

The Hereford Brand

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No. 4

TWO CARS ELEGANT FURNITURE JUST RECEIVED FROM THE FACTORIES

All departments of our big store are full up with choice selections that go to make home attractive. We are now showing the greatest line of Buffets, China Cases, Sideboards and Extension Tables ever displayed in our city. See them quick. Best values and lowest prices in everything.

Furniture Dealer

E. B. BLACK

UNDERTAKER

to be assuming definite proportions. Mr. Ransom informs us that matters are shaped up in such a manner that actual construction work will be begun in the near future. His civil engineer is here and will begin setting the stakes for the grading and right of way next Monday.

With these and other facts in regard to the road that have continually been brought before the public it seems that the long cherished hopes of our people for a new road from Hereford are at last a reality and an assured fact. Mr. Ransom has been working diligently and with unabated zeal promoting this road and now his efforts are being crowned with success. He has had the hearty co-operation of the people all along the proposed line, showing that they have great faith in his work. The advent of the new road through Hereford and the country south will benefit us beyond our most sanguine hopes. What we need in this country to develop it and make it one of the most populous and prosperous countries in the great West is more railroads, and this one will fill a long felt need. As has been stated before, this is the most inviting field for a good road that can be found anywhere, and there is no reason why it should not be one of the best paying investments that could be made. All eyes are now being turned to the West and this country is being developed rapidly.

J. H. RANSOM

President and General Manager of the Panhandle Short Line.

Railroad News.

Avery Turner, Vice-President and General Manager of the Santa Fe, met Col. Ransom, President of the Panhandle Short Line, on his private car this week in regard to the new proposed union depot. Mr. Ransom informs us that there is nothing definite, as yet, to be given out in regard to the depot, but has led us to believe that in a very short time a new union depot will supplant the old one we have at present.

The work on the new road seems

Married At Hereford.

This afternoon at the home of the brides parents in Hereford, Miss Tressye Coston will be married to Mr. R. C. Thorton. The wedding will be a home affair and after an informal reception to the relatives and friends the young people will take the Pecos Valley for Amarillo. Here they will be entertained by the bride's aunt, Mrs. J. R. Wallace and tomorrow they will leave on the morning Denver for a visit to Mr. Toorton's home at Comanche, and a trip to Galveston. After the trip they will return to Amarillo which will be their future home.

Miss Coston is the niece of Mrs. J. R. Wallace, of this city, and has made her home here for the past year while she has been in the Amarillo postoffice. She is a young woman of culture and charm and her many friends both here and in her home town, unite in congratulating the man who has made her Mrs. Thorton.

R. C. Thorton has only lived in Amarillo about six months and came here to accept a position in the postoffice. He has shown himself worthy of the fine position which he holds and has the most thorough confidence of his associates.—Daily Panhandle.

Millinery Opening.

Saturday, March 16th.
At Geo. A. Stambaugh

At the Methodist Church.

Rev. J. C. Hardey, Presiding Elder of this district, and Rev. Jackson B. Cox, Presiding Elder of Mexico City district, will be with the Methodist congregation on next Sunday morning and evening.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Junior League at 2:00 p. m. Senior League and Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited to attend all services.

Rev. A. C. Smith, Pastor.

Kindergarten.

I will again open my kindergarten on next Monday morning, March 11th, at my house in North Hereford, first door north of Dr. Rogers. Phone 162 Miss Beulah Wright.

Walter Park has begun the erection of a neat cottage home in North Hereford on his lots just across from Mrs. Alex Thompson's residence. This will be a nice addition to that portion of town. The contract is let to R. A. Hough.

Shoes.

About April 15th we will add to our already well selected line of Shoes a special line for Men—The Walkover Shoes.
At Geo. A. Stambaugh

Mrs. Caldwell Dead.

Mrs. Caldwell, wife of Dr. Albert J. Caldwell, of Amarillo, died on Tuesday March 5th at the Sanatorium in Amarillo, where she has been seriously ill for several days. An operation was performed and she never recovered from the shock. Dr. Caldwell is well known in Hereford and he has the sympathy of all the people here in his bereavement on the untimely death of his loving wife.

Come to the Cash Store to buy goods cheap. J. G. Callens.

Detlof Peepgras, of Rolfe, Iowa, came in Thursday. Mr. Peepgras has bought a quarter section of land near Kelso and will remain here some time putting improvements on his land.

Opening Day

Of Millinery Goods, Saturday, March 16th
At Geo. A. Stambaugh

C. L. Davis Sick.

C. L. Davis returned home Thursday from Bluffton, Indiana, sick with erysipelas. He took sick in St. Louis on his way to Bluffton, and became worse. As soon as he was able he was brought home, accompanied by a physician of that place. We are glad to report Mr. Davis some better as we go to press.

Watch This Space For Next
Week's Advertisement of

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WOODBURN & SON, Proprietors
HEREFORD, - - - TEXAS

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IS our stock of Hardware, Implements, Windmills, Barb Wire and Vehicles. Those MONEY MAKING FRIENDS OF THE FARMERS, THE SUCCESS SULKY and SUCCESS GANG PLOWS, are our leaders. Put in your spring wheat with our SUPERIOR GRAIN DRILLS and your crop is started on the road to success. Our KATYDID Sod Plows, Gang Rod Breakers, Canton Double Lever Disc Harrows, Canton Two and Three Section Drag Harrows, Canton and Moline Disc Plows, Baker Perfect Barb Wire, American and Ellwood Hog Fence, Bain & Mitchell Wagons, Enterprise Buggies, Surries and Hacks, and the GREAT ECLIPSE WINDMILLS are the FINISHED results of the highest quality of material and skilled workmanship that money can produce. Our stock of everything in the Hardware Dealers Lines are large and complete. Our desire is to give all a square deal and full value for their money in all things.

TRULY YOUR FRIENDS

Johnson, Gary Hardware Co.

Successors to STRINGFELLOW-HUME HARDWARE COMPANY

At the Opera House.

The Nobles Dramatic Co. is furnishing the people of Hereford a series of very entertaining entertainments this week. This is the second appearance of the company in Hereford and it seems that their former reputation as entertainers remains with our people. They have proven themselves a most excellent theatrical company—much above the average that comes to our town.

On Wednesday night they presented the great sensational comedy-drama "Reuben Glue." Mr. Fred C. Frink played the leading role as "Reuben Glue" and won the audience from the very beginning. He was ably assisted by Mr. Geo. M. Noble as Dick Sommers, and also by the entire company. Specialties were furnished between the acts by different members of the troop and they were all fine.

On Thursday night they presented the great French drama in 4 acts entitled "Fanchon the Cricket" in which Mrs. Vina Noble played the leading part as Fanchon. In the presentation of this play the entire company displayed unusual talent as play folk.

Tonight, Friday, they will play

the 4 act comedy-drama entitled "Nans Fortune" and Saturday night the 5 act emotional drama, "East Lynne."

A Pleasant Occasion.

A few of Hereford's young people were delightfully entertained at Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins' ranch home on last Saturday evening. They left town late in the afternoon with anticipations of a great time. Since the unbounded hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Collins was not unknown to them they knew that a full measure of fun and pleasure was in store for them. Upon arriving at their home they were at once made to feel that the evening was theirs and that nothing would be spared to make it as pleasant as possible. After the guests had all arrived they entered heartily into the games and other amusements furnished for the evening's entertainment.

Music rendered by Messrs. Rufus Hubbard and Leslie Smith added much to the pleasure of the evening. Delightful refreshments of fruits and nuts were served.

Besides the Hereford young people present there were a few favored ones from Dimmitt who shared the pleasures of the occasion. The

Hereford guests returned home Sunday afternoon after having spent a most delightful time with these hospitable young people. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Estes acted as chaperones and assisted in the entertainment.

Those present from this place were Misses Tot Mercer, Beulah and Jessie Head and Emily Bell; Messrs. Leslie Smith, Walton, Hippie Hill, Chas. and Rufus Hubbard, Felix Pinkston and Lucian Copes.

NOTICE.

Pianos! Pianos! Pianos!

On account of the illness of my wife I have decided to seek a lower altitude and consequently offer to the public my entire stock of the famous Cable Nelson Pianos at cost and carriage. This is a chance of a lifetime. Phone me, write me or see me for particulars.

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BYRON B. PARRISH,
Hereford, Texas.

For Sale or Rent.

640 acres on Star Ranch, 12 miles Southeast of Friona. 400 acres plowed, 40 acres in wheat, all fenced. Price, \$16.00. Rent \$1.00.

