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## Wheeler County Team 4-H Club Boys Win Way to Big Chicago International

Become State Representatives as  
Result of Contest Victory  
at College Station

Arriving home Sunday, the Wheeler County Boys' 4-H Club Livestock Judging team, composed of James Passons, Ernest Erskine, W. C. Burrell and J. C. Erskine, brought with them top honors for the entire state in a judging contest at College Station. This achievement gives these sturdy and talented young men the privilege and responsibility of representing the State of Texas at the Chicago International Exposition and Livestock show, later in the year.

Surviving the preliminary rounds, the Wheeler county team was one of five to enter the finals, emerging with 140 points lead over their nearest opponent, a Mason county quartet. County team scores were:

Wheeler County	5,859
Mason County	5,719
Dallas County	5,707
Fort Bend County	5,476
Smith County	4,771

### Local Boy Heads Group

To a local Wheeler boy, James Passons, goes the distinction of heading the county group. Individual scores for each of the four members of the team are:

James Passons	1,513
Ernest Erskine	1,483
W. C. Burrell	1,465
J. C. Erskine	1,398

The substantial margin over its competitors and the uniformly high individual scores places the team in a class by itself, it would appear, since such outstanding performance is unusual.

Judging by the boys was done in 12 classes, with four to the class. They were also required to give reasons for placings in eight classes. Judging covered three classes each of hogs, sheep, horses and cattle.

### First Panhandle Winners

This is the first time for a Panhandle team to gain such a distinction and friends of the boys are proud of their accomplishment and share with them the responsibility which is theirs to strive for still further honors for their state as they enter the Chicago contest.

### Placing the Credit

Success of the Wheeler county team thus far is due in large part to the untiring efforts of their coach, E. Goule, assistant county agent, who accompanied them to College Station. Goule has practically lived with the lads during the past few months, guiding and coaching, leading and encouraging, directing and spurring them forward to a fuller and deeper understanding of their work. Now they are back home. Already plans are complete for a still more intensive period of training in preparation for the international contest.

The team's fine record was also made possible through the hearty co-operation and generosity of Wheeler county stockmen, who have been ready and willing at all times to permit the use of their stock for training and study by the boys.

Coach Goule, County Agent Jake Tarter and of course the boys themselves appreciate the assistance of Shamrock and Wheeler business men in helping to make possible the recent trip. The former contributed \$25 and the latter \$6 in cash, which was used to help defray expenses of the journey to and from College Station.

The Times is happy to join with their many other friends in congratulating the Wheeler County Boys' 4-H Livestock Judging team upon its splendid record and to wish for them continued success and victory.

## Traxler Gets Life On Plea of Guilty

When arraigned in district court at Lipscomb yesterday afternoon on a charge of robbery with firearms, Pete Traxler, alleged Oklahoma bad man, was sentenced to life imprisonment in the penitentiary. Specific crime lodged against Traxler was the hold-up and shooting at the home of Christian Babitzke, near Lipscomb, last January.

Ben Babitzke, 18-year-old son of the family was shot; five other members of the family intimidated, and the head of the household forced to reveal the hiding place of \$2,500, his savings. Traxler and three other men, charged with participation in the crime, took the money and fled. The others are under arrest.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Herd motored to Amarillo Friday to consult the specialist that operated on Mr. Herd for sinus trouble three weeks ago at the Wheeler hospital. Mr. Herd was able to leave the hospital Tuesday week and is improving as well as expected.

## Jack Frye, Former Wheeler County Boy Leader In Aviation

At a conference of airways and aviation officials at Amarillo yesterday, Jack Frye, former Wheeler county boy, was the principal speaker. Reporting the conference, the Amarillo News pays Frye the following tribute:

"The picture of the airplanes of the future was drawn by Jack Frye, a real life Horatio Alger hero who 'started out to see the world' by coming to Amarillo from his Wheeler county farm home when he was 16 years old and climbed to the presidency of Transcontinental-Western Air, Inc., before his 32nd year.

"Frye was the principal speaker at a luncheon in the Crystal Ballroom of the Herring Hotel attended by 250 persons from Amarillo, Albuquerque, Pampa, Sweetwater, Lubbock, Dumas and Perryton."

Frye's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frye, with whom he spent much of his early life, are residents of Wheeler county. They live on a ranch 7 miles east of this city.

## Water Again Invades Oil Test Hole; Drilling

When the gas deposit, opened last Thursday in Porter No. 1 oil test well, south of town, was found insufficient for commercial purposes, drilling with the 8-inch tools was resumed the latter part of the week. Before much footage had been made a water-bearing stratum was penetrated and water flooded the hole. Digging continues steadily and had reached the 4,980-foot level this forenoon, according to best reports available here.

## WHEELER LADY ACCOMPANIES KIN ON NEW MEXICO JAUNT

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, jr., and daughter, Barbara, and Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Judson of Abilene were over-night guests of his cousin, Mrs. R. J. Holt, and family Monday of last week.

Mrs. Holt and daughter, Margaret Ann, accompanied them to Frijole, N. Mex., where they visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, sr. They visited relatives at Lefors and Pampa on their way out and viewed the caverns at Carlsbad, N. Mex., on the return trip.

Mr. Holt and son, R. J., jr., met Mrs. Holt and daughter in Pampa Tuesday evening and brought them home that night.

## MRS. WATSON IS HOSTESS TO LONDON BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Ed Watson was a charming hostess to the London Bridge club at her home Thursday afternoon. Bridge was played at three tables, with Mrs. Buck Britt winning the prize for high score while Mrs. Fred Farmer received the traveler's award.

A delicious salad course was served to Mesdames Cora Hall, Roy Puckett, Nelson Porter, A. B. Crump, Tobie Frye, Buck Britt, J. I. Maloy, Tom Britt, Floyd Pennington and Fred Farmer, members, and Mrs. Bronson Green and Mrs. Melvin Howe, guests.

## Further Information On Harvesting Peas

Crop May Be Picked and Vines Left  
On Land Without Loss of  
\$1 an Acre Payment

"Our attention has been called to the fact that a great number of farmers do not know that they can harvest peas off of diverted acres without affecting their right to receive the \$1.00 per acre payment," states County Agent Tarter. Continuing, Tarter says: "Farmers are urged to gather the peas for canning, for feed or for sale, and this action will not forfeit their \$1.00 per acre payment unless the peas are sold to a crushing mill and no such mill is available in this region.

"In time of drouth like the present, there should be some plan of distribution of peas for food, as there are localities in this county where no peas will be grown for canning or for winter use in the dry state. Farmers should try to exchange some other food or feedstuff for peas as food or seed for another year.

"The only form of harvest affecting the acreage payment is when vines and all are taken off the land. Therefore, peas should be picked from the vines and saved, if the \$1.00 per acre is wanted, or the entire growth may be harvested by sacrificing the payment."

## Delegates to Pampa Report Farm Meeting

District-Wide Committees Publish  
Findings and Offer Their  
Recommendations

Attendance from Wheeler county at the district agricultural meeting in Pampa last Monday is reported as very good. Among those going from here were Mrs. Jim Trout, Wheeler, chairman of the Home Demonstration Council, and M. A. Pillers, Twitty, chairman County Conservation Council. These two have submitted a report on the meeting, outlining the findings and recommendations of three district-wide committees who were selected to investigate the questions of legislation, organization, program planning and recreation.

A summary of the committees' report shows unanimous favor of economic security of farm and community life as the great need of the day. In order to obtain such economic security it was deemed necessary to have proper information and education concerning farm problems; also a study of possible remedies to unite thought and action toward the objectives of creating proper influence to secure needed legislation. Influence may be exerted upon congressmen and senators during vacation as well as while in session.

The committees also suggested that program planning include development and maintenance of sufficient recreational activities to flavor and make more interesting farm and community life. To successfully do this, it is necessary to have the co-operation and support of all parties concerned: men, women and children.

Meeting programs should be designed to bring something of interest to various groups, thus building a closer relationship and acquaintance among citizens of the community. Meetings should be held at least once a month.

It was further suggested that membership be extended to all adults directly or indirectly interested in farming, but that officers and representatives be limited to actual dirt farmers.

