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J. H. BOWERS

LIST CONTINUES TO GROW

Railroad Bonus Nears \$20,000 Mark and Others yet to be Seen.

We give below a corrected list of subscriptions to the railroad bonus for the Panhandle Short Line. Through mistake last week, \$25 was placed opposite W. J. Walter's name when it should have been \$100. This now makes a cash subscription of about \$18,450, with about \$6,000 yet to be raised. In addition to the above amount, L. R. Brady has proposed giving the right-of-way through his two tracts of land just east of town and also suitable grounds for stock pens etc. which is quite an item in the reduction of the total amount of cash required.

The list stands as follows:

Allen J B	\$ 50
Arnold W B	100
Bown G W	200
Barnard B	200
Beach W B	500
Barnett R H	100
Baitain F H	100
Boone S L	75
Black E B	150
Bell Grayson	100
Bank First National	1000
Bank Western National	1000
BRAND The	500
Barcus G W	200
Bryant W G	250
Cardwell Bros	100
Connel E F	100
Collup J F	250
Collins R	100
Carl C H	200
Carter J L	500
Carter E	500
Davis Bros & Bell	250
Dodson C W	150
Dunlap Eli	150
Dean O W	50
Denison N H	100
Dale G W	50
Evants S S	500
Elliston A H	300
Fallwell & Sons	100
Gough L	250
Guinn G H	50
Galloway B D	400
Giles J E	100
Gass D & Sons	250
Hay G R	100
Hereford Lumber Co	100
Higgins W A	100
Hawkin H H	150
Heberer Charles	400
Hereford Nursery	100
Hubbard W A	100
Hills J L	500
Hawkins D W	150
Irwin G W Jr	150
Johnson John A	100
Ja kson H M	100
Jowell J T	100
King J H	100
Kibbie R J	300
Lamkin M A	50
Litteral Jacob	300
Miller B W	200
Mckinley H B	500
Murchison Thompson & Co	350
Mounts R N	500
Morris A H	100
Meacham J C	250
Phillips C E	200
Portwood, J J	25
Parmer, B. W	250
Park, H. O	200
Park, W. B	100
Phillips, J. B	100
Rector, T. B	400
Ross, W. G	200
Ricketts, L. W	300
Snyder, J. P. Land Co	500
Stone, J. B	200
Slaton, Jno. P	300
Stanley, H. H	100
Shirley, T. E	500
Stewart, R. F	25
Schrimsher Con	250
Thompson, J. D	500
Vannoy & Ray	100
Vaughn, L. W	400
Wright, Ben S	50
Williams, S. J	300
Webb, H. B.	100
Witherspoon, C. G	500
Worley, Sam	25
Walters, W. J	100

For Sale.

We are offering for sale 200 good stock ewes, 225 wether lamb, one work horse, several milch cows, all our farming implements, all of which can be had at a bargain.

331f S. B. HARBISON and SON,
at Locust Grove Ranch.

If you wish to sell that house and lot or vacant lot just tell Murchison, Thompson & Co. about it. 311f

Faithful Citizen Dies.

After a continued illness of several months with complicated troubles of the stomach and bowels, W. H. Garrison was called to his reward at 9:45 o'clock Sunday morning. It had been known for some time that his condition was serious, and for the past few weeks no hopes for his recovery were entertained.

In the death of Mr. Garrison our entire people will experience a great loss, for his sterling qualities as a citizen had won for him the love and respect of all who knew him.

In his closing days, Mr. Garrison was attended by his brothers, C. S.

Garrison of this city and Foss Garrison of Cleburne, a sister, Miss Maggie Garrison, of Cleburne, and a brother-in-law, P. E. Johnson of Groom.

Funeral services were conducted from the family residence at 10 o'clock Monday morning by Elder J. W. Wooten, after which the remains were laid to rest in the City Cemetery.

The BRAND joins in extending sympathy to the family of deceased and other relatives in this city.

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HEREFORD

TEXAS

Three Classes in Missouri.

Kansas City, Mo.—(Special to the BRAND)—Will your people attempt to make a good town, and then a city of Hereford? If so, when are you going to begin? Do you expect to have even an average town or even decent side walks or passable streets without incorporation? What are you going to do about the health and cleanliness of your town without a city government? If the citizens of Hereford could hear the comments of visitors about your opportunities and natural advantages, and then listen to what those visitors say about the moss on your backs and the hay seed in your hair, I am inclined to believe that you would want to scrap.

Here in Missouri a few years since, Mr. Public Enterprise, Mr. Help Some and Mr. Skin Flint lived close together and about five miles from a mill. All being out of meal and having only one old horse and shakily hack agreed to attempt to take some corn to mill. Mr. P. Enterprise had one bushel, Mr. H. Some had two bushels and Mr. S. Flint had three. They all loaded in and started and when about half way came to a steep hill and the old horse could not climb it and the following conversation occurred.

Mr. P. Enterprise: Well, gentlemen, let us get out and push up the hill. I want to get my bushel of corn to mill.

Mr. S. Flint: 'Taint no use, we can't make it.

Mr. H. Some: Well I'll think about it and let you know later.

Mr. Enterprise: (jumping out of the hack and getting behind and be-

ginning to push). Gentlemen, this is our chance to get to mill and we can make it, so come on and help. Come on Mr. Help Some.

Mr. H. Some: (slowly crawling out of the hack). Well I'll get out and walk up the hill, I think that is all I order do.

Mr. S. Flint: (remaining quite on the seat). I ain't going to do nothing, I don't believe we can make it up the hill in the first place, and if we do, it won't do us any good, cause I don't believe we can make it to the mill and if we did get to the mill, the ding miller would take half my corn for toll.

All this time the old horse and hack were slowly climbing the hill by the assistance of Mr. Enterprise, while Help Some trudged along behind and grumbled because he was doing more than he order, and old Skin Flint riding along thinking out an excuse to meet the next request for assistance. Other hills with similar conversations and the same result—Mr. Enterprise pushing, old Skin Flint riding, and Help Some lagging behind relieving Mr. Enterprise of his dead weight and grumbling about that—until the mill was finally reached. Mr. Skin Flint being in the hack, was the first to dart into the mill, and say, "Well we got here, Mr. Miller, I'm first, grind mine first. And say, Miller, don't toll mine to deep, I hain't got but three bushels and here's Enterprise and Help Some have got three between them and there's two of them and you order take more from them than from me." Of course Help Some was the next in and told all the boys what a hard time he had to

get to mill. Nevertheless, Enterprise got his corn ground, and none the less for ware, but he didn't have the same respect for or confidence in his two companions thereafter.

Say, how is your citizenship divided? Have you got any of the Enterprise stock down there? Did you ever strike any of the old Skin Flints and ask them to help Mr. Enterprise push the hack up the hill? Surely your citizens are not divided about third and third between the Enterprises, Help Somes and Skin Flints are they? I hope not.

Respectfully,
 A. N. OBSERVER.

Mr. Pierce Passes.

Our entire community was made to feel a pang of sorrow at an early hour Sunday morning when it was announced that our fellow townsman, George F. Pierce, had died at 11 o'clock on the preceding evening, after an illness of more than two weeks with typhoid fever. The shock to everyone was greater in its effect because it was generally expected that, with his strong physical constitution, Mr. Pierce would not succumb to the dread disease, but in this all met disappointment. In the passing of this good man, Hereford has lost one of her most valuable citizens, he always being found where duty called, in both church and state.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Thos. S. Barcus, at the Methodist church (of which he was a consistent member) at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends, who later followed the remains to their last resting place in the City Cemetery. The BRAND joins in deepest sympathy with the grief-stricken family.