2tf-1tp

W. J. HUDGEL,
Cottage Hotel,
Hereford, Tex.

New Real Estate Firm.

There was a new real estate firm formed in Hereford this week in which W. R. Evans, S. S. Evans and R. A. Hough join forces to do a land and immigration business. That this is a strong firm is evidenced by the former success of these men. They are all well known in Hereford and Deaf Smith County, having lived here from the very beginning of Hereford and know full well the value of the great plains country. By their combined efforts they will aid greatly in bringing into this country farmers to settle the broad fertile acres we have here for them. We wish for these men great success in their work of immigration.

New Cab.

The enterprising firm of Carter Bros., Liverymen, has installed a new and up-to-date cab, to be run in connection with their livery stable. A good cab has been needed in Hereford for some time and this will be a great convenience to our people. The one Carter Brothers have put in is of the best, costing eleven hundred and twenty five dollars.

Fire insurance: If you are in "The Security" you are safe. 50tf

Endeavor Program.

The following is the Christian Endeavor program for Sunday, March 10th, 1907. At the Presbyterian Church:

Subject—The World's Greatest Pioneer, Heb. 11:8-19.

Leader—Miss Neilson.

Topics:

Evidences of Faith in Abraham's Life.

Abraham as an example for modern men.

Encouragements for us in Abraham's Life.

How to become children of Abraham.

Chain meeting.

For Sale.

The best 10 acre block in Evans addition, one block from College Campus, Hereford, Texas. Also—a house and lot and two vacant lots in desirable part of Amarillo, also a section of land eight miles from Amarillo, Texas.

Any one wishing particulars about the above named property will please write or see owner, either at Hereford, or Amarillo, Texas. 3-tf

ROBERT L. BALL.

List your property with Park & Bourn. 39tf.

Watch this Space for Next Week's Ad

Kemp Lumber Company

.. NEW SPRING OPENING ..

Have you visited our store? If not be sure to come around and see our complete line of New Spring Goods. We are receiving daily shipments of the immense stock of goods we purchased while in Kansas City and St. Louis. Our stock is larger and better this season than ever before. Our line of Silks and Woolens is especially complete. We have an immense line of Ladies' Ready-Made Shirt Waists. We handle Schloss' of New York and Baltimore, line of high-grade Clothing. We carry the largest line of Shoes in the city. Always glad to show you our stock

HEREFORD,
TEXAS

D. R. GASS & SON

HEREFORD,
TEXAS

Different Kinds of News.

The mission of a paper is to keep people informed. Information must embrace more than one kind of information. Local news is all right, but it must be remembered that there are several kinds of local news. For instance there is the kind that pretends to local happenings, different events of interest, and then again there is the kind that pertains to store news, items tell what the stores of your town have to sell, the bill of fare as it was, prepared for for the busy bargain hunter. Those who read this class of news can tell in a few minutes' time as to what the different stores are offering, and what prices they can secure the best goods for the least money; it is a time-saver to read that class of news. As a result there is no time lost in looking around and hence it follows that the reader going to the different stores to see what they have, and there is no use of asking the clerks as to what they have. All that is prepared for you by the progressive merchant in such form that you can readily see for yourself. Of store news in the papers in the one who

uses his or her time to the best advantage. If you are not a reader of the store news in your paper you fail to inform yourself and at your own financial loss.—Terrell Transcript.

Grocery Merchants Close at Seven.

Hereford, Texas, Feb. 26. We the the undersigned merchants agree to close our respective places at seven o'clock (except Saturday night) and continue doing so during the summer months. Beginning Monday, March the 4th. Everybody will please take notice and order their groceries before seven o'clock as we will receive no orders after seven to be delivered that day.

HUBBARD & RICE,
CARDWELL BROS.,
JOHN A. JOHNSON,
BANARD & CO.,
J. D. CURTSINGER,
J. H. WILSON.

Look Here.

Do you want a fine high grade piano at wholesale price? If so see C. E. Edwards at the BRAND office. I have a few choice, new ones at about half what you will pay an agent for them.

C. E. EDWARDS.

W. H. M. Society.

The W. H. M. Society met in regular business meeting Tuesday afternoon, March 5, at the church. A committee was appointed to investigate and report on the matter of repairing the church.

Some other matters of interest and importance were attend to and will be reported next week.

Hurrah for Key West: Her citizens have undertaken to raise \$3,000 to supplement the sum raised by the Auxiliaries of the W. H. M. S. for the new building for Ruth Hargrove Seminary. As soon as funds are in hand the building will go up.

Tampa holds peculiar interest for Home mission workers, and possesses problems of national import. Thirty-five different languages are spoken. Cigar factories are located in every part of the city and flourishing business enterprises are going on at every point. The W. H. M. Society is employing nine consecrated women at the various school for Italians and Cubans, which look took to making good citizens and Christians of the foreigners.

What does this mean to us? Savannah has recently been opened as a port of entry for immigrants from Europe, making four such immigrant stations in the Southern States, Charleston, Savannah, New Orleans and Galveston. A regular station has also been opened at El Paso, seeking to control the incoming of foreigners from Mexico.

PRESS SUPT.

Queen Quality.

Have just opened up our Spring line of Ladies' and Children's Slippers in Queen Quality and Reliable Brands.

It Geo. A. Stambaugh

Queen Esther.

The management of the College by this means desires to thank all the friends who, by their aid and support, added so much to the successful rendition of Queen Esther. The gross receipts for the two evenings, amounting to \$162.50, will be used to equip the Art department.

Tailored Clothing.

We are Agents for the Great Western Tailoring Co., of Chicago. Every suit guaranteed to fit.

It Geo. A. Stambaugh

Do you want a First-Class Shoe? If so, come to J. G. Callens. It

An Interesting Lecture.

There was a large and appreciative audience present at the Methodist church on last Tuesday evening to hear W. C. Frost, of Murphersboro, Tenn., deliver his famous lecture on "Napoleon Bonaparte." Mr. Frost engaged the attention of the entire audience from the very first nor was the interest abated in the least through his whole discourse. He depicted the life of the great Corsican in a manner that was instructive and highly entertaining. He gave in rapid succession the events of his wonderful career from the time of his early school days until his banishment and death on the Isle of St. Helena, interspersed with beautiful description and pleasing

flights of oratory. His lecture was well prepared and was delivered in an easy and pleasing manner. This is the first of a series of entertainments the ladies of the Methodist church are furnishing the people of Hereford. There are three more attractions in the Lyceum course to follow about two or three weeks apart. It is a rare treat to our people to have the privilege of hearing some of the best talent on the American stage; an opportunity that does not come to us very often, and every one should take advantage of the opportunity thus afforded. All the numbers are high class and up-to-date entertainments.

Give us your orders for feed stuff. 4-11 HANCOCK & PURCHE.

CITY RESTAURANT

Regular Meals

Short Orders

Confectionery in Connection

Rooms also

C. SCHRIMSHER,

Proprietor

City Meat Market

My business having grown to such an extent, I find it necessary to take in extra help, and hereafter Mr. Reid, who now owns an interest, will be found at the blocks and we will at all times endeavor to give to our customers the best that money can buy.

SPRING'S FIRST SHOWING



We are showing this week, for the first time, our new arrivals in

SCHWAAB CLOTHES

They are bright, nobby, new and made in

Schwab's Inimitable Way;

truly tailored and moderately priced. Come and look them over and get posted on what's newest and best this Spring.

Geo. A. Stambaugh

We Have the Land in Large or Small Tracts

located in Deaf Smith and adjoining counties, have some special bargains near Hereford. Will make quotations on cattle for spring delivery. :-: :-:

Correspondence solicited

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Our stock of GROCERIES is so complete and our goods so FRESH that we have no hesitancy in saying that we can please everyone. Our policy is to sell THE BEST GROCERIES for the LEAST money. If you will investigate, you will find this to be our record.

Jno. A. Johnson
Hereford, Texas

J. H. KING
ABSTRACTOR
HEREFORD, TEXAS

I have a complete Abstract of the Capitol Syndicate Lands, Western Union Lands, and Evans Addition to Hereford.

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PORTRAITS, VIEWS
AND ENLARGEMENTS
Satisfaction Always

M. M. MAJOR
and O. C. BOONE

If you want a bargain see Park & Butts. 39tf.

Largest Chinese Offering.