Consensus of opinion was that the time has arrived for agricultural people to organize and work in earnest for an equal opportunity to gain a livelihood and maintain the standards of living to which they are rightfully entitled. Therefore, says the report, it is urged that every community form its organization and join with other farm people in an effort to establish economic security of farm life.

This can best be done, it is shown, by well developed organization of the whole farm people in their several local units. These, in turn, are to consolidate in one vast association for their mutual betterment.

## Dandy Rain, Cooler Weather for Region

30-Hour Precipitation Brings Long  
Needed Moisture to Soak  
Dried Fields

Beginning in the early hours before dawn of Wednesday morning, rain fell throughout this locality with only brief intervals until this forenoon, bringing more than an inch of water. Coming in a slow drizzle, but little of the long-hoped-for moisture ran off fields and pastures. Although somewhat late in the season, this rain holds possibilities of great benefit to crops even yet.

Surviving vegetation shows quick response and gives promise of much improvement. Predictions are being freely made that far more cotton and feedstuffs will be harvested in Wheeler county this year than appeared at all possible only a short time ago.

Just now, predicting county yields is a popular pastime. Estimates heard of by The Times range all the way from an original 14,000-bale figure, later lowered to 12,000 by a certain citizen to 6,000 bales by J. W. Hooker, Wheeler cotton gin operator. While in town Wednesday, O. D. Perryman, Kelton ginmer, stated that he figured the yield to range between 7 and 9 thousand bales.

Of course as things now stand, date of the first killing frost will materially affect both cotton and feedstuff.

Greatly lowered temperatures arrived with the recent rain, making it appear safe to declare this summer's heat wave really broken.

Mrs. C. C. Perryman of Denton came to Wheeler Monday to visit her daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Perryman, and children, Miss Jaunell and Jack. Mrs. Perryman has spent two weeks with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perryman, at Kelton.

## Kelton's Community Fair Dated Oct. 2nd

Agricultural and Livestock Exhibits  
and Many Entertainment  
Features Offered

From Kelton comes word that the date of its annual fair is definitely set for Friday, Oct. 2. Exhibits this year will include all varieties of agricultural products and a livestock department for horses, mules, dairy cows and hogs. Anyone residing in the Kelton high school district, which embraces Davis, Rock and Center, are eligible to enter competitive exhibits.

Interested parties are advised to communicate with E. L. Wall, L. W. Davidson or T. J. Clay, directors of the fair.

A fine program for the entire day is being arranged and will include several prominent speakers of the Panhandle. The Shamrock band has been engaged to furnish music.

Another feature is a football game between the Samnorwood Eagles and the Kelton Lions, high school teams. This will be the first meeting of the two squads since last season, when the Lions defeated the Eagles, 6 to 0.

The general public is invited to spend the day at Kelton and see what that district can produce, as well as enjoy the variety of entertainment to be offered. A complete program should be available for publication by next week.

## County Recreation Association Meets

The Wheeler County Recreation association met at the Legion hall Friday evening for their monthly meeting, with Miss Viola Jones as hostess.

Lynn Gott, assisted by Miss Jones, directed the games and entertainment during the evening.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John McCarroll and Miss Tamsey Riley, Briscoe; Mr. and Mrs. Hester Dodson and Mr. and Mrs. Clois Jolly, Twitty; Mr. and Mrs. Milt Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Bell, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Sandifer, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Risner, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gott, Mrs. C. Bryan Witt and the hostess of Wheeler.

## Thomas Stanley Weds In Colorado Sunday

The wedding of a former Wheeler young man took place Sunday, Sept. 13, when Miss Virginia Peterson and Thomas E. Stanley, jr., of Colorado Springs, Colo., were united in marriage.

Mrs. Stanley is the young and attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson of Colorado Springs. She attended school at Springfield, Colo., where she graduated last June with honors, and was praised for her accomplishments in public speaking during her senior year.

Mr. Stanley is the youngest son of Thomas E. Stanley, sr., of Amarillo. He is a brother of Dick Stanley and grandson of Mrs. J. B. Reynolds of Wheeler, his early childhood was spent in Wheeler county where he attended grade school. He received high school work at Springfield, Colo., and graduated with the 1936 class in June. While attending high school he made his home with an aunt and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spikes.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley will reside at Boulder, Colo., where they plan to attend the university.

## J. B. KITE RETURNS MONDAY FROM VISIT IN NEW MEXICO

Mrs. H. M. Wiley and children, Paul, Billie, Celeste and Patsy, motored Saturday to Portales, N. Mex., to bring home Mrs. Wiley's father, J. B. Kite, who has spent two months with his daughter, Mrs. John Russell, and family.

Mr. Wiley accompanied them to Plainview where he visited his mother, Mrs. M. M. Wiley, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Keith Catto. Mr. Wiley and his mother went to Amarillo Sunday to visit their sister and daughter, Miss Almada Wiley.

Mrs. Wiley and party were joined by Mr. Wiley at Amarillo, all returning home Monday night.

## BRIDGE CLUB HOLDS SHOWER FOR MRS. BEAL, WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Nelson Porter and members of the Contract Bridge club complimented Mrs. Worth Beal with a handkerchief shower at the Porter home Wednesday afternoon, as the Beal family are moving to Austin.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Bronson Green, R. J. Holt, Cora Hall, Glen Porter, E. Goule, Ed Watson, Al Watson, G. O. McCrohan, Buck Britt, Roy Puckett, Miss Reba Wofford, the honoree and the hostess.

## NEWS BREVITIES

Interest in the approaching Wheeler County Singing convention, to be held at Heald next Sunday, Sept. 20, is evidently keen among those responsible for the gathering. The Times is in receipt of two requests, one from President E. J. Cooper and the other from J. W. McCord, president of the Heald class, asking that the convention be mentioned in these columns, which is gladly done as an item of news and courtesy to the gentlemen.

Tomorrow, Friday, is the date for the Quail community fair, according to Carl Chaudoin, superintendent of the Quail school, and promoter of the event. An old fiddlers' contest, playground ball tournament, carnival and plenty to eat are highlights of the fair. A nominal admission charge will be made, proceeds to help equip the Quail vocational agriculture department. Frank R. Phillips of W. T. S. T. C. and several Panhandle publishers will be speakers at the picnic.

On Wednesday, Sept. 23, members of the Panhandle Old Settlers' association will meet in a program beginning at 10 a. m. at the Tri-State fair grounds, Amarillo.

J. C. Estlack, publisher of the Donley County Leader and president of the Panhandle Press association, will deliver the principal address. His subject will be, "Early Newspapers of the Panhandle." Estlack resided in Tascoosa in 1883, and later became a rider of the range with such celebrities as Will Rogers. His knowledge of the Panhandle over this period of 53 years will enter into his address. Each year the program is dedicated to some group, industry, or individual. The newspaper fraternity will be in the spotlight this year.

Members of the Wheeler Home Demonstration club and Council of officers wish to thank the business firms and individuals of Wheeler who in any manner assisted in making the county club fair such an outstanding success during its two-day session, Friday and Saturday.

Many compliments have been heard concerning the Wheeler Municipal band and its program at the football game last Friday night; also the numbers presented Saturday afternoon at the club fair. J. W. Lummus, instructor, and a personnel of 40 members have made remarkable progress since organization of the band some weeks ago. The band will be in evidence again tomorrow night at the Wellington-Wheeler football game here.

Perryman Beauty shop is making preparations to move from its location in the Clay building at the southeast corner of the square, to quarters in the rear of the People's store, now being arranged. Transfer will be made the first of next week.

## Local Men Purchase Beal Cleaning Shop

E. Reed and Theodore Conner Form  
Partnership and Buy Out  
Beal, the Tailor

Ownership of a Wheeler cleaning, pressing and tailoring business changed hands this week when E. Reed and Theodore Conner formed a partnership and purchased from Worth Beal the shop owned and operated by him for the past dozen or so years.

The new proprietors are local men, Reed having resided here a couple of years and Conner most of his life. Both men have been associated with Beal in conducting the business for a considerable length of time. Reed has had many years experience in the cleaning, pressing and tailoring business, while Conner worked during vacation and spare time until completing school last year, since which time he has devoted his entire attention to the work.

The new owners will retain the old firm name of Beal, the Tailor, adding the line Reed & Conner, proprietors.