New Church.

The Baptist living in the country between Hereford and Dimmitt met at the Frio Schoolhouse last Sunday and organized the Frio Missionary Baptist Church of Christ. There were seven charter members and there is a prospect of others joining soon. The new church gives promise of great usefulness, to the kingdom of God. The writer will serve as pastor for the present, and the fourth Sunday and Saturday before will be the regular meeting days. E. D. Morgan, Missionary.

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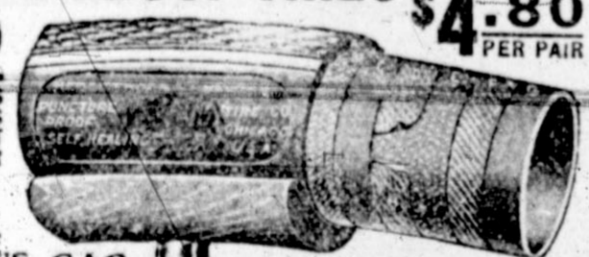
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WHAT TEXAS MEANS.

Bob Taylor Paints Beautiful Word-Pictures About Lone Star State.

"Did you ever rise from your slumber early enough to witness the dawn of day, when the morning comes forth from her palace in the sun and unfurls her banner of light on the horizon, and hides the morning star in her bosom? That is the emblem of the glory of Texas. How many times have you sat on your veranda in the hush of the dying day and watched the cloud-isles of twilight drifting in the seas of sun-set gold? That is the symbol of the harvest time in Texas, and the milky way is the shadow of the heaven of her cotton fields, and the angels dip water from her artesian wells with the dipper of stars which hangs on the sky, and the man in the moon is a shining picture of her great governor."

I have thought many times that I would make a pilgrimage from her eastern line to her western boundary, but her domain was too wide and life too short. The engine always faints from exhaustion, tarantulas got in the whiskey and I sighed for rest.

Texas is the largest waffle on the griddle of North America. She is sweetened with the honey of happiness pouring from the bung-hole of prosperity, and buttered with pure Democracy. Woe to the prince or potentate who sticks a fork in Texas. Mexico tried it once and bent double with a spell of San Jacinto.

The honey of Texas is poison to tyrants, and her bees sting to death the invaders of her soil, but to those who love her and are loyal to the lone star that lights the pathway of her destiny, her cities and towns and hamlets and homes are bee hives of hospitality, rich with the honey-combs of smiles and welcomes.

The land of Jackson sends greetings to the land of Houston. May God bless Tennessee, and may God bless Texas. When I was a bare-footed boy way up among the mountains where nature sings her sweetest song and where brawling brooks laugh in the sunshine and dance in the shadows, I used to sit on the bank of the river and watch the caravans of covered wagons creeping like mammoth snails with their shells on their backs southward to the wilderness of Texas. I did not dream then that the ragged, rosy cheeked children who crowded under the wagon covers were prophecies of wealth and power and of the greatest empire on this continent. But so it was. The caravans landed their precious freight in the wilds of Texas. The blue smoke began to curl upward from the cabins of the pioneers, and burnished plow share began to slice from the broad prairies, like a hot knife slicing a continent of Jersey butter; the reaper, like a phantom ship, began to sweep across amber seas of grain; the Texans who had read Milton's "Paradise Lost" began to talk about "Paradise Regained"; the little ragged candy-haired children grew up into a race of the fairest women and bravest men the sun of heaven ever shone upon. They married the sons and daughters of the heroes who had won the independence of Texas, and there were more cabins on prairies; and another generation was born whose vigor and strength have given increased power to this mighty commonwealth.

Epworth League Social.

Last Friday evening the young people of Hereford were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barcus. The elegant home and hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Barcus are sufficient means for an excellent entertainment, and this one being given under the direction of the Epworth League, it could not have been more complete. Special preparations had been made and no effort was wanting on the part of host and hostess to make the evening a pleasant one. A special feature that was much applauded by all was a recitation in negro dialect by Miss Clark.

Light refreshments were served of which proper appreciation was manifested in the usual fashion. The program was varied so that interest was kept up from beginning to end, and when time for adjournment came there was a universal expression of a "jolly good time."

Those present were: Misses Nannie Davidson, Julia Tarver, Pearl Turentine, Merline Patton, Estelle Patton, Clark, Narcissa Chapman, Ethel Ricketts, Tempest Ricketts, Lydia Wasson, Bruce, Nellie Black, Mabel DeAtley, Ethel London, Prilla Stanley, Logenia Stanley, Mamie Inmon, Bertie Williams, Mina Dameron, Bertha Watson, Minnie Barnard, Edna Allen, and Messrs. G. M. Suggs, Hood, Frank Tucker, John Herrod, Leron Gough, Earl Gough, Milton Burrows, Orville Newell, Huffman, Frank Wilson, Ino. Patton, Lee DeAtley, A. M. Jones, O. E. Thomas, W. H. Ray, Henry Wilkinson and Chas. Jewell.

For Trade.

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For Sale.

One good span two-year-old males partially broken, one span three-year-old geldings, partially broken, one span aged mules (large) blemished, good for farm use, one family pony and suckling colt, safe for any lady or child, one lot of farming tools. I have sold my ranch and must sell this stuff. I am 5 miles southwest of Vega, Texas, which is my postoffice.

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SAM WORLEY.

FOR SALE—Three head of good work horses, wagon and harness at a bargain. See E. P. Whitson. 34tf

Intermediate Endeavor.

The following is the Intermediate Endeavor program for November 4th, 1906.

"The Blessedness of Communion with Christ." John 14, 15, 26.—Leader, Ruth Wilson.

Song.
Prayer.
Roll call.
Reading of Minutes.
Scripture reading and comments.
Message on the Topic.—Earl Wilson.

Duet.—Ida Beech, Audrey Argo.
"Christ as a Friend."—Hattie Shirley.

Recitation.—Grace Mason.
Voluntary part by members.
Question Spurs.
Song.
Pastor's Five Minute Talk.
Mispah.

Your Attention.

I have secured the services of three expert laundrymen and can now turn out all work on short notice. We not only solicit the work of this town and surrounding country, but that of other neighboring towns as well. Remember that we have free delivery to any part of the city.

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

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offices will be charged \$10 for announce-
ments; for precinct, \$5, payable invariably
in advance.]

For State Senator:
JNO. W. VEAL
For District Judge:
J. N. BROWNING

Deaf Smith County.

