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## LOCAL ELECTION CREATES INTEREST

Surprises for Some—Running Was Good Until Last Lap—Few Left For Second Contest.

Local politicians were somewhat prepared for surprises in the county election returns, but even those who were on the "inside" did not anticipate such good running for so many of the local races. There were surprises enough for all.

Beginning at the bottom of the ticket: Jim Carroll left Col. Richards standing still when he ran under the wire, but Richards says that he thinks himself the luckiest man as he will not have anything to account for. Daddy Boone slipped one by the bunch when he got on the ticket by himself and so the running was not very exciting. Uncle George Higgins made Kibbe leave the brush and take to open running, but he failed to pass the judges stand in time and so was counted out. W. W. Bennett ran off from Cal Walker likely because the Bennetts are natural base runners any way and it just suited the Coryell county man to take a little spin. But the surprise for all was the way Uncle Joe Ward ran around the ring. Being badly crippled as every one thought, he had been simply "possuming" and when the gong sounded, he flew around the track so fast his friends lost count, and his opponent, J. O. Jenkins, was not there when he went under the wire. Another surprise, even for himself, was the way Al Miller, the young man with a perpetual grin on his face, humped himself as he led off down the track. But, they say, Al had been practicing for two years. If true, it showed the result of good training, as he won sweepstakes over all in the first heat, putting 161 feet (votes) between him and the next horse, Laughing Charley. The other four trailed along away behind, with J. H. Head leading and Thomas, Mitchell and Wyche in a bunch.

But the most exciting race was that for the sheriff purse of several thousand put up by the county for the winner. In the start, Keliheor, an Irish looking chap, was the center of attraction for the old turf devotees; he looked good to them and they banked on his winning. Then there was the old horse, a thoroughbred, country fed stock, Rube Norton, whose backers pranced him up and down before the grand stand as the probable winner; and beside him stood Baird, the last good winner and one with fine running qualities, and it was a difficult thing to choose between the two as the results showed. In the first round or two, first one and the other of these two would be a neck ahead and not until the gong sounded and the judges gave their decision, did Baird take the red ribbon. But while all this running was creating a lot of excitement there was a little sorrel bugging the inside track, and before any one knew what was up, he dashed out 47 feet ahead of the second horse. This was Hold On Henry. Now, these two, Hubbert and Baird, are to match another race and the contest promises some interest.

For a regular pipe wrench race, the three-in, Smith, Jones and Thompson, furnished some surprise. Smith had won some good races in the past and his backers were betting freely on his winning qualities. Jones, too, had been an easy winner in the past and both felt their oats on the new track; but the man with gas pipe wrench and gasoline torch, simply burnt holes in the wind thru which he slipped as easily as the proverbial greased pig. Alex remarked the morning of the race that he had only partially shaved that morning as he expected to get a closer shave in the afternoon. This threw

his backers into a tremble and they took him into the track at noon and rubbed him down with "high life." This seemed to have the desired effect and the next morning, he wanted something with which to remove the burn. But Jones and Smith are as good losers as winners.

The event was that for the honors of the judgeship. Four entries were booked: Hughes, Garrison, Cook, Megert. This was four mile race. Up to the second mile, the running was good, but here Megert's wind broke; Cook's avordupois proved too weighty. After this, the running was with Garrison and Hughes, with Hughes in the lead, and so close was the last heat that the judges decided that they must run one more time around the track. This promises to be the best race of all, as both horses are in good trim and well groomed.

There were a number of pony races that day, but none of interest except between a brown horse by the name of Leopold Morris, a range horse from Bell and stall fed runner from Houston. This was a race on points and the board showed that Ball had 369 points in his favor; Ferguson 102, and Morris only 5.

Another race was that between a cactus tail horse from the Cottle county mosques and a thoroughbred whose oats are raised in Washington, D. C., where farming is done in books. This was a surprise even to those who backed the cactus tail bronc, the score card showing 199 to 237 in favor of the imported stock. Altogether, the races this time proved a source of great speculation, betting and much loss. The attendance was good at the meet, the streets all day being full of voters, non-voters and children.

### Official Ballot.

- For submission, 231.
- Against submission, 55.
- For Governor:
  - Thos. H. Ball, 369.
  - James E. Ferguson, 102.
  - Leopold Morris, 5.
- For Lieutenant Governor:
  - B. B. Sturgeon, 376.
  - W. P. Hobby, 67.
- For Attorney General:
  - B. F. Looney, 463.
- For State Treasurer:
  - John W. Baker, 378.
  - J. M. Edwards, 70.
- For Court of Criminal Appeals:
  - W. L. Davidson, 222.
  - J. J. Faulk, 221.
- For Associate Justice Supreme Court:
  - William E. Hawkins, 461.
- For Commissioner of Agriculture:
  - Fred W. Davis, 223.
  - H. A. Halbert, 218.
- For Railroad Commissioner:
  - Earl B. Mayfield, 347.
  - J. M. Arnold, 89.
- For State Superintendent of Public Instruction:
  - S. M. N. Marrs, 264.
  - W. F. Doughty, 168.
- For Commissioner General Land Office:
  - James T. Robison, 279.
  - Thomas M. Bastley, 152.
- For Comptroller of Public Accounts:
  - J. L. Franklin, 273.
  - C. C. Mayfield, 76.
  - H. B. Terrell, 83.
- For Congressman-at-Large:
  - T. J. O'Donnell, 105.
  - James H. Lowry, 69.
  - Jeff McLemore, 17.
  - Daniel E. Garrett, 125.
  - Will A. Harris, 39.
  - J. H. (Cyclone) Davis, 99.
  - Ed R. Kone, 12.
  - L. L. Shield, 21.
  - J. E. Porter, 17.
  - W. P. Lane, 123.
- For Congressman Thirteenth Congressional District:
  - W. E. Prescott, 199.
  - Jno. H. Stephens, 237.
- For State Senator Twenty-ninth District:
  - W. A. Johnson, 249.
  - R. H. Cocke, 176.
- For Representative One Hundred and Twenty-third District:
  - Y. W. Holmes, 55.
  - T. J. Tilson, 75.
  - A. C. Elliott, 338.

- For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals Seventh Supreme Judicial District:
  - R. W. Hill, 461.
- For District Judge Sixty-ninth Judicial District:
  - D. B. Hill, 475.
- For District Attorney Sixty-ninth Judicial District:
  - W. H. Russell, 271.
  - Clifford Braly, 41.
  - J. W. Sellars, 173.
- For County Judge:
  - J. E. Garrison, 145.
  - R. E. Cook, 84.
  - W. M. Megert, 65.
  - Jas. A. Hughes, 198.
- County and District Clerk:
  - C. E. Smith, 126.
  - A. O. Thompson, 273.
  - J. S. Jones, 93.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
  - R. W. Baird, 127.
  - W. D. Keliheor, 68.
  - R. H. Norton, 123.
  - H. O. Hubbert, 174.
- For Tax Assessor:
  - C. E. Lester, 105.
  - W. A. (Al) Miller, 266.
  - O. E. Thomas, 26.
  - J. H. Head, 38.
  - J. S. Wyche, 34.
  - H. F. Mitchell, 24.
- For County Attorney:
  - W. E. Dameron, 460.
- For County Treasurer:
  - J. J. Ward, 432.
  - J. O. Jenkins, 57.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
  - C. V. Walker, 58.
  - W. W. Bennett, 96.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
  - R. J. Kibbe, 142.
  - G. T. Higgins, 105.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
  - John Gregory, 15.
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
  - John Gregory, 15.
- For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
  - J. M. Boone, 380.
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1:
  - C. S. Richards, 92.
  - J. C. Carroll, 273.
- For Chairman Democratic Executive Committee for Deaf Smith County:
  - A. M. Jones, 424.
- For Precinct Chairman Prec. No. 1:
  - E. B. Black, 5.

## MONUMENT TO MARK TWAIN



This monument to Samuel Langhorne Clemens (Mark Twain) is to be unveiled next fall in Hannibal, Mo., where his boyhood was spent. It will stand on the highest point of Riverside park and will be visible for many miles up and down the Mississippi river.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Holland, Mrs. W. H. Dixon and Clarence Shepard of Castro county have gone to College Station to take the short course at the Farmers' Institute. Mr. Shepard will make arrangements while there to enter the A & M. for next session. The others will visit friends and relatives in the central part of the state while away.

Show starts Tuesday nights at 7:45. It

## CARRIED OFF A MILLION IN LOOT



Gen. Joaquin Maas and Maria Maas photographed on board the U. S. Espagny on their departure from Puerto Mexico with the million dollars in gold stolen from the banks at Saltillo.

### Hereford Benefit Association Increases Membership.

G. M. Suggs quit politics last Saturday and turned his attention to securing members for the Hereford Benefit Association. Monday also found him at work and between him and Mr. Ashbrook some 50 new certificates have been issued, making now over 300 members in the local order. It may not be known as generally as it should be, but this order is a fine thing. It is simple first aid insurance without any frills to it. The joining fee is small, the dues 25 cents per year and the policy amounts to just \$1.00 per member when a death occurs. So if there are 300 members and one of the members should die, his policy would be payable immediately at \$300.00. It is the desire of the society to get the membership up to 500 members.

### A Difference in Feelings.

Just the way a man feels goes a long way towards his ultimate success. If he feels hopeful, if his work is not irksome, if he enjoys his job, if he sees some future to his efforts, all this helps to add materially to his success. This is true in farming as well as in other lines of business. In these days, when we meet a farmer, if asked "how's craps," he answers you with a smile and says "just fine." If you meet a cowman and make inquiry about the grass and steers, it's the same answer; of the alfalfa growing, all have that same fine, hopeful feeling. This is worth the price of the asking. And then to ride out along the long lanes and see the growing crops and the fat cattle, is an inspiration even to the chronic grumbler or the man with a carbuncle grouch. In fact, this country has about shtip out every grouch; they've been rounded up, dipt and sent over the road. There are just a few left and either the canner or the undertaker will get them before the season is over. What we need now is a universal smile for every one. The stockman has it, the farmer is growing a good one, the merchant has an invoice for cash grin, the real estate dealer is figuring on trading for a smile that won't wear off and everybody else is catching this wholesome disease. Yes, there is a difference when you feel right.

### New Grocery Store.

A new grocery store for Hereford will open tomorrow. The style of the new firm will be Williams Bros., composed of the members, Brack Williams and John Williams, both young men and well known in the community. They are at 310 Main street, the place formerly occupied by Smith & Son's Model Grocery. A force of men have been opening up the stock of goods this week and the new firm will be ready for business tomorrow, Saturday, August 1. The Brand bespeaks for them a successful business career.

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### John Dale's Prophecy Comes True.

