

HEREFORD REPORTER

REFRESHING RAINS CONTINUE TO FALL HEREBOUTS

VOL. I. NO. 22

HEREFORD, DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS, JULY 26, 1901

\$1.50 PER YEAR

HEREFORD SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Is the Name of the New College Corporation.

AN EXCELLENT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Elected at an Enthusiastic Meeting Held Tuesday Evening and a Charter Adopted—Constitution and By-Laws to be Adopted at a Meeting to be Held Next Monday Evening.

At a mass meeting held Tuesday evening for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the Hereford School Association and to adopt a charter for incorporation, the committee appointed at a previous meeting for that purpose made the following report, which was accepted and the committee discharged:

We your committee appointed at your last meeting to draft a charter for the Hereford School Association beg leave to submit the following as our report, embodying a charter for a school at this place, which we trust will meet all requirements at the present time.

Respectfully submitted,

C. G. WITHERSPOON,
JNO. E. FERGUSON,
L. GOUGH,

Committee.

The following is the charter of the Hereford School Association as drawn up by the committee and adopted by the meeting:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH.

PREAMBLE.

For the purposes hereinafter set forth we the undersigned do organize and incorporate under the laws of this state and do hereby ordain this as our

CHARTER.

First—The name of this organization shall be Hereford School Association.

Second—The place of business of this organization shall be Hereford, Texas.

Third—The purposes of this organization shall be the building and

maintaining of an institution of learning at Hereford, Texas, and to that end may acquire and own property, may sue and be sued and have all other franchises usually belonging to such organizations.

Fourth—The number of the directors of this organization shall be nine and the names and addresses of those who shall serve for the first year are as follows:

C. R. Moreman, Jno. E. Ferguson, W. H. Patton, E. Carter, C. G. Witherspoon, T. M. Palmer, L. Gough, R. H. Norton and S. S. Evants, all residing at Hereford, Texas.

Fifth—The directors shall be elected by ballot at a regular meeting. At the first meeting of the directors they shall by lot divide themselves into three classes, viz: short, middle and long term directors, who shall serve respectively one, two and three years, three directors being elected each year. The directors shall elect their successors.

Sixth—The directors of this organization shall elect annually a president, vice-president, secretary and a treasurer of the directors, whose duties shall be those duties usually devolving upon such officers in like organizations.

Seventh—There shall be held at Hereford, Texas, one regular annual meeting of the directors of this organization for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may demand attention. Such regular meeting to be held on the first Tuesday in February of each year. There

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shall also be held such other meetings and at such places for the transaction of such business as the president of the directors may deem necessary.

Eighth—A majority of the directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Ninth—The length of time for the existence of this corporation shall be fifty years.

In a well worded speech A. J. Lipscomb presented the following resolution, which was adopted

unanimously:

Resolved, That C. R. Moreman, Jno. E. Ferguson, W. H. Patton, E. Carter, C. G. Witherspoon, T. M. Palmer, L. Gough, R. H. Norton and S. S. Evants be and are hereby requested by this mass meeting of the people of Hereford and surrounding community to serve as trustees of Hereford School Association for the first term thereof and their names be inserted in the charter.

It is needless to say that a more

conservative, conscientious, reputable and public spirited board of directors could not have been chosen had the whole state been searched, and we believe the selection of such a board assures the success of the undertaking, as people can put in their investments with the utmost confidence that that they will be well managed.

The finance committee composed of Messrs. Inmon, Gough, Evants, Stambaugh and Patton made a verbal report to the effect that they had talked with many people concerning an investment in the college fund, but had decided not to accept any funds until the board of directors was elected and a charter adopted for incorporation. Also that they believed that the selection of a site for the college should be left to the said board of directors. Their report was accepted and the committee discharged.

Judge L. Gough then gave a stirring address on the mode of procedure which the people must pursue in order to obtain the college. It was to the effect that we should work as a unit, the same as we have heretofore and which working as a unit has made Hereford the town she is today. Let no one work in friction with the others and the college is ours. He also said that moneys or properties secured for the college fund should be considered investments and not donations. That every dollar's worth of property put into the college fund would bring good interest in the matter of education and increase in the value of all properties.

Judge Witherspoon was called upon and he said he endorsed the former speaker's sentiments and told how a college project fell through at a town he lived in twelve years ago, because the population squabbled over petty differences.

A committee composed of Judge Ferguson, Judge Witherspoon, Judge Gough and A. J. Lipscomb were appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws and report at a meeting to be held next Monday evening, July 29th.

From the interest that everyone is taking there is no good reason why Hereford should not have as good an institution of learning as any in the country—whose diplomas mean to those receiving them that they are men and women in every sense of the word—intellectually, physically and morally.

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

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HEREFORD - TEXAS

HART POURRI

Happenings in the Busy Castro
County Town

TOM TWIST EDITOR

(Received too late for last week's issue.)

There is some talk of A. J. Kerr moving his cattle to his New Mexico ranch this fall.

