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EVERY FARMER SHOULD HAVE A LARGE OAT FIELD THIS YEAR

J. L. FUQUA, President

C. W. DODSON, Cashier

## The First National Bank

of HEREFORD, TEXAS

Capital Stock \$50,000.00

Surplus and Profits \$9,218.49

THE HEREFORD NATIONAL BANK has become THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Hereford, Texas, with increased Capital Stock and change in Directory.

Owing to the natural development of the country which means an increase in the volume of our banking business, we have for sometime felt the necessity of making a corresponding enlargement of our facilities for taking care of the business of this section of the country. The result of our deliberations is that our capital stock has been increased from \$25,000 to \$50,000.00 and the name of the institution has been changed from The Hereford National Bank to THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Hereford, Texas. We expect to increase our circulation to \$50,000.00 at an early date and are in a position to extend to our customers and friends every courtesy consistent with safe and conservative banking.

The directory of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK which is composed only of men of recognized business ability, now stands as follows: J. L. Fuqua, R. J. Kibbe, L. Gough, C. W. Dodson of Hereford, and W. H. Fuqua, of Amarillo, Texas.

At an early date it is our intention to erect a two-story brick or stone building on our present location in order to meet the growing demands, and better facilitate the handling of our rapidly increasing business.

We wish to call attention to the following statement of the condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at the close of business February 16, 1906:

### CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF HEREFORD, TEXAS

at the close of business, February 16th, 1906.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
*Loans and Overdrafts	= \$113,962.19	Capital Stock	= \$50,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums	= 12,968.75	Surplus and Profits	= 9,218.49
Banking House and Fixtures	= 4,265.34	Circulation	= 12,500.00
Other Real Estate Owned	= 11,481.37	DEPOSITS	= 184,727.12
Redemption Fund	= 625.00		
Cash and Exchange	= 113,142.96		
	<u>\$256,445.61</u>		<u>\$ 256,445.61</u>

The Hereford National Bank has prospered from the day of its organization and the directors take this opportunity of acknowledging their indebtedness to the general public for the active part which they have taken in making its success possible. Our institution has ever availed itself of every opportunity of advancing the material interests of Hereford and this particular section of the Panhandle and the policy of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK in the future will be a constant and continued effort along the same lines.

If you have not hitherto carried an account with us a trial will convince you that THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK is the bank "of the people" and that any and all business entrusted to us will always receive our most prompt and careful attention.

It shall be the policy of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at all times to look after the best interests of its customers and friends in Deaf Smith and Castro Counties and surrounding territory.

Remember THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK on the corner will always appreciate your business.

J. L. FUQUA, President

C. W. DODSON, Cashier

**Educational Column.**

"Small service is true service while it lasts; Of humble friends, bright creature: scorn not one; The day by the shadow that it casts; Protects the lingering dewdrop from the sun."

We have now closed the first week of our seventh month of school with very satisfactory results. Pupils who have attended regularly, have progressed rapidly, and have done good work.

Miss Vivian Rogers entered the High School as a new pupil on last Monday.

The primary grades have been observing the month of February with fitting exercises.

Louise McFarling a bright little tot has come to us as a new pupil in the 2nd grade.

The famine in northern Japan has assumed calamitous proportions. Thousands of people are living on roots and leaves, sometimes mixed with a small quantity of flour or rice when these can be had. Others are using a flour made from acorns. Over half a million people are now living under actual famine conditions. The Japanese government is doing all that it can to provide relief, but much more help is needed.

"There is no danger that you will go down when you lift someone else up."

The teacher was trying to make the children define the word "bovine." "It applies to an animal," she said. "Can anyone tell me what animal?" There was the silence of confessed ignorance. The teacher began to throw out leading hints. "The animal that gives us meat." Still silence. "And shoes," she added. No light broke on the twenty puzzled countenances. "And the straps that you carry your books in." "O, I know!" cried a young voice, with explosive eagerness. "Well James, what animal is it?" "Father!"

In the 7th and 8th grades a "Roll of Fame" has been established. It is rather a difficult task to be enrolled here as there are many requirements. This month Una Norton and Willie Robinson out of sixty pupils have their names on this roll.

It is a good plan to begin early talking to children of what they would like to be, and want to be when they are grown. It is a great stimulus to a child to be looking forward to the time when he will be a business man of the world, or either some of the great professions. Every child should have his ideal to pattern after, and the ideal a true one.

February 17th was the date of the anniversary of Frances E. Willard's death. Memorial services have been held in honor of this noble woman in nearly every part of our country.

A few days ago in one of our neighboring states, a boy of fourteen was arraigned for petty thieving, playing truant and being unmanageable. The judge asked the boy, among other questions why he didn't

go to school? The boy's lip quivered, a tear started from each eye as he replied, "because, I have nobody to make me." What a truth! "Nobody to make me." Those words spell failures for thousands, for success is only another name for restraint, necessity, application.

"Be pleasant and kind to those around you. The man who stirs his cup with an icicle spoils the tea and chills his fingers."

Since the warm days have come to us again, the boys have renewed the game of base ball with a good deal of energy.

The Public School now has quite a nice little library, and a good beginning of a physical laboratory.

A number of parents have visited the school of late, and all seem to be well-pleased with the work they have seen.

We are going to try and make this month the banner month so far of our school year.

**Union Society Program.**

To be rendered at the Presbyterian church Thursday, March 8th, four p. m.

Topic—The Golden Rule. Organ Prelude—Mrs. G. A. F. Parker.

Hymn. Prayer. Scripture Lesson—Matt. 7:1-12—Mrs. M. E. Turrentine.

Appropriate Bible Quotations—Members.

Love Thy Neighbor as Thyself—Mrs. Jno. E. Ferguson.

Recitation—Effie Lee Guinn. Violin Solo—Mrs. R. N. Mounts.

The Golden Rule, Applied—Mrs. Taliferro.

Recitation—Modena Burks and Cosette Hawkins.

Duet—Mrs. W. B. Park and Miss Essie Beach.

Paraphrase—Luke 10:30-37—Miss Maggie Argo.

Recitation—Gertrude Robinson. Character Sketch—Mrs. Will Evants.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Wm. Harrison. Enrollment of new members.

Miscellaneous business. Social half-hour.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

**For Sale.**

A section of land seven miles north-west of Hereford. Nice and level, all can be cultivated, only 60 feet to water. In good neighborhood, close to public road leading to Hereford. Only \$6.50 per acre. \$2300 cash and time given on balance. This is a good proposition for a stock farmer. 50-1f

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**Work Horses for Sale.**

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CLAUDE NORTON.

**TO THE FARMERS AND RANCHMEN OF THE PANHANDLE**

We wish to say that we are better prepared this year than ever before to supply your wants. It has always been the first consideration with us to give our customers the highest qualities and best values at reasonable prices. Our long experience in business on the Plains has enabled us to select the best and most suitable lines of Farm Implements, Windmills and Vehicles for good and satisfactory use to all. We cordially invite you to call and inspect our large and complete line of farming tools, consisting of all implements necessary to assist you in making good crops. We have the P & O FARMERS SUCCESS SULKY (and a better plow was never made); THE FAMOUS EASY RUNNING GOODENOUGH SULKY PLOWS; KATYDID ROD PLOWS; CANTON DISC HARROW, in the sizes 16, 18 and 20 inch disc; DRAG HARROWS, in 50 and 60 tooth sizes; THE MOLINE DISC PLOWS; the only disc plow that has been a complete success on the Plains; THE VICTOR BALANCE FRAME CULTIVATORS; P & O RIDING CHAIN DRIVE LISTER; ONE and TWO ROW RIDING CORN PLANTERS; P & O WALKING PLOWS; GEORGIA STOCKS, and a complete line of Plow Shares and Extras. We sell the BAIN WAGONS; MITCHELL WAGONS; P & O and ENTERPRISE BUGGIES; WAGON, BUGGY and PLOW HARNESS, THE CELEBRATED ECLIPSE WINDMILLS, THE mill that runs when you need water; BAKER PERFECT GALVANIZED and PAINTED WIRE. It is a source of constant pleasure to us to show and price our goods to all. OUR PLEASED and PROSPEROUS CUSTOMERS are standing advertisements of the value and quality that we mete to everyone. Ever ready to serve you.

