

The Hereford Brand

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GET BURNETT COTTON SEED AND AVOID GUESS WORK, IS ADVICE C. OF C. OFFICERS

The Burnett cotton has proven to be the best producer for this section of Texas, according to information received from the State Experiment Station at Lubbock. Accurate records have been kept at the station, and for the past six years the Burnett variety averaged 94 pounds of lint cotton per acre more than any other variety.

The following information regarding seed variety test of cotton was taken from the record books of the Lubbock Experiment Station. This being the average line production over a period of six years. Burnett cotton 975 pounds, Mebane 804, yielded 284

pounds. A. D. Mebane Sales agency cotton, 291 pounds; Acala, 275 pounds; Kasch, 253 pounds; Lone Star, 257 pounds, and Dowden, 258 pounds.

The local chamber of commerce studied tests made in other counties last fall and in every instance the Burnett yielded the best in this section. The local organization secured pure Burnett seed last fall, and is distributing them out to local farmers at cost. The seed have a guaranteed germination. E. B. Black and County Agent R. O. Dunkle are in charge of the distribution of the seed, and farmers are urged to get in touch with these men if they desire the pure and proven seed for this section.

L. O. O. F. Lodge Has Big Monday Night Schedule

One of the most enjoyable lodge meetings that has been held in Hereford in years was that Monday night when the local I. O. O. F. members initiated one of their own in addition to eight candidates from Vega Lodge No. 52. Twenty-six members of the Vega lodge were guests, and the meeting was especially enriched by the presence of Morrison Pritchett of Webb City, Mo., Past Grand Master of the Missouri Grand Lodge, and G. C. Wilkinson of Conway Springs, Ark.

Mr. Pritchett made a most instructive and forceful address on Odd Fellowship that was greatly appreciated by his hearers, and there were several other fine talks and comments on the work of the lodge as a whole. Refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, emonade and cigars added to the pleasure and sociability of the evening's gathering. The Vega members attending were: R. F. May, H. H. Funk, B. L. Freeman, H. A. Keenan, L. Scott, S. W. Funk, Otto L. Jones, Dow Jones, M. R. Larson, C. L. Horrell, J. H. Scott, W. M. Scott, J. J. Larson, F. P. Smithy, Claude Perry, Ralph Marshall, Horace Ivy, L. F. Ballard, J. E. Kersey, Vernon Perry, A. E. Roark, Earl May, Joe Lindman and Farmer Jones.

Senior Play Will Be Given Friday Night, May 7th

"The Dream That Came True," Hereford high school Senior play for 1926, will be presented Friday night, May 7, at the auditorium. Some of the scenes in the play are laid in a victory town and deal with love, ambition and the self sacrifice of a young girl who devotes her life to bettering the condition of her fellow workers. The fickle little god of love plays interest astray in by plots and there is plenty of comedy to contrast with the gripping story.

The play is being coached by Miss Nell Farmer and all is ready for the evening. The cast of characters was selected by the teachers and the programs will be distributed Friday and an overflow attendance would greet the group of earnest actors who have worked so hard for this occasion.

Former Miss Helen Lambert Opens Class Here

Mrs. G. R. Jones, formerly Miss Helen Lambert of Hereford, announces the opening of a class in piano and voice May 24th at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Lambert. She would appreciate that pupils who are interested, should write her within the next few weeks. Her home address, 109 Carolina Ave., Greenville, S. C.

Mrs. Jones has for the last few months, been occupying the position of soloist at the First Baptist church and has also been doing some very intensive piano work at the Greenville Women's College under the very eminent instructor Prof. Geo. Schaefer. She feels ready to give pupils something good and lasting in these lines.

Firemen Hop on Flames And Prevent Their Spread

Fire developed in the big automobile belonging to W. C. Fallwell last Monday night while in his garage, and for the jam-up speed and intelligent work of the fire boys, might have resulted in heavy loss. As it was a firemen were on top of the conflagration in less than no time and caught an exceedingly hot blaze so effectively that only the top and hoodwork of the car was burned and the damage done otherwise.

Community Meeting Resulted In Remarkable Work

A meeting at West Way Tuesday evening closed the most successful group of community meetings that has ever been held in this section. Regardless of the fact that rain had fallen at intervals through the day, seventy-seven people representing practically every home in that community were in attendance. Rev. Jas. T. Ross, E. B. Black and R. O. Dunkle were the principal speakers. Progressive community was visited Monday evening, and a splendid group from that community greeted the Hereford visitors. Hereford speakers stressed better community spirit as an aid to building up the citizenship of that community. Progressive was complimented on taking the lead in the establishment of a successful Canning club for Deaf Smith county.

Hereford folks attended community meetings in every community in Deaf Smith county during the past two weeks, and splendid crowds greeted them at each place. The building of a better community spirit was stressed at each meeting. While the move was county wide, with a large number of business people of Hereford attending each meeting, no organization here sponsored the meetings, though every one took part. Musical organizations from Hereford furnished music at most of the gatherings. A number of the community furnished some excellent singing for the meetings.

The community meetings that have just closed in Deaf Smith county, can be counted as a huge success, and both the people of Hereford and the folks of the nine communities received a lasting inspiration. While "a better community spirit" was stressed at each meeting, much valuable information on pure seed selection, helpful hints in dairying, poultry keeping, hog raising, and the live at home plan, were given. The communities visited during the past two weeks by Hereford folks were: Summerfield, Fairview, Ford, Askren, Wyche, Ward, Dawn, Progressive and West Way.

Hereford Independents Go to Lubbock Sunday

The Hereford Independents have settled down to real training this week for their game next Sunday with Sled Allen's Lubbock Hubbers to be played in Lubbock. The locals displayed some strength here last Sunday when they pounded three Bovina twirlers for 18 bingles for a total of 29 scores, while the Bovina crew were getting only five runs and seven hits off Tate and Galbraith.

Lubbock defeated Amarillo last Sunday, and proved that Sled's gang will bear watching. Manager Whitehead has not announced his choice for the twirling job against the Hubbers, but both Tate and Galbraith will be ready for the task. The local team is composed entirely of local ball players, and none of them are drawing salaries, but Manager Whitehead expects his team to furnish some keen competition for other Panhandle teams.

Carl Gilliland is Believed to Have Won Sick Battle

Carl Gilliland, prominent local attorney, was stricken with influenza on Tuesday of last week. Pneumonia quickly developed and for several days past the life of Mr. Gilliland has hung in the balance. Wednesday, however, his crisis seemed to have passed and Thursday he was pronounced slightly better, with an excellent chance to pull through, provided no complications set in. Anxious relatives and friends were rejoicing Thursday over the outlook for his recovery to long life and continued usefulness.

Miss Margaret Gilliland, Mr. Gilliland's daughter, who is attending school at Randolph-Macon College in Lynchburg, Va., arrived last Tuesday night. Other relatives who hurried here upon receipt of news of his illness were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Klett and Mrs. J. C. Roberts of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harrold of Abernathy, and two of Mr. Gilliland's brothers, J. L. and Herbert Gilliland, both of Mangum, Okla.

Kemp Lumber Company Reopens Yard Here

J. L. Shuman, who will be the local manager for the R. H. Kemp Lumber Company's new Hereford lumber yard, is busy these days assembling his materials for his buildings and sheds and getting ready to open up for real business. While the buildings will not be ready for some time, the yard will be in position to bid for business by the middle of next week, says Mr. Shuman. The new concern will be situated across from the Santa Fe freight depot, on the site of the old Purcell livery barns.

The Kemp company carried an announcement in this issue of The Brand, and calls attention to the fact that this is their "Reopening" here. They formerly had a yard here, with C. A. Skelton as manager, closing out in 1916. The main headquarters of the company is at Roswell, N. M.

Wallick Greater Shows, Carnival, Billed Here

The Wallick Greater Shows, a big street carnival, is scheduled to open in Hereford for a week's run beginning Monday night, May 10 and lasting through Saturday night. The tents of the carnivals will be pitched on the vacant lots opposite The Brand office, and the week's entertainment will be under the auspices and for the benefit of the Hereford Fire Department.

The advertising carried in this issue of the paper shows all kinds of attractions, including athletic exhibitions, wrestling and boxing exhibitions, and a minstrel show nightly.

STORK SPECIAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bevers on April 29, a boy.

Chautauqua Guarantee For 1927 Is Generally Popular

A special committee to look into local trade extension possibilities, an endorsement of the Chautauqua for another year, and a report on the recent community meetings constituted the main program of the chamber of commerce at the City Cafe Monday. Secretary Moss spoke at length on the necessity for getting better acquainted with the hundreds of new farmers who have moved into the county south of Black, Summerfield and Friena, and after talking it over President Black appointed a committee to look into the matter consisting of E. D. Fox, Rex Trues, S. P. Ross, C. C. Rockwell and G. W. Brunley. E. W. Harrison invited all the business men to join him in an excursion to the Bellview neighborhood on June 15.

The meeting was opened when Mr. Parker, "introduced" Mayor Ireland, stating that the latter had just returned from Austin and making a number of playful suggestions as to the motives for the trip. The mayor denied the allegations and held his own fairly well during the bantering.

Rev. W. R. Hill, secretary of the 1926 Chautauqua committee, asked whether Hereford wanted the Chautauqua for another year or not. He went into detail as to the business end of the chautauqua, as well as its moral and educational value, etc. Following him a number of talks along the same subject were made, after which the meeting went on record as being unanimously of the opinion that Hereford could not afford to do without the chautauqua and that it should be guaranteed again. It was also decided that it was better to have twenty guarantors than a large number. The chamber of commerce did not go on record as an organization, but the suggestions and pledges were purely in a voluntary sense.

4400 Baby Chicks Are Ordered One Shipment

One single order for 4400 baby chicks went out of Hereford this week when Jim Robinson ordered 2200 for D. P. Vaughn, 100 for himself, 500 each for Messrs. Carmichael and Rutherford, and 200 for Dave Grimes. The order went to the Valley Mills Hatchery, Valley Mills, Texas. White Leghorn specialists.

Mr. Robinson stated that he placed this order only after he had tried to secure the chicks from the Golden Rule Hatchery here, as he believes in patronizing home industry. But the Golden Rule has all it can handle just at present. All of which indicates the growth of the chicken industry in and around Hereford. The Valley Mills chicks through in here last year took many prizes at the local Poultry Show. The chicks ordered by Mr. Robinson will arrive in several lots during the month of May.

