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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Hereford Hardware Company, under its new management, will endeavor to furnish to the public a complete line of Hardware and will put forth every possible effort to please the people. We ask that you give us a trial and we believe that we will be able to merit your trade. We carry in stock a complete line of the celebrated Anchor Buggies--Buggies which have met with greater success than any buggy on the market. Also have a complete line of Hacks and Delivery Wagons. We sell the noted Kingman Plow--a Plow that has been tried and found to be highly adapted to this country. We also carry a complete line of Disc Harrows, Drag Harrows, Wheat and Oat Drills, Listers, Cultivators, Wagons, Windmills and Windmill Supplies, Queensware, Paints, and Oils. In fact a complete line of Hardware in every department * * * *

YOURS FOR BUSINESS

HEREFORD HARDWARE CO.

FUNERAL OF MR. THOMPSON.

Friends At Gainsville Pay Last Solemn Rites To Remains Of Their Former Townsman.

The funeral of Alexander J. Thompson took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Morris and a large number of the deceased's friends were in attendance, although the weather was very inclement.

The deceased was one of the most popular men that has ever resided in Cooke county and his friends were almost numbered by his acquaintances. He was a splendid man and during his long residence in the county proved himself worthy of every honor

and every confidence.

The home could not accommodate the great crowd of friends which gathered to pay their last respects and the procession which followed the body was a long one. The following were the pall bearers:

W. H. Dougherty, Judge J. P. Hall, Fred Frasher, Alderman C. O. Turner, W. W. Grant, of St. Jo, J. C. Washington of Marietta, Judge C. C. Potter, B. F. Frensey, J. H. Caldwell, County Clerk J. R. Jordan, Maj. D. T. Lacy and J. Z. Keel.

The services were conducted as mentioned in these columns yesterday.

Alexander J. Thompson was born in St. Helena parish, Louisiana, on

Aug. 27, 1851, being the son of Capt. D. W. and Mrs. Cinderilla Amaker Thompson. After graduation from the University of Louisiana, he moved to Dexter, locating there in 1874.

He was a zealous democrat and was a worker of those principals when it required bravery to stand up to what he thought to be right and demand the full share and representation to which his party was entitled. But he stood the test and thereby won the esteem of all.

In 1875 he was united in marriage to miss Jennie Morris, a sister of J. Frank Morris of this city, and this estimable woman survives him.

In 1878 he was elected county tax

assessor and was re-elected in 1880. At the next election, he was chosen county clerk and was twice re-elected to this office. He then retired from politics and moved to his farm at Dexter, remaining there for six years.

In 1894 he was again elected county clerk and served continuously until 1902, when he retired and a few months later moved to Deaf Smith county, sixteen miles northeast of Hereford. On his stock farm here, he resided until a few days before his death, when he moved to Hereford where he owned a home.

He is survived by a widow and two sons, Ed M. and Alex O., two splendid young men."—Gainsville Messenger.

Announcement.

Having purchased J. M. Garner's grocery business, we take this means of saying to the public that we shall endeavor to continue the business along the same lines which have characterized it in the past viz: To deal fairly with each and every customer who does business with us. Our business methods and principles are not unknown to the people of Hereford and surrounding country.

We ask you to call to see us when we can serve you in our capacity. We shall always endeavor to treat you right.

HUBBARD & RICE.

Since I have employed an experienced photographer, I will now have more time to devote to outside views. Leave your orders at the Hereford Studio. 49tf

FOR THE NEW YEAR

We have equipped ourselves for taking care of a very large business in a first class style. We find that nothing is too good for the people of Hereford and country. We propose to give you as good goods and as good service in all departments of our store as can be had in any town in Texas. We also propose to make our charges for goods and services rendered as reasonable as any place in the union. We have several cars of Furniture which were bought before the advance and we intend to give them to our friends at the lowest price. This large saving will be for you.

In our UNDERTAKING DEPARTMENT we are without question prepared to give the very best service obtainable from any place. Should you be so unfortunate as to need anything in this line, kindly call on us day or night and we will promptly respond and will serve you in caring for your loved ones, for which we will make no charge. We will supply you with any goods in this department from the best Caskets, Burial Suits (for men and women) Slippers, etc., down to the cheapest goods. We have what you want and can safely guarantee the lowest price. We are prepared to do first class embalming and will practice the art in Hereford and country; will also go to nearby towns should our services be needed. We are as well prepared to take care of the dead as anyone anywhere. :-:

Kindly Let Us Serve **E. B. BLACK,** Furniture Dealer and Undertaker

OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS WE THANK YOU SINCERELY

For the liberal patronage that you gave us in 1906. The increased volume of our business has enabled us to give you better values in all lines. FOR THE NEW YEAR WE PROMISE YOU BETTER SERVICE AND IF POSSIBLE BETTER VALUES. We know that YOUR INTEREST IS OUR INTEREST, and we will safeguard them in every way. Cordially inviting you to continue our pleasant business dealings, we are

SINCERELY YOUR FRIENDS

Johnson, Gary Hardware Co.

Successors to STRINGFELLOW-HUME HARDWARE COMPANY

Veale's Position.

Senator Veale will abide the will of the people in the Bailey Controversy.

The following letter gives our Senators position in the Bailey matter:

"Amarillo, Texas, Dec. 31.—Hon. D. E. Decker, Quanah, Texas.—Sir: I acknowledge receipt of your letter of Dec. 28, in which you inform me of your antagonism to the re-election of Senator Bailey and request me after I have been sworn in as a state senator from this district to at once resign and announce for re-election on the anti-Bailey tickets and tendering me your support in the ensuing campaign. Permit me to add in this connection that I am not unmindful of the suggestion made to me in your letter addressed to me in which you admonish me that if I fail to vote against the return of Senator Bailey I will 'make the mistake of my life.' Tease letters were written to me in reply to a circular letter addressed by me on Dec. 8 to the Democratic voters of the Twenty-ninth senatorial district and extensively published in the press seeking to ascertain as best I could, the wishes of my constituents in this matter.

"In that letter I did not indicate what my personal views were on the subject and shall not do so in this.

"In reply to the letter referred to I have received something over 200 letters together with a number of petitions signed by about 1,000 people expressing their opinions pro and con and am still receiving such letters and petition daily.

"As intimated in that letter my conception of my duty is to ascertain if I can, the wishes of my constituents in the matter in at this time and vote accordingly.

"In making this statement I appreciate I believe the full significance to be given the action of the Democracy of this district in the primaries in July as well as that of the Democratic state convention at Dallas following.

I take it for granted also that Senator Bailey will not permit the legislature to vote for his return to the exalted station of United States senator until after a full, fair and searching investigation of the matters of which he stands charged and to adopt the language of a gentleman high in the councils of the party of this district 'Senator Bailey should not be sacrificed to envy, jealousy, malice or hatred' but the verdict and judgment of the legislature should and I believe will be based upon all the facts and circumstances taken together bearing in mind the expressed wish of the people al-

ready referred to; such has been and is now my attitude in the premises.

"Referring briefly to that part of your former letter warning me of the dire political calamity which may fall to my lot in case I should fail to vote against Senator Bailey's re-election I have to say: 'I have been voting the Democratic ticket in the rank and file nearly a quarter of a century and not until now have I ever been honored with an office. I have been content to watch with pride the advancement of Texas under Democratic rule for all these years but it has occurred to me from time to time that office holders are prone frequently to pursue a course after their induction into official life tending to their political advancement rather than to the welfare of those who have entrusted them with official place. I do not know that I shall ever again offer for public position but if I should and am to be crucified for pursuing a believe to be right and in the interest of those I am now about to serve then let it be so.

"I feel unwilling to close this letter without giving some recognition to that part of your letter requesting my immediate resignation and re-entry in the lists on the anti-Bailey ticket.

"I appreciate, I assure you, the kindly motives prompting this suggestion, but in the inception of its consideration I am impressed with the thought that possibly there may be matters coming before the Thirtieth legislature to which my constituents may desire me to give some consideration other than that of electing a United States senator, I must therefore decline to entertain the request, not, however, without thanking you for your unselfish offer of support in such a contingency.

"In conclusion I take this method of thanking the hundreds of people who have given to me expression of their views on the Bailey matter in response to my circular letter of Dec. 8, including yourself. Your obedient servant.

"JOHN W. VEALE."

Ready for Delivering.

I am now prepared to deliver from the Weaver place in southwest Herford all kinds of fruit, shade and ornamental trees. I have in stock a limited number of ash, elm, sycamore, ashbury, mulberry and weeping willow from 10 to 15 feet high. If you wish any of these large varieties, come quick. In fact, I can interest you in any department of nursery stock. 44tf
S. L. BOONE.

Epworth League Program.

The following is the Senior Epworth League program for Sunday afternoon, Jan. 20 at 3:30 p. m.:

Leader—Miss Millicent Griffith.

Topic—Our Heavenly Fathers Consideration; Luke 9:15-13.

Leader's address on Topic.

Song.