Rev. A. C. Smith read a communication on last Sunday morning from J. D. Hamilton, of Nashville, Tenn., Secretary of Missions, in which he stated that the collection for the Chinese famine sufferers sent in from Hereford last week was the largest received, up to that time, in all Southern Methodism. That certainly speaks well for the people of Hereford. Our people are willing at all times to aid in any legitimate and worthy cause. A more generous class of people cannot be found anywhere upon the face of the earth. While they are a busy, thrifty people, they are never too busy to pause and lend a helping hand to suffering humanity. The cause which they so readily and generously aided is certainly a worthy one. The famine raging in China now is the greatest known in recent years. Untold horrors and sufferings are brought to light every day, and thousands are perishing for the want of just a few morsels of rice, which is their principal diet. The whole civilized world is being aroused to the horrors of the situation of unfortunate China and large contributions are being sent in daily. It should be a great consolation to the people of Hereford to know that they are in the lead in this great work of relieving these famine sufferers. Offerings are still being received at the Western National Bank and are being forwarded on its mission of mercy. Any one else wanting to contribute to this worthy cause can do so by leaving it at the above bank and it will be promptly forwarded to the proper authorities.

For Sale.

A modern up-to-date residence close in with 3 rooms 16x16, one hall 8x16 and two porches, a good well and wind mill, good out houses, two large lots 100x150 feet. A bargain if sold at once. Call at this office. 4-tf

Mary had a little lamb, its fleece was white as snow; it strayed away one day, where lambs should never go. And Mary sat her quickly down, and tears streamed from her eyes; she never found that lamb because she did not advertise. And Mary had a brother John who kept a village store; he sat down and smoked his pipe, and watched the open door. And as the people passed along and did not stop to buy, John still sat and smoked his pipe and blinked his sleepy eye. And so the sheriff closed him out, but still he lingered near; and Mary came to drop with him a sympathetic tear. How is it sister can you tell, why other merchants here, sell all their goods so readily and thrive from year to year? Remembering her own bad luck, the little maid replied: "These other fellows get there, John, because they advertise.—Ex.

Prairie Fires.

An "interested party" has the following to say concerning prairie fires in the Portales Herald, which we think will be well worthy of notice to people in "these parts" as well: I desire to call the attention of the people of this community to the prevalence of fires in this locality. There have been fires here year after year, but this year they are more numerous than before. These fires are started; they don't start themselves, that's a surety. If the people who are traveling over the country would be sure to extinguish any fires they build, be certain it is out; don't think, be sure; and the farmer before burning off the grass on his property will plow a sufficient number of furrows around his plot, and instead of firing with the wind, backfire and watch it, don't do another thing but stay right there once the fire is started, the damage done by fire would be materially decreased. It is really a very poor thing to do anyway, under any circumstances, to burn grass, it is a benefit to the crop, acting as a fertilizer and producing a better yield to the acre. Use a little forethought and consider how you would feel if you lost your house and improvements, or the stockman his grass, and thereby his stock because you or someone did not think. People of this county do not set fires with malice aforethought, they are not that kind, but they don't think and are careless. Now, when you are going over the country, see to it that you put out your camp fire with a little sand or earth, be certain it is out, and the farmer use discretion in burning off the grass, or preferably don't burn unless absolutely necessary. In this way you will confer a favor on all the people and on yourself, for bread cast upon the waters is sure to return.

Residence For Sale.

I will sell my six-room residence in North Hereford at a bargain if taken at once. See me for particulars and terms. 4-tf

G. R. WARD.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Following is the B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday March 17, 1907. Subject—How can I be a true friend?

Leader—Miss Lizzie LeGrand.
Scripture reading Prov. 17:17, 18:24, 27:9, 17:19. Eccl. 4:9-10.
Hymn.
The Minister of Friendship—W. B. Park.
Christian Friendship, a power for good—Miss Nola Townly.
Hymn.
The Friendship of Jesus the Ideal Friendship—Miss Audrey Argo.

Married.

On Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Jowell, Mr. R. C. Thornton of Amarillo, and Miss Tessie Coston of this city were quietly married. A number of relatives and close friends witnessed the ceremony, which was pronounced by Rev. J. N. Wooten. The groom is one of Amarillo's bright, energetic young men, well known in the social and business

circles of that city. The bride is one of Hereford's most charming and accomplished young ladies, and her marriage came as a great surprise to the large circle of her friends and admirers.

Immediately after the ceremony the guests were conducted to the dining room where dainty refreshments were served. The happy couple left on the evening train for Amarillo, where they will be at home at 209 Pierce street.

The Brand joins their many friends in wishing them great success and happiness in their journey through life together.

Lost.

A silver hat pin on Saturday night, March 2nd, between College and Mr. Cogdell's. Finder please return for reward.

MRS. W. G. KEIRY,
Presbyterian Parsonage.

Opening Day
Of Millinery Goods, Saturday, March 16th
At Geo. A. Stambaugh

AT COLLEGE AUDITORIUM Friday, March 15.

On this date the boys of the College will give to the public two solid hours of fun and entertainment in the form of a minstrel.

The program will be divided into two parts. The first part will be the regular minstrel semi-circle, and will consist of songs, jokes, gags and conundrums. The second part will consist of the negro farce, "The Black Breach of Promise Suit." This is a roaring black-face farce and is full of laughter from beginning to end.

Several good specialties will be introduced. In fact there will not be a dry moment during the entire evening. If you wish to be entertained and have some good hearty laughs do not fail to come.

General admission 35c. Reserved seats will be on sale at Coulson's Drug Store, 50c each.

Wanted at Once.

Two Plymouth Rock or Black Langshang roosters. Address 4-1t Bertie Robertson, City.

Fire, Hail and Stock

I represent a number of the strongest Fire Insurance Companies in the country and my customers assume no risk when they insure with me against loss by either Fire, Hail or the death of Live Stock.

B. H. SMITH, AGENT

LLANO ESTACADO NURSERY

S. L. BOONE, PROPRIETOR

Is now offering all the leading varieties of both shade and fruit trees to the trade at reasonable prices. All home-grown trees. Let us fill your orders

Nurseries at Hereford and Lockney

Still Headquarters

We are still headquarters for groceries. We have just received a fine lot of all kinds of Syrups and are up-to-date on quality and prices. We appreciate the business we had the past year and assure you we will always treat you right. Our business has been beyond our expectations and we believe it is because we deal fair and square with our customers. Thanking you for past patronage and soliciting your trade in the future, we remain :-:

Yours for Business

BARNARD & CO.

WINDMILLS!

WINDMILLS!

WINDMILLS!

We have just received a car load of Leader and Star Wood Mills. If you want a Windmill don't fail to inspect our mills before you buy. :-: :-: :-:

The Paint

in these mills consists of TWO COATS of PURE Lead and Oil, and never blisters or scales off the wood work.

If You Want a Steel Mill

We have the Old Reliable SAMPSON, which is the heaviest and most perfect, self-regulating mill in high wind that is known in the steel mill line.

See us for anything in the Hardware and Implement line

Yours for Business **GARRISON BROS.**

MAKE OUR STORE HEADQUARTERS WHEN IN TOWN

New Sidewalks.

The members of the Christian congregation have added a considerable improvement to their church property by placing a substantial sidewalk along the south and east fronts of the Christian Church lot. This new walk completes a solid string from Dewey avenue to the southwest corner of Judge Witherspoon's lot, forming the longest stretch of walks in the city. John A. Johnson is also enhancing the value of his residence property as well as adding to the convenience of the passers-by, by placing a sidewalk in front of his residence.

We are glad to see these improvements going on in our city, as are all other citizens. We know that nearly all the property holders in the residence portion of town, intend, sooner or later, to put in sidewalks, but on account of being so busy just neglect having it done. There is no necessity of spending so much time and space trying to point

out to the progressive class of citizens we have in Hereford the importance of good walks or the pleasure and benefits to be derived from them, but we do think it is time to begin putting them in. People are continually coming in from the North and East to look at this country, and with good substantial walks leading out from every direction of the main business street a more favorable opinion of our city would be obtained. The value of our city property would greatly increase. The question of sidewalks should engage the attention of the entire town.

Ready for Delivering.

I am now prepared to deliver from the Weaver place in southwest Hereford all kinds of fruit, shade and ornamental trees. I have in stock a limited number of ash, elm, sycamore, ashbury, mulberry and weeping willow from 10 to 15 feet high. If you wish any of these large varieties, come quick. In fact, I can interest you in any department of nursery stock. 44tf

S. L. BOONE.

District Court.

In the case of W. R. Evans et al vs. W. H. Fuqua et al, in which the plaintiff claimed \$72,094.00 as commissions due on a contract to sell a certain tract of land in Bailey county, the jury failed to agree upon a verdict, the division being 8 to 3 in favor of plaintiff. One juror had been previously excused on account of illness. The plaintiffs were represented by C. B. Reeder of Amarillo, R. W. Hall of Vernon and Geo. W. Barcus of this city. Mad-don & Trulove and Wm. Boyce of Amarillo appeared for the defendants.

