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A PICNIC AND BARBECUE

At the Hustling Castro County Seat.

DIMMITT OUT-DOES HERSELF.

Her Citizens Entertain the Crowd in True Texas Style—Hereford Won the Baseball Game.

It had been given out that Dimmitt was to have a picnic and barbecue and that everyone in the surrounding country was invited to be at that little place on Wednesday, August 14th, to enjoy the festivities of the day.

Ye editor got in line with the rest of the Herefordites (of which there was no small number) and went over for the purpose of enjoying himself and getting acquainted with our neighbors on the south, and to say that his mission was successful is putting it mild.

The weather maker was in his delightful mood and showed that he appreciated the motives of the good people of Dimmitt by removing the storm clouds and allow Old Sol to shine upon Mother Earth in all his glory.

Besides the residents of Dimmitt there were present a large crowd from Tulia, Plainview, Hale Center, Hereford and other surrounding towns, so that there were fully 500 people present—in fact Dimmitt appeared like a small city.

A word about that pretty little place might not be out of place. Dimmitt is the county seat of Castro county and has one of the handsomest and best built court houses on the plains. There is one general store—that of Beach & Kerr, who served ice cream and cold drinks—a livery and feed stable operated by W. A. Tate, and a hospitable inn also conducted by that gentleman and his estimable wife. In close proximity are the cosy dwellings of the business men and county officers and outside are a number of substantial ranch houses, inhabited by a hospitable, thrifty and progressive class of people whose chief aim seems to be—“Do unto others as you would be done by.”

After partaking of the goodies of a regular old fashioned picnic, with a bountiful supply of the best barbecued beef and mutton ever

served added thereto, a part of the crowd assembled in the large and airy court room and listened to a most interesting speech by Judge L. Gough of this place. The rest of the assemblage gathered at the ball field where they were to witness a contest between the local nine and a nine from Hereford.

By a pre-arranged plan it was agreed, on account of the intense heat; that should either side succeed in getting twenty scores before the expiration of the usual nine innings, the game was to be called and awarded to the side gaining the same.

The Hereford boys had their batting clothes on that day and before the end of the fourth inning the score-keeper announced that the requisite twenty scores had been attained and the game was called, the score standing 20 to 3 in favor of the visiting team. F. L. Vanderburgh umpired the game. W. W. Meeks, Hereford's photographer, requested that the two nines assemble on the court house lawn for the purpose of taking a group photograph and the request was complied with, the Hereford's manager, J. M. McGlothlin, their mascot, Fred L. Meredith, and the umpire being included in the group.

The crowd then assembled near the race-track to watch the tournament contests. There were eight entries, with a first and second prize of \$8 and \$4 respectively for the two successful contestants, who proved to be M. O. Meeks of Hereford (first) and Bartley Bell of Dimmitt (second). Harvey Cash acted as starter and announcer. The entries, together with the result of their skill with the cue, was as follows:

John F. Flannagan	1	1	1-3
M. O. Meeks	5	3	3-11
Bartley Bell	3	3	1-7
James Carter	1	3	2-6
Chas. A. Davis	2	0	x-2
G. G. Besing	1	2	2-5
Frank Vaughn	2	2	2-6
Will Sanders	1	2	2-5

During an intermission in the tournament races Judge C. F. Kerr announced that a picnic and barbecue, public speaking and a sale of town lots would be held in Hale Center on Saturday, August 31st, to which everyone was invited.

After the tournament races had been finished it was announced that a free supper was to be served on the court house lawn and we speak

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from experience when we say that it was enjoyed hugely.

The rest of the evening was spent in indulging in the terpsichorean art in the court room of the county building, the music being furnished by local musicians. Ye editor did not take part in this fascinating pastime, having left for home as the shades of night were falling, but those who remained report a most enjoyable evening.

The people of Dimmitt deserve great credit for the manner in which her guests were entertained and if there was a person present who did not have plenty to eat and an enjoyable time it was because he shut himself up in a dark closet and remained there during the day. Whenever Dimmitt entertains again

we'll sure be there, as will everyone else who can get away from their business.