For County Judge:
W. H. RUSSELL.
For County and District Clerk:
W. M. COGDELL.
For Sheriff:
E. F. CONNELL.
For Tax Assessor:
J. W. FORD.
For County Treasurer:
CHAS. E. SMITH
For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
J. R. ARMSTRONG
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
T. M. PALMER
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
W. D. KELIEHOR

Castro County

For County Judge:
M. F. BARBER
For County and District Clerk:
EDGAR S. FRELAND
HARVEY CASH
For Tax Assessor:
W. S. DIXON.
For County Treasurer:
S. I. LEE
For sheriff and tax collector:
I. O. JACKSON
PRESS BURNAM

ON another page of this issue will be found an item under the caption "Three Classes in Missouri" which was sent the BRAND for publication from Kansas City this week and which is well worth the careful perusal of every citizen of this town. We are not personally acquainted with the writer, but we feel free to say that he is a valuable adjunct to the community in which he dwells. While what he says fits many communities admirably, we don't believe that it is at all applicable to Hereford. Though it appears that we have not been as enterprising as we should when we glance about at our streets, sidewalks, etc., yet it must be considered that the name of every citizen in Hereford is found on subscription lists to build school houses, colleges, churches, railroads, etc., etc. These things have all had to be done in the brief space of eight years and the BRAND is forced to come to the defense of its people and say that they have, unitedly, done their part nobly. Rome was not built in a day; it took time. As we stand today in our present unpolished condition, we can but expect to be commented upon adversely; but give us eight years more of this existence and we will compell our visitors to say nice and balmy things about us. No, Mr. Writer, we have but few "Skin Flints" and "Help Somes" in Hereford. We have three thousand "Public Enterprises" who are constantly inspired with the determination to have Hereford, Texas, heralded abroad as the cleanest town morally, the proudest town, the toniest town and the best town the entire West.

WE trust every citizen who loves a well regulated community will go to the polls and exercise his suffrage for a better Hereford today. The BRAND believes we should incorporate and believes it earnestly and honestly. We can as well afford to dispense with the county or state government as to try to have a city with no form of government. Think about this, those who are opposed to incorporation, and see if it isn't true. The BRAND has spoken in no mistaken terms of its standing on this question and has no ill will for those who will oppose the measure. If Hereford should fail to be incorporated today, we would feel much disappointment and that we have thus lost an opportunity to better the condition of our community.

Silver Wedding Bells.

One of the memorable events in the history of Hereford will ever be the observance, on last Saturday, of the 25th anniversary of the marriage of Judge C. G. and Mrs. Witherspoon, nee Fannie A. Jackson.

There are none whom our citizens generally would more delight to honor than these earliest settlers in Hereford, who have had so conspicuous a part in making our community what it has come to be. Accordingly, when the invitations were issued to the extensive family connection and a very few friends beside, not one of the favored willingly excused himself; so that there were half a hundred who joined in the festivities of the occasion and zestfully partook of the sumptuous dinner which had been provided by characteristic foresight and culinary skill.

The mutual devotion of the bride and groom of a quarter century ago seems never to have abated but only to have grown stronger with the years, as they two have shared one another's joys and sorrows, enduring privations and enjoying privileges together.

Two children, a son now grown, and a daughter just entering upon young womanhood, have blessed their union and live to grace their home.

Invitations to the golden wedding have already been extended and accepted; and it is the hope of their many friends that the kind Heavenly Father, who has blessed them hitherto, may grant to this pair to walk the earth in blissful companionship until then.

Following is the list of those present and the tokens of esteem:

Judge and Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, silver and gold souvenir spoons; Miss Tannehill, silver and gold souvenir spoon; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ross, and Miss Bertha Watson, silver soup ladle and pickle fork; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keiry, silver gravy spoon; Mr. and Mrs. A. Witherspoon, silver spoon holder; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Witherspoon, silver butter knife; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wilson, and Mrs. Parvlee Wilson, silver nut bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Cobb and Mrs. Tempie Cobb, silver toothpick holder; Mrs. Mercer and Miss Tot Mercer, silver cake knife; Mrs. S. A. Lowe, silver cold meat fork; Mrs. Buttram, silver gravy spoon; Mrs. W. A. Witherspoon, silver pickle fork; Miss Roxie Witherspoon, silver pie knife; Miss Kate Davidson, silver olive fork; Miss Leona Witherspoon, silver berry spoon; Bertha Witherspoon, silver sugar spoon; Claude Witherspoon, silver nut dish; Oliver Lambreth, silver hat pin; Albert Linz, silver loving cup.

Among those present were Fine Witherspoon, Jack Witherspoon, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris, Judge Baker, Mrs. J. H. Weems, Mrs. A. A. Davidson and Vernon Witherspoon.

Notable among the gifts of the occasion were those presented to Mrs. Witherspoon by her husband, viz:—a 60-piece set of solid silver table ware in a handsome cabinet case and an exquisite, diamond-studded gold watch with chain.

THE Daily Panhandle and a few other lesser lights are wasting much valuable space and considerable printer's ink in their endeavors to place some blurs upon the fair name of senator Bailey. If these same publications knew just how the overwhelming masses of Texas regard what they say, they would devote this same space to items which would prove a benefit to the community in which they are published. Joe Bailey has done nothing that would not have been done by any other Texas citizen, as has been clearly shown on different occasions within the last month. Bailey will come forth from the difficulty more firmly implanted in the hearts of Texans than he has ever been before and these people who are saying so many uncharitable things about him will live to regret them. A man with the broadness of intellect of Joseph W. Bailey can ill afford to be lost from a state.

Notice to Cotton Growers.

We wish to notify all that we will gin for the public on Wednesday of every other week after prospecter week. We trust all will take due notice and not ask us to gin on any other days.

TUCKER & JACOBSEN.
An extra good team of horses for sale. See Jno. Humphry. 36tf

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

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YOURS FOR BUSINESS

Hereford Hardware Company

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

Hallowe'en Party.

One of the most enjoyable evenings of the season was afforded the young people of the town on Wednesday, Oct. 31st, through the generosity and hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Arnold.

As is ever the custom at a Hallowe'en gathering, fortune telling was a favorite feature of the evening, diving for apples in a basin of water, biting for apples suspended from the ceiling on strings, a play-witch's reading, the guest palms being used for the purpose. Also a fortune cake, holding a ring, thimble, bachelor button and darning needle, was brought forth by the hostess and the guests were requested to each cut a slice, the ring, thimble and bachelor-button with their significant fortunes falling to Messrs. Thomas, Stringfellow and Witherspoon respectively, the needle being secured by no one.

The amusing contest of pinning, with eyes blindfolded, the tail to a black cat was held, with the result of a picture for first prize being won by Miss Ray and a large stick of candy as booby going to Mr. Herod. A second contest was the mould-

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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

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ing of some animal of chewing gum. The efforts of Miss Parmer proving her the most skillful sculptor present, she was presented with a picture, a diminutive pipe being awarded to Mr. Brown for his booby efforts.

Pop corn and apples were enjoyed at various intervals during the evening, and towards the wee sma' hours, a two course luncheon consisting of Sandwiches, baked beans and pickles, doughnuts and cider were served.

The guest were: Misses Blackburn, Hammock; Nellie and Addie Vaughn, Edna and Dude Allen,

Merline and Estelle Patton, Nannie Jowell, Hortense Parmer, Maggie Ray, Agnes Clark, Jennie Edwards and Annie Miller. Messrs. Gass, Herod, Woodburn, Brown, Stringfellow, Witherspoon, Thomas, Jones, Howard and Wilkinson.

Work on Brand's Home.

The work on the BRAND's new home on North Dewey Avenue is progressing rapidly. The walls will be completed this week ready to turn to the carpenters next week. Before the close of November the BRAND will be published from that building.

