

HEREFORD REPORTER

Three Business Blocks and Fourteen Houses are Being Erected Here

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HEREFORD, DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS, AUGUST 23, 1901

\$1.50 PER YEAR

COMING AND GOING.

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

Joe Killough went to Amarillo yesterday—circus and business.

Buy your school books, tablets and pencils at Dr. Gough's Drug Store. 27tf

Will Harlan joined the crowd and saw the show at Amarillo yesterday.

D. R. Gass and daughters, Miss Brucie and Imo, spent yesterday in Amarillo.

Dr. W. E. Robertson, the dentist, went to Amarillo yesterday morning on business.

James Fulfer of Dimmitt was a pleasant caller at the REPORTER office Wednesday.

Mrs. A. E. McKellar spent a few days this week with Mrs. W. H. Clary, at the latter's ranch east of town.

Miss Belle Jones of Endee, N. M., came in Wednesday and was among those that enjoyed the circus at Amarillo yesterday.

F. W. Nations was in from Endee, N. M., yesterday after supplies. While here he purchased a good sized bill of lumber from E. W. Dyer & Sons.

S. S. Evants returned from his ranch Wednesday, having spent the past week building fences and making other improvements. He says his cattle are looking fine.

John Boyd has resigned his position at Joe Killough's to give his ranch his personal attention. Dalton Johnson has accepted the position made vacant by Mr. Boyd's resignation.

The wounds of Lawrence Avis, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Avis, who was badly lacerated about the head and neck by being thrown from a burro into a wire fence, are now entirely healed. The little fellow suffered much severe pain, but endured it with a fortitude equal to a grown man, and we are pleased to note that his pains are ended from the trying ordeal.

Rat Jowell returned Saturday from his trip to Bob, I. T.

G. R. Hay and family enjoyed the show at Amarillo yesterday.

B. T. Hinton and family took in the circus and sights at Amarillo yesterday.

Cattle Inspector Sam Dunn went up the road yesterday morning and saw the circus at Amarillo.

Sheriff J. T. Innon went down the road yesterday morning to Roswell, N. M., on official business.

Smith, Walker & Co. have had their delivery wagon painted and lettered. It presents quite a city-like appearance.

Lost—A Waterman's Ideal fountain pen on last evening, somewhere on Dewey Avenue. Finder please return to this office.

W. A. Robison and O. A. Davidson threw aside business cares yesterday and went to Amarillo. Another case of circus.

D. F. Johnson raised a watermelon in his garden weighing 45 pounds. This is the largest we have heard of. Can you beat it?

J. T. Rutherford, a prominent ranchman living twelve miles northwest of town, was in Wednesday. He says everything is prospering at his place.

Walter Bradley, who has been laid up since last June with a broken leg, came in Wednesday, for the first time since his accident. We are glad to note that his injury is improving as rapidly as could be expected.

F. T. Denson, the leading photographic artist of Amarillo, formerly of this place, came in Tuesday to superintend the loading on the car of his household effects. Mr. Denson has erected a large and well lighted studio in the business center of Amarillo and, with a first-class outfit, will give the Amarillo people their money's worth in his line. Mrs. Denson and the children left on Thursday's train for Amarillo, where they will henceforth reside. This excellent family was among the first to become residents of Hereford and it was with deep regret that their many friends witnessed their departure.

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Having purchased the Ice Cream and Confectionery business of G. E. Burns & Co., we have re-arranged the Store and Stock and are now prepared to serve

Ice Cream, Cold Drinks, Tobaccos, Cigars, Confectioneries, Fruits Canned Goods, etc., etc.

YOUR PATRONAGE IS SOLICITED

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B. C. D. Bynum spent yesterday in Amarillo with friends.

Ira Aten and family went to Amarillo yesterday and attended the circus.

Will Teale had very urgent business in Amarillo yesterday—circus of course.

Dr. Gough is the agent for the State accepted school books—go to his drug store for them. 27tf

Miss Pearl Hancock returned to Amarillo Wednesday morning after a pleasant week's visit with Hereford relatives.

S. H. Madden, of the legal firm of Browning & Madden of Amarillo, spent last Monday in Hereford in connection with the Hinton vs. Johnson case.

Judge Plemons, of the firm of Plemons & Veale, attorneys, and wife came down from Amarillo last Monday morning and spent the day in town.