Special Train for Campbell Bros' Shows, Amarillo, August, 22 1901.

Special train will leave Hereford at 8:30 a. m. Thursday, August 22, 1901, arrive in Amarillo at 10:10 a. m.

Return after performance at night. Rate:—One fare for round trip. Tickets sold only for special train limited to return August 23, 1901. DON A. SWEET, Traffic Manager, Amarillo, Texas.

Plenty of Music.

Besides the steam caliope Campbell Bros. Great Consolidated R. R. Shows have three big brass bands and a drum corps. Lovers of good music and a gay time should come to town on the day of the show. Remember the date.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Comments on Current Events in the Busy Outside World.

Boss Platt says of Teddy's western boom: "There are lots of candidates out west just now."

Boss Hanna isn't so busy forming new trusts that he cannot take time to sprinkle a few tacks ahead of Teddy's revived boom.

If the democrats who wish to win and who intend to deserve to win continue to increase at the present ratio, the next President will be a democrat.

Senator Foraker gave Secretary Long a hint that good politics should have made unnecessary when he said that historian Maclay should be kicked out of the job he holds under the Navy Department.

The Schley medal that will be purchased with the popular fund that is being raised by a Memphis newspaper will mean more and have much greater value than the Sampson medals issued by the Navy Department.

Adjutant General Corbin, as the first result of his junket through the Philippines, endorses the dual government over there; but Corbin will have to get an endorsement from some one who enjoys the confidence of the public before anything he says will count.

The scheme to get congressional legislation for the pensioning of civil service employes, without expense to the government, sounds innocent enough but there is probably a trick somewhere in it that would cost the government a lot of money if put into effect. If the civil service employes wish to contribute a percentage of their salaries to pension those incapacitated for work, by age or other reason, they can do so without congressional legislation.

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HEREFORD - TEXAS - PLAINVIEW

J. Piermont Morgan no longer poses as the friend of the steelworker. He was not fitted for the role.

The opinion is growing that whatever may be the result of the Schley court of inquiry, congress ought to investigate the naval campaign against Spain.

The First National Bank of Austin was an humble imitator of the New York Seventh, in loaning its funds without proper security, also in having its doors closed.

Michael Davitt, the Irish member of the British Parliament, who declares himself to be a "friend to Ireland and foe to England," will be one of the speakers at the anniversary meeting of the United Irish Societies, to be held in Chicago, August 15th. In reply to the question, how is the King? Mr. Davitt said: "I don't know him. He does not invite me to tea."

Secretary Long may discover that he is wrong in assuming that because no senator or representative is implicated congress will not look into those naval scandals.

Adjutant General Corbin says his official trip of the Philippines has broadened his views. That might be strictly true and still leave his views quite narrow.

"Fighting Bob" Evans doesn't seem to be worrying over the angry scintillations of "Little Billy" Chandler, but "A Sailor's Log," which contains matter that "riled" "Little Billy" is selling faster and faster.

Because some women had sense enough not to laugh at his hoary chestnuts, Chauncey Depew gets off the hoariest of them all—"women have no sense of humor"—and expects it to be greeted with laughter. If Chauncey doesn't mind he will be accused of lacking the sense of fitness.

Cubans are also confronting a negro problem; they object to the importation of negro laborers from the United States, a practice that is said to be growing.

A correspondent of the Associated Press is to be expelled from Germany for having written that the Kaiser was becoming parietic, partly through indulgence in intoxicants.

The government at Washington is just now being run by assistant secretaries, and that fact is not favorable to Admiral Schley, although it is certain that the country will resent anything savoring unfair treatment of him.

One of the leading Ohio republican papers—the Cleveland Leader—makes the flat-footed charge that legislation in Ohio is bought and sold. It is probable that the editor of the Leader knows and some of the buyers and sellers could doubtless explain why he tells.

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.

22tf W. E. ROBERTSON.

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FRIDAY, August 16, 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 in-
sertion.

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.

