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REMEMBER HEREFORD'S ANNUAL PICNIC SEPTEMBER SECOND

MONSTROUS

Is the one and only word that will describe the success attending the opening of the sale at the Hereford Mercantile Company's Store under the management of the Lincoln Sale Promoters of Chicago, Illinois.

DELIGHT

Is the one and only word that will describe the feeling with which the hundreds of eager buyers departed from this store. We are deeply grateful to the public for its kind indulgence in not becoming impatient at not being waited on as promptly as they might have liked, notwithstanding the fact that we had twenty salespeople on the floor.

EXPRESSIONS OF WONDER

Were on the lips of scores of buyers as they noted the unheard-of bargains which are being offered during this sale. One-third of this mammoth stock, consisting of first-class summer merchandise, must go during this sale and our prices are bound to do the work. We expect this ad to bring you to the store and we know it will be utterly impossible for you to resist this feast of bargains. That this sale is a strictly legitimate one is a fact which is bound to spread and in anticipation of this, we have secured fifteen additional salespeople and you can come to this store with every assurance that you will be promptly waited on and shown the grandest array of bargains ever offered to the public in this or any other part of the country.

Don't Miss This Grand Opportunity

HEREFORD MERCANTILE COMPANY

HEREFORD, TEXAS

LINCOLN SALE PROMOTERS, Chicago, Ill., In Charge

S. FLEIG, Acting Manager

NOT THE LARGEST

We do not claim to have the largest Drug Store in the world, because we don't know much about other Drug Stores, but we do know that we are doing everything in our power to treat our customers right and give them full value in honest reliable goods. We take the liberty of calling your attention to a few specialties this week: We think our line of rubber goods, in fact all goods used in the sick room, is complete. Come in and examine our Saxie Weimer China, we feel that we can interest you. Last, but not least, our Soda Fountain Drinks. We handle the Celebrated J. Hanaford Smith's Crushed Fruit, and Bissant's Ice Cream. Come in and ascertain if we are telling you the truth.

T. M. COULSON & CO.
...The New Corner Drug Store...

BIG WOOL CROP.

Seventy Thousand Pounds Shipped From Hereford.

That the wool industry of Deaf Smith and Castro counties is rapidly expanding and will, in the near future, be classed with our leading and most profitable industries is no longer doubted by those who have taken a glance into the magnitude of the business of late.

While there are some shipments yet to be made, it will doubtless be surprising to many of our readers to learn that there have already been shipped from Hereford this season 70,000 pounds of wool. This, at the market price, places something in the neighborhood of \$14,000 in the hands of our local sheep raisers.

In this connection it might be in order to state that the majority of our sheep men have thoroughly prepared themselves to look well to the details of their business. In addition to substantial sheds to protect their flocks from the winter's severe cold, wolf-proof fences have been constructed which guarantee absolute security from the incursions of dogs and wolves.

Our sheep growers can justly feel proud of their success and have a reasonable assurance that there are still greater and better things in the future for them.

Notice to Farmers.

We have purchased a new McCormick binder and are now ready to harvest grain for the public. See us at once. Phone 119. 18tf.
ARTHUR & FOSTER.

Thresher Coal.

Fallwell & Sons will sell first-class nut coal for threshing purposes at \$6.50 per ton. 20tf

Entertainment.

The choir of the Methodist Church has engaged the services of Mrs. Jessie Dockum Smith, Contralto, to assist in a concert to be given at the said church Friday evening, July 28th.

Mrs. Smith has studied with the best teachers in New York and Chicago, and for the past three years has taught in Baylor Female College, winning for herself an enviable reputation.

Her sweet contralto voice cannot fail to please the most critical, and she easily ranks with the best singers of the South. This is an opportunity the people of Hereford cannot afford to miss, and in order that all may enjoy it, the program will include some of the old songs, favorites of other days, together with enough classical and new music to interest everybody.

The proceeds are to assist in paying for the pews that are soon to be placed in the church.

CHOLERA INFANTUM.

Child Not Expected to Live from One Hour to Another, but Cured by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Ruth, the little daughter of E. N. Dewey of Agnewville, Va., was seriously ill of cholera infantum last summer. "We gave her up and did not expect her to live from one hour to another," he says. "I happened to think of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and got a bottle of it from the store. In five hours I saw a change for the better. We kept on giving it and before she had taken the half of one small bottle she was well." This remedy is for sale by T. M. Coulson & Co.

Hereford's Second Car.

An important event in the history of our city occurred this week when the Galbreath & Fox Grain Company shipped a car of Panhandle raised wheat to market. The car, which contained about 600 bushels, embraced a portion of the crops of Robert Humphrey, R. L. Boll, H. B. McKinley and B. A. Keithly and was shipped to Dallas Mills where it will be manufactured into flour.

We say this event is an important one in our history as it is the second full car of wheat to be shipped from this place. Heretofore the wheat has been fed to stock and but little of it thrashed. This year there will be many shipments of wheat and oats sent out from here to supply the demand in less favored sections of the country.

At the prevailing prices of small grain, this year's crop will be a great financial benefit to our farmers and will doubtless be the means of inducing a vast majority of them to begin early preparations for next year's crops. The gentlemen referred to above all made good yields, ranging from 15 bushels to 31 bushels per acre.

Monday Evening's Entertainment.

The recital given at the College Chapel on last Monday evening under the direction of Miss Olive McClintic of Waco was one of the most enjoyable functions of the season.

A good sized audience greeted Miss McClintic, who was ably assisted by Mrs. Lee Clark and Miss Starnes, and it is but justice to all of these to say that each and every number rendered was entered into by the hearers with a true spirit of appreciation. The program consisted of music, both vocal and instrumental, and excellent readings by Miss McClintic.

Those present could not refrain from being extravagant in their expressions of gratitude to Miss McClintic for the delightful evening which she had made it possible for them to spend, and it is hoped that she will again visit our city sometime at no distant future.

Senior League Program.

Following is the Senior League program for Sunday, July 23:

Topic—What would Jesus have us do in undertaking Christian work—Luke 10:3-9; John 4:35-38; Luke 6:12-19.

Leader—J. F. Perry.
Opening song and prayer.

Jesus would have us heed his teachings—Fannie Turrentine.

Jesus would have us consider the need—Mary Gilliland.

Jesus would have us pray—J. N. Jacobsen.

Song—"Work for the Night is Coming."

References—John 9:4; 15:5,8; 6:28; Jas. 2:14-18.

Points on the lesson—C. E. Edwards.

Song and prayer.
Benediction.

Senior Endeavor Program.

Following is the Senior Endeavor Program for Sunday, July 23:

Leader—Miss Dameron.

Subject—Preparing for our Heavenly Home. Phil. 2:21, Heb. 8:10-13-16.

Prayer—Brother Haston.

Song—The New Over There.

Paper—Mrs. Barnett.

What are the conditions set down for entering Heaven?—Miss Mary Clark.

Reading—Miss McClintic.

The Holy City—Mrs. Clark.

Mizpah.

Sunday Law Observed.

The Sunday law has been rigidly observed in Hereford the last two Sundays. Notwithstanding the fact that both days were oppressively warm, no cold drinks could be had, and even ice cream was a scarce article. The lovers of cigars were compelled to lay in a supply on the preceding Saturday in order that they might enjoy their usual smokes.

Bulls For Sale.

I have for sale at my place in South Hereford two registered Durham bulls, three and four years old. They go at a bargain.

6tf L. W. RICKETTS.

Notice to Farmers.