Prof. Burt, well known throughout south and central Texas as an optician and eye specialist, is here for a short time, being located at the Humphrey House. We have visited Prof. Burt's office and examined his stock of eye goods and can truthfully say that he has all the latest and newest designs in spectacle frames and eye glasses in all sizes and shapes, especially ladies' and children's. We have also met several of our townsmen who are acquainted with the Professor and they say he is perfectly reliable and an expert in his business.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

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

"Billy" Mason is this year finding all of his summer recreation inside the State of Illinois.

Teddy's experience in Colorado may give him some pointers on how to deal with Platt's political coyotes in New York.

Several more or less prominent republicans are showing a lot of anxiety lest the wicked democrats take advantage of the steel strike to make party capital.

Secretary Wilson eventually found out that the corn crop was very severely damaged, but the acknowledgment did not probably injure any of his friends among the speculators.

It would be difficult to spot anything smaller in the political line than the attempt to make Mr. Bryan responsible for the alleged democratic bolters in Ohio. He came out flat-footed against the bolt when it was first proposed.

If Mr. McKinley wishes to increase the chances for fairplay for Admiral Schley, he should issue an order assuring officers of the Navy that they can testify freely before the court of inquiry without fear of getting themselves on the department blacklist, if their testimony does not happen to suit the clique now running the department.

The country has been somewhat shocked to see a brave officer censured by the Navy Department for telling the truth about a tricky politician, and the lying and malicious attack of an employe of the department on another brave officer overlooked. But such shocks may be expected until there is a change in the control of the Navy Department.

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The Humphrey House

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Everything New.
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The first prize-winner in the Oklahoma land lottery has asked that U.S. troops put the trespassers off his homestead.

With Jerry Wilson for his chief counsel there is little danger that Schley's legal rights will be infringed upon during the coming inquiry.

Alger has turned up again for the purpose of calling public attention to his book, soon to be on the market. Needless to say it isn't dedicated to Gen. Miles.

Mitchael Davitt, the Irish leader, declares that England's attempt to wipe out the two South African republics is the crime of the century. The worst of it is, that a word from this government would have stopped the crime in the beginning.

Confiscation has always been a favorite English weapon. The only surprising thing about Kitchener's introduction of it in South Africa is that he didn't do it earlier.

It may be that all the claims of the steel trust are justified by facts, but we have our doubts. According to the trust claims the strike has been tottering and will soon fall down. Well, let us wait and see if it does.

A Connecticut man has sent his bride of three weeks back to her Vermont home because he says he believed that she had drawn evil spirits around him and that his life would be in danger if she remained where he was. And he added insult to injury by saying that he still loved his wife.

Russell Sage seems to have fallen down hard in his attempt to pull off a big land grab in Minnesota. He ran up against a court which he couldn't make see his title.

The syndicate headed by Senator Clark of Montana is now credited with having secured uninterrupted right of way for their railroad from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles.

Reciprocity Commissioner Kasson has written an article on "The Value of Reciprocity Treaties to the United States," which reminds us that Mr. Kasson did not succeed in convincing the Senate of the value of the reciprocity treaties he negotiated for us.

Hello! What's the matter with Gov. Taft? He declares that tariff reform is imperative for the development of the Philippines. Congressman Babcock says it just as imperative for us but the republican bosses say no. Perhaps if the matter were sufficiently agitated, they might change their minds.

The transport Ingalls is evidently a hoodoo ship. While she was being got ready to carry a Congressional junketing party to the Philippines she turned over and sank at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, and now, after weeks of repairs, she had only just got started for Manila when she was compelled to return to New York, leaking like a sieve.

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. 14tf

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

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

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The Turtle's Revenge.

A restaurant keeper in Elizabeth, New Jersey, recently bought a large sea turtle, for future use in his business, and allowed it to crawl over the floor of the restaurant until he was ready to kill it. The principle may have been somewhat the same as that which induced the proprietors of certain French restaurants to have the cat in plain evidence when they had rabbit stew on the bill of fare, so that the customers might see that pussy was safe. In this case, however, it was the object of the proprietor to convince his patrons that the soup he served was not going to be made of mock turtle.

