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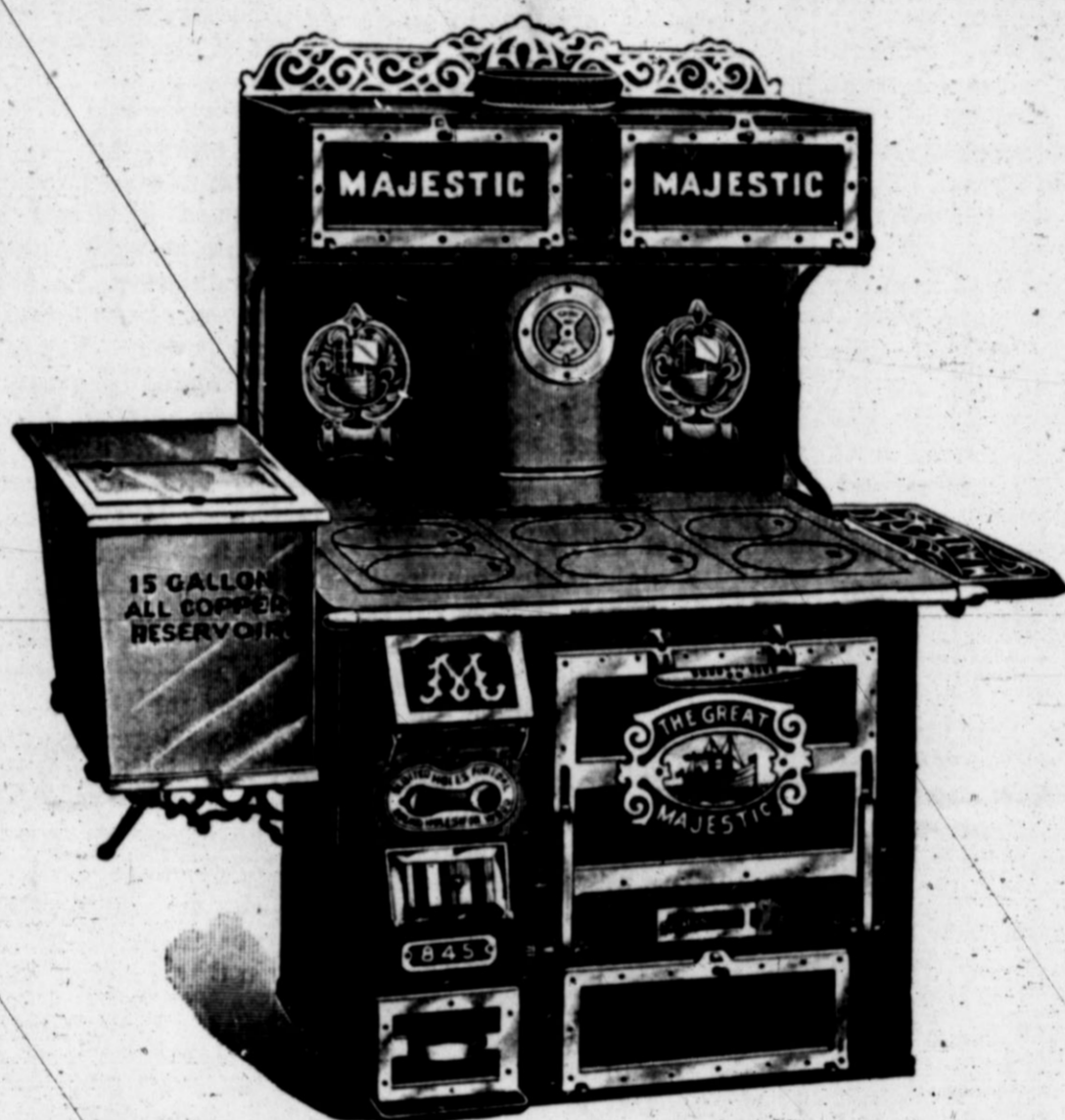
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WAS SHULTZ MURDERED?

Mysterious Stranger Deserts Wagon at Vega and Takes to "Breaks," Trunk Contains Iowa Pictures.

From Daily Panhandle:—

A mysterious happening which occurred at Vega a week ago last Saturday may throw some light on the mysterious disappearance of Henry D. Schulz, the immigrant from Iowa, who arrived here nearly three weeks ago with his household goods and live stock and has not been seen since.

On Saturday, May 22 a stranger drove up to the home of John Glasscock, four miles from Vega, unhitched his team from the wagon, walked up to the house and asked Mr. Glasscock to care for the horses saying, "I am going to Ontario and may never be back. Take care of these horses so that if I do come back they will be all right."

Without volunteering to offer any explanation the stranger started out across the prairie on foot, in the direction of Ontario, but to the further mystification of Mr. Glasscock, the man turned abruptly after he had walked a distance of about two miles, and started toward the "breaks," as the broken country is called. The mysterious stranger has not been seen nor heard from since.

After Mr. Glasscock had taken care of the horses left by his unknown visitor, he looked in the wagon and found a rifle and a revolver. The only other article in the wagon was a tent and a trunk. Later up on investigation the trunk was found to contain a lot of books and some photographs, principally of women. The photo cards bore the

imprint of an Iowa photographer.

In an old coat found in the trunk was an envelope with the letter removed. On this envelope was the name of Herbert Goble, Hobart, Okla. T. A. Burlin, a carpenter at Vega, knows of such a party, and knows that he has a brother, R. T. Goble, at Mountain Park, Okla. Mr. Burlin wrote yesterday to the brother.

It is not believed at Vega that the name found on the envelope is that of the man who so mysteriously disappeared after abandoning his team and wagon. Both Burlin and Lee Giles, who is also familiar with the happening at the Glasscock farm, believe that there has been foul play of some kind and that the man who left his team and wagon at the Glasscock place is trying to evade the officers. His actions certainly indicate as much.

As this happening occurred only a few days after Schulz was last seen here, in company with a companion whose identity is still unknown, it is believed there is connection between the two mysteries.

As the double problem now stands there is need of a Sherlock Holmes to unravel the tangle which may hide one or more tragedies.

It will be remembered that in the belongings of the missing Schulz there were found letters from some one who signed himself "your pal, Lewis Richmond," in which the latter expressed the desire and intention to accompany the former to Texas, and in which "Richmond" repeatedly requested that his plan to come to Texas be kept secret, although he gave no reason for his desire for secrecy as to his movements.

For Your Sunday Dinner.

The young ladies class of the Christian Sunday school will give a "cake" tomorrow at Judge Gough's office. Pies, eggs, butter, chickens, cooked meats, etc. will be sold. Sherbet and cake will be served for the price while you wait.

W. O. W. Picnic.

The W. O. W. picnic at Sulphur Park will be the old fashioned kind. You are all invited to come and bring your baskets well filled. An interesting programme will be rendered. It is our intention that this be a general invitation to all Woodmen and their families. The date June 19, 1909. Crowd will leave main street at 9 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Inmon have gone to Lubbock to make their future home. The Woodman lodge accorded to Mr. Inmon before he left a special meeting of that order at which time his splendid work in the lodge was praised. He was Consul Commander of the order. He was given the highest recommendations by his comrades and was presented with a fine gold watch charm. Mr. Inmon has served this county as sheriff in which office he proved himself most efficient. He has always taken a leading part in the public affairs of the county and his presence will be missed. He and his family are commended to the good people of Hale county.

Veterinary Notice.

I am still at Collup's wagon yard for dental work or day calls. Phone No. 1. Residence Phone 142. 11-11 DR. F. E. BOWE, V. S.

Children's Service.

The Children's service of the Presbyterian church will be held Sunday morning, taking the place of the regular preaching. The program will begin at 10:45 A. M. All friends are cordially invited to be present.

Lutheran Service

The next Lutheran service will be held at the College chapel, Sunday June 20, 2 p.m. Rev. A. M. Lohmann of Canyon City officiating. All friends invited to be present.

W. H. Neff of Audubon, Ia., states to the Brand that he's here alright.

Womans Foreign Mission Society.

The regular business meeting of the Womans Foreign Missionary Society will be held in the Methodist church Wednesday June 9th, at 4:00 p. m. In connection with this meeting will be the lesson on Korea. A report will be given of the thirty-first annual meeting of the Womans Board of Foreign Missions, which was recently held in Chatanooga, Tennessee. Also a report will be given of the annual meeting of the northwest Texas conference of Womans Foreign Missionary Society held in Vernon, Texas, May 22. This conference was attended by Mrs. Geo. Barcus and our president, Mrs. M. E. Bullock.