Mr. and Mrs. Beal and little daughters, Patsy and Patricia, are moving to Dallas, where they will join Beal's brother, Roy, in an interior decorating firm established there several months ago.

## Wenmohs - Holloway Off to School Monday

Mrs. Robert Stiles and daughter, Patricia Ann, left Monday for Waco to visit relatives in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wenmohs went as far as Dallas with Mrs. Stiles. They were enroute to College Station where Mr. Wenmohs will attend A. & M. college.

Taft Holloway, pastor of the local Baptist church, accompanied Mrs. Stiles to Waco, where he will attend Baylor university for some months.

## ANNUAL CLUB FAIR A SIGNAL SUCCESS

Two-Day Event Here Friday-Saturday  
Has Total of 953 Entries  
by Women and Girls

Despite an unfavorable season, when fruits were practically nonexistent and vegetables decidedly scarce, the annual county fair for demonstration club women and 4-H club girls, held here Friday and Saturday of last week, was declared a signal success by its sponsors and those entering food products and needlework exhibits. A grand total of 953 entries is reported by Miss Viola Jones, home demonstration agent.

Miss Margie Lyon, home demonstration agent of Childress county, judged the exhibits.

Features of the fair were a special booth entered by the Shamrock Home Demonstration club and an antique display under supervision of Mrs. J. R. Jackson. In the latter class many articles of historic and sentimental import were shown.

Among the Winners  
Mrs. Jess Crowder, Wheeler, was high point woman with 18 first places. Elva Willard, also of Wheeler, was high point girl with 12 firsts. Mrs. Jim Trout, Wheeler, took first in the individual booth contest; Mrs. J. L. Smith, Briscoe, second, and Mrs. Dudley McMillin, Allison, third.

## WHEELER TIMES AWARDS

Women—Mrs. Jess Crowder, Wheeler, first, 44 entries; Mrs. J. L. Smith, Briscoe, second, 36 entries; Mrs. Jim Trout, Wheeler, third, 34 entries.  
Girls—Nellie B. Candler, Briscoe, first, 27 entries; Elva Willard, Wheeler, second, 24 entries; Joy Bill Riley, Briscoe, third, 17 entries.

These were special awards offered by The Times for highest number of individual entries in first, second and third places for each division.

The Ball canning contest contained 252 entries. Elva Willard placed first. Other winners in their order were: Bettie Riley, Briscoe; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. Joe Harris; Mrs. H. A. Harris and Mrs. M. G. King.

## Club Awards WOMEN

Winners are given in the order of placing: first, second, third, etc.

Asparagus—Mrs. Grace Lee, Allison; Mrs. Jim Trout, Wheeler; Mrs. B. W. Brown, Ramsdell.

Butter Beans or Lima Beans—Mrs. H. Longan, Ramsdell; Mrs. M. G. King, Magic City; Mrs. Joe Harris, Bethel.

Carrots—Mrs. Jim Trout; Mrs. Jess Crowder, Wheeler; Mrs. John McCarroll, Briscoe; Mrs. T. C. Harless, Magic City; Mrs. Milt Williams, Center.

Okra—Mrs. Edna Richardson, Allison; Mrs. T. C. Harless; Mrs. John McCarroll; Mrs. Jim Trout; Valta Tarbet, Shamrock.

English Peas—Mrs. J. L. Smith, Briscoe; Valta Tarbet; Hattie Owens, Allison.

Tomato Juice—Mrs. John McCarroll; Mrs. J. C. Tinsley, Three Leaf; Mrs. T. C. Harless; Mrs. J. E. Willard, Wheeler; Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Snapped Beans—Mrs. J. E. Willard; Mrs. Amanda Richardson, Allison; Mrs. Paul Stauffer, Pakan; Valta Tarbet; Mrs. T. C. Harless.

Canned Beets—Mrs. Jess Crowder, Wheeler; Mrs. Ormand Sandifer, Wheeler.

Blackeyed Peas—Mrs. John McCarroll; Mrs. J. L. Smith; Mrs. H. A. Harris, Bethel; Mrs. Jim Trout; Mrs. Jess Crowder.

Spinach or Greens—Mrs. J. E. Willard; Mrs. Roy Oswalt, Bethel; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Valta Tarbet; Mrs. Clarence Zybach, Briscoe.

Tomatoes—Mrs. J. L. Smith; Mrs. H. Longan; Mrs. Maud Keiper, Allison; Mrs. Wayne Harlow, Shamrock; Valta Tarbet.

Grape Juice in glass bottle—Mrs. C. H. Candler, Briscoe; Mrs. Hester Dodson, Center; Mrs. Jim Trout; Mrs. Jess Crowder.

Apples—Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. Lee Kiker, Allison; Mrs. J. E. Willard; Mrs. Maud Keiper; Mrs. Jim Trout.

Cherries—Mrs. J. E. Willard; Mrs. J. L. Smith; Mrs. J. R. Jackson, Shamrock; Mrs. J. M. Porter, Wheeler.

Peaches—Mrs. John McCarroll; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. J. E. Willard; Mrs. Jim Trout; Mrs. H. A. Harris, Bethel.

Pears—Mrs. John McCarroll; Ann Hamilton, Allison; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Ada Wileman, Allison; Mrs. T. C. Harless.

Plums—Miss Tamsey Riley, Briscoe; Mrs. Roy Oswalt, Bethel; Mrs. Lewis Powell, Ramsdell; Mrs. Sherman Smith, Briscoe; Mrs. J. L. Smith.

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**WASTED TAX MONEY**

In a recent editorial, the Electrical World points out that "a strange and uncertain situation exists in the federal power projects. There is no common policy and all is at sea. Out at Boulder Dam power is sold as falling water to private and municipal utilities under no restriction. Down in the TVA the policy is straight-out destructive competition with existing utilities despite their offer to buy the power and distribute it. Out at the Loup project they are trying to peddle power—all dumped to utilities at about 4.5 mills. At Bonneville and Grand Coulee no one knows what policy is to be followed. All is inconsistency and uncertainty."

Anyone with a knowledge of past ventures of politics-into-business will not be surprised by this. Every officeholder has his own ideas as to what will please his constituents and win him votes—and often those ideas are diametrically opposed to those of his neighboring officeholder. The result is that in big ventures, such as the federal hydro projects, a hundred men want a hundred different things done—and it becomes next to impossible to establish a reasonable and consistent policy.

To quote the Electrical World again, "We have the spectacle of nearly a billion dollars of taxpayers' money being spent without any basis in economics and without any thought-out policy on power supply. And yet some people say private enterprise is inefficient!"

No private industry could escape bankruptcy under such management—it could not charge the losses of mismanagement to the taxpayers.

**NO "DIRTY POLITICS"**

It is reliably rumored that those who expected withering campaign blasts from the White House are going to be disappointed. President Roosevelt's strategy—which, of course, can be quickly changed should conditions warrant it—is said to call for non-combative, constructive talks and speeches, such as Roosevelt's report on his trip through the drought country, made over both big broadcasting chains on Sept. 6.

In the Republican camp, a more aggressive stand will be taken—an incumbent can point to his past record, discuss future policies in general terms and let it go at that, but a contender must denounce. Colonel Knox will be principal "denouncer," as early speeches prove. But there will be no "dirty politics" unless all the signs fail.

That hitherto unflinching arbiter of coming campaigns, the Literary Digest poll, is on again. Keep your eye on it before placing your bets. If this election is close, it will be interesting to see how near such a poll can come to anticipating the outcome and the victor's majority.

**"TO BE OR NOT TO BE"**

In typical American fashion, Rev. Robert Rehkugel, 64-year-old retired Methodist minister of Oakland, Calif., has launched a movement to check the toll of suicides. His plan

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**Calendar of Historical Events**

- GWAN - YOUR IDEAS ARE NO GOOD!
- "Shallow souls censure everything that is beyond their depth."
- SEPTEMBER
- 17—Indecisive, bloody battle of Antietam ends 1862.
  - 18—Palmer, first chiropractor, starts his practice, 1895.
  - 19—New Amsterdam's Gov. Kieft starts first U. S. brewery, 1640.
  - 20—Upton Sinclair, author and politician, born, 1878.
  - 21—All lottery advertising is barred from United States mails, 1890.
  - 22—British capture and hang Captain Nathan Hale 1776.
  - 23—Martyred President Garfield buried at Cleveland, 1881.

includes "flying squadrons" of young people, whose duty will be to watch over those in the throes of mental depression, a nationwide publicity campaign, a permanent national endowment fund, co-operation of the medical profession and the churches, a "Suicide Prevention Sunday" in each state.