One of his customers, having nothing better to do, began to tease the turtle, kicking it on the head and otherwise tormenting it. The creature endured for a season, but not through Christian forbearance, as the sequel shows. He was merely waiting for his chance, and that is possibly the secret of some forbearance labeled Christian on the part of human beings.

When the chance came the turtle seized his tormentor by the calf of the leg and held on as if he intended to wait until it thundered before he let go. The man was not nearly as silent under punishment as his hard-shelled victim. He set up a vigorous howl and the proprietor came running in. Excited bystanders beat the turtle with sticks and canes, trying to make him let go, but the turtle's shell was expressly constructed for that sort of thing and he held on. Finally the restaurant keeper struck him in the neck with an ice-pick and the situation was relieved.

The occurrence might have been used by some old-fashioned theologian as an illustration in a sermon on the total depravity of all nature, due to the curse of Adam; for it was once currently believed that in the days before the Fall every animal lived in peace and harmony with its neighbor, and none were carnivorous or vicious in any way. Geology has upset this pretty theory by showing that there were carnivorous animals on earth before the appearance of man, but the fact is that the curse of Adam or any other supernatural factor is quite unneces-

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'Mid sorrow and care;
We die and we go, our
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But if we WEAR
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Free Delivery.

sary to invoke in this connection. The turtle was merely defending itself in the only way he knew and if the man had let well enough alone, he would not have been bothered.

There is in human nature altogether too much of the spirit which in this case led to such summary punishment. It exists especially among boys and young men, though some men old enough to know better indulge in it. They will tease and and worry a dog until the animal's patience gives out and then call the animal a vicious brute if they happen to get bitten. They will torment a horse till the creature is all

a-quiver with nervousness, under the pretext of training it, and if they can set a dog on some stray cat and see the cat chased up a miserably inadequate little tree, they are happy. There are few animals, especially among the domesticated species, which will attack human beings if they are let alone; and there are perhaps few which will not resent continual teasing and maltreating. More than one dog has been spoiled for decent society by just this sort of thing. In persuasion of "sport" the boys who had him in charge when a puppy have encouraged him to bite and pounce until he

is a terror to every timid child in the neighborhood and a nuisance to nervous adults. Then, some hot summer day, the fun goes a little too far, and the dog bites in earnest, and somebody has a hydrophobia scare. Unfortunately, the person bitten is not always the one who was responsible for the dog's irritable temper. In the case of the turtle, vengeance overtook the right person and nobody is likely to be particularly sorry for him, even if his victim was a somewhat unattractive member of the animal kingdom.

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.

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

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COMING AND GOING

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

Photo Envelopes at Dr. Gough's. 25tf

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Keliehor were in from their ranch Tuesday after supplies.

Our stock of sundries and toilet articles is increasing every week. Bounds & Lipscomb. 26tf

Ira Wheeler of Missouri, who has been visiting his brother, Clarence, at the latter's ranch, took Monday's train for the north.

Wallace English returned from his Gainesville trip Wednesday. He says "hot" is a mild term for the weather down there.

County Surveyor G. R. Jowell, of the firm of Jowell & Holloway, returned Monday from an extended business trip in Lamb county.

H. P. D. and H. D. Howard were in from their ranch the first of the week, being registered at the Ritchey. They returned home Wednesday.

C. H. Harlan and son, Garfield, returned Tuesday from a two weeks' pleasure and business trip to New Mexico. They report a very pleasant time.

To arrive soon—A full line of the celebrated Floersheim men's shoes. We will have the most up-to-date line in the Panhandle—not fifteen minutes behind. Smith, Walker & Co. 26tf

Postmaster Montgomery on Wednesday received a letter from H. Smith, formerly telegraph operator at this place, saying that he was now pleasantly located at Duncanville, Texas, and enclosed a subscription to the REPORTER, for which he has our thanks.

W. S. Files came in from the ranch Saturday evening and spent Sunday with his family, who are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. J. D. Files. While here Mr. Files rented one of Troy Womble's cottages for the winter—that his children might enjoy the advantages of our excellent schools.

