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Local News

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NEW DRUG FIRM.

J. M. McGlothlin Buys C. L. Bounds' Interest in the Firm of Bounds & Ward.

On Saturday last a deal was consummated whereby J. M. McGlothlin purchased the interest of C. L. Bounds in the drug firm of Bounds & Ward. Mr. McGlothlin has heretofore been engaged in the furniture business and has made for himself an enviable reputation for fair dealing and business integrity. Mr. Ward, while a new comer in our town, has proved himself a careful mixer of medicines and has the confidence of the prescription-taking public, he being a registered pharmacist. With two such men conducting this business, there is no question of doubt as to the success of the business being kept up to its present high standard.

Mr. Bounds, the retiring member of this firm, will engage in the cattle business with his father and brothers, they now having a very respectable herd of cattle, which will be increased as soon as practicable. Mr. Bounds has many friends in this vicinity who will join the REPORTER in wishing him unbounded success in his new venture.

HEREFORD MANUFACTURING CO

Jack Harwell Has Purchased an Interest in the Business—Will Enlarge.

The many friends of Jack Harwell will be pleased to learn that he has purchased an interest in the Hereford Manufacturing Company and will remain a citizen of Hereford and continue to be an instrument in the up-building of Hereford and the Panhandle country. It is the intentions of the firm to build a business block suitable for their business, with a large work shop in the rear. They will also be prepared to build anything in their line which can be built anywhere. Their motto will be "no contract too large or too small and fair treatment to all." T. R. Reagan, the manager, is an excellent workman, having had a long and varied experience in the plumbing and tinning business. That they will be successful in their enlarging venture goes without saying.

Button Photo—Made from any picture. Write to Royal Hubbell, Miami, Florida. 52-4tp

EMMETT CARDWELL SELLS.

Joe Killough, With L. A. Montgomery, Again Assumes Charge of This Popular Resort.

Joe Killough and L. A. Montgomery on Monday purchased the confectionery business of Emmett Cardwell. Mr. Killough formerly conducted this business, but sold it to Mr. Cardwell last fall, and his many friends will be pleased to learn that he will again serve them during the coming summer with cool and refreshing drinks, to say nothing of the fruits, confectioneries and ice cream. The popularity and business qualification of these two gentlemen are too well known to our readers to need any recommendations from us, Mr. Killough being county treasurer of Deaf Smith county and Mr. Montgomery being the efficient postmaster of Hereford, and that they will receive their share of the business in that line is an assured fact. The business will be continued at the present stand.

MR. MORRIS WITHDRAWS

From the race for County Clerk on Account of His Son's Illness.

It was with regret that we read the following clipping in the Gainesville Register:

On account of sickness in my family for the past two months and which is at this writing with one member at a critical stage, I feel it due first to my family, next to my friends and third to myself that I withdraw from the race for county clerk, for under these circumstances it is impossible for me to continue a canvass of the county.

My friends have my best, my heartfelt, thanks for their constant and loyal support and to one and all will I ever be profoundly grateful and stand ready in future as in the past, when the opportunity presents itself, to do all in my power in the way of favors to them.

With thanks again to my friends, I am yours gratefully,

J. F. MORRIS.

Mr. Morris is well known here and had many friends who had hoped that he would be the next county clerk of Cooke county, and from all accounts he would have been an easy winner, had not serious sickness in his family prevented his continuing in the race. The REPORTER joins his many friends here in deeply

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LIVE AND LET LIVE RATES
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NEW HOUSE
NEW FURNITURE

sympathizing with him in his hour of trouble and sincerely hope that his little son may be spared to live.

WILL BUILD A TOWN

Parmer County to Have a Hustling Town in Bovina.

Manager A. G. Boyce has recently sold 28,000 acres of land at \$2.50 per acre, cut up in small sections, the purchasers paying extra for windmills and all improvements.

Fencing was paid for at a rate of \$100 a mile, and windmill wells at \$600.

In conversation with the manager on Wednesday he informed us that he would now sell off in small parcels to suit purchasers, the land in the vicinity of Bovina, at which point a fine city is to be built up. "There will be no question about purchasers, as the land in that vicinity is the richest and most desirable soil in the Panhandle," remarked Manager Boyce to a reporter. Capt. A. S. Howren, of Georgetown, surveyor for the XIT, is already here and will enter the field at once, and in a month's time the land will be ready for occupancy. Thus are populous towns and cities built in this wonderful land of ours. They spring up

almost full grown, as if they were the work of the enchanter's magic wand. Where last month howled the lonely coyote, today stands the hustling town, pulsing with life and activity. And the world goes on.—Channing Courier.