THE large amount of building
which is taking place in Hereford
and the expensive and substantial
nature of same speaks volumes for
the town and surrounding country.

PARTIES allowing their swine to
roam at large should bear in mind
that aside from being in direct viola-
tion of the law, it is a positive
menace to the health of the com-
munity.

DEWEY avenue should be graded
and the holes filled up with gravel.
Every time a fall of rain comes
these holes fill up, thus making a
muddy place—a nuisance that could
be abated with little trouble or ex-
pense.

THERE has been considerable
talk of late of putting in a local tele-
phone system. There are already
a number of lines strung and a num-
ber of phones in different places and
we believe that a responsible party
could find a lucrative field here for
such an enterprise.

WE had not intended to comment
on the entire falsity of Brooke's
account of the Hereford-Amarillo
baseball game at Canyon during
the re-union, believing that every-
one in the Panhandle was acquainted
with him and not take seriously any-
thing which appeared in his "rag,"
but we notice that one or two editors
of esteemed contemporaries are evi-
dently unacquainted with the would-
be W. C. Brann of Amarillo and
copied his article relative to that
athletic contest, and have been re-
quested by both the Amarillo and
Hereford nines to state that the only
truth in the said article was the
"yell" as given by the young lady
fans of Amarillo.

Board and Room Wanted.

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

**CAMPBELL BROS.'
GREAT - CONSOLIDATED - SHOWS
WILL EXHIBIT AT
Amarillo, August 22nd
Grand Free Street Parade at 10:30 a. m.**

A Special Train will leave Hereford at 8:30 a. m. and
return after the show is over in the evening. One fare
for the round trip.

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THE HEREFORD HIGH SCHOOL

Will Commence Work for the Com-
ing Year on September 1st.

School Trustee R. H. Norton in-
forms the REPORTER that the regular
sessions of the Hereford High
School will commence September 1st,
with everything favorable for a pros-
perous and profitable year.

Prof. Page, formerly principal of
the Chillicothe High School, will be
in charge, ably assisted by Miss
Dameron in the grammar depart-
ment, Miss Stewart in the interme-

diate department and Miss De Gra-
fenried of Quanah, who will have
charge of the primary department,
she having been selected to take
Mrs. Moore-Fuller's place, that
lady having resigned.

Let everyone do their utmost to
assist the instructors in their work
so that the Hereford High School
may still maintain its just position
as the best school on the plains.

The Campbell's are Coming.

The greatest of all circus per-
formances with a rarr collection of

wild beasts will be exhibited in Am-
arillo on August 22. Remember
the day and date and take a day off
and come to town. The street pa-
rade and free out-door exhibitions
will be particularly interesting. A
lesson to children and a curiosity to
old people.

COMING AND GOING.

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

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

A. S. Kendrick came in from the
ranch Monday after supplies.

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

Thomas & Snyder have secured
the contract for building a new resi-
dence for J. J. Dillard.

Miss Pearl Hancock of Amarillo
is visiting her brother, Henry, hav-
ing arrived Tuesday morning.

Will Harlan, who has been at
Matador for the past few months,
is visiting at the home of his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harlan.

P. Snyder, of the contracting
firm of Thomas & Snyder, and Wal-
ter Phansteel are out at Rat Jowell's,
being engaged in the erection of the
latter's new residence.

Prof. Page, formerly principal of
the Chillicothe High School, but
who now has a similar position with
the Hereford High School, arrived
in town Tuesday and will henceforth
make Hereford his home. His fam-
ily will follow in about a month.

T. Q. Aten of Wichita Falls has
nearly completed the fine 7-room
residence for his brother, Ira Aten,
the efficient manager of the Escar-
bada division of the XIT's. Mr.
Aten's place adjoins Judge Gough's
and it won't be long before two pret-
tier places will be hard to find.

Alex. Thompson and wife returned
to their home at Gainesville Sunday
morning, after having had a pleas-
ant visit in this delightful climate.
Before leaving Mr. Thompson or-
dered the REPORTER sent to him reg-
ularly that he might keep pace with
the rapid growth and progress of
this section of the state.

