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HEREFORD WIFE KILLED DURING HEATED QUARREL AT FARM HOME PARADE INAUGURATES TWO-CITY BEAUTIFYING MATCH

ALL ORGANIZATIONS PARADE IN BIG CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN INAUGURATED HERE FRIDAY

Boy Scouts Head Marching Order Which Includes Representations from All Clubs and Civic Organizations Entered In Project to Help Hereford Triumph Over Neighboring City In Contest.

Officially to inaugurate civic entrance into the Canyon-Hereford clean-up contest will be the mammoth parade to be staged here Friday afternoon, June 1, when schools, churches and other organizations will combine in what is expected to be the largest affair of its kind ever seen in Hereford.

Cooperating with the Chamber of Commerce, study clubs and similar organizations, the committee on arrangements, headed by Mrs. J. C. Ricketts and Mrs. J. P. Stanton, general chairman, expect to secure representations from every organized body in Hereford. Those with cars who have not yet received a personal invitation to join the parade, are asked to be on hand Friday afternoon to help make the event a success.

Begins At Four.
Promptly at 3:45, paraders will assemble at Fourth and Main streets, on the vacant lot north of the Star Theatre. Mounted Boy Scouts will line up in front of the brand office and other divisions will fall in line in the following marching order:
Mounted police.
Boy Scouts.
Mayor E. S. Ireland.

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Interest Shown In Campaign for Clean City

The contest between Hereford and Canyon in the matter of beautifying the towns is beginning to get interesting. On last week a committee of inspection made a trip over Hereford in order to check up on the situation. This trip of inspection revealed several things very definitely.

There was much gratified to see that the citizens of Hereford are really taking the contest seriously as evidenced by an unusual cleanliness of most premises and the presence of new shrubbery and improvements of buildings. There is every evidence that Hereford has caught the spirit of this contest and that the community will present a far more pleasing appearance this year than in many years previous.

Places which have been the concentration points for junk are being cleaned up by owners and tenants in several instances. The committee feels greatly encouraged by this effort of owners and tenants to clean up and beautify their premises, since these concentration junk points have greatly marred the beauty of the town for several years past.

Only in a few instances has there been evidence of tardiness in getting into the contest. Of course, it is not always possible for everybody to get an even break in this kind of thing. On the whole, however, the situation is greatly improved over other years. The committee feels that so long as they allow themselves to be discouraged by the recent haul, although it was quite destructive. In the first place, the town with which they are contending has passed through the same experience. In the next place, most of the people will remember that two years ago a far more destructive haul and one of greater duration came something near two weeks later, and that in spite of that the town of Hereford surmounted that difficulty and presented a very pleasing appearance before the close of summer.

Players Lose To Clarendon In Golf Meet

Hereford could win but three of the eighteen matches played at Clarendon last Sunday in a return match with the Clarendon Golf Club. It will be remembered that Clarendon journeyed up here several weeks ago and lost fourteen out of twenty matches on the local links.

The play at Clarendon Sunday was close throughout, but the Hereford men simply could not win. J. A. Pittman and J. L. Roden of Friona were the three who downed their opponents after tough battles. Doug Fox carried Bill Cook, well known traveling man, to the nineteenth green before he succumbed. Jesse Osborn of Friona also made his man travel nineteen holes before conceding defeat.

The four Friona members of the Hereford club made a splendid showing Sunday, as they have done all season. Mr. Roden, former druggist here and now with the City Drug Store at Friona, won a prize of three Silver King golf balls hung up by Clarendon for the man who could drive the longest ball inside the fairway. The Hereford boys are generous in their praise of the Clarendon course, of the town itself, and especially of the splendid sportsmanship and hospitality of the Donkey county golfing fraternity.

Golfers making the trip from here, including Friona members, were J. A. Pittman, J. J. Clark, E. D. Fox, B. F. Marrs, J. R. Roden, H. L. Rice, A. A. Foster, J. C. Wilkinson, S. P. Rossion, L. C. Foster, J. L. Dossy, D. Lange, Chick Bennett, J. H. Patton, George V. Stambaugh, J. L. Sharman, Jesse Osborn and C. P. Cockrell.

Mind Wanders; Car Overtakes Injuring Two

Driving carelessness is believed to have been responsible for an automobile accident near here Sunday morning in which Paul Ramsey, Tulsa undertaker, was perhaps fatally injured and his seven-year-old son badly shocked and scratched. Young Ramsey was driving.

The two men were on their way to visit another of Mr. Ramsey's sons, Paul Ramsey, Jr., thirty miles west of Hereford. About fifteen miles west on the Harrison highway, young Ramsey is said to have taken his eyes from the road for a minute, during which time the car, a Ford coupe, left the road and turned completely over in the ditch. An ambulance was summoned from Hereford, and the injured men were removed to Tulsa late Sunday afternoon. Little hope for the recovery of the elder Mr. Ramsey was held by the attending physician.

Miss Edna Schulz, of Tacoma, Washington, arrived this week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Schulz. Miss Schulz is Tacoma supervisor for the Pacific Bell Telephone Company.

TESTERS ORGANIZE

Lester Galley Elected President of Organization to Test Dairy Stock Here. Amarillo Man Named as Official Tester; Starts June 1.

Lester Galley of Hereford was elected president of the Deaf Smith-Randall counties cow-testing association at the first regular meeting of that organization held last Friday night at Canyon. Jim Lipscomb of this county, was elected to the board of directors.

Carl Marsh of Amarillo, authorized by the Texas Jersey Cattle Club to do cow testing work, was chosen official tester for the association here. Mr. Marsh is a graduate of the A. & M. College of Missouri and has had several years of experience in all phases of dairying.

Mr. Marsh will begin work officially on Friday, June 1. Combined membership of both counties is now eighteen. A maximum membership of twenty-four may be obtained. Deaf Smith county members of the association include Lester Galley, Jim Lipscomb, J. L. Lookingbill, C. P. Caraway, Dr. G. W. Heard and Louis Smith.

HUGE MERGER

Texas Utilities Owners Buy Interests of South-Western Public Service Company at Amarillo.

L. L. Feree, general manager at Amarillo of the Southwestern Public Service Company, and Judge I. R. Kelso, president of the Texas Utilities Company, have announced the purchase of the Southwestern Public Service Company by the same interests that now own the Texas Utilities Company and the New Mexico Utilities Company, stating that actual transfer of the properties will take place on July first.

The merger of Southwestern Public Service Company and Texas Utilities Company and New Mexico Utilities Company has long been anticipated by the people of this territory, because it has always seemed to be the logical step for these companies to take, and Judge Kelso, who spent Sunday night in Hereford.

Judge Kelso, whose home is in St. Louis, has long been identified with the Texas Utilities Company.

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Congressional Candidate Delivers Stump Speech

Third outstanding politician to speak here within the past few weeks was J. Ross Bell, of Cottle county, candidate for Congress from the Eighteenth Congressional district, who spoke to a group of more than fifty Hereford residents at the corner of Third and Main streets Tuesday afternoon. Bell is seeking the Congressional seat now occupied by Congressman Marvin Jones of Amarillo.

What he should attempt in the way of Congressional reformation if elected and principal reasons why Mr. Jones should not, in his opinion, be elected, made up the bulk of Mr. Bell's talk. Already, he believes, Congressman Jones has served a sufficiently long term.

Possible First Ladies of the Land

Mrs. Alfred E. Smith (left) and Mrs. Herbert Hoover (right), are among the most likely possibilities for the title of "First Lady of the Land" as the wife of the 31st National President is designated, and either of them would well grace the White House.

PAVE PLANS GET HEARING BEFORE CITY

Hearing On Ordinance for Pavement Repairs Scheduled for June 11. Expect No Opposition.

A hearing on the proposed paving project to include resurfacing and widening of fourteen blocks of streets in the business and residential sections of Hereford will be held at 10:00 a. m., Monday, June 11, it was announced today. This measure, it was pointed out, is taken before any matter calling for a tax assessment is passed by the city commission.

According to commissioners, little opposition which had developed when the paving project was announced, has been won to the city's view of the matter and unless the extraordinary happens at the meeting next month, the repaving plan will go forward as intended.

After lengthy discussion the Hereford Chamber of Commerce voted Monday unanimously in favor of the ordinance calling for the paving.

Work is expected to begin at once after the hearing.

Santa Fe Train Plane Line May Pass Hereford

General interest has been aroused over this section by the recent announcement of the coming establishment of a quick airplane-railroad schedule from New York to Los Angeles, which will cut the present traveling time between these points in exactly half, at a cost of about two and one-half times the present railroad fare. This service is to be inaugurated some time in June. It was announced that the route will be on the Santa Fe.

As outlined, the plan calls for passengers to leave New York at 6:05 p. m. on the Pennsylvania Railroad, stopping at Columbus, Ohio, next morning, transferring to large three-motored, twelve passenger airplanes for a day flight to Wichita, Kansas, again transferring there to the Santa Fe for a run through this section at night to a point yet to be determined in New Mexico, where they will finally take airplane for Los Angeles.

DR. C. E. RICE DIES.

Mrs. G. A. F. Parker left Monday morning for Austin to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, Dr. C. E. Rice. Dr. and Mrs. Rice were well known in Hereford where they have visited several times in the Parker home.

Dr. Rice was a professor of mathematics in the University of Texas. He had held that position for many years, during which time many students from this city have been under his instruction.

POSTMASTER NAMED

Republican County Chairman Appointed to Succeed J. A. Wear As Head of Hereford Post Office Force; Effective July First.

Announcement that E. L. Donner, Hereford farmer-capitalist, has been appointed postmaster here was made from official sources in Washington this week. Mr. Donner was appointed Saturday, May 19, and the appointment confirmed by the Senate last week.

With his family, Mr. Donner has lived in this community for the past ten years. An active politician, at present he is county chairman of the Republican party. The new postmaster will probably take office about July 1, after necessary legal requirements have been met. Mr. Donner succeeds J. A. Wear who has just concluded his second term as postmaster.

MISS STOVALL RESIGNS.

Miss Dyalithia Stovall, stenographer-secretary of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce, resigned today. She had been employed by the organization for the past five months. Her position will be occupied by Miss Ruth Haberer.

CITY BACKED

Chamber of Commerce Votes Support to Officials In Movement to Resurface Streets.

A strange parade, with absolutely unique features, is planned to startle the civic consciousness of Hereford into action Friday afternoon, if the plans of Mrs. M. L. Steele and her committee in the Clean-Up Campaign now on goes through. Some hints as to the nature of this startling procession were given at the weekly luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce, held at the Hereford Hotel Monday. Messrs. Steele and Claude Ricketts, committee members, were present, and Mrs. Steele outlined the plans and asked for help from the commercial group. Messrs. S. P. Rossion and J. E. Beyer were named on a committee to aid Mrs. Steele in organizing for action Friday.

According to the outline given, there will be floats and other things that go into the usual parade make-up. The addition of the floats and other things will be a new feature. (Continued on Page Seven.)

Kerr Company Planning Move To New Store

Effective June 1, the Kerr Implement Company, now occupying the Shilby building on the southeast corner of Second and Main Streets, will move across the street to the building now being vacated by the Stockman's Cafe, next door to the First State Bank. This announcement was made on Tuesday, by Judge C. F. Kerr and George P. Garrison, of the Kerr Implement Company.

According to these gentlemen, the move is being made mainly on account of the increased space in their new building and enlarged facilities in the rear for display of machinery. It is also understood that they contemplate an increased stock of all their lines. The Kerr Implement Company is successor to C. P. Garrison, who took over the Garrison Hardware and Implement business here after the death of George P. Garrison several years ago. Geo. P. Garrison has been actively associated with the business since its inception and is still in active co-partnership with Judge C. F. Kerr and W. S. Kerr under the name of the Kerr Implement Company.

W. L. SHUGART IN HOSPITAL RECOVERING FROM WOUNDS IN WIFE'S ALLEGED ATTACK

Four Shotgun Wounds Cause Death of Woman Married Twenty-Two Years. Neighbor Youth Turns In Alarm After Being Attracted by Groans and Cries of Wounded Man. Sheriff Benton in Charge.

Song Festival Draws Many To Community

More than two thousand singers representing three states and twice as many different counties, met at Ford community near here Sunday in the greatest assemblage of musical talent ever gathered in Deaf Smith county for a single event. The combination of Deaf Smith and Potter counties sections of the Plateau Singing Convention drew a group exceeding in size all expectations of officials.

Besides the hundreds of convention members, all singers, there were present individuals, quartets, and groups of singers outstanding in the Panhandle. More than 550 automobiles from Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico cities transported the singers.

Entertainment arrangements for Sunday's convention were in charge of J. S. Garrett, president of the Deaf Smith county group. In addition to other edibles three huge beavers were butchered and cooked for the occasion.

Leading address of the meeting was made by the Rev. Stuckey of the Polk Street Methodist church, Amarillo. Other distinguished visitors from Amarillo included Judge Hall and Tom Turner.

Convention officials were pleased with the crowd and with the convention as a whole. President Garrett said. To the merchants of Hereford, especially the Hereford Wholesale Grocery, the Panhandle Lumber Company, the City Bakery and the Piggly Wiggly and others, thanks were extended by the President.

Guernsey Cows Purchased For Herd Beginning

To obtain more quality Guernsey dairy stock with which to put the Guernsey breed on a firm foundation in this county was the aim of County Agent R. O. Dunkle and Fred Pittner Tuesday when they journeyed to Panhandle to arrange for the shipment here of two prize Guernsey heifers from G. P. Groat, noted dairy authority there. Both the heifers are of famed Langwater-Mayrose breeding and were purchased in Wisconsin, leading Guernsey state.

According to Mr. Dunkle, grown cows of this breeding sold at a recent Wisconsin sale for an average of more than \$2,000, and it is the aim of the men here to put the stock on an equal basis in this county. Besides the heifers, outstanding Guernsey animal in this section is the show bull, Corbett's Golden Noble, owned jointly by Groat, Pittner and Roy Gough of Hereford.

Dairymen here say that they are glad to see the Guernsey cattle coming to the fore. On the whole, these cows are said to be higher producers and their milk is of creamier, richer appearance, much in demand in cities.

Several hundred Guernsey cowmen from the Panhandle country picnic to be held at Bellview county fair grounds, June 1, in charge of arrangements announced this morning. Special invitations have been extended to residents of Hereford and Deaf Smith county.

Self defense is the plea of W. L. Shugart, 48, who is in the Deaf Smith county hospital recovering from a gunshot wound and knife-slashed throat received in what is thought to have been a "family row" in which his wife, 38, was killed, late Monday. No witnesses are believed to have seen the tragedy.

An only child, a seventeen-year-old son, was in Canyon at the time. A neighbor boy passing the home after the shooting heard the wounded man groaning. When he went into the house he found Mrs. Shugart dead with four bullet wounds. Shugart was suffering from a shot through the arm and a badly slashed throat.