Bovina is the county seat of Parmer county and would no doubt be a good little town if it was properly pushed.

Selling Out.

I am offering for sale my house and lots, horses and buggy, and the following list of household goods: 1 set furniture (oak), \$18; 1 parlor organ (Miller), \$40; 3 parlor chairs 75cts. each; 2 rockers \$1.50 each; 1 air tight heater \$7.50; 8 joints stove pipe 15cts. each; two ply carpet \$5; 23-yds. matting 15cts. per yd.; 1 sewing machine \$12.50; 1 dining table \$2; 2 mattresses \$2.50 each; 1 bachelor stove with drum \$7; 2 zinc tubs 75cts. each; 1 stove boiler \$1; 1 clothes wringer 75cts; 1 pitch fork 50cts; 1 rake 50cts; 1 shot gun \$8; 1 Winchester rifle \$8; dishes, cooking vessels, pickles, preserves, etc., in jars. Call at our house and see the articles.

52-2t

T. A. MOORE.

Subscribe for the REPORTER.

COMING AND GOING.

Harvy Cash, Castro's county clerk, came in Wednesday on business.

J. P. Earhart of Portales was registered at the Hereford House on Tuesday.

S. H. Heyser of Canyon City was among the arrivals at the Hereford House on Wednesday.

We have just opened up a fresh line of Loose Bros. Chocolate candy. 52tf KILLOUGH & MONTGOMERY.

Johnson & Ferguson, the coal and grain dealers, have a new adv in this issue of the REPORTER. Also some local advs.

J. M. Bogard, a business man of Portales, N. M., was in town Wednesday. He is on his way to visit friends and relatives in Montague county.

We are expecting a car of mixed field seeds. Oats, Corn, Big German millet seed, spring Wheat and Alfalfa. Call on us. 52tf JOHNSON & FERGUSON.

W. R. McInnes, an expert upholsterer and furniture repairer, has been employed by Beach & Orr, so if you need any thing of that kind done this firm will be pleased to accommodate you.

The Hereford House will give special Sunday dinners to accommodate those who want a good dinner and wish to save their wives the worry and work of preparing one. It will be much cheaper for you also. 52tf

Commissioners court is in session this week. Much important business was on hand to grapple with and the commissioners present will earn their pay this term of court if they get done with the business before them.

S. Loveless, who recently purchased the W. A. Dougherty property, will put an addition to the residence, which when finished will be occupied by the parents of the editor of this paper, who will arrive here in the near future from Binghamton, N. Y.

We have now been using Beaumont oil as a fuel in our office two weeks, and as far as we can ascertain it is giving perfect satisfaction. With this fuel the room can be kept at an even temperature without paying any attention to the stove whatever and is much cheaper than coal. We believe that oil, as a fuel for heating stoves, is a success. We are using the J. E. Henderson burner, sold by the Hereford Oil Co.

The Hereford Grain and Coal Co. have some new local advs in this issue.

J. R. Gant of the Spring ranch was a guest at the Hereford House on Wednesday.

Henry Davenport was in from Dawn on Wednesday, stopping at the Hereford House.

We have the best line of Cigars in town. 52tf KILLOUGH & MONTGOMERY.

T. J. Beckham, a prospector of Wichita Falls, is in town. He is making the Hereford House his headquarters.

Dr. Edgar P. Lewis of the Amarillo dental firm of Dodson & Lewis, is in town attending to the dental needs of his patrons.

H. G. Tucker returned Wednesday from Washington, where he went to secure a patent on his new oil burner invention. He succeeded in having the patent authorities consider his invention and a patent has been applied for.

The Hereford laundry has added a new polishing machine and a boiler and furnace to their equipment and are now prepared to do more and better work than heretofore, though their work has been satisfactory ever since they commenced work here.

W. H. Kiser of Castro county was registered at the Hereford House on Tuesday.

G. E. Friburg of Wichita Falls is among the prospectors registered at the Hereford House.

Judge Kerr of Dimmitt was a business caller in town yesterday and renewed his subscription to the REPORTER.

S. Loveless, who came here recently from Italy, has entered the real estate firm of Jowell & Holloway, the firm now consisting of G. R. Jowell, R. F. Holloway and S. Loveless. They have purchased the lot adjoining Witherspoon & Gough's office and will erect commodious offices thereon.

Judges Gough and Ferguson, Dr. Robertson, C. R. Moreman and E. J. White were out Wednesday after some dirt, which will be sent to the Denton Brick Works for a test as to the value of Hereford dirt for brick making purposes. Should the test prove successful a company will be formed and a brick factory established here at once. Dr. Robertson, who has had considerable experience in the brick business, being a brick mason by former occupation, pronounces the dirt as very favorable for the making of brick. With brick manufactured here at home, Hereford will soon have many substantial brick business blocks and residences.