We have decided to buy grain this season and wish to state that we will pay the highest market price for both wheat and oats.

21tf HEREFORD REALTY CO.

Go to Hancock's for the celebrated Steffen's Ice Cream. 14tf

BELOW COST

We will close out the balance of our stock of Refrigerators and Ice Boxes below cost. Come and get one at your own price. We have some ones. Our go-carts and baby buggy stock was never more complete and we have never offered such inducements to buyers as we are now doing. Please see our stock. See our wicker parlor sets, also our weathered-oak hall and porch sets. They are unique and cheap. All straw mattings are going very cheap. Some large remnants—enough for small room—below cost. We can please you in carpets if you give us a chance. Remember the fine Piano we have for sale cheap for cash if sold at once. See our elegant hand painted china. Big reduction in prices given on entire stock of Queensware. Remember we sell a good second hand sewing machine for \$7.50.

E. B. BLACK Furniture Dr and Under

JOE CARTER

ELISHA CARTER

CARTER BROTHERS Livery, Feed and Sale Stables

GOOD SADDLERS GENTLE DRIVERS

Special Conveniences for Drummers

HEREFORD TEXAS

The patronage of the general public is cordially solicited



Hereford Nursery

L. P. LANDRUM, Proprietor

Over 100,000 Trees Growing Here. Fourteen Years Experience In Texas

YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO DO WITHOUT OUR NATIVE VARIETIES

HANCOCK & CO.

FANCY GROCERIES, CONFECTIONERIES, CIGARS TOBACCOS, COLD DRINKS AND ICE CREAM. CALL ON US FOR UP-TO-DATE CONFECTIONERIES.

..Ice Cream Parlor In Connection..

YOU'RE NEXT

For a Shave, Haircut or a bath at the

City Barber Shop

George W. Dale, Proprietor

THREE CHAIRS TWO BATH ROOMS

In the new brick building on South Dewey Avenue

Up-To-Date Soda Fountain and Ice Cream Parlor

Our Syrups, Extracts and Crushed Fruits are fresh and pure, and are of the highest grade that can be had in the market. We handle Steffen's Celebrated Ice Cream. We pay no house rent, do our own work; consequently we can sell as cheap as the cheapest. Give us a trial and we will convince you that we have the "know-how" and keep everything neat and in order.

EASLEY & SHELLEY

THE WATCH

How few people stop to think of the work a watch has to do each day to keep the time. Its little pulse beats 18000 times every hour or 432,000 each day. The engineer oils his locomotive every hour or two--the ranchman oils his windmill every few days--in fact, sewing machines, threshers and all machinery ought to be oiled quite often. Yet there are people who will carry their watch for years without having it cleaned or oiled and expect the little machine to go on ticking at its usual 18000 per hour rate. Time keeping is the work of the watch and clock, but they must be in good condition to do their work. If your watch or clock is not doing as it should, bring it to me and I will tell you what is wrong.

JNO. B. VANNOY
OPTICIAN AND JEWELER
HEREFORD, TEXAS

GREAT PRICE CUTTING SALE

TO BEGIN AT

GALBREATH-FOX TRADING CO.'S

MONDAY MORNING, JULY 17TH AND CONTINUE FOR 10 DAYS

Having purchased the entire stock of boys', youths' and men's clothing of the H. C. Myrick stock at a big reduction we are enabled to put same on the market at one-half the regular price. The goods are first-class and up-to-date in every particular. You will do yourself an injustice if you fail to see them before you buy. They include the wellknown brand of Can't-Be-Beat Clothing. Can't-Be-Beat Clothing are like Uncle Sam's gold coins--they're all made up to a certain standard, which is the standard of the world for quality. Buyers of good clothes look for the label. A more complete idea of their unparalleled merits can be had by calling and seeing them. These goods are not being sold at cost prices but at least 25 per cent less than wholesale cost. Examine the following prices:

SPECIAL

Good Crash Toweling at 3 1-2 Cents per yard

MEN'S SUITS

\$25.00 Suits for	\$14.50
22.50 Suits for	12.00
20.00 Suits for	11.00
18.00 Suits for	10.00
15.00 Suits for	8.00
12.00 Suits for	7.00
10.00 Suits for	6.00
8.00 Suits for	4.50
5.00 Suits for	3.65

BOYS' SUITS

\$10.00 Suits for	\$5.50
8.00 Suits for	4.50
6.00 Suits for	3.50
5.00 Suits for	2.85
4.00 Suits for	2.50
3.00 Suits for	2.00
2.00 Suits for	1.35
1.50 Suits for	1.00
1.00 Suits for	.60

SHIRTS! SHIRTS!!

69 dozen Shirts bought this week at fifty cents on the dollar. These shirts are all drummers' samples and you will find some of them slightly soiled from handling, but the price will tell the tale. We will sell our 75-cent and \$1 Shirts for 25 cents. We will sell \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shirts for 62 cents. We will sell \$1.75 and \$2 Shirts for 98 cents. Now, if it is shirts you want, do no fail to see them. If you don't want any yourself, see them anyway.

MEN'S PANTS

I will guarantee to meet any competition on pants and THEN SOME. "Nuff Said." See our pants and we trade.

Sale commences Monday, July 17th, and lasts 10 days

ONE PRICE TO ALL

Our Guarantee: We assure each and every purchaser absolute satisfaction. We guarantee every garment, every price and every statement here made, and we will exchange any purchase unsatisfactory for any reason whatever. Every article, every garment in the house marked in plain figures.

GALBREATH-FOX TRADING CO.

HEREFORD, TEXAS

SPECIAL

Best Grade of Oil Cloth at 15 Cents per yard

Calico at = = = 3 Cents per yard

SPECIAL

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FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1905.

A VERY encouraging feature of the conditions in Hereford at present is that good rent houses are becoming exceedingly scarce. During the last few weeks we have heard different ones of our real estate men say that the demand for good rent houses is in excess of the supply. This is partially due to the constant flow of immigration into this part of the country and partly to the fact that people are moving here from different parts of the Panhandle for the benefit of our college. Already it is known far and wide that the Panhandle Christian College is on a solid footing and people do not hesitate to come here and invest their money where they have the assurance of school facilities equal to the best. All things combined will make Hereford a great deal better town in a few years.

It is our intention next week to make the BRAND a special College edition, in which everything pertaining to this year's work will be set forth. Knowing the reason behind the institution as we do, we feel that we cannot do too much to advance the schools interests. In this addition, some interesting facts which have recently developed pertaining to the school will be given. We feel that each and every one of our citizens have a personal interest in the success of the enterprise and will be glad to be entirely familiar with its plans and policies. Prof. Barton and associates are doing some very effective work at present and we should co-operate with them in every possible way.

SECRETARY WILSON of the United States Department of Agriculture is having considerable trouble in probing the scandal connected with the recent crop reports. It now develops that a woman, employed in the office, betrayed the trust imposed in her by selling Civil Service questions. If the present investigations can only keep up for a few years, the various departments of government may be purified of their corruption to a degree at least.

DEAF SMITH COUNTY may well boast of her small grain crop this year. Every attempt to grow either wheat, oats or barley here has met with a flattering success. It is conceded that we have surpassed any other part of the plains country in this respect and our farmers deserve much credit for having the courage to step forth and, on a large scale, demonstrate the merits of this as a grain producing country.

THAT Texas is leading every other state in the union in many respects is a fact which cannot be questioned. As a cotton producing state, she is far in advance of any other section of the Globe. Her first bale of cotton has already been ginned and sold in New Orleans at the fancy price of 20 cents per pound, the proceeds being given to charity. Texas is indeed a great state.

