

The Hereford Brand

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No. 6

TWO CARS ELEGANT FURNITURE JUST RECEIVED FROM THE FACTORIES

All departments of our big store are full up with choice selections that go to make home attractive. We are now showing the greatest line of Buffets, China Cases, Sideboards and Extension Tables ever displayed in our city. See them quick. Best values and lowest prices in everything.

Furniture Dealer

E. B. BLACK

UNDERTAKER

A Pretty Store.

Geo. A. Stambaugh has recently made improvements at his store on South Dewey Avenue which not only add in a large measure to the attractiveness of his place of business, but greatly subserves the convenience of the public as well. The improvements referred to consist of the extension of the shelving to the ceiling, thus affording more room for each department. Mr. Stambaugh tells us that he now contemplates cutting his front down to the standard grade recently established by the city council, at which time he will likely construct a concrete walk in front of his building. The Brand is

glad to note these evidences of enterprise on the part of our business men. A united action along the lines spoken of above would soon make Dewey Avenue the prettiest street to be found any where in West Texas.

Alfalfa Pays.

644.5 acres 2 1/4 miles south of Hereford. 200 acres sub-irrigated valley alfalfa land. 350 acres level prairie upland. Some improvements. \$25.00 per acre if sold in 30 days. 6-1f John P. Slaton.

Milch Cows.

I have a few head of good milch cows for sale. Apply to M. V. Robertson, Hereford, Texas. 5tf

Prof. Hawkins Resigns.

After three years of diligent, earnest work for our public schools, Prof. D. W. Hawkins has made known his intention to the School Board of not continuing longer than the closing of the present session as superintendent. During the time he has been connected with our schools Mr. Hawkins has proven himself to be a master teacher as well as a thorough organizer. In the rapid development of the community, it has required the greatest of diligence to preserve system and harmony in all departments of school work, but we feel safe in saying that nothing along this line has been overlooked

by our present superintendent. Mr. Hawkins is a man who is guided by principle rather than policy, and our school interests can ill afford to lose him. However, he will retire to look after his private affairs, which have grown to that extent which demand his entire attention.

Daily at Wichita Falls.

It has been announced that there will be a daily newspaper established in Wichita Falls at an early date, \$15,000 having been subscribed for that purpose. The new company announce their intention of absorbing the other papers of the town and giving one live, up-to-date paper.

Card of Thanks.

To the Good People of Hereford: Allow us to employ this method of offering our most sincere thanks and appreciation for your outward expressions of kindness and tender feelings shown us in the recent affliction that has come upon our home, in the death of our beloved parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Barnard. Every comfort that thoughtful and sympathizing friends could offer was tendered us, for which you have our lasting gratitude.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Webb
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hicks

List your land with Will O'Brien. Office with Murchison & Jones. 5tf

A LARGE STOCK OF TREES THAT WILL BEAR FRUIT

NOW is the time to plant your trees. I have a large surplus in locust, from 8 inches to 8 feet high. A liberal reduction will be made on these in all grades, during the remainder of this season as long as they last. I also have a complete assortment of fruit trees, large shades, etc., to offer. Come quick before they are all gone. Plant some of these fine plants trees which you saw fruiting in our orchard. You cannot make a better investment than in a fruit-bearing orchard. Our varieties are all acclimated and well adapted to this altitude. We have a supply of Asparagus and Rheubarb or pie plant.

HEREFORD NURSERY

L. P. LANDRUM,

Proprietor

BIGGER AND BETTER THAN EVER BEFORE

IS our stock of Hardware, Implements, Windmills, Barb Wire and Vehicles. Those MONEY MAKING FRIENDS OF THE FARMERS, THE SUCCESS SULKY and SUCCESS GANG PLOWS, are our leaders. Put in your spring wheat with our SUPERIOR GRAIN DRILLS and your crop is started on the road to success. Our KATYDID Sod Plows, Gang Rod Breakers, Canton Double Lever Disc Harrows, Canton Two and Three Section Drag Harrows, Canton and Moline Disc Plows, Baker Perfect Barb Wire, American and Ellwood Hog Fence, Bain & Mitchell Wagons, Enterprise Buggies, Surries and Hacks, and the GREAT ECLIPSE WINDMILLS are the FINISHED results of the highest quality of material and skilled workmanship that money can produce. Our stock of everything in the Hardware Dealers Lines are large and complete. Our desire is to give all a square deal and full value for their money in all things. :: :: :: :: :: ::

TRULY YOUR FRIENDS

Johnson, Gary Hardware Co.

Successors to STRINGFELLOW-HUME HARDWARE COMPANY

Will Build Bridges.

At the last sitting of the commissioner's court, that body voted to expend a portion of the county's money for some much-needed improvements, viz: the bridging of Frio and Tierra Blanco creeks. The court appointed W. D. Keliehor, since the improvements in question are all located in his district, to confer with a civil engineer and ascertain the character of bridges that will be required. The plan on the Tierra Blanco, in the southern portion of the city, is to construct an iron bridge to extend far enough up the hills on both sides, so that by a reasonable amount of grading down, there will remain practically no grade. Also substantial iron bridges will be placed at both crossings on the Frio on the Dimmitt and Nazareth roads.

Mr. Keliehor informs the Brand editor that he is pushing the preliminaries as rapidly as possible and that he hopes to be in a position to call for bids for all the work in a few days.

\$100,000 Ranch Deal.

The International Land Company of Chicago are becoming heavy land owners in this portion of the Pan-

handle. Some time ago they purchased the Sanders ranch south of Boom and this week they closed a deal whereby they became the owners of the W. A. Hubbard ranch in Castro county. This ranch consists of 10,000 acres and was sold for \$100,000, which is \$10 per acre. The property belonged to a local company composed of J. M. Garner, W. H. Rayzor, Jno. W. DeAtley, W. B. Beach, H. B. Webb and Capt. Trow. These gentlemen purchased the ranch a year or more ago when lands were cheap and made a lucky hit by holding this long

For Sale.

Several spans of good work mules. See FRED MILLARD. 52tf

New Teacher Elected.

Miss Annie Bates of Alvord has been selected to fill the vacancy in the public schools, caused by the resignation of Mrs. Vannoy. Miss Bates is a sister of Miss Alma Bates who formerly taught in our schools, and comes to the board with the best of recommendations. Miss Bates began her work Monday morning.

Display of Art.

The millinery openings held in this city on last Saturday at the stores of Geo. A. Stambaugh and Pinkston & Son were perhaps the grandest displays of head-wear ever witnessed in Hereford.

Miss Connolly at Mr. Stambaugh's and Mrs. Hart at Mr. Pinkston's received many compliments upon the excellent taste which they exercised in making their selections as well as for the artistic display which they both presented on opening day.

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.

NOTICE.—I will buy all the hens you have for sale at \$3.00 per dozen. 51tf GEO. DENT.

Livery Stable Sold.

A deal has been consummated whereby Carter Bros. dispose of their livery stable, teams, buggies, etc., to P. R. Purcell. The trade had been pending for several days but was not closed till Wednesday. Carter Bros. have successfully operated this business for a number of years, keeping it well abreast

with the progress of Hereford. In the transaction Mr. Purcell comes into possession of one of the very best livery businesses in West Texas.

The BRAND cannot but regret to see the original owners retire, but we take pleasure in welcoming Mr. Purcell into the business circles of our city.

Big Lot Long Silk Gloves at J. G. Callens. It

Monogram Trade Mark.

Col. J. H. Ransom will have the most unique trade mark for his new road the writer ever remembers to have seen. It is merely a small half-tone electro on which is inscribed a pan with a long handle. Back of this is depicted the Rocky Mountains from which emerges a passenger train labeled "The Panhandle Short Line." The whole thing is thoroughly designed and cannot help attracting the closest attention wherever seen. This electro will be used on all stationery and literature, as well as on all cars of the Panhandle Short Line.

Mr. Ransom is to be congratulated upon his ingenuity in contriving so appropriate a trade-mark.

Cakes, Candy, Etc.

The Woman's Home Mission Society will have an Easter sale of cakes, pies, pop-corn, candy and homebaked light bread. Patronize them.

Saturday, March 30th, from nine a. m. until 6 p. m.

Garden Plants for Sale.

I will have sweet potato slips, tomato, cabbage, and pepper plants ready to be delivered by the 20th of April. Please list your orders early. 5-2-t MRS. J. H. WILLIAMS.

Jowell & Vaughan

Have special bargains in both country and town property. We can save you money if you wish to invest in any kind of real estate. 6tf Jowell & Vaughn.

Will Buy Kaffir and Maize.

We are now in the market for all the kaffir, cane and maize seed the farmers have for sale and will pay the highest cash price for same. 36tf FALLWELL & SONS, Hereford, Texas.