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Jesse Smith of Endee, N. M., came in Wednesday for supplies.	Bert Smith of Apache canyon, N. M., came in Wednesday.
Call and see J. M. McGlothlin for nice residence lots, south front. 13tf	Stop and see the school supplies in the show window of Bounds & Lipscomb. 26tf
Geo. R. Hay, a prominent sheep man was in from his ranch near Dimmitt last Tuesday.	J. W. Salmons, a prospector from Pilot Point, arrived Tuesday and is stopping at the Humphrey.
Born—August 13, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Mounts, a girl. Mother and daughter doing well under Dr. Johnson's care.	Chas. Russell, manager of the TTT ranch in Apache canyon, N. M., came in Wednesday after supplies.
Robert Knight, who has been at the Humphrey suffering with congestion of the liver, is improving under Dr. Tinsley's care.	D. R. Gass & Son have some new locals in this week's issue advertising a fresh consignment of flour, trunks, etc.

Mrs. T. N. Hawkins is under Tinsley's care this week.

For Sale—A new 4-hole cook stove with pipe, etc. Inquire at this office.

Geo. M. Day, one of Deaf Smith county's prominent stock farmers, was here Wednesday.

James Ivy came in Sunday from his North Draw ranch and registered at the Humphrey.

J. A. Johnson, the grocer, has placed a new sign in front of his store on Dewey avenue.

At cost—until sold. Our entire line of ladies' shirt waists. Latest styles. Smith, Walker & Co. 26tf

Mrs. W. Beach's mother, Mrs. Hodges, is being treated by Dr. Tinsley, suffering from a tumor on the liver.

A. H. Dickson and family came in Monday and registered at the Humphrey. Mr. Dickson returned Tuesday to his ranch in company with M. V. Robertson, a prospector from Taylor, while his family left on the morning train for a visit among Childress friends.

In our Hereford High School article of last week we stated that Miss Dameron was to have charge of the grammar department. This was a mistake. Miss Dora McDonald of Dimmitt was the teacher chosen, Miss Dameron having accepted a position elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. E. Ferguson spent Sunday at the Tannehill ranch. Judge Ferguson says that they had a feast of green corn, watermelons, black bass and other goodies which were fit for a king while at the ranch. Judge and Miss Bettie Tannehill returned with them and left on Monday's train for Amarillo.

J. D. Williams, senior member of the firm of Williams & Son, coal and grain dealers, came up from Bovina Sunday morning and spent the day in the city. Mr. Williams is conducting extensive dealings with the new Rock Island extension in New Mexico and has just returned from the new work. He reports everything as progressing finely. He returned on Monday.

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L. A. Montgomery, P. M.

P. V. & N. T. TIME TABLE

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

STAGE TO DIMMITT.

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

STAGE TO ENDEE

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

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Happenings in Our Busy County Seat Briefly Told.

Go to Gough's for drugs. 18tf

Did you attend the circus?

Seed wheat at one dollar. J. C. Womble. 27t4p

Geo. L. Muse was in from his ranch Sunday.

See Stambaugh & Lipscomb if you need seed wheat or rye. 27-2t

J. P. Collier came in from his Lamb county ranch Tuesday after supplies.

A large shipment of the choicest candies just received at Bounds & Lipscomb's. 26tf

The Misses Lura and Empress Jowell are the guests of their sister, Mrs. D. F. Johnson, this week.

Mrs. Holman of Panhandle arrived Sunday and is visiting at the home of her brother, D. R. Blanton.

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

A. G. Richardson, W. S. Beard, and C. W. Knight of Canyon were here Tuesday. They are thinking of locating in Hereford.

DR. R. H. GOUGH

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Prescriptions Compounded by a
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Base ball supplies at Gough's. 25tf

Mrs. Joe Thomas and daughter left on Wednesday morning for Gainesville.

A large and complete line of the very best jewelry, just received at Bounds & Lipscomb's. 26tf

Mrs. W. H. Clary came in from the ranch Saturday and spent Sunday and Monday in town.

Lisle B. Tannehill came in Friday from Roswell and is looking after his ranch interests east of town.

Just opened, a full line of men's, boy's and children's fall suits, nobby, stylish and durable. Smith, Walker & Co. 26tf

R. A. Hough, the contractor and builder, is erecting a residence for Mr. Stoker, late of Ellis county, on Hereford Heights.

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

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Sachse and Miss Verna Owen made a pleasant fishing party on the Tierra Blanco Saturday evening.

Judge J. P. Connell came in from Boulder, Colo., Sunday morning. He says Mrs. Connell is rapidly improving in health at the Sanitarium at that place.