According to Sheriff Claude Benton, the home gave appearance of a severe struggle, with furniture and household goods strewn about in confusion. A '32 automobile with six empty shells, a long-bladed knife and two single-barrel shotguns were found.

Mr. and Mrs. Shugart had been married twenty-two years, and had lived on their farm in the north-east part of this county, near Willadoro, for the past four years.

Shugart is recovering slowly, hospital authorities said this morning. The body of his wife was shipped to Canadian Wednesday afternoon, from where it will be taken for burial by relatives to a nearby Oklahoma rural community.

Dillon Speaks In Celebration Near Bellview

Several hundred Guernsey cowmen from the Panhandle country picnic to be held at Bellview county fair grounds, June 1, in charge of arrangements announced this morning. Special invitations have been extended to residents of Hereford and Deaf Smith county.

Governor of New Mexico Dillon will head the speakers who will deliver a few short addresses during the afternoon. Games, contests and other amusements will occupy the remainder of the day. "Bring your baskets," said S. J. Weaver, of the entertainment committee today. "We're going to have a real picnic dinner, family style. Surprises of all kinds are in store for those who attend tomorrow."

At their meeting Monday, members of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce appointed a committee who will have charge of getting together a delegation to represent Hereford. At least twenty-five merchants and their families are asked to go from here.

Hereford Firemen Called To Fight Dimmitt Fire

Hereford's fire department was called Wednesday afternoon to help extinguish a fire which started in the combined warehouse of the Panhandle Lumber Company, Dimmitt, and threatened to spread over the entire city. The Tulsa fire department was also called.

The fire department and the department of the warehouse were destroyed, but the hardware stock was said to have escaped damage. Total damage is estimated between \$15,000 and \$20,000.

Mrs. Brack Williams is at Pampa this week visiting her mother.

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Texas & Texans

By WILL H. MAYES

Political Spotlighters.

Even a careless glance at the political news in Texas reveals that most of those whose names appear most prominently in the daily press are the same old spotlighters who are ready to stir up almost any kind of a political mess in Texas every two years if only they may be written about by the political reporters or get their newspaper contributions in the "Public Opinion" columns. As regularly as a Texas election comes around they trot themselves around for public inspection and at times really come to think they are stirring up great political dust. During presidential years, opportunities being nearly twice as great for attracting attention, they feel like they are in a political heaven. Be patient with them. It is a delusion of a kind for which there is no restraining law in this state.

Homestead Law Attacked.

A popular pastime for many years has been to attack the Texas homestead law. It is open to some objections. The homestead should be made to bear its part of any expense in building streets and side walks about the homestead without the necessity of general taxation under a bond issue. The benefits derived from paved streets and cement walks about a piece of property are out of proportion to taxes paid unless all streets are improved alike and this is impractical. But aside from this objection, the Texas homestead law is a wise safeguard for the home and often protects it from the wily and usurious money lender. The homestead law can withstand all attacks upon it.

Texas Sulphur Fields.

An oil man testifying recently at a hearing of the Interstate Com-

Political Announcements Deaf Smith County.

The Brand is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices under which their names are listed, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in 1928:

For Representative, 123rd District:
Clyde W. Warwick
 Canyon, Texas

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
John B. Miller,
E. F. Connell,
J. D. (Doyle) Rose,
James L. Mauk,
L. F. West,
Ed Curtisinger.

For Tax Assessor:
Ira Ricketts.

For County Treasurer:
J. H. Head.

For County Judge:
Earl W. Wilson,
R. W. Price,
D. W. Hawkins.

For District and County Clerk:
L. H. Foster.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
C. J. Paddock,
W. A. Knox.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
H. G. Conkwright.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
J. T. Quinn,
L. M. Williams.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
W. T. Womble.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS CASTRO COUNTY

The Brand is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices under which their names are listed, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in 1928:

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
Bill Burnam.

by reading the signs on the cars that indicate where they are from.

Beeville's Playground.

Beeville has improved its playground park in a way to make it both beautiful and popular. The older people have tennis courts and here are a merry-go-round, slides, swings and other play appliances for the children. Beeville is among the first of the towns of its size in Texas to popularize its park playgrounds. Doubtless if not already, some enthusiastic lover of children will volunteer to arrange for supervising the play at certain hours of the day. Children need leadership in play almost as much as they need grounds and play equipment.

Ask the Readers.

The Elgin Courier gives some advice as to this column that is modestly repeated here to help along all the papers that feature it. It says, "One of the most interesting features of the Courier is the department 'Texas and Texans,' written and furnished us weekly by ex-Lieutenant Governor and former dean of the School of Journalism of Texas University, Will H. Mayes. Mr. Mayes deals with items of interest and current events in a most interesting, concise and thorough manner, and if you are not reading these stories each week you are really missing something worth while." Yes, read them and then tell the editor whether you like them. That will help him decide whether the space is well used.

Panhandle Wheat.

In reporting the wheat outlook following heavy rains in the Panhandle is better than at this time in many years, the Hereford Brand states conditions that seem pretty general in all North Texas counties. Much of the crop that had seemed about dead from the long dry season has revived and is growing in a way to give hopes of large returns and especially if there are more rains before harvest time. The acreage is slightly larger than usual. Fall damage reported in some sections has not been as heavy as at first believed.

Municipal Waterworks.

Taylor seems to have set an example in the matter of municipal ownership of waterworks that many other towns in Texas will follow. By a vote of 622 to 22 and without much hurrah about it Taylor voted a \$250,000 bond issue for waterworks. San Marcos,

through its city commission, has ordered a vote on an issue of \$150,000 waterworks bonds. Municipal ownership of a good waterworks system makes a town have a mighty independent feeling.

Walking to School.

Not many years ago, nearly all children who could walk, walked to school and many of them walked long distances. The Associated Press, having learned that Ethel Hilton, valedictorian of the Bryan high school, walked three miles to school every day, sees a news item in the statement, which all the daily papers of Texas have carried. She not only walked to school but she was not absent or tardy during the year and the fact that she is class valedictorian proves that she is bright and applied herself to her studies. It would have been safe to have added that she did not wear high-heeled shoes.

Bluebonnet Costumes.

San Antonio hostesses at a chicken barbecue to be given during the National convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs June 1, will all wear bluebonnet costumes, consisting in part of a blue bonnet and a blue tea apron. Novel ideas like this always attract and hold attention and as the bluebonnet is the Texas flower such a costume is particularly appropriate for an entertainment given by Texas women to out-of-state visitors.

Consoling Figures.

The cost of living is high enough anywhere, as all know who have to provide the necessities of life, but there is some consolation in the figures of the Department of Commerce which show that living is cheaper in the Southwest than elsewhere in the country.

What's Doing In WEST TEXAS

Abilene—President Hayne of the WTCC has appointed members of the three standing committees of the Tenth Annual Convention, the Nominating, Credential and Resolutions committees.

Junction—A \$50,000 vacationists hotel will be constructed near here.

Alpine—The annual Old Settlers and Cowboys Round-Up will be

held here July 4 and 5 under auspices of the local chamber of commerce.

Levelland—The Levelland Chamber of Commerce is going to adopt a town slogan to advertise itself.

Tornillo—C. E. Whitehead, former secretary at Balmorhea, will have charge of the Tornillo school next year.

Valley Mills—Valley Mills' 21st annual reunion and homecoming will be held July 12, 13 and 14.

Cleburne—Miss Mozelle Ford directed affairs of the local chamber of commerce while Secretary-Manager Patterson attended TCEA at Corpus Christi.

San Saba—The State Pecan Growers Association will meet in San Saba July 10, 11 and 12.

Marfa—Marfa is flooded with calls for summer tourist facilities. Hotel and camp quarter needs are acute.

Stephenville—The Brazos Valley Pecan Growers Association will hold their fall session in this city.

Arlington—Arlington's newly paved streets in the business section will be opened for traffic on June 9.

Fort Worth—More than a score of West Texas towns have announced that they will close shop to attend the WTCC Tenth-Annual Convention.

Something New! A Talking Flea.

LONDON.—Professor Vittorio Pirelli promises to present the forthcoming flea circus a talking flea, that communicates with whom

it may be tapping out signals in a sort of simple Morse code against its head with its powerful legs. The flea used two taps for "no" and three for "yes." The flea is said to try vainly, and with apparent anger, to communicate with other fleas that do not seem to get the idea.

Risks Arm, Saves Lion.

OAKLAND, Cal.—Mrs. Nancy L. Nannett has a pet lioness, Princess, in whose throat a bone was recently lodged. The bone caused the animal great pain, but veterinarians refused to take the chance of working on the lioness. Forcing open the mouth of the lioness, Mrs. Nannett thrust her arm down the animal's throat. Although Princess could have mauled Mrs. Nannett's arm, she submitted patiently. Mrs. Nannett was able to dislodge the bone.

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The Political Babes In The Woods ———— By Albert T. Reid



THE FUMBLE FAMILY by Dunkel



THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

SUBJECT: Jesus Facing Betrayal and death.
LESSON TEXT: Mark 14:1-42;
 Emphasize 14:17-25, 32-36.
SIDE LIGHTS ON LESSON: Exodus 12:21-28, Hebrews 5:1-10, Matthew 10:24-33, John 17:1-10, Psalm 22:1-31.

"All those who journey, soon or late, Must pass within the garden's gate, Must kneel alone in darkness there, And battle with some fierce despair. God pity those who cannot say, 'Not mine, but thine' who only pray. 'Let this cup pass,' and cannot see The purpose in Gethsemane."
 —Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

THE EVENING SHADOWS have gathered over an ancient city. Paint lights steal through the narrow windows and doors of the many homes. Strange things have happened this day. Angry partisans have sought to impress their sincerity and camouflage their hypocrisy by an unusual vehemence against the Son of God.

A caucus of two nights before and brought a welcome surprise to these partisans. A disciple had fingered the coin of the purse while under the starlight the Great Teacher had spoken the parables of the Ten Virgins, The Talents and had told the story of the Final Separation of the good from the wicked.

If Judas had been listening he would have felt the keen edge of those parables. He was vacillating between two decisions, namely, whether he should elect to merit a place among the faithful and wise five who went forth to meet the bridegroom, the faithful users of the talents, or should place himself among the five foolish or the buryer of the talent.

Presently he steals away from the company and goes to the caucus and there bargains the sale of his Master for thirty pieces of silver. Then he returns to the company in order to carry through the sordid bargain.

The fateful night has come. Jesus is sitting at meal with his disciples. Presently he announces the fact that one of those sitting at the table and eating with him should betray him—yea, one of the twelve. Then the disciples, one by one, ask him, "It is I?" Nothing is recorded to show that Jesus divulged the name of his traitor.

One had illicitly taken possession of his body. Jesus, as the

meal proceeded, took bread and blessed it, likewise the cup, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my body." Judas had taken that body to his own condemnation; the others took it by faith to their own salvation.

It is sad enough for a good man to be overcome of an enemy; it is sad beyond expression for a good man to be betrayed by his own. Such was the suffering of the Son of God, that he should be betrayed of his own disciple.

Supper over, Jesus after a comforting discourse to his faithful disciples, comes with them to the Garden of Gethsemane. Putting himself forward from his disciples a few paces, he enters upon that memorable struggle between the willingness of the spirit, and the weakness of flesh, which caused the blood to bead itself upon his forehead as drops of sweat.

It was a search for the will of God. Suffering, shrinking flesh made its plea, "Let this cup pass," but the noble spirit of the Son of God said, "Nevertheless not what I will, but what thou wilt." And the will of God was revealed to Jesus as the path of suffering. He chose it.

No coercion of enemies, no base betrayal of a money-mad disciple caused the Son of God to go to Calvary. They were impotent to cause that. They were guilty as instruments, but helpless as causes. Jesus, my friends, choose to go to Calvary for you and me.

Not what one chooses to do, but what one chooses to do is the index to his character. Jesus came out of Gethsemane, having chosen as between the renunciation of his Father's will and the suffering of Calvary, to take Calvary. And to Calvary he went.

The choice of Gethsemane was no wager or adventure. Too much was at stake for that. Jesus, as the prophet of the suffering servant, had long before predicted he should, saw "the travail of his soul and was satisfied." The march to Calvary was the journey to triumph through suffering.

"Into the woods my Master went, Clean, forspent, forspent. Into the woods my Master came, Forspent with love and shame. But the olives they were not blind to him. The little gray leaves were kind to him. The thorn tree had a mind to him: When into the woods he came.

"Out of the woods my Master went, And he was well content. Out of the woods my Master came Content with death and shame. When death and shame would woo him last, From under the trees they drew him last!

"Twas on a tree they slew him—last When out of the woods he came."

Arney News Items

Several from Arney attended the closing of school program last Thursday night at the Blue Ridge school.

J. E. Bratcher and son, Lynn, were in Hereford on business Monday.

Mrs. John Hammond and two children visited in the Wilson home Tuesday morning.

Ben Fortner returned Sunday from visiting his parents at Crowell.

There were forty-two at Sunday school Sunday. As the roads were muddy Rev. Mr. Swartz was unable to fill his regular preaching appointment.

Mrs. Maggie Hollinsworth of Oregon is visiting her sister and family, Mrs. E. C. Burks. She will remain here a month.

Messrs. and Mmes. J. E. Boyd, Ross Campbell, Woodie Campbell, Marion Davis and two children, and Messrs. Lillard Webb and Buford Tipton were guests in the J. E. Tipton home last Sunday.

Messrs. Kress, Tipton, Hayes, C. Cole, Messrs. and Mmes. Ray Cole, Lacy Boyd, Mmes. J. E. Boyd and Tucker Smith were in Happy Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dixon and family and Ed Bailey were in Nazareth one day recently.

A brother of John Hendrix is here from Amarillo for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Durban and son were in Canyon Wednesday and in Hereford Thursday.

Claud Fox is putting in a filling station at his place and will soon be open for business.

Mr. Hamer Jr. Ferguson and Miss Arnel Townsend were married at Happy last Saturday.

Lacy Boyd and Miss Gertrude Mae Hall were married at Childress last Saturday, returning home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cole spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cox.

Lynn Bratcher went to work for Dick Paul Tuesday.

Miss Georgie Wilson spent Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hammond.

Miss Edna Burks returned from school Tuesday and will spend the summer.

Lillard Webb was in Amarillo Tuesday.

J. E. Bratcher and family took dinner in the J. E. Wilson home Sunday.

Most of the men of the community spent Tuesday putting up a new windmill and tower.

Hall did a lot of damage to wheat in this community.

Miss Oleta Wilson was in Amarillo last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Campbell spent Sunday night in the Ross Campbell home.

Miss Beulah Cox who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ray Cole, has returned home.

Row crops are taking the attention of our farmers.

Mrs. Jim Graham is rapidly recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. J. E. Tipton and sons spent Monday afternoon in the Lillard Webb home.

