

# HEREFORD REPORTER

Hereford Will Soon Be the Educational Center of the Plains

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## WE WILL HAVE A COLLEGE.

Mass Meetings Held Monday and  
Tuesday Evenings.

WORKING COMMITTEES APPOINTED.

A College Corporation Will Be Organized and a Board of Trustees Elected at a Meeting to be Held at the Church Next Tuesday Evening—Everybody Requested to Be Present and Take an Interest.

The suggestion in last week's issue of the REPORTER that our citizens make an effort to have a college located at this place caused a heap of talk which resulted in a meeting of the workers for public enterprise held at the church last Monday night.

Judge Gough called the meeting to order and stated the cause of assemblage. It was the unanimous choice of those present that Judge Ferguson preside and that F. L. Vanderburgh act as secretary.

Rev. Randolph Clark was called upon to present his views of the matter and make a statement showing Hereford's advantages as a location for a institution of learning from an experienced school worker's standpoint.

Mr. Clark stated that twenty-eight years ago he with his brother started a private school at Thorp Springs, called Adrian College, which they operated successfully for seventeen years and built up a property worth \$46,000. In 1890 they gave it to the board of trustees of the Christian church, who moved it to Waco for a consideration, where it now is, his brother, Adrian, being in charge. Mr. Clark then leased the buildings at Thorp Springs and continued his school work for some time when the church authorities, finding that the school at Thorp Springs was seriously drawing from the school at Waco, refused to lease the buildings to him again. He was then made a proposition from Lancaster to build and manage a college at

that point which he accepted. He was president of Randolph College at that point for three years, but climatic conditions did not agree with himself or wife at that point and he resigned as president and made up his mind to rest for a year.

Not having ever paid this section of the country a visit—believing it to be but a waste desert and wholly unfit for anything save cattle raising—at the earnest request of G. R. Jowell, with whom he had been acquainted for many years, having had the education of that gentleman's children in his care, he decided to come here merely to pay Mr. Jowell a visit and to give a few of his eloquent lectures at the church.

Mr. Clark also made the Fourth of July oration, which was listened to with such intense interest by the large audience present. Mr. Clark said that the idea of a college at this point or in this section of the country had never entered his mind until he arrived here and saw the conditions as they existed. When he realized the health-giving properties of this dry atmosphere, the excellence of our water and the ease and little cost of obtaining it, the vigorous growth of trees, shrubbery, flowers and all kinds of garden produce and grain, the thriftiness and high moral standard of our citizens, the excellent drainage of Hereford and the easy access to it from all parts of the country, caused him to note the superior advantages of Hereford as a college town. The beautiful lake just west of town also came in for its share of praise. In

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PROPRIETOR OF

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fact Mr. Clark said that Fort Worth and Hillsboro had spent thousands of dollars for an artificial lake which was not nearly so fine as this was without a cent of expenditure. This lake, being so large and deep, would afford excellent boating—one of the most healthful exercises extant—and could be kept full the year round by the service of three or four windmills.

Mr. Clark also spoke of the advisability and advantages of an experiment station being connected with the college, saying that it would do more to advertise this country than anything else as it would show what could be profitably raised here under scientific cultivation.

Mr. Clark was asked concerning the nature of the school—whether it should be a denominational affair or not. He answered in the negative most emphatically and said that it should be strictly a town and county affair and entirely free from denominational creeds or politics.

R. F. Holloway, who has been connected with Mr. Clark and identified with the state's leading educational movements for many years past, corroborated Mr. Clark's statements and said that he had been in many different parts of the coun-

try, but never saw a more ideal spot than Hereford for the location of a college.

Mr. Holloway was followed in succession by G. R. Jowell, Judge Gough, Judge Witherpoon, Dr. Johnson, the chairman and others, who expressed themselves in no uncertain terms that such an institution was essentially needed here.

The following committee was, on a carried motion to that effect, appointed to confer with Messrs. Clark and Holloway and formulate a feasible plan for the establishment of the college and to look over the various sites for the location of the same: G. R. Jowell, Judge Gough, W. H. Patton, Troy Womble and Judge Ferguson. Said committee to report at a meeting to be held the following evening. The meeting was then adjourned.

The following day this committee, with Messrs. Clark and Holloway, took carriages and looked over the desirable locations for a building site. While many were looked at the site that found the most favor was that bordering on the lake. The

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### Board and Room Wanted.

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

**BUYS ANOTHER RANCH.**

**J. D. Thompson of Bob, I. T., Buys Rat Jowell's Ranch Property.**

Rat Jowell returned Wednesday from a trip to Bob, I. T., where he went to look at a bunch of 300 ones and twos belonging to J. D. Thompson, who bought the Jacob Buttram place recently. Mr. Jowell had a fine ranch property about two miles east of town and Mr. Thompson wanted it, but wanted to trade his steers for same. Mr. Jowell, being essentially a cattleman and one of the best judges of those animals in this part of the country, decided to take a look at the steers, which he did, with the result that the trade was made, Mr. Jowell becoming the possessor of a fine bunch of steers and Mr. Thompson gaining one more of Deaf Smith county's fine ranch properties. The deal involved a cash value of \$12,000. Mr. Jowell will immediately commence the erection of a fine residence on his place three miles east of town on the Tierra Blanco.

**QUARTERS TOO SMALL.**

**Thompson & Fierabend Will Soon Erect a Business Block.**

Will L. Thompson of Amarillo and a member of the saddlery firm of Thompson & Fierbrand of this place was in town Tuesday in the interest of his business at this place. This firm finding their present quarters entirely too small for their fast increasing business have bought two business lots and will shortly erect commodious quarters for their business, which when finished, will enable them to carry a much larger stock of harness, saddles, blankets and sundries, as well as to increase the working capacity of their workshop.