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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

N. E. Shands of Forney is in town
looking after his property interests
at the former county seat—La Plata.

Castro County Commissioner J. H.
Odin came in from Dimmitt Thurs-
day where he had been spending
the week on official duties and en-
joying the festivities.

Geo. W. Dale's new residence is
being rapidly pushed to completion
by Contractors N. B. & J. W. Ben-
nett. When finished Mr. and Mrs.
Dale will have one of the cosiest
and best located residence proper-
ties in the town.

The following well-known sheep-
men of Endee, N. M., came in Tues-
day and sold their wool to John Hill
of Roswell, N. M.: Cruz Gallegos,
8900 pounds; Casimiro Romero, 4600
pounds; V. Montano, 7000 pounds;
and Pablo Garcia, 25,000 pounds.

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

Capt. W. J. McDonald and Sergt.
J. W. Keating of the Rangers, sta-
tioned at Amarillo, came in Tuesday
and accompanied by Sam Dunn and
Jack Harwell paid a visit to the
Tierra Blanco in quest of the finny
tribe. Owing to the heavy rain in
the afternoon but few bass were
caught.

**How About a
New Pair of
Boots?**

I have had fifteen years'
experience in the Boot
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Canned Goods, etc., etc.**

YOUR PATRONAGE
IS SOLICITED

BEACH & ORR

Harry Neal of Liberty, was in
town Tuesday.

J. N. Nix of Gainesville is in
town prospecting.

Greene Wilson, the Canyon at-
torney, was in town yesterday.

A large and complete line of the
best jewelry, watches, etc., at
Bounds & Lipscomb's. 26tf

G. V. Harrison of Pilot Point is
in town prospecting.

Mrs. E. O. Fierabend returned
from Amarillo this morning.

W. M. Smith was in from Dim-
mitt yesterday after supplies.

J. H. Wyche was in Wednesday
at the Commissioners' Court.

A. S. Bassett came in Monday
with a load of wheat which he had
raised on his North Draw ranch.
Mr. Bassett says that it is only a
question of a short time when this
country will rival the great North-
west in the grain producing busi-
ness.

W. T. Bratton came in from
Brownwood yesterday and is stop-
ping with relatives. Mr. Bratton
says that he is dissatisfied with the
climate in the lower country and
may make Hereford his home once
more. He will be warmly wel-
comed.

We acknowledge a visit Saturday
morning from Chas. McDonald, the
hustling Roswell, N. M., real estate
and insurance agent. Mr. McDon-
ald was on his way home from El
Reno, Okla., where he had been
distributing circulars advertising the
garden spot of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris left
Saturday for their home at Gaines-
ville, where Mr. Morris is engaged
in the real estate and loan business.
Mr. Morris is very much interested
in this country and through his
efforts many substantial citizens
have been added to the population
of this vicinity.

Commissioners' court has been in
session this week. In addition to
their other work they appointed At-
torney R. F. Holloway, formerly of
Cleburne, as county attorney. This
county has long needed an attorney
who would attend to the duties of
his office and we believe that the
commissioners have acted wisely in
their choice.

A Creditable Number.

The Roswell Register, with its
characteristic up-to-dateness, issued
last week an illustrated, 12-page
paper, advertising Roswell in partic-
ular and the Pecos Valley in general.

Honesty Prevails.

One thing the Campbell Bros.
Show can boast of. They carry no
fakirs or games of chance. This
alone has gained them more popu-
larity than any other one thing.
The most refined lady or gentleman
in the community can visit their ex-
hibitions with just as much propriety
as they can attend their home enter-
tainment.

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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.

Buy jewelry at Gough's. 25tf

A good house for rent. See Troy Womble. 23tf

A Ragsdale's little girl is under Dr. Tinsley's care.

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

Joe Killough went to Amarillo Monday; returning the following day.