And the organization to make effective these plans would be called "In Co-operation with the Churches, the Suicide Prevention Society of America, Inc." The minister has a good idea, although we all grow a bit bored at the routine song-and-dance used in all such movements.

Are we so civilized after all? In the days of the stone age probably the weak and old and those in mental depression were either killed or left to the sabre-tooth tiger.

Despite what many say, we think it requires a lot of courage, desperate, if you please, but still courage, to commit suicide. Sweet is life, but also dear is honor and the consideration of others. When one has "lost face," when the jibes, sneers and slurs of the pack are burned into the very soul, even death does not appear so terrible. It comes as a blessed relief from the poison tongue of those who delight in torturing one torn by worry, by ingratitude of others, by cruel jeers from those who revel in someone else's misfortune.

In the Dark Ages they used all the fiendish torture machines they could devise. We call those times barbarous. Yes, we are more civilized, today; we prolong the torture by showering abuse, by heaping jeers, by causing pain to the mind and soul.

Who knows how many persons have been impelled to take their own lives because of the sneers of "civilized" beings? As surely as by knife or gun, a bitter jibe can bring death.—Pampa Press.

**Our Exchanges**

Items of interest culled from newspapers on The Times' exchange list.

About a quarter mile from his home near the Sand Creek school house, in Lipscomb county, Ennis Fedric saw a large rattlesnake go into a prairie dog hole. Since his cattle frequently pass that spot he went home for his gun. When the magazine was emptied one grown rattler was dead and young ones were found to be present. When Fedric returned with more shells he killed seven of these young ones, each about a foot long.—Canadian Record.

The Clarendon Junior college this week attained a long-sought goal when the enrollment passed the 100 mark. College officials and members

of the school board have felt that if the enrollment could be boosted to 100 the college would be more or less "out of the woods" and could operate on a much more stable basis. And they are highly gratified to see this dream come true.—Clarendon News.

Loot in cash and cigarettes amounting to slightly less than \$50 was taken by burglars who entered the Farmers Union Supply company's general merchandise store here Monday night or early Tuesday morning. Approximately \$1,000 in cash and in checks was left behind by the burglars as their efforts to "crack" the company safe with blasts of nitroglycerin were unsuccessful.—Memphis Democrat.

After a tour covering more than two thousand miles extending as far away as Southern Illinois, the Chief editor, wife and two sons returned home Friday afternoon, being absent from the old town slightly more than two weeks. With the exception of the hot dry weather encountered in practically all the territory through which we traveled, the vacation was thoroughly enjoyed.—Miami Chief.

**Bachelor Bill says: "Every time I hear a hair-brain drive like hell up to a curb and then continue to honk his ungodly horn, I feel like I would like to cut button holes in his ears and fasten his pants to 'em."—Donley County Leader.**

Liquor permits in Gray county number 12 to date, in comparison with 20 issued in the county last year. August 31 is the expiration date of licenses. The 12 licenses issued mean a revenue of \$675 for the county. Of this sum, \$275 represents payment of license fees by dealers within the limits of Pampa. Ten of the 12 permits are to Pampa dealers, one is to a dealer outside the city limits, and one to a dealer in Lefors.—Pampa Press.

Summer is officially over, according to the big town merchants, and it is now taboo to wear straw hats and ice cream trousers, but when we remember that they opened the season about a month too soon last spring, guess we will wait until the weather man has his say about it.—McLean News.

Dale J. Lowes, a former Panhandle citizen and son of the late J. C. Lowes, was accidentally killed Wednesday, Sept. 2, while in the Santa Fe yards in Kansas City. He was 44 years of age. Lowes spent his early boyhood in Panhandle, attending the local school and later entering business for himself as editor of the Carson County News.—Panhandle Herald.

October 9 has been set as the date for opening new bids on the post-office in Canyon. Bids were opened last month, but J. J. Fritch of Dallas was the only contractor to make a bid on the construction. While his bid of \$57,300 was in line with the amount of similar buildings in this section, the department rejected the bid as failing to be competitive.—Canyon News.

The fellow who is forever telling you not to work too hard, and that he wouldn't be caught doing it, usually knows the way to your door when his less worthy practices get him into a jam.—Lefors News.

Ochiltree county farmers by complying with the soil conservation program will receive approximately \$430,810.38 on 15 per cent of the soil depleting base, according to information received Friday by J. T. Stovall, county agent. Data released to the county agent Friday, stated that an average of \$7.80 an acre would be paid in Ochiltree county, which is somewhat more than had been expected. This can be increased by practicing additional conservation methods it is reported. Payments to

farmers should be made early in 1937 it is said.—Ochiltree County Herald.

Tulia is one of the very few towns of its size in this part of the Panhandle-Plains country that does not now have an up-to-date lighted football field for night playing. This is a part of the school activities. Tulia has never lagged for long in matters pertaining to excellent school problems. She will not lag now. It is the desire of school officials and members of the Kiwanis club to raise enough money to equip this field at

the first game, by selling advance tickets to the game.—Tulia Herald.

Wheeler Times Wantads, 5c a Line.

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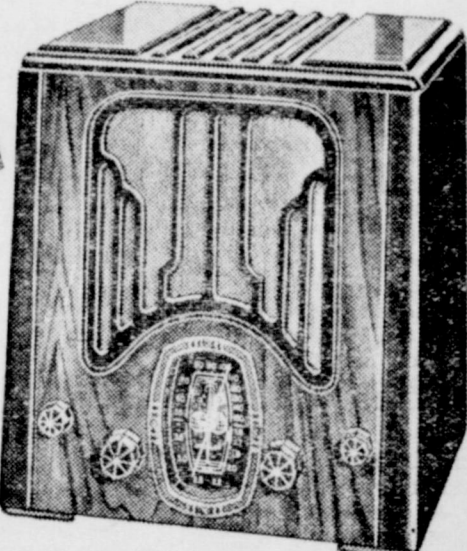
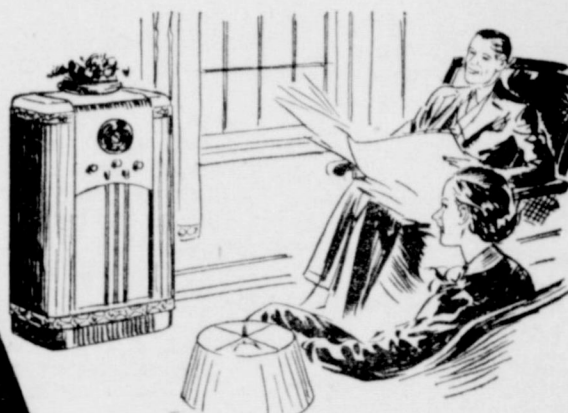
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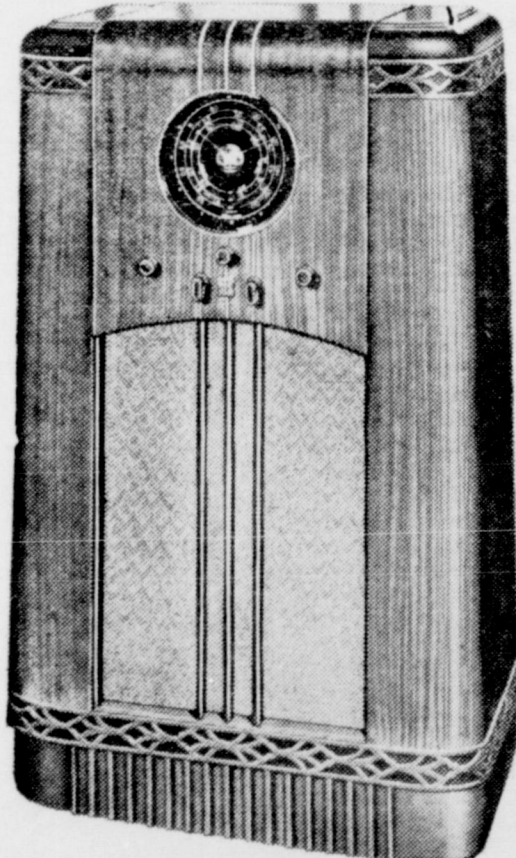
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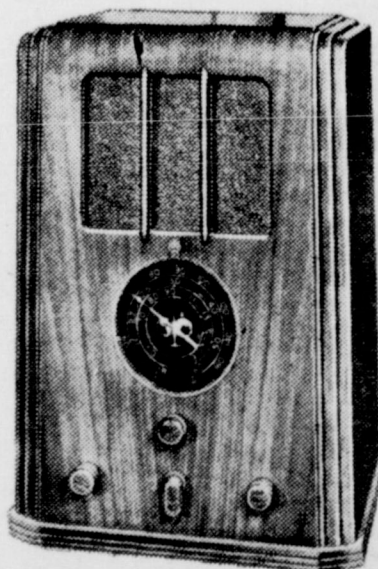
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**Kelton News**

