

The Hereford Brand

TUESDAYS—TWICE-A-WEEK—FRIDAYS

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HEREFORD, DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1924

Odds and Ends

We always were a lunkhead at figures and we will admit that our arithmetic is utterly unequal to the problem of figuring how eleven golf matches can be declared a tie!

School days for this term are nearly over. The kids are all excited, the girls are all worrying over clothes to wear, and the teachers are all swamped with work preparatory to closing up the year's work.

Two local golfers barely missed paring the course the past week. Both Dow Mercer and W. R. Steckman shot a thirty-four, just one above the par figure. Sounds good when the coming match with the Hillcrest team May 18 is considered.

The Commissioners Court now has completed plans and specifications for the new county hospital from the architects, Sanguinet, Statz & Hedrick of Fort Worth. They are beautiful and it looks like that hospital will be something to be proud of. The contractors will bid on the structure Monday, May 26.

Facts about educational conditions in Texas, as determined by the Texas School Survey, will be made public in August according to Director George A. Works in a statement made to President G. O. Clough of the Texas State Teachers' Association. Field work is practically complete, and the findings are being tabulated and compared. The survey was ordered a year ago by the Legislature, the aim being to find just what Texas schools are doing and what they need to do to lift them out of thirty-fourth place among the states of the nation.

Texas has lost more than \$30,000,000 during the past 12 months through the ignorance of 322,914 of her citizens. These more than a quarter million citizens know neither how to read nor write the English language, and many do not even speak it. The most conservative estimates place the earning power of these people at an average of \$100 per year less than literate citizens. If all the mistakes, the losses of opportunity, and waste were actually arrived at, the economic loss would probably be more than \$50,000,000 per year, say prominent educators of the state. They are asking that there be a general awakening of the people of Texas to these facts, and that a comprehensive public school program be developed to save these vast energies for Texas.

Steele Leases a Huge Acreage on Which to Ranch

M. L. Steele of Hereford, has leased 663,000 acres of grass from Lee Bivins of Amarillo.

The pasture is located about 25 miles west of Littlefield and is known as the Enoch's land. Mr. Bivins leased the ranch last fall from the Enoch's estate. Mr. Steele stated that he expects to stock the ranch with young steers and stock cattle. —Amarillo News.

Rev. J. E. McClurkin Was Visitor Here on Monday

Rev. J. E. McClurkin, former pastor of the First Baptist church of Hereford, was here Monday, and Monday night addressed the local Odd Fellows lodge on the subject of fraternal insurance and lodge ideals. Rev. McClurkin has been pastor at Shamrock but is now making his headquarters at Amarillo and traveling in the interest of the lodge work for the time being. —More People—More Farms.

Mother's Day Program is Planned For Sunday Nite

MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM
Presbyterian Church, Sunday Night at 8:15

Song	Choir
Scripture Reading	Bro. Sharp
Prayer	Mrs. Sharp
Duet, Mrs. Witherspoon	Mrs. Norton
Talk	Bro. Sharp
Solo	Mrs. Fox
Reading	Miss Blanche McDonald
Violin Solo	Miss Mable Barnhart
Talk	Mrs. McDonald
Musical	Witherspoon-Estes Class
Piano Solo	Miss Ruth Haber
Song	Choir
Prayer	Bro. Sharp

—More People—More Farms.

Jos. W. Hayes Inspects Land Holdings First Time

Jos. W. Hayes of Chicago, head of the Hayes Corporation and brother of C. W. and Harley Hayes spent a day or so here this week inspecting his real estate holdings. Harley Hayes used to be county surveyor of Deaf Smith county, and C. W. Hayes spends quite a bit of his time here, but this is the first visit to Hereford of Joseph W.

The Hayes Corporation is manufacturers of fine scientific instruments in Chicago, and have a world trade. Mr. Hayes has just recently returned from a trip to England. He expressed himself as delighted with conditions and his prospects in the Hereford country.

Well Able to Take Care of Ford Millions



Edsel Ford, son of Henry Ford, who is every day taking on additional responsibilities in the active management of the Ford industries, has inherited the keen business mind of his famous dad, say industrial giants, who recently had the opportunity to study him in action. Photo is a recent picture of Edsel Ford and his wife.