Traveling Showman Took Many Hereford Scenes

Walter Layman, who was here last week showing travel pictures of various parts of the world, was so impressed with the beauties of the Hereford country and the famous Hereford shallow water belt, that he photographed a number of homes here for his shows. A number of scenes in Hereford including the new \$125,000 high school, the magnificent court house, were taken. Layman took a number of pictures of Hereford cattle and registered hogs on the D. L. McDonald irrigation farm north of here. These will be used in his shows in other sections. Local folks were impressed with the three shows given here by Layman.

Brand Publishing Co. Dissolved; W. R. Steckman Sells Interest in Paper to Partner, Seth B. Holman

Effective May 1, 1926, the interest of Walter R. Steckman in The Hereford Brand was purchased by Seth B. Holman, who will, beginning with this issue, conduct the business alone.

Mr. Steckman came to The Brand in 1918 from Tucumcari, N. M., as foreman. In April, 1919, he acquired a half interest and since that time the property has been handled under the name of the Brand Publishing Company, which concern passed out of existence with the dissolution of the partnership.

Mr. Steckman will remain in Hereford for the time being, closing up his business affairs, and then intends to return to his old home in Princeton, Mo., where his aged parents reside.

The business and personal association through seven years has been pleasant and harmonious, and The Brand regrets exceedingly to lose this good partner, fine friend and high class citizen of our community. We wish for him and his excellent wife every good thing in this life in the future.

Van E. Curtis will handle the work of foreman of the Brand; Ballard Rountree, who comes from the Amarillo News-Globe, will be machinist-operator, and Mrs. Holman will have charge of the books.

BETTER HOME AND GARDEN DRIVE STARTS; EAST SIDE GETS "JUMP" IN RIVALRY

The Better Homes and Gardens of the Chamber of Commerce is now well under way and the general committee as well as the sub-committees are strictly on the job and battling around 1000 already. Mrs. Slaton's central committee is plotting and scheming to make Hereford the cleanest, and prettiest and most talked of town on the Plains this summer, and the ladies are really enthusiastic in their determination to leave no stone unturned to attain this desired end.

The Rev. J. T. Ross, chairman in charge of the eastern half of the town with Main street as the dividing line has gone to work in his usual methodical fashion and herewith presents his lineup of sub-chairmen of districts. Each one of these sub-chairmen will in turn appoint a captain in each block. Mr. Ross' sub-chairmen are:

Tier between First and Second

streets: Mrs. Russell Dunlap; tier between Second and Third streets: Mrs. W. E. Damron; tier between Third and Fourth streets: Mrs. J. W. Hicks; tier between Fourth and Fifth streets: Mrs. J. S. Orr; tier between Fifth and Sixth streets: Mrs. F. T. Rolson; tier between Sixth and Seventh streets: Mrs. J. M. Gilliland; tier between Seventh and Eighth streets: Mrs. Walter Dunlap; tier between Eighth and Ninth: Mrs. A. O. Thompson; tier between Ninth and Tenth streets: Mrs. T. D. Moss.

Mrs. A. A. Foster is chairman of the western half of the city, and her list of sub-chairmen will be published as soon as possible. There is lots of pep and enthusiasm, as well as keen rivalry, among the ranks of the workers in this campaign, and Hereford will be a more attractive and desirable place in which to live when the organized drive is over.

Rev. Morgan to Preach Baccalaureate Sermon

Rev. Morgan, pastor of the First Christian church of Hereford, has been selected to preach the Baccalaureate sermon on May 23 for the Senior class of the Hereford high school. Rev. Morgan is a graduate of Texas Christian University.

Dr. P. W. Herr, president of the Texas Technological College at Lubbock, will give the Commencement address for the graduating class on Wednesday evening, May 26. There are thirty-one members of the Senior class who are expected to receive their diplomas May 26. This is the largest class of recent years.

Here's Hog Story That Will Make 'Em Thoughtful

W. A. Daugherty, living southeast of Hereford, has a hog story that makes them all "sit up and take notice." He conditioned a hog which he had raised for his family larder, and weighed each piece after the hog was butchered. The various pieces of the animal totaled 810 pounds. Here are the weights by pieces and others are challenged to send in reports of a heavier hog: Hams 200 pounds, shoulders 160 pounds, head 53 pounds, sides 14 pounds, insides including heart, liver, etc. 85 pounds, back strips 40 pounds, ribs 21 pounds, fat, back bone, and tenderloins 104 pounds, and shoulder strips 32 pounds. Total 810. The hog was conditioned mostly on home grown feeds and slop from the family kitchen.

A General Moving Epidemic Strikes Business Houses

The White Face Printing Company moved their office on the first of the month to the new Oberthier building on West Third street. And Secretary T. D. Moss of the chamber of commerce moved his office from The Brand to the old White Face headquarters. Mr. Moss felt that he needed to be right in the middle of the thickest population.

Other moves made on the first included: Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Rogers of the Community Mills purchased the Stambaugh grocery stock and moved it to the building on Main street herebefore occupied by Carl's Cafe. They have opened a grocery store. This building has been cut into two parts and the north half is now occupied by the millinery parlors of Mrs. J. T. Cunningham, who formerly had her place of business in the Stambaugh balcony.

Carl Jennings of the Carl's Cafe has moved into the middle ground floor apartment in the new Oberthier building and announces in this issue that he will open for business, with everything brand new, next Saturday.

The third ground floor space in the Oberthier building has been taken by E. W. Kinney for the display of his Frigidaire and Delco Light apparatus.

Chevrolet Garage Has New Foreman of Shop

C. C. Cox, former head mechanic at the Hereford Motor Company's shop, is now foreman of the Chevrolet shop of W. W. Brunley.

Manager Bonnie Brunley of the Chevrolet garage is making radical improvements and innovations in the front of his place of business, as well as in the shop department. Among other things he is creating a starting and brand new design of checker-board design for his sales floor. It will consist, when completed, of alternating black and white squares, and the new pattern promises to stand out as prominently as a Shanghai rooster in a pen of Seabright Bantams.

University of Texas Has Valuable Relic

Austin, Texas, May 1.—On exhibition in the University of Texas archives, is an oak chest of great historic value which has been attracting much attention. Presented to the people of Texas during the recent meeting of the Texas State Historical Association at the University of Texas, it will be kept in the University archives. The chest was made from wood taken from a house in the old state capital at Washington, Texas, and veneered with walnut from the desk on which the declaration of independence of Texas from Mexico was signed. Burnt in the top of the chest is the following inscription:

"This box was made by Mr. John M. Gould; and, by him, presented to R. R. Peebles of Austin county, Texas; out of materials taken from a house in the town of Washington, Texas, wherein sat the general convention which on the (2nd) day of March, A. D. 1836, unanimously resolved and declared that the political relation heretofore existing between the general government of Mexico and her Texas colony were for real causes and substantial reason, from that day and hour considerably, formally, and eternally ended. Which declaration of independence thus and then made and proclaimed was honorably verified and substantiated by its arms on the Plains of San Jacinto, April 2nd, 1836."

Boy Scouts Court of Honor Very Successful

Twenty-three Merit badges, four Star Scout badges and six Life Scout badges were awarded local Scout members during the Court of Honor held last Monday night. The meeting was opened by Rev. W. R. Hill with prayer, after which Rev. J. O. Haynes delivered the principal address, an excellent talk concerning the relations of the Scouts to the schools and the community. A feature was the examination of Harold Broadwell, who passed his Tenderfoot examinations. Following this Harold voluntarily recited the official introduction of the Scout laws, with scarcely a variation from the text.

Regulations for the New Year were opened. So far the troop led by Jim Black is in the lead in this drive. The twenty-three Merit badges were awarded to eight boys as follows: Howard Eayne, Alton Miller, Oliver Ray, Duane Orr, George Higgins, Frank Cogdell, Thomas Elliston and Roger Orr. The four Star Scouts were Thomas Elliston, Jim Gilliland, George Higgins and Alton Miller. The Life awards went to Bill Parker, Paul Barnett, Keith Guthrie, Marlin Gilliland, Alton Miller and Fred Cogdell.

Poison Grain Distributed in Jack Rabbit Battle

The jack rabbit poisoning campaign that has been planned for Deaf Smith county is in full progress and poisoned grain is being distributed to the farmers at a very nominal cost of 8 cents per pound, which is much cheaper than poison can be mixed in small quantities. It is hoped that every community will cooperate with every other community in this county in this poisoning campaign. It is very necessary that the poisoning be done now as it will eliminate a great number of young rabbits.

The poison grain may be secured now from the county agent.

Buy it with flowers Mothers Day, May 9, and phone the order to number 157. Mrs. J. H. Pitman. pd.

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"Boarding House" Speech at Askren Amused the Crowd

B. M. Whitaker of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce made a hit with his "Boarding House Talk" at Askren, northeast of here Thursday evening. He started out by saying that everything on the farm was a boarder, and that it was up to the farmer to see just which of his boarders were making him a profit. Mr. Whitaker urged the farmers to increase their crop yields by methods of field selection.

L. Gough of Amarillo, president of the Texas Wheat Growers Association, gave a talk on co-operative marketing. Other speakers were: Rev. J. O. Haynes, E. B. Black and Miss Margaret Bachelor. Mrs. Smith of Askren was in charge of the program. Special readings were given by the Smith sisters, and the male quartette of Hereford created some enthusiasm with their singing.

Meetings are being held in every community in Deaf Smith county, the object of which is to build up a better community spirit.

Cameron, New Mex.

Mr. Williams, a friend of R. A. Lowe, was visiting him Friday.

The Wheatland school enjoyed a picnic in the brakes Friday.

Frank Trapp and family spent Sunday with the W. J. Fryer family.

A. W. Bunch bought a Chevrolet truck last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burnett spent Saturday night with friends at Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lee Watkins spent Sunday of last week with the Misses Lizzie and Alice Crecelins.

Willie McCary was a guest of Lester Davis Sunday.

Curry County Agent, C. E. Hollinger, met Friday with the boys and girls club at New Hope. Friday. Several of the boys took grain for planting.

Mesdames Lizzie Patterson and Floyce Burnette, and their children, left Saturday in the Patterson car for a visit with the J. L. Mammons family at Hagerman, N. M.

A. C. Johnston purchased an International tractor the last of the week.

Mrs. Josie Crecelins is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Isler.

It has been announced that Mrs. J. W. Slade is to meet with the ladies at New Hope Wednesday night of this week to organize a Ladies Missionary society.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlet, April 23, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Howell, of Portales, spent Sunday night at the Clyde Isler home.

A merry crowd met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon and gave them a hearty chivari Tuesday night.

L. Lee Watkins purchased a tractor and a combine last week.

Mrs. M. F. Morrison spent a few days in Clovis last week.

Officers from Tucumcari were searching for two men who had escaped from the jail and stolen a car at Tucumcari and abandoned it near Endee. We have not learned if they found them or not yet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Scott made a trip to Amarillo last week to visit Mrs. Arthur Brooks, who is confined at a hospital.