Rena Johnson, Correspondent

Tommy Henderson, George Davidson and Katherine Rutherford motored to Elk City Friday afternoon. Miss Fannie Bee Walsler returned home with them after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Briley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Harvey and children attended church in Shamrock Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chapman and sons of near Wheeler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Joiner.

Miss Revia Teague spent last Thursday night with Miss Earlene Jenkins in the A. B. Pond home.

Rev. Bigbee of Edmond, Okla., delivered a sermon at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and son spent the week end in Shamrock with friends and relatives.

A number of people from here were transacting business in Shamrock and Wheeler Saturday.

The Kelton football team defeated the Wheeler team Friday by a score of 18-0.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Nelson of Texola.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Baird spent Sunday with friends and relatives at Briscoe.

Rev. L. T. Davis is the owner of a new Chevrolet Master car.

A great number from here attended the supper in honor of Grandmother Williams' birthday. The many friends wish her a happy anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holcomb.

Miss Maude Hicks spent the week end with relatives at Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Copeland, Mrs. Roy Copeland and children, Mrs.

Gordon Easterland and John Miller of Bethel spent Friday in the E. P. Joiner home.

Morris Henderson left Friday for Borger where he will work for awhile.

Miss Ozella Hunt spent the week end with relatives at McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Layman Stovall and children spent the week end here with friends and relatives.

Miss Edith-Pearl Beatty spent Sunday with Miss Evelyn Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Buice of Center spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Garner and children.

Mrs. Neeley Burrell and Mrs. Travis Reeves and son visited Mrs. A. C. Johnson, Monday afternoon.

The Baptist W. M. S. met Monday with seven members present. The lesson discussed was from the Bible.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Oglesby and children spent the week end at Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Clark returned home with them for a few days visit.

George Henderson, Jr., J. D. Henderson, Barney Lee Davidson and Miss Bernice Joiner spent Sunday with Rena and Oscar Johnson.

The Boy Scouts with their Scout Master, Paul Bigbee, went camping Friday night. They all reported an enjoyable time.

Misses Mable Davis and Addie Lou Jones left last week for Plainview where they will attend college.

Buster Johnson, George, T. Pond, Cecil and Wayne Mitchell returned home Thursday from near Dallas, where they have been working.

Miss Flora Gordon spent the week end with relatives at Mobeetie.

Arlin Dorsey of Shamrock was a business visitor here Friday.

Little Miss Helen Ruth Whiteley is reported on the sick list.

Garrison Wallace of Shamrock attended church here Sunday night.

Miss Bertha Rogers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Oren.

C. C. Brown, Don Reeves and Geo. Henderson attended a business meeting in Shamrock Monday night.

Otis Robertson of Wellington was a business visitor here Monday.

Misses Katherine Rutherford, Fannie Bee Walsler, Geo. Davidson and Tommy Henderson were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burrell of Center Sunday night.

Rev. Sidney Johnston of Plainview was a business visitor here last week.

A number of bales of cotton have been ginned here. Many others have bales almost ready to bring in.

Mrs. C. C. Brown and Edith Pearl Beatty were business visitors in Wheeler Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Lyle of Shamrock was transacting business here Tuesday.

**Locust Grove**

(Mrs. A. L. Hestilow)

Hugh Cantrell was a Shamrock business visitor last Wednesday.

Velma Hestilow was the guest of Imogene Jamison at Wheeler last Tuesday night.

George Kite from west of Wheeler was a caller in the community Saturday.

C. H. Riley and son, Wilson, were Wheeler visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Walker and son of Briscoe visited relatives here Wednesday.

Forest Carver transacted business in Wheeler Saturday.

R. B. Mann of Pleasant Hill was a caller in the community Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Sheegog and daughter, Lula, were Pampa visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robertson and family of Amarillo visited part of

**Settler's Return**

The old home town, hit ain't the same An' I can't fin' out who's ter blame— But one thing tho I'm sartin, shore, Thet hit ain't home ter me no more.

They moved th' postoffice, an' that's shore bad; There ain't no place to set an' gab! When I got back, fust thing I lurned Main store here had up an' burned.

The Ladies Aid is all run down Since Sister Lucy moved ter town— An' Deacon Brown, er so they say, On account er gossip moved away.

An' Widder Lou, fer years our teacher,

Why, she went away an' married a preacher; Now they tell she's back on the job, Payin' bills fer her man o' God!

Th' crops down here air sorta slow, 'Pears like folks don't work no more—

'Twixt you an' me, hit's my belief Thet hit's all on account o' this here Relief!

Yep, hit shore don't seem to me like home, But reckon hit ain't no cause to moan;

Th' town has changed, but I'll be blamed If'n them thet's left ain't jest th' same!

—MARIE WATERS.

last week in the E. B. Robertson home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hiltbrunner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Montgomery and family at Twitty.

Mrs. Ike Satterfield of near Briscoe visited in the Hestilow home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. H. Riley attended the shower, honoring Mrs. Ernest Blake, given at the John Hefley home at Center Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sewell and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis were visitors in Wheeler last Monday.

Leo Mitchell and Harvey Tieg of Gainesville were visitors in the W. E. Sheegog home last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Montgomery of Shamrock visited relatives here Sunday.

Rev. A. C. Wood of Wheeler was a guest in the A. L. Hestilow home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Perrin and baby of Pampa visited relatives here last Saturday.

Mrs. C. H. Riley, Mrs. A. L. Hestilow and Mrs. W. E. Sheegog attended a meeting of the W. M. U. women at Twitty Wednesday afternoon.

**Dixon News**

(Times Correspondent)

Mrs. Charles Taylor gave a quilting in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. L. Newman.

Loraine Brown has returned home from a month's visit with her cousin, Mrs. Ernestine Weeks, at Raton, N. Mex.

Mrs. Joe Newman from Oilton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. N. Ward.

Odessa Futch, Ida Lou Ward, Lillie Mae and Pauline Shelton visited Sunday with Fay Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Walker's little daughter is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Woodford Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hicks and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Hicks, and sons and Mrs. J. J. Hicks visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown, Sunday.

Fay Thomas spent Friday night with Marcie and Gladys Slaughter.

Thurmen Ring spent Sunday night with J. T. Ward.

J. D. Futch, Guy Baird, Quinten Lakeway, J. T. Ward and Thurmen Ring were Sunday evening guests in the W. B. Thomas home.

D. Slagel was in Wheeler Saturday night.

Mrs. H. C. Gaines and daughter, Lillie Mae, spent Tuesday night with her brother, W. B. Thomas, and family.

Mrs. Corinne Hooker visited Tuesday night with Mrs. Charlene Smith.

**Corn Valley News**

(Times Correspondent)

Miss Madge Richerson of Center spent Saturday night with Miss Isabel Hunter.

Miss Wave Wallace spent Sunday with Miss Lois Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pettit visited in Magic City Sunday afternoon.

Miss Wilma Helton of Perryton spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bailey.

Miss Dona Mae Atkins entertained with a party Saturday night.

The Quilting club met Thursday with Mrs. Nell Ashley. Three quilts were quilted. Those present were: Mesdames E. G. Pettit, Bond, Bill Farmer, J. H. Creekmore, Guy Hunter, Ebb Farmer, E. E. Farmer, Johnnie Biggers, Carrol McClennen, Ernest Deering, Hiram Grimes, Atkins, Clayton Kelly, Dewitt Swan, J. H. Bailey, W. H. Breeding and Miss Isabell Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Farmer spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Foy Farmer of Mobeetie.