Our Heavenly Father takes account of the needs of his children; Prov. 3; 2nd Chron. 16:9; Matt. 6:32—Mrs. Hamilton.

Song.

Our Heavenly Father takes account of his children's circumstances Psalm 40:17; 136:23—Miss Pearl Turrentine.

Song.

Responsive Reading, Psalm 103. Why the Israelites settled in Egypt—Gen. 47:27.

Song—Nella Black.

Our Heavenly Father takes account of the nature of his children; Psalm 58:39; 103:14—O. E. Thomas.

Song.

Benediction.

Town Lots for Sale.

We are now placing on the market ten acres of valuable town lots adjoining the college Campus on the west and can please the most exacting when it comes to a question of selection a location for a home. Can sell a single lot or any size block desired.

37tf E. F. CONNELL LAND CO.

A Bargain.

Two sections of land for sale 17 miles southeast of Herford near the new town of Happy on the Plainview railroad. This is a choice tract of land both in quality and location. Address 47tf

C. M. HUNT, Herford, Texas.

We have a great many inquiries for city property. What have you to sell? Park & Bourn. 39tf.

Notice.

Having retained the original books of the company of Murchison, Thompson & Co., we wish to state to patrons that have listed their property, that if they wish to make any change in price or terms, to call at the office, as we are compiling and mailing to our correspondents, new catalogues, enabling us to keep your property advertised. 48tf

J. D. THOMPSON & Co.

Bowman-Diebel.

Charles C. Bowman, of Tarrant County and Miss Nellie Diebel of Deaf Smith County were made one by the simple ceremony administered by Rev. W. G. Keiry, at the Presbyterian manse, at 2 o'clock Sabbath afternoon January 6th. The young couple went off on the evening train for Ft. Worth.

For Sale.

Three good residence lots in the most desirable portion of Herford. A bargain if sold at once. 47tf

C. E. EDWARDS.

For Sale.

I have a Kelly and Tanneyhill well drill for sale. It is a five hundred foot machine, the best in the country and a complete blacksmith outfit and camping outfit. I will give some man a bargain. Come and see or write at once. 49-2f

A. L. RAY, Hart, Texas.

Lumber Company For Friona.

A lumber company has been added to the business enterprises of our neighboring little town of Friona. The style of the firm will be The Friona Lumber company and will be under the same management as the Herford Lumber company.

For Sale.

One good three room cottage one block west of Public school. Will trade for good team and wagon as part pay. 48tf

E. W. HILBURN.

See Mrs. McMahon, dressmaker, at Mrs. Hodge's residence. 40tf.

FARM LANDS

Can always be depended upon to bring handsome returns from what they will produce. Hence from a productive standpoint they are popular as an investment; but aside from what can be produced from year to year, all good lands are constantly enhancing in value, which makes the income from them a two-fold one. The best cheap farm lands are in the Panhandle of Texas and the best bargains can be found at the office of

GUINN & ARNOLD

GARRISON BROS.

ARE NOW PREPARED TO SHOW YOU A VERY COMPLETE LINE OF HEATERS, COOK STOVES AND RANGES, COMPRISING THE CHOICE STYLES OF THE "CHARTER OAK" AND "GARLAND" LINES OUR STOCK OF SHELF HARDWARE IS VERY COMPLETE IN ALL DEPARTMENTS. WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK OF JOHN DEERE IMPLEMENTS AND GRAIN DRILLS. ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴

Come and See Us Before You Buy

Public Park.

To the BRAND: In our rush of business, each one looking after his own interest, we are likely to forget some of the things which enter as a factor in making a city which is attractive. As a matter of business and convenience, we are demanding graded streets and sidewalks, we are about to cry out against the tin can piles in our alleys and will, no doubt, as a precaution against disease, plan a sewerage system.

Another thing of pressing need, which the citizens of Hereford will some night awake to find lacking, is an ample fire department.

All these things come naturally, because they look to the preservation of health and limb, but there are other things which must appeal to all morally inclined citizens.

One of the first of these is the establishment of a public park, and provision for its maintenance. No city of importance can hope to keep her life and vigor without a place

for recreation. All the great cities of the world have places where the people are free to enjoy the fresh air and pure sunshine. Many cities have waited till all available land had reached such a value as to make it impossible for the city to purchase. Hereford should not sleep when she should be awake. Now is the time to set aside ample grounds for a park or parks.

There are numbers of places suitable for small parks. All the triangular blocks between the original town sections could be secured for small parks in which trees and flowers could be planted. The lake, almost in the heart of the city, could be made a most beautiful and healthful place, but as it is, it will soon be a breeding ground for disease. By a work this lake and surrounding grounds could be made attractive. The waters could be confined to a smaller area, an island with a summer house could be built in the center, small sail and motor boats

placed on the water, the grounds plotted into walks, drives, groves, grass mounds, flower beds, shaded nooks and playing fountains.

At some point on the grounds a summer auditorium could be built to used for an annual chautauqua. Besides the building could be used as a place of meeting for all public gatherings.

Nothing would add more to the moral tone of our little city than an enterprise like this. The very atmosphere of a well-kept park tends to moral and civic elevation. The beauty of such a place would be a sermon worth while.

But now is the time to secure the location. A few public spirited citizens could easily do this, but we are of the opinion that the city should own and control such an institution.

Let the BRAND place "Public Park" on its biggest banner, while the procession of prosperity is passing. Let no one wait for some one else to take the first step.

Respectfully,
A CITIZEN.

Locker-Higgins.

At four o'clock Monday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burns in West Hereford in the presence of a few friends and relatives of the contracting parties, Mr. Luther W. Locker and Miss Effie Higgins were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. O. W. Dean, pastor of Baptist church of this city, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of one of our well known and popular ranchmen, Jno. Higgins and granddaughter of our highly esteemed townsman W. A. Higgins, and is known and loved by every one for her many noble traits of character.

Mr. Locker is the son of W. W. Locker of this city and is a young man of excellent character. His many friends congratulate him on the selection of such a noble young lady for a life partner.

The BRAND joins their many friends in wishing them happiness and prosperity through out life.

Depository Notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,)
County of Deaf Smith.)
Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, will receive bids from any Bank or Banking Association in Deaf Smith County, Texas, that desires to become the Depository of said county for the ensuing two years, beginning with 1907, on Tuesday February 12th, 1907, at ten o'clock of said date; said bids to be submitted and received and said depository selected in accordance with sections 20 to 33, both inclusive, of Chapter 164 Acts of Twentieth Legislature. 49-3t

W. H. RUSSELL, County Judge,
Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Strayed or Stolen.

Four two-month-old pigs, black with white spots. Either strayed or was stolen about a week ago. Will pay reward for their recovery. 43-1f

S. L. BOONE
Hereford, Texas.

IT'S LIKE A SAVING BANK

To Buy Furniture From Us

Wonderful sales we are having in all departments. Whether you are in the market for Furniture or not, it will pay you well for the little time it takes to visit our store. Remember it costs nothing to look and you will not be urged to buy. If you should find exactly what you want we will appreciate your patronage. Don't think it strange if other dealers ask you more. You get the benefit of our unequalled facilities for close buying. We are receiving 2 new cars fresh patterns in all up-to-date Furniture. Fresh from the factory. ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴ ∴

CARTER & HOUCK

FURNITURE DEALERS

DAY PHONE 115

NIGHT PHONE 250

The Brand

C. E. EDWARDS, Proprietor
O. E. THOMAS, Editor

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FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1907

A Disastrous Runaway.

A very disastrous runaway and smash up occurred on Dewey Avenue on Wednesday morning. J. F. Collup's team, hitched to his delivery wagon, became frightened and broke away from his feed store going at full tilt up Dewey Avenue. At the First National Bank corner they turned and ran head long into the pile of cement blocks at the edge of the sidewalk, smashing up the wagon considerably and almost ruining one of the horses. So great was the contact with the cement blocks that quite a number were broken.

Fortunately no damage was done to other vehicles hitched along the street.

Notice.

When the firm of Murchison, Thompson & Co. was dissolved each member of the old firm retained the list of property on the books. We are now revising the old lists and transcribing them to new books. We would thank our friends to call on or write us and make any change they wish in price or description of their property before it is re-entered.

Our office at present is with Jowell & Vaughan opposite Tygret hotel.

Respectfully,

49tf MURCHISON & JONES.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to take this method of offering our most sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and love shown us in our recent bereavement in the death of our husband and father. Everything that loving friends could possibly do was done to relieve his suffering during his short illness and every attention was shown us in our sorrow at his death, for which we fail to find words with which to express our appreciation.

Yours sincerely,

MRS A. J. THOMPSON & SONS.

For Sale.

I have for sale about forty cows at my place 25 miles north of Hereford. They are springing considerably and should not be shipped to market. They have been fed heavily for the market since frost and are in fine condition. There are several good milch cows in the bunch that will be fresh early. Most of the cows were dry last year. Cows all young and a high grade bunch of stuff. Will sell at reasonable prices.

48-3t

B. R. SMITH.

For Sale.