Mr. George Gordon and Mrs. Mary Glahan were united in marriage at Tucumcari April 24.

O. L. Tillman bought an International tractor last week.

Mrs. Florence Isler and the Misses Lizzie and Alice Crecelins spent Fri-

day with Mr. and Mrs. Reid Isler. Reid's little sons, J. C. and Roy Isler, came home with them to spend the week-end.

Charlie and Odie Tillman bought a combine last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pool, April 22, a girl, whom they named Pearl Mae.

Mrs. Annie Duck and children spent from Friday till Saturday evening with Mrs. A. W. Cameron.

The Rev. A. I. Metcalf filled his regular appointment at Charity (New Hope) Sunday and Sunday night. He is to begin a revival meeting there Friday night, May 7.

Mrs. Mida Woods and Mrs. Belle Carmen called on Mrs. Lee Hutchinson Thursday and placed some eggs in Mrs. Hutchinson's incubator for hatching.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Conway and children took supper with the Cameron family Sunday.

Mrs. Mida Woods spent Friday with Grandma Hutchinson at Wheatland. She also visited Mrs. Cameron Saturday.

Lester Davis is quite busy operating their new Fordson these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burnett moved into their new house at Clche last week.

Miss Della Bolding and Mrs. Bulah Clayton were shopping at Clovis last Monday.

Robert Eaton purchased a Chevrolet truck the last of the week.

Mrs. J. R. Burnett had the misfortune of losing about one hundred heavy hens from her chicken house one night recently. She estimates they would have averaged at least \$1.50 each at the present prices.

Frio-Easter Items

The farmers are very busy in the fields getting the land ready for planting.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allman and son, Jack Dale and Mrs. Allman's father, of Floydada, visited in different parts of Mexico this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Sullivan and son, Charles William, visited in the home of W. J. Sullivan, Monday.

Mrs. Knot and son, E. L., returned home Monday from the hospital.

Mrs. Wooley visited her mother, Mrs. Sullivan Monday afternoon.

Carly Ray Frye has been very sick this week but is better at this writing.

The Good Will club met with Mrs. E. V. Sullivan Wednesday afternoon and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent, some of the ladies pieced on a quilt, others did fancy work. Those enjoying this occasion were: Meadham, L. R. Sullenger, V. C. Woolery, Misses Nettie Green, Steve Sanders, W. J. Sullivan, M. Mobley, R. T. Green, Leo William, Tom Sanders, Presley, Misses Zelma; Maurine Sullenger.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. L. R. Sullenger, May 12. Every one be at our next meeting.

Mrs. Stanger visited with Mrs. Harlin Wednesday.

Mrs. Steve Sanders and Mrs. Tom Sanders, visited in Hereford Thursday.

Ruth Knox of Way Side, is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Knox.

Mr. Smith returned home from Oklahoma Tuesday.

Miss Lottie Stagner, who has been away teaching school, returned home Friday.

Junior Wooley spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Tom Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Fields and sons, Denzil and Nolan, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Terrell.

The program at Easter school Friday night, was very good, and a large crowd attended, the pupils showed they had been trained well, and the patrons of the school appreciate what

Miss Sims has done for their school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Woolery spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sullivan.

The program at Frio Saturday night was a great success; a large crowd attended; every one enjoyed it very much, and the talks from Messrs. Avery, Joe Howard and Percy Eggs, candidates of Castro county, was enjoyed very much.

Mr. Frye motored to Frio Sunday morning to meet Mr. Reamer of Iowa, who is to visit with them a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sanders spent Sunday with Mrs. Sanders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Woolery.

Folks don't forget our "Mothers' Day" program and dinner at Frio May 9. Be sure and some. Part of the program is as follows:

Program

Song—Trust and Obey.

Song—If I Could Hear My Mother Pray Again.

Reading—Mrs. Frye.

Reading—Oswell Van Horn.

Song—Mother and Home.

Reading—Juanita Bell.

Song—Hymns My Mother Sang.

Song—Lola Green and Helen Estes.

Reading—Owen Stagner.

Reading—Gladys Jones.

Song—Mrs. Tice.

Reading—Claudia Parish.

Reading—Nolan Fields.

Song—I Saw My Mother Kneeling.

Reading—Mrs. A. L. Manjeat.

Song—Precious Memories.

Don not forget to come. Every one invited.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Sullivan and son, Charlie William, Mr. and Mrs. Mobley and family, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Allman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Sullenger and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Matthews of Arney.

Our Sunday school roll was not as large as usual Sunday. Every one come next Sunday and bring some one with you. Rev. Ross of Hereford, gave us a very good message at 3 o'clock, and he brought some friends with him. We were very glad to have them. Come again.

The singing at Frio improved Sunday night. A very large crowd attended and very good singing also.

What do you say, let all of us go to Frio more, to every gathering.

FOR SALE—Single Comb Rhode Island Reds. We have mated all our big, heavy laying hens and pullets to Pedigreed cockerels and other cockerels from a trap nested strain that we believe represents the best in egg laying Reds. Our setting eggs are priced so that we can sell our entire output. Fifteen eggs for \$2.00, three settings for \$5.00, 100 eggs for \$10.00.

WEST HILL POULTRY FARM, 4-121 Littlefield, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Deaf Smith:

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 90th District Court of Stephens County on the 8th day of April, 1926, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of T. B. Yarbrough, versus O. S. Martin, No. 6586 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in June, A. D. 1926, it being the 1st day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County in the State of Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

All of section No. 18 and the southwest one-fourth of section No. 8, Township No. 2, North of Range No. 1 East, Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation League No.



Texas Meat Market Cloyd & Sons

For Sale

Second Hand Combines

1 second-hand International Combine, in good condition, price . . . \$300

1 second-hand Case Combine in good condition, price . . . \$1750

These machines have been kept in a good state of repair and with the addition of a few dollars worth of parts will do as good work as any new machine of their respective makes. See me at once.

C. A. SKELTON

If Your House Should Burn

Would your insurance money replace the same without serious inconvenience to you? Is your household furniture also covered? Have you tornado and hail insurance? If you are not protected let me write you in some of the good old line companies that I represent.

D. F. Ashbrook

436; South one-half of section No. 24, Township 2 North, Range 1 East, Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation League Nos. 436, 437, 438 and 439; all of sections 17, 18, 19, 20 and East one-half of section 8 and the southwest one-fourth of section 9, and the North one-half of section 21, all in township No. 2 North of Range No. 1 East Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation League Nos. 436, 437 and 438; all of section No. 7, Township 2 North Range No. 1 East Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation League No. 437. Said Deed of Trust being recorded in the deed of trust records of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in Book 26, page 390. Placed in my hands for service, I.

Claude Benton, as Sheriff of Deaf Smith County, Texas, did on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1926, levy on the above described property.

Levied on as the property of O. S. Martin to satisfy a judgment amount-

ing to \$64,812.35 in favor of Yarbrough and cost of suit. Given under my hand, this 14th day of May, 1926.

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LEMONS	Per Dozen	19c
LETTUCE	Limit 2 to customer	6c
SUGAR	10 lbs. Not sold to merchants Not sold alone	59c
Old SPUDS	Good	5 1/2c
DROMEDARY DATES	25c size	19c
Full Cream Cheese	per pound	28c
MACARONI	Each	7c

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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 1926:

For State Representative, 133rd Dis:
LEE SATTERWHITE
of Panhandle, Texas

For District Attorney:
B. N. RICHARDS
of Dallam County
J. D. THOMAS,
of Farmer County

For District and County Clerk:
A. L. BIGGS
J. G. (GANO) HASTINGS
MONT E. BAKER
L. H. FOSTER

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
OLAUF BENTON
(Re-election)

For County Judge:
EARL W. WILSON
(Re-election)

For Tax Assessor:
IRA RICKETTS
W. A. (AL) MILLER
J. H. DANIEL
ALBERT MURPHY
(Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
J. H. HEAD
MRS. E. F. CONNELL
J. H. WEEMS
MRS. RUSSEL DANIEL

For Public Weigher:
B. W. HARRISON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
C. J. PADDOCK
(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
H. G. CONKWRIGHT
W. R. (BOB) HIGGINS

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
HERMAN A. GRAY
(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
W. T. WOMBLE
J. O. ALLRED

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 1926:

For District and County Clerk:
MRS. E. B. BOREN

For County Judge:
J. F. EASTER
M. R. AVERY

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
BILL BURNAM
(Re-election)

Wyche

Mrs. Lee Ott and small daughter, are visiting with Mrs. Lee Ott's father, Mr. Schuette and sister, Mrs. Curtis this week.

Lola Clayton is visiting with relatives at Plainview this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Satterwhite visited their daughter, Mrs. Sanders Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dook visited Mr. and Mrs. Woolery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alkman visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Sunday.

Nellie and Rosie Lee Johnson, visited Mary Clayton Sunday and Sunday night.

A very successful term of school came to a close April 30.

Mr. Coleman visited Mr. H. Y. Schuette Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis and family and Mrs. Lee Ott and daughter, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and family Sunday evening.

If it's anything in Feed or Seed we have it. JONES & McLEAN.

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Every Day in the Week

Call for and deliver.

If you make a bundle, call Phone 28.

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Improved cotton and wheat farms for sale. Large list of non-residence land in Herford territory.

List your farms with us, as we are getting some inquiries for small improved tracts.

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What's Doing in West Texas

Ballinger—Work wrecking the old Methodist church has started here in preparation for making room for the new imposing \$40,000 Methodist Episcopal structure to be erected here.

Canyon—The college officials of the West Texas State Teachers college estimate that about \$800,000 will be needed in new buildings if the institution is to properly function.

Amarillo—To date 43 bands have signed papers agreeing to participate in the fifth annual band contest to be held during the eighth annual convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce in this city June 21-23 next.

Memphis—The Memphis Gold Medal band announces that it will attend the Panhandle District Convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce to be held at Crowley on May 11.

Rising Star—The new oil wells in the west edge of the new Dunn Pool indicate that an entirely new oil belt is to be developed. Hoped accommodations here are good considering the large demand and new oil pool development.

Carbon—Merchants of Carbon dispensed quite a large sum of money in a recently sectionally-wide spelling contest held here. The contest was between pupils in the school and persons outside of school.

Mineral Wells—Soundings are being made on the site of Mineral Wells new \$1,000,000 hotel to be erected by the Baker Hotel interests.

Rotan—The new \$100,000 high school building was dedicated here Sunday May 2nd. It is said to be the most imposing school building ever erected in a town of Rotan's size.