**Special Grocery VALUES**

Sugar	55¢	Spuds	45¢
10 lbs. in craft bag		No. 1, per peck	
Comb Honey	15¢	Block Salt	36¢
1-lb. frame		plain, per block	
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per can		100 lbs.	
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per lb.		horses and cows, 100 lbs.	

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**Mountain View News**

("Rip Van Winkle")

Wilbur and Talmadge Moore spent the week end with Spurge Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hathaway and sons, Victor and Joe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Lawrence.

Monk Lee and children, Roy and Ocie, and L. J. Shahan were shopping in Pampa Saturday.

Mrs. Edd Tarvin spent the week end with her brother, Roy Fultz, and wife.

Elwyn Dysart, who spent the last three weeks with his parents, has returned to school at W. T. S. T. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Trimble and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fultz.

John Love spent Sunday with Jim Mobley.

Mrs. L. W. Williams and son, Don, spent Sunday with Mrs. L. W. Love.

Mrs. Tom Hathaway visited Mrs. Frank Totty, Wednesday.

Miss Mayme Halkins is working for Mrs. Alton Gill of Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dysart and son, Elwyn, and Ross Hogan attended the Baptist association at Shamrock Thursday and Friday.

patrons of the cinema. Fred MacMurray, like Robert Taylor, has risen from obscurity to dazzling heights within the past 12 months. When you see him once you will realize why he, like Robert Taylor, has forged to the front as one of America's leading men. After that one introduction you will see him every time he comes to Wheeler. To say that these two stars do a wonderful piece of work in the *Bride Comes Home* would be putting it mildly. It is really super-entertainment.

**These Three**  
For Watch Nite, Thursday 24, comes *These Three*, featuring Joel McCrea, Miriam Hopkins, Merle Oberon. You will see Joel and Miriam in *Barbary and Splendor* while Miss Oberon appeared in only one picture, *Rogue* recently. She was the *Queen in Dark Angel*. The job she did in that picture will make doubly welcome in *These Three* will agree that it is a swell picture after seeing it.

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COME OUT MONDAY NIGHT  
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Ladies FREE Monday Night with One Paid Ticket

PRICES Adults 25c; Children 10c

**Movie Chatter**

By a Rogue

**Louis-Schmelling Fight and The Last Outlaw**

Two big, favorite cowboy stars, Hoot Gibson and Harry Carey, will appear in *The Last Outlaw* which comes to the Rogue theatre, Friday and Saturday. This feature picture, alone, will be well worth the price of admission. But as a special added attraction, and all for the same admission, the Joe Louis-Max Schmelling championship fight will be shown. It is the complete and authentic fight, round by round, and blow by blow, up to the fateful 12th round when the Brown Bomber hears the birdies sing. Don't fail to see this, the greatest of all battles in the annals of fistic history.

**Colbert-MacMurray**  
For Monday and Tuesday Wheeler fans will be given their first opportunity to see Fred MacMurray when he appears with Claudette Colbert in the *Bride Comes Home*. Miss Colbert needs no introduction to Wheeler

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Remember, there will be a special event of interest to everyone on the closing night of this sale. Ask for tickets.

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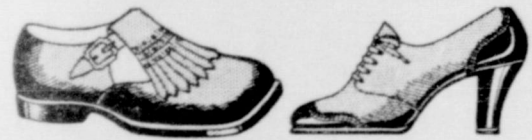
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We will give a tablet free with each pair of school shoes bought here during this Fall Opening Sale.

Every person throughout this community knows that a sale at this store means something. Many of our customers make their plans to take advantage of the special values available in a sale here. Again, in this Fall Opening Sale, no one will be disappointed. We have many other specials not listed here because of lack of space to mention every item. Come and see—then buy present and future needs—at big savings.

**Ladies Silk Fall Dresses**



We have never introduced dresses that met with more immediate acceptance from our customers than the novelty crepes, prints and combination of natural silks which are proving a dramatic success. With the new weaves this season you will want several of these dresses.

\$2<sup>98</sup> \$15<sup>95</sup>



**Ladies Fall HATS**

Individuality goes to your head in these hats—and you'll find them in every Fall color.

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**Men's New Fall SHIRTS**

Men's dress shirts—new fancy printed broadcloth patterns and solid colors. Regular \$1.39 value, NOW—

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Men's regular \$2.00 dress shirts—plain and fancy broadcloth shirts with non-wilt collar; fast colors. NOW—

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WHEELER, TEXAS

## Pendleton Elected to Head Glee Club

**Tillman, Pollard, Gilmore Chosen to Assist—Girls Plan to Organize Soon**

Wallace Pendleton was elected president of the Boys' Glee club when the group met Monday morning with their instructor, Mal Wynne.

Other members of the club chosen were Bob Tillman, vice president; Waylon Pollard, secretary-treasurer, and Earl Gilmore, librarian.

According to Wynne the girls' club will elect their officers at the next meeting. The girls will have regular meetings on Tuesdays and Fridays.

### Boys to Meet On Monday, Thursday

The boys will meet on Mondays and Thursdays, during activity period.

Those enrolled in the Boys' Glee club are: Harley Mitchell, Albert Gunter, Clyde Ayres, Jack Shipman, Chandos Robertson, Laverne Coleman, Alton Nations, Hansel Parker, Chancy Mitchell, Farrell Wallace, Wallace Pendleton, Howard Nations, Earl Gilmore, Waylon Pollard, Billie Burke, Dudley Callan, Bob Tillman, Alvis Jolly, Virgil Greenhouse, Grady Anglin, Herbert Whitener, Alton Weeks, Jack Glenn, J. N. Tucker and Troy Shipman.

### Number of Girls Enrolled in Club

Those enrolled in Girls' Glee club are: Imogene Jamison, Beatrice Miller, Mildred Plattor, Ruth Barr, Dena Fay Whorton, Rena Mae Whorton, Irene Hunt, Bobby Rue Swan, Inez Hunter, Dawn Weatherly, Wilma Riley, Louise Veale, Lula Barr, Lois Walker, Elva Willard, Johnnie Faye Templeton, Clarice Robertson, Mary Belle Johnston, Cleo Sewell, Joyce Faust, Orveta Puett, Ruth Faye Garrison, Dorothy Tolliver, Martha Alice Wiley, Norma Webb and Leoide Revious.

## STUDENTS HELP IN P.-T. A. RECEPTION

Several teachers and students helped with the program at the Parent-Teachers reception held last Tuesday night in the auditorium-gymnasium.

Pauline Miller and Patsy Beal did a tap routine to the music of "What's the Reason I'm Not Pleasing You?"

Johnnie Faye Templeton gave an impersonation of an inquisitive boy. Mal Wynne played "Smiling Through" on his violin, accompanied by Mrs. G. O. McCrohan.

Miss Lois Kirby accompanied J. W. Lummus, who played a trombone solo.

Six home economics II girls helped in serving the refreshments. They were Bonnie Adams, Imogene Jamison, Velma Hestilow, Helen Flynt, Helena Jones and Irene Hunt.

## NEWS HOUNDS DESERVE ORCHIDS FOR HANDING COPY IN ON TUESDAY

For almost the first time in W. H. S. history, the journalism students got their stories in on Tuesday last week. This was their first time to go to press, too!

The main reason for this might be because Miss Addison, instructor, said the paper would appear with a blank where the late story should have been, with the student's name in it.

There was only one pupil taking journalism that was experienced in the use of a typewriter. The rest of the class was forced to use the Columbus style or H and P (hunt and peck) system.

Although they didn't have time for much instruction, they knew it was best to get all the stories in on time. Miss Addison almost had to be fanned from the shock. Here's hoping she will get a surprise each time.

## Warriors Buried In Burlesque Program

The Pep Squad buried the Miami Warriors Friday morning in a clever burlesque funeral at the regular chapel hour in the auditorium-gymnasium. It was followed by a pep rally.

The setting for the program was supposed to be Miami on Saturday afternoon after the game with Wheeler the Friday night before.

During the services a great deal of weeping was done by those who survived.

