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Wish to announce to the good people of Deaf Smith and surrounding counties that they have located at Hereford, Texas, to stay, that they will do a one price cash business, that they will carry a first class line of **Gents' Furnishing Goods and Shoes for Men, Women and Children.**

Men's Shoes \$1.50 to \$5.00 per pair
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Negligee Shirts 50c to \$2.00 each

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Underwear per suit \$1.00 and up
Mens' Gloves from 65c to \$2.50 per pair
Stetson Hats from \$5.00 to \$6.50 each
Men's and Ladies' Hose 10 to 35c per pair
Neckwear of all kinds and at all prices

We have the best line of Ready Made Pants in town

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Give us a trial and you will be convinced that our motto is correct. Low prices, quick sales and lots of them, will win

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Hereford, Texas

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At \$3 to \$4 per acre and up

ON ACCOUNT OF THE CAPITOL SYNDICATE Company's (better known as the XIT's) intention to discontinue their cattle business their large ranch, consisting of over 3,000,000 acres and situated in the best part of the Texas Panhandle, will be sold in any size tract—to suit the purchaser.

This land is all fenced and has numerous wells and windmills, and other similar improvements which make it the best in the Panhandle. Improvements on land purchased will be sold to the purchaser at the actual cost to the Company.

Nearly 2,000,000 acres of this great ranch has been sold and it will be only a few months until the stock farmer of one or two sections

will have the one million acres left in beautiful homes and farms.

It has been demonstrated that the small stock farmer can make more money compared to his investment, than can the large ranch owner, and the splitting up of this large ranch (until recently the largest ranch in the world) will be a great boon to this class of farmers.

The Pecos Valley railroad (a branch of the Santa Fe System), the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific and the Fort Worth and Denver City Railroads are now intersecting this great ranch and the Choctaw road is now building from Amarillo to Tucumcari, N. M., and will traverse the entire Deaf

Smith county portion of the ranch. It is also expected that the Santa Fe branch, running to Albuquerque, N. M., will be built from Bovina in the near future.

This land, being situated in the western part of the Panhandle, lies close to the mountains of New Mexico and therefore is more susceptible to good rains than is land farther east.

This section of the Panhandle is noted for its mildness and even temperature—both in winter's cold and summer's heat—and has the right altitude for an invigorating and dry atmosphere. The nights are always cool, insuring sound and refreshing sleep.

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Sack flour at Cardwell Bros. for \$1.00. 36-2t

W. J. Montgomery was in from his ranch Tuesday after supplies.

For Sale—100 bushels of good seed wheat at 75c per bushel. G. E. Burns. 36tf

J. N. Ivy and family were in from their North Draw ranch Monday after supplies.

Give us your order for tailor made suits and pants. Sure fit or no go. 36tf **WILLIAMS & HARRISON.**

Sam Wise, who is after the assessor's plum in Castro county, was in town Tuesday calling on friends.

Gough & Davis now have a \$1200 stock of fine jewelry at their drug store and invite your inspection of the same. 30tf

L. R. Bradley, the well known breeder of registered Herefords, was in from his Tierra Blanco ranch Tuesday on business.

All Kinds, Solid Gold, Gold Filled and Plated Jewelry, at Prices that speak for themselves and Guaranteed by Lee Smith, the Jeweler. 31tf

J. N. Askren, a prominent cattle dealer of Hereford, Texas, was looking for something in his line at this place the fore part of the week. Higgins News.

Just received by John A. Johnson, the grocer and condidate for sheriff of Deaf Smith county, a car load of Alliance Peacemaker flour. None better made—few grades equal it. 27tf

Wanted—Boarders by Mrs. Burns. Rates reasonable. 24tf

J. C. Cox was in from his ranch, down the Tierra Blanco, Tuesday on business.

Have your clothes made by H. J. Franks & Co. A. J. Oliver will take your order. 34tf

Andrew Lipscomb of Hereford is visiting Judge Jones this week.—Quanah Observer.

If you have lands for sale list them with Orr & Rayzor at the Hereford House Annex. 34tf

E. F. Connell, having finished his cattle inspection labors for the time being, left Monday for his home at Endee, N. M.

If you want a perfect fitting suit or overcoat of the best goods for the least money, see A. J. Oliver at Witherspoon & Gough's. 34tf

W. C. Beard of Endee, N. M., was in town Saturday and had his figures run up on THE BRAND'S subscription list another year.

Ladies, anything you want in dry goods or furnishing goods line and can't buy it here we will order it for you. Williams & Harrison. 36tf

J. T. Claybrook, one of Endee's prosperous cattlemen, came in Saturday with a fine bunch of cattle which he shipped to the Kansas City market.

Don't forget that A. J. Oliver is displaying the best line of samples for made-to-order clothing ever shown in Hereford. Fit and satisfaction guaranteed. 34tf

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A. P. MURCHISON, AGENT HEREFORD, TEXAS

Boarders and roomers wanted at Mrs. Ella Buster's. 30tf

F. E. McKnight is a prospector here from Ellis county.

Meeks now has the largest display of ladies' and gents' watches in town. 36tf

J. C. Womble, who resides in the northeast part of the county, was in town this week on business.

W. H. Kiser was in from his Castro county home Wednesday and renewed his subscription to THE BRAND.

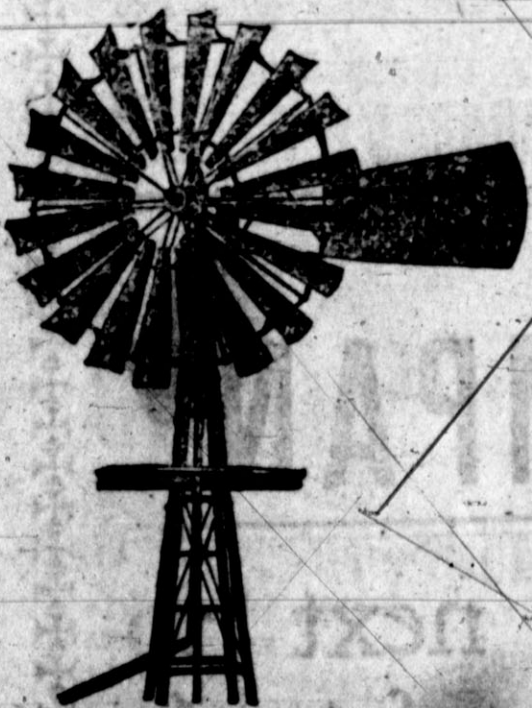
If you want to buy a ranch of town property or want to rent a house make your wants known to Orr & Rayzor. 34tf

We have had many compliments for the neat manner in which we printed the election tickets for Castro and Deaf Smith counties. When it comes to neat, up-to-date printing we're 'it.'

