

The Hereford Brand

TUESDAYS—TWICE-A-WEEK—FRIDAYS

23RD YEAR, NO. 57.

HEREFORD, DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS, TUESDAY, AUG. 7, 1923.

COTTON GIN CASH BONUS ALL RAISED

SPEEDY WORK DONE BY COMMITTEES CLINCHED IT

REAL SACRIFICE

For the Community's Good Made by Business Men in Drive

The \$2,500 cash bonus for a cotton gin at Hereford has been raised and is in the three banks of Hereford, with the exception of about \$250 that was uncollectible Monday owing to the fact that several men on the list were out of town. But all of these are good, said the three banks, who signed the statement to the Guthrie Cotton Oil Co. that the money was on deposit, and the company was officially notified that Hereford has done her part and is now anxiously awaiting that cotton gin.

This announcement was made at the luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce Monday held at the Stockman's Cafe and was greeted with smiles of congratulation and a hearty vote of thanks to the Cotton Committee, consisting of Geo. L. Muse, chairman, G. A. F. Parker and Albert Herbst, to the Solicitation Committee, consisting of C. A. Skelton, chairman, Carl Cockrell and Lem Carlyle, and to the Collection Committee, consisting of Homer Wilkinson and W. H. Ray, for their determined and splendid work in making this important drive a complete success.

Chairman Wilkinson, in a happy opening talk, called attention to the fine spirit of sacrifice and cooperation for the good of the community displayed by every business man approached for a donation to the gin and the cheerfulness with which they dug down into an already depleted bank account to make sure this venture should be successful. In most instances, said Mr. Wilkinson, it was a real sacrifice to secure this money, but not a murmur was heard and it was the easiest bonus he had ever helped to collect here, and he has been on practically every committee appointed in years for such work.

It was the unanimous opinion Monday that the work of securing the cotton acreage and the cotton gin this year has been the most practical and business-like undertaking of the Chamber of Commerce since its organization over four years ago. The sentiment was voiced Monday that cotton will prove the "missing link" in the agricultural program of the Plains country and, mixed with summer-tilled wheat, oats, row crops and some stock, make the Plains farmer of the future an envied and prosperous individual. A letter from the Guthrie concern was read stating that they expected to arrive here this week and begin active preparations for the erection of the gin.

The table Monday was graced with a cluster of delicious peaches at each plate, the gift of L. P. Landrum of the Hereford Nursery. Mr. Landrum made a brief talk on the Plains as a peach country, calling attention to the fact that he had trees twenty-two years old that have borne eighteen crops, eleven of them in consecutive years, and that it only requires horse sense in selection and a moderate amount of care and attention to insure a peach crop in practically any season here.

D. W. Hawkins displayed some of the finest Gold plums ever seen in Hereford at the luncheon, their size, flavor and profusion of yield causing astonished questions and inquiries.

The secretary read a communication from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce calling attention to freight rate reductions on grain that organization had obtained for Hereford during the past year.

Chairman Wilkinson introduced the newest and youngest member of the organization, Oliver Ray, son of W. H. Ray. Oliver made a neat little speech, congratulating the body on the acquisition of the gin and bringing down the house with the wish that Albert Herbst would chuck his fishing pole for a cotton sack.

It was a cracking good meeting. Another one will be held next Monday at the City Cafe. Those present Monday were: Geo. L. Muse, Henry Wilkinson, L. Baskin, D. F. Ashbrook, Ralph Barnett, E. H. Oberthier, J. H. Wagner, J. E. Hill, C. C. Rockwell, E. S. Ireland, J. Frank Potts, Albert Herbst, Rev. L. N. Lipscomb, Mack Womble, Homer Wilkinson, W. R. Steckman, E. C. Eubanks, G. A. F. Parker, W. H. Ray, Oliver Ray, Seth B. Holman.

Mrs. H. W. Brough mother of Mrs. Owen P. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore, of Roswell, N. M., arrived Friday overland and are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Luther Gregory Bruised and Robbed of Hair by Two Men; Her Home Set Afire But She Escapes

Mrs. Luther Gregory, formerly Miss Ruth Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kemp of the Keise neighborhood in this county, was attacked in her home at Slaton last Sunday night by two men, robbed of her hair, roughly handled, severely bruised, and rendered unconscious, according to a letter received here Tuesday morning from her husband. Afterwards the house was set on fire but the unfortunate lady recovered in time to escape with her life.

The letter was written Monday morning by Mr. Gregory to his father-in-law, Mr. Kemp, after unsuccessful efforts had been made to communicate with him by phone. Mr. Kemp was understood to be running a thrasher in the Summerfield neighborhood. J. E. Bray, a neighbor of the Kemps in Hereford in the past, received the telephone news and the letter and took it to Mr. Kemp before noon Tuesday. It was understood that Mr. and Mrs. Kemp would go to Slaton at once.

According to Mr. Gregory's letter, his wife and a woman companion had been to church Sunday night and retired soon afterwards. The husband works at night for the Santa Fe railroad at Slaton. During the night, the letter said, two men entered the house, attacked Mrs. Gregory, bruised her up severely, cut off her hair, and presumably fired the house. The letter stated that the authorities were scouring the country in search for the culprits. Mr. Gregory stated that he would bring his wife to Hereford as soon as she was physically able.

The Gregorlys left here several months ago for Slaton. They were married here three or four years ago and both are well known in this neighborhood.

G. W. Brumley is Having Time of Life on Big Trip

G. W. Brumley who, with his family, is touring the Pacific Coast and is now somewhere up around Portland or Seattle, writes The Brand the following interesting account of his wanderings:

"Redding, Calif., July 30, 1923. Brand Pub. Co., Hereford, Texas.