**"IGNORAMISES"**

**Is What Dr. (?) Louis Dysart Calls Hereford Citizens Because They Didn't "Appresheate" His Endeavors for Their Physical Welfare.**

The following letter was received by J. D. Files, one of Hereford's most reputable and substantial citizens, which is so good that we cannot refrain from publishing it:

WACO, TEXAS, July 10, 1901.

MR. JEFF FILES,  
Hereford, Tex.

Deer Sur: I thot i wood Rite you and let you Kno of my whare abouts Thinking i mite be Mistaken in the Man and you mite Want to pay me that Doler you ow Me. If it was yure Brother i Kno i Wood get it but if you ever Pay it i Will be surprized but Thank the lord i am Among people Who Appresheates My Profeshun and i am no longer Among the Ignoramises as some Are Around Hereford i Will Close i am yures respekfully

DR. L. S. DYSART.

We are loth to admit that Here-

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**MULLINS & BOYD**

**Real Estate Agents**

We would be pleased to have you list with us your property which you wish to sell or trade.

We are prepared to write deeds and other conveyances, take acknowledgements, make abstracts of titles to land, and to pass upon titles. We solicit your patronage.

**OFFICE IN COURT HOUSE    HEREFORD, TEXAS**

First-Class Work Clean Towels  
Guaranteed a Specialty

**The City Barber Shop**  
**GEO. W. DALE, PROP.**

Bath Rooms in connection fitted up with Porcelain lined Bath Tubs Your Patronage will be appreciated

ford was at one time burdened with a sorry specimen of that specie of animal whom the "doctor" is pleased to call "Ignoramises" but Waco relieved us of that burden last May, and we have Mr. Files' unimpeachable word for it that he is not indebted to this animal in question, and that said animal wrote the above letter while suffering from one of his frequent spells of hallucination. The "doctor" is so well known hereabouts that further comment is unnecessary.

**The Second Nine Wins.**

Last Tuesday a baseball aggregation styling themselves as the "Second Nine" and composed of Will Teale, J. M. McGlothlin, Jess De Vaney, Ed Bullock, L. A. Montgomery, Charlie Orr, Luther Lipscomb, Will Smith and Allen Bell, scattered themselves on the mystic diamond to wallop the first nine, though but three of the first nine took part—John Boyd, Eugene Dyer and A. H. Patton—the rest of the nine being boys picked from the "Sluggers"—A. Black, Tom Moore, Hubbard, Fred Meri-

dith, H. Bigger and Albert Bratton. The score stood 22 to 8 in favor of the Second Nine. W. R. Evans umpired the game very satisfactory to all.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bassett came in from their ranch about 8 miles northeast of town on Tuesday. Mr. Bassett paid this office a pleasant visit and left us a nice sample of his fine plums and the price of a subscription to this paper. Mr. Bassett says that hail knocked most of his plums off the trees before maturity.

**DIRECTORY**

STATE.	
Governor.....	Joseph D. Sayers
Lieut.-Governor.....	J. N. Browning
Treasurer.....	J. W. Robbins
Comptroller.....	R. M. Love
Land Commissioner.....	Chas. Rogan
Attorney-General.....	C. K. Bell
Supt. Public Instruction.....	J. S. Kendall
Congressman.....	John H. Stephens
DISTRICT.	
Senator.....	D. F. Goss
Representative.....	D. E. Decker

Judge.....	H. H. Wallace
Attorney.....	Ira Webster

DEAF SMITH COUNTY.

Judge.....	W. B. Boyd
Sheriff.....	J. T. Inmon
Clerk.....	F. B. Fuller
Treasurer.....	Joe Killough
Assessor.....	J. S. Wyche
Surveyor.....	G. R. Jowell

Commissioners—  
Precinct No. 1..... L. R. Bradley  
Precinct No. 2..... R. N. Mounts  
Precinct No. 3..... Ira Aten  
Precinct No. 4..... A. P. Murchison  
District Court convenes on the second Mondays of April and October.

Commissioners' Court convenes on the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.

Meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in their hall over G. M. McGlothlin's furniture store. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.

F. B. Fuller, A. J. Lipscomb,  
Noble Grand. Secretary.

HEREFORD LODGE, U. D., A. F. & A. M.

Regular meetings Saturday night on or before full moon in each month in the Court House. Visiting brothers invited to attend.

John McKnight, W. B. Boyd,  
Worshipful Master. Secretary.

K. OF P.

Meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting Knights are made welcome.

D. F. Johnson, Geo. W. Dale,  
Chancellor Commander. K. of R. and S.

W. OF W.

Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting Sovereigns always welcome.

J. T. Inmon, A. C. Bratton,  
Council Commander. Clerk.

C. M. A.

Meets every Friday evening in the Court House at 8 o'clock.

Fred Meridith, W. Curtis Whitney,  
President. Sec.-Treas.

HEREFORD SANITARY AND IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY.

Meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 3 p. m. in the Court House.

L. Gough, F. B. Fuller,  
President. Secretary.

METHODIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Meets once each month.

Mrs. M. P. Finnicum,  
President.

BAPTIST LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

Mrs. Geo. W. Irwin,  
President.

HOME CHARITY SOCIETY.

Meets on Thursday of each week.

Mrs. A. E. McKellar,  
President.

CHURCHES.

CHRISTIAN.

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

METHODIST.

Rev. Charles Clarke, pastor—Services held on the second Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST.