John W. Dale, well known in Hereford as a great politician and an election prophet, has won the laurels in the election just held. In 1912, he foretold Colquitt's election and on about June 15 of this year, he wrote the following letter to the Brand and then and there staked his reputation upon the prophetic vision that Ferguson would win over Ball by 40,000 votes. His letter of June 15 reads:

If you will remember I made a prophecy about three months prior to the last gubernatorial election in which I stated to you that Colquitt would be elected by 35,000 majority, and he was elected by approximately 38,000 majority. You commented on it at the time. Now I see in your issue of June 12 this paragraph: "Readers of the Brand are requested to keep a scrap book of political prophecies. After the election many of them will create a smile." Now, dear Brand, I wish to make another prophecy for your scrap book. Jim Ferguson will go into the governor's chair by a majority of not less than 40,000. I am not influenced in this statement because I live in "Tamalesville," the biggest, liveliest and most progressive city in Texas, which is anti from start to finish, but because of the fact that the citizenship of Middle, East and North Texas have become tired and sore of the ultra factionalism of a class of citizens who subordinate every other interest of our great commonwealth to the one thing named "prohibition." The people are awakening. Mark the result.

Yours very truly,  
John W. Dale.

Now, on Wednesday morning the Brand received a night letter from the Sinton gentleman which calls attention to the prophecy and in his gleeful feeling over the victory "rubs it in" with considerable force and vigor.

### COOLEST JOB IN WASHINGTON



John W. Hinkel has the coolest job of any government employe in Washington. He drives the monorail car in the subway which connects the senate office building and the capitol.

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## GENERAL NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE

War in Europe Between Austria and Servia—Mrs. Callaux Acquitted of Killing Editor, etc.

Actual war is now occupying the attention of all Europe; Austria-Hungary has declared war against Servia and a number of engagements have been fought. Servia is a small power, one of the Balkan states; Austria-Hungary is a dual monarchy possessing great resources of war, but the first jab is to be covered by the difference, for Servia will defend her borders to the last measure.

Russia is watching the movements and has stationed an army along the frontier ready at any time to take a hand in the affair which threatens to involve all Europe.

Mrs. Callaux, who shot and killed Editor Calmette, has been acquitted by a French court after a most spectacular trial. The figure, a leading newspaper, had attacked the political life and fortunes of M. Callaux, one of the prominent candidates and office holders of that country, and had become so enraged at the position of the paper, she dared to take the law into her own hands. The men of France say she was justified.

Just before resigning his usurped place, Huerta granted to the Rothschilds of England a large body of land for one cent per acre. This grant, of course, will be repudiated by the new government, as will many other grants which have been illegally made.

### Viva! Viva! Hereford.

Viva, Hereford and her hospitable people! This was the expression waved to the Hereford bunch that entertained the Amarillo crowd last week in a fishing outing on the creek. There were a number of Hereford friends who contributed in some way to the pleasure of the visitors and they seemed all appreciative of the attentions paid them. In the number from Amarillo, a partial list of whom were given last week, were: Rev. E. Thomsen, Presbyterian minister; Rev. W. P. Jennings, Christian minister; J. S. Bass, of the firm of Bass Bros.; A. D. Armstrong, of the Armstrong Storage Co.; A. G. Stanley, of Noble Bros. Co.; W. B. Hedrick, of the Bryant Co.; E. L. Higginbotham, of the Bryant Co.; F. S. Davis, of the Walker Brokerage Co.; Carl Thomsen and Earl Baker. The Amarillo men left a note saying: We were royally entertained and wish to thank all who contributed in any way to our extreme pleasure. We cannot remember all, but especially remember Geo. Dent, Bruce Sullivan, Roy Stocking, Jim Cardwell, Edgar Johnson, J. T. W. Kinison, each one of whom helped fill our cup to running over. And great are the fish in the Terra Blanca. May they multiply and fill the creek and be easily caught. Viva! Viva Hereford.

Capt. Tilson Wins For Representative.

Capt. T. J. Tilson of Plainview will be the next representative for the 123rd district, winning over A. C. Elliott of Hereford and Y. W. Holmes of Plainview. With a few country boxes yet to be counted, the count stood yesterday afternoon as follows: Tilson, 1266; Elliott, 1176; Holmes, 775. This carried Hale and Swisher counties; Elliott carried Deaf Smith, Randall, Armstrong, Farmer but the heavy vote in Hale was too much for the small counties that went for the Hereford candidate. Castro-Baly vote is still in doubt. The additional boxes to be added will not materially affect the result.

Mrs. Parks, mother of Miss Nettie Parks, has returned from a visit to relatives in Hill county.

**The Girl and Her Relations With Men.**

(This paper was read at a meeting of the Mothers' Club and is published by request of that society.)

The kind of relations a girl has with men depends altogether on her ideals.

There is a time in the early life of the child when the seeds of character are sown. The mother who is in close touch with her children at this time may make or mar them. It is then that tastes are formed and the whole structure of character is dependent on good taste. Morality is a matter of taste. People who live clean, decent lives do so purely thru instinctive good taste. The girl who loves to run and play and to climb trees, will be too busy to admit of morbid thoughts. Early childhood is the only time in which the boy and girl meet upon fairly equal terms. A little girl between the ages of 4 and 14 is in a way safer with a boy playmate than with a girl. A thing that a little girl must not do or say before the boys is pretty sure to be the thing she should not do before girls. The Tomboy is likely to be much franker with the boys than a more lady-like girl, but she is also more likely to snub the whispering, insinuating girl who expresses a willingness to tell her something if she will not tell her mother. Nothing deserves censure more than allowing children to begin sweet-heating in the cradle, and 9 time out of 10 they would never think of such a thing if some older person did not begin teasing little girls and boys about being sweet-hearts. All jokes hinging on sex should be eliminated from childhood. If boys and girls are allowed together they will not be so self-conscious when together. Of course we often see the deplorable sight of the girl making a fool of herself over the boys. Hereford girls not excepted. It is in the simple, daily friendships that they have the best chance to understand each other better and learn more of their natures. Every teacher knows of the universal commonness of love affairs between pupils of which the parents are usually ignorant. These boys and girls walk to and from school together. The teachers acknowledge that they dare not speak for where they have done so they usually meet with rebuff from the parents. If more of the mothers happened along at the noon hour and just after school they would see their little girls and boys from 12 years up walking along together. The average mother is fully content to believe that all is right with her children, however much may be wrong with other mothers' children. A great deal is said about children showing their parents proper respect. Turn about is fair play, and is the mother showing her daughter the proper respect if she never goes in to speak to her young men company? Can she leave her to go up stairs to bed and are never still up and have a light when her daughter returns from church or some social gathering? Mothers, don't think your daughter will not be popular

with the boys (you know it is some mothers ambition that their girls be popular with the boys) if you take an interest in your daughter; they will be popular with the right kind; if you find out they object you had better be with them that much more. The letter writing habit which some young people have, writing to each other every 2 or 3 days, is silly to say the least; no sane, pure-minded young people can think of anything to write that often. The present-giving mania is also to be mentioned. In the first place it encourages wastefulness, often the boy has not earned the money he spends on a girl. Often the boy who lavishes gifts on some girl never thinks of remembering his mother or sister on their birthday or Xmas time. No boy is fit to go with who does not show his mother and sisters the same courtesies that he does to other girls. The old fashioned idea of giving books, flowers and such little gifts is still in good taste. The boy who gives expensive presents expects a return, and it is often not very complimentary to the girl what he asks for; if she is the right kind of girl there will be a break-up, and if she is the other kind the boy will soon tire of her. Some girls even give presents to boys, they think the boys will think more of them, they forget that men are natural pursuers; and what is lightly won will be lightly held.

The amusement question next. The dancing mania that has been sweeping the country is naturally regretted by all careful thinking and clean minded people. There is nothing good in the new dances and the women are largely at fault for the popularity of these dances. Men have no desire to dance these vulgar dances by themselves and if the girls refused to dance with these men who want to dance that kind, the dance would soon cease to be. The man will generally go just as far in the directions which they imply as a girl will allow. It is always for a girl to say how far that will be. The most effective way to banish an undesirable element is to introduce something desirable. There is far more danger to our girls from the possession of a morbid conscience than from enjoyment within reasonable limitations of any healthful amusement. It is therefore the duty of parents to provide the right kind of amusement. The mothers who permit their daughters to wear clothes that display their physical charms are certainly inviting danger. The thin waist that displays the underwear and form so plainly and the dress that is so thin and has such few underclothes on that a boy can tell the color of her garters, is not calculated to make the kind of feeling toward a girl a boy should have. It is a very good rule for a girl not to go with a boy who is not fit for her to marry. Some girls take great pride in telling how many times they have been engaged. There is really no honor in it, for often the engaged girl will permit familiarities that should be permitted to but the one she is really going to marry and most of the time not at

all. If the proper ideals have been held up before a girl she will have too much pride to go with the do-nothing cigarette smoker. A girl should be told why a cigarette feind is not safe to be with.

In proportion as a girl respects herself so will men respect her. No man can lower a girl's standards without her encouragement or willingness. He may try, but his effort can only remain an effort if the girl has her principles in mind and her standards fixed. If a girl will hold up her own ideals of fine girlhood, no one need worry about the ideals of the young men. There are many people who would not think of letting their fine horses and cows run with scrub stock, and no gardener would plant squash and gourds side by side, yet they will allow their boys and girls to keep the kind of company, it would seem that they must think more of money than they do their children. In a family where there is no training, where the mother impresses no ideals upon her girls, and the father teaches the boys no lessons of self-control, it is plain what will happen when the children go out into the world.

Mothers, it is our duty to teach our daughters high ideals and we must not fail for a girl's relation to men depend upon the ideals that have been instilled into her mind.

**So They Have Died.**

The Big Irishman who started the race.

He agreed for another to take the place.

Only offers the suggestion that we tried.

But on account of our belief,

The great were our aspirations, in brief,

They have died.

Henry, whose friends proved so cunning,

Have easily put him in the running;

Bob comes along by his side,

Left me with Billy and the load

Of explaining why I took the road,

Where they died.

In Politics, there is a way,

Of keepin' a farmer pitching hay;

Whether good or bad and things have dried;

For those who voted for the other man

Makes you know that you only ran,

And have died.

Though not now in the race,

You'll find me at the same old place;

My door ajar or the string outside,

Neither up Salt Creek or eatin' crow,

Smear'd with tar or wading the snow;

Such things have died.

You have told it, most proved it,

meant no harm,

That I was a worker and owned a farm;

Some friends said, had I only tried—

Though they staid, yet too few;

Remember, I truly thank you,

though we have died.

**A Royal Party to Visit Us.**

Particulars regarding the personnel of his Royal Highness' retinue, date of arrival, purpose of visit, etc., forthcoming.