"When I left Hereford I promised a number of people I would write them, but it is such a proposition to find time to write, thought I would give you a sketch of our trip and all my friends could get it through The Brand.

"Our first stop was at Grand Canyon, Ariz., where we spent two days. A mighty fine place. Then we spent four days in San Bernardino. From there we went to Pasadena and stayed two days in a very beautiful Park and Auto Camp. There we attended the graduation exercises of Pasadena High School held in the stadium, which seats 75,000 and half were occupied—444 students received diplomas. From there we toured to Santiago, rented an apartment and rested nine days and almost swam the ocean dry. We started again but I couldn't get the folks past Long Beach. We laid up ten days and took a plunge in the surf every day and sometimes twice a day. We were there the fourth and witnessed 300,000 people on the beach. Then we went over to Los Angeles and got enough in two days. Went to Venice and spent the night with J. C. Pollock and family. They are hale and hearty and seem to be enjoying life in its fullest capacity. From there we headed for San Francisco, but I forgot, while we were at Long Beach we took a trip to Catalina Island, which was great. No one got seasick except Mrs. Brumley. She surely fed the fish. We camped across the only trail San Francisco.

"In Oakland, went across on the boat, took in the city and Chinatown at night. From there we went to this Park and spent two days. The kids and I took a hike up the mountain, one and a half miles. Went up 3200 feet and stood on the overhanging rock. Then we hiked thirteen miles around another trail that was real mountain climbing, so you can imagine how tuff we are getting. The children have gained from 8 to 15 lbs. From there we came north through Sacramento and on through northern California, some of the hottest country I ever saw. Yesterday took our dinner at the foot of Mt. Shasta covered with snow. Tonight we are at Crater Lake, Nat. Park Oregon, grand scenery. Have had fine luck, only saw one snowbird of rain, plenty of snow here tonight. Had my picture taken eating snow. When you start on a trip like this be sure you have a good car.

Best regards to all.

G. W. Brumley."

Carnival Party Given Miss Frances Oberthier

Mrs. F. H. Oberthier, Sr., Saturday night tendered her daughter, Miss Frances, and her friends a Carnival Party that was unique in many ways. The beautiful Oberthier lawn was brilliantly lighted and a pipe lined on each side with booths was laid out under the trees. The couples went from booth to booth where balloons, whistles, rattles and all kinds of noise-making articles were dispensed, winding up with a fortune teller's booth where the past, present and future history of each guest was unfolded. Tables were set for Bunco and "42" and refreshments of punch and ice cream cones were served.

Justice Henry Wilson and Family Take Trip

Justice of the Peace J. H. Wilson, with his daughters, Misses Walden and Hazel, and sons, Bob and Hal, left overland Monday for a vacation trip to Colorado.

City Equalization Board Puts Basis at 80 Percent

The board of equalization of the city of Hereford, consisting of Messrs. J. Frank Potts, B. F. Guthrie and J. S. Jones, held an all day session Monday and adjusted property valuations for all corners on a basis of eighty percent of the agreed value of city property.

Orchestra Concert in Open Air Wednesday Nite

The Methodist Church orchestra of fourteen pieces will render an open air concert for the benefit of the public at the Magnolia Filling Station Wednesday night August 8, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. The Chamber of Commerce is making arrangements for the piano, which will be placed on the concrete pavement under the drive-in.

This open air concert for an orchestra is in the nature of a trial, but it is believed that the roof overhead, with careful selection of numbers, will result in volume enough to be heard some distance away. If this particular number is a success arrangements will probably be made for a series of five more such concerts for the benefit of the music-loving public of this vicinity.

Vogele and Kimmons Leave For Trip to Wyoming

N. C. Vogele of The Brand force and Richard Kimmons left in Mr. Vogele's jitney early Monday morning for a three weeks camping trip into the Rocky Mountains near Saratoga, Wyoming. Mr. Vogele has some cousins up in that region, sheep men, that he has not seen in twenty-five years. He has been invited to come out and renew acquaintances and he and Mr. Kimmons expect to have a great time at an altitude of 10,000 feet. Their route was planned via Denver and Cheyenne. Saratoga being situated about forty miles across the Colorado state line.

Miss Alice Johnson is Away on Leave Absence

Miss Alice Johnson, stenographer at the First State Bank & Trust Co., who has not been well for some time, has obtained a leave of absence and left Tuesday for Pueblo, Colo., where she will visit a sister for a couple of weeks, afterwards going on to California for several weeks with another sister before returning to her duties here. During Miss Johnson's absence her place at the bank is being filled by Miss Alice G. Judson of Amarillo. Miss Judson is an experienced office woman, having been office manager for the past three years for the Coble-Heywood Oil Syndicate.

Rev. Merrill Back Home With Visiting Relatives

The Rev. Paul J. Merrill of the Christian church returned Monday afternoon from Memphis, Texas, where he conducted a most successful revival service. Accompanying Rev. Merrill were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tarwater and family of Ft. Worth and Miss Jessie Bell McCall, a guest of Miss Grace Tarwater. Mrs. Tarwater is a sister of Rev. Merrill.

Breckenridge Judge and Lady Visit J. J. Clark

County Judge Richey of Breckenridge, Texas, accompanied by Mrs. Richey, who are enroute to Colorado resorts, are spending a few days in the J. J. Clark home before proceeding on their journey.

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T-Anchor Ranch Reunion is Set For August 23

The second annual reunion of the cowboys of the famous T Anchor ranch will be held near the ranch headquarters, two miles northeast of Canyon, August 23. Arrangements are being made to care for more than 300 guests. Every cowpuncher who was in the Panhandle in 1890 or prior to that time has been invited to be a guest of the occasion.

Vas Strickley of Canadian is president of the association, A. H. Elliston of Hereford, vice-president, and Miss Laura V. Hamner of Amarillo, secretary.