Services held on the third Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. Charles Eaton, pastor—Services held on the fourth Sunday of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Union Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m.

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FRIDAY, JULY 19, 1901

Entered at the postoffice at Hereford, Texas, as second-class mail matter.

**ADVERTISING RATES**

DISPLAY—\$1.00 per inch per month with liberal discount on long time contracts.

LOCALS—Ten cents per line first insertion; five cents per line each succeeding insertion.

All adv. copy must be in by Wednesday noon to insure insertion in current issue.

Advertising bills due on the first of each month; job work on delivery.

It is easy to locate the live merchant these days. He advertises during the dull season to get the buyers coming his way and this fall they will continue to come and bring their neighbors.—Ex.

THERE is every reason to believe that Hereford now has an opportunity to have an excellent college. It is the chance of a lifetime and every resident and business man could well afford to donate ten per cent of his wealth, if needs be, to secure it.

It is an old saying that Fortune knocks once at every man's door. If that is true we believe that the old lady knocked at every man's door in Hereford and Deaf Smith county when she announced that it was up to them to secure an institution of learning which would triple the population of the town and double the value of every property in the county and enhance the value of all property in the Panhandle. Unless we pay attention and answer her call by establishing the proposed college at this point, every citizen will live to rue the day that he did not add an extra effort to obtain the desired results. But we firmly believe that our citizens will promptly respond to their duty and that on the first day of October, 1901, Hereford will celebrate the opening of an institution of learning second to none in the country. There are many reasons why this enterprise should be secured. While Hereford now enjoys an excellent freighting trade, the time is not far distant when new railroads will open up new towns which will, to a great extent, cut off the trade she now has. To counteract these conditions we now have an opportunity to place Hereford in a position to assure her position as the business and educational center of the plains. We predict that the college will cause the population of Hereford to increase to 2500 inhabi-

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**FURNITURE DEALERS**

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**STAMBAUGH & LIPSCOMB**

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

**Grain, Hay, Salt, Coal, Field Seeds, bois d' Arc and Cedar Posts**

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**When You Need Drugs**

Patent Medicines, Paints, Soaps,  
Toilet Goods, Brushes, Blank  
Books, Fine Candies, Cigars or  
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**First-Class Drug Store** <sup>GO</sup> **TO Gough's**

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**O. F. SMITH,** PRESCRIPTION CLERK AND MANAGER

HEREFORD - - - - - TEXAS

tants inside of five years, and those inhabitants will be of the highest moral and intellectual standing. We do not deem it necessary to admonish everyone to do their utmost to carry the proposed project to a successful culmination.

**COMING AND GOING.**

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

Take your prescriptions to Bounds' drug store. 20tf

M. Dean of Bovina was registered at the Ritchey Monday.

R. A. Morris of Portales, N. M., was registered at the Ritchey Saturday.

William Wilson came in from Lamb county on Saturday and registered at the Humphrey.

If you don't want to cuss Adam buy the Deering Machine and be happy. D. R. Gass & Son. 21tf

For sale at a bargain one buggy and harness. Full leather top. Price \$50. Apply at this office. 17tf

Sam Dunn has placed a new boat in the Tierra Blanco and is now prepared to entertain his friends to a fishing excursion in a right manner.

For a first-class, clean meal try the Hereford restaurant. 14tf

James D. Tucker of Dimmitt was registered at the Ritchey Sunday.

S. T. Howard was in from his ranch Monday, registering at the Ritchey.

James Janes of the Janes Bros. ranch in Lamb county, is in town this week, being quartered at the Ritchey.

Mrs. J. H. Harris is under Dr. Gough's care this week, suffering with an attack of the neuralgia of the heart.

For Sale—Two adjoining lots one a corner lot with two-room house, centrally located, cash or trade. Inquire at this office. 15tf

FOR SALE—Two lots adjoining, one a corner lot, with two room house, centrally located. Cash or trade. Inquire at this office. 17tf

J. I. Chorn of Mansfield came in Tuesday to investigate the advantages of this country as a location, being induced by Sheriff J. T. Inmon so to do.

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

J. W. Carter, a prominent sheep dealer of Dimmitt, was in town Tuesday buying supplies.

Mr. Rambo of Archer county is visiting his children, Mrs. F. M. Avis and W. P. Rambo for a few days.

C. T. Splawn, who lives seven miles west of town, is under Dr. Gough's care, suffering from chronic nephritis.

For Sale—A thoroughbred Jersey cow and calf, excellent milker. Also new wagon and young team of mules. Apply at this office. 20tf

Francisco de Baca, a prominent Endee, N. M., cattleman, came in Tuesday with his son, Louis, who has accepted a position in Smith, Walker & Co.'s store at this point.

We have secured the exclusive sale for the celebrated Florsheim shoe, recognized as the most up-to-date line in the market. Await the arrival of same. Smith, Walker & Co. 21tf

Charlie Girdner and Archie Wright, who have been here for some time past, have taken charge of a flouring mill at Dodge City, Kan., leaving on Wednesday's train.

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 year's guarantee on it that you are not in the swim. We sell them. D. R. Gass & Son. 21tf

W. H. Clary, the drayman, had the misfortune to severely lacerate the index finger of his left hand Wednesday while engaged in unloading machinery at Stringfellow & Hume's store. Aside from being very painful, it is thought no serious results will follow.

Miss A—"Say! Have you noticed those candies at Dr. Gough's drug store?"

Miss B—"Yes, indeed; and they are kept so nice and clean."