For Sale.

See Fred Millard if you want some nice bundle sorghum. 4-tf

"BRIMMING FULL"

Is the term which describes conditions at our lumber yard. We anticipated, several months ago, a large demand for building material and hence placed large orders for everything in lumber, doors, sash, paints, varnishes, etc. We are selling all these at low prices as compared with those at other western points, and will be glad to figure with those contemplating building.

Kemp Lumber Company

WE ARE IN THE REAL ESTATE BUSINESS TO STAY

and will appreciate any business given us, either as a seller or buyer. Our charges are only five per cent commission on sales made. If you have any large tracts of land for sale, list them with us, as we have several calls for them. Our motto is square dealings with all customers.

PARK & BOURN

ABOUT OLD MEXICO

Rev. Thos. Barcus Writes of Conditions as He Sees Them at Monterrey.

EDITOR OF THE BRAND:

Since our arrival in Monterrey I have been wanting to drop you a few lines, but I have let other things consume my time and now by reference to the calendar I see that it is two months since we left Hereford. Well I have no more time this morning than I have had at other times but I am going to take a few minutes to write you.

Our trip from Hereford to Monterrey was not an unusual one. Nothing special happened on the way. A night in Amarillo, a day and night with the homefolks at Waco, one day in San Antonio, we arrived in Monterrey at 3:30 Friday afternoon.

Our city missionary, Mrs. Ella Butcher, met us at the train with a coach and soon landed us in the parlors of the Methodists Hospital. We soon realized, that even though we were in the Republic of Mexico, we were among friends. We received such a cordial welcome that we began to feel at home immediately. They had arranged for us to spend a few days at our Hospital with Dr. Hanson, but we expressed a desire of going to the parsonage at once, so

after promising to return to the Hospital for supper we drove to the parsonage and found a very comfortable brick cottage. Five rooms and bath room down stairs with two small rooms upstairs.

Monterrey is rather an interesting city of 100,000 people, surrounded by mountains. There are about 2,000 Americans here. There are a number of splendid business houses here carrying a very complete line of goods. Every thing indicates prosperity. The city is now having a water and sewerage system placed in, and are working between 1,500 and 2,000 men on it. When it is completed they will have a very fine water supply. It coming from the mountains several miles away.

There are several places of real interest around Monterrey concerning which I will not speak but will hold myself in readiness to show any of my friends who will come this way.

Concerning the church work I will speak, for of course it is with this that I am identified and am interested. We are very strongly entrenched here. We have the Instituto Laurens with a present enrollment of over 300. Prof. Campbell who is in charge of this school informs me that he has turned away more than 50 for lack of room. We are very much crowded and are in need of more buildings. Plans are almost complete for a new building to be erected beginning now

later than May. When the building is complete we will have a very fine property and will then be able to do more efficient work. If you could only see the children crowding in there every day you would then see our need, and could more fully appreciate this need. The chapel will not begin to hold all of the children so they cannot make attendance upon chapel exercises compulsory, but the room is always crowded.

While the plans are about complete for this new building and we expect to begin on it not later than May, yet we have not enough money to complete it. We need very much a \$1,000 more to complete it. If any one who reads these lines have a desire to aid in this work we would be glad to receive your contribution, large or small. There is certainly an opportunity here of putting your money to a good purpose. Is there not some one in Hereford who will send me \$500 for this new building? Are there not five that will send me \$100 each, and a greater number who will send a less amount? We must have help if we care for these children, and it is with the children that we are to do our great work.

Then we have a Hospital centrally located that is doing a magnificent work. Each morning at 7:30 the little chapel of the Hospital, that holds about 106 or 175, is thrown open for religious services. The several pastors of the city preach at these morning services, each one having a regular day. At these services all thought of denominational lines is dropped and these poor Mexicans are taught the way of Life Eternal. The chapel is nearly always crowded and they are attentive and respectful. Many precious services are held there, and many Mexicans for the first time hear the word of God.

Immediately following the preaching Dr. Hanson devotes two hours for free consultation with the poor. He never has less than 100 each day who come to consult with him. All kinds of ailments, from those with an aching tooth to the most delicate operation.

Only last week he removed a large tumor weighing 25 pounds, from a young woman 23 years old. The Mexican doctors had told her there was no hope for her, so hearing of the Christian doctor at the Hospital she came to see him. The patient is doing nicely.

So successful has he been that he is receiving calls from other parts of the Republic. There is no stronger agency for the cause of Christ in the city than this Hospital. The following statement from Dr. Hanson's report to the conference shows something of the work he is doing: "Number of patients during the year, not including visits to outside paying patients of which there was no record kept, 26,457. The receipts of the hospital have covered the running expenses and leave a balance on hand of nearly \$3000.00. There have been 400 conversions during the year at the morning services."

Some of the operations which he has performed are almost miraculous and the Mexicans are realizing the wonderful success of Dr. Hanson.

We have a nice brick church located near the center of the city. It is a two-story building—the Mexican congregation worshipping up stairs and the American down stairs. Our services are all well attended. While there are thousands that are

not being reached, so far, yet our Church here is doing a great work.

The Church of the Disciples have a magnificent school building, and they are doing a great work. They recently closed a fine meeting among the Mexican people in which there were more than a hundred accessions to the church. I have met Bro. Inmon and wife. We live close neighbors. So far I have not met the workers of the other churches.

But this is already too long. I think of Hereford often and remember the many friends there. Mrs. Barcus declares that I dream of Hereford every night. But anyway, I love Hereford and her people and will never forget the two happy, and in some degree at least, profitable years that I spent there.

With best regards for all my friends, and craving an interest in your prayers, not only for us in our work, but for all the work of the Master in this Republic.

Yours sincerely,
THOS. S. BARCUS,
Calle Trevino No. 40,
Monterrey, Mexico.

Public Stenographic Work.
Prompt and efficient stenographic work can be had by applying to me at L. Gough's office, over Coulson's drug store. MISS LEE. 5tf

Christian Endeavor Program.

Following is the Christian Endeavor program for Sunday, March 24, 1907:

Subject—Things you have learned from noble men and women outside the Bible. I Thess. 1:2-8.

Song.
Bible Lesson by Leader.—Earl Willson.

Prayer.
Song.
Paper—Tell instances of help from noble characters.—M. M. Mason.

Lesson Story—Irma Gough.
An incident from the life of some noble man. By Each Member.

Report of Committees.
Song.
Mirpah.

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. SAM WORLEY.

DIRECT FROM OWNER

For a short time I will offer my 2555 acre Castro County Farm and Ranch of fine wheat, fruit and alfalfa land for sale on 10 years time at 7 per cent. It is gently rolling and every foot tilable. All fenced, 175 acre farm; good 4-room house; 2 splendid wells, 14 and 18 foot Eclipse mills, tubs, tanks, etc.; good sheds and corrals; 2,000 choice fruit and Walnut trees; 8,000 forest trees; a beautiful 25 acre ridge located nicely for another building site. This can be made an Ideal Ranch Home.

ALSO 75 1-2 ACRES

Near the Panhandle Christian College. A very choice location; south and east front on two section lines and lays nice to cut in blocks. 25 acres in cultivation, 6 acre model orchard of choice fruit and forest trees; fine well 65 feet deep; 12 foot Eclipse mill. All improvements new and good. DO IT NOW.

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A. H. ELLISTON
HEREFORD, TEXAS

75,000 ACRES

Near one of the best towns on the plains. Can sell in 10,000 acre blocks. All Fine Farm Land. :: ::

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MURCHISON & JONES

REAL ESTATE AGENTS

CLEO COMMUNITY.

A number of Cleo people attended preaching at Dimmitt last Sunday. Mr. J. M. Scott and family, of the Killough community, were also at preaching, having come something like twenty miles. We think people living in eight or ten miles of Dimmitt should say no more about living so far from church that they cannot attend. Some living right in town and others near by find various excuses for not going to church. I have made them myself, but really, Brother, when we make those excuses, isn't it a fact that we just don't want to go very badly?

Mrs. Greathouse and children visited the family of W. C. Fitzwater last Sunday.

Mrs. C. Greer and little son, Charlie, have gone to Rosebud, Falls county, to visit her mother.

I had the pleasure, while in the southeast part of Castro county last week, of spending the night with T. W. Hart, the Brand correspondent for that end of the county. I found Mr. Hart busily engaged in planting oats, and also found the rest of the family well and getting along nicely. Mr. Hart is waiting patiently for the railroad (and so are we) to haul our grain to market for us.

By the way, wife and I are going

to Tulsa today on business, and "to see the cars" as we have lived out here in the backwoods so long we want to know just how they look before they come to Dimmitt, and that can't be long off, as those fellows up there who have so many town lots can hear the whistles blowing (in their dreams). Oh, how city property is advancing there.