Crosbyton—The Crosby County Fair will be held in this city September 15 to 18. Word comes to Crosbyton from Justiceburg that a 500 barrel daily capacity oil well has been brought in there.

Lubbock—Application of the Santa Fe railway system to extend its lines eastward in Floyd county will be considered at a hearing called by the Interstate Commerce Commission to be held in this city on May 30.

Clisco—The Bankhead highway westward in Eastland county from the end of the brick pavement will be retopped with asphalt immediately, after which the road will be hard surfaced in Callahan county.

Wheeler—The Wheeler county court house has been equipped throughout with new electrical fixtures of the largest type.

Breckenridge—West Texas' greatest white way, according to Curtis Hancock, manager of the local chamber of commerce, is to be immediately erected here. The plan calls for from 100 to 165 standards, and work is to begin at once. Specific plans for financing white ways may at any time be obtained from the head office of the West Texas chamber of commerce.

Stamford—Officials of the Texas Transcontinental Trail recently met here and let a contract for 40,000 booklets describing the newly named highway between Texas and New Mexico.

Vernon—The Vernon Chamber of Commerce is making plans for a trade trip into Oklahoma, the party to leave this city on May 26.

Ranger—Dallas interest announce the construction of a new 100-foot business house here on West Main street, to be occupied by two new business institutions.

Silverton—What is believed to be the first hog nursery in the entire Southwest has been located here, for the purpose of supplying selected gilts to West Texas farmers.

BABY BEEF—Try our tender steak and roast.—Herford Produce, L. H. Spratt, Mgr. 2-4f

Plenty of good lawn seed on hand—Blue Grass, White Clover and Bermuda. Jones & McLean.

Progressive

The program of our community meeting last Monday evening was greatly enjoyed. The music furnished by the high school orchestra was fine. There were interesting talks made by E. B. Black, Rev. T. Morgan and Judge Brawley of Dalhart, Texas.

There will be a special program given at our Sunday school Sunday, April 16, arranged by Mrs. Ivan Monaghan.

Our singing was well attended Sunday evening. Visitors are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sharp of Vernon, Texas, have been visiting in the home of Mrs. O. L. Sharp, for the past few days, and attended singing at Progressive Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Brit Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Roberson were visitors in the S. R. Monaghan home last Monday evening.

Miss Katherine Hershey has been very sick, being absent from school for several days, but we understand she is very much improved at present.

Try a Want Ad—It's a Winner!

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While we are closing out our Grocery Department, we are doing so only to obtain additional room for our DRY GOODS and MEN'S FURNISHINGS store. We are enlarging our spaces for this stock, and hope you will come and see us and participate in the big Savings we have for our customers.

STAMBAUGH'S STORE

Geo. V. Stambaugh, Manager

Dr. D. E. Turrentine Will Practice Again

Dr. D. E. Turrentine, dentist, who formerly practiced here but who retired from active work several years ago, has again resumed the practice of dentistry, using the offices formerly occupied by Dr. Lloyd, over J. O. Newell. He will be ready for business early next week.

Dr. Turrentine attended the state meeting of the dentists held at Wichita Falls last week, where he states he received much valuable information and instruction in modern dentistry and methods.

Star Theatre is Giving Some Dandy Picture Shows

Manager Pickett of the Star Theatre is giving his patrons some real high class shows these days. Those who missed seeing Colleen Moore last Monday and Tuesday night, were poorer for the oversight. There are some especially good pictures billed for the coming week, too.

Hereford High Baseball Team Trims Bovina Nine

The Hereford high school White Face baseball team poured it on the Bovina aggregation last Thursday afternoon 11 to 9, in a hotly contested affair at Bovina, and showed good form regardless of the fact that this was their initial start of the season. The same teams play today on the local diamond, and local fans are promised a real treat. Bovina comes much strengthened and her high school lads are seeking revenge.

State Inspector Likes Vocational Work Here

J. B. Rutland, assistant state director of vocational agriculture, inspector of the agriculture department of the Hereford high school last week. He was very much pleased with the work that is being done here, and highly complimented Hereford on the splendid department that school officials had provided in the new \$125,000 high school building for the vocational agriculture work. This was Mr. Rutland's first trip here since the completion of the new high school.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mr. Gillmore, who entered the hospital last week with pneumonia has recovered, and returned to his home Wednesday afternoon.

L. E. Smith is getting along nicely from an operation of last week.

Mrs. John Hutson who was operated on Tuesday is doing nicely.

Little Miss Zelma Ruth Shore is getting along nicely from an operation Tuesday.

Dad Childress is up and about the

hospital and doing nicely. Miss Pearl Hubbard, supervisor of the hospital was in Amarillo Wednesday attending a Nurses convention held at Saint Mary's hospital.

Statements, Letter Heads, Envelopes, all Job Work, at The Brand.

At Hereford Chautauqua Beginning June 8th



Everett Kemp, First Day Chautauqua.

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NEW SILK, NEW GEORGETTE SCARFS
NEW SILK HOSIERY ARE ARRIVING ALMOST DAILY

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include printed and flat crepe designs, with a wide variety of choice.

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In sheerest silk, any color desired—in the famous HUMMING BIRD and other well known standard brands.

We invite the Ladies and the young Ladies to inspect these new arrivals.

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Compare the prices below with your mail order catalogue.

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30x3 1/2 Tires	-----	\$11.40
31x4 Tires	-----	\$18.00
32x4 Tires	-----	\$19.00
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33x4 1/2 Tires	-----	\$24.50

Remember when buying at home you receive Service—you do not have to work and wait several days, and put the tire on yourself, you get the service at home, that mail order houses do not give. We will meet all mail order house prices.

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CAR LOAD OF NEW FURNITURE

—will arrive next Monday, May 10. Includes something new and nifty for every room in the Home.

DON'T MISS IT—Come and look at it next week.

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FURNITURE AND VARIETY STORE

Fone 293

For Saturday Only

May 8, 1926

1 Pound BLACK PEPPER	-----	30c
2 Packages CURRANTS	-----	25c
1 POUND OF TEA, either Schillings, Folgers or Tree	-----	35c
3 Pounds Powdered SUGAR	-----	25c
1 No. 2 1/2 APRICOTS	-----	20c
1 No. 3 Can SWEET POTATOES	-----	15c

25 bars Crystal White Soap . . . \$1.00

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Hereford, Texas



Fashion, usually so frivolous in her dictates, takes a new turn by creating this practical sport hat of draped grosgrain ribbon in brown, with a narrow red band as it's only trimming. One of the practical features of this hat is that it can be crushed without damage.

Want Ads

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WANTED—Small lot Brumley seeded ribbon cane seed. Will pay \$3.00 per bushel. M. H. Fower. 16-3t-pd.

WANTED—Man with wife wants work. Good farmer. Will do other work. Write J. E. Mathews, Adrian, Texas. 16-1t.

WANTED—A man to break new land for crop, 200 to 1,000 acres. Lee Coonauger place, 13 miles northwest. I. H. Hutson. 15-2p

LAND OWNERS

Why not improve 100 farms within ten miles of Hereford this summer? I can furnish money for such. 13-4t J. S. ULM, Green Bldg., Amarillo, Texas.

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—From Mack Short's place one small saddle mare, bleuish on hind leg; also one 2 year old bay filly, solid color. Notify Mack Short of Henry Bishop, Hereford. 15-2t-pd

FOR RENT

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good seed corn, \$2.00 a bushel. I live 13 miles northwest of town, W. R. Harris, Box 406. 16-2t-pd

FOR SALE—Dwarf maize seed, government tested. Free from Johnson grass and weeds. O. Wilder, Hereford, Texas. West Way school. 16-16-pd.

FOR SALE—Outside buildings. See J. H. PITMAN or Phone 157. 15-2t

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MAPS—Deaf Smith county maps for sale, 50c each. Thompson & Ireland.

FOR SALE—Land for Sale—Two desirable tracts of land, some improvements on them, well located. Address owner—Box 323 Hereford, Texas. 11-tf

At Hereford Chautauqua Beginning June 8th



The Clown Band with "OH! PERCY." Premier Program.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The T. E. L. Sunday school class will have a bake sale of cakes and dressed hens at Carlyle's Grocery Saturday, May 8.

For HAIL Insurance, best service and standard company, see H. B. Webb. Phone 162. 11-1f

Little Palmer Norton, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Norton, has been very seriously ill with pneumonia for the past few days. He was reported Thursday however, to be improving and holding his own, although still very sick.

The Methodist Missionary Society held their annual open house social at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Haymes Wednesday afternoon, with Mesdames M. L. Steel, H. L. Rice, J. B. Hammer, J. W. Houston, Alvin Thompson, J. O. Haymes, F. T. Rolson and Mrs. Hogan, Dixon, Millard, Stoval, Shore, Patton and McMahan, hostesses.

An unusually large crowd was present including the girls missionary society which is progressing into a liturgical organization of the church.

Mrs. Burch and daughter, Miss Eula Lee Burch, left Monday for Plainview where Miss Burch will finish the school term. Miss Burch underwent an operation for appendicitis in Amarillo several weeks ago and has been in Hereford recuperating.

Sam A. Roberts, publisher of the Haskell Free Press, and his brother, J. W. Roberts, publisher of the Chillicothe News, stopped off in Hereford Thursday morning enroute overland from Haskell to points north of Amarillo. Both are successful newspaper men and The Brand was glad to have them visit the plant.

SUDAN Seed, extra heavy, re-cleaned, absolutely free from Johnson grass. \$5.00 per hundred. Lester Galley. 16-4t-pd.

Les Smith, who underwent a most serious operation at the county hospital last week, is reported to be improving steadily and his many friends are rejoicing at his prospects for early good health and activity.

Mrs. J. P. Wood and son, Earl, left overland Saturday for Abilene where they visited relatives. Mr. Wood returned by train Wednesday and his mother, accompanied by Miss Zula Wood, is expected in Sunday. Miss Wood will spend her two weeks vacation in Hereford with her parents and friends.

Mrs. S. B. Holman and Mrs. Homer Fox, motored to Amarillo Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Henry Gooch of Amarillo, who had been visiting in Hereford.

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QUICK JOB SERVICE AT THE BRAND

Half Million Dollars in Cattle Here Month April

It is safe to say that a half million dollars worth of cattle changed hands in the Hereford country during the month of April. Northern feeders were heavy purchasers and a large number of these cattle were shipped directly to northern feed lots and pastures for conditioning. A surplus of feed in the north, high prices of cattle, and unusually fine grass in the Hereford country has been responsible for the activity in the cattle industry here.

Local stockmen have been busy restocking their ranges, and practically as many cattle have been purchased by local cattlemen as have been sold. Of course the Herefords sold were in much better condition than the ones purchased for pasturage in the Hereford country.