Judge Templeton To Occupy Bench For Judge Tatum

The grand jury worked up to noon Friday and then adjourned until next Monday. On Monday the regular spring term of district court will open with Judge Templeton of Wellington on the bench. Judge Reese Tatum is tied up at Dalhart with other work and Judge Templeton will sit in his place here next week. —More People—More Farms.

Made Wealthy



Last October Miss Anita Ercell of St. Paul, Minn., gave her blood to save the life of Mrs. Wm. Moxton, age 76. Now, at the latter's death, she leaves her entire \$200,000 estate to the girl. —More People—More Farms.

Two English Airmen Do Stunts Here This Week

Captain Lowell Yerex and Lieut. Robert H. Gray, both famous British "aces" piloted two huge Liberty motor planes over Hereford Wednesday and Thursday and took up many local people for their first ride in the air. The air men arranged a landing place on the Smith farm south of town and great crowds of people thronged the grounds on both days.

The aviators went to Amarillo Thursday afternoon prepared to stage a Flying Circus there for the remainder of this week. —More People—More Farms.

Awfully Cool Weather is Being Experienced for May

Chilly weather continues to prevail here, with threatening clouds daily. The weather man predicted frost Friday morning, but the cloudy condition of the skies evidently prevented this. Friday was cold and creepy and disagreeable to a population of ninety per cent of whom have changed to thinner clothes and are hopeful of watching a garden plot that is doing little good because the ground is so cold. If it will turn off into a slow, warm rain, all will be forgiven, however, and the weather man will again be received into polite society here. —More People—More Farms.

Lieut. Dixon Says Company E Has High Record

Lieutenant A. L. Biggs of Company E, National Guards, was in receipt of a letter Friday from Lieutenant B. R. Dixon of the same company, now in training at Camp Mabry. Lieutenant Dixon is enthusiastic over the camp and the experiences he is having there, with Captain Buford Farmer. Mr. Dixon reports that Company E was one of the top three companies of the entire regiment mentioned favorably as a result of the recent Federal inspection and that the company is receiving many compliments from the commanding general on down the line.

Judge Tatum is Candidate High Court, Amarillo

Judge Reese Tatum, popular district Judge, has announced his candidacy for a place on the court of appeals at Amarillo, now held by Judge Randolph of Plainview. The question will be decided at the primaries in July.

Judge Tatum has been coming to Hereford for many years and numbers his friends by the legion. He is a man who enjoys the confidence of the people and has built up a reputation for fairness and ability that should redound to his benefit when the voters go to the polls. —More People—More Farms.

Agricultural Editor of Lubbock Avalanche Here

W. Wynn and son of Lubbock arrived here overland Friday. Mr. Wynn is here visiting in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Edgar Webb, and husband and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Webb. Mr. Wynn is connected with the Weekly Avalanche as editor of the agricultural page which is giving much practical information. —More People—More Farms.

Captain John Estes Will Accept Trip to Convention

Captain John Estes, elected, last Tuesday to represent this county at the state Democratic convention to be held at Waco on May 27, indicated Thursday that he will accept the appointment and will make the trip. Captain Estes will go to the convention instructed to cast both this county's votes for McAdoo for president.

COTTON PRIZE MEETING

Don't forget the farmers meeting at the courthouse on Saturday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, when blanks will be provided for those who desire to enter the Dallas News contest for \$1,000, and the Hereford Chamber of Commerce contest for \$500.

—More People—More Farms—

Amarillo Golfers Invited Here For Play, May 18

A return match with the Hillcrest Golf Club of Amarillo will in all probability be played here May 18 by the Hereford Golf Club, if an invitation sent the Amarillo men this week is accepted. A match was played at Amarillo May 4 that was not entirely satisfactory to either side as to results, and the doubt as to which club is champion will be removed in the second contest on May 18.

This was determined at a snappy meeting of the local golfers Wednesday night. Also Secretary Homer Fox was instructed to write the golf clubs of the Amarillo Country Club, Plainview, Lubbock, Clovis and Tucuman, suggesting matches at those places and at Hereford during the coming summer. It is hoped that out of this will grow a lot of fun and experience this year.