Henrietta Marble Works

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Iron Fences, Floor Tiling, etc.
S. B. FEEMSTER

The grain dealing firm of Johnson & Ferguson are making decided improvements in their business. The scales have been moved to the rear of their former position, a commodious office has been placed in their ware rooms, in which a new Mosler safe will soon be placed. A new grainery and store house will be built, thus adding much more room for storage purposes, as they intend to keep a large amount of their wares on hand. When the improvements are finished their out-of-town customers will hardly recognize the place. Contractor Snyder is doing the work.

We have just learned that the Hereford Manufacturing Company has purchased the southeast corner of block 18 (the same block that this office is in) and will erect thereon a business block for the accommodation of their rapidly growing business. The building will be 24x80 and a part of it will be occupied as a carpenter shop by J. P. Snyder, the contractor, who will then be better prepared than ever to turn out good work on short notice. We predict that in a short time Samdson avenue will be as much of a business thoroughfare as is Dewey avenue at the present time.

Notice to Hunters.
All parties are hereby warned not to hunt or shoot on my pasture. 51tf R. C. PHANSTEEL.

Tierra Blanca Herefords

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You need the REPORTER because it's your local paper. It gives a class of news you can't get elsewhere. You need The News because it gives you all the State news. The REPORTER and The Semi-Weekly News one year for only \$2.25, cash in advance. Both papers are promptly stopped at expiration of time paid for.

Hereford Mercantile Company

PRICES THAT PLEASE

3 doz. misses' jackets, formerly \$2.25,	now \$1.75
3 doz. Jersey over shirts, formerly \$1.00,	now .75
2 doz. Jersey over shirts, formerly \$.50,	now .40
2 doz. Jersey over shirts, formerly \$.60,	now .50
2 doz. mackintoshes, formerly \$3.00,	now 2.10
2 doz. mackintoshes, formerly \$7.00,	now 5.25
2 doz. King K overcoats, formerly \$6.00,	now 4.50
2 doz. duck overcoats, formerly \$3.50,	now 2.65
1½ doz. duck overcoats, formerly \$3.50,	now 2.75
1½ doz. duck overcoats, formerly \$1.65,	now 1.30
1 doz. good duck overcoats, formerly \$1.25,	now 1.00
½ doz. duck overcoats, formerly \$5.00,	now 3.75

The Leading Mercantile House Of the Panhandle

SERIOUSLY INJURED.

"Jack" Sullivan Receives a Severe-Shaking Up—Jumped from Moving Train.

On Sunday last "Jack" Sullivan jumped on a passing freight train bound for Amarillo, intending to take a ride up the line for a short distance and then jump off and walk back. In alighting from the train above the switch, which had by that time gained considerable headway, he struck a rock which threw him with considerable force to the ground, resulting in fracturing two ribs, besides bruising him considerably about the body. He was brought to his boarding place, the Hereford restaurant, where Dr. Tinsley reduced the fractured ribs and made him as comfortable as possible. It is thought that nothing serious will result from the accident, aside from laying him up for awhile.

This has been the custom of a number of the boys for some time past, notwithstanding the fact that there are strict laws prohibiting this practice and in spite of the repeated warnings given them by Station Agent Davis and other employes of the road, and the only wonder is that some one has not been injured heretofore. We understand that if a repetition of this dangerous practice is again indulged in the offender will be severely dealt with by the

law with the railroad company as prosecutor.

Notice.

All parties indebted to the undersigned will please call at Beach & Orr's store where you will find us. We want all accounts settled soon either with money or note. All accounts due McGlothlin & Hinton are payable at this store.

52tf BEACH & ORR.

Go to the Hereford Grain & Coal Company for the VERY BEST Maitland coal.

52tf

F. C. Malone was in from his ranch Tuesday and that evening joined the K. of P. lodge.

A fine quality of light bread is made at the Hereford restaurant and is for sale in any quantity desired.

52tf

A. P. Murchison returned Wednesday from Amarillo and is attending to his duties as a member of the commissioners court.

Dr. W. J. Rogers has his new residence finished and is now occupying the same. It is one of the most artistic and best built residences in town.

Commissioners court, at its session Tuesday, passed an order prohibiting the use of the court house as an experimental station for fuel oil or as a storage for the same.

For fresh fruits of all kinds go to KILLOUGH & MONTGOMERY. 52tf

Don't miss the special Sunday dinners at the Hereford House. 52tf

Tom Croley of Dimmitt was a guest of the Hereford House Tuesday.

