

The Hereford Brand

TUESDAYS—TWICE-A-WEEK—FRIDAYS

HEREFORD, DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS, MAY 17, 1921.

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It Has Rained! Now For The Chautauqua

CREW ARRIVES; BIG TENT IS UP, PROGRAM BEGINS ON THURSDAY AT 2:45 P. M. SOMETHING WORTH WHILE

Last fall for the big 1921 Chautauqua! Chairman Ashbrook and Secretary Jones announced Tuesday that everything was a'rain' to go, with the single exception of a few season tickets that had to be sold to complete the guarantee. Everything that could be done has been done. Superintendent Teagarden has been on the ground for several days and Tuesday morning his crew of three tent men arrived and by afternoon had the big canvases flopping.

Here are the hours: All afternoon performances begin at 2:45 sharp, and all evening performances at 7:45 sharp, with the single exception of the play, "Broadway Jones." On account of the large crowd to handle, and the jumps they must make, this particular performance, billed for Monday afternoon, May 23, will start at 2:00 p. m. sharp, instead of 2:45. All other performances however, will follow the above schedule.

The Redpath-Horner chautauqua here have always been good, but the dope on this 1921 program is all to the effect that it is the very best one Mr. Horner has put out to date. There is something in it for all classes of people. The Chautauqua is an intellectual treat for any man or woman. It leaves something in the community when it departs that flowers and fruits throughout the year and makes for a better, and cleaner, and higher type of citizenship. The program this year follows:

THURSDAY, May 19—Afternoon, Vierra's Hawaiians; Evening, Vierra's Hawaiians, Charles H. Plattenburg.

FRIDAY, May 20—Afternoon, Musical Grenadiers; Evening, Musical Grenadiers, Henry A. Adrian.

SATURDAY, May 21—Afternoon, Agnes Knofleckova Company; Evening, Agnes Knofleckova Company, Frank Dixon.

SUNDAY, May 22—Afternoon, Dr. J. Q. Robinson; Evening, Mme. Sellanova.

MONDAY, May 23—Afternoon, (2:00 p. m.) "Broadway Jones;" Evening, Dr. Ng Foon Chew, Glen Wells Company.

TUESDAY, May 24—Afternoon, Philharmonic Orchestra, Carlissa Harrold; Evening, Philharmonic Orchestra.

WEDNESDAY, May 25—Afternoon, Montague Light Opera Singers, Hon. John Temple Graves; Evening, Montague Light Opera Singers.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON BY REV. BEAVERS GOES TO HEARTS OF SENIORS

GRADUATING CLASS HEARS METHODIST DIVINE EXPOUND SOLID TRUTHS FOR THEIR BENEFIT IN LIFE'S BATTLE

A SPLENDID CLASS DAY PROGRAM

Graduates Hosts to High School and Visitors at Function Closing Final Ceremonies of the Scholastic Year. Yell Given and Celebrities Heard.

The first of the week's services in honor of the high school seniors was held at the Christian Church Sunday morning, when the class, together with a large audience made up for the most part of their families and friends listened to the baccalaureate sermon and its accompanying program.

The class colors—red and white—were effectively used in decoration. Ropes of red and white crepe paper enclosed the seats allotted to the class and their families, while blooming pot plants arranged on the platform showed the same pretty colors.

The large auditorium and gallery were filled when, with Miss Williamson at the piano, the class, twenty-four in number, marched down the aisles and took the seats assigned them. It was an impressive moment—this formal presentation of the class of '21—and the audience was responsive to the inspiration in the very presence of these clear eyed, alert young men and women, in whose honor it was assembled.

After the opening hymn, Rev. Atwood, of the Baptist Church, offered prayer and Supt. Fertsch read from Matthew 25, the parable of the talents. In commending this parable to the class, Mr. Fertsch asked that they apply to themselves the words of the Master, "Freely ye have received, freely give."

Rev. Beavers chose for his text, Joshua 13:1, "There remaineth yet much land to be possessed." From this language he developed the theme that wider fields of opportunity are now calling to service more imperatively than at any time in the world's history; that no real success comes without struggle and that the difficulties in the way are but tests of the worthiness of those who would win in life's battle.

The speaker showed how the world of science is yet in the infancy of development and contrasted the service to mankind of later discoveries in this field with those of a few years ago. He pointed out the great benefits to humanity that would result from scientific knowledge of agriculture, and in stressing the importance of a practical application of education, he said, "Young people, you are as surely called into the field of good farming and good cooking as into the foreign fields of mis- (Continued on Page Four)



ALMOST PERSUADED TO POUR WATER IN TO RAIN MEASURE

Just an even two inches, thank you, since last Friday night. And it has been broken up into the installment plan, to boot, and served gently in steady showers, that have soaked slowly into the ground, and not run off where it would do no good.

An on top of all that it has remained cloudy, and damp ever since, the sun merely making a feeble effort to assert himself. Tuesday afternoon. No wind, no nothin'. Honestly, it was the greatest thing in the world, just at this time, and came when the wheat just simply had to have it. A half inch fell Friday night, and since that time, at intervals, an inch and a half more. The last tenth of an inch crept up in the glass tube at the First National Bank Monday afternoon. Everybody was pulling for a minimum of two inches before sundown, and it was even suggested that E. B. Posey might sneak up stairs and pour a little city water into that government dingus he keeps up there to catch moisture of various kinds. But Mr. Posey smiled and said, "Keep your eye on the measure." And sure enough, the coveted two inches were finally secured.

Tuesday morning reports were that another gully washer fell in the Spring Lake neighborhood Monday afternoon, and at other spots over the Plains. Information is that the rainfall has been general all over the Panhandle. There's a smile going the rounds now. And it's a fact that there was an epidemic of bill collectors on the street Tuesday morning. That's a hopeful sign and an indication of the pulse of the community. The wheat crop, while possibly curtailed a little, is saved, and there ought to be a lot of small grain of the 1920 crop sold now for cash. Ain't it a grand and glorious feeling?

John McFarlin is Badly Hurt When Auto Turns Over

John McFarlin, local plumber, sustained a fracture of the spine and T. K. Wilson, insurance man, miraculously escaped with minor bruises when McFarlin's car slipped off the embankment on the Abo Pass highway near Dawn last Friday night, just after dusk. The car turned over, pinning McFarlin beneath it, while Wilson was thrown in the clear.

The injured man was brought to the hospital here and first aid rendered. Saturday Dr. Galbert placed his body in a plaster of paris cast in order to set the spine, and until this cast is removed a definite opinion as to his condition will be impossible. He is paralyzed at present in his lower extremities. Reports from his bedside Tuesday were that he showed little change and was merely holding his own.

Officers Grab 60 Cases Scotch, 2 Women, 4 Men, Cadillac Car, Reo Truck

Sixty cases of genuine bottled-in-bond Scotch whiskey, two women, four men, a Cadillac touring car, and a Reo truck was the catch made by Sheriff C. S. Purcell and Night Watchman Omer Baker, assisted by special deputies Lem Chesser and Bill Kelly, about nine o'clock Tuesday night. The Cadillac, containing three men and one woman, was trapped in west Hereford after a hide-and-seek match across streets with the sheriff while the truck, driven by a man with a woman as passenger, was picked up shortly afterwards just in front of the Baptist church.

Neither party offered resistance. They were brought to town and given supper, after which they were interrogated in separate groups by the officers, County Attorney Roloson and District Attorney Braley. The supposition was that they would be held for federal action.

The sheriff at Portales, N. M., telephoned Sheriff Purcell Tuesday afternoon to look out for a Cadillac touring car and a Reo truck, which were presumed to have come from El Paso and which had given him the slip. Mr. Purcell was out at the time and Mr. Baker took the message and hunted up the sheriff. Kelly was deputized to drive the sheriff's car and Chesser to assist. They drove out to Black, hoping to intercept the quarry before dark, as it is almost impossible to stop a fast car after nightfall. Failing to meet the car and truck the officers dropped back to the side road entering the main road near the railroad bridge and waited. When the Cadillac swished around the turn the sheriff's car followed closely. Seeing this the Cadillac turned up 25-Mile Ave., and dodged around a street or two. The sheriff turned off into a side street, switched off his lights, then cut in ahead of the Cadillac and blocked the road, stopping the Cadillac. Omer Baker took the captured party to the restaurant for supper while the sheriff and the rest of the party went out and soon cornered the truck in the same manner. Both cars were put in the Shore garage for the night under guard.

Curious crowds gathered around that heavily-loaded truck and speculated on what would become of all that Scotch. The sheriff, the night watchman and the two volunteer assistants, are receiving congratulations on all sides for their splendid work. It's dangerous business at best, and takes coolness, grit, and headwork. The honors are certainly due the Deaf Smith county officers.

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TEAGARDEN MAKES EXCELLENT SPEECH AT MONDAY LUNCH

The business men's luncheon Monday at the Storkmen's Cafe heard a most excellent address from Mr. Teagarden, local Superintendent for the Redpath-Horner Chautauqua. Mr. Teagarden told of the details in the program to be rendered this year, and impressed his hearers with the earnestness of his belief in his work and the benefits to be derived from it.

The Secretary explained that the railroad train service matter was still being threshed out in Austin, with the Attorney General of Texas handling the case for the people along the line. Homer Wilkinson made an optimistic talk over the rain, the wheat outlook, and general business conditions. The meeting endorsed the question of employing an agricultural teacher in the high school the coming year.

Next Monday the lunch will be held at the City Cafe. Those present Monday were: Henry Wilkinson, C. C. Rockwell, Otho Beene, C. A. Skelton, Ralph Barnett, Seth B. Holman, D. L. McDonald, Homer Wilkinson, W. B. Steckman, Walter Dunlap, J. H. Bowers, D. F. Ashbrook, A. A. Foster, Leonard Foster, J. H. Foster, N. C. Vogel, Mayor Knight.