It was voted to widen the fairways on the local course and mark them with painted stakes. Other improvements are also contemplated on the local course.

It was a good meeting and the affairs of the organizations were shown to be in flourishing condition. The Tournament Committee was instructed to get busy and work out details for a local match so that the boys can get in trim for the matches with foreign golfers now contemplated. —More People—More Farms.

C. A. Skelton Gets Settings English Pheasants

C. A. Skelton last week received a setting of Ring-necked English Pheasant eggs from the State Game & Fish Warden at Austin. Mr. Skelton put in his application last year and is just now getting results, so heavy is the demand for these rare birds.

The eggs are slightly smaller than a Guinea's, and olive colored. Mr. Skelton borrowed a Red hen from Ralph Barnett and now has the eggs sitting. —More People—More Farms.

Minstrels Show at Star Theatre After Parading

Campbell's new Orleans Minstrels reached Hereford Friday and at noon staged a band concert and parade up and down Main street. The Minstrels announce that they would show in their tent, but after arrival here made a trade with Manager Overton and were scheduled to show in The Star theatre at night instead.

Cardinal Home



Photo shows Cardinal Hayes of New York on his return from Rome, where he was made a Prince of the Catholic Church. —More People—More Farms.

Hereford Ladies Attend Federated Clubs Convention

Over 200 registered at the Texas Federated Women's Club meeting at Lubbock May 7, says the Lubbock Morning Avalanche.

The attendance at the convention was the largest ever held in the state and practically every county in west Texas was represented.

The delegates from Hereford representing the local Federated Women were Mesdames Ed Connell, Arthur Thompson, A. A. Foster and Homer Fox. Mesdames Foster and Mat Gilliland represented the mothers club, Mrs. Homer Fox and Miss Dossie Mae Steele represented the Music Club. Mrs. Fox sang a solo Friday night accompanied by Miss Steele. —More People—More Farms.

G. W. Brumley & Son to Put on Jersey Sale Soon

G. W. Brumley & Son announce a sale of forty head of high grade Jersey cows at their place one mile east of town on Tuesday, May 29. There are some splendid milkers in this bunch and the sale will no doubt draw a large crowd of interested farmers.

ACREAGE IN SORGHUM IS NOW NEEDED

LOCAL MAN SAYS WILL PUT IN A MILL IF CANE PLANTED

ACREAGE SMALL

To Start Enterprise in Which There is Profit For All Parties

T. Williamson of this city proposes to put up a sorghum mill if he can get a hundred acres signed up.

Mr. Williamson has had considerable experience in this line of work and proposes to put in a large copper evaporator and a good up to date mill if enough farmers will plant the proper kind of ribbon cane.

Mr. Williamson says he can sell all the sorghum he can make at \$5.00 per case of six gallons to the case, and that quite often 200 gallons of syrup can be made from one acre, especially on irrigated land. Sorghum syrup making is not a new industry to this community it having been made in Castro and Deaf Smith counties about twelve years ago and in a quantity and quality enough to warrant investigation. —More People—More Farms.

Rev. Garvin and Bride Accorded Nice Reception

Tuesday night from eight to ten o'clock a reception was held in the basement of the Methodist church in honor of Rev. W. P. Garvin and his bride.

It was a most successful affair, every body had a delightful time, and Hereford Methodists surrendered unconditionally to Mrs. Garvin whom they unanimously voted a most gracious and charming lady.

The program under the direction of Miss Swisher was worthy of the occasion. Music selected by Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Thompson opened the program, then Dr. Jno. W. Overton, was called upon to "Toast" or "Roast" the bridegroom.

Dr. Overton was in his usual happy mood and rose to the occasion. He said considering Brother Garvin's age he thought it best to "Bile him." In good natured banter he "poured it on" Bro. Garvin while the audience roared in laughter and then wished the groom earth's greatest joys and heaven's richest blessings.

Mrs. F. T. Rolosen in poetic terms then toasted the bride. In beautiful verse filled with humor and pathos she delighted the audience. Her effort was easily the "Piece De Resistance" of the occasion.