The ladies of the Christian church will serve dinner and supper at the court house on election day and evening. A lunch stand will be provided for those who do not wish regular meals. Hot coffee at all hours. 35-3t-c

There is at least one young in town who realizes the dire need of electric lights. A few nights ago he went to call on a young lady and went to the wrong door of the house. In looking for the right door he fell over a wire fence, much to his discomfiture, and to the amusement of the occupants of the house who witnessed his "acrobatic proclivities."

J. L. Underwood, the well known North Draw stock farmer, was in town Saturday and made the editor smile with a five dollar gold piece, which run the figures opposite the names of those to whom he is sending THE BRAND another yearly notch. He also took all the old type we had on hand to use in babbiting his windmills. When J. L. left the "sap oaks" his friends told him that he was "missing it," but if they will take a look at his well kept ranch they will find that prosperity has been his.



We are agents for the above celebrated make of windmill and will guarantee it in every way. The IMPERIAL is made wholly of steel and malleable iron—no cast iron in their make-up. Call and examine them.

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Horses pastured, 40c a month, 12 miles NE. town. W. H. Hines. 35-4p

W. G. Roberts, one of the prosperous Texico merchants, was in town Tuesday greeting old friends.

If your eyes give you trouble go to Meeks for glasses. Many times headaches are relieved by proper use of spectacles. 13tf

Contractor J. P. Snyder is erecting a new modern five-room residence for C. V. Walker on his ranch east of town.

If they rip, bring them back we will have them fixed at our expense—Gleacks boots and shoes. 36tf WILLIAMS & HARRISON.

Gough & Davis' is the depository for the state adopted school books. 26tf

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ragon, a girl, October 28. Mother and child are doing well under the care of Dr. R. H. Gough.

Everything neat and clean at Hinton's oyster parlors. Oysters served in any style. Special accommodations for private parties. 36tf

W. T. Priest, the painter and paper hanger, recently returned from a trip in the Bovina country, where he was engaged in painting and hanging paper in the new VVN ranch house and the ranch house of T. Hogeland.

J. P. Burch was in from his North Draw ranch Wednesday after supplies.

We have the only line of specialty neckwear in Hereford. Buy your ties of us and get the latest. 36tf WILLIAMS & HARRISON.

A. A. Blankinship came in this week from Tucumcari, N. M., and purchased a large bill of goods. He also sold his business property on Dewey avenue to F. B. Fuller for \$615.

H. P. D. Howard and wife were in Wednesday from their—8—ranch, the guests of the former's parents. Mr. Howard has recently purchased a fine black team for a run-about team. They are beauties.

Master Clyde, the bright little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kibbe, has the thanks of the editor for a box of peanuts which were raised on his father's place, Master Clyde having a large share in the work of gathering them.

John Hickox has taken the agency for the Amarillo steam laundry and inserts a display adv in this issue of THE BRAND. We have seen some of the work and can assure would-be patrons that it is first-class in every respect.

J. W. Rhea came in Saturday from his cattle ranch near Bovina. Being somewhat speculative he could not resist the temptation to buy a train load of cattle from Messrs. Murchison, Thompson and Hunt, which he shipped to the Kansas City market.

Harvey Cash, the competent and obliging county clerk of Castro county, was in town Monday and ordered THE BRAND to print the election tickets for that county. Harvey is a candidate for re-election, but that did not cause him to have his opponents name left off the ticket.

For Sale.

A well improved place in Hereford, Texas, including a good seven-room house, a wind mill, 3-inch cylinder, barn, shed, hen-house, with orchard started, 20 acres land, all fenced, well situated. Come and see or address J. C. COKER. 31tf



A Good Cigar in Hand

Is worth any number of poor ones. People judge a man by his cigars as sometimes by his clothes. If you dress well and smoke poor cigars, you are justly condemned by your friends. Come to the old reliable place and without paying more money get the best value and highest quality stock sold. Be up to date and smoke the best smoking materials. Don't injure your health by using the reverse.

WYATT & CARY

GRAND CLEARING SALE

OF LADIES' CAPES, JACKETS, CLOAKS AND WAISTS

We are overloaded on these goods and in order to get them out of our store we will make you the following special prices on them for next week, which we feel sure will be of financial interest to anyone wishing anything in this line:

WAISTS

\$5 Silk Waist for	\$4.25
\$4.50 Silk Waist for	3.25
\$4 Waist for	3.00
\$3.50 Waist for	2.25
\$3 Waist for	2.00
\$1.50 Waist for	\$1.00

JACKETS

\$15 Monte Jacket for	\$12.50
\$12.50 Monte Jackets for	11.00
\$10 Gibson Jacket for	8.00
\$7.50 Jacket for	5.00
\$6.50 Jacket for	4.75
\$5 Jacket for	3.75

Infants' Cloaks

If you are in need of anything in this line be sure to see ours before you buy, for we can show you all styles and patterns from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

SKIRTS

\$8 Velvet Skirt for	\$6.50
\$6 Melton Skirt for	4.50
\$5 Skirt for	4.00
\$3 Skirt for	2.25

CAPEES

\$6 Cape for	\$5.00
\$5 Cape for	3.75
\$4 Cape for	3.00
\$2 Cape for	1.50
\$1.50 Cape for	1.00

Children's Wraps

In this line we are especially overloaded and can show you goods that are right up-to-date in style and pattern.