Even the least of potentates creates a flurry by announcing his intention of visiting our shores. But now comes word that a king accompanied by thousands of courtiers will bring the glory of his court into our midst. Just why he comes, who will attend him, how his powers and riches will be used while in our midst is set forth in a 65 page volume regarding The King's Return. Some have told us he comes "as a thief;" others say with shout and trumpet. Some declare he comes to burn the earth, and others that he is to make it all a Paradise. Send five cents to Mrs. H. C. Rockwell, 28 West 63rd St., New York City, and learn what the Bible says. 15c

**Show Tuesday Nights.**

For Tuesday nights only the show will begin promptly at 7:45 as the extra reels makes it rather late in closing. The fourth installment of the Million Dollar Mystery will be on next Tuesday night. Our house has been running over and the interest in this great movie play is increasing. Come early if you want to get a seat for the first show.

**Read Notice to Land Owner.**

In the matter of the Petition of L. F. Borden and others for a Public Road in the County of Deaf Smith, THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the owners of the herein after described land.

TAKE NOTICE, that the undersigned Jury, appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, to lay out and survey a Public Road, as petitioned for by L. F. Borden and others, beginning at county line of Deaf Smith and Randall counties at the S. E. corner of Sec. 80 and the N. E. corner of Sec. 81 in Blk. B 5 and running west with section lines to the Hereford and Parks Road, and to assess the damages resulting from the establishment of said road, will on the 7th day of August, 1914, in discharge of our said duty, meet upon the following premises, to which you have some claim or title, to-wit: Sections 80 and 81 in Blk. B-5, sections 12, 13, 11, 14, 10, 15, 9, 16 in Blk. J, sections 3 and 4 in Blk. K-14, J. F. Witherspoon Preemption, D. W. Dillon Preemption, sections 9, 10, 11 and 12 in Blk. K-3, and will then and there proceed to assess any damages to which you may be entitled on account of the laying out of said Public Road, and you are requested and required to produce to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any claimed by you and all evidences which you may desire to offer in relation to such damages, and do and perform such other acts as may be necessary and lawful in the premises.

This 27th day of July, 1914.

Troy Womble,  
Jim Parks,  
Ray Hershey,  
W. S. Higgins,  
W. E. Neal,

Jurors.

For sale cheap for cash at once the following land: N. W. 1/4 of section No 7, block K, 14 grantee, B. S. & F. certificate, 1-927. 160 acres of good land. For information apply to W. A. Turner, Pittsburg, Okla. No trade wanted. 26-3tp

**TEXAS FACTS**

TEXAS LEADS THE NATION IN—

Livestock.

Land area.

Wild game.

Railway mileage.

Uncultivated area.

Number of cattle.

Number of Farms.

Number of mules.

Number of goats.

Number of Turkeys.

Number of cowboys.

Number of counties.

Production of cotton.

Production of peaches.

Production of mohair.

Number of cotton gins.

Agricultural production.

Production of livestock.

Production of seed oats.

Number of farm laborers.

Production of polo ponies.

Production of watermelons.

Number of colonies of bees.

Number of asses and burros.

Number of cotton compresses.

Production of butter on farms.

Number of farm home-owners.

Interurban construction in 1913.

Number of cotton seed oil mills.

Production of early strawberries.

Production of winter vegetables.

Production of big league ball players.

Manufacture of cotton gin machinery.

**TAKING CALOMEL**

**IS DANGEROUS**

Calomel is a powerful chemical made from mercury—people should be careful about its use. The only sure way to avoid the danger of calomel is to take no calomel.

Dodson's Liver Tone, a vegetable liquid of pleasant taste, more than takes its place. Where calomel shakes you up and shocks your liver and often makes you really sick, Dodson's Liver Tone, mild but effective, builds up and strengthens. It "liven's up the liver." You feel fine after taking it.

Dodson's may be taken without any restriction of diet or habits. You can give it to your children with fine results.

Get a large bottle for 50 cents at Betts & Clark and if it doesn't do all that you think it ought—if it doesn't make bilious spells mere trifles—it it doesn't "liven up your liver," your money will be waiting for you and be returned with a smile. It

**Notice For Bids For City Deposits.**

Sealed bids will be received by the City Commission at their meeting on August 6, 1914, from any and all banking corporations, associations, or individual banker, doing business in the City of Hereford, that may desire to be selected as the depository of the funds of the City, stating the rate per cent upon daily balances that you propose to pay to the City for the privilege of being made the depository of the funds of the City for the year next following the date of said meeting. All eligible institutions desiring to bid shall file their proposals with the City Clerk on or before the date of said meeting.

By order of the Commission.

It P. W. Price, City Clerk.

**Fine Chickens.**

Pearl Long poses as one of the leading chicken fanciers in the county. He now has a fine lot of partridge rocks, and this week received a young cockrel that cost him a big greenback bill. He is proud of his purchase.

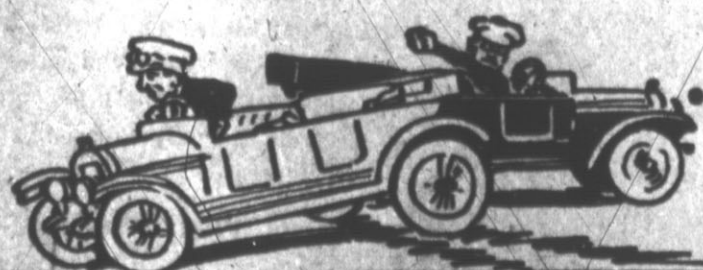
**SWIMS 15 MILES, SHACKLED**



Buster Eltonsky, the New London youth who has more freak swimming records to his short career than any other long distance swimmer, endeavored recently to chalk up another record by swimming a distance of 23 miles on three tides with his hands and feet shackled. He made his start from pier A, North river, New York, and covered 15 miles, when he was forced to quit because of the strong wind that was blowing against him. He promises to make another attempt when conditions are more auspicious.

**"YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD."**

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Mr. Skidder is always having trouble. If he isn't bumping some other motorist, he's trying to demolish a curbstone or tree. He's blown enough money on auto repair bills to have bought three or four sets of Good-year "All-Weather" treads. Queer notion of economy, has Mr. Skidder.

The Goodyear "All-Weather" tread is a real anti-skid. Each block has a long, sharp edge, faced toward the direction of skidding. When the car starts to skid, it grips the road like a sharp-edged skate-runner on smooth ice.

The edges of the blocks stay sharp for thousands of miles. They never all wear off.

The blocks are deep-cut and flat-topped. Each block sets on a large base, which distributes the pressure over the entire fabric of tire. That's why Goodyear All-Weather treads last so long.

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Come in and see this Goodyear All-Weather tread. It's a dandy. You'll like it. Costs but little more than the smooth tread. Lasts longer and saves many a bad skid.

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## AUGUST 1 to 15

**2 Weeks**

**All Furniture and Floor Coverings Offered at Great Price Reductions. We propose to make this the Greatest Sale of the year.**

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**A \$20,000.00 Stock of Furniture, Carpets, Trunks, Etc. to Select From**

We must raise \$5,000.00 during this Great Harvest Sale and the extremely low prices we are offering WILL MAKE THESE GOODS MOVE. We have just received a car of new Furniture, representing purchases from the very best Northern and Eastern factories including handsome Iron Beds of the latest designs and patterns; Genuine Quarter Sawn Oak Dressers, Chiffoniers, Chifforobes, Rockers, Buffets and China Closets. These are all included in this Great Harvest Sale—A genuine, bon fide cash sale; a great money saving sale; a great value giving sale.

### Metal Beds

We handle the celebrated Smith & Davis Metal Beds, the best made and best finished bed on the market.

\$50.00 Shtn Brass Beds	<b>\$35.00</b>
Harvest Sale Price	
37.50 Satin Brass Beds	<b>25.00</b>
Harvest Sale Price	
30.00 Satin Brass Beds	<b>19.75</b>
Harvest Sale Price	
27.50 Fine Brass Finish Bed	<b>18.75</b>
Harvest Sale Price	
20.00 Fine Brass Finish Bed	<b>13.75</b>
Harvest Sale Price	
12.50 Fine Brass Finish Bed	<b>8.75</b>
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Cheaper beds at proportionate discount

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In this line we show the most extensive line of patterns and greatest variety of quality ever shown in the Panhandle.

\$1.25 Tile Inlaid Linoleum, priced for the Harvest Sale	<b>95c</b>
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65c Printed Linoleum, Harvest Sale Price	<b>47c</b>
55c Printed Linoleum, Harvest Sale Price	<b>42c</b>

5c per yard less where we do not have to lay it.

### Trunks & Suit Cases

We have on display the best line of real good Trunks and Suit Cases we have ever shown. All these goods will go in this Great Harvest Sale.

\$27.50 Fine Dresser Trunk, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$18.75</b>
20.00 Extra Fine Fiber Trunk, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$15.00</b>
16.50 Fine Trunk, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$12.50</b>
13.50 Good Trunk, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$9.85</b>
10.00 Good Trunk, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$7.50</b>
16.50 Hand-stitched Leather Suit Case, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$12.50</b>
12.50 Genuine Leather Suit Case, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$9.75</b>
10.00 Excellent Leather Suit Case, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$7.50</b>
6.75 Leather Suit Case, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$5.00</b>
6.00 Leather Suit Case, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$4.00</b>
5.00 Good Suit Case, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$3.75</b>

### Mattresses

We handle the Ostermoor, Sealey, Good Night, and Columbia Sanitary Mattress. These are plain, non-tufted and are all sold under strict guarantee.

\$25.00 Sealey Mattress, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$18.75</b>
20.00 Fine Goodnight Mattress, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$15.00</b>
16.75 Ostermoor Mattress, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$12.50</b>
16.75 Columbia Sanitary Mattress, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$12.50</b>
13.50 Extra Fine Roll Edge Cotton Mattress, Harvest Sale	<b>\$10.00</b>
10.00 Extra Good Roll Edge Cotton Mattress	<b>\$7.50</b>
7.50 Roll Edge Cotton Mattress, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$4.95</b>
5.00 All Cotton Mattress	<b>\$3.95</b>

### Kitchen Cabinets

In this department we show an extensive assortment of the very best makes.

\$40.00 Fine Hoosier Cabinet, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$32.50</b>
37.50 London Cabinet, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$37.50</b>
30.00 London Cabinet, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$22.50</b>
30.00 Chase Cabinet, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$22.50</b>
22.50 Chase Cabinet, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$17.80</b>
20.00 Chase Cabinet, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$15.00</b>

We also have on hand Complete stock of Singer and White Sewing Machines and will sell on your own terms.

### Art Rugs

We have just received our new Fall line of Art Rugs which show the latest creations of the eastern mills. We invite the most critical inspection.

\$65.00 Bagdad Wilton, 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$47.50</b>
55.00 Royal Wilton, 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$42.50</b>
45.00 Royal Wilton, 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$35.00</b>
35.00 Smith Wilton, 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$27.40</b>
30.00 Colonial Velvet 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$22.50</b>
30.00 Fine Axminster 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$22.50</b>
25.00 Fine Axminster 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$18.75</b>
22.50 Fine Axminster 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$14.75</b>
25.00 Velvet 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$16.75</b>
16.50 Seamless Tapestry 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$11.75</b>
15.00 Art Tapestry 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$9.95</b>
20.00 Body Brussels 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$14.75</b>
11.00 Wool Fiber 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$8.50</b>
7.50 Half Wool Ingrain 9x12 Rug, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$5.50</b>

We are also showing at this time a complete line of Office Furniture, a magnificent assortment of Wall Paper, Porch Furniture and Hammocks, Folding Beds, Baby Buggies, Skirt Boxes and Cedar Chests.