Miss A—"Certainly; the whole store is clean—their motto is accuracy and cleanliness." 21tf

**Millinery and Dressmaking Parlors**

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I have secured the services of Miss Johnnie Johnson of Pilot Point, an experienced maker of plain and fancy dresses, to take charge of my Dressmaking Department.

**Big Reduction in Millinery Goods**  
All Work Guaranteed

**EDITORIAL NOTES.**

**Comments on Current Events in the Busy Outside World.**

Now that Mac is out for Dawes  
Let the country pause,  
'Midst a mighty hush,  
And watch "Billy" Mason blush.

Anxious Inquirer: No; Teddy  
isn't dead; he is only vicepresident.

Ohio democrats know enough to  
manage their affairs without republic-  
an advice.

It is up to Commissioner Evans to  
write another letter to Gen. Sickles,  
thanking him for his retention in  
office.

If Hon. A. P. Gorman can get  
the Maryland republicans to en-  
dorse Representative Mudd for the  
Senate, he will have walkover.

The escape of the Montana train  
robbers merely proves that it is usu-  
ally the best mounted men who win  
in a rough and ready race across  
the country.

All London is laughing at an  
American today—Mrs. Yerkes,  
wife of the street railway plutocrat  
—who has been fooled into the be-  
lief that King Eddy is going to call  
on her at her hotel.



England has given another proof  
of its friendship by refusing the  
request of this government to re-  
lease Americans who have been  
captured fighting for the Boers.  
Carry the news to Dave Henderson.

The staid and sedate Atlantic  
Monthly took a step when it printed  
a story alleging the water in a river  
in the Yosemite National Park re-  
sembled champagne in taste and ef-  
fect that is calculated to make trou-  
ble for somebody.

Surely it is high time to reform  
abuses in that line when postal of-  
ficials assert that one-half of the  
second-class mail matter, for the  
carrying of which the government  
pays \$60,000,000 a year and re-  
ceives only \$4,000,000, should  
rightfully pay a higher rate of post-  
age.

It has always been considered  
good politics to find out what your  
opponents don't want and then give  
them copious doses of it. That is  
why democrats should rub tariff re-  
form in on the republicans at every  
opportunity. It is both good poli-  
tics and good business, as there  
isn't the slightest doubt of the  
country's need of tariff reform.

# Thoroughbred Hats

	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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**WE ALSO SELL THE  
HAMILTON-BROWN SHOE**

The Best Known Shoe in the World

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HEREFORD - TEXAS

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**Children's Hair Cutting  
A Specialty . . .**

**Everything New,  
Neat and Clean.**

Grosvenor on trusts is about on a  
par with Grosvenor on a third term,  
as far as the importance of his utter-  
ances go.

Pierpont Morgan has added a  
new trust to his string. A little  
concern, capitalized for \$340,000,  
000, to control the entire eastern  
output of soft coal.

This thing of a civil government  
in a portion of the Philippines under  
the War Department is somewhat  
confusing, but it is thereby strictly  
in keeping with the most of the ad-  
ministration's Philippine policy.

It is said that the Navy Depart-  
ment is threatening to make war on  
the private shipbuilders who treat  
the department about as they please  
in building warships. There is little  
doubt that such a war should be  
started and fought to a finish, but  
there is much doubt as to its being  
done. The shipbuilders are all par-  
ticular friends of Senator Hanna and  
heavy contributors to republican  
campaign funds.

Congressman Hull of Iowa must  
not have found his Philippine invest-  
ments as promising as he expected,  
as he has been throwing stones at  
the administration of Philippine af-  
fairs since he reached the islands.

It is not creditable to the adminis-  
tration that it could find no better  
method of opening the Indian reser-  
vations in Oklahoma to settlement  
than a lottery—a method that public  
opinion has made it criminal for in-  
dividuals to follow.

Mr. Meiklejohn told a Washington  
newspaper man the other day that  
the town felt like home to him. No-  
body would ever have suspected him  
of such a feeling who was familiar  
with the regularity with which he  
stayed away from the town while he  
was drawing salary as assistant sec-  
retary of war.

Only a small percentage of the  
business of the United States patent  
office will be delayed by the sus-  
pension of hearing by the commis-  
sioner and assistant commissioner

during July and August—C. A.  
Snow & Co., the Washington patent  
lawyers, say probably not more  
than one in a hundred of the ap-  
plications for patents—as the 140  
examiners of the office decide a vast  
majority of the cases without an ap-  
peal to the commissioner.

**Meeting With Success.**

The many friends of Prof. J. R.  
Overstreet will be pleased to learn  
that as a member of the dry goods  
firm of Loveless Bros. of Duncan,  
I. T., he is meeting with success in  
every way. F. B. Fuller received  
a letter from Mr. Overstreet Mon-  
day saying that his health was  
much improved and that he was  
satisfied with his change of busi-  
ness. As principal of the Hereford  
High School he was eminently suc-  
cessful and the REPORTER joins the  
other friends in rejoicing at his suc-  
cesses in the mercantile business.

**PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION**

At Buffalo, N. Y., from May 1 to  
November 1, 1901.