Two or three parties will go after the lumber some time soon to build our new schoolhouse for this neighborhood.

Thos. Vaughn has sold out and gone to Plainview and is now in the mercantile business. Hugh Mays, who bought him out, has been improving some in the way of fixing fences. Mr. Mays is from the Territory and paid Tom \$3100 for his four sections.

Ed Ribble is doing some improving in the way of fences.

There is just about one half an acreage of feed stuff planted this year and our stockmen are a little uneasy.

A. P. Eaton, our horseman, has moved his horses to the breaks. He has bunch of good horses and it will pay him to watch them close.

It has been real dry down here but the refreshing showers of last Thursday night made many happy hearts among our nesters whose corn was suffering but which is now revived and will stand several days longer.

Will Holders of Hart and Miss Dora Ledingham of Swisher county were married last Sunday at the home of the bride's parents in Swisher in the presence of a few friends. We wish them a long and happy life.

J. H. Williams, our steer man, has done some improving in the way of a well and windmill. There is nothing like having plenty of good, fresh water for stock.

E. F. CONNELL SELLS

His Twelve-Section Ranch in Oldham County to W. K. Dickinson.

While it was known that Ed. F. Connell wished to sell his Oldham county ranch, situated about thirty-five miles northwest of town, it came as a surprise on Tuesday that he had sold it to W. K. Dickinson, a prospector who came here recently from Cameron. The price paid was \$3000. Besides the ranch it is understood that about four hundred of his stock cattle went also to Mr. Dickinson, though at what figure could not be learned.

Mr. Dickinson is to be congratulated on his purchase as this property is considered one of the best in this section of the country and we gladly welcome him.

It is understood that Mr. Connell will locate in New Mexico and engage in the steer business exclusively. We are sorry to lose him as he was one of our most progressive citizens and a man in every respect and we wish him every success in his future ventures.

The sale was effected through the real estate firm of Witherspoon & Gough.

Installation of Officers.

At a meeting of the local lodge of Odd Fellows the following officers were installed by District Deputy Grand Master R. J. Kibbe:

- T. J. Davis, N. G.
- A. J. Lipscomb, V. G.
- C. L. Bounds, Sec.
- W. H. Patton, Treas.
- W. O. Keen, O. G.
- F. R. Dyer, Conductor.
- J. H. Turnbow, J. R.
- G. A. Sachse, R. S. to N. G.
- Geo. W. Dale, L. S. to N. G.
- B. T. Hinton, L. S. S.
- B. H. Smith, Chap.
- F. B. Fuller, P. G.

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IN HYMENIAL BONDS.

F. B. Fuller and Miss Salome Moore Quietly Married at Quanah.

As this morning's southbound train came rumbling in, little did the Hereford people think that a part of its burden was a bride and groom, and when F. B. Fuller and his bride stepped off the train, to say that their many friends were surprised is putting it mild.

But here is the way a city paper would chronicle the event:

Married—At Quanah Thursday, at 3:30 p. m., at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. C. N. N. Ferguson, of the Methodist church, Frank B. Fuller of Hereford and Miss Salome Moore of Mangum, Okla.

Mr. Fuller is serving his second term as the efficient clerk of Deaf Smith county, which testifies as to his popularity and business integrity, while the bride was formerly an eminently successful instructor in the Hereford High School and counts as her friends all who have been honored with her acquaintance.

On arriving in Hereford they were met by Geo. W. Dale, who drove them to Mr. Fuller's beautiful home on the corner of Missouri and Lee avenues, where they will henceforth reside and be at home to their many friends who will join with the REPORTER in bespeaking for them a long life of happiness and usefulness.

A QUIET WEDDING.

Will Boyce and Miss Katherine Tannehill Married at Amarillo.

Last Wednesday night the immediate families of the contracting couple assembled at the spacious home of Judge and Mrs. L. Q. Tannehill to witness the marriage of their youngest daughter, Miss Katherine, to Will Boyce. The ceremony took place at 9 o'clock, the Rev. H. M. Banda officiating.

The groom is the well known attorney for the Syndicate Land & Cattle Company, while the bride is one of Amarillo's most charming society leaders and both have a host of well wishers for their future welfare. Among those present from out of town were Judge and Mrs. Jno. E. Ferguson of Hereford, the latter being a sister of the bride, and her two brothers, Charlie and Lisle of Roswell.

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Free Delivery.

COMING AND GOING.

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

The Hereford Lumber Co. has a new adv. in this issue.

E. W. Harrison of La Plata was registered at the Humphrey Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Elkins of Endee, N. M., was registered at the Humphrey Tuesday.

Bounds & Lipscomb announce in this issue that they have received a large line of new goods.

Mrs. W. T. Crabtree and daughter of Endee, N. M., were registered at the Humphrey Tuesday.

M. Jacobsgaard left Wednesday for Canyon where he will assist in Smith, Walker & Co.'s store at that point during the re-union.