\$8 Child's Cloak for	\$6.00
\$6 Child's Wrap for	4.50
\$5 Child's Wrap for	3.75
\$4 Child's Wrap for	3.25
\$3 Child's Wrap for	2.50

YOURS FOR BUSINESS

GALBREATH, FOX & COMPANY

We are now in our new building next to Smith, Walker & Co., and invite our friends and customers to call and inspect our goods

THE BRAND.

W. J. Killough was in from his ranch on Thursday after supplies.

As usual Old Santa Claus will have headquarters at Gough & Davis' drug store. 37tf

S. Johnson, one of Hereford's popular tonsorial artists, is absent on a visit to East Texas friends.

For Sale—My 7-room residence and 4 acres of land in the Evants addition (near the college). Well improved. J. D. Files. 30tf

Gough & Davis, the druggists, have placed a full line of holiday goods in their stock, which they advertise locally in this issue.

Williams & Harrison have select lines of furnishing goods bought from specialty houses and are selling them at especially low prices. 36tf

Williams & Harrison, the popular and up-to-date haberdashers, have a half page display adv in this issue of THE BRAND, which will be of interest to our readers.

T. J. Davis has resigned his position at the depot and will hereafter devote his time to the paint and oil department of the drug store owned by himself and Dr. Gough.

B. T. Bell, Sr., the prominent Castro county sheepman, was a pleasant caller at this office today and ordered us to send THE BRAND to A. J. Palm of Round Rock for the coming year.

Fwing Halsell, who some time ago purchased the Spring Lake division of the XIT ranch, was a business caller in town Monday. He subscribed for THE BRAND for the coming year, to be sent to Bovina.

T. B. Rector of near Hereford, who has been in this section the past week, shipped out two loads Saturday night, which cleaned out a remnant of cattle he had in Lipscomb county.—Higgins News.

Notice.

I have again taken charge of the Hereford Bakery and can be found at the old stand ready to serve customers at any time. Give me a trial at the Hereford Restaurant. 37-2t
W. C. GREEN.

H Hereford Bulls



D Hereford Bulls

I have for sale thirty unregistered Hereford Bulls. These bulls are of my own breeding. The mothers are from Mrs. Cornelia Adair's celebrated JJ herd, established by Charles Goodnight twenty years ago. Only Registered Hereford Bulls have been used in this herd. Can be found at Banking House of Smith, Walker & Co., in Hereford, Texas.

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Will do you first-class work.
Try it. All work guaranteed.

OFFICE AT THE STORE OF WILLIAMS & HARRISON

W. L. Wilson left today for Texico, N. M., on a prospecting trip.

Wanted—Plain and fancy sewing and dressmaking. Miss Ella Hodges. 20-tf

Dr. R. H. Gough was called to Dimmitt Wednesday to attend Mrs. W. P. Boyd.

Children write your letters to Santa Claus and send them to Gough & Davis' drug store. 37tf

J. P. Harding, the popular manager of Gough & Davis' drug store, went to Texico today on business.

On gloves we are chief. We carry full line of mens' and boys' gloves 25c to \$2.50 per pair. 36tf
WILLIAMS & HARRISON.

Born—On Wednesday, October 29, to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Edington, a girl. Both mother and child are progressing nicely under Dr. R. H. Gough's care.

George W. Dale, the popular tonsorial artist, returned Monday night from a hunting trip along the Canadian. He says he enjoyed his outing hugely.

W. S. Files went to Amarillo Thursday on business.

J. E. Rhea, the well known Bovina cattleman was in town yesterday.

For Sale Cheap—A Buck Emblem second-hand cook stove. A. P. Murchison. 36tf

Jacob Buttram and granddaughter, Miss Ola Scott, returned Thursday from a two weeks' visit among Arkansas friends.

Frank Chestnut was in from his Castro county ranch yesterday and ordered his BRAND sent to Arney postoffice hereafter.

Mr. Davis of the popular firm of Gough & Davis aims to give special attention to paint and oil orders. See him before painting your house. 37tf

Lumber.

You have tried others, will it pay to try us? Until you come and see you will never know. If we don't suit you we can't sell you, and if we don't like you how can we suit you. 30tf

BURTON-LINGO CO.

H. F. Jeans of Waxahachie is among the prospectors in town.

M. Z. Smissen, the Fort Worth steer buyer, is in town looking for bargains.

W. A. Dougherty was in from his Castro county ranch Thursday on business.

Call on C. L. Davis when in need of a new suit of clothes. Perfect fit guaranteed. 28tf

Gough & Davis are putting in a full line of paints, lead and oil. See them for prices. 37tf

Galbreath, Fox & Co., evidently believe in the doctrine of expansion. This week they sold a bill of goods destined to Tucumcari, N. M., amounting to \$100—and a cash deal.

Phelps White returned Wednesday evening from Bovina, having completed the shipment of his cattle at that point. He is dissatisfied with the Kansas City market, and thinks he could have done better at St. Joe, Missouri.—Roswell Journal.

Card of Thanks.

Our thanks are R. L. Ball for the able manner in which he managed the repertorial department of THE BRAND during the absence of the editor recently. We also wish to thank Messrs. Gough & Davis for their courtesy in allowing Mr. Ball to give some of his time to our interests to the detriment of their own business, and to our friends for news items.

In Their New Building.

Galbreath, Fox & Co. were busy this week in moving their immense stock of dry goods to their new brick building, next to the Smith, Walker & Co. bank. They are now busily engaged in arranging their stock, which when completed, will be shown to the best advantage. There is a store that Hereford can well be proud of.

Notice.

My accounts will be left at Burns & Smith's drug store while I am away. 34tf
E. W. TINSLEY.

R. H. Gough, M. D. T. J. Davis

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Prescription Druggists...