HEREFORD is considered non-patriotic by some for not celebrating on the 4th of July, but we can understand that our people act wisely in deferring their celebration till the cool and invigorating days of September, thus avoiding the exposure to the excessive heat of mid-summer. Everybody should bear constantly in mind that our picnic will occur September 2nd.

Amarillo Steam Laundry
AMARILLO, TEXAS

All work promptly and neatly executed. Basket leaves Tuesday and returns Saturday. All laundry shall be cash.

GEO. W. DALE, Local Agent

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK! ANOTHER SHIP WRECKED

Could you think that while the great sea-tossing waves of commercial greed and graft of the times, which are now shaking the great commercial ships of our metropolis in the very center of the city, and is spreading her wings from center to circumference like the grand and glorious American Eagle, that our little craft chock-full of goods of every description pertaining to the wants and needs of every man, woman and child in this country, shook up by the volcanic explosions, aroused by the feelings of existence, could lay still and be sucked in by the abrasions? Our general manager, who has an eye to the way the great schemes to fake the people are brought about, has gone in our store and turned our goods topsy turvy, cancelled every cost mark we had and have adopted the great Charles Rouse system of New York. "Under Buy, Under Sell," will be our motto, and not to cover ourselves up behind some big glowing sign like some Fake Circus but to throw our doors wide open to the public and to make prices and give honest Bargains that will make the Grand Promoters' Scheme insignificant in their slaughter prices as a Rat Terrier is to an Elephant. While you might think it would be wise for us to quote prices and advise you on every turn in the premises and keep you fully posted, at the same time we know the power of influence and suggestions control many minds, and have decided to ask you not to rush through life when you come to the city but to visit us and see what Great Bargains we have for you. Railroad fare and hotel bills—what need you care for them? They always have to be paid. Our store is now ready for you. Come, come, and see us. We are not trying to convert our goods into cash to leave you, but to stay with you in after years to serve. We hope that in the next 10 days we may be the happy recipients of your presence and that you will take advantage of the many great bargains we have to offer you.

Remember the Date, Commencing July 18th and Lasts 10 Days

We are here to serve,

D. R. GASS & SONS
HEREFORD, TEXAS

THE reports from all over the South show that the cotton crop is not only short in the point of acreage, but the general condition of the crop in almost all portions of the country is far below the normal. It will not be surprising to see good middling cotton selling for 12 to 15 cents this coming fall, in which instance, a number of Deaf Smith and Castro County farmers will be strictly in the push. After all, cotton is a dependable crop all over the South and must figure prominently in the development of the Panhandle.

Last Week of Court.

This is the third and last week of the regular session of the County Court. While, all in all, there has been considerable business dispatched during this term, it is pleasing to note that the criminal docket was exceedingly light.

The Sale Succeeds.

The sale being conducted at the Hereford Mercantile Company's store by the Lincoln Sale Promoters of Chicago, Ill., under the management of S. Fleig, has succeeded beyond the expectations of even the promoters themselves. The sale had been extensively and carefully advertised through the BRAND and otherwise and from the time the doors were thrown open at 8 o'clock on Wednesday morning till they were closed at night, the store was crowded to its limit with bargain seekers.

Both Wednesday's and Thursday's sales were very flattering and is only an indication that judicious advertising, linked with low prices will bring results.

We call attention to their page ad on the first page of this issue which we ask our readers to see.

Afternoon Tea.

Mrs. Ross W. Davis entertained Misses Celia Robinson, Olla Blanton, Zula Vanderburgh, May Pierce, Margaret House, and Imo Gass on Wednesday from five till eight p. m., that they might, become known to her sister, Miss Helen Metcalfe, who is visiting her from Dallas.

The time was pleasantly passed in girlish converse that was appropriately more replete with light-some gaiety, than of wisdom and profundity until about seven o'clock when they were invited into the dining room to a prettily decorated table supplied with place cards that were The Mad-Hatter in Alice of Wonderland. A two course luncheon was enjoyed, they being first served with peanut sandwiches, salted peanuts and olives and later with cake and cream, the accompanying drinks being lemonade and

ice-tea.

The young ladies on departing expressed much gratitude to their hostess for the pleasant time spent and the very delightful tea, and left many wishes for an agreeable visit for Miss Metcalfe during her stay in Hereford.

Reduced Rates.

We are authorized to state that the Pecos Valley Road will give reduced rates to all parts of the United States, effective from June 1st to September 30. Limit of tickets, 60 to 90 days.

For further information, apply to J. S. Jones, ticket agent.

To Trade.

A nice bunch of good grade stock cattle and some other property, and a little cash for a section of land in Castro county near Arney. Address P. O. Box 23, Justin, Texas. 70-41

HEREFORD TONSORIAL PARLORS

The liberal patronage which we are enjoying can be accounted for from the fact that we keep only experienced men. Our specialties are an easy shave, a neat hair cut and clean bath. Give us a trial.

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New Meat Market

Across the street from Geo. Dale's Barber Shop is the place to buy all kinds of fresh meats and fish in season.....

I am in the market for fat cattle. If you have such for sale, apply to George F. Pearce, who does the butchering and butchering for the shop.

PEARCE & DOBBINS
Proprietors

...WE... MAKE THEM

We make our own Saddles and Harness, hence do not hesitate to guarantee all Harness and Stock Saddles. Why not buy the best for less money than factory goods will cost. Come let us figure with you. Remember that we make a specialty of repairs.

T. J. GAMBLE
SADDLES AND HARNESS

NOTICE!

Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, whose practice is limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, will be in Hereford, August 9th and 10th, at the offices of Drs. Hicks and Rogers.

LETTER FROM MR. FRAZIER.

Former Hereford Citizen Writes Interestingly of His Chosen Home at Raymondsville.

Raymondsville, Texas,
July 10th, 1905.

J. Ray, Editor BRAND,
Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I see by the BRAND that the Panhandle country is assured of an immense small grain crop and that farming matters generally are assuming a flattering prospect. I am very glad indeed to know that such is a fact, and I hope your harvest may be full to the limit.

Roscoe Harris and I have our houses all completed and most of our land cleared. Our artesian well and irrigating reservoir, in both of which Dr. LeGrand is interested, we expect to be completed about the 20th to the 25th instant.

The reservoir will be of capacity sufficient to irrigate 100 acres at a single flooding two inches deep. The wells here flow about one quarter million gallons a day. No dry holes have yet been struck.

Harris and I expect to supply some of our more northern neighbors with Christmas tomatoes, green peas, beans, new potatoes and roasting ears.

We began roasting the "inner-man" with cantaloupes this spring on May 7th and roasting ears on May 8th. Almost every one has a second crop of corn growing on the same land used for first planting.

The biggest thing in the way of development in this section of the country is the citrus fruit orchards to go in at Raymondsville this coming winter.

Harvey C. Stiles, California's Horticultural Commissioner to the St. Louis World's Fair last year, was so impressed by the lemon and orange exhibit from this district that he made a personal visit to investigate the country and its adaptability for commercial orange and lemon culture, with the result that he has selected this place as the most suitable for such an undertaking and will manage two plantings to go in here this coming winter of 250 acres each.

B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the Board of the Frisco System, associated with R. J. Kleberg, 1st vice-president of the Gulf Coast Line, will put in one of the groves and have their land about one-third cleared now with well and reservoir in.

I understand the other planting will be by a company of California orangemen with Mr. Stiles as resident manager.