We were glad to see our friend, J. Ray, Editor of the Brand, in Dimmitt last Saturday. I was so busy I did not get to interview him, but just supposed that his business was to establish a newspaper plant in our town. W. S. D.

For Sale at a Bargain.

I am offering my new house, consisting of three large rooms 16 feet square, one hall 8x16 feet, two porches, and all necessary improvements outside, such as well, out-houses, nice fence and two beautiful corner lots in the most desirable location in the city. Will sell at a bargain if sold at once. Apply at the Brand office. 4-1f

For Sale.

A modern up-to-date residence close in with 3 rooms 16x16, one hall 8x16 and two porches, a good well and wind mill, good out houses, two large lots 100x150 feet. A bargain if sold at once. Call at this office. 4-1f

HEREFORD HARDWARE CO.

We have just received a new supply of Hardware in all lines, Wagons, Buggies, Harness, Saddles, Farming Implements, Windmills, Etc. We carry the Althouse Vandess Windmill, a mill that will protect itself in time of storm, also carry the Steel Imperial Mill and the Standard Wood Mill.

WE ALSO HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF BUILDER'S MATERIAL, QUEENSWARE, GLASSWARE, TINWARE, ETC. WHEN IN NEED OF ANYTHING IN OUR LINE CALL ON US. WE ARE ANXIOUS TO PLEASE.

Hereford Hardware Company

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WILL CARRY THOUSANDS OF WISE ONES TO "COOL COLORADO"

IF NOT NOW'S THE TIME TO PLAN! WHY NOT? TALK IT OVER WITH YOUR FRIENDS! A.A. GLISSON, G.P.A. FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

C. E. McClane, Pres. Beecher Rowan, Cashier

First State Bank of Dimmitt

CAPITAL - \$12,000.00

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CITY RESTAURANT

Regular Meals Short Orders

Confectionery in Connection

Rooms also

C. SCHRIMSHER, Proprietor

The College Minstrels.

On last Friday night at the College auditorium the people of Hereford were treated to an evening of fun and laughter, the kind that helps to drive dull care away, by the splendid rendition of a Negro Minstrel by the college boys.

With John Herod as the Professor and Mr. Moore and Earnest Carper as end men, a finer looking lineup of dusky hued gentlemen could not have been found anywhere. Their disguises were so complete that it was hard to distinguish them from real negroes—in fact, their "false faces" just fit exactly. After a few jokes, comic songs, readings and other minstrel antics, interspersed with selections of music by the Darktown Quartette, the audience was favored by a special act of buck and wing dancing by a man behind a mask, who, when his identity leaked out, was found to be none other than one of our townsmen, W. H. Ray. How he did shuffle his feet! He would have made a whole minstrel of negroes ashamed of themselves. After several other specialties came a burlesque on a negro divorce suit, and then the final grand "mixup."

The entertainment was gotten up by the Athletic Association of the College, assisted by Miss Brown, teacher of stringed instruments.

Quite a nice sum was netted them, which will be used for purchasing the necessary rigging for athletic sports so necessary in college life.

For Sale.

I have for sale seventy acres of land in Southwest Hereford, known as the old Butcher place. This tract is platted into parcels of five acre blocks of four lots to each block. It joins the place where I now live and will make excellent building lots. A good investment for anyone wanting to invest in city property either for trading or for building a home. A bargain if sold at once. 511f

JOHN W. DRATLEY.

W. T. Smith the Transfer Man.

Surveyors at Work.

The Santa Fe surveying crew has been busy in Hereford this week laying off grounds for the new union depot and arranging for additional switching facilities. The work for the union depot is being done to correspond with the plans of Col. Ransom as shown by his blue prints.

When asked by the Brand editor as to the probable location of the union depot, representatives of both companies stated that they were not yet in a position to give anything for publication, but that the survey being made is a joint one for the purposes above mentioned.

It is the general understanding that the new depot will be a modern one in every particular, constructed of either brick or concrete.

Mr. Walters, the chief engineer, while courteous in his department, completely defeated every attempt made by the Brand representative to gain any of the details of the work to be done at this point.

Notice.

Drs. Caldwell and Hicks Specialists on diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, Carson Building, Amarillo, Texas. Will be in Hereford second Wednesday and Thursday of each month—with Drs. Rogers and Taylor. 521f

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W. H. RAYZOR

WINDMILLS!

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We have just received a car load of Leader and Star Wood Mills. If you want a Windmill don't fail to inspect our mills before you buy. :-: :-: :-:

The Paint

in these mills consists of TWO COATS of PURE Lead and Oil, and never blisters or scales off the wood work.

If You Want a Steel Mill

We have the Old Reliable SAMPSON, which is the heaviest and most perfect, self-regulating mill in high wind that is known in the steel mill line.

See us for anything in the Hardware and Implement line

Yours for Business **GARRISON BROS.**

MAKE OUR STORE HEADQUARTERS WHEN IN TOWN.

Resolutions of Respect.

"We know that there is no death! What seems so is transition; This life of mortal breath Is but a suburb of the life elysian, Whose portal we call death." Again a beloved mother has given up her earthly home for a mansion in the skies.

Whereas, in Sister Barnard's going away, we have lost the sun shine of her presence in the Woman's Home Missionary Society, and

Whereas, the pure, simple life of this noble woman was an inspiration to all who knew her for "to know her was to love her," and,

Whereas, Sister Barnard was homesick to join Brother Barnard in their new home; be it

Resolved: That we bow in humble submission as obedient children to our Father who knoweth best, and be it

Resolved: That we try to be ready for our Eternal home as Sister Barnard was for hers, and be it further

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the Woman's Home Missionary Society, a copy be sent to each of the members of the immediate family, and a copy be given to our city paper for publication.

Com. { Mrs. Mollie Hamilton
Mrs. H. C. Myrick
Mrs. Effie Snyder

Remember the "Queen Quality" shoes are made for ease and comfort as well as for the adornment of the feet.

It Geo. A. Stambaugh.

Young Man Passes.

On last Saturday afternoon, after a short but very severe illness, Dee Barnett died at the home of H. B. Webb in West Hereford. Pneumonia was the immediate cause of his death and he was down with it less than a week. His parents and loved ones will never know why he was thus so suddenly taken from them in the

prime of his young manhood, but God doeth all things well.

He was twenty-nine years old, was born Dec. 7, 1875, at Longview, Texas. At an early age he moved with his parents to Parker county, near Poolville, Texas, where he spent the greater portion of his life. He came to the plains about three years ago with Mr. B. Barnard and family and most of his time since then has been spent on a ranch thus giving him the rugged and strong constitution of a ranchman, but this yielded to the ravages of pneumonia and he breathed his last at about nine o'clock Saturday evening.

Funeral services were conducted from the residence of H. B. Webb at three o'clock Sunday afternoon by the W. O. W. lodge, after which laid away at the city cemetery.

New Residence For Sale.

I am offering my 6-room residence including 10 acres of beautiful land, good barn, well and wind-mill. A choice suburban home. Apply at Brand Office. 4-tf

Mrs. Hester Dies.

After a continuous illness of about two months, Mrs. B. M. Hester, nee Miss Maggie Elliston, died at her home in Central Hereford yesterday afternoon at two-fifteen o'clock.

The death of Mrs. Hester will cause a feeling of deep regret to all. 'Tis all the more sad for her demise to come just as she was entering into young womanhood, the period in life that is fullest of inspiration and bright promises. Less than a year ago she was led to the altar and as the bride of B. M. Hester was the recipient of the earnest wishes of her many friends for a long and happy married life.

Alas! We cannot know what the morrow has in store for us. It is ever a great consolation to remaining loved ones as is the case with Mrs. Hester to know that the Master's injunction to "be ready" has been heeded and that in the dissolution of soul and body, the spirit is welcomed to a better and brighter

and happier world.

Mrs. Hester had been a member of the Christain church for several years, so at that church her funeral was conducted this afternoon by Eld. J. N. Wooten.

Her father and mother, brothers and sisters had been summoned from California several weeks ago on account of her serious condition, so have been at her bedside constantly during the remainder of her illness.

The Brand joins the many sympathizing friends in extending condolence to the grief-stricken husband and her sorrowing relatives.

Notice.

I have a new steam plow and am ready to do plowing on short notice. Am well equipped with a good engine and plows and will guarantee first class work. H. F. MITCHELL
4-tf At City Restaurant.

Notice.