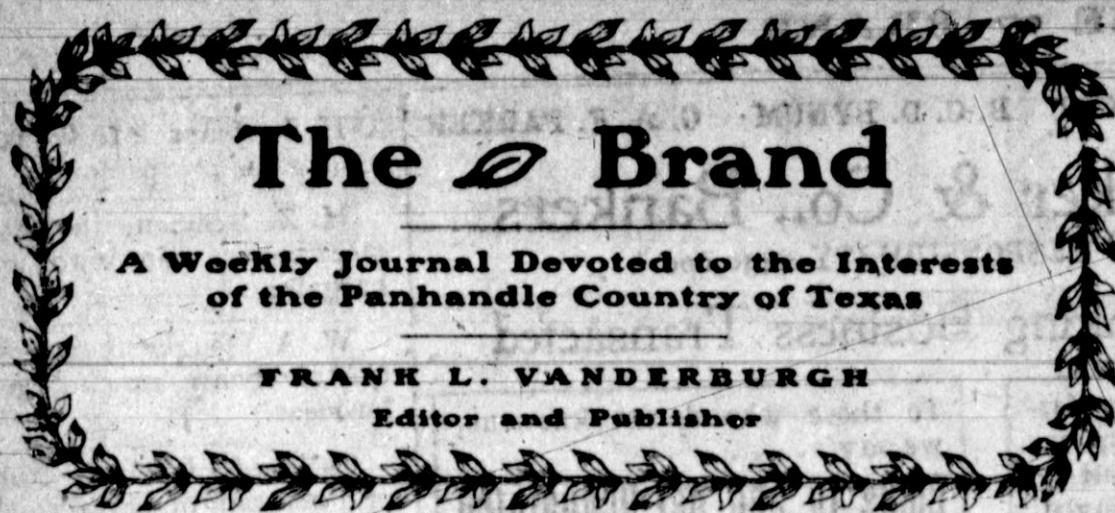
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FRANK L. VANDERBURGH
Editor and Publisher

HAVE you made an investment in the college enterprise yet? If not you should do so at once.

How about the Y. M. C. A. proposition? An excellent start has been made and the movement should not be allowed to drop.

NEXT Tuesday is election day. Let every man vote for men who will fulfill the duties of their respective offices in every respect. Elect to office only men who will leave no stone unturned in the enforcement of the laws.

A REFRESHING rain commenced falling Wednesday night, which insures a good season for the winter wheat. It also brings up the question of more sidewalks for the town, which can be obtained only by incorporation. LET'S INCORPORATE!

SEVERAL of our exchanges in this judicial district have reproduced THE BRAND'S articles relative to the district judgeship, but do not seem to have the inclination or the nerve to take a stand for themselves. By copying THE BRAND'S articles on the subject they show that the articles are in accord with their views. Why not have views of your own and stick to them?

THE articles in THE BRAND relative to the district judgeship have caused many voters, not only in this county, but in other counties in the district, to do a little thinking for themselves in this matter, and most of them are making inquiries into the private lives of the two respective candidates. Those who have interest enough in the Panhandle country to put in office only moral men with excellent abilities for the offices to be bestowed, after inquiry among the older citizens, find that THE BRAND has not uttered an untruth in this matter, in fact, many who have complimented us on our stand in the matter say that our charges have been extremely mild as to the moral standing of one of the candidates. It is not, and has not been, the purpose of THE BRAND to vilify in the least, nor to hold any man's private character up to the public's gaze, but we believe it our duty to let the newcomers know what kind of men are asking for their suffrage favors in the filling of responsible offices—especially an office so important as that of district judge in these times of warfare on the liquor traffic. We believe that Ira Webster is the equal of the present incumbent as a lawyer or jurist and as such should be elected to the office, if for no other reason than that the present judge has held the office for the past twelve years and should step down and allow some other of our young attorneys

to enjoy the perquisites and prestige that the office affords. But there is a far greater and better reason that Ira Webster should be elected to the office and that is his high Christian and moral private life. If ability, coupled with a highly moral and Christian character, will influence your vote we ask you to thoroughly investigate the characters and abilities of the two respective candidates for the district judgeship. If you are in favor of filling our offices with able and clean men we have no doubt as to which candidate will receive your vote.

PUPILS' RECITAL.

Interesting Entertainment at the College Friday Evening.

A pleasing entertainment took place last Friday evening at the Girls' Home of the Hereford College and Industrial School, when the pupils of that institution rendered a most excellent program. Each number was well rendered and in a manner which showed that the performer was receiving the best of instruction.

As was announced that evening, a pupils' recital will be given every two weeks, that the students may become accustomed to performing in public, and that friends and patrons may note the progress being made. Following is the program:

- Piano Duet..... Esther Clark, Miss Wilson
- Piano { (a) Solo }..... { Nellie Black
- { (b) Duet }..... { Miss Wilson
- Piano Solo { (a) }..... Marion Aten
- { (b) }
- Vocal Solo..... Nannie Jowell
- Piano Duet..... Irma Gough, Miss Wilson
- Recitation..... Empriss Jowell
- Piano Solo..... Annie Lee Loveless
- Piano Solo..... Earl Gough
- Vocal Solo..... Miss Stewart
- Piano Solo..... Pattie Estes
- Recitation..... Joe Clark
- Piano Solo..... May Pierce
- Violin Solo..... Mrs. Fuller
- Piano Duet..... Empriss Jowell, Mary Clark
- Recitation..... Miss Patton
- Vocal Solo..... Mary Tygret
- Piano Solo..... Empriss Jowell
- Recitation..... Miss Garvin
- Vocal Solo..... Minnie Tygret
- Piano Duet..... Miss Norton, Miss Wilson
- Italian Song..... Young Ladies of Vocal Class
- Stringed Instruments—Violins and Guitars

A TRIBUTE AND A PRESENTATION.

At the close of the program prepared by the College faculty G. A. F. Parker arose and, addressing President Randolph Clark, said:

"It is my privilege tonight to speak for a large number of the friends of the Rev. Randolph Clark; friends who realize the discouragements under which he is laboring; friends who admire the courage, perseverance and patience with which he has met every difficulty. We want him to know and to feel that we have confidence in him, and in his enterprise; we know what manner of man he is; we recognize in him a moral and intellectual force, which is a power for good in

this community; we want him to feel that he has cast his lot with a people who appreciate him; we want him to own a home in Hereford, entirely and altogether his own. And now in behalf of his friends, I present him these documents which clear that home from debt."