Gus Lee, the old negro cook of the T Anchor's now a resident of Roswell, N. M., has already announced that he will be present and arrangements have been made for an old fashioned chuck wagon and all that goes with it so that Gus may serve the boys who attend the reunion, in the old time range style.

Former employees of the L.N. S.L. LIT. L.E. J.J. Bravo, J.A. Fryling, Pao, Bar N Bar, and other early day ranches have been especially invited to attend this reunion.

Forest Randall and Miss Mable Jowell Are Married

Forest Randall, son of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Randall of Amarillo, whose real home is in Castro county, and Miss Mable Jowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. (Rat) Jowell of Hereford, were married in Canyon Sunday, August 5, at 9:00 a. m., at the Methodist Parsonage, Rev. M. M. Beavers performing the ceremony. Miss Gladys Beavers played the wedding march. The bride wore a traveling costume of navy blue with gray accessories and carried a bridal bouquet of pink and white rosebuds. Albert Randall of Amarillo, the groom's brother, his wife and little daughter and Miss Mary Hicks of Hereford were the only guests. Immediately after the ceremony the party left for Amarillo, where a wedding dinner was served at the home of the groom's parents. Eighteen relatives and friends were present.

The happy couple will make their home in Amarillo, where Mr. Randall is employed with the City Drug Store. Both are graduates of Hereford High School, the bride of the class of '22 and the groom of the class of '19. Both were raised in this community and their hosts of friends here wish them every happiness in their wedded life.

Miss Grace Ferguson is Hostess at Nice Dinner

Miss Grace Ferguson entertained with a four course dinner Sunday in honor of Miss Medora Barnes of Arlington, Texas, who is visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hicks. Sweet pens were utilized for the center piece and for favors. Guests were Misses Medora Barnes, Maudie Boyer, Grace Ferguson, and Messrs. Bernard Hicks, Harold Hicks and Egbert Brady.

Coolidge Proclaims Friday, August 10, Nation's Mourning Day in Memory of Warren Harding

The first official act of Calvin Coolidge as President of the United States was the issuance of the following proclamation to the people of the nation, announcing the death of his predecessor, Warren G. Harding, and setting aside Friday, August 10, as a day of mourning for the lamented dead.

Meanwhile the funeral train bearing the body of the late Mr. Harding has been speeding across the continent from San Francisco to Washington, where it was due to arrive Tuesday. Literally thousands of uncovered and sorrowing people silently lined the tracks at every station enroute. Funeral services were scheduled at Washington Wednesday, with burial at Marion, Ohio, on Friday.

PROCLAMATION

Following is the text of President Coolidge's proclamation setting aside Friday, August 10, as a day of mourning for the death of President Harding:

By the President of the United States: A Proclamation to the People of the United States: In the inscrutable wisdom of Divine Providence Warren Gamaliel Harding, twenty-ninth President of the United States, has been taken from us. The Nation has lost a wise and enlightened statesman and the people a true friend and counselor, whose public life was inspired with the desire to promote the best interests of the United States and the welfare of its citizens. The private life was marked by gentle-

A District Gun Club Shoot is Called Here Aug. 16

Perryton, Roswell, Amarillo and Slaton to Challenge Locals

A district-gun-club shoot is scheduled for Hereford on August 16, according to announcement made by local officials this week. Members of the gun clubs of Perryton, Roswell, Amarillo and Slaton will be here to match their skill against the Hereford gunners. One hundred and fifteen 10-yard singles will be offered, with a fifty handicap. The shoot will begin at 1:00 p. m. and a good crowd from all the points mentioned is expected.

New Golf Champion Emerges in Play-off Finals

Albert Herbst is the champion of the Hereford Golf Club, at least for the time being, by virtue of a victory won over Brack Williams in the finals of the hole tournament just completed. Mr. Williams was the first champion of the club. The third tournament, just begun, may furnish surprises and spring a new champion, if the luck of the ancient game holds true throughout.

The qualifying round for the third tournament is now in progress. The men matched in this round are not playing against each other but against par. After all have qualified, the scores they make in this preliminary round are taken as a basis for matching them up, after which the elimination will begin and the champion uncovered. Some fine qualifying scores have already been turned in to Secretary Homer Fox and this contest promises to be the most interesting of any that have been attempted heretofore.

Judge Dewey Lawrence and Family Are Visitors

Judge Dewey Lawrence of Paris, Texas, county judge of Lamar county, accompanied by Mrs. Lawrence and baby and Mrs. Lawrence's sister, Mrs. Ben Allen, arrived in Amarillo Monday and were met there by Fred Oberthier, Jr., brother of the two ladies, and brought to Hereford for a visit, with the Oberthier family here.

Judge Lawrence, who is making his first visit here since his marriage, was around town Tuesday renewing acquaintances.

Henry Hastings Substitutes While Cockrell Gone

During the absence of Carl Cockrell and family in Missouri the business of the Texas Oil Company, of which Mr. Cockrell is local manager, is being looked after by Henry Hastings.

BIG DITCHER BEGINS WORK HERE MONDAY

DOES WORK OF 100 SHOVEL MEN, IS IT'S CLAIM

WATER & SEWER

Extensions Planned Last April Are Now Being Actually Made

The big ditching machine of the Irick & Son contracting firm of Plainview arrived in Hereford last week and Monday began to literally cut up the dirt on the streets selected by the city commission for water and sewerage extensions. Curious crowds have been watching the endless chain of digger-buckets scoop up the earth, convey it to a belt and then have it thrown out to one side in a neat line as the monster slowly walks ahead, leaving a uniform and complete ditch ready for the laying of pipe. It is estimated that the machine saves the labor of 100 men with pick axes, and after watching the outfit travel down the streets the residents of Hereford are willing to agree with the estimate.

