter will be settled definitely.

Cordova Hotel Changes Hands.

D. H. Hilbert and Miss Anna R. Siems, recently from Idaho, have bought the Cordova Hotel from L. Gough. They will take charge at once and will re-outfit the hotel, making everything first class and will operate an uptodate commercial house.

MORE FARMERS MORE WELLS

Hereford District Adds a New Family or Two Every Week—Two Big Rigs Punching Wells—Work Progressing.

When the Hereford district does not add one or two new families every week, it is a dull day. Not since the New Year opened has this failed to occur. All of these new families are coming to engage in irrigation and stock farming.

Mention has been made from week to week of the arrival of some one. This week, the Brand has the pleasure to see Austin Chamness of Kool Colorado and his family come in. They will occupy a fine farm and ranch near Dawn Station. He will have one of those incomparable irrigation wells. For the present, however, he will use the water from the Dawn town well, ditching the water to his place near.

The next man comes from a different and far distant part of the United States, Wisconsin. He has bought 640 acres south of Hereford, just over the line in Castro county, and will put down a big pumper. His name is Eric Hagen and from his name must come of the good German extraction that has made Wisconsin a winner when it comes to fine cows, cream and butter. He was here this week and his family will come later.

The Karl Shirley well was brought in this week. It is a hummer. The well is located about 1 1/2 miles west of Twenty Five Mile Avenue and about 4 1/2 miles out. Water was struck at 62 feet and the well sunk to sufficient depth to insure an ample supply of water. A 50 H. P. oil burning engine will be installed.

Two big well drills are now punching holes in this district and both are now near Dawn Station, a few miles east of Hereford. Engines are on the ground for two or three of the last drilled wells and they are Sampsons. The one at the Dawn well is 70 H. P. of the latest type of the Bessmer oil engine. The best and latest improvement rotary pump of the American make is being used in all these new wells. The McDonald Company is working overtime trying to get all of their contracts completed in time for the coming irrigation season.

Revival a Great Success.

The revival conducted at the Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. J. R. Henson, has been a great success. Never have the people of Hereford, especially among the men, been so stirred. While the meeting closed Sunday night, a large crowd filled the house again Wednesday night at the prayer-meeting hour. A number of conversions were had. As far as can be counted over 100 have been converted and reclaimed. The meeting is being continued at the Baptist church by their new pastor, Rev. R. E. L. Farmer, who will preach every night till Sunday night. All of the other churches will have their own services as usual on Sunday morning and evening.

The Biggest Trust.

"The biggest trust on earth is the country newspaper. It trusts everybody, gets cussed for trusting, mistreated for trusting, and if it busts for trusting, gets cussed for busting."

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WE ARE THE AGENTS

Palmer Lumber Company

Society

Reception

On Monday afternoon the ladies of the Bay View Club entertained a number of their friends in honor of Mrs. Emmett Cardwell, who was leaving for her new home, Independence, Kansas. For this occasion the ladies used the artistic home of Mrs. Rolosan. As the guests entered the reception suite they were reminded of the near approach of Spring by the beautiful narcissi and jonquils that were arranged in vases and pots. After the greetings were attended, the guests were presented dainty, hand-painted programs, a bloom with jonquils. They were the work of one of the club members. Mrs. W. H. Garrison told the guests of the extensive and interesting work the club had pursued this year. As the club has been studying art for the past few months, this thought was carried out in the program. An interesting and instructive sketch of Raphael was given by Mrs. Elliott. Mrs. Ferguson then told of Raphael's Madonna. All who heard this paper will always be able to enjoy these famous paintings the more. Mrs. Rolosan gave a reading from Kipling. This was followed by a vocal solo by Mrs. Ezra Norton. Miss Gregg delighted the guests with a brilliant piano number. The poems of Eugene Field are beloved by both young and old. Mrs. Wright selected one of his most popular ones for her reading. A pretty little Lullabye was sung by Mrs. Stephens. This was followed by a violin solo by Miss Annie Laurie Lay, accompanied by Miss Mabel Betts. At the conclusion of the program Mrs. Price told the guests in beautifully chosen words of the love of the Bay View

Club for the member they were losing. She then presented Mrs. Cardwell with a group of Raphael's Madonnas handsomely framed. The guests were served a dainty salad course by Misses Mary Bourn and Anna Garrison. Just before leaving all were bidden to the coffee room. Exclamations of delight were heard from all as they entered. The table and its appointments were beautiful in color chosen for the afternoon, white and gold. Mrs. Hawkins poured coffee, assisted by Mrs. Stephens and Miss Brown. An original toast was drunk to Mrs. Cardwell by Mrs. Wright. This was exceptionally clever. As she lifted her cup in conclusion her words were: "There's nothing dark about Essie but her eyes, there's nothing small about Essie save her size."

Mothers Club Anniversary

The Mothers Club met with Mrs. T. M. Palmer Feb. 24. All members were present as this was the annual election of officers. Mrs. T. M. Palmer was re-elected president by acclamation, Mrs. Clarence Smith, vice-president; Mrs. Rutherford, sec. vice-president; Mrs. J. H. Bowers, recording sec.; Mrs. W. B. Farmer, treasurer; Mrs. S. B. Edwards, publicity committee; Mrs. R. A. Tynes, delegate. We voted to change our club colors from grey and purple to white and purple. It was decided that we have our Art-Crafts and Curio exhibit on Friday and Saturday, March sixth and seventh, at the Bogard building. Many rare and beautiful things will be on display, both afternoon and evening. Good music and readings will be part of the entertainment. This closed the business meeting and after standing together and repeat-

ing the club motto our hostess reminded us that we were celebrating our birthday as a Club by placing a huge cake with five candles before our admiring eyes. This was quite a surprise to us and showed much forethought on the part of our hostess who is ever mindful of the little things as well as the great. There was placed in the cake a tiny doll, a dime and a thimble. As the cut the cake excitement ran high, we were as eager as children to know what our slice held in store for us. Mrs. Clarence Smith drew the thimble, Mrs. Allan Bell the doll, and the dime was drawn by Mrs. S. B. Edwards, the date on the coin being the year the Club was organized and drawn by the organizer was considered a good omen for her as well as the Club and seemed to be appreciated by all as the coincidence of the dates was a "happen so." Among other social features of the afternoon was geographical contest which reminded us of our school days. The hostess, assisted by Mesdames Tynes and Gibson, served dainty refreshments which closed a very delightful afternoon. The Club will meet March 10th in a social meeting with Mrs. W. H. Harrison.