ENGINEER REPORT SAYS HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING STRONG NEEDS ONLY MINOR REPAIRS

QUESTION IN MINDS OF PEOPLE CONCERNING SAFETY OF STRUCTURE SET AT REST IN EXAMINATION BY EXPERT

CONSTRUCTORS DID HONEST WORK

W. D. Howren, Engineer, Says With Necessary Repairs to Roof and Other Small Precautions School Board Has High School for Many Years to Come

GOSH! THE NEED FOR PREACHERS IS REAL SERIOUS, TOO!

According to information received from Swift & Co. by I. H. Spratt this week, the Associated Warehouse reports for the nation on May 1, 1921, showed that there were four million, eight hundred thousand cases of eggs held in cold storage at that time, against two million cases for the same date in 1920, a gain of over 100 per cent in one year.

What's the answer? What are they going to do with all those eggs? And China, shipping in hen fruit by the millions, too.

Speculation on the answer may turn in most any direction. Just suppose those eggs were all fresh and it was decided to set them under hens and raise some chickens. Let's see: there are thirty dozen, or 300, eggs in a case. That would mean one billion, seven hundred and twenty-eight million eggs all told. Hens are usually given fifteen eggs at one setting. Which would require one hundred and fifteen million, two hundred thousand hens. And supposing the average hatch was rather low and only ten chickens out of every setting was realized. That would mean just one million, one hundred and fifty two million chickens. And then suppose the rats, and lice, and cats, and dogs, and clumsy hens and other unavoidable things killed off fifty per cent of these chicks; let's see—that would leave an even five hundred and seventy six million fryers.

Brother Beavers tells us that there are about 1200 Methodist preachers in Texas. Suppose they were invited to split these fryers among them; question is, how long would the chickens last, and how long would the preachers last?

Feeling that the public is vitally concerned with the question of whether or not the high school building is safe for use by the schools, the school board submits the following report from engineer Howren, which was made after a careful investigation of the building ordered by the board.

The board is planning to make the repairs recommended during the summer months.

Hereford, Tex., May 14, 1921.
Mr. G. A. E. Parker, Pres. School Board, Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir:

In compliance with your instruction I have made a minute and thorough survey of the High School building in this City and submit to you and the Board the following report:

"The foundation under this building is massive and well laid, shows no settlement anywhere, has not a single pressure crack and is capable of sustaining a much heavier wall than at present.

"The walls, of which more will be laid later, are rigid and well built, are perfectly in line and as a whole are well preserved, showing no floor thrusts or roof strains.

"The roof is more than well constructed, the trusses being much heavier than are ordinarily placed in a roof built over so many partition walls, in fact, they are tied, braced and filled in compliance with good bridge construction and no doubt would uphold the present roof if every partition wall were removed.

"The floor joists are well anchored into the walls and evidently have a good and sufficient bearing over partition walls since there is practically no vibration under quick intensive stresses, such as jumping on the floor, or rhythmic stress.

"All evidence obtained and observations made tend to show that the building is in a first class condition, that it (Continued on Page Five)

THIS IS SCHOOL'S WEEK; GRADUATION EXERCISES BILLED

All events of a public nature in Hereford this week are subordinated to those connected with the public schools. It is school week and the sweet girl graduate vies with the manly boy graduate in attractiveness, for both have the center of the stage.

This evening at the Star Theatre the seventh grade pupils will appear in the play, "Every Youth." Following its final curtain, the class will receive certificates of graduation.

Wednesday evening at the district court room, senior commencement exercises will be held. The program is unique in that each number, with the exception of the presentation of diplomas, will be given by a product of Hereford schools. The class address, ordinarily given by an out-of-town speaker, will be delivered this year by Travis Dameron, of the class of '15.

DISTRICT COURT'S GRIND RESUMED: GRAND JURY WORK

Judge Reese Tatum empaneled the regular jury for the week Monday and started the term grind. The Grand Jury also resumed its labors after a week's layoff, but so far has made no report. The criminal docket in the district court has been set for May 23. Cases disposed of to date include: Vera Witherspoon et al vs W. H. Terry et al, set for June 2. L. L. Ledbetter vs A. H. Murchison, judgment by default. Thos. J. Zook vs W. B. Mersfelder et al set for May 20. J. A. McGowan vs Elizabeth Ray, judgment by default.

Large Doing at Gun Club's Shoot Held May 23-24

The first tournament ever attempted by the Hereford Gun Club will be held next Monday and Tuesday, May 23 and 24, on the grounds south of the railroad tracks. Monday will be practice day and 100 targets will be shot for merchandise prizes.

The tournament proper will be on Tuesday and will consist of eight events of 25 birds each and the entry fee will be \$2.50, the money to be divided among each squad as follows: 20-25-20-15-10 per cent. There will also be optional sweepstakes of \$2.50 for each event divided as follows: 40-20-20-10 per cent. The Club will contribute \$200 in added money to be divided among the different events.

At least forty out of town shooters, the pick of the Panhandle clubs, are expected to participate. Every team in the Panhandle Association is expected to have a team on hand. The sport is typically American, high class and clean in every respect, and the local Club is giving Hereford much publicity. They have led the Panhandle Association clubs from the start and are still on top. The Club is also a member of the American Trapshooting Ass'n and the Texas Trapshooting Ass'n. The tournament is held officially under the auspices of the American Ass'n.

The shoots are to be held so that they will conflict as little as possible with the Chautauqua, and it is hoped the citizens will attend in large numbers and assist the local gunners in making the stay of the visitors pleasant and profitable.

Rebekahs Will Go After Banner at Clarendon, Tex.

A delegation composed of Mesdames Hugh Witherspoon, J. B. Jones, W. H. Ray and Harry Whitechurch, left Hereford Monday morning for Clarendon, Texas, where they will attend the Odd-Fellow-Rebekah Panhandle Ass'n convention this week. Wednesday morning another delegation, composed of A. C. Barnhart, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Baker, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hooks, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Elliston, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Biggs, Mesdames W. S. Williams, Al Miller, Lawrence Johnson, C. S. Purcell, Lem Chesser, C. P. Hinger, A. C. Barnhart, Miss Lois Cobb, and probably others, will go overland.

The Rebekah team will contest for the banner, but the Hereford Odd-Fellow team will not compete this year. They captured the banner at Amarillo last year.

LESLIE NEAL BACK AFTER OPERATION RESTORES HEALTH

Leslie Neal, of Dawn, returned from the Temple Sanitarium Monday of this week, after an absence from home of several weeks. Mr. Neal has been in bad health for some time and while away submitted to an operation for ulcer of the stomach. The operation was a complete success and he is looking fifty per cent better.

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ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

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A GLOOM CHASER

The blessed rain has come just in the nick of time, as is nearly always the case when we just have to have it. Our huge wheat crop, while possibly cut in yield somewhat by the protracted dry spell, is saved for another good harvest. Farmers that have heretofore held their small grain until they could see which way the cat would jump, will now probably turn it loose for cash and get ready for another harvest. Which will mean some more debts liquidated, more bank notes taken up, a little more cash in circulation.

Of course everyone in this section realizes that the element of our population known as the "cowmen" are the hardest hit, owing to the prices offered for their stock, and that while the wheat money will help many of them, it will not be of much benefit to the most of them. It is a case of forced liquidation and attendant losses with the cowman. He is in hard luck and has the sympathy of all.

But the rain means a real life-line has been thrown to the farmer in spite of the low prices offered for his products, as he is not so heavily involved as the man with all cattle, and can, literally, "live at home."

The tension has visibly relaxed all along the line; speculation on the size of the crop and what it will bring has succeeded gloomy forebodings of no crop at all. There is a movement to real life and resumption of the ordinary daily pursuits already well begun. There is a feeling abroad in the land that the worst is over and now for the future planning until another season.