See Fred Millard for nice bundle sorghum. 4-tf

A TRULY COMMANDING EXHIBITION

OF NEW FURNITURE, CARPETS AND DRAPERIES FOR OUR SPRING OPENING

Furnishing the home--isn't it a subject that enthuses every home lover. Isn't it delightful to scheme what you will put here and there. Let all be new, bright and pleasant, for we can help you with fresh ideas. Come any time and wander through our store for we are offering some great bargains in all our departments. You may come expecting to find the best to be had, as the furniture and drapery business of the city is centered at our store. Call and see our new line of Rugs.

CARTER & HOUCK

FURNITURE DEALERS

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STRICTLY IN ADVANCE

FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1907

As we pass along, we would not fail to mention the importance of our people patronizing home merchants this season. On both sides of Dewey Avenue the stores are filled to their limit with the latest creations in their respective lines, the stocks carried being equal in the point of quality, variety and style, to those in any other Panhandle town. Our local merchants have made Hereford what she is to-day and are still helping to carry her burdens. For this they merit and should have your patronage. We are at a point in our development when we must have all efforts united and well directed if we would rise to that state which our environments would warrant. We are now competing with some of our more pretentious neighbors (notably Amarillo) for enterprises, which, if secured, would easily place us the foremost city in this portion of the state, and the more importance we can attach to Hereford, commercially, the better will be our chances to secure the location of these enterprises. In the dry goods line we find everything well represented at Pinkston's, Barnett's, Myrick's, Callens', Stambaugh's and Gass'. In furniture, hardware, groceries and all other lines known to the commercial world, the same declaration can be made. Now, instead of buying our hats and spring suits in Amarillo this season, let's stay with Hereford, and thus show that we are willing to help build a better town.

WHY NOT TALK TOGETHER?

AT PRESENT there is being considerable work done along the line of civic improvement in Hereford, and in some instances the work is not being well directed. For instance, in planting trees, some have made the mistake of planting them too close to the front fence, not leaving sufficient room for sidewalks of the standard width. There are other mistakes which are being made along similar lines and which will continue to be made until our people, as a whole, come together and adopt some good method of executing these improvements.

The Brand believes that when matters of home improvement are in question, the ladies of the community should be heard from and hence suggests that at some convenient date a public meeting be held in the district court room, at which meeting a fixed program, consisting of addresses by two ladies and as many men, be carried out, assigning each a distinct subject for discussion. Our city needs sidewalks as well as other of the conveniences and we believe we could secure all these only the sooner by talking together about them.

DROUGHT RESISTING.

We have heard some, mostly newcomers, complaining lately that rain is badly needed for growing crops, but an investigation by those who are in a position to know reveals the fact that only a short way from the surface of the ground moisture is found in abundance. The fact of the matter is that those farmers who practice the proper cultural methods never have any great fears as to the moisture supply, even in the driest times. At present, moisture abounds everywhere, which is evidenced by the fine coat of grass which is rapidly springing up. Our fertile soils are so constituted by nature as to be wonderfully drought-resisting, and when aided by the intelligent application of labor, there need be but little fear concerning the outcome. There has never, in the history of the country, been better and more promising small grain prospects than we have at present, and a good season any time before the 20th of April will give us what is termed a "bumper" wheat and oat crop down in Texas.

WHO'LL BE FIRST?

WE FEEL that special attention should be directed to the two ordinances published in last week's Brand regulating the speed of automobiles within the city limits and prohibiting the wholesale throwing of paper on the streets. The first of these provides that automobiles shall not run at a higher rate than 8 miles per hour, which is certainly a wise provision when it is considered that almost all the horses of both the town and country are yet nervous when around one of these machines, and of course all will agree that the strictest care should be exercised for the present at least. As to that pertaining to the distribution of waste paper on the streets, no comment is necessary. A glance at any of our principal streets any day last week would readily explain the necessity of such a law. The important question now is, Who will be the first to appear before the mayor's court to pay the penalty?

Reward Offered.

A five dollar reward will be given for the return of a red-back hand book containing my sales since March 1st. As well as I remember, the book has no name on it that would indicate to whom it belongs.
6tf T. M. COULSON, Druggist.

J. L. FUQUA, President

C. W. DODSON, Cashier

The First National Bank

HEREFORD, TEXAS

CAPITAL	\$ 50,000.00
SURPLUS AND PROFITS	25,000.00
SHAREHOLDERS LIABILITY	50,000.00
TOTAL	\$125,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	500,000.00

DIRECTORS: L. GOUGH, J. L. FUQUA, C. W. DODSON, R. J. KIBBE, W. H. FUQUA, W. S. HIGGINS, J. T. JOWELL.

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

THIS IS the year which will decide whether or not the gin shall remain permanently in Hereford. Under the original contract between Tucker & Jacobsen and the citizens of Hereford, the plant was to remain in operation here for three successive seasons in consideration of the town's donating \$1000. The time limit is now up and the present owners do not feel disposed to continue further operations unless the farmers will devote more attention to the culture of cotton. Nothing short of 400 or 500 bales each year would render the enterprise a paying one and this amount could easily be produced by the farmers of Deaf Smith and Castro counties without their even missing the time. The BRAND feels that since Hereford invested a cold thousand in the establishment of the enterprise, at least an effort should now be put forth to keep it here. We believe the time will come when our farmers will be glad to grow cotton here and the great and only drawback would be that there is no way of having it ginned. As our country is gradually cut up by railroads, new towns will spring up and the community which provides for public enterprises is the one which will stand at the head. A few years hence a cotton gin might, and we believe would, mean a great deal for Hereford.

For Sale At a Bargain.

One acre of land in Northwest Hereford with a three-room house, sixty fruit trees, good well and windmill. Inquire of Lucien Copes, Phone 101. 5-1f

ANNUAL SALE

Of Thoroughbred Cattle to Be Held at Roswell, N. M., April 16th, 17th and 18th.

The Western Stock Yards Co. will hold their third annual sale of thoroughbred Herefords and Short Horns during the meeting of the Panhandle Stockmen's Association in Roswell, N. M., on April 16th, 17th and 18th, 1907.

The offerings will consist of about 100 head of bulls and 50 females, and are consigned from the good herds of the Panhandle and Pecos Valley and will be as well selected a lot of cattle as were ever offered to the Ranchmen, and will be peculiarly adapted to their use, being already acclimated.

The following well known breeders will have consignments in the sale: J. W. Johnson, Childress, Texas, Geo. M. Slaughter, Roswell, N. M., Wm. Atkinson, Roswell, N. M., Wm. Frass, Lipscomb, Texas, W. H. Parker, Lipscomb, Texas, L. R. Bradley, Hereford, Texas, R. H. Norton, Hereford, Texas, John T. Ward, Amarillo, Texas, R. A. Campbell, Canyon City, Texas, A. R. & J. C. Hamilton, Roswell, N. M., Scott & March, Belton, Mo., and others.

Auctioneers: Col. R. E. Edmondson, Kansas City, Mo., Col. J. N. Harshberger, Lakewood, N. M., Col. R. A. Campbell, Canyon City, Texas.

Cheap R. R. rates from every where. The sale will commence promptly at one o'clock each day.

For information and catalogues, 6-1f

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Painting and Paper Hanging

All work guaranteed. Best of references furnished

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ROBERT F. PARKS

DRAYMAN

Phones Number 126 and 167

address O. H. NELSON, Pres. Western Stock Yards Co., Amarillo, Texas.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to take this means of expressing our most sincere thanks and appreciation to the good people of Hereford for their kindness in assisting us so willingly in the long illness of my husband, and their words of cheer and comfort at his death. Also especially to the local Odd Fellows lodge for so generously waiting upon and caring for him in his last days. We fail to find words with which to express our gratitude. Mrs. J. A. Tomamichel and Son.

Notice.

Any one wishing to buy a place of 2 house and 2 lots call at red house, second door north of jail for information. 6-1f

Holderby & Co.
General Merchandise
FRIONA, TEXAS

We handle a complete line of Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Implements, Bain Wagons, P. & O. Implements, etc. We buy, sell and exchange country produce. We are here to stay and will appreciate your trade.

Holderby & Co.
FRIONA, TEXAS

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

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, March 5, 1907

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Overdrafts.....	\$292,765.93	Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
U. S. Bonds (par).....	50,000.00	Surplus and Profits (net).....	30,783.44
Banking House and Fixtures.....	5,912.27	Circulation.....	50,000.00
Other Real Estate.....	3,362.32	Deposits:	
Redemption Fund.....	2,500.00	Individual.....	\$371,637.63
Cash and Exchange.....	147,880.55	Banks.....	.00
	502,421.07		371,637.63
			502,421.07

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	230,466.42
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 - \$371,637.63

See Hilburn & Warrick for carriage and sign painting. 6-tf

F. H. Harris come up from Bovina the grist of the week on business.

We sell hay, bran, shorts, chops, etc. HANCOCK & FURCHE. 4-tf

H. B. Webb is detained at his home this week on account of illness.

Sam Morris came in Tuesday from a visit to his former home at Gainesville.