I am offering my twenty-two horse power engine and threshing machine. Cheap for cash. Will trade for land or other good property. 49tf

J. S. MOLLENHOUR.

MONUMENTS

The Ft. Worth Marble Works has the best and latest designs in all kinds of Monuments, Granite Goods and Iron Fencing. Let me figure with you.

S. B. FEEMSTER
Local Agent
HEREFORD, TEXAS

A BRILLIANT SOCIAL EVENT

Two of Hereford's Most Popular Young People are Married.

On Wednesday evening, Jan. 9th, the Baptist church of this city was the scene of one of the most beautiful church weddings ever witnessed in Hereford when Mr. W. H. Ray and Miss Edna Allen were united in the holy bonds of wedlock.

The church was beautifully decorated with white chrysanthemums and green foliage, with pot plants and cut flowers shedding forth their fragrance and nodding their heads in admiration to the fair young bride. Three beautiful archways were made in the altar of green foliage intertwined with white chrysanthemums. One across each entrance aisle and one just in front of the pulpit stand. Streamers of white and green ribbon gracefully suspended from the central arch to the entrance arches added to the grace and harmony of the color scheme. From the central arch hung a beautiful wedding bell made of white chrysanthemums.

Despite the inclement weather the church was crowded to overflowing with admiring friends present to witness the union of this happy couple.

At eight fifteen Miss Pauline Shirley sang sweetly "All for You" and as the faint echoes of this sweet melody were still ringing the beautiful strains of Mendelssohn announced the bridal party, Miss May Gamble and C. P. Woodburn, Miss Maggie Ray and O. E. Thomas, Miss Mildred Vaughan and Joe Allen, Miss Nettie Allen, maid of honor, Mrs. J. C. Smyth, of Cleburne, matron of honor and little Misses Johnnie May Bourn and Lillie Jewell Allen as flower girls, who entered and took their places on either side of the beautiful central archway. The bride was attended by her father, Mr. J. P. Allen, and the groom by Frank Tucker. The beautiful and impressive marriage service was read by Rev. Dean, pastor of the Baptist church. While these solemn words that united the lives of these two people were being spoken, Miss Chapman played softly the sweet strains of Intermezzo. After the ceremony came hearty congratulations and messages from loved ones sending best wishes.

The bride looked beautiful in a charming and elegant gown of embroidered net over taffeta with a long flowing veil of tulle. In her hands she carried a beautiful bouquet of bridal roses. The only adornment of jewelry the lovely bride wore was a beautiful brooch with her initials in monogram set with a large pearl, made and presented by the groom. The bridesmaids wore plain net over taffeta, carrying beautiful bouquets of white and red carnations.

At the beautiful home of the bride, which was tastily decorated, a two-course luncheon was served to the bridal party and attendant friends. The cutting of the wedding cake was entered into very heartily and with a great deal of merriment. Beginning with the bride and each one taking his turn with great hopes of cutting the ring or money, insuring good luck and fortune, and with a dread of cutting the thimble or darning needle, which signifies hard work and bachelorhood throughout life. As a result of the cutting, the bride received the thimble, C. P. Woodburn the needle and O. E. Thomas the money.

Miss Edna is the second daughter of Mr. J. P. Allen of this city. Is beautiful and accomplished and is a young lady possessed of many charms and lovable traits which endear her to her many friends.

Mr. Ray is the brother of J. and Miss Maggie Ray of this city and is of the firm of Vannoy & Ray, Jewellers. Mr. Ray is to be congratulated upon receiving such a lovely young lady for a companion through life. He is a young man of rare intellectual attainments, excellent business ability and a man of sterling qualities. Because of his genial disposition and fairness in business relations he has won a great many friends who rejoice with him in his good fortune.

A large number of elegant and handsome presents were given the bride and groom by friends and loved ones, quite a number coming from their former homes.

The BRAND joins their many friends in wishing for them one continual round of pleasure and a long and prosperous marriage life.

W. T. Smith the transfer man.

J. L. FUQUA, President

C. W. DODSON, Cashier

The First National Bank

HEREFORD, TEXAS

CAPITAL	\$ 50,000.00
SURPLUS AND PROFITS	18,000.00
SHAREHOLDERS LIABILITY	50,000.00
TOTAL	\$113,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	500,000.00

DIRECTORS: L. GOUGH, J. L. FUQUA, C. W. DODSON, R. J. KIBBE, W. H. FUQUA

This Bank is well equipped to handle all business entrusted to its care and respectfully solicits your account

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

We have engaged in the grocery business in Hereford with a two-fold purpose, viz: To make a living for our families and to serve the public of Hereford and surrounding country with first-class groceries. If we had not believed we could accomplish both these, we would not have engaged in the business. We ask all our friends, as well as everybody needing groceries, to figure with us. Our constant desire will be to treat you right. :- :- :- :-

YOURS FOR BUSINESS

HUBBARD & RICE
SUCCESSORS TO J. M. GARNER

TREES—TREES—TREES

THE HEREFORD NURSERY has a complete line of FRUIT, SHADE, FOREST and ORNAMENTAL TREES. We enjoy pleasing you. Ask your banker or merchant about our success in growing fruit, etc., here.

THE HEREFORD NURSERY

L. P. LANDRUM, Proprietor

For Trade.

I have a black land farm consisting of 432 acres near Itasca in Johnson county, one brick house 100 feet by 25 feet in Hillsboro, one brick house in Osceola 90x25 feet, one brick house in Valasco 80x25 feet and two business lots in Valasco, which I will trade on reasonable terms for good plains lands. For particulars, see

H. B. MCKINLEY,
Hereford Texas.

Give Attention.

Are you interested in repapering your house? If so, let me make you a proposition. It is this: If you will let me do the work, I will sell you the paper at wholesale cost. Figure with me and see how cheaply it can be done. Best of references in Hereford.

C. M. MCGEE at Mrs. W. B. Robinson's residence. 5tf

For Sale.

Two Remington typewriters in good repair. 45tf

JNO. W. DEATLEY & Co.

LLANO ESTACADO NURSERY

S. L. BOONE, PROPRIETOR

Is now offering all the leading varieties of both shade and fruit trees to the trade at reasonable prices. All home-grown trees. Let us fill your orders

Nurseries at Hereford and Lockney

Tierra Blanco Herefords

L. R. BRADLY

...BREEDER OF

Registered Hereford Cattle

Herd Headed by Chorister, No. 93983
Ansted by Dawn, No. 122944

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

Will sell a quantity of young stock either singly or in car load Lots

All eyes are turned to THE PANHANDLE of TEXAS. Read its development in the condensed statement of

The Western National Bank of Hereford

at the close of business, November 12, 1906

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Overdrafts.....	\$308,913.24	Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	51,000.00	Surplus and Profits (net).....	26,090.47
Banking House and Fixtures.....	5,600.00	Circulation.....	50,000.00
Other Real Estate.....	3,362.32	Deposits:	
Redemption Fund.....	2,500.00	Individual.....	\$353,716.71
Cash and Exchange.....	108,431.62	Banks.....	.00
	479,807.18		479,807.18

THIS BANK OPENED FOR BUSINESS JULY 1ST, 1903

Deposits at the end of six months	\$51,300.62	Deposits at the end of two years	\$104,628.68
Deposits at the end of one year	55,959.21	Deposits at the end of 2 1-2 years	220,466.42
Deposits at the end of eighteen months	90,016.08	Deposits at the end of three years	263,146.89
Deposits September 4th, 1906	\$327,692.15		

DEPOSITS NOW - \$353,716.71

INSURE Your Stock

I now represent the International Live-Stock Insurance Co. of Dallas, Texas, and would like to insure any and all of your live-stock

Terms Reasonable

H. V. HENNON

Buy from or list with Murchison & Jones. 49tf

L. A. Stroud left Saturday for a business trip to Dallas and Sherman.

For Sale.—Shumach cane seed at 30 cents per bushel. Apply to Henry Farmer. 22-tf

J. H. Stinson of Amarillo, the popular road master of the Pecos Valley, was in the city Saturday.

STRAYED—A red heifer, unbranded, marked underslope in each ear. Any information about same should be reported to C. L. Davis. 41tf

Mrs. J. C. Smyth left for her home in Cleburne Thursday. Mrs. Smyth came in several weeks ago to attend the wedding of her sister Miss Edna Allen to W. H. Ray.

J. C. Garrison made the BRAND office a pleasant visit this week and had the BRAND sent to his family who live at Dallas. Mr. Garrison is associated with his brother, C. S. Garrison, in the hardware business of this city, and it is his intention to move his family out here as soon as a house can be secured to move into.

Murchison & Jones. 49tf

See Bowers & Dunlap for cheap city and ranch property. 49tf

Walker Hubbard, son of W. A. Hubbard of this city, came in from Frederick on last Thursday.

The gentle buggy horse of Thos. S. Barcus for sale. See Geo. W. Barcus. 48tf

Dr. L. F. Taylor returned from a business trip to Portales, New Mexico, the latter part of last week.

We have customers for two or three small cottages. What have you to offer? John W. DeAtley & Co. 49tf

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sybert returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives and friends in Bell County. They say there is no place like Hereford and the plains.

