

HEREFORD REPORTER

Said a Prospector: "This Country is the Finest I Have Ever Seen"

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HEREFORD, DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS, AUGUST 9, 1901

\$1.50 PER YEAR

ON AUGUST 10TH

We will commence closing out

AT ^{AND} BELOW ACTUAL COST

OUR ENTIRE LINE OF
Ladies' and Children's Slippers, Ox-
fords, Fedora Ties, Sandals, Con-
gress and other styles

Notice below the Big Reduction in Prices

	Regular Price	Closing-Out Price
Fedora Ties	\$2.50	\$1.54
Kid Jones Ox, with rubber	2.50	1.54
Society, 2-button Sandal	2.00	1.21
Oxfords, old ladies' comfort	1.50	1.03
H. & B., soft kid Oxford	2.00	1.21
Child's Sandals, Fedora Ties, black and tan	.75	.61
" " " "	1.25	.94
" " " "	1.50	1.06

As we have only a small quantity left of each style you had better come early if you want to get part of these bargains

SMITH, WALKER & CO.

The Leaders and Leading General
Merchandise House in the Panhandle

DIMMITT SQUIBS

Happenings in the Busy Castro
County Seat Briefly Told
EDITED BY AN UNKNOWN

Beach & Kerr are getting in lum-
ber for their stands on the 14th.

Judge C. F. Kerr and J. E.
Turner paid Hereford a flying trip
Wednesday on business.

J. M. Burrows, Nobler Brothers'
drummer, of Amarillo, paid Dim-
mitt a flying trip this week.

The tournament grounds are being
laid off now for the 14th as the boys
are eager for practice.

A good number of prospectors are
looking over the country now and
some are buying. Mr. Guthrie sold
his ranch consisting of three sections
this past week. Consideration \$2600.

We are all expecting a grand
time here the coming 14th. We are
going to have a barbecue and picnic,
also a grand ball that night. Every
body is invited to come and bring
their baskets well filled with goodies.
Remember the day, Aug. 14, 1901.

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FINE WINES, WHISKEYS AND CIGARS

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Regular Meals
at the usual hours

Short Orders
a Specialty...

Special Rates to Regular Boarders

HEREFORD

TEXAS

Miss Hester Bell, who has been
attending the Summer Normal at
Plainview, is expected home this
week.

Jeff Gilbreath returned last week
from Tennessee with his bride. We
are all pleased to know that Jeff is
settled in our midst.

H. K. Baughn, one of Lamb
county's most prosperous stock farm-
ers, passed through our town Mon-
day en route to Hereford. Mr.
Baughn is looking after improve-
ments for his ranch.

John E. Boyce, ex-sheriff of Cas-
tro county, who resides in New
Mexico near Clayton, is mingling
with his many friends in our county
and also looking after his cattle in-
terests. He expects to remain un-
til after the 14th.

Remember August, the 10th, at
Smith, Walker & Co.'s. 25-11

PORTALES NEWS

Items of Interest in the Busy
New Mexico Town

EDITED BY MISS LULA HARDIN

Ernest Hardin returned to the
new railroad Tuesday.

Mrs. Carter is spending the week
with her sister who is living at the
VVN ranch.

Mrs. W. D. Allison and Miss
Stella Seymour spent a few days at
the Lewis ranch this week.

Mrs. Chas. Woodcock and sister
Miss Eva Cary and Miss Bessie
Lang spent a few days this week at
the Lewis Bros' ranch.

Do You Want Them?

You can get the REPORTER and
the Dallas Semi-Weekly News for
one year at \$2.25.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Comments on Current Events in the Busy Outside World.

Mr. Bryan had no difficulty in recognizing Hanna's hand in that alleged democratic vote in Ohio.

Secretary Long didn't muzzle the naval officers until the supply of anti-Schley abuse had been exhausted.

Teddy is now figuring in the society column instead of the political column; he has gone on a yachting cruise with a wealthy friend.

Minister Wu is said to have shown a discriminating taste in his selection of girls to flirt with during his recent stay at Atlantic City. His wife is in China.

It is said that the principal reason for "Joe" Cannon's hesitation about entering the Illinois senatorial scramble is that he has never been able to get his turn-loose faculty to work freely.