The Western National Bank of Hereford

CAPITAL - - - \$ 50,000.00
 SURPLUS - - - 22,000.00
 DEPOSITS - - - 327,692.15

We have built up our business upon SECURITY. Good security is given to depositors. Good security is always taken from borrowers. The best of bank safes to protect from burglars. Our rule that NO OFFICER OF THE BANK SHALL EVER BORROW FROM THE BANK IS OUR GREATEST SECURITY. We have never made a bad loan. Never foreclosed upon the security to collect a loan.

THE RESULT

THIS BANK OPENED FOR BUSINESS JULY 1ST, 1903

Deposits at the end of six months	\$51,800.62	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		

G. A. F. PARKER, President
 F. B. FULLER, Cashier

J. L. SMITH, Vice-President
 F. W. WILSON, Assistant Cashier

Prominent Realty Firm Dissolves.

The real estate firm of Rayzor & DeAtley has undergone a change since our last issue, by which W. H. Rayzor disposes of his interests in that business to John W. DeAtley and retires to look after other interests which demand his attention.

In this change, the life of a most excellent real estate firm is brought to a close. We say excellent because we can point to the large number of sturdy Missouri farmers which they have located in Deaf Smith and Castro Counties the past year. Their business has grown by leaps and bounds from a mere load of prospectors each excursion till they are now compelled to operate their own cars to properly care for their clients. To make the matter plainer, they have succeeded well in helping settle this portion of the Panhandle. Nor is this good work to stop here. Mr. DeAtley will associate himself in the business with his genial and accommodating office manager, R. T. Moses, and possibly another well known Hereford citizen and continue the good work of talking the Hereford Country to their Missouri friends. With the energy and enterprise of this firm, it goes without saying that the future holds forth for them even better things than has the past.

Mr. Rayzor will for the present devote his attention to blocking up his lands which are scattered here and there over Deaf Smith and Castro Counties, in which work he will likely be engaged for several months.

In this connection, the BRAND wishes to refer to the fact that Messrs. Rayzor & DeAtley, during the existence of their partnership, have remained loyal to Hereford and Hereford enterprises. We wish to especially thank them for their public spiritedness in giving the BRAND all their printing, of which they have done a large volume.

We trust that the reorganized firm may continue to prosper and that Mr. Rayzor will find it to his interests to be still identified with the development of this country.

Forty hogs for sale, from 5 to 500 pounds weight. High as a cats back. I. N. Dillard. 35-4tp.

Beautiful wedding presents and gift goods in sterling silver and plated ware at the jewelry store. 37tf

Fifty Years the Standard

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

A Cream of Tartar Powder Made from Grapes NO ALUM

Interest to Wheat Growers.

Several weeks ago announcement was made through the BRAND columns that preparations were being arranged to erect a flouring mill in Hereford. Since then there has been but little said. For the benefit of those who might be interested in seeing the enterprise materialize we will state that the mill, without question be ready to take care of next year's crop. A BRAND representative called on L. R. Bradley, one of the owners of the proposed mill, this week and received the assurance that no change had been made in the plans. Mr. Bradley stated that work would begin in due time to have the mill, elevators, etc. in order before the maturing of next crop.

The company, as stated before is composed of L. R. Bradley and R. W. Baird of this city and Bradenbauch of Kansas City, either member of which is in a position to finance the enterprise alone.

With this assurance before them, the farmers of Deaf Smith, Castro and surrounding counties should not be slow in extending the borders of their already large wheat fields. There is yet lots of time in which to sow wheat.

Junior Endeavor.

Following is the Junior Endeavor Program for November 4th, 1906:

- Topics:—"What God Sees." 2 Chron. 16; 9
- Leader, Neva Kelly.
- Song
- Prayer by the Superintendent
- Bible Lesson
- Circular Prayer
- Talk:—"God Bless Everything," Bro. Wooten.
- Lesson Story:—"Thou God, See'st Me." Cleo Oxendine.
- Duet:—"God Sees," Cora Lee Gough, Effie Lee Guinn.
- Discussion of the topic.
- Recitation.—Hazel Wilson.
- Mission study period.
- Mispah.

"Strange Sight in Foreign Lands."

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church have secured the well known lecture course on the above theme by the Rev. A. M. Lumpkin, A. M. The course will begin on the evening of the 22 of November and continue three nights. The course has been well received in all the principal cities of the West, and are spoken of in terms of highest praise. In his tour around the world, Mr. Lumpkin studied the art of entertaining an audience in this and foreign lands. Nine foreign countries will be covered in the course, each lecture illustrated by costumes and carries a treat for the people of Hereford.

Must Be Sold in 30 Days.

Best paying business in Hereford. Would trade for land, made \$500.00 in Sept. If you want it and mean business, call at this office for party's address.

Town Lots for Sale.

See J. L. Fuqua for some bargains in choice city lots and suburban property. 25tf

Men's overcoats at Geo. A. Stambaugh. 27tf

Exhibit Car Returning.

The Panhandle Exhibit Car, which was sent out from Amarillo about six weeks ago carrying the best agricultural samples which have ever been sent out from any portion of the West, is now on its return journey. It is said the mission of the enterprise has been a successful one in as much as it has brought many men face to face with our agricultural possibilities and aroused a desire in their minds to see more and learn more of this country, who otherwise would have remained ignorant of the Panhandle's true worth for many more years to come. The only event to mar the success of the enterprise in any way was the death of the manager, Mr. Ward, who contracted a severe cold while in the North and who was forced to return to his home in Amarillo about ten days ago, where he died of pneumonia a few days later. This left Robt. Humphrey, of this city, in sole charge of car and those who know Mr. Humphrey have no fears but that the car, with its numerous exhibits, is in the hands of one who is entirely worthy the responsibility which the management of so important an enterprise carries with it.

The car is expected to return to its starting point early in November.

If You Want Bargains

See my work horses, cow horses, drivers, mares, colts, year olds, well bred ones, mules, five months to two and six years old. The best jack and trotting stallion in the county. 700 head of high grade cows and heifers, 300 head 2 year old dehorned steers, good ones, 20 registered bulls, good enough for any herd. Will sell anything on hand wanted. Farming tools at less than half value, wagons, harness and a splendid ranch buggy. Everything must sell quick. Cash or a good note satisfactory. 36tf

S. T. HOWARD, Hereford, Texas.

Just to Remind You:

We feel desirous of reminding our friends and the public that we have recently added a large assortment of silverware, holiday goods, jewelry and watches to our stock and can now boast of the largest jewelry store outside of Amarillo to be found in West Texas. In making these large purchases, we selected only such goods as will please the trade of this community. We take a pride in showing our beautiful line of goods in all departments and we ask that you call and allow us this privilege before making your purchases. VANNOY & RAY, Jewelers.

Work Guaranteed

We have come to Hereford to engage in our trade—a trade which we have thoroughly mastered in detail. We do sign painting, house painting, and paper hanging so that it does not have to be done over again. See us about your work. 27tf

BENSON BROS.

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FALLWELL & SONS, Hereford, Texas.

Better see L. Gough about it. tf

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Hereford, Texas

Wanted.—A list of your city property—to sell. Murchison, Thompson & Co.

Educational Column.

"Be useful where thou livest, that they may Both want and wish thy pleasing presence still: Kindness good parts, great places, are the way To compass this. Find out men's wants and will, And meet them there."