Here the speaker handed President Clark his cancelled note for nearly \$400, also a release of a material man's lien against his home.

It seems that some of President Clark's friends, knowing of this debt, thought to pleasantly surprise him, and at the same time express their feelings toward him by paying it off, believing that

If you have a friend worth loving,
Love him; yes, and let him know
That you love him 'ere life's winter
Touch his hair with snow.

Mr. Clark, taken completely by surprise, said:

"Friends, I am at a loss to know what this means. All this seems unreal; it is like a dream. If my senses do not deceive me, Mr. Parker, as the representative of a number of friends of the Hereford

College, is placing me under a heavier debt of gratitude than I have hitherto born, and drawing tighter the bonds that hold me in their service. Goodness and mercy have followed me all the days of my life, and my constant fear has been that I would have a greater debt of gratitude than I could repay; that I would create expectations that would not be realized; and now what shall I say of this act of generosity? I think that some people, like our Great Father, judge others by the motive rather than by the deeds they have done, and give credit for what men WANT to do rather than for what they do. Since I first saw this great country, this best part of our great state, and somewhat comprehended its possibilities I have wanted no greater reward in this life, nor coveted a more lasting fame than to be a helper in leading the youth that shall gather here into life of the greatest usefulness. Knowing that the future of a country, the character of its homes and of its citizenship, is

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NOTICE

I have secured the services of Dr. A. D. Miller, late of the N. Y. dental parlors at Dallas. Dr. Miller is a dentist of ability and will be with me permanently as it is impossible for one man to handle this practice alone, and my patrons can rest assured that a high-salaried man is doing their work in my office. I could have secured a cheaper man but I want the best of everything at the Hereford Dental Parlors.

Dr. W. E. Robertson
Proprietor of the

HEREFORD DENTAL PARLORS

PHONE 65



INTERIOR VIEW OF OUR OPERATING ROOM

largely determined by its schools and colleges, I have wanted to be a helper in founding and building here an institution which will help to secure the best citizenship and to fill the land with the purest and happiest homes and which would be a lasting blessing to all the country. This cancelled mortgage means much more than the dollars that it represents. It means faith, confidence and hope; it means sympathy in burden-bearing and fellowship in our common enterprise. It gives me courage for any trial, and a sure hope of final success. It leaves me no alternative but to give all of mind and heart and energy to this great work. Nothing is greater than to serve and I am to the end your servant. All the shadows are gone from the title to our home and this day will be an anniversary of gladness and all our household will give you praise.

Precinct Lines.

That the voters may know in what precinct they reside we publish the lines of Precincts Nos. 1 and 2. Remember that if you cast a vote in another precinct than that in which you reside your vote is void.

PRECINCT NO. 1.

Beginning in center of court house; thence south to center of Illinois avenue; thence east with center of said avenue to a point in south line of section 62, block K3; thence east with south line section 62 to its southeast corner; thence north with section lines to northeast corner of section 63, block K4; thence west with section lines to southwest cor-

ner section 94, block K7; thence south with east line of C. F. L. & I. Co. fence to county line; thence east to southwest corner section 114, block M7; thence north with section lines to a point in section 80, block K3, directly opposite center of Missouri avenue; thence east with center of said avenue to a point directly opposite center of court house; thence south to place of beginning.

PRECINCT NO. 2.

Beginning in center of court house; thence south to center of Illinois avenue; thence east with center of said avenue to a point in south line of section 62, block K3; thence east with south line of said section to southwest corner of same; thence north with section lines to northwest corner section 58, block K4; thence east with section lines to east line of county; thence south to south line of county; thence west with south line of county to southwest corner of section 107, block K7; thence north to a point directly opposite of center of Missouri avenue; thence east with center of said avenue to a point directly opposite center of court house; thence south to place of beginning.

For Sale.

My home place 320 acres of land and one of the fine dwellings on the plains, house and furniture go together, also my stock. Will sell reasonable, ill health compels my leaving Hereford.

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Merits the Promotion.

Attorneys Bishop, Barrett and Stalcup, candidates for District Attorney are here and were at the meeting last night and addressed the people. Judge Ira Webster the present District Attorney was also here and addressed the audience setting forth his claims for election to the office of District Judge. Mr. Webster is a comparatively young man who no doubt merits the promotion. He is fully competent and capable and a prime favorite with the people and his friends claim that he is sure of election.—Stratford Star.

Farewell Party.

Miss Imo Gass entertained a number of her young friends Wednesday night in honor of Miss Rena Whitney, who, with her parents, is soon to leave for the Indian Territory. The evening was enjoyably spent, the only mars to the occasion being the farewells to Miss Whitney, who has many friends who will greatly regret her departure.

Trespass Notice.

All persons are hereby warned against hunting or otherwise trespassing on the Escarbada division of the XIT ranch. IRA ATEN, 37tf
Division Manager.

Announcements

Announcements in this column are for Castro County.

Commissioner Precinct Number 3.
F. H. BRITAIN.

Announcements.

District Judge of the 47th. Judicial District.

H. H. WALLACE.
IRA WEBSTER.

District Attorney 47th District.

HENRY S. BISHOP.
A. C. BARRETT.
W. F. KELLY.

County Judge Deaf Smith County.

W. B. BOYD.
L. GOUGH.

Sheriff and Tax Collector of Deaf Smith County.

JOHN A. JOHNSON.
J. T. INMON.

County Clerk Deaf Smith County.

EMMETT R. RICE.
W. B. BEACH.

Treasurer Deaf Smith County.

C. L. DAVIS.
J. W. BRADLY.
ROSCOE R. HARRIS.
JOE KILLOUGH.

Assessor Deaf Smith County.

J. S. WYCHE.

Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1.

J. H. TURNBOW.
J. A. SNOW.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT.
For Week Ending Friday, October
24, 1902.