### Bed Room Suits

We think we can show you a line of these goods that will certainly please—an assortment rarely found in much larger towns.

\$175.00 Colonial Circassian Walnut Suit	<b>\$125.00</b>
165.00 Birdseye Maple Colonial Suit	<b>115.00</b>
150.00 Quartered Oak Colonial Suit	<b>105.00</b>
65.00 Colonial Oak Suit, Harvest Sale Price	<b>45.00</b>
50.00 Oak Bed Room Suit, Harvest Sale Price	<b>35.00</b>
30.00 Chiffonier, Harvest Sale Price	<b>20.00</b>
22.50 Chiffonier, Harvest Sale Price	<b>15.00</b>
30.00 Princess Dresser, Harvest Sale Price	<b>22.50</b>
22.50 Princess Dresser, Harvest Sale Price	<b>15.00</b>
14.00 Princess Dresser, Harvest Sale Price	<b>10.00</b>

### Parlor and Library Furniture

In this department we show a great line of new and up-to-date goods of latest designs and finishes.

\$75.00 Mahogany, Leather Parlor Suit	<b>\$48.75</b>
55.00 Oak, Leather Parlor Suit, Harvest Sale Price	<b>37.50</b>
75.00 Leather Davenport, Harvest Sale Price	<b>57.50</b>
50.00 Duo-Fold Davenport, Harvest Sale Price	<b>37.50</b>
30.00 Splendid Davenport, Harvest Sale Price	<b>23.75</b>
22.50 Fumed Oak Library Table	<b>15.00</b>
15.00 Golden Oak Library Table	<b>11.00</b>
12.50 Mission Oak Library Table	<b>9.50</b>

### Rockers

We handle the line that PUT THE "ROCK" IN ROCKERS.

\$16.50 Fine Leather Rocker, Harvest Sale Price	<b>\$12.50</b>
13.75 Leather Rocker, Harvest Sale Price	<b>9.75</b>
8.50 Spring Seat Rocker, Harvest Sale Price	<b>6.00</b>
7.50 Polished Oak Rocker, Harvest Sale Price	<b>4.75</b>
4.00 and 4.50 Rockers, Harvest Sale Price	<b>2.75</b>

### Refrigerators

33 1/2 per cent off. We handle the GURNEY line—recognized as the best in America.

\$35.00 Enamel Lined Refrigerator	<b>\$23.75</b>
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# News of the Churches

**Presbyterian Church.**  
Regular services Sunday as usual. Morning services at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 8:30. Both sermons by the pastor, Rev. Baker. Mrs. Ezra Norton will sing at the morning services.

**Presbyterian Junior Endeavor.**  
Will meet at the Manse at 4 o'clock next Sunday.  
Leader—Lura Gregg.  
Missionary program.  
Opening hymn—116.  
Prayer.  
Scripture reading.  
Reading—Audrey Carroll.  
Duet—Ruth Lee and Ruth Smith.  
Reading—Clyde Carroll.  
Questions on Bible history—Hazel Green.

Duet—Frankie May Baker and Lars Gregg.  
Reading—Mary Lee Fuqua.  
Song—146.

**Epworth League Program.**  
August 2, 1914.  
Leader—Charley Caylor.  
Subject—Faith, Friendship, Love.  
Song.  
Prayer.  
Scripture lesson—Luke 5:20-24, Prov. 18-24, Luke 10-27.

Faith—Frank Jacobs.  
Piano solo—Cassie Phillips.  
True Friendship—Alice Ward.  
Reading—Nellie Farmer.  
Love—Annie Anthony.  
Song.  
Talk on lesson—Charley Williams.  
Roll call.  
Collection.  
Song.  
League Benediction.

**C. W. B. M. Program.**  
Will meet with Mrs. C. S. Garrison Wednesday, Aug. 5, at 4 p. m.  
Topic—Our Indian Work in Northern Canada.

Leader—Mrs. R. T. Evans.  
Hymn—219.  
Special prayers—Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, Mrs. J. E. Ferguson.  
Bible lesson—1 Cor. 13.  
Hymn—232.  
Our Indian Work in Northern Canada—Mrs. Evans.  
Among the Indians—Mrs. F. H. Oberthier.  
Reading Indiann Names—Bessie Nance.  
Discussion—Mrs. A. G. Bell, Mrs. Rex Tynes.  
Hymn—473.  
Aux. Benediction.

**Junior C. E. Program.**  
August 2, 1914.  
Topic—Beatitudes VII, Faithfulness.

Bible lesson—Mart. 5-12.  
Lesson story—Dorothy Ramsey.  
Sentence prayers—Led by Margie Dameron.  
Song—My Faith Looks Up to Thee.  
Two minute talks:  
What is it to be faithful?—Mabel Jewell.

First steps to faithfulness—Corene Jewell.  
Rewards of faithfulness—Kibbe.

General discussion led by superintendent.  
Solo—Dorothy Barnett.  
Mission study—Margie Dameron.  
Offering.  
Roll call.  
Miscellaneous.  
Leader—Merrill Granger.

**Presbyterian Christian Endeavor.**  
August 2, 1914.  
Song—276.  
Subject—The Courage Verse.  
Song—259.  
Scripture—Josh 1:9 (Consecration meeting).  
Silent prayers.  
Song—140.

What is a severe test of our courage?—Mae Murchison.  
What has prayer to do with courage?—Velma Green.  
Special music—Lois Cobb.  
Whence does a Christian get his courage?—Frank Gyles.  
Song—187.  
Name some Bible men and women that showed great courage—Roy

**Robertson.**  
Song—Dot Owen, Nella Carter.  
How will our Christian Endeavor work increase our courage?—Grace Smith.

Clippings.  
Bible references.  
Num. 13:20, Dent. 31:6, 2 Sam 10:12—Albert H. Owen.  
Josh. 14:12, Judg. 5:18, 1 Sam 14:5—David Broadwell.  
Song.  
Roll call.  
Business.  
Leader—Edna Kellow.

**Lutheran Church.**  
Lutheran services in German at the court house Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

**Baptist Young People's Union.**  
Sunday, August 2, 1914.  
Subject—The Victorious Life.  
Leader—Jewell Buster.  
President in charge.  
Song—41.  
Prayer—Mr. Woods.  
Business—Report of committees.  
Leader in charge.

Song—36.  
Prayer—Jewell Buster, Elzina Mounts, Cotta Sisk, Clara Lambert.  
Song—11.  
Scripture reading, Joshua 1:1-9—Joe Owen and Harlan Lambert.  
Dent. 11:24—Mildred Farmer.  
The Victory is Thru Our Faith—Mrs. Hodges.  
1 John 5:4, recited—Mattie Scrimshier.

Faith does not save us from struggles and difficulties but overcomes them—Beulah Scrimshier.  
"We rise by things," etc., recited—Dot Owen.

"No answer comes," etc., recited—Jennie Carter.  
The Conqueror, recited—Alice Biggs.  
Song—152.  
The promise that we shall win—Earl Wilson.  
How Jesus helps us to win—Clara Lambert.  
Song—55.  
Closing prayer—Pastor.

**Notice to Church Societies.**  
The management has been endeavoring to get the Brand off press and in the post office early Friday morning. It is impossible, however, to do so if we wait until Thursday to turn in all of our copy. Programs for the church societies should be brought to this office as early in the week as possible. Tuesday will do, but Monday would be the best. If every one should wait until Thursday noon or afternoon, when would the "linotype machines" have time to set up the type? From now on, we cannot promise publication of church programs if brought in later than Wednesday morning.

In this connection, we wish to thank our advertisers for getting their "copy" in earlier. We are all doing better and hence the Brand can

promise better service. If the paper could get into the office each Friday morning early, the benefit to the advertisers would be much greater, but we cannot get OUT early unless the advertisers get IN early. Let's have co-operation in this matter of early "copy."

**At the Methodist Church.**  
Services at the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours. Mr. Eldridge Brodie will sing at the morning service. Both sermons by the pastor, Rev. Henson.

**Baptist Ladies to Serve Dinner.**  
The ladies of the Baptist church will give a dinner at the Bogard building on Saturday, Aug. 8th. The menu which follows is the result of Hereford's best talent in the culinary art and a splendid repast is promised all who patronize the dinner.

**MENU**

Chicken Pie	Creamed Potatoes
Pickles	Slaw
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## POLITICAL Announcements

- FOR JUDGE 69TH DISTRICT —**  
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- SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR —**  
HENRY HUBBERT  
R. W. BAIRD
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE —**  
JAS. A. (JIM) HUGHES  
J. E. GARRISON
- COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK —**  
A. O. (ALEC) THOMPSON
- COUNTY TREASURER —**  
J. J. WARD
- FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR —**  
W. A. (AL) MILLER
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R. J. Kibbe

The woods are full of "I-told-you-so's." The wise guys springing up after the morning of the election like toadstools on a manure pile after a summer shower.

WHERE is the man who had a "hunch" on the election? He has disappeared like the mirage; he was there but not there; he was seen but did not exist; his shadow was in the sun light.

If the governor's race did not go to suit your taste and the pill is hard to swallow, take a dose of liver tone. You think it's your stomach that's sick, when your liver is out of order. Remember: "I am a democratic and promise to support the nominees of this primary."

If you did not get your man in, try to see if you can think of one good trait in the other man's candidate. Perhaps you can find one. May be your ardent work injured your candidate's chance and it was you whom the other side wanted to "down." Take a good look at yourself in the mirror of self-reflection.

**Land Preparation For Wheat.**  
There are several good methods of land preparation for wheat, the choice depending largely on work given the ground during the past year.

**Discing (wrong):** The disc is one of the best and at the same time one of the most abused implements on the wheat farm. To continually prepare land for wheat with a disc, year after year, is to insure crop failure. The use of a disc for the entire seed bed preparation, not only last year, but this year, and again next year, works all of the vegetable matter out and puts the soil in condition to blow. This process also makes too shallow a seed bed, with insufficient space for roots and conservation of moisture.

**Discing (right):** It is always advisable, where wheat is to follow wheat, or some other small grain crop, to disc the stubble immediately after the binder, unless it is possible to plow or list at that time, instead. To disc the stubble just as soon as the crop is removed, kills weeds, saves moisture and keeps the ground in condition to plow or list later. Wheat land prepared deeply last year, on which another crop of wheat is to be sown this year, under average conditions, will not need deep preparation again this year, and in many instances, can be well by the use of the disc only.