Mrs. L. B. HARWELL, Reporter.

College Wins.

The College team scored a victory over the Dimmitt sluggers Wednesday afternoon to the tune of 8 to 6. This is the first time in several games in which the College nine has been able to get across the home plate more times than their opponents. Another game was played yesterday afternoon. This resulted in 8 to 11 in favor of Dimmitt.

Try a pair of rubber pad shoes for your sore-foot horse. H. L. Rice has them.

Umbarger Items.

Umbarger is rapidly coming to the front with its handsome new residences, church and store buildings. Mr. John Wansley from California is visiting his brother, Hugh Wansley.

Patrons of the Koker school express themselves as being well pleased with the school work under the skillful management of Miss Hassar of Hereford.

The Hereford people are most cordially invited to attend the box social to be given at the Umbarger school house, on Saturday evening, June the 5th. The funds raised to be used for a school library and to make a payment on a church organ. Before the sale of the boxes the people will be entertained for about an hour by an interesting program. The moon will raise at 9:02 and the lunces can be enjoyed out on the lawn in the moonlight.

HUSTLER.

The Hereford meat market, Hawkins & Arthur, have installed this week a large refrigerator, with a capacity of over 4,000 pounds of meat. It will take 4,000 pounds of ice to fill the ice box. With this addition to their market, they are prepared to have on hand at all times fresh meats for their customers.

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Don't Forget that we sell the Arcadian Malable Range. The latest in its class.
 Look at our line of Screen Doors, Screen Wire and other lines of Summer Goods.
 Of course we are in close quarters and cannot show our goods, but we have them
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 Don't fail to call on us when you need anything carried by a Hardware Company
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An Edition of Five Thousand Copies
 Now Ready for Distribution—
 Best One Yet.

The Brand printery has just turned out five thousand copies of Vol. II, No. 1 of THE MIRAGE. The popularity of the first volume, if that can be taken as an indication, will insure a quick sale of this issue. The subjects treated are such as to cover every question which may be asked by the man who would wish to investigate the Panhandle as a desirable place in which to live. The statistics have been carefully compiled, the statements made have been cleaned from actual conditions. Over half the issue has been sold. The remaining copies will be ready for sale in a few days.

If you need glasses be sure to see Dr. Rigdon, at Coulson's Drug Store Saturday, June 5th, one day only.
 16-2t

Files' School.

Report of the Files school, eight miles west of Hereford, for the month of May: There were 18 pupils enrolled; 15 were present every day, and 14 were neither absent nor tardy, as follows: Laura Regus, Margie Gregg, Mary Gregg, Ola Temples, Bessie Denney, Avie Denney, Lucile Weems, Clarence Gregg, Claude Gregg, Joe Gentry, Oden Weems, Walter Temples, Mark Weems, Willie Weems. Average daily attendance 17 7-10.
 Mrs. W. J. SHORT, Teacher.

Reward.

Any person who will report any peddler selling goods without license to City Marshall will be given \$1.00 for their trouble.
 C. L. SULLIVAN, City Marshal and Collector. 17-4t

Baggage Hauled.

We have a baggage wagon in connection with our livery. Springs under neath for moving furniture without breakage. Trunks and express handled with care. Phone 249. SHERK & STANEK. 4-tf

Kindergarten Entertainment.

Tuesday night, the tots of the kindergarten department gave a pleasing entertainment. The curtain rose on a long circle of white dresses and suits in which the children were dressed and a number of catchy motion songs were given while they were all seated. The songs were followed by fancy drills and the play "Cinderella," the little girls and boys carrying the parts with credit to older amateurs. At the close eleven of the kindergarteners were "graduated," being issued miniature "diplomas," declaring their promotion from that department to the primary grade. Their teacher, Miss Wright, made a short talk before presenting the anxious children with their coveted papers, telling about the work of the year and what good should be expected from their year's training. A large and appreciative audience, composed of the fathers, mothers and friends of the children were present. The children who were "graduated" were:—Mozell Modlin, Mary Worley, Ruth Fox, Merrill Granger, Dot Woodall, Inez Hodges, Mavis Walker, Jack Hudgins, Grady Fallwell, Edwin Warren, Forest Bratton.

I will have my gray Purcheon horse at Sherk and Stanek's livery barn Thursday Friday and Saturdays of each week. B. B. Easter. 14-tf

TRUTH has one good friend left anyway, Time.

Time is the revealer of truth, as well as falsity, Time proves the truth and exposes the faults.

And you can ride down any country road in this country, or any village, town, or city street and see for yourself what Time has done to bring out the facts about paint. Over there you see a muddy, bleary-looking house—dull-eyed, as it were—low vitality, paint that is dying—dead, may be.

And there in a stone's-throw away, one that fairly gleams with the reflection of living light, bright, clear, with that brilliant sheen and radiance of gloss that tells you the story of what's in it just as truly as if you were looking into a mirror to see your own self.

Time has proven absolutely that Horse Shoe Brand House Paint, manufactured by the Mound City Paint and Color Company of St. Louis, is the truest paint manufactured in this country or any other country. It's the one paint that does what good paint ought to do, and so much more than you expect that any paint will do. This is because it is made of nothing but the highest quality white lead, zinc, and best aged linseed oil. One gallon goes twice over a surface as high as a six-footer and 50 feet long—and stays there at least three years and sometimes ten.

It pays to know what's good in paint. It pays to know where to get it. All we have to say is that we know absolutely that Horse Shoe Brand Paint is the straightest, highest quality, honest priced paint for honest work that we can get hold of. Made by the same house for twenty-six years. Sold on its merits; on its character.

Remember, too, the Mound City Paint & Color Company manufactures a complete line of the highest quality paint specialties—a Horse Shoe Brand paint for every use. Floor Paint, Barn and Roof Paint, To-Walk-On Stain, Screen Paint, Wagon and Implement Paint, etc., Grecian Enamel for the Bathroom, Iron Beds and the like.

And so we claim it pays to know that there's one paint store in this town where you can get good paint advice; and there's some color cards you ought to have, too, if you're going to paint—they're free—to you—here at the store—come and get them.

Hereford Lumber Company

A Want Ad in The Brand Will Find It.

J. F. COLLUP

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FIELD SEEDS AND STOCK SALT**

We solicit a share of your business, promising that we will endeavor to sell you goods at as close margin as possible. . . . Telephone No. 1.

WE HANDLE ALL KINDS OF POSTS.



We offer special inducements in quarter and half section tracks close in to actual settlers. We have some on easy payments. Hereford is in the shallow water belt. Write us for particulars. Address **BASKIN LAND COMPANY** HEREFORD, TEXAS

Get Your Hooks in the Panhandle

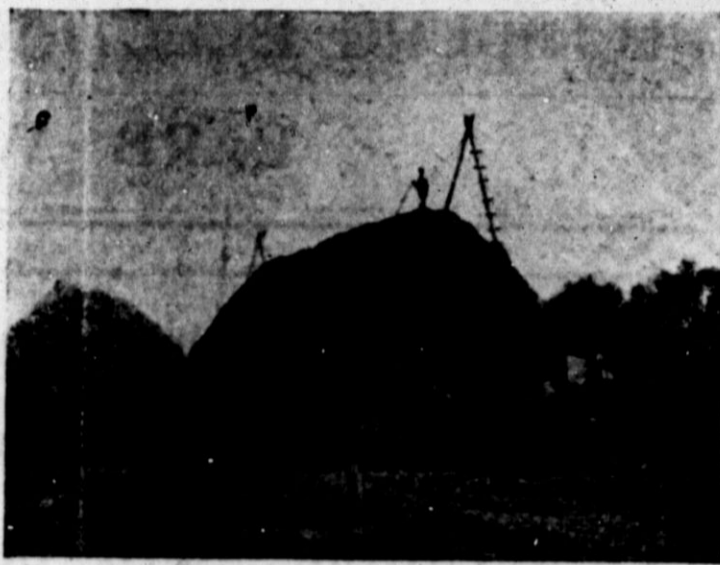
Where land is cheap in price but rich in quality, where the climate is healthful, and you can work out of doors nine-tenths of the year. We do not ask you to believe a word we say, but invite you to investigate for yourself. :: :: :: :: :: ::

Statement from W. M. Smith

"I came from Mercer county Missouri, nine years ago and settled on the place I now own. A man can cultivate more land on the Plains and with greater ease than he can in Missouri. One one 20-acre field, I have raised millet six years in succession, making a good crop each year. The fourth year, my neighbors said that the field would make 4 tons per acre, which sold at the barn for \$9.00 per ton; delivered at Hereford, it sold for \$12.00; thus this crop made from thirty-six to forty-eight dollars per acre. The farm I owned in Missouri recently sold for \$50.00 per acre, but I would not exchange my Panhandle farm, acre for acre, for it and be compelled to live on it. I have no land to sell. I have never failed to make a crop."