	Enroll- ment	Days Absent	Tardies
Room No. 1— Miss de-Graff- enreid, teacher	75	4 1-2	0
Room No. 2— Miss Dameron Teacher	53	7	1
Room No. 3— Miss Stewart, Teacher	68	10	2
Room No. 4— Miss Nunley, Teacher	48	14 1-2	1
Room No. 5— C. E. Edwards Teacher	35	7	0
Room No. 6— W. A. Smith, Teacher	15	4	0
Total	294	47	4

Dooley's Latest.
Here is Dooley's latest on the newspaper: "The newspaper does ivything f'r us. It runs th' polis force an' th' banks, commands th' milishy, controls the legislachure, baptizes th' young, marries th' fool- ish, comforts th' afflicted, afflicts th' comfortable, buries th' dead an' pias to them afterward. They ain't annything it don't turn its hand to fr m explaining th' doctrine iv th'ransubstantiation to comacsin' ad- vatus biskit. Ye can get anny kind

iv information ye want to in ye'er fav'rite newspaper about ye'ersilf or annywan else. What th' Czar whispered to th' Imp'ror whin they were alone, how to make silk hats out iv a wire matthress, how to settle th' coal strike, how to marry, how to get along with ye're wife when ye'er married, what to feed th' babies, what doctor to call whin ye've fed thim as directed—all iv that ye'd find in th' papers."—Ex.
And yet some of the newspapers are not appreciated as is evidenced by the large amount of valuable (?) space given to the delinquent sub- scriber.

Reduced Rates to California.
California Emigrant—The second- class rate from Hereford to all Cali- fornia points is \$26.40. Stopover privileges are allowed.
See your local agent for particu- lars or write to
DON A. SWEET,
Traffic Manager, Amarillo, Texas.

Why Not Try It Here?
Many Missouri farmers have been experimenting for several months with pancellria grass which produces a newly discovered variety of hay. It successful has the experimenting been that a large acreage will be

sown next spring. Pancellria grass resembles and grows like millet. It produces two crops a year as a rule. Vernon Hornet.

DIMMITT NEWS.
Items of Interest in Our Neighbor- ing Castro County Seat Town.
M. F. Barber was in town Thurs- day.
Mr. Henderson went to Hereford Monday.
B. T. Bell, Jr., returned from a trip to Hereford Tuesday.
Miss Leona Boyd was with her sister, Mrs. Jesse Warren, Tuesday.
Mrs. Will Reagan and Mrs. Jones are visiting their sister, Mrs. Frank Vaughn, this week.
Harvey Cash left Sunday after- noon for Hereford and other places and will be gone several days.
C. E. McLean has drawn out of the race for county judge, and John Flanigan is out of the race for county clerk.
Miss Annie Hill went to Hereford Thursday to meet her sister, Miss Lalla Hill, who had been visiting in Houston and Hempstead for the last two months.
The many friends of Frank Vaughn will be glad to learn he is much improved in health, and his stay in Hot Springs, Ark., will only be a few weeks longer.
Mrs. C. E. McLean entertained a crowd of young people Friday even- ing. She was assisted by Miss Bell and everything was that which makes the young enjoy themselves.
CASTRO.

TO-NIGHT

PUBLIC SPEAKING

AT THE
COURT HOUSE

Judge W. B. Boyd
Judge L. Gough
and Others

Will address the citizens of Deaf Smith county in the interests of their respective candidacies.

EVERYBODY INVITED

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HEREFORD COLLEGE LETTER.

A Few Items of Interest From the Campus.

Plans have been perfected for completing the college building.

L. M. Easley, Leslie Easley, Virgie Easley, Marvin Watts, Edgar Webb, D. G. Hobbs and J. T. Webb entered school this week.

The primary department has been moved into the room formerly occupied by President Clark. The room is large, well lighted, and well ventilated—an ideal place for the children.

There is to be a Hallowe'en party at the Girls' Home Friday evening from 7 to 10. An appropriate program has been arranged. The young ladies and young gentlemen of the town are invited.

The literary society had its first program Saturday afternoon. It will meet regularly each Saturday at 3:30 p. m. The following officers have been elected: President, Joe L. Clark; vicepresident, Carl Nance; secretary, Verna Owen; treasurer, Iva Norton; sergeant-at-arms, Jesse Calloway; critic, Charles Jowell.

The large attendance and appreciative attention at the Musical and Elocution Recital last Friday evening was very encouraging to the faculty. It is very much to be regretted that in such an intelligent and well behaved audience there should be a few who cared so little for the beautiful new building that the citizens have provided, as to spit tobacco over several square feet of floor and wall. We hope that those guilty will be more thoughtful next time.

What Next?

The race for district judge in the district above us is getting warm. Last week the Hereford BRAND advocated the defeat of Judge Wallace, for the reason the people were tired of having a whiskey bloated for judge.

—Childress Index.
As the Index man is an avowed anti-prohibitionist the above is a surprise to the pros up the line.

For Sale.

320 acres of well-improved land two miles northeast of town and 20 head of good stock cattle. If desired land will be sold in multiples of forty acres. G. A. Stambaugh at Hereford Mercantile Co's. 26tf

Strayed or Stolen.

One gray mare branded EA on left hip; has fresh wire cut on right fore leg. Reward for information leading to the recovery of the animal. G. A. Sachse, Hereford, Texas. 36tf

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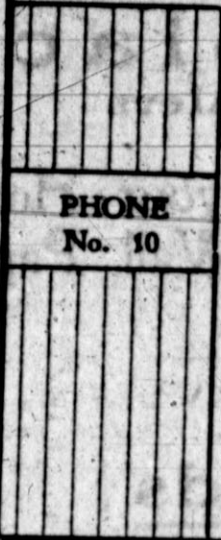
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Band Reorganized.

The members of the Hereford Concert Band held a meeting Tuesday evening and reorganized. Do not infer from this, however, that the band had become broken up as such was not the case. The fact that many of the members, who were in it at the start, have moved to other towns, made it necessary to get new members and it is with pleasure that we can state that all of the new members are band men of experience. It was also decided by the members to keep in their employ C. E. Strain as instructor and leader. This was a wise move as during Mr. Strain's stay here he has proven himself to be an instructor of exceptional ability. The personnel of the band as reorganized is as follows:

J. Daniel, David Martin, Tom Carter, cornet; Luther Hough, Homer Inmon, Carl Nance, alto; A. G. Bell, Joe Clark, tenor; W. E. Rush, trombone; Leslie Robertson, baritone; L. G. Dameron, B bass; J. I. Pylant, tuba; Rollie Hough, snare drum; R. A. Daniel, bass drum; C. E. Strain, leader.