Ready-made Shirtwaists, eighteen different styles at D. R. Gass & Son's. 6-tf

Watch for circulars for March 29. Geo. A. Landrum will be at the M. E. Church.

Go to the red and blue front for groceries, we dont keep them, we sell them. Barnard & Company. 4t

L. W. Winterrowd, of Ellis county, has been the guest of his brother, E. A. Winterrowd, this week.

Mrs. Delphia Cox is prepared to furnish meals at regular hours. Cottage across street from Vanderburgh residence. 6-tf

Young man, take your girl out to hear Mr. Landrum. You'll always be glad you gave her a happy evening.

Judge and Mrs. Jno. P. Slaton and daughter, Velma, left Tuesday for Mineral Wells, where they expect to remain for several weeks for the benefit of the waters of that resort.

Fresh, home ground meal at HANCOCK & FURCHE'S. 4-tf

Edgar S. Ireland, Castro's Clerk. was a business caller Monday.

Room mouldings and wall paper at Black's. 1tf

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

Chas. L. Sullivan and family are visiting relatives in Amarillo this week.

Let us decorate your room with hand-painted scenery. Hilburn & Warrick. 6-tf

Sheriff Burnam and C. E. McLean were in the city Wednesday on railroad business.

Waist and Skirt Nettings. A new lot. Geo. A. Stambaugh. 1t

O. E. Thomas, the Brand's city editor, has been confined to his room this week with the grippe.

Rhode Island Red eggs, finest strain, \$1.00 for 15 or \$2.00 for 30. Mrs. J. G. Hendricks, Hereford, Texas. 6-2tp

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hawkins left the first of the week on an extended visit with relatives in Ft. Worth and Denton.

J. P. Morris, who has valuable ranch interests in Castro County, called while in the city Wednesday to have the Brand sent to his son at Turnerville, Texas.

Try us on feed stuffs. HANCOCK & FURCHE. 4-tf

List your property with Park & Bourn. 39tf

Wilbert Peterson, of Plainview, was here Sunday.

Good milk cow for sale. See L. Gough.

Go to Ray when you want prices on diamonds.

Dr. W. H. Price's family is reported to be sick this week.

Long Silk Gloves at Geo. A. Stambaugh's 1t

Sheriff Connell left Tuesday for Las Vegas, N. M., on official business.

Ready-made Shirtwaists, eighteen different styles at D. R. Gass & Son's. 6tf

Be sure to hear Geo. A. Landrum, the story teller, Friday night, March 29th.

Window Shades and Lace Curtains Cheap at J. G. Callens. 1t

Mr. Landrum doesn't lecture, but tells stories in the form of modern comedies and literary sketches.

We have cash customers for land in the Panhandle. See us at once. Baskin Land Co., Hereford, Tex. 1t

Miss Smith and Miss Clark of the public school will tell you that Geo. A. Landrum is indeed worth hearing.

Call on us at our new office near Alfalfa Lumber Co. where we can serve you in sign painting. Hilburn & Warrick. 6-tf

Col. Avery Turner, Vice-President and General Manager of the Pecos Valley Lines, was a business caller in our city Monday.

Ladies, don't buy Dress Goods until you see our many new and handsome patterns. J. G. Callens

J. S. McClearey moved his surveying crew to Frio this week, where he has considerable surveying to do for the Geo. G. Wright Land Co.

We have the choicest residence lots in the city, near the College, for sale by the owners. Easy terms. Evants Land & Immigration Co 6tf

We can fit boys of all ages and sizes in stylish and up-to-date clothing. We ask you to examine our large stock. D. R. Gass & Son 6tf

T. A. Huffman returned Monday from a week's outing on his claim in New Mexico and is making arrangements to take up his permanent residence there at an early date.

DRUGS! DRUGS!! DRUGS!!!

We keep a full line of fresh and pure drugs by continuous orders and sales, guaranteed under the pure law. Our sundry line is complete, new good arriving every day. Come and see what we have.

Paints, the best on the market, that will not crack and scale off; not made of zinc oxide. Varnish that you can polish your furniture and polish like new.

Come in and ask us to show you through. Always ready and willing to wait on you day or night.

Base ball line complete—the very best.

Fishing tackle will arrive in a very few days. Get acquainted with the old reliable firm that have stood the test.

Park's Drug Store

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 your 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

Tierra Blanco Herefords

L. R. BRADLY

...BREEDER OF

Registered Hereford Cattle

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

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

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

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-Forbidden

Sherwin-Williams and Mound City Horseshoe

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

Hereford Lumber Co.

TO THE LADIES

LADIES long gloves, silk and kid, also undressed kid. Ready-made waist, skirts, muslin underwear, dress goods, wool, voil, Panama, brilliantine, chiffon and novelty plaids, linen all colors. New line of Swiss Embroideries with insertion to match.

Remember We Sell Radiant and Topsy Hosiery, the Kind That Wear

D. W. PINKSTON & SON

Quiet Sunday Wedding.

At the home of the bride's parents in this city on last Sunday afternoon, Miss Essie Beach and A. E. Wolfe were joined in holy wedlock, Rev. O. W. Dean officiating, only the immediate relatives and a few closest friends being present to witness the ceremony. Both the contracting parties are well and favorably known in this city, the bride being the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Beach, while the groom is a young man of excellent habits and sterling character.

Both have a wide circle of friends whom the BRAND joins in extending congratulations and wishing that the remainder of their lives may be filled with the same degree of happiness as was their wedding day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe will continue to make Hereford their home.

W. H. M. S.

The W. H. M. Society held their devotional meeting at the M. E. Church Tuesday, March 19th, and a very interesting and enjoyable program was rendered.

Those present contributed for the "White Sale." Other contributions may be left with Mrs. Parker or Mrs. Black.

On Saturday before Easter the ladies of the Society will again sell cakes, pies, home-made lightbread, candy and popcorn balls. The place will be announced later.

Remember that on Friday evening before Easter, Mr. Landrum, the Impersonator, will be at the M. E. Church. If you like wit and humor, if you want to laugh and be merry, come out to hear him.

PRESS SUPT.

Remember That Parker Brothers

Are still building some of the nice houses in Hereford. See us for plans and specifications. Phone 212.

PARKER BROTHERS

Contractors and Builders

HEREFORD SIGN AND CARRIAGE PAINTING SHOP

Hilburn & Warrick, Props.

FIGURE WITH US

Prepared to do Fancy Sign and Carriage Painting

Educational Column.

"We cannot change yesterday that is done, Or begin on tomorrow until it is here So all that is left for you and for me Is to make to-day as sweet as can be."

The Public School of Hereford has now enrolled 495 pupils.

Miss Annie Bates of Decatur now has charge of the 6th grade in the public school.

Has any reader of the Brand missed the educational column the past few weeks? Its absence has been due to sickness, and an extra amount of work on the part of the writer of this column.

Willie Robinson's name was placed on the roll of honor at the close of the 6th month in the 8th grade by her class mates.

We were sorry indeed to lose Alfred, Lonjenia, Bennie and Velma Stanley from school. These young people have gone with their parents to Midland to make their home.

Sound learning means safety for the child, the city and the nation.

Here are a few "holds" for all of us:

Hold on to your tongue when you are just ready to speak harshly.

Hold on to your heart when evil persons invite you to join their ranks.

Hold on to your virtue, it is above all price to you in all times and places.

Hold on to your foot when you are on the point of forsaking the path of right.

Hold on to your good character, for it is and ever will be your best wealth.

Hold on to your temper when you are excited or angry.

Though we travel the world over to find the beautiful, we must carry it with us or we find it not.

A pretty story is told of a number of little boys running a race. All felt sure that Tommy, the boy in the lead, would win, as he was the fastest runner. Those looking on began to cheer the different boys, and Tommy gradually fell behind until he was the last one to reach the goal. His friends gathered round inquiring why this was, and Tommy wiping the tears from his eyes, replied: "You yelled, 'go it John; go it Jimmy' but there was not a one yelled, 'go it, Tommy; and some how I could just not run at all.'" How many failures there are in the home and in the school room because the children are not given a word of cheer now and then.

It may be interesting to some of the girls and boys to know how Uncle Sam governs his various possessions. There is one form of government for the states, another for the territories, and another for the District of Columbia. But this is only a beginning. The war department governs the Philippines, and the Canal Zone. The interior governs Hawaii, Alaska and the territories, within what is called the boundary of the United States. The islands of Guam and Tutuila are governed by the naval department. Porto Rico is practically without any protecting department at its back. Hawaii, Alaska and Porto Rico each has a delegate in the House of Representatives, as have the territories of Arizona and New Mexico.

NOTICE.