The second month of the Public School ends today.

Lucy Crawford, Glen Howard and Georgia Ward joined the merry band of little ones on last Monday morning.

It is with regret that we note the loss of Jessie and Emma Wolfe from our school. They with their parents have gone to New Mexico to make their home.

Each of the grades will render a special programme in their respective rooms Wednesday afternoon before thanksgiving day.

Earl Dyer and Alwin Waterman have lately enrolled in the 7th grade as new pupils.

One of our noted Primary teachers of Chicago says the object of "busy" or "seat work" is, first, to supply pupils with employment that will occupy head and hands. Second, to lead pupils to observe closely. Third, to furnish pupils with material for thought. Fourth, to lead pupils to be inventive. Fifth, to develop the child's powers of expressing his thoughts.

Carl London and Walter Dunlap have been absent from school this week on account of sickness.

Friday of last week the 1st grade children gave their first program. At this time they were encouraged by the presence of Mesdames Biggs, Robinson, Hawkins, Dameron and Mullins.

What we call soil is that part of the earth that can be cultivated, and in which plants can grow.

Soils are derived directly or indirectly, from the rotting or decay of rocks. If all the earthy matter which composes soils could be removed from the surface of the earth the remainder would be solid rock. Certain agencies are constantly at work changing rock into soil. The most important are those of the atmosphere and water. The growth of plants is also active in the decay of rocks. In their growth, the roots penetrate the crevices and force the particles of rock to separate. They also absorb certain portions of the rock that are made soluble.

Earthworms and other living creatures in the ground aid in preparing the soil for her growth of plants. They burrow deep into the ground the passages thus made, aid in drainage and circulation of air, and make the way easy for the penetration of roots, which increases their power to secure food.

A recent report says that this summer has witnessed the ascent of the highest elevation on this continent, Mount McKinley, Alaska, which is 22,800 feet high. A party led by Dr. Cook reached the summit about one month ago.

It is with regret we note the irregular attendance of a number of the pupils in the Public School. Parents, if possible, see that your child is in school every day and is not tardy. Your child is now in the formative period of his life, and the habits that he is forming means much to him in after life. Again

your child has just one period of his life to attend school. If you deprive him of this privilege, you rob him of that "which enriches you not but makes him poor indeed." A child that is deprived of an education in youth is hampered in many ways all through life: his capacity for enjoying and taking in the good things of this life is greatly lessened and his ability to cope with others in the commercial world is limited and his power of usefulness to a great extent is gone. You had better give your son or daughter a good education than to leave them twenty-five or fifty thousand dollars without the ability and power to use it rightly. The master said when here on earth that man cannot live by bread alone. Give to your child that which you can now, and that which will make him both a happy and useful man in years to come.

Benjamin Franklin once said that "the man to be pitied most on a rainy day was the man that could not read."

Our total school enrollment has now reached about four hundred and twenty-five.

Teachers of the country schools in our county, contribute something to the Educational Column next week won't you? Tell us what you are doing in your respective schools.

Letter About S. W. Paint.
Hereford, Tex., Sept. 29, 1906.

Friend Watkins:—
Mr. Barker, the manager of the Hereford Lumber Company of Hereford, Texas, has heard of your success in painting Fort Sam Houston with S. W. P. and is quite anxious that you have the gentlemen who gave you this order to write him a recommendation of S. W. P. If you succeed in having this letter written it will prove quite an "ad" for S. W. P. Mr. Barker desires that your friend state that he has turned down competitive brands of paints and bought S. W. P. at a high price because he considered S. W. P. to be the best paint made.

Assuring you this favor will be highly appreciated and thanking you for past favors, believe me to be

Your Friend,
JNO. H. RIVIER,
S. W. P. Salesman No. 626.

Dear Rivier: We are not allowed to advertise Government business. The officials here object. I sell them, however, all they use through our agent here (the Hesweck Co.)

Trusting you are doing fine, I am
Yours Truly,
I. G. WATKINS.

Methodist Church.
Sunday November 4th will be the last Sunday before conference. All of our members and friends are invited to worship with us at the morning hour Sunday at which time we will make a review of the years work. We especially desire that every Methodist be present.

Sunday School at 9:45, preaching at 11:00 a.m. by the pastor followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, Junior League at 2:30, Senior League at 3:30, Rally Day program by the Sunday School at 7:30.
Thos. S. Barcus, Pastor.

Horses for Sale
I have seven head of good single and double drivers, which are for Sale. Apply to
J. A. SPIRES,
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CHEAP FARM LANDS IN THE HEREFORD COUNTRY OF THE TEXAS PANHANDLE

We handle Lands and City Property on a small margin, thus giving our customers the benefit of the lowest possible prices. Our methods of doing business have already enabled us to settle some substantial Missouri and Iowa farmers, all of whom are well pleased with our treatment. We now have a complete list of choice farm lands and are in every way facilitated to properly take care of all the business entrusted to us.

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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.

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Dear Sir:—I have bought 11 sections of land situated 19 and 20 miles west of Hereford and 4 and 5 miles of a growing town which I am offering at special prices to actual settlers. These prices will hold only a short time as land is advancing rapidly here. This is all nice, smooth land, every foot of which can be put in cultivation; water can be had at 100 to 150 feet. Will sell to suit the purchaser in 160 acre tracts and up, on the following terms: \$250 on signing of contract; balance, \$390, cash on Nov. 1st, 1906; Jan. 1st, 1907, \$80; April 1st, 1907, \$80; Nov. 1st, 1907, \$160; Nov. 1st, 1908, \$128; and \$96 to be paid on Nov. 1st of each year as follows: 1909-10-11-12-13-14-15, interest 6 per cent per annum. This is a snap and we hope we can do some business with you.

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Yours Truly,
J. G. CALLENS.

Obituary.

W. H. Garrison was born in Atlanta, Georgia, December 3, 1861, and died in Hereford, Texas, October 28, 1906. His childhood and early youth were spent in his native state. At the age of nineteen he came to Texas. After a residence of about three years in the central portion of the state, he moved to the plains country. For some time he was associated with Chas. Goodnight in stock raising pursuits, but later engaged in business in Hereford, Texas, under the well known firm of Garrison Brothers. On November 10, 1895, he was married to Miss Alice Angel, who with their two children, survive to mourn his death.

W. H. Garrison was a very modest man, quiet and unassuming, yet he was allied with the force of the right and his presence and help were felt in every worthy enterprise. He was devoted to his family and true to his friends—just such a man as any community can ill afford to lose and of whose demise every one is constrained to remark: "A good man is gone." When warned of the approach of death, he calmly ar-

ranged his business affairs, then awaited the end with that fortitude, courage, and serenity of spirit which characterizes the true believer in God. "He rests from his labors and his works follow with him."

J. N. WOOTEN,
Pastor.

Union Society.

The Union Society will meet next Thursday, 8th inst., at 4 p. m., in the Baptist Church. Leader of Devotionals, Mrs. R. N. Mounts; Subject of Lesson, "What are we doing for Christ?" Let us have a rally meeting with representations from every church. Come, let us have a spiritual uplift and council together for future work for the Master. Mrs. M. Tahaferro, Pres., Mrs. R. N. Mounts, Sup't.

Will Make Your Bond.

I wish to announce to the candidates for offices in Deaf Smith and Castro Counties that I represent a surety company and can make your bonds when you are elected.

