

The Hereford Brand

TUESDAYS—TWICE-A-WEEK—FRIDAYS

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Hereford Breeders' Annual Picnic Wednesday, August 30

GUARDS ARE POPULAR IN STRIKE ZONE

DENISON FOLKS APPRECIATE SOLDIERS, APPARENTLY

MORALE IS GOOD

Boys Take Situation Like They Were on Vacation Social Features

(Special to The Hereford Brand)
Camp Leeper, Denison, Texas, August 7.—Company E is on the job for some actual service in Denison and has every available man on guard duty in the Ray yards. The company is rendering some efficient service and has charge of an important sector of the shops and yards. The boys now have regular shifts, wholesome food and plenty of time for sleep. Showers have been installed in addition to other conveniences and as a result the general morale of the company is that of a crowd of people taking a vacation. Passes to town with full liberty from 6:00 to 9:30 p. m. have added to the enjoyment of things. Bush's post just back of Camp Leeper is a place that company E men can be found at most any time of day.

The general health of the Camp is wonderful and no serious cases of illness has come to the attention of the medical staff to date. Water is received from the city and passes a rigid test before being used. Since leaving Hereford Corporal Harry Cannon has been promoted to Sergeant and Second Lieutenant Alvin E. Blevins has been attached to Company H.

Many Hereford men have established friendly relations with people in Denison and the social rating of the company is quite high. Papers from home and letters are probably the only necessities of life missing at the present time.

Sgt. John L. McCarty, Battalion Press Agent.

Antidote Editor Says Nice Things About Hereford

The current issue of "The Antidote," the Catholic publication now issued at Pecosville, N. Y., but which had its origin at Hereford, carries a two page write up of Hereford, together with three photographs, from the pen of Father Paul, head of the Society of the Atonement who recently conducted a ten day Mission here. Father Paul is very kind in his comments upon the people and country and expresses his pleasure at having made the visit to this community.

IOWA PARTY HERE ON VISIT IN HOME MR. AND MRS. KIBBE

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Isaacs and H. C. Kibbe of Persia, Iowa, reached Hereford overland Monday morning and are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kibbe. Mrs. Isaacs is a sister-in-law of R. J. Kibbe and H. C. Kibbe is a nephew. Mrs. Isaacs and Mr. Kibbe were in Hereford about fifteen years ago, and were delightfully surprised at the development and growth of this particular part of the Panhandle.

MISS HELEN LAMBERT GOES BACK TO CHICAGO STUDY

Miss Helen Lambert left Hereford Thursday for Corydon and McIntire, Iowa, the old home of the Lamberts. Miss Lambert will visit friends and relatives, then depart for Chicago where she will study piano under Prof. Henlot Levy in the American Conservatory of Music. This is Miss Lambert's third trip to Chicago to study under Prof. Levy.

Commissioners Court Will Open Session on Monday

The regular monthly session of the Commissioners Court will be held next Monday. Treasurer Ward is preparing his quarterly report for adoption and publication.

A Real "Chicken Farm" of Your Dreams is Here

Pick up nearly any magazine, nearly any time, and there is prominently displayed a story of some one's yearning for a "back to the soil" movement and the dream of a real "chicken farm." The desire to possess a real, honest-to-goodness chicken farm, or hog farm, or fruit farm, seems universal in mankind and the average man's conception of a near approach to the ideal.

If you will journey out to east Hereford, on the other side of the Hereford Nursery, you will find a young man who has taken time and the bull by the horns and is rapidly establishing that ideal chicken farm of his dreams. His name is Tom Webb and he is known to practically everyone in this community, being the son of H. B. Webb.

Tom is building himself a real chicken farm right here in Hereford. He has erected a small stuccoed bungalow as a residence, with a huge basement under it equipped with all modern ideas for an up-to-date incubator cellar. Here he already has two large incubators installed, and is figuring on the possibility of putting in a sectional mammoth machine in the future. If prospects justify the expenditure. Back of the house a huge poultry house, twenty feet deep and eighty feet long, has been built, with concrete foundations and a roof of galvanized iron over solid board sheeting. The front is boarded up about breast high, with the top part wire-enclosed. It is divided into several pens and each pen has a full length window in front for bad weather. Canvas drop curtains will hold off the frigid air when necessary. There is an opening at the back of each pen, with a run 20x100 in the open. On each side of the house an alfalfa patch is being prepared, which will be irrigated.

In front of this big house Mr. Webb has built a brooder house for baby chicks, 10x16, with room left for a second one later on, the two to be connected with a scratch shed. A water well has been dug now operated by hand power, but destined to be hooked up with a small pumping plant that will also furnish power to grind the feed for the poultry.

Mr. Webb says he is merely feeling his way just now and does not know definitely which route he will take in the poultry game: baby chicks, fryers, eggs or capons. He is going to try them all next year and then settle on the line that pays best at Hereford.

Tom Webb has the courage of his convictions and is determined to make that dream come true. A few more plants like this and Hereford will become the poultry center of the Panhandle.

Boyd Has Raised Over 100 Acres of Splendid Maize

L. F. Boyd brought in the first ripe, fully developed maize heads of the season Friday. Mr. Boyd and sons are on the Boardman farm six miles southeast of town, and have out 100 acres like the sample, that will be ready to harvest in ten days. The maize is of the dwarf variety and was planted about May 1. Mr. Boyd said they have seventy acres more that will make a splendid crop, of a little later planting.

REV. ASBELL WILL PREACH LAST TIME HERE NEXT SUNDAY

The Rev. J. M. Asbell of Ajo, Okla., will fill the pulpit at the Christian church next Sunday morning and at the Presbyterian church at night. Mr. Asbell will conclude his vacation here next Tuesday and leave for home on that day.

Spring Lake People Come Here to Meet Relatives

Mrs. J. B. Lawson and two children of Wichita Falls, reached Hereford Wednesday morning and will visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Livville of Spring Lake, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Livville and daughter, Ruth, met Mrs. Lawson in Hereford.

Doug Fox Gone to Market; Nestor Gass About to go

Doug Fox of the Fox Mercantile Co. is now in St. Louis and other markets buying fall goods, and Nestor Gass of D. B. Gass & Son expects to leave on the same mission about Sunday next.