Our lemons took first gold medal at St. Louis over any others exhibited and after being carried to California and exhibited there, were examined on their return here six months later and found to be in perfect condition.

The wild turkeys bother us a great deal in leading our chickens out in the woods, and we can hardly get our calf in mornigs as he follows the black tailed deer back to the heavy timber at daybreak. Don't let George Dale or Sam, Dunn know about this.

Mrs. Frazier joins me in wishing yourself and Mrs. Ray a very prosperous year and to extend a cordial invitation to both of you to come down to the Rio Grande country next winter and stop with us and try your hand at landing a tarpon and a mess of 50 lb red snappers.

Bring along some of your old summer clothes so the winter weather won't seem too oppressive.

Regards to Charles and Jack.
Yours truly,
B. H. FRAZIER.

Coal Notice.

We are determined to sell coal. To do this we are taking orders for Champion Maitland lump coal, the very best Colorado coal, at the following low prices: \$7 per ton at car and \$7.25 per ton delivered. No orders taken for less than one ton. Terms strictly cash on delivery. Leave your order at once. 17-18 W. L. FALLWELL & SONS.

Registered Bulls For Sale.

I have ten registered Hereford bulls at my ranch 12 miles northeast of Hereford, which I am offering at reasonable prices. These animals are well bred and marked and classed as the best. Come early and get choice.
5th J. D. BURKETT.

Panhandle News

On August 11 and 12, the citizens of Floydada will hold their annual picnic and barbecue.

It is reliably reported that wheat was cut short in the northeast Panhandle this year on account of black rust.

The First National Bank of Dalhart on July 10 increased its capital stock from \$25,000 to \$50,000, all the additional stock being taken by local parties.

The Panhandle Medical Association held its Semi-Annual meeting in Amarillo last week. It was decided to hold the next meeting in that city.

Lakeview in Hall county has raised the money with which to erect a splendid gin plant. The enterprise will be completed in time to handle this year's cotton crop.

The steam laundry is to be a go. Mr. Doty is an old laundry man and knows every phase of the business. He will soon leave for Kansas City to purchase the necessary machinery.—Higgins News.

A move is on foot in Amarillo to have two phone systems in that city. The necessity for the inauguration of such a move was brought about by the service not coming up to what some thought it ought to be.

The Estelene State bank will open for business August 14. R. D. Green is president, S. S. Montgomery vice president and E. L. Biggerstaff cashier. Mr. Biggerstaff informs The Index that the bank will open with a good business.—Childress Index.

The yield of corn on the farm of B. T. Williams is placed at from twelve to fifteen thousand bushels. He has one hundred acres that is said to be exceptionally good. Twelve thousand bushels will be a big lot of corn for a Panhandle farmer to raise.—Claude News.

Senator Decker will be a candidate for re-election next year. No opposition has announced as yet, but other candidates are whispered of in various parts of the district. Senator Decker has many friends throughout the district who will rally to his support if a fight is made against him.—Childress Index.

B. F. Jackson is cutting his alfalfa in the field west of town this week. This makes the second cutting this year, and Mr. Jackson is selling some of it in Miami at \$10 a ton. At the former cutting the yield was probably something better than a ton per acre, and the second crop is better than the first. One more cutting will be made this year and with favorable weather possibly two more.—Miami Chief.

For some months past the Frisco has been troubled by a shortage in freight shipped into Quanah, and the officials finally decided that the losses occurred here in the yards. A detective came in last week and his investigations resulted in the arrest of two of the employes of the company here. They were given a preliminary hearing and their bond fixed at \$300, which they both promptly gave and were released.—Quanah Observer.

The Canning Factory started up Tuesday of this week. Mr. McCrary, the superintendent, had not got his force organized the day the Times man visited the plant, but there was a large crowd of boys, girls, men and women on hand waiting to be given something to do. About one-fourth of the number who had made applications for jobs were put to work the first day, and the balance were told to be on hand to await developments. At present, the plant is putting up corn.—Wichita Times.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Following is the B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, July 30th:
Subject—Reaching the Lost.
Leader—A. J. Oliver.
Scripture lesson—Mark 7:24-30; Psa. 51:7-13.
Prayer and song.
The sinners' condition and their great need of a savior—Talk or paper by A. J. Oliver.
Difficulties in soul winning—Paper by Miss Stella Renfro.
Song.
Earnestness and true love essential in soul winning—O. E. Smith.
The joys of sowing and reaping—Paper by Miss Orpha Myers.

MCCORMICK

BINDERS
CORN HARVESTERS
MOWERS
RAKES
REPAIRS
AND
TWINE
AT

STRINGFELLOW-
HUME
HARDWARE CO.
HEREFORD, TEXAS



OUR PRIDE

Our pride is to please our customers and those that become our customers by giving them good goods and low prices. We can save you money on a great many articles. We keep a complete line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, Queensware, Glassware, Enameled-ware and Tinware. We thank the people for past patronage and solicit more of their future trade. Country produce taken in exchange for goods.

B. BARNARD, HEREFORD TEXAS

Where Will You Spend Your Vacation This Summer?

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ANNUAL PICNIC.

Citizens Meet Monday Evening and Lay Plans for Celebration.

A representative body of Hereford citizens met at T. M. Coulson & Co's drug store on Monday night of this week, their purpose being to come to a definite understanding in regard to the annual picnic and celebration to be held in Hereford about September 1st. In view of the fact that our celebration of last year was a success in every particular, those present were enthusiastic in their eagerness to commence work at an early date to perfect all necessary arrangements.

It will be remembered that the picnic was held last year under the auspices of the Deaf Smith and Castro County Farmers' Institute and by popular vote it was decided to place the annual celebration permanently under the direction of said organization.

Monday night's meeting was ably presided over by Col. S. T. Howard, president of the Farmers' Institute, who explained the importance of our people's meeting together once a year in an old-fashioned, good-will celebration. The work of appointing committees, which work fell to the chair, was dispatched with haste, yet care was exercised in appointing men who would let nothing come between them and success in their various departments. After due deliberation, the following committees were appointed:

FINANCE.—G. A. F. Parker, J. L. Fuqua, L. F. Alby, C. S. Garrison, W. H. Russell and W. B. Beach.

DECORATION.—Mrs. Jno. E. Ferguson, Mrs. L. F. Alby, Mrs. Jno. P. Slaton and the young folks.

STOCK.—L. R. Bradley, R. H. Norton, H. Trow and H. B. McKinley.

GROUNDS.—T. J. Graves, Robert Humphrey, B. F. Stanley, W. H. Rayzor, F. G. Edmonds and L. A. Simpson.

PROVISIONS.—D. R. Gass, J. C. Newman, T. M. Coulson, J. W. Burks, J. D. Burkett, T. M. Palmer and O. M. Daniel.

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITS.—A. H. Elliston, L. Gough, H. B. McGee, L. P. Landrum, W. M. Curfman, C. F. Cardwell and G. R. Jowell.

ENTERTAINMENT.—F. B. Fuller, C. W. Dodson, T. J. Graves, S. J. Dodson and Jno. P. Slaton.

INVITATION AND TRANSPORTATION.—Jno. E. Ferguson, A. J. Lipscomb and J. Ray.

The various committees were instructed and urged to organize and begin vigorous work at an early date so that nothing would be left undone that would be necessary to make the occasion a success.

The different railroads leading into the Panhandle from other sections of the country will be asked to give low rates for the occasion and prominent speakers will be procured.