Beach & Orr, who recently purchased the ice cream and confectionery business of G. E. Burns & Co., have a new adv. in this issue.

Mrs. R. M. Johnson and charming daughter, Miss Flossie, left yesterday for Davilla where they will visit Mrs. Johnson's daughter, Mrs. Gussie Fowler.

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. 21-4f

On Saturday last G. E. Burns & Co., sold their ice cream and confectionery business to Harmon Beach and Charlie Orr, who will continue the business at the old stand. Burns & Co. are closing out their grocery stock and will retire from business.

J. N. Green and family of Knox county are prospecting hereabouts.

G. E. Burns & Co. advertise that they are closing out their stock of groceries at cost.

Miss Eva Humphrey is confined to her bed with congestion. Dr. Johnson is attending her.

B. C. D. Bynum, the genial manager of Smith, Walker & Co.'s store at this point, made a flying trip to Canyon Wednesday.

L. Loughlin moved into his new residence across the Tierra Blanco this week. He paid this office a pleasant visit and subscribed for this paper.

The first nine of Canyon will cross bats with the Hereford team tomorrow at this place. You should attend the game and thus give the boys all the encouragement possible.

Joe Killough, A. J. Lipscomb and Geo. Dale returned Saturday from their trip to South Dakota. They visited Deadwood and tell some harrowing tales of that city, its ways and customs. They report a pleasant and profitable trip.

Hinton & May, the liverymen, say that the furnishing of conveyances is getting to be quite a problem, there being so many prospectors in town who wish to look over the surrounding country. They will probably be expansionists before long.

S. G. Sykes, vicepresident of the St. Louis Commission Co., was in town Saturday and bought through Smith, Walker & Co. three cars of wool belonging to J. T. McCormick, G. R. Hay, J. A. Johnson and B. T. Bell of Dimmitt, and B. Garcia, M. Garcia, Isador Chaves and Louis Grego of Endee, N. M.

Mr. McKlung and wife of Harde-man county came in Wednesday and are prospecting hereabouts.

Lisle Tannehill came in this morning from Amarillo and left soon for his ranch east of town.

Mrs. Jno. E. Ferguson returned this morning from Amarillo, where she had been to attend the Boyce-Tannehill wedding.

Will Gough and his sister, Miss Mattie, came in this morning from Ladonia, and are visiting at the home of their uncle, Judge L. Gough.

We have just finished a large order for job work for the Hereford National Bank. This institution is doing a thriving business and believes in patronizing home industries.

Rates to Colorado.

From June 1 to September 30, inclusive, the Pecos & Northern Texas Railway will sell round trip summer tourist tickets to Colorado points at the following rates from Hereford:

To Boulder	\$27.00
To Denver	27.00
To Colorado Springs	23.50
To Pueblo	20.50
To Trinidad	14.50

Final limit for return, October 31, 1901.

Stopovers allowed anywhere north of Trinidad.

See your local agent.

T. J. DAVIS, Agent,
Hereford, Texas.

DON A. SWEET, Traffic Manager,
Amarillo, Texas.

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 advice from Hereford, Texas, to Buffalo, N. Y., and return at the rate of \$66.90. 14f

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.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Comments on Current Events in the Busy Outside World.

The man who was hankering after an old-fashioned summer has hid himself in an ice house.

Boss Platt's announced retirement has not interfered with his dictation of Federal appointments in New York.

Boss Hanna will be glad to pay the freight on that contemplated bolt in Ohio. That is one good and sufficient reason why it should not occur.

The difference between ex-Indian Agent Sharpe and some of the Indian agents is that Sharpe has been tried and convicted of having accepted bribes.

Republicans were ready enough to claim credit for big crops, but they are not claiming any responsibility for the hot wave that played havoc with the country's corn crop.

The New York Evening Post thinks the tariff situation offers an opportunity for a great republican, which is true enough, but as there is no great republican, it will not be taken advantage of.

Ex-Governor Black of New York is said to look longingly upon a seat in the senate, but owing to Platt's dislike, which prevented his renomination for governor, he will probably look a long time before he gets it.

Attending bull fights isn't the only peculiarity of Gov. Savage of Nebraska. He has pardoned Joe Bartley, who was sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary for stealing \$100,000 while he was state treasurer.

There are it seems so-called democrats in Kentucky who are willing to make senatorial dickers with the administration, but we trust it will require more votes than they can control to make such a dicker effective.

Although carpetbagism has only just been introduced in the Philippines, the carpet bag officials are already beginning to get into trouble for using their official positions for their private profit. This is an old story and the country may as well prepare to hear it constantly repeated with slight variations. It is extremely probable that these stories will become a factor in the next presidential campaign.

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OFFICE IN COURT HOUSE HEREFORD, TEXAS

A delver in political records has discovered that appointed senators have seldom succeeded themselves.

It is reported from London that Gen. Kitchener is in danger of being made a scapegoat for the failure of the British to end the Boer war.