Mr. J. B. Harlin and Mrs. Glenvee Owens visited in the Stagner home Friday.

E. O. Dixon made a business trip to Hereford Saturday.

Miss Nannie Fields spent the week end with friends in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allman visited in the W. J. Sullivan home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chambers, Maurine Sullenger and Jennie Terrell were dinner guests in the Joe Stagner home Sunday.

Eddie Lee Allen visited with Emerald Smith Friday afternoon.

Mrs. George Chambers, Mrs. Smith and Grandma Sams visited in the Sullenger home one afternoon last week.

Major and Dah Bruton and Donzi Fields and Pat Stagner visited with Verle Sullivan and Osville Van Horn Sunday.

Mr. Medley left Saturday night for his home in Abilene. Luke Medley and O. L. Anthony remained here to finish their sodding and drilling their well. Mr. Medley expects to move his family here in a few weeks.

Annie Mae Smith and Hazel Chambers visited Louise Ann and Caroline Frye Sunday.

Our Sunday school is growing every Sunday. We had forty-five

present last Sunday. If you are not attending, we will be glad to have you come—we need you.

Mr. Corn and family of Wagway were in our community Sunday morning looking at their wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders visited one night last week in the Jay Sanders home.

Mrs. Ray Johnson of Summerfield called on Mrs. Carl Frye Friday afternoon.

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Easter Items

Farmers in this community have been very busy the past week. Some have been working day and night to get through sodding before it gets too dry.

Mrs. Sullenger and Maurine visited with Mrs. Bob Axe one day last week.

Mrs. W. J. Sullenger visited Mrs. Frye Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Brannon of Marathon, Texas, visited last week in the H. Brannon home. Mr. and Mrs. Brannon left Saturday for Perrin and McKinney where they will visit with relatives during the summer.

Mrs. Coonauger was shopping in Hereford last Wednesday.

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Social and Society

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowman and children, Paul and Mary Joe, of Amarillo spent last week-end with Mrs. Bowman's mother, Mrs. M. A. Fox and family. Paul remained for a longer visit, the others returning home Sunday evening.

Charles Galbraith of Hereford will receive his degree from Trinity University, Waxahachie, in June, according to a list of candidates for graduation made public by Edward P. Childs, dean of the institution.

Stockman's Cafe Plans Public Dance Tonight

"Everybody in town is invited," declared Omer Baker, proprietor of the Stockman's Cafe this morning, speaking of the big dance to be held in the old cafe building tonight, Thursday. A large floor space has been cleared and every accommodation for a large crowd has been made.

Only a small admission charge will be made, Mr. Baker said, and ladies will be admitted free when accompanied. Hereford's leading orchestra will furnish music. Refreshments will be served.

Mrs. M. L. Steele was in Amarillo Friday attending the Shriner's convention. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. M. Anderson, of Canyon.

FILLES D'HEURE BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Roy Jowell entertained the members of the Filles d'Heure Bridge Club and a number of guests Friday afternoon, May 25.

After several rounds of games, high score for the club members was awarded Mrs. M. B. McLean, and to Mrs. Oscar Easley, guest. Each of these ladies received a lovely prize.

A delicious ice course, with angel food cake was served. Beside the club members, special guests of the occasion were Misses P. W. Price, Oscar Easley and Louise LeGrand.

Mrs. Acker Entertains Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. C. C. Acker delightfully entertained members of the Tuesday Bridge Club and a few friends at her home Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

There were five tables of players and during the afternoon lead ginger ale was served the guests. At the conclusion of the games, Mrs. M. B. McLean received high score prize among the members and Mrs. Fred Oberhuler, Jr., among the guests.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Homer Fox.

The condition of L. F. Borden, who has been desperately ill for several weeks with pneumonia, is reported to be much improved, although he is still a very sick man.

Cayton - Wood Nuptial Rites Are Announced

Interesting news to Hereford friends was the quiet marriage last Sunday afternoon of Miss Pearl Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wood, of this city, and Norbon W. Cayton. The couple motored to Dalhart Sunday morning and were married at 2:00 p. m. by the Rev. J. R. Sharp, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church here.

Mrs. Cayton is one of the most popular members of Hereford's younger set. She was brought up here and is a graduate of the Hereford high school. For the past few years she has been employed at the Skelton Variety Store, where she will continue to work. Mr. Cayton is district representative of the Case Implement Company, with headquarters at Amarillo and Hereford.

Immediately following the ceremony Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Cayton left for Texhoma where they remained until Tuesday as guests of Mr. Cayton's parents. They returned to Hereford Tuesday night and will make their home here in an apartment at the J. H. Wilson residence.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Keith Guthrie, brought to the hospital for operation Tuesday, is reported to be doing as well as could be expected.

W. L. Shugart is recovering slowly from gun and knife wounds.

Baby Anna Mae Murry is doing nicely, after her operation Monday.

Mrs. August Frye and baby are both doing well. They were taken home Wednesday.

E. H. Cummings and M. H. Power are among those taken home this week.

All my dresses at a reduction, all hats marked down for Friday and Saturday. Don't fail to see them. SHORE MILLINERY PARLOR.

ALL ORGANIZATIONS.

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Band
Chamber of Commerce
Clean-up Trucks
Sunday school children, led by Misses Edith Hughes, Claude Benton, C. P. Cockrell, John Hull, R. H. Lamb, H. G. Hastings.
Primary children
Mothers Club
Parent-Teacher Association
Citizens Cars
Good Will Car.

Parade will begin at 4:00 o'clock with an itinerary which will take marchers south on Main Street to First, and thence over a route which will take in the greater part of the more thickly settled residential sections.

According to those in charge, already the people of Hereford have made an excellent response to the campaign and this city seems well on the way to putting up a good fight for the appearance prize in the contest. Another public building which has entered the movement is the Presbyterian church, which has had work done on beautifying adjoining lawns and park-ways.

Good Will Week.

To help those who are unable to do all their clean-up work themselves, the Ways and Means committee has completed plans for a "Good Will Week" to begin Friday, June 8. During the time the committee will have a group of workers who will be on hand to help free of charge in beautifying and cleaning up premises of any citizens desiring such service.

Mrs. Claude Benton is in charge of Good Will Week. All organizations will assist in this movement and there should be no reason why everyone cannot have a clean, attractive home-site when this free service is available, Mrs. Benton believes.

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Farm Sale Dates

First public farm sale to be held here within several weeks will be that of W. B. Clayton, who is leaving the farm and will offer for sale the entire equipment of his farm on Tuesday, June 5. Mr. Clayton's place is better known as the Harvey Nunn irrigation farm, and is located one-half mile south and two and one-half miles east of Hereford.

Sale will begin promptly at 10:30 a. m. Col. Ray Barber, auctioneer, said this morning. Lunch will be served by the Baptist ladies of Hereford. Col. Barber will be assisted in the sale by Cliff Estes of the First National Bank.

Large Crowd Overflows Church During Revival

Large numbers of new church members and an attendance which is believed almost to establish a record for a similar event here are the marks of success crowning the efforts of Rev. V. M. Cloyd, now in the second week of revival series of the Baptist church. So large were the crowds last Sunday morning that many were unable to gain admittance.

"We feel that we are really accomplishing something with these meetings," Rev. Cloyd said this morning, "and we are particularly thankful for the excellent attendance. Arrangements have been made to care for an even greater crowd at both morning and evening services."

Assisting Rev. Cloyd with the musical phase of the revival are J. L. Trussell of Brownwood, talented singer, and Miss Clara Mae Glenn of Hereford, pianist. The revival will continue at least another week, Rev. Cloyd said.

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New Dentist Arrives Soon from Alabama

Hereford professional ranks will be augmented soon by the addition of Dr. L. F. Erwin, dentist, who will take over the office and practice of the late Dr. D. E. Turrentine. Dr. Erwin comes here from Fort Payne, Alabama.

Dr. Erwin is a graduate of Southern Dental College, Atlanta, Ga., and has been actively engaged in the profession for the past twenty years. He is a life-long friend of Dr. G. W. Heard of this city, by whom he is highly recommended.

With his family, Dentist Erwin expects to arrive in Hereford about July 1. He may occupy the former Turrentine office above the J. O. Newell store or may select a new location, friends here say.

CALL FOR CHAUTAQUA COMMITTEE.

A call is hereby made for a meeting of all those who signed the Chautauqua contract for this year. This meeting will be held next Tuesday afternoon, June 5, at 3:00 o'clock at the Ashbrook & Williams insurance office. The purpose of the meeting is to set up the organization for putting on the chautauqua. (Signed) D. F. ASHBROOK, Chairman of Committee. JAS. T. ROSS, Secretary.

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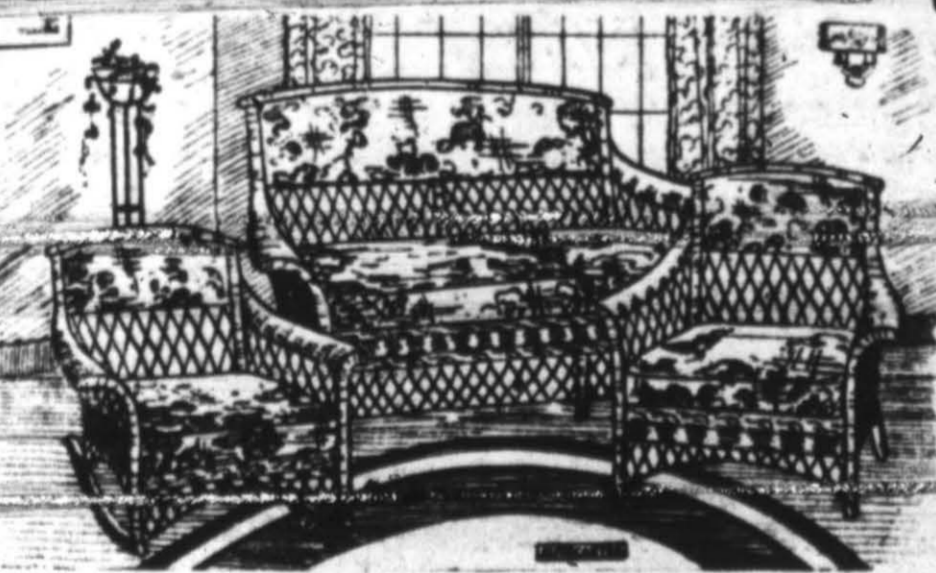
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BLACK DIRT—Have plenty of good black dirt, fine for gardens and lawns. Free for the asking. HARRY M. SHERRIER, 19-2p

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FOR SALE—Four sections of land 22 miles east of Canyon. Splendid ranch, for \$16 per acre; most of it is level. A. A. WALKER, Box 234, Canyon, Texas. 19-3tp

FOR SALE—Good Sudan seed, free of any Johnson grass. C. P. CALDWELL, Progressive Avenue, nine miles north of Hereford. 18-4p

FOR SALE—Good 22-40 Case tractor. Also four sets of gang plows. F. B. WELCH, Phone 111. 18-3tc

FOR SALE—A few extra good boars and sow pigs, the kind that takes first place in shows, for club boys and girls. Price \$10 to \$20. MRS. D. E. TURRENTINE, 16-1tc

MAPS—Deaf Smith county maps for sale, 50c each. THOMPSON & IRELAND. 15-1tc

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Lodge Directory

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LOST—Small vest-pocket memorandum book for month of May. If found, leave with Santa Fe Agent. Suitable reward. 19-1tp

LOST—Green Parker Duford Jr. fountain pen, with gold band. Probably lost some place downtown. Please notify W. D. KELJEHOR. 20-1tp

LOST—Between J. C. Hill and C. C. Acker residences, ladies bar pin, inset with small pearls. If found, please return to MRS. RAY BABBEE, or the Brand. 20-1tc

STRAYED TO MY PLACE—One sow and three pigs. Owner call four miles west of Umbarger. JOSEPHINE SKYPALA. 19-2tp

LOST—Big log chain, with hooks at both ends. Lost between Spring Lake and Hereford on the Dimmitt road. Notify Dimmitt mail carrier or L. H. Hickman. 19-2tp

Societies Rally to Prepare for Big Convention

Preparation for the state convention of Christian Endeavor societies to be held in Amarillo June 13-17, will be the keynote of a rally of all Hereford Endeavorers scheduled for 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian church.

According to Rev. J. T. Ross, Hereford will make an effort to capture the attendance prize at the convention this year. An unusually fine program for the state convention has been prepared.

Twelve or fifteen workers from Amarillo will comprise a delegation to put on the special program at the rally here Sunday. Rev. Ross said. They will be accompanied by a "booster" band, and will bring many entertainment features. Every Endeavorer in this city, regardless of age, church or division of Endeavor work, is urged to attend Sunday, he said.

CITY BACKED

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old cans and broken pieces of old machinery, and other specimens of the rubbish and unsightly odds and ends that usually clutter up the vacant lots and open landscapes of most towns. And when the parade is over the junk will all be hauled promptly to the dump grounds—thus pointing another moral.

The question of what to do about a band for the summer months again came up for attention Monday. Director Ralph Smith's duties at the high school being over for the summer months, it seems that Hereford may lose him, as several other towns are bidding for his services. The opinion seemed general that Hereford could not afford to do without a band, and the question is one of finance. One suggestion was that the city should allow a small tax for the support of the band from the general fund, but the Mayor stated it was too late for this now, as the budget had been outlined and assigned. A special election could be called to authorize the tax, if considered advisable. Finally the Executive Committee was authorized to deal with Mr. Smith and see what was the best plan to pursue.

Two representatives of the Pan-

handle Auto Club and the American Automobile Association, Messrs. V. G. Hill and H. E. Matis, were present and spoke briefly on road matters. Concerning Highway No. 66, Mr. Hill stated that he had recently visited Federal officials in charge of road work from whom he gathered the impression that redesignating the route could not be hoped for now, but that there was a strong possibility that a southern branch of the highway through here might be obtained.

President Selgler called attention to the proposed election for a fifteen cent special road tax for maintenance of present roads and construction of lateral county roads and asked Chairman Baskin of the Highway Committee to prepare the petitions and get them out at once. Mr. Selgler called special attention to the fact that this tax money, if authorized, will all be used in Deaf Smith county and none of it will have to go to state budgets.

The dinner voted unanimously to back up the City Commissioners in whatever they decided to do about the new paving and resurfacing, and Mayor Ireland thanked the gathering for this mark of confidence.

Next Monday the luncheon will again be held at the Hereford Hotel, owing to the larger accommodations there, as it is expected a big crowd will be out to hear the contestants speak five minutes each in the "Our Home Town" competition.

Final Meeting On Immigration Finishes Plans

For several months representatives from different parts of the Panhandle have been formulating plans for an immigration movement into the rural sections of the Panhandle—Plans of Texas, embracing the most northerly 32 counties of the Panhandle.