Under the circumstances, we do not feel that it is necessary to urge upon anyone the importance of beginning systematic planning at once. Other announcements will be made when further developments occur.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Following is the B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, July 23:

Subject—Preparing for a Heavenly home.

Leader—Raleigh Hough.

Scripture lesson—Phil. 3:20-21; Heb. 11:8-16.

Prayer and song.

Our citizenship in Heaven—Paper by Sister R. S. Coward.

Rejoicing in all things—Col. 1:12; Eph. 1:3; 1st Peter 2:9; 1st Cor. 15:57.

Seeing the invisible—Rom. 2:7; Rom. 6:8; Psa. 130:5; Heb. 6:19; 2nd Peter 3:13.

Why we should spend more time thinking of our Heavenly home—Paper by Audry Argo.

Reading of expository notes—Maude Higgins.

Talk or paper from Col. 3:1-3—W. B. Park.

Notice to Grain Growers.

I have purchased a brand new J. I. Case separator and horse power and same will arrive in Hereford July 25th, at which time I will be in a position to serve those who desire threshing done. My outfit is new and service will be first class. See me before making other arrangements. According to previous arrangement, I will have to work north of Hereford first.

J. J. WARD.

Truck Growers Meet.

The special session of the Truck Growers' Association which was held at the court house in Hereford on last Saturday afternoon, for the purpose of ascertaining approximately the amount of onions now ready to be marketed by the Association, was only fairly attended. However, those who will make the principal shipments from this place this year were on hand and a quite interesting session was held, during which both the questions of amount of the product and the method to be adopted in marketing received due attention. The figures obtained as to the extent of the crop were not accurate and complete, so the chair appointed a committee to investigate both the above named questions.

The annual picnic question was next sprung and with one voice the Institute declared in its favor. Through the committee, appointed for the purpose, it was decided to call a mass-meeting at Coulson & Co.'s drug store at 8:30 o'clock Monday evening, July 17th.

At this special session, the importance of our Institute's being represented at the Farmer's Congress at College Station on the 25th, 26th and 27th of this month was urged upon all.

The meeting adjourned at 5 p. m. to meet again in regular session on the first Saturday afternoon in August.

Jurors Selected.

Following is the lists of grand and petit jurors for the August term of the district court, which will convene on August 14th:

GRAND JURORS.

J. P. Carr, E. Carter, J. C. Coker, Jno. E. Day, J. R. McFarling, G. A. Stambaugh, John E. Ferguson, J. P. Roberson, G. A. Sachse, W. B. Parmer, W. D. Kelleher, H. F. Shelton, J. D. Whitsett, J. H. Kelly.

PETIT JURORS, 1ST WEEK.

T. B. Rector, T. B. Kellow, L. M. Forrester, G. T. Higgins, Chas. Roberson, S. H. Monnt, J. P. Burch, Geo. Hay, W. G. Higgins, Claude Gass, P. R. Purcell, F. B. Fuller, G. F. Pearce, G. W. Eagle, D. O. Stallings, W. M. Cogdell, W. J. Montgomery, J. H. Harris, Lee Giles, J. H. Calloway, E. L. Mangum, L. M. Williams, B. A. Keithley, W. H. Walcott, S. B. Feemster, Chas. Hodges.

PETIT JURORS, 2ND WEEK.

J. M. Ligon, C. V. Walker, W. G. Slagle, T. D. Hunt, J. F. Easley, B. W. Miller, J. W. Ford, J. B. Farley, J. J. Myers, W. H. Higgins, H. H. Hawkins, C. E. Wheeler, C. S. Richards, Con Jowell, A. H. Elliston, J. T. Rutherford, T. S. Watts, R. W. Baird, Troy Womble, A. H. Morris, C. F. Renfro, G. E. Burns, R. Humphrey, C. L. Sullivan, J. H. Weems, L. A. Arnold.

One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned.

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unnecessary expenses. Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by T. M. Coulson & Co.

Christian Church.

Services at the Christian church next Sunday. Morning subject, "Our Common Christianity." Evening subject, "Does it Pay in this Life to be a Christian?" Bible school at 10 a. m., Intermediate Endeavor at 3, Senior Endeavor at 4, Junior Endeavor at 5. Be with us. You are welcome.

JESSE B. HASTON.

Live Stock Insured.

If your live-stock are well, now is the time to get them insured. Should an epidemic occur it would be hard to get insurance. The premium on insurance is a trifle compared to the loss of a good mule, horse, cow or any valuable animal. See W. M. Cogdell for rates. 23-2f

Lost.

One iron, nickle-plated level, two feet long. Finder please return to Hereford Planing Mill. 23-2t

S. B. Feemster can furnish you with any kind of monument you wish. See him. 8t

J. L. FUQUA, President

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SURVEY COMPLETE.

Boundary Lines of Block M7 in Castro and Deaf Smith Counties Permanently Settled.

T. L. Crews, special deputy surveyor for Deaf Smith County, is again with us, having been absent sometime on official business at the Land Office in connection with a resurvey of Block M7 in Deaf Smith and Castro counties.

We are pleased to hear from him the report that the resurvey made by him of the above named block has been returned to the General Land Office and that the Commissioner has given it his approval and filed the notes in the archives of his office, and that the State Treasurer has been notified of the excess acreage so that accounts in his office of all unpatented lands included in this returned survey, or B "school sections", may be accordingly adjusted.

The patented surveys under the holdings of the courts in such cases are entitled to the excess found by this resurvey and the state abstracts have been changed to show the correct acreage so that owners hereafter can show by abstract a good title to such excess.

Some surveys contained only six hundred and forty acres while nearly all were excessive, in some instances this excess being as much as forty acres per section. There was not found any shortage in any tract or survey.

We are glad to see progress in this direction as it bespeaks for that part of our community harmony and permanent improvement, which could not be expected while boundary lines were unlocated.

Excellent Turnout.

Robert Humphrey this week delivered the bulk of his wheat crop to J. E. Gyles for the Galbreath-Fox Grain Company, the price received being ninety-one cents per bushel. This price, however, is a little above the market price at present and can be accounted for from the fact that it was contracted several days ago.

The remarkable part of the matter is not the price at which the wheat sold, but the excellent turnout when the grain was applied to the scales. As was stated in last week's BRAND, Mr. Humphrey threshed, by actual measurement, 282 bushels of grain off of nine acres, but when he sold by weight, these figures were materially changed. So well developed were the grains, that, instead of weighing out 282 bushels, Mr. Humphrey found that he had 310 bushels of as fine wheat as was ever taken to a northern flouring mill. Of this, he sold in round numbers 275 bushels and kept thirty-five bushels for seed.

Mr. Humphrey's crop, if all sold, would bring him the handsome sum of \$282 or a little better than \$30 per acre, a record which, thus far, we have not heard of a single other Texas county equaling. In fact, we question if the fertile prairies of Illinois can surpass it.

For Sale

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It confines its business exclusively to banking.
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Boot and Shoemaker

T. J. Graves this week received a letter from Mrs. Hunt of Lockney asking him to look out for a residence in Hereford. Mrs. Hunt will move here for the benefit of the College.

Miss Nellie Tygret of Bowling Green, Ky., is the guest of her cousins, Misses Mary and Minnie Tygret. Also Miss Lou Edmonds of Portales is the guest of the Misses Tygret.

J. H. Scott of Everton, Mo., is in the city to look after his one half section of land which he recently purchased from Dr. R. W. Bounds. Mr. Edwards will move here about Jan. 1st.