In the case against the two Italians charged with the murder near Frio in January, each was given fifteen years in the penitentiary.

Subscribe for the BRAND—\$1.00.

The man who got away with my map will please return it and oblige it J. W. English

"Queen Esther."

The Cantata, "Queen Esther," given at the College Auditorium on last Friday and Saturday nights, March 1st and 2nd, was a great success both from a financial point of view and as an entertainment. It was strictly home talent and considering the short time they had for practice it was well gotten up. The players all displayed unusual talent as actors. The leading characters were difficult parts but those who played them were equal to the occasion. The audience was delightfully entertained as was evidenced from the generous applause received after each act.

The first night the house was crowded to its utmost capacity and second night the audience was large considering that it was Saturday night and lodge night, too. The entertainment was given in benefit of the College and a nice sum of money netted to them. Mr. Bixlef, the promoter of the Cantata, proved

himself a genius as a trainer and those who took part as excellent play folk.

For Sale.

Three medium sized mares, one big bay horse and one yearling colt. Will sell cheap if all taken together or will sell any way to suit purchaser. This stock can be seen at Mr. Harris' ranch, one mile west of Hereford. For further information call on or write

4tf ROBT. L. BALL.

Notice.

Boys, don't let your girls walk but Phone 32 for the hack. 4-2t

CARTER BROS.

Notice to the Public.

I now have a good crew of men together and will figure on all building contracts. No job too large for us. As to what we can do along this line we refer to the number of substantial homes which we have built in Hereford. All work guaranteed. Figure with us. 34-tf.

SAM WORLEY.

EVERYTHIN SPEAKS OF SPRING

AT CARTER & HOUCK'S

Our store fairly glistens with its array of handsome Furniture. Every day brings shipment after shipment of new things for Spring. With the most complete stock for Spring we have ever owned, and the lowest price we have ever quoted, we ask that you come and let us prove our every assertion.

Bed Room Suit from \$12.98 to \$100.00
China Closet \$19.00 to \$75.00

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FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1907

THE SANTA FE has at last done the right thing and put on an extra passenger train in case the regular is more than an hour late. This is a great benefit to the traveling public, since they will no longer have to wait five or six hours, or perhaps all day to make a short trip down the road. It is a gross injustice to make people lose a whole or even a half day to accommodate a railroad whose passenger trains are late more than three-fourths of the time. Then besides, the average business man's time is worth just as much to him as the time of the railroad officials. A great many of us have said some hard things about the Santa Fe, but this one act of theirs should atone for all they have done. It is needless to say that the patrons of this line appreciate beyond words of expression this move on the part of the Santa Fe officials.

WE WANT more correspondents from the rural districts. Our paper reaches every community in Deaf Smith and adjoining counties and we are always glad to print news from every part of these counties. In fact we would be glad to have a correspondent from every one of these communities. Those wishing to correspond for the paper will receive stamps and stationery by writing or calling at our office.

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FRIONA, TEXAS

THE GRADING of Dewey Avenue is very nearly finished, but there is one thing yet needful, and that is some way to settle the dirt. The gravel that has been spread upon it has a great deal of fine dirt in it and when played upon by the "gentle March zephyrs," raises so much sand that it makes it very unpleasant to be out on the streets. The fine white dust sifts through the doors into the stores and renders it almost impossible to keep goods of any kind looking decent. Unless some way of settling the dirt is improvised, and that pretty soon, with many more winds like the one we had on last Wednesday a great deal of our pavement will be returned from whence it came. A good layer of coarse gravel spread over this pavement would remedy the present condition of the street.

MORE RENT houses are badly needed in Hereford. We are out at all times extending invitations to homeseekers to come to Hereford to cast their lot among us, and share our prosperity, but upon their arrival it is found that it is next to impossible to find a decent house to live in.

IN LAST week's edition, as the result of an oversight the proper credit was not given to an article copied from the Lubbock Avalanche. The article in question was "Major Ransom here," and it should have been marked—Lubbock Avalanche.

NOW THERE are going to be hundreds of families move in here within the next year, and some man with a little surplus cash should start at once and erect a few rent houses, for they are needed.

A Word or Two For Arbor Day.

In this day of speculation every one is looking for some ground floor investment, something gilt edge and cheap.

About the only man who lets us all in on the ground floor is the undertaker.

We have in mind an investment better and safer than stocks and bonds. It is that, though it be buried, will yet blossom into life. Of course the reader knows that we refer to tree planting, as we have written several times on this subject during the last twenty years and always about Arbor day, Feb. 22. January and February are good months for tree planting, and the divided returns are rich for such a small investment. We would recommend good nursery-grown trees, rather than those brought from the woods. The forrest tree is often brought in mutilated, the roots being chopped to pieces, or it has been exposed to cold winds or hot sun, or it has been left over-night before transplanting.

Trees grow best in plowed ground. The hole should be three feet in diameter and two feet deep. Set the tree in the hole, then pour in water and spread out the small roots by hand. Fill in with dry dirt. Don't pour water on top of the ground. Put no manure in the hole. If you water on top, scrape dirt away from tree as to make a round trench around the tree, then cover with dry dirt. Watering through a pipe to the roots is far better. Don't let the ground crack around the tree. To keep in the moisture a blanket of cinders, sand, leaves, manure or sawdust can be laid around the base of the tree.

Every loyal Texan should interest himself in Arbor day and this tree planting crusade. The writer has been at it about twenty years, and possibly in twenty more years our State will wake up and have a state forester and Arbor day will be generally observed. Nearly everybody in Temple who has made money on

real estate has planted trees. The tree lot will out sell the naked lot. Just try it. Fence up a blistering, baked piece of land, plant it in trees and care for it about a year. You will have no rest until some one has persuaded you to let him have it at double your original investment. Again you will be doing missionary work, as you will be teaching others a lesson in thrift, progress and civic pride.

This is a wonderful age that we are living in, the most wonderful in the history of mankind. Everything is changing, men's looks, stature, thoughts, ideals, ambitions, politics, loves and hatreds. Religions are changing probably more than anything else. Men are recognizing more and more that a true religion is more lived than preached. It needs no special preaching to show that he who brings more health, happiness, song, sunshine and grateful shade into the world is fulfilling the laws of God and the brotherhood of man.

There is not a man in Texas with one dollar to his credit who cannot make two blades of grass to grow and flourish, where one now withers on a neglected soil. I have often rejoiced when passing a lone, neglected, dilapidated farm house (maybe where some shylock land owner was housing a renter in poorer quarters than he would his buggy horse) by seeing one or two Chinaberry trees by the door. Maybe they were by accident, or maybe the seed were stuck in the ground by the children, just for fun. However

ever they came to be there, they were the only green, wholesome, beautiful things about the place. The tired mother was rested as she sat on the doorstep at evening, dreaming into their depths. You and I, as we passed by, were cheered in seeing this one redeeming feature in this utterly destitute, colorless homestead. New hopes and new resolves were born in us to let into life a little more sunshine, and show others the way.

If you have money, time or energy to give away, and want to benefit all the people, give them trees, flowers, parks and running water. Take them in person or in spirit to the seashore, the forest or the mountain top. Get them away from the daily sweat-shop of existence without an outlook, back to nature in her various and variable forms.

Cultivate and study nature, the birds, animals, trees, etc. The study of man, with his refined vices, will make you a pessimist and sick of life. If you want rest and recreation, get back to the good mother that gave us all life. Get back to the forest, from whence man originated. From the womb of earth we came, and back to her kindly bosom we go at evening time.

W. GOODRICH JONES
In Dallas News.

For Sale.

My 6 room residence with 4 lots, well, windmill, and barn. A choice location, close in, all new. One of the best buildings in town. For particulars see R. A. HOGAN.