**TO ALL AGENTS:**

For the above occasion regular  
summer tourist tickets may be sold  
daily from this date until further ad-  
vice from Hereford, Texas, to Buf-  
falo, N. Y., and return at the rate  
of \$66.90. 14t

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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON  
Office in the new Dale Building  
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Residence at Hotel Richey

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All calls attended to day or night

**R. W. BOUNDS, M. D.**  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON  
Office in the new Dale Building  
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**R. H. GOUGH, M. D.**  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON  
Special attention given to Catarrh  
Treatment with Medical Electricity  
Office at Drug Store opposite Bank  
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**W. G. MULLINS**  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW  
Office in Court House  
Hereford - - - - Texas

**WITHERSPOON & GOUGH**  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW  
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NOTARY IN OFFICE  
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Hereford - - - - Texas

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EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT  
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Eye and Ear Surgeon to St. An-  
thony Sanatorium  
AMARILLO - - - - TEXAS

**POSTOFFICE HOURS**

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

**P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE**

Pass. Train	Arrives	Leaves
No. 1 Northbound	2:37 a. m.	2:38 a. m.
No. 2 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.**

Get drugs at Bounds & Co.'s. 20tf

Go to the Hereford restaurant for chille. 14tf

D. C. Laird of Dimmitt was a guest at the Ritchey Sunday.

Call at Stringfellow & Hume Hardware Co. for binding twine. 184t

G. F. Le Grand of La Plata was registered at the Humphrey Monday.

Come quick if you want to get a wrapper below cost. Smith, Walker & Co. 21tf

George Fain was in from the ranch Sunday, registering at the Humphrey.

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

J. M. Burrows and wife of Amarillo were registered at the Humphrey Sunday and Monday

Taylor Bassett, a prominent young North Draw cattleman, was registered at the Humphrey Sunday.

Smith's Dentifice for hardening the gums, cleaning the teeth and sweetening the breath. Sold at Gough's Drug Store. 19tf

W. R. Evants, one of Hereford's prominent young cattlemen, returned Tuesday from a trip to Texas and Indian Territory points.

I will be at the Ritchey House for about five more days. Anyone needing dental work will please call at once. Dr. W. E. Robertson. 21-1t

G. J. Collins of Coldwater came in Sunday and is stopping at the Ritchey. Mr. Collins has large property interests here and is here to look after them.

Go to Gough's for drugs. 18tf

Ladies' sleeveless vests at 5c at Smith, Walker & Co.'s. 21tf

John Miller of Lubbock was registered at the Humphrey Saturday.

Dr. H. W. Barnes of Tulia was registered at the Humphrey Saturday.

Call and see J. M. McGlothlin for nice residence lots, south front. 13tf

James Stuart of Endee, N. M., was registered at the Humphrey Saturday.

R. S. Knight was in Sunday from his Bitter Creek ranch, stopping at the Humphrey.

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

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

Burn Smith, the gentlemanly delivery clerk at Smith, Walker & Co.'s, went to Amarillo Sunday morning.

I can be found in the rear of the Witherspoon & Gough Building, when you need drugs at night. C. L. Bounds. 20-2t

Dr. W. E. Robertson came in Sunday and is attending to the dental needs of our citizens at the Ritchey House.

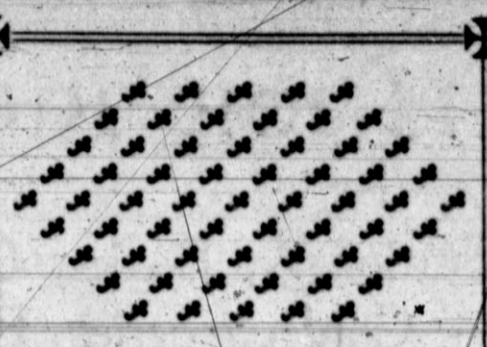
Sheriff J. T. Inmon returned Tuesday from Houston, where he had been attending the sheriff's convention. He reports a pleasant and profitable time.

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

Walter Sullivan and Mrs. George Cloyd came in Saturday from the ranch, bringing with them their sister, Miss Jessie Sullivan. They were guests at the Humphrey over Sunday.

R. J. Holloway, until recently the financial head of Randolph College of Lancaster, but now a lawyer of Cleburne, arrived on Sunday's train to look over the college situation at this point.

For Sale—A three-room house and 18x18 dug-out connected, sheds and good well on one acre of ground all fenced. Garden fenced also. House newly painted. Well selected orchard set out. Price, \$375. Inquire of O. R. Willingham. 11tf



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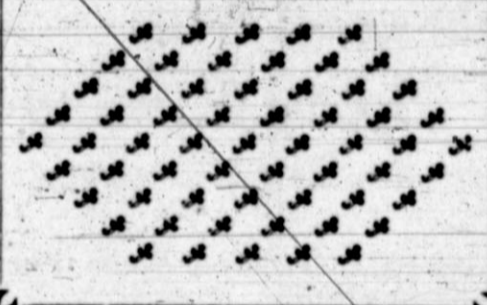
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Marion Rily of Lubbock was a guest at the Humphrey Saturday.

We still have a few more shirt waists left at 25c. Smith, Walker & Co. 21tf

A. G. Bell of Dimmitt came in Monday evening and registered at the Humphrey.

A Bristol Organ, \$60.00. 5-drawer, drop head, cabinet, Netow sewing machine \$24.00 at McGlothlin & Black's Furniture Store. 19tf

Try that new 5c cigar at Gough's. 19tf.

G. R. Hay of Dimmitt was a pleasant caller in town Monday.

Lewis Arnold was in from the ranch Sunday, stopping at the Humphrey.

A few more boarders can be accommodated at the Hereford restaurant. 14tf

Will Burnam of Dimmitt passed through here Sunday on his way to Amarillo.

If you need a Binder or Mower see Stringfellow & Hume Hardware Company. 18 4t

J. M. Baskins of Midlothian came in Tuesday and is prospecting hereabouts.

T. A. Cox and wife were in from their ranch on Sunday, registering at the Humphrey.

Rev. N. B. Bennett came in from his ranch Monday and looks much improved in health.

Frank Bassett of the North Draw was a pleasant visitor at the Humphrey on Sunday.