38 2t B. H. SMITH, Agent.
For Sale.—Shumach cane seed at 30 cents per bushel. Apply to Henry Farmer. 22-tf

W. A. Higgins Married.

Congratulations were numerous and strictly the order of the hour this week when our pioneer townsman, W. A. Higgins, arrived from Polk County, Tennessee, accompanied by his fair bride whose heart and hand he succeeded in winning while on his month's visit to his former home. When Mr. Higgins left Hereford a few weeks ago, it was understood by his nearest relatives and friends that he was only intending to pass a few weeks, pleasantly reviewing the scenes of his boyhood days and renewing former friends and acquaintances, but he had an altogether different incentive in making the long journey, an incentive which was made known to no one save himself and the one he was to wed. The marriage vows were duly taken on October 14th, which made Miss Mary Griffin of Polk County, Tennessee, Mrs. W. A. Higgins whose home is now in Hereford, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Higgins have moved into their comfortable cottage in West Hereford where they will be at home to their friends.

We would not close this item without offering the hope that both the

contracting parties may yet have lying out before them a life filled with many happy and useful years.

Press Your Clothes.

Bring your old suit to me at Dale's barber shop and let me clean and press it and make it as good as new. 29-tf

WALTER ORR.

Presbyterian Church.

Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Sanctuary services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

W. M. G. KEIRY, Minister.

Who Wants to Trade

Some Hereford property for a section of land in Castro County 4 miles from Nazareth? See 38-tf

W. B. PARK.

Notice to the Public.

Anyone wanting houses or barns moved, it will pay them to see

J. F. OWEN,
At Ritchey Hotel.

For Sale Cheap.

A large residence lot, 210 feet front—Evants addition, see, 30-tf

W. M. HINES,
Hereford, Texas.

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

Witherspoon-Bowe.

Another worthy young pair began life aright on last Sabbath afternoon, when, at four o'clock Mr. Vernon Witherspoon and Miss Myrtle Bowe were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, in the old LaPlata community northwest of Hereford.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Wm. G. Keiry in the presence of a large number of relatives and a few intimate friends who wish them all joy in their new relationship. Before taking leave the guests partook of an excellent wedding dinner prepared by the mother of the bride.

On Monday Mrs. W. A. Witherspoon, mother of the groom, invited the numerous relatives and several friends of the newly-wedded pair to a fine dinner in honor of the young couple.

Cheap for Cash.

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

FOR SALE.—7 brood mares at a bargain for cash or will trade for cattle. W. O'Brien. 37-tf

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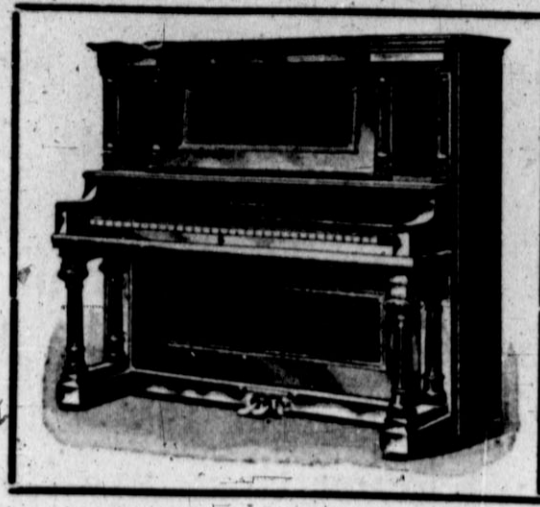
October business was by far Better than was Anticipated. November and December SHALL BE RECORD BREAKERS if the BEST for the LEAST MONEY stands for anything. * * *

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At Cockrell & Houck's
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On December 31st
1906



We are going to give to some one of our
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A Handsome New \$450.00 Piano

Your chance of drawing commences on Oct.
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W. H. M. Society.

Next Tuesday afternoon at three thirty will be the time for the next business session of the Woman's Home Mission Society.

The called meeting Tuesday of this week at the president's residence had an attendance of fourteen members.

A pleasant social time was enjoyed besides the important move to undertake the improvement of our church building.

For this purpose, the society was divided into five circles, each circle to consist of six members to work together till the first of the year in making its portion of the one hundred dollars required to begin operations.

The motion carried to pay the remaining fifty dollars of the society's parsonage donation, forty-six dollars of the amount being in the treasury and the additional four dollars to be raised by small contributions at next Tuesday's meeting.

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Plagiarism.

While we like the genial Manager of the Daily Panhandle, as well as that excellent little daily, yet we are forced to offer some mild criticisms in self defense. For instance that paper, under the heading "West Texas Railroad News written especially for the Daily Panhandle" clippings are taken from other papers of West Texas, word for word, and dated as though they were telegraphed to the Daily Panhandle "especially". Now we have no objection to a neighboring paper securing every item of news possible, but we do object to the manner in which some of them secure the news. To illustrate what we mean, the Daily Panhandle of October 31 contained two articles dated "Hereford, Texas, October 31st," as though they were sent specially, when they were copied from the BRAND, word for word. Of course we don't object to this much, but we were taught when a school-boy that such a practice was plagiarism and should never be indulged in. We are proud of the Daily Panhandle as a local enterprise, but we believe it will hold a more cordial position among the newspapers of the N. W. T. P. Association if it will give a more careful observance to the rules of ethics.

White and graham bread at City Bakery. 32tf

Fresh bread, pies and cakes at the City Bakery at all times. 32tf

Mr. Vardeman, an experienced bookkeeper of Kentucky, has accepted a position in the First National Bank.

If you want a good work glove or dress glove, buy the Great Western or M. W. Hodkin. Can get them at Geo. A. Stambaugh's. 37tf

For Sale—A Kary safe in good condition. Can be had at a bargain. Apply to A. P. Murchison for terms. 30tf

As we go to press we learn that Messrs. W. B. Park and Byrle Elliston have purchased the interest of their partner, B. M. Hester, in the real estate business. These two gentlemen will continue the business at the former office, while Mr. Hester will look after private interests.

SOUNDS BETTER.

Our Proposed Railroad Now Thought To be Texas Pacific.

For more than two weeks, it has been surmised by local citizens that the survey which has just been completed through this city was being done under the direction or in the interest of the Gould System. It now begins to appear that this impression is becoming general which is shown from the following news item taken from Wednesday's Dallas News:

"That the Gould properties in Texas will be extended to a junction with the Denver and Rio Grande is generally accepted as a fact in railroad circles, although no official statement is made other than an admission that surveys have been run west extending the Weatherford, Mineral Wells and Northwestern from Mineral Wells.

The belief generally expressed is that the connection will be made somewhere in Colorado."

Alfalfa and the Panhandle.

A. C. Ezenhouser, of Hereford, Texas, who was raised in Jackson County, Mo., brings a fine report of the conditions of his crops down in that part of the Panhandle country. He went there a little over a year ago and invested in a farm. He says they begin sowing wheat down

there in September, and keep right on sowing all winter. "And the early sowing is up and green all over the country," said Mr. Ezenhouser. "But the greatest growth of crops that I have seen in that country, is in a field of alfalfa that I sowed on my farm August 16. This alfalfa is now ten inches high and very thick on the ground. The crops of Kaffir corn, cane and other forage this season beat anything I ever saw. They seem to grow down there better than any place and the country is full of feed. Compared with Missouri, that country can produce a much greater variety of crops." —Drovers Telegram.