W. E. "Billy" Hicks delivered 1-267 head of yearling steers in April to northern feeders at a price said to be the highest paid here since the war. He received \$46.70 per head for his stuff.

Chas. Donald sold 1,314 yearling Hereford steers to Missouri feeders for an average of \$42.50. Donald shipped in 2,000 head of cattle from Mexico to restock his range. These were purchased from the Prude Cattle company of Guadalupe, Mexico. Frank Lambert purchased 880 head from the same company.

H. G. Conkwright, who owns one of the best herds of grade cows in the Panhandle, recently sold 700 breeding cows for an average price of \$65 per head. This is said to be the best price that has been paid here for a number of years. These cattle were purchased by Oklahoma cattlemen and will be pastured on the Conkwright ranch this summer.

Probably the best sale of April was made by E. B. Black when he sold 55 registered Herefords at public auction for an average of \$235 per head. G. W. Brumley shipped 106 head of yearling Hereford heifers to Fort Worth markets, but his price has not been obtained. Spradley and Fuqua recently unloaded 400 head of cattle which were purchased at San Saba and Crosby county, Texas.

In addition to the above sales, a large amount of trading has been done among local stockmen. Several herds have either been brought in or driven out via the trail route, and no definite check could be made of these, and many small sales were not reported at all. John L. Wilson drove 2,000 head of cattle to the Canadian country for pasturage there on his summer range. McCaskey and Son sent 1,500 head over the trail to Eastern New Mexico where they have leased the old Jackson ranch. This ranch consists of some thirty-five sections of grazing land.

Dr. G. W. Heard, dentist, attended the meeting of the dentists of the state at Wichita Falls last week and returned refreshed in mind and in business methods from contact with the specialists who attended and lectured at this convention.

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If YOUR house burned tonight, and you did not have it insured, you would mentally kick yourself for your lack of ordinary horse sense, wouldn't you? Or, if you develop a bad cold, which slips into influenza and pneumonia, and they plant a few Daisies over you—YOU won't be here to kick yourself for your lack of Life Insurance—but your FAMILY and dear ones will be the ones to carry the burden of your procrastination. Are we right, or are we wrong?

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The Kind That Lubricates. We carry a line of GOOD TIRES that will serve you well, at Prices the Mail Order Houses Cannot Meet.

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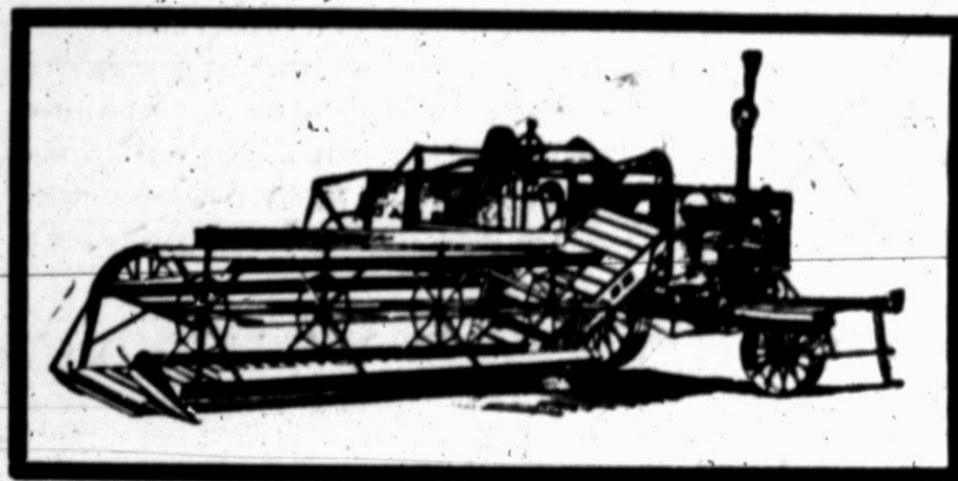
We call it our Reopening because we were long identified with the development of this community, and have many friends and old customers here now.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Presbyterian Church Jas. T. Mason, Pastor

After the week is ended, after its tolls are done, after its fields are tended, after its victories won, comes the sweet Sabbath morning, morning of rest and peace, Day of our Lord's own adorning, by the work of creation's surcease, Day of His love and might. After the heart is broken by the cares that press us down, after its woes unspoken the joys of the soul seem to dawn, after the day seems longer because of the burdens borne, the heart is then made stronger, blessed by the Sabbath morn, Morn of His grace and light. Sunday is Mothers' Day. It will be characterized by appropriate music and message. Sunday School, 9:45. Senior Endeavor, 7 p. m. Preaching services, 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. In the afternoon at 3:00, preaching at Flag. Rev. Joseph Bozarth will preach at Ward immediately following the Sunday School hour in the afternoon. Women's Missionary Society, Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.; prayer meeting 8:00 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Thursday, 8 p. m. A cordial welcome to the public services.

First Christian Church T. Morgan, Pastor

Didn't you enjoy that splendid Sacred concert last Sunday evening given by the Music Study Club? If you did not, then it is because you were not present. Hereford is, and has a right to be, proud of her Music Club. In the Sunday school, last Sunday, we were just 15 short of our enrollment. This is a fine report. It shows we are growing. Next Sunday I believe we can reach the enrollment. Who will be one to bring a friend? Our Sunday school superintendent, Bro. A. Lowther, and the assistant superintendent, Bro. Ira Ricketts, resigned last Sunday. Bro. Lowther will now teach a class of boys. Bro. J. C. Ricketts was elected as the new superintendent, and Mrs. B. F. Guthrie as assistant superintendent. Mrs. John S. Cloyd, a niece of former Pastor Paul J. Merrill, placed her membership with us at the Sunday morning service. She has many friends in this town and they are all happy to see her identify herself with the church. Next Sunday is "Mothers Day." Let us all try to make Mother happy on this day. Do you know a better way to bring her happiness than to go with her to the Lord's house on Mothers Day? We are having a special program here at this church. We invite all mothers. Call Mrs. Frank Marrs, phone 82, if you know of any Mother who needs conveyance to this service. Three beautiful bouquets of flowers will be given to three Mothers. 9:45 a. m. Church school. Let's keep growing. 11:00 a. m. Communion and preaching services. Mother will be the theme of the morning message. 7:00 p. m. The three C. E. societies. 8:00 p. m. Gospel preaching. The subject will be: "A Negro Who Broke Up a Revival Meeting." Thurman Morgan.

Methodist Church J. O. Haymes, Pastr

Mother's Day will be observed with appropriate music and message. Wear a flower in honor of your mother. Come to church for her sake if for no other reason. The pastor will preach morning and evening. We had 252 in Sunday school last Sunday. Will you not help make it 300 next Sunday? Surely you would not refuse to do that. Bring the whole family and it will greatly help. And we guarantee you will be helped by coming.

Intermediate Christian Endeavor First Christian church, May 9-26. 7:00 p. m. Topic: "What Shall We Do on Sunday?" Scripture Lesson: 1 Cor. 16:12. Matt. 12:10-13. Leader—Boyd Scott. Song. Business Session. Song. Talks: How ~~the~~ people of today break the Sabbath.—Georgia Cloyd. What might our society do on Sunday?—Mrs. Foster. What is the main object in having Sunday at all?—Aline Hasting. Song. Sentence Prayers. Song. C. E. Benediction.

The Sunday School Lesson

For Sunday, May 9, 1926 (By Joseph O. Haymes, Methodist Pastor)

Subject: Abram and the Kings. Scripture Lesson: Genesis 14, especially verses 13-24.

Golden Text: Rom. 8:37, "In all these things we are more than conquerors, through Him that loved us."

Introductory

In this lesson our attention is called to the beginning of the history of the Hebrew folk. If you will read from the eleventh chapter of Genesis thru the fourteenth you will find a very interesting story of the movements of one man under the leadership of God. That one man, moving out of his own country of Canaan, was laying the foundations for a race of people who should be the world's eternal benefactors, the Hebrews. That man was Abram.

All this was probably about 2100

or 2200 B. C. There were two types of life in that country in those days. There was the roving or more or less settled tribal life, and there was the city life. Abram and his nephew, Lot, had always lived the tribal life. Their tribe had grown until it was too large for one, so they divided, Lot choosing to move to the city, and Abram remaining in the upper country and continuing to live the tribal life.

The Story

Some time after Lot moved to the city of Sodom there occurred a bloody war, such as was so common in those days of strife and greed. It seems that for some twelve years Sodom and Gomorrah and the other cities of the plains of the Jordan had been under the dominion of the kings of the East. When these cities of the plains held their tribute money, Chedorlaomer and three other kings from the East came with their armies and made war on them. In the conflict the five kings of the cities of the plains were conquered by the four kings from the East. Along with the booty taken by the victors, some of the prominent men of the cities with their families were taken as captives, with the idea, no doubt, of making them slaves.

Among those taken were Lot and his family. When his Uncle, Abram, heard that Lot had been captured and taken away to be a slave, he hurriedly mustered a little band of men, 318 of them, and hastened to overtake those heathen conquerors and rescue his kinsman. Fortified by the conviction of a righteous cause, and strengthened by a just God in Whom he trusted, he overtook the enemy by night, attacked and routed them, and recovered all the booty and captives which they had taken away. On his return to the land of Canaan Abram was met by the kings of the cities of the plains, and hailed as a great conqueror. He was recognized as the prince of the Most High God, a man among men, a conqueror of conquerors. It seems that the situation offered a wonderful opportunity for Abram to take advantage of his popularity and make himself the master of all that country. Any self-centered man would have done that very thing. But Abram was not a selfish man. He did not naturally a military man. He did not believe that might makes right. He was a man of courage, and yet a man of peace.

Furthermore, Abram did not believe in that sorry motto, "To the victor belong the spoils." His idea was, to the owner belong the spoils. When the king of Sodom offered him all the booty which he had recovered, he refused, declaring that he would not take a thread nor a string that belonged to another. His attitude is a stinging rebuke to the military conquerors of all ages, and to the political parties of this republic that act upon the principle that the spoils belong to the victors.