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

Chas. E. Ferguson, one of Hereford's prominent young cattlemen, was in town over Sunday, the guest of his brother, Judge Ferguson.

Dr. and Mrs. J. V. Veale passed through here on Friday on their way to Roswell, N. M., their home. Their many friends hereabouts will be pleased to learn that the doctor was successfully operated upon in New York City, and that he returns a well man.

J. E. Tucker, who has recently purchased a ranch near Dimmitt, came in Sunday and met his wife, who arrived that day from Taylor to spend a few weeks on the ranch. Mrs. Tucker is very well pleased with this country and expressed herself to that effect in no uncertain terms. They stopped at the Ritchey during their stay here.

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## COMING AND GOING.

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

R. T. Holloway left Thursday for Cleburne.

A. P. Murchison made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday.

Sheriff Frank Vaughn of Dimmitt came in Wednesday on his way to Amarillo.

Sam Wise of Dimmitt came in Wednesday and took the night train for Amarillo.

Rev. Randolph Clark left Thursday for points down the line, going to Snyder from here.

Mrs. Retchford of Wichita Falls came in yesterday and is visiting at the home of Mrs. F. M. Avis.

E. T. Connell came in town yesterday, bringing with him Miss Bessie Finnicum, who had been visiting at his home since the Fourth.

J. T. Claybrook of Endee, N. M., came in Wednesday evening with his parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Irwin, who took the night train for their home at Childress.

Taylor Bassett came in from his North Draw ranch yesterday to meet Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas and daughter of Roff, I. T., who will visit Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Thomas' mother.

Wallace English came in Thursday from Gainesville, where he had spent the past week. Mr. English says that the heat is very oppressive in that lower country and that corn and cotton crops look like a dismal failure.

Mrs. E. Carter, Mrs. J. D. Bratton, Miss Rose Bratton, Miss Zella Avis, Mrs. R. H. Gough, Messrs. Claude Moreman, Tom Carter and Leslie Moreman are enjoying an outing in the plum thickets on the Canadian river, having left Tuesday.

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Miss Bessie Davis of Dimmitt is the charming guest of Mrs. B. T. Hinton.

E. R. Roach of the Roach-Graham Drug Co. of Amarillo is in town today selling drugs and sundries to our merchants.

Sam Morris returned this morning from Gainesville, where he had been visiting the past week. Mr. Morris said he had a fine time, except that it was very hot.

Lewis Fort of the firm of Fort & Daniels, wholesale commission-merchants of Roswell, N. M., came in this morning and is busy selling goods to our merchants today.

Wm. T. Crabtree of Endee, N. M., came in yesterday. He paid this office a visit and \$1.50 for a year's subscription to this paper. Mr. Crabtree is holding his steers until next spring.

Thos. Turnbow, who has been hauling freight for the Rock Island, was taken sick while on his return home and is confined to his bed at his father's, J. H. Turnbow, threatened with fever. Dr. Tinsley is attending him.

Miss Johnnie Johnson of Pilot Point, niece of John A. Johnson, came in last week and will henceforth make Hereford her home. She will charge of the dress making department of Mrs. Osborne's dressmaking establishment. Miss Johnson has had a valuable experience in her chosen profession and Miss Osborne is fortunate in securing her service.

Frank Morris came in this morning from Gainesville.

Rev. J. R. Hinson of Clarendon will hold services at the church next Monday evening.

R. J. Sanders of Corsicana came in this morning to look after his property interests here. Mr. Sanders owns most of the land on one of the proposed college sites.

J. S. Dunn and wife of Eastland county are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lindsey, Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Lindsey being sisters. Mr. Dunn is so well pleased with this country that he thinks strongly of locating here.

Mrs. Billingsly sustained a very painful accident last Saturday. She tripped and fell, nearly causing a fracture of one of the lower limbs. At first it was feared that gangrene would set in, but she is now doing as well as could be expected, the swelling and pain having subsided. Dr. Gough is attending her.

Drs. R. H. Gough and R. W. Bounds took in the Panhandle Medical Association's meeting held at Amarillo Tuesday and Wednesday. Dr. Gough read a very creditable paper on "Obstruction of the Bowels," which was received with much interest. They report a well attended and profitable meeting. One of the most interesting features of the gathering was a clinic held by Dr. Bacon Saunders of Fort Worth Medical College at the St. Anthony Sanitarium, as well as interesting talks by that gentleman.

G. R. Hay, the well known sheepman of Dimmitt, has been in town this week looking after his property interests here. Mr. Hay is going to build a fine double business block on his Dewey avenue property which will add much to the business ornamentation of the town. It is understood that he has tenants for both buildings as soon as finished. While here he ordered the REPORTER sent to two distant friends, that they might keep posted in this country's development.

### BOVINA NEWS.

Events Transpiring in Our Sister County of Parmer.

C. E. Carter of Roswell spent Sunday at the Nichols home.

Wiley Frank of Portales was seen on our streets this week.

John Swanson left town Monday en route for Denver, Colo.

The Syndicate people are having a round-up to brand their stock.

John A. Digenan returned yesterday from a trip north on business.

Jesse DeVaney was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kilgore Sunday.

Miss Kate Nichols visited at Roswell last week and reports a fine time.

Creech & Lee's freighters are idle at present on account of being short of grain.

Miss Stella Seymour of Portales, N. M., was the guest of Mrs. J. G. Kilgore this week.

M. R. Baker has been on the sick list for a few days this week, but is now up and around again.

Stock shipments for the week were 43 cars; 33 cars for Moorcroft, Wyo., and 10 cars to Imperial, Neb.