Pub. Com.

Campaign News

For the next 15 days will sell Ft. Worth Record (Daily) 6 months, \$1.50; with Sunday issue, \$2.25; set of silver spoons free to each subscriber. J. M. Boone. It

Excellent for Stomach Trouble.
"Chamberlain's Tablets are just fine for stomach trouble," writes Mrs. G. G. Dunn, Arnold, Pa. "I was bothered with this complaint for some time and frequently had bilious attacks. Chamberlain's Tablets afforded me great relief from the first, and since taking one bottle of them I feel like a different person." For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

RAILROADS WILL HELP THE FARMER

Common Carriers Will Co-operate in Marketing Farm Products—Middlemen Charge Higher Rates for Handling Farm Than Factory Products.

By Peter Radford.

The leading railroad systems of the nation will establish market bureaus to assist the farmers along their lines in marketing their products. The following lines have acceded to the request of the Farmers' Union and announced their willingness to enter into active co-operation with the farmers in marketing their products: Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Southern Pacific, Santa Fe, St. Louis, Southwestern and other "system" lines.

The express companies have surveyed the field and the Federal Government, through the parcel post, has demonstrated the possibilities of the common carrier as a useful agency in marketing farm commodities.

I consider the action of these giant business concerns in determining to co-operate with the farmers in marketing their crops, to be the greatest product of human thought in the Western hemisphere during the past year, and it demonstrates that the educational work of the Farmers' Union has brought the nation to a clearer understanding of the real problems of the farmer.

To give information on marketing is far more valuable than to give advice on production. There is a mutual interest between the railroads and the farmer which cannot exist between any other lines of industry. The railroads are the teamsters of agriculture and they are employed only when there is something to haul. Good prices will do more to increase tonnage than any other factor, and railroads want tonnage.

Agriculture has many inherent disadvantages which require combined effort to overcome in marketing. There are millions of producing units working independently and selling without knowledge of market conditions. The harvest is once a year, while consumption is pretty evenly distributed throughout the entire year, and most of the farmers, through custom and necessity, dump their entire crop on the market as soon as it is gathered. The problem of organizing and systematizing the markets is one in which the farmers invite assistance of all lines of industry friendly to their interests.

Farmers Bear the Burden

The business of the manufacturer lends itself more readily to organization and the facilities for studying the markets are more easily available. The result is that the merchants are compelled to handle most staple manufactured articles at very little profit, and as a consequence the merchant must look to products which he buys direct from the farm for his profits.

The reports of the Federal Department of Agriculture show some very interesting information and enable a comparison between the cost of marketing products of the farm and those of the factory. A few items will serve to illustrate the general run. The cost of getting sugar from the refinery to the consumer is 9 cents on the dollar; the cost of getting tobacco from the factory to the consumer is 14 cents on the dollar. In selling a dollar's worth of eggs the middleman gets a profit of 50 cents on the dollar. In selling a dollar's worth of potatoes, the middleman makes 70 cents on the dollar; in selling a dollar's worth of fruit, the middleman gets 84 cents on the dollar, and on cantaloupes 82 cents.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 579, published by the United States Department of Agriculture, in discussing this subject, said:

"The high price paid by consumers, ranging from 5 to 600 per cent, in some cases, shows that the farmer receives, indicates that there is plenty of room for lowering the cost of farm products to consumers and at the same time largely increasing the cash income per farm, without increasing farm production. This condition is undoubtedly a marketing problem which will have to be solved by better organization of farmers and improved methods of marketing."

Large Shippers Influence Rates. In railroad rates the inequalities

POLITICAL Announcements

The Brand is authorized to announce the following as candidates for election to the respective offices, all subject to the Democratic primary and party:

- FOR JUDGE 69TH DISTRICT—
HOW. D. H. HILL, of Dallas
- FOR ATTORNEY 69TH DIST.—
J. W. SELLARS, of Bedford.
- SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR—
W. D. KELIBOR
HENRY HUBBERT
R. H. NORTON
R. W. BAIRD
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE—
W. M. MEGERT
JAS. A. (JIM) HUGHES
R. E. COOK
J. E. GARRISON
- COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK—
J. S. JONES
A. O. (ALEC) THOMPSON
C. E. SMITH
- COUNTY TREASURER—
J. J. WARD
L. W. RICKETTS
H. L. MOORE
J. O. JENKINS
- FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR—
W. A. (AL) MILLER
J. H. HEAD
CHARLES E. LESTER
O. E. THOMAS
H. F. MITCHELL
J. S. WYCHE
- COMMISSIONER PREC. NO. 1—
W. W. BENNETT
F. W. CURTIS

are equally as glaring. Rate making in its primitive stages was largely influenced by demands and arguments of large shippers, but the farmers were unorganized and seldom appeared before rate-making bodies, and the burden of expense in transportation lies largely against the raw products of the farm.

In business, our resources are discounted against, as compared with the products of the factories and mines. The farmer is entitled to a square deal. The farmer is more interested in good prices and efficient service than he is in rates.