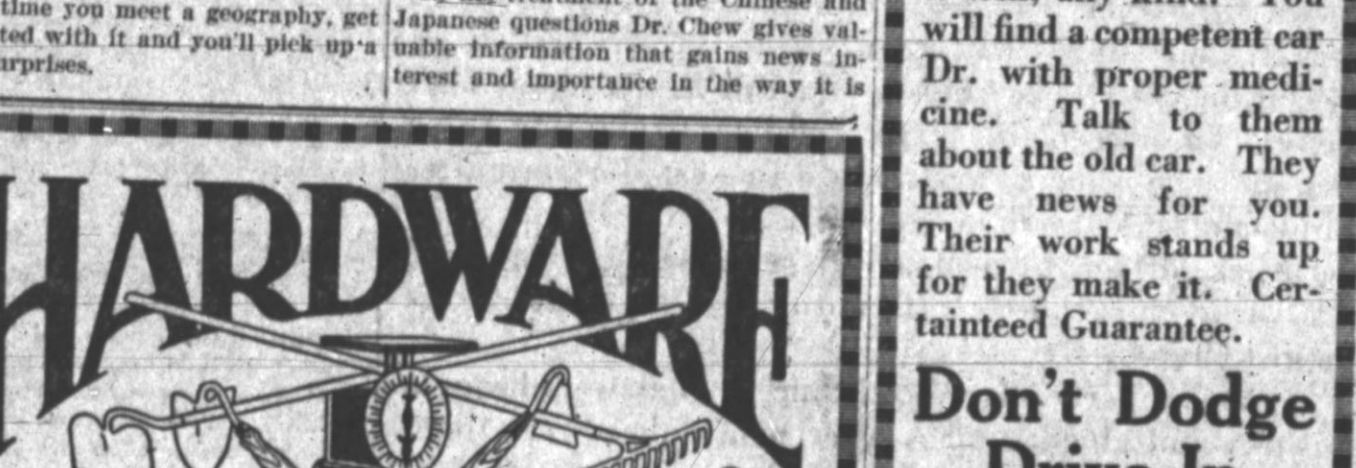
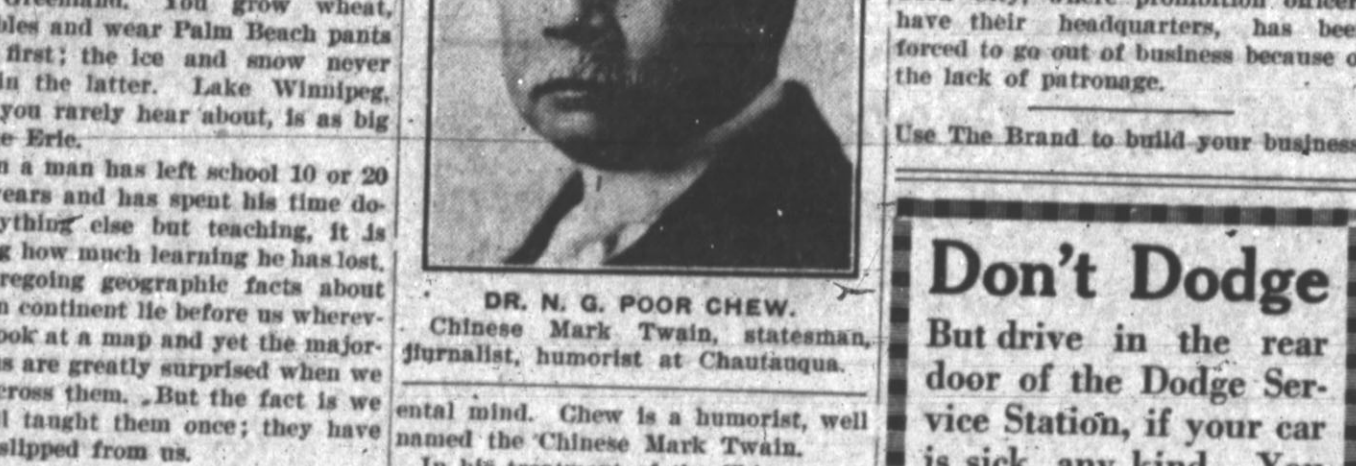
There does not seem to be any disposition, locally, to hang to the exploded theory that the "good old times" of the past two years will return. Rather it is realized that reconstruction means lower prices, longer working hours, more concentration, cutting out the "jazz" idea in our daily life and indulging in it only occasionally for recreation.

The people seem to be sternly facing the future, rather dreading what is to come, but resolved to take it cheerfully and to "carry on" as usual.

BRUSHING UP

Does your little son or daughter stump you every now and then on a simple problem in algebra, that you need to simply "eat up," when you went to school? And do your "Freckles" and "Tagalongs" sometimes ask you embarrassing questions about the geography of your own country; the answers to which, for some reason or other, have slipped your mind? Make an examination of the map and you will find some things that will surprise you.

For instance, you will find that the Panama Canal is exactly south of Buffalo. The western point of Alaska is farther west than the Hawaiian Islands. Traveling from one corner of Texas to the farthest corner is as far as from the northeast corner of Texas to Duluth, way up there on Lake Su-



perior. The greatest length of California is the same distance as from New York City to the Mississippi river!! The easternmost point of Mexico is directly south of the state of Indiana and you can almost jump from it over on to the island of Cuba. Some country of itself, that same Mexico.

We usually think of the Gulf of California as an arm of the Pacific ocean and therefore "farthest west," yet part of its mouth is about south of Denver. Mild British Columbia is as far north as Labrador, which eastern folks look upon as the last word in zero weather. South Alaska is in the same latitude as south Greenland. You grow wheat, vegetables and wear Palm Beach pants in the first; the ice and snow never melts in the latter. Lake Winnipeg, which you rarely hear about, is as big as Lake Erie.

When a man has left school 10 or 20 or 30 years and has spent his time doing anything else but teaching, it is amazing how much learning he has lost. The foregoing geographic facts about our own continent lie before us wherever we look at a map and yet the majority of us are greatly surprised when we come across them. But the fact is we were all taught them once; they have simply slipped from us.

Next time you meet a geography, get acquainted with it and you'll pick up a lot of surprises.

WHAT IS JAPAN AFTER?

Ng Poon Chew is the best versed Chinaman in America today. He understands us and so helps us to understand the peculiar workings of the Ori-



DR. N. G. POOR CHEW.
Chinese Mark Twain, statesman, journalist, humorist at Chauauqua.

ental mind. Chew is a humorist, well named the Chinese Mark Twain.

In his treatment of the Chinese and Japanese questions Dr. Chew gives valuable information that gains news interest and importance in the way it is

told. You owe it to yourself and your American citizenship to get some of these things straight in your mind. Chinese immigration and Japan's position are things that affect America deeply.

The Japanese women pearl fishers commence their work at the age of fourteen. Almost all the year, around they are in the water, except in the coldest season.

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"Mr. H. L. Broadwell, Hereford, Texas.

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CASTRO COUNTY

DIMMITT

Mrs. John Watson, who is taking treatment of Dr. Roberts in Hereford, spent Sunday with homefolks near Dimmitt.

Jay Hastings and Jack Tate were in Hereford Friday on business for the Dimmitt ball team.

On Thursday, the 12th, the Plainview boosters visited our little city. They arrived here about three o'clock and stayed here something over an hour. About thirty cars were in the bunch.

Speeches were made by Judge Kerr, of Dimmitt and Prof. Watson, of Plainview. Band music was rendered by a couple of bands from Plainview, which was greatly enjoyed by all. The Ladies' Aid and the Dimmitt ball team served a fine dinner for the boosters and the Kress ball team, also to the Dimmitt and Castro County visitors. Ralph Patton, who is manager of the Dimmitt ball team, gave a nice fat calf for the meat that was used for the feast.

Dimmitt and Friona played a good game of ball Saturday. The score was 7 and 2 in favor of Dimmitt. Rab, Rab, Rab for Dimmitt.

Rev. Florence, Pastor of the Methodist Church, will hold a meeting at Bethel this week.

Mrs. Bill Webb and Miss Rosella Bell attended the school program at Cleo Saturday evening.

Bill Easter made a business trip to Hart Wednesday.

Prof. Belev who is confined to his bed with small-pox, is improving some this week.

The Caedman Chautauqua Company will be here soon, beginning May the 23th, and continuing seven days.

A fine rain fell here Saturday night and Sunday and everyone looks happy and prosperous, especially the farmers and business men.

Mr. Edwin Ramey states that a fine rain fell on his place Saturday night.

Miss Janellyn Burnam spent Thursday night and Friday visiting on the Patton Brothers' Ranch.

Miss Dora Bell, who teaches the New Castle School a few miles northwest of here, will be home with us soon as her school closes Friday, the 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Montgomery, Miss Ethel Montgomery and Lester Womack went fishing near Hereford Friday, and bought a fine mess home for supper.

Mrs. Dave Shepard and daughter, Virginia, were shopping in Dimmitt Friday.

Judge and Mrs. Woodlee were in Amarillo a couple of days this week.

Little Jack Womack is home with the chicken pox this week.

Miss Margaret Boyd, who has been visiting relatives in Olton for the past few days, returned Wednesday.

Mr. Dealy, staff correspondent of the Dallas News, was in Dimmitt Thursday with the Plainview trade excursion.

Charley Mapes had two of his registered bulls here Thursday on exhibition. Mr. Mapes is one of our most

1000 MILES OF FRESH AIR FOR BABY.



James F. Watkins, Jr. was left motherless shortly after his birth, eleven months ago, and then pneumonia developed. His daddy decided it was fresh air the little tot needed, so started a tour of California, pushing the baby in a perambulator. This picture shows the two in Los Angeles at the end of a 1,000-mile walk, baby's health fully restored. Watkins, without funds, worked his way throughout the tour.

prosperous farmers and handles nothing but registered cattle.

School in the high school department, has been suspended, as the teacher, Prof. Belev, has the small pox.

High School Play, "The Average Man"

The 10th grade play, "The Average Man," was given last Thursday evening to a full house.

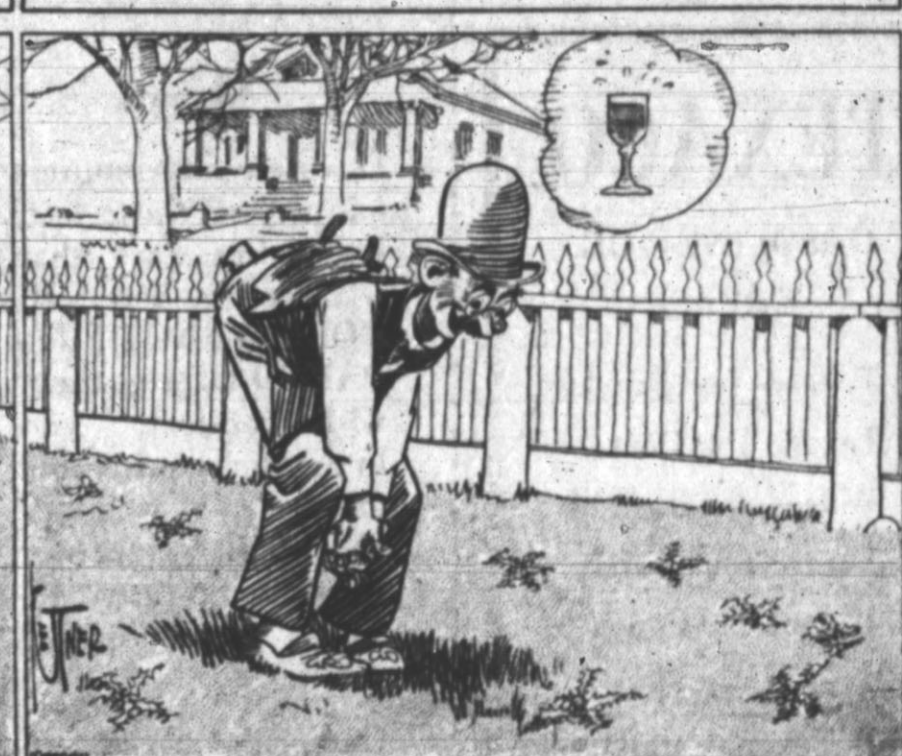
It had been planned to give this play at the close of school, but owing to the high school department closing, some of the boarding students wanted to go home on this caused the play to be given a week early.