These various meetings culminated on May 24, in a final meeting at Amarillo wherein details of these plans were adopted and the committee on ways and means instructed to take such measures as might be necessary to put these plans into effect.

It is contemplated that these composite exhibits of Panhandle agricultural products will be displayed at a schedule of fairs in each of the states of Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa during the coming fall. Supplementing these exhibits will be publicity of a desirable character in the localities where the exhibits are shown, further augmented by additional publicity to be carried in farm journals having a generous circulation in these particular states.

Up to the present time the bulk of the immigration into the Panhandle of Texas has come from Central and Eastern Texas and was composed largely of men who were more or less unfamiliar with climatic conditions in the Panhandle and whose principal efforts at agricultural products had been in cotton.

The Panhandle Development Association, as the organization is now called, will be incorporated and the officers selected by the Ways and Means committee, of which E. B. Black of Hereford is chairman. Immediate efforts will be made towards a comprehensive campaign to secure the necessary components of the composite exhibits and to prepare the necessary publicity to be used therewith.

First Presbyterian Church

JAS. T. ROSS, Pastor

"The Finishing Touch of the Divine" will be the morning sermon subject next Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45, sermon at 10:50. Christian Endeavors at 7:30 p. m. Announcements for Sunday evening will be made at the morning service.

In the afternoon at three there will be a rally of all Endeavorers of Hereford. The program will be furnished by Endeavorers from Amarillo. In view of the State Endeavor Convention in Amarillo from June 13 to 17, this rally is of far more than ordinary importance. Announcements as to place of meeting will be made at the morning service.

Regular Woman's Missionary Society meeting next Wednesday, Church-Nite 8:30 of the same day. A cordial welcome to all services of this church is hereby extended.

C. E. Convention Plans Excellent, Officials State

The program for the 1928 State Christian Endeavor Convention is

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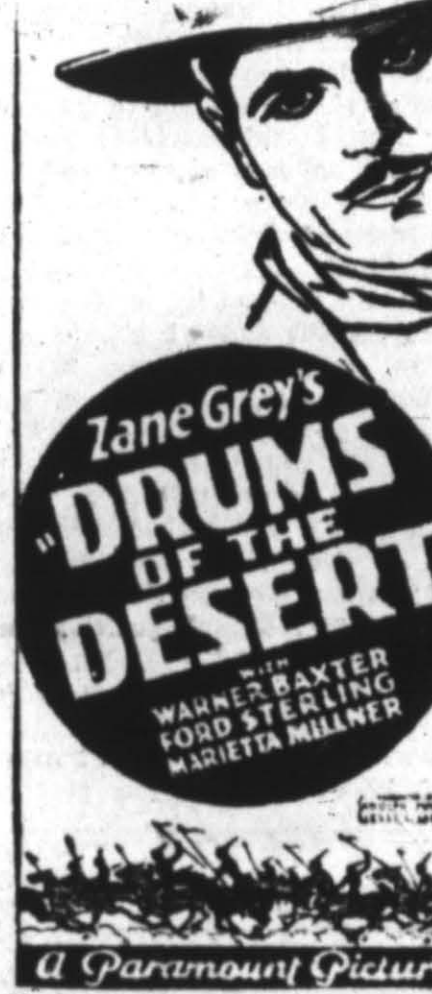
P. C. Brown, Pacific coast secretary of the International Society of Christian Endeavor, Los Angeles, will be a new comer to the state convention this year. He will have charge of the Quiet Hour programs each morning of the convention. Quiet Hour will be one of the main features and it is attended by many delegates at 8:30. Mr. Brown will also have special messages for the intermediates attending.

Crusade Covenant Hour will be a new feature in the convention this year. Following the evening session Mr. Brown with his mandolin will lead the young people in songs in the open court of the church.

Mr. Brown is called the Dean of Secretaries among the leaders and secretaries of Christian Endeavor over the country. His appearance here will be the first to the Endeavorers of Texas and from reports of his activities in other state conventions, he will be a favorite among the young people of Texas.

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THE TIGER TRAIL

by Edison Marshall



CHAPTER I.

Tampa is always quiet in mid-afternoon. It is always a tranquil time of day, and the best way to spend it is to sit and drink many cold drinks of lime and lemon.

I used to spend it that way except when out on calls. Jefferson Davis Lincoln who watches over me and answers my bells and sweeps my office and with inimitable bows guides my patients to their chairs, can make as refreshing a concoction out of a little lime juice and mint and seltzer water as can be imagined.

Perhaps the story of Southland Downs should begin with that August afternoon beside Useppa Island. Alexander Pierce and I were tarpon fishing.

When I think of Alexander Pierce it is always with a fishing-rod in his hand. He was at his best then. To see him on the street one could easily guess that he was a fisherman, but never a detective. There is no practice in the world that leaves its mark upon a man's face more clearly than fishing. Pierce had that mark. He had singularly quiet eyes—eyes that looked farther than most telescopes but yet not seemingly keen or alert. He had a lean, weather-beaten face, scribed and rescribed with lines. His hair was curiously thin—and people rather expected it to be gray. But when he removed his hat it was seen to be rather light brown and fine.

"So you go back to your work tomorrow," I said. "I'm sorry you can't stay any longer."

"Not so sorry as I am, doc," he replied. "If it's between fish and thieves, I choose fish every time. They are more gentlemanly, and require a finer art. One's daily bread, you know. But why won't you stay and fish without me?"

"Fishing for tarpon with any body except Alexander the Great would give me no thrill at all," I told him. "I'd sooner go to my house party."

"Dancing around in a ballroom when you could be dancing around on the sea with a tarpon. By the way, where did you say you were going for this riotous week?"

"To my old manor house in the interior—Southley Downs."

"Southley?" he muttered. "His name doesn't happen to be Peter Southley, does it?"

"That happens to be his name."

"An old man—seventy-five years of age—white-haired, heavily built, about as tall as you, with a peculiar nervous twitch to his eyes?"

"That's Peter Southley. I don't know him well. I met him at my club in Tampa when he was visiting the Martins. And I can't understand about what made him ask me. I got the letter a couple of days ago and he promises fishing and shooting and golf of the best. Asked me for a full week and even seemed a trifle hectic about it—as if he wanted me very badly. I'll stay a day or two at least."

"Queer thing," he muttered. "Such a queer thing. But there doesn't seem to be any further doubt."

I was scorched by curiosity, but I knew enough not to ask questions.

"You're a sort of trustworthy quack, Long," he remarked at last. I began to be hopeful; but I knew my cue.

"Very blundering, I'm afraid, Alex."

"Of course your years are against you—only thirty-three. Yet they say that you have a cool hand with a scalpel. Steady hand means steady nerves. Steady nerves means you're to be trusted in a pinch. You handled that Wild-marsh problem pretty well, too. Tell me—have you any deep, personal regard for this man Southley?"

"Not really. I'd barely met the man. I did think he was a kindly old chap; very agreeable and with a fine taste for vintages."

"I rather thought that might describe him. Long, I want you to keep your eyes open when you are at his house. I want you to watch—all the time."

"Alexander, you are the last man in the world to ask me to do anything that is the slightest breach in loyalty between a guest and his host."

"I rather hope I am Long, yet a detective gets remorseless. I must guard against it. In this case—well, in this case, I should say it was quite otherwise. Maybe you don't know what I mean. I'm not sure that I know myself. I have rather vague ideas—instincts, I guess you would call them that. I can't tell you what prompts them. I don't know myself. Anyway, you can be sure that I don't want you to take any position unbecoming a guest."

"Then tell me—What am I to do?"

He went on as if I hadn't questioned him. "Perhaps I'm playing

a blind lead, but my instincts tells me otherwise. It is simply tips. Less than a year ago the detective agency with which I have unofficial connections would have paid me the biggest fee of my lifetime to find this same Peter H. Southley. Only his name isn't that or anything like it. It is in reality Andrew Lasson."

"You mean—that the old man is going under an alias?"

"I'll correct that a little. I don't know that his real name is Andrew Lasson. I don't know that it isn't Southley. Names don't much matter, you know. At sundry times I've been known through the West as Amos Schmidt. His real name may be Southley, and it may be Lasson or something else. All I know is for a long period of time the man who calls himself Southley was known as Andrew Lasson. I know that he landed in America forty years ago as Andrew Lasson. What his name was before that I don't know. I know that about a year ago inquiries came from a certain man in England to find at all costs Andrew Lasson. The fee was to be tremendous, most of which was to be paid a year after we found

him. The man's name was Roderick—at least, that's what he told us. His signature was that of an old man. After a while his son—a big, dark, good-looking man of about thirty-five—came to see us personally. Well, we started to work. We traced just long enough to discover that Andrew Lasson had moved south from New York as Peter H. Southley—when Roderick called us off. He said he had found his party himself."

"Perhaps it was just some legal mix-up—belong to an estate or something? Southley is tremendously wealthy."

"Possibly. But I did get interested. I never saw such a tireless pair of hunters as these Rodericks were. And when you're down for this week-end party I want you to keep ears and eyes wide open—and of course, lips closed."

The journey to Southley Downs is distinguished by some of the most beautiful scenery in Florida, but I didn't look at it.

The porter showed me my seat at the seaboard station and it is unbelievably true that ten minutes had passed before I ever noticed the dainty little hat on a girl almost the length of the car ahead. And it is a queer thing that my first thought after noticing it was that ten minutes had been wasted. There is no accounting for the vagaries of the human mind. It wasn't that I'm the kind of man that can stand before a shop window and spend an enjoyable ten minutes gazing at creations of millinery.

There was a feeling from the first that if it should only be lifted off it would reveal a great, lovely heap of shimmering brown hair, arching a face as pretty and pliant as the eyes of man could

wish to see. It was just that kind of a hat.

The train stopped at a station and a man in the opposite row of seats from mine left the train. His chair was considerably nearer the front of the car than mine, so I slipped into it. The girl's profile was plainly visible to me now.

She wore a little tailored suit of blue, and her silken bag indicated a week-end visit with a girl friend on the shore. It was one of those pretty conceals that girls love, cut up into a hundred delectable pockets for toilet articles. I could not watch her so intently

now. I pretended to gaze out of the window but the panorama slipped by me without leaving a single impression in my memory. Then, turning once more, our eyes met.

All at once I saw that her color was gone. I watched her more intently. The fatigue of the journey combined with some nervous strain that I could not understand, were having an actual, tangible effect on her physical being. I began to feel glad that I was a doctor. Her position had changed too. I had to look twice to see what she was doing.

(CONTINUED NEXT WEEK.)

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Alexander Pierce	The Detective
Josephine Southley	The Girl
Ahmad Das	A Hindu
Peter H. Southley	Host at Southley Downs
Ernest Southley	His Son
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News From Our Community Correspondents

Ford Doings

Singers and visitors from a large territory began arriving at an early hour Sunday morning to take part in one of the largest singing conventions ever held in this county. A large tabernacle had been built to care for the crowd, long tables built, lots of good food prepared and every precaution taken to make the day a success in every way.

Talented singers from New Mexico, Oklahoma and distant parts of Texas gave song lovers an opportunity to hear the kind of singing they wanted to hear and then hear it again. Due to the untiring efforts of the county president, J. S. Garrett, and his various committees, everything moved smoothly as planned.

Three beavers had been given and were prepared by men who were accustomed to cooking in the open and the tables groaned under their loads of good things to eat. An estimated crowd of two thousand people was present to take part in the day's program and food was left in plentiful portions when all were through.

Ford folks enjoyed being host to such an appreciative, interesting crowd. Come again.

Last, but not least, Rev. L. N. Stuckey, of Amarillo, came and preached at four o'clock. His sermon needs no comments, as a large per cent of the people are familiar with his sermon through hearing him over the radio, broadcast from Folk Street Methodist Church, Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Taylor and daughter of Clovis spent Sunday night in the Sherman Garrett home.

Miss Elizabeth Fly who has been in school at Gainesville, is here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Fly.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knox of Hereford visited Mr. and Mrs. Denson Hill Saturday night.

A number of friends and relatives from Cordell, Oklahoma, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Rempie and Mr. and Mrs. John Rempie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Benson of Cleburne were here Sunday.

Dr. A. O. Lloyd of Vega was here Friday looking over his wheat farm.

A. K. Webster made a business trip to Hereford Wednesday.

Mrs. W. W. Small and Jess Small went to Hereford Saturday.

Mrs. John Whitsett has been in Amarillo the past two weeks under medical care.

Homer Bell made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

News from Bethel.

The revival services at Bethel this week are well attended and much interest is shown.

After the morning services at Bethel Sunday morning a large number of folks attended the Sunday school rally at Flagg. They enjoyed the fine dinner served by the Flagg ladies and a very excellent program in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Valleyview community attended the services at Bethel Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. C. Benton and Mrs. C. E. Head and children, motored to Amarillo Thursday afternoon, returning Friday. Mrs. Benton marketed fixing chickens and Mrs. Head visited her mother. Little Ernestine Head remained in Amarillo for a few days visit with relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bentley and Mr. and Mrs. Williams of near Plainview spent Sunday in the J. C. Williams home.

Vern Lost and family and the Misses Green and Mary James were dinner guests in the Galloway home Sunday.

Girl Spurns Wealth



Rev. Nicholas Ferioga, pastor of the Church of the Incarnation, New York, and his bride, the former Grace Waldron, society girl. Miss Waldron was engaged to marry John G. Ardon, millionaire, but changed her mind and married the minister instead.

Northeast Corner

Tuesday evening of last week a number gathered at the I. N. Hutchins home to an entertainment. Games were played after which refreshments were served and all had a good time.

Miss Loraine Daniel spent a day last week with Miss Bill Williams.

Mrs. Boyd Gillispe of Truseott, Texas arrived here Friday to spend two weeks visiting. She visited Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. Sunday.

Cecil Allred took Alma Moore to Amarillo Saturday and Mr. Moore delivered a tractor to a party at Bushland.

Miss Maurine Denoy of Bovina spent Saturday night with Loraine Daniel.

L. L. Hill and family are away on a vacation.

Six Wildorado girls attended a slumber party given by Loraine Daniels Saturday night. Games were played after which they took part in the refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Walker of Amarillo were here Sunday morning. They formerly resided here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson spent part of last week in the Hammer home.

H. J. Oglesby and family were visited a few days last week by a nephew from Amarillo.

Mrs. B. F. Ozer and children who have been living in Amarillo during the school term moved to their home here last week.

Several spent a day on the creek last week fishing and report a good time, even if they did come home with blistered faces.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McBroome spent a day last week with Coy Phillips and family.

Mrs. Frank Daniel and daughter, Loraine, were accompanied to Amarillo last week by Misses Bill Williams and Almota Moore.

Several attended the singing at Ford last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Barnes of Amarillo were in this community one afternoon last week.

Toy Price and family were in Hereford one day last week.

L. W. Moore is in the hospital at Amarillo, suffering from blood poison in his hand. He was taken to the hospital Friday and is

in a serious condition, according to reports.