The contract for about a mile and a half of sewer and about a mile of water main was let by the city last April. The work will cost in the neighborhood of \$19,000 to 20,000, which will be met by city warrants, accepted as cash by the contractors. A special tax of approximately ten cents will be levied to take care of these warrants and interest, the series being so arranged that the interest and part of the principal will be cut down each year, gradually retiring the warrant issue. The warrants will run from sixteen to twenty years.

The installation of this additional protection will result in the automatic lowering of many individual fire rate charges over the districts affected by the new water lines.

The new sewerage line will begin at the apex of the D. C. Laird triangle in east Hereford and run west on Tenth street to a point near Mrs. Rutherford's residence where it will deflect slightly northwest to avoid the big lake and run through to 25 Mile Avenue. This will be an eight inch line, about 3800 feet long. Six inch laterals will radiate out at right angles from this main line through the different residential blocks, to reach the homes to be served. It is estimated the laterals will require between five and six thousand feet of pipe.

Extension water lines will consist of six inch cast-iron pipe. One line will start from the Christian church north of the city and run east on Tenth street north of Mothers' Park to the E. B. Posey corner and then north on B street to the northeast corner of Block 41 (just south of Mrs. Wilkinson's). Another line will start west from the Guthrie corner to 25 Mile Avenue. A third line will be run out on Third street from Dow Mercer's corner to 25 Mile Avenue. A fourth line will begin at the F. T. Robinson corner, opposite Mrs. R. N. Monnts, and run east on Tenth street to Mrs. L. R. Brady's residence, and another line will be run up G street from the Laird triangle to the high school. It is figured that ten new fire hydrants will be installed on this enlarged system, giving the larger part of the city limits first class protection.

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New Bridge Will Be Completed in Couple of Weeks

Rapid progress is being made on the new bridge at the foot of Main street across the Tierra Blanco and the contracting firm in charge announces that in a probability they will be through within the next two weeks. Work on the big job, which when completed will practically cut out all grade on the road, is progressing rapidly and before the first of September Hereford will have one of the most modern bridges and most convenient approaches to the city from the south to be found in this section.

Giant Cucumber Shown Here by J. B. Phillips

J. B. Phillips brought in a cucumber to The Brand office one day last week that closely resembled a runt watermelon. This particular specimen is about fourteen inches long and was grown in Mr. Phillips' garden. By dividing it into sections The Brand's forced was enabled to supply the tables at three homes for a meal.

Richard Lloyd Jones tells About The Light Maker

WE were groping our way across the street intersection which was hidden in the pitch blackness of a moonless midnight when we were startled by the rattle of the dead arc-lamp above us. Then we heard the creak of the pulley that held it and we knew that somewhere close to us in that dark stillness was a man feeding out the rope to lower the lamp to the street level. We waited and watched. Presently a flash lamp was laid on the ground and revealed the lame lamp and its doctor. By the dim reflection we saw him place a platform which he presently mounted and then went to work.

Walking toward him we announced our approach by the inquiry, "I suppose that step you are standing on is insulated?"

"Yes," he replied.

"With glass knobs?" we observed,—by way of making conversation to glean a morsel of electrical information.

"Stand back a little," he said, "the wind might sweep the lamp over to you, and you're on the ground."

"I suppose you're perfectly safe on your platform?" was our next feeler.

"Safe as long as I use but one hand at a time," he said. "By using two hands I can easily make a short circuit through my body."

"That would kill you of course?" we added knowingly.

"Maybe not," he replied.

"It isn't the instant shock that kills but the continued shock. The current cooks the blood cells. If enough of the blood cells become so cooked that the other cells cannot cure them, you die. But if most of your blood cells are left normal you will live. I short-circuited a

current that was three times the voltage here. It was so great that instead of holding me it repelled me. It threw me to the ground. I was unconscious many minutes. But as you see, I was not killed. The burning process did not last long enough."

"Does this street meet with Jennifer down there?" he said, pointing to an arc a block below. "I am not much acquainted about this district. I am a student. Good night," he said, and he was off to lighten up the dark highways of men.

We didn't learn much about electricity in that curb talk in the midnight hour, but we learned again the scholar's duty.

He is a wasteful student who does not use that which he knows for the benefit of other men. It is the soldier scholar who serves, and who justifies the universities of the world. The man who finds in culture only a source of self-gratification, who is contented with the mere possession of culture, who is not impatient to use it, who is unwilling to take the risk of getting short-circuited in the currents of life that he might while he lives do his part to light up the dark avenues of the world, is not living true to the highest purposes of life. He serves a high service who goes about alone, cautious, but fearless, spreading light in this still dark and troubled world, and giving it without the applause of those who profit by it and who never see the good deed done.

Along the dark and silent pathway in that midnight hour that student was putting into practice the highest preachment in life. Willingness to do some good unseen, some good that brightens the pathway of others is the soldier service open to all.

If each of us would mend a lamp or light a lamp, risk a little to do a little for the common good, this old world would fast grow better and seem much brighter.



DEMMITT
Mr. and Mrs. Lester J. Vick of Chickasha, Oklahoma, visited in the home of Judge and Mrs. Ray Sheffy last week.

Miss Viola Peters of Chickasha, Oklahoma arrived Thursday for a four weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. May S. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Van O'Neal and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Heaves and son left the latter part of the week for the mountains in New Mexico where they expect to spend several days fishing and enjoying out door life. They made the trip in their cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Montgomery and small son, Billy, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Womack.

Mrs. Jake Acker and daughter, Pauline, of St. Francis, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Acker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore Thursday.