New 22 Caliber Marlin Winchester Rifle for sale or exchange. Ralph Barnett. 3-2t

J. L. Fuqua has some work and saddle horses for sale. Also some good milk cows. 1t

Hereford Garage and Machine Works can do all kinds repairing. Heavy Lathe and Planer work a specialty. Give us a call. 10t

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The National Weekly

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Until this year Collier's has been sold at \$5.50. Now the price is \$2.50 and we have secured a concession whereby we can offer it at a still further reduction in connection with this publication.

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Recognizing the great demand for Collier's at the low price, we have made arrangements to offer it and our own publication each one year at the price of Collier's alone. This is a limited offer and must be taken advantage of promptly.

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Summerfield News.

Feb. 25.—There were no M. E. services held at the school house Sunday on account of the high wind. Bro. McDonald and wife of Bovina came to fill his appointment, he going on to Canyon for a few days while Mrs. McDonald visited in the neighborhood until his return.

Rev. Monroe purchased a house some 14 miles northwest of here and is having the same moved to his home place south of here. About 14 of his friends and neighbors are busy serving in this capacity and hope to reach their journey's end by Wednesday night.

Mr. Clifton still remains in a serious condition. All his children have been called home to be with him during this severe sickness. His many friends are hoping for his recovery.

Mr. Woods, our genial section foreman, will change places with Mr. Hufstedler of Bovina. The change taking place Sunday. Mr. Hufstedler has been here before.

Word has been received in the neighborhood from our former neighbors Geo. Orr, that they arrived safely at their home in Mobetie and believe they will like their surroundings very much.

Mrs. G. J. Ness visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glaspel from Friday till Monday, Mr. Ness keeping bachelor's hall.

Several of our most progressive farmers are purchasing cream separators. These machines are very essential where one intends to engage in dairying to an extent.

Findlay Findings.

George Guinn made a business trip to Hereford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Shore were Hereford visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlenker, Frank Jacobs and Fern Taylor took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Houlette a week ago last Sunday.

Mrs. Mae Abbot of Bovina was visiting last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sacks gave a party at their home on Saturday evening, Feb. 21, the occasion being Carl Forth's, a neighbor boy, birthday. Games of various descriptions were indulged in. Delightful refreshments were served at midnight. After giving him his eighteen "kicks" and one to grow up, the guests departed all voting the host and hostess very delightful entertainers.

E. A. Bare of Pleasant Hill, Ia., is here looking after his interests in the sheep business.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hill of Eriopa visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Shore Monday.

Dimmitt News.

W. P. Boyd was a Dimmitt visitor Saturday.

Louis Dyrz was in Dimmitt Saturday.

J. W. Alexander made a trip to Hereford Saturday.

Beakin Elys was in Dimmitt on business Saturday.

J. M. Goblehorn was in Dimmitt Saturday.

Miss Mary McLean, who is attending the Normal at Canyon, spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks.

Brit Boyd was a Dimmitt visitor Saturday.

Lent Merrit of Hart passed through Dimmitt going and coming from Hereford Saturday.

Mr. Terrell was in Dimmitt Saturday.

Mr. Houston from his ranch 8 miles southeast of Dimmitt made a trip to Hereford Saturday to do some shopping.

Percy Bates was in Dimmitt Saturday.

Glen Greer was a Dimmitt visitor Saturday.

Miss Ewing was in Dimmitt Saturday.

Ulric Clifton made a business trip to Hereford Sunday and Monday.

Edgar Ramey was a Dimmitt visitor Saturday.

Fred Shulz was in Dimmitt Sunday.

G. L. McLean and wife made a trip to Hereford Tuesday.

Edwin Ramey was calling on Miss Lena Tate Sunday.

Floyd Collup of Hereford was in Dimmitt Sunday.

Frank Stapleton from the Flag ranch was a Dimmitt visitor Sunday.

Joe Greer was in Dimmitt Sunday.

Friona Items.

Feb. 25.—Mrs. H. D. Seamond left here for Maquoketa, Ia., Monday to visit her children.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Weir took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lillard Sunday.

John F. Priddy went to Amarillo Saturday afternoon and returned on the 12:05 train.

Miss Inez Winn came home from Canyon Saturday and stayed over Sunday with her parents.

Mr. Hole of Dayton, Ohio, has moved to Friona.

John Priddy, Max Brownlee, Lawrence Lillard, Lucy Goodwine and Edith Maurer took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Winn Sunday.

John Lillard is loading his car to move back to Richmond, Mo. Expect to leave Tuesday.

Mrs. D. M. Davis is on the sick list.

Homer Fox visited at Hereford over Sunday.

Lester Gorden returned Monday after visiting in east Texas for three weeks.

The school trustees purchased a new piano for the school of Leybe Piano Co., of Amarillo.

J. E. Cary of Hereford is moving in the house recently occupied by John Lillard.

School Notes.

The chapel service Monday was very interesting. Reverends Paris and Saffie gave the pupils excellent talks and gave advice in such a way as to make it very impressive.

The first grade also contributed to the opening exercises by giving selections from Eugene Field. They recited "Winken, Blinken and Nad" in concert, after which Maurine Hughes gave the beautiful piece, "Little Boy Blue," and Eloise Pitman gave "The Gingham Dog and the Calico Cat." They ended their selections by the song, "The Drum," which everyone enjoyed.

Ora Curtis has reentered the ninth grade after an absence of several months.

Gladys Ivy has returned after a slight illness.

The grades having no tardies last week are: first grade, fifth grade, sixth grade, seventh grade.

Miss Bertha Dameron is teaching the fourth grade during the absence of Miss Russell.

If the weather permits, there will be a preliminary field meet at the school house on Friday, Feb. 27, between four and five o'clock.

Change of Ownership.

J. C. Hopkins of Plainview is now the owner of the Plainsman. Mr. Hopkins is an experienced newspaper man and is at the present time editor and owner of the Daily Advertiser at Plainview. He will carry out all unfinished contracts, and with sufficient patronage will give Dimmitt a paper to be proud of. Plainsman.