W. M. SMITH.

This Missouri farmer "On the Plains" owns 3,290 acres and has 300 acres in cultivation.



PANHANDLE FARM SCENE

HOMESEEEKERS AND INVESTOR'S EXCURSION,

Our excursion trains leave Kansas City each First and Third Wednesday mornings at 11 o'clock and are run for the comfort and convenience of Homeseekers and Investors exclusively and are not for tourist and sightseers. After reading this ad if you are interested in our proposition and will join one of our excursions and make a personal investigation of our country, and if you do not find in your own estimation everything as good as we have represented, we will refund every dollar of your expenses for the trip and will pay you reasonable compensation for your time upon your personal presentation of this ad at our office in Hereford and your statement in person that you believe we have misrepresented the country and have caused you to spend your time and money without getting value received. We mean business, do you? You will enjoy every hour of the trip from Kansas City to Hereford. You will have use of our regular Pullman Tourist Sleepers, and after arriving at Hereford, we will show you over the country in our equipment of Automobiles. Our office at Kansas City is at the Blossom Hotel opposite the Union Depot. When you arrive there go at once to our office where you will find a representative and others ready to come to Hereford.

Movement of Immigrant Outfits

Amarillo, Texas, Feb. 8th, 1909.

J. P. Snyder Land Co.,
Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Answering your favor of the 17th inst. During the year 1908 we unloaded at stations on our line in the Panhandle of Texas 1184 carloads of immigrant outfits. This compares with 1033 cars during the year 1907 and 494 cars during 1906, shows a remarkable improvement and seems to clearly indicate that the reputation of the country from an agricultural standpoint is well and permanently established.

The record at Hereford Station during this period is as follows:

1906 - 115 cars. 1907 - 145 cars.
1908 - 156 cars.

This Hereford record we think is very good indeed and believe that it should be gratifying to your Company and those interested in your vicinity.

Yours truly,
D. L. MEYERS, G. F. & P. A.
T. P. & N. T. R. R. CO.

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Sired by (Imp.) Adage. Dapple grey, 8 years old, large heavy bone, smooth built horse. Extra good breeder, colts mostly Blacks and Browns.

Two Saddle and Harness Bred Horses sired by Klondyke Fizz No. 0735, he by Electrite, 2:28, one of the greatest speed sires ever bred.

One Large Black Jack with white points. Bred in Tennessee.

All the above stock will be kept at my place directly due south of Hereford this season, except Jumbo Jr. will be at Summerfield Friday and Saturday of each week.

TERMS—\$10.00 to insure foal. \$5.00 cash, balance due when foal is foaled. Return privilege in case mare does not get in foal this season. Full amount becomes due if mare is sold or removed from country.

H. C. JACKSON

JAKE SCHACK

We call the attention of the Farmers to the big Black Percheron Stallion, Jake Schack, which will make the season at my barn 15 miles northwest of town on the Barton place 2 1-2 miles south of old La Plata. Prices made known at the barn.

H. Z. SITES

\$6.50 PER TON

We have some good coal on cars and in storage for \$6.50 and up. A few tons delivered from the cars will save you money.

W. L. FALLWELL & SONS

A Social Function.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hawkins entertained the graduates and faculty of the high school.

As we look over the forest, some trees rise above their own kind, as we see in the landscape some spots more indicative of nature's favored hand, as some peaks in a vast mountain range tower more gradually toward the heavens than their neighbors; so it is true that some people are born to illumine the world and brighten the pathway of others by their inherent sunshine.

On the evening of May 21, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hawkins entertained at their beautiful home in north Hereford, the members of the three graduating classes of the Hereford High School and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wray, Miss Millicent Griffith of the faculty and Mr. W. T. Stanberry. This has been an annual custom of Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins since the graduation of the first class four years ago, and all look forward to it from year to year with a great degree of pleasure. In all, there have been twenty-six young ladies and gentlemen who have received diplomas from the Hereford High School and the greater number were present at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins know how to make everyone feel easy and on this occasion, everyone seemed at his best.

The earlier part of the evening the entertainment consisted of music and games, and at 11:30 fruit punch and various kinds of cake were served in the dining room. When all had returned to the parlor again, and the ringing laughter had somewhat subsided, Mr. Sam Bratton of the class of 1906 asked to be heard, and in a few well chosen words presented the idea of the organization of an alumni of the graduates. After several members of the different classes had expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the suggestion, and short talks by Messrs. Wray and Hawkins and Miss Griffith, a motion was made and carried to organize. The officers for the year 1909-10 are: Mr. Sam Bratton, president; Frank Jacobs, vice-president; Bertha Dameron, secretary; Mrs. A. O. Thompson, assistant secretary; Bruce DeAtley, treasurer. As the years come and go, each new graduating class of the

High School will be formally received into this body, and therefore, much good both socially and intellectually will be derived.

The lateness of the hour now admonished all to think about returning to their homes, and after kind expressions to Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins for their delightful entertainment, the good nights were said and all were on their way home.

The following are the graduates of the different classes:

Nellie Robinson, Nannie Hughes, Sam Bratton, Myrtle Witherspoon, Pattie Estes, Leta Boone, Earl Kibbe, Audrey Argo and Bessie Lay.

CLASS 1907.

Bertha Dameron, Glennis Coulson, Edgar Inmon, Ethel Graves, Winona Arthur, Lee DeAtley, Kitty Lellow and Vivian Rogers.

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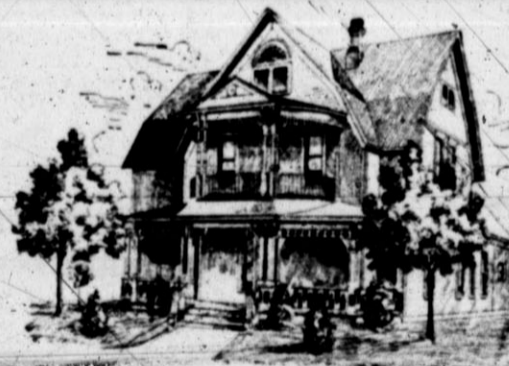
Mamie Inmon, Frankie Dameron, Orville Brunk, Mabel DeAtley, Lillian Ford, Bruce DeAtley, Mabel Watson, Ruth Wilson and Frank Jacobs.

Cement Walks.

Special price of 14 cents per foot for 30 days on sidewalks. Work guaranteed. See Loughmiller. 15-4tp

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For further information call at Sanatorium or address
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AMARILLO, TEXAS



EXCURSIONS

Memphis, Tenn., and return \$20.80, Annual Reunion United Confederate Veterans, June 6th, 7th and 8th. Final Limit June 16th, 1909.

Los Angeles, San Diego, or San Francisco, Cal., \$47.50 Summer Tours and Conventions. June 24th to July 10th, inc., July 27th to Aug. 6th, inc. Final limit Oct. 31st, 1909.

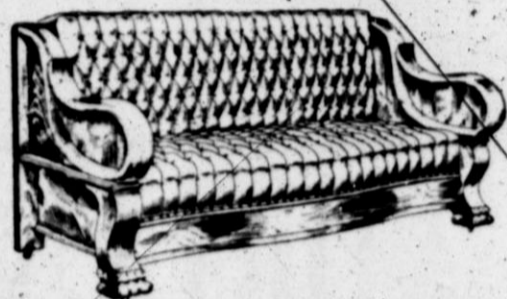
S. H. TOWNSEND, Agent

JUNE — JUNE — JUNE

During JUNE we are going to make things June in our Furniture Store. JUNE is one of the best furniture months that a dealer has in the year, and we have prepared ourselves to be equal to the occasion. Our stock of House Furnishings is the most complete one ever shown in the city, and the EXTRAORDINARY low prices we are making through the month of JUNE will AGREEABLY surprise you.

THE STYLE, the Quality and the Prices are the three things ONE always considers. Arnold & Matthews have the Style, the Quality, and MAKE THE PRICES.