Truly, "the other side" of the picture was presented by the arrival of the transport Meade at San Francisco from Manilla, with the fifty insane soldiers and thirty-five consumptives. Such is the price we pay for imperialism.

Here is a picture of Mr. McKinley drawn by Alfred Henry Lewis, the author and newspaper man: McKinley is the middle size of man. He is passive; he is acted upon and does not act. He is prudent of himself; nor oversensitive. He strikes poses and becomes a picture. He shrinks from the new. He sees nothing that is not seen, hears nothing that is not heard, finds nothing that has not been found, says nothing that not been said, thinks nothing that has not been thought, knows nothing that has not been known, does nothing that has not been done and would neither eat nor breathe were there not a precedent for each.

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I have had fifteen years' experience in the Boot and Shoe business and guarantee all my work.

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Your Patronage
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**Paints, Oils, Glass, Varnishes and
Painters' Supplies**

**Our Stock of Lumber is Complete
and Second to None in the Panhandle**

Germany seems to have raised a crop of fake financiers which make ours look like very small potatoes.

Nevertheless and notwithstanding the claim of Secretary Hitchcock, the land pirates did get in their work in the land lottery in Oklahoma.

It is not surprising that the British War Office should object to the publication of the truth about South Africa by enterprising English newspapers.

The public would take more stock in the Navy Department's professed fairness toward Admiral Schley if the blackguard Maclay was still not on its pay roll.

The Chicago preacher who said that men would be scarce in heaven must have an idea that heaven is something on the order of a swell summer resort.

The British government ought to know that making the censorship of news from South Africa more strict will only convince the world that there is bad news to be suppressed.

Hanna will be in charge of the loop—the loop that will be rigged up for the use of the candidates for the republican Presidential nomination.

Agents for the bond holders are handling the gate money at the Buffalo Exposition and will continue to do so until the construction mortgage is paid.

Just to show how greedy the Filipinos are to accept what the administration offers them, the civil government has been suspended in four provinces and the shooting resumed. Yet are those who do not believe the Filipinos will ever adopt William McKinley for a patron saint.

Rev. Harry Jones, chaplain of the battleship Texas, thus disposed of a lie: "I have been charged with endorsing the writer, Maclay. I have never even heard of him until I read of him in the newspapers and I never saw him in my life. I do not approve of Mr. Maclay's work." That's the way the lies against Schley will be disposed of when the evidence is all in.

Admiral Cervera, commander of the Spanish fleet which was destroyed off Santiago, says "Admiral Schley showed ability and thoroughness." It cannot be denied that Cervera was in a position to know.

Dr. Talmage has published a sermon to prove that seven is a sacred and blessed number but it will hardly be convincing to unsecured creditors of the Seventh National Bank, of New York, nor to the gang which wrecked that institution in their effort to get rich quick by using other people's money.

Once more the Civil Service Reform League! It has discovered that the object of the civil service law is being defeated by "special" appointments, and it naively asks that congress put a stop to the practice when everybody knows that the republican bosses in Congress are mainly responsible for the practice.

Dental Notice.

On or about the 10th of August I will be at the Richey House to attend to the dental needs of my patrons.

22tf W. E. ROBERTSON.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

E. W. TINSLEY, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office in the new Dale Building
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Special attention given to Catarrh
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WITHERSPOON & GOUGH
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
NOTARY IN OFFICE
Office next door to Bank
Hereford - - - - Texas

DR. CLAUDE WOLCOTT
EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT
SPECIALIST
Eye and Ear Surgeon to St. Anthony Sanitorium
AMARILLO - - - - TEXAS

POETIC JUSTICE.

How a New Jersey Girl Served Her Lover for His Cruelty to Animals.

A Jerseyman who went out for a pleasure drive with his sweetheart not long ago received a needed though rather severe lesson on the necessity of being humane to animals in this day and generation. It was a very hot day and when the drive was about half over the horse became balky. The driver thereupon lost his temper and gave the horse an unmerciful beating. Then the trouble began. A constable saw him and promptly arrested him for cruelty to animals. He being unable to pay the money, his companion settled the fine for him. Then she went home and wrote him a note in which she said:

"When a man will so brutally beat a horse and so easily lose his temper, a woman marrying him would take the chance of the same treatment." In the rest of the letter she released him from the engagement.