The Baskin Land Co. of Kansas City have opened a branch in Hereford. They have cash customers for land in the Panhandle. See them at once. 45tf

Dr. J. S. McFadden came in from Cooper, Wednesday to take charge of the prescription work at Herbert O. Park's Drug Store.

Miss Mertens, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Arnold for several weeks, left Thursday for a few days visit in Kansas City after which she will return to her home in Miami, Missouri.

Mrs. McElroy and family came in from Holdenville, Ind. T., Tuesday to join their husband and father. Mr. McElroy has been in the city for some time engaged in the well digging business.

Mrs. Percy Estes (nee, Miss Lenna Greer) is reported to be sick at her home in Castro county. Mrs. Estes was one of our popular public school teachers of last year and her many friends regret to learn of her illness and wish for a speedy recovery.

For results list your property with Murchison & Jones. 49tf

Notice the change in the Hereford Hardware Company's ad this week.

Murchison & Jones will sell your land or town property if it is on their books! 49tf

Thos. Howard returned Tuesday from Kansas City where he had been with a load of cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Feemster are the happy parents of a fine baby girl born to them on last Sunday.

One good 2 seated spring wagon, almost new, for sale or will exchange for carriage or surrey. Jno. W. DeAtley & Co. 45tf

C. S. Garrison and wife left Saturday for Kansas City, where Mr. Garrison has gone in interest of the firm of Garrison Bros.

STRAYED:—One roan, dehorned cow, branded 7777 on left side. Any information should be reported to J. E. Calwell at Hereford Grain Co's store. 43tf

J. H. Calloway, one of Hereford's former citizens, was a welcome visitor in our midst last week. Mr. Calloway and family make their home at Childress at present.

Jim Gilliland of Mangum, O. T., is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. K. P. Gilliland of this city this week. Mr. Gilliland is connected with Funderburg Gilliland Mercantile Co. of Mangum.

Luther W. Hough has bought an interest in the Hereford Hardware company. Luther is one of Hereford's most deserving young men and we predict for him great success in his new business relations.

O. H. Vardaman, the popular bookkeeper in the First National Bank, returned this week from a visit to Glazier. Mr. Vardaman's brother, Winfred returned with him and will make this his home for the present.

J. T. Thresher paid the BRAND office a pleasant visit this week and swelled our subscription list by having the paper sent "back yonder." Mr. Thresher has recently come here from Illinois and has bought the Thos. Bassett ranch, fifteen miles north of Hereford, and with his son D. B. Thresher, will move on to it right away. These good people have secured a very valuable piece of property and intend to do farming in a scientific manner. They have been offered three dollars profit on their land by Illinois people who having bought only a few days ago. They are well pleased with the deal and intend to make this their permanent home.

DRUGS

BE SURE

you are getting what your doctor orders. You will be if you buy all your Medicines here. Our Drug and Prescription Departments are managed by expert pharmacists.

Toilet Articles

of all kinds may be found here at tempting prices. Sponges, Brushes. All Sick Room Requisites, etc..

PRICES THAT ARE ALWAYS RIGHT

Herbert O. Park DRUGGIST

Hereford - - - Texas

NOTICE IMPORTANT!

We want the public to know that we have the best well drilling outfit ever operated on the plains. Our machinery is all new and drawn by steam power. No well is too deep or too shallow to receive our careful attention. Our long experience enables us to do your work so that it will not have to be done over. All work fully guaranteed. If interested, see us before you let you contract.

Leave orders with STRINGFELLOW-HUME, Hereford, or BOVINA MERCANTILE CO., Bovina, or 'phone

P. C. Pylant & Sons BOOM, TEXAS

City Barber Shop

IN BRICK BLOCK NEAR DEPOT
George W. Dale, Proprietor

THREE CHAIRS TWO BATH ROOMS

I keep first-class Barbers and guarantee satisfaction. Two Porcelain Bath Tubs. Hot Baths always ready.

HEREFORD, TEXAS

TO THE PEOPLE OF DEAF SMITH AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES

We want you to know that we keep constantly on hand a large stock of Grain, Hay, Salt, Posts, Cotton Seed Meal and Field Seed. We have the exclusive sale in Hereford for Chandler Lump Coal—The best that money can buy. Flour! Flour!! We have added to our stock a strictly first-class and up-to-date flour—The Border Queen—Every sack guaranteed. Highest market price paid for Wheat, Oats and Hides. See us before you sell. Get our prices before you buy. We have the best wagon yard in Hereford. Our motto: A square deal to everyone

W. L. FALLWELL & SONS

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE BRAND---\$1.00

Come, Send or Telephone

Your wants to the Hereford Lumber Co. for anything in the Building line. Our Prices are in line and our goods can't be beat. We handle two brands of Paints, the Celebrated, Never-to-be-Forgotten

Sherwin-Williams and Mound City Horseshoe

Ask about them. We also handle the "HANDCRAFT STAINS" the latest thing for inside finish.

Hereford Lumber Co.

A Profitable INVESTMENT

Is an investment that makes you money. Money saved is money made. If you are looking for a place to buy anything in the Dry Goods line, remember we are offering you nothing but

HONEST MERCHANDISE

at as low prices as are consistent with quality. Out motto is "KEEP THE QUALITY UP," and thereby save our customers money by giving you goods that will give you good wear and perfect satisfaction in every respect. When you need anything that is kept in a **FIRST CLASS Dry Goods Store**, give us a chance to show you what we have.

YOURS FOR FAIR DEALINGS

GEO. A. STAMBAUGH

CLEO COMMUNITY.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Slover visited their son, W. J. Slover and family and daughter, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, and family of this community this week.

J. R. Hasting's new dwelling is nearing completion and when completed will be the best house in Cleo. Ollie and George Burch also have their newly improved places about ready to move into. Our neighborhood is settling up all the time.

We are glad to state that after several days serious illness that Mrs. Lenna Estes is up and gaining strength rapidly and thinks she will be able to begin her school work again Monday.

W. P. Boyd; M. D. Barnard and E. J. Gilbreath went to Hereford last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Greer visited J. A. Johnson and family last Sunday.

D. F. Strickle of Dimmitt is visiting friends in Cleo this week. "Grandpa" is a welcome guest in all our homes.

W. S. Hasting and wife, who live in the Wise community, spent Monday night with his brother, J. R. Hasting.

One night last week J. R. Hasting and "old Shep" had a very exciting coon chase. Mr. Hasting says he heard his dog baying something at the chicken house. He got up and put on his clothing as fast as he could and got his gun, but by the time he got out there the dog and his game were engaged in a running fight across the pasture. Mr. Hasting says the dog kept catching and fighting the coon until he caught up with them and got a chance to shoot him. Mr. Hasting was not certain about what had killed so he skinned the coon and has his hide hanging up for inspection and all who have ever seen a coon pronounce it a coon hide. I was raised a way down on the Brazos River and have seen some very large coons, but I think this is the largest member of the "ring-tailed family" that I have ever seen.

W. S. D.

To Home Seekers, Investors and Real Estate Owners.

Do you want a square deal? If so, then compare our prices with the prices asked by others for the same lands. You will find that we can save you money, in many instances from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per acre. We sell strictly at the owners price, nothing added. We have never received over 5 per cent commission for selling, and this firm has never bought or sold an option, so that we are always prepared to give our customers the benefits of the best bargains on the market.

47tf **JOHN W. DEATLEY & Co.**

New Bank For Memphis.

The charter has been applied for and the capital stock subscribed for a new bank at Memphis, to be known as the Memphis State Bank. The officers have not yet been determined nor have all the details been worked out but it is believed that it will be ready for business within a very few days. The capital stock will be \$25,000. This makes three banks for the prosperous little city of Memphis, aggregating a combined capital and surplus of something over \$170,000.

Residence For Sale.

A good five-room residence, with hall, together with 2 acres of ground one acre front, good barn and out-houses, well and windmill, located in Hereford, can be purchased for \$3,500 if taken within the next few days.

MAX ROBERTS,

At E. Connell Land Co's. office.

W. T. Smith will do your transferring at any time. 48tf

CLOSING OUT AT COST

Men's and Boys' Clothing, Odd Pants and Caps
All Dress Goods in Brillianteen, Casmere, Serge, Henrietta Broadcloth and Flannel
Ladies' Shawls, Fascinators, Hoods and Caps
Ladies' Belts, your choice for 25c
Some special bargains in Lace and Embroidery, Table Linens and Napkins

SPECIAL ON THE FOLLOWING

Men's four-buckle Overshoes - - - \$2.25
Ladies' three-buckle Overshoes - - - 1.85
Ladies' two-buckle overshoes - - - 1.35
Ladies' and Messes' Rubbers - - - .50
Men's best Corduroy Pants, as good as there is in town - - - 3.50
The largest Tablet in town and 6 pencils .10

Just received 200 yards Taffeta and Wash Silks, all colors, prices reasonable

TRUNKS AND SUIT CASES

D. W. PINKSTON & SON

BOOM ITEMS.