Pianos! Pianos! Pianos!

On account of the illness of my wife I have decided to seek a lower altitude and consequently offer to the public my entire stock of the famous Cable Nelson Pianos at cost and carriage. This is a chance of a lifetime. Phone me, write me or see me for particulars.

3-4t BYRON B. PARRISH, Hereford, Texas.

Reception Postponed.

The art reception which was to have been held at the college this afternoon has been postponed till Monday afternoon.

\$5.50 Land.

We will sell sections 13 and 21 in block K-14 for \$5.50 per acre. \$3,040.00 cash, balance in 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent interest, if sold by next Monday at noon. Will not pay commission at this price.

Troy Womble and Henry Farmer.

Notice to Breeders.

I will stand throughout the coming season, a black Spanish Jack, at my ranch three miles southeast of Arney. Terms reasonable. Mares kept through season if necessary.

6-13t Walter Donald.

Clothes Satisfaction



EVERY MAN should try to get the best clothes his money can buy; we don't ask our customers to come back season after season because they're our friends; we expect it and we get it, because we know we have given them the best values, the newest styles, the right clothes; that's why our old friends stay with us and new ones come every season—that's why we sell Schwab Clothes, the clothes that give satisfaction.

Geo. A. Stambaugh

Bargain in Farm.

Will sell splendid 1/4 section of land three miles southeast of town at a bargain on easy terms. Has living spring and 15 acres alfalfa land. 5-tf C. E. Edwards.

Percy and Claude Estes of Dimmitt visited relatives in the city this week.

Bargain in Ranch.

I have two sections of smooth land, well improved, three miles north of Dimmitt. Shallow water. This is a valuable ranch and can be had on easy terms. Write or call on B. M. Hester, Hereford, Tex. 5tf

Look For the Headlight.

We are sole agents for the Headlight Overalls-- The best that money can buy. Geo. A. Stambaugh

For Sale.

One bay horse about five years old. A bargain if sold at once. Apply at Telephone office. 5tf

See W. T. Smith, the transfer man for all kinds of hauling. 4tf

W. D. Cloyd of near Dimmitt was up Wednesday after supplies.

New Collars, Belts and Ties at J. G. Callens. 1t

Joe L. Carter returned Monday from Kansas City where he had been on business.

Just Received a new line of Men's Fine Pants. J. G. Callens. 1t

Geo. Williams, of Farwell, was a business caller in the city the first part of the week.

Beautiful line of White Dress and Waist Goods at J. G. Callens. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stanley were among Thursday's shoppers from the ranch.

When you want Nice Embroidery and Laces come to J. G. Callens 1t

For Rent.

Two-section farm and ranch, 6 miles from Hereford. Apply to C. G. WITHERSPOON.

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

My Great Slaughter Sale

COMMENCES TODAY AND CONTINUES SIXTY DAYS ONLY

27,000 acres of good, smooth land, in the famous Hereford country, and will be sold at the following low prices: 10,376 acres that is slightly shelf-worn, just as good as new, that we will close out at \$11.00 per acre; 1-3 cash, balance in one and two years at 8 per cent interest. This land is improved for ranch purposes. Our competitors are selling the same grade of land, just across the wire fence, at from \$16.00 to \$20.00 per acre. This land lies 20 miles south of Hereford--joining the Lone Star or Kelley ranch on the east.

5,000 acres all fenced and improved for ranch purposes, that has been slightly damaged by handling, 16 miles from Hereford, that we are offering at \$11.50 per acre; \$5.00 an acre cash, balance on terms to suit purchaser.

5,120 acres that has been slightly damaged by fire, but practically as good as new, 12 miles from Hereford, that we are offering in any size tracts to suit purchaser, at from \$11.00 to \$12.00 per acre, on good terms.

5,120 acres 20 miles north of Hereford, all fenced, well watered, good 4-room house, 200 acres in cultivation, slightly out of season, has been on our shelves only a short time; that we will close out at \$10.00 per acre; 1-2 cash, balance in 1, 2 and 3 years at 8 per cent interest. We have other tracts in various parts of the country, from 80 acres up.

My reason for this Slaughter Sale is that I want money, and I want you to get the land as cheap as you can. Come around and examine my goods and get my price before buying elsewhere. My prices are only 5 per cent commission, nothing more.

Yours for
Business

W. H. RAYZOR

Hereford,
Texas

STREETS TO BE SPRINKLED.

Much Needed Enterprise Taken Hold of With Zeal by the Business Men.

Through the enterprise of J. P. Snyder, a move was inaugurated this week for the purpose of raising funds with which to sprinkle Dewey Avenue and all side streets. This is a matter which should have had attention long before now, but in the absence of no fund for this purpose, and with every one busy with his own affairs, it was overlooked, oftentimes to the detriment of our entire city, as it does not speak well at all for a town which lays any claim to commercial importance to have clouds of dust pouring into her business houses.

The plan is to raise a specified amount each month and make arrangements with someone to procure the necessary wagon, reservoir, etc., and devote his entire time to keeping down the dust, especially on windy days. We understand the business men are subscribing liberally to the enterprise, which means that we will soon have taken another step forward in material progress. In this connection the Brand wishes

to bring to the attention of its local readers a feature of street sprinkling which has been spoken of by a number of our people, viz: the application of crude oil. We are told by those who have witnessed its use that about two applications of Beaumont oil each year completely settles the dust question for that year. It is estimated that this would be much cheaper and probably more satisfactory than the daily use of water.

Hereford has grown to the point where some method of sprinkling must be adopted and while we are thinking about it we should select the best way, all things considered. In the meantime, let us sprinkle. Let us sprinkle for convenience sake if not from a standpoint of pride. It will pay.

Ready for Delivering.

I am now prepared to deliver from the Weaver place in southwest Hereford all kinds of fruit, shade and ornamental trees. I have in stock a limited number of ash, elm, sycamore, ashberry, 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.

Progress at Dimmitt.

The writer, accompanied by the Brand's City editor, spent Saturday and Saturday night at Dimmitt. It had been several weeks since our last visit and we were agreeably surprised to witness the substantial line of improvements which have been going on there of late.

The First State Bank of Dimmitt, with C. E. McLean, President, and Beecher Rowan, Cashier, is installed in its new and commodious building, while other lines of business have been established, such as confectionery store, drug store, and there is talk of a lumber yard.

Something seems to have waked the little village up, as town lots have advanced from almost nothing to as high as \$400 and \$500. The fact of the matter is that Dimmitt is getting ready for the coming of the new road, and if the town keeps up its present strides it will be a place of no mean importance by the closing of 1907.

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.

West Coast of Green.

The warm days of the past week have certainly wrought wonderfully in changing the appearance of the whole Panhandle country. With an abundance of moisture only a short way from the surface, our native mesquite grass has sprung up, causing our broad prairies to present a beautiful and inspiring picture. With a continuation of such weather 'twill be only a matter of another week until cattle and other livestock will find ample grazing facilities.

Card of Thanks.

It is with the deepest feeling of appreciation that we express our most sincere thanks to the good people of Hereford for their kind waiting upon and helping to care for our son, Dee Barnett, during his days of severe and fatal illness. In this we also wish to remember the local order of Woodmen of the World for their kind assistance in making our burdens easier to bear. W. S. Barne and Family.

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 reference in Hereford.

C. M. MCGHEE at Mrs. W. B. Robinson's residence. 5t

Wanted.

A first class milk cow. 4-tf
C. G. WITHERSPOON.

Coal, Grain, Ice Fuel Oil and Gasoline

We handle them all and respectfully solicit your trade on a basis of giving value received for each and every dollar spent with us. Phone us your wants. PHONE 76.

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ALL AGES OF FINE BULLS FOR SALE AT REASONABLE PRICES. CATTLEMEN SHOULD SEE ME.

J. D. BURKETT

City Meat Market

My business having grown to such an extent, I find it necessary to take in extra help, and hereafter Mr. Reid, who now owns an interest, will be found at the blocks and we will at all times endeavor to give to our customers the best that money can buy.

We Have the Land in Large or Small Tracts

located in Deaf Smith and adjoining counties, have some special bargains near Hereford. Will make quotations on cattle for spring delivery.