Most people will be of the opinion that the young lady in question did exactly what was right and that she was fortunate in discovering the disposition of her fiance before instead of after marriage. Insensibility to the pain of another is not a trait which is particularly desirable in either a husband or wife. While of course, it is not to be inferred that every man who beats his horse will beat his wife, cruelty to animals so vitiates the moral nature that those perceptions upon which a sense of justice depends are blunted. The intimacy of marriage is so close that happiness can only exist where there is mutual forbearance together with a certain sensitiveness to the feelings of others. The man who does not possess this sensitiveness may not be actually cruel to either wife or children, so far as physical maltreatment is concerned, but he will say and do things which are quite as brutal as a blow with a whip would be. There are a dozen considerations which are likely to restrain him in wife beating—the opinion of his neighbors, custom, fear that his wife may invoke the law, fear of retaliation by her rela-

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We carry the largest and best supply of Lumber to be found in this section of the country. Give us a trial order
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THE HEREFORD MEAT MARKET
Are Furnishing Corn Fed Meats of All Kinds
Poultry, Eggs and Fresh Country Butter on ice, also Bread.
Free Delivery.

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Children's Hair Cutting
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Everything New,
Neat and Clean.

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GOOD SADDLERS GENTLE DRIVERS
Passengers Carried to All Points at Reasonable Rates
Special Conveniences for Drummers' Trade
-HEREFORD - TEXAS

tives or merely the fact that it is not usual for American husbands to express their sentiments in that way. But if his nature is essentially cruel he will find ways to torture those dependent upon him which are worse than any physical pain. The true test of a man's character is not to be found in his actions when he is restrained by public sentiment or fear of consequences. He is his real self when he is free to act, to indulge meanness, or passion, or cruelty toward some creature which can't retaliate and has no means of defense. The Jerseyman who is the unenviable hero of the above recorded was subjected to this test and apparently failed. He may have had an idea that by his lack of consideration for his horse he was showing a manly and stern strength of character which would impress the girl in the seat beside him. Some men have an idea that women rather admire those capable of cruelty. These men are trying to fit sixteenth century ideas into twentieth century civilization. It can't be done. It is true that women admire a brave man and often the man in question is a soldier or hunter but there is a very fine distinction between the brave man and the man who is ever ready to inflict pain. What the modern girl sees to admire in the soldier is not his willingness to shoot other men but his willingness to be shot himself; not his murderous impulses but his sacrifice of personal safety. The kind of woman who would like a man better after seeing him act cruelly toward a helpless animal is not fit for a civilized country

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WEDDING BELLS

Ring Merrily For Two of Hereford's Most Popular Young People.

Last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock occurred the marriage of S. H. Morris and Miss Bertie Ivy at the residence of the officiating pastor, Rev. N. B. Bennett.

Mr. Morris is the efficient and gentlemanly bookkeeper at Smith, Walker & Co.'s large establishment at this place, while the bride is the charming and popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hord of North Draw, and both have a host of admiring friends who will join with the REPORTER in wishing for them a long life of happiness.

At present the happy young couple are partaking of the hospitality of Mrs. Buster, but will soon enter upon that most delightful of undertakings to the newly married—that of housekeeping.

BENNETT RANCH SOLD

To W. B. Robinson of Gainesville Who Will take possession October 1st.

Rev. N. B. Bennett on Saturday sold his ranch property, situated about twenty miles northwest of Hereford and containing 2560 acres in title and a large tract of open range adjoining, to W. B. Robinson of Gainesville, the consideration being \$1500.

This is one of the most desirable ranch properties in this section of the country and Mr. Robinson is to be congratulated upon his purchase. He will stock his newly acquired ranch with fine cattle and otherwise improve the place.

Mr. Robinson will move his family to Hereford in the near future so that his children may take advantage of the excellent school facilities here. Before returning to Gainesville he paid this office a visit and ordered the REPORTER sent to him.

Remember August, the 10th, at Smith, Walker & Co.'s. 25-11

Board and Room Wanted.

Wanted—By a young gentleman, board and room in a private family. Address lock box 101, stating particulars, terms, etc. 20th

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AMERICAN LAUNDRY

J. B. HARDY, PROPRIETOR.

Ours is a Hand Laundry and you thus have the assurance that your clothes will come back to you in as good condition as they were sent. All work guaranteed. Cleaning and Pressing a specialty.