Rev. J. Myers of Abilene, Texas arrived Friday and conducted the remainder of the services of the Christian meeting that has been in session here the past two weeks. Rev. Myers preached some very fine spiritual sermons, which I am sure helped the community immensely. Rev. Reynolds of Plainview, who started in to hold the meeting, was called home Thursday evening as his daughter was quite sick with fever. We hope he finds his daughter improving.

Mrs. Mayes Miller was quite sick Wednesday and Thursday, but is able to be up again.

Edwin Ramey and J. C. Montgomery made a business trip to Hereford Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Carter returned last week after several days visit with friends in Hereford.

Mrs. Hill of Houston, Texas is spending this week with her niece, Mrs. J. W. Alexander.

Little Johnstanton Rippy, son of Mrs. Mand Rippy, was thrown from his horse last week, breaking his right arm. Johnstanton broke this same arm about two months ago, but this last break was much worse than before. We hope he will soon recover.

Johnie Cross of Mineral Wells was in Dimmitt Sunday. Mr. Cross was on his way to visit relatives in New Mexico.

Don't forget the old fashioned Camp Meeting will begin Wednesday evening.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Hereford Lodge No. 545, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings, second Monday each month.

GEO. L. MUSE, W. M. J. S. JONES, Sec.

Hereford Chapter 248, R. A. M. Regular meetings, first Monday of each month.

CARL F. COCKRELL, H. P. J. S. JONES, Sec.

Aug. 8. Everyone is urged to attend all services and bring someone with you.

Mutt Cone left Saturday for an extended trip to New Mexico.

Grandpa Hunt is on the sick list this week. We hope he soon feels well again.

Rev. Myers spent Sunday night in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Miller and Monday morning Dr. Miller took him to Tulla, where he boarded the early morning train for his home in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Starke returned to their home in Wellington, Texas Wednesday after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Womack and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery.

Mrs. C. F. Kerr and daughter, Frankie, and son, Ravis, of Canyon have been visiting in Dimmitt the past few days. Mrs. Kerr also visited Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Gibbreath in Oton.

The Sanitary Grocery is building a new front porch this week and the new business is looking very attractive.

NOTICE FOR CASTRO COUNTY

Herety gives notice that on July 20, 1923, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., its application for a certificate that the present and future public convenience and necessity require or will require the construction of a line of railroad from Tucumcari, Quay County, New Mexico, to Seymour, Baylor County, Texas, a distance of approximately 303 miles; also the construction of a line of railroad from Perrin, Jack County, Texas, to the City of Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas, a distance of approximately 57 miles. The total length of lines proposed to be constructed is approximately 300 miles. Texas Panhandle and Gulf Railroad Company. 57-59-61

NAZARETH

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kleman were in Tulla on business Wednesday.

Paul Kern went to Lockney and different places Tuesday, returning home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bickel and family of Washburn are visiting at the Henry Drerup home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heidgerkin were in Dimmitt Saturday.

Bill Stork was in Tulla Saturday. Miss Rose Wilhelm, Ed Kern, Charles Wilhelm, Henry Wilhelm and Clarence Kern were in Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Drerup and Mr. and Mrs. John Bickel were in Tulla Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Math Gerber and family visited at the Henry Kohls home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kleman and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kleman visited at the Joe Guggemos home Sunday.

Ed Kern purchased a new Chevrolet touring car last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stengel of Rhineland are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bickel. Mrs. Stengel is a sister of Mrs. Bickel.

Everett Braddock of Amarillo was visiting friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stengel and family of Rhineland are visiting in the M.

C. Dobmeier home. Mrs. Stengel is a cousin of Mrs. Dobmeier.

ARNEY—BLUE RIDGE

J. E. Davis, two sons, Earl and Frank, and Marques Burks made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steal and Mrs. M. T. Bailey's daughter, Ora, all of Amarillo visited in the Bailey home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis and Mrs. C. L. Goad made a business trip to Dimmitt Tuesday afternoon.

Kenney Walker of Dallas visited at the home of M. T. Bailey from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. Maples of Jumbo and Mr. Rice of Hart were business callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Taylor Tuesday afternoon.

William Ward of Hereford, who has been attending Pacific Union College at St. Helena, California the past year and is home for the summer, visited at the J. E. Davis home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bailey and Henry Dixon were in Happy transacting business Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Dallas spent the day Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bailey.

Frank Davis is riding around in a new Star touring car which he purchased last Monday while in Amarillo. Floyd Fortner's father of Foard City, Texas is visiting his son and helping Floyd to do some improving on his ranch.

Mrs. White, who is spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Morris, is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Minnie Brooks and son, Foy, made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. Mapes and Mr. Rice were business callers at the home of Charlie Hogge Tuesday morning.

Howard and Wenell Morris spent Monday night with homefolks and Tuesday morning made a business trip to Amarillo, returning home Wednesday.

J. E. Davis was a business caller at Floyd Fortner's ranch Tuesday.

M. T. Bailey and son, Guy, were in Hereford last Saturday afternoon.

Will Dixon and son, Henry, and little grandson were in Happy one day last week.

S. J. Taylor was a business caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hogge Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright of Happy spent the day Monday at the home of Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. Charlie Hogge, and family.

Lawrence Taylor was in Tulla Thursday transacting business.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Joe

G. White is improving after a few days illness.

Mrs. J. E. Morris's baby has been very sick for the last few days.

Mrs. Joe G. White and little daughter, Anita, and son, Brown, were shopping in Tulla Thursday morning.

Lawrence Taylor was in Happy Friday.

Good Job Printing at The Brand.

WYCHE

Mimes Vera, Ruth, Alberta and Ruby Dugan visited in the Wyche home Saturday.

Joe Faulkenberry and son, Walter, returned to their home in McCauley, Texas Sunday, after a pleasant visit in the home of Mr. Faulkenberry's son, Ira Faulkenberry.

Mrs. R. L. Elliston and daughter, (Continued on Page 3.)