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SURPLUS AND PROFITS	25,000.00
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TOTAL	\$125,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	500,000.00

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The following Fire Insurance companies are represented by W. H. Rayzor:

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LAND FOR SALE—1 section in Deaf Smith county 5 1/2 miles north east of Hereford along the railroad 1 mile to Dawn. Also 1/2 section 1 1/2 miles north-west from Happy in Randall county. Both half sections are smooth level land, good location, shallow water. If you are interested write to owner. John A. Benson, R. F. D. No. 2, New Windsor, Mercer County, Illinois. 30-12tp

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PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

We have engaged in the grocery business in Hereford with a two-fold purpose, viz: To make a living for our families and to serve the public of Hereford and surrounding country with first-class groceries. If we had not believed we could accomplish both these, we would not have engaged in the business. We ask all our friends, as well as everybody needing groceries, to figure with us. Our constant desire will be to treat you right.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS

HUBBARD & RICE
SUCCESSORS TO J. M. GARNER

All eyes are turned to THE PANHANDLE of TEXAS. Read its development in the condensed statement of

The Western National Bank of Hereford

at the close of business, March 5, 1906

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Overdrafts	\$292,765.93	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
U. S. Bonds (par)	50,000.00	Surplus and Profits (net)	30,783.44
Banking House and Fixtures	5,912.27	Circulation	50,000.00
Other Real Estate	3,362.32	Deposits:	
Redemption Fund	2,500.00	Individual	\$371,637.63
Cash and Exchange	147,880.55	Banks	.00
	502,421.07		371,637.63
			502,421.07

THIS BANK OPENED FOR BUSINESS JULY 1ST, 1903

Deposits at the end of six months	\$51,300.62	Deposits at the end of two years	\$104,628.68
Deposits at the end of one year	55,959.21	Deposits at the end of 2 1-2 years	220,466.42
Deposits at the end of eighteen months	90,016.08	Deposits at the end of three years	263,146.89
Deposits September 4th, 1906			\$327,692.15

DEPOSITS NOW - \$371,637.63

H. B. Ried, of Lubbock County, is visiting in the city this week.

Try us on feed stuffs.
4-tf HANCOCK & FURCHE.

An up-to-date line of Ladies' and Children's Caps at J. G. Callens 1t

Our toilet case is complete. Every thing you wish. Park's Drug Store.

Mrs. Lula Lawhorn, of Artesia, N. M., is visiting Mrs. B. B. Roberson of this city this week.

James Smith, brother of Mrs. B. C. Roberson, has moved from Artesia, N. M., to Boom.

Jim Benson, of Benson Bros., painters and decorators, made a business trip to Amarillo Sunday.

NOTICE.—I will buy all the hens you have for sale at \$3.00 per dozen.
51tf GEO. DENT.

Ralph Barnett will dress you up in a swell Easter suit. He is the Tailor to men who know. 1t

C. E. Edwards disposed of two of his quarter sections of land last week through the agency of the the hustling firm of Hawkins, Wasson, Warner Realty Co.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barcus left Tuesday for Waco, where Mrs. Barcus will enter the sanitarium for medical treatment. For some time she has been in bad health and she has gone there with the hope of recovering her wonted health. We join her many friends in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Fresh, home ground meal at
4-tf HANCOCK & FURCHE'S.

Special Bargains in Towels and Table Linens at J. G. Callens 1t

Room mouldings and wall paper at Black's. 1tf

Go to the red and blue front for groceries, we don't keep them, we sell them. Barnard & Company. 4t

Can exchange good farm property for desirable dwelling property in Hereford. See Renfro & Price. 1t

Any kind of stenographic work done accurately. Apply at W. H. Rayzor's Real Estate Office. 4-tf

We have cash customers for land in the Panhandle. See us at once. Baskin Land Co., Hereford, Tex. 1t

When you want fruits, come to where the variety is handled. J. G. Callens. 1t

Mrs. J. H. Copeland is reported to be sick this week. Grip seems to be the trouble.

Don't forget our book covers we are giving away with every purchase of tablets and pencils to school children at Park's Drug store. 1t

Mr. Ambrose Gibson, of Hereford, is here. He came down to attend to some private business and will go back as soon as he is through. Wichita Falls Herald.

Byron Parish returned from Hereford Friday, where he has been with his wife who has been seriously ill. Mrs. Parish is some better at present, but is still far from well.—Portales Herald

Park & Bourn want to sell that place of yours. 39tf.

For improved dwelling property and desirable dwelling lots—see Renfro & Price. They have them. 49tf

For Sale—A good residence with four acres of ground, close in and well improved. Apply to the Hereford Realty Company. 44tf

You will doubtless need a new hat and a swell pair of dress shoes to go with your new suit. Ralph Barnett's is the place to get them. 1t

W. G. Ross has bought the beautiful home of Jno. E. Ferguson in West Hereford and will use this as his residence. We are glad that Mr. Ross has decided to make Hereford his permanent home.

Mrs. J. M. Miller, of Vernon, came in Sunday to spend a few weeks with her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. A. Kirkpatrick. Mrs. Miller is on her way to New Mexico, where she has taken up a valuable claim.

J. R. Hastings, of Dimmitt, was in the city Tuesday, but in his hastings did not forget the Brand office and will read our paper one more year at least. Mr. Hastings says that Dimmitt is strictly on the boom.

F. B. Fuller returned Sunday from Imperial Valley, California, accompanied by his wife and family. Mrs. Fuller and family spent the winter in Imperial Valley but have returned to make this their permanent home. We welcome them back into our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Laura Dameron, of Colorado, who have been visiting Mr. Dameron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dameron of this city, for the past week, left Monday for Amarillo, where they intend to make their permanent home in the near future.

I wish to announce to the ladies that my spring millinery has been opened up. Street hats ready to sell. Will have my display of dress hats on March 15th and 16th. Everything new, just from the city, and strictly up-to-date. Plenty of competent help. We sincerely solicit your patronage.

MRS. S. L. HART,
4-2t At Pinkston's Store.

Mrs. John B. Vannoy left Tuesday to join her husband at Pryor Creek, I. T., where Mr. Vannoy has gone to engage in the jewelry business. For some time Mrs. Vannoy has been connected with the public school here, and on account of her faithful and efficient work has won a great number of friends who regret very much to see her leave. We join them in wishing her great happiness in her new home.

SPRING TIME

At the close of the winter you have a cough that disturbs you. You can't rest—have headache, dry, crusty throat. Now the first thing let us fix you up some of our cough syrup and cure that catarrhal condition. The winter and cough leave you anemic, the red blood cells are few in number, you have a tired feeling, your head aches, your back aches. You need a good blood medicine. There is no better place in Texas to get this than our store. Our stock is fresh and guaranteed under the pure drug law.

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First Door North of the Tygret Hotel

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HEREFORD,

TEXAS

A Lilliputian Party.

On Thursday evening the young people of Hereford were delightfully entertained at the residence of Mrs. J. P. Allen in north-east Hereford, Misses Netta Allen and Ima Gass as hostesses. It was previously announced that premiums would be offered for an evening on Lilliputian-

ism. Some of the diminutive boys and girls asserted that they had suffered so much from their lack of stature and that for once at least they would make the rest of us envious. After the guests had all assembled they were all alike seized upon and subjected to an accurate measurement. When all measure-

ments were taken, the tallest man was given as a partner the tallest woman, the next tallest man taking the woman next in size and so on. Then a procession was formed, led by the smallest man and woman followed by other couples according to their size, the tallest bringing up the rear. The procession marched three times through the rooms and galleries to music. The smallest girl, Miss Audrey Argo, was presented with a box of bon-bons with the assurance that "best goods came in small packages," and her partner, Mr. Tom Huffman, was presented with a leather memorandum book, with the assurance that much valuable matter could be put in small bulk.

A pair of scales were next rolled into the room and each obliged to mount and be weighed. The partners were chosen for a second triumphal procession, led by the young men and young ladies of the smallest weight. At the termination of this march the victorious young lady, Miss Millie Vaughan, received a beautiful hat pin, and the young gentleman, Mr. Will Argo, a stick pin.

This was followed by a blind-fold game, the ladies sitting in one room and the men being brought in blind-folded one at a time, endeavoring to choose the woman whose previous measurement had shown to be the smallest. In this way couples were selected for refreshments. After all had paired off a delightful repast of fruits and cakes was served.

Other interesting games were indulged in until a late hour and all bid their hostesses a reluctant farewell, declaring the evening in Lilliputianism a novel and interesting entertainment.

Those present were: Misses Minnie Tygret, Roberts, Bess, Francis and Georgie Hammock, Dameron, Dunbar of Canyon City, Millie Vaughan, Anna Bruce, Audrey Argo, Brunk, Bess Howren of Amarillo, Gallagher, Gass, Allen, Baker, Lida Wasson and Williams, Messrs. Dunbar of Canyon City, Howard, Allen, C. Witherspoon, Jones, Ottis, Cardwell, Woodburn, Hered, Will Argo, Yardeman, France, Webb, Huffman, Wilkerson and Thomas.

For Sale.

I have for sale some nice single drivers, one pair fancy driving horses, one pair of work horses, two pair of good work mules. They can be seen at R. H. Norton's, one mile west of town.

4-2t

EZRA NORTON.