JIM THOMAS J. P. SNYDER

**THOMAS & SNYDER
Contractors
and Builders**

The Best of Workmanship
a Specialty

Estimates furnished on all classes
of work on short notice

COMING AND GOING.

Movements of People You Know
and Other Items Picked Up
Here and There.

Photo Envelopes at Dr. Gough's.
25tf

Thomas & Snyder, the contractors
and builders, have a new adv. in
this issue.

Mrs. Osborn, the milliner, re-
turned Monday from a week's visit
at Canyon.

Miss Mayme Cochran of Amarillo
came in yesterday and is visiting
her friend, Miss Eva Humphrey.

Your attention is called to the
new adv. of S. B. Feemster, who
represents the Henrietta Marble
Works.

The latest exchange to reach our
table is the Stratford Star, published
at Stratford by Geo. M. Kerr. It
is bright and newsy and we wish it
success.

Dr. E. W. Tinsley has moved his
residence from the Hotel Ritchey
to Wm. Higgin's residence, near
the church, where he will be found
by those wishing his services.

Owing to our being short for
room we have several nice jobs in
A-Grade buggies that we will sell
for less than their value. Call and
examine. D. R. Gass & Son. 21tf

Dr. C. F. Johnston of Fort Worth
came in yesterday. He is here for
a rest and to enjoy the delightful
climate which this country enjoys.
He has opened up a dental office in
the Jones building.

A. L. Service of Canyon, one of
the best mechanics on the plains,
has accepted a position with the
contracting and building firm of
Thomas & Snyder and will hence-
forth make Hereford his home.

GO TO
J. A. JOHNSON
FOR
Turnip Seed
AND

Cheap Groceries

JOE KILLOUGH

Stationery, Books, Cigars and Tobaccos
Confectioneries, Fruit, Cold Drinks

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HEREFORD - TEXAS

W. G. MULLINS

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**MULLINS & BOYD
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We would be pleased to have you list with us your
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We are prepared to write deeds and other convey-
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land, and to pass upon titles. We solicit your patronage.

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FIRST-CLASS
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THE BEST TABLE
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The Humphrey House

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ROBERT HUMPHREY PROPRIETOR

HEREFORD - TEXAS

Having sold the Ice Cream, Confectionery and
Tobacco lines of our business we are now

SELLING AT COST

Our Entire Stock of Groceries

G. E. BURNS & CO.

New goods arriving every week
at Gough's. 25tf

Judge C. F. Kerr and wife of
Dimmitt were registered at the
Humphrey Wednesday.

Dr. R. H. Gough, the druggist,
has a new display adv. in this issue
which it will pay you to peruse.
See also the new local advs.

The very latest in Ladies' and
Children's slippers go at less than
we paid for them in St. Louis. We
Walker & Co. 25-1t

J. O. Lindsey was a pleasant caller
at the REPORTER office Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Morris of Gainesville,
is visiting at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. W. A. Higgins.

H. C. Fox, an expert painter, pa-
perhanger and decorator, will be
pleased to figure with you if you
wish any work in his line. 25tf

The many friends of Miss Eva
Humphrey will be pleased to learn
that she is rapidly recovering from
son's skillful attention.

George L. Muse was in town yes-
terday.

Geo. W. Irwin, Jr., was in from
the ranch yesterday and made this
office a pleasant call. He gave us
an order for a nice lot of fine sta-
tionary.

Al Lindley, representing the
Campbell Bros' consolidated show,
which shows in Amarillo Thursday,
August 22, was in town yesterday
advertising his circus.

Dr. R. M. Johnson has moved his
office from the Dale building to
Gough's drug store where he may
be found in the future by those need-
ing his professional services.

J. L. Underwood, the North Draw
stock farmer, was in town Monday
after supplies. He says that his
crops are in excellent condition,
having had plenty of rain up his way.

H. C. Fox of Corsicana, an ex-
pert painter, paperhanger and dec-
orator, seeing the dire need in Here-
ford for a man of his profession, has
decided to locate in Hereford and
has a local adv. elsewhere in this
issue.

J. P. Collier, a prominent ranch-
man living about forty miles north-
west of town, was a business caller
in town Wednesday. Before return-
ing home yesterday he paid this
office a visit and became a paid-up
subscriber to the REPORTER.