BOOKS SHOW LOSS, CLAIM PHONE CO. SUBMIT FIGURES FOR EXCHANGE TO CITY COMMISSION

UP TO COMPANY Commission Feels Burden For Raise in Rates Is Not Theirs

The readers of The Brand will recall that the telephone company had indicated its desire to reconstruct its lines in Hereford, and that it requested the adoption of a resolution by the City Commission consenting to an increase in rates. The company claimed that the Hereford plant has operated for a number of years at a loss.

At the request of the Mayor it has recently furnished a statement of its revenues and expenses at Hereford for the year ending December 31, 1921, which is published herewith.

In 1919 an ordinance was passed by the City Government granting a franchise to the telephone company, which gave the company permission to use the streets and alleys and other public places of the city with its poles and equipments, and in which, the company agreed on a schedule of rates that should be charged for telephone service. The ordinance provided that the franchise should extend for seventeen years.

The Constitution of Texas contains the following provision: "No irrevocable or uncontrolable grant of special privileges or immunities shall be made; but all provisions and franchises granted by the legislature or created under its authority shall be subject to the control thereof."

Under recent decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, it has been held that under this provision of the Constitution, no Texas city could enter into a contract binding the people to pay any particular rates for any given length of time. In other words, the courts have held that such a contract or franchise is absolutely void.

If the telephone company is not under the restraint of a contract binding it to furnish telephone service for certain rates, then, of course, it would follow that it has the right to increase its charges at any time it sees proper to do so, if it is operating a plant at a loss, as it claims it is doing in Hereford.

The cities of Texas of five thousand people and over have the power to fix and regulate rates charged by public utility companies, but the cities of less than five thousand people have no such power. The only remedy that the smaller cities have if they consider that the rates charged by public utilities are too high, is to take up the question to the courts for investigation.

In the larger cities which have the power to fix and to regulate rates charged by public utilities, it has been held that they cannot fix a rate which is confiscatory. The courts have held that a utility company has a right to charge such a rate as will afford it a reasonable revenue on the value of its property in use or useful in the conduct of its business.

It would therefore appear that the telephone company has the legal right to raise its rates in Hereford regardless of the stipulations in the ordinance referred to.

It was for this reason principally that the Commission refused to adopt the resolution which the telephone company requested. The Commission thought that if the telephone company had a legal right to raise its rates regardless of the consent or willingness of the Commission, that it should not adopt a resolution which really con-

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MRS. OMER BAKER HONOREE AT BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Mrs. Omer Baker was made the honoree of a surprise birthday party Thursday night at the Stockmen's Cafe. The evening was spent in consuming a big chicken dinner and all the good things that go with it. A piano selection by Miss Ruth Hough and readings by Miss Bobbie Baker were enjoyed.

The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lee Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Frederick, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Baker and family, Misses Eva Good, Bonnie Bailey and Ruth Hough.

A BILLY SUNDA "EVE"



Mary Agnes Wichestain is a 14-year-old girl evangelist of Pittsburgh, Pa. Her sermons are delivered with all the two-fisted punching of Billy Sunday's gymnastic gyrations. She was recently invited to preach in New York.

Local Scenes to Be Shown in New Texas Geography

The Hereford Chamber of Commerce booklet, "Where Crops Never Fail," has attracted a great deal of attention from all over the country in the past and is still very effective, as witness the attached letter from Ginn & Company of Boston, a national publishing house.

"We are collecting pictures with which to illustrate a geography of Texas, for use in the public schools of your state. I have before me a pamphlet issued by your Chamber of Commerce entitled "Where Crops Never Fail." There are some excellent pictures in this pamphlet, two of which I would very much like to secure for use in my book. I wonder if there is any possibility of securing from you the original photographs from which these pictures were made.

"I have torn out of the pamphlet the two pictures which I refer to, and am enclosing them herewith. If I am going to be able to secure these pictures through you, I presume that you would rather have me loan them than buy them, but any arrangement that will be satisfactory to you would be agreeable to me. In case you can loan them to me, I should be very glad indeed to mention your Chamber of Commerce beneath the pictures.

"I sincerely hope that I shall hear favorably from you in the near future." The photographs mentioned are being sent the publishers as it is felt that publicity of this kind is without price and of a lasting benefit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Shreve Visit Newport Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Shreve and three children left Hereford the latter part of last week for Newport, Texas, where they will visit in the home of Mr. Shreve's mother for about two weeks. Mr. Shreve's mother will accompany them back to Hereford on their return trip.

RELATIVES HASTEN TO BEDSIDE MISS MOLLIE GIFFORD

Mrs. A. A. Foster and small son and her sister, Miss Bobby Astin, were suddenly called to Tulsa Wednesday night by news of the serious illness of their aunt, Miss Mollie Gifford. Miss Gifford has been making her home with her niece but was on a visit to relatives at Tulsa at the time she was stricken. Advice received here Friday indicated that little hope was held out for the recovery of Miss Gifford.

M. M. Major of Midlothian Visits Relatives Here

M. M. Major reached Hereford Wednesday morning from Midlothian, Texas, where he has been visiting in the home of his uncle, W. W. Major. Mr. Major is here visiting his father, G. C. Major, an family, also his three daughters, Misses Elsa, Adelle and Aleta.

WILL BE HELD THIS YEAR ON MRS. BRADLY'S TIERRA BLANCO RANCH PROPERTY

CATTLEMEN AND THEIR FAMILIES, AND ALL OTHERS DIRECTLY INTERESTED IN THE CATTLE BUSINESS ARE INVITED

BASKET PICNIC WITH BARBECUE

Committee Will Furnish Barbecued Beef, But Everybody Will Be Expected to Bring Well-filled Baskets of Other Eatables. Just a Social Affair, That's all

Very little has been said so far this year about that annual Hereford Breeders' Picnic, which has come to be regarded as a fixture here and an event to be looked forward to eagerly each year, and some doubt was forming in the minds of the "cow" element of Hereford's population that the popular gathering was to be passed over this year.

But a meeting of the Picnic Committee of the Association, consisting of Mrs. L. R. Brady, Allen Powellson and D. L. McDonald, held Wednesday afternoon, chased away the gathering gloom and announcement was formally made that the picnic would be held on Mrs. Brady's ranch on the creek on Wednesday, August 30.

It's going to be a purely social affair this year, with a minimum, or entire absence of all oratory and "hot air." Mrs. Brady and Will Wumble will furnish a beef each, and Messrs. McDonald and Powellson will provide another from some source, and Mack Meeks has agreed to do the barbecuing. Plenty of ice water, and iced tea and coffee will go with the barbecue, while the guests will be expected to contribute the pies, and cakes, and pickles, and onions and crackers, and bread and everything else that goes with a real barbecue.