Much credit is given Miss Smith and Miss Parks for their assistance and coaching, as the characters played their parts excellently.

Cast of Characters

- James Slaton, a farmer—Jewel Tate.
- Bob Mondell, Mr. Slaton's foreman—Ollie Dixon.
- Mrs. Mondell, Bob's wife—Lorena Taylor.
- Mary Mondell, daughter—Tennie Hastings.
- Mr. Norwood, Chicago broker—Irwin Taylor.
- Mrs. Norwood, his wife—Myrtle Johnson.
- Florence Norwood, daughter—Virginia Johnson.
- Florence Norwood, daughter—Mary Reynolds.
- Jimmy Norwood, broker's son—Clyde Shuford.
- Mrs. Glin, old gossip—Leola Shuford.

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are read by the people because it gives them news of absorbing interest. People no longer go looking about for things they want—they go to their newspaper for information as to where such things may be found. This method saves time and trouble. If you want to bring your wares to the attention of this community, our advertising columns

Should Contain Your Ad

Uncle Dan, negro—Floyd Reynolds.
Doctor Bruce—Joe Gallehon.

YOUTHS PLAY WITH LOADED REVOLVER

While playing with a revolver, after church, at the Boone school, on Sunday, a revolver in the hands of a boy named Gully, exploded, the bullet passing through his finger, the shirt of a boy standing near, and finally lodging in the body of a boy named Hausen. The bullet struck the Hausen boy somewhat to the side, passing near the lung and lodging beneath the skin of the back. The wounded boy was taken to the hospital at Shattuck, and according to latest reports, he was getting along nicely.—Higgins News.

VIVID SPOT IN GREAT PROGRAM

Grenadiers One of Greatest Numbers at Chautauqua

There is a whale of a program all week at Chautauqua. If Charles F. Horner desired to startle with his program this year he has surely succeeded. One of the most spectacular and smashing numbers of any Chautauqua program is given by the Grenadiers Singing Band.

Costumed in uniforms of white with

MANY LIKE THIS IN HEREFORD

Similar Cases Being Published in Each Issue.

The following case is but one of many occurring daily in Hereford. It is an easy matter to verify it. You cannot ask for better proof.

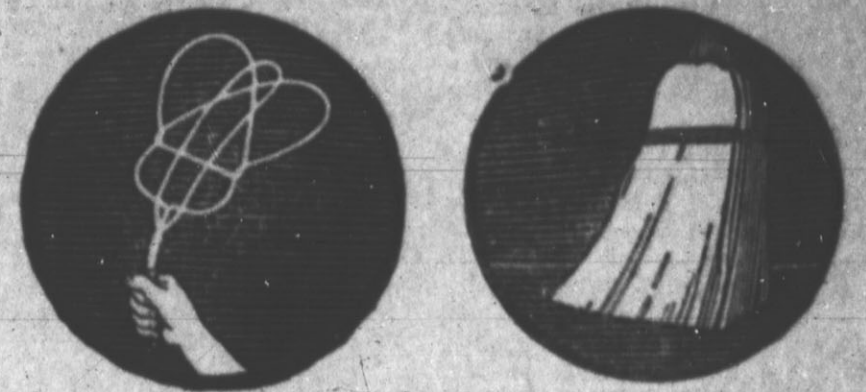
John G. farmer, Hereford,

says: "Some time ago I was down sick and my kidneys for days at a time and could hardly get around, my back was so sore and lame. My back ached constantly and when I stooped over, sharp, catching pains would take me in my back and I could hardly straighten up. I also had dizzy spells and my kidneys were weak and irregular in action. At night I had to get up two or three times to pass the secretions. The trouble seemed to come on in spells. Now, whenever I feel any symptoms I get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills from the Betts-Clark Drug Co. and they always fix me up and relieve me of all the misery. I know Doan's are a good medicine."

50c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

high bushy and gleaming boots, the combinations of voice are here as well uniform of the crack Grenadier Guards as a most effective and sometimes surprising arrangement of instruments. This organization will be the talk of the town.

The HOOVER



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—As It Cleans



\$10.00 Down and \$5.00 a Month

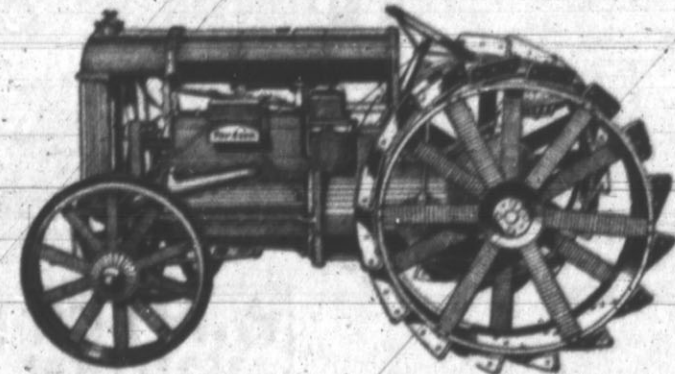
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Society

Mrs. B. F. Guthrie, Editor,
Phone 189.

Birthday Party

On Friday, May thirteenth, the neighbors of Mrs. Morris Matthews, who lives on the A. O. Thompson ranch north of town, gave her a surprise dinner party in celebration of her birthday.

All the preparations for the day's festivities were carried on with such absolute secrecy that no intimation of the pleasant affair reached the hostess, who was in the midst of the week's ironing when the guests arrived.

With true hospitality, however, the guests were welcomed and a jollier company could scarcely be imagined.

It was the work of but a few moments to arrange the magnificent spread which had been prepared in the various homes represented, the dinner being served at the noon hour. The menu was most elaborate, delicious ice cream and cake providing the dessert.

The entire day was most pleasantly spent, the following persons being present: Mesdames A. O. Thompson, F. Saltzman, W. A. Knox, Tilman Olson, J. E. Cockrell, R. J. Kibbe, K. Y. Closky, Misses Jessie Morris and Alma Knox.

Entertained at Country Home

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Rice and their daughter, Mrs. Galley, entertained at their home south of town on Thursday evening in honor of Misses Mattie Swisher, Mahala Williamson, Laura James and Rev. J. R. Sharp.

The occasion featured a delightfully appointed six o'clock dinner with a delicious menu, beautiful table furnishings and tasteful decorations.

Following the dinner the guests enjoyed the sights of this up-to-date stock farm and later were joined by a number of other guests who shared with them a most entertaining musical program.

Music Study Club

As a fitting close to the year's work the Music Study Club enjoyed a day of unalloyed pleasure at the home of Mrs. Homer Fox on Monday.

The informal mingling together in preparing the elaborate dinner which was served at noon, provided an hour of genuine pleasure as an introduction to the real features of the day—the delightful dinner and more delightful program.

When in readiness for serving the table was a picture which it seemed almost desecration to disturb. The dishes were arranged with all of that thought for the esthetic that makes a menu irresistibly attractive and every detail of the delicious repast was perfection itself.

The lesson study was in charge of Mrs. Monday, the subject being "New Music." The program included life sketches of Debussy, by Mrs. Fox, Roehmanoff, Mrs. Ferguson; Eschalkowsky, Mrs. Allen; Mana Tucca, Mrs. Price; a paper, "The Tendencies of Music Today," by Mrs. Dyar, and musical numbers as follows: "Fove Poems from the Japanese," Mrs. Estes; "Romance," Mrs. Stanford; Choruses, "Sleep My Darling" and "Star of Gold," Mrs. Oberthier, Miss Owen, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Dameron and Mrs. Estes, and "A Hush Song" and "A Song of Hope," by Mesdames Homer Wilkinson, Ferguson, Stacking, Norton, Broadwell, Hawkins, Thompson and Crouch.

In addition to the regular program, the club was favored with selections charmingly given by three guests for the day: Miss Merrill Granger sang "The Slave Song," by Teresa Del Riego, Mrs. Ben Allen gave a beautiful solo, while Miss Elizabeth Oberthier gave some delightful piano numbers.

The day's pleasures were shared by about twenty-five guests.

Bay View Club

The Bay View Club held a called meeting Thursday afternoon in which final reports were submitted preparatory to closing the year's work.

The only program number was the very interesting report of the district federation meeting by Mrs. J. Frank Potts.

Only one more meeting will be held and this will be an "extra" added to the regular schedule. Its program has not yet been arranged.

Miss Williamson Honored

A meeting of unusual pleasure was enjoyed by the members of the Presbyterian Missionary Society on Wednesday, May eleventh, when they added to their regular program a miscellaneous "show" for Miss Mahala Williamson. Twenty-one in number they met in the Sunday School rooms of the church where the following program was given:

Paper, "Jerusalem and Egypt"—Mrs. Hugh Witherspoon.