Miss Gregg and Brother Merrill may well look to their laurels, as a new star has appeared in the Hereford Galaxy.

Miss Pauline Hodge recited "Saint Peter at the Golden Gate" in a manner which more than pleased the audience. Then as a fitting climax came a wedding in which Miss Lena Gillum as Miss Short and Bill Knox as Tommy Long were duly "Buckled" in marriage by the illustrious Rev. Right Honorable Bishop J. E. Beyer. Mr. I. H. Spratt familiarly known as Little Jack Spratt, officiating as ring bearer.

After the wedding refreshments were served and a genuine reception held. —More People—More Farms.

Huge Landergin Ranch to be Cut Up Into Farms

The 60,000 acre Landergin Bros. ranch, lying partly in Deaf Smith county, partly in Oldham county, and partly in New Mexico, is going on the market at once, to bona fide settlers in small tracts, according to R. J. Parsons of Amarillo, former traveling salesman for the Geo. D. Barnard Stationery Co. of St. Louis.

Mr. Parsons was here this week, plotting out the Landergin land from the courthouse records, and talked interestingly of the breaking up of this famous cow ranch. Some of the land is broken, but there are big areas of it that are as smooth and level as a billiard table. Mr. Parsons has associated himself with a real estate selling agency that has contracted to sell out this huge tract to settlers, and plans are now under way to advertise and place it the coming summer and fall.

MEMORIES



CHURCH AND SOCIETIES

Worth League, May 11, 7:00 p. m.
 Leader—Gwendolyn Spradley.
 Subject—"Being a Christian in the home."
 Song.
 Sentence Prayers of thanks for our times.
 Special Music—Grace Potts.
 Scripture reading—Ephesians 6:1-4.
 The Home, the Birthplace of Institutions—Hall Beavers.
 The Real Meaning of the Word "Home"—Martha Duncan.
 Quotations—Mattie Lou Harrison.
 The Evolution of the Home—Rev. W. J. Garvin.
 Some Heroism—Allene Hodge.
 Poem, "The Vision Painted"—Beulah Rutherford.
 Song—Offering.
 Benediction.

I. C. E. and S. C. E. Presbyterian Church May 11
 Being a Christian in the Home—Eph. 6:1-4; Luke 2:19,52 (Mother's Day.)
 Leader—Leonard Foster.
 Scripture Reading and Song Service.
 How can we make our homes Christian homes?—Frances Guinn.
 What are some of the things that keep a home from being Christian?—Alice Womack.
 Why must a home be religious if it would be happy?—Lonnle Witherspoon.
 How can we best show our love for our homes?—Rodney Williams.
 What kind of homes are a help to a community?—Roy Golden.
 Pastor's five minutes.
 Business.
 Benediction.

Missionary Program for May 11
 Subject—Mothers.
 Song—Blest Be the Tie That Binds.
 Prayer.
 Scripture—Luke 2:51; John 19:25—Ellen Sites.
 Basis of Happiness in a Home, Exodus 20:12—Gilbert Purcell.
 Bringing Joy to a Home, Prov. 23:22—Ailene Cox.
 God's Thought to Us (a poem)—Atherine Galbrith.
 Dicky's Bright Idea—Jim Potts.
 What We May Give Our Mothers: Merriment, Prov. 17:22—Billy Bobotts.
 Obedience, Coloc. 3:20—Noel Bryant.
 Truthfulness, Prov. 12:7—Mary Loulen Parker.
 Helpfulness, Isalah, 41:6—Pauline Edge.
 Energy, Romans 12:11—Virginia Cox.
 Readiness, I Timothy 6:18—Galard Swell.
 Leader, Sarah Agness Bryant.

Song, Home Sweet Home.
 Sentence Prayers of thanks for our Mothers.

SIMS SCHOOL HOUSE

Mrs. E. T. Whitten and son, Euclid, transacted business in Adrian on last Tuesday.

Mrs. B. H. Rice and children visited in the R. L. Ferguson home Friday.

Dawson Blasengame and family, visited in the Lynch home Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Mecaskey and children visited in the Rice home last Thursday.

Guy Gibson made a business trip to Adrian Tuesday.

Al Phillips transacted business in Adrian Tuesday.