The school board met last week on school business.

Edwin Wood spent last week with his uncle, Robert Dyer.

Miss Sadie Allred spent an afternoon last week with her grandmother, Mrs. J. L. Allred.

Manes, Fowler and Allred made a trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. Ballew was in Hereford one day last week.

Mrs. J. P. Walker of Amarillo visited Mrs. Ballew one afternoon last week.

Progressive News

J. W. Cockrell spent Sunday night with Weldon Gregory.

Leota Counts spent Saturday night with the Jacobs girls.

Misses Russell, John Rector, and Orton Russell called Sunday afternoon on Mrs. John Counts.

Miss Mary Ratcliff visited Friday afternoon in the Parks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts and family were dinner guests Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricketts of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blagg and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Conklin and children visited Saturday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hershey.

Jim Ricketts spent Saturday night with Arnold Hershey.

Mrs. Weatheren called Monday afternoon on Mrs. Jim Parks.

Catherine Ricketts spent the

week-end with Antra Jewel of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Parks, Lois, Lucile and Ruth visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henry.

Miss Margaret Ricketts and Arch Daugherty spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Luke McBrayer.

Nearly all members of the girls and boys clubs accepted the invitation of the R. B. R. Implement Company to the picnic at Sulphur Park. The club members reported a good time and wish to thank the company for the pleasant day.

Summerfield

The farmers are real busy since the big rains. Some are planting row crops and some breaking sod.

Several from this community attended the singing convention at Ford Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. P. Garrison and mother, Mrs. Habermaker, of Hereford visited Mrs. B. C. Roberson Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. L. Johnson spent the week end with her son, Elton, in Canyon.

Misses Christine and Ruth Atchley are spending the week with their sister, Mrs. Denson Hill, in Ford community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis and children spent the week end in Amarillo visiting relatives.

Mrs. G. P. Owen and children spent Friday in the Frjo community with relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Hawkins and son visited Mrs. Bill Knox in Hereford Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kendall and daughters attended church services in Hereford Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Noland is driving a new car.

Miss Jewel Owen spent last Wednesday night with her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Harlan at Frjo.

The King of Mechanics!

SOFIA, Bulgaria.—Two Americans motoring near here were in a dilemma when their engine broke down.

Another auto passed, the driver of which asked in Bulgarian: "Can I help you?"

The Americans expressed doubt that the car could be put into shape, but the Bulgarian managed to fix it for them.

As he left one of the two Americans suddenly remarked: "We didn't give that poor fellow

a cent for his trouble." Ten miles later up they were surprised to see the whole countryside saluting and bowing to the man who had helped them. He was King Boris of Bulgaria! How do you know it was a stork and not an angel that brought your little brother? Well, I heard Daddy complaining about the size of the bill, and angels don't have bills.

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And added to this service we may have the educational booklets of manufacturers who maintain staffs of chefs to invent new ways of using staple foods, prepared by them.

Do we make full use of these helps, I wonder? Do we send quickly for the food bulletins offered by home publications—or do we put off until another day? Do we clip coupons from the leading magazines and add the free recipe books to our own meager store?

Let's not neglect this opportunity to enlarge our cooking program. For the price of a stamp or two we may fill the kitchen files with home-making helps and recipes that will be of invaluable help in menu planning and preparing meals. And how the family will rejoice! Variety is just as spicy as it ever was, you know.

Chicken Mousse.

This is a splendid recipe to use as the main dish for Sunday night tea when guests are expected:

Dissolve 1 1/2 packages of lemon-flavored gelatin in cup of boiling chicken broth. When cold, beat with rotary egg beater until consistency of whipped cream. Mix with 1/2 cup of diced chicken, 1/4 cup diced celery, 1 chopped pimiento, a tablespoon vinegar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, a shake of cayenne. Fold in a half cup whipped cream. Mold and chill until firm. Garnish with lettuce and olives.

Strawberry Sun Preserves.

Wash berries before hulling and drain thoroughly. Use equal parts of berries and sugar (beet or cane) heat slowly to boiling point and boil two minutes. Remove, put in pans or crocks and set in sun until thick as desired.

Sealing Jellies and Jams.

Paraffining is the easiest and best method of protecting jellies and jams. Apply a thin coating of melted wax as soon as jelly is poured. Next day add a heavier coat, rolling the glass so that the hot wax runs around edges and makes a perfect seal.

Makes Tender Crusts.

If the family doesn't like hard crusts—try setting a pan of water in the oven when baking roasts and bread. The steam from the water will keep the crusts deliciously smooth and tender.

When Furniture Is Bruised.

Wet the bruised spot with water, double brown paper six times, soak it and lay on the spot. Apply hot irons until moisture evaporates.

Don't Slip.

When floors are waxed after housecleaning, it's a good time to remember that invisible anchors makes rugs stay put and prevent many an accident. The anchor is in reality nothing more than a narrow strip of composition material, cut a trifle shorter than the width of the rug and attached to either end by a piece of strong webbing stitched to the rug.

If you add a tiny pinch of salt to the milk when fresh it will keep much longer.

A host of the servants of a maid to her wife. We are short one spoon.

OldDoc Bird Says:

Boston aims at being a great fish center.

BOY Page Ponzi



TRY OUR CAKES AND BREAD THE CITY BAKERY C. C. WALL, Prop.

Will Marry For \$5,000



Dorothy Lindy, 18, of New York has offered herself in marriage to the first man who offers her \$5,000. She is now working in a factory for \$11 a week. She says she will use the money to aid her invalid parents. She believes a husband would fall in love with her as soon as he tasted her cooking.

Mrs. Charles Read Banks of Plainfield, N. J., advocates that men do knitting as a means of keeping out of trouble. Well, it doesn't seem to us that the remedy has worked so well among our feminine population.

"1927 Wettest Year Since 1872 in England," said a headline recently, and many were disappointed when they found the item referred to the rainfall.

An exhaustive search throughout Angora failed to reveal a single Angora Cat. That seems strange except to people who have tried looking for chickens in a restaurant chicken salad.

Your Flower Garden

By Romaine B. Ware

PRUNING HEDGES.

The problem of hedge pruning is somewhat of a puzzle to many folk, but it is really not such a difficult matter. There are several things to be kept in mind and the rules are very simple.

First you must consider if you want a stiff formal hedge with its sharp lines or a loose-growing shrubby-like hedge that is more natural. Your method of pruning will govern this though the particular shrub that comprises the hedge will have a great deal to say about it. A hedge of Spruce von Houttelle or Bridal Wreath should not be trimmed to a formal line, that is not as nature, but if your hedge is of Privet or Barberry it will lend itself very nicely to the formal type of pruning.

Then too you must consider if it is a flowering shrub and when it blooms. Flowering shrubs should always be pruned after blooming period is over, in this way you do

not lose the bloom. Most of the spring flowering shrubs bloom upon the wood grown in the previous season and if you prune them in the spring or even late in the fall you lose a large part of the blooming wood and your display is spoiled. All of the fall blooming species may be severely pruned in the spring and they will bloom all the better for it that fall.

If you are setting out a young hedge it will require careful pruning the first few years as this is the training time and you may start it right or wrong as you cut it with your pruning shears. Doubtless you have seen many hedges that were tall and thin at the bottom. In most cases this is caused by improper pruning in their youth. You know the old saying goes, "As the twig is bent the tree grows straight." A young hedge must be kept cut back and made to grow good and bushy at the base then it will always grow that way, but if you allow it to grow a foot or so high before you begin to force it to spread out you will have to take extra good care of it or it will get leggy.

And don't forget that your hedge needs lots of water. You have a lot of plants confined to a small area and they need at least during the first few years of their growth a great supply of water. Too, they should be cultivated frequently. Treat your hedge the best you know how and you will be fully repaid by the better growth it will make.

West-Way Items

Everybody seems to be trying to forget about the hail and were busy in the fields until this last rain.

Westway Sunday school is flourishing. We voted last Sunday to change the hour of meeting to 10 a. m.

Hail Bruises Young Man.

Tommy Wright was severely beaten and bruised when he was caught in the hail storm on his way home from Sunday school. Mr. Keese was back in this neighborhood last week moving

his furniture to Canyon where Mrs. Keese and Miss Thelma Myers will attend school this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hartman and children spent Sunday in Friona visiting friends and attending church services.

Young People Marry.

Miss Minnie Mae Grant and Thomas Stump were married one day last week in Canyon, leaving immediately after the ceremony for a honeymoon trip to Kansas and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wilson and little son, Billy Gene, left last week overland for a short visit with their parents in Abilene.

Mrs. Herman Gray returned a few days ago from a visit with her people in Crosbyton.

Floyd Ross went to Amarillo last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn have as their guest this week Mrs. Vaughn's sister, Miss Edna Schulz of Washington.

Auto Hurts Tulla Man. Last Sunday morning Mr. Ramsey and son of Tulla were on their way to spend the day with Mr. Ramsey's son, Paul, of this community and in some way the car ran into the ditch, overturning and seriously injuring Mr. Ramsey and son. We hope the next report will be more favorable, although he is not expected to live at this writing. Mr. Ramsey is a funeral director and furniture man at Tulla.

A Narrow Escape. Another accident, which nearly proved fatal to Mr. Ridgeway, occurred the past week. The quick work of Mrs. D. E. Turrentine saved her grandfather from a serious situation when she heard him calling from the lot. A young

Jersey bull had him down and had gored him in several places. Mr. Ridgeway was almost exhausted, but at this writing is able to be up.

There are several on the sick list this week. Mrs. Turrentine's children, George and Mary, have sore throats. Elvin and Pauline Wilson and Leon Hartman are sick, and Etha Short is suffering from a broken rib.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of thanking those who so kindly ministered to our need during the passing of our father and husband. May God's richest blessings rest upon you all.

Mrs. A. A. Godwin.
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Godwin.
Mrs. D. W. Barnhill and Family.

FOR JOB WORK, TRY THE BRAND.

GOODRICH TRUCK TIRES

—Just this week we have received a complete line of the new Goodrich Silvertown Truck Casings and Tubes. In every size, especially for use on the harvest trucks.

—You probably need a new set all around—let us figure with you today. There are many care-free miles in every Goodrich truck casing.

Service U Like Station

Tires, Tubes, Greasing, Accessories

Public Farm Sale

As I am leaving the farm, I will sell at public auction the entire equipment, consisting of Livestock, farm machinery and household goods, located one-half mile south and two and one-half miles east of Hereford, or better known as the Harvey Nunn irrigated farm, on

Tuesday, June 5

SALE BEGINS AT 10:30 A. M.

HORSES AND MULES.

- 1—Team bay mules, 8 years old, weight about 2100 pounds.
- 1—Bay horse, 6 years old, weight about 1400 pounds.
- 1—Gray horse, 6 years old, weight about 1200 pounds.
- 1—Brown horse, 7 years old, weight about 1200 pounds.

- 17—HEAD PURE BRED, NON-REGISTERED JERSEYS—17.
- 6—HEAD PURE BRED NON-REGISTERED SPRING CALVES—6

I am especially proud of my Jersey milk cows and heifers. They are all good ages, heavy producers, good individuals, and another outstanding feature which is very essential with particular buyers, is that these cows are all bred to one of the Circle Club bulls—a bull of intense quality and whose dam holds a high test butter-fat record. I feel safe in saying: If you appreciate good Jersey cattle, you will like the cows and heifers I am offering in my sale.

FARM MACHINERY.

- 1—McCormick row binder.
- 1—New 16-hole Van Brunt grain drill.
- 1—Emerson two-row lister.
- 1—Oliver one-row lister.
- 1—Oliver two-row lister cultivator
- 1—Two-row knife sled.
- 1—Two-section drag harrow.
- 1—Osborne disc harrow.
- 1—Six-disc, one-row Monator, almost new.
- 1—One-section harrow.
- 1—Single stock.
- 1—Fifty-bushel hog feeder.
- 4—Feed troughs.
- Shovels, forks, double trees and other useful articles too numerous to mention. Harness, collars, bridles, numerous.

HOGS.

- 12—Head of shoats, weight about 75 pounds.
- 1—Sow, weight about 300 lbs.
- 1—Three burner oil cook stove.
- 1—Dining table.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

- Bedsteads, springs and mattresses.
- Kitchen cabinet.
- 1—Practically new No. 15 DeLaval cream separator. Milk cans, buckets, pans and useful articles too numerous to mention.

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED BY BAPTIST LADIES OF HEREFORD TERMS—All sums of \$25.00 and under, cash; sums over \$25.00, six months' note, 10 per cent interest, approved security; five per cent discount for cash.

W. B. CLAYTON,

OWNER.

CLIFF ESTES, Clerk.

RAY BARBER, Auctioneer.



Let's Go, Farmers!

Weather conditions for a good row crop have never been more ideal. Everything points to an abundant harvest in 1928. Your work and our fine seeds assure you of the best possible results. Phone 265 for prices.

West Texas Feed & Seed Co.

We Buy Produce.

Yes Sir--- You're Invited Now!



Hereford's newest, most beautiful and most sanitary cafe and coffee shop will be officially opened to the public for the first time on Saturday morning, June 2, and we want you as our guest on our opening day.

A Special Opening Day Menu—a delicious noon-day dinner for only 50c—has been prepared, and you'll agree that it surpasses any 50c food value you've seen in a long time.

We're not trying to sell you something, however. We only want you to come in and look us over—eat if you're hungry, otherwise, you'll be under no obligation whatever.

SOUVENIRS FOR ALL—CARNATIONS FOR THE LADIES, CIGARS FOR THE GENTS. THERE'S ONE FOR YOU.

New Stockman's Cafe

MR. AND MRS. OMER BAKER, Proprietors.

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Thompson's Malted Milk, 5 lb can \$2.42 Arbuckle's Coffee, lb \$.37 Folger's Tea, 1 lb \$.72
 Peanut Butter, 5 lb bucket \$.92 Figs, 3 lb package \$.34 Rice, 8 lbs \$.50

HEREFORD WHOLESALE GROCERY COMPANY

Dr. Frank Crane Says



A NEW COLUMBUS.

The reader may often have wished that he might have lived in that year 1492 when Columbus crossed the water wastes and discovered a new continent.

But to live in the year of our Lord 1928 and to pick up the morning paper and see that young Lindbergh had completed a trip of 9,000 miles throughout the South American republics and back to St. Louis, or that he has successfully crossed the Atlantic Ocean and landed in Paris is really to live in the age of a new Columbus.

He has done what has never been done before. His stock in trade was merely a skillful hand and a clear brain. There was no great capital behind him, no organization that prompted him. He just did it himself.

And as far as I have been able to see, I have found no line in any paper anywhere criticizing or condemning him. With one voice the people of all countries have united in exalting Lindbergh. And with all he has carried off his victory so modestly and so humbly as to raise no resentment. For after all there is only one thing we resent in a man, be he great or small, and that is undue egotism.