Paper, "Modern Egypt"—Mrs. Chesler.

"Mesopotamia"—Mrs. C. O. Lee.

"Turkish Powers"—Mrs. Vern Witherspoon.

"Persia"—Mrs. Hastings.

At the conclusion of the program the meeting was formally dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Haberer and the entire company repaired to the manse.

There the shades were drawn and in the somewhat dim lighting, only the initiated saw the line stretched across the room and further obscured by a group of ladies gathered in front of it. Upon their arrival the guests were

962 School Children in County; Almost Two Thirds in Hereford; Girls Slightly Outnumber Boys

Figures compiled by County Judge Megert on the total number of children in the county of Deaf Smith attending public schools, between the ages of 7 and 17 years show that there are a total of 962, 323 being enrolled in the rural schools. There are 160 boys and 163 girls in the rural schools and 313 boys and 326 girls in the city's schools. The details follow:

	County		City	
	M	F	M	F
Total number of children 7 years of age	16	16	28	27
Total number of children 8 years of age	15	21	35	26
Total number of children 9 years of age	19	19	30	38
Total number of children 10 years of age	22	15	36	24
Total number of children 11 years of age	12	19	26	34
Total number of children 12 years of age	13	13	34	32
Total number of children 13 years of age	11	22	21	34
Total number of children 14 years of age	13	16	24	37
Total number of children 15 years of age	13	10	29	28
Total number of children 16 years of age	13	8	25	24
Total number of children 17 years of age	10	8	25	22
Total	160	163	313	326

Grand total number of children 7 to 17 years of age, inclusive, in entire Co., 962.

served with punch by Mesdames Ireland, Furrah and Sowers.

Then a reading by three-year-old Jake Anderson Witherspoon opened a program whose later numbers included a solo by Miss Swisher, with Miss Williamson at the piano, and a piano duet by Miss Elizabeth Tatman and Mrs. Mrs. Broadwell. When the music was finished, the ladies stepped aside revealing the line thickly hung with pretty gifts and Mrs. Laird gave a basket to Miss Williamson asking her to gather the clothes. Miss Williamson's surprise was complete, her utter bewilderment adding much to the general enjoyment.

Again Miss Swisher sang—the song being an original appreciation of Miss Williamson's work and influence, and marking the close of the very pleasant occasion.

The "show" was a pretty expression of the esteem in which Miss Williamson is held by those with whom she has been associated in church work.

May Employ Agriculture Teacher For High School

The school board now has under consideration the question of employing a teacher in Agriculture for the high school the coming year. If they decide to take this step and employ a man for full time, the Federal and State agricultural departments will contribute half of his salary.

Prof. Frank Phillips, of Canyon Normal, teacher of agricultural work in that institution, accompanied by County Agent Ware of Randall county, visited Hereford last Friday and discussed the idea with Mrs. B. F. Guthrie, secretary of the school board. A. O. Thompson, member of the board, has been appointed a sub-committee to investigate and report back.

Such a man, a graduate of a good

NEW U. S. TREASURER FROM THE WEST



Frank White, former governor of North Dakota and a colonel, with the A. E. F. during the war, is the newly appointed Treasurer of the United States. He comes from Valley City, N. D.

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Baccalaureate Sermon

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stionary service." Again, urging them to believe in themselves, Rev. Beavers said, "You are your own worst enemies. Nothing but your own weakness can prevent your overcoming the obstacles which will obstruct your path, and as one who is keenly interested in the very best for each of you, I would ask no surer help toward this goal than hard times; difficulties, trials, disappointments are as surely necessary to the full development of strong character and self-reliance as are the snows and storms of winter to bring to abundant fruition a bountiful harvest. Get an education. It means the development of your best selves, and it is yours for the asking. Spurn the easy road—choose the rugged path of toil and self-denial. This is what true education and true worth means."

Impressing the fact of the great blessing of youth the speaker called attention to the contrast between the application of the text to the aged leader of Israel, to whom it was addressed, and the class of budding manhood and womanhood. "Keep green," said he, "keep the inquiring mind of youth; look about you every day for fresh truths and new ideas; appreciate at its true value the experience of parents and older friends, appropriate it as a rich legacy, but add to it your own individuality and ability for self-expression."

The discourse was especially fitting and appropriate for the special occasion which inspired it and was equally excellent for the chance listener to whom it conveyed a wealth of helpful teaching.

The beautiful solo by Miss Granger was a musical treat which added greatly to the attractiveness of the program.

Again, on Monday the members of the graduating class were hosts to the high school and a number of visitors at their class day program. With James McEntyre, class president, presiding and Miss Lella Orr officiating as secretary, the following entertaining program was rendered in the high

school auditorium.

Class song closed by the class yell, "We're the class that will make things hum,

We're the class that will make you run, We're the class of '21.

Seniors! Seniors! Seniors!" Introduction of class celebrities:

The most beautiful girl—Victoria Wilson.

The handsomest boy—Keith Stegall.

The cleverest girl—Ines Hodges.

The class mechanic—Charles Burkett.

The most talkative girl—Mary Hicks.

Class Fool—Emmett Alban.

Class Giggler—Virginia Morgan.

Piano Solo—Annie Fitzhugh Parker.

Reading—Mattie Mounts.

Class Jokes—Beulah Davis.

Piano Solo—Pearl Golden.

Allegorical Sketch, "What Seniors Will Meet," "Hard Knocks," Guy Gilliland; "Love," Mary Belle Ham; "Failures," Virginia Morgan; "Knowledge," Hazel Rambo.

Quatette—Keith Stegall, James McEntire, Guy Gilliland, Emmett Alban.

"Class Will"—Nora Beams.

"Class Prophecy"—Daniel Bell, Lella Orr and Emmett Alban.

Class Poem—Audrey Carroll.

President's Address—James McEntire.

The entire program was exceptionally good and, if taken as a criterion by which to judge the general ability of the class of '21, it set a very high standard.

The only woman to go over Niagara Falls and live, today is in the Niagara county infirmary practically blind and without friends. She is nearly seventy-five years of age.

Keep your eye on your Brand label, when the time is up the paper will STOP.

Time Table

EAST BOUND

No. 22 Arrives 10:55, The Missionary To K. C. and Chicago

WEST BOUND

No. 21 Arrives 7:42, The Missionary To Los Angeles

No. 22 arrives in K. C., 8 a. m. Chicago, 9:20 p. m.

No. 21 leaves Chicago, 10:30 p. m., arrives K. C., 10:55 a. m., arrives Hereford 7:42 a. m., arrives Los Angeles, 9:15 p. m., second day.

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CLASSIFIED COLUMNS

Engineer's Report

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FOR SALE

PHONE T. B. Slaughter, 195, or come to my place 1-4 miles east of Court House for Gravel and Sand of 1st quality. Best Rock. 44-tf

FOR SALE or Trade—Eighty good yearlings, priced for the buyer to make money. Forty good cows. City property to trade for live stock. Good 320 acres to trade for Hereford property. Have client for some good acreage near town. Have Pecos valley property to trade for well improved section, or section and a half close in, and pay cash difference. Good milk cows to sell or exchange for grain. 12-tf **L. Gough.**

SUDAN SEED—Free from Johnson grass seed. Will deliver in Hereford, \$2.50 per cwt. 13-tf **J. M. Kimmons**

FOR SALE—Plants of all kinds. See or phone Mrs. Lillian Oden, Phone 27. 18-2t

FOR SALE—Well improved quarter section, one mile south of town on 25 Mile Avenue. **Mrs. E. B. Elliott. 14-tf At home of Mrs. G. A. Pierce.**

FOR SALE—Still have bulbs and flower plants; also R. C. Rhode Island Red eggs, \$1.00 per setting, from egg record pullets and hens. 14-tf **Mrs. F. E. Bowe.**

FOR SALE—Fryers, 1-2 to 2-4 lbs., 75c each. Call or phone order to Mrs. J. M. Kimmons. 18-tf

FOR SALE—A few very choice milk cows. **C. B. Barber, 17-2t**

FOR TRADE—A good wagon and team of horses, to trade for a Ford. 19-4t-Pd. **A. O. Thompson.**

FOR SALE—Sudan, big German Millet, \$2.35. Heggers, \$1.25 per cwt. June Corn, \$2.00 per bushel. All extra good seed. Delivered to Hereford. **Joe Hastings, Dimmitt, Tex. 19-4-P.**

FOR SALE—Good German Millet seed delivered in Hereford. Write or phone 1-1 on 312. **Carl Jennings. 19-2t-Pd**

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, pure R. C. R. I. Reds, bred for 10 years; \$1.00 per setting of 15, \$5.00 per 100. Phone 310-F3. 9-tf **Mrs. Geo. W. Smith.**

FOR SALE—Bronze Turkey Eggs at \$2.50 per setting of ten. Phone 214-F14. 19-2t-Pd **Mrs. J. L. Rogers.**

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Boar and some thoroughbred Duroc pigs. 19-2t **O. O. Curtis.**

FOR SALE—Ribbon Cane (Brumley kind). I have placed a limited amount of this extra good seed at the Great West Elevator Co. for sale at \$1.25 per hundred, sacked. 13-tf **R. H. Jacobs.**

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, one to two months old, 10c to 25c each. Butter 40c. Cream 40c quart. 19-2t **Mrs. T. T. McDermitt.**

FOR SALE, or Trade—A two-year-old filly, and a horse about 11 years old. Will trade for good milk cow. 19-2t **L. W. Carlyle.**

FOR SALE—Buy your Cedar Fence Posts direct from producer and save money. We pay freight anywhere. Write box 75, San Saba, Texas. 18-4t-P.