William Raulie moved his family here from Chillicothe, Mo., this week. Mr. Raulie last fall bought the Wilson section four miles north-west of town and is now building a house and other improvements on it with a view of moving on it soon.

For Sale.

I am offering my twenty-two horse power engine and threshing machine. Cheap for cash. Will trade for land or other good property.

49tf

J. S. MOLLENHOUR.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Statement of the Condition of the Finances of Castro County.

THE STATE OF TEXAS }
County of Castro.

Before me, Edgar Ireland, Clerk County Court, in and for said county and state, on this day personally appeared, M. F. Barber, County Judge, W. A. Tate, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; J. A. Oden, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; W. B. Green, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; W. R. Woodburn, Commissioner Precinct No. 4, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say:

That the requirements of Article 867, as amended by Acts of 1897, page 27, have been in all things fully complied with by them at the February term of said Commissioners Court, and that the cash and other assets mentioned in the said County Treasurer's quarterly report made by said Treasurer to said court and held by him for the county have been fully inspected and counted by them:

	DR.	CR.
Jury fund, first class.....		339.25
Road and bridge fund, second class.....		3,215.26
General fund, third class.....		3,353.70
Court house and jail fund, fourth class.....		5,608.60
School fund, fifth class.....		3,682.87
Lamb Co. School.....		94.76
Total on hand.....		16294.44

M. F. BARBER,
County Judge.

W. A. TATE,
Com'r Prec. No. 1.

J. A. ODEN,
Com'r Prec. No. 2.

W. B. GREEN,
Com'r Prec. No. 3.

W. R. WOODBURN,
Com'r Prec. No. 4.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 13 day of February, A.D. 1907.

EDGAR S. IRELAND,
County Clerk.

Town Lots for Sale.

We are now placing on the market ten acres of valuable town lots adjoining the college campus on the west and can please the most exacting when it comes to a question of selection a location for a home. Can sell a single lot or any size block desired.

37tf

E. F. CONNELL LAND CO.

The Second Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church will be held at the church on Saturday night, March 9th. The Presiding Elder will be present. All official members are requested to be present and all members of the church are cordially invited.

Notice.

I have a new steam plow and am ready to do plowing on short notice. Am well equipped with a good engine and plows and will guarantee first class work.

4-tf

H. F. MITCHELL.

At City Restaurant.

C. G. English arrived in Hereford this week from Muskogee, Ind., Ter. He has moved here and will make this his permanent home—that is, if he can find a house to move into. Here is another of the many instances for the crying need of more rent houses.

For Rent.

Two-section farm and ranch, 6 miles from Hereford. Apply to C. G. WITHERSPOON.

Benson Bros. Hung

Wall paper the past four months and are not dead yet. Our office and shop are located northeast corner from City Cafe. Estimates furnished on all lines of work pertaining to our trade. Plain and fancy sign work a specialty. Phone 33, Cottage Hotel.

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A Bargain.

Two sections of land for sale 17 miles southeast of Hereford near the new town of Happy on the Plainview railroad. This is a choice tract of land both in quality and location.

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47tf

C. M. HUNT,

Hereford, Texas.

Will Buy Kafir and Maize.

We are now in the market for all the kaffir, cane and maize seed the farmers have for sale and will pay the highest cash price for same.

36tf

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and all staple jewelry, as well as silverware, is represented in these shipments, and the public will not be disappointed when they visit my store. Also remember that watch-making and jewelry repairing are my specialties. Let me serve you.

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and will appreciate any business given us, either as a seller or buyer. Our charges are only five per cent commission on sales made. If you have any large tracts of land for sale, list them with us, as we have several calls for them. Our motto is square dealings with all customers. :: :: :: ::

PARK & BOURN

New Bank Officers.

At a recent meeting of the directors of the new bank, The First State Bank of Hereford, the following officers were elected:

President, W. B. Beach; Vice-President, H. B. Webb; Cashier, O. H. Vardaman.

These men are all well known in the business circles of our city. Messrs. Beach and Webb are among our most substantial business men, and have been associated with the interests of Hereford and Deaf Smith county for a number of years. Mr. Vardaman is at present one of The First National Bank's efficient bookkeepers, having accepted that position only a few months ago. He has proven himself competent to fill the position of trust to which he has been elected, and we heartily congratulate him on his promotion.

With these successful business men at the helm of the new bank, we predict for them great success in their new institution. The Bank has bought the Hubbard & Rice grocery store building and will open there for business in the near future. Hubbard & Rice will build on the adjoining lots.

Schwab's Clothes

Are honest all the way through. Linings, fabrics, tailoring. Let us show you.

It Geo. A. Stambaugh

Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Program of Fifth Sunday Meeting of Tierra Blanco Association to be held with Summerfield Baptist church the Fifth Sunday in March, 1907:

FRIDAY.

2:00 p. m. Devotions by Elder E. D. Morgan.

2:30 p. m. Organization.

3:00 p. m. The best means to make our Fifth Sunday Meetings the greatest success.—W. J. Todd and Elder J. W. Foster.

3:30 p. m. The Mission of a Church.—W. T. Easter, Elder J. D. Ballard and W. J. McMinn.

4:00 p. m. How to Revise our Churches in True Spirituality.—A. M. Miller, T. R. R. Atkins and Elder S. H. Shipman.

7:30 p. m. Devotions.—W. R. McClain.

8:00 p. m. Sermon.—Elder S. H. Shipman.

SATURDAY.

9 a. m. Devotions.—Led by N. C. Hilburn.

10:00 a. m. The Duties of a Layman.—Rack Flores and Elder U. J. Fox.

10:20 a. m.—Home Missions.—J. C. Womble and Elder O. W. Dean.

11:15 a. m. Sermon.—Elder J. D. Ballard.

Adjourn for dinner.

2:00 p. m. Devotions.—B. T. Johnson.

2:30 p. m. Foreign Missions.—J. W. Ford and Elder E. D. Morgan.

3:15 p. m. The Conditions and Needs of our Association.—D. O.

Stallings, W. H. Rayzor and Elder J. T. Burnett. Afterward, if suitable, follow by query box.

Immediately following the Board will meet.

7:30 p. m. Devotions.—Elder J. T. Johnson.

8:00 p. m. Doctrinal Sermon.—Elder O. W. Dean, and immediately following with solo by Willie McClain.

SUNDAY.

10:00 a. m. Devotions.—O. W. Dean.

10:30 a. m. Buckner's Orphans Home.—Elders J. T. Burnett and O. W. Dean.

11:00 a. m. Sermon.—Elder J. W. Foster.

Adjourn for dinner.

2:00 p. m. Devotions.—J. D. Ballard.

2:30 p. m. Talk to the young people.—Elders J. S. Shadrack and E. D. Morgan.

3:00 p. m.—Sunday School Work.—By any who will participate.

For Sale at a Bargain.

I am offering my new house, consisting of three large rooms 16 feet square, one hall 8x16 feet, two porches, and all necessary improvements outside, such as well, out-houses, nice fence and two beautiful corner lots in the most desirable location in the city. Will sell at a bargain if sold at once. Apply at the Brand office. 4-1f

Give Attention.

Are you interested in repapering your house? If so, let me make you a proposition. It is this: If you will let me do the work, I will sell you the paper at wholesale cost. Figure with me and see how cheaply it can be done. Best of references in Hereford.

C. M. MCGHEE at Mrs. W. B. Robinson's residence. 5tf

Change in Schedule.

Beginning on Thursday, March 7th, a change of the schedule of the passenger trains of the Pecos Valley went into effect. The west-bound changed from 11:15 a. m. to 12:35 p. m. and the east-bound from 4:45 p. m. to 4:20 p. m.

For Sale.

I have about 2000 cherry trees of the Manillo and May varieties from four to ten cents each; varieties that have borne six years in succession. Have also several varieties of plums from ten to twenty cents each. Five miles west of Dimmitt. 1-4tp

WILLIAM SMITH

Restaurant Improvements.

Messrs. Feemster and Green have ordered a large bake oven to be added to their restaurant. This will be a great improvement to their already flourishing establishment. Their business has increased so rapidly they find it necessary to install a bakery of their own. Their patrons will feed on home baked bread instead of that shipped in from other places.

COLLEGE NOTES.

The Orpheus Club will hold its regular meeting on Saturday afternoon, March the 9th.

Rev. J. C. Mason of Dallas is visiting his family at the Dormitory.

The members of the Curtin Club have sent invitations to their friends for a reception on Saturday evening.

The base ball suits for the college boys have come. It is needless to say the boys look resplendent in their suits of gray trimmed in purple.