The shipment of 6,000 horses from New Orleans, for the use of the British army in South Africa doesn't indicate British expectation of an early end of the Boer war.

The prevailing strikes and threatened strikes indicate very conclusively that the men behind the muscles do not think they are getting their share of the much vaunted prosperity.

The new Turkish minister to the United States brought his wife with him. He didn't bring his harem, probably because he thought he could collect a new one over here, if he found he couldn't get along without one.

As Governor Allen is slated to resign the governorship of Porto Rico, it is expected that Mr. McKinley, with whom he is a favorite, will find something better for him. He is said to have diplomatic aspirations.

Gen. Chaffee has been poking fun at the uniforms of American officers and advising them to hire better tailors. Wonder if Chaffee aspires to become the Sampson of the army?

If "Joe" Cannon believes, as he says he does, that the result of the next republican national convention will be in doubt until several ballots have been taken, he should be treated for the "simples."

The right of the majority to rule always has been one of the fundamental principles of the democratic party, and it will continue to be, notwithstanding an occasional objection from the short-sighted corner.

Mayor Harrison says "politics and tax dodgers" are keeping Chicago from going to its proper place in the race for commercial supremacy, and that if the tax dodgers cannot be forced to come down with their proper share of the city's expenses it will soon drop to the third class.

Board and Room Wanted.

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

RE-UNION AT CANYON.

July 30-31 and August 1-2—A Large Attendance Expected—Friday will be "Hereford Day."

A large sized re-union of Confederate Veterans, West Texas Cowboy's Association and Northwest Texas Press Association will be held at Canyon next week Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and as a consequence a large sized crowd of visitors from the surrounding country will be there to see the fun.

Broncho riding, steer roping, cow pony races, sack races, tournaments for ladies and gentlemen, a fine stock show and various other amusements will be provided for the visitors and a good time is assured all.

After some discussion it has been suggested that Hereford people make an effort to get the re-union for 1902 held here, and for that purpose Friday, August 2, has been picked out as a day for Herefordites to be present in full force and make a united effort to secure the re-union. So remember that Friday, August 2, will be Hereford Day at the re-union at Canyon and all who can should attend.

The Pecos Valley R. R. gives a one fare rate for the round trip.

I have three acres, centrally located which I would like to sell—wholly or in part. W. H. Robinson. 1444

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R. H. GOUGH, M. D.

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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.

Buy best cigars at Gough's. 18tf
Go to the Hereford restaurant for chilie. 14tf
Judge Kerr and family of Dimmitt were in town Saturday.
Ladies' sleeveless vests at 5c at Smith, Walker & Co.'s. 21tf
Sam Wise of Dimmitt was registered at the Humphrey Saturday.
E. Carter was in from his ranch Sunday, stopping at the Ritchey.
Call and see J. M. McGlothlin for nice residence lots, south front. 13tf
Rat Jowell took Monday morning's train for a business trip to Amarillo.
Geo. L. Muse was in town the first of the week, being quartered at the Humphrey.
We have some men's and boys' clothing, hats and shoes for sale at cost. W. W. Meeks. 12tf
Burt Williams of Liberty, N. M., stopped at the Humphrey Saturday, taking Sunday's train for the north.
Smith's Dentifrice for hardening the gums, cleaning the teeth and sweetening the breath. Sold at Gough's Drug Store. 19tf

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Big Reduction in Millinery Goods
All Work Guaranteed

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Barclay Bell of Dimmitt was registered at the Ritchey Sunday.

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

M. F. Banber of Castro county was registered at the Humphrey Saturday.

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

W. P. Rambo was a pleasant caller at this office Saturday, renewing his subscription to the REPORTER.

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

Mrs. Jno. E. Ferguson and son, Oliver, went to Amarillo, Sunday to spend a week with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Tannehill.

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

John Flowers of Falls, county was a prospector in town the latter part of last week. He is so pleased with this country that he will return soon.

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

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

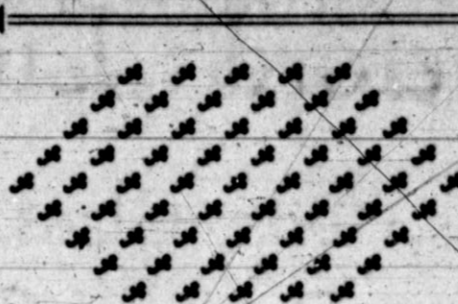
James Ivy was in from the ranch Saturday, registering at the Humphrey. Mr. Ivy paid this office a pleasant call and \$1.50 for a year's subscription to the REPORTER.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Alby are visiting friends at Duke, Okla., for a couple of weeks. L. E. Liles is acting as manager of the String-fellow-Hardware Co.'s interests at this place during Mr. Alby's absence.