Boom is improving. The farmers have put in public scales.

J. B. McMinn is having a house built on his place near Boom.

Mr. Curtsinger and Mr. Robinson, of Hereford, were visiting at Boom Sunday.

H. H. Clifton of Bovina is visiting his parents this week.

Bro. Trammell will fill his regular appointment at Boom next Sunday.

Z. T. Clifton went to Portales last Friday on business.

School is progressing nicely. We have a full school now.

Mrs. J. E. Roberson and children will leave this week for Childress.

The young people had quite a pleasant time at the singing given by Mr. and Mrs. Sain Sunday night.

Several of the farmers are in Dimmitt this week on business.

A Bargain.

75+ acres lying 3-4 of a mile from college. All fenced, 25 acres in cultivation, a good new wind mill and tower. Price \$50.00 per acre. Terms \$1000.00 cash, balance in 6 years at 8 per cent. Write or see me at once; 47tf

J. B. ELLISTON.

ARNEY NEWS.

Miss Kate Golden of Hereford is visiting her sister, Mrs. Broyles, at Arney.

Paul Crum has a very severe case of measles.

Miss Maggie Dixon has been very sick for several days.

This community has been visited by two nice warm rains this last week.

B. F. Holden, J. L. Crum and Walter Donald are at Dimmitt attending court this week.

All the farmers are very enthusiastic over the prospect for a good wheat crop this year.

Several of the farmers are breaking sod with the intention of sowing more wheat next fall.

W. D.

Notice to Tax Payers.

I hereby notify the public that all state and county taxes are now due and should be paid before January 31st to avoid penalty. Poll taxes should also be paid before the 31st to avoid losing the right to use the ballot. All citizens please take notice of the above and govern themselves accordingly. 49tf

ED CONNELL,
Sheriff and Tax Collector,
Deaf Smith County.

KEMP LUMBER COMP'Y

Can furnish you all kinds of Lumber, Posts, Paints, Glass and every other line of building material at as reasonable prices as any other house in West Texas. It will always be to your interest to figure with us.

KEMP LUMBER COMP'Y

TO THE PUBLIC

I have opened a real estate office in the building which I bought from Allan Bell and I am ready to serve any one having land to sell. I have never bought an option, hence have none to unload. I have no land that is on the market. Will give my clients full benefit of any customers that I may have. Am selling land at a straight five per cent commission.

Yours for best service

W. H. RAYZOR

OUR FACILITIES

For handling Real Estate and Livestock, listed for sale, are unsurpassed. We are mailing daily, descriptive circulars, price lists, and other advertising matter to northern and eastern correspondents who keep in touch with the investor. If you list your land or livestock with us, we will appreciate your business and will use the mails and our teams to serve you.

J. D. THOMPSON & COMPANY

CAN PLEASE YOU

Our stock of GROCERIES is so complete and our goods so FRESH that we have no hesitancy in saying that we can please everyone. Our policy is to sell THE BEST GROCERIES for the LEAST money. If you will investigate, you will find this to be our record.

Jno. A. Johnson
Hereford, Texas

J. H. KING ABTRACTOR HEREFORD, TEXAS

I have a complete Abstract of the Capitol Syndicate Lands, Western Union Lands, and Evans Addition to Hereford.

SPECIALTIES:
Conveyancing and Notary Work
EVERYTHING GUARANTEED

COTTAGE HOTEL

J. D. Mullins & Son, Prop.

Plenty to Eat and Courteous Treatment

Hereford, Texas

List your property with Park & Bourn. 39tf.

RAILROAD MASS MEETING.

Contract For New Road Adopted And Signed By Citizens Of Deaf Smith County.

Pursuant to a call from the Railroad Committee, the citizens of Hereford met in mass meeting at the court house Friday afternoon, Jan. 11th, at four o'clock to hear the contract made by the committee and Mr. Ransom in regard to the proposed new road. An immense crowd of enthusiastic citizens were present to hear the final report of the committee. The following contract was read and unanimously adopted:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Deaf Smith.

This contract, entered into by and between J. H. Ransom, hereinafter styled party of the first part, and the citizens of Deaf Smith County, Texas; hereinafter styled the party of the second part; Witnesseth: Party of the first part agrees to build, construct and operate, or cause to be built, constructed and operated a Railroad from the town of Hereford, in Deaf Smith county Texas, to a connection on the Texas & Pacific Railroad in Texas, said railroad shall be known as the "Panhandle Short Line" and party of the first part agrees to build, and maintain the main office, round houses and machine shops and a freight and passenger division in the town of Hereford, or cause same to be done; actual construction on railroad, known as the Panhandle Short Line, shall be begun at Hereford on or before the 1st day of May, 1907, and be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and completed to a point on the T. & P. Railroad on or before the first day of May, 1910, and party of the first part agrees to complete the Main Offices, round houses and machine shops at Hereford by the time said railroad is completed, or cause same to be built.

In consideration of the party of the first part or his assigns doing the above things, party of the second part agrees to furnish to party of first part a right of way from the West side of section No. 61, Block K-3, in Deaf Smith county, Texas, beginning at a point West of Hereford where the survey was made in year 1906 for same by party of the first part; Thence in an Easternly direction with said railroad survey crossing the P. V. & N.E. R. R. Co's tracts to a point in west line of Block 37, township of Hereford near, S. W. corner of same; Thence East crossing blocks 37, 34, 28, 20 and 9; Thence in a Southernly direction crossing block 7, all of above mentioned blocks being in town of Hereford; Thence cross Blocks 40, 53, 60, 70, 73 and 72 of Whitehead addition to Hereford; Thence in Southeast and Southernly direction with survey of said Railroad right of way made by party of first part in 1906 to a point where said railroad crosses line between Deaf Smith and Castro counties, Texas. All of the above right of way west of block 37 and south of block 9 of town of Hereford shall be 100 feet wide and in block 37, 34, 23, 20 and 9 the right of way shall include all of lots 8 to 17 inclusive each of said blocks; said party of second part agrees to furnish party of the first part in addition to the above right of way the following described land: All of block 6 of town of Hereford and all of Blocks 30, 31, 34, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, and 40 of Whitehead addition to the town of Hereford and in addition thereto (No. of acres not yet decided upon) acres of land for stock yards conveniently located to Hereford.

And in addition to said right of way and the lands above described party of the second part agrees to pay party of the first part, or assigns, \$15000.00 in cash, said cash to be paid one third on completion of road bed and two thirds when the said Railroad is put into operation. Party of the second part is to, so soon as possible, obtain deeds to the above described land and deposit same in the Bank in Hereford to be delivered when said railroad is finished, if finished in compliance with this contract. Time being of the essence of this contract.

In witness where of party of the first part sign same and party of the second part sign same by and who for the citizens of Deaf Smith county, Texas, hereby bind themselves to see that party of the second part comply with its part of the contract provided party of the first part complies with his part thereof.

Hereford, Texas, January 10, 1907.
In consideration of the above contract, I promise to pay to J. H. Ransom, or his assigns, the sum of Dollars payable at Hereford Texas, one third of same on completion of road bed and two thirds when railroad is put into operation in compliance with above contract; With 6 per cent interest per annum from maturity and providing

for 10 per cent attorneys fee if collected by law; This note shall be void if detached from said contract, which contract is hereby made a part of this note.

To carry out the above contract it will be necessary for the citizens of Deaf Smith County to raise by bonafide subscriptions about \$30,000. The Western Union Land Company has come to our assistance by generally donating Blocks 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 in the town of Hereford for shops and right of way. It will be necessary to purchase Blocks 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40 and also grounds conveniently located for stock yards. From the town section, the right of way to the Castro County line will have to be secured either by donation or purchase.

Mr. Ransom assured the meeting that he was ready for business as soon as the citizens of Deaf Smith County complied with their part of the contract. That all necessary arrangements would be made to begin work at the time called for in the contract and would be pushed with reasonable diligence until completed to the Texas and Pacific Railroad. He also called attention to the fact that according to the contract not a cent of money would be called for until the road bed was completed to some point on the Pacific and then only one third of the amount subscribed; the remainder to be paid as soon as road was put in operation complete with rolling stock etc.

A new railroad for Hereford is an assured fact as was evidenced by the manner in which the notes attached to the contract were signed. A great many doubled their subscriptions thus showing their faith in the project and the great benefit to be derived from the new road. Up to the present about \$24,000.00 have been subscribed.

It is Mr. Ransom's intention to start for points south along the proposed road as soon as a sufficient number of the contracts have been signed to warrant the carrying out of the above contract.

Depository Notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Castro.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Castro County, Texas, will receive bids from any Bank or Banking Association in Deaf Smith County, Texas, that desires to become the Depository of said county for the ensuing two years, beginning with 1907, on Tuesday February 12th, 1907, at ten o'clock of said date; said bids to be submitted and received and said depository selected in accordance with sections 20 to 33, both inclusive of Chapter 164 Acts of Twenty-ninth Legislature. 49-3t

M. F. BARBER, County Judge,
Castro County, Texas.

Notice.