Irene Hunt presided at the obsequies. A parody, "Weep Over Miami," was sung by Martha Jane Shipman. Robert Mayne composed the words to the song.

Among those present were six pall bearers, several mourners and the Miami coach, played by Ruth Faye Garrison.

Funeral directors in charge were Lavell Jaco and Orveta Puett.

## EQUIPMENT ARRIVES FOR MANUAL TRAINING CLASS

Manual training equipment came in Saturday from the Shapleigh Hardware Co., St. Louis, Mo.

They received 12 jack planes, 2 smoothing planes, 1 jointer plane, 18 vises, 15 miter squares, 12 scrapers, 1 rip saw, 1 crosscut saw, 6 wood files, 16 wood clamps, 2 bar clamps, 1 45-combination plane, 3 hammers, 15 marking gauges, 6 hack saws, 1 set Irwin bits, 1 brace, 1 hand drill complete, 1 oil stone, 6 mallets, 1 rule, 2 framing squares, 2 coping squares, 1 T-bevel and 4 screwdrivers.

The students ought to be able to go to work now with such an assortment of equipment.

## Passons Is High Point Man County 4-H Judging Team

**Makes Another Conquest to Add to Plentiful Prizes Awarded in Livestock, Agriculture**

James Passons, with a score of 1,513 points, was high point man in the state in judging stock at Texas A. & M. College Short Course finals. He will go with Ernest and J. C. Erskine and W. C. Burrell, other members of the team, to the International Exposition and Livestock show at Chicago in November.

The boys competed in the 4-H club work against county teams from Mason, Dallas, Fort Bend and Smith. The boys were under the supervision of their coach, E. Goule, assistant county agent.

Draft horses, Hereford heifers, fat steers, fat sheep, fine-wool sheep, fat hogs and breeding hogs were the various classes of stock which the team judged.

### 4 Places in Each Division

The boys judged the animals according to four classes, top, second, third and fourth. They also had to give reasons for their selections.

James Passons is president of the local 4-H club. In 1931 he won first place on raising the best kafir corn in the world. In 1932 and 1933 he took second on the same grain at the Dallas fair.

Passons raised two calves which have been exhibited. Billy won 18th place in its particular division, carrying off \$3 at the Amarillo Fat Stock show on March 10. He won 17th place last year and has entered the show for four years. Billy was placed in the auction ring.

### Jimmy Takes Several Awards

Jimmy, Aberdeen Angus calf, took reserve grand champion at Shamrock Fat Stock show on Feb. 22 this year. Passons took first in his club division and a \$30 prize. He also won \$20 on having the best calf in the 4-H club division and third place and \$15 when he competed in a contest with breeders outside the club. Later the calf was sold.

Passons played guard on the football squad last year. He will be a senior the last semester, if his present plans to attend school are carried out.

### POSTERS TACKED IN HALL

Many new posters have been tacked in the high school building announcing the coming football games. A list of games to be played at home and elsewhere and their dates are given.

These handbills were printed through the courtesy of several business firms in this city.

## Nervous Noise Issues As Pupils Try First Test in "Chem Lab."

Great Caesar, what do all the letters and figures mean! For the chemistry students it means studying.

There was a sort of nervous sound from the new pupils of chemistry when (in preparation for the first experiment) Miss Lois Kirby wrote on the board, "Stand back. There some times is a slight explosion."

The different groups took turns in trying to make hydrogen out of sodium and water. After the hydrogen is collected in a test tube it is placed over a flame.

A large amount of hydrogen causes an explosion. As only a small amount is accumulated in the laboratory, there is merely a bark.

Several of the students jumped and "eeked out" a noticeable scream each time the hydrogen was held over the flame.

For a subject that is very interesting and exciting, chemistry students recommend their science course.

## HOME EC. PROJECTS SENT FOR INSPECTION

The three best project records for the summer course of home economics were chosen and sent to Austin for inspection last week.

Mrs. Gordon Whitener, instructor, submitted the projects of Lavell Jaco, Orveta Puett and Beatrice Miller.

The material contained a story of the task undertaken and illustrations of the work done.

Lavell's work took up the ironing of skirts. She put in 140 hours of work.

Orveta redecorated her bedroom. She made curtains, embroidered a pillow top, covered a chair and made a bedspread.

Beatrice's project was entitled "Sewing for myself and my family."

## OWNER OF LOST BOOK CLAIMS HER 50c REWARD

The journalism book belonging to Miss Bernie Addison that disappeared so mysteriously last week was found in the office Tuesday. A reward of 50 cents was offered to no avail.

After announcing its absence several times in the study hall, Miss Addison went into the office to look one more time. She searched everywhere and finally glanced towards Miss Adams, who was sitting by the partition, and there it was!









Sparrel was not so busy at the mill after early November. He went less often to the logging camp and found more content in being near the house. He seemed to her more like the Sparrel of a year ago when the new mill was being planned, only he was graver now. He was doing things that gave a satisfaction deeper than the physical act of doing. He spent an entire day going over the loom, replacing and tightening loose threads, and greasing the treads. He pegged the boards in the floor which had come loose. He brought sawed lumber from the mill and built the new row of shelves in the smoke-house. A little shyly he gathered up the seeds from Julia's flowers and put them in labeled jars as she had always done, saying to Cynthia:

"I reckon we'd better put these away for seed. It wouldn't seem natural not to have the flowers around the place."

Then he gave the garden its coat of cow dung and its fall plowing, turning it carefully in deep narrow furrows and harrowing it until it lay soft, mellow and without clods. And so he worked about the place for many days until Cynthia thought for a moment that past days of peace had returned to Wolfpen.

It was only for a moment. Then Abral came at the end of a wet and misty afternoon, out of breath with running, bearing the news about Doug. Sparrel was in the medicine-room behind the chimney. Cynthia was in the kitchen listening:

The lumbering had moved relentlessly up the Dry Creek Hollow. As the great trees fell, they were collected and dragged down to the creek by the mules and the yoked oxen. Now, at the end of November, they were far up into the narrow portion of the hollow and beyond the floating capacity of the creek. Mullens constructed a narrow tram road around the rim of the hollow to carry the logs to the dam at Gannon Creek. They were snaked down from the hill to the rude platform and there rolled onto the log trucks. The track sloped rather sharply down the hollow, giving to the trucks considerable speed under their own momentum. At the last bend opening into the mouth of the hollow at Gannon, the tracks curved abruptly and plunged down the slope to the dam. One man rode at the end of each truck to apply the brakes and bring the load of three logs to a halt at the collecting point. The men grew reckless and increased the speed. They drank. They laid bets against a record speed over the course. They boasted against one another of going around the curve and down the long last slope without touching the brakes.

Doug had grown rash in their company. He talked more and bolder. He drank with them from the jug

behind the bushes. That afternoon he pushed the wood blocks from their place under the wheels of the loaded truck and gave it a sharp urge with the crowbar. Standing on the narrow platform by the brake, he waved his hat at the lumbermen, and as the load of logs gathered speed he shouted, "This'll be a record." The two logs on the bottom were thick and very heavy, the third and top one was thin, not straight and of little value. Doug held to it, letting the truck go its way untouched by the brake.

Abral and the men at the dam heard the uncommon rumble of the truck.

Doug came furiously into sight around the bend, preceded by the roar of the wheels on the unfirm tracks.

"It's Doug Mason. He's gone plumb crazy," Abral said.

While he was yet speaking, the heavy load struck a weak joint in the wooden rails in the middle of the curve and plunged down the foot of the hill to the creek bank.

They rolled the worthless log from his torn body and carried him bleeding to the camp. Sparrel must hurry.

There was nothing much Sparrel could do for the left hand, flattened and punctured, with the white broken bones, hanging by a single string of skin at the wrist. The left eye was struck too hard by the heavy links of the log chain, and was no longer an eye.

Sparrel did well by him with his turpentine and salve and castile soap. When the worst of pain had passed, they carried him out of the bunk in the lumber camp to his own house. A moan came sometimes from his lips out of his control. He would twitch the handless stump of his arm, his teeth grinding, and stare at the blank wall with a bitter eye.

His mother, hobbling about on her poor legs, and his sister Hessie did the weeping.