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



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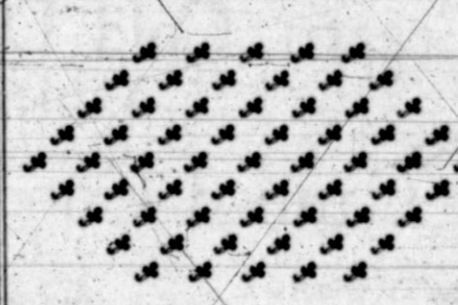
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J. E. Tucker of Dimmitt was registered at the Ritchey Sunday.

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

A. S. Bassett was in town Saturday being registered at the Humphrey.

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

J. W. Head came in from his ranch Sunday, stopping at the Humphrey.

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

Dr. W. E. Robertson left Tuesday for points down the line. He will return about August 10th.

Judge W. G. Mullins, of the real estate firm of Mullins & Boyd, left Sunday for a visit at his old home, Jacksboro.

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

J. M. Burrow of Amarillo, traveling sales agent for the wholesale grocery firm of Nobles Bros., was in town Monday, registering at the Humphrey.

F. M. Avis, Mrs. M. C. White, Miss Della Palmer and Master Piner Avis returned Wednesday morning from a delightful trip through Colorado.

W. M. Freeman, special agent for the Hartford Fire Insurance Co., of which Witherspoon & Gough are the local agents, was in town Monday on business.

Avis Palmer, the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Palmer, had the misfortune to be thrown from a burro on Sunday last and was quite badly bruised.

O. M. Conoley, of the meat market firm of Meeks & Conoley, left Monday for a business trip to New Mexico. T. J. Hunt is assisting in the market during Ola's absence.

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

Witherspoon & Gough on Saturday sold for S. S. Evans 10 acres of land from his town section to E. J. Miller of Plainview. Consideration \$260. Mr. Miller expects to build a fine residence on his purchase in the near future and make Hereford his home.

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S. P. Brooks of Waco, representing the Baylor University, was a business caller in town yesterday.

F. T. Denson, the photographer, made a business trip to Amarillo Monday morning, returning Tuesday.

T. W. Hart, the genial postmaster of the Castro county town of Hart, was a pleasant caller at this office on Thursday.

J. W. Cowles, who has been the guest of his uncle, J. S. Wyche, for a couple of weeks past, returned to his home at Terrell on Tuesday.

Judge Jno. E. Ferguson, the conservative president of the Hereford National Bank, left Wednesday for Amarillo to attend the Boyce-Tannehill marriage, returning Thursday.

County Clerk F. B. Fuller left Tuesday for a week's visit at Fort Worth. County Judge Boyd is attending to the duties of county clerk during Mr. Fuller's absence.

Charlie Tannehill of the Roswell firm of Stringfellow & Tannehill passed through here yesterday on his way to Roswell, having been to Amarillo to witness the marriage of his sister.

James Head, while on his way from the party at Mr. Jowell's Wednesday night, had the misfortune to run in a barbed wire fence, throwing him and cutting his horse quite badly.

G. A. Sachse returned Saturday from a visit to his old home at Abilene, Kansas. He says the town has changed greatly since he left there, seventeen years previous to his recent visit.

Judge and Mrs. J. P. Connell left Wednesday for Boulder, Colo., where Mrs. Connell will enter the Sanitarium and remain for a couple of months for the benefit of her health. The Judge ordered this paper sent to her while there.

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 & Lipcomb.

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The Misses Jowell Entertain in Honor of Miss Clark.

Last Wednesday evening a large number of carriages could be seen wending their way eastward, their destination being the beautiful home of G. R. Jowell and his two charming daughters, which is picturesquely situated on the famous Tierra Blanco.

A merrier crowd of young people were never assembled and from the joyful sounds of ringing laughter it was evident that all present were enjoying themselves to a degree of immensity.

The earlier portion of the evening was spent in music, social chat, games and last, but not least, in boating on the prettiest stream in the country—the Tierra Blanco. The moon, having condescended to cast her soft, beaming illuminations on Mother Earth, made this last favorite pastime an especially enjoyable one.

Then followed the event of the evening—a genuine, old-fashioned cake walk—in which several of the light footed young people took a conspicuous part, to the strains of the "Georgia Camp Meeting" as

played by Miss Rose Bratton. Conner Jowell and Miss Flossie Johnson proved to be the most artistic in that pastime and were awarded the cake—a large one of the chocolate variety.

After the cake walk had finished all repaired to the spacious dining parlors where a dainty lunch was spread, which was partaken of with great relish by all.

When all had dined it was found that the wee sma' hours were waning and the merry party left for their respective homes, all agreeing that the Misses Jowell and their charming guest, Miss Clark, were royal entertainers.

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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.

T. J. Davis, Noble Grand. C. L. Bounds, Secretary.

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

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

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

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

W. OF W.

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C. M. A.

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

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HEREFORD SANITARY AND IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY.

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

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

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Meets once each month. Mrs. M. P. Finnicum, President.

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Mrs. Geo. W. Irwin, President.

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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 Lotton, 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.

KANSAS BABY BEEF MAKING.

Result of a Test at the Kansas State Agricultural College.