J. A. Reed made a business trip to Hereford Thursday, returning Friday.

Earl Wallace Wilson, of Hereford, spent Friday night in the home of his sister, Mrs. Carl Shirley near Adrian, and electroneered in Sims community Saturday.

John Rector and sister, Catherine attended church in Adrian Sunday morning.

R. L. Ferguson and wife, and Mrs. B. H. Rice, made a business trip to Vega Friday.

School closed Friday, a few of the pupils, and teachers, Mr. Howard and wife, had a farewell picnic in the canyon. Had a jolly time climbing hills.

The threatening weather passed away without giving us a rain the past week. We are needing a rain just now. We are having some real spring days.

Grass is fine and cattle will soon be fat, that wintered well.

Farmers are beginning to plant their

row crops this week.

B. H. Rice and family, and Mrs. E. T. Whitten and children visited the Reed family Sunday.

Mrs. Berry Lynch from near Ende, New Mexico, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Temple Lynch of Hall H ranch, helping her out while they are dipping cattle this week.

WEST-WAY ITEMS

Mr. Owens gave his Sunday school class a party last Thursday night. All reported a good time.

There was a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday, there being seventy one present.

There will be no Sunday school or preaching next Sunday as we are all going to Progressive.

D. W. Hawkins is out at his ranch this week, making some improvements.

Mr. Lookingbill of Summerfield was a visitor in the community last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schuette and Esther Schuette of Hereford were visitors at the Curtis home Sunday.

The Parent-Teacher Association met last Tuesday night, had a short program and transacted business.

The closing exercises of West-Way will be Thursday night, May 15. There will be a program, a play and three to graduate. Everyone welcome.

JOEL

The relatives walked in unannounced Sunday with well filled baskets to give the M. O. Meeks family a farewell before leaving for their new location at Elgin, Texas. They have not been in the neighborhood but a year but in that

time have made many friends who regret to have them leave. We recommend them to the people of Elgin and hope their expectations will be realized in their new undertaking. Miss Hazel Green makes the trip overland with the Meeks family for a pleasure trip. Before returning Miss Green expects to visit Austin and other points of interest.

Mrs. H. T. Green and family spent Sunday with the Lee Conklin family.

Horace Herabey and Miss Hazel Green were callers at the C. P. Galley home Sunday.

Miss E'Dora Smith visited her friend Ruth Botts one day last week.

Mrs. Dixon Turner and little daughter, Shirley, spent the day Wednesday in the Lester Galley home.

O. L. Sharp and C. P. Galley were in Amarillo Monday on business.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Hereford Lodge No. 548 A. F. & A. M. State meetings, second Monday each month.
 J. W. BRADLY, W. M.
 J. S. JONES, Sec.

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 J. G. HASTINGS, H. P.
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WANTED—the farmers to know that I have a car of fine, high germination, MEBANE COTTON SEED at Umbarger at \$1.50 per bushel, sacked. Come and get your requirements before it is all gone. WM. ASH. 27-61

LOST AND FOUND

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LOST—Ladies gold fountain pen, with initials S. M. on top. 32-11-pd MISS SENA MAE MOUNTS.

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PROGRESSIVE

The Singing Convention for Sunday, May 11, begins at ten o'clock.

Some eighty were at Sunday school Sunday—a house full at the singing that night. It was decided by a vote to continue the singing every Sunday night until the next convention, the Second Sunday in August.

We regret to lose one of our good neighbors, O. M. Meeks and family, who in various ways helps contribute to the welfare of the community. Mr. Meeks and family leave Wednesday morning for Elgin, Texas, where they expect to enter some business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith were dinner guests in the Park home Sunday. The Caldwell returned from a motor trip to Brownsfield Saturday evening, where they spent the week end with friends and relatives.

The Junior winners had charge of the Sunday school Sunday and rendered a short program, which was appreciated by every one present.

Miss Lola Thompson entertained the young people Friday evening. Music and parlor games were enjoyed through out the social hours. Delicious home made candy of various assortments was served. The affair was given in honor of Miss Meeks.