R. H. Hough, the contractor, on
Monday last built for Bounds &
Lipscomb a warehouse in the rear
of their drug store. This was made
necessary on account of their fast
increasing business and the insuffi-
ciency of store room caused thereby.

Ed. F. Connell was a pleasant
visitor in town Wednesday and
Thursday. He says his watermelon
crop will be large enough in a
couple of weeks to supply the town.
The small boy is mourning the fact
that 35 miles lay between him and
said watermelon patch.

R. F. Holloway, the noted educa-
tor and attorney of Cleburne, came
in Monday and will locate here.
Mr. Holloway was here a short
time ago and was so favorably im-
pressed with the climate, country,
Hereford and its bright prospects
that he decided to locate here. His
family will come here in the near
future.

At about 9 o'clock Sunday evening
occured the death of the infant child
of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mills, the
cause of demise being congestion of
the brain. This is the second death
in the Mills family since their com-
ing here and they have the sympathy
of all in their bereavement. The
funeral and interment took place
Monday at 3 p. m.

Henrietta Marble Works
HENRIETTA, TEXAS

**Marble and Granite
Monuments and Statuary**
Iron Fences, Floor Tiling, etc.

S. B. FEEMSTER
RESIDENT AGENT

POSTOFFICE HOURS

General delivery open from 8:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m. Office open Sunday for an hour hour after arrival of train.
L. A. Montgomery, P. M.

P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE

Pass. Train	Arrives	Leaves
No. 2 Northbound	2:12 a. m.	2:13 a. m.
No. 1 Southbound	7:23 a. m.	7:43 a. m.

STAGE TO DIMMITT.

Lv. Hereford at 7:30 a. m. daily ex. Sunday
Ar. Dimmitt at 12:00 m. " "
Lv. Dimmitt at 1:00 p. m. " "
Ar. Hereford at 6:00 p. m. " "

STAGE TO ENDEE

Lv. Hereford Mondays-Fridays at 6 a. m.
Ar. Endee " at 8 p. m.
Lv. Endee Tuesdays-Saturdays at 6 a. m.
Ar. Hereford " at 8 p. m.

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Happenings in Our Busy County Seat Briefly Told.

Buy jewelry at Gough's. 25tf
A good house for rent. See Troy Womble. 23tf
Rat Jowell was a business caller in town Wednesday.
Remember August, the 10th, at Smith, Walker & Co.'s. 25-1t
Mrs. J. H. Harris left Saturday for a visit among Eastern Texas friends.
Call and see J. M. McGlothlin for nice residence lots, south front. 13tf
J. H. Head, a prominent Castro county ranchman, was a pleasant visitor at this office Monday.
If you don't want to cuss Adam buy the Deering Machine and be happy. D. R. Gass & Son. 21tf
Our stock is complete in every particular. 1x6x16 rough fencing in stock at all times.
Hereford Lumber Co. 24 2t

R. R. Harris, a prominent ranchman living about ten miles from town was a pleasant visitor at this office Monday and became a paid-up subscriber to the REPORTER.

DR. R. H. GOUGH

DEALER IN

Pure Drugs, Druggist Sundries, Stationery and School Supplies

Prescriptions Compounded by a Registered Druggist

CLEAN STORE STOCK COMPLETE

O. F. SMITH

Prescription Clerk and Manager

Choice candies at Gough's. 25tf

We have some men's and boys' clothing, hats and shoes for sale at cost. W. W. Meeks. 12tf

Rev. H. M. Bandy and granddaughter left Monday morning for Carlsbad, New Mexico.

I have three acres, centrally located which I would like to sell—wholly or in part. W. H. Robinson. 14tf

Geo. R. Hay, the Dimmitt sheepman and capitalist, was in town this week looking after his business interests here.

One counter full of bargains in Ladies' and Children's slippers, all styles, to be sold below cost at Smith, Walker & Co.'s. 25-1t

See the mammoth jack at Hinton & May's stable. Will be here until the 15th of August. Five dollars for service and two dollars for return. Hinton & May. 21-4t

Bailey English of Archer City visited at the ranch of his brothers, Wallace and Robert, over Sunday. Mr. English is very much pleased with this country and its prospects.