Wanted to trade—A team of good horses, 8 and 9 years old respectively, for good milk cow and calf. Inquire of Dr. R. W. Bounds, Hereford, Texas. 26tf

J. C. Newman is erecting a new residence, having disposed of his former residence property to W. A. Robinson, a prospector from Gainesville, who will soon move his family here.

Lost—On Sunday, Aug. 3, either in town or between town and T. M. Palmer's residence, a pocketbook containing \$15. Finder please return to this office and receive reward. 26tf

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Oliver, Miss Smith and B. H. Smith paid a visit to the ranch of the latter's father near Dimmitt last Sunday. They report a very enjoyable time, especially while in the watermelon patch.

For Sale—A tract of 320 acres situated three and one-half miles southwest of town; two-room house with cellar, good well, windmill and tank, sheds and corrals; field of 80 acres fenced; 75 in cultivation. Inquire of J. D. Files, Hereford, Texas. 26tf

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F. J. CLINKINBEARD - Cashier
F. M. AVIS - Vice-President

Buy jewelry at Gough's. 25tf

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

B. T. Bell, the prominent Castro county sheepman, was in town on business Tuesday.

L. R. Bradly, owner of the Tierra Blanco Herefords, came in Tuesday from a business trip to Amarillo.

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

Choice candies at Gough's. 25tf

Ira Aten, manager of the Escarbada division of the XIT's, came in Tuesday.

Clifford Slayton came in Monday from Amarillo, having spent Sunday at that point.

We have a car load of trunks, telescopes, hand bags and all kinds of traveling outfits for sale at cut prices. D. R. Gass & Son. 27tf

B. C. D. Bynum, the gentlemanly manager of Smith, Walker & Co.'s large store at this place, returned Tuesday from a business trip to Canyon and Amarillo.

J. L. Underwood, one of the North Draw stock farmers, came in Saturday with samples of his crop of Indian corn, Kaffir corn, pop corn, millett and milo maize, which he left at this office.

Just received, a car of the famous Poudre Valley soft wheat flour which we will guarantee to be equal to the Albatross or any of its fictitious names and at 20 cents less per 100 pounds. Try a sack and be convinced. D. R. Gass & Son. 27tf

G. G. Catlin, representing the De Witt Medicine Co. of Chicago, paid this office a pleasant visit Monday. He says the REPORTER is the first paper he has seen whose management makes foreign advertisers pay the same rate as the home merchant.

Ed Connell came in from the ranch Tuesday and spent a couple of days in town on business. Mr. Connell returned from New Mexico last Sunday where he has been for the past ten days looking for a new location. While absent he purchased a fine ranch eight miles north of Endee.

As an evidence of the transcendent attention that Hereford is receiving and has been getting for the past four months, its hotel registers are nearly always full of visitors. Last Monday morning the hotel Humphrey made seventeen calls for the early train and most of them expressed themselves as "coming back."

BOUNDS & LIPSCOMB

DEALERS IN

PURE DRUGS

SUNDRIES

**STATIONERY, TOILET ARTICLES
PAINTS AND OILS**

Can't Keep House Without It

It gives us pleasure to comply with the following letter as it shows that our efforts to publish a live, newsy paper are appreciated:

STRATFORD, August 16, 1901.
Mr. Frank L. Vanderburgh,
Hereford, Texas.

DEAR SIR:

Please forward our paper (the REPORTER) from Coldwater to Stratford for we don't get it regularly and we just can't keep house without it; and oblige

BLANCHE BYARS.

Address to
Emmet Powers,
Sherman Co. Stratford, Texas.

His Leg Broken.

Claude Thornton, a ten-year-old boy living at Tulia, while assisting his brother in freighting for the Rock Island contractors, fell from the wagon while coming up Apache canyon in New Mexico. Before the teams could be stopped the rear wheel of the heavily loaded wagon passed over the little fellow's right leg, breaking it at a point midway between the thigh and knee. He was brought here Monday evening and Dr. Tinsley, assisted by Dr. Bounds, reduced the fracture and at last accounts the little sufferer was doing nicely at the home of his aunt, Mrs. S. B. Feemster.

Examination Free.