W. E. Stewart of Canyon drove a herd of 557 cattle through here Tuesday night en route for Portales.

Mr. Stewart, with the water supply department of the P. & N. T. R'y, is here making a few slight repairs.

S. N. Lee of Kansas City, Mo., contractor for the Rock Island extension, was in town Tuesday, being entertained at the Fischer home.

Messrs. Maloney and Bert have favored us with some excellent music for a few evenings the past week. A few of the young people tripped the light fantastic.

### No Truth in the Reports.

We are in receipt of a letter from M. R. Baker, who has charge of Creech & Lee's commissary department, giving us a nice order for job work. Among other things he has the following to say:

We notice a number of exaggerated reports in different papers of wholesale killings going on out on our work on the Rock Island extension. Will you please correct such reports? There is not ONE WORD OF TRUTH IN IT. These reports seem to come from Hereford. Do not know who the authority is, but whoever it is must be quite busy.

### Notice of Dissolution.

I have this day sold my one-half interest in the drug firm of C. L. Bounds & Co., to A. J. Lipscomb, who becomes responsible for my part of all indebtedness of said firm. 21-3t R. W. BOUNDS, M. D.

## The Automobile vs. The Horse.

Being the First of a Series of Articles on the Humane Movement in Regard to Animals.

The Emergency Hospital in Washington is making a strong effort to secure automobiles instead of ambulances drawn by horse power for its service. The reasons given for the change are cogent. It is stated that as things are, a horse used for this work lasts little more than a year, in spite of the best of care and treatment. The "rush orders" in summer are numerous and the horses are often compelled to travel on the jump for a mile or two and back in the heat of the day on account of the number of heat prostrations which occur at that time. The hospital authorities say that if they could have automobiles, the conditions of things would be better both for them and the public, to say nothing of the horses.

This is a matter which ought to interest any city government, and it may be suggested that the same arguments would hold fairly good in the case of the horse of the fire department, though as fires seldom occur in the middle of the day in summer, the question of intense heat does not enter into the case. But there is no doubt that emergency hospital work is extremely hard on horses, as they are practically required to play the double role of race horses and draught animals. Aside from the humanity of the thing it would be good economy to make the change. The automobile would never be tired, never have a sunstroke, cost but little for fuel and care, and last a long time, moreover, it would do the work of more than one horse because it would require no rest at night.

It is true that an automobile, in the hands of inexperienced people, is rather a dangerous machine. It has on occasion shown a curious tendency to climb trees, and it would be anything but agreeable to have such a development take place with an unconscious person severely injured, reposing in the body of the vehicle. But it should be remembered that most automo-

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bile accidents have occurred when people without special training in the management of the machines were in charge of them. For example, a New York society leader on one occasion caused his automobile to turn rapid somersaults from the top to the bottom of a steep stony-hearted hill. The society leader in the meantime had left the machine, but followed its example closely, and reached the bottom of the hill finally on the back of his neck. This, however, was due to his having tried to back the automobile while forgetting to shut off the current impelling it forward, and, if he had told a yoke of oxen to "gee" and "haw" simultaneously, it is probably that something would have happened. The hospital automobile would be in the hands of trained and experienced employes, and when treated well, the machine is as gentle as the horse, often advertised, that a woman can drive.

It has taken some time for the public to perceive that humane

measures are, in the long run, generally the safest and cheapest. If there comes a time when for all service involving intense nervous strain in addition to muscular exertion, or untiring and unvarying activity, electricity, steam, or some other inanimate agent is employed instead of flesh and blood, it will be a happy day both for humanity and for the brute creation. Where intelligent and sympathetic co-operation are necessary, the horse should be used for draught purposes, but where simple power is all that is required, electricity and steam can do the work quite as well and as a rule, more cheaply.

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## COMING AND GOING.

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

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For sale—Two good milk cows. Apply to G. A. Stambaugh. 20-2t

W. P. Rambo came in from the ranch Sunday and registered at the Humphrey.

Call and see the fine new lot of rugs and carpets at McGlothlin & Black's Furniture Store. 20-2t

J. R. McCoy of Salina arrived on Saturday's train and is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. H. Biggs.

For sale at a bargain one buggy and harness. Full leather top. Price \$50. Apply at this office. 17tf

A. R. Carnes, representing the Dallas and Galveston News, was a pleasant caller at this office on Monday.

We have just received a large shipment of the International Stock and Poultry Food. Stambaugh & Lipscomb. 20-2t

Mrs. Thomas Cox accompanied her friend, Miss Ophelia Moore, to the latter's home at Seymour, where she will visit for some time.

For Sale—A thoroughbred Jersey cow and calf, excellent milkers. Also new wagon and young team of mules. Apply at this office. 20rf

J. E. Johnson, a prominent Reuelto cattleman, was a pleasant visitor in town last week. At his order we placed his name on our subscription list.

Miss Junie Nudd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Nudd, arrived on Saturday's train from Blandinsville, Ill., and will henceforth make Hereford her home.

Sam Morris, the efficient and obliging bookkeeper at Smith, Walker & Co.'s, left Sunday for a few days' visit at his old home—Gainesville. Manager Bynum is doing double duty as a consequence.

Miss Ophelia Moore, who has been a resident of Hereford for the past few months, left Sunday for her former home, Seymour. Miss Moore is a very popular young lady in Hereford society circles and will be greatly missed.

Miss Jessie Sullivan, who has been visiting her brother, Walter Sullivan, for the past few months, returned to her home at Pilot Point on Sunday. Miss Sullivan has made many friends during her stay here who regret her departure.