Men's Suits

We have just received from New York City a nobby Spring line of medium priced Men's Suits. We are marking these suits at a very close margin, for selling for cash, we can sell for less than the merchant who sells on credit and loses a bad account occasionally. These suits are all this Spring models in blues, greys, tans and browns. Come in and let us fit you while we have your size. Our prices are

\$10.00 to \$18.00

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"Dodson's Liver Tonic takes the place of calomel. Instead of being dangerous, it is harmless and works easily and naturally, without bad after-effects. I have authorized Betts & Clark to refund purchase price (50c.) to you instantly without question if you are in any way dissatisfied with it. If Dodson's Liver Tonic can't help you, I don't want your money."

That's how Dodson feels about this pleasant-tasting vegetable-liquid liver regulator and reliever of constipation and biliousness.

The lives of so many people have been brightened and bettered by this great remedy that leading druggists

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It is generally known that calomel, being a poison, is a peril to many. It stays in the system and, while it may seem to give you a temporary relief, often "knocks you out" for several days.

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40c Grade Bulk Wapco Coffee	35c
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Any erroneous statement affecting the character or reputation of any individual or firm which may appear in The Brand, will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publishers.

It is reported that Memphis has a non-progressive mayor on hand and the report goes that he has filed injunction suits to stop the issuance of bonds to erect a school building which is sorely needed. Oust him, gentlemen, oust him.

Two Vernon pastors have arranged to exchange pulpits; one a Methodist, the other a Disciple. This is true co-operation. Only a few years ago, one preacher would have been afraid to risk his flock with a preacher of a different denomination. The world moves.

A question: Why bring the prohibition question into every campaign? Because this question is uppermost in the minds of the people. It must be settled and it will not down until settled right. The question is to be fought out in the Democratic primaries this summer.

ANOTHER question: Can a man be a Democrat and also be for prohibition? Can a man be a Democrat and be against prohibition? It seems so, but when the party speaks this summer the question will be settled as to whether the Democratic party of Texas will adopt the prohibition plank as one of its planks.

will always master at Weather-famous painter, has announced Kolodon gave a man who smokes This was follow apply for a job in the Mrs. Ezra North. No one who lighted the guidered for a place piano number. Time is rapidly con-Field are below ppler and the cigar-old. Mrs. I have no good posi-his most popuim.

ing. A pre-sung by Meary the influence of followed but Maria of the Terrell Annie Last city has adopted the Miss ary attendance rule and as a sident they have 83 per cent of their enrollment actually in school. The Brand compliments Terrell upon its progressiveness. If the state is to be required to furnish school houses and teachers for the benefit of the children, then the children should be required to attend.

AS predicted by every paper that comes to this exchange, Tom Ball of Houston was nominated on first ballot by the Fort Worth elimination convention. The Anti papers call him a dark horse and a few of the Pro papers, who do not like Ball's political history, especially his connection with great corporations, are "bucking to beat the beat." Most men are forgiving when it comes to moral corruption and sin, but when a man goes wrong politically and especially if he goes off after the corporation harlot, he is forever branded. Back up, gentlemen.

Plainsman Quits.

It is reported the Dimmitt Plainsman recently bought by a Plainview man has been dismantled and the machinery moved to that place.

We have seed Rye and Barley. E. W. Harrison, 1t

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At the Presbyterian Church.

Regular services will be held at the Presbyterian church Sunday and Sunday night, Rev. Baker preaching. Members will be received at both services. A full attendance is urged.

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All parties wanting to hunt and fish on Sulphur Park must see R. E. Smith and get permit. L. Gough. (t Apr. 1)

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For Sale or Trade.
640 acres land in Cherokee Co., Texas, near three small towns and 3 miles from R. R., 4 miles from river; 60 acres in cultivation, being in two farms, with a two room house on each farm, also barns and corrals, three or four springs, also wells, all being good water; partly bottom and partly hill land, black, grey and red soils, balance in timber, with some grass in the timber which is fine grazing; the timber is mostly pine with some oak, gum and walnut, about 100 trees are original pine, hence very large, estimated timber about 2,000,000 feet. This tract of land is in a good country in S. E. Texas where the rain fall is ample for all practical purposes, and where fruits and vegetables grow to perfection, good climate, country is being settled up by a good class of citizens. This property is offered on its intrinsic merits and this description. J. E. Gyles, Hereford, Tex. 1tp

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Local and Personal

E. F. Connell made a business trip to Amarillo returning yesterday.

I want ONE DOZEN broody hens at once; either Rocks or Reds. Phone 58.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Phillips of the Wildorado community were in Hereford yesterday.

Miss Bertha Dameron has been teaching in Miss Hortense Russell's place this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gough have been here this week preparing to move back to Hereford.

U. G. Randle of Amarillo was here Wednesday and Thursday on important business.

Mr. Charles of Amarillo, a prominent cattleman, was in the city this week on business.

Mr. Jolly of Texas has been here for some days visiting with his friend, J. Frank Potts.

Miss Ruby Norton returns today from a six weeks visit to friends and relatives at Quanah, Texas.

Mrs. W. T. Stanberry and baby are here from Amarillo this week visiting with her many friends.

Miss Meda Woodburn went down to Amarillo last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. M. Russell.

W. H. Patterson of Amarillo, Texas, a live wire in the life insurance business, is in Hereford this week.

J. F. Baker and family have moved to Hereford from Spring Lake. He is opening a restaurant in the Walker building.

John Mosely has gone to Dallas where he takes charge of the subscription department of a large southern farm paper.

E. J. Bates of Marshall, Mo., came in the first of the week to look after some cattle purchases which he made while here during January.

J. H. Wilson and family have moved to the Hines place recently occupied by Rev. Nance and family, the latter moving to the Hicks house.