FOR SALE—Farm tools and good teams. Priced to sell.

FOR SALE—Baby chicks from one to six weeks old. Also butter and sweet cream delivered. Phone 338. 16-4t **Mrs. T. T. McDermitt.**

FOR SALE—Have decided to cut the price on the 8 room Berry house near Mothers' Park, and make very reasonable terms. Can give immediate possession. See me at once for a real bargain on one of the best built homes in Hereford. **L. Baskin. 12-tf**

FOR SALE—Registered O. I. C. Pigs. Place your order now. 10-8t-Pd **L. F. Boyd.**

FOR SALE—One Alcazar Combination Coal and Oil Range. A-1 condition. 15-tf **See Homer Wilkinson.**

WANTED

WANTED—One good drill and good 12-foot header. 13-tf **J. L. Fugha.**

WANTED—We make that old Bronze bed look like new. Daniel's New and Second Hand Store. 19-1t-Pd.

CASH—Have All Cash Buyer for a smooth raw section of land. Must be priced cheap. **A. A. Ott. 17-tf**

WANTED—To buy old wooden beds. Daniel's New and Second Hand Store. 19-4t **C. C. Ferguson.**

WANTED—Your Liberty Bonds. Will pay market value less reasonable brokerage. **Claud Ricketts, 13-tf First National Bank.**

WANTED—Help! 40 tf **Hereford Steam Laundry.**

MISCELLANEOUS

WELL DRILLING—Geo. P. Turrentine, Phone 114. 9-tf **Geo. P. Turrentine.**

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished light house keeping rooms. Modern conveniences. **Fred Millard. 14-tf**

was honestly and efficiently constructed and absolutely in no danger of collapsing under any but extreme conditions, such as tornados, earth-quakes, or fire.

"Repairs on such a building come under the head of up-keep and should never be considered as detrimental to a building in as good condition as this one is at present, but should be made at such time and to such extent as the times demand, and in making the following recommendations for repair; I trust you will not construe such as being at variance to the foregoing part of this report.

"The roof, being the most important part of a finished building, will be considered first.

"The upper or central part of this roof is covered with a tar paper treated with tar or asphalt and gravel and is in need of immediate repair. The paper seems to be in very fair condition, but the gravel has lost its binder thus leaving the roof its water-proofness. A new coat of tar or asphalt with gravel should be applied and if properly done will restore this part of the roof to first class condition.

"The sloping part of the roof is of shingles, which are weather-beaten and wind-worn, but can be put in excellent condition by replacing a few of the worst curled shingles and by applying a good asphaltic roof paint, and since the gutters in the angles of the roof are of tin the asphaltic paint should also be applied to these.

"There are a number of windows in this roof which should be tightened by readjusting the weather-strips and repainting same.

"That part of the roof within the tower at the front can be rendered water-proof by the application of the same roof paint as recommended for the shingles, or treated to a coat of tar and gravel the same as the upper part of the main roof; however, this small area is entirely too flat and before repairing same you should consider raising the center in order to give it more drainage.

"The gutter drains over the eaves are in need of a coat of paint, and the down-spouts are too small; these should be enlarged to at least six inch openings and should be carried to and beyond the foundation of the building in order that the water will not overflow the gutters and cause the under-lining to give way. This under-lining needs a few nails here and there and a new coat of wall paint.

"The sand stone in the out-side and lower part of the walls has begun to disintegrate thru the action of the frost and water and should be treated immediately (this summer) to a water-proofing treatment of cement or stone-paint. Portland Cement is by far the better treatment and should cost less than the patented so called stone water-proofing. At the Northwest corner there is a stone which shows the effects of the wash and tear of the elements more than any other stone in the building and I recommend to you that this stone be partly removed and built up with a strong Portland cement mortar which can be made to conform in looks and shape to the other part of the wall when treated.

"There are five weather or temperature cracks in the brick portion of the West wall; two in the South wall; four in the East wall and none in the North wall except in flue; all of which should be repaired by merely re-pointing the mortar between the brick, in fact, the whole brick work could be improved in looks by a thorough re-pointing of the mortar.

"Some of the lintels over the windows must be repaired—one upper window at S. W. corner, one lower window at S. E. corner, both in front wall of building, and three windows in the East wall. Where new lintels are placed the bearing of same should be extended at least six inches further beyond each side of window opening.

"The condition of the floors throughout the entire building would be greatly improved by doubling same, altho they are not in a bad or dangerous condition at present.

"The plaster is in need of repair in the Boys Lavatory and at two or three places, but as a whole is in excellent condition considering the leaky condition of the roof.

"All lavatories and toilets should have a water-proof wainscoting clear around the room and at least three feet in height, this wainscoting can be built into the wall by first removing the plaster and replacing same with a two inch steel troweled Portland cement wall.

"The floors would be greatly improved by placing another strip of plank thereon, thus doubling the present floor; I found a number of places where the original floor is almost worn out.

"The ceilings and walls inside are in fair condition and need nothing unless the Board wishes to re-tint them.

"In summing up the entire building I

FOR RENT—The Lipcomb house, Oil or see H. L. Broadwell. 12-tf



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and only three things which are at all important and in need of immediate attention, namely: the repair of the roof, water-proofing of the sand stone, and the resetting of the lintels over the windows as outlined. If these things are completed, well performed, and honestly constructed, there is no reason why you should not be proud of the building, for you have a mighty good, substantial, honestly built structure and one that will stand up indefinitely under ordinary conditions.

"Very truly,
"W. D. Howren, Engineer."

A peculiar custom of the Hindoos during their Hull festival consists in the sending of persons away with messages to dead individuals, or persons

known to be from home, and enjoying the laugh at their disappointment.

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Broadway Jones, at Chautauque, Creates Whirlwind Fun

George Cohan needs no other work of his to prove him great with Americans than Broadway Jones. It starts off with the rise of the curtain and in a minute the crowd is roaring. From then on brilliant fun, lightning action lasts until the final drop.

Jackson Jones is a thoroughly American but somewhat harum-scarum young duck. He gets a lot of jolts and is man enough to make good use of all of them.

A chewing gum factory figures prom-

neatly from the first, also a wealthy widow. Jones is engaged to the widow, but he loves someone else. How he manages all the complications make an intense story, screwingly funny.

COMMISSIONERS TO RESUME WORK ON FRIDAY, MAY 27

The Commissioners Court worked five days of last week checking up the county equalization records. A called session will be held on Friday, May 27, to consider other routine matters set aside for the present.

HON. JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES TO BE HERE
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One of the best-loved Americans, is John Temple Graves. His reputation as an orator is international. He has a command of the English language that is most remarkable. In the past twenty years he has numbered as his friends the great men of the Nation in both great parties. As a newspaper man he handled for years twelve newspapers of national circulation and reached twenty million readers daily. The Redpath-Horner Chautauques



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Singing Convention of Castro County

Sunday, May 22

Dimmitt was selected as the place. Everyone is invited to come and bring a well-filled basket. A number of good singers will be there. A large crowd is expected to be on hand.

Program

MORNING SESSION

10:30 a. m. Welcome Song by Dimmitt class, led by the Vice President, Mr. Gollehon.

Opening prayer by Bro. Turner of Dimmitt.

Song by Cleo class, led by W. S. Dixon.

Minutes by Mrs. Gollehon.

Song by Dimmitt class, led by Mr. Ayers.

Address of welcome—Judge B. D. Woodlee.

Song, led by Mr. Wagly.

Special music by the Gollehon family.

Convention Song No. 80, Praise to Him, led by the President.

Special dinner together. Everybody get acquainted.

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 p. m. General singing, led by Lawrence Taylor.

Special music—Mr. Ayers and Co. Constitution and By-laws—Mr. Wimberly.

Special music by the Taylors.

Convention song No. 39—Mr. Webb.

Bethel class, led by Mr. Brownlee.

Blue Ridge and Arney class, led by Irwin Taylor.

Summerfield class called.

Cleo class, led by Mr. Wagly.

Convention Song No. 205, led by Irwin Taylor.

General singing, led by Elmer Dixon.

Duet—Noel and Nola Gollehon.

Big Square class.

Special music by Reynolds family.

The following leaders will then take their turn, offering two songs each:

Joe Gollehon, Marcus Burks, Lawrence Taylor, Harvey Dixon, Mabel Taylor, and others.

Special music—Mr. Ayers.

General music, led by W. S. Dixon.

Special music by the Webbs.

This program is only tentative; it will be in the hands of the advisory committee and everyone interested is requested to make any suggestions desired. All are requested to contribute as the program progresses.

Singers Notice

S. J. Taylor, president of the Castro County Singing Convention, has requested that you keep this copy of The Brand, as the program printed above will be the official program of the Convention.

It is also announced that it is necessary for every class to know the Conventional hymns named above.

Barber Shop Tonic

Charlie—I want a position.

Beene—Had any experience?

Charlie—Four months in a Barber College.

Beene—Do Barber colleges have a yell?

Charlie—Sure.

Beene—Where did you get yours?

Charlie—From the last man I shaved.

Beene—Give us your yell.

Charlie—Rah-Rah—Rah-Rah—Rah-Rah—Cutup in the lip and slushum in the jaw. Skinum-Skinum, -Raw-Raw-Itaw.

Beene—Giveum a tonic—next victim.

COOL ORGANDIES RULE AGAIN



Woman cannot resist the cool, refreshing appeal of organdies for summer wear. This year the delicate tints prevail, in orchid, copen and flesh colors. As shown here, its plain texture is relieved by polka dots and trimmed with neat knife pleated ruffles. This new model is an advanced showing in the Bush Terminal Sales Building at New York.

CAN RUSSIA COME BACK?