Joe Lipé and family arrived from Arkansas on last Saturday and have moved to the Joe Nix place in Castro county, recently purchased by Dr. Barnett, and which place Mr. Lipé will improve.

Judge C. F. Kerr, one of Dimmitt's leading merchants, was in town Tuesday to meet Mrs. Kerr, who had been to Amarillo to consult a specialist in regard to treatment for her eyes.

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E. F. Cornell left Wednesday for Missouri points where he will spend two weeks advertising the Panhandle.

Mrs. Robert McKimie of Gainesville is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burns this week.

Miss Bulah Angel of Groom is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Garrison, this week.

John P. Burch was in the city Thursday from his ranch north of town on business.

W. B. Miller and N. B. Hilburn are in New Mexico this week on business.

Dr. R. E. McClenney of Channing spent Sunday in Hereford, the guest of T. P. Kellow and A. P. Mauk.

James G. Blain stopped a few days with his nephew, D. C. Laird; this week on his way to Vancouver, B. C.

Mrs. Lusher of Ft. Worth is visiting the family of W. H. Walcott and other relatives in Hereford and vicinity this week.

Judge Lancaster, who had been here for several weeks for the benefit of his health, left Wednesday for his home in Waxahachie.

Mrs. H. H. Hawkins and her guests, Mesdames Wheeler and Robinson of Hillsboro, visited in the city Wednesday.

The Nebxow Cabinet grand piano will be used at the Methodist concert Friday night, furnished free by E. B. Black. 1t.

The friends of J. B. Snyder will be glad to know that he is rapidly recovering from a recent attack of fever.

Misses Annie Solomon of Pilot Point is in Hereford this week the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Cloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gibson and children left their home on last Friday after visiting the family of J. H. Harris for several days.

W. P. McMinn was in town Thursday from Boom. We are glad to learn that Mr. McMinn is gradually recovering from his recent illness.

R. L. Day, W. E. McGill, W. M. Smith and G. S. Bennett, all of Mt. Vernon, Texas, are in the city this week looking for ranch and business locations.

The ice cream supper held at the Webb brick building on last evening by the W. H. M. Society was well patronized and enjoyed by all. The proceeds amounted to about \$25 for which we are authorized to thank the public in behalf of the ladies.

Witherspoon & Gough. 48tf

Fashion sheets free at D. R. Gass & Sons. 23.2t.

Sam Marshall had business in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. E. L. Johnson is visiting relatives in Wolfe City this week.

For fine monuments, see J. H. Calloway, Hereford, Texas. 12tf

Harmon Beach left this week for Dallas where he will finish his business course.

Miss Ella Laughery of Canyon City is aiding at the BRAND office this week.

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W. D. Robinson, Arney's post master, was negotiating with our business men Wednesday.

Fred W. Brown, representing a big Syndicate of Chicago, is with us with a view of purchasing a large tract of land near Hereford.

C. Greer was a pleasant caller at this office this week, informing us that he now has 1000 pounds of fine onions ready to market.

We are requested to announce that Miss Francis will return here about September 1st and resume her work with her music class.

Prof. H. W. Campbell and John J. Burns are looking after the interests of the Bovina demonstration farm.

We understand that Rev. Dillon who recently moved here from Missouri has accepted the pastorate of the local Baptist church.

J. T. Rutherford had the misfortune of getting pretty badly crippled last week caused by his horse falling on him. He is now able to be out on crutches.

We are determined to close out our line of ladies and childrens slippers and oxfords. That's money for your pocket. Come and look. J. G. Callens. 1t

President Turner of Trinity University at Waxahachie lectured to a well filled house at the Presbyterian Church on last evening in the interest of that institution.

We acknowledge receipt of an invitation to be present at the Old Soldiers' Reunion at Silvertown on July 27 and 28. The invitation is extended to all our people.

We are glad to report Robert Wilson, who has been low for the past two weeks, as a result of a snake bite, very much improved and it is now thought he is out of danger.

Miss Olive McClintic who has been visiting Miss Lura Jowell for two weeks left Wednesday for Roswell where she will visit friends before returning to her home in Waco.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the display ad of the National Livestock Commission Company, who have headquarters at Kansas City and Chicago. This firm is well known to the most of our cattlemen and we do not deem it necessary to say that they are thoroughly reliable in every particular. After investigation, we do not believe anyone will make a mistake in entrusting their business to them.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Higgins and daughter, Miss Cora, of Gainesville arrived Saturday to spend a few weeks with relatives in Hereford. Mr. Higgins is a brother of our townsman, W. A. Higgins.

W. P. Jean, who has been here harvesting his grain crop and making improvements on his ranch north of town, left Thursday for his home in Collin County. He will move his family here in a few months. Mr. Jean's oat crop this year threshed out 982 bushels.

Prof. R. R. Holland and wife and daughter, Mrs. Holland were in the city Wednesday from their Castro County ranch. Mrs. Holland left on the afternoon train on an extended visit with relatives in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wise and D. E. Wise and daughter of Hart spent Wednesday in Hereford, the former paying this office an appreciated visit. Mr. Wise and daughter left on the afternoon train for Arkansas, where they will spend several weeks visiting relative and friends.

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News From Olton.

Weather dry and crops needing rain.

Mrs. Ivy and boys are the guests of T. J. McGill and family.

Horace and Kee Dunn were the guest of the Miller boys Sunday.

Tom Keenon and Oral Dye have gone to New Mexico prospecting.

Mrs. T. F. Brown's father returned to his old Kentucky home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Dickerson went to Plainview Thursday on business.

Jim and Andrew Kiser and families went plum hunting Monday and Tuesday.

T. F. Brown has gone to Kentucky to visit his parents. He will be absent fifteen days.

The ice cream supper was a swell affair and the attendance was large on last Friday night.

J. R. Robinson and J. C. Mauk of Hereford were the guests of H. R. Miller and wife this week.

Miss Zula Glaze took the cake for being the best looking young lady at the cream supper.

Messrs. Jackson, Jones and Merritt of Dimmitt attended church Sunday at the Lamb county school house. Come again boys.

Cured of Bright's Disease.

Geo. A. Sherman, Libson Red Mills, Lawrence Co., N. Y., writes: "I had kidney disease for many years and had been treated by physicians for twelve years; had taken a well known kidney medicine and other remedies that were recommended but got no relief until I began using Foley's Kidney Cure. The first half bottle relieved me and four bottles have cured me of this terrible disease. Before I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure I had to make water about every fifteen minutes, day and night, and passed a brick-dust substance, and sometimes a slimy substance. I believe I would have died if I had not taken Foley's Kidney Cure." T. M. Coulson & Co.

Mr. Garvin Dead.

We regret exceedingly to chronicle the death of S. N. Garvin, formerly of Hereford, but who moved to Dallas some months ago, which occurred in that city on the 12th inst.

Mr. Garvin had been gradually sinking for sometime under the powerful influence of a cancer from which he suffered intensely in his last days, and his demise was not unexpected to those who knew his condition.

Mr. Garvin had a number of relatives in this county besides his son, J. A. Garvin, of this office. He also had a wide circle of friends here who the BRAND joins in offering sympathy and condolence to the sorrowing relatives.

Full blood Brown Leghorn eggs for sale at fifty cents for sitting of fifteen. Joe Dobbins. Phone 60. 8tf

That Camping Party.

A gay party, consisting of even thirteen, left the Jowell ranch early last Tuesday morning bound for the Paladuro Canyon, with several scheduled stops enroute. Their equipage consisted of two buggies, one wagon, two outriders, an ambulance and a large bottle of snake-aldybite.