We are indebted to Jno. E. Ferguson for the Breeder's Gazette of the issue of July 10th, which contains the following article which will be read with interest and profit by the many stock-growing readers of the REPORTER, this section of the country being especially adapted to baby beef raising:

An experiment just concluded by Prof. H. M. Cottrell at the Kansas State Agricultural College, Manhattan, in the production of baby beef has given some most astonishing results. One hundred and thirty calves of mixed breeding—scrubs, grade Herefords, grade Shorthorns and grade Angus, picked up as it happened—showed in six months' feeding a gain of 100 pounds of beef for every 223 to 592 pounds of grain and 410 to 613 pounds of roughage; whereas, according to Prof. W. A. Henry's figures, deduced from a large number of experiments, it requires 1000 pounds of grain and 500 pounds of roughage to produce 100 pounds of beef on more mature animals. Baby beef sells for nearly as much today in the Kansas City and Chicago markets as mature beef does. It will not be at all surprising, therefore, if the result of this experiment shall practically revolutionize present methods of beef production among farmers with limited pastures.

"But baby beef cannot be successfully produced," says Prof. Cottrell, "without alfalfa or soy beans or some similar foods which will take their place. As between alfalfa and soy beans, alfalfa will yield the greatest quantity of protein, the desirable element, and is, therefore, to be preferred, but it takes two years to get the first crop of alfalfa, whereas soy beans may be produced in 90 days. The man who starts with neither of these, therefore, can get results more quickly with soy beans."

"What does the production of baby beef mean to the Western farmer?"

"Nothing to the ranchman who has cheap pasture in abundance; a complete change in the methods of crop production and of feeding to the farmer with high priced, limited pastures.

"The farmer who raises and fattens mature steers has to furnish pasture for his cows, the yearlings, the two-year-olds and often for the three-year-olds. He waits three years from the time a calf is born until he realizes on the investment. Only one-fourth of his herd are cows producing calves. If the farmer will produce baby beef he can fill his pasture to the full limit with cows producing calves and he will realize on the calves twelve months from the date of their birth. He saves the pasturage of his yearlings, two-year-olds and three-year-olds. In short, he saves three-fourths of his pasture. The farmer's grain will produce from 50 to 100 per cent more pounds of baby beef than it will of beef from a mature steer. And baby beef sells for as high a price per hundred as that of the average steer. The market reports show this. In the production of baby beef the farmer can market his heifer calves at the same price as

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his steers. He usually get more for the twelve-months-old heifer than he would for the same animal if kept until maturity. It is the only time when a heifer will bring as much per pound as a steer."

Professor Cottrell selected for his experiment about the same class of cattle that the average western farmer raises. He "took them as they ran," heifers and steers alike, and then handled them just about as the average western farmer handles his feeding cattle. He housed them in the commonest kind of sheds and let them run loose in the ordinary feed-lot.

The calves were fed seven-months with the following results:

FEED.	Average gain per head, lbs.	Grain per 100 lbs. gain.	Hay per 100 lbs. gain.	Cost for each 100 lbs. gain.
Alfalfa hay and corn	407	470	534	5 54
Alfalfa hay and Kaffir corn	379	524	613	5 77
Prairie hay, corn 2-3 and soy beans 1-3	378	532	435	5 40
Prairie hay, Kaffir corn 2-3 and and soy beans 1-3	328	592	538	5 69
Skim-milk calves, alfalfa hay and corn	440	438	438	4 88
Whole milk calves, alfalfa hay and corn	404	223	410	3 24

The corn cost 47 cents per bushel, Kaffir corn 38 cents, soy beans \$1 per hundred pounds, alfalfa hay \$8 per ton and prairie

hay \$4.50 per ton. At the close of the experiment, May 27, the entire lot averaged 800 pounds per head in the college feed lots. The shrinkage in shipping to Kansas City was three per cent. Thirty-two steers averaged 838 pounds and sold at \$5.40 per 100 pounds, seventy-four heifers averaged 758 pounds and sold at \$5.35, and eighteen heifers averaged 741 pounds and sold at \$5.15. Six heifers went as springers.

The Armour Packing Company purchased the calves and slaughtered them in three bunches. The first bunch of eighteen heifers made a test of 968. They dressed 56.6 per cent or 420 pounds to the head. They tallowed 6.6 per cent or 49 pounds per head.

The second bunch of seventy-four heifers tested 940. They dressed 57 per cent or 432 pounds per head and tallowed 6.3 per cent or 47 pounds per head.

The third bunch of thirty-two steers tested 941. They dressed 57.2 per cent or 480 pounds per head and tallowed 6.1 per cent or 51 pounds per head.

The packers report an active market for baby beef, but say there is not much on the market. They are unable to get it.

Alfalfa hay and corn gave the greatest gains, followed by alfalfa hay and Kaffir corn. At all times through the seven months' feeding, the calves fed alfalfa hay appeared to be in the best condition, and they finished the best. The corn and

Kaffir corn were fed whole for a little over half the experiment and then were ground for the finish.