Notice to Public.

My next visit to Hereford will be November 28th and 29th. All desiring my services should call to see me at Coulson's drug store on the above dates. Dr. A. J. Caldwell, 38-4t

See W. M. Cogdell for marble to mark graves of your beloved dead. 38tf

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Winstead visited relatives in Canyon City this week.

FOR SALE:—Large team horses. Inquire John Robertson, Sulphur Park, five miles east Hereford. 38-2tp.

New Realty Firm.

A new real estate firm was brought into existence this week when J. T. Jowell and L. W. Vaughan united their forces and installed themselves in the building on South Dewey Avenue, formerly occupied by the racket store. In addition to a general commission business these gentlemen will buy and sell lands and make a specialty of locating actual settlers rather than the speculator. Both Messrs. Jowell and Vaughn have lived on the plains for years and know the full merits of the country.

We predict that they will enjoy a nice business.

Dallas Fair.

It is estimated that more than 750,000 people passed through the gates during the recent fair.

Milton Burrows has left this city for his home in Amarillo.

Boarders Wanted:—Apply to Mrs. C. H. Carl, Hereford, Texas. 38-1tp

J. W. Wasson returned Thursday from a business trip to his former home at Leon, Iowa.

A company of local nimrods, headed by George Dale, were in the stand hills of New Mexico two days this week looking out for game. The rounds were made in two large tourist automobiles.

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I can make it to your interest to
buy your canned sweet potatoes,
pumpkins and Boston baked beans of
me. J. M. Garner. 21tf

W. T. Smith the transfer man.
For Sale—A good sorghum mill.
Call on J. M. Boone at barber shop.

WANTED:—500 able bodied men
to eat dinner at the Cottage Hotel
at once. 28tf.

W. D. Cloyd was in from his Cas-
tro County ranch Thursday after
supplies.

4lbs soda for 25c at J. M. Gar-
ner's, guaranteed to be as good as
Arm & Hammer. 21tf

W. S. Dixon, Castro's assessor,
was in the city the first of the week
after heavy supplies.

Mrs. C. W. Dodson and son,
Charles Henry, are visiting relatives
in Stratford this week.

I now have two good teams and
can do your transfer work on short
notice. W. T. Smith. 34tf.

S. J. Dodson has returned from
Knoxville, Tennessee, where he
went on legal business.

I. O. Jackson, candidate for sher-
iff of Castro County, was a business
caller several days this week.

FOR SALE:—A horse and buggy.
Horse gentle for lady to drive. C.
W. Dodson, First Nat. Bank. 38tf

W. M. Dixon, a prosperous farmer
of the Arney community was a busi-
ness caller in the city Thursday.

Beecher Rowan of Powersville,
Mo., returned to his home this week
after prospecting in this and Castro
Counties.

STRAYED:—One black pig with
white spots, about three months old.
Reward if returned to
(37-2tp) M. H. LILE

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cloyd return-
ed Sunday from Pilot Point where
they went to attend the funeral of
the latter's father.

500 Ewes, from one to four years
old, for sale, at \$4.00 each. Ranch
on the Frio draw. R. A. Morris,
Puerto, New Mexico.

I am prepared to put your well
down on short notice. See me or
leave order with Johnson, Gary
Hdw. Co. Ben Wright. 38tf.

Dr. C. W. McFarling returned
the first of the week from a com-
bination business and pleasure trip
to his former home in Delta County.

Vanoy & Ray now have the lar-
gest and best selected stock of sil-
verware you will likely find in the
Panhandle. 37tf

WANTED—Twenty-five hundred
dollars worth of Vendor's Lien notes
bearing 8 or 10 per cent interest at
reasonable discount. Apply to this
office. 36tf.

Capt. W. H. Bean and little
grandson, Billie Bean, of Howe,
Texas, are guests of the family
of T. E. Shirley this week. Capt.
Bean is the father of Mrs. Shirley.

I still have a few cans of Aldemy
Baking Powder and with every 25c
can you get a chance at a fifty dol-
lar range stove. Come early for
they won't last long. J. M. Gar-
ner. 21tf

Judge W. B. Boyd came in Wed-
nesday from Keene where he and his
family went to visit relatives. He
will return to Keene as soon as he
looks after some business matters
here.

Mrs. W. H. Rayzor and children
returned Sunday from Hansford
where they had been to visit the
former's father. They returned
just in time to entertain three well
developed cases of measles.

G. B. Edwards of Hart marketed
a load of his 1906 wheat crop in
Hereford Wednesday, receiving 63
cents per bushel for same. Mr Ed-
wards feel that farmers are only
obeying the dictates of nature in
manifesting much interest in the
wheat and oats crops.

C. P. Arthur has made an absolute
withdrawal from business in Here-
ford and gone to hard farming. As
a result, Mr. Arthur was seen on our
streets this week with a big load of
Indian corn for sale. This farming
business in the Panhandle is proving
to be a dividend getter.

W. M. Hewett, was on our streets
Tuesday with a wagon load of fine
Indian corn for sale. The large
variety of farm produce which can
be seen here is especially pleasing
to those who have so long contended
that this would become an agricul-
tural country when the plow and the
hoe were properly used.

Whole milk, pure cream, separat-
ed milk and butter at the dairy, 38-2t

FOUND:—A bunch of keys. Call
at this office and pay for this ad. 38-2t

Elec Thompson left Tuesday on a
visit with relatives and friends in
Gainesville.

LOST:—A pair of gold rim nose
glasses. Finder will please return
to W. J. Rogers. 37tf.

Dr. W. E. Robertson has been in
the city this week, resting from a
trip to Old Mexico.

Wanted—Several girls at the
Hereford Steam Laundry who can
do ironing. Apply at once. 30tf

G. F. Lewis and Jeff Riley of
Granbury were in the city several
days this week prospecting.

Parties wishing to sell their city
property, will get results by placing
a list with Murchison, Thompson &
Co. 31tf

I am agent for Samuel H. Cohn
ready-to-wear clothes. Fits guar-
anteed. Mrs. S. H. McCracken,
Hereford, Texas. 32tf

Dr. S. D. Howser and family, of
Aubrey, in Denton County, are now
occupying their recently constructed
home in Evans addition.

A. W. McDuff has purchased D.
H. Bryant's half interest in the
Bryant-Cobb dray line and has ceas-
ed driving nails to take up his new
duties.

W. E. Betts who is making a suc-
cess on his two section ranch a few
miles east of town, called Saturday
to place his name a year in advance
on the BRAND'S subscription list.

Mrs. J. H. Head and daughters,
Misses Bulah and Jessie, returned
Tuesday from an extended visit with
relatives in Denton County. They
also attended the Dallas Fair while
there.

J. W. Scott, a prosperous young
farmer of Vega, was in the city Sat-
urday after supplies. We had the
pleasure of entering Mr. Scott's
name on our list as a permanent
BRAND reader.

Wanted—Freighters to haul four
hundred tons of cotton seed cake
from Bovina to the Lone Star Ranch,
at 11 cents per hundred. Distance
18 miles. Kelly Bro's. per B. B.
Curtis, manager. 36-4t

Walter Donald, the BRAND'S cor-
respondent from Arney, spent Wed-
nesday in the city on business. Mr.
Donald tells us that everybody in
his community is now engaged in
sowing wheat, 100 acres being the
minimum limit for the majority of
the farmers.