**WE ARE SINCERELY YOURS**  
**STRINGFELLOW-HUME H'D'W CO.**  
**HEREFORD, TEXAS**

**Woman's Wonder Social.**

The church reception given by the Presbyterian ladies under the name of a "Women's Wonder Social" proved a success—both in arousing the curiosity of all ament the nature of the event and in its financial results.

The time and place was Tuesday evening at Mrs. W. A. Witherspoon's home in North Hereford, and the big crowd in attendance found that entertainment and refreshments had been provided for all. The several rooms of the residence were given over to the children, young people and the more elderly guests, and the Misses Witherspoon proved very pleasing hostesses for the evening.

Ham sandwiches with pickles, doughnuts and coffee were served, and the children found an opportunity to spend their nickles and dimes with "Lady Bountiful," an unknown corner character draped in white and wearing a be-ruffled false face whose pocket must have been commensurate with the sheet in front of her as its candy and pop-corn contents seemed impossible to exhaust even though the lady was kept almost constantly busy handing forth filled sacks.

The P. C. C. orchestra with the assistance of Tom Webb furnished appreciated music for the occasion.

The ladies are greatly pleased with the evenings proceeds which amounted to \$18.80. The amount will be used for local church expenditures.

**Land for Sale.**

2560 acres of school land for sale in Perry County, 97 cents per acre due the school fund, interest due annually at 3 per cent, proof made and complete, fenced and improved, two wells and new mills, all good agricultural land and in a block. Can be sold with cattle or without to stock the ranch and teams and tools for farm. One hundred acres in cultivation, cash, terms on balance. Land at \$3.00 bonus. Apply to A. M. Crews, or T. L. Crews, Gomez, Texas. 31f

**New Lumber Company.**

Rockwell Bro's. & Co. of Houston, who have large lumber interests in different portions of the state, are putting in a new lumber yard at Plainview, there being only one yard there at present.

The local manager, J. C. Newman, informs us that a part of the new stock will be freighted from Hereford and the remainder from Canyon City.

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W. O'BRIEN

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# "TAKE TIME BY THE FORELOCK"

Is a trite saying and a very old one, but is just as "pat" today as when it was first uttered. There is no line of business in which it is more important than in the business of farming. The successful farmer of today must plan weeks and months ahead and we want to suggest that right now is none too early to be figuring on what you are going to require in the way of **AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS** for the year 1906. We are already preparing to supply our rapidly growing trade, and we want to say to you that we are going to have a fuller, finer, more complete, more up-to-date stock of **FARM IMPLEMENTS** and **MACHINERY** than we have ever show. It will include a complete assortment of the **JOHN DEERE LINE**, together with some of the choicer things from **B. F. AVERY & SONS** goods, selected with special reference to the demands of this market. We are going to show you such quality of goods at such satisfactory prices, that when you see them you will not even think of looking elsewhere for what you want. Remember we sell the **LEADER** and **SAMPSON WINDMILLS** and carry a full line of **CASING, PIPE, PIPE FITTINGS and CYLINDERS**. We want the trade of every farmer in this community. We want your trade and we are going to get it, if good goods, right prices and a "square deal" will bring it. When you want anything in the **HARDWARE LINE** come to see us.

YOURS TRULY **GARRISON BROS.**

### LIKES CALIFORNIA.

Former Herefordite Would Have all the Panhandle Move to the Imperial Valley.

El Centro, Cal., Feb. 24, 1906. J. Ray, Editor Hereford BRAND, Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir and Friend:—As we are now located in our permanent home at El Centro, you can in future send my paper to this place.

Aten and I are now settled down in our cozy little real estate office and are getting a very good list of lands, and will soon be ready to carry a good advertisement in your good paper. Ray, we love you people, and have your future welfare at heart, and now that we have found the promised land, we want to bring our friends out of the land of bondage and see them walk beside the still waters and lie down in green pastures (which we have fourteen months of out of the year.)

We had quite a reunion of Texas people at our office yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Lay of Amarillo, Walter Hamilton and Jesse McGuire, of Deaf Smith County, and a young man named Parish of Armstrong County. They are all delighted with the Imperial Valley and will locate here. Hamilton said that the only reason that he could give for any one living on those bolies was because that they did not know any better. Said that he had rather have 40 acres here than a four section ranch on the plains of Texas. Mr. Lay had just been out on Mc-Kim's hog ranch and had seen a herd of two thousand hogs on less than a section of land. This ranch shipped fifteen thousand dollars worth of hogs last year off of this little piece of dirt. There will be four hundred acres of cantaloupes planted at this place, and they will net the grower from one hundred to two hundred dollars per acre, and be out of the way by the middle of June, and if he wishes he can then plant Indian corn on this same land and make forty bushels to the acre. We can sell you such land as this at from \$20 to \$50 per acre, on easy terms. This includes a perpetual water right, and instead of wearing out your last pair of good pants at the knees praying for rain, you have but to go and raise your water gate and the Colorado river will empty her life giving fluid on the richest soil in the world and then you can step back and see things grow—don't have to go away and come back the next day, but see things

jump up right under your very feet. To see the alfalfa fields now over knee high and in bloom makes a fellow wish that he was a horse so that he could get out in it and fill up and roll and roll.

Ray, my friends from Texas tell me that the impression prevails there that "the Fullers are not satisfied with their move." This is a mistaken idea and we cannot think of how the idea originated. Of course we loved our friends there and still love them, but we are well pleased with this country, and we intend to retain our list of Hereford friends and add to the list these good people here. Come out and see us and we will take the wrinkles out of your old starved stomach with fresh vegetables. Now.

Your sincere friend,  
F. B. FULLER.

### NOW A TEXAS FARMER.

A Former Missourian Tells of Prosperous Conditions in Panhandle.

Captain Harrison Trow of Hereford, Tex., a former well known farmer of the Eastern part of Jackson Co., Mo., was on today's market with a big string of Panhandle feeders. Just one year ago Captain Trow was here with five carloads of this same class of feeders, that topped the market. It was in the summer of 1901 that Captain Trow located in Deaf Smith county, and purchased 9280 acres of land which he still owns. That was at a time when Panhandle lands were cheap, and before there was much of a move toward that country, which has since become a fine stock farming district. The land that Captain Trow bought at that time has a little more than doubled in value, which has added considerably to his wealth.

"We are now farming down there just about the same as I used to do up here in Jackson county," said Captain Trow. "The people have discovered that farming as well as stock raising can be carried on profitably there, and the two industries are combined. We are raising wheat, corn, Kaffir corn, oats and alfalfa. I have on my ranch 50 acres in alfalfa on upland ground, that is doing well and producing good crops of feed every year. I am raising good wheat crops every season, besides the oats, barley and other crops. There is a great deal of inquiry in that country for land, and many changes in ownership are occurring. This farming feature is bound to win, and is bound to benefit the country, as it will be a safer way to manage things than the old way of depending on cattle alone from year to year."—Drovers Telegram.

Our Public School. To make a visit to Hereford's public school, one of an appreciative nature cannot but be pleased with the efficient work of the present corps of teachers that is to be clearly seen in the good order in the rooms, the perfect system of passing into and from the building and the love and respect of pupils for those in control which is so manifest that a sympathetic harmony appears to pervade the school atmosphere.

Our teachers are doing good work, notwithstanding the unsatisfactory building and equipments and the extremely crowded condition of the rooms.

On last Friday afternoon, Washington exercises were held in the school. The songs, recitations, dialogues, decorations and board drawings were appropriate to the birthday of the Father of our Country and such exercises are sure to instill in the hearts of the pupils feelings of patriotism that will make good citizens for the future.

Getting the inspiration of loyalty from the children's song of allegiance to our Nation's flag, we say, "three cheers for Hereford's public school teachers!"

Stimulation Without Irritation. In cases of stomach and liver trouble the proper treatment is to stimulate these organs without irritating them. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels without irritating these organs like pills or ordinary cathartics. It does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. T. M. Coulson Stationery at Smith's drug store.