Lot, The Business Man

It was for the sake of Lot, his

nephew, that Abram underwent all the inconvenience, hardship and danger of that military campaign. Did Lot deserve such kindness on the part of this great man of God? Let us see. If you will read the thirteenth chapter of Genesis, you will see the type of man that Lot was. When it became necessary for Abram and Lot to divide their holdings, in every nature of the case, Abram, the older man, who had given the younger man his start in life, had every right to the preference. But when he generously gave his kinsman the choice of the lands, like a shrew, craven business man, he chose the rich valley plains. But really, that choice was the greatest blunder that Lot ever made. It was made on purely selfish grounds, and yet it meant endless trouble for him. He never got away from the effects of it. In the plains it was easier to live, but infinitely harder to live religiously. Lot is a type of the modern business man who has as his motto, "Business first," or "A man must live." Here is a description of Lot which I quote from the Christian Century: "Lot was a bad lot. His chief value is as a warning; he shows us how unattractive selfishness can be. He was a detestable, sniveling, unprincipled money-grabber, and he has thousands and hundreds of thousands of counterparts in modern life. His modern brother elbows you on the car, crowds up to the first place at the bank window out of his turn, lets you shovel the snow off his walk, leaps for the first vacant seat, uses twice as much space and time as he should in the Pullman, reaches for the largest apple on the plate, smokes in your face on the steamers, talks too loud everywhere, laughs and drinks and dances in his apartment when decent folks wish to sleep, sells his soul for dollars, loves the bootlegging game, and then marvels that he is heartily disliked. You have seen him; he is very conspicuous. He wonders why the exclusive club doesn't want him; blunt, filthy little wretch. Lot was no gentleman; he deserves the strongest blasting we can give him. I want a fair chance at his modern brothers. Society is infested with these insistent, persistent, vicious little 'go-getters'—the 'cooties' of humanity."

No. 267 NOTICE OF EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Deaf Smith County.
To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of John Estes, deceased, the undersigned having been duly appointed, independent executor, of the estate of the said John Estes, deceased, by the honorable Earl W. Wilson, County Judge of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 7th day of April, 1926, and at regular term of the County Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate, to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said es-

tate to present them to him and at his residence in Hereford, Texas, where he receives his mail.

This the 8th day of April, 1926.
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Independent executor of the estate of John Estes, deceased.

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Table listing delinquent tax payers with names, addresses, and amounts due. Includes names like Smith, W. T., Sullivan, H. H. & Leona, Turner, O. H. & May, etc.

Second Roundup Now Planned For August 17 and 18

The Agricultural Experiment Station of the A. and M. College of Texas announces the Second Annual Ranchmen's Roundup to be held at the Ranch Experiment Station, located in Sutton and Edwards counties and approximately 26 miles from Sonora, on the Sonora-Rock Springs highway, on August 17 and 18.

The purpose of this meeting is to bring together the ranchmen and citizens interested in the sheep and Angora goat and cattle industries.

A brief, concise report of each project carried out at the Ranch Experiment Station will be made, giving the latest results in each case, so that ranchmen may have the benefit of the most recent knowledge in these several lines.

Texas leads all other states in the Union in the production of wool, and as well in the production of mohair. The Ranch Station is located in the heart of the wool producing region of Texas, seven counties surrounding the Sonora Station producing one-fourth of all the Angora goats produced in the United States.

Every one, including ranchmen and business men and their families, is invited to be in attendance at this meeting. Camping facilities will be available at the Ranch Experiment Station headquarters. An interesting and instructive program is under preparation, and announcements covering the meeting fully will appear in the press from time to time between now and the date of the meeting.

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Baptist Church W. R. Hill, Pastor

Sunday school meets for Bible study at 9:45 with Mr. A. O. Thompson the general superintendent. All members should seriously consider their responsibility in promoting the study of the Bible in his generation. Nothing, except conversion, is more needed today than reverence for religious things and the knowledge of God's word. It is being attacked in many ways and should have the hearty support of all friends of God.

Morning preaching service begins at 10:45 and continues about one hour dismissing in time for those who board to be at hotels in time for dinner. The subject for this service is "Knowing The Times." A cordial invitation especially to parents and the young people.

Sunbeam meets at 10:45 with Mrs. Manjeet the leader. At three o'clock the pastor will preach at Valentine school house, northwest of Hereford.

No night preaching service on account of the pastor being at Bellview, New Mexico, to preach the sermon for the high school.

The B. Y. P. U. meetings are at 7 o'clock. Come and Welcome.

HONOR ROLLS FOR FIFTH SIX WEEKS

- High Honor Rolls: Eleventh grade: Lucille Hughes. Tenth grade: Ella Broadwell. Ninth grade: Lorene Wherry. Seventh grade: Hazel Dunn, Ben-ne Hancy. Sixth grade: Ruth Houston. Fifth grade: Dorothy Fullwood, Susie May Daniels. Fourth grade: Nannie Joe Haynes, Robert Houston, Mary Ellie, Posey, Nancy Conkwright. Honor Roll: Eleventh grade: Gwendolyn Spradley, Dyalitha Stovall, Margaret Thompson, Wanda Wilkinson. Tenth grade: Alice Womble, Louise Jacobsen, Lorene Atchley, W. C. Morgan, Ruth Haberer. Ninth grade: Howard Eberle, Edgar Ireland.

- Eighth grade: Frances Gilman, Pearl Buntin, Lovaine McMen-kamp. Seventh grade: Alva Mae Norton, Florence Shore, Mary Broadwell, Alena Hughes, Dorothy McDonald. Sixth grade: Marvin Knox, Gilbert Ross, Maurine Spradley, Willie Mae Vinson. Fifth grade: Lois Sharp, Imogene Higgins, Imogene Cloer, Ora West Fay Tinkner, Wilma Jones, Catherine Miller, Arthur Thompson, Patricia Wederbrook, Clarence Schultz. Fourth grade: Billie Ross Phillips, Elizabeth Ireland, Sylvia Rockwell, Sally Skelton, Dora McCord, Theda Lou Wilson, Alta Funder-burg, Leona Tiefel, Elaine Nowell, Irene Buckner, C. M. Purcell, Virginia Cox.

Just Arrived, a Good Line of Straw Hats, worth the money. New goods arriving daily. Our SATURDAY SPECIAL for Saturday, May 8: 1 small congoleum mat. 15c Daniel's Variety Store Phone 394

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH: I, C. Benton, Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the land and lots listed above and assessed on the tax rolls of said County for the year 1925, are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and that there was no personal property for "seizure and sale" as required by Article 7336, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and therefore I am entitled to credit for the taxes shown and herein reported delinquent.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH. In the Commissioners' Court: We Certify that we have examined the above Collector's Report of lands and town lots on the Tax Rolls of Deaf Smith County, for the year 1925, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and find the same correct, and that C. Benton, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes shown thereon, as follows, to-wit:

Table showing tax amounts: State Ad Valorem Tax \$3969.35, State Poll Tax \$2.50, State Penalty and Interest \$90.13, Total State Taxes \$4300.98, County Ad Valorem Tax \$3837.10, County Poll Tax \$8.75, County District School Tax \$1850.69, County Penalties \$509.88, Total County Taxes \$6275.42

Given in open court this the 13th day of April, A. D. 1926. EARL W. WILSON, County Judge. C. J. PADDOCK, J. E. HILL, H. A. GRAY, J. C. ALLRED, County Commissioners of Said County.

Attest: BERRY ORR, County Clerk.

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3 Every used car is conspicuously marked with its price in plain figures, and that price, just as the price of our new cars, is rigidly maintained.

The public can deal in confidence and safety only with the dealer whose policy is "one price only—the same price to all." For, to sell cars on this basis, every one of them must be honestly priced to begin with.

4 Every purchaser of a used car may drive it for five days, and then, if not satisfied for any reason, turn it back and apply the money paid as a credit on the purchase of any other car in stock—new or used.

It is assumed, of course, that the car has not been smashed up by collision or other accident in the meantime.

Not only to the public, but also to The Studebaker Corporation of America, whose cars we sell, we pledge adherence to the above policy in selling used cars.

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Dimmitt, Castro County News

Mother's Day will be observed in the Dimmitt Sunday school. A committee composed of J. O. Ayers, Mrs. Edwin Ramey and Mrs. Will Wright have been busy on a program for several days and all who attend are promised something worth while. Wear a flower for Mother and come early as the program will start at 9:45 o'clock. At the eleven o'clock hour Rev. Meadows will preach a sermon honoring the best Mother in the world.

The trustees of the Sunnyside school have employed the following teachers for the next school term: J. C. Cherry, re-elected principal; Mrs. Buchanan, intermediate department, and Miss Lema Marlair, primary. Plans are being made for a half-time vocational agriculture teacher, also.

The Methodist revival meeting is still in progress and the crowds are getting larger each night which shows the interest that there is.

Bill Evers has sold the Townsite hotel to Mr. Webb of Lamesa, who moved his family here Monday and took charge. We welcome these new people into our midst. Mr. Evers has entered the real estate business in Plainview.

Floyd Reynolds went to Plainview Tuesday morning to meet Mrs. E. S. Umberson and son, who are going to visit friends and relatives here for a few days.

W. H. Darrough of Hugo, Oklahoma, visited in the T. W. Malone home last Wednesday.

Mesdames C. H. Buttolph, Henry Stalcup, C. B. Williams and B. A. Fuller, motored to Plainview last Wednesday. Mrs. Stalcup's sister, Luella, returned with them for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brooks and Mrs. B. D. Woodlee motored to Amarillo last Friday where he has accepted a position in a barber shop.

R. E. Hoop and wife and Mrs. Simon of Lorenza, visitor in the A. C. Evert home last Wednesday.

Mesdames Paul Odor and R. M. Carter, sister of L. E. Tucker, of Sunnyside, drove over from Silverton last Wednesday to bring the Castro news that it might be published on time this week.

Frank Barber and C. A. Skelton, of Hereford, were here last Wednesday.

Misses Eunice Page and Ethel Kistler, teachers in the Muleshoe school, were in Dimmitt last Thursday.

O. D. Cockerham of Sudan, and Hereford, was here on the 29th.

J. H. Wood of Amhurst attended court here the 27th.

D. H. Culton of Tulla, attended court here the 26th.

Attorney W. H. Russell of Hereford had a case in court here the 26th.

Ira Brown, district court stenographer, was here during the court term.

H. H. Sprull of Hardemon county, has been visiting his old friend, John Gold, north of town.

Col. C. H. Powell, was in Dimmitt a few minutes the 26th. He is highly elated over the prospects of the T. P. and G. has.

Clarence Lille has returned from Dallas where he has been at work for the past several weeks.

Will S. Kerr and Miss Ruth Craddock of Littlefield, were in Dimmitt last week-end.

Mrs. E. B. Boren has moved into the Maynard duplex building.

Mesdames T. W. Malone and Tom Tate were shopping in Hereford last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hardy took their little daughter to Amarillo last week for an examination. She has been having trouble with her ears for some time.

A representative of Reed's crape paper was in Dimmitt a few days back and offered to give every woman of Castro county who wishes it a book on making paper flowers or paper costumes. Leave your order with Dimmitt Drug company. No charge.