Correspondence solicited

J. D. THOMPSON & COMPANY

Real Estate and Live Stock

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

Light Plant Sold.
There has been much conjecturing among our people since the light plant closed down early in the winter as to whether it would again be put in operation, some few going so far as to make arrangements for other lights. At no time did the Brand editor have any such forebodings, knowing, as he did, the cause of its being closed down. It will be remembered that the first cause of our lights being cut off was the scarcity of fuel. Then it was ascertained that the plant was not capacitated to take care of the business, and that to operate it further under the existing conditions would only result in a heavy loss to the owners; so it was decided to perfect the organization of a stronger company and install a plant which would satisfy the demand for years to come. Such an organization has been perfected and we are authorized to state that Hereford will soon again be standing in the brilliancy of her own light. The new company purchasing the plant of Messrs. Tucker and Jacobson is headed by such local men as W. D. Keliehor, Max Roberts and Sheriff Ed Connell, with one or two foreign capitalists interested. The deal is now closed with the exception of procuring a suitable franchise, which it is thought will be satisfactorily arranged at the next sitting of the Council, when the present plant will be put in operation until the new machinery can be shipped and installed. Hereford is now large enough to support a modern light plant and the Brand predicts that such a plant is now forthcoming.

In Memory of Charlie Burns.
We laid him to rest where sweet flowers
Will bloom o'er the little grave,
Our poor hearts are torn asunder,
Tho' we try, oh, so hard, to be brave!
The Father of all called gently,
Saying unto him, "Charlie, come."
With a smile he obeyed the dear summons,
And entered you Heavenly home.
The hands that always were busy,
Are cold and forever at rest;
The eyes once so bright and laughing,
Are closed to those he loved best.
The little feet, oft times weary
From running errands, or play,
Are no longer heard in our earthly home,
But are walking the Heavenly way.
Charlie, Oh Charlie, we loved you!
How well we could not know,
Until death entered to part us,
And now we miss you so.
Oft times would we smile at his sayings—
At his strange, yet childish wit.
In our hearts there's a mental picture
Of him as with us he would sit.
The world seems sad and desolate now,
For us there can be no joy;
Yet we realize that in Heaven some sweet day
We shall see our precious boy.
And in time to come, no sorrow,
No partings, pains nor tears,
But untold bliss and smiles forever
Thro' all eternal years.
—FANNIE MCKEMIE, Gainesville, Tex.

At Hereford.
At the Maple Stock farm, three quarters of a mile south of depot, will be found a saddle stallion which holds the U. S. record, a coach horse, a draft horse and an extra good jack. These are guaranteed to be as good stock as can be found in the Panhandle. Please call and inspect the stock before making your engagements for the season of 1907. Your patronage solicited.
Stf T. A. PEW.

New Business House.
W. H. Rayzor put mechanics to work the first of the week moving the two-story frame building from his lot on South Dewey Avenue to give place for a new brick building which will be erected there at once. The contract is let in connection with E. B. Black's brick, both of which will be in charge of the T. M. Palmer Lumber Co. This is a well located and valuable business lot and Mr. Rayzor is manifesting splendid business judgment in placing improvements on it that will be permanent and to which our people may point with pride.

The frame building will be placed on lots just east of its former location, where it will be used as a rooming house.

Notice to Stockmen.
I shall be glad to assist those needing my services in the treatment of diseased horses. Have had years of experience and am familiar with the treatment of all the diseases prevalent in this state. Will also castrate young horses. See me at Carter & Houck's furniture store.
Stf J. M. Travis.

For bargains in real estate see Bowers & Dunlap. 49tf

Will Vote Bonds.
The town of Childress will hold an election at an early date for the purpose of voting \$10,000 bonds with which to build a new brick public school building.
For Sale.
Good heavy work horses and mares. Two car loads at Fallwell & Sons' feed yard. Call and see them.
6-1t Maltzberger & Hale.

Notice to Debtors.
We are anxious to close up all outstanding accounts due them and ask all who are indebted to them to call at their old stand and settle same.
STRINGFELLOW HUME HDW. Co.
Wanted.
Several girls to work in laundry. Apply to J. H. Beach at Hereford Steam Laundry. 3-4t

Fire, Hail and Stock

I represent a number of the strongest Fire Insurances Companies in the country and my customers assume no risk when they insure with me against loss by either Fire, Hail or the death of Live Stock.

B. H. SMITH, AGENT

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

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.

HEREFORD

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Pecos Valley Lines
best reached by direct connection with the A. T. & S. F. Ry.
BE SURE
your ticket reads via Santa Fe all the way. Full information regarding rates, etc., cheerfully furnished.
D. L. MEYERS,
Traffic Manager,
Pecos Valley Lines,
Amarillo, Texas

J. H. KING

ABSTRACTOR
HEREFORD, TEXAS
I have a complete Abstract of the Capitol Syndicate Lands, Western Union Lands, and Evans Addition to Hereford.
SPECIALTIES:
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EVERYTHING GUARANTEED

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Satisfaction Always
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If you want a bargain see Park & Bours. 39tf.

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.
Extends Grade.
At the last meeting of the Board of Education two measures which will have far-reaching effects in the workings of our public schools were disposed of. One of these was the addition of the eleventh grade to the course of study; the other, the extension of the scholastic age from 17 to 18 years, thus affording an additional year of free school for those boys and girls who were not able to enjoy the free school privileges during the time allowed by the state. Both matters have their objectional points, but they also have their good features and the majority of the Board felt that the adoption of both would be for the best interests of the schools.

Give us your orders for feed stuff. 4-tf HANCOCK & FURCHE.

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Complete Abstract of Title to Deaf
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M. A. Jones is on the sick list.

Ladies', Girls and Children's Caps
cheap at J. G. Callens. 1t

E. E. McCrory returned from a
business trip to El Paso this week.

A complete line of bracelets in
new styles at the jewelry store.

For spring seed wheat see J. R.
Higgins. Price \$1.00 per bushel.

All silverware sold at the lowest
prices and engraved free.—W.H.Ray.

Ralph Barnett's the Tailor to men
who KNOW. Do you know? 1t

See the Easter Goods and Egg
Dyes at Park's Drug Store. 6tf

Try Bear Skin Hose. They are
the Best. J. G. Callens. 6tf

A. V. Smith, representing the
Densmore Typewriter Co., is in the
city.

See J. A. Wilson, at the City
Meat Market, for pure home made
lard. 52t-f

Miss Kate Davidson returned the
first of the week from a visit down in
Texas.

FOR SALE.—A nice 4 acre block
near the College. Apply to owner,
E. A. Winterrowd. 2tf

B. G. Ramey and Sam Cooper, of
Dimmitt, were Sunday callers in
Hereford.

LOST—A gold cross and chain.
Finder please return to Lora Guinn
and receive reward. 52t

Geo. W. Barcus has returned from
Waco where he went with his wife
to visit relatives.

If you really want to buy Nuts,
why not come to where all kinds are
kept, at J. G. Callens. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burks are
visiting their parents and other rela-
tives at Midlothian.

I keep at all times a large assort-
ment of genuine high grade Elgin,
Waltham and Hampden watches.

Work on the new bank building
has been resumed after several
weeks delay on account of material.

The Schloss ready-made clothing
have no equal in the city. D. R.
Gass & Son. 6-tf

The building boom in Hereford
seems to be assuming larger propor-
tions with the passing of each week.

Boys, I've got a swell line of
Drass Shoes and Oxfords. Better
buy a pair. Ralph Barnett. 1t

Do you wear Tailor-Made Clothes?
If so, you know Ralph Barnett sold
them. 1t

Insist on your painter to use
Sewall's Paint. Sold and guaran-
teed at Park's Drug Store. 6tf

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

Gentlemen—We can suit you in
any kind of Garment except a pajama.
Come and see. J. G. Callens. 1t

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

We make a Specialty of Bed
Spreads, Lace Curtains and Window
Shades. J. G. Callens. 1t

We keep magazines, books, new
lines of post cards. Park's Drug
Store. 6tf

Don't buy Shoes, Oxfords or Slip-
pers until you see our line. J. G.
Callens. 1t

DR. W. A. PRICE
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office at Park's Drug Store
Hereford, - - - Texas

Barnett's Tailor-Made Clothing
fit. Don't cost much either. 1t

Ladies' Muslin and Knit Under-
wear at J. G. Callens. 1t

Mrs. J. W. Wasson and daughter,
Miss Madge, returned Thursday
from an extended visit to their for-
mer home at Leon, Iowa.

Go to Ralph Barnett's for your
Fine Fox Candy—Allegrettas and
Hughes is the kind. Fresh supply
just in. 1t

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

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

See Fred Millard, the Hereford
horse dealer when in need of any-
thing in the horse or mule line. It
will pay you to get his prices before
buying elsewhere. 50tf

My business has increased so much
that I have been compelled to put on
another transfer wagon. Am now
able to handle all kinds of hauling.
4-tf W. T. SMITH.

Lewis Lamkin and F. W. Teich-
mann of Huntsville are in the city
with a view of putting in a rackett
store, but as yet have found no place
to do business. The former is a
brother of our townsman, M. A.
Lamkin.