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### Card of Thanks.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church desire to thank their many friends who contributed to make the social at Mrs. W. A. Witherspoon's a success. They enjoyed your presence, your genial good will and your financial assistance. They desire especially to thank the young men who enlivened the evening with their music, thus contributing to the success of the event. The financial part of the program was very satisfactorily, the receipts being \$18.81.

LADIES AID SOCIETY, Presbyterian Church.

# NEW GOODS

Our shelves are now being filled with the latest and nobiest designs in spring and summer Dress Goods and Waistings. It will interest you to visit our store and see a beautiful line of spring and summer goods. It will be our pleasure to show you. While in market we purchased some job lots for our bargain department that it will be to your interest to see. See our new line of Laces and Embroideries, also a beautiful line of Ladies' Neckwear. We are daily expecting a complete line of stamped Linens and Embroidery Patterns. We propose to make our stock the most complete ever before shown in Hereford. We want your business and promise to make it to your interest to trade at our store. Honest dealings and fair treatment will be our motto. Nothing misrepresented and all errors and mistakes gladly rectified. Again inviting you to our store and thanking you for past favors and soliciting a share of your valued patronage, we beg to remain

YOURS TRULY  
**Mount & Williams**  
HEREFORD, TEXAS

### ARNEY NEWS.

W. D. Robinson was in Hereford Saturday.

There was singing at Mr. Crum's Sunday evening.

Owen Sanderson has returned from Denton county.

B. F. Holden has returned from a brief visit in Greer county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gregory visited at Walter Donald's Sunday.

Most all the farmers are busy breaking land preparatory to sowing oats.

Mr. and Mrs. Storm visited their daughter, Evelyn at the college Wednesday.

The school trustees were in Dimmitt Saturday looking after the school interests.

There were a number of prospectors in this community last week. One party came out Sunday in an automobile.

W. D.

Horses for Sale.

I have several good work horses and mules, also several unbroke mules, which I will sell at reasonable prices. Apply to Graves, Elliston & Co. 51-ft  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

[All candidates for County and District  
offices will be charged \$10 for announce-  
ments; for precinct, \$5, payable invariably  
in advance.]

For District Judge:  
J. N. BROWNING  
IRA WEBSTER  
**Deaf Smith County.**

For County Judge:  
W. H. RUSSELL.  
For County and District Clerk:  
W. M. COGDELL.  
J. H. KING.  
A. J. OLIVER  
J. W. ENGLISH

For Sheriff:  
J. T. INMON.  
E. F. CONNELL.  
J. H. TURNBOW  
R. W. BAIRD

For Tax Assessor:  
J. W. FORD.  
C. E. EDWARDS.  
L. E. COBB

For County Treasurer:  
BERN H. SMITH.  
L. A. SIMPSON  
P. R. PURCELL  
CHAS. E. SMITH

### Castro County

For County and District Clerk:  
EDGAR S. IRELAND

For Tax Assessor:  
W. S. DIXON.

For County Treasurer:  
S. I. LEE

## Items From Boom.

J. B. McMinn is courting at the capitol of  
Deaf Smith this week.

Grandpa Roberson took the train on the  
27th of Mississippi, where he will make  
quite an extended visit with his relatives  
and old friends.

Our young people had an entertainment  
given them by their friend, Miss Annie  
Smith, who is going to move with her par-  
ents to their new home near Dimmitt.  
They report 13 pair maids present and young  
men proportion.

R. L. Wilson and family spent Sunday  
night with their brother-in-law, Henry  
Weems.

The rush of oat sowing is about over. We  
report a heavy acreage planted.

J. P. Roberson and his son, Wylie, went  
to Bovina on business the 27th.

Little Bertie Roberson was quite sick a  
few days last week.

Boom is getting on a big boom. Among  
the many things that happened was last  
Sunday's east bound train left an immigra-  
tion car under the control of the Panhandle  
and Pecos Valley Land Co.

Carrriages came out from Hereford early  
Monday morning and they prospected our  
country south and left Monday eve. Results  
not any.

Chas. and B. C. Roberson sold from their  
100 steers which they have on full feed of  
crushed maize and kafir corn, 24 head to a  
Roswell butcher. We believe from the ap-  
pearance of the boys faces they did pretty  
well. J. B. R.

The best and cheapest hat in  
town is the Thoroughbred for \$3 at  
the Hereford Mercantile Co's. 2tf

## HEREFORD TONSORIAL PARLORS

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we are enjoying can be ac-  
counted for from the fact that  
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men. Our specialties are an  
easy shave, a neat hair cut  
and clean bath. Give us a  
trial.

We represent The Troy  
Steam Laundry of Amarillo.  
Basket leaves Wednesday and  
returns Saturday. All work  
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**L. R. Bassham**  
PROPRIETOR

## A DELIGHTFUL FUNCTION.

Miss Dameron Entertains in Honor  
of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Damer-  
on of Elbert, Colorado.

In the rough and rugged journey  
of life, how many times the traveler  
becomes foot-sore and weary. How  
often his day sun sets, and how of-  
ten his pathway becomes obscure.  
The dreary wastes of life spread out  
before him. With listening ear and  
watchful eye, he searches for a little  
oasis in life's desert where the trees  
afford a bountiful shade, and where  
the waters come bubbling and spark-  
ling forth to quench his thirst. The  
tired, and bleeding feet and the  
drooping head are now forgotten;  
for just ahead is a vernal spot where  
he can bask in the sunshine, and lie  
down to pleasant dreams. The pace  
is quickened, the form once more be-  
comes erect, and the eye sparkles  
in anticipation of what is so near.  
Soon the spot is reached, and lo! it  
is all a mirage—a delusion. Nothing  
but the thorns of existence in the  
burning sands of life. Despondent,  
dejected, and almost ready to  
abandon hope, his keen eye again  
penetrates the distance, and this  
time he believes he is not mistaken,  
but sees a beautiful lake of water of  
ethereal blue. Once more the effort  
is made and this ideal spot reached.  
All the past is now forgotten, for  
here is food for the hungry, and rest  
for the way worn traveler. All of  
life is not a desert, for now many  
bright and refreshing spots we find  
all along the way.

On Thursday evening, Feb. 22,  
Miss Dameron was hostess in her  
beautiful home in West Hereford to  
a party of young people of our city  
in honor of her brother L. G.  
Dameron and wife who were on their  
"coming home" trip and bridal tour.

After happy greetings, and many  
little pleasures from each to the  
other, conversational cards were in-  
troduced. This part of the evening's  
entertainment was very interesting  
as many new ideas were brought  
out about "home," "your neigh-  
bors," "you," etc. After this,  
tables were prepared, and all en-  
gaged in the game of "Progressive  
Dominoes." So entertaining did  
this prove, that the clock on the  
mantel told too soon the hour of  
midnight. Mrs. L. G. Dameron  
won the prize and Earle Thomas the  
boody. After this, and just before  
the guest retired, punch was served  
in the dining-room.

At different times during the even-  
ing Mrs. L. G. Dameron presided at  
the piano. Again, and again have  
the young people of Hereford had  
the opportunity of enjoying the  
hospitality of the Dameron home,  
and all feel that no one knows better  
how to make one forget the cares of  
life than Miss Mina Dameron.

After wishing Mr. and Mrs.  
Dameron a safe journey to their  
new home in Elbert, Colorado, and a  
peaceful voyage down the stream  
of time the guests bade all good  
night with many happy remem-  
brances of the evening.

Those present were: Mesdames  
Dameron, Barcus, Vannoy, Misses  
Greer, Turrentine, Dimmitt, Smith,  
Talifero, Dameron and Griffith;  
Messrs Dameron, Barcus, Hawkins,  
Ray, Garrison, Boron, Thomas and  
McConnell.