And the secret has even leaked out, for the benefit of the regular cowboys

hereabouts, that the famous old time roundup stew mixture, of various names and aliases, will also be present in abundance.

The committee has passed up the oratory and plans to have a regular, old-fashioned "get-together" social meeting during the day. The only variations that might be made in this program would be for some fellow dripping with OPTIMISM for the cow business, and with a rare gift of telling it, to drift into town before the thirtieth.

Who's invited? Well, it's like this, said the committee: We would like to invite everybody and his dog, but that would be too many for us, so we will be compelled to hold it to just those folks in this community who make their living out of the cattle business, or are directly connected with the public industry. The committee feels sure that the public generally will readily understand the impossibility of having the entire population out for the day, and will not feel that the association members are unduly exclusive.

This town is named Hereford, one of the principal industries is the raising of Hereford cattle, and when the breeders take hold of a thing it just naturally goes over in true Hereford style. All past breeders' picnics have been jim dandies and this one is undoubtedly going to be the best of them all to date.

Don't forget that date—Wednesday, August 30.

Hot Weather Has Been Broken; it Might Rain Again

The thunder heads come up on the eastern horizon every afternoon and even some of the "old timers" are predicting that the rains are not over for the present and that additional moisture is ahead for this section. The excessive heat prior to the recent rains is missing and the nights are delightfully cool now, in good old fashioned Panhandle style.

METHODIST GIRLS ARE IN CAMP NEAR CITY OF AMARILLO

Last week The Brand stated that the girls of the Methodist Missionary Society had gone to the canyon to attend the Baptist encampment. This should have read to join the camp of the Methodist Northwest Texas Girls' encampment, located about eleven miles south of Amarillo.

The girls expect to be gone about ten days. They were chaperoned by Mesdames Ben Allen and Mary Monday. The party consisted of: Gladys Bryant, Kathleen Huskins, Virginia Gaird, Louise Hieglers, Elizabeth Stegall, Genevieve Price, Grace Potts, Frances Overhaier, Josephine Stocking, Allen Hodge and Buelah Lee Rutherford.

The boys of Mrs. Stegall's Sunday School class went down to the camp in advance and spent two or three days preparing everything and erecting the tents for the girls.

Walter Fullwood and Family Visiting in Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fullwood and little daughter and Mr. Fulwood's sister, Miss Frances, left Hereford the latter part of last week for Colorado. The Fullwoods will make their first stop at Colorado Springs, and later will tour in Estes Park and vicinity.

J. H. Bowers Enjoys Visit From Sister, of Childress

Mrs. T. A. Ross and son, Bill, and daughter, Agnes, of Childress reached Hereford Monday morning, and are visiting in the home of Mrs. Ross's brother, J. H. Bowers.

Scouts' Magician And Band Render An Entertainment

The Hereford Boy Scout troop Thursday night presented to a good audience at the courthouse an entertainment of magic by Ramona, a young magician. The Hereford Band played a portion of its regular weekly concert outside and then aided the Scouts with selections within the courtroom as a prelude to the main event.

Ramona's performance was pronounced satisfactory in the main, though short. He explained that he curtailed it somewhat owing to the lateness of the hour. The Scouts realized about \$20 net after all expenses were paid, which they will apply on the fund they are accumulating for their annual camping trip into the mountains of New Mexico.

El Paso Teachers Visit Miss Frances Turrentine

S. J. Isaacs and daughter, Miss Maude, and son, Jack Isaacs, and Miss Lucile Smith, all of El Paso, reached Hereford Friday morning en route from Colorado to their home on the border. The party spent the day with Miss Frances Turrentine, an old friend. Misses Turrentine, Smith and Isaacs are teachers in the El Paso schools.

H. L. MARTIN MOVES "BARBER" SHOP TO NEW LOCATION

H. L. Martin moved his barber shop the first of the week to the concrete building next to the old Post Office, formerly occupied by the Cummins Plumbing Shop. Mr. Martin will employ another barber the last of the week.

Mesdames Arnold and Gooch Spend Week Here

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Arnold and son and Mrs. Horace Gooch, of Amarillo, reached Hereford Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Gooch will visit in the homes of a number of friends for the next ten days. They are being lavishly entertained by their many friends here.

Books Show Loss Claim Phone Co.

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Secured no authority on the telephone company which it did not already possess.

The telephone company has expressed a wish to reconstruct its plant in Hereford. The City Commission would be glad to have it do so. It is claimed that it will cost about \$16,000.00 to reconstruct its plant here. If it should spend \$16,000.00 in reconstructing this plant, then, of course, the telephone company would be certain to raise its rates. But if a raise of rates must

come, the City Commission wanted the telephone company to take the whole responsibility for it, and not be in a position to place any of the responsibility on the Commission.

The officers of the telephone company rather intimated that unless the resolution suggested was adopted by the City Commission, that probably the plant would not be reconstructed. But it is possible that the company will reconstruct the plant and will take its own course in regard to raising rates after it has been reconstructed. The accompanying statement shows the various items making up revenue and expenses, and no doubt will prove interesting reading to those who are curious to know how and why it is that the Hereford plant is being operated at a loss.