President and Mrs. Elliot will move soon into their new cottage. We are sorry to lose them from the Dormitory but glad that they will be near neighbors.

Students and teachers both are pleased with the change of the chapel hours. Lately we have had many visitors at chapel. Among those who have given talks are: Judge Homan of Colorado City, Mr. Clinkenbeard of Dublin, Mr. Bruce of Missouri, Judge Gough and Bro. Keiry of Hereford.

The Faris Literary Society has accepted a challenge from Canadian Academy for a debate to be held in Hereford on the 19th of April. The debaters chosen to represent the Society are Earl Gough and Earl Wilson.

Junior Endeavor Program.

Following is the Junior Endeavor program for Sunday, March 10:

Leader—Anna Garrison.

Topic—A Psalm of Praise—Ps. 103.

Song.

Prayer by the superintendent.

Explanation of lesson.

Lesson story—Edna Earl Shelton.

Bible verses containing the word praise, by all members present.

Song.

Mission study—Alice Lee Rose.

Secretary's roll call and report.

Mizpah.

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Millinery Opening.

Saturday, March 16th.

It Geo. A. Stambaugh

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26 acres, Mabry addition	\$1,600.00
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I have opened a real estate office in the building which I bought from Allan Bell and I am ready to serve any one having land to sell. I have never bought an option, hence have none to unload. I have no land that is on the market. Will give my clients full benefit of any customers that I may have. Am selling land at a straight five per cent commission. :: ::

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Things were brightening to a brighter day,
For they were passing the British way.
He continued to lead the American arms,
Gradually forcing the enemy from their
ground;
Recovering cities, villages and farms.
Until the conflict ceased at Georgetown.
The Eagle rose and gave a joyous cry,
And screamed the news throughout the
land.
Straight to the State House she did fly,
And gave Liberty Bell a helping hand.
On the pinnacle she did stand,
And tensed the ringing bell;
Reclaiming liberty throughout the land;
Wailing tyranny its death knell.
Gradually she straightened and stretched
her wings,
As a Goddess stretches forth her hand;
No more on this shore shall foreign arms ring,
For I, Liberty, do hover this land.
Bonfires were kindled that glorious night,
To do honor to an illustrious name;
Who, amidst prejudice and scandal, won
freedom's fight,
And stands on the top round of fame.
Not only as a martial chief was he great;
He was the greatest benefactor to man
When presiding over the convention of states
And formed the constitution of our land.
His militant genius of this nation stands first.
First in character, statesmanship without
refute;
Foremost for right and justice he did thirst.
First in war, in peace, in the hearts of
his countrymen—Who can dispute?
Just not be so indifferent to the birth of the
nation's first man,
Who led in it's vigorous youth;
Lifted the veil of despotism from our land;
Established an enviable justice, freedom
and truth.
Bonfires and cannon should announce the
time;
Garlands and wreathes hang above our
door
In honor of the birth of him who led our
nation in its prime,
And freed it from shore to shore.
The Eagle should perch upon his tomb;
It should be enwrapped by the red, white
and blue;
His day of demise from the whole nation,
his home.
Be observed with bowed heads by the
patriotic few.
—J. F. Duke, Hereford, Texas.

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We have in our new line
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buy.
It Geo. A. Stambaugh
Union Aid Society.
The next meeting of the Union
Aid will be at the Baptist church on
Thursday afternoon, March 14th, at
3:30 o'clock. Subject for discussion
led by Mrs. Howser, is as follows:
Woman as a Factor in Civic Im-
provements.
A full attendance desired. Ladies
from any of our churches invited.
PRESS REPORTER.
For Sale.
I have for sale seventy acres of
land in South-west Hereford, known
as the old Butcher place. This tract
is platted into parcels of five acre
blocks of four lots to each block. It
joins the place where I now live and
will make excellent building lots.
A good investment for anyone want-
ing to invest in city property either
for trading or for building a home.
A bargain if sold at once. 51tf
JOHN W. DEATLEY.

Amidst this grief they ever sang,
And worshipped at Liberty's feet.
Their hearts attuned when the order rang
Their enemies for to meet.
When the army by summer's heat was revived
And the Eagle did her feathers shake;
The Chief with his men who through the
winter survived,
Again the field did wage.
And waged the war in a more vigorous way
Than had ever been waged before.

Items From Hart.

Oh, my, did you ever see such nice Spring weather as we are having these days? and our farmers are just humping themselves down our way.

We are having fine prospects for a good yield of fruit if nothing happens to it. Our orchard is almost in full bloom and we would be glad to have a fine crop and invite you down to dine on one of those old-fashioned peach cobbles that you and I used to enjoy back in the vine-clad hills of Kentucky and Tennessee.

Mrs. G. B. Edwards, her daughter Olivia and her little son Henry, are in Hereford this week shopping and having some dental work done.

J. R. Riley has finished threshing last year's crop of oats, kaffir and alfalfa, which has raised the yield's average a few bushels.

W. W. Jobe, I. N. Walden and J. M. Scott are in Hereford on business, and each took up a load for L. N. Hancock, consisting of maize, chops, chickens, cows and hogs, that remained on the ranch sold to Will H. Hines.

Miss Ellen Robinson, principal of the Hale Center high school and her sister, Lois, were up to see the home

folks a few Sundays ago. They seem to be well pleased with the Hale Center people, and regret that the school will close there in a few short months. Hale Center people are equally well pleased with her as teacher.

LOST—A. L. Ray, if not on the prairie or at Nazareth digging wells, has gone straight up. He has not been in town for some time and we'd like to see him show up or drop us a card—one of those with a picture on it.

R. O. Robinson is quite a genius in the art of photography and delights in his work, and puts out some good pictures. He has a fine instrument and can and will give you all kinds of work at a very reasonable price.

The old cow is still with us, and as the days grow brighter and the green grass gets longer, she will remain and be here to keep us out of mischief next winter. It looks now like she might pay for her keeping if she is kept right and cared for in a profitable way. But half-fed and no shelter at all will never do any more in this country. She used to do well on the open range, but times and the country have changed, and as we farm we must farm right. We have the country and the soil and our play must come to an end. Keep good stuff and have everything good you offer for sale and you can always get top prices.

The mule, horse, cow or calf, or even the old hog, if in proper shape and the right breeding, will always give you money to meet the score of little bills that we run up against every year. Your wheat, oats and cotton money will be no little item when you add up the columns of the old ledger. Where is the locality that will compare with this, and give more items from which we can make a dollar. If you go to the cotton country it is nothing but cotton and it is equally so with corn, wheat, etc., but here we diversify and suc-

ceed from a black-eyed pea to a mammoth mule.

Come, let us think about these things in a farmer-like way and raise mules, horses, cattle, hogs, sheep, corn, cotton, wheat, oats, barley, rye, kaffir maize, sorghum, millet, etc., with all the vegetables and fruits of the land, and the chronic kicker will forever be in the back-ground. Other people are looking at us and if we lie down and slumber we will be where Moses was when the light went out.

Yours respectfully,
T. W. HART.

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W. T. Smith the Transfer Man.
Wm. Anderson, of Friona, is here
this week.

Sam Dunn went to Amarillo Tues-
day on business.

Byron Foley, of Friona, was in
the city Monday.

Press Burnam, of Dimmitt, was in
the city Monday.

C. E. McLean, of Dimmitt, was in
the city Saturday.

Percy Estes, of Castro county, is
in the city this week.

Sam Worley made a trip to Ama-
rillo Sunday on business.

J. M. Garner made a business
trip to Texico Tuesday.

B. H. Hayden, of Amarillo, was
among our visitors Monday.

Roscoe Davidson made a short
business trip to Texico Tuesday.

See W. T. Smith, the transfer
man for all kinds of hauling. 4tf

J. H. Copeland has moved into
his new home in the north part of
town.

Thomas Witherspoon of Amarillo,
was in the city the early part of the
week.

Mrs. H. H. Stanley went to Ama-
rillo Sunday to visit her son, Dorris,
who is there sick.

Ernest Comer returned this week
from a few day's sojourn on his
claim in New Mexico.

Miss Ona Lane, of Princeton, Mo.,
is visiting the family of Mr. and
Mrs. Deshler this week.

We have a great many inquiries
for city property. What have you
to sell? Park & Bourn. 39tf.

Painted Baby Blue and guaranteed
by using Sweall's paint. Sold at
Park's Drug Store. 1t

FOR SALE.—A nice 4 acre block
near the College. Apply to owner,
E. A. Winterrowd. 2tf

Rev. A. C. Smith, pastor of the
Methodist church, was down with
the gripe the early part of the
week.