### Sluggish Liver a foe to Ambition.

You can not accomplish very  
much if your liver is inactive as you  
feel dull, your eyes are heavy and  
slight exertion exhausts you. Orino  
Laxative Fruit Syrup stimulates the  
liver and bowels and makes you feel  
bright and active. Orino Laxative  
Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or  
gripe and is mild and very pleasant  
to take. Orino is more effective  
than pills or ordinary cathartics.  
Refuse substitutes. T. M. Coulson  
& Co.

### Christian Church Notice.

State Secretary J. C. Mason will  
preach at the Christian church Sun-  
day at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Morning subject, World Wide Reli-  
gion. Evening subject, Things  
new and old. Miss Chapman has  
kindly consented to sing at these  
services which will be highly ap-  
preciated by the audience.

### Engine Lost.

The one who borrowed the toy  
engine from the physical laboratory  
of the College will please return  
same at once. Any person who  
knows where the engine can be found  
will confer a favor by reporting to  
the teachers. 51-1f

**Jr. B. Y. P. U. Program.**  
The following is the Jr. B. Y. P.  
U. Program for Sunday March 11:  
Reading of minutes.  
Collection.  
Subject—The last of five Plagues.  
Leader—Stanley Harrow.  
Scripture Lesson—First Psalm.  
Song—Maude Dean and Mary  
Lee Ishmael.  
Prayer—Emma Dean.  
The Sixth Plague upon Pharoah—  
Gen. 9:18-12—Earnest Cowart.  
The Seventh Plague upon Pharoah—  
Ex. 9:18-35—Iva Argo.  
The Eighth Plague upon Pharoah—  
Ex. 10:1-20—Annie Dean.  
Song—Pearl Mount and Irene  
Williams.  
The Ninth Plague upon Pharoah—  
Ex. 10:21-29—Lola Fuqua.  
The Tenth Plague upon Pharoah—  
Ex. 11:1-10—Mattie B. Murphy.  
Recitation—Verdie Buckner.  
Recitation—Charlie Weaver.  
Recitation—Chressa Dent.  
Recitation—Bessie Dean.

**W. H. M. Society.**  
The Woman's Home Mission So-  
ciety will meet in the Methodist  
church next Tuesday, March 6th,  
three p. m.

As a new year's work begins with  
the March session, new members are  
urgently solicited.

The installation of new officers  
falling on next Tuesday, Mrs. Park-  
er will read the Constitution and  
Bylaws for auxiliary societies, with  
special reference to mite boxes for  
baby roll and Florine McEachern  
Brigade members.

The March topic, Cubans and  
Italians in the South, will be dis-  
cussed by Miss Syms, and extracts  
on the subject will be read by Mrs.  
Black, Mrs. Snyder and Mrs.  
Googer.

Bible study for the afternoon is  
Isaiah 6.

**B. Y. P. U. Program.**  
The following is the B. Y. P. U.  
Program for Sunday, March 11th:  
Subject—The Life of Christ: His  
Boyhood.  
Scripture Lesson—Luke 2:40-52.  
What we know of the Boyhood of  
Jesus: Reading from Expository  
notes from quarterly—Miss Lena  
McCracken.

The Place where Jesus Lived:  
Nazareth—Miss Maggie Argo.  
Solo—Miss Pattie Estes.  
What we know from the customs  
of the times as to Jesus' life as a boy  
—Raleigh Hough.  
Jesus' Religious Enthusiasm—Mrs.  
W. B. Park.  
His Toil and Poverty—Miss  
Maude Higgins.

**The Original.**  
Foley & Co., Chicago, originated  
Honey and Tar as a throat and lung  
remedy, and on account of the great  
merit and popularity of Foley's  
Honey and Tar many imitations are  
offered for the genuine. These  
worthless imitations have similar  
sounding names. Beware of them.  
The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar  
is in a yellow package. Ask for it  
and refuse any substitute. It is the  
best remedy for coughs and colds.  
T. M. Coulson.

**Methodist Church.**  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30  
p. m. Special music. Quartette at  
morning service. Junior and senior  
leagues at usual hours. Sunday  
School at 9:40 a. m. Prayer meet-  
ing each Wednesday evening at  
7:30 p. m. To all of these services  
you are cordially invited.  
T. S. BARCUS, Pastor.

**A Man Got Pressed.**  
For nice fitting clothes to wear  
and took his old suit to Walter Orr  
at Dale's Barber Shop where they  
were cleaned and pressed to look as  
well as a new suit. Take your suit  
to him and let him fix it for you.  
THE HEREFORD PRESSING CLUB,  
43-1f Walter Orr, Proprietor.

**Well Drilling.**  
I have bought Mr. W. J. Driggers'  
well drilling outfit and am now pre-  
pared to put down your wells. If  
you need work in that line, see me  
at Hereford. Territory principally  
north and west of Hereford. 2-2t  
BEN WRIGHT.

**Paper Hanging.**  
For first class paper hanging you  
should see Comer Brothers. We  
have had long experience in the  
business and guarantee every piece  
of work we do. Telephone 155.  
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640 a bargain. See L. Gough  
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In Men's and Young  
Men's Clothes, you will  
find a good display of  
nobby designs that just  
arrived from the tailor-  
ing shops of Schwab  
St. Louis. These gar-  
ments are identical with  
the finest products of  
first class custom tailors.

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supply you with suits  
that fit perfectly and are  
hand tailored throughout.  
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we show exceptionally  
good values in many  
neat and desirable pat-  
terns.

In Children's Clothing  
we have a good display  
that will interest econom-  
ical mothers.

In every way you will  
find our store the best  
place to fill your spring  
wants. An early visit  
will be greatly appre-  
ciated.

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Style, Service  
and Saving.....**

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## What Do You WANT TO Pay for Shoes?

\$ 1.50  
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BEHIND EVERY PAIR :: :: ::

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HEREFORD, TEXAS

### Stock and Tools for Sale.

I have for sale at my place 15  
miles north of town the following:  
230 head stock cattle (high grade.)  
13 horses, set farming tools, sulky,  
cultivator, two row planter, mower,  
1 riding and 1 walking lister, binder,  
1 acme and 1 section harrow, wagon  
and surrey and feed cutter, house-  
hold goods, such as stoves, linoleum,  
furniture, etc. Refer to John A.  
Johnson for tools. 2t  
A. H. MORRIS.

**FOR SALE**  
Planing Mill Plant  
AND LUMBER  
Belong to the firm of Snyder &  
Lacey, Bankrupts, and located at  
Hereford, Texas. Address  
**J. W. STITT**  
Trustee in Bankruptcy  
Fort Worth, Texas

Books to sell or rent at Mrs. R.  
S. Cowards. 1-4t

G. A. F. PARKER, President. J. L. SMITH, Vice-President. ROSS W. DAVIS, Cashier.

## Condensed Statement of The Western National Bank

HEREFORD, TEXAS  
at the close of business, Jan. 2nd, 1906

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans	\$216,244.39	Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
J. S. Bonds and Premiums	51,500.00	Surplus and Profits (Net)	14,771.22
Banking House and Fixtures	5,600.00	Circulation	50,000.00
Redemption Fund	2,500.00	DEPOSITS:	230,861.78
Cash and Exchange	71,224.51	Cashiers Checks	15.90
		Dividends Unpaid	1,420.00
	\$347,068.90		\$347,068.90

THIS BANK OPENED FOR BUSINESS JULY 1st, 1903  
 Deposits, January 1st, 1904 - \$51,300.62. Deposits, January 1st, 1905 - \$90,016.08.  
 Deposits, July 1st, 1904 - \$55,959.21. Deposits, July 1st, 1905 - \$104,628.68  
**DEPOSITS NOW \$230,861.78**

Better see L. Gough about it. tf  
 Wall Paper—E. B. Black. 44  
 Nice line of silverware and cut glass at the jewelry store. 2tf  
 The infant of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ball is seriously ill this week.  
 Mrs. Lester Weaver and baby are reported on the sick list this week.  
 We do electroplating, cohering, Roman finishing, etc. Vannoy & Ray. 2tf  
 J. F. Denton, the telegraph operator, has been given work north of Amarillo.  
 Miss Fronia Johnston is opening a millinery store in the front rooms of the studio.  
 Several members of the family of H. B. McKinley are reported sick this week.