The Mothers Club will give their Art-Crafts and Curio entertainment on Friday and Saturday, March 6 and 7, at the Bogard building. Admission 10 cents.

Mrs. Chris Garrison returned Sunday from Amarillo where she had been on the previous day to attend the funeral of her life-long friend, Mrs. J. M. Russell.

Fred Warren and family of Trenton, Mo., are thinking of moving to Hereford. They own a large ranch south of Friona, but wish to locate at Hereford on account of the school.

Smith & Guinn have leased 80 sections of grass land from the Syndicate and will stock it with 2 year old steers. The land is located along the Tierra Blanca in the western part of this county.

Chas. Donnell and family have bought the property recently occupied by C. H. Pratt and family, necessitating a move by both families. So they exchanged places, the Pratt family going to the Dodson place in north Hereford.

Dr. D. D. Swearingin, of the firm of Presley & Swearingin, specialists, of Roswell, N. M., will be in Hereford at Dr. W. A. Price's office, March the 12, 13 and 14, to treat diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and to fit glasses. 4-2t

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You must be more, have more and do more in this life or you will always be seeing other men that are better dressed getting more out of life, more of this world's enjoyments and comforts than you. We can point you to hundreds of young men and women no smarter than you that are now successfully and happily engaged in a business of their own, because they attended our institution, took a course of bookkeeping and shorthand or business administration and finance, and prepared themselves to go into the business office and and work along with trained men and become masters of the art of doing business.

Business is not a happy-go-lucky, haphazard sort of a thing. If you understand it thoroughly, you are sure to succeed. If you have never been trained, it is all left to luck and guess work.

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Junior C. E. Program.
Sunday, March 1, 1914.
Song—Bringing in the Sheaves.
Lord's Prayer in concert.
Subject—How Can We Win the Blessing Promised to the Meek?
Bible lesson—Matt. 5:5.
Talk—Who are the Meek—Nellie Carter.
National superintendent's letter.
Song—Follow Me.
Sentence prayers.
Lesson story, Two Ways of Taking it—Edna Kellow.
Quiz.
Mission study—India.
Song—Our Sunset Song.
Mispah.
Leader—Dorothy Barnett.
Presbyterian Christian Endeavor.
March 1, 1914.
Subject—The Love Verse (consecration meeting).
Scripture—1 John 4:16.
Song—164-186.
Prayer.
Song—81.
What is love—Rev. W. M. Baker.
Give a Bible instance of love—Dorothy Boardman.
Why should we love one another—Velma Green.
Piano solo—Bro. Bailey.
How can we increase our love for our fellowmen—Gilbert Fox.
How can we be sure that God loves us—Mae Womack.

Song—314.
What is your favorite love verse—Hallie Womack, Minnie Owen, Harley Green, David Broadwell.
Closing.
Leader—Dot Owen.
Epworth League Program.
March 1, 1914.
Leader—Juanita Caylor.
Song—Give Me Thy Heart.
Prayer—Addie Anthony (closed with the Lord's Prayer in concert.)
Subject of lesson—A Song of Trust and Deliverance, Psalm XL.
Song—I Know God's Promise is True.
Discussion of the topic—Goochie Sisk.
Special music—Mary and Nellie Farmer.
Song—Onward Christian Soldiers.
Roll call—Answer with Scripture verses.
Benediction.
C. W. B. M. Program.
March 4, 1914.
Topic—The Missionary Education of the Children.
Hymn.
Bible reading—Psalm 100.
Prayer.
Facing the Facts—Mrs. Shirley.
Primary Department of Sunday School—Mrs. C. Garrison.
Hymn.
Book review—Mrs. Ramsey.

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Vesta Hubbert.
Sentence prayer by boys—Led by Dee Owen.
Song—Mary Hicks, Mary Carter, Olive Wilson.
Memory verse—Forest Corn.
Reading of lesson story—Emma Richards, Carena Dent, Charlie Carroll, Carl Lewis.
Read and comment on Roman 14:1-7—Helen Lambert.
Read and comment on Roman 14:8-15—Jarvis Rayzor.
Reading, Lest We Forget—Delma Rayzor.
Music—Marie Burns.
Leader—Sena Mae Mounts.
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Boys you better get busy for that automobile at Cardwell's. 3-2t

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Dale Writes About Candidates and Fish.

Port Aransas, Tex. Feb. 11, 1914.
Editor Brand:

I received paper yesterday which reminded me. Enclosed find Batakin and mark me up for 1914 as the wife and I take a great interest in reading the Brand and I generally get the first look at it for I get it as I go to my dinner and have as my excuse that I will have to hurry back to work. We also are taking a great interest in the boys who wish to feed at the county pie counter for the next two years, and my but they are getting thick and if they keep on at the present rate votes will be at a premium. I wish the old boys had some of the cut backs of fish that I have to handle nearly every day, and what I mean by cut backs is the over and under weight fish that the law says the fisherman shall not offer for sale for all Redfish over 12 pounds and under 1 1/4 pounds are illegal fish and have to be cut back and if dead are a total loss and works quite a hardship on the fisherman and benefits no one. This law applies to all marketable fish, but the legal weights vary according to the kind of fish.

The first real work commenced today in extending the Jetties which will be built nearly a mile further out in the Gulf and it will be nearly three years before the work will be

finished. All the inside basins and docks have been dredged out and we have from 25 to 30 feet of water on the inside of the harbor.

We are getting along fairly well in the fish business, but it has its draw backs the same as anything else for it is generally too much or too none for in December we handled nearly 25,000 pounds of fish and, of course, nearly all the balance of the dealers in proportion, but now a barrel or two a day looks good to us. Our old friend, Geo. Hay, is here and spending a few days with us. Don't miss a copy of the Brand.

Yours truly,
GEO. W. DALE.