Nobody voted for him and he was not elected to anything, but he ranks along with Abraham Lincoln and General Grant as one who does things and does them with simplicity and punctuality.

Along with the other millions of the United States, I am glad to hurrah for Lindbergh! If I were shy my hat into the ring and to have another son I think I would call him Lindbergh, for there is no man whose example I would want him to imitate more than Lindbergh's, an example of adventurous youth combined with those sterling qualities of simplicity and modesty which ought to characterize a great man.

After all he does not seem to want anything. He does not ask for our money or our votes. He only wants a chance to go to work at that work which he understands best, which is flying. I hope he will stick to this and show us an example of a man who takes delight in doing that which he can do.

Did it take you long to get home tonight?
 Nonsense, I went home like lightning.
 I know—zig-zag lightning.

FOR JOB WORK, TRY THE BRAND.

Things You Should Know About Your HEALTH

Jno. Jos. Gaines, M. D.

STARCHES.

Much of our food may be classified as starchy. We could not get along without a certain amount of the carbohydrate. It is only with excess of starch that I attempt to deal here.

Common starches are rice, potatoes, bread and cereals that are marketed under trade names. The admixture of sugar makes the starchy foods more tempting. We eat five or six times as much starch as we really need. Most any well set dinner table has four or five starches when one would be abundant. The well-living housewife sets on her table two kinds of bread, always potatoes, maybe Lima beans or baked beans, cake, pie with starch crusts, and rice pudding occasionally. If I were permitted to hang a motto above the American dinner table, one that would do good, I would certainly proclaim, "One starch—not four."

When too much starch is piled into the system, the liver is given more than it can do perfectly—and the liver is the largest gland in the body. It transforms all

the starch it can, the surplus is deposited about the body; we become fat, mushy, flabby in muscle and mentality. We are overloaded with ballast. We have all sorts of "liver trouble." Physicking does no good—not even temporarily. Cutting down the starch is the only rational way. If we do not—and we are compelled to diet in order to get well—and nine times out of ten, the offender is starch, taken in great excess.

Excess of starch weakens; makes us susceptible to disease; children who eat heaps of potatoes acquire infectious diseases, colds and such—very easily. Watch your starch—use one, not four. We find starches fully as harmful as meats though highly innocent in appearance.

"Deacon White," said Parson Jackson softly, "will you lead us in prayer?"

There was no answer. "Deacon White," this time a little louder, "will you lead?" Still no answer. Evidently the deacon was slumbering. Parson Jackson made a third appeal and raised his voice to a high pitch that succeeded in arousing the drowsy man. "Deacon White, will you lead?"

The deacon in bewilderment rubbed his heavy eyes and blurted: "Lead yourself; I just dealt."

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of

Deaf Smith County. Greeting: Criss Renfro, Administrator of the estate of E. Renfro, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the estate of said E. Renfro, numbered 265 on the Probate Docket of Deaf Smith County, together with an application to be discharged from said Administration.

You Are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a newspaper printed in the County of Deaf Smith, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same, if they see proper so to do, on or before the June term, 1928, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said county in the town of Hereford, Texas, on the 4th day of June A. D. 1928, when said account and application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in the town of Hereford, Texas, this 10th day of May A. D. 1928.

L. H. FOSTER, Clerk, County Court, Deaf Smith County.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands, C. BENTON, Sheriff, Deaf Smith County. By J. M. Murchison, Deputy. 18-3EWW

CHURCH OF CHRIST

HAS CALLED

J. W. Dunn, of Dallas, Texas

To begin his second meeting for the church here, on the First Lord's Day in June, to run two weeks. Two services a day, 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend these services.



Delicious Cuts of MEATS

At a Big Cut In Price

We carry nothing but the choicest cuts.

Our meats have a reputation for their fine taste and flavor.

And our prices invite comparison.

Texas Meat Market

PHONE 353—WE DELIVER

Pickwick Service

THE REVISED SCHEDULE

There has just been a revision in the schedule of Pickwick Stages operating through Hereford. The newly announced schedule is as follows:

East Bound	West Bound
9:45 a. m.	9:50 a. m.
12:40 p. m.	4:45 p. m.
10:50 p. m.	9:10 p. m.

Local Agent, Corner Drug Store, Hereford, Texas. Phone 105 for Information.



APPEARANCE PROUD?

If you value a good appearance, you know the benefit to be derived from clean, well-pressed clothes. That work is our specialty. Our slogan is: "If we can't clean it, throw it away."

Hereford Dry Cleaners

Across from Post Office. Phone 85

COAL

Suprise You?

Perhaps you're just the least bit surprised to see us advertising this early in the game that we are ready to stock your bin with next winter's coal. Lots of people were surprised when we began our early campaign last spring. But—those who had the foresight to take advantage of the low summer price congratulated themselves most heartily before the winter was over.

You can't tell what the coal situation will be this winter. Neither can we. We can only point out the wisdom and common sense of phoning us today and placing your order.

JONES & McLEAN

Phone 1

After June 1st---

You will find us in the Stockman's Hotel Building, next door to the First State Bank, where we will be better able to take care of your needs in the way of IMPLEMENTS and HEAVY HARDWARE.

It is our aim at all times to keep our line of repairs complete, and we want you to make our store your store.

**John Deere Implements
 Holt Combines**

Kerr Implement Co.

Hereford, Texas

Dimmitt, Texas

STAR THEATRE

Wednesday - Thursday
 June 6-7

Metz Goldwyn Mayer presents

THIS WEEK

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

**THE FABULOUS TOAD.
31 GERMAN PARTIES
MR. ROSENWALD'S GIFT.
PICTURES AND VOICE**

A horned toad, known to newspaper readers as Rip Van Winkle, is supposed to have lived more than thirty years in a corner stone without air, wafer or food.

The toad has been seen by many including the President. Some believe the yarn. The President has not committed himself. When the toad was placed on the President's desk neither said a word.

Now the toad's owner heightens interest by saying that in his dark, stressy corner stone the toad sat next to a Bible and that noble book enabled him to hold out. Many will believe that. It is a credulous human race.

In a few days Germany will elect a new Reichstag, and thirty-one different parties will fight for the seats. These include two Catholics, two Socialists, two Nationalists, three Communist and three Anti-Semitic parties.

In America we have only two parties that count, and our people can hardly keep track of them. Not ten in a hundred could tell what either wants or plans.

Fortunate the country with little political excitement. It is quiet because it is doing well.

The success of the individual is often the good fortune of the many.

Julius Rosenwald who began with a public school education, courage and the desire to help others, has established a fund "for the benefit of humanity," recently adding \$2,000,000 to other gifts, now in excess of \$20,000,000.

Mr. Rosenwald gives the money to trustees for the public benefit and imposes only one condition, that "all the money shall be spent," principal and interest, within 25 years of Mr. Rosenwald's death. May that death be long postponed.

Moving picture enthusiasts will soon have sound with their pictures. Actors will talk and sing on the screen and news reels will enable crowds to see and HEAR what happens.

Moving picture actors will need good voices as well as beautiful teeth, faces, legs and hair. Soon the actor without a good voice will be a moving picture actor no longer.

William Fox and his "Movietone," aided by Walter S. Gifford, of the big telephone company, and Mr. Bloom, of the Western Electric, have convinced the moving picture industry that moving pictures in future will require both "sound and fury."

Various changes will come, actors with good voices will be imported to Hollywood or moving picture studios will be transformed into places where good voices can be found.

New York State has signed a check for \$33,723,734, the biggest check ever drawn by the richest State. The best part of it is that the money will be spent for public schools.

Not long ago every state spent more for prisons than for public schools, and nothing at all for public libraries. There is progress.

Art objects, from the Bronze Age, and pottery made by Philistines are dug up in Palestine.

It is supposed to be the same that meant to the human race when the ancients discovered, probably by accident, how to get copper from ore and went traveling over the earth in search of it.

Centuries ago, boats sailed cautiously from Mediterranean ports, keeping in sight of land, having no compass.

Bold Phoenicians from the eastern end of the inland sea, traders that sold Solomon some of the wonderful things he put into his temple, sailed through the Straits of Gibraltar, into the wild Atlantic, using stars in place of a compass, pushing on to what we call the British Isles. That was a wonder.

Recently the Italian flyer, Umberto Nobile, in his dirigible Italia, started through the air for the North Pole, but was forced back by fog and a gale. He took with him a cross 6 feet long, to be dropped as near to the pole as possible, and the flag of Pope Pius.

The earth is conquered, sea and air. Will men ever conquer outside space?

Good News for Mustard Makers.

BEVER FALLS, Pa.—A horse-radish factory near here may be compelled to close down. It is said, scarcity of horseradish for the embellishment of hot dogs is now threatening. The price of the relish has increased 600 per cent in the last six months. The Mississippi flood is considered responsible for the shortage.

**CITY OF HEREFORD
THE STATE OF TEXAS.**

On this the 16th day of May, 1928, the City Commission of the City of Hereford, Texas, was convened in regular session, in the City Hall, all members thereof, to-wit:

- E. S. IRELAND, Mayor
- J. O. NEWELL, Commissioner
- C. H. DYAR, Commissioner
- GRACE SKELTON, City Secretary

being present, with none absent, and among other business was transacted:

Commissioner Dyer introduced an ordinance. The ordinance was read in full by the Secretary. A motion was made by C. H. Dyer that the rule requiring ordinances to be read at more than one meeting be suspended, and that this ordinance when passed take effect immediately, as an emergency measure. The motion was seconded by Commissioner J. O. Newell and was carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners J. O. Newell and C. H. Dyer.
NOES: None.

A motion was made by Commissioner C. H. Dyer that the ordinance be passed finally. The motion was seconded by Commissioner J. O. Newell, and was carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners C. H. Dyer and J. O. Newell.
NOES: None.

The Mayor declared that the ordinance finally passed. The ordinance is as follows:

AN ORDINANCE

DETERMINING THE NECESSITY OF LEVYING AN ASSESSMENT AGAINST THE PROPERTY AND THE OWNERS THEREOF IN THE CITY OF HEREFORD ABUTTING UPON THE STREETS AND PAROS OF STREETS HERINAFTER NAMED FOR THE COST OF IMPROVING SAID STREETS, FIXING A TIME FOR THE HEARING OF THE OWNERS OF SAID PROPERTY CONCERNING SAME, AND DIRECTING THE CITY SECRETARY TO GIVE NOTICE OF SAID HEARING REQUIRED BY ARTICLE 1004, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES OF TEXAS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Hereford, Texas, has adopted the benefits of the provisions of Chapter 9, Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, and amendments thereto, by a majority vote of the legally qualified, property tax paying voters, residing in said city, at an election held on the 24th day of January, 1916, and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of said City did on the 31st day of January, 1916, after said election pass an order declaring the results of said election, and declaring the provisions of said Chapter and Title applicable to and governing said City in all respects, which order is of record in Vol. 1, page 108, et seq., of the Minutes of said City of Hereford; and

WHEREAS, heretofore on the 14th day of May, 1928, the City Commission awarded the contract for widening and resurfacing certain streets and parts of streets and construction of curbs, gutters and other necessary appurtenances, including drainage and storm sewers where necessary, as hereinafter specified, to Jordan Construction Company, contractors, which contract is of record in the Minutes of said Commission in Volume 5, pages 235 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, on the 7th day of May, 1928, the City Commission of the City of Hereford, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 9, Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, did order the improving of certain streets and where necessary the construction of curbs and gutters and other necessary appurtenances, including drainage and storm sewers where necessary within said city, to-wit:

- DISTRICT NO. 29 Third Street from its intersection with the West Line of Sampson Avenue to its intersection with the East Line of Miles Avenue.
- DISTRICT NO. 30 Main Street from its intersection with the North Line of Third Street to its intersection with the South Line of Fifth Street.
- DISTRICT NO. 31 Main Street from its intersection with the North Line of First Street to its intersection with the North Line of Third Street.
- DISTRICT NO. 32 Second Street from its intersection with the East Line of Sampson Avenue to its intersection with East Alley Line of Blocks 24 and 25.
- DISTRICT NO. 33 Fourth Street from its intersection with the West Line of Schley Avenue to its intersection with the West Line of Sampson Avenue.
- DISTRICT NO. 34 Fourth Street from its intersection with the West Line of Sampson Avenue to its intersection with West Alley Line of Blocks 26 and 27.
- DISTRICT NO. 35 Sampson Avenue from its intersection with the South Line of Third Street to its intersection with the North Line of Fourth Street.
- DISTRICT NO. 36 Sampson Avenue from its intersection with the North Line of First Street to its intersection with the South Line of Third Street.
- DISTRICT NO. 37 Third Street from its intersection with the West Line of Schley Avenue to its intersection with the West Line of Sampson Avenue.

and WHEREAS, the said Jordan Construction Company has duly given bond for the performance of said work and for the maintenance of same and the City Engineer has in accordance with the ordinance ordering improvement of the above mentioned streets filed a report with the City as to the cost of said improvements and as to the ownership of the property abutting on said streets to be improved and the estimated proportionate expense of said improvements for which the property owners thereof are liable; and

WHEREAS, according to the report and statement of the City Engineer, the total estimate of the cost of said improvements is \$61,105.24 and the proportion and amount of such improvements to be assessed against abutting property and its owners is as follows:

For Surfacing	\$38,708.04
For Curbs	\$ NONE
City's Proportion	\$33,907.20
Total	\$61,105.24

The amount to be assessed against the owners and the property for widening and necessary appurtenances, including drainage and sewers where necessary, is as follows:

District No. 29	\$3,296.94
District No. 30	\$4,174.49
District No. 31	\$4,162.54
District No. 32	\$2,473.02
District No. 33	\$1,707.22
District No. 34	\$2,377.92
District No. 35	\$7,738.50
District No. 36	\$3,400.80
District No. 37	\$1,714.61

and; WHEREAS, according to said report, the names of the owners of said property and amounts contemplated to be assessed against each lot and its owner, are as follows, to-wit:

Name	Block	Lot	Side	Area	Other Imp.	Rate for	Front feet	Other Amt. of Ass'n.
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THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS:

1. That the report of the City Engineer, having been examined, is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that a full and fair hearing be had as provided for herein; that part of the cost of said improvements shall be assessed against property owners on streets so improved and owners thereon and that the total cost of said improvements shall be apportioned and paid as follows:

(a) The City of Hereford shall pay the whole cost of the construction of the curbs and gutters and shall pay one-half (1-2) of the cost of the remainder of said improvements.

(b) The owners of property abutting upon said streets named to be improved shall pay the remainder of said cost of the improvement of said streets; after there has been deducted the amount payable by the City of Hereford under Section (a) above, provided, however, that in no event shall more than three-fourths (3-4) of the entire cost of such improvements, exclusive of curbs, be assessed against such property owners and their property.