Killough has the finest soda fountain in town. Call on him for all kinds of cold drinks; he has the very latest in everything. Ice Cream Parlor is always at your service. 18tf

Mrs. C. O. Leach and children, who have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Humphrey for some time past, returned Monday to their home at Portales, New Mexico.

On August 10th we will commence selling below cost our entire stock of Children and Ladies' slippers, Oxfords, Fedoras, Ties, toe slippers, sandals, Congress, etc. Smith, Walker & Co. 25-1t

Robert Martin left Tuesday for Lawton, Okla., to meet his father, Asa Martin. The many friends of latter will be pleased to learn that he was fortunate enough to draw a good claim in the Kiowa land lottery at that point.

Attention—We have just received a large assortment of sundries and toilet articles—consisting of the best toilet soaps, combs, tooth brushes, ladies' purses and a beautiful line of box papers. Yours, 22tf Bounds & Lipscomb.

H. C. Fox of Corsicana came in Sunday morning from Mangum, O. T., where he was employed on some special jobs as a paperhanger and decorator. Mr. Fox is a brother of our townsman, J. A. Fox, and will put the finishing touches on the latter's new residence on Lee avenue.

Go to Gough's for drugs. 18tf

John A. Johnson, the grocer, has a new display adv. in this issue

Mrs. H. G. Tucker and children returned home Sunday after having spent a week among Canyon friends.

Attorney Will Boyce and wife of Amarillo came in Tuesday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. E. Ferguson.

R. N. Mounts and family were in town Monday. Before leaving Mr. Mounts called at this office for the fine stationary he had previously ordered.

You may miss everything else, but be sure to attend the closing-out sale of Ladies' and Children's slippers, commencing August 10th at Smith, Walker & Co.'s. 25-1t

L. H. Hunter of Joshua is visiting his sister, Mrs. T. J. Beaver. Mr. Hunter was a hardware merchant of Joshua and his store was burned up during the recent fire at that place.

Brown Douglass, the wellknown Cleburne banker, was here Monday looking into the prospects of this town. It is understood that he is so well pleased as to contemplate investing in Hereford.

Your attention is called to the fact that D. R. Gass & Son give a three years' guarantee on all wagons bought of them. Through an error on our part their advertisement to that effect read one year instead of three.

J. M. McGlothlin and family left Tuesday for a two weeks' outing at the home of Rev. N. B. Bennett and on the Canadian river. Before leaving Mr. McGlothlin purchased one of those fine Thistle bicycles, with which to spin over the country.

Remember that this is a progressive age and when you are gulled into buying an old gone-out-of-date wagon when you can buy the best wagon on earth with a three years' guarantee on it that you are not in the swim. We sell them. D. R. Gass & Son. 21tf

Your Banking?

No matter how small,
No matter how large,

THE HEREFORD NATIONAL BANK

will give it careful attention.

Leave us your valuable papers for safe keeping in our

FIRE PROOF VAULT

Interest paid on time deposits

OFFICERS

JNO. E. FERGUSON	President
F. J. CLINKINBEARD	Cashier
F. M. AVIS	Vice-President

Base ball supplies at Gough's. 25tf

All who are in need of binders twine can find the best in town at D. R. Gass & Son's. 17tf

Claude Gass and wife returned last week from a several weeks' trip to the lower country.

J. C. Cox, a prominent Tierra Blanco cattleman, accompanied by his wife, were in town Saturday after supplies.

J. W. Johnson of Dallas came in Wednesday and is visiting his brother, Dr. R. M. Johnson, and enjoying the health-giving properties of this sublime climate.

BOUNDS & LIPSCOMB
DEALERS IN
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On Monday last a co-partnership was formed between Jim Thomas and J. P. Snyder for the purpose of contracting and building anything in their line, which is in the main, business blocks, residences, ect.

Mr. Thomas has been a resident of Hereford ever since the town started and has to his credit the building of most of the best buildings in the town, which speaks for his ability as a builder. His partner, Mr. Snyder, has been here only about four months, but during that time has proved himself a mechanic of the highest degree and by his gentlemanly conduct and quiet reserve has made many friends and it is with pleasure that we note that he is here to stay. He will move his family here from Modena, Mo., in the near future. That the new firm will get their share of the building, which is constantly being done, is an assured fact as both gentlemen are experts in their line.