Last, but not least, among the social gatherings of the week was the surprise on Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Sharp, given Saturday night. It was only through the mislaid (?) key of the Chevrolet that the guests were able to find the honorees at home. The contemplated trip to the city however soon folded into insignificance as they endeavored to make the guests feel welcome and enjoy the evening to its fullest extent. Forty-two tables soon found their places, the young people having turned on the car lights, found out door games a favorable pass time. Refreshments of cake, coffee and cocoa were served.

"More People—More Farms"

FRIE-EASTER ITEMS

A large crowd attended the closing exercises of the Frie and Easter schools at Frie Saturday night. The program was good and showed that both teachers and pupils had worked hard.

Brother Walker filled his regular appointment Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. After the services an Epworth League was organized with the election of the following officers: President, Mrs. R. Dixon of Hereford; Vice-president, Miss S. T. Fields; Secretary, Miss Lottie Stagner; 1st Superintendent, Mrs. Percy Estes; 2nd Supt., Miss Eva Sullivan; 3rd Supt., Mrs. E. V. Sullivan; 4th Supt., Mrs. Carl Frye; Treas., Finis Hunter. We are sure that the community will gain much by having this organization.

Mrs. C. Green of Hereford visited the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Percy Estes.

Mrs. Taylor Goldsmith of Jumbo visited Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sawyer of Hereford visited in the Frank Corn home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Hunter and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Sullivan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Owens of West Way visited Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mrs. Owens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stagner.

The Misses Sullengers have as their guest Miss Dora Smith of Pampa. Miss Smith will visit several weeks in the Sullenger home.

The Misses Thomas and Rogers were guests of Mrs. Lasham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lewis and Miss Pauline Cook of Hereford visited in the Green home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Gardner of Tulla are visiting in the home of Mrs. Gardner's sister, Mrs. Ira Woolery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Easter and family visited in the K. Hunter home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamm of Dimmitt and Percy Hart of Hart, Texas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dixon Saturday night and attended the entertainment at Frie.

Miss Ann Hart, who taught the Frie school this past year returned to her home at Hart, Texas, Sunday.

"Grandpa" Easter will visit in the G. Owens' home of West Way, for the next two weeks.

Miss Esther Rice of Hereford spent the week end with the Misses Ragdale.

Miss Leita Ankmen of Hereford attended the school exercises at Frie on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Moseley of Hereford visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hill Sunday and attended Sunday school at Frie.

Several from this community attended the Bert Davis Show in Hereford Friday evening and Saturday afternoon.

A few farmers have done some planting but most of them are waiting for a good rain and warmer weather.

Carl Frye and Kenneth Hunter made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Deaf Smith.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 7th day of May, 1924, by the Clerk of said court, in cause No. 1416, entitled Charles Kelly vs J. R. Moseley, et al, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m. and 4:00 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in June, 1924, the same being the 3rd day of said month, before the court house door of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in the city of Hereford, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit: All of lots Nos. 11 and 12, in Blk. No. 2 in the town of Hereford, and situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, levied on as the property of Mrs. Maggie Hopper, feme sole, to satisfy a judgement in favor of Charles Kelly and J. R. Moseley, for the respective sums of \$632.50, and \$143.75, with interest on each of the said amounts from November 1, 1923, at the rate of 6% per annum, and all costs of said suit.

Given under my hand this the 8th day of May, 1924.

C. S. PURCELL,
Sheriff Deaf Smith County, Texas.

"More People—More Farms"

ESTRAY NOTICE

Taken up on premises of the undersigned, living about ten miles north from the town of Hereford in the County of Deaf Smith the following described animal known to be—estrays—, viz: One brown pony mare about 14 hands high, 7 or 8 years old, brand on left shoulder looks like "H"

If not legally proven by the owner thereof within twenty days from the date hereof I will proceed to Estray the same in accordance with law.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days, before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Deaf Smith County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of W. M. Megert, Deceased. Nettie V. Megert has filed in the County Court of Deaf Smith County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said W. M. Megert, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in June A. D. 1924, the same being the 2nd day of June A. D. 1824, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Hereford, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fall not, but have before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Hereford this the 24th day of April, 1924.

(seal) HERRY ORR, Clerk
County Court Deaf Smith County, Texas.