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FOR SALE—One Jersey milk cow, 6 yrs. old, be fresh in August, \$50.00 if taken now. One milk cow, 2 1/2 yrs. old, 1/4 Jersey, fresh soon, \$40.00. One coming 2 yr. old Heifer, well bred, half Jersey, half Holstein, \$30.00, bred. These cows can be seen at Hubert Miller's, 2 1/2 miles north of Dawn. 56-7tPd

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WYCHE
(Continued from page 2)

Alta May, who have been visiting in the home of Mrs. Elliston's mother, Mrs. E. H. Morrow, at Farmersville, Texas, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Paddock and son, Fay, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. L. Cannon at Summerfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hagar of Hereford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clem Dugan.

Oleta Elliston spent Saturday with Mildred and Annie Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hough and son, Joe, Walk Brady and J. J. Clayton have just returned from a plum hunt on the Canadian river. They found lots of plums.

Mrs. Clem Dugan visited Miss Elath Elliston last Saturday.

Miss Ella Alkman returned from Duncan, Oklahoma Sunday, where she has been visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Dugan, J. W. Dugan and son, James, went to Wildorado Friday to visit in the home of Mrs. Dugan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Moseley and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Hough.

Oleta and Alta May Elliston visited the Sawyers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Hough, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Moseley and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cox spent Friday on the creek fishing and picnicing.

A small cyclone hit the Wyche residence last Sunday about 8 o'clock p. m. It blew out a window sash and uprooted a tree. A few minutes before the storm there was a feeling of suspense in nature—an oppressive stillness, then a sudden wind which gave the house one twist and was gone, leaving a hot, sultry atmosphere, followed by electrical disturbances. Not until several minutes later did our steady western gale return which we know so well and never fear.

BETHEL

Mrs. Irvin Hamilton and children spent Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lambert.

Mrs. C. Douglas of Dimmitt spent Saturday night with her friend, Mrs. Ed Smith.

SPRING LAKE

The Ladies Aid met all day with Mrs. H. M. Packard on Thursday, Aug. 2. About twenty ladies were present and a great deal of work was accomplished. Most of the work for the day was the making of aprons for the bazaar to be

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Ed Smith, Sunday Mrs. Smith and family and Mrs. Douglas attended church in Dimmitt.

Most all of our wheat has been thrashed now. It did not yield as much as was expected, some making only four, five and seven bushels to the acre.

Messrs. Emmett Rothwell and Lois Rushing were freighting their wheat to Hereford Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Smith and Miss Evelyn and Mrs. Jim Bagwell and children were business visitors in Hereford Wednesday.

J. Z. Smith left Hereford Wednesday morning for Amarillo where he will join his daughter, Mrs. R. B. Johnson, and family for an extended motor trip. The party expect to be gone several weeks and will tour Colorado and New Mexico. John Smith accompanied J. Z. Smith to Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mounitz and children, Mr. Mounitz and son, Walter, and Misses Lambert and Dameron motored to the Lambert ranch Thursday afternoon where a delightful picnic supper was given in honor of Mr. Mounitz and Walter, of Indiana, where are visiting in the home of C. J. Mounitz. The afternoon was spent in visiting and looking over the ranch and music. The well filled lunch baskets disclosed all the good things to eat including fried chicken, salads, deviled eggs, potato chips, canned chicken, roasted corn, and sandwiches, strawberry pie, lemonade, ice cream and cake. At a late hour the party returned to Hereford. Mr. Mounitz and son expect to leave Tuesday for a trip through Colorado in their car before returning to their home in Indiana.

Mrs. Wirt Phillips and children returned home Thursday from several days visit with Mrs. Sisk in Hereford.

Mr. Showalter's sister and niece of Lubbock are visiting in the Showalter home.

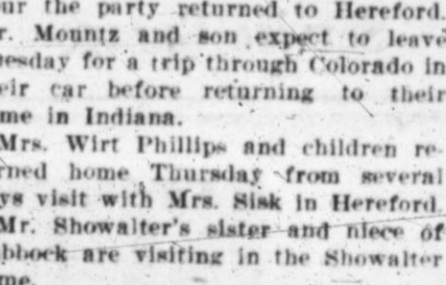
Mrs. Ed Smith and Miss Evelyn attended the revival services in Dimmitt Thursday evening.

Miss Effie Rushing made several calls in our neighborhood Thursday.

Irvin Hamilton, who has been cutting wheat for Rev. Fort of the Big Square, community returned home Friday.

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given this fall on Thanksgiving day or near that time. A great deal of fancy work will be gotten by the purchasing committee to distribute among the members to be made up. A delicious dinner was served cafeteria style and much enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Blackwell of Gun Site, Texas is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed White.

Spring Lake ball team went to Sudan on Saturday to play ball with the Sudan team. Spring Lake won with a score of 7 to 11.

J. B. Lawson of Wichita Falls spent the week end with his wife and family in the home of G. R. Linville.

Several parties went plum hunting on sand hills the past week. The patches of ripe plums seemed to have been rather few. The pickings varied from a few gallons to several bushels by different ones.

Mrs. Russell White, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yelton of Spokane, Washington for the past two months, returned home Friday. She also visited in the home of Mr. White's mother, Mrs. E. R. Guest, of Ogden, Utah, while away.

The Yeltons and Guests were formerly of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Greenlee, formerly of this community but who now live in Washington, are the proud parents of a little boy, born in July.