All whose subscriptions have expired please call and renew at once since we wish to revise our subscription list and do not wish to enter any delinquents.

Cheap for Cash.

A lot of Furniture and racket shop goods for sale at Buck Roberts' place, next door to J. W. English. 34tf

For Sale.

Carter's livery barn; or will trade for land. See JOE L. CARTER. 49tf

For Sale.

House and lot in West Hereford. J. O. FAIRES, Barleson, Texas. 49-4t

YOU KNOW YOUR BUSINESS

Ours is to dress you stylishly
With Clothes that Fit

Tailor-Made Clothes
is our Hobby

1500 Spring and summer samples on display

RALPH BARNETT THE TAILOR

TO MEN WHO KNOW

COLLEGE NOTES.

The opening of the college for the winter term is very gratifying to the teachers. A number of new pupils have been enrolled, and work in every department has started in a satisfactory manner.

Among the new pupils in the boarding department are: Robert Haynes, Metz Kerr and Newton Walton of Claude, Rado Chilton of Iowa Park, Alice Lee Roach of Dallas, Edna Shelton of Kelso and Victoria Ana Madrid of Sunnyside, New Mexico.

The Orpheus Club held its regular monthly meeting on last Saturday. An interesting musical program was given, after which refreshments were served.

Miss Eva Templeton, who has been suffering from a severe cold, has gone to her home in Elida, New Mexico, to recuperate.

The Faris Literary Society has decided to have a program every week instead of every two weeks as formerly. All of these programs are open to the public.

A recital consisting of reading and a clever farce will be given by the Curtain Club in the College Chapel on the evening of Feb. 1st. The Club has also in preparation a play "Valley Farm" which will be given the 8th of February.

Threshing Maize.

J. S. Mollenhour is getting in good work with his thresher this winter. He has been threshing from 800 to 1000 bushels of maize etc., per day. He is well equipped for handling the grain crops of the farmers in this section.

Listen.

I am prepared to do your painting and paper hanging, can give the best of references. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. 48tf

D. L. SLAUGHTER.

FOR SALE—My residence in East Hereford. See me or DeAtley, Moore & Co. Dr. W. C. Bloughon. 43tf

RIGHT PLACE

Ours is the right place to find what you want in Fine Hand-made Boots, Harness, Saddles, Blankets, Robes, Etc. Prices Always Correct.

J. A. Canterbury

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PORTRAITS, VIEWS
AND ENLARGEMENTS
Satisfaction Always

M. M. MAJOR
and O. C. BOONE

Notice.

Our cheap rate is now on. Those wishing cheap fraternal insurance see C. L. Sullivan, clerk of W. O. W. at Jno. A. Johnson's grocery store. 49tf

Residence For Sale.

I will sell my six-room residence in North Hereford at a bargain if taken at once. See me for particulars and terms.

G. R. WARD.

SEE US FOR BARGAINS--WE HAVE THEM

62,901 ACRES IN NEW MEXICO, \$3.00 PER ACRE
BARGAINS IN PANHANDLE LANDS FROM \$10 PER ACRE UP

PARK & BOURN

**"Of all Sad Words of Tongue or Pen, the
Saddest are these, 'It Might Have Been.'"**

Why have anxious thoughts for the morrow? Come in and insure your property in some of the many reliable companies I represent and your sleep will be as peaceful as a little child's. :-:

B. H. SMITH, Agent
HEREFORD . . . TEXAS

For An Investment.

The Western Consolidated Mining Company offers to the general public an unexcelled opportunity for a speculative investment. For terms apply to W. E. Robertson, Hereford, Texas; W. M. Lay, Amarillo, Texas, or G. F. LeGrand, Raymondville, Texas.

The following is a list of stockholders, viz: E. F. Connell, Wm. Harrison, T. B. Rector, J. M. Baugh, Jno. P. Slaton, Jno. Lee Hutchins, T. M. Coulson, J. M. Garner, H. B. Webb, Wm. Lay, J. A. Buckner, Mrs. N. I. Sullivan, E. A. Johnson, Jack Cranford, Herbert Coulson, J. G. Callens, C. E. Edwards, Geo. R. Hollman, B. H. Baker, N. M. Fail, J. S. Ayers, H. F. Wiggins, Mrs. W. M. Lay, Louis Anthony, O. H. Rheinhardt, E. L. Dohoney, Hon. Ira Webster, Thomas Currie, J. M. Russell, Miss Drury Featherstone, W. S. Page, W. H. Spinks, R. K. Sansom, Mrs. T. H. Collins, Mrs. C. E. Robertson, Rev. J. W. Collins, J. Frank Blanton, J. H. Costolo, R. T. Martin, W. N. Brickey, Dr. J. B. Campbell, Mrs. Mary D. LeGrand, Mrs. N. A. Price, Miss Leila R. Price, Miss Cassie P. Shuan, H. Grunewald, Will H. Hines, W. G. Ross, A. U. Myrick, J. H. Hines, Chas. T. Wilmette, J. P. Collier and G. F. LeGrand. 40tf.

Last Call.

A meeting is called by the committee for Saturday at 3 o'clock to determine if the citizens will subscribe the required \$30,000 and accept Mr. Ransom's proposition or reject it.

For improved dwelling property and desirable dwelling lots see Renfro & Price. They have them. 49tf

Dissolution Notice.

The partnership heretofore existing between A. P. Murchison, J. S. Jones and W. O'Brien under the firm name of Murchison, Thompson & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Each member retiring from said firm.

A. P. MURCHISON.
J. D. THOMPSON.
J. S. JONES.
W. O'BRIEN.

Hereford, Tex., Jan. 9th 1907. 48tf
A Bargain.

Five acres of choice resident property near the college, with a row of young forest trees completely surrounding the property and a nice young orchard of one acre within. All fenced with net wire. A bargain if sold at once. Price \$1250.00. Terms \$500.00 cash, balance one and two years. See

J. B. ELLISTON.

Notice to the Public.

I now have a good crew of men together and will figure on all building contracts. No job too large for us. As to what we can do along this line we refer to the number of substantial homes which we have built in Hereford. All work guaranteed. Figure with us.

34-tf. SAM WORLEY.

Will Buy Kafir and Maize.

We are now in the market for all the kafir, cane and maize seed the farmers have for sale and will pay the highest cash price for same.

36tf FALLWELL & SONS,
Hereford, Texas.

Horses and Mules for Sale.

I have a span of fine mules for sale. Also a few good work horses, two wagons and harness. See me at Murchison & Thompson's office.

ALEX O. THOMPSON.

Educational Column.

"Be noble! and the nobleness that lies in other men, sleeping but never dead, Will rise in majesty to meet thine own."
Sam McCrory and Payne Gilliland have lately entered the 7th grade as new pupils.

The 9th grade pupils have now completed their work in Roman History, and are ready for a new text on general history.

Superintendent Hawkins has a fine new chair at his desk. The lady teachers are not complaining, however for the faithful old "split-bottoms" are serving them well.

Lola Roberts and Wessie Robinson are now in the 6th grade as new pupils.

Nearly all the little ones who had the measles are back well and strong with happy faces, and all the energy that the most watchful teacher can direct.

Clarence Roberts entered the 4th grade on Monday.

Young people, here is a good motto for you. As you go forth into the new year, let its meaning illumine your pathway. It was the great Lincoln, who said: "I am not bound to win, but I am bound to be true. I am not bound to succeed, but am bound to live up to the light I have. I must stand with anybody that stands right, and part with him when he goes wrong."

Parents, here is a box of betters for you.

"Better a home a bit too strict in government, than a home a bit too lax.

Better dollars spent for toys and tip-top times at home, than pennies spent for prison postage and stationery.

Better the noise of a jolly lot of youngsters at home than silence and solicitude in which mother at midnight anxiously waits for the sound of footsteps on the pavement. Better too much fun, than too many frowns in one's home.

Better a boy's complaint about the rigidity of parental insistence upon church attendance, than a man's censure of home-laxity during the habit-making years of life."

There are 160,000 children in our fair land who know little of childhood, because they are workers in factories, in employment which stunt both bodies and minds.

A canal across Cape Cod, which has been talked of for two hundred years and more, is now to become a reality. It will be only eight miles long, but it will shorten the inside water route from New York to Boston by seventy miles, and the outside route by one hundred twenty miles.

Statistics show that great mental workers are, as a rule, long-lived. Activity is conducive to longevity.

Children, will it be interesting to you to know how birds dress? Birds think a good deal about their dress and are careful to keep themselves tidy and in good order. They do not have many suits. Two a year is quite sufficient for most of them, and many are content with only one. The gentlemen, as a rule, dress more gaily than their mates, though they spend less time upon their toilets. It is so interesting to watch the bird after he has had his daily bath. Each separate feather is cleaned, pulled and looked

over, and all the loose ones are taken out and dropped. All this is done by the bill, for a bird's neck is so flexible that it can be turned in all directions, but the bill cannot reach the head, and so the bird uses its foot. With it he combs his hair, first on one side, then on the other, scratching very fast, as if to get all the tangles out. Then he uses his hair oil. Both males and females carry it about with them. When Madam bird wishes to use it, she squeezes it out of a little pouch or sack on the back near the tail with her beak, just as we would press a rubber bulb; then she lays the oil on her back just above her wings, and rubs her head against it, turning her neck in all directions until every feather in her head is straight and shining.