(c) That the portion of the said cost to be paid by the City of Hereford shall be payable upon estimates made by the City Engineer during the construction of said work, on the first day of each month, after the beginning thereof, payable on the fifth day of each month, ten per cent (10%) of said estimate being held back and reserved and payable to the Contractor to whom the work may be let, upon

the completion of same and acceptance by the City.

DISTRICT NO. 29

Roll or statement for Third Street from its intersection with the west line of Sampson Avenue to its intersection with the East line of Miles Avenue, Hereford, Texas.				
Magnolia Petroleum Co.	N E 80 of 4, 5 and 6, 17	[Orig. Town]	80	2,945.5
W. B. Dameron	N W 00 ft of 4, 5 and 6, 17	[Orig. Town]	60	2,945.5
J. R. Mosley	N E 83 feet of 7 and 8 17	[Orig. Town]	83	2,945.5
J. W. Kerby and Lloyd Doughty	N W 57 ft of 7 and 8 17	[Orig. Town]	57	2,945.5
The Texas Company	S E 00 ft of 1, 2 and 3, 18	[Orig. Town]	60	2,945.5
A. H. Elliston	S W 80 feet of 1, 2 and 3 18	[Orig. Town]	80	2,945.5
First National Bank of Hereford	S 24 18	[Orig. Town]	140	2,945.5
W. B. Dameron	N 6 26	[Orig. Town]	140	2,945.5
Criss Renfro, Admr. estate of E. Renfro, Dec'd.	N E 90 ft of 7, 8 and 9 26	[Orig. Town]	90	2,945.5
O. K. Higgins	N E 17 ft 6 in W 50 ft 7, 8, 9 26	[Orig. Town]	17 6	2,945.5
Texas Utilities Company	N W 32 ft 6 in of 7, 8 & 9 26	[Orig. Town]	32 6	2,945.5
S. P. and L. E. McMinn, executors estate of W. P. McMinn, Dec'd. and L. E., W. J., and J. B. McMinn and Minnie J. Roberson	S 1 25	[Orig. Town]	140	2,54.55
H. L. Rice	S E 20 feet of 22, 23 and 24 25	[Orig. Town]	20	2,945.5
F. H. Oberthier	S E 00 ft W 120 of 22, 23, 24 25	[Orig. Town]	60	2,945.5
Glenn Snyder	S W 00 ft of 22, 23 and 24 25	[Orig. Town]	60	2,945.5

\$3,298.94

ESTIMATE OF COST

163.0 Sq. yds. of paving at \$2.00 per sq. yd.	\$ 423.80
1322.1 lin. ft. curb and gutter at \$1.10 per lin. ft.	1,454.31
784.1 lin. ft. side walk repairing at \$0.15 per lin. ft.	117.62
2982.0 sq. yds. resurfacing at \$1.95 per sq. yd.	5,814.90
One Catch Basin. \$45.00	45.00
Engineering 5 per cent	392.78
Total Cost of Improvement	\$8,248.41

CITY'S PORTION

All Curb and Gutter	\$1,454.31
All Side Walk Repairing	117.62
One-half Other Improvements	3,141.85
Engineering 5 per cent	235.69
Total City's Portion	4,949.47

Total Property Owner's Portion \$3,298.94

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$294.55

DISTRICT NO. 30

Roll or statement for Main Street from its intersection with the north line of Third Street to its intersection with the south line of Fifth Street, Hereford, Texas.				
W. B. Dameron	W 6	26	[Orig. Town]	30
J. Ray	W 5	26	[Orig. Town]	50
S. J. Williams	W N 25 feet of 4	26	[Orig. Town]	25
Mrs. Abbie Collins Hedge	W S 25 ft of 4	26	[Orig. Town]	25
Carrie P. Sherman	W S 25 ft of 3	26	[Orig. Town]	25
Joe Allen Collins	W N 25 ft of 3	26	[Orig. Town]	25

Leola Goldberg	W S 25 ft 6 in of 2	26	[Orig. Town]	25 6
H. H. Hawkins	W N 24 ft 6 in of 2	26	[Orig. Town]	24 6
B. C. D. Bynum	W 1	26	[Orig. Town]	50
J. B. Kerby and Lloyd Doughty	E W 57 ft of 7 and 8	17	[Orig. Town]	160
Mary S. Givan	E S 25 ft of 9	17	[Orig. Town]	25
E. H. Norton	E N 25 feet of 9	17	[Orig. Town]	25
E. H. Norton	E S 25 feet of 10	17	[Orig. Town]	25
C. J. Kellehor, Tr. for W. D. Kellehor	E N 25 ft of 10 and 8 20 ft of 11 17	17	[Orig. Town]	45
Lee Lambert and J. A. Buckner	E N 30 ft 11 & S 5 ft of 6 in 12 17	17	[Orig. Town]	35 6
C. H. Dyar	E N 44 ft 0 in of 12	17	[Orig. Town]	44 6
F. A. Bone	E N 25 feet of 6	27	[Orig. Town]	28
B. F. Guthrie	W N 22 ft of 6	27	[Orig. Town]	22
B. F. Guthrie	W 5	27	[Orig. Town]	50
Mrs. Eliza Weaver	W S 25 feet of 4	27	[Orig. Town]	25
A. J. Lipscomb	W N 25 feet of 4	27	[Orig. Town]	25
J. A. Fox and J. H. Galbreath	W 1, 2 and 3	27	[Orig. Town]	150
W. L. Pickett	E 7	16	[Orig. Town]	50
D. F. Ashbrook	E 8	16	[Orig. Town]	50

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A regular 25¢ grade of 36-inch Percales. A rare buy at **Five Yards \$1.00**

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Ideal for hot summer days about the house are these attractive slippers and house shoes. Softly made, they are comfortable and yet hold their shape. Colors include lovely shades of rose, blue and fawn.

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Frank A. Giles				
E 9	16 Orig. Town 50 3,4787 173.94			
J. Williams				
E 10	16 Orig. Town 50 3,4787 173.94			
S. J. Williams				
E 8 25 ft of 11	16 Orig. Town 25 3,4787 86.97			
Marland Refining Company				
E N 25 feet of 11	16 Orig. Town 25 3,4787 86.97			
Marland Refining Company				
E 12	16 Orig. Town 50 3,4787 173.94			

ESTIMATE OF COST

189.3 sq yds of paving at \$2.00 per sq yd	\$ 462.70
1319.1 lin ft curb and gutter at \$1.10 per lin ft	1,451.01
567.6 lin ft sidewalk repairing at \$0.15 per lin ft	85.14
3801.9 sq yds resurfacing at \$1.95 per sq yd	7,413.70
One Catch Basin at \$45.00	45.00
Engineering 5 per cent	474.38

Total cost of improvement \$9,061.03

CITY'S PORTION

All curb and gutter	\$1,451.01
All sidewalk repairing	85.14
One-half other improvements	3,975.70
Engineering 5 per cent	275.59

Total City's Portion \$5,787.44

Total Property Owner's portion \$4,174.49

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$3,4787

DISTRICT NO. 31

Roll or statement for Main Street from its intersection with the north line of First Street to its intersection with the north line of Third Street, City of Hereford, Texas.

First State Bank of Hereford				
W 1	24 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
Mrs. Eula Rambo and Mary V. Palmer, Executrix, Estate T. M. Palmer, Dec'd.				
W 2 and 3	24 Orig. Town 50 3,4688 173.44			
N. C. Vogelie				
W 4	24 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
Carl Gilliland				
W 5	24 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
J. B. W. A., C. H. and Tennie Miller				
W 6	24 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
W. E. Dunlap				
W 7	24 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
Mary Belle Britain				
W 8	24 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
Amarillo Hdwe. Co. and Dunlap Hdwe. Co.				
W 9	24 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
Henry Hellman				
W 10	24 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
J. R. Mosley				
W 11 and 12	24 Orig. Town 50 3,4688 173.44			
D. L. McDonald				
E 13 and 14	19 Orig. Town 50 3,4688 173.44			
L. Baskin				
E 15, 16, 17 and 18	19 Orig. Town 100 3,4688 346.88			
H. L. Lambert				
E 19	19 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
C. H. Carl				
W 20 and 21	19 Orig. Town 50 3,4688 173.44			
J. R. Mosley				
E 22 and 23 and 8 8 in of 24	19 Orig. Town 50 8 3,4688 175.75			
T. E. Shirley				
E N 24 ft 4 in of 24	19 Orig. Town 24 4 3,4688 84.40			
Inez Stambaugh and Geo. V. Stambaugh				
W 11 and 12	25 Orig. Town 50 3,4688 173.44			
D. Cunningham and J. T. Cunningham				
W 10 and 8 6 in of 9	25 Orig. Town 25 6 3,4688 88.45			
Western National Bank				
W-S and N 24 ft 6 in of 9	25 Orig. Town 49 6 3,4688 171.70			
Western National Bank				
W 8 10 ft of 7	25 Orig. Town 10 3,4688 34.69			
R. G. Gass and N. E. Gass				
W 6 and N 15 ft of 7	25 Orig. Town 40 3,4688 138.75			
J. Ray				
W 4 and 5	25 Orig. Town 50 3,4688 173.44			
J. Ray				
W 8 18 ft 9 in of 3	25 Orig. Town 18 9 3,4688 65.04			
A. H. Elliston				
W 2 and N 6 ft 3 in of 3	25 Orig. Town 31 3 3,4688 108.40			
S. P. and L. E. McMinn, executors of estate of W. P. McMinn, Dec'd., and L. E. W. J.				
J. R. McMinn and Minnie J. Roberson				
W 1	25 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
Marticia English and E. B. Black				
E 13 and 14	18 Orig. Town 50 3,4688 173.44			
Ida Florence Rayzor, Admx. Estate of W. H. Rayzor, Dec'd.				
E 15	18 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 476				
E 16	18 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
J. H. Cardwell and Emmett Cardwell				
E 17 and 18	18 Orig. Town 50 3,4688 173.44			
V. B. Farmer				
E 19	18 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
H. L. Elliston				
E 20 ft and 8 1-2 21	18 Orig. Town 37 6 3,4688 130.08			
J. O. Newell and D. F. Ashbrook				
E 22 and N 1-2 of 31	18 Orig. Town 37 6 3,4688 136.08			
First National Bank of Hereford				
E 24	18 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			

ESTIMATE OF COST

189.3 sq yds of paving at \$2.00 per sq yd	\$ 462.18
1315.1 lin ft curb and gutter at \$1.10 per lin ft	1,446.61
567.6 lin ft sidewalk repairing at \$0.15 per lin ft	85.14
3780.5 sq yds resurfacing at \$1.95 per sq yd	7,391.48
One catch basin at \$45.00	45.00
Engineering 5 per cent	474.06

Total cost of improvement \$9,907.09

CITY'S PORTION

All Curb and Gutter	\$1,446.61
All sidewalk repairing	85.14
One-half other improvements	3,964.53
Engineering 5 per cent	276.45

Total City's Portion \$5,900.45

Total property owner's portion \$4,102.54

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$3,4688

DISTRICT NO. 32

Roll or statement for Second Street from its intersection with the East line of Sampson Avenue to its intersection with East Alley line of Block 24 and 25, City of Hereford, Texas.

H. H. Hawkins				
N 11 and 12	18 Orig. Town 140 2,9441 412.17			
Marticia English and E. B. Black				
N 13 and 14	18 Orig. Town 140 2,9441 412.17			
Mrs. Isabel Garrison				
S. J. 2 and 3	19 Orig. Town 140 2,9441 412.17			
T. E. Shirley				
S N 24 ft 4 in of 24	19 Orig. Town 140 2,9441 412.17			
Inez Stambaugh and Geo. V. Stambaugh				
N 11 and 12	25 Orig. Town 140 2,9441 412.17			
First State Bank of Hereford				
S 1	24 Orig. Town 140 2,9441 412.17			

ESTIMATE OF COST

142.0 sq yds of paving at \$2.00 per sq yd	\$ 284.00
948.4 lin ft curb and gutter at \$1.10 per lin ft	1,043.24
110.3 lin ft sidewalk repairing at \$0.15 per lin ft	16.54
46.0 lin ft headers at \$0.35 per lin ft	16.10
106.0 sq yds resurfacing at \$1.95 per sq yd	2,067.00
One catch basin at \$45.00	45.00
Engineering 5 per cent	288.50

Total cost of improvement \$6,009.09

CITY'S PORTION

All curb and gutter	\$1,043.24
All sidewalk repairing	16.54

One-half other improvements	2,355.27
Engineering 5 per cent	170.82
Total City's Portion	\$3,586.97

Total property owner's portion \$2,473.02

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$2,9441

DISTRICT NO. 33

Roll or statement for Fourth Street from its intersection with the west line of Schley Avenue to its intersection with the west line of Sampson Avenue, City of Hereford, Texas.

Deaf Smith County				
North 5	13 Orig. Town 140 2,9435 412.09			
Union that Nothing Be Lost				
N 7 and 8	13 Orig. Town 140 2,9435 412.09			
Deaf Smith County				
S All	12 Orig. Town 300 2,9435 883.04			

ESTIMATE OF COST

37.0 sq yds of paving at \$2.00 per sq yd	\$ 74.00
675.4 lin ft curb and gutter at \$1.10 per lin ft	742.94
33.0 lin ft sidewalk repairing at \$0.15 per lin ft	4.95
92.0 lin ft headers at \$0.35 per lin ft	32.20
1378.7 sq yds resurfacing at \$1.95 per sq yd	2,688.56
One catch basin moved	45.00
Engineering 5 per cent	200.37

Total cost of improvement \$4,207.75

CITY'S PORTION

All curb and gutter	\$ 742.94
All sidewalk repairing	4.95
One-half other improvements	1,625.93
Engineering 5 per cent	119.08

Total City's Portion \$2,500.53

Total property owner's portion 1,707.22

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owner \$2,9435

DISTRICT NO. 34

Roll or statement for Fourth Street from its intersection with the west line of Sampson Avenue to its intersection with west Alley line of blocks 26 and 27, City of Hereford, Texas.

Union That Nothing Be Lost				
N 5 and 6	16 Orig. Town 140 2,8308 396.32			
W. L. Pickett N 7				
16 Orig. Town 140 2,8308 396.32				
First State Bank of Hereford				
S. 1	17 Orig. Town 140 2,8308 396.32			
C. H. Dyar				
S No. 44 ft 6 in of 12	17 Orig. Town 140 2,8308 396.32			
F. A. Bone				
N 8 28 ft of 6	27 Orig. Town 140 2,8308 396.32			
B. C. D. Bynum				
S 1	26 Orig. Town 140 2,8308 396.32			

ESTIMATE OF COST

144.8 sq yds of paving at \$2.00 per sq yd	\$ 289.60
875.2 lin ft curb and gutter at \$1.10 per lin ft	962.72
50.3 lin ft sidewalk repairing at \$0.15 per lin ft	7.54
2106.6 sq yds resurfacing at \$1.95 per sq yd	4,107.87
One catch basin at \$45.00	45.00
Engineering 5 per cent	275.05

Total cost of improvement \$5,776.02

CITY'S PORTION

All curb and gutter	\$962.72
All sidewalk repair	7.54
One-half other improvements	2,204.67
Engineering 5 per cent	161.81

Total City's Portion \$3,386.10

Total property owner's portion \$2,379.92

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$2,8308

DISTRICT NO. 35

Roll or statement for Sampson Avenue from its intersection with the south line of Third Street to its intersection with the north line of Fourth Street, City of Hereford, Texas.