Madame Selivanova at Chautauqua. Trotsky and Lenin seem to be able to hold their own. Yet can Russia ex-



MME. N. N. SELIVANOVA.
Russian noblewoman escaped from Russia tells the story at Chautauqua. Ist in a state of anarchy and lawlessness? Madame Selivanova was born and reared in Russia. Of noble family, she

has had access to facts and information within the reach of only a few. She served in various capacities during the war on every front and against every one of the foes Russia had to face. When the revolution began she escaped from Russia. Her story is one of intense interest and of very great educational value.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES SALE

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of January 1918, W. M. Stovall executed and delivered to E. D. Fox a certain deed of trust by the terms of which he conveyed to the said E. D. Fox, trustee, the tract of land hereafter described, for the purpose of securing J. H. Galbreath and J. A. Fox in the prompt payment of ten notes each in the sum of \$2500.00, dated January 11, 1918, payable to J. H. Galbreath and J. A. Fox, and due on or before 10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19 years after date respectively, bearing interest at 6 per cent per annum, with interest payable annually, and providing for attorneys fees of 10 per cent, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, according to the deed of trust, which deed of trust is recorded in the record of deed of trust of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in Vol. 18, page 425, and.

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust provided that in case default should be made in the payment of said promissory notes of any installment of interest when due, that the said trustee or his successors should be authorized and empowered, when requested to do so by the holder of said notes, after such default, to sell said property at public auction for cash in satisfaction of said notes, and.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of each and every interest installment as they fell due, and J. H. Galbreath and J. A. Fox, the holders of said notes have requested me to execute said Trust and to advertise and sell the land hereafter described.

NOW THEREFORE, I E. D. Fox trustee as aforesaid, by virtue of provisions of said Deed of Trust, will sell at public auction on the 7th day of June, it being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at the Court House of Deaf Smith County, Texas, the following described real estate, situated in Deaf Smith County, to-wit: A part of Capitol Leagues Nos. 501, 501 1-2 and 408, described as beginning 671 vrs. North from the Southwest corner of Section No. 91, Blk. K-7 in said County and running thence West 2675 vrs. to a stake; thence South 4018.45 vrs. to an iron stake; thence East 2287 vrs. to an iron stake; thence South 350.6 vrs. to a stake; thence East 383 vrs. to a stake; thence North 4393.05 vrs. to the place of beginning, and containing 1922.5 acres.

Said land will be sold subject to an oil lease in favor of the Empire Gas and Fuel Co., dated July 25, 1917, and recorded in the deed records of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in Vol. 28, page 813.

Witness my hand this 5th day of May, A. D. 1921.

E. D. FOX, Trustee.

USED FORD BARGAINS

1 1920 Ford Touring Car. Starter, new Battery, new Wheels and Tires, good Top and Upholstering. All Mechanical shape. Priced to sell, \$450.00.

1 1918 Ford Touring Car. Good Top and Upholstering, two new Casings, Shock Absorbers, extra good Mechanical shape. Priced to move, \$350.

1 1918 Ford Touring Car. Good Top and Upholstering, Shock Absorbers, Speedometer, extra Braces etc., perfect shape Priced right, \$325.00.

1 1916 Ford Touring Car. New Top and good Upholstering, two new Casings, fair shape mechanically. A bargain, \$150.00.

1 1920 1-Ton Truck, with pneumatic Casings, Cab and Express Body, good Casings, extra good Mechanical shape. Priced to sell, \$500.00.

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Be ready for the harvest rush with a fleet of Cletracs—the power-battery that makes the wheat farmer independent of weather conditions and labor shortage.

Each Cletrac easily hauls two binders—replacing six or eight horses and does twice the work. It keeps going *more hours and longer days*—is ready when the grain is just right. The breakdown of a large tractor means a costly harvest hold-up, but if one of a fleet of Cletracs should be stopped it only means a little added work for the others. Cletracs work fast on the straightaway—turn short and get the corners clean—are economical and easy to operate.

Come in and look this tractor over. See for yourself its sturdy construction. Let us show you what it will do for you on your own farm.

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- Dr. Frank Dixon
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REDPATH-HORNER CHAUTAUQUA

BALD HEAD HELPS WIN CHAMPIONSHIP



Stanislaus Zbysko, the oldest active wrestler in the world, who for twenty years has been in the limelight of the American mat game, had to wait until he was an old man before he won the title—then "thanks to his bald head." He took the championship from Strangler Lewis at New York last week through one of the most unique situations in the history of the sport. After twenty-three minutes of whirlwind work, Lewis made a flying leap at the forty-seven-year-old Pole in the attempt to clamp on one of his famous headlocks. Zbysko's head and face were perspiring freely. Lewis' arm slipped over and off the round, slippery head, and before he could recover, Zbysko was on top of him with a winning neck lock.

Gompers, Labor Leader, Takes Bride at 71



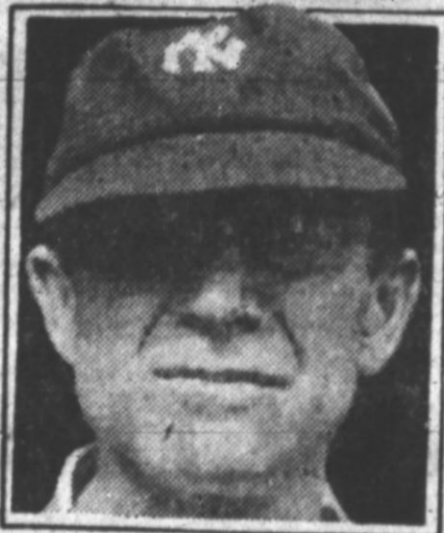
Samuel Gompers, President and founder of the greatest labor body in the world, the American Federation of Labor, and now seventy-one years old, has taken to himself a new bride. He was married this week in New York. The bride was Miss Gertrude Neuscheler, of Zanesville, O., thirty-eight years old. The photo shows the happy pair as they started on their honeymoon.

a rare and tactful entertainer and she and her assistants will furnish a program of clean, pure and wholesome fun, consisting of music, readings, character sketches, monologues, playlets and many other amusing features, full of fun from start to finish, no dull moments and nothing to offend. Don't miss this first program.

The Congregational people are planning to refresh the interior of their church, decorate the windows and install a lighting system, all of which is badly needed.

A purse of gold was recently presented to a landlord in Lynn, Massachusetts, by his tenants, who said he had a heart of gold. Although owners all about him had increased their rents, this landlord had not increased his prices in the last five years.

HUGGINS' WRECKING CREW THE CLASS



Is "The Little Corporal" going to dominate again—this time in baseball instead of world affairs. Miller Huggins, the diminutive leader of the New York Yanks, has an army of ball players which threatened to make Tris Speaker's Cleveland Champs go the limit to win.

MAN BEHEADED IN DENVER YARDS BY BACKED OIL TANK

Saturday afternoon Dan Redmond, a member of the yard section gang of the Denver road, was instantly killed when the switch engine kicked an oil tank car against him. His head was completely severed from his body, but he was not otherwise mangled.

No one saw the fatal accident and none knew of it for probably half an hour, hence it will ever be known just how it occurred. Circumstances indicate that deceased was cutting weeds on the track when he was struck and dragged under the wheels. He was known to be quite hard of hearing and

it is supposed this was the indirect cause of his death. Deceased was an Irishman, perhaps over sixty and had been working on the road some 25 years. One hundred dollars in money was found in his pockets and it is reported that he had an account of some \$500 in a Fort Worth bank.—Childress Post.

HORNER MAKES A FIND

A little over a year ago Knofleekova, the brilliant young Bohemian violinist played for Charles F. Horner. A remarkable European education combined with unusual ability have enabled

this young artist to charm even the most critical musicians. Her technique is flawless. The most difficult compositions are played with the ease of the great artist.

Knofleekova is supported by an excellent company. In a few years many communities that have heard Knofleekova this year will be willing to pay many times the price to hear her again. She has a great future. Miss Knofleekova is only twenty-two.

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PARMER COUNTY

FRIONA

V. F. Hodge made a business trip into New Mexico Wednesday. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Houlette.

Our advertising committee has done some hustling this week. M. A. Crum went to Bovina and Farwell, J. C. Wilkinson to Muleshoe, G. W. Maurer to Hereford, and Orville Steevick to Hollene, N. M.

The Chautauqua starts this season with a "Red headed" program by a "red-headed" girl. The Vernon Grimes Entertainers will be on the job both afternoon and night. Miss Grimes is

Champion Headers

Also

Moline Hyatt Roller Bearing Header Binder, either for Horses or Tractor.

See us and place your orders.

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BEAT IT

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CHAUTAUQUA

To the motorist who has quit guessing about tires —

A LONG about this time of year a man finds his motoring neighbors getting anxious about their tires. With folks expecting old tires to "pop" any minute, there comes the question of what kind of new ones to buy. U. S. Tires are answering a lot of questions like this nowadays.

The U. S. Tire following embraces two kinds of tire buyers.

Those who started with quality first, and have never bought anything else but the *quality standard tire*.

Those who came to *quality first* only after dabbling with "bargains," "rebates," "job lot" and "surplus stock" tires.

Getting one hundred cents value on the dollar in tire buying is a straight-forward business proposition—not guess-work or a game of wits.

The most essential man for you to know today is the local U. S. Tire dealer who is *concentrating* on a full, completely sized line of U. S. Tires.

He gets his U. S. Tires straight from his neighboring U. S. Tire Factory Branch—one of 92 such Branches established and maintained all over the country by the U. S. Tire makers.

He is the man who can give you fresh, live tires—not stuff shipped to him from some point where it did not sell, but *new tires* of current production.