Was Trans-
Last Monday.

On Monday last County Court convened with Judge W. B. Boyd on the bench. The case of Hinton vs. Johnson was continued on account of the inability of the legal talent of both sides to be present.



The cases of the State of Texas vs. Fred Mendenhall was brought up. There were seven indictments against the defendant for instigating illegal voting, but upon the first case being called it was found that the State had no attorney and no witnesses, and upon motion of defendant's attorneys, Messrs. Witherspoon & Gough, Judge Boyd charged the jury, composed of Troy Womble, foreman, F. C. Hutchison, James Moore, J. C. Davis, J. M. Hubbard, Rob't Brazil and R. R. Harris, to find the defendant not guilty, which was done.

Judge Boyd then postponed the other six cases until next Saturday, when the State will be represented by attorney R. F. Holloway

Bought Residence Property.

On Thursday W. B. Robinson, who bought Rev. N. B. Bennett's ranch, purchased the fine residence property of J. C. Newman, paying \$825 for the same. We understand that Mr. Newman will immediately commence the erection of a new residence which will be nearer his place of business—that of the Hereford Lumber Company. Mr. Robinson also purchased of Witherspoon & Gough a 20-acre tract adjoining the residence property of Mrs. S. H. McCracken, paying \$200 for same.

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	We come into this world All naked and bare; We go through this life 'Mid sorrow and care; We die and we go, our Friends know not where, But if we WEAR THOROUGHBREDS here We'll be THOROUGHBREDS there.	
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I refer to the following parties for whom I have worked: Jno. Henderson, Ozona, crown and bridge work, \$100; Dr. Elliott, Midland, bridge and crown work, \$112; Jim Kennedy, Canadian, bridge and crown work, \$72; Jas. S. Calloway, bridge and crown work, \$25; Mrs. Jos. Nuckles, bridge and crown work, \$80; Mrs. Will Hall, bridge and crown work, \$25; Isam Williams, bridge and crown work, \$25, all of Chillicothe. Fort Worth references—Mayfield Bros., Dr. J. W. Blake, Dr. R. M. Prothers; Dr. Jesse L. Frazier, dentists; Fort Worth National Bank and others.

Notice.

I will return to Hereford and begin a nine month term of music—beginning Monday, Sept. 9th. Pupils of the public school can have their work thoroughly in hand by that time and commence their study of music. I feel that my work in the Normal Musical Institute has been a great benefit to me and I shall try to give my students the advantage of it. With thanks for past patronage and trusting you will continue same I am
Very respectfully,
WALTER E. RUSH.

Read the large display adv. of Smith, Walker & Co. on the first page of this issue. They are making special bargains in footwear for tomorrow.

Wallace Estell of Dimmitt, came in Wednesday to meet Dr. William Lipscomb and Mr. Estell of Grapevine, who accompanied him to his Castro county ranch.

A. J. Thompson of Gainesville, Cooke county's popular county clerk, came in town last week and is prospecting here. He is so pleased with our delightful climate that he had his wife come up here, she arriving Wednesday.

W. M. Smith, who has a fine ranch near Dimmitt, was in town Wednesday. He says that the refreshing rains with which this country is blessed makes it possible for the farmer to raise anything which can be raised in the northern states.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patton left Sunday for Breckinridge, where the latter will remain during her husband's absence in the eastern markets. Mr. Patton will buy a large stock of goods for the fall and winter trade of the firm of Garner & Patton.

Just as we go to press we were informed of the death of Capt. A. L. Freeman which occurred at Dalhart last Sunday. Mrs. W. W. Meeks received a letter this morning from Mrs. Freeman to that effect. A more extended notice will be published next week.

John Boyd has secured the agency for the "Efficient Vapor Lamp" and has placed one in the Hereford Restaurant and one at Joe Killough's, where the efficiency of the same is demonstrated. They give a bright, clear light and are so far superior to the coal oil lamp that a comparison would be odious.

Geo. H. Culp, a prominent Gainesville attorney, accompanied by his bright little son, Wm., came in Tuesday, leaving the following day for Bell Ranch, N. M., where his mother resides. While here he visited his sister, Mrs. W. T. Fouché, who is stopping at the home of C. H. Harlan.