EXCHANGE SERVICE REVENUES:	
Subscribers' Station Revenue	\$8,515.80
Public Pay Station Revenues	11.80
Service Stations	890.10
Estimated Rental for 204 Toll Circuit Attachments on Exchange Poles at 10c each per annum	20.40
Total	\$9,708.10
MISCELLANEOUS OPERATING REVENUES:	
Advertising and Directory	350.75
Other Miscellaneous Revenues	3.15
Total	353.90
Total Telephone Operating Revenues	10,062.00
Less License Revenue Dr.—Rights, Privileges and Use of Property—Bell System	397.17
Balance Telephone Operating Revenues	9,664.83
MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:	
Supervision of Maintenance	340.44
Repairs of Aerial Plant	688.40
Repairs of Central Office Equipment	227.90
Repairs of Station Equipment	664.12
Repairs of Buildings and Grounds	2.50
Station Removals and Changes	517.21
Depreciation of Plant and Equipment	1,907.08
Total Maintenance	4,207.65
TRAFFIC EXPENSES:	
Traffic Superintendence	305.78
Service Inspection	10.04
Operating Clerical Wages	44.40
Operators' Wages	2,350.29
Operators' Schooling	51.96
Transmission Power	175.65
Central Office Stationery and Printing	51.46
Miscellaneous Central Office Expenses	75.96
Pay Station Expenses	57.32
Other Traffic Expenses	3.71
Total Traffic Expenses	3,034.67
COMMERCIAL EXPENSES:	
General Commercial Administration	511.34
Local Commercial Administration	494.61
Advertising	49.16
Cauvassing	.57
Revenue Accounting	230.79
Revenue Collecting	272.76
Directory Expenses	217.45
Total Commercial Expenses	1,522.68
GENERAL EXPENSES:	
General Office Salaries	149.41
General Office Supplies and Expenses	53.81
General Law Expenses	46.00
Insurance	15.53
Law Expenses Connected with Damages	22.56
Relief Department and Pensions	110.79
Other General Expenses	31.74
Total General Expenses	438.24
Total Telephone Operating Expenses	9,208.22
Net Telephone Operating Revenues	461.61
DEDUCTIONS FROM OPERATING REVENUES:	
Uncollectible Operating Revenues	1.00
Taxes Assignable to Operations	888.83
Total	890.43
Total Gross Income	\$428.82
DEDUCTIONS FROM GROSS INCOME:	
Rent Deductions for Telephone Offices	283.57
Attachments on Toll Poles at 10c each per annum	97.30
Total Deductions	382.77
Balance Net Income	\$41.50
Loss	

Our Neighbors

DIMITT

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Montgomery and little son, Billy, and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery motored to Shamrock, Texas this week for several days visit with relatives and friends.

C. C. Reynolds and daughter, Mary, are visiting relatives and friends in Plainview this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Gilbreath and daughter, Eula Lee, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hunkabay are visiting in the home of his parents in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Noble and little daughter spent Sunday with A. G. Noble.

Mrs. C. H. Webb has been very ill this week, but is now improving.

The sixteen year old son of Mr. Lee Knight was seriously hurt Sunday afternoon when a horse fell with him. The Knights live twenty-two miles southwest of Dimmitt near Red Tower Schoolhouse.

Mrs. Connie Clagahan, Miss Kita, Murna Montgomery and Willard Montgomery motored to Hereford Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Hodge.

The Ramey Brothers report an inch and a quarter rain fell on their ranch Sunday night, and they were real happy over the fact as the crops were suffering, but with a smile, they also stated that the lightning killed two fine young mules at about 7:30 Sunday evening, for them.

Don't forget the Big Picnic Saturday, Aug. 12. Come and bring all your friends.

The lightning struck the J. E. Turner home Sunday night and burned one mattress considerably, also shocked Kenneth Turner pretty badly. Other members of the family were terribly frightened.

Miss Largent, of Plainview, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Graham. Miss Largent is a niece of the Graham boys. Mrs. J. M. Wright of Lubbock is vis-

iting her daughter, Mrs. Jess Hardy, and her other children near Dimmitt. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Noble and daughters were shopping in Dimmitt Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Gollehon left a few days ago for a few weeks visit with relatives in Bowie, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gollehon and family motored to Amarillo Monday. Little Billy Patton has been sick this week, but is some better at present.

Miss Jarret, of Goltswarte, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dock Lovelace.

HART

Heavy partial showers accompanied by keen thunder and lightning, fell in the Hart community Sunday afternoon and evening. Rain is needed badly in sections of the community yet. Crops are prematurely ripening. The range is dry.

The lightning from a thunder cloud north of Hart Sunday afternoon set the grass on fire. It was extinguished before much damage was done.

Mr. Hacker was knocked from his horse by a bolt of lightning that struck

near him Sunday afternoon. He was not injured.

Rev. Raye, a former Baptist minister of this community, preached here at eleven o'clock Sunday morning. Rev. Raye is now residing near San Antonio.

Rev. Nangle did not preach Sunday evening, owing to the weather.

After the morning service Sunday a splendid dinner was served by the ladies in the schoolhouse to some 140 people.

Hart is badly in need of a community building. Bonds have been voted and sold for a school building. We hope to have it ready for occupancy by Christmas.

Mr. Griffin is hauling lumber from Tulla for a dwelling on his farm seven miles west of Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon and sons were at Hart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dixon and little son were among the visitors at Hart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagly and Mrs. Kimble and family were at Hart Sunday afternoon.

The singing by the Frio, Dimmitt and Sunnyside people before and after Sunday School last Sunday was cer-

tainly worthy of any crowd's best attention. We hope to have a comfortable auditorium conveniently furnished for our congregation soon.

Among the Dimmitt visitors were Messrs. Cleve Tate, Brooks, Gollon; Messrs. Tate, Woodlee, Brooks, N. Nobles, Rogers, and Misses Taylor and Cowgert.

Miss Johnny B. Hamu returned from Kress Sunday, where she has been visiting in the Boston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy, of Tulla, visited Mrs. Hardy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jobb, this week-end.

Mrs. Lust and little daughter, Dorothy, were visitors in the Earle Lust home the past week. They returned to Bethel with Mr. Loyal Lust Monday.

The Big Square baseball team crossed bats on the Hart field Saturday afternoon. At the close of the game the score stood 7 to 11 in favor of Hart. Hart will play Nasareth at Dimmitt next Saturday morning as one of the picnic attractions.

Rev. Lemons closed the meeting last Wednesday evening at Sunnyside. A series of very profitable services were attended.

Misses Viola Copeland and Katy Mae

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30x3 1/2 Straight Side	\$13.50	32x4 Straight Side	\$24.50	32x4 1/2 Straight Side	\$31.45	33x5 Straight Side	\$39.10
32x3 1/2 Straight Side	\$19.25	33x4 Straight Side	\$25.25	33x4 1/2 Straight Side	\$32.15	35x5 Straight Side	\$41.05

These prices include manufacturer's excise tax

Goodyear Cross-Rib Tread Cord Tires are also made in 6, 7 and 8 inch sizes for trucks

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GOOD YEAR

Punchettes

Editor's Note: Rev. Matthews is a Presbyterian Minister in the First Church of Seattle, Wash.

The Presbyterian Church has been one of the greatest forces for liberty, education, and evangelism America has ever had. I think it was the author of modern representative government.

TO PRESBYTERIANS

I think America owes much of her government to the Presbyterian Church. She has been one of this government's greatest examples and most powerful defenders. In the old days the Presbyterian church's adherence to doctrines and principles, added to the strength, character, and integrity of American citizenship. In these latter days, it seems to me, she has come upon perilous times.