**The Hoosier drill is the best. Always found at D. R. Gass & Sons. 3tf**  
 Fresh fish and oysters always kept on hand at the City Restaurant, C. S. Richards, Proprietor. 2tf  
 Mrs. E. M. Vanderburgh is confined to her room this week with an acute attack of rheumatism.  
 Ladies, come and see our new spring DRESS GOODS. Our prices reasonable. J. G. Callens. 1t

A. H. Belo, president of the company which publishes the Dallas News, died Tuesday of meningitis.  
 Mrs. J. H. Holland who has been dangerously ill for two weeks with pneumonia, is reported convalescent.  
 Wanted—Sewing, and will work out by the day. Sewing preferred. Mrs. Florence Calloway. Phone 101. 3-4tp  
 J. W. Wasson of Cleon, Iowa, was in the city this week looking after his interests. He will move here about June 1st.  
 H. R. Putnam, editor of the Trumpet at Texico, was called to Hereford Tuesday as a witness in the Talley forgery case.  
 The grippe is a common complaint among Hereford people now days. Nearly everyone seems to be more or less effected by the malady.  
 Dr. J. J. Hanna, specialist on diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat of Amarillo, will be in Dr. Estes office Friday, March 9. 3-2tp

Buttons, pins, needles, thread of all kinds, hooks and eyes, hairpins, handkerchiefs, hose, laces, towels, napkins at Mrs. R. S. Cowards. 1-4t  
 E. W. Hulburn, who resides a few miles south of town, was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday to become a permanent BRAND reader.  
 Reliable watch repairing. We have had experience on everything from the highest grade Swiss watch to the Ingersoll. Vannoy & Ray.  
 Gentlemen if you want a tailored made suit and a guaranteed fit, come in and look through our samples. We have a swell line. Hereford Mercantile Co. 2tf  
 Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Rogers left this week for Marlin, where they will spend a few weeks recuperating, the doctor having been laid up with the grippe for a week or more.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McMillion who recently purchased the Ward ranch north of town were pleasant callers Saturday. They will hereafter read the BRAND and Dallas News.  
 Misses Ola and Leo Scott visited relatives in Portales the first of the week. They went from there to their former home in Arkansas, where they will visit for several weeks.  
 Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, the ear, eye, nose and throat specialist of Amarillo, will be in Hereford March 2nd and 3rd, 1906, and will be glad to meet all those needing his services at his office at T. M. Coulson's drug store. 44-tf  
 A. J. Lipscomb returned Sunday from St. Louis where he spent 10 days purchasing a complete assortment of spring and summer dry goods and clothing. Mr. Lipscomb says his selections cannot fail to please the most exacting.  
 S. A. Crandall of Sanger, spent the greater portion of last week prospecting in the vicinity of Hereford. Mr. Crandall has purchased ranch property, which is reported elsewhere in this issue, and will move here at an early date.

**BREAD**

**BEEF**

**PORK**

**Vegetables**

and everything else to

be had by a first-class

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## BILL HEAD

Dealer in Panhandle Farms, Ranches and  
HEREFORD CITY PROPERTY

We can furnish you some of the choicest bargains to be found anywhere in the west. The following affidavit shows up on what terms I propose to do business:

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
 County of Deaf Smith  
 Before me, W. H. Russell, County Judge in and for said County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. W. (Bill) Head who is to me well known, and who, after being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is in the land business for the purpose of selling land in the Panhandle of Texas on a commission of five (5) per cent and that he positively will not sell land for any amount above the list price.

J. W. (BILL) HEAD.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February 1906.  
 W. H. RUSSELL, County Judge  
 Deaf Smith County, Texas

If you have lands for sale or if you wish a bargain, see me.

### BILL HEAD, THE LAND MAN

HEREFORD, TEXAS

See W. M. Cogdell for all kinds of wall paper. tf  
 List your land's with Slade & Bassett at Amarillo, Texas. 43-tf  
 Standard prices paid for old silver and gold at Vannoy & Ray's. 2tf  
 Call at Mrs. R. S. Cowards, if you want anything in the racket line. 1-4t  
 Some good values in embroidery, just received at Hereford Mercantile Co. 2tf  
 Dr. Wm. Harrison is practicing dentistry in Canyon City and Tulia this week.

We do manufacturing, all kinds of repairing, electro-coloring, etc. Vannoy & Ray. 1t  
 Fred Williamson, Jr., of the North Draw, was a business caller in the city Monday.  
 Bring your old watch case and have it refinished and made to look as well as new. 2tf  
 Big line of high-grade Elgin, Waltham and Hampden watches at the jewelry store. 1t

Our correspondent, Walter Donald, of Arney, was a business caller in Hereford Tuesday.  
 New line fine valencenes laces, ladies belts, street caps, ladies collars. J. G. Callens. 1t  
 I am Lyon & Healys agent for all kinds of instruments. Ten per cent off. O. F. Smith druggist.  
 Just received a beautiful line of dress goods. Come in and take a look at them. Hereford Mercantile Co. 2tf  
 B. Barnard was detained from his store several days this week on account of a severe attack of the grippe.

W. G. Ross and T. M. Parmer spent Monday in Texico, the BRAND editor going along to keep them out of trouble.  
 J. U. Williams, one of Texico's leading merchants, was in the city several days this week attending court and meeting old-time friends.  
 Joseph T. Bauer of Seattle, Washington, was among those who purchased land near Hereford last week. Mr. Bauer also becomes a permanent BRAND reader.

With the new year we expect to get out a new list of lands and Hereford property for sale. We would be glad to have your lands on the new list. C. G. Witherspoon & Son. 47tf  
 Judge Jno E. Ferguson has opened an office in the two front rooms over the Dameron building, formerly occupied by Dr. W. E. Robertson. When the furniture is all arranged, this will be perhaps the neatest and most convenient individual office in the city.

A disastrous prairie fire broke out on the XIT ranch west of Bovina on last Saturday, extending over a scope of country several miles long by as many wide. It required considerable fighting to control the flames and prevent their spreading to more extended quarters of the big ranch.

### GROCERY HEADQUARTERS

Isn't it a satisfaction to trade at the Leading and Largest grocery store in town. Where the stock is full and complete and you can get what you want and not have to take something "just as good." You are especially invited to call and get acquainted. I will appreciate your business

## J. M. GARNER

THE GROCERYMAN

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 Special Conveniences for Drummers  
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 The patronage of the general public is cordially solicited

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Write me or call at my ranch, situated five miles east of Hereford, on the Tierra Blanca river.

Herd Headed by Chorister, No. 93983  
 Ansted by Dawn, No. 122944  
 Will sell a quantity of young stock either singly or in car load Lots

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**YOUR BUSINESS**

Our constant endeavor is to please all who trade at our store, for we realize that a pleased customer is the best advertisement any business man can have. With this in view, we refrain from all misrepresentation. On the other hand, our policy is to keep the very best merchandise which money can buy and satisfy ourselves with a living profit. If you will make our store your trading place for 1906, we believe that our fair, square way of treating our customers will convince you that we are worthy of the splendid business which is being given us.

Yours for business  
**Kerr, Slover & Ireland**  
 DIMITT, TEXAS

**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**

We restore and make new old jewelry, watch cases, etc. Vannoy & Ray. 1t  
**The Hoosier drill is the best. Always found at D. R. Gass & Sons. 3tf**  
 Lost—A gold filled watch, ladies' size somewhere in Hereford or on the road two miles worth of town. On the watch pin was engraved W. W. to S. S. Finner return to this office. 3 3tp

# ARE YOU INTERESTED

Are you interested in getting just what you want in GENERAL MERCHANDISE, COAL, LUMBER, COTTON SEED CAKE and everything else used on a farm or ranch? If so, you will never be disappointed at our store. Our stock in all the above lines is complete and our prices can't help but interest you. Come to see us. :-: :-:

**Bovina Mercantile Co.**  
Bovina, Texas

## First Class

Ours is the most up-to-date transfer ever put on in Hereford. If you need the proof, give us a trial and be convinced. Phone 87.