The first stop was made at the noon hour on the court house plaza of the city of Umberger. After dinner, consisting of "fiss" the party "proceeded on" to the famous and far-renowned Canyon City. Here they found the community agog with its Cowboy's Reunion and deep in the throes of the Molly Bailey Circus. It was with the greatest difficulty that those in charge could restrain the party from foregoing the visionary pleasure of the camping expedition, so absorbed were they with the hilarious prospect at Canyon. Finally after compromising with a visit to the circus, they once more "proceeded on" to their destination, with no more serious mishap than the jabbing out of a wagon spoke and the loss of a basket of eggs and Miss Lura Jowell's bathing suit.

The location of the camp was an ideal spot—at the foot of the cliffs, surrounded by giant trees, with scenery no less picturesque than we have seen in "Kool Kolorado" or the far-famed Adirondacks. Of the varied pleasures incident to that week's outing an outsider is a veritable Pariah—one must go and do things for himself to understand. They walked, rode, drove, fished, bathed, hunted—both with camera and gun, climbed cliffs, rested and then climbed them again. For and in all of these pastimes, the "hot shubbel" was ever in demand.

Finally the day of departure rolled around, and once more the moo-cow-moos along the route were aroused from their somnambulist musings by the spectacle of the camper's caravan on its return.

At Canyon City the company lost its chaperone and won a ball game. After balancing accounts it "proceeded on" into Hereford and was mustered out sometime between the hours of midnight and morning.

The personnel of the party was as follows: Judge and Mrs. Jno. Perpendicular Slaton, Joe Loop-the-loop Clark, Lura Nondescript Jowell, Sallie Funmaking Chism, Marie Babe Clark, Hertense Intense Parmer, Conrad Hector Jowell, Olive Linguistical McClintic, Christopher Longfellow Garrison, John Loco Clark, Mina Dinah Dameron and Andrew Jumping-jack Lipscomb.

Junior Endeavor Program.

Following is the Junior Endeavor program for Sunday, July 23:

Subject—Preparing for our Heavenly home.

Scripture lesson—Phil. 3:20-21; Heb. 11:8-10; 13:16.

Leader—Ingals Gyles.

Song and prayer.

Reading by members.

Recitation.

Paper—Avis Parmer.

Where in the Bible is taught most about Heaven?—Earl Gough.

What are the conditions set down for entering Heaven?—Glennis Coulson.

Duet—Misses Beach and Argo.

Name the promise in the Bible which is most precious to you—Members.

Roll call.

Song—"Will there be any stars."

Mizpah benediction.

Notice to Teachers.

The next examination for teacher's certificates will be held in this county August 4th and 5th, 1905. All who wish to stand this examination will please make application immediately so requisition can be made for the proper questions.

W. H. RUSSELL,

Ex-officio Co. Superintendent.

Methodist Church.

The pastor will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Senior League at 4 p. m. A hearty welcome is extended to you. Young people have a special invitation to the Epworth League.

THOS. S. BARCUS.

Pocket Book Lost.

I lost a black Morocco pocket book somewhere between Hereford and J. L. Crum's near Arney. It contained valuable papers and I will be glad if finder will return to me at Hereford.

21tf

C. L. DAVIS.

"LEST YOU FORGET"

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The latest books for sale or rent at Smith's Drug Store.

A. P. Eaton spent several days in the city from Dimmitt this week on business.

Your prescriptions will be in the hands of competent men at Smith's Drug Store. 1t.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lindsey left Wednesday for Hillsboro where they expect to live.

T. J. Sawyer and W. B. Boyd of near Dimmitt spent Wednesday in Hereford on business.

Robt. Keese and family of Castro County attended the big reduction sales in Hereford Wednesday.

W. G. Roberts run down to Texico Monday to view the progress made by that town during his year's absence.

A. J. Smalley who is ranching several miles north of Hereford was among our new subscribers while in town Saturday.

Miss May Cook of McLean arrived in the city this week to spend several weeks visiting her friend, Miss Mae Eagle.

Misses Maude and Zephia Westbrook, Stella Harlan and Emma Baker of Dimmitt attended the sales in Hereford Wednesday.

T. W. Roberson, Mrs. J. P. Roberson and Mrs. Brunette Witherspoon, all of Boom, were business callers in the city Saturday.

Uncle Jacob Buttram has been quite ill at his home in the north part of town for the past week. We hope to soon see him able to be out again.

G. A. James and wife of Dimmitt were callers in the city Wednesday. Mr. James favored this office with a renewal of his subscription to the BRAND.

J. M. Garner this week shipped the goods for Garner & Droke's store at Texico from his Hereford store. The goods were hauled by wagons.

Pearce and Dobbins this week moved their meat market from the Regan building into the Dale brick on the west side where they will be glad to serve the public.

Remember that I am prepared to do general work for the public. Let me clean your premises each month and thus remove the cause of sickness. D. W. Crawford.

J. E. Nix returned this week from a business trip over North and Central Texas. Mr. Nix seems to be well enough pleased with this country after gaining an insight into other sections.

John C. Johnston, who had been in the city recuperating and looking after his ranch interests for several weeks, left Saturday for his home in Waxahache. He will return here in a few days.

J. G. Callens returned this week from Boulder, Colo., where he had been several weeks for his health. His friends will be glad to know that he has about recovered from the recent operation which he had performed for appendicitis.

Christ Jacobsgard, who recently came here from Denmark, has accepted a position with Tucker & Jacobsen. Mr. Jacobsgard is a nephew of Mr. Jacobsen and has not yet been in the country sufficiently long to speak English.

W. Eller and family arrived from Celina last week and spent several days the guests of relatives in Hereford. Mr. Eller is a brother-in-law of Geo. A. Stambaugh and W. O. London and was incidentally looking out a location in this section of the Panhandle.

Rev. W. G. Keiry of Dalhart, who has been called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church at this place, paid this office a short visit this week. Mr. Keiry informed us that he will spend one half of his time with the church at Dalhart and the remaining time at Hereford.

J. O. Lindsey and his guest and friend, F. H. Duncan of Prairie Grove, Texas, were welcomed callers at this office while in town Tuesday, both gentlemen renewing subscriptions to the BRAND. Mr. Lindsey informs us that his wheat crop afforded a good yield this year and he intends sowing a large acreage this fall.

Witherspoon & Gough. 48tf
Poison and sticky fly paper at Smith's Drug Store. 1t.

Miss Works of Amarillo visited Mrs. Ross Davis the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Slover of Dimmitt were guests in the city Saturday.

J. K. Mayfield of Prior Creek, I. T., is the guest of W. A. Hancock this week.

G. R. Jowell last week shipped two cars of fat calves to the Kansas City market.

J. J. Anderson and son of Boom were business callers in the city Wednesday.

Frank Chestnut and family of Arney were in town Wednesday on a shopping excursion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Portwood were business visitors from their ranch near Dawn Monday.

Commissioner Geo. L. Muse of the North Draw transacted business in Hereford Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Pylant of Summerfield were negotiating with our business men Saturday.

Second hand furniture bought and sold. Apply to Mrs. R. S. Coward, next door to central telephone. 1t

Charles Smith and family came in Saturday from a visit of several weeks' duration at Anadarko, O. T.

Henry Farmer, a prosperous farmer living north of town, was among the business visitors Saturday.

D. C. Laird was in the city the first of the week looking after business connected with the O. Y. O. ranch.

Mrs. Lee Taylor returned Monday from Brady where she had been visiting relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Irwin came up Saturday from their Castro County ranch to visit relatives and friends.