Giving the same quality, selection and price-advantage to the owner of the medium weight car as the big car owner gets. With equal service and buying opportunity whether he lives in the smaller localities or the greater centers of population.



THE U. S. NOBBY TREAD

Where the going is especially heavy with snow, mud or sand, in hilly country where maximum traction on the road is a factor, no other tire tread yet devised is quite so effective, or so wholly approved by motoring opinion, as the U. S. Nobby Tread.

Its very simplicity—two diagonal rows of oblong studs, interlocking in their grip on the road—is the result of all the years of U. S. Rubber experience with every type of road the world over.



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Notice
Turn back to the bottom of page two and read my ad. It has something worth while for you.
T. K. WILSON.

Automobiles
There isn't a day but you see in the Press where an auto is stolen. If you own a car, it ought to be insured.
T. K. WILSON.

NEWS FOR HOME LOVERS

W. S. Williams went to Groom, Texas Friday.

Jim Harp went to Clovis Tuesday morning.

Mrs. L. P. Landrum went to Amarillo Monday morning.

L. Lambert and J. T. Harris went to Amarillo Monday.

Wm. Ash made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Rev. Terry returned to Canadian Friday morning.

Miss Cora Lee Fry went to Amarillo Monday morning.

J. A. McGowan, of Vega, Texas, was in Hereford Sunday.

E. W. Harrison made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

J. O. Cobb went to Memphis, Texas Monday morning on business.

Rev. J. H. Sharp arrived home Tuesday morning from Spur, Texas.

H. C. McNeil, of Canyon, transacted business in Hereford last Friday.

A. H. Gearhart, of Odell, Texas, was in Hereford Friday on business.

Wm. Morris, of Waka, Texas, transacted business in this city Monday.

Mrs. H. P. Sewald and daughter, of Amarillo, were in Hereford Friday.

Mrs. Hat Jowell and daughter, Miss Corlene, went to Amarillo Monday for the day.

Our family rate makes a face towel cost about 2 cents washed and ironed. Hereford Steam Laundry.

You said you were going to buy those United States tires when it rained—now come across.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Stegall returned to their home in Amarillo Monday morning.

C. D. Ewing and Virge Tillman, of Cameron, N. Mex., were in Hereford on business last Saturday.

Bee-Ess-Ko Coffee, try it the next order. Hereford Produce, I. H. Spratt, Mgr.

Have your lot surveyed by W. D. Howren, work guaranteed. Leave notice with J. Frank Potts.

Ray Barber and A. M. Jones went to Hartner, Kansas Monday to attend the Del Brownback Hereford Cattle Sale.

G. Shore arrived in Hereford Tuesday morning. Mr. Shore was in Walters, Okla. and Decatur, Texas on business.

We will do your family washing cheaper than you can afford to do it at home. Phone 246.

Mrs. Alto Cory and baby returned to Dallas last Friday, after several weeks visit in the homes of D. W. and H. H. Hawkins.

J. M. Kimmons returned the first of the week from a business trip to Oklahoma. Mr. Kimmons has been away about thirty days.

Miss Rosabel Jones, of Canyon, spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Chandler. Miss Jones is a student at the Normal.

F. B. Phillips and C. F. Walker, of Canyon, were in this city Friday afternoon conferring with officials of the Chamber of Commerce.

S. J. Taylor and son, Irwin, of Happy, were in Hereford Friday morning on business. Mr. Taylor is leader of the Castro Co. Singing Club.

Al Bennett and wife and two children, D. A. Carpenter and wife, of Decatur, Texas, were in Hereford the last part of last week prospecting.

Dr. J. P. Kaster, Chief Surgeon of the entire Santa Fe Railroad system, passed thru Hereford and conferred with officials at this place last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Walker and daughter, Edith, of Dalhart, arrived in Mrs. Walker's brother, John McFarlin, Hereford Monday morning to visit.

When buying Groceries, remember that we carry nice fresh beef, steak, roasts, pork, etc. which can be delivered with the groceries. B. F. Hodges, Phone 103.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Payton and Mrs. John Jones left Hereford Monday for Murfreesboro, Tenn. Enroute they will visit in Dallas for a few days.

No dust, no germs, no smell of gasoline in the suits and dresses cleaned by the Hereford Laundry. 39-4f

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Russell, of Thomas, Okla., arrived in this city Tuesday morning. They will visit in the homes of J. D. and Arthur Thompson.

The Panhandle country has again been saved. A fine rain and a big drop in United States tire prices coming together should make anyone smile.

Ledlie-Neal returned from Temple, Texas Monday morning. Mr. Neal has been under medical and surgical treatment for the past thirty days.

Mrs. H. N. DeBerry and two children, of Waynoka, Okla., arrived in Hereford Friday morning to visit in the home of her brother-in-law, M. T. Powell.

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Remember, our work is sanitary while the washing that hangs outdoors is very unsanitary. 39-4f Hereford Steam Laundry.

Wellington Taylor and sister, Miss Mable, of Snyder, Texas, arrived in Hereford last Sunday and are visiting their cousin, Miss Maude Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Williams, of Phoenix, Ariz., arrived in this city Tuesday morning to visit in the home of his brother, W. S. Williams, for the summer.

Judge Sam Bratton, Atty. E. F. Lokey, R. A. Hawkins, S. T. Lawrence, L. Bergren, of Farwell, Texas, arrived in Hereford Monday morning to attend district court.

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We heat our work 50 percent hotter than boiling water, without injury to goods or color, thus killing all disease germs. Hereford Laundry. 39-4f

A. A. Ott returned Monday from Clovis, N. Mex., where he has been visiting his brother, J. H. Ott. Mr. Ott reports a heavy rainfall for that section of the country.

Mrs. J. P. Benfro and daughter, Frances Marie, of Duncan, Okla., arrived in Hereford Tuesday morning to visit in the home of Mrs. Benfro's mother, Mrs. J. W. Malone.

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Three things are certain—death, taxes and tire-trouble. You can't cheat Death and it is pretty hard to fool Charlie Lester, but if you'll buy your tires from Rice, Old Man Tire Trouble will have no use for you.

We now have a tailor to do all kinds of altering and repairing. 19-1t Hereford Steam Laundry.

Mrs. T. C. Wofford, of Muleshoe, and daughter, Miss Marie, of Tulla, arrived in Hereford Monday. Mrs. Wofford is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. D. Cloyd. Miss Marie is returning from a visit with her parents at Muleshoe.

Public Auction
Surplus furniture of the Hereford Hospital will be sold at Public Auction in front of the new Hospital (old Carl House) at 2:00 p. m., Saturday, May 21. W. S. Williams, Auctioneer. 19-2

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, will sit as a board of equalization the 27th day of May, 1921, to hear any complaints that may be made as to the taxable valuations of said County.

Witness my hand officially,
A. L. BIGGS, County Clerk,
19-3t Deaf Smith County, Texas.

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THREE CANDIDATES
RIDE GOAT; EATS
THEN ARE SPREAD
Doug Fox, Gano Hastings and John Cummings were candidates put through two degrees of the Royal Arch Chapter Monday evening. The Most Excellent Master degree was conferred just before the dinner hour, after which a banquet table for thirty at the Stockmen's Cafe was utterly demolished. This was followed by conferring the Royal Arch degree.

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There's a reason.
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Eat lots of
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Then see us quick about that dandy little Bungalow, just completed on Fourth street, east of the Courthouse.
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S. S. EVANTS IS DEAD; LIVED HERE FOR MANY YEARS

S. S. Evants, formerly well known Hereford citizen, died at his home in Casa Grande, Arizona, April 24, 1921, according to information sent The Brand by Dalton Johnson. Mr. Evants had been in ill health for the past two years.

He is survived by his wife, son, W. R. Evants of Phoenix, Ariz., and daughter, Mrs. Geo. W. Irwin, of Waco, Tex. He was seventy-six years of age.

Mr. Evants came to Hereford in 1899 and entered extensively into the land and cattle business. The Evants Addition to the town of Hereford was named for him. He left here in 1913, going to Dallas, Texas, and removed to Phoenix, in 1918. The widow is now making her home with her son, W. R. Evants, at 915 North Third street, Phoenix, Ariz.

Mr. Evants left many warm friends throughout this section who will be sorry to hear of his passing.

Bring your Job Work to The Brand.

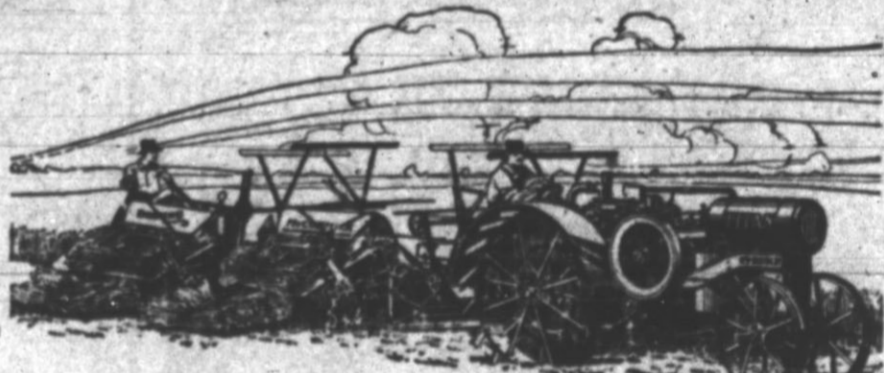
WHITEFACES TRIMMED BY VEGA; THE SCORE WAS 5 TO 3

Vega's baseball squad took a fall out the Hereford Whitefaces at Vega last Friday afternoon, the score being 5 to 3. Batteries: Hereford, Roy Jowell, Wood Vaughn and Bennett. A return game will be scheduled for some date in the near future.

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