Mesdames Edwin Ramey, Will Wright, E. B. Boren and E. B. Wright attended the Eighth District meeting of the Parent-Teachers and Mothers Congress held at Canyon, the 26th, 27th and 28th. They came back very enthusiastic for the Dimmitt association to accomplish far greater things this next year than she has ever known in the past. There were two national officers, one state officer, and seven district officers present, all giving their fine talks. There

were probably 200 officers, delegates and visitors in attendance. If all the members of the association of Dimmitt could have attended we feel that they would see the indifference they are showing towards the organization and how much it means to the school and community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Howard and M. R. Avery were at Frio last Saturday night.

The Ladies Aid met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. E. B. Wright with twelve members and two visitors present. Mrs. W. T. Gollehon was leader for the afternoon and great interest was shown throughout the lesson. During the social hour a salad course was served. The next meeting which will be May 6, will be with Mrs. B. D. Woodlee.

Mrs. J. H. Hacker of Summerfield, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tom Sparks.

District court under Judge Joiner, completed all business and adjourned here April 27th.

The grand jury found two bills which will come up for trial later.

The following civil cases were disposed of: Joe Mitchell vs. Allie-Chalmers Mfg. Co.; a damage suit was continued; G. B. Warren vs. A. P. Curtis et al.; a foreclosure, continued; Mary E. Talister et al. vs. Edward Erskin et al, a suit for clear title; judgment in favor of plaintiff.

J. C. Hooper vs. J. L. Overall et ux, suit on note; judgment for plaintiff, Claude P. Hamilton vs. B. F. Gregory et al, suit to clear title; judgment granted it. In the suit of Herman Becker vs. Joe Thome et al, plaintiff won. Winnie Cunningham and husband vs. J. B. Walker, a suit for foreclosure and possession. Plaintiff's pleas granted.

At the Priscilla Art club that met with Mrs. J. M. Birdwell last Friday afternoon, a delightful time was spent but very little needlework done. Refreshments consisting of punch and cake were served to the following: Mesdames H. E. Rantz, J. C. Howard, J. C. Tate, J. W. Bell, J. D. Duree, Jr., J. E. Turner, N. G. Jackson, B. D. Woodlee, T. W. Malone, E. B. Wright, W. T. Gollehon, I. B. Brooks, J. W. Webb, Tom Tate, C. G. Maples, Tom Sparks and Carlos Reynolds.

Mrs. J. M. Wright of Shallow Water is visiting in the homes of her sons W. A. and E. B. this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Woolee visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reeves in Tulla on Sunday, April 25th.

Rev. H. K. Monroe of Summerfield attended church here last Wednesday.

The members of the Senior class motored to Spring Lake last Saturday and presented their Senior play, "Mr. Bob" to a large and appreciated audience. Those who went with them say it was fine and that they all did well. We are very anxious to know when they will give it here. Those in the play are, Misses Velma Burnam, Loma Woodburn, Myrtle Baker, Ola Brashears and Ethel Roberts; Messrs. R. B. Carnes and Howard Morris. The people who went with them were, Bill Burnam and daughter,

Frankie J. W. Carson, Walter Simmons, Jack Gregory, Misses Christine Fuller, Joe Parks, Maurine Smith, Mrs. Bruce McLean and sons Kenneth and Charlie; also Miss Dora Baker.

Jim Maynard says it is fine to live in a new home all your own.

Mrs. Edgar Ramey is visiting in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones of Flagge, were in Dimmitt last Saturday.

Norma Cowsert, Johnnie Beth Tate and Elizabeth O'Neill, are on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Howard and son visited relatives in Lockney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sparks are rejoicing over the arrival of a boy in their home on May 4th, named Eugene.

Charlie and Floyd Bauegard from Chillicothe are improving three quarter sections of land four and a half miles south of Dimmitt.

Mr. Bauegard plans to move his family here in the fall.

Bill Burnam and daughter, Miss Frankie, and Misses Christine Fuller, Joe Parks and Maurine Smith, were

in Earth last Saturday afternoon. Kenneth Turner and Mrs. Edna Tate motored to Hereford last Saturday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. H. K. Mocroe and daughter of Summerfield, visited in the M. R. Avery home last Sunday.

BOY SCOUT NOTICE

The magazines so generously donated by our banks to the scouts for half-a-year are being eagerly read by those who are getting them. The Boys' Life is the very best magazine for boys on the market. It is published by the Scout Movement. The May number is now ready for distribution

at the banks. Troup No. 1, Mr. A. G. Bell, scoutmaster, will get theirs this month at First State bank; Troup No. 2, Mr. Jas. E. Black, scoutmaster, at First National bank, and Troup No. 3, Mr. E. W. Harris, scoutmaster, at Western National bank. Your reading committee think that few things are more important to the scouts than that they get the magazines promptly and read every line of reading. Even the advertisements are interesting.

Reading committee of Hereford Scouts, W. R. Hill, chairman.

If it's anything in Feed or Seed we have it. JONES & McLEAN.

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THANK YOU, FRIENDS

—for your kindness and your patronage of our GROCERY DEPARTMENT over the past years. We have closed our this department of our business, but we feel that we owe you our sincere thanks for the cordial and profitable relations you have permitted us to enjoy with you.

While we are closing out our Grocery Department, we are doing so only to obtain additional room for our DRY GOODS and MEN'S FURNISHINGS store. We are enlarging our spaces for this stock, and hope you will come and see us and participate in the big Savings we have for our customers.

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These prices will be withdrawn in a short time. We suggest you act **now** while the sale lasts:

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9-4 bleached Sheeting, guaranteed full width,

Special for 44c

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Special for 48c yd.

Special

12 yards L. L. Sheeting, 36 inches wide,

For \$1.00

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36 inch Rayon, beautiful Spring designs, in both plain and floral patterns, regular price \$1.25.

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Special

27 inch Ginghams in plaids and stripes, regular 25c grade,

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This is not an ordinary cheap gingham—One of the Best We Have.

Ginghams

32 inch Ginghams, regular 25c grades,

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Belle of the South bleached Domestic, soft finish, free from starch, regular 25c grade,

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Ladies' Slipper No. 9510

Patent one strap, low heel

Spring Opening Sale \$3.45

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Chocolate Glove Plain Toe Work Shoe, guaranteed to give satisfaction in wear.

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A bumper wheat crop is in prospect for the Hereford country, according to those who have inspected the fields around here, and the harvest is expected to be earlier this year than it has been for a number of years.

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E. W. Harrison is rushing construction of his new 50,000 bushel capacity elevator in order to take care of the wheat crop.

Arney Items

Mr. Lenn Bracher was taken to the sanitarium at Lubbock last Monday to undergo an operation for appendicitis. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sims were pleasant business callers in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. John Bowman one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Fortner spent last Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Lindsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Campbell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boyd last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cole were in Nazareth last Sunday afternoon.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Hendrix had a big dinner for their children, each one and their families were present with the exception of their son Bill. Those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Nobles and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fox and sons, Carl and Hue; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scowin and small daughter, Sylvia Ruth, and Miss Cubbie Hendrix.

Messrs. J. E. Davis and C. E. Burks were pleasant business callers at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boyd Monday afternoon.

Messrs. Harry Derk, Henry Dixon, J. E. Drewry, J. E. Davis and F. W. Fortner, were transacting business in Dimmitt last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cole were in Nazareth last Sunday.

Last Sunday night a large crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hammon for a singing. All who were present enjoyed the whole evening.

We are glad to say there was a good attendance at Sunday school last Sunday. Everybody come next Sunday and bring some one with you. You need the Sunday school, and the Sunday school needs you. Remember the hour, 10 o'clock.

Summerfield

The farmers have all been very busy the past week. Several have been planting while some have not begun.

Summerfield was sure enough on the map last Friday night when the school auditorium was filled to the brim, nearly when the play, entitled, "Home Ties," was staged by the P. T. A. It was indeed a treat to all who attended, the crowd was kept in a laughter all of the time. Dimmitt, Frio, Frio, Hereford and Black, were well represented there. The proceeds will go on the library for the school.

Sunday school met on time Sunday with a large crowd present. If you live in our community and do not go to Sunday school our church welcomes you. Come! We need you, and want you to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kendall and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Waiser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ky Lawrence and daughter, Beatrice, took dinner Sunday in the Lee Kendall home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lance spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Waiser in Hereford.

Mrs. Lawrence Johnson spent last week in Canyon with her son, Elton.

Mr. D. S. Brunton, son Major and daughter, Nell, made a business trip to Canyon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulkerson, and Misses Neddie and Ida Bagdale of Frio were visitors at Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lance spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Waiser in Hereford.

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The West Texas Chamber of Commerce sends out the following warning: "We have this day received a telegram from one of the largest chambers of commerce in West Texas advising that a certain party is going over West Texas representing himself as being a representative of a large concern in Dallas which makes a specialty of doctoring trees. Our information is that this party does not represent this Dallas concern, and that where he has been he has killed many trees rather than helping the trees. Our suggestion is that if any party comes to see you with reference to tree work that you thoroughly investigate before making any deal with him."

North East Corner (Fairview-Union Schools)

A social was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Harper last Saturday night. About thirty of the citizens were present and each one seemed to enjoy the evening exceedingly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McClain and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oglesby and family visited Sunday in the Bowen home.

Miss Dovie McBroom is visiting this week with her cousin, Viola Thomas near Ford school house.

Nineteen friends and relatives gathered in the home of J. C. Allred and family Sunday.

Mrs. John Davis was on the sick list this week.

G. B. Combs and daughter, Ruby and Janette of Canyon, were visitors in our community Sunday. Miss Jarnagin visited last week with her sister, Mrs. John Boling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Floyd and daughter, Mildred, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniel and daughter, Loraine, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Floyd who recently moved into our community from California.

Mr. Reiny Harper left our community this week to begin work in Amarillo.

Mrs. W. G. Renison has been ill this week, we hope that she will soon recover.

There was one hundred and twelve present at the Palo Duro Sunday school last Sunday morning. We are glad indeed to have some join that have not been coming. We are also glad to see others taking part in the B. Y. P. U.

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All lovers of song will be delighted to learn of the big sing-song which will take place at the Ward school nine miles northwest of Hereford, Sunday, May 9, beginning at 10 o'clock.

The people of the Ford community have called for the convention and will in their usual hospitable manner entertain the people and make them feel welcome. Because of inadequate room, the Ford people have accepted the gracious invitation from the Ward community to hold the convention in their new school building.

The Clovis quartet will be there strong and many other singers from adjoining counties are expected.

The basket dinner will be a big feature of the day.

The program appears in this issue of the Brand.