320 acres 3 miles north of Here-
ford on public road, with 3-room
house, well and windmill. Finest
location in Deaf Smith county. For
particulars apply to or write B. M.
Hester, Hereford, Texas. 6tf

J. N. Russell, of Pilot Point, is in
the city this week, the guest of his
brother-in-law, L. Gough. The
Brand is glad to note that Mr. Rus-
sell intends moving his family here
in the near future for a permanent
residency.

Children appreciate the stories
told by Geo. A. Landrum, as well as
grown ups. A little blind girl, on
being asked if she wanted to meet
him, said, "Yes, and I'd like to
shake hands with the rest of his
troupe, too."

Albert Johnson returned from Den-
ton Monday, where he has been
taking a business course in the Den-
ton Normal School. He has resumed
his position with J. A. Johnson.
Albert will return to Denton in the
near future and complete his course.

LAND FOR SALE—1/4 section in
Deaf Smith county 5 1/2 miles north
east of Hereford along the railroad
1 mile to Dawn. Also 1/4 section 1 1/2
miles north west from Happy in
Randall county. Both half sections
are smooth level land, good location,
shallow water. If you are interested
write to owner. John A. Benson,
R. F. D. No. 2, New Windsor, Mer-
cer County, Illinois. 50-12tp

E. F. Jr., and Ira Aten, the twin
boys of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Connell,
are probably the happiest boys in
town at present over the possession
of two Shetland ponies, purchased
for them by their father while on a
recent trip in Mexico. While the
boys are small in stature and years,
yet they know how to appreciate
their new possessions.

The Evants Land & Immigration
Co., now operating out of Hereford,
own and control 25,000 acres of the
choicest tracts in the Panhandle.
Having completed all arrangements
and established Eastern and North-
ern agencies, we are in position to
handle carefully, and wish to list,
all bargains, both improved and raw
lands. All lands listed with us will
receive our careful consideration and
benefit of our long experience in the
Panhandle. Evants Land & Immi-
gration Co. 6-tf

T. M. COULSON

The Druggist of Hereford, carries a
full line of everything found in a
first class drug store. :: ::

Nearly everybody trades with us,
why not you? WE DON'T KEEP
ANYTHING, WE SELL EVERY-
THING. Call and see.

T. M. COULSON

The Druggist on the Corner

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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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DEALER IN

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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

COAL

We now have plenty of good coal. Can supply you with
any amount. Our prices are reasonable. Give us your b-
ness. ORDERS TAKEN AT "THE CITY RESTAURANT."

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Regular Meals and
Short Orders

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Just A Moment!

We wish to say to the trade that we have purchased the Hereford Tin Shop from Johnson & Brazil 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.

Brazil & Sewell

LIST OF BARGAINS OFFERED BY BOWERS & DUNLAP.

72 acres adjoining the town of Hereford. Some improvements. Price \$60.00 per acre.

10 acre block in Evants addition. Very well improved. Price \$2000.00

7 1/2 acre block, also 14 acre block in Evants addition. No improvements. Price \$125.00 per acre.

2 acres just west of College. Price \$250.00 per acre.

5 desirable lots, nicely located, for \$750.00.

2 sections of land, well improved, within six miles of Hereford. Price \$25.00 per acre.

970 acres five miles from Hereford. Best improved place in the county. Price \$23.00 per acre.

4 sections within three miles of Hereford; good improvements, shallow water. Price \$22.50 per acre.

Business house and lot in city of Hereford. Building is of concrete stone and is occupied by the Brand. Price \$4000.00. 6-1f

Landrum, Impersonator.

The second entertainment in the Lyceum Course secured by the Methodist ladies will be given March 29th.

Geo. A. Landrum, impersonator and humorous story-teller, will furnish entertainment and fun for all who go out to hear him. Of him 'tis said, "He is unquestionably a platform artist." "He is a dramatic minstrel show combined, of which he is the 'whole cheese.'" "He is a man of marked ability in the field of expression," and so forth. He has given entertainments in St. Louis, Nashville, Sedalia and other cities, and is always wished for a second season.

Every one appreciates a hearty laugh. Mr. Landrum will furnish the opportunity, as 'tis said that all hearing him become infected with the contagion of laughter and join in a general roar.

Admission 50 cents, Children 25 cents.

Methodist Church, Friday evening, March 29th.

McIntosh Bros., of North Draw, were here Monday after supplies.

Bryan B. Parish moved his family back to Portales this week, where he has been elected city marshal.

For Rent.

Two furnished rooms, close in. 2-tf
MRS. G. R. JOWELL.

R. I. Oldham, of Canyon City, was a business caller in Hereford the first part of the week.

Notice.

If in need of teams, wagon and harness, see M. H. Lile. 52tf

Hull Witherspoon returned last week from Denton where he has been attending school.

For Sale.

Three-thousand bundles of oats. See W. B. PALMER tf

J. W. Ford, of North Draw community, was a visitor with us Sunday.

7 Choice Lots 7

Adjoining College campus for sale on easy terms. See owner, 6-tf
J. B. Elliston.

J. M. Anthony, who has lately come from Roswell, has accepted a position with H. C. Myrick in the Gents' furnishings store.

For Quick Sale on Good Terms.

One good brick business house and some choice land. 6-tf
J. B. Elliston.

C. T. Henry, of Vernon, a large land holder in Castro county, was in the city Sunday in the interest of the new railroad.

Wanted.

Two or three furnished or unfurnished rooms for man and wife. Apply at this office. 50tf

You can have the college and other buildings engraved on spoons and jewelry at home. You don't have to go to Chicago, or any other "sea port towns," W. H. Ray does the work.

Geo. A. Landrum carries on dialogues engaging half a dozen people, distinguishing them perfectly in tone of voice and gesture. Hear him.

If we can't please you in one of our beautiful Schloss ready-made suits, let us take your measure for a tailor-made suit. We represent Rose & Co., up-to-date tailors. D. R. Gass & Son. 6tf

R. F. Stewart, of Lorena, is in the city to superintend the breaking of 400 acres of his section near Boom. Mr. Stewart will put this in a thorough state of cultivation, his intention being to sow it all in wheat next season.

Judge J. J. Lindsey, of LaMesa, was in the city Saturday representing his constituency in closing a contract with Col. Ransom to build the Panhandle Short Line through his town. The Judge informed a Brand representative that everything had been arranged in detail.

The Schloss ready-made clothing have no equal in the city. D. R. Gass & Son. 6-tf

B. D. Woodlee, one of Dimmitt's real estate men, was here Monday on business.

BARGAIN!—One lot Ribbons, Staple Colors. All widths. Just 1/2 price. J. G. Callens.

Mrs. T. A. Cox and children arrived Saturday from Thorpe Springs and are now at home in their new residence in West Hereford.

We can fit boys of all ages and sizes in stylish clothing. We ask you to examine our large stock. D. R. Gass & Son. 6-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins, of Castro county, were in the city Monday, guests of Mrs. Collin's sister, Mrs. Crawford.

W. R. Evants, representing The Evants Land and Immigration Co., went to Ft. Worth Monday to close out a tract of land consisting of 47,000 acres. This tract is situated in New Mexico. Mr. Evants will visit other points in Texas, appointing agents to work in connection with the Evants Land and Immigration Co.

J. A. Canterbury

Saddles and Harness

We are the only exclusive leather goods house in town. Headquarters for fine horse goods, harness, saddles, bridles, whips, horse blankets, etc. All kinds of harness and saddle repair work done. All work guaranteed.

Fine Boots. Boots and Shoes Repaired

Come, Send or Telephone

Your wants to the Friona 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

SHERMAN-WILLIAMS and
MOUND CITY HORSESHOE

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

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THE JOY OF LIVING
CAN BE FULLY REALIZED WHEN YOU
ENJOY GOOD HEALTH

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The Popular Liver Medicine Will Keep You Well

A GUARANTEED CURE for all diseases produced by TORPID LIVER and IMPURE BLOOD. Do not fill your system with Arsenic, Calomel and Quinine. They act as rank poisons which vitiate the blood, debilitate the system, and leave a trail of bad symptoms which require years to obliterate. HERBINE is purely vegetable and contains no mineral or narcotic poisons, is absolutely harmless and is the simple remedy of nature. It carries off all poison in the system and leaves no injurious effects.

**CURED BY HERBINE AFTER OTHER
REMEDIES FAILED**

Mr. L. A. Hicks, Iredell, Texas, says: "I was sick in bed for eight months with liver trouble, the doctor seemed to do me no good. I was told to try Herbine, and it cured me in a short time. I cannot recommend this wonderful medicine too highly."

TAKE IT NOW!

LARGE BOTTLE, 50c GET THE GENUINE

Ballard Snow Liniment Co.

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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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HEREFORD, TEXAS

T. M. Palmer Lumber Comp'y

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

We Buy Hides

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Come And See Us