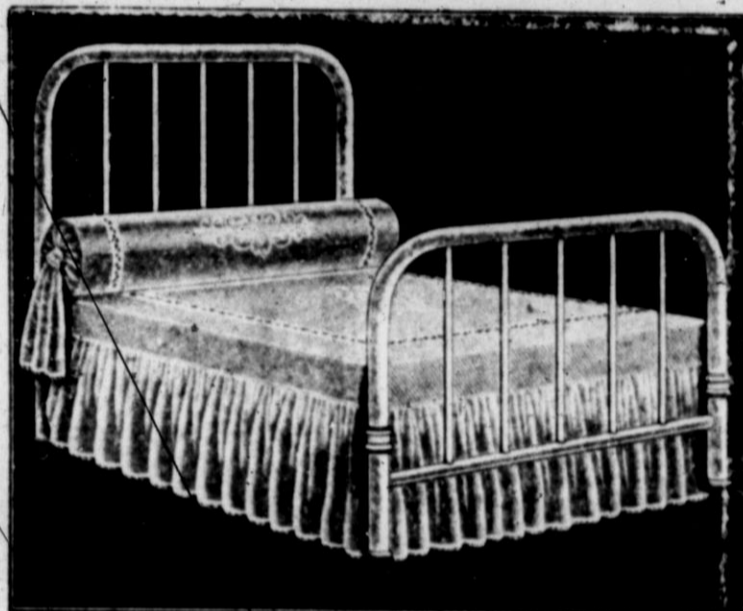
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We are showing some of the very newest things in Davenportes and are making the prices Right. Call look them over and have our prices

Brass and Enameled Beds.

We will sell you your Bed if we have a chance to show you our stock. Because we are showing the very newest PAT-TERNS and the prices are the LOWEST.



FLOOR COVERINGS



It is not too late to buy your floor coverings. We have just received a large assortment, in Art Squares, small Rugs, Carpetings and Linoleums. Some of the prettiest patterns ever shown in the city in 9x12 Art Squares.

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Funeral Director

Arnold & Matthews

Leading House-Furnishers and Undertakers

We make the
terms to suit
our customers

Local and Personal

Avis Kirkpatrick has returned from his claim in New Mexico.

See the Actual Settlers' Association for bargains in small homes 48 tf

H. A. Ritter of Chillicothe is in the city on business.

American Beauty Corsets. D. R. Gass & Son. 16-2t

Rev. W. P. Edwards of Wildorado was here recently visiting his mother and sisters.

Doughnuts, fresh every day at Home Bakery. 16-2t

Senator Veale of Amarillo was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday on business with the court now in session.

Suede Pumps—Ratcliffe Shoes. D. R. Gass & Son. 16-2t

Glassware given away free with cash purchase. D. R. Gass & Son. 16-2t

Dutch collar shirt waist; all sizes and prices. Geo. A. Stambaugh. It

President E. M. Haile made a quick trip to Waco this week, returning Wednesday. He was there in the interest of the College.

Now I am able to furnish the public with stationery of all kinds. See Basham. 14-tf

Mrs. Paul Barnett will leave today for Houston to join her husband and where they will make their home.

L. A. Braden who has been on his sheep ranch during the spring has returned to Hereford. He reports 1,600 lambs from his flock.

640 acres one mile from Dawn, Terms \$4,000 cash, balance 1 to 5 years. Murchison & Jones. 12-tf

Rev. S. T. Shore, Mrs. L. Gough and Mrs. S. J. Dodson are attending the Christian State Convention at Corsicana this week.

When you want pure Shumac sorghum seed or millet seed that was raised on last year's sod, free from Johnson grass, see Fallwell & Sons. 15-tf

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Vaughn and daughter, Miss Mildred returned last Saturday from Colorado where they have spent a month for the benefit of their health.

We have a well improved 20 acre tract in Welsh addition which we are offering at two thirds its present value. The Actual Settlers Association. 48-tf

J. B. Syper of Oklahoma, a brother of our fellow townsman, J. M. Syper, is visiting in Hereford for a few days and incidentally redeeming the reputation of the Syper's as chess players.

Don't forget: The Talkalog and Electric Show at Hubbard & Barnett's store, by Sir Chas. Patriot and Lady Blanche Society; Friday June 18th, 8:30 p. m. Children under 10 years of age will be given free tickets. Ask our bookkeeper. 1t

Mrs. C. A. Sturges of Hamlin, Texas, after a pleasant visit with father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKinley, left for her home last Monday. She was accompanied as far as Amarillo by Mr. McKinley.

Mr. Linville and his family wish by this method to thank their friends for the many favors and kind deeds extended to them during the severe trial in the untimely and sudden death of two members of his family.

L. Baskin has procured a fanning mill and is cleaning several hundred bushels of Sorghum seed, milo maize and kaffir corn for spring planting. This seed is all extra fine and is his own raising. He will have several hundred bushels for sale and those wanting good seed had better place their order for spring delivery. 3tf

640 acres 6 miles from town, all under fence, well and windmill, all perfectly smooth. Can give terms if desired. Murchison & Jones. 12-tf

Little Folks under the age of 10 years, please call at our store and get free tickets to the Talkalog and Electric Show, given by Sir Chas. Patriot and Lady Blanche Society. Show begins promptly at 8:30 p. m. June 18th. Hubbard & Barnett. 1t

Prof. Wray Elected.

At a meeting of the school board last night in the office of the secretary, Prof. E. H. Wray was elected as superintendent for another year. There were ten applicants for the place, each one was carefully gone over, and all but three or four passed up for lack of being in the proper form. Prof. Wray was elected upon the first ballot which was made unanimous. The principal and grade teachers will be elected Saturday night.

Notice.

The same regulations in regard to fishing and picnicking at Sulphur Park will be enforced as last year. All such parties must present permits before entering grounds. These regulations are made necessary for the protection of the property. 14-tf Irwin, Gough & Collins.

The Baptist Meeting.

The protracted services being held at the Baptist church continues in interest. The congregations are large, the attention fine and the sermons instructive and helpful. Rev. Penrod is a man of large experience and preaches with devotion and zeal. The meeting will continue over Sunday and perhaps longer. No services will be held at the other churches Sunday night.

Business Houses.

The Cardwell building on Dewey avenue is nearing completion and will be occupied by the Orr barber shop and the Davis Realty Company in a few days. The Dunlap-Britain building is taking on a second story and much of the interior work has been finished. The Ray building has the foundation laid and the contractors are waiting for material to proceed. The Miller & Walker building has just been started.

Rains Again.

Last Sunday clouds in the southeast told the story that some of the counties in that direction have had another good rain. Monday afternoon all the vicinity of Adrian and a good portion of the north part of Deaf Smith county had another fine shower.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

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HEREFORD, TEXAS

At the close of business February 5th 1909.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Overdrafts	\$369,193.52	Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
U S Bonds and Premiums	51,800.00	Surplus and Profits (net)	59,087.13
Banking House and Fixtures	13,038.50	Circulation	50,000.00
Redemption Fund	2,500.00	DEPOSITS	446,207.10
Demand Loans	67,642.96		
Cash and Exchange	101,119.30		
	\$605,294.28		\$605,294.28

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C. W. DODSON, Cashier

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berry smile,—they are ripening.

ON June 19, the Hereford Inde-
pendent School District will declare
its emancipation from the bondage
of inadequate quarters.

THE sidewalk fever has broken
out all over town and those who
were in the pest house have been
turned loose as everybody has the
disease.

The Monday Luncheon.

The Board of Directors of the
Commercial Club met in regular
session at the Tygret last Monday
noon. All members were present
except one. Messrs. Hays and
Elliston were guests of the occasion.
Several questions were discussed.
The status of the flour mill propo-
sition was laid before the directors.
At the close of the luncheon, the
matter of having an open air basket
supper during the summer was pre-
sented by chairman Knight. It is
intended to invite Capt. Paddock of
Fort Worth to address the Club up-
on that occasion. A suggestion was
made that the supper be spread up-
on the court house lawn and that the
lady members be asked to take
charge of the matter and that each
member should invite his wife, if not
already a member, but that the af-
fair be strictly a club function.

A committee was appointed to
make a report of their findings at
the Tuesday night meeting of the
Club. This was done.

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**TWO OUT FOR
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Railroad Commissioner Colquitt
Follows Judge Poindexter of Cle-
burne in Making Announcement.