**Plowing:** Deep July and early August plowing, properly cared for until planting time, will insure a better yield, than that plowed deeply at a later date. Wheat requires a firm seed bed, therefore later plowing must necessarily be done shallow. Plowing done as late as September 1, even though shallower than that done towards the close of July or the first of August, will only by rarest favorable conditions make as large a yield as that prepared earlier and deeper. It will pay to pack all wheat land, whether plowed deeply or shallowly, and this may be best accomplished with a sub-surface packer or a disc harrow, with the blades set straight. All summer plowing should be harrowed with a common harrow, immediately after the plow.

**Listing:** While the employment of the lister in preparation of land for wheat looks like a haphazard method, yet results where conditions were in all things similar, have proven it to be practically equal to plowing. In some of the wheat districts, the lister is used almost entirely in preparing land. Like plowing early deep listing produces better results than later and shallower work. When this method of preparation is used, it is better to single-list the field as early as possible, relisting or breaking out the middles as soon thereafter, as time will permit. The field should then be leveled, as long as possible before seeding. This leveling may be accomplished with a cultivator or disc harrow, or perhaps better with both of them. By leveling the field some time in advance of sowing time, the loose ground placed in the furrows, will have time to settle.

**Volunteer Wheat:** Volunteer wheat should not be allowed to grow on land that is to be sown to wheat later. This volunteer growth is one of the best breeding places for wheat destroying insects, likely to attack the crop to be sown later.

**H. M. Bainer,**  
Agricultural Demonstrator Santa Fe System.

**The Capable Big Brother**  
In a very potent sense President Wilson is today the provisional president of Mexico. It is this fact that makes the people of the United States, and apparently the people of Mexico, feel confident that the test period now entered upon by the resignation and flight of Huerta will be successfully passed. This confidence is the natural outcome of the splendid first step achieved so notably by the president.

The self-possession of an indisputably big man has indisputably communicated itself to his Nation, has indisputably communicated itself to the majority of the Mexican nation, has steadied the revolutionary leaders, has allayed in great measure the panic which is a fundamental cause of senseless, indiscriminate revolt and butchery.

In the trying but hopeful period of reorganization now entered on, President Wilson undoubtedly will act as the big brother of the Mexican people. We will do this the more effectively and with the greater promise because the Mexican majority manifestly wish him to be their big brother. He will be helped by the recognition among European nations that his policy contemplates no American aggrandizement but only a fair and level hand. He will be strengthened, possibly most of all, by the harmonious backing of his own Nation.

To presume an outline of what the result will be and what the Wilson program will be would be as far from sensible as has been the cavalier criticisms of the president's past Mexican policies by those not charged with responsibility nor possessed of the facts nor of the best ability to deal with the facts. But to presume a definite belief in the righteous and success of the president's statesmanship is sensible for it is based upon Mr. Wilson's own declarations, Mr. Wilson's own acts, and upon a great moral and material victory resulting from those words and facts.—Kansas City Star.

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It will be our policy to handle only the best merchandise obtainable, which will enable us to guarantee absolute satisfaction in every purchase made from us.

We do not wish to effect a monopoly on the business in Hereford, but we do expect a portion and if honest dealing and courteous treatment deserve consideration, we will get our share.

We own our own building and expect to run on as small margin of expense as possible, therefore you will get the benefit of our saving by our selling as close as our business methods will permit.

Promptness will be the slogan of our new store and the fundamental basis upon which we hope to build and succeed and it is our intention to adhere strictly to this rule in our business dealings.

### As A Reminder

Phone your next order to No. 128 and we will endeavor to convince you of our ability to serve you well and to win a part of your patronage.

# Williams Brothers

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Elgin, Texas, Woman is Allowed This Sum by National Government.

Austin, Texas.—In payment for depredations committed by Grant's army on her father's plantation in Mississippi a half century ago, Mrs. Ida Brown, of Elgin, Texas, is to receive \$75,000 from the United States government, and in this Mrs. George T. White of this city, daughter of Mrs. Brown, will share.

Mrs. Brown's father, N. P. Rooks, was a wealthy planter of Marshall county, Mississippi, and when the soldiers got through with the plantation there was nothing left but the bare land and the dwelling house. The soldiers destroyed the crops, burned 165 bales of cotton worth 25c a pound at the time; burned two pigs and the negro quarters, drove off the horses, mules and cattle, killed the hogs, took a few thousand pounds of cured bacon, made away with \$18,000 in gold and silver after blowing open the iron safe in the cellar and robbed the negroes' commissary.

### Dallas Schools to Get Extra \$20,000.

Dallas, Texas.—The Dallas city schools will receive \$20,000 more from the state school fund this year than ever before, according to figures compiled by the school board, the new special school tax will give \$5 per capita, against \$7 last year. The increase of \$1 per scholar will give Dallas the additional amount. The recent state law, which raised the school age for free tuition from 17 to 21 years of age, failed to make allowances for supplying the school districts with funds on which to school these additions.

### Borax Will Prevent Fly Breeding.

Washington, D. C.—As a result of experiments, the specialists of the department of agriculture have discovered that a small amount of ordinary borax sprinkled daily on manure, will effectively prevent the breeding of the typhoid or house fly. Similarly, the same substance applied to garbage, refuse, open toilets, damp floors and crevices in stables, cellars or markets, will prevent fly eggs from hatching. Borax will not kill the adult fly nor prevent it from laying eggs, but its thorough use will prevent any further breeding.

### Armed Intervention in Haiti Talked.

Washington.—Armed intervention by the United States in Haiti was discussed Tuesday by administration officials upon the receipt of dispatches from diplomatic agents saying great losses would be suffered in the island republic by the ravages of revolution. No active steps were taken but the situation advanced to where under pressure from European powers a movement of marines already mobilized at Guantanamo into Haiti and perhaps the Dominican republic was among the possibilities.

### Commission Wants Rate Power Fixed

Austin, Texas.—It is learned that consideration has been given by the railroad commission to an appeal to congress for relief from the decision of the United States supreme court and the interstate commerce commission in what is popularly known as the Shreveport rate case. Ever since the decisions were announced the commission has more or less studied the situation and is understood to incline to the belief that the decisions constitute a serious menace to state rights.

### Child Drowns in Well.

Waxahachie, Texas.—The 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Parr, who reside near Waxahachie, fell in an uncovered well and was drowned. The mother heard the shrieks of the child and went to his rescue, but was unable to rescue him.

### Harris-Lipetz Company Sells Out

Dallas, Texas.—The Harris-Lipetz company has sold out its entire stock of merchandise to the Higginbotham-Balley-Logan company. The amount realized totals nearly \$1,250,000. For the last ten days the directors of both companies have been working on the proposition.

### Villa is Buying Arms

El Paso, Texas.—Contrary to official Washington advice that the administration was meeting with success in pacifying different factions among the constitutionalists and that peace was near in Mexico, it is reported here on good authority that Gen. Villa's agents were buying large quantities of arms at Chicago and St. Louis. Agents of the constitutionalist government declared that none of the purchases had been made by Gen. Carranza.

### Baby Wounded in Mother's Arms

Dallas, Texas.—Nursing at its mother's breast as she sat on the front porch, its little head cuddled in the curve of her arm and apparently secure in her protection, Carol King, 2½-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake King, Oak Cliff, received a bullet wound in the head which may cost the little one its life. The bullet which struck the baby was fired from a .22-caliber rifle, and had been fired by P. O. Cornell at a cat on the fence of his back yard.

### Friday Findings.

D. H. Lawrence met with an accident Monday while riding a horse. The horse stumbled and fell, throwing him off. He fell on his right shoulder and the right side of his head with his right arm extended forward. The fall seemed to wrench the shoulder in such a manner as to render the right arm useless. When found shortly after it occurred, he had started to walk home, being unable to get on his horse. With assistance he was able to get on and make the journey home where he has been living the life of a cripple ever since.

George Messenger, who has been away attending the farmers' institute, returned Friday.

Eustice Houlette stayed all night with Carl Porth Saturday night.

R. H. Kinsley & Co. of Friona are drilling a well for Geo. Guinn.

Wm. Hicks has been staying at his ranch at Findlay a few days.

Will Conrad, who is working for Miss Martha Schroeder, went home for a short visit Tuesday.

D. M. Davis, who has been visiting with old friends in Iowa for the past month, returned home to look after his interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hargrove and Mr. and Mrs. Mulhern visited in this community Tuesday.

Carl Porth has purchased five broncs and as he is about as near seven feet tall as he is six, we will naturally suppose he will do some tall riding.

Mrs. Martha Schroeder and Chas. Gallier stacked their wheat Thursday and Friday.

The election went off Saturday as quiet as a church meeting.

R. H. Coulter started to New Mexico on his motorcycle to look over the country with the view of buying a ranch. He hadn't consulted his machine, tho, and so when headed west it refused to go so he had to come back for his whip.

Mrs. D. H. Lawrence and Mrs. R. S. Houlette took in the sights of Holles, N. M., Friday.

Rev. O. E. Schmidt returned home from Hereford Tuesday and then went to Grade, N. M., Wednesday.

### Hitzville Bugle.

Mr. Hitz, Mr. and Mrs. Conway and Miss Reid of Indianapolis, Ind., are spending their vacation on the Hitz ranch.

Dayton Hehsob spent Sunday with homefolks in Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jacobs were both on the sick list last week, but are feeling good at this writing.

Ralph Smith visited with homefolks in Hereford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hitz, Mr. and Mrs. Conway and Miss Reid spent Saturday and Sunday in Hereford.

R. B. Chalmers, operator, has been "transplanted" to Pampa. He was better known as "Scotty," and while here won many friends. Here is wishing him much success in his new location.

Messrs. Frank and Richard Jacobs and Ralph Smith attended an Epworth League social in Hereford Friday night. They reported a felicitous time.

Another addition has been made on the Hitz farm. A vacant store building of Friona was purchased and moved. J. P. Wood, assisted by W. E. Deble, H. C. Morrison and Joe Winn, did the moving. The building will be used to store grain in.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Galley and son moved east to Hereford last week. We regret to lose them, but wish them well in their new location.

Ray Barber and Henry Wilkinson of Hereford were callers at the Hitz farm Monday.

### Summersfield News.

A fine rain hit Summersfield and vicinity Tuesday noon.

Threshing is the order of the day. Wheat varies in yield from 3 to 13 bushels per acre. Most of it testing 56 or better.

Walter Dandy of Olusta, Okla., is making his brother, J. T., a visit.

Rev. Pierce, pastor of the M. E. church with headquarters at Boyina, will fill his usual appointment here next Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m.

Grandma Sawyer, who has been making an extended visit with her son, Lem and family, left for her home last Friday.

A fine girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson two weeks ago today.

Mr. Blackburn and family moved to Friona last week.

Herman Roberson made his folks a visit last Sunday. Herman works for a bridge contractor.

The primary election passed off quietly in Summersfield. The entire vote was polled to a man.

Mr. Garrison took the election returns down to Dimmitt last Monday.