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

G. C. Igo, a prominent Lubbock county ranchman, was in town Monday after supplies.

At cost—until sold. Our entire line of ladies' shirt waists. Latest styles. Smith, Walker & Co. 26 1t

G. L. Lee, a prominent cattleman of Liberty, N. M., came in Sunday evening and registered at the Humphrey.

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

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Prescriptions Compounded by a Registered Druggist

CLEAN STORE STOCK COMPLETE

O. F. SMITH

Prescription Clerk and Manager

Go to Gough's for drugs. 18tf

Dow Mercer went to Amarillo Monday returning Tuesday.

Jack Harwell left Friday for Amarillo on business, returning the following day.

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

R. N. Mounts came in from his ranch Monday to attend Commissioner's Court, of which he is a member.

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

Mr. Plunk of Tulia was operated on last week by Drs. Bounds and Tinsley. At last accounts he was improving.

Just opened, a full line of men's, boy's and children's fall suits, nobby, stylish and durable. Smith, Walker & Co. 26 1t

County Commissioner Ira Aten came in from the Escarbada ranch Monday to attend the sessions of Commissioner's Court.

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

J. M. Wood of Snyder, traveling salesman for the Buckskin Breeches Co., was in town the first of the week, being registered at the Humphrey.

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

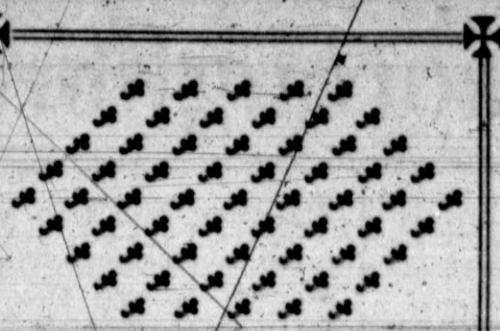
Lost—On Sunday, Aug. 3, either in town or between town and T. M. Palmer's residence, a pocketbook containing \$15. Finder please return to this office and receive reward. 26tf

J. C. Carroll and family of Collin county arrived Saturday and are visiting at J. H. Biggs'. Mr. Carroll is desirous of obtaining a position on a ranch and remain in this country.

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. 26 1t

Dr. McBride of Denton was here Sunday on his way home from a professional visit to his brother-in-law, John Rhea, at the latter's ranch in New Mexico. Before leaving he became a paid-up subscriber to the

REPORTER.



Your Banking?

No matter how small,
No matter how large,

THE HEREFORD NATIONAL BANK

will give it careful attention.

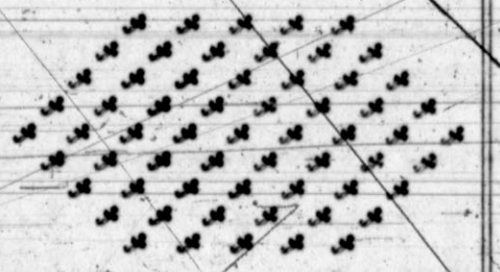
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JNO. E. FERGUSON - President
F. J. CLINKINBEARD - Cashier
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Choice candies at Gough's. 25tf

W. P. Rambo left this week for a ten days' trip to Sherman county.

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

Harmon Beach of the firm of Beach & Orr, confectioners, went to Amarillo Friday, returning the following day.

C. E. McLean of Dimmitt was in town Saturday. He was suffering from congestion of the liver and called in the professional services of Dr. Tinsley.

Base ball supplies at Gough's. 25tf

Henry Hancock and wife spent Sunday at Elkins, N. M.

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

Wallace English and Rat Jowell left Sunday morning for Marietta, I. T., for a bunch of 300 steers, which the latter has at that place.

Jas. Burrows, the genial traveling salesman for Nobles Bros., wholesale grocers of Amarillo, was in town Monday stocking up our merchants.

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

L. R. Bradley, owner of the famous Tierra Blanco Hereford Farm, came in Monday to attend to his duties as commissioner in the sessions of that honorable court.

Attorney R. F. Holloway has purchased 5 1/2 acres of land from S. S. Evans and has commenced the erection of a residence on the same. R. A. Hough has the contract.