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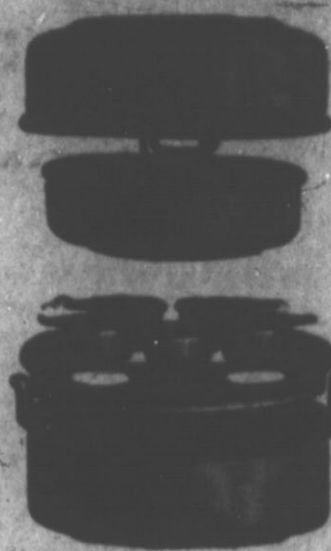
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Panhandle News.

Randall county will have in cultivation this year more than 100,000 acres of land. Of this acreage 35,000 will be in winter wheat, 10,000 in spring wheat and the remainder in milo maize, kaffir cane, feterita and alfalfa. And all of these will make bumper crops.—Randall Co. News.

The annual meeting of the Panhandle Press Association will be held in Amarillo Saturday, April 11. Work must begin on the program at once. I hope that all who have subjects they wish heard discussed will please write me at once. Let's make this meeting practical and helpful to each and every member of the association.

C. W. Warwick, President.

The Goldston Produce Co. will ship one car of poultry from Roaring Springs to California this week. This is the tenth car they have shipped to San Francisco this season, and as each car averages about 4500 birds, it will be seen that their poultry business amounts to something.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

The Goldston Produce Co., at Quannah has shipped ten cars of poultry to San Francisco this season. About 45,000 fowls.

An election will soon be held in Texline precinct, Dallam county, to determine whether or not liquor shall be sold there. The county went wet a short time ago.

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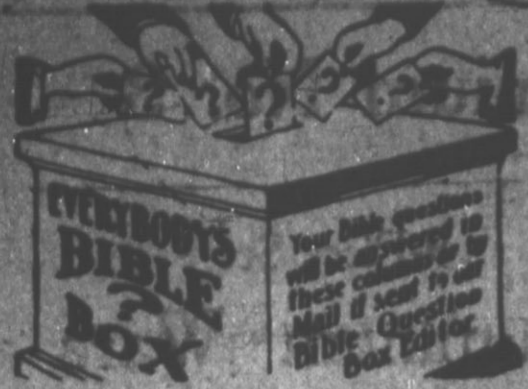


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Q.—What is the meaning of 1 Corinthians 15:22, "As in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive?" (D. N.)

Answer.—As the entire reign of sin and death came through Adam's disobedience upon the whole world, so the entire release from the curse will come to every member of the race through Jesus. The broad basis for this work has already been laid in the death of Jesus. "Christ died for our sins, according to the scriptures" (1 Corinthians 15:3). Jesus Christ, by the grace of God, tasted death for every man. "He is the propitiation for our sins and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world" (1 John 2:2). As all the race were involved in the death sentence, the one redemptive work was all that was necessary for the releasing of all. In God's arrangement, He has divided the redeemed into two great classes, both of which will attain everlasting life. One class will receive it on the spiritual or heavenly plane, while the other will get it on the earthly plane. This does not signify universalism, for while these two classes are to be saved, the Bible distinctly tells of some who will receive the grace of God in vain, and die the second death (Revelation 21:8). A better translation of your text is: "As all in Adam die, even so all in Christ shall be made alive." The world now dies because children of Adam; such as receive life will get it because of becoming related to Jesus.

Q.—Is it proper to have a creed? (K. E.)

Answer.—One could not be a Christian without a creed. When a person says that he has no creed he usually merely means that he has no written creed aside from the Bible. For the sake of convenience many Christians accept some short statement of what they consider to be the teachings of the Bible. Manifestly all such creeds should be very elastic and the mind prepared to change or drop them entirely should they at any time be found out of harmony with the Bible. Inasmuch as the light of divine truth is progressive (Proverbs 4:18) no creed could be expected to last long. The creed of every disciple of Christ is the Bible and whatever other statements of belief he may give assent to must have been drawn to his own mind to be founded on this "sure foundation." To gather our forces around inflexible standards would be an expensive mistake, for the few great truths which we have gathered from the rubbish heaps of the dark past are only a few of the many lost centuries ago. Special features of truth are constantly becoming due. Of these we would be entirely deprived. God's Word is a great storehouse of food for hungry pilgrims on the shining pathway. There is milk for babes, and strong meat for those more developed (1 Peter 2:2; Hebrews 5:14); and not only so, but it contains food adapted to the different seasons and conditions; and Jesus said the one faithful in service should bring forth "meat in due season" for the household of faith—"things new and old" from the storehouse (Luke 12:42; Matthew 13:52). To bring forth "things

meat in due season" we will have to progress.

Q.—Since our Lord did not pray for the world, but for those whom thou hast given us" (John 17:9). Similarly, our prayers and appeals do not need to be put forth on behalf of the world in general, but in the interest of those who have the ear to hear and the heart to respond to the heavenly calling of this Gospel age. We are to remember that now no man can come unto the Son and into the blessed privileges of the present trial except the Father draw him, (John 6:44). This does not imply that we are to feel careless respecting the interests of the world in general, who are included in our petition when we pray, "Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." It merely means that the Lord's people, who are aware of the Divine program, know that the heavenly Father has a great blessing in store for the world in general, the great blessing mentioned in the text. "He hath appointed a day in the which He will judge the world in righteousness by that man whom He hath ordained"—Christ the head, and the church His body. When the world's judgment day shall have come it will not be for the purpose of deciding whether or not the people of the world are sinners. That is already decided. By the corrective judgments of that period they are to be released from their bondage to sin if they choose to accept the assistance then offered. If we were to fail to pray for the world, in harmony with the model prayer given us by the Lord, it would indicate that we were not in harmony with the Father's purposes and that we had not yet acquired a proper degree of love. On the other hand, if we were to ask the Lord to give the world their blessings now, or to take them to heaven, we would thus prove ourselves either ignorant of the divine purposes or out of harmony with them. Only in His time and way will He bless them.