**W. T. SMITH**  
Proprietor

## Concrete Stone

THERE'S MONEY IN IT

We equip complete plants or furnish individual molds. "The Crouch System" fully covered by United States Patent. No iron or wood pallets.

**The Crouch System Stone Machine Company**  
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### IMPRESSIONS CHANGED.

Miss Ethel MacDiarmid of the Panhandle Christian College Writes Interestingly about the Plains in "Texas Missions."

"Fresh from a locality where hills rise above hills, where roads curve and twist in tortuous routes, where long lines of elms and maples shade our streets, the first glimpse of the plains of Northwest Texas gave us a distinct shock of disappointment. It was not that we did not know plains were flat and treeless; it was simply that our imagination had, somehow, failed to grasp the picture that stretched before us that first morning our feet touched Texas soil. Not a tree in sight! Not a single rise of ground to break the monotony of the landscape! Only miles and miles of level prairie land, brown and bare and dusty under a blazing September sun! And the wind—how it blew! we felt sure that first night that it was merely a question of time until the house, which, to our affrighted imagination, resembled, in its rocking, the traditional cradle in the tree top, would crumble and crush like an egg shell.

Altogether, we may confess that our thoughts during these first few weeks strayed back somewhat regretfully to the Ohio hills. But we have been here five months now, and we are somehow seeing things with other eyes. We find that there are times when we forget to sigh for trees and to bewail the absence of hills. There are times, too, when we even forget to grumble at the winds which sweep tempestuously around the corners of the college dormitory, for we have found that they leave health and buoyant spirits in their wake.

"We scarcely remember when it was that our point of view began to change. Perhaps it was in the fall as we sat evening after evening upon the college steps—the wind gone down (for it does go down, sometimes) and the level prairies transfigured in a blaze of light. We think we have never seen such sunsets as these, such a glory of crimson and purple and gold in a flaming sky. Surely we have thought sometimes, "heaven lies just beyond the clouds."  
"Gradually, too, there has grown upon us, as we have had time and opportunity for observation, an ever increasing sense of the magnitude of things out here. Figures make little appeal to the imagination and when we were told that one acre of ground would produce two tons of kafir corn, we were not particularly impressed, but when, one day, we drove through a ranch of 96,000 acres, when we saw 6000 head of cattle grazing within its limits, we saw a train moving across the horizon eighteen miles away—we drew a long, deep breath and began to have a faint conception of the bigness of the country in this part of the world. Then, as we stood on a rising knoll of ground and gazed north, south, east and west across the wide stretch of plains, white with Christmas snows, we felt something of the same sense of illimitability that a man feels when he stands upon a cliff and gazes far out across the wide stretch of sea. Sometimes, when the air is particularly clear and the sky particularly blue, we have the sensation of being upon a high tableland, and around about its base lies the sea! The wind blowing across our face, cool and bracing, brings to our nostrils the very smell of the salt sea water. Then it is that the plains country seems finest to us. The breath of the wind, the cry of the wild geese, the infinite tender blue of the sky, the sense of being 3600 feet above sea level, all work in us an exhilaration like that of old wine. We are glad we are alive; we are glad we are in the world, to fight, and fail perhaps, but always to fight. Success or failure—what does it matter—but life, life and the glory of the fight. That is enough."

#### C. W. B. M. Program.

To be held at the dormitory Mar. 7th.

- Leader—Mrs. Kibbe.
- Subject—Medical Missions and Missionaries, our work in this line, our needs and opportunities.
- Hymn—I've a message from the Lord.
- Business period.
- Offering.
- Bible Lesson—Matt. 7:20-38.
- Prayer that our Medical Missionaries may be teachers of Christ.
- The organizations comprised in our children's work—Miss Beulah Wright.
- The use Jesus made of his healing power—Short talk—Mrs. Taliaferro.
- Review of the article—Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Wheeler.
- Roll call—Let each number respond with some fact about medical mission work.
- Hymn.
- Prayer.

#### Threshing Notice.

My threshing machine is now in order and I am ready to begin threshing this year's kafir and maize crops. There is no reason why you should grow a crop and let it go to waste. Have your kafir and maize thrashed and receive the fancy price which it will bring you on the market. I will suggest that those who wish to have their grain thrashed will cut the stalk as close to the head as possible as it can be more easily handled. Apply to 33-4f J. J. WARD.

#### Dog Lost.

I lost my dog while in Hereford last week described as follows: Black and tanned hound slut. Any information about same should be reported to this office. 2-24p

# We Must Lead in the Sale of COAL, GRAIN, FUEL OIL, HAY, POSTS

Seed Oats, Millet, Cotton Seed, Sorghum, June Corn

WE SHALL ALWAYS BE GLAD TO HAVE YOU FIGURE WITH US WHEN IN NEED OF ANYTHING IN OUR LINE WHETHER YOU BUY OR NOT :-: :-: :-: :-:

YOURS FOR BUSINESS

# WILL H. HINES

## COLLEGE NOTES

J. C. Mason returned Tuesday from a week's trip to Amarillo and Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Cochell, of Umberger, visited their son, Ira, at the college Tuesday.

Mrs. T. J. Grady of Texico, visited her cousin, W. G. Bush, at the college Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss MacDiarmid will begin rehearsals for a second performance of "Breezy Point," the play which scored such a success last fall. Full announcement of cast and date will be made next week.

The arrangements are being completed for the debate with Amarillo Academy. The debate will take place in Amarillo about the middle of May. The question "Resolved that Cuba should be annexed by the United States" has been submitted by Amarillo, and the Faris Society will decide immediately on sides.

The debate before the Faris Literary Society last Friday evening made one of the most interesting sessions the society has ever held. The greater experience of the affirmative speakers won the debate, but the college debaters showed themselves speakers and debaters of ability. The college team, Elmer Dameron and Earl Gough have the natural qualifications for a well-balanced, effective debate team, and, with fair experience and training, will win victories over any team in their class.

#### "Skeeter Fleet Party."

On February 22, the crowd known as the "Skeeter Fleets" gathered at the residence of Mrs. W. B. Robinson where they enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Various games were indulged in, such as Shoot the buffalo, Snap, Four-in-the-middle, Flinch, Bunco, and several numbers of music were rendered by a few of those present. Those who enjoyed the evening were; Misses Birdie Williams, Maggie Eubanks, Maggie Argo, Margaret House, Roxie and Luna Witherspoon, Kate Davidson, Ella Laughery, Nell Wyche, Mary Tygrett and Beulah Head; Messrs Fore, Webb, Cochell, Witherspoon, J. and E. Carper, Hill, Hubbard, Cloyd, Gough, Argo, Smith, Easley, and Grayson and wife.

#### Modern Woodmen Organize.

H. D. Adams, Dist. Deputy H. C. for the M. W. A., was here Tuesday evening and completed the organization of a local camp. The principal officers elected were L. A. Stroud, counsel; R. P. Brazil, advisor; C. E. Smith, Banker; C. L. Sullivan, clerk.

There is every indication for a bright future and a rapid increase in membership for this camp. Merit has made the organization one of the strongest fraternal beneficiary societies in America.

#### Dissolution Notice.

Hereford, Texas, 2-12-1906. The copartnership hitherto existing between E. F. Connell and W. G. Stanford under the firm name of Connell and Stanford is this day dissolved by mutual consent of the two parties. 1-31

E. F. CONNELL,  
W. G. STANFORD.

# What we Want

We want every citizen of Deaf Smith and Castro Counties to buy their drugs from us during the year 1906. Our stock of drugs and drug sundries is among the most complete to be found in West Texas. Every department of our business will be looked after by men of experience and we guarantee the very best of service. In this connection, we desire to express our thanks for the very liberal patronage of the past year. Remember that you will always receive a hearty welcome at our store,  
Yours for Business,

**T. M. COULSON**

# NOTICE

One of our firm is the least groceryman in town, but we get our Salt, Flour and Feed Stuffs by the car load. We do our own work and own our own building. Therefore, we defy competition. Give us a trial :-: :-:

**BARNARD & CO.**

## The Hereford Meat Market

Wants your business and if fair treatment and first-class service counts for anything we will get it. Phone your orders to 107 and they will be carefully and accurately executed. Will kill for the public.