G. W. Eagle of Wichita Falls is prospecting in town, being registered at the Hereford House.

Bring us your second hand corn and oat sacks. 52tf JOHNSON & FERGUSON.

J. E. Carthel of Trenton, Tenn., was among those registered at the Hereford House on Wednesday.

Born—On Wednesday, February 12, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Priest, a boy. Mother and son are doing well.

D. T. Blankinship, of the Tucumcari, N. M., firm of Mendenhall, Blankinship & Co., came in town Wednesday on business.

R. P. Purcell came in Tuesday with his family from Burnet and has moved into his residence which he built on the property he recently purchased of L. R. Bradly.

Walter Bradly was a caller in town Wednesday.

J. A. Snow is having erected a residence on his lots in the east part of town.

O. R. Willingham is building a residence on his lots east of the court house.

We handle Maitland coal from the Broadhead mines at Aguilar, Colo. Hereford Grain & Coal Co. 52tf

The large oil tank just received by the Hereford Fuel Oil Co. caved in yesterday morning and as a result oil flowed freely.

Dr. W. E. Robertson was called to Liberty, N. M., Wednesday by a telegram conveying the intelligence that his wife was seriously ill.

W. D. Keliehor was in from his ranch on Wednesday and ordered the REPORTER sent to his sons, who are attending St. Edwards College at Austin.

Killough & Montgomery have rearranged their confectionery store and are having the inside painted and otherwise improved. See their new display and local advs.

W. W. MEEKS

Is now at the Peoria, Ill., Watch College taking special course in watch repairing.

Watch Repairing And Jewelry Work

may be left with Bounds & Lipscomb, and it will be sent to him and returned, free of all express charges.

TRY OUR WORK

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I'm offering a few young stallions, to which I invite your attention. Buy at home and get something that will give satisfaction, and not wait a year for your horse to get acclimated. These are the best horses that 25 years' experience, close observation and breeding can produce. Sold right and fully guaranteed.

BULLS

Have eight registered Hereford bulls, best strain of breeding, coming two year olds. Seven high grades from 8 to 30 mos. old. Want to close these out this spring. Will sell them right and give time if desired.

R. H. Norton CATTLE HORSES HOGS

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A climate already famous for its health promoting qualities. Altitude not too high, air pure and dry, temperature even, with no extremes of heat or cold

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Traffic Manager
AVERY TURNER
General Manager
AMARILLO, TEXAS

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Bounds & Ward have dissolved partnership, J. M. McGlothlin having purchased the former's interest, the firm now consisting of W. R. Ward and J. M. McGlothlin and being known as Ward & McGlothlin, who will assume all indebtedness of the former firm and collect all bills due to the said firm of Bounds & Ward.

C. L. BOUNDS,
W. R. WARD,
J. M. MCGLOTHLIN.
52-3t

Notice to Subscribers.

The date of the expiration of the time for which your subscription is paid, will be placed opposite your name on the four issues prior to the expiration of the time. If you do not come in and renew your subscription during that time we will be forced to discontinue the REPORTER to your address in order to comply with the new regulations of the post-office department.

J. D. Tucker of the OYO ranch was in town Monday, being registered at the Hereford House. Mr. Tucker says that his cattle are going through the winter in fine shape, not having lost an animal up to the present time. He also reports that D. C. Laird, one of the managers of the ranch, has recovered from his recent illness sufficiently to be out around again.

Beaumont Oil.

"I consider the oil discovery in Texas the best of its kind ever known to the world," said a man from the Lone Star State recently.

"Heretofore no oil has been discovered in lakes, as it is down there, and my only fear is that some day there will be a terrible explosion which will tear open the whole side of the earth at that point and put an end to the oil business, Beaumont, everybody in town and a good-sized piece of Texas."—Kansas City Journal.

\$22 Gets Them.

Second-hand buggy and harness. Apply to REV. C. A. CLARK. 51-2t

Card of Appreciation.

Having sold my interest in the furniture business and bought C. L. Bound's interest in the drug business conducted by Bound's & Ward, I wish to thank the people of Hereford and vicinity for their patronage in the past and will be pleased to have the continuance of the same in my new business.

52-2t J. M. MCGLOTHLIN.

Beautiful Snow Poet.

Where is that "beautiful snow" poet?—Greenville Business Guide.

Down this way he is stuck in the beautiful mud.—Houston Post.

Out this way the dust is stuck in his beautiful craw.—Texan Press.

Here in Hereford the beautiful sunshine holds him spell-bound.