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Phone 33
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Our Stock is Complete. Prices are Right.

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HAVE WHAT YOU WANT WHEN YOU WANT IT

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How many times have you heard that voice on your radio?

Now you can hear
"THE MERRY OLD CHIEF"

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The First National Bank stands for strength and dependability.

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At this bank we not only meet every requirement for safety, but the directors and other stockholders stand squarely back of the institution. Their business experience, their knowledge of the needs of the community and their resources are at our disposal.

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GARDEN SEASON!

Get the Genuine Goodyear Rubber Garden Hose, Lawn Sprinklers, Garden Plows, or anything else in the way of garden and lawn equipment here.

Full stock, priced right.

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We Want to Quit!

Certain parties have been in our city boasting for a monster power project in the gas fields and have held out great hopes to our people in the way of cheap rates and have stated that they would not sell through the present local companies, but wanted to sell direct to the different cities in the various localities, the electric current from their mammoth plant. Assuming that the big project will be a reality and that they do not propose to sell their current through us, we feel that this is the time for us to sell to the City of Hereford and retire from the Electric business. There is a way provided for valuing our property and taking over same under our franchise, and we now offer to the City of Hereford our plant and equipment.

At our present rates we are paying only a reasonable rate of return on our investment and with the size of our town, we see no way of greatly reducing our rates any time soon. We know there are many who honestly think that we should greatly reduce our rates, and if the City will buy us out the citizens can make any rates they want.

We give you the first opportunity to buy, if you decline, then we will offer our property to any other buyers.

Hereford Light & Power Co.

"Your Electrical Servants"
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WILL CONTINUE Through Mon., May 12

Many Standard lines are offered for just \$1.00
Come in and get yours now!

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Jack Samuels returned home Friday morning from Kansas City.

Ed Connell and son George left on Thursday morning for Ft. Worth, Texas.

We have just received a car of Harvest Maid Soft Wheat Flour made in Vernon, Texas. If you want good biscuits, cakes or pastry, call for Harvest Maid flour. Hereford Produce, I. H. Spratt.

Presents for Graduates at City Drug Store.

Stork Special

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Moore, of Summerfield, a son last Saturday, May 3.

W. E. White of Amarillo was here on Thursday between trains.

For HAIL Insurance see H. B. Webb, standard company and best service. All losses adjusted promptly and satisfactorily. 32-4t

A. W. Nicks went to Amarillo on Thursday morning on a business trip.

G. K. Combs went to Canyon on business, Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. G. Shaw of Tulsa motored to Hereford Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Shaw.

Graduation Presents at City Drug Store.

Arthur Thompson went to Hamilton, Kansas, Tuesday.

Jack Henson of Spring Lake, was in this city Wednesday afternoon.

Auction Sale of forty head high grade Jersey cows on Tuesday, May 20. Watch for posters.
G. W. BRUMLEY & SON.

Miss Dessie Bond went to Clovis on Wednesday morning. Miss Bond has been visiting friends in the Hereford hospital the past week.

R. T. Kimmons and W. H. Farris were working on the Kimmons farm in the Progressive district this week.

J. R. Sowell of Lubbock arrived here Tuesday. Mr. Sowell is here on a business trip.

Bake Sale—The Presbyterian Missionary Society will hold a bake sale at the Gyles Grocery Saturday, May 24. A splendid chance to lighten cooking duties during Chautauqua. 32-5t

Mrs. John Thomas went to Tolar and House, N. Mex., Tuesday morning.

BASKIN ABSTRACT & TITLE CO.
L. Baskin, Manager
Abstracts of Title covering any piece of property in Hereford or Deaf Smith County neatly and accurately prepared. Charges Reasonable.
Phone 215

Notice to Real Estate Dealers in Hereford

I have decided to take my property at Electra, Texas, off the market.

R. E. Edwards.

Mrs. C. L. Kendig of Emporia, Kansas, a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barber, arrived here Friday morning.

J. E. Beyer Jr. of Pittsburg, Penn., arrived here Wednesday evening. Mr. Beyer is here visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beyer.

Messrs. Fred Galle and B. D. Woodlee of Dimmitt were in this city Wednesday transacting business.