The News of last Sunday contain-
ed a letter from Commissioner Col-
quitt in which he definitely announc-
es his intention to become a candi-
date for governor. This announce-
ment follows that of Judge Poindex-
ter of Cleburne by a few days.

There are only a few points of
difference in their platform declara-
tion. The main question between
them is "state-wide prohibition."
They are on different sides of the
question with Mr. Colquitt opposing.
He makes this statement: "I am
opposed to state-wide prohibition."
Another important question in which
they will bitterly oppose each other
is that both are opposed to the other
being governor of the state. This
will be the "main fight."

The Adrian townsite car is making
daily runs from Hereford, leaving
the office at 9 a.m. and returning at
4 p.m. Parties wishing to go should
make their appointments the day
previous. There are no charges for
those who wish to inspect the
property. 16-2t

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of trying to
express our thanks and appreciation
to our many friends who came so
close to us with their sympathy and
kindness during our great affliction.

Words are lacking for us to ex-
press our feelings for all those who
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us place our darling little Ralph
Junior in his narrow little home to
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in this line give me a trial. Terms
reasonable and work guaranteed.
See Patterson at Suggs & Jones'
office. 16-4t

Corral Lake School.

The people of Corral Lake com-
munity are making an effort to build
a school house. To this end Messrs.
J. S. Brown and C. E. Chappel from
that portion of the county were in
Hereford Wednesday and Thursday
circulating a subscription list among
the merchants of Hereford asking
for contributions on the building
fund, and judging from the long list
of names practically every business
man in town is a contributor. Cor-
ral Lake is about 10 miles north-
west from Kelso, where the house is
to be built. This will be on section
32, range 2, township 5, of the sub-
division of the Capital Syndicate
lands. The house is to be 16x24
feet and to cost about \$300 without
the furniture.

7 sections in Lamb
county, near the Santa
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\$4.50 cash per acre will
handle, balance 1 to 4
years at 6 per cent. This
land can be deeded in 160
acre tracts, each tract to
carry its own deferred
payments. Murchison &
Jones. 12-tf

Second-Hand Store Sells.

Walter Gregg has sold the Sec-
ond-Hand Store to A. Sutphen,
lately from New York. He will con-
tinue at the same place and expects
to enlarge the business.

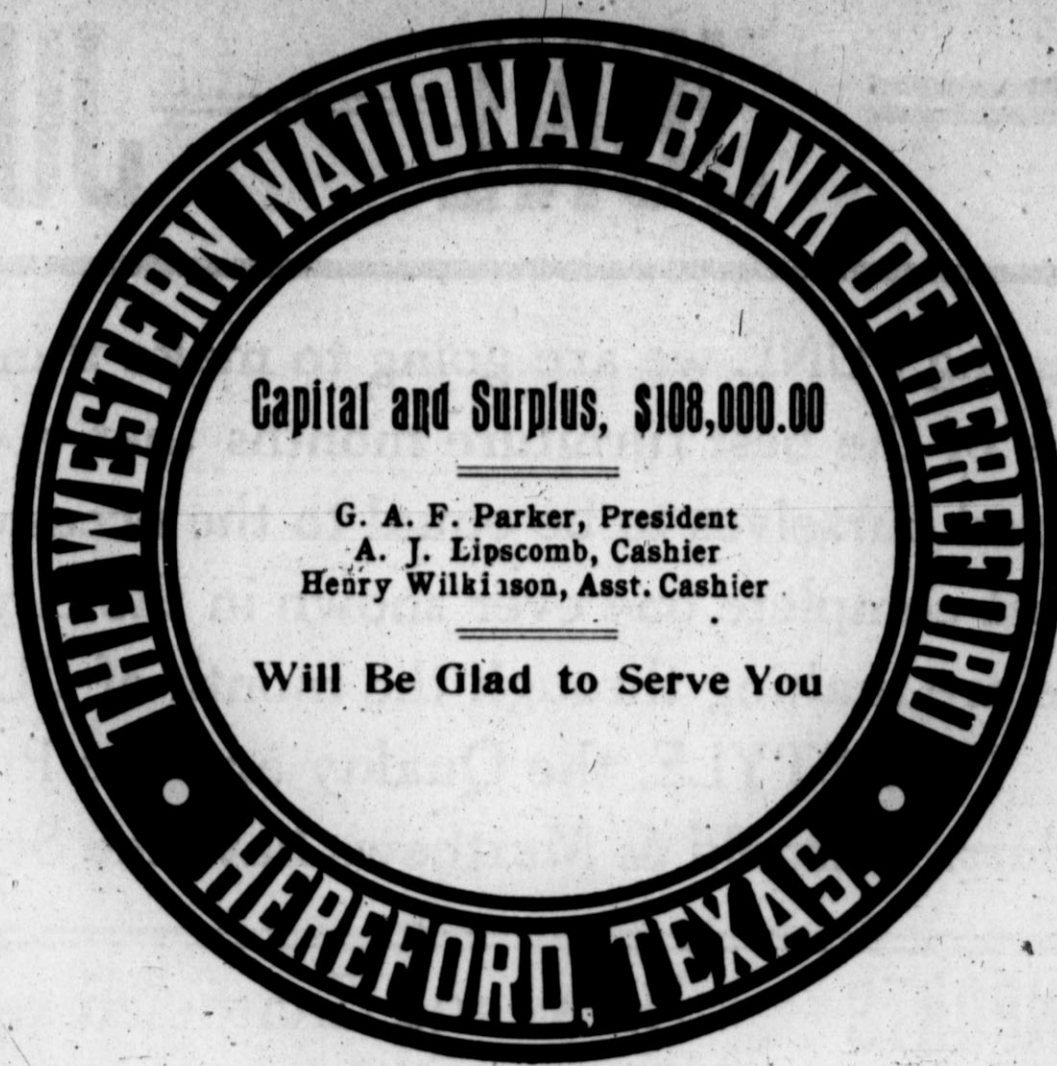
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Jesse Warren of Dimmitt was in this city this week.

W. O'Brien has returned from a stay at Mineral Wells.

Keep your right eye on Baskin Heights. 1-tf

New line of cakes, cookies and pantry at Home Bakery. 16-2t

For high-class, up-to-date clothing see Schloss Bros. D. R. Gass & Son. 16-2t

Dr. A. L. Taylor returned Tuesday evening from a trip to Lakewood on business.

Try a pair of rubber pad shoes for your sore-foot horse. H. L. Rice has them.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Cochell are spending a short while in Roswell, leaving here last Tuesday.

Editor Thomason and wife of the Dimmitt Plainsman were in the city last Sunday visiting.

The bride, though tempted should not wear much jewelry, but Ratcliffe Shoes. D. R. Gass & Son. 16-2t

Dr. Edgar H. Inmon has returned to Dallas where he will engage in the practice of his profession.

Cream puffs on Saturday at Home Bakery. 16-2t

See Basham for envelopes, tablets and fancy stationery. North Tygret Hotel. 14-tf

Engraved calling cards are in perfect taste. See the elegant samples at the Brand office. 14-tf

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C. E. Lester, president of the Canyon City Bank, was in Hereford Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

I have customers for good, cheap land. Owners that wish to sell will please see me. Anderson Witherspoon. 14-4t

John W. Gordon of Terry county was attending to business matters and doing some trading in Hereford this week.

Dr. Rigdon the eye specialist, will be at Coulson's Drug Store Saturday June 5th, one day only. Be sure to see him. 16-2t

Walter Palmer who has been attending school for the last nine months at Trinity University has returned home.

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T. E. Shirley left Monday for Waco to attend the annual meeting of the board of trustees of Texas Christian University.

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C. E. McLean, president of the Dimmitt bank, was thru Hereford Tuesday on his return from Amarillo where he had been on business.

Phone 7, a lucky number for your groceries. Five minutes notice will deliver the goods in your kitchen. Try No. 7, it's Johnson's. 16-2t

Constable C. S. Richards has offered his resignation to the court and same has been accepted. He will take a short vacation in Colorado.

Misses Roxie Witherspoon, Sue and Betta Wilson left Wednesday for Denton where they will attend the summer normal to be held at that place.

Before completing the plans for that new house don't forget to investigate the Kewanee Water System. See H. L. Rice. 1t

Miss Wright will continue the kindergarten work at the College during June and July for the benefit of those who wish to send.

Miss Clara Bogue of Kansas surprised her father and mother Wednesday morning when she walked into the dining room and ordered an extra meal.