Mr. Lowry of Dimmitt was up to Summersfield on a business trip last Tuesday. He reports a fine rain at his place last Saturday.

To Prevent Blood Poisoning apply at once the wonderful old reliable DR. PORTER'S ANTI-SEPTIC HEALING OIL, a special dressing that relieves pain and heals at the same time. Not a liniment. 25c. 50c. \$1.00.

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## Local and Personal

Jno. L. Fuqua was at Clovis Wednesday.

Jno. Patton made a business trip to Olusta, Okla., this week.

Uncle John Gordon is up from his ranch and will be in Hereford for several days.

C. G. Bratton, tax assessor for Farmer county, was in Hereford Monday on business.

Mrs. Christine Crozier of McKinney, Texas, a niece of Dr. Freeman, is here for a visit.

Hon. Bill Ray and Mr. Bill Borden went down to Amarillo Tuesday on business, going by auto.

County Attorney Sam G. Bratton of Farwell was here on election day, coming over after he had voted.

Mrs. M. B. Whitworth and Mrs. Albert Bell of Black, Texas, were here Monday on a shopping visit.

Miss Jesse Sisk spent Sunday and Monday with homefolks. She returned to her school work at Canyon.

Messrs. O. E. Thomas and Weeks, both Canyon Normal students, spent Monday in Hereford visiting with friends.

Mrs. Frank Arnold of Cushing, Okla., is making a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shepard, of Dimmitt.

A. M. Jones returned Wednesday night from a trip to Dallas and other central Texas places, where he had been on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Messenger of Findlay, Texas, were here the first days of this week shopping. They came by train from Friona.

G. W. Helm of Newland, Texas, is here on a visit to J. R. Nelson and family. Mr. Helm married a niece of Mr. Nelson's.

Albert Johnson, who holds a responsible position with the Rock Island at Little Rock, Ark., is here on a visit for his vacation.

Miss Mate Hunt spent Sunday and Monday in Hereford visiting friends. She returned to Canyon where she is taking a course in the Normal.

M. L. Anderson of Dallas, representing the International Typetting Machine Co., was here this week on business. He sells the intertype machine.

H. V. Hennen, tax collector for Denton county, was here this week on business and to visit with friends. He lived in this county for some time, but left about 6 years ago for his former home.

Miss Beulah Wright is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Ralph Barnett. Miss Wright has been teaching in northeast New Mexico for some time, but will be nearer Texas next year, having a place this side of the mountains.

Mrs. J. M. Glothin of Santa Anna, Calif., arrived Wednesday morning to visit with her brother, Walt Brady, and other relatives. Mrs. Harrison, also a sister, and her daughter from Grayson county, came in on the same train to make a visit. Walt Brady met his sisters in Amarillo.

A. S. Boyd and family arrived last night from Cleburne, Texas, where they have been visiting ince their arrival from the zone. They will visit J. E. Garrison and family, Mr. Boyd and Mrs. Garrison being brother and sister. Mr. Boyd has been in the zone since the beginning of active operations for Uncle Sam and has had the pleasure of being a witness as well as aid in un-taking and completing the greatest physical work of the human race.

### WELCOME NEWS FOR HEREFORD PEOPLE.

Hereford people who have stomach and bowel trouble will be glad to hear that the mixture of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-i-ka, can be obtained at Betts & Clark, druggists. It has been found that JUST A SINGLE DOSE of Adler-i-ka usually relieves sour stomach and constipation QUICKLY because this simple new mixture drains off such a surprising amount of old foul matter from the body.

"OCEANS OF WATER."

### Kelieher Thanks Friends.

I want to thank my many friends who were so loyal to me in my race for sheriff and tax collector. I shall never forget the faithful work they did in my behalf and shall endeavor to show in some way my very great appreciation of their efforts. Again, thanking you, I am

Yours very truly,  
W. D. Kelieher.

When Longfellow was well along in years, his head as white as snow, an ardent admirer asked him one day how it was that he was able to keep so vigorous and write so beautifully. Pointing to a blooming apple tree near by, the poet replied: "That" apple tree is very old, but I never saw prettier blossoms upon it than those it which it now bears. The tree grows a little new wood every year, and I suppose it is out of the new wood that those blossoms come. Like the apple tree, I try to grow a little new wood each year." And what Longfellow did we ought to do. We cannot stop the flight of time, we cannot head off the one event that happens to all; but we can keep on "growing new wood," and in that way keep blossoming on until the end.—Selected.

Show starts Tuesday nights at 7:45. It

Don't say drug store say Corner Drug Store. It

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We can rightfully boast of having the cleanest stock in town and we expect to keep it so for our benefit and the advantage it offers our trade. The prices given below prove the truth of this statement.



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\$2.50 \$3.50 \$5.00  
**PANTS**

#### Men's Odd Pants

A large assortment of patterns and a good run of sizes. A counter full of desirable merchandise, ranging in price from \$2.75 to \$7.50 going at

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\$7.50 Pants, priced for Clearance Sale	\$5.50
6.50 Pants priced for Clearance Sale	4.00
5.00 Pants priced for Clearance Sale	3.35
4.50 Pants priced for Clearance Sale	3.00
4.00 Pants priced for Clearance Sale	2.75
3.50 Pants priced for Clearance Sale	2.35
3.00 Pants priced for Clearance Sale	2.00
2.50 Pants priced for Clearance Sale	1.75

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Regular \$6.50 value, patent leather, Clearance Sale Price

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Compare this with anything you ever heard of.

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An odd lot, values \$3.50 to \$5.00 on which we are making a Clearance

Sale price of  
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#### Boys' Oxfords

Odd lot Shoes and Oxfords, small sizes, which we offer during this Clearance

for  
**\$1.00**

#### Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers

50c grade, Summer Clearance price	40c
50c Web seam Drawers Summer Clearance	40c
50c Boys Underwear Clearance Sale Price	40c
50c Poroknit Shirts and Drawers	40c

#### Mens Work Pants

\$1.00 grand ..... 80c



#### BOYS' AND GIRLS' OXFORDS

Our ENTIRE STOCK, consisting of the very best values we have ever carried, goes in this sale at just HALF PRICE.

\$3.50 Oxfords are offered during this sale for	\$1.75
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A few suits in young men's sizes and a few Summer coats which we will sell at

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6.00 Coat marked down for this sale, to	3.00
5.00 Coat marked down for this sale, to	2.50
4.00 Coat marked down for this sale, to	2.00

You never saw better values at any price.

#### Men's Underwear

\$1.50 Ribbed Union Suit Summer Clearance Price	\$1.15
1.00 Ribbed Union Suit Summer Clearance Price	90c
1.00 Poroknit Union Suit Summer Clearance Price	90c
1.00 B V D Union Suit Summer Clearance Price	90c

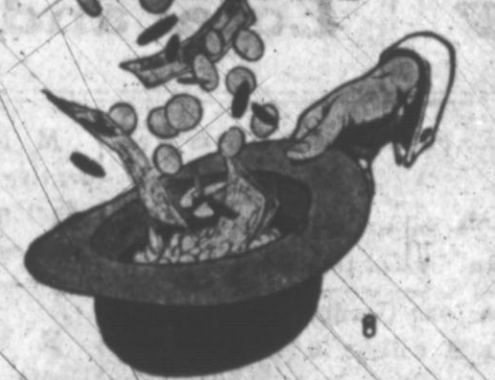


#### Men's Oxfords

\$5.00 Steadfast Clearance Sale Price	\$4.45
4.00 Excelsior Clearance Sale Price	3.25
3.50 Excelsior Clearance Sale Price	2.85

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\$7.50 Panama Hats Clearance Sale Price	\$3.75
6.00 Panama Hat Clearance Sale Price	3.00
5.00 Panama Hat Clearance Sale Price	2.50
3.00 Sailor Hat Clearance Sale Price	1.50
2.50 Sailor Hat Clearance Sale Price	1.25

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#### Knee Pants

\$2.50 Values Boys' Pants go for	\$1.65
2.00 Values Boys' Knee Pants go for	1.35
1.75 Values Boys' Knee Pants go for	1.20
1.50 Values Boys' Knee Pants go for	1.00
1.25 Values Boys' Knee Pants go for	90c
1.00 Values Boys' Knee Pants go for	70c

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List of Delinquent City Taxes

List of town lots and parcels of land on the tax rolls of the city of Hereford, in Deaf Smith county, Texas, which are delinquent for the year 1913, returned by F. W. Price, Tax Collector of Hereford, Texas.