Mrs. C. R. Tubb and children arrived home Wednesday from Lewisville, Texas, to which place she was called by the serious illness of her mother. Mrs. Tubb reported her mother improving at the time she left.

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Mrs. M. E. Simmons of Blackfoot, Idaho, arrived here Friday morning.

Miss Thresa Probst of Amarillo arrived here Wednesday. Miss Probst is visiting friends here in the hospital.

Mrs. A. A. Taylor returned Tuesday morning to her home in Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Winterrowd and son Clarence returned to their home in Cordell, Oklahoma, Wednesday morning. The Winterrowds were enroute from Lamesa to Cordell.

Messrs. J. S. Elm of Amarillo and R. B. Bomper of Dallas, representing the Bonner Farm Loan Company were here between trains Wednesday morning.

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Joseph W. Hays of Michigan City, Indiana, was in Hereford the first of the week inspecting his land holdings. Mr. Hays is a brother of C. W. Hays, formerly of this city.

A. C. Chamness of Moran, Texas, arrived here Friday morning.

Rev. J. M. Hicks of Dalhart, a brother of W. E. and Dr. J. W. Hicks, was here Tuesday and Wednesday visiting his two brothers.

Miss Pearl Kropff returned to her home in Amarillo Friday morning after a few days visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kropff.

W. B. Anthony Jr. of Long Beach, Calif., arrived here Thursday morning and left Friday morning for Merrimac, Oklahoma.

SUMMERFIELD

Many of the farmers are planting some cotton and some kafir corn and think there is moisture enough to bring it up. But the wheat is needing rain badly.

J. A. Nolen and three of the children went to Lockney last Friday evening to take Mrs. Nance, Mrs. Nolan's mother, home. They reported good rains from Dimmitt on, and wheat looking fine. Mrs. Nance has been visiting here several weeks, and we all learned to love her and hope she comes again soon. Mr. Gibson has moved to one of

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done to your satisfaction. See me before you have your work done.
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Warranted for 5 years—and the warranty is stamped in the side of each tank with a steel die. It can't wear off. 25 years of tank making experience is built into Red Bottom Tanks. Tens of thousands are made and sold yearly at the lowest possible manufacturing cost. They cost you less. They last longer. Two styles—the round and the oblong with round ends. Made of select galvanized steel. Reinforced at top with patent Tube Top, at bottom with Double Lock Seam. Sides made doubly strong by 2 triple corrugations. Solder is sweated into all seams. Rattle bottom and lower edge coated, inside and outside, with rust-preventing paint made in our own laboratories. Applied by special heat process. Look for the 5-year warranty stamped in the steel. Not genuine unless so stamped. SOLD FROM STOCK BY



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Keeping money gives the power to make more money—Start an account with

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The Hereford Insurance Agency
RALPH BARNETT, Mgr.

Grandpa McMinn's farms and will share work this year.

Several families from here attended the Bert Davis show at Hereford last week, and say their entertainment was fine. Mrs. Dygar, one of the company, is a cousin of Ky Lawrence and Mrs. Bertha Kendall, and she and a friend, Mrs. Rotan, came out and took dinner in the Lawrence home Friday.

About fifty neighbors and kindred came in on Mr. Lawrence Monday night and gave him a birthday surprise, he says he will not soon forget all the good cake and cream they brought.

G. A. F. Parker and two children were veters with us Sunday and Mr. Parker brought us a good lesson on how to be successful, and gave us a number of scriptures to be our pilot. They were dinner guests in Mr. Curry's home. Mr. Parker having known Mrs. Curry when she was a small child and living near Cloud.

A large crowd is planning to go to Progressive to the singing Sunday.



FOR A PLEASANT KITCHEN AND LOTS OF SPARE TIME!

If you have ever wanted release from your most trying household work don't fail to get a Hoosier right away—our special offer is so reasonable that every woman can afford one! At least come in and inspect its many conveniences scientifically planned to save your time and energy. It is the greatest labor-saving device of the times.

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We sold a number of these machines in this territory last year and the

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We will gladly furnish you a list of all purchasers last year, and would like to have you talk with them and convince yourself that the Case line of machinery always makes good.

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C. A. SKELTON