With the first four lots, as given in the table, prairie hay shows a lower cost for 100 pounds of gain than alfalfa hay, but the prairie hay was purchased at \$4.50 per ton, an average price, while alfalfa hay cost \$8 per ton, double the usual price at Manhattan. If the alfalfa hay could have been purchased at the ordinary price, it would have shown the cost of producing 100 pounds of gain at least \$1 less than when prairie hay was fed.

The soy beans with their narrow nutritive ratio, balanced up the prairie hay and corn and Kaffir corn and helped to induce good gains, though not as good as were made by alfalfa.

Kaffir corn did not show as good gains as corn, but the calves did well on it and Prof. Cottrell believes it will be a profitable grain to grow on uplands and in the dry regions of the West for feeding baby beef.

The remarkable feature of this experiment is the small amount of feed required to make 100 pounds of gain. Last year the Kansas Agricultural College reported making 100 pounds gain on 1000-pound steers with 718 and 780 pounds of corn. Many old feeders wrote that they could not make such gains with so little feed. Prof. Henry reports that he finds the average in a large number of feeding experiments with steers to be 100 pounds of gain for 1000 pounds of grain and 500 pounds of roughage.

With the exception of one lot, these calves averaged 100 pounds gain for from 438 to 592 pounds of grain and 438 to 613 pounds of hay. The calves raised on whole milk by hand made the almost incredible gain of 100 pounds for each 223 pounds of corn and 410 pounds of alfalfa hay, less than one-fourth the usual amount of grain required by a fattening steer.

These calves were put into feed lots at weaning time and averaged a little over a year old when sold in Kansas City, May 29. The thirty-two steers sold at \$5.40 and brought an average of \$45.29 each, seventy-four of the best heifers sold at \$5.35 and brought \$40.60 cents each, the eighteen poorest heifers sold at \$5.15 and brought \$38.20 each. All the steers were home bred, while sixty of the heifers were range bred.

For equal weights and quality, the packers will pay as much for fat year-old heifer calves as they will for steers of the same age, and this is the only time in the heifer's life when she will bring as much pound for pound as a steer.

The price secured for these year-old heifer calves was fully as great as would have been secured if they had been kept under usual conditions and marketed for a beef a year later.

In every case, native stock made the best gains. In the first four lots there were in each lot fifteen range calves and five calves that had run with their dams in small pastures under ordinary farm conditions. The native calves made an average gain per head of 409 pounds, the range calves 369 pounds.

In three lots that were fed alfalfa hay and corn, range calves gained an average of 396 pounds.

each, calves that ran with their dams in small pastures 435 pounds each, and calves raised on skim milk 440 pounds each.

"The tamer calves are when they go into the feed lots," says Prof. Cottrell, "the better the gains and the cheaper every pound of gain is put on. The farmer who raises his own stock and pets them has every advantage in producing beef cheaply over the ranchman and over the feeder who buys at stock yards and gets calves that have had all the loss and excitement of shipping."

A glance at the table will show that the calves raised until weaning on skim milk made greater gains and gains at less cost than any of the lots that had run with their dams until weaning. The difference in favor of the skim milk calves is strongly marked.

These skim milk calves were not the stunted things that a feeder ordinarily thinks of when he hears of skim milk calves, but were thrifty, rapid growing calves when they went into the feed lots and had made a gain of one and a half to two pounds each per day while being fed separator skim milk and corn and Kaffir corn.

Professor Cottrell attributes their good gains to the fact that at weaning time they were already on grain feed, they did not worry at the loss of their dams as did the other calves, and they were thoroughly tame.

When a farmer can sell a skim milk calf at a year old for \$40 to \$45, as these were sold, it adds largely to the profit of dairying.

Experiments made at the Kansas station show that "scrub" cows bought at ordinary prices, if they are well selected will produce from \$50 to \$75 worth of milk per year at creamery prices. The calves fed creamery skim milk until weaning made the greatest gains in the feed lots and sold at \$40 to \$45 per head. This shows a gross income of from \$80 to \$120 per cow by pushing both cow and calf.

Prof. Cottrell says that the farmer who produces baby beef should raise alfalfa and feed alfalfa hay to both cow and calf every day in the year. Cow-pea, soy bean, field pea and red clover hay may be used to give variety and this means that the farmer will grow leguminous crops largely and they will continually improve his fields.

In each feed lot used in the Manhattan experiment a heavy branch of a tree was set in the ground at an angle of about forty-five degrees. This is what Prof. Cottrell refers to as "a great scientific discovery." The calves rub against it. It does them good and saves the fences. "Cattle curry themselves," said he. "They will find some place to rub against. They want to straighten out their hair and clean it. The rubbing also loosens up their skins and makes them feel better. It is good for them. If they can not find anything else to rub against they will tackle a fence post. They were continually knocking down our fences by rubbing against them. Finally we decided to put some tree limbs in the ground 'slaunchways.' We had not any more than got them in before the cattle began to rub against them. Since then the cattle do all their rubbing against the tree limbs and our fences are never down."