Judge L. Gough was called by wire to Dalhart Tuesday to make a speech on the prohibition question in that city. They have a hot local option campaign on in that county.

Dr. D. E. Turrentine came back Tuesday from Los Angeles, California, where he has been attending a school of dentistry. He will finish the highest course in another session.

Several improved sections near Dawn, at a bargain. Good terms. Murchison & Jones. 12-tf

Notice.
To those contemplating having any kind of cement work done, please interview us or see some of our work at the following places: Messrs. Bowers Witthauer, Cook, Whittaker, Barcus, West, Snyder, Fretz, Ashbrook, Meadows, Oberthier, Judge Russell and Methodist Parsonage. 15-tf B. F. Gaines & Co.

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Society

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pitman were at home to a number of their friends Friday evening, May 28, 09. The home was attractively decorated with cut flowers and presented a very inviting appearance. The guests after a half hour of pleasant conversation were provided with dainty little score cards which announced the approach of a progressive game of "42." There were six tables and each player manifested an unusual amount of interest in the game. At a late hour the hostess assisted by her sister, Miss Miller served refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake.

The friends who enjoyed the hospitality of the Pitman home on this occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barcus, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jarrott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yost, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson, Dr. and Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. S. B. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Mounts, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Arnold of Hannibal, Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Arnold; Misses Miller and Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Vardeman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Arnold at 12 o'clock dinner Friday.

MRS. FOX ENTERTAINS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fox entertained a party of young people at "42" Monday evening, May 31, complimentary to their guest Miss Fox of Mangum, Oklahoma. Miss Nettie Patterson assisted the hostess very efficiently in dispensing the hospitalities of the home. About ten games of "42" were played when to the surprise of the players the midnight hour arrived. The time was spent so pleasantly that it was with regret they were made to realize the merriment must close and good night be said.

Refreshments of nut cream and wafers were served at the tables and home made candy was served during the game. The guests were: Misses Mercer, Warren, Garner, Wilson, Patterson, and Fox; Messrs. Nesbit, Cooper, Rogers, Gill, Fox, Gass and Herbs; Mrs. Estelle Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. and B. S. Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jones entertained a small party of friends at dinner Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Ray is expecting her sisters Miss Nettie and Lillie Jewel Allen this week. The Misses Allen who are now residing at Cleburne were residents of Hereford for several and their many friends here will welcome them back.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stephens of Kelso were in town Wednesday.

MRS. TUCKER ENTERTAINS.

In honor of Miss Rubelle Fox of Mangum, Oklahoma, Mrs. Tucker made it pleasant for a number of Hereford's young people Tuesday evening, June 1st. Progressive "42" was the chief entertainment participated in. At the end of a series of interesting games the hostess served dainty refreshments of ambrosia with whipped cream and angel-food cake. Those present were: Misses Amelia and Sue Wilson, Fox, Oliver, Mercer, Patton and Patterson; Messrs. Fox, Herbst, Purkey, Gass, Gill, Carter and Nesbit; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Newell and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ricketts.

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		C H Hooks, Amrlo	400.00

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N B McGill, Plainview	100.00	A B Seanor, Amrlo	175.00
John McCarthy, Adrian	150.00	R N Taylor, Hereford	45.00
Robert Meod, Amrlo	75.00	G T Torrey, Adrian	120.00
Howard C March, Ohio	400.00	S B Vaughn, Amrlo	800.00
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Thos C Proffit, Oklahoma	150.00		
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Z G Russell, Texas	75.00		
R C Rogers, Chicago, Ill	175.00		
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R F Rutherford, Sr., Adrian, Texas	100.00		
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W L Busnell, Amrlo	170.00		
Neeley Braley, Amrlo	150.00		
W A Caviness, Amrlo	100.00		
Mrs Minnie Cooley Amrlo	1,575.00		
Mrs Emma Coe, Amrlo	250.00		
J W Charters, Illinois	800.00		
Miss Blanch Delano, Hereford	45.00		
J C Cummins, Hereford	205.00		
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E Webb, Adrian	290.00
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Russell Blalock, Amrlo	45.00
T A Weil, Indiana	300.00
Abram W Laughlin, Ind.	250.00
Henry D Skiles, Ind.	200.00
W B Grange, Hereford	75.00
M E Woodford, Amrlo	800.00

Dead Animals.
All parties hauling trash of any kind or dead animals to the city dumping grounds are hereby given due notice to deposit same across the creek on the south side and near the pit now being used. All persons not burning an dead animal hauled there is violating the law. When you have any cows, horses, dogs, cats, chickens or hogs to die, if you will call phone 222 we will have them hauled away and buried at once. Please do not overlook the burning of all dead animals, whether you haul them yourself or have it done.
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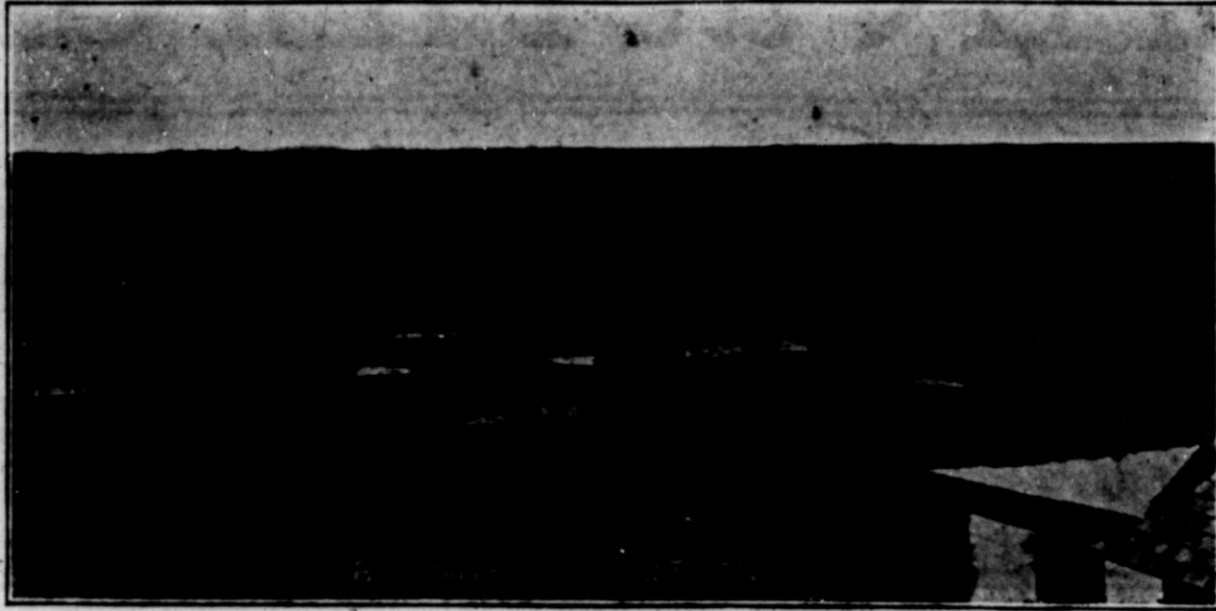
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COMMENCEMENT

Hereford College Closes Successful Session With Appropriate Exercises—Diplomas and Honors Awarded.

COMMENCEMENT SERMON.

Sunday afternoon, 3 o'clock, Rev. J. W. Story delivered the bacalaureate sermon for the College in the presence of the class and their friends. A short program aside from the address was given which was appreciated by those present. Rev. S. T. Shore, pastor of the First Christian church, read the scriptural lesson and was followed by Rev. W. M. Baker, pastor of the Presbyterian church, in the invocation.

Mr. Story took as a text: "For we have not followed cunningly devised fables, when we made known unto you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but were eyewitnesses of his majesty," and in his opening remarks said:

"Peter had sat at the feet of Jesus, the great teacher. He had witnessed the mock court procedure and farce of a trial; he had felt and seen the power of the resurrection and beheld the glorious ascension. From its beginning, he had watched the young church in its struggles, and looking backward to these things caused him in writing this epistle to use these wonderful words."