Program

Opening song—Mrs. Marel.
 Scripture—Mr. Marel.
 Invocation—Mrs. Parks.
 Song—Led by Mrs. Higgins.
 Song—Led by Mrs. Bowman.
 Song—Led by Mr. Powell.
 Duet—Arranged by Mrs. Luck.
 Song—Led by Mr. Garrett.
 Song—Led by Mr. Reeves.
 Song—Led by Fred Caldwell.
 Song—Led by Mr. Hatcher.
 Song—Led by Miss Nolen.
 Quartette—Wyche.
 Song—Led by Hardy Thomas.
 Song—Led by Mrs. Jeff Roberson.
 Quartette—Progressive.
 Song—Led by Mr. Manigan.
 Song—Led by Mrs. Vaughn.
 Song—Led by L. A. Smith.
 Address—"Welcome"—J. E. Hill.

Noon

Opening song—President.
 Song—Led by Mr. Southern.
 Song—Led by Mr. Franklin.
 Song—Led by Unus Caldwell.
 Clovis quartette.

Business Session

Class songs.
 Junior songs.
 Song—Led by Johnny M. Taylor.
 Roberson quartette.
 Song—Led by W. S. Dixon.
 Duet—Misses Smith.
 Song—Led by L. F. Boyd.
 Song—Led by C. C. Bowman.

Musi and Jeff quartette.
 Song—Led by Bob Knox.
 Quartette—West Way.
 Song—Led by Bill Knox.
 Song—Led by Edura Smith.
 Galliban quartette.
 Song—Led by Mr. Golley.
 Song—Led by W. A. Knox.
 Quartette—Ward.
 Double quartette—Palo Duro.
 Quartette—Arranged by Mrs. Wiley Roberson.
 Male quartette—Arranged by Ollie Dixon.
 Closing song—John F. Taylor.

Dawn School Notes

Laverne Sherbit and Albera Toye are on the sick list this week. We hope they will be able to return to school soon.

A large crowd of people, young and old, enjoyed the party given at the Stice home Saturday night. Games were played until a late hour. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. A. T. Trye and Gladys and Mignon Greer were in Hereford Saturday. Mignon Greer spent Saturday with her grandmother, Mrs. F. I. Greer, returning Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bennett.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Glenn Greer is improving rapidly. He will be absent from school some time, however.

The Mayfield children have been absent from school for some time. They have been helping with the threshing.

Mr. Alvis Erdman and family, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Straub Sunday.

Little Buster Greer spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday with his parents in Hereford.

Ruby Harris spent Sunday night with Margaret Benge.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and children, and Mrs. S. F. Benge and daughter, Margaret, were guests in the B. F. Stice home Sunday night.

Misses Ethel Harris and Agnes Moore of Canyon, spent the week-end with Miss Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Helman visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sunday.

Anna Marie and Romana Straub spent Monday night with their friends Ruby and Lois Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith made a business trip to Hereford Monday.

Mrs. McCarty and little daughter, left Sunday for their home in Amarillo, after several days visit with her mother, Mrs. Baird.

Miss Carrie Mae Harris returned home Monday. She finished her school at Frio Friday night.

Mrs. Ed Money called on Mrs. W. L. Harris Friday.

Joel

Rain, rain and more rain! Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Rice were callers at the Geo. Conklin home on last Tuesday.

On last Thursday the following people from Hereford came out and spent the day with Grandma Childs at the C. P. Galley home: Rev. Ross and wife, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. U. G. Ross, Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. Arch Conklin and son, Ben and Dan, and Mrs. Bodkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Stice gave an ice cream supper Saturday night which was enjoyed by a number of people.

The community get-together meeting sponsored by our county agent, Mr. Dunkle, was well attended and the program was good and very instructive.

Mr. and Mrs. John Renfro spent the day Sunday at the W. T. Smith home.

The following people were dinner guests Sunday at the Walter Linden home: Mr. and Mrs. Boyd London and son Jack, Miss Mildred McClary, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cloyd, and two daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Curtisinger and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Renfro.

Friday Mrs. Lester Galley entertained Grandmother Childs, Mrs. Ed Butts, Mrs. W. T. Smith, Mrs. Guy Smith and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Galley. Mrs. Rex Tynes came for her daughter, Theima and spent a few minutes visiting while a tire was being repaired.

John Purcell and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Minnie Walker.

Rev. J. Bozarth was accompanied Sunday by his wife and three young sons. We hope they come again when Rev. Bozarth comes to preach.

Mrs. Minnie Walker went to Canyon one day last week with her brother, Henry and wife.

Mrs. Margaret Childs left Monday for her home in Traer, Iowa, after a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Galley.

We were glad to hear from some of the neighbors who have had a letter from the Wm. Negelins, that they arrived safely and so far, are well pleased with their new home. The hills of that country are quite a contrast to the plains.

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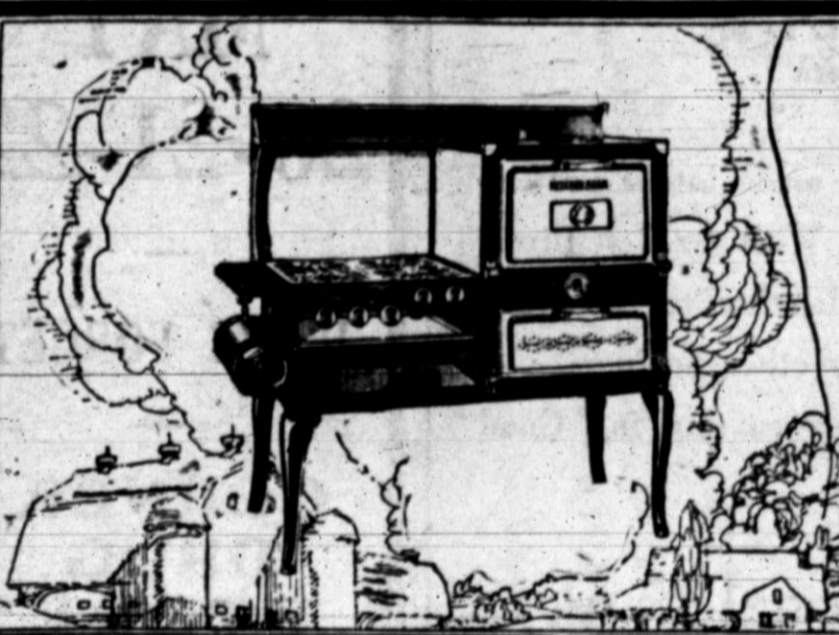
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Personalographs

C. W. Humble left Friday with his vocational agriculture class for a week end camping trip, to Blue Springs on the Canadian river north of here. The camping trip has come to be an annual affair with the Aggie students of the Hereford high school. They will probably return Monday.

The T. E. L. Sunday school class will have a bake sale of cakes and dressed hens at Carlyle's Grocery Saturday, May 8.

H. C. Mahoney of San Diego, California, former Hereford citizen, father-in-law of Walter Lupton, another former citizen, has been here this week on business. He has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Keller.

Elmer Patterson and Bill Knox motored to Plainview, Lockney and Floydada Sunday, returning Sunday evening.

Mrs. G. R. Ward and daughter, Miss Ruby Ward, were in Amarillo a few days last week on business.

Miss Gwendylone Price arrived home Tuesday evening from San Francisco where she has been attending Sane-Stanford, university hospital during the winter months. Miss Price expects to return after a two weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Price Slayton and friends in Hereford.

Send your cleaning and pressing to Orr's Tailor Shop and get Double Green Stamps.

Miss Edna Robertson of Farwell, was a week-end visitor with Miss Viola Carpenter, who is located with the First State Bank and Trust company.

Miss Eva Skelton who is teaching in Farwell this winter, was in Hereford Saturday morning with her sister, Miss Grace Skelton, going to Canyon Saturday afternoon where she spent Sunday with friends.

Mrs. R. K. Bruner spent the week-end in Amarillo with her sister.

Little Miss Dorothy Snodgrass, of Amarillo, was in Hereford last week visiting in the R. K. Bruner home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Curtis and Mrs. Roy Jackson were in Amarillo Tuesday shopping.

Harold Hicks returned Saturday to his school in Dallas for the remainder of the term. Mr. Hicks came home several weeks ago in order to help his father, W. E. Hicks in transferring his ranch and cattle.

Wes Anthony of the Anthony Furniture and Variety Store, was at market last week in Wichita, Kansas.

J. B. Elliston left Tuesday for Dallas on a two weeks business trip.

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Mrs. J. A. Grimes returned to her home in Amarillo Monday afternoon after spending the week end in Hereford with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark. Mr. Grimes was also in Hereford for Sunday, returning Sunday evening to Amarillo.

Mrs. M. A. Fox who has been seriously ill, is much improved this week and her children and relatives who were here have returned home, including Mr. and Mrs. Fox and H. C. Fox of Waxahachie, who returned home Sunday, Mrs. J. H. Galbraith, Mrs. Fox's sister, of Corsicana, who left Sunday, and Mrs. G. S. Webber of Brownfield, daughter of Mrs. Fox, left Monday.

Glenn Greer, who had a close call last week with blood poisoning in his hand, caused by a small splinter, was about town Wednesday, with his arm in a sling and a weak and wobbly look about him. He was cheerful, however, and declared he was "hitting on all four."

Miss Victoria Wilson was in Amarillo Tuesday afternoon.

J. E. Hill was in Amarillo Monday on business.

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Miss Georgia Roberson who is attending school in Canyon this winter, was in Hereford for the week-end with her parents and friends.

Mrs. Henry Gooch of Amarillo, was in Hereford this week visiting the home of Mrs. Dow Mercer and Mrs. P. W. Price. She returned to Amarillo Wednesday.

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Oscar Womack of Amarillo was in Hereford for the week end with his father and friends. Oscar is employed with the Santa Fe offices in the general managers office.

Oysters shells, \$1.25 per hundred, for cash only, Saturday, May 8.—Jones & McLean Grain Co.

Van Bruner who is studying pharmacy in Fort Worth, leaves Saturday for Galveston for examinations. Van was located with the Clark Drug store when in Hereford.

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PIANO RECITAL
Miss Desale Mae Steeg will present a group of piano pupils in recital at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, May 11, at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.
L. P. Schch, cotton breeder of Littlefield, was here Monday on business. Mr. Schch is the man who has furnished a lot of Mebane seed for test in this county in the past and now has 1,000 acres in cultivation at Littlefield. He has organized the planters there and is preparing to peddle Plains seed for distribution later on when the seed is acclimated and proven in this territory.

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Miss Doll Mergert, daughter of Mrs. W. M. Mergert, left Saturday for Wellington, Texas, where she will spend the summer with relatives.

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