**C. P. ARTHUR**  
PROPRIETOR

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**WILL H. STONE,**  
Sign Painter.

If you want flower pots, call at Mrs. R. S. Cowards. 1-4t

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

The Western National Bank now has money to loan on real estate. tf

Ladies' belts at 25 per cent off at the Hereford Mercantile Co's. store.

J. L. Crum of Arney was among the business callers at the BRAND office Wednesday.

For fresh breads, call at the City Restaurant, C. S. Richards, proprietor. 3tf

Furniture and shoes repaired at T. A. Cowart's shop on South Dewey Avenue. 1t

J. R. T. Bassett was in the city Tuesday selling Deaf Smith County lands to his friends.

Just received, a new line of shirts at the Hereford Mercantile Co. Come and take a look. 52-tf

Geo. M. Thompson of Alvord arrived Wednesday to visit his cousin, J. D. Thompson, north of town.

I have the only handmade stock saddles, the very best. I know your wants. Come and see them. Canterbury. 43-tf

A. P. Eaton, one of Castro's commissioners, spent Tuesday in the city, going to Amarillo in the afternoon on business.

I have purchased the City Restaurant from S. B. Feemster and request all my friends to call on me when you get hungry. 2tf

J. A. Fox came in from Mangum, Oklahoma Territory, the first of the week to make arrangements for moving his family to Mangum.

Murchison & Thompson this week sold 225 3-year-old steers to Robins Bro's. of Eureka, Kansas, at \$33 around, delivery to be made April 25th.

If you wish the best short order meal in Hereford, you should call on C. S. Richards at the City Restaurant. Remember he gives your money's worth. 2tf

**Men's and boys' 35cts 4 in-hand ties until Monday night 15 cts each. J. G. Callens. 1t**

If you want to buy or trade for the best sewing machine in the world, call on Ralph Barnett. He is special agent for the Singer. Some interesting propositions to make. tf

J. S. Jones left Tuesday for Topeka, Chicago and other northern points in the interest of the firm of Murchison Thompson & Co. He will return on next week's excursion.

I want your cabinet work. Sixteen years in the business. Seven years in Hereford. Bring your broken furniture to my shop at the Hereford Lumber Co's. yard. I will make it O. K. 2tf

Mrs. J. A. Kirkpatrick called at this office Tuesday to have the BRAND changed from Hereford to Olton, to which latter place they have moved. Mr. Kirkpatrick now has charge of a ranch in Lamb county.

Chas. Havenhill and family arrived from Iowa this week and have moved to the W. G. Roberts place in College addition. Mr. Havenhill recently purchased a half section of land four miles south of town and intends putting same in cultivation.

**Don't buy until you see our new line of men's, women's and children's shoes and slippers. J. G. Callens. 1t**

C. G. Witherspoon and son have closed the following land deals this week: section 39 of Western Union land east of town to E. F. Connell at \$10; section 87, block M. 7 situated north of town to S. M. Woods of Modena, Missouri; J. M. Coffin's 2430 acres 16 miles northwest of town to T. E. Shirley.

The last named deal was made by C. G. Witherspoon and L. Gough.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Rogers have moved here from Canyon City, Mr. Rogers having been appointed telegraph operator at this point. They will occupy the residence of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Rogers during their absence from the city. The BRAND is glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Rogers move to Hereford.

Bargains in men's shirts at Callens. 1t

School supplies of all kinds and cheap at Mrs. R. Cowards. 1-4t

New supply of tablets and Sundries at Smith's Drug Store. 52-tf

We do rose, Roman and satin finish work. Vannoy & Ray. 1t

Geo. W. Barcus returned Monday from a brief professional visit to Waco.

Ten per cent off from list on all stringed instruments at Smith's drug store. 1t

HARNESS—strictly hand-made. The very best, quality first. Canterbury. 43-tf

Call and see our fine glassware, tinware, chinaware, and enamelware. Mrs. R. S. Coward. 1-4t

Mrs. Jacob Buttram is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Morris, at the ranch this week.

We are the only first class jewelers and engravers in this part of the state. Vannoy & Ray. 1t

Wanted—To trade a \$300 piano for Hereford property. Will pay difference. Phone 141. 3tf

Over coats and winter under wear, 25 per cent off at Hereford Mercantile Co's. store. Last call. 52-tf

John Droke of the firm of Garner & Droke of Texico, was a witness in district court here this week.

We learn that Miss Helen Jones has accepted a position in a millinery store at Hugo, Indian Territory.

I have some nice shoats, also two Poland China boars about 5 months old for sale. Henry Von Lienen. 1t

H. C. Myrick returned Tuesday from Irene, where he was called to attend the bedside of his brother.

We have just received a swell line of mens dress shirts. Prices are right. Hereford Mercantile Co. 2tf

Harmon Beach and family arrived from Ada, Indian Territory, this week and will likely make this their home.

T. L. Crews, who has served this county as deputy surveyor for the past year, was in from Gomez this week on business.

B. M. Hester, Byrle Elliston and Claude Norton have been on a prospecting tour in various parts of New Mexico this week.

Ira T. Blakely of Princeton, Missouri, called at this office before leaving for his home Saturday. Mr. Blakely purchased property here but is undecided as to moving his family hither.

Ed Wilkinson and Ed Woodall, Hill county capitalists, spent Wednesday and Thursday in the city looking after their interests. These gentlemen have a seven-section ranch northwest of town, which they value very highly.

Dr. J. J. Williamson arrived from Cleburne this week to look after his ranch interests in this county. The doctor is not suprised at the rapid development which is going on in this country as he has witnessed similar changes in other portions of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Dale are spending the major portion of their time at present on their claim near Texico. Mr. Dale tells us that he is rapidly growing farmer and extends a standing invitation to the BRAND editor to visit his Mexico plantation.

Rev. Uel J. Fox, who purchased the Mauk residence and moved here in January, has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist churches of Dimmitt, Summerfield and Umbarger. He will begin this work as pastor of these churches, and probably of the North Draw church, in March. He promises to be a very helpful addition to the Baptist forces in this Association.

What came near being a serious wreck occurred between Bovina and Texico Monday on the west bound train which was going at full tilt when both sets of trucks of the tender jumped the track and occasioned some little excitement among the passengers by the rather sudden stopping of the train. Fortunately no damage was done save to the company's road bed and soon the steam horse was again on the track ready for another race.

**OUR GROCERIES**

We take a special pride in the Groceries which we sell, first, as to quality and secondly as to the fact that we never allow a surplus of goods to accumulate in our store and thus become old and unfit for use. We also pride ourselves on the fact that everyone of our customers always gets value received for every dollar he spends with us. We are always, :-: :-: :-:

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Most centrally located Will handle a full line Wagon Yard in town of Field Seeds

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Has on his selling clothes, forty head of richly bred Hereford Bulls from 6 to 30 months old. Get a hustle on you, buy good stuff, home bred and raised. Save money by getting better bulls. Norton satisfies purchasers by selling them money-makers. Have only 3 young Berkshire boars left—oh, then, Mr. Money-maker! Buy good hogs and raise good hogs and they will stamp your feed crop legal tender at 200 per cent. Get right now and let's do business.

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Improves the flavor and adds to the healthfulness of the food.

### Dormitory to be Painted.

Arrangements have been definitely made for applying two coats of paint to the exterior of the dormitory as soon as the weather will permit. Committees have been appointed to let the contract or do the work by day labor as in their judgment seems best, and the money is already in the bank to pay for the work.

This is a much needed improvement and one which will very materially add to the general appearance of the college property.

## STOCK COMPLETE

We are making a record as leaders in the Harness and Saddle business. Our store is headquarters for both city and ranch people when they want anything in the way of fine Saddles and Substantial Harness or Fancy Boots and Shoes. In fact our stock in all departments is complete and we are prepared to satisfy the wants of the most exacting.

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## E. B. Orr

The Corner Groceryman

At C. E. Edwards stand sells THE GLOBE FLOUR, put up at Blackwell, Oklahoma. Every Sack FULLY GUARANTEED. Call and investigate its claims.