FIRST—The Presbyterian Church commits a folly and sin if she permits infamous heretics who deny the deity of Christ and the infallibility of the Bible to stay in her ranks and to occupy her



pulpits. I insist she has no right to allow such enemies of God, of home, and of government to carry her name. I think a Presbyterian minister who denies the deity of Christ or the infallible Word of God and continues to occupy a Presbyterian pulpit is drawing his money under false pretenses. We have all taken oath to teach the deity of Christ and the infallibility of God's Word, and for that we receive position and compensation.

SECOND—The Presbyterian Church commits a folly when she becomes a mere ticket for fanatics

and place-hunters who constantly devise schemes and plans and organizations to increase their power, patronage and patrimony. They live and work exclusively that they may subsist upon such efforts.

THIRD—The Presbyterian Church commits a folly when she permits her enemies to begin to build machinery and centralize her government, thereby detracting from her power.

I don't believe Presbyterians will submit to centralized power nor to dictation by agents and machines. They crushed that kind of power once. I hope they will crush it again. It must be crushed in governments and it must be crushed in the church.

The Presbyterian Church should return to the sovereignty and power and supremacy of her Presbyterian government and to the control by her presbyteries.

Hear my plea! Awake, grand old Church of liberty, righteousness and evangelism.

He called for maidens fair. After four years of time, Among the virgins, it is seen The beautiful Esther, a Jewess. Was selected and crowned queen. When Mordecai her cousin and guard-

ian; Doorkeeper of the palace gate, Refused to bow to Haman. The Vialer was filled with hate, Haman entreated the king.

To decree the Jews to slay On the 13th day, the 12th month, No Jew in Babylon should remain. To Mordecai this meant sorrow.

In sackcloth and ashes he cried: Esther, plea with the king. To have the decree defied.

Esther spoke thru Hatach, "Knew ye not death befall Any who enter the court Unless his majesty call?"

Twice did Mordecai supplicate Then Esther bade him go Gather the Jews, fast three days, I and my maidens likewise do so.

Then I shall see the king The unlawful it be. If I perish, I perish.

For my people I will plea In royal apparel, Esther On the third day did stand In the presence of the king With his sceptre in hand.

And the king said to her As he extended the golden staff, And Esther drawing near, touched "Of my Kingdom I give you half."

To present a petition so dear She must prepare the way, She merely invited the king and Haman.

To her banquet the following day, On the second day of the feast, Esther begged for life For her people, and accused Haman of plotting the strife.

The king's decree could not be revoked, As the Persian law changes not, But the angry king ordered Haman, executed on the spot.

But Ahazuerus added another, Deceiving the Jews to defend Themselves on the day.

How he missed his beautiful queen Her love, comfort and care, Appointed for their end.

SUNDAY SERVICE

Church and Societies

Christian Church
Bible School at 9:45 a. m.
11:00 a. m. Rev. J. M. Asbell, a former pastor, will deliver the sermon. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Presbyterian Church
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
11 a. m. Subject, "What Shall I Believe," a continuation of the subject for the morning sermons this month.
At 8:30 p. m. Rev. J. M. Asbell, who is well known in this city, will occupy the pulpit.

3:00 p. m. Junior C. E.
7:30 p. m. Intermediate C. E.
7:30 p. m. Senior C. E.
J. R. Sharp, Pastor.

Methodist Church
Sunday School 9:45. W. H. Ray, Superintendent.
Preaching at the evening hour by the pastor. Subject, morning hour, "It is up to us." Evening hour, "The Present Crisis—Strikes and Strikers; Aristocrats and Aristocrats; The Innocent Bystander and his Wounds; The Remedy for it all."
Worship with us Sunday.
Epworth League at 7:30 p. m.
M. M. Beavers, Pastor.

St. Anthony's Church
Services Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock.
Rev. Fr. Salvator Francis, S. A.

Church of Christ
(Two Blocks North of Courthouse)
Bible Study Classes 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Communion 12:00 m.

The Evangelistic services of the Church of Christ, conducted by Evangelist O. E. Phillips of Abilene, Texas, will begin at 8:00 p. m. at the church Saturday night, August 12.

All members are urged to be present and bring their friends. There is a cordial invitation and a hearty welcome extended to all who desire to attend.

W. A. Knox,
A. S. Higgins, Elders.

Immanuel Lutheran Congregation
Sunday School sessions at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Eve-

service at 8 o'clock.
You are welcome at these and other services.

Theo. H. Evers, Pastor.

I. C. E. Program
Presbyterian Annex
7:30 p. m.

Topic—Pride and Humility.
Leader—Mrs. Sharp.
Song Service.
Scripture Reading—Jas. 4:6-10.
What is Humility?—Grace Witherspoon.

Why is not Humility Virtue?—Thelma Gould.

What Counterparts of Humility Sometimes Take the Place of the Genuine Quality?—Wilson Gyles.

Why is Lack of Humility a Bar to Progress?—Ida Hopper.

Tell How Haman's Pride was Brought Low—(Esther 5:7)—Gleam Witherspoon.

What are Some Modern Examples of Humility?—Velma Carol.

What is the Effect a Proud Person Has on Others?—Faye Paddock.

Leader's talk.
What are Some Ways of Cultivating Humility?—Beryl Witherspoon.

Song.
Business.
Sentence Prayers.

Benediction.
Note: Everyone come and help plan the program for the convention.

ESTHER

Ahasuerus, king of Babylon, Ruled with a mighty hand, Until his army of one million Was defeated in Grecian land, Ahasuerus then gave a banquet To the princes of his domain, His lords, the women and servants, A high festival for seven days did reign, Wine flowed in profusion, The king, hilarious and gay Demanded the queen, Vashti, Her beauty to his guests display, On her refusal the king Her rank took away, Publishing thruout the land, A warning to wives: your husbands obey! That he might choose another

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Bring in your hogs not later than Wednesday evening. I ship every Thursday.

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32x4	Rugged	\$21.50
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BONES PRE-HISTORIC MONSTER FOUND NEAR PORTALES, N. M.

Saturday, Chas. Anderson left at the News office two monster teeth, which he and Jimmie Sain dug up in the sand hills 9 miles northwest of Portales. These teeth were in good state of preservation, although probably several thousand years old.