Continuing the speaker made a few general statements as to the scope of the Christian religion, saying among many things: "The Christian religion is a reasonable religion; it appeals to the reasoning man; and does not ask men to accept it without investigation and appeals to their highest reasoning faculties. The Christian religion is the only religion that comes with credentials. Mohammedanism, Mormonism and Buddhism

appeals not to the reason but to fanaticism, but Christ comes to appeal to all men, claims their attention and demands the closest investigation. It only asks men to reason reasonably. The religion of Jesus Christ is of such magnitude, comes from such a source, and leads to such realization, that it reaches beyond human investigation, yet the simplest mind may comprehend its vital principles. The facts of this religion are unalterably true and all men of whatever nation have accorded to Christ the highest position among men; and yet many of our leading men have rejected Him. Their mistake in this is simply found. We should not discard the facts of nature, of science, nor of religion because the human understanding is unable to comprehend their relation to life. There is no such thing as absolute knowledge, except possibly in a few mathematical axioms. While we all know that it is neces-

sary for us to eat, yet who understands the principles of digestion and assimilation; yet, I dare say, none will doubt the necessity of their use in preserving life. We must accept facts as we find them. It is so with revelation. This old book tells us what what we are and what God wants us to do, but it is not necessary for us to understand the incarnation in order to accept it as a fact."

The speaker then described the character of Christ, the central figure of that revelation. He told how that men of science and skeptics had sought to find one flaw in His character, but that in the end all had acceded to Him the highest position among men, even if they did not grant Him the claims of divinity. Under three divisions, his character was beautifully portrayed, and the speaker lead his audience from step to step with ease. The divisions were:

1. He is an original character—nothing like Him in all history, either before or since His time.
2. He is a perfect character—not a flaw to be found.
3. He is a universal character—He was not a Jew, was not a Greek, was not a Roman, he was the universal man.

At the close of his remarks, Mr. Story turned to the class of the ten young people and commended the character of this one man to their careful consideration. He advised them to take his life into theirs, to make their lives conform to His perfect life; that whatever success they may attain in this life, that a greater success would come to them by having Christ as their teacher and their example.

After the address, friends crowded forward to shake hands with the speaker and congratulate the class. The hour spent was both profitable and pleasant.

DECLAMATORY CONTEST.

On Wednesday evening, the young men engaged in a declamatory contest. Their speeches were all well delivered and showed that each one had spent much thought in their preparation. The subjects discussed were: "Insignificance of the Earth," by Fred Baird; "Spartacus to the Gladiators" by Will H. Smith; "America's Coming Greatness," by Albert Carter; "Prohibition a Civic Necessity" by Arthur Rogers.

The judges awarded the honors to Arthur Rogers, first rank; and Albert Carter, close second rank.

GRADUATING EXERCISES.

The last and perhaps the most important of the closing exercises were held last evening, when the graduates from the academic and business departments received their diplomas. The house was filled and the program rendered was greatly enjoyed. The principal address was delivered by Rev. Walter P. Jennings, pastor of the Christian church of Amarillo, who took for a subject, "Doing Our Best." At the close of the program, president Haile in well chosen remarks delivered diplomas to the following young men and ladies: Academic; Myrtle Clements, Mate Hunt, Glennis Coulson, Bertha Dameron; Business school; Clyde Francisco, Arthur Thompson, Edgar Inmon, Lester Guinn.

In addition to the diplomas awarded, class honors were given as follows: For the best class and literary society work, gold medal to Miss Myrtle Clements, given by Prof. Ellsworth Faris of Waco; for the greatest advancement in music, gold pin, given by Miss Haile, instructor; for general deportment, class work and christian conduct, year scholarship in the college department, to Miss Mate Hunt.

J. C. Humphreys of Clovis was here Thursday on business.

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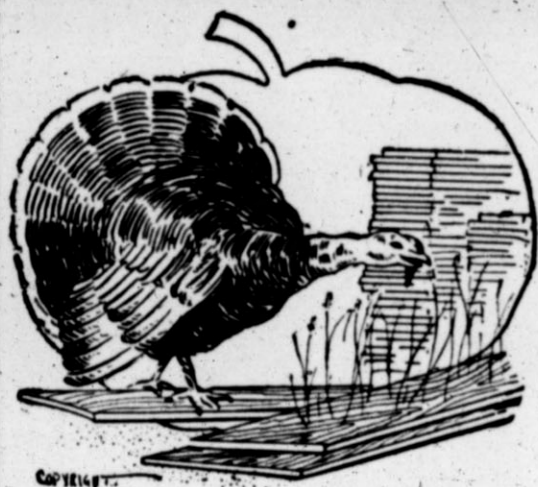
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A Bicycle Trip.

Last week the Brand gave an account of Mr. Stroud's long wheel rides and when here he was requested to drop us a card of his wheeling on the Plains. Under date of May 28, 8 a. m. at Romoe, Texas, he sends in the following:

Complying with my promise to write you when I got thru, I will re-cite my experience—I left Hereford Tuesday at 4:15 p. m. and rode north 10 miles and west 19, stopping for the night 6 miles east of Kelso. Wednesday, I spent looking around, took dinner at a sheep camp, 6 miles northwest of Kelso and at 4:30 started for Rock Island, N. M., 20 miles distant, reaching there about 7:30. My cyclometer showed that I had traveled 75 miles since leaving Hereford, but it is only 51 miles between the two towns. Thursday: I left Rock Island at 7:30 a. m. and struck off thru the brakes and over the sand hills of the Canadian Valley, crossing the Canadian river at 4:40 p. m. on a dry bed, and about 25 miles east of the state line. This was 41 miles from Rock Island. I then followed the fence north along the east line of the X I T ranch, arriving at their headquarters at dark, having traveled 61 miles since 7 o'clock in the morning, without anything whatever to eat. I drank from cow tracks and pools in the canyons. I did not meet anyone the whole day and was very tired. I have traveled 146 miles since leaving Hereford.

Yours truly,
M. J. Stroud, Des Moines, Ia.

640 acres 9 miles north of Dawn, unimproved, shallow water, good land. Terms \$6.00 per acre cash, balance 1 to 5 years. Murchison & Jones. 12-tf

Messrs. Woodlee, Flanigan, Johnson, Estes, and others came up from Dimmitt yesterday to witness the second game of the Dimmitt boys with the College team.

What Have You to Trade.

I have 1500 acres fine valley land near Clayton New Mexico that I want to trade for land in or near Hereford. L. W. Ricketts. 5tf

Hon. S. J. Dodson is at Fort Worth attending the sessions of the supreme court.

J. M. Gililand Embalmer and Funeral Director. with Arnold & Matthews, Furniture and Undertaking. Day phone 115, night phone 251 or 232. 3tf

School Census

J. B. Rogers has finished taking the school census for the Hereford Independent School District and reports a total enrollment of 582 pupils between the ages of 7 and 16 inclusive. This is an increase of 68 over last year or about 13 percent.

Pumps, ankle strap style; Queen Quality; \$3 per pair. Geo. A. Stambaugh. 1t

President Haile to Preach.

President Haile will preach at the 11 o'clock service in the College chapel next Sunday. Pastor Shore will be absent attending the annual convention of his church at Corsicana.

THE BRAND'S SPECIAL

CLASSIFIED ADS

Matter for this column and local ads any where in the paper will be inserted at rate of one cent a word or five cents a line for each insertion. Pay in advance unless you can be easily found on the street or in your office the first of the month.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A crescent brooch with little sunburst in center; set with pearls and emerald. Finder please return to Brand office. P 1t

LOST—A black purse about 10 inches long, containing a \$10.00 bill, and 20 notes made out to J. P. Bourell, also other papers. Liberal reward to finder. Return to Brand office. 17t2

LOST—Two Berkshire pigs about six weeks old, on May 28th, in north part of Hereford. If found please notify me at once and receive reward. R. E. Vaughn, Hereford, Texas. 1tp

ROOMS AND BOARD

WANTED—Some boarders and roomers. Mrs. N. Bogard. 14-4t

FOR RENT 5 rooms in rear of our office. See O. K. Land Co. 7tf

FOR RENT

TO RENT—5-room house. Murchison & Jones.