C. R. Moreman has been mingling
with his friends in the city for a few
days this week after having spent the
greater portion of the fall on his
ranch northwest of town where he
has rendered valuable aid in har-
vesting one of the largest feed crops
in the country.

L. A. Stroud is moving his family
to one of the rent houses recently
erected by W. E. Betts in North
Hereford. Mr. Stroud tells us that
he will begin at an early date the
construction of a commodious resi-
dence on his six acre block just in
front of T. M. Coulson's place.

Ben L. Hammock of Morgantfield,
Kentucky, was in the vicinity of
Hereford this week showing some of
his friends our Panhandle lands. Mr.
Hammock has made several trips
here already and is succeeding in
getting considerable capital interest-
ed in this and adjoining counties.

POSITION WANTED—Young man
wishes a position as bookkeeper in
store, bank, or real estate office.
Graduated from business college,
have had six months experience in
real estate business, is capable of
running office when proprietor is out.
Best of references. Want \$45 per
month. Inquire of Sam F. Wilkin-
son in Hereford Realty Co. office. 38t

L. A. Stroud this week received a
shipment of hogs, consisting of a
registered Poland China male and
sow, five and ten months old, res-
pectfully, which are equal to any ever
brought to this country. They were
purchased at the Dallas Fair at the
fancy price of \$50 and will be placed
on Mr. Stroud's six acre tract in
North Hereford. Mr. Stroud does
not mean to neglect his hardware
interests, but we do not doubt that
he will be able to show a bunch of
very fine hogs within the next twelve
months.

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
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my friends and the public at large to call on
me for anything in the fresh meat line. I
shall butcher only fat stuff and you may rest
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Junior B. Y. P. U. Program.
Following is the Jr. B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, November 11:
Reading of minutes.
Leader—Clyde Wilson.
Subject—The first years of Christ's life.

Scripture Lesson—Luke 2:40-52.
Prayer—Louise McFarland.
Song—No. 29 Soul Songs.
Paper—What we know of the boyhood of Jesus.—Edna Fuqua.
"The place where Jesus lived."—Edna Witt.

Recitation—Joe Witt, J. L. Fuqua, Cecil Cook, Jack Mounts.
Song—No. 39 Soul Songs.
Short Talks:

- (1) Jesus' obedience to His parents.—Onida Irwin.
- (2) His Religious Enthusiasm.—Anna Mae Hodges.
- (3) His Toil and Poverty.—Earnest Cowart.

Land Bargain.

200 acres, adjoining railroad on south, two miles east of town at \$10 per acre. Apply to or address,
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PROGRAM

Rally Day Missionary for the M. E. Sunday School, Sunday Evening Nov. 4th.

Voluntary—Miss Tarver.
Opening Hymn—"Tell it out."
Prayer—Supt. E. B. Black.
Responsive Reading.
Hymn—"We'll Girdle the Globe."
Recitation—"Far-Away Japan"—Nannie Marshall.

Address—Sam Bratton.
Chorus—"The Glory Song."
Recitation—"Little Jack Horner"—James Snyder.
Inst. Duet—"Lead Kindly Light"—Miss Marshall and Mr. Tucker.
Reading—"The Street Musician"—Miss Edwards.

Quartette—"The Beautiful Golden Gate."
Recitation—"Imitation Japanese"—Velma Stanley.
Essay—"Key to the Nobler Life"—Miss Clark.
Hymn—"Hail Glorious Army."
Recitation—"Two Offerings"—Bessie Snyder.
Reading—"Sandal Thou"—Jessie Deshler.
Offertory—Miss Chapman.
Pantomime.
Benediction.

Plow-Engine For Sale.

I have a 25-horse power engine which I am offering for sale on easy terms, or will trade for good property.
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Two fine sections patented land 12 miles from Hereford. Price \$10.00 per acre. Partly on time. Apply to
27tf C. G. WITHERSPOON
or W. C. WITHERSPOON.

For Sale

A Caligraph typewriter in good condition. Apply to
27tf A. P. MURCHISON.

For Sale—A good sorghum mill and equipment. Apply to J. M. or S. L. Boone for particulars.
30tf

Obituary.

George F. Pierce was born in Franklin county, Missouri, August 26th, 1856. Died at the family residence in Hereford, October 27th, 1906. He was the son of George W. and Sarah (Smith) Pierce. His father was a soldier in the war with Mexico and also in the Confederate army.

At the age of twenty George F. Pierce moved to Dallas county, Texas, soon afterwards moving to Ellis county, where he lived until he moved to Hereford, five years ago. While in Ellis county, he was one of the most successful farmers and cattle raisers in the entire country. Since moving to this country, he has been prosperous and was one of the country's staunchest supporters. He had great faith in the future development of this country. He was married in 1879 to Miss Catherine Wilson, of Dallas county. To them was born one son, Arthur, C. Mrs. Pierce died August 1882.

March the 28th, 1875, he was again married to Mrs. Rebecca France. This union was blessed with one daughter, May.

Mr. Pierce joined the Methodist Church in his twentieth year, and for thirty years was a faithful and consistent member. Since moving to Hereford he has served his church continuously as trustee.

During his brief illness, he spoke often of dying and left no uncertain evidence of his future. He had committed his life to Christ in his youth and trusted in Him to the end. He leaves a wife and two children and a host of friends. We shall miss him here, but meet him over yonder.
Thos. S. Barcus, Pastor.

Senior League.

The following is the Senior League program for November 4th, 1906.

Roll called; members responding with passages of scripture.

Subject: "Living to God in Every Day Affairs."—Prov. 3:5 to 10. W. H. Ray, Leader.

Song.
Prayer.

Reading of the several scripture passages by members designated by the Leader.

Violin Solo:—Miss Marshall.
Leader's address on topics.

Song.
Which are we enjoying more, our secular pursuits or our religious duties?—O. E. Edwards.

Song.
Is it easier to spiritualize our business or to secularize our religion, and which are we doing?—O. E. Thomas.

Song.
Benediction.

Best Bargain in Hereford.

New five room house with hall. Well finished. Well and windmill. Two acres of land. Fuel to last a year. Household and kitchen furniture. Everything is right new. Will sell with or without the furniture. I will sell this cheaper than you can build or buy.
38tf C. M. HUNT.

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.

List Your Property.

We are compiling, and sending to northern and Eastern Correspondents, catalogs and descriptive particulars, of lands for sale, our patrons get this free advertisement.
36tf MURCHISON, THOMPSON & CO.

Strayed or Stolen.

Two Brown Work Horses, 16 hands high, each branded H on shoulder, will pay for information leading to their recovery.
MCKNIGHT BROS.
30tf Amarillo Texas.

Ten-Acre Block for Sale.

Anyone wishing acreage property in the suburbs of Hereford for building purposes, will do well to see me at once. Have ten-acre block close in.
35tf B. M. HESTER.

Dead Matches for Sale.

I have two four-year-old horses which are well matched, both in size and color, which can be had at reasonable price by applying to
36tf B. M. HESTER.

M. B. Keliehar, public stenographer. Office with E. F. Connel. 37tf

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