Finding a bone sticking above the sand they began to investigate, when they found the entire lower jaw bone of some huge monster and from the position of the jaw it was lying on its back. With a pocket knife they dug away the sand and sod till two immense lower jaw teeth were secured, these teeth measuring 10 inches in length and 4 inches across and weighing 6 pounds each. In pulling away the teeth the jaw bone was broken into a

number of bits, but before it was broken it measured 24 inches from one side to the other.

That these are the teeth of a huge pre-historic mastodon, there can be no doubt, and comparing the size and weight of the teeth with our domestic animals it must have weighed 20 tons or more. That the entire skeleton is buried in the sand there is no doubt and an effort will be made to recover more of it.

have rotted with age till they can be crumbled with the fingers, and the indications are that as soon as the bones are exposed to the air that they will fall to pieces.

Mr. Anderson also found in the sand hills a stone pestle which had been used by the Indians in crushing and grinding corn.—Portales Valley News.

Potter County has sold bonds to the amount of \$250,000 for the construction of a County hospital.

To-Morrow

The curtain goes up on the richest, finest output of custom-tailored fabrics and fashions for fall, 1922, that American memory can recall.

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Lost

STRAYED—From axe pasture, 10 mi. southeast of Hereford, on west Dimmitt road, 12 head of 2-year-old whiteface heifers, brand cross on left jaw, crop right ear. Notify Ira Ricketts, Hereford, Texas. 56-6t-Pd.

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To the Editor

Comparatively few persons using radio sets are familiar with things electrical. The apparatus is harmless enough and consequently amateurs do not consider that there is possible peril in installing the outside aerial. In East Cleveland recently a youth was killed when the antenna of his radio set crossed an electrical distribution set. The boy was killed outright. So was his father in attempting to rescue him. The tragedy was shocking but like most tragedies it carried a warning.

In the interest of SAFETY and to prevent similar accidents, you are asked to give the radio "fan" this warning.

Do not string wireless aerials over, under or close to any other wires. They might come into contact with highly charged wires and be dangerous.

Do not attach wireless aerials to poles carrying wires of any sort. Contact with live wires might result, causing death, injury or fire.

ALWAYS be sure to attach wireless antennas to substantial supports and remember it is quite practical to operate a radio receiving set with an indoor aerial. Parents especially are requested to cooperate in carrying out these safety suggestions.

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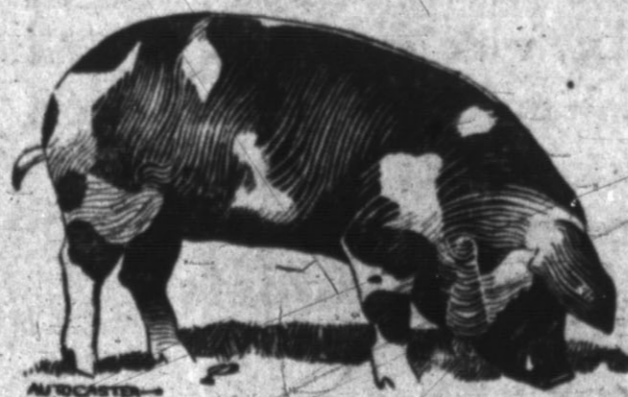
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HART

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Bridges returned to Canyon Sunday, where they will attend to further school work.

Miss Viola Jobe spent the fore-part of last week in Tulla visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. P. A. Hogan was a Hart visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hankins and family of Dimmitt spent the week end with Mr. Hankins' parents, near Hart.

Hiram Attaway went to Wellington, Texas last Monday to visit his sister, Mrs. N. C. Maples, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood and children came in Wednesday from Borden Co. to visit Mrs. Hood's sister, Mrs. W. Cox.

Hubert Maples visited friends and relatives at Wellington, Texas last week and attended the Jack Jones sale of big Poland Chinas. He purchased two gilts to add to his head-of-registered Poland Chinas.

Mr. Jobe and family of Sherman, Texas, who has been here on a visit to his brother, W. W. Jobe, returned home last week.

Mrs. Ethel Newman, of Lockney, Tex., is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hancock.

Mrs. Norman Levicy and baby, are visiting friends and relatives near Lockney for a few days.

Jake Hankins and family of Dimmitt visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hankins, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruton, our teachers for the school this year, made a flying trip to Dimmitt Monday.

Everett Emberton and wife visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, of Olton Sunday.

E. H. Scott and family visited relatives in Plainview Saturday and Sunday.

Percy Hart went to Canyon last week to visit homefolks and take his sister, Miss Ruth, who has been spending the past few weeks with him.

Misses Eunice Rutherford and Mary Belle Hamm spent Sunday night with Miss Viola Jobe.

FRIONA

About an inch of rain fell here Monday morning beginning about two o'clock and continuing for about an hour. This will do immeasurable good to the growing crops and it is hoped that the period of unusually intense heat is broken up.

J. C. Wilkinson has ground broken for the foundation of his new dwelling, the walls of which will be of adobe, and work will begin on it as soon as the workmen have completed the new storage building for the Friona Oil Company.

Miss Mary Jasper and Mr. William Preston were married here on Wednesday night of last week. The nuptial ceremony was performed by Rev. Peyton at the Congregational parsonage.

Miss Jasper is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Jasper of this place. Mr. Jasper has been the County's brand inspector for the past two years and is again the nominee for the coming term, having won the nomination over his opponent by a handsome majority, which proves his popularity.

A mass meeting of the citizens has been called for Friday night at the schoolhouse, for the purpose of making plans for the "Old Settlers Picnic". Everybody interested in having a day of wholesome enjoyment should be there and lend their aid in making plans for such a day.

BOVINA NORTHSIDE

Bovina Post Office has new fixtures and new combinations to get acquainted with. Time and patience is all it requires this kind of weather.

Jefferson Brothers from New Mexico, are selling out a beef in our community today.

E. L. Battey and wife, of Floydada, are visiting the Ed Ball family near Bovina. Mr. Battey is also looking for land. Raymond Davies sold him 160 acres of land for his mother this week, out of Block C, S. W. qr. Sec. 16, Farmer county. Mr. Battey intends making this his home and engaging in poultry raising and dairying.

Friday night Northside got a fine shower, some hail also. Everything will be benefited. We need many more like it to make crops and grass keep growing.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Spring visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlenker Sunday evening.

Sunday night's rain was fine and made the weather fine and cool.

B. P. Abbott took two Mexican men to Farwell before Justice Temple for fighting and raising a disturbance about the water plant at Bovina belonging to Homer Martin.