Q.—Was Peter the ruler among the Apostles? (Aver.)

Answer.—To answer this question we have but to remember the wavering course, for a time, of Peter and the other apostles, except Paul, when the gospel was beginning to go to the Gentiles (Acts 10:28; 11:1-3; Galatians 2:11-14). Peter's uncertainty was in marked contrast with Paul's assurance, inspired by the words of the prophets, God's past dealings, and the direct revelations made to himself. There is no indication in the Bible that any one of the apostles was to be the lord of the others. The apostle Paul evidently had more abundant revelations than any other apostle. These revelations he was not allowed to make known to the Church, nor fully and plainly even to the other apostles (2 Corinthians 12:4), yet we can see a value to the entire Church in those visions and revelations given to the apostle. What he saw gave a force, shading and depth of meaning to his words which, in the light of subsequent facts, prophetic fulfillments and the Spirit's guidance, we are able to appreciate more fully than could the early Church.

Q.—In the parable of the sower (Matthew 13:18-24) what are the thorns that choke out the good seed? (M. T.)

Answer.—Our Lord explains that the thorns are not wicked practices, as they are today usually explained to be, but "cares of this life and the deceitfulness of riches and the lusts of the world" whose heart has been renewed by the

gracious promises of God's Word and the hope of a share in the kingdom with his Lord. He is in danger of being swamped with the ordinary duties of life—proper enough in themselves to a limited degree. The Lord's Word commands him to be not slothful in business and to make provision for those of his own household, but he is in constant danger of allowing these things to crowd out his spiritual interests. Instead of curtailing earthly desires, ambitions, business and family responsibilities—minimizing those that he may have the more time or money of both to expend in the Divine service, he is apt to allow the matter to go the other way, to give too great heed to these things and to "provide more than things needful and decent." Pride, ambition for self and family, love of money and the pursuit of it, and the avarice which this pursuit brings, all hindrances to spiritual growth and to fruitage in the Lord's service—these are the thorns. Alas many of God's true saints are thus injured! These will not be fit for the kingdom. They will miss the great prize, though they may, in God's providence, attain great blessings, being made fit for His favor by coming up through great tribulation.

Q.—What is the secret of the apparent indifference of most Christians to the impending eternal torment which they claim is a possibility for themselves as well as for the rest of the world? (Sinner.)

Answer.—This indifference is in the first place born of doubt that there is any such place, or that the Almighty would be such a monster as to treat His intelligent creatures as the most devilish man we have ever known would not treat a brute beast. Secondly, where there is a measure of faith in eternal torment there is also a measure of hope and expectation that after having "sown their wild oats" they may settle down to average respectability, and that in any event the probabilities are small that they would die so suddenly as not to have the time for the brief prayer, "God be merciful to me a sinner." And somehow the idea prevails that this prayer for a moment preceding the last gasp of life would change the eternal destinies of that person from the road of ruin to the elysian fields of Paradise and glory, honor and immortality with God and the angels and the saintly. A reasonable mind, of course, cannot accept this proposition, but, alas, the majority of minds lack the balance wheel of reason or deliberately stifle its voice.

Q.—Please explain the following questions: Who were the saints that arose and came out of the graves and appeared to many? Why were the graves opened on Friday and the bodies not raised to life till the following Sunday (Matthew 27:52, 53)? (O. A. P.)

Answer.—This is a very perplexing passage. We do not know of any satisfactory solution for its difficulties. We may be sure that the holy Jews here referred to did not have a full resurrection, for Jesus was "the first that should rise from the dead" (Acts 20:23). While this passage does not state that the bodies were animated, but merely that the bodies were thrown out of the graves, it is possible that they had life in the limited sense in which life is now enjoyed by humanity. Receiving life in this degree is not called resurrection in the Bible. Note in John 5:25, 28, 29 that all in the graves are to come forth to a resurrection, i. e., that their resurrection will come after they are out of the graves. The resurrection by judgments (the correct translation instead of damnation) will be a raising up to complete life by a process of trials, tests, corrections and punishments lasting one thousand years. The judges will be our Lord Jesus and the glorified church. See Acts 17:31 and 1 Corinthians 6:2, 3.

Panhandle Breakfast Food.
Panhandle, Texas, Feb. 13.—A company has been formed and will commence business soon which is destined to place Panhandle on the map in big letters as a manufacturing center. The company will be known as the 4-W Breakfast Food Company and consists of J. B. Wilks and J. I. Wynne of this city and R. E. Williams of Pampa. They are going to manufacture a pure wheat breakfast food. The products they put out is superior to other so-called breakfast foods as it will consist of all pure Panhandle wheat. These men are all practical business men and know the quality of the Plains wheat. This will be a big thing for Panhandle city and the farmers of Carson and surrounding counties. Let the Panhandle grow.—Carson Co. News.

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corded in Volume 14, Page 150 of the
deed of trust records of Deaf
Smith County, Texas, wherein the
land described below was conveyed
to William W. Ryan, of Jackson
county Missouri, Trustee and to his
successors in trust, as security for
the payment of one promissory note
for \$980.00, of even date therewith,
due March 1st, 1913, and payable
to the order of Geo. G. Wright at
the First National Bank, Kansas
City, Missouri, and being particu-
larly described in said deed of trust;
said deed of trust providing that in
case of default in the payment of
said note, said trustee or his suc-
cessors should sell said property to pay
said debt.