HORSE SENSE

"If you work for a man, in heaven's name work for him. If he pays you wages that supply you your bread and butter, work for him, speak well of him, think well of him, stand by him, and stand by the institution he represents. I think if I worked for a man I would work for him, I would not work for him a part of his time, but all of his time. I would give an undivided service or none. If put to a pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a

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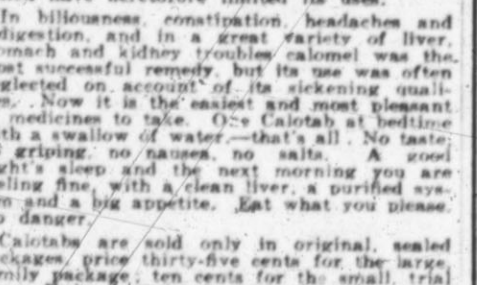
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pound of cleverness. If you must vilify, condemn and eternally disparage, why, resign your position, and when you are outside, damn to your heart's content. But, I pray you, so long as you are a part of an institution, do not condemn it. Not that you will injure the institution—not that—but when you disparage the concern of which you are a part, you disparage yourself."—Elbert Hubbard.

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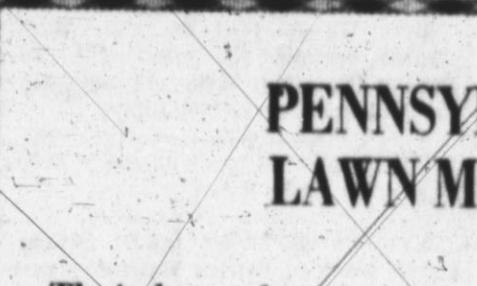
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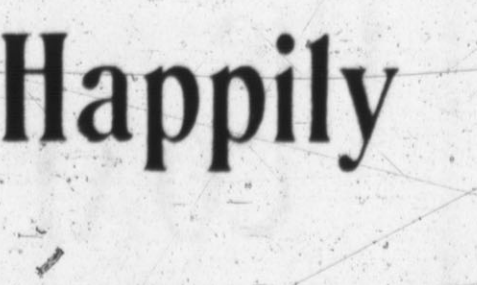
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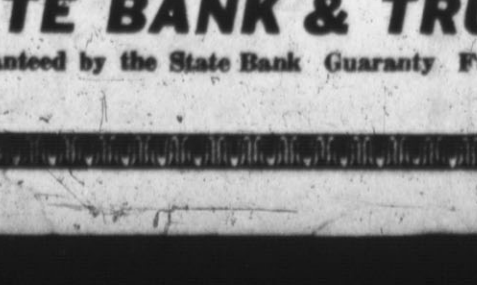
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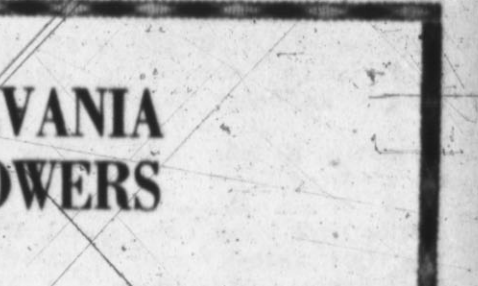
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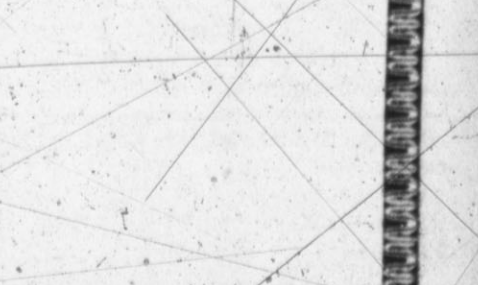
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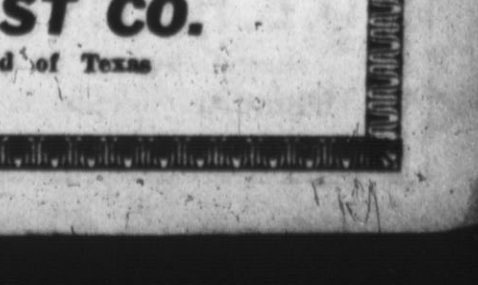
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Local Happenings

Miss Francis Bule went to Dallas Saturday morning.

Carl Gilliland is attending court in Canyon this week.

Joe Lancaster of Canyon was in this city for the week end.

Bathing Caps at Clark's Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nunn went to Amarillo Saturday morning.

B. Frank Bule is attending district court in Canyon this week.

J. E. Bray was called to Plainview Monday morning on business.

Cut Glass Water Sets, Wednesday only, \$2.95. W. H. Ray.

Bill Black went to Amarillo Tuesday to spend a few days with friends.

J. A. Wiley reached home Saturday morning from Hot Springs, N. Mex.

Misses Cathrine and Mary Sharp reached Hereford Saturday morning from Denver, Colo.

Prewitt News will save you the trouble of sending your subscriptions in.

Miss Nell Wyche went to Amarillo Sunday and will spend the week in the home of D. R. Simpson.

Seven piece cut glass water sets, Wednesday only, \$2.95. W. H. Ray.

Mrs. Nelson Pierce left Tuesday for Canyon to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Hough.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Carlyle and Mrs. C. A. Skelton motored to Amarillo Tuesday and spent the day.

Eastman Kodaks and Films at Clark's Drug Store.

Miss Dene Dunlap and friend, Miss Peg Hyer, visited friends in Amarillo the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gass, Mrs. Will Anthony and children went to Tulla Sunday for a few days visit.

Geo. McCurry would very much like for the gentleman who borrowed his umbrella a few weeks ago, to bring it back.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Bronson and children of Big Square were in Hereford shopping Saturday morning.

Messrs. R. L. Chille, W. H. Massie, W. A. Massie and Ed Massie of Friona were in Hereford Saturday on business.

Mrs. N. E. McIntire and daughter, Imogene, of Canyon spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gass.

Special for \$ Wednesday, Cut Glass Water Sets, for \$2.95, at Ray's.