One of our current magazines tells us why the cat was called "Puss." A great many years ago the people of Egypt, who had many idols, worshipped the cat. They thought she was like the moon, because she was more active at night and because her eyes changed, just as the moon changes, which is sometimes full and sometimes a bright little crescent or half moon, as we say. So these people made an idol with the cat's head and named it Pasht, the same name they gave to the moon, for the word means the face of the moon. Since the word has been changed to "pas" or "pus," and has come at last to be called "puss," the name which almost everyone gives to the cat.

Public Notice.

Having sold my interest in the Hereford Hardware Company to D. R. Gass I wish to state that I will be at the old stand for several days to wind up the business. I would appreciate it if all those, knowing themselves indebted to the firm, would please call and settle up at once, as we are in need of the money and wish to get matters straightened up as quickly as possible. 48-3t

Yours truly,
S. F. TUBBS.

Benson Bros. Hung

Wall paper the past four months and are not dead yet. Our office and shop are located northeast corner from City Cafe. Estimates furnished on all lines of work pertaining to our trade. Plain and fancy sign work a specialty. Phone 33, Cottage Hotel.

BENSON BROS.

Public Sale.

At Collup's wagon yard Saturday, January 26, 5 head of horses and one mule. Good stock and gentle. 49-2tp

Buck Roberts.

For Sale.

I have for sale at my place 1 1/2 miles north of Hereford a large drove of good, gentle buggy horses, saddlers, and excellent work horses and mules.

Also a large amount of bundle sorghum and millet. 49tf

FRED MILLARD.

LOST—White handle office pocket knife, with one blade. Return to B. H. Baker at office of Wither- spoon & Baker. 45tf

For Sale—A good residence with four acres of ground, close in and well improved. Apply to the Hereford Realty Company. 44tf

**GOOD STUFF
TO EAT
Is Our Business**

**Are You Getting
Your Share?**

Try us one month and we will convince you that we can please the most exacting. :-: :-: :-:

**We Sell Albatross Flour
"BEST ON EARTH"**

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GROCERS
HEREFORD, . . . TEXAS

NEW STORE

I take pleasure in announcing that I have enlarged my store building and added a complete stock of both staple and fancy groceries. I am now before the public with a complete stock of general merchandise and will be glad to meet old friends as well as the new comers. :-: :-:

T. H. BEACH
DIMMITT, TEXAS

Still Headquarters

We are still headquarters for groceries. We have just received a fine lot of all kinds of Syrups and are up-to-date on quality and prices. We appreciate the business we had the past year and assure you we will always treat you right. Our business has been beyond our expectations and we believe it is because we deal fair and square with our customers. Thanking you for past patronage and soliciting your trade in the future, we remain :-:

Yours for Business

BARNARD & CO.

STROUD & WILSON

AGENTS FOR
The Royal Insurance Co.
The Best Fire Insurance Company on Earth. See Us for Rates. عروء عروء
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Johnson, Gary H'd'w Co.

FOR SALE—365 ewe sheep, already bred. Call at this office for prices.

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Dealers in Panhandle Lands
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DEALERS IN
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Personal attention given to all busi-
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A complete abstract of title to
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City Property of all kinds. Also some good
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Office at Coulson's Drug Store
Res. 'phone 258 Office 'phone 105

Look out for W. T. Smith the
transfere man. 48tf

G. W. Orr of Boom, was in the
city this week.

Park & Bourn want to sell that
place of yours. 39tf.

J. O. Jackson returned Thursday
from a visit to Tulsa, I. T.

See me for genuine bargains in
wall-paper. J. W. English. 27tf

J. D. Thompson went to Amarillo
on a business trip Monday.

FOR SALE—A surrey and double
harness. Apply to W. T. Smith. 48tf

L. W. Ricketts left Saturday for a
few days visit in Amarillo.

List your vacant lots with us for
sale. John W. DeAtley & Co. 49tf

A. P. Murchison made a business
trip to Amarillo the first part of the
week.

List your city property with us
for a quick sale. John W. DeAtley
& Co. 49tf

D. F. Ashbrook is now at home in
his new cottage in the eastern part
of town.

W. B. Anthony, Jr., arrived
Thursday evening from Portales,
New Mexico.

R. D. Sedwick of the Geo. G.
Wright Land Co., of Frio, was in the
city over Sunday.

B. W. Miller returned from a
business trip to Ft. Worth the first
part of the week.

We have cash customers for land
in the Panhandle. See us at once.
Baskin Land Co. Hereford, Tex. tf

Judge and Mrs. L. Gough left
Saturday for Dallas and San Antonio
for a few days rest and recreation.

J. D. Hearne, manager of the new
Lumber Co., of Frio, made the
BRAND office a pleasant call this
week.

A. H. Elliston orders his paper
sent to Norwalk, California, where
he will spend the remainder of the
winter.

Second-hand furniture bought and
sold. Also highest cash price paid
for hides by Buck Roberts, next door
to J. W. English. 40tf.

Joe Rhea and wife of Rhea Bros.
ranch near Bovina visited Judge and
Mrs. C. G. Witherspoon the early
part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, after a
pleasant visit with the latter's sister,
Mrs. W. B. Arnold, returned to their
home in Miami, Missouri, on last
Thursday.

We are selling some Hereford
houses and lots, and have a 1/2 or 1/4
section of land 3 miles from Here-
ford to exchange for house and lot.
J. D. Thompson & Co. 49tf

Miss May Gamble of Farewell,
who came in the early part of the
week to act as brides maid in the
Allen-Ray nuptials, returned to her
home Thursday.

STRAYED—A black horse mule
from Frio about 3 weeks ago. Shod
in front, weighs about 1050 pounds.
Has frosted nose. Report to
49tf J. W. McMILLEN,
Land and Immigration Co. Frio, Tex.

E. T. Woodburn of Silverton,
County Treasurer of Briscoe County,
was the guest of his son, C. P.
Woodburn of this city, for several
days this week. Mr. Woodburn has
purchased property in Hereford and
will return in the near future to make
this his home. He made our office
a pleasant visit and ordered the
BRAND sent to him in order, he says,
to try to keep up with the doings of
his son Charles.

Harmon Beach sold his residence
this week to B. N. Turnbow of
Bridgeport. Consideration \$950.00.
Mr. Turnbow will move his family
here in the near future. He is a
brother of our fellow townsman, J.
H. Turnbow who is now justice of
precinct No. 1.

Look out for W. T. Smith the
transfere man. 48-tf

Miss Nettie Allen was a visitor to
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For bargains in real estate see
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Ed Connell and family left Mon-
day for a visit to Amarillo.

Just received plenty of Brown
Sugar. Barnard & Co. 48-2t

Mrs. Will Walters came in Fri-
day from a trip to Amarillo.

Mrs. D. W. Hawkins returned
last Friday from a few days visit to
Dallas.

W. A. Hubbard and son Charles
returned Friday from a visit to Hen-
derson.

Mrs. C. C. Shannon of Whites-
boro is visiting her sister, Mrs. J.
Ray, this week.

Will Woodburn of Castro County
was a visitor to our city the latter
part of last week.

Wanted, from owner, a few well
located residence lots. John W.
DeAtley & Co. 49tf

Jet Fore returned from his home
in Memphis Saturday to continue his
course in the college.

C. G. Witherspoon left Tuesday
for an extended trip to points in New
Mexico, Arizona and Old Mexico.

Notify Ben Wright or Ralph Bar-
nett if you want your well put down
promptly. All work guaranteed. tf

Hurbert O. Park is having a beau-
tiful new modern cottage built on his
lot east of the Presbyterian Church.

One Cadillac automobile for sale
at a bargain or will exchange for
larger machine. Jno. W. DeAtley
& Co. 45tf

Sullivan Laughery of Canyon City
came in Sunday to visit his sister,
Mrs. P. V. Winstead, of the BRAND
force.

Business lots, residence lots,
houses and lots for sale, some nice
furnished rooms for rent. J. D.
Thompson & Co. 49tf

J. F. Eddleman of Boom was in
the city this week and remembered
us by subscribing for the BRAND
and Dallas News.

We have just received a fresh car
of California fruits and canned
goods. Call and make your selec-
tion right away. Hubbard &
Rice. 47-4t

Dr. C. W. McFarling left for
Cooper, Texas, Monday evening
where he goes as an expert witness
in a criminal case in district court
there this week.

STRARED—One black bald face
heifer, mark split in right ear, no
brand. Right hind knee enlarged.
Will be fresh soon. \$5 reward for
her recovery. E. A. Winterrowd. tf

W. J. Chapman of North Draw
returned from Hillsboro, Tennessee,
Monday where he has been to attend
the illness and death bed of his
brother. The BRAND extends sym-
pathies to Mr. Chapman and family
in this their bereavement.