And default having been in the
payment of said note, no part there-
of being paid, and in the payment
of interest thereon from March 1,
1913, which default continues, the
balance due on said note being
\$980.00 and interest thereon at the
rate of 7 per cent per annum from
March 1, 1913; and,

WHEREAS, Geo. G. Wright, the
present legal holder of said note has
requested William W. Ryan, Trustee
and L. H. Henschel, named
in said trust deed as Alternate
Trustees, to enforce said trust, and
said trustee and alternate trustee
having refused to enforce said
trust;

Now, Therefore, L. A. W. Hen-
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been heretofore appointed such sub-
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edged by said Geo. G. Wright, the
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the highest bidder for cash, the
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The proceeds of which sale shall
be applied to the payment of the
balance due upon said indebtedness,
expenses of making such sale, and
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accordance with the terms of said
deed of trust.

Witness my hand this 27th day of
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A. W. HENSCHEL, Substitute Trustee
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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE
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Notice is hereby given that E. F.
Brown, G. L. Abbott and L. T. Les-
ter have filed interrogatories in a
certain suit pending in the District
Court of Deaf Smith County, wherein
W. W. Gatewood, W. M. Knight,
Jno. P. Slayton and Joe E. Lancaster
are plaintiffs and J. W. Williams
D. B. Williams, Tom Riley, J. S.
Queen, E. F. Brown, G. L. Abbott
and L. T. Lester are defendants, No.
264, said action being scire facias to
revive a judgment, to O. B. Pirkey a
witness who resides in Bowie County
Texas, the answers to which will be
read in evidence on the trial of said
case; and has also filed an affidavit
in said suit that D. B. Williams,
J. S. Queen and Tom Riley are non-
residents of the State of Texas; and
that a commission will issue on or
after the thirtieth day after the pub-
lication of this notice to take the
deposition of said witness.

Witness, J. S. Jones, Clerk of the
District Court of Deaf Smith County,
Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of
said court at office in the city of
Hereford, this the 11th day of Feb-

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[SEAL] J. S. JONES,
Clerk of the District Court of Deaf
Smith County, Texas.

And of this precept and how you
have executed the same make due
return.

Witness:

J. S. JONES
Clerk District Court, Deaf
Smith County Texas

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HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging
Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave
Up in Despair. Husband
Came to Rescue.

Cañon, Ky.—Is an interesting letter
from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock
writes as follows: "I suffered for four
years, with womanly troubles, and during
this time, I could only sit up for a little
while, and could not walk anywhere at
all. At times, I would have severe pains
in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treat-
ment relieved me for a while, but I was
soon confined to my bed again. After
that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand,
and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of
Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I com-
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years of continuous success, and should
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REPORT OF EXAMINING COMMITTEE

To the Honorable Board of City Commissioners, Hereford, Texas:

We, your Board of Examiners, appointed to audit the books of the City as required in Title 22, Art's 885-6 of the revised Statutes of the State of Texas, beg leave to make the following report:

There has been collected by R. P. Brazil, the following amounts:

Water and Sewer rents	\$2,465.78
Road and Bridge Fund (street tax)	641.25
Total	\$3,107.03

All or which has been turned over to the City Secretary and receipted for. We have checked the Secretary's accounts to February 1, 1914, have gone through all the tax receipt stubs and find them accounted for in the regular order.

The following is an itemized statement of the receipts and disbursements since the Commissioners took charge up to January 1, 1914. We have, however, audited the books up to February 1, 1914.

Receipts:	
Cash in bank April 1, 1912, Interest & Sinking Fund	\$5,544.73
General Fund	3.18
Taxes collected	11,745.01
Water & Sewer rents	2,165.58
Interests on daily balances	240.73
Warrant No. 177 charged back	45.00
Weed Cutting	47.40
Fines and license issued	143.00
Street tax collected	641.25
Sale of Fire Team	375.00
Sale of harness, etc.	21.45
Donation to Fire Department	1.00
Sale of Fire Team photo	.50
Rebate on Freight	6.60
Sale of Fire Wagon	800.00
Total Receipts	\$21,780.43

Disbursements:	
Salaries	\$3,566.40
Fire Department	1,077.47
Street & Health department	761.50
Water & Sewer Department	839.13
Printing & Stationery	336.07
Interest payments on bonds	4,350.00
Old Warrants redeemed	1,446.37
Bonds redeemed with accrued interest	3,022.90
Paid Ft. Worth Attorney	150.00
Vendor Lien Notes (paid off)	224.29
Refund on Taxes	33.72
Paid on new well	277.03
Paid on motor truck	150.75
Paid for collecting delinquent tax	114.03
Board of equalization, two years	85.50
Paid Fire Hose note	197.15
Police Department	16.50
First payment on Motor Truck	1,395.50
Cash in bank	3,765.67
Total Disbursements	\$21,780.43

We find the different funds kept under their proper heads as required by law. It has never been our privilege to examine a more perfect set of books, everything tallies to a cent.

Respectfully submitted,

L. BASKIN
W. L. PALMER
H. B. WEBB

[SEAL]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February, 1914
J. S. JONES,
County Clerk, Deaf Smith County Texas.

We have some choice alfalfa seed 18c per lb. E. W. Harrison. 11

A case against one of the officials of the late Glazier bank was recently tried in the district court at Canadian, resulting in the acquittal of the defendant. Cases against the other officials were dismissed.

Ollie Ratliff, a woman, has been arrested in Amarillo, charged with bootlegging.

The Wilbarger county jail is reported empty, the last occupant being an insane woman, who was removed to the asylum several days ago.

Judge J. L. Penry of Amarillo, for years one of the Panhandle's most prominent attorneys, is preparing to move his family to Dallas, from whence they came.

Mrs. Foreman's home at Ruby, Sherman county, in which the post office was located, was destroyed by fire one day last week. Loss \$600 to \$750, without insurance.

The Herald, Memphis, says: Norris Long is arranging to write a history of his life and is collecting data for same. He has been endeavoring to secure the names of parties in Kentucky who during and after the war knew him as 'Joseph in Egypt, delivering corn to Cannan'. Any one who knows of this event will do well to write to N. H. Long, Newlin, Texas.

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