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No well regulated cattle pasture or pen should be without a stove in the water tank in the winter time, according to Prof. Cottrell's idea. "A water tank should be located so that cattle can get to it any time," he says. "In the winter time a solid cast iron stove with one opening at the top to put fuel in and another for the pipe should be put in the tank. The stove can be kept going at less cost than the cost of keeping the ice chopped out of the tank. It takes half a pound of coal per animal to keep the stove going a day. Water should be kept at about the temperature of well water. The temperature of cattle is about 103 degrees. They drink on an average of seventy pounds of water a day; at least, that is what they should drink. If the water is kept at 50 or 60 degrees temperature they will gulp down a vast amount of it. It does not chill them. Water is very fattening. If an animal is required to root its nose around among chunks of ice to get a drink of ice water on a cold wintry day it does not drink the required amount, and what it does drink makes it chilly and shivery. Then it takes just that much more grain to heat it up. Therefore the grain consumed in heating the animal up as a result of drinking ice water is completely lost."

The calves which were used in the experiment given above were fed from troughs in the open feed lot. In feeding, the hay and corn were mixed. A layer of hay would be thrown in the trough and the corn put on top. The corn would sift down and mix with the hay. This should be done by all means to get good results, so Prof. Cottrell says. The starch in the corn must be converted into sugar by the animal before it can be taken into the system and make the animal gain. Saliva does this. If fed shelled corn without roughage the animal gulps it down and it goes into the last stomach immediately and is wasted for lack of being digested. If the animal is compelled to eat hay along with the corn, both are taken into the paunch and it comes back with the cud. An animal fed this way in the morning will chew his cud all day, the starch is converted into sugar and the benefit is reaped.

The Kansas Agricultural College

will make a more extensive experiment along the same lines next winter. Professor Cottrell will feed 200 calves.

HEREFORD'S BOYS BEATEN.

In a Baseball Game at Canyon Last Saturday.

Last Friday night a baseball nine, known as the "Sluggers," composed of Fred Meredith, Homer Inmon, James Carter, Herbert Bigger, Curtis Whitney, Luther Hough, Albert Bratton, Tom Carter and Roger Mullins, all boys ranging from eleven to fifteen years in age, went to Canyon to accept a challenge from a boy nine at that place to play a game of baseball on the following day.

The trip was made overland, Will Smith having the boys in charge.

On Saturday it was found that two of the Sluggers' men, Tom Carter and Roger Mullins, could not be present and Mr. Smith and a Canyon printer were substituted in their places.

When the nines lined up it was found that the youngest player on the Canyon team was older than any of the Sluggers' nine—in fact the battery of the home team was the battery for Canyon's first nine. Our boys objected but to no avail, and rather than be ungentlemanly and have no game they accepted the conditions and were of course hopelessly beaten.

Do Not Want the Re-Union.

At the mass meeting held Tuesday night to elect a board of directors for the college, the question of making a bid for the Soldiers' re-union to be held in 1902 was brought up. After a short discussion it was decided that inasmuch as we had a college proposition on our hands, it would be best not to undertake to entertain the re-union next year, the article to that effect on page four, notwithstanding.

RECEIVERS APPOINTED.

To Settle the Affairs of the Capitol Syndicate Land & Cattle Company.

It came as a surprise that W. H. Fuqua, the president of the First National Bank of Amarillo, and J. V. Goode had been appointed as receivers of the Capitol Syndicate Land & Cattle Company's large interests in this state.

Rumor is rife, but nothing authentic can be learned of the affair, but it is commonly supposed that the smaller stockholders were dissatisfied with the way their holdings were being managed and took this mode of procedure to straighten out the affairs and get their money out of the business.

It is needless to say that the company is entirely solvent and that the business will go on as heretofore.

CAMP COMEDY CO.

Gave a Creditable Performance to a Large Audience Last Night.

Wednesday the large tent of the Camp Comedy Co. was pitched on the green across the street from this office and bills were passed around announcing a performance to be given the following night.

At about 8:30 Thursday evening a large crowd assembled inside the tent to witness a clever performance consisting of legerdemain, spiritualistic and comedy sketches. Another performance will be given this evening with an entire change of program.

On An Inspection Tour.

Thursday's southbound train brought J. L. Smith of Amarillo and J. A. Walker of Brownwood into Hereford to examine into the condition of their store at this point. It is to Manager Bynum's credit that everything was found satisfactory and the business in a flourishing condition. Mr. Smith took Wednesday's northbound train for Amarillo, while Mr. Walker left on the southbound train to inspect the company's stores at Roswell, Carlsbad and Pecos.

Attention Knights!

An important meeting of the local lodge of Knights of Pythias will be held this evening at the lodge room. All Knights are specially requested to be present.

Dental Notice.

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

W. E. ROBERTSON.

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