Prof. Burt, the old reliable optician from Southern Texas is with us for a short time and can be found at the Humphrey House. He carries his stock with him and makes examinations free. No sending off for spectacles. He does not go around telling people that if they do not purchase glasses from him they will lose their eyes, nor compel them to keep glasses that don't suit. Those needing "helps to see" will do well to call upon him. 27tf

Revival Meetings.

The Methodist society is holding a series of open air meetings on the church house grounds this week. Rev. John B. Andrews, an evangelist from Siloam Springs, Ark., is conducting the meetings, assisted by E. G. Phillips, a vocalist from the same place, and the local pastors.

COMING AND GOING.

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

H. P. D. Howard and Louis de Baca took in the circus at Amarillo yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Crabtree came in Wednesday from their Endee, N. M., ranch after supplies and to take in the circus at Amarillo.

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Regular Meals
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Conner Jowell went to Amarillo on business this morning.

W. J. Killough was in from his ranch Tuesday and Wednesday after supplies.

E. Carter was among the many who attended the circus at Amarillo yesterday.

H. G. Stevens of Memphis, sheriff of Hall county, was here on official business Wednesday.

Rev. B. H. Bounds of Sherman, came in Wednesday and will spend several weeks with his sons at this place.

W. R. Keene and family of Endee, N. M., arrived in town Wednesday and went to Amarillo yesterday to see the circus.

The case of Hinton vs. Johnson was called at a continued term of the county court, last Monday morning. The case was continued until the November term of said court.

J. A. Nix, a new comer from Gainesville and who bought a section of land twelve miles south of town from W. B. Beach, has let the the contract to R. A. Hough for a residence on the same.

W. N. Elkins and family of Endee, N. M., came in Wednesday after supplies and took in the excursion and circus at Amarillo yesterday. His son, Claude Elkins, will remain in Hereford and enter the Hereford High School.

Nestor Gass, of D. R. Gass & Sons, took in the show yesterday at Amarillo.

John A. Johnson had important business in Amarillo yesterday and incidentally took in the circus.

Mrs. W. A. Tate and children of Dimmitt have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Beach this week.

W. T. Bratton has been making some extensive improvements in the drug store of Bounds & Lipscomb this week.

Troy Womble has had important business in Amarillo ever since the circus was first advertised. He went up yesterday, accompanied by Master Earl Kibbe.

E. Carter returned last Friday evening from a ten days prospecting trip to New Mexico. During his trip he saw nothing that could compare with the Panhandle country.

L. F. Alby, the popular manager of the Stringfellow & Hume Hardware Co. establishment in this city, went to Amarillo on business connected with his firm yesterday, and incidentally enjoyed the circus.

Mrs. Wm. Mayfield and two charming daughters, Misses Bessie and Nellie Hoyle, who have been spending the past few weeks at the homes of Mrs. E. N. Mercer and Mrs. L. S. Montgomery, returned to their home at Alvarado this morning.

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Full Line of Harness, Collars, etc. All kinds of Repairing promptly done.

T. A. Bird and wife of Endee, N. M., were among those boarding Thursday's circus train.

County Clerk F. B. Fuller and wife left on yesterday's train for a pleasure trip to Roswell and Carlsbad, N. M.

Troy Womble has let the contract to R. A. Hough for a 4-room cottage. It will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Clinkinbeard when finished.

W. M. Sullivan on Wednesday commenced the erection of a 24x70 foot business block on his Dewey avenue lot. When finished it is expected that it will be occupied by G. E. Burns as a grocery house.

Judge Ferguson was unable to attend to his duties as president of the bank during the middle of the week on account of illness. His many friends will be pleased to learn, however, that he is again at his desk.

The respective nines of Canyon and Hereford will cross bats here tomorrow. The game is to be called at 2 p. m. All who can should attend and thus encourage the boys in their efforts to provide our townspeople with innocent sport and amusement.

On Wednesday G. R. Hay opened the contractors' bids for the erection of the 2-story double block to be built on Dewey avenue, and found that Contractors Thomas & Snyder, Lewis Smith, R. C. Phansteel and R. A. Hough were the contestants. The bids were as follows: Thomas & Snyder, \$2925; Lewis Smith, \$2800; R. C. Phansteel, \$2798; R. A. Hough, \$2250. The latter, being the lowest bidder, was awarded the contract. The upper loft of the block will be used as a lodge room by the Masonic fraternity.

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