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

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Phansteel came in from their North Draw ranch Monday and registered at the Ritchey. Mr. Phansteel has taken the contract to build a new 7-room house for Jacob Buttram which will cost \$2000 and be one of the finest in Hereford.

Thomas & Snyder have secured the contract for building the beautiful \$2500 residence which will adorn Rat Jowell's fine ranch property on the Tierra Blanco. This will be one of the finest residences in the county and in addition Mr. Jowell will make other improvements to the amount of \$1500.

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH.**

Before me, F. B. Fuller, Clerk County Court in and for said County and State, on this day personally appeared W. B. Boyd, County Judge; L. R. Bradley, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; Ira Aten, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, and A. P. Murchison, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: That the requirements of Article 867, as amended by Acts of 1897, page 27, have been in all things fully complied with by them at the August Term of said Commissioners' Court, and that the cash and other assets mentioned in the said County Treasurer's quarterly report made by said Treasurer to said court and held by him for the county have been fully inspected and counted by them.

BALANCES AUGUST 1, 1901.

Jury Fund, 1st class	\$ 88.56
Road and Bridge Fund, 2nd class	115.19
General Fund, 3d class	1,472.13
Court House and Jail, 4th Class	450.38
School Fund, 5th class	398.62
Outstanding claims	24.96
Cash on hand August 1, 1901	\$2,549.84
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W. B. BOYD,
County Judge.
L. R. BRADLY,
Com'r Prec. No. 1.
IRA ATEN,
Com'r Prec. No. 3.
A. P. MURCHISON,
Com'r Prec. No. 4.

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 15th day of August, 1901.

F. B. FULLER,
Clerk County Court.

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

LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Happenings in Our Busy County Seat Briefly Told.

J. P. Collier was in town this week.

D. W. Dillon was in Wednesday after supplies.



Stop and see the school supplies in the show window of Bounds & Lipscomb. 26tf

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Montgomery spent Wednesday at the ranch of Mrs. Montgomery's mother, Mrs. Enna Mercer.

Born—On Saturday, August 10, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cobb, an 11½ pound boy. Mother and boy doing well under Dr. Gough's care.

A. H. Dickson was in from his North Draw ranch Wednesday. He reports fine rains in his neighborhood and the finest Kaffir corn and sorghum ever heard of.

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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T. J. Hunt left Wednesday for Canyon where he will have charge of the railroad section.

Walter Bradley was able to leave his room last Sunday on crutches, the first time since his accident some seven weeks since.

Mrs. Dickerson arrived from her home below Tulia last Saturday and visited her sister, Mrs. Robert Humphrey, the first of the week. She reports fine rains in his neighborhood and the finest Kaffir corn and sorghum ever heard of. Miss Jessie Jordon of Sedalia, Mo.

Clifford Slayton was in town yesterday.

County Surveyor G. R. Jowell is over in Lamb county doing some surveying.

Mrs. Geo. Cloyd was trading in town yesterday and ordered the REPORTER sent for the coming year.

D. H. Burke, the genial traveling agent for the McCord-Collins Grocery Co. of Fort Worth, was in town yesterday stocking up our grocery merchants.

AMERICAN LAUNDRY

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M. Jacobsgaard is in Amarillo this week.

Troy Womble on Thursday received a handsome covered carriage with a crimson hued gear.

Dr. J. M. Black of Canyon, a member of the furniture-dealing firm of McGlothlin & Black, is visiting at the home of J. M. McGlothlin.

Rev. N. B. Bennett starts for California next Sunday morning on a prospecting trip. His family will remain in Hereford for the time being.

Mrs. N. B. Curtis and children are visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Whitney. They came in from Alvin Tuesday and will spend some months in Hereford.

A New Firm.

In another column appears the new real estate adv. of Jowell & Holloway, composed of County Surveyor G. R. Jowell and our newly appointed county attorney, R. F. Holloway. Mr. Jowell needs no introduction to this people at our hands. Mr. Holloway, who has just located with us, comes well recommended as a business man and attorney and we predict a marked success for this new firm. See them for business in their line.

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

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