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**INTERESTING STOCK NEWS**

**Changes That Are Being Made Among the Cattlemen of the Panhandle and Vicinity.**

Luther Bennett recently bought H. S. Syms' bunch of 38 cattle.

Last week J. D. Files bought 68 cows and calves from C. L. Adair.

I. N. Dillard came in this week with 75 steers which are on the open market.

John T. Shy, a prominent Kansas City cattleman, came in Saturday and registered at the Humphrey.

M. C. Conners of Spearfish, S. D., is among the cattle buyers stopping at the Humphrey, having arrived on Saturday.

A. P. Murchison sold for Green & Coffee a bunch of 55 yearlings to Lake, Tomb & Co., who shipped them to Dakota on Friday last.

A bunch of 557 mixed cattle belonging to W. E. Stewart of Canyon passed through here Sunday on their way to Portales, N. M.

Lake, Tomb & Co., bought from Moore & Brown of Presidio county a bunch of ones and twos and added them to their shipment of last Friday.

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

D. B. Jackson, J. K. Milwee and R. A. Farmer of Emma brought in 495 head of twos which they sold on Monday to John T. Shy of Kansas City for \$22 around. Paul Handy and the Wilson Bros. of Plainview sold 294 twos to Mr. Shy at the same price. All were shipped to Montana on Monday.

**Lost or Strayed.**

One dehorned red cow, branded ED on left side and JOL on right side. Finder please notify Meeks & Conoley, Hereford, Texas. 20-3t

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grounds on this site could be made a beautiful place with but little expense and there is plenty of ground there for all purposes.

Tuesday evening a large crowd of interested citizens was present to learn the result of the committee's work. Judge Ferguson stated that the committee had visited different sites and found several that were suitable, but that the sites near the lake (there being two) seemed to be the most preferable on account of that fine body of water.

Mr. Holloway was then asked to make a statement as to the plan of establishing the college and maintaining the same. His plan was as follows: Appoint a committee to draft a by-laws and constitution and elect the directors from among the most conservative and best business men of the town and county. Then incorporate. Then solicit financial aid under the following conditions:

First—That the college is to be an educational institution for both sexes; of the highest standing, intellectually, morally and physically; and to be strictly non-sectarian, non-denominational and non-partisan.

Second—That it is to be the property of the town of Hereford and county of Deaf Smith forever, and that said college property is never to be encumbered with a debt of any nature for any purpose, thus assuring its permanency.

Third—That the control of the college and its finances are to always be in control of the board of directors or trustees composed of men of reputable business standing, who shall be elected by the people.

Fourth—That the said board of trustees shall have power, to lease the college property to a competent

school company who shall maintain a school of a certain character as agreed upon by the contracting parties, or the said trustees may operate the school under their own management and as they see fit, except that it is to be a strictly non-partisan and non-denominational institution.

Fifth—That the said institution shall always be considered by the citizens of the town and county as "our" college and that "we" are maintaining it with "our" financial and moral support.

Sixth—That any donation made to the college fund shall be considered null and void unless a certain amount of funds are subscribed sufficient to found the college free from all encumbrances.

Mr. Holloway also advised that a brick or stone building be built, as those who would donate would give far more for that kind of a structure than they would a frame, and it would also give a stronger assurance of permanency.

Others talked on the proposition and an expression of the assemblage was called for which resulted in a unanimous vote for the college to be established.

A finance committee was then appointed to solicit funds and see about obtaining the land required for the project, composed of Judge Gough, Sheriff Inmon, S. S. Evants, G. A. Stambaugh and W. H. Patton. Here it might be well to say that it is the purpose to have enough land to give the college twenty-five acres for the campus and college buildings, twenty-five acres for an experiment station and a large tract of land to be cut up and sold as residence property for those desiring to build near the college, which will thus be a source of revenue to keep up repairs and make improvements from time to time.

The following committee was appointed to draft a constitution and

by-laws and report at a meeting to be held at the church next Tuesday evening for the purpose of electing a board of directors and incorporating to which everyone is earnestly requested to be present: Judge Gough, Judge Ferguson, Judge Mullins and Judge Witherspoon.

The meeting was then adjourned until next Tuesday evening.

It is the expression of the business men that every effort be made to push the subscriptions and endeavor to have the building ready for occupancy by October 1, 1901.

Rev. Randolph Clark has kindly promised to write an article for next week's issue of the REPORTER relative to the advantages of Hereford as a location for a college from the view of a man who has spent over a quarter of a century in college work and also on the benefits accruing from the establishment of such an institution in our town.

**TOM COX RANCH SOLD.**

Bought by W. B. Parmer of Granite, Oklahoma.

Last Monday W. B. Parmer of Granite, Okla., came in town after prospecting around Amarillo and Canyon. He was so pleased with Hereford and the surrounding country with its superior advantages that he was out for a trade at the start, and as a consequence Tom Cox is minus a fine ranch property, which was situated about ten miles east of town. Consideration \$2,700.

**Needs a Gate.**

It has been reported that owing to the absence of a gate at the cemetery, the cattle roam at will in that sacred ground. The ladies have worked hard and spent over \$100 in fencing the property and the men should at least put up enough money to place a gate at the entrance and thus keep the cattle out. At present a plank serves as date, but the roaming animals have no trouble in breaking it down. This matter should be attended to at once.

**A Social Success.**

Last evening a party of Hereford's elite unexpectedly swooped down upon the inmates of the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Palmer.

Notwithstanding the fact that company was entirely unexpected the host and hostess proved themselves equal to the emergency and entertained their guests royally.

At a conventional hour the gay party left for their respective homes, declaring that a more enjoyable evening never was spent.

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