FOR RENT—A 4 and 5-room house. O. K. Land Co. 16-2t

LARGE double offices, 25x25 feet, for rent. Front part of building. J. M. Bogard. 15-4t

FOR RENT—good 5 room house with orchard and large garden. See O. K. Land Co. 17tf

MISCELLANEOUS

HOUSEHOLD goods for sale by J. E. Humphrey, at the Dent house. 15-2t

LAND—Two quarter sections close in, for sale cheap by the owner. T. B. Kello. 17-tf

WANTED—A man or lady to buy a home and pay part cash and balance in monthly payments. 17tf

HORSE—Good stallion for sale or trade at Collup's wagon yard. 16-2tp

FOR SALE Good set of single and double harness nearly new. see J. B. Elliston. 16-tf

FOR SALE threshed baled millet inquire of David Alban west of Purcell Livery Barn. 12-tf

FOR SALE genuine Dwarf Maize seed: 8 miles southeast of Hereford. F. J. Axe. 13-6tp

FOR SALE AT BARGAIN—The old jewelry store and barber shop. Apply to W. H. Ray or A. J. Lipscomb. 16-2t

MONUMENTS—The Wyatt Marble Co. of Canton, Ga. See me for designs and prices. J. M. Boone. 16-2t

WANTED—Sewing to do at the homes, prices reasonable. Inquire three doors north of the Methodist church. Mrs. Caroline Spies. 17-2tp

FOR SALE—Sweet potatoes, tomatoes, asparagus and 18 other kinds of plants. Write for price circular. T. Jones & Co., Clarendon, Texas. 15-4tp

WILL SELL or trade for residence property in Hereford, 640 acres of unimproved land near the west side of Deaf Smith county. For particulars see A. C. Barnhart, owner. 16-2tp

FOR SALE at a bargain, 5 passenger auto, 36 horse power, good repair. Would exchange for clear real estate in or near Hereford or take small car as part pay. John W. DeAtley, Hereford, Texas. Telephone 188. 17-tf

FOR SALE—\$6,500 stock of groceries and furniture, also business houses in one of the best black land towns on M. K. & T. R. R., or I will trade part cash, balance in Deaf Smith or Castro county land, close to county seats. Address Lock Box 66, Lorená, Texas. 14-4t

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE

FOR SALE span of driving ponies and buggy at a bargain. B. M. Hester. 15-tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—320 acres close in, will be sold at a bargain. See L. Gough. 34-tf

SECTION—Good section in Castro county, has 100 acres fine alfalfa land. The price is a bargain. 52-tf Gough & Russell.

FOR SALE—10, 20, 30 or 40 acres in orchard, one fourth cash, balance in monthly payments, get a home while you can. O. K. Land Co. 17tf

QUARTER—160 acres well improved, 7.1-2 miles from Hereford, 2 miles from Jowell. \$1000 cash closes a deal. 52-tf Gough & Russell.

HALF SECTION—A 1420 acres, 4 1/2 miles from Hereford, at Jowell. \$3,000 cash, balance on good terms at 8 per cent interest. 52-tf Gough & Russell.

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR SALE—The Iowa Hotel for sale or trade. See L. Gough. 34-tf

FOR SALE—8 good lots at a bargain on easy payments. Also fine 320 acre farm for sale or trade. See Smith the Jeweler. 15-4t

FOR SALE—A good 4 room house, 2 lots and well, \$500 cash balance monthly payments, going to sell, get busy and see O. K. Land Company. 17tf

FOR SALE 6-room house, well and wind-mill, fruit trees, large barn, chicken house, corral, lot 100x140 ft near public school. Terms to suit purchaser. See C. O. Lee. 7tf

TWO STORY brick building, 25x80 feet, renting for \$90 per month for sale. On lot 25x140 feet. Twelve months time on \$2,000, balance in cash. J. M. Bogard. 15-4t

FOR SALE one seven and one 8-room house near public school. Also some close-in acreage property. Will cut in tracts to suit. Terms if desired on any of this property. C. H. Carl. 13-tf

FOR SALE my place near the College, 200x295 ft., 4-room house, hall and 2 closets. House in yard with 2 rooms, dugout, good barn and sheds, chicken house and 50 bearing fruit trees. For particulars address J. W. Ford. 5tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—665.4 acres of land nine miles South of Hereford, Texas, 160 acres in cultivation, four-room house, fenced and cross fenced. Will trade for unincumbered land in Kansas, Missouri, Illinois or Iowa. 2tf W. B. Park, Hereford, Tex.

FOR SALE, 8-room residence with two lots, east front, cement walks, large fruit trees of peaches, plums, cherries; also grape vines, berries, etc.; well and windmill, sheds, stable and other outbuildings, only 4 blocks from post office. Price \$2500-00, terms \$500 cash, balance in one and two years. See C. O. Lee. 7tf

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GOOD 7-room residence, south front, well and windmill, stable 20x40 ft., also other outbuildings, 2 1/4 acres of ground, all fenced, yard with woven wire, balance with wire netting; located near College. Price \$4,000. Terms to suit purchaser. See or phone C. O. Lee. 9tf

3-ROOM HOUSE, newly painted and papered, south front, lot 70x208 feet; well with windmill, cement block milk house, shed, stable, chicken house, about 20 fruit trees, blackberry vines, rose bushes, etc. Price \$1,500; about 8 blocks from post office. For terms see C. O. Lee. 9tf

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FATAL ACCIDENT

Father and Boy Lose Their Lives By Explosion of Lamp—House Burned Down on Them.

Hereford had not recovered from the severe shock in the death of one of its children by accident, when another double tragedy must be recorded. It was in the fatal lamp explosion Saturday night at the home of Henry Milam, 15 miles west from Hereford, the result of which the father and 6-year-old son lost their lives. Mr. Milam is the son-in-law of Wm. Linville who owns the farm upon which the family lived.

It appears that the boy had been put to bed in an up-stairs room and the lamp left turned down for others to come up later. The father and mother had retired in a lower room. Miss Viola Linville, a sister of Mrs. Milam and one of the older children were at a neighbor's until after 10 o'clock and when they returned, they

went up stairs to retire. The young lady noticed that the lamp was flickering and called to her brother-in-law who ran up stairs and attempted to throw the lamp thru the window, but seeing the wire screen, turned and started down the steps to the lower rooms. When about half down the stairs, the explosion occurred, covering the unfortunate man with blazing oil. His wife and the others except the little boy who was still asleep, had preceded Mr. Milam and had gotten to the foot of the stairs when they saw him enveloped in flames but were unable to offer any assistance. His wife called to him time and time again but no answer came. She also thought of the sleeping child and ran to another house about 200 yards away to awake another son-in-law, a Mr. Dodd, who might rescue the child. But all attempts failed. The rooms up stairs were ablaze and there was no chance to get to the boy in bed. He never made an outcry and it is supposed that he was suffocated by the smoke.

The house and all its contents

were consumed, nothing except the clothing they had on being saved. Mr. Dodd went in haste to the nearest telephone, which was six miles distance and reported the sad accident to Mr. Linville in Hereford. This was about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. An auto was secured and a party left for the scene at once.

The funeral services were conducted over the remains at the city cemetery Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A large number of friends and acquaintances were present, many going out to the farm to accompany the remains to Hereford.

Henry Milam was 29 years old and leaves a wife and two children, one 8 years old and the other younger than the one who lost his life. His father and mother live in Kentucky. Mr. Milam and his family moved to this county from Kentucky with Mr. Linville. He and Mr. Dodd another son-in-law were conducting the farms.

The bereaved wife and children have the sympathy of the entire community. While there can be no words offered that will recover their

loss, yet many have not failed to express their feelings to the members of the family.

Mr. Turner Petitioned.

A few days ago, the friends of J. W. Lacy, former station agent at Hereford, circulated a petition asking the authorities that be to re-instate Mr. Lacy in his former position. On Tuesday evening of this week, learning that Mr. Avery Turner of the Santa Fe would pass thru Hereford on a return trip from New Mexico, Mr. Lacy's friends gathered in a crowd and met the train, going to Mr. Turner's private car and there presenting him with a copy of the petition. The petition was courteously received and in reply, Mr. Turner said that the matter would be given his attention. It will be remembered that some months ago, Mr. Lack resigned his position for reasons better known to himself and has since been "holding down a claim" in New Mexico. While he is brown, he is ready, so it is understood, to change his habits and once more become a Hereford citizen.

CYCLONE AT ZEPHYR

Thirty-One Dead, Sixteen not Expected to Live and a Large Number Injured.

In a cyclone that struck the little town of Zephyr in Brown county last Saturday night, thirty-one persons lost their lives, several more are not expected to live and many were injured. The town was literally destroyed and after the storm many ruined and wrecked houses were buried. The property loss is estimated at \$100,000.00. Many of the injured were taken by the Santa Fe road to Temple, Texas where they are now in the hospital. Zephyr is on the Santa Fe road in Brown county, about 15 miles southeast of Brownwood. A list of the dead and injured has been published by the daily papers.

See the Actual Settlers' Association for cheap town lots. 48-1f