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**To School
Children**

Our stock of Pencil and Fancy Tablets, Inks,
Pencils, Etc., is complete. We can sell you
just the design you want in Writing Tablets.
Come to our store when you need anything
in this line.

T. M. Coulson
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YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED
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We solicit your patronage, promising that we will
endeavor to sell you goods at as close margin as
possible.
WE HANDLE ALL KINDS OF POSTS

The City Meat Market
I have again purchased the City Meat
Market and wish to announce to the
trade that it is my intention to devote
my entire time to the business, giving
the best possible service. I will de-
liver on Sundays at the usual hours.
J. H. WILSON

Just A Moment!

We wish to say to the trade that we have purchased the Hereford Tin Shop from Mr. Lucian Copes and are now at the command of the public when we can furnish you with

Anything in Galvanized Tanks
Drinking Tubs, Vats and
All Tin Goods

Our Repair Department
is well equipped.

We will appreciate
your orders.

Johnson & Brazil

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cogdell Celebrate Their Fifteenth Anniversary Occasion.

"As unto the bow the cord is,
So unto the man is woman,
Though she bends him, yet she draws him,
Useless each without the other."

Man has ever been the giant oak, while woman is the frail vine that clings to him for protection. She inclines her graceful tendrils about his noble nature and rests in sweet contentment. When the storms of life are approaching and the winds of adversity blow hard, this strong man stoops and whispers to the little vine, "Cling close to me and no harm shall befall you." If, perchance, the storm be too severe, and this mighty oak is shattered and helpless the tender vine unhurt conceals the scars upon his manly breast, and covers his wounds all over with her foliage of love.

It was evening. The queen of night sat upon her throne, and the "infinite meadows of heaven blossomed with the lovely stars—the forget-me-nots of the angels," when William M. Cogdell of Mexia, Texas, and Elizabeth Carpenter of Wichita Falls, Texas were bound in the holy ties of wedlock.

This marriage took place on Jan. 16, 1892 at Wichita Falls at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White, uncle and aunt of the bride, and also her home from childhood.

Immediately after the wedding Mr. Cogdell returned to Mexia with his bride where they spent the first ten years of their married life. Soon after leaving Mexia they came to Hereford to make their home. Fifteen years have now passed since this worthy couple plighted their vows of eternal love and constancy, and how faithful they have been to each other. Happy in their home with their two children Charles and Blake, and surrounded by their many friends, Mr. and Mrs. Cogdell celebrated their Crystal Wedding on Wednes-

day evening, January 16th. After merry greetings, hand shakings, and wishing the bride and groom many happy returns of the day the company was ushered into the dining room where the wedding supper was served. While the guests were feasting, Miss Chapman of the Panhandle Christian College rendered beautiful selections of music.

Each guest was asked to register as he left the dining room. When all had returned to the parlor again, they waited for the toasts that were soon to follow.

Miss Millicent Griffith presided as toast mistress, and presented the toast "Fifteen years before the wedding day." This was responded to by Mr. A. M. Jones in a most happy manner. The next toast was "Music," and Miss Chapman responded with a Piano solo. "Fifteen years after the wedding day" was proposed, and was responded to by Mr. W. G. Ross in a delightful manner. This ended the formal program of the evening, and after a good old time visit—exchanging thoughts of other days, the guests bade Mr. and Mrs. Cogdell good night and returned to their homes.

On account of the severe illness of Dr. Estes, Rev. and Mrs. Keiry of the Presbyterian church were not present.

Mr. and Mrs. Cogdell received many and beautiful presents of cut glass. Following is the list of presents received:

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Witherspoon, barry dish; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Snyder, butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ross, salad bowl; Miss Chapman, olive dish; Mrs. Cobb, water pitcher; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Duff, water set; lemon squeezer, Alice Duff; salad dish, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Parmer; water set, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson; water bottle, Mr. and Mr. E. B. Black; cream and sugar set, Master Albert Pike Snyder; olive dish, Miss Clark; four piece set, Mrs. C. C. White, of Wichita Falls; berry stands, Mrs. A. A. Davidson and family; four piece set, Messrs. Thomas and Jones; celery dish, Rev. and Mrs. Keiry and Misses Tarver and Griffith.

THE CITY CAFE

Is the best place in Hereford to get a first class meal. We have experienced cooks, and our place is always kept neat and clean. If you will eat with us once you will eat with us all the time. Remember that we have an up-to-date Bakery in connection.

THE CITY CAFE

Call for Stockholders Meeting of Pecos and Northern Texas Railway Company.

To the Stockholders of the Pecos & Northern Texas Railway Company.

You are hereby advised that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the stockholders, to be held in the city of Amarillo, County of Potter, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company, on the 15th day of March, 1907, to consider and act on a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage on all of its railroad properties now owned and hereafter acquired, to secure bonds in the sum of \$15,000,000.00, such bonds to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum and to be payable thirty years from date thereof, so much of said bonds as may be required therefor to be used in retiring the bonds of the Company now outstanding, the balance of said bonds to be used for construction and extensions and such other purposes as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and that this notice is given to you by order of the Board of Directors. 48-8t

DON A. SWEET, Secretary.

A New Firm.

A new business enterprise has been inaugurated in our city this week in which J. H. Bowers and Eli Dunlap join forces and embark into the real estate and live stock business.

Messrs Bowers and Dunlap are both well known in Hereford and the Panhandle, having been associated with her interests in a number of ways for many years. They have had large and wide experience in the immigration business and by their combined efforts will aid very materially in settling up our country with prosperous farmers.

The style of the new firm will be Bowers & Dunlap, Real Estate and Live Stock agents.

We predict for these men great success in their new business enterprise.

Notice to Land Owners.

For the past six months, the land owner has had but little or no opportunity to sell his land on account of the land agent being loaded with options. They of course would want to sell their own land, and his was laid aside. I never buy nor sell options but am always ready to give you full benefit of any client I may have at five per cent commission. 45tf

W. H. RAYZOR.

H. O. Hubbert has sold his interest in the dray line of Hubbert and Ward to L. A. Ogle. Mr. Hubbert finds that his duties as city marshal and collector are so heavy that it will be necessary to devote all of his time to that office.

STRAYED—30 head grade Hereford cattle branded Z on left thigh, young stock, marked crop the right ear and have Bar on left jaw. Two cows marked underbit each ear and branded M-E connected on right side. Any information will be liberally rewarded by R. H. Norton, Hereford, Texas. 44tf

Among the improvements going on in our little city coming under the observation of the BRAND this week is a street light erected on Souht Dewey avenue by the Baskin Land company in front of their land office. This is a much needed improvement to our business section and others would do well to follow the example of these progressive people.

For Sale.

An up-to-date brick business house 26x80 feet. Standard walls. Plate glass front. Centrally Located, up to date fixtures. For price write 47-4t

H. HERRON,
Graham, Texas.

For Sale.

Ten acre block east of nursery, fenced and broken out. A bargain if sold at once. Price \$1000.00, \$336.00 in two notes. Balance cash. 47tf

J. B. ELLISTON.

Strayed.

A small black mare mule, shod all round, limps in right hind leg. Liberal reward for her return to 48tf

MAX ROBERTS.

BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT

A Sure Cure

for Rheumatism, Cuts, Sprains, Wounds, Old Sores, Corns, Bunions, Galls, Bruises, Contracted Muscles, Lame Back, Stiff Joints, Frost-bitten Feet, Burns, Scalds, etc.
AN ANTISEPTIC that stops Irritation, subdues Inflammation, and drives out Pain.
PENETRATES the Pores, loosens the Fibrous Tissues, promotes a free circulation of the Blood, giving the Muscles natural elasticity.

BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH
ONCE TRIED ALWAYS USED

CURED SCIATIC RHEUMATISM

Mrs. E. A. Simpson, 500 Craig St., Knoxville, Tenn., writes: "I have been trying the baths of Hot Springs, Ark., for sciatic rheumatism, but I get more relief from Ballard's Snow Liniment than any medicine or anything I have ever tried. Inclosed find postoffice order for \$1.00. Send me large bottle by Southern Express."

THREE SIZES: 25c, 50c AND \$1.00

BE SURE YOU GET THE GENUINE

Ballard Snow Liniment Co.
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SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY
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STONE MANUFACTURING PLANT

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We are now manufacturing Concrete Blocks for building purposes and would be glad to have the public call at our yard near the depot and inspect our product. No material is so durable as this and its comparative cheapness cannot fail to make it popular. We make a specialty of building foundations, walks, etc., and will erect your residence or business house on reasonable terms. See us for prices on Portland Cement. :: :: :: :: ::

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DEALERS IN

LUMBER, LIME, BRICK, CEMENT

and all Kinds of Building Material

Our Planing Mill is now running to its capacity and we can save you money on Doors, Sash, Frames and all kinds of finishing. If you wish to build you can save money by figuring with us. :: ::

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We Pay Highest Prices For

Wheat, Oats, Kaffir and Maize

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