G. L. Abbott and Robert Oden, two well-known ranchmen of Umbarger, had business in Hereford Saturday.

Mrs. James Carder returned to her home in Roswell Saturday after a week's visit with Miss Nora Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Davidson, who live just over the Castro County line, were among Hereford's shoppers Saturday.

S. I. Lee and W. S. Dixon, both leading citizens of Cleo Community in Castro County, were among our business visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Henderson, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Buttram, returned to her home in Portales Wednesday.

L. M. Williams, a well-known stock farmer of near Umbarger, was in the city Monday on business connected with the probate court.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spikes of Dallas were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Atchison, of Castro County this week.

J. H. Harris, while in the city Saturday, favored this office with a renewal of his subscription to the BRAND for which he has our thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Evans of Castro County spent several days in the city this week, the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Evans.

J. T. Inmon returned on last Friday from the Annual Convention of Sheriffs' Association, held at Houston last week, and reports both an enjoyable and profitable trip.

C. B. Oxendine has secured the contract for plowing the fire guards from Hereford to Amarillo and began the work this week. Mr. Oxendine is using his traction engine and a system of disc plows and makes rapid speed, arriving almost at Canyon City the first day.

Presiding Elder J. M. Sherman of the Clarendon district of the Methodist church arrived Monday morning and preached to the local congregation at night, after which the third quarterly conference for this year was held. Bro. Sherman found the work at this place moving on nicely and seemed to be very well pleased with the financial status of the church.

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Items From Dimmitt

B. T. Bell and family made a business trip to Hereford Tuesday of this week.

W. S. Dixon purchased of the Gilbreath Boys, 200 fine sheep. Terms private.

Mr. B. B. Wise and family passed through Dimmitt Wednesday of this week enroute to Arkansas.

Ex Judge C. F. Kerr returned from Amarillo this week with his wife who has been having her eyes treated.

Sheriff Burnam and family just returned from a plum hunt to the Sand Hills, which he says was very successful.

Mrs. Ella Laughmiller sold this week 75 head of fine white face yearlings to Sam Lee and W. P. Boyd. Terms private.

Mrs. Ella Laughmiller of Sherman, Grayson County, is visiting her friend Mrs. Vaden of this community and is also looking after her interest out here.

Junior League Program.

Following is the Junior League program for Sunday, July 23:

Topic—Guarding Against Temptation—Matt. 26:36-44.

Leader—Gladys Newman.

Opening song and prayer.

Roll call and song.

Report from secretary.

Bible reading, 1st Peter 4:7—Clara Dunlap.

Our helper in temptation, Heb. 2:18: 4:15—Mammie Inmon.

Bible references, Jas. 1:14; Luke 22:40, Jas. 1:12; Luke 4:8-11.

Song.

Recitation—French Davis.

Reading—The right kind of pluck—Gladys Newman.

Lesson application—Myrtle Landrum.

Song and Bible drill.

"Boo Bear and Clubfoot" part 5. Benediction.

Witherspoon & Gough. 48tf

Plum Hunting Excursion.

(CONTRIBUTED)

On Thursday, July 6, a jolly crowd of pleasure seekers left Hereford on a plumbing and fishing excursion over on the Canadian river in Mexico.

All went well till the night we came to the Canadian, when quite an accident occurred. One of the lady members of the crowd bit her tongue so badly that she was deprived of the privilege of talking for the greater part of the remainder of the journey.

On the following morning after arriving at the river, we crossed over into the sand hills where the plums were supposed to be. We found plums in great abundance while others tried their hand at fishing.

A most enjoyable time was experienced by the entire party and all felt amply repaid for their trip across the sand hills of Eastern New Mexico.

The following composed the company: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walcott, Mr. and Mrs. D. Davie, Mrs. H. H. Hawkins and son, Mesdames Wheeler and Robinson of Hillsboro and Cleburne, respectively, Mrs. Mayard, Prof. D. W. Hawkins and children, Phil Arthur, Oscar Witherspoon, Byrle France, L. W. Ricketts and sons and Frank Shelton.

Good Enough.

A BRAND representative called at the dry goods store of Galbreath-Fox Trading Company at the close of business Wednesday and ask them how their great "Cut Price Sale" was progressing. In reply to which, the proprietor, Mr. Fox, said "Our business is good enough. We have had all we could take care of." If there had remained any doubts, they would have all been removed the different times we passed this well-known establishment and beheld the crowds as they passed to and from the place.

The sale will last for several days yet and we ask our readers to see their ad on page 3, which contains some interesting bargains.

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No woman no matter how regular her features may be can be called pretty if her complexion is bad. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup aids digestion and clears sallow blotched complexions by stimulating the liver and bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Remember the name ORINO and refuse to accept any substitute. T. M. Coulson & Co.

A Nice Treat.

C. E. Edwards this week received a box of fine Elberta peaches from his sister, Miss Laura, of Hewitt, Texas.

They were fine specimens of the celebrated variety, the largest one measuring ten inches in circumference.

Mr. Edwards left several nice samples at this office for which he has our thanks.

Subscribe for the BRAND, \$1.00.

A Busy Place.

In making the rounds this week a BRAND representative dropped into the mercantile establishment of D. R. Gass & Sons and found their entire force rushed to their limit in waiting on the trade as a result of the sale which they inaugurated this week.

Believing in the merits of advertising, this popular firm has placed a large display ad in this issue of the BRAND which we take pleasure in calling our readers' attention to. Mr. Gass informs us that his sale has been very satisfactory thus far and he says "Low prices did it."

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"Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets have done me a great deal of good," says C. Towns, of Rat Portage, Ontario, Canada.

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Will Give Recital.

We are requested to announce that Miss Trulie Works of Amarillo will give a musical recital in Hereford in the near future. Miss Works is an accomplished young lady, having graduated from the North Texas Female College of Sherman, and our people will be glad to greet her.

Dimmitt Picnic.

The annual picnic will be held at Dimmitt this year on August 17. All our people who have had the good pleasure of attending these festivals in the past will doubtless be on hand to mingle in a friendly way with their Castro friends.

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I will make a special price on Majtland coal until August 15. 22-2t

C. C. FERGUSON.

Rev. E. A. Wesson and W. T. Smith returned Wednesday from Shamrock, near which place they have been engaged in a two weeks' old-time camp meeting. Mr. Smith led the choir and a successful meeting is reported.

Several car loads of negroes passed through Hereford this week on their way to Texico to work on the cut-off. That town has our deepest sympathy till the work at that place is ended and the clouded gentlemen take their departure.

A. H. Elliston this week received a large box of Elberta peaches from his brother in East Texas, which he was justly proud of. According to his accustomed generosity, Mr. Elliston did not fail to remember his friends, among whom, the BRAND editor was glad to be numbered.

Murchison and Thompson are manifesting their confidence in the cattle market by purchasing Panhandle stuff in large bunches. They recently bought 235 yearling steers of Rev. Baker of Vega at \$17 per head and 400 stock cattle from Estell & Lipscomb of Castro County.

John and Leo Heidgerkin of Nazareth came up Thursday to meet their sister and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heidgerkin who arrived from Minnesota. Herman Heidgerkin left Hereford a few weeks ago for Albany, Minn., presumably on business, but the nature of his business was unknown to all but relatives and a few closest friends, for it now develops that he went for the specific purpose of bringing a helpmeet to the Panhandle Country. He married a Miss Dobmeier. Congratulations are in order to Mr. and Mrs.

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