NAME	LOT	BLK.	ADDITION	AMT.
Abernathy M. G.	1 to 8	3	Evants; Irwins Sub-div. of W. 1/2 blk.	\$ 5 20
Anderson O.A. Mrs.	10 acres N 1/2	3	Welsh	13 00
Aldridge, H. H.	7 and 17	6	Whitehead	10 40
Beach, W. B.	9-10-11 and 12	13	Evants	11 70
Barker, A. W.	S. 1/2 of N. 2-5	14	Evants	6 50
Bowers, J. H.	4 acres N. End	16	Evants	26 81
Boyd, Della L.	11-12 and 13	17	Womble; Higgins Subdivision	1 62
Boyd, Della L.	12 to 17	9	Evants	13 32
Batson, W. L.	13-14	5	Evants	13 32
Batson, W. L.	N. E. Cor. 247 1/2 X 178 1/2	21	Evants	13 32
Bogard, J. N.	N. 1/2 of W. 1/2	58	City	32 50
Cartier, C. L.	S. 1/2 9	17	City	1 30
Cartier, C. L.	1 and 2	2	Irwins Sub-div of W. 1/2 blk 4 Evants	2 60
Cummins, J. C.	5 and 6	15	Whitehead	1 30
Davis, W. B.	7 and 8	9	Womble; Deasley's Sub-div.	1 30
Dodson, C. W.	5	15	Evants; Dodson's Sub-div.	8 12
Dodson & Mosley	N. 1/2 - 10	17	City	3 90
Dodson, C. W.	E. 1/2	4	Evants	17
" " "	1 to 4 and 6 to 11	15	Evants	17
" " "	11	17	City	26
" " "	22-23-24	25	City	26
" " "	3-4	26	Whitehead	20
" " "	1 to 9	20	Whitehead	11
" " "	4-5-6	11	Whitehead	15
Daniel, Mrs. M. B.	3-4	15	Whitehead	44 77
Elliott, A. C.	1-2-3	5	Welsh Cook Melliott Sub div of Blk. 5	9 75
J. B. Farley	W. Side 100x176 1/2	21	Evants	97
Hereford Elec. Lgt. and Power Co.	1-2-3-4	6	City	71 50
Hubbard, H. O.	1-2	3	City	5 20
Helfner, T. N.	S. 1/2 of 4	27	City	10 40
Hall Dumas	S. E. Cor. 243 1/2 x 178 1/2	21	Evants	97
Hume, H. E.	W. Side 75x140	9	Evants	2 60
Hancock, L. N.	E. Side 244 x 178 1/2	21	Evants	1 30
Hough & Sellers	E. Side 608x200	11	Evants	1 30
Hough, L. A.	17	19	City	5 85
Hough, Vardaman	18	17	Evants	65
Mosley	21 and E. 1/2 20	18	Evants	3 25
Hough & Mosley	E. Side 630x208 1/2	8	Evants	6 50
Hough, L. W.	9	24	City	22 10
Jowell J. T.	all of	22	Evants	4 22
" " "	N. W. Cor. 255x178	21	Evants	13 00
" " "	W. 1/2 6	7	Whitehead	15 60
Kent, A. M.	75x100	1	Whitehead	1 75
Kelleher, W. D.	3-4-5-6	3	City	1 30
Karr, Ellis Mrs.	7-8-9-10	29	Evants	12 60
Lovelace, R. W.	7	14	Evants	9 75
Laughmiller, G. F.	W. Side 104 1/2 x 208 1/2	11	City	8 12
Lorentz, Carl	17	11	City	1 30
Lamkin, M. A.	3-4-5-6	16	Whitehead	1 95
Miller, J. W.	E. Side 133 1/2 x 210	14	Evants	11 63
Mosley, J. R.	N. 1/2 of W. 1/2	11	City	5 20
" " "	12	17	City	66
" " "	7-8	17	City	4 55
Morse, C. H.	N. 1-10 of W. 1/2	10	Evants	65
Miller, Wm.	S. 1/2 of N. W. 1/2	21	Evants	1 30
Miller U. T.	E. Side 156x208 1/2	11	Evants	8 12
Miller, E. M.	S. 1/2 of W. 1/2	48	City	9 75
Osman, A. T.	102 1/2 x 208 1/2	4	Womble	1 95
Richardson, C. S.	7-8	2	City	11 63
Rayzor, W. H. Mrs.	9-10	32	City	5 20
Ricketts, L. W. Mrs.	16	17	Evants	66
Rain, J. W.	S. 1/2	2	City	4 55
" " "	N. 1/2	3	City	65
Reid, Elbert	16	5	Evants	1 30
Rogers, T. G.	E. Side 108x200	15	Evants	7 80
Reeves, E. B.	3-4	72	City	8 12
Roberts, W. G.	N. E. Cor 176 1/2 x 313	6	Evants	7 80
Spratt & Hollinshead	11x12	42	City	24 70
Schrimsher, Con.	3 4	68	City	1 30
" " "	20-21	19	City	2 60
Sadler, J. F.	1-2	26	Whitehead	5 85
Thorpe, J. P.	9-10	43	City	9 10
Teppie, R. A.	10-11	18	City	1 30
Tucker, H. G.	5-6	26	Whitehead	1 30
" " "	1-2-3-4	38	City	65
Unrendered	Middle 1/2 of E. 1/2	46	City	9 75
" " "	W. Side 115x140	19	Evants	1 30
" " "	N. 1/2 of S. W. 1/2	47	City	65
" " "	All of	79	City	9 75
Vanderburgh, F. L.	S. W. Cor. 125x140	45	City	1 30
Witherspoon, C. G.	8. 1/2 of	78	City	16 25
Thompson J. D. et al	7-8	29	Whitehead	6 50
Williams, John	17-18-19-20	38	City	5 85
Wilson, Harriett	S. E. 1/2	58	City	1 30
Worley, Sam	3-4	2	Evants; Irwins Sub div of W 1/2 blk 4	14 95

STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Deaf Smith  
I, F. W. Price, Tax Assessor and Collector for the City of Hereford, Texas, do hereby certify that the above list and parcels of land returned to me by the City of Hereford, Texas, for the year 1913, are delinquent for taxes for said year.  
F. W. PRICE, Tax Assessor and Collector of Hereford, Texas  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of June, 1914.  
G. M. SUGGS, Notary Public  
Deaf Smith County, Texas

Notice by Publication of Final Account

To all persons interested in the estate of Henry Von Lien deceased: W. S. Higgins, administrator of the estate of said Henry Von Lien deceased, has filed in the county court of Deaf Smith county his final account of the condition of said estate, together with an application to be discharged as administrator thereof, which will be heard by our said court on the 1st Monday in August, A. D. 1914, same being the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1914, at the court house of the said Deaf Smith county, in the city of Hereford, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said Final Account and application, if they see proper.

Witness, J. S. Jones, Clerk of the County Court of Deaf Smith county. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at my office in Hereford on this the 8th, day of July, A. D. 1914.

J. S. JONES, Clerk,  
County Court Deaf Smith county, Texas.  
By R. T. MOSES, Deputy.

Sheriff Sale

State of Texas }  
County of Deaf Smith } By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County on the 30th day of June, 1914, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of I. N. Dillard and C. E. Bowers, versus Chas. B. Mefert, No. 787, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in August A. D. 1914, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, in the town of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

First tract: Being situated in Deaf Smith county, Texas, and being described as a part of Capitol League No. 409 1/2, patented to Abner Taylor by patent No. 442 Vol. 1, and described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point on the E. line of said league No. 409 1/2, 1900 Vrs. N. from the N. W. corner of section No. 67, in block K-8 of the T. T. Ry. Co. survey Thence north with E. line of said League No. 409 1/2, 1900 Vrs to point: Thence W. 1900 Vrs. to point: Thence S. 1900 Vrs. to point: Thence E. 1900 Vrs. to beginning containing 640 acres of land.

Second tract: Being the east one-half of the following described tract of land being out of said Capitol League No. 409 1/2 and described as follows: Beginning at an iron pipe set in the ground for NW corner of a 640 acre tract heretofore sold to I. N. Dillard: Thence south 1900 Vrs. to an iron pipe for the S.W. corner of said 640 acre tract: Thence W. 1900 Vrs. to mound and three pits for the S. N. Garyin N. W. corner from which a rock bears N. 53 degrees W. 43 Vrs: Thence N. 1900 Vrs. to a stake from which a rock set in the ground bears N. 33 1/2 degrees W. 62 Vrs: Thence E. 1900 Vrs. to place of beginning containing 640 acres of land, located about 14 miles N. W. from Hereford, Texas, and known as the I. N. Dillard tracts. Levied on as the property of Chas. B. Mefert, this, the 7th day of July, 1914 to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$4,181.95 and \$2,050.24 in favor of I. N. Dillard and \$4,037.54 and \$2,050.24 in favor of C. E. Bowers and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this 7th day of July, 1914.  
R. W. BAIRD, sheriff,  
Deaf Smith county, Texas.  
7-10, 31st.

Sheriff's Sale

State of Texas }  
County of Deaf Smith } By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable Court of Deaf Smith county, on the 2nd day of July, 1914, by the clerk thereof, in the case of Western Union Land Company versus Mrs. Marion Roberts, and her minor children, Eaka Lee Roberts, Maxine Roberts, Jack Roberts, Rebecca Roberts and Marian Roberts, and against L. Gough, First National

Bank of Hereford, T. E. Shirley, E. H. Oberthier and S. J. Williams, No. 771, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in August A. D. 1914, it being the 4th day of said month, before the court house door of said Deaf Smith county, in the town of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit: Being all lots Nos. 7, 8, 9 and 10 in block number 29, of the Whitehead addition to the town of Hereford, Deaf Smith county, Texas, and generally known as the Iowa Hotel property. Levied on as the property of Mrs. Marion Roberts, Eaka Lee Roberts, Maxine Roberts, Jack Roberts, Rebecca Roberts, Marion Roberts, L. Gough, First National Bank of Hereford, T. E. Shirley, F. H. Oberthier, and S. J. Williams this, the 7th day of July, A. D. 1914, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$408.60 in favor of Western Union Land Company and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this 7th day of July, 1914.  
R. W. BAIRD, sheriff,  
Deaf Smith County, Texas.  
7-10, 31.

Sheriff's Sale

State of Texas }  
County of Deaf Smith } By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith county, on the 2nd day of July, 1914, by the clerk thereof, in the case of The Western Union Land Company versus W. H. Walker No. 753, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales on the first Tuesday in August, A. D. 1914, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith county, in the town of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit: Situated in Deaf Smith county, Texas and being all of lots Nos. 8, 9 and 10 in block No. 19, in the original town of Hereford, Deaf Smith county, Texas. Levied on as the property of W. H. Walker, this the 7th day of July 1914, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2,948.00, in favor of the Western Union Land Company and cost of suit.

Given under my hand this 7th day of July, 1914.  
R. W. BAIRD, sheriff,  
Deaf Smith county, Texas.  
7-10, 31.

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## RUSSIA AND GERMANY OPPOSE

Possibility of General Conflict for Supremacy Between Slav and Teuton. Agitating Europe.

Vienna.—No declaration of war has been issued and it is believed none will be, since Serbia never subscribed to The Hague convention. The sending of his passports to the Serbian minister, M. Jovanovitch, by the Austrian foreign office, however, is deemed equivalent to a declaration of war. This action was taken Sunday. In his absence the Russian ambassador will take charge of Serbian interests.

Vienna.—Martial law has been declared throughout the Austro-Hungarian empire. A military censorship has been established in the telegraph offices here.

London.—The darkest war cloud which has appeared on the European horizon since Germany sent warships to Agadir in 1911 arose within 48 hours. The Serbian government had refused to comply with Austria's demands, the most humiliating ever asked of an independent nation, for the execution of the Sarajevo murders, for which Austria holds anti-Austrian conspirators in Serbia responsible, and for guarantees of future good behavior.

At 5:30 o'clock Saturday night, when the Austro-Hungarian ultimatum expired, the Serbian premier handed the Austrian minister at Belgrade Serbia's reply. The minister immediately severed diplomatic relations and started home.

The contents of the note have not been revealed, but the Serbian delegation in London understands that it accepted some of Austria's conditions and rejected others. Apparently Austria was resolved to have the whole bill paid or nothing.

The vital question to Europe is whether Russia will come to the rescue of her little Slav brother, involving the other powers, and making of the war a dread struggle of Slav against Teuton for European supremacy.

Reports from St. Petersburg say that the Russian army is mobilizing, but it is to be remembered that Russia mobilized several corps when Austria annexed Bosnia, and the German emperor, stepping to the side of his ally, as was said, "to shining armor," put a veto on Russian intervention. Austria and Serbia are both mobilizing, but the silence of all the dispatches on the subject of military preparations indicate clearly that an ironical censorship has been established in both countries.

## BORDERERS FIRE ON DUBLIN

Four Persons Are Killed and More Than Sixty Wounded.

Dublin.—Three men and one woman are dead and more than sixty persons are in the hospital wounded as the result of firing into a mob in the streets of Dublin by a battalion of the King's Own Scottish borderers Sunday. Seven of the wounded are expected to die. Among them are three women and a boy of ten years.