London is threatened with a beef famine due largely to the quarantine against cattle from Argentine. If they would draw on Texas, they need never be short.—Plainview Herald.

C. A. Snow & Co., of Washington, D. C., will send free a booklet containing abstracts of decisions in leading patent cases, and other information of interest to inventors, patentees and manufacturers. They will also send a booklet on Trade-Marks to any one who may desire to have a Trade-Mark registered.

We know of a thoroughly reliable and competent grocery clerk who desires a position in this section of the country. Best of references from present employers, with whom he has been for the past ten years. If you need such a man kindly let us know or write to Oliver Fetherolf, Binghamton, N. Y., care of Humes & Smith. 51tf

For Sale.

Have lately decided to sell my meat market. If some one wants a good business in Hereford they will do well to see me at once.

52-3t M. O. MEEKS.

Notice.

After the first of February we will let no more rigs out on credit. All those owing us will please come in and remit at the earliest convenience. Cox & Davis. 48tf

J. W. Fewell, the Hereford-Plainview-Lubbock traction freighter, has purchased a fine Mathushek piano of J. E. Beasley of Amarillo.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a "foot and inch" social at the court house this evening. There will be a short program consisting of music, recitations, etc. Refreshments will be served and everybody present are assured of a good time. Each guest will be presented with a Valentine ribbon souvenir.

President Blake of the Northwest Texas Press Association has appointed J. B. Goodlett, of the Quanah Observer, and Orion Proctor, of the Boyd Index, as delegates to the National Editorial Association at Hot Springs on April 15 to 19. They, together with W. A. Johnson, executive committeeman, will form the delegation at that meeting.—Hall County Herald.

Lost.

On Thursday, January 16th, a lady's gold watch with long chain, in Hereford or on country road between Hereford and J. F. Ward's place, eleven miles north of Hereford. The finder will receive a liberal reward by leaving same at this office or at the place of the unsigned.

51tf J. F. WARD.

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If you are contemplating buying a Piano it will be greatly to your advantage to investigate the qualities of this excellent instrument. We carry a large stock of these Pianos at our store in Amarillo and will be pleased to show them to you whether you buy or not. Every instrument guaranteed. Yours for music,

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 Sewing Machines from \$3 to \$10 Rockers from \$1.50 to \$5.50
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Discussion by Messrs. Hall and Williams.
 2:30—Education vs. Instruction, by Prof. E. L. Dohoney.
 Discussion, by Mr. Stewart and Miss Alice Lee.
 3:30—Miscellaneous Business.
 Adjournment.
 The teachers and citizens of the Panhandle country will be pleased to learn that Hon. Arthur Lefevre, state superintendent of public instruction, will be present at Canyon and address the association. It is hoped that teachers and citizens will take advantage of this program and do what they can to make this educational gathering a success.
 W. R. SILVEY, President.
 LILLIAN COLLINS, Secretary.

On account of invoicing for the next few days our front doors will be closed. Anyone wishing to settle their account will find the Bookkeeper at the rear door.
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Stationery

Toilet Articles

Solid Gold

Jewelry

Will Stone, a prosperous young ranchman of Bovina, was a pleasant visitor at this office yesterday. He expects to become a resident of Hereford soon.

It is rumored that another real estate firm will soon embark in business in Hereford. There is plenty of land hereabouts on the market and the prospects are good for the sale of it.

of them is blank. We had reserved this page for an advertiser, who on account of sickness in his family, failed to get his copy in on time. This fact, coupled with the illness of our foreman, accounts for the blank page. We hope to fill our pages in the future with good, live reading matter and tasty advs of our business men.

PANHANDLE TEACHERS' ASSN.
 Canyon City, Texas, February 21-22, 1902, at the School Building.
 FRIDAY.
 MORNING SESSION.
 10:00—Address of Welcome, by Rev. J. T. Burnett.
 Response on behalf of teachers, by Miss Gable Betts.
 10:30—Knowledge of Psychology Needed, by Prof. W. R. Silvey.
 Discussion, by Prof. G. G. Foster.
 11:00—Aim and Purpose of Education, by Prof. E. R. Haynes.
 General Discussion.
 11:30—When to Begin Whitney & Lockwood's Grammar, by Prof. T. J. Page.
 Discussion, by Misses Parker and Scaler.

12:00—Adjournment.
 AFTERNOON SESSION.
 1:30—What is the Matter with Our History Teaching? By Prof. R. O. Davis.
 Discussion, by Misses Clark, Beasley and Tulous.
 2:30—Course of Literature for the School, by Prof. E. L. Dohoney.
 Discussion, by Mrs. A. Ernsberger and Miss Collins.
 3:30—Art in the Schools, by Miss Hendrix.
 Discussion, by Misses Palmer and Chamberlain.
 4:00—Question Box.
 Friday night at the M. E. church, lecture by Hon. Arthur Lefevre, state superintendent of public instruction.