Mrs. Pierce McDonald suffered a severe spell of heart trouble last Thursday night. Dr. McCuan of Farwell was called and in a short time she was resting. The intense heat was hard on the family while on the road from Rock

Springs here. Mr. McDonald has not been well for some time.

Shelby Jersig, Cornelia Richardson and Queta Davies of Bovina are visiting the F. L. Spring children this week.

Friday and Saturday Raymond Davies had teams hauling sand and stone to Bovina for building foundation for a house.

Jack Carr's house is about completed and his family and goods can be moved in this week.

Jack Pierce, of Farwell, is visiting his mother at Vernon, Texas. His mother is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, also Mrs. D. M. Davis of Bovina, were in Hereford on business one day this week.

Hereford Branding

Newspapers should be interesting now; coal strike and rail strike on, and the primary election unsettled in Farmer Co.

Men go crazy in their search for dollars; women are crazy for beauty. Get rich, marry an actress and be miserable.

Don't worry, a Bovina man who has worried all his life hasn't anything to show for it, except wrinkles.

There should be a custom established making it unnecessary to answer unimportant letters.

Why is a chigger Democratic? Got to give the devil credit for being democratic. He's willing to associate with any of us.

At the end of every day you owe somebody an apology.

Genius is a fine thing when it has a balance wheel. Otherwise, it is more or obnoxious.

Seems like the Chautauque lecturers are mighty slow about getting this world adjusted.

JOEL

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Odell of Summerfield, spent Sunday with Mrs. Odell's brother and family, Lewis Smith. They attended our Sunday School in the afternoon.

The young people's class of our Sunday School is to give an ice cream social at the schoolhouse on Friday evening, the 18th of August, the proceeds to be applied on the payment of the organ just purchased for the use of the school. Come and help a good cause.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Smith spent Sunday at the home of Lewis Smith.

Mrs. Sharp called on Mrs. West one day this week.

Part of the Galley young folks went to the creek last Thursday and spent

the day swimming. All had a good time.

Mrs. Dixon L. Turner spent the week end at the home of S. J. Rice, south of Hereford.

MISS MINNIE WILES IN OFFICIAL WORK AT AUSTIN

Miss Minnie Wiles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wiles, left Hereford Friday morning for Austin, Texas.

Miss Wiles will serve on the "Board of Summer Normal Examiners" of the State Department of Examiners; and then later will take her regular position as Supervisor of the study hall at Texarkana, Texas.

Gun Club to Resume Its Schedule Next Wednesday

The Hereford Gun Club did not hold its regular weekly shoot this week, owing to absence of several members, but plans to resume the schedule on next Wednesday. A compilation of the official scores to date for this season will soon be ready for publication by Secretary Virgil Cumming.

Johnson Grass Man Will Leave Here Next Sunday

E. W. Vannata of Houston, who has been in Hereford all week in the interests of his Johnson Grass Exterminator, will wind up his affairs here Saturday and leave for another section on Sunday. He has been quite successful here and has had a steady stream of inquirers all week.

Methodist Missionary Ladies Hosts to Societies

The ladies of the Methodist Missionary Society were hostesses to the ladies of the other Missionary Societies in Hereford at a reception Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist Church. It was given in honor of Mrs. Claudia Ward Luther, Missionary to China, and Miss Laura Edwards, Missionary to Korea. Mrs. Luther gave a very interesting talk on her work in China, and Miss Edwards spoke about the women in Korea and their methods of doing housework.

A short devotional service was conducted by Mrs. D. W. Hawkins. Two

vocal numbers were given by Mesdames Homer Fox, A. C. Thompson, Roy Stocking, H. L. Broadwell, B. H. Hawkins; a vocal solo by Mrs. Ben Allen; and two readings by Miss Nellie Farmer, all of which were enjoyed very much.

Tea and sandwiches were served by the girls of the Y. F. M. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Baer Parents of Fine Baby Girl

An eight and a half pound baby girl was born in Roswell, N. M., August 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Baer of Hereford. Mr. Baer, who by the way, was born in France, is proprietor of the local Gents Furnishing Store formerly known as Gallagher & Sons. The baby is to receive a French name, it is announced.

WE'VE GOT 'EM

For the first time in several years the local election passed off without anybody jumping on the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce. Some people either had their mind off their business or the organization must be a little lame just now. The best recommendation that a chamber of commerce can have is to be cussed by the "agineer" and reactionary element of its home community. Clarendon News.

We didn't get by so easily in Hereford. The old streets corner bunch was on the job as usual and nominated its "Chamber of Commerce candidates." Editor Braswell is dead right—without these social leaches the live ones in every town would feel that they did not have enough "punch" in their work.

BREAD

A big wholesome loaf of good bread 15c

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A car of Holstein high grade cows and heifers will be distributed on the farms around Fort Sumner, N. M. The stock comes from southern Wisconsin.

The mohair growers near Artesia, N. M., recently shipped a car of 40,000 pounds of mohair to old Mexico, bringing the growers about \$12,000.

A new Masonic temple is being built at Fandhandle. It is a two-story building with basement.

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 9th day of August, 1922, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of The Western National Bank, of Hereford versus L. L. Arnold, et al

No. 1925, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed in and within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST THURSDAY in September, A. D. 1922, at being the 5th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, in the City of Hereford, the following described property, to-wit:

The East 200 acres of the South 320 acres of Section 46 in Block M-7 situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Levied on as the property of L. L. Arnold, on the 9th day of August, 1922, to satisfy a Judgment amounting to \$5,000.88, in favor of The Western National Bank of Hereford and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 9th day of August, 1922.

C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff.

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Cash payment	\$280.28
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3 to 5 years old. Two good saddle horses.

1 International Truck, good as new. 1 Cole Car in good running order. Other articles, including farm machinery.

TERMS: '90 or 120 days, on bankable notes. Parties from distance will bring bank references. 5 per cent discount for cash.

SALE WILL BE HELD ON MY PLACE, THREE MILES SOUTH OF HAPPY SALE WILL BEGIN AT 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

—RAIN OR SHINE—

Free Lunch at Noon—Come; Whether you buy or not

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Wm. F. Miller, Happy, Texas, Clerk.



HINES & O'BRIEN
Hereford, Texas



Miss Myrtle Helgoth of Pittsburg, Penn., arrived in this city Thursday morning and is visiting her friend, Miss Marjorie Dameron.