It will thus be seen that with such an excellent personnel good work may be expected, and as such should receive the support of everyone, both morally and financially.

A Campaign Lie.

There is a "campaign story" going the rounds of this district in reference to the character of one of the candidates for district attorney, and from what we can hear there is about as much truth in the report as there is to the following story of the boy in reference to his sister's courtship, set in rhyme:

THEY GOT NEXT.

One Sunday night when pa and ma
Helped entertain with sis,
The lovers sat on distant chairs,
As far apart as this.
'Twas nine o'clock when pa retired
And sought his room upstairs.
The lovers took some photographs
An' nearer brought their chairs.
At ten o'clock mama decamped,
And then, ye gods, what bliss!
Those lovers sat till nearly one,
About as close as this.

Notice.

As Mr. Hay has sold his interest in this business it would be doing a great favor if all who are indebted to this firm would call in as soon as possible and settle old accounts. Respectfully,
34tf HEREFORD GRAIN & COAL CO.

For Sale.

60 head of saddle, work and stock horses from 3 to 5 years old. All sound and in good condition.
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Advertise in THE BRAND.

An Enjoyable Evening.

Last Tuesday evening many of the young friends of Miss Winnie Williams gathered at her home and passed a very pleasant evening in social chat, music and games, during which refreshments were served. Among those present were the Misses Howard, Thomas, Dillard, Rogers, Tygret, Rambo, Daniel, Hough, Patton, Avis and Williams, and the Messrs. Ferguson, Syms, Davidson, Cardwell, Bassett, Wyatt, Norton, Ricketts, Moreman, Wofford and Dyer.

Guitars, banjos, violins, and mandolins at Gough & Davis'.
Prices right. 25tf

Williams & Harrison want your trade. They will take pleasure in ordering anything for you in their line or that you can't find in the market. 36tf

Those attending the "Hallowe'en Party" tonight at the College Girls' Home should be there promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

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When you read a thing you like to feel that it's the truth. The Dallas Semi-Weekly News gives the facts in the case.

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Try a pair of Bloch Bros' pants sold by Williams & Harrison. 36tf

Barclay Bell was in from his Castro county sheep ranch Tuesday after supplies.

Oysters served in any style in our parlors. Also ham and eggs. Give me a trial. B. T. Hinton. 36tf

Do you want a fall or winter suit? If so, see C. L. Davis next door to Witherspoon & Gough's office. 28tf

Mrs. A. H. Patton left Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gracey, who reside at Caddo.

Go to W. W. Meeks for watch and jewelry repairing. He also carries a nice stock of watches and jewelry for sale. 13tf

N. Hollingsworth, one of the candidates for treasurer of Castro county, made THE BRAND office a pleasant call Monday.

Boys we can fit you all in hats. We carry the largest line of Stetson hats in Hereford. 36tf WILLIAMS & HARRISON.

J. M. Garner went to Plainview Monday, called there by a telephone message to the effect that his brother was very low with pneumonia.

For Sale at a bargain about 200 head of high grade Durham and Hereford stock cattle, or will let them out to winter. Dr. T. J. Estes. 36tf

W. T. Priest, the painter and paper hanger, has a new adv in this issue of THE BRAND, which will be of interest to those wishing anything in this line. Give him a trial.

Hereford is to have a commercial apple orchard to be planted by B. H. Frazier southwest of town. It will be planted in a hollow square of black locust trees to give it wind protection.

For Sale—83 acres of land adjoining town on east, 1/4 mile from court house. 30 acres in cultivation lying in the valley of Tierra Blanco. Is very best alfalfa land. \$27.50 an acre gets it. Apply at Johnson & Ferguson's. 24tf

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Barrell syrup of all kinds at Cardwell Bros. 36-2t

W. H. Butts of Celine, Collin county, was among the prospectors in town this week.

Call and see the new line of Jewelry, Watches, Clocks and Spectacles at Lee Smith's Store. 29tf

George L. Muse, the candidate for commissioner of precinct No. 4, was in town this week on business.

Students wishing to buy stringed instruments will save money by purchasing them from their local dealer—Gough & Davis'. 25tf

We have lots of baby shoes and more baby shoes on the road. Here's the place to buy your baby a pair of shoes. 36tf WILLIAMS & HARRISON.

Have your picture taken at Meeks. 13tf

For Sale—A good second hand wagon and harness, cheap. W. H. Rayzor. 35tf

A. S. Kendrick, the well known North Draw stockman, was in town Tuesday after supplies.

C. L. Davis would be pleased to show his samples of custom made clothing to those needing a fall or winter suit or overcoat. 28tf

Mrs. Burke of Plainview, who has been visiting friends in town for the past two weeks, left Sunday for a visit with Alvarado friends.

Our ladies shoes are the latest most up-to-date line in town. Call, see, and be convinced. 36tf WILLIAMS & HARRISON.

See our handsome stationery and books. Gough's & Davis. 25tf

W. S. Files was in from his ranch Wednesday after supplies.

Stetson hats all shapes and grades. 36tf At WILLIAMS & HARRISON.

J. R. T. Bassett was in from his ranch Wednesday greeting his many friends.

Buy your boots and shoes from Williams & Harrison, they handle the Giesecke. 36tf

C. E. Wheeler was in from his ranch in the east part of the county Wednesday after supplies.

Try some of Cardwell Bros. breakfast foods—malta-vita, shredded wheat biscuits, Ralson's and various others. 36-2t

J. L. Beach, father of our townsman, W. B. Beach, has sold his ranch in Yeldell, Okla., and with his family is moving to Hereford. THE BRAND extends the hand of welcome.