SATURDAY.
 MORNING SESSION.
 10:00—Practical Education, by Prof. Ernsberger.
 Discussion, by Prof. Elston.
 10:30—Advantages and Disadvantages of Uniform Text Book Law, by Prof. Crawford.
 Discussion, by Prof. John Rogers and Miss McDonald.
 11:30—Mistakes in Teaching, by Prof. L. A. Clark.
 Discussion, by Miss Degraffenried and Miss Isabel Martin.
 12:00—Adjournment.
 AFTERNOON SESSION.
 1:30—Securing and Retaining Attention, by Miss Skinner.

The many Portales friends of Miss E. Myrtle Plant, who is now at Chicago, Ill., will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from her illness. She orders us to change the address of her REPORTER from La Junta, Colo., to her present place of residence.
 True to our promise we come out this week with ten pages, even if one

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 for the
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On account of invoicing for the next few days our front doors will be closed. Anyone wishing to settle their account will find the Bookkeeper at the rear door.
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P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE

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No. 201, south-bound,	11:12 a. m.
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STAGE TO DIMMITT.

Lv. Hereford at 7:30 a. m. daily ex. Sunday	
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LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Happenings in Our Busy County Seat Briefly Told.

Standard novels and poems at Gough's Drug store. 49tf

G. V. Harrison returned Monday from a protracted stay at Roswell, N. M.

Stringfellow-Hume Hardware Co. have just opened a nice line of china and glassware. 43tf

Effie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Guinn, returned Tuesday from a visit to Canyon.

Lee C. Simpson, representing the Waples-Platter Grocery company of Ft. Worth, was in town Saturday on business.

A few second-hand organs for sale, from \$20 up. Inquire at this office or write to J. E. Beaseley, Amarillo, Texas. 52-2tp

Dr. Edgar P. Lewis, of the Amarillo dental firm of Dodson & Lewis, will be in Hereford for three days only—February 13, 14, 15—to attend to the dental needs of Hereford citizens. 50-3t

Gough's Drug Store

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B. C. D. Bynum returned Sunday from Amarillo.

T. A. Cox returned Tuesday from a trip to Amarillo.

WANTED—Day boarders Apply to Mrs. S. E. Buster. 51tf

Charlie Davis returned Tuesday from a business trip to Amarillo.

Go to Gough's Drug store on the corner for your drugs and sundries. 49tf

Conner Jowell returned Sunday from a business trip to Amarillo and Canyon.

Just received at Gough's Drug store a fine line of stationery, books and Bibles. 49tf

H. P. D. Howard was in from his North Draw ranch on Tuesday. He says his cattle are looking fine.

All members of the Presbyterian church are requested to meet at the court house this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Born—On Sunday, February 9, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Syms, a girl. Mother and daughter are doing well.

Ward & McGlothlin, the new drug firm, have a new adv in this issue of the REPORTER, which it will pay you to peruse.

C. C. Bradford, the well known cattleman of Round Rock, passed through here on Tuesday en route to New Mexico points.

See the new adv of Killough & Montgomery, the confectioners and tobacconists. This enterprising firm are out for business.

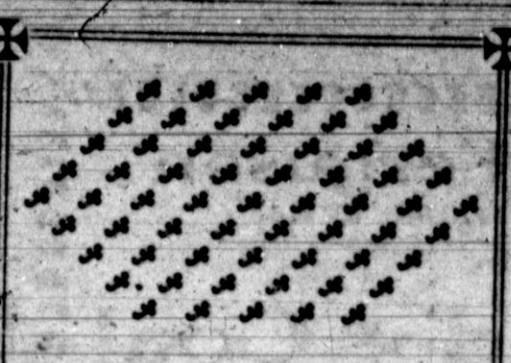
For Sale—1 second hand steel star wind mill in good running order with tower complete for \$20.00. D. F. Johnson at Smith Walker & Co's. 51tf

Wanted—Pasturage for 15 horses and about 100 head of cattle, pasture to be close to Hereford. Address Will H. Stone, Bovina, Parmer county, Texas. 50-tf

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. C. G. Witherspoon next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

C. M. Hardin, manager of the Panhandle interests of the Eagle Lumber Co., came in Tuesday to look after that company's interests here—the Hereford Lumber Co.

W. R. Couch, who is employed on the ranch of J. E. Ward, was in town Tuesday and gave us \$2.25 for a years' subscription to this paper and the Dallas News for Mr. Ward.