Mrs. C. W. Baird, of Texahoma,
is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
L. W. Vaughn of this city, this
week.

J. H. Williams returned Tuesday
from a business trip to Pecos City
and other points south on the P. V.
& N. E. Railroad.

If any one is looking for a quarter
section of land at a bargain you
should not fail to call on Hawkins,
Wasson, Warner Realty Co.

Mrs. Jones, who has been visiting
her sister, Mrs. C. L. Sullivan, re-
turned to her home in Amarillo the
latter part of last week.

R. K. Dunlap of Frederick, Okla.,
brother of Eli Dunlap of this city,
passed through the city Tuesday on
his way to New Mexico.

Ladies, we have the most beauti-
ful line of Embroideries and Laces
in town. Be sure and see them.
1t J. G. Callens.

Up-to-date \$12000 stock of hard-
ware. County seat Northwest Mos-
souri, to exchange for Texas land.
Baskin Land Company. 2t

J. J. Tommaichel, of Sentinel
Butte, North Dakota, is here visiting
his father, Jno. A. Tommaichel, who
has been real sick for the past few
weeks.

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T. L. Crews, of Dimmitt, was
here Monday.

Charley Wall, of Friona, was in
the city Tuesday.

R. Humphries of Amarillo, was in
the city Monday.

W. H. Nichols, of Texico, was in
the city Tuesday.

J. W. Gaither, of Gaither Bros.
of Bovina, was in the city this week.

See Bowers & Dunlap for cheap
city and ranch property. 49tf

For quick sales list your property
with Bowers & Dunlap. 49tf

Beautiful line of Silk Waist Pat-
terns at J. G. Callens. 1t

Fire insurance: If you are in
"The Security" you are safe. 50tf

Mrs. Leftwich, who has been vis-
iting her cousin, Mrs. Will Watters,
left Tuesday for Amarillo.

Judge John E. Ferguson left Tues-
day for Corpus Christi to join his
wife who is there for her health.

Notify Ben Wright or Ralph Bar-
nett if you want your well put down
promptly. All work guaranteed. 1t

Two horses 4's coming 5, and
sound, weighing about 1400 each,
well broke, for sale 4 miles north of
Dawn. J. L. Cox. 52tf

See J. A. Wilson, at the City
Meat Market, for pure home made
lard. 52-tf

Don't buy Shoes or Slippers until
you see our line. They are new
and up-to-date, even to Side Lace.
1t J. G. Callens.

You lose money if you don't buy
your ladies' and children's shoes and
slippers at Barnett's. Better hurry,
pretty near all gone. 1t

W. C. Frost, who delivered the
lecture on Napoleon at the Metho-
dist church on Tuesday night, left
Wednesday for Canyon City, where
he lectured Wednesday evening.

We are selling some Hereford
houses and lots, and have a 1/4 or 1/2
section of land 3 miles from Here-
ford to exchange for house and lot.
J. D. Thompson & Co. 49tf

My business has increased so much
that I have been compelled to put on
another transfer wagon. Am now
able to handle all kinds of hauling.
4-tf W. T. SMITH.

Say, Boys, get busy now. Easter
is Sunday, March 31st. Of course
you want a new Spring suit. Go to
Ralph Barnett to-day and order a
tailor-made suit to wear on that
day. 1t

Tom Huffman, of Jno. A. John-
son's grocery store, will leave Sun-
day for Melrose, N. M., to locate
on his valuable claim. He will be
gone about ten days and will place
valuable improvements on his claim.

Mrs. D. W. Hawkins has been
secured to teach the rest of this week
in the place made vacant by the
resignation of Mrs. Vannoy. A
permanent teacher will be secured as
soon as possible.

J. S. Jones returned Wednesday
from a few days' business trip to
Amarillo, where he has been in the
interest of the firm of Murchison &
Jones Real Estate Company, recently
opened up in that city.

Mrs. Eva Bruce happened to a pain-
ful accident on last Monday morn-
ing. She was going from the kitchen
to the dining room with a large dish
in her hands when she stumbled and
fell, cutting an ugly gash over her
right eye. While the wound is pain-
ful, fortunately it did not prove to be
of a serious nature and Mrs. Bruce
is able to be about her household
duties.

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All Tin Goods**

Our Repair Department
is well equipped.

We will appreciate
your orders.

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For Sale.
Three-thousand bundles of oats.
See W. B. PALMER tf

Notice.
If in need of teams, wagon and
harness, see M. H. Lile. 52tf

For Rent.
Two furnished rooms, close in.
2-tf MRS. G. R. JOWELL.

Wanted.
A first class milk cow.
4-tf C. G. WITHERSPOON.

Notice.
See Fred Millard for nice bundle
sorghum. 4-tf

Men's and Boys' Overalls, Shirts
and Work Shoes a Specialty. J. G.
Callens. 1t

For Rent.
Two nicely furnished rooms up
stairs for rent. Close in. 1tf
MRS. CHAS. HAVENHILL.

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W. H. Rayzor represents "The
Security" and other old line fire in-
surance companies.

For Sale.
See Leonard Ricketts at Hubbard
& Rice's Grocery store for cheap de-
sirable residence lots in the Ricketts
addition in South Hereford. 3tf

Miss Kate Davidson is visiting
relatives and friends in Estelline
this week.

The Bear Skin Hose for Children
are the best in town. Sold only by
J. G. Callens. 1t

For Sale.
Several spans of good work mules.
See FRED MILLARD. 52tf

For Sale.
See Fred Millard if you want some
nice bundle sorghum. 4-tf

Some Embroidery and Laces at
Barnett's at about half price. White
Lawn same way. 1t

Renfro & Price have desirable
dwelling property near college, \$50
per lot. 49tf

We have a few very desirable re-
sidence lots close in at \$150 each. It
will pay you to investigate this be-
fore you buy. Renfro & Price. 52tf

We have good rental property in
northern cities to exchange for farm
land near Hereford. Renfro &
Price. 52tf

Residence lots near college, the
prettiest part of town, 50x200 for
the small price of \$50 each. See
Renfro & Price. 52tf

Business lots, residence lots,
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furnished rooms for rent. J. D.
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Wanted.
Several girls to work in laundry.
Apply to J. H. Beach at Hereford
Steam Laundry. 3-tf

For Rent.
160 acres of broke land one mile
from Hereford. For further infor-
mation see L. Gough. 3-4tp

Wanted.
Two or three furnished or unfur-
nished rooms for man and wife.
Apply at this office. 50tf

For Sale.
Carter Bro's. livery barn; or will
trade for Panhandle land. See
49tf JOE L. CARTER.

See Fred Millard, the Hereford
horse dealer when in need of any-
thing in the horse or mule line. It
will pay you to get his prices before
buying elsewhere. 50tf

The Baskin Land Co. of Kansas
City have opened a branch in Here-
ford. They have cash customers
for land in the Panhandle. See
them at once. 45tf

For Sale.
Address Mrs. George Sachse, Ve-
ga, Texas, for Rhode Island Red
chickens, both single and Rose combs
Eggs \$1.50 for 15 or \$2.00 for 30.

Better come now if you want bar-
gains in laces, embroidery, Ladies'
and Children's shoes and slippers.
Won't last long. Barnett's is the
place. 1t

For Sale.
At a bargain, a cook stove, al-
most new; large hot water reservoir.
See J. L. Fuqua at First National
Bank. 4-tf

Our line of Silk Gingham, Silk
Zephyr, Coverts, Suitings, Percales,
Madras and Dress Goods in general,
cannot be beaten. Come and see
them. J. G. Callens. 1t

FOR SALE at a bargain. One-half
section of all good smooth land,
three and one-half miles from Here-
ford. If you are looking for a good
investment, call on the undersigned
G. A. F. PARKER
3-3t at Western National Bank.

Miss Bessie Howren of Amarillo is
visiting Miss Nettie Allen this week.
She came down to attend the Lilli-
putian entertainment given at the
Allen residence on Thursday even-
ing.

Notice.
Don't forget Carter Bros' hack,
which will drive you any where in
the city and we will meet all trains.
Don't walk, but ride. Your patro-
nage solicited. Prompt service day
or night. Phone 32.

W. V. Tull, of Mart, McLellan
county, is here this week the guest
of his old friend and acquaintance,
Eli Dunlap. Mr. Tull is looking
around with a view of investing in
some of our valuable property.

New Residence For Sale.
I am offering my 6-room residence
including 10 acres of beautiful land,
good barn, well and wind-mill. A
choice suburban home. Apply at
Brand Office. 4-tf

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