N. E. Gass left Sunday for the eastern markets. Mrs. Gass went as far as Canyon and spent the day with her parents.

Miss Leah Thurmond has as her guests this week her cousin, Miss Irene Hall, and friend, Miss Willie Mae Marney of Farwell.

Notice
Dr. G. W. Heard will not be in his office this week, as he has been called out of town.

Miss Iva Russell of Independence, Kansas arrived here Monday morning for a visit in the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. B. Brumley.

Get your ice cream at Prewitt News Stand after church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith and daughter of Amarillo arrived in this city Monday and will remain here through the week. Mr. Smith is here in the interest of the International Harvester Co.

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Farmer-Labor Senator from Minnesota,



Magnus Johnson, Minnesota's new "dirt-farm" Senator, taken off his coat and exposes his gallowass when he has a message to get across. Insert photo is of Mrs. Johnson who thinks she will stay on the farm with their six children when her husband goes to Washington to take his seat in the Senate at the next session of Congress.

Rev. W. R. Hill of the Baptist Church, occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist Church in Amarillo, both morning and evening last Sunday.

Edison records received every Friday at Clark's Drug Store.

Mrs. Carrie Bond and daughter, Ethel, went to Bovina Saturday morning. Mrs. Bond and daughter are from Panhandle and are visiting in this vicinity.

Wish we could make Cut Glass Water sets for \$1 on \$ Wednesday, but we can't. Our special price for Wednesday will be a 7 piece Cut Glass Water set, for \$2.95.

We are strictly pushing the produce business. Watch our test on cream and our prices on eggs and poultry. Hereford Produce Co. I. H. Spratt.

Miss Elizabeth LeGrand left Hereford Saturday morning for Cloudcroft, New Mexico and El Paso, Texas. Miss LeGrand will teach the coming school term in El Paso.

Notice
Hereafter all laundry work will be strictly Cash When Delivered.
57-2t-Pd J. M. Ashlock.

Ed L. Nowels, who has been visiting in the home of his father-in-law, B. Frank Bule, left Monday for his home in Two Buttes, Colo. Mrs. Nowels will remain thru the summer with her parents.

Besides retailing, we wholesale and deliver, day or night, gas, kerosene, lubricating oils, greases. Special attention to tractors and threshers. Day fone 341, night 231.
54-4t Service—U—Like Station.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bynum and son, Ralph, of Brownfield, Texas visited in Hereford last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brady and R. W. Baird. Mrs. Bynum is a sister of R. W. Baird and Mr. Bynum is a brother of Mrs. Brady.

The U. D. C.'s will hold their regular meeting Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Club rooms.

Ed E. Meeks is Seriously Ill at Clovis, Report

Information was received here early Monday morning of the serious illness of Ed E. Meeks of Clovis, N. M., brother of M. O. Meeks of this county and well known here. M. O. Meeks and wife left overland at once for his bedside. It is understood he was suddenly stricken with paralysis.

Mrs. Chris Garrison and Relatives Here Sunday

Mrs. Chris Garrison, accompanied by relatives, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thomas of Dallas, came over from Canyon and spent Sunday in her home here. Mrs. Garrison's sister, Mrs. Hall, is looking after the Garrison home here during the summer term of school at Canyon.

L. M. Forister Moves Family to Amarillo

L. M. Forister has closed out the local Stephens Associated Tire Shop chain store which he has been operating for several months and Monday took his family and household effects in Ed Connell's big Packard truck to Amarillo, where it is understood he will open a rooming house.

Joel Murchison is Home After Spell Sickness

Joel Murchison came home Friday from McAllen, Texas, on the Gulf Coast, where he has been sojourning for several months. Joel looks thin and pale and reports that he has been confined to a hospital for the last two months.

E. S. Ireland Will Go To South Texas Points

E. S. Ireland of the real estate firm of Hill & Ireland, was planning a business trip Wednesday to Galveston and other south Texas points, expecting to be absent some two or three weeks.

Party Leaves Sunday for Different Destinations

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cockrell and children, Doug Fox and Miss Grace Lucas, who has been visiting the Cockrells, formed a party that left Hereford on Sunday morning's train. Mr. and Mrs. Cockrell go to Princeton, Mo. Mr. Cockrell's old home, for a visit with relatives, Miss Lucas is enroute to St. Joseph, Mo., where she will again teach in the public schools, and Mr. Fox is headed for the markets of St. Louis and Kansas City.

Mrs. M. B. McLean Compliments Visiting Ladies

Complimenting her sister, Miss Dene Dunlap, and Miss Margaret Hyer, of Dallas, the guest of the latter, Mrs. M. B. McLain entertained the Bridge Club on last Tuesday morning. Garden flowers lent an atmosphere of cheer to the rooms. In the games of Bidge high score was won by Mrs. Arch Collins and low score by Mrs. R. Collins. An ice course was served to twenty people. Guests of the occasion were Misses Dunlap, Hyer, Elizabeth Boyce, Lillian Tannehill, Grace Lucas, and Mesdames R. Collins, C. P. Cockrell and Jim Rutherford.

Roy Gough Pays Brief Visit Here Tuesday

Roy Gough, son of Judge L. Gough, drove into town Tuesday morning for

a few hours visit with relatives and friends. Roy, who is a student at A. & M. College, is working in the Extension Service at the College and took a brief vacation for a visit to his home here and to see his father at Amarillo. He reports flourishing prospects at the College for the coming year with many new students in prospect.

Take advantage of Hereford's Dollar Wednesday—every Wednesday. It will save you many dollars annually.

R. A. Long Will Return To Home in Clarendon

R. A. Long, who has been holding down the job as pharmacist at the City Drug Store for the past six weeks while Rex Tynes took his vacation, was planning to leave for his home at Clarendon Wednesday morning.

Mr. Long has made many friends during his stay here who will regret to lose him.

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