Good Bye Hay Fever
Guaranteed Hay Fever and Catarrh Cure for sale by the City Drug Store. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded. 52-54-56-58

C. M. and Mari Jacobsen left Hereford overland the latter part of last week for their home in Louisville, Texas. They have been visiting for the past ten days in the home of their brother, Jno. N. Jacobsen.

The cow testing association of Temple, Ariz., had 89 cows producing over 40 pounds fat during March.

Eastman Autograph Films, Clark Drug Store.

The acreage of potatoes at Flagstaff, Ariz., is increasing steadily. The demand for these potatoes not only is for food, but also for seed.

Arizona farm bureau is forming a marketing agency.

Miss Clara Mae Stewart left Hereford Friday morning for her home in Brownwood, Texas. Miss Stewart has been visiting in the home of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lucas.

We suggest that you caponize the cockerels.
Hereford Produce.
I. H. Spratt

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDermott and sister, Mrs. Rosa Grant, of Crosbyton, and Miss Dora Reik of Denton, Texas, spent a part of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. McDermott. H. C. and T. T. McDermott are brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fox and two children left Hereford Thursday morning for Kansas City and points east. Mr. and Mrs. Fox and family have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Fox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Carter, for the past thirty days.

Notice
Notice is hereby given that the Board of the Hereford Independent School District will receive bids for the handling of the school funds for the year 1922-23.

All bids must state:
(1) Rate of interest to be paid on daily balances.
(2) Rate of interest to be charged should it be necessary for the district to borrow money.
Bids must be filed with the secretary on or before August 25.
Mrs. B. F. Guthrie, Sec.

Miss Lily Thames, of Amarillo, arrived in this city Thursday morning. Miss Thames will visit in the home of friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Harper.

Good fresh eggs are a good price at this time of the season. Come in and get the cash.
Hereford Produce.

Mrs. R. M. Dunn and daughter, Hazel, left Hereford for Shelby, Mo., this week. Mrs. Dunn was called to Missouri by the illness of her mother.

We now have the Simonsz for your car.
Service Garage.

It isn't an Eastman, it isn't a Kodak.
Fred Nagel, of Clarksville, Texas, arrived in this city Monday and is visiting in the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson.

Get a ticket with each order for Aluminum.
Hereford Produce.

C. E. Cutler left Hereford for his home in Okmulgee, Okla., Friday. Mr. Cutler visited his wife, who is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brookes.

Eastman Autograph Films, Clark Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sullivan and daughter, Ina, and married son, Verle, and wife, of Frio, spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Barnes and family.

We suggest that you caponize the cockerels.
Hereford Produce.
I. H. Spratt.

Mrs. Earl E. Welsh and two children, Bobbie Louise and William Earl, left for their home in Dallas Friday.

Mrs. G. O. Stubbs and little baby reached Hereford the latter part of last week and are visiting in the home of Mrs. Stubbs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chesser.

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W. H. WETZ
Formerly of Chicago

Thorough and conscientious instruction by one who has had years of practical experience in teaching these instruments.

One of the best Technical Systems in existence, evolved during years of study and teaching, is used.

The application of this system will secure for the pupil a firm touch and a complete hand development, thus insuring the most rapid and permanent advancement possible.

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We have some real values in Pianos if you buy now. We give you terms if you like.

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are the greatest labor saving article to be had in your home. They make kitchen work easy. Sold on terms.

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Makes house keeping easy—our stock is complete—prices reasonable.

Let us sell you the furniture, rugs, linoleum, etc., that you need. We both make by it.

We are satisfied with small profits.

E. B. Black Co.
"The Big Store With the Little Price"

TOWN & COUNTY Personalographs

Wallace Cox visited friends in Vega Thursday night.

B. A. Fuller, of Dimmitt, was in this city on business Thursday.

Loyd Edwards, of Kansas City, arrived in Hereford Thursday morning.

J. Frank Potts made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday morning.

FOR SALE—Fryers, 50¢ each. Phone 153. 58-21

Miss Maurine Hughes of Lubbock, arrived in Hereford Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Drake, of Frlona, were in this city on business Thursday.

Venida, the guaranteed hair net. Clark Drug Store.

E. S. Ireland and little daughter daughter went to Bovina Friday morning.

You do not get any added eggs at the Hereford Produce. We put out only fresh eggs.

Mrs. G. H. Ward and two sons went to Amarillo Thursday morning on business.

Liquid floor wax dressing. Service Garage.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith reached Hereford Wednesday morning from Coleman, Texas.

Venida, the guaranteed hair net. Clark Drug Store.

Miss Mabel Betts and mother, of Cleardon, Texas, arrived in this city Thursday morning.

Don't forget, we think the time right to sell your fryers, before big runs begin. Bring us your fryers. We make the price. Hereford Produce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brand and two children reached Hereford Wednesday morning from Graham, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elliott and little daughter, Virginia, of Dimmitt, were in this city Thursday on business.

Frederic E. Delzell
Of Amarillo College of Music.
Pupil of
Lila Austin Meyers
Teacher of Piano and Saxophone
For information, address Amarillo College of Music.

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Fisk Tires will stand the hard knocks, the wear and tear of all kinds of roads. Notice the attractive prices.

30x3 Plain	\$8.85 including war tax
30x3 Non Skid	\$9.85 including war tax
30x3 1/2 Premier	\$10.85 including war tax
30x3 1/2 Non Skid	\$12.85 including war tax
30x3 1/2 Red Top	\$15.85 including war tax

All other sizes priced in proportion.

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J. R. RUTHERFORD, Mgr.

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This is what the man does who practices false economy—lies himself into believing that he is going to save some money.

True economy is not how little you pay for an article, but how much value you may get out of it.

A good, substantial implement shed will last a lifetime. Implements left unpainted and exposed to the weather will last from one to three years, while implements that are cared for will last from five to fifteen years. Why buy new implements every year when you can buy a good, substantial implement shed for the price of one implement? LET US HELP YOU.

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Results Are What Count!

Having enjoyed prosperity and endured hard times in our years of contact with the people of this section we feel that this bank is a real, intelligent, interested factor in the upbuilding of those who do business with us and the entire section.

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NOTICE

To our Customers and Friends:
We are now selling the original O. M. Franklin Blackleg Vaccine. We have made this change in order to give our customers what we believe to be the best vaccine on the market. This product is made in Amarillo which is an advantage to all, and we have a stock of fresh vaccine on hand all the time.

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