E. B. Orr

## J. L. BUTT

THE PAINTER

Is now located in the city and would be pleased to figure with you on painting your residence. I have painted a number of residences in Hereford and refer you to the owners as to the character of my work. Hunt me up and I will do the rest.

## J. L. BUTT

THE PAINTER

## Items From Hart.

Whooping cough is very numerous in our community and it is going very hard with the children.

We are having some real nice March weather and the old cow seems to be enjoying life with plenty of feed and warm sunny days. No fatalities, only a few that have died with black leg.

Our part of the moral vineyard is coming to the notice of those eager to invest. Anderson Bros. have sold their ranch to some northern buyer at a satisfactory price and "will leave to parts unknown" about the first of May. We are very sorry to lose these good neighbors, but our loss is a gain to some other locality. May prosperity ever crown their pleasure.

F. C. Holder also sells his ranch and will move to Clay county sometime in March. We hope to have new neighbors who will try to make as good citizens as those who leave us.

Sowing oats and general farming is the order of the day and our people want to be on time with another big crop. With plenty of grain and forage we are a prosperous people. We have no complaint of hard times and the stimulation of fewer cattle and better ones will ever make us happy and prosperous.

We have plenty of room for the energetic man of means and will gladly welcome him in our midst.

Msyhew Bros., who are feeding about 500 head of yearlings near Running Water are up the road for more supplies this week.

Thornton Jones, the Hereford man, is moving his family who have been in Hereford for some time attending the school, back to his ranch near Running Water. Thornton is an up-to-date rustler and doing well along the thoroughbred line. See him if you want something good.

We like a "whole lot" of being behind the times and living in the "back woods." Yesterday while we were taking our ease and dreaming of the great pleasure the future might have in store for us, we were much disturbed, but delighted to see the automobile of Mr. William's speed along easy street on his way to Plainview. He was making about 20 miles per hour. While in town he quenched his thirst and had many pleasant things to say about our country. Who Mr. Williams is or his business (?) was never questioned but we will be pleased to see him down this way often.

## BOVINA ITEMS

Chas. Warren of Three Oaks, Michigan is looking after his interest, the Y. L. ranch this week.

B. P. Abbott made a business trip up the Denver road to Channing, Dalhart and other points this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barry on last Sunday night a fine boy. Mother and son doing well.

The long BRAND man gave us a call Monday eve. We would like for him to give us a little longer visit next time.

John James came in from his ranch Tuesday driving two yoke of oxen after supplies. John seems to know his business with the long whip as well as ranching.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Arthur of Hereford were visiting their brother C. W. Arthur at the want land farm Saturday and Sunday.

Norman Wilson is on a courting trip at Hereford this week.

The Bovina nimrods were out a couple of days this week. Ask Messrs Oliver and Wilson for particulars. They know the rest.

B. B. Curtis foreman of the Lone Star ranch was in town on business Wednesday.

D. O. S.

### Christian Endeavor Program.

Following is the Christian Endeavor program for Sunday, Mch. 4: Topic—What is true happiness? The worldly idea; the Christian idea.

Leader—Elmer Dameron.

Song.

Scripture—Luke 6:20-26; 1 John 11:12-17; 2 Cor. 6:10; Phil. 4:4-7.

Prayer.

Song.

Show how self-gratification differs from joy.—Maud Miller.

Picture the happiness of soul-winning.—Mrs. Ralph Barnett.

Tell how Christ gives happiness.—Minnie Tygret.

Duet—No. 207—Mrs. Barnett and Mrs. Tygret.

Roll call—Members will all please respond with a verse.

Benediction.

Wall Paper.

I will have a complete line of wall paper in stock. Also call on me when you wish paper hanging done.

52-4tp C. M. MCGHEE.

### Church Notice.

We are requested to announce that Rev. W. G. Keiry will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and night.

List Your Lands.

If you want your lands to move list them with the

HEREFORD REALTY Co.

City Election.

Judge Russell has set Tuesday, March 27, as the date for holding the election for incorporation.

Send the BRAND "back yonder."

## Friday Evening's Debate.

The general public was well entertained at the college chapel on last Friday evening, the chief feature being a joint debate between James Hughes and Earl Wilson, representing the public school on one side, and Elmer Dameron and Earl Gough, representing the college on the other.

The subject, "Resolved, That a protective tariff would better conserve the interests of the Republic than the adoption of a tariff for revenue only," was well represented on the affirmative by the public school and the negative by the college, the decision being given to the former.

### Steam Plowing.

Is a success with a Reeves special plow engine. Will do more and better work with less fuel than any engine built. Also separators for kaffir, maize, wheat and oats. Sample machine on hand. Write or see us.

1-4tp AMARILLO MACHINE WORKS, General agents, Amarillo, Tex.

### Dairy Notice.

We can now furnish the public with fresh milks, cream and butter on short notice. Our wagon makes the rounds each day. If you have not been a regular customer of the dairy, give us a trial and we will do our best to please you.

Yours for fair treatment, 49-1f LESTER WEAVER.

### Notice to Farmers.

I have a large supply of the best grades of seed oats, barley and speltz on hand and shall be glad to supply your wants in these lines.

21t C. C. FERGUSON.

### Notice.

All those owing the SINGER SEWING MACHINE Co., either lease or note will kindly call at my store and settle same.

tf RALPH BARNETT.

### Horses for Sale.

I have several head of good horses which I am offering for sale at a bargain. See them at my wagon yard.

21t C. C. FERGUSON.

### Grain For Sale.

We have for sale at our ranch two miles east of Dimmitt, seventy-five tons of Kaffir grain. Apply to

47tf B. T. BELL & SON.

### Horses for Sale.

I have a good 3-year-old horse, also a mule of the same age for sale. Both gentle to work. Apply to

21t BYRLE ELLISTON.

### Turkeys Wanted.

I am in the market for all the turkeys you have to sell. See me at C. C. Ferguson's grain store.

51tf CLAUDE NORTON.

### Horse for Sale.

If you wish a gentle buggy horse, I can supply you. See me at once.

tf CLAUDE NORTON.

### Public Notice.

Dr. Harrison, the dentist, will be absent from his office Monday's and Tuesday's of each week.

43-1f

### A Bargain for you.

In second hand double disc plows.

3-8tp WALTER DONALD, Arney, Texas.

I am now in the market for fence contracting and would like to figure with you on constructing your pasture fence.

tf M. H. Lile.

The greater portion of this week in the district court has been spent on the Tally forgery case. On the first indictment, he was given two years and on the second, three years in the penitentiary.

Barton, Miller & Co. report sales of realty as follows this week: the Reilly section north of town to a Mr. Sears who has moved from Missouri, sections 15 and 16 east of town to Crandall and Webb of Denton Co.

C. G. Witherspoon and son have sold their fire insurance business to Bern H. Smith who will continue the business with offices at the same place. Bern is a young man of splendid business qualifications and will doubtless have a nice insurance business.

The eight-week-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Eddington died on Wednesday night of this week of catarrhal trouble of the bowels, interment taking place at the city cemetery Thursday afternoon. The BRAND extends sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Subscribe for THE BRAND

## Do Not Neglect a Cold.

Every cold weakens the Lungs, lowers the Vitality and makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding cold, thus paving the way for more serious diseases.

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MRS. SALLIE LOCKBAR, Goldthwaite, Tex., says: "We have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my family for several years, and it always gives satisfaction. When the children had Croup and Whooping Cough it always relieved them at once, and I would not be without it in the house, as it is the BEST MEDICINE we know of." Best Remedy for Children. Every Bottle Guaranteed. THREE SIZES: 25c, 50c and \$1.00. BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO., ST. LOUIS, MO.

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## "COMMON SENSE"

Everyone knows that a drink of good clear water, daily, for stock helps them. Then, in place of the old mud hole you have for your poor cows to wade into, to drink from why don't you put in a tub that is guaranteed not to leak nor fall to pieces. The time is near when a mud hole on the place is sure to be a death trap for some weak animal you have, so now is the time to avoid it

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