Magnolia Petroleum Company				
W E 80 of 4, 5 and 6	17 Orig. Town 150 2,8975 434.62			
International Harvester Company				
W 2 and 3	17 Orig. Town 100 2,8975 289.75			
First State Bank of Hereford				
W 1	17 Orig. Town 50 2,8975 144.88			
Deaf Smith County				
E All	12 Orig. Town 300 2,8975 869.25			

ESTIMATE OF COST

38.1 sq yds of paving at \$2.00 per sq yd	\$ 76.20
675.4 lin ft curb and gutter at \$1.10 per lin ft	742.94
292.5 lin ft sidewalk repairing at \$0.15 per lin ft	43.88
1024.3 sq yds resurfacing at \$1.95 per sq yd	1,997.38
One catch basin	45.00
Engineering 5 per cent	204.24

Total cost of improvement \$4,289.00

CITY'S PORTION

All curb and gutter	\$ 742.94
All sidewalk repairing	43.88
One-half other improvements	1,655.72
Engineering 5 per cent	121.46

Total City's Portion \$2,550.50

Total property owner's portion \$1,738.50

Total rate per front foot to be assessed against property owners \$2,8975

DISTRICT NO. 36

Roll or statement for Sampson Avenue from its intersection with the north line of First Street to its intersection with the south line of

J. H. Vandenhoeve				
W 11 and 12	19 Orig. Town 50 2,8840 144.20			
O. D. Cockerham				
W 8, 9 and 10	19 Orig. Town 75 2,8840 216.30			
J. H. Williams, Jr.				
W 7	19 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
W. A. Miller				
W 6	19 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
H. B. Webb				
W 5	19 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
Mrs. Luia Garrison, Lucille Garrison, Zollie Garrison, Leola Garrison				
W 4	19 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
Mrs. Isabel Garrison				
W 1, 2 and 3	19 Orig. Town 75 2,8840 216.30			
Deaf Smith County				
E 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17	10 Orig. Town 125 2,8840 360.50			
I. Baskin				
E 18 and 19	10 Orig. Town 50 2,8840 144.20			
Rari France				
J. J. Clark				
E 23	18 Orig. Town 25 3,4688 86.72			
E 20 and 21	10 Orig. Town 50 2,8840 144.20			
Anton Slama				
E 22	10 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
Marticia English and E. B. Black				
E 23 and 24	10 Orig. Town 50 2,8840 144.20			
H. H. Hawkins				
W 10, 11 and 12	18 Orig. Town 75 2,8840 216.30			
H. B. Webb				
W 8 and 9	18 Orig. Town 50 2,8840 144.20			
J. D. Burkett Estate, Jno. D., Chas. Henry, Thos. and Geneva Burkett				
W 5, 6 and 7	18 Orig. Town 75 2,8840 216.30			
Mrs. Roxie Miller				
W 4	18 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
The Texas Company				
W E 60 ft of 1, 2 and 3	18 Orig. Town 75 2,8840 216.30			
Lizzie B. Cogdell and W. M. Cogdell				
E 13, 14, 15 and 16	11 Orig. Town 100 2,8840 288.40			
Carl Gilliland				
E 17	11 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
Mrs. Luia Garrison, Zollie Garrison, Lots Garrison, Lucille Garrison				
E 18	11 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
S. R. Edwards				

E 19	11 Orig. Town 25 2,8840 72.10			
Mrs. Mary V. Palmer				
E W 100 ft of 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24	11 Orig. Town 125 2,8840 360.50			

ESTIMATE OF COST

167.3 sq yds of paving at \$2.00 per sq yd	\$ 334.60
1243.7 lin ft curb and gutter at \$1.10 per lin ft	1,368.07
184.0 lin ft sidewalk repairing at \$0.15 per lin ft	27.60
3157.4 sq yds resurfacing at \$1.95 per sq yd	6,156.93
Engineering 5 per cent	399.40

Total cost of improvement \$8,386.98

CITY'S PORTION

All curb and gutter	\$1,368.07
All sidewalk repairing	27.60
One-half other improvements	3,29

FARMERS ATTENTION!

Your State Agricultural College recommends the use of COPPER CARBONATE to prevent smut in kafir corn, maize or wheat. We have a large supply on hand now and it will cost you only about 5c per bushel to treat your grain to prevent smut.

A talk with your grain dealer will convince you that you should use COPPER CARBONATE to increase both the yield and the quality, amounting to from ten to fifty per cent more profit on your grain crop.

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The City Drug Store

Hereford, Texas.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Miss Kathleen Hawkins left Sunday for Dallas to visit friends.

E. Donnelly Baker of Borger spent last week-end here visiting friends.

Get good old American cash for your produce. JACK SPRATT will treat you right. HEREFORD PRODUCE.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Connel and family of San Angelo left Saturday after a short visit with relatives and friends in Hereford last week.

Be sure to look in our windows Saturday and Monday for a splendid array of "Specials." Bargains that will astound you. D. R. GASS & SON.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Mercer were Amarillo visitors last Sunday.

STAR THEATRE

HEREFORD, TEXAS

Friday and Saturday

JUNE 1-2

ZANE GREY'S

"Drums of the Desert"

with

WARNER BAXTER

Monday and Tuesday

JUNE 4-5

BILLIE DOVE

in

"The Yellow Lilly"

Wednesday and Thursday

JUNE 6-7

"Detectives"

with

KARL DANE AND GEORGE K. ARTHUR.

Friday and Saturday

JUNE 8-9

CHARLIE CHAPLIN

in

"The Circus"

Times of Shows: 7:30-9:00 p. m. Saturday Matinee: 2:00-3:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Shaw and daughter, Miss LaMoine, spent Sunday in Amarillo.

Congoleum rugs and floor covering for sale at JONES FURNITURE COMPANY, Phone 111.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wright spent the week-end in Littlefield.

Jimmie Williams, manager of the Williams ranch, at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, was a week-end visitor with his mother, Mrs. E. J. Williams. He says this country looks better to him every time he comes here. He was surprised at the various improvements in his home town in such a short time since his last visit here.

Plant a lawn? WEST TEXAS FEED & SEED CO.

C. S. Jones was an Amarillo visitor Sunday.

Dewey Watson of Dimmitt was here on business matters Tuesday.

W. Dee Mitchell left Saturday for Siloam Springs, Arkansas, where he will enter the summer term of the John Brown Vocational schools. Mr. Mitchell had been employed by the Brand for the past year. He will study printing as well as a general course in Liberal Arts. His place on the Brand force has been taken by Russell Whitehead, a former employee.

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Col. Ray Barber made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

You can't beat a Brunswick at any price. RICE SELLS them. (Accent the "SELLS")

Eli Dunlap, formerly of this city and R. C. Parks, both of Dallas, were here on business matters the first part of the week. Mr. Parks is owner of the old Dunlap farm near Hereford.

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MASONIC SPEAKER HERE.

Wilbur Keith of Dallas, executive secretary of the Masonic Service Association, will be here Tuesday night, June 26, to deliver an address on Masonic work. It was announced today by Sank Ramey, head of the Hereford lodge. He will be accompanied by other Masonic speakers, whose names have not yet been announced. All Master Masons here are expected to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Parmer of Plainview, were here Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

W. E. Culbertson of Delavan, Ill., was here looking after business interests Monday and Tuesday.

A land trade has just occurred here involving a 320-acre creek tract and a 100-acre farm tract, both near town. Wink Valentine, well known cattleman, has traded his creek ranch, about three and a half miles east of Hereford to John R. Robinson for the latter's quarter section home site, just a mile across the creek southeast from the court house.

Keith Guthrie, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Guthrie, is in the hospital critically ill. Keith has been suffering for the past week from intestinal disorders which Monday threatened more serious complications. His condition is being anxiously watched by friends.

VERNON MAN PROSPECTS.

S. C. Estes of Vernon was here on business the first part of the week. He was looking over the possibilities of Hereford and this territory as a homestead and expects to locate here in a few weeks, he stated.

Mrs. J. N. Messenger was an Amarillo visitor Friday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Mae Abbott of Bovina.

Buy your ice cream freezers at JONES FURNITURE COMPANY, Phone 111.

Cornelius Gooch, of the Amarillo Tent and Awning Company, with his crew, drove down last Friday and installed attractive striped awnings in front of the three new Mosely business buildings. Sun awnings were also erected for the Carlyle Grocery and the Hereford Dry Cleaners.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barber and Sam Emerson, of Emporia, Kansas, are paying a brief visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barber. The party is on the way to Flagstaff, Arizona, where they will pick up Miss Dorothy Barber, who has been teaching music in the public schools, and take her back home with them.

Mrs. J. H. Pitman, Misses Annie Miller, Eloise Pitman, Eva Skelton, Kathleen Hawkins and Mrs. Jo Elliston were visitors in Amarillo last Thursday.

Don't start that trip with poor tires and chance ruining a vacation with tire trouble. See RICE about a trade-in.

J. B. McMinn left Tuesday for Hot Springs, New Mexico, for a several weeks stay in the interest of his health.

Mrs. C. C. Ferguson and daughter, Miss Grace, were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

All my dresses at a reduction, all hats marked down for Friday and Saturday. Don't fail to see them. SHORE MILLINERY PARLOR.

Miss Eula Lee Burch of Amarillo spent last Friday here visiting friends.

Homer Fox, Cliff Acker and little daughter, Mary Ann, left Sunday morning for San Angelo for a week's visit. Mary Ann will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Fox, while Mr. Fox and Mr. Acker will spend the week fishing.

Miss Violet Marrs left last Friday for Keytesville, Mo., where she will visit an aunt for several weeks.

All of our art rugs are on special sale. E. B. BLACK CO.

Automatic refrigerators — the most economical on earth. E. B. BLACK COMPANY.

E. S. Ireland and son, Edgar, were business visitors in Amarillo last Thursday.

White Rotary Sewing machines for sale. JONES FURNITURE COMPANY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cronin and daughter, Kathleen, were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

HERD BULLS—We have three extra good herd bulls for sale. E. B. BLACK COMPANY.

J. E. Hill and J. E. Ricketts made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Our better tires are cheaper and our cheaper tires are better. AT RICE'S.

Carl Gilliland left Tuesday for Lynchburg, Va., to attend the graduation of his daughter, Miss Margaret, from Randolph-Macon College.

A poor jack has been the innocent cause for many a cussin'. RICE has some good ones.

Mrs. Homer Wilson and little son of Littlefield, Texas, spent the past week here with relatives. Mrs. Jeff Gibbreath and son accompanied her home.

All my dresses at a reduction, all hats marked down for Friday and Saturday. Don't fail to see them. SHORE MILLINERY PARLOR.

Mrs. Johnathan Pitman and son, John Douglas, left last Thursday for a several weeks visit with relatives in Dallas, Texas, Arkansas and Kentucky.

Mrs. H. L. Broadwell and children left last week for a visit with Mr. Broadwell at Electra.

Don't start that vacation trip without a second spare. We can furnish you a complete outfit, including carrier. AT RICE'S.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Orr and son, Duane, spent Thursday in Amarillo.

HUGE MERGER

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With the public utility industry in the Texas Panhandle, having organized the Texas Utilities Company in 1915, and been in continuous direction of its affairs since that time. He also organized the New Mexico Utilities Company in 1925.

Judge Kelso announced that no changes in management or operating personnel was contemplated as a result of the purchase, but that in due course operations of the Texas properties would be brought into harmony with those of Texas Utilities Company, and the Texas Valley group with New Mexico Utilities Company, all with a view to improved service at the lowest possible rates.

He pointed out that announcement had recently been made for plans for connecting the power systems of the Amarillo division of Southwestern Public Service Company and Texas Utilities Company by a high tension line extending from the new power station via Amarillo Lake to Canyon, thus providing for interchange of power between the companies and affording an additional safeguard to the city's water supply. He said that these

plans will be carried out and that the properties of the Southwestern Public Service Company, Texas Utilities Company and New Mexico Utilities Company will shortly be inter-connected.

The merger adds fourteen towns and cities in the Amarillo district to the forty-three already operated by the Texas Utilities, with high tension wires connecting Pampa to the north to Post on the south and Carlsbad, New Mexico, on the west. The deal involves transfer of securities and property around \$4,000,000.

This is one of the most stupendous deals put over in this section of the country in local history and is a big step forward in the current trend of the times toward centralization and uniform service to the public.

Dallas Pastor Conducts Hereford Revival Series

J. W. Dunn, noted Dallas evangelist, will arrive the latter part of the week to take charge of a series of revival meetings to be held at the Church of Christ, beginning Sunday, June 3. This will be his second series of similar meetings here.

Two services will be held each day, church officers announce, one at 10:30 a. m., the other at 8:00 p. m. Special musical accompaniments will be in charge of an experienced revival musician who will assist Evangelist Dunn.

Baker Grocery Will Celebrate First Birthday

Celebrating one year of successful grocery merchandising "on their own," Mr. and Mrs. Mont E. Baker will hold a First Anniversary Sale at their store located on the corner of Main and Fourth Streets, on Saturday, June second.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker have lived in Hereford for the past nine years. They have been in the grocery business in other stores during that time, but did not acquire a business of their own until last year when they purchased the location occupied by the I. H. Spratt Produce Co. Mr. Baker extends an invitation to the entire public to attend their "party" Saturday. Punch and cakes will be served all day.

SINGING DRAWS MANY.

Large attendances greeted the regular singing services held at the Frio school house, according to Mrs. C. E. Tice all neighboring communities are invited to attend these meetings which begin promptly at three o'clock every first Sunday afternoon.

THE GROCETERIA

Specials for Friday and Saturday.

Hominy, Six No. 2 cans	45c
Kraut, Six No. 2 cans	53c
Corn, Fancy Country Gent, No. 2	13c
Corona Macaroni, three boxes	23c
Apple Butter, quart	24c

We Buy Eggs

We Deliver

All return engagements depend on past performances



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It seems so sometimes—yet they must have opportunity to finish out the day's work.

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June Sale Living Room Furniture

A new car of Living-Room Furniture just received in over-stuffed, cane backs and fibers. We have just the color combination you will like.

\$225 Value Suites, for June	\$165.00
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\$165 Value Suites, for June	\$119.75
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