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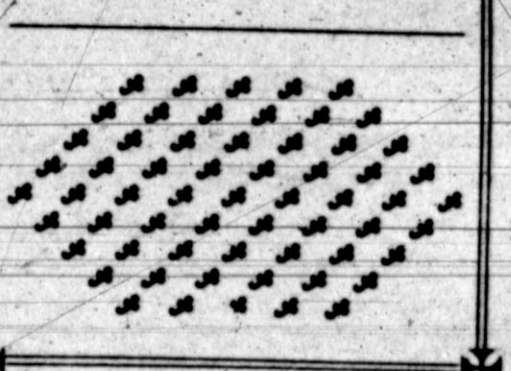
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For Sale—A few Shorthorn bull calves. Write F. H. Britain, Hereford, Texas. 52-3tp

James Head was in from Castro county Monday, being registered at the Hereford House.

Garrison Brothers, the hardware merchants, have just received a carload of barbed wire. 51-2t

L. A. Woodruff came in Tuesday from Hutchinson, Kan., where he has been for the past two months.

S. H. Morris, one of the popular proprietors of the Hereford House, returned Tuesday from a business trip to Amarillo.

A. B. Spencer, traveling freight and passenger agent of the "Denver" road, was a guest of the Hereford House on Tuesday.

A. S. Bassett was in Tuesday from his North Draw ranch, registering at the Hereford House. He improved his visit in town by renewing his subscription to the REPORTER.

Hardin Russell came in from the XIT ranch Tuesday with the pelt of a white lobo wolf and eleven coyote scalps, which he presented to the commissioners court and received the bounty therefor.

We have just received a letter from C. Bachman of Hazelton, Pa., requesting us to mail him the REPORTER for the coming year, accompanied by a postoffice order for \$1.50. Thus Hereford will be advertised in one Pennsylvania town at least, and will no doubt have its population increased thereby.

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FRIDAY, February 14, 1902

Hereafter all subscriptions must be paid in advance, and papers will be discontinued on expiration of time paid for.

ELEVEN lives were lost in a St. Louis fire on Sunday.

PATTERSON N. J., had an \$8,000,000 fire on Sunday last which swept out the business portion of the city.

SAN FRANCISCO has another case similar to the Durant murder. The victim is Nora Fuller, who was found dead in a deserted house. A man by the name of John Bennet, alias C. B. Hawkins, is the suspected murderer of the girl, but his whereabouts are unknown.

A FRESH geyser has developed at Yellowstone Park, whose eruptions are about six times greater in volume than the noted Constant geyser. The new geyser has been christened the "20th Century."

W. F. KELLEY of Silverton has announced himself a candidate for the office of district attorney. Mr. Kelley was one of the attorneys for the defense in the Thornton murder trial at this place last spring.

It is said that in Eelzen, Russia, the authorities have passed an ordinance requiring all husbands to be at home with their families by 11 o'clock at night, or pay a fine of \$2.50. This would be a good law in enlightened America.

WITH incorporation we can soon point with pride to the general appearance of the town as an object to prospectors who are desirous of a location for themselves and families, and it will have some weight, too.

In the matter of the people living out side of the possible incorporated limits of Hereford signing a petition to the commissioners to order an election for incorporation, we believe that as residents of the county they have a perfect right, morally and legally, to sign such a petition, as most of them are interested in the

welfare of Hereford and will be residents of the incorporated town of Hereford inside of the next twelve months. Unless they are assured of a clean, healthy town, they will remain on their nearby ranches and bring their children in for school advantages and have them return as soon as the school day is over. We also contend that they should have a vote in the matter at the election.

THEODORE Roosevelt, Jr., son of the President, is seriously ill at Groton, Mass., where he is attending school. Little hopes are entertained for his recovery as the disease, pneumonia, has effected both lungs.

HEREFORD should incorporate at once. The town has outgrown the hamlet form, with its evils of filthy back alleys and other nuisances, and should take on city airs, with its attendant cleanliness. Without laws to compel them there are some people (a very few in Hereford, however) who had as soon live in filth as otherwise. If you have any

respect for cleanliness you will sign a petition requesting the commissioners to order an election for or against incorporation and will then vote for the measure at the election.

WITHIN two months Hereford will commence the erection of a handsome brick college which will be an ornament to the town and be a great factor toward the developing of physical and mental character of the present and future inhabitants of the Panhandle. If you have not already invested in this great enterprise, do so at once.