The affray was the result of a gun-running exploit of the nationalist volunteers, aided by a mob composed largely of young men. A consignment of rifles said to number 10,000 was landed at Howth, nine miles from Dublin, from a private yacht. The nationalist volunteers cut the telegraph wires and stopped travel on the Dublin roads and, according to reports, sent away most of the rifles, together with 70,000 rounds of ammunition, in motor cars.

## Big Shipment of Gold Bullion.

Seattle, Wash.—Eight hundred thousand dollars in gold bullion, the largest consignment received from the north this year, was brought from Nome, Alaska, by the steamship Victoria. The Victoria also had \$75,000 worth of furs.

## Engine Goes Through Bridge.

San Antonio, Texas.—Engineer J. C. Hearn and Fireman H. M. Avey were seriously injured when the locomotive of a Southern Pacific passenger train went through a burning bridge one mile east of Spofford Junction. The locomotive was destroyed. No passengers were injured, all the coaches remaining on the track. The engineer was unaware of the fact that the bridge was burning, it seems, and was able to slow the train down in time only to save the coaches.

## Reaps Big Dewberry Crop.

Fort Worth, Texas.—About 500 crates of dewberries were picked from three acres of land near Grapevine between May 23 and June 13 by A. Bidault. Eighty crates were picked on July 3 and eight on June 5. With a total expense of \$183.70, there was a net profit of \$552.50, which Mr. Bidault considers a very good return from three acres of cross-timber land. Many other farmers, inspired by Mr. Bidault's success with dewberries, have started their cultivation.

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION, AMENDING SECTION 24, ARTICLE 3 OF THE CONSTITUTION INCREASING COMPENSATION OF THE LEGISLATURE AND EXTENDING LENGTH OF REGULAR SESSION.

(S. J. R. No. 26.)  
Senate Joint Resolution.  
Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 24, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to compensation for members of the Legislature.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That at the next general election of the State of Texas for the election of State officers, or at a previous general election, in case a general election for the State shall be sooner ordered by the Governor for other purposes, there shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Texas, for their adoption or rejection, the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, as provided for in Section 1, Article 17, of said Constitution, relating to proposed amendments thereto, it being intended to amend Section 24, Article 3, of said Constitution, relating to the pay of members of the Legislature, and extension of term of regular session, so that the said section shall read as follows:

Section 24. The members of the Legislature shall each receive from the public treasury as compensation for their services twelve hundred (\$1200.00) dollars for the year in which each regular session of the Legislature is held, payable in equal installments on the twentieth days of January, April, July and October of the year in which the regular session is held, and five dollars per day for each day of every special session held in the year next succeeding that in which any regular session is held. In addition to said compensation the members of each house shall be entitled to mileage going to and returning from the seat of government, which mileage shall not exceed five cents per mile, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel by land, regardless of railways or water routes; and the Comptroller of the State shall prepare and preserve a table of distances to each county seat, now or hereafter to be established, and by said table the mileage of each member shall be paid. Each regular session shall continue until the business of such session is disposed of.

Section 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation submitting this amendment to be voted upon by the qualified electors for members of the Legislature, at the first general election to be held in this State. Those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot the words: "Against amendment to Section 24, Article 3, of the Constitution increasing compensation of the members of the Legislature, and extending the term of regular sessions of the Legislature."

Section 3. The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

(Note.—S. J. R. No. 26 passed the Senate by a two-thirds vote, yeas 26, nays 0, and Senate concurred in House amendments by a two-thirds vote, yeas 23, nays 1; and was passed by the House of Representatives with amendments by a two-thirds vote, yeas 101, nays 22.)

Approved April 3, 1913.

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION, AMENDING SECTION 1, ARTICLE 3, OF THE CONSTITUTION, PROVIDING FOR THE INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM.

(S. J. R. No. 12.)  
Senate Joint Resolution.  
To amend Section 1, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to give to the people, or reserve to them, the power to propose laws and to enact or reject the same at the polls, and to approve or reject at the polls any Act of the Legislature.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: That Section 1, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read: Section 1. The legislative power of this State shall be vested in a Senate and House of Representatives, which together shall be styled "The Legislature of the State of Texas," but the people reserve to themselves power, as herein provided, to propose laws and to enact or reject the same at the polls, and to approve or reject at the polls any law, or any part of any law enacted by the Legislature. The Legislature shall provide by law for submitting to the vote of the people, upon the petition of twenty per cent of the qualified voters of the State the enactment of laws and the approval or rejection of any law enacted by the Legislature.

Be it further resolved, by the Legislature of the State of Texas: that the above and foregoing is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of this State, and shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State of Texas for members of the Legislature, for their adoption or rejection as a part of the Constitution of this State, and shall be voted on by such electors at the regular election for the election of officers to be held throughout the State, on the second Tuesday in November, A. D. 1914, and those voting for the adoption of said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 1, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the initiative and referendum," and those

voting against the adoption of said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to Section 1, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the initiative and referendum." And the foregoing proposed amendment shall be duly published once a week for four consecutive weeks, commencing at least three months before the election at which it is to be voted upon, in one weekly newspaper in each county in this State, in which such a newspaper may be published. The Governor shall make proclamation of such election upon said proposed amendment by publication as aforesaid, and as required by the Constitution and laws, and the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) is now appropriated out of any fund in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of making such proclamation and publication and holding said election.

(Note.—S. J. R. No. 12 passed the Senate by a two-thirds vote, yeas 21, nays 5, and was further passed by a two-thirds vote, yeas 21, nays 7, and Senate concurred in House amendments by a two-thirds vote, yeas 23, nays 0; and was passed by the House of Representatives with amendments by the following vote: yeas 84, nays 35.)

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION, AMENDING ARTICLES XI, SECTION 7A, OF THE CONSTITUTION—PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZING COUNTIES BORDERING ON THE GULF OF MEXICO TO BUILD SEAWALLS.

(S. J. R. No. 23.)  
Senate Joint Resolution.  
To amend Section 7 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing counties bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to build sea-walls by adding Section 7a, so as to authorize such counties to build sea-walls and designate sea-wall reclamation districts for the protection of life and property from storm overflow, and to build or condemn land for sea-wall and reclamation districts, the county to have State's title to the roads and bay shore line to low tide within the district, and the right to issue district bonds for acquiring and developing the district and building the sea-walls, and when district is developed as townsite to sell such portions of the land as not reserved for public use by the county.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: That the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas be proposed to the voters of the State of Texas for their adoption in accordance with law, and that the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to add Section 7a of Article XI, and that Section 7a of Article XI shall read as follows, to-wit:

Section 7a. Where protection against the waters of the Gulf of Mexico is needed for protection of life, health, property or the sea-wall, any county bordering on the Gulf of Mexico may acquire title to the land for said sea-wall or sea-wall reclamation district as designated by the County Commissioners' Court by purchase or condemnation of all the land desired for sea-wall and land for the sea-wall reclamation district from the sea-wall to bay shore tide line boundary of the property abutting on the bay, and the State hereby cedes to the county, for such district, for reclamation and general uses of the district, the title to bay shore lands in the district between the property tide line boundary and the low tide line of the bay shore, and any land in the reclamation district that may have been retained by the Republic of Texas of (or) the State for roads when the lands adjacent were platted and sold, and the county is given the right to dredge in the bay or in the gulf for fill for the district, and right to sell the land when reclaimed and laid off as townsite or otherwise, and where condemnation is used to acquire the land the proceedings to be as under the Statutes for condemnation for railroads, provided that the condemnation shall vest title in fee in the county, and the county may issue bonds or other evidence of district indebtedness for acquiring property, building the sea-wall, reclamation development and all incident thereto as expense of sea-wall and reclamation district, with lien on land and such terms and conditions as county, through its commissioners' court may deem best, and the county commissioners' court shall appoint two persons who are owners of land within the district, and who desire to sell for reclamation and buy back from the county when reclaimed, who, with the county judge as chairman, shall constitute a sea-wall reclamation district commission, whose compensation shall be fixed by the court, and this commission has power to make all rules and regulations for acquiring the land of district sea-wall building, reclaiming and plating land of district, issuing bonds or other evidence of indebtedness for same, subject, however, to all such rules, regulations and acts of the commission being authorized and approved and ratified by county commissioners' court. The district must bear all expenses of sea-wall and purchase of the land and expenses of filing (filling) same and other expenses, and the same shall not in any way involve the credit of the county or be a basis for a tax by the county on general lands of the county unless authorized by a vote of two-thirds of the property taxpayers of the county voting at a special election therefor. It is further provided that any owner of land in a proposed district may subscribe and pay for the district commission, when organized, as the pro rata of his land of the expense of the wall, reclamation, plating as town lots on a basis as such area of land is to be the whole land of the reclamation district and sea-wall, and at any time before the completion of the district may surrender the bonds and receive from the county a bond for title for his land in town lots, less streets,

and alleys deducted therefrom, for which on surrender deed may be demanded from the county after the district is walled, filled and platted into streets, alleys and lots, and bonds so bought shall so provide. It is further provided that no district shall be formally designated by the county commissioners' court until owners of at least one-half of the proposed area of district petition therefor, and subscribe out for bonds for repurchase from the county as herein provided. This amendment may be acted on without delay or legislation in aid thereof or legislative action may be had in furtherance thereof if desired by the county, acting through its commissioners' court.

Be it further resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: That the foregoing proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas for their ratification and adoption at an election to be held throughout the State on the second Tuesday in November, A. D. 1914, and at such election those favoring the ratification and adoption of said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: "For the amendment to Article XI, Section 7a, of the Constitution providing for authorizing counties bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to build sea-walls," and those opposing the adoption and ratification of said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: "Against the amendment to Article XI, Section 7a, of the Constitution, providing for authorizing counties bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to build sea-walls." Proclamation of such election shall be made by the Governor, as required by the Constitution and the law, and there is appropriated out of any funds not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the expense of advertising and holding such election.

(Note.—S. J. R. No. 23 passed the Senate by a two-thirds vote, yeas 24, nays 1, and Senate concurred in House amendments by a two-thirds vote, yeas 27, nays 0; and was passed by the House of Representatives with amendments by a two-thirds vote, yeas 114, nays 0.)

Received in the Executive Office April 1, 1913, and filed in the Department of State April 5, 1913, without the approval of the Governor.

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The same is true of France and Italy. The world over you will find that the really temperate races are those who are not prohibited from drinking temperate beverages such as beer and wine.

Prohibition in Germany, France or Italy would produce exactly the same results that it has produced in every state in the Union where prohibitory laws have been enacted. It would not stop men from drinking nor decrease drunkenness, but it would drive out the mild drinks and encourage men who do drink to resort secretly to the highly concentrated spirits.

If prohibition really saved men from the "curse of drink" it would have more to commend it to the intelligence of the people. But, as the great editor, Henry Watterson, observes in the Louisville Courier-Journal: "It does not promote either temperance or virtue. It arouses human passion to frenzy by restricting private rights. It does not produce drunkards, it multiplies Pharisees and malefactors."—Paid Advertisement.