L. S. Smith, the jeweler and optician, has placed a news stand in his store and will keep on hand all the latest newspapers, periodicals and magazines. He will also take subscriptions for any publication wanted, including THE BRAND. tf

B. H. Frazier, our dealer in forest trees, informs us that he will plant 15,000 black locust trees on his place southwest of town next spring. He has also booked the orders of S. B. Harbison & Son for 15,000 black locusts which they will plant on their ranch near town and for 7000 for Mr. Laughlin of Summerfield Switch.

For Sale.

One of the best improved ranch places in New Mexico. Good one and one-half story stone building, good corrals, well watered, mowing machine, plows and tools together with 100 head of stock horses, about 50 of which are young stuff out of Standard Black Hawk horse. Also one black Spanish Jack eight years old and one Mammoth Jack six years old. Ten miles of fence. Will transfer lease to two school sections. Price for all, \$4,000. Will give terms on part. Apply at the Hereford Dental Parlors, or at this office. 26tf

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Judge Wallace denied the petition of the antis for the injunction against the taking effect of the local option law in Clarendon.

The usual attitude of labor and capital was made manifest in the late coal strike. Baer wanted troops and Mitchell wanted arbitration.—Clarendon Industrial West.

T. F. Beall has on exhibit at Walling & Hunt's office an immense radish, of the third crop grown by him 4 miles southwest of Lockney, weighing 10½ lbs. 23½ in. round and 25½ inches long.—Lockney Beacon.

The pioneer is now looking at the Texas vacant lands. The Texas homestead law favors the cattlemen as against the small farmer. The day will come when Texas will change the law so that the small farmer will feel himself invited to the state.—Wichita Eagle.

It matters not what plan is adopted in the handling of Kaffir corn, there is one principle that must not be violated, and that is, the seed must not be covered up with green fodder, otherwise heating would be induced and its vitality impaired. That Kaffir corn and sorghum seed are so frequently low in vitality is directly traceable to this very cause.—Higgins News.

The lumber dealers of Childress are having a price war and it is stated that in many instances lumber is being sold at less than cost.

Assignee McMinn of the Bank of Childress has declared another 20 per cent dividend for the benefit of the bank's creditors. It is stated that the creditors will receive 100 cents on the dollar.

The round house of the Denver railway at Texline was burned Monday night. There has been talk for some time of moving it to Dalhart and it is generally conceded that a larger and better one will now be built at Dalhart.—Clarendon News.

The acreage of wheat sown this fall in this section is much greater than it was last fall and if the yield per acre is even as good as it was this year the harvest will be almost twice as large. Most every farmer has out at least a few acres.—Higgins News.

A prominent implement dealer of this city who makes it his business to keep posted on such matters, gives as his opinion that there is now at least 150,000 acres of wheat sown in this trade territory, nearly all of which is up and looking better than ever before at this season of the year.—Wichita Falls Times.

M. Rosenfield says the LeFors barbecue was thoroughly enjoyed by about 400 people, mostly old time Panhandle people. The most of the speaking was by candidates for office. They have a good court house for a new county and it is paid for. No other building has been done there yet.—Clarendon Industrial West.

Texas cattlemen are among the most progressive citizens of the state, and as a class have done more for the state than they receive credit for. Had it not been for the cowman all the western portion of this state would have remained undeveloped, and the school fund would have been far from its present plethoric condition. The average cowman is a public benefactor not only to the state as a whole, but he generally leads in open-minded liberality in every community in which he resides.—West Texas Stockman.

Equipment for the Denver Road.

The Fort Worth and Denver has ordered twenty-four seventy-ton locomotives and two hundred live stock cars. Vice President D. B. Keller of the company said in reply to a question that this additional equipment had been ordered to improve the service of the company, the policy of the management being to give the best possible service. The additional stock cars, he said, were being made in anticipation of the business which would come to the company by reason of the establishment of the packinghouses at Fort Worth.—Roswell Journal.

\$15 in Premiums.

As I promised to give the patrons of my horses prizes this fall for the best colts shown, sired by either of my horses, I have decided to place the date of the show on November 1, 1902, at 2 p. m. All parties owning colts who wish to compete for the prizes will please have them here at that time, when I will pay \$10 in cash for the best and \$5 for the second best colt shown.

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Judge and Mrs. J. H. Barwise, Sr., of Wichita Falls recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

The papers in the forty-seventh judicial district seem to have entered into a combination to defeat Judge Wallace. Quite a number of them are openly supporting his opponent.—Canadian Record.

The great feed crops of the Plains are being harvested and cared for to feed the good old sisters on this winter, for it is the cow that is the basis of wealth in this country.—Canyon City Stayer.

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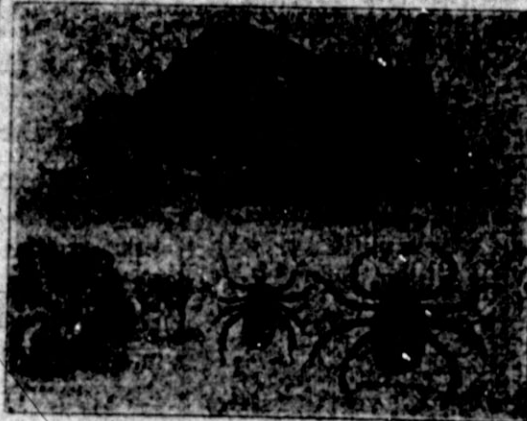
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in Texas all their lives and a better firm could not have been selected to assist these young men in acquiring homes in the state, and it is quite a compliment to this enterprising firm.

Antis to Contest.

Two weeks ago The Index stated that the antis of Donley county contemplated contesting the local option election held in that county September 13. In the Dallas News of Wednesday the following dispatch was printed:

"Cleburne, Texas, Oct. 21.—D. B. Hill of Donley county, spent yesterday here in company with H. P. Brown. They prepared a writ of injunction to be presented to Judge Wallace, asking the restraint of the publication of the order declaring local option in Donley county, that county having gone dry in a local option election held on September 13."

As Judge Wallace is a candidate for re-election and his district is almost entirely prohibition, it will be rather hard for him to grant the injunction asked—Childress Index.

Does the Index mean to intimate that Judge Wallace would grant the injunction, were it not for the fact that he is seeking a public office in a prohibition district?

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