THIRD ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL MADDEN has sent to Congress the memorandum of a provision which will be a boon to every business man in the country. The measure, if passed, will permit the mailing of third and fourth class mail matter at pound rates when mailed in quantities, thereby doing away with the necessity of affixing stamps to circulars and other advertising matter.

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LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Happenings in Our Busy County Seat Briefly Told.

Grayson Bell of Dimmitt was a guest of the Hereford House on Saturday.

J. W. Moreman was in from his North Draw ranch on Wednesday with a load of farm produce.

B. P. Stone, the foreman of this office has been on the sick list since Saturday. We are in hopes to see him out soon.

Mrs. L. F. Alby left Monday for a visit among friends in Dallas, and as a consequence Mr. Alby is a guest of the Hereford House.

We have a quantity of old type at this office which makes excellent babbling metal for windmills, etc., for sale at 10c per pound. 48tf

E. V. Friburg of Wichita Falls came in Wednesday and is prospecting hereabouts, making his headquarters at the Hereford House.

The Hereford House will make their Sunday dinners one of their specialties. Bring your families there and save the wife the hard work of getting dinner on the day of rest. 52tf

Selling Out.

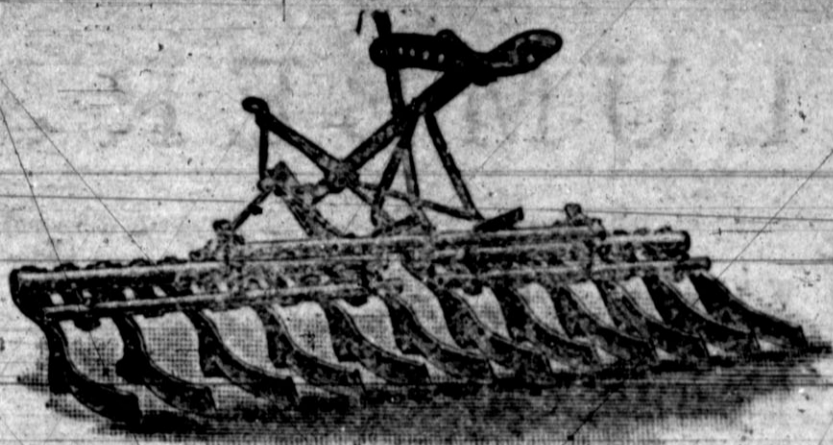
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Rev. H. M. Bandy, pastor— Services held on the first Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Grant and the Spy.

A correspondent to the Richmond, (Va.) Dispatch, who was a confederate soldier vouches for the following story:

During the siege of Petersburg there was in the Federal army a Colonel Hamilton, who appears to have been an engineer. Captain Hamilton, the Confederate, made his way through Grant's lines and obtained drawings of the Federal fortifications, and was on the eve of returning to his command, when he was captured, tried as a spy, and condemned to be shot. Colonel Inman says he was sitting in General Grant's tent, conversing with him on the night before the execution was to take place, that Colonel Hamilton,

the provost marshal, entered the tent and addressing the General said: "General Grant, I cannot shoot that spy." Grant turned upon him with some sternness and said: "Colonel Hamilton, why can't you obey your orders?" "Because," replied Hamilton, "he is the only son I have on earth." Colonel Inman says Grant turned his eyes to the ground, and sat in a reflective mood for five minutes or more. Finally, raising his eyes, he said: "Colonel Hamilton you will do your duty." Hamilton bowed and left the tent. Next morning there was no spy to shoot. He was gone. Colonel Inman did not say that Hamilton, Sr., "deserted to the Confederates," and is of the opinion that Colonel Hamilton never knew

how his son escaped or how he was relieved of a most fearful and unnatural duty.

Some years after the war Colonel Inman met in the state of California Captain Hamilton, the Confederate and asked him the question how he got out of that guard-house and made his escape. His reply was: "General Grant came into the guard-house made me promise never to act the spy again, saying 'Go back to your command, fight as much as you choose but never play the spy again.' He then gave me the countersign which passed me out of the guard-house and through the lines."—Wichita Times.

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What Next?

According to a press report New York state is adjusting her laws to suit the customs of her people, and in order to accommodate some of her citizens have legalized concubinage by adopting what is known as the Weeks' act. By its terms a man and woman desiring to live as man and wife can enter into a written contract to that effect, have it properly witnessed, and are allowed six months in which to have it filed; if, at the end of that time, they decide they have lived together long enough, the contract is annulled by failure of having the instrument filed. This is drifting towards mormonism. By the provisions of this law a man may have as many wives as he wishes and change them off as often as he desires, provided such changes are not desired oftener than six months apart. The woman enjoys the same privilege.—Wichita Times.

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