Cynthia preparing things to bear to the Masons, riding down Wolfpen and Gannon Creek with them on the Finemare, kept thinking over and over, "Worrying and regretting are what you can't help and they don't make things a bit different. But a body can't hardly see why things in the world can be the way they sometimes are. Seems like there has been a plague on this year that just hangs around Dry Creek Hollow waiting to reach out and do everybody an ill turn. Like the hills, couldn't have all the fine trees cut down without cutting down people, too. Only why need it be poor Doug; if it had to be somebody, it might have been . . . but a body oughtn't to say that I don't reckon, it being the Lord's business and not any mortal's. But a body can't hardly help thinking. I'm downright sorry about Doug. The

she lifted her eyes from the road for one instant to see the dam at Dry Creek and the growing mountain of logs in the barren hollow waiting for the rains.

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wouldn't make a difference now.  
That's a selfish way to be thinking  
to be finding something to be glad  
for yourself for. It's an awful pity.  
It's that man and the lumbering and  
the bad reaching in. Like the trees  
were a family avenging itself for a  
hurt done to it."

She lifted her eyes from the road for one instant to see the dam at Dry Creek and the growing mountain of logs in the barren hollow waiting for the rains.

They were trying days, and they trailed one another through the gloom. Then Jesse came one warm week end when the wind blew into the hollows and pressed the rain from the clouds, driving them from before the sun. The darkness lifted for a moment, the grass looked up wondering and the birds sang. Jesse was happy. He filled the house with his enthusiasm and good-will. He talked about the law and the lawsuits pending next term of court, of the people and the activity of Pikeville, feeling himself no longer a spectator, but a part of it. He described the new brick jail to be built on the lower corner of the court house square, the new Baptist church by the Institute, the general store the George Brothers were putting up, the stone sidewalks being laid all through the town and the talk about even lighting up the streets at night. He could see all this progress from Tandy Morgan's office.

It was good to have Jesse come back, but it was somehow different from the way she had imagined it. He was changed and all this talk sounded strange from him. He was already more of the Pikeville lawyer, Cynthia thought, than the boy who set out the plants in the spring and read Blackstone haltingly under the haycock. She realized with heart-ache that even the Jesse of those days existed no longer except in her memory, and would return no more to Wolfpen. It was idle to think of it being otherwise, and yet the thought of placing Jesse in the vault along with all the other treasured things that had died in that year was full of grief. And the days after he was gone were less happy than before.

Shellenberger and Dry Creek seemed to have conquered and possessed Wolfpen. Shellenberger returned from his journey down the river. He was still talking about the progress of business-minded men who were developing the country—for a profit. For themselves. Everything was going to come along big very soon now. Just at the moment things were a little tight because it required a steady outlay of capital to get an operation going and a long time to get returns on it. Vision, co-operation, enterprise were the necessary qualities. A few days later he came up from Dry Creek to the mill where Sparrel was grinding.

"I was wondering whether you couldn't help me out for a few weeks," Shellenberger said in his pleasantest manner.

"What could I do to help you out, Mr. Shellenberger?"

"Those fellows are grumbling for their pay again, and the God's truth of it is, Mr. Pattern, that I'm just a little short of cash right at this minute. I was wondering if I couldn't borrow a thousand dollars from you for a short time. I'll give you my

personal note for it, and at the month when I go down I'll have Judge Wade of the Catlettsburg bank endorse it if you wish."

"I don't hardly see . . ."  
"You ought to have interest at six per cent. Say fifteen dollars for the loan. That's the way men make money, by making it work. You let it idle in the bank and the bank lends it out and gets the interest. Just for 90 days and you'll do me a great favor and help my work along."

Sparrell thought it over; the end of May, a thousand dollars, fifteen dollars interest, enough cash for Jasper, a real favor to Shellenberger.

"I guess I could spare that to help you out," he said. "And I don't see any cause to bother Judge Wade with it."

"I'm certainly much obliged to you, Mr. Pattern."

Dry Creek kept pushing in like its new owner. Abral was much engrossed in the technique of lumbering and the prospect of driving a raft in the spring. He could even bring a fleeting moment of cheer into the house when he stood in the middle of the kitchen floor in Cynthia's way, with a broom locked in the back of a chair, swinging it like an oar-blade and shouting to his imaginary helper on the raft to shove on the pole and keep the headlogs away from the bank. Then, the stiff curve cleared, he would relax while the raft rode safely on the current, and turn to Cynthia and say, "That's the way to take her around a sharp bend."

"I bet you run right into a sand-bar, Abral."

"All right, I bet you. What'll you bet?"

"Well, how many rafts have you ever run?" Cynthia asked.

"I can take one around any bend in Gannon Creek or the Big Sandy. I learned all about it from Mullens."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

George Dodgen of Shamrock was in Wheeler Wednesday on business.

# ROGUE Theatre

Kool! - Kool!

Double Header  
**LOUIS-SCHMELLING FIGHT**

and  
**The Last Outlaw**  
with  
Hoot Gibson—Harry Carey  
Adm.—10c-25c

Fri.-Sat. Sept. 18-19 Sat. Mat.

Claudette Fred  
**Colbert MacMurray**

in  
*The Bride Comes Home*  
Mon. Sept. 21-22 Tues.

Merle Miriam  
**OBERON HOPKINS**

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**McCREA**

in  
*These Three*  
These three stars insure any picture  
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# Battlefield Set to Skyrocket

## MUSTANGS ROUT WARRIORS 27-0

### Conference Tussle Doped to Be Tough

Those ever-going-strong Mustangs from Wheeler high school will probably meet their toughest foes tomorrow night when the Wellington Skyrockets invade the corral to play the first conference game with the Mustangs.

The initial kickoff will be at 8 o'clock when both teams will have their strongest players on the gridiron, each having to win to stay at the top of the conference.

Wellington has two wins under its belt with a victory over Community Center, 39 to 0, and over Mobeetie by the score of 37 to 0. Wheeler has one win over Miami by a score of 27 to 0.

#### Crowd of Fans Expected

Crowds of fans from Shamrock, Wellington and Wheeler and other nearby towns are expected to throng the Wheeler gridiron and cheer their team on to victory.

Coach Bob Clark is sending his chargers through stiff workouts this week in preparation for the game. The Mustangs will be in perfect condition for the game.

Although there are a few minor scratches throughout the squad, they are not affecting the spirit of the Mustangs or the fans either.

#### Skyrockets Have New Coach

The Wellington Skyrockets have a new coach and it seems that he has turned out a splendid team. Coach Joe Coleman of Wellington has the material to turn out a good football team for he has more reserves than Wheeler has boys coming out for the team.

Feeling somewhat confident over their victory last Friday night, the boys under Coach Bob Clark believe they can once again bring victory to Wheeler high school. With such hard running and blocking as the boys did they should with a little more determination win.

#### Clark Irons Out Wrinkles

Coach Clark has spent most of this week ironing out the bad places and improving the good ones so as to be ready for the game.

Since this is a conference game the admission will be 25 cents for school children and 50 cents for adults and 10 cents for reserve seats.

Between halves members of the Pep Squad, under the leadership of Robert Mayne, director, will present a stunt.

### HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS ASSIGNED TO STUDY HALL

The high school teachers have been assigned certain days to keep the study hall during 8:30 to 8:50 o'clock and the activity periods.

During the morning study hall, Miss Winona Adams will keep the study hall on Mondays; Robert Mayne, Tuesday; Mal Wynne, Wednesday; Miss Lois Kirby, Thursday, and Miss Bernie Addison, Friday.

Keepers for the activity periods will be: Mrs. J. L. Gilmore, Monday; W. C. Zirkle, Tuesday; Mrs. Gordon Whitener, Thursday, and Principal C. B. Witt, Friday.

**M** is for the muscle,  
The might, and the main  
They freely employ  
To win every game.

**U** is for the uniform  
Way they advance;  
It sets the people cheering  
Between gasps and pants.

**S** for the stickability  
To grin, take it, and bear it;  
The squad works together  
And together, they share it.

**T** for their technique  
That can not be beaten,  
Because they play a game  
That's fair, without cheatin'.

**A** for alertness,  
Do they have it? Why sure;  
You've seen them bring vict'ry  
Right home to our door.

**N** for nerve and they  
Have it all right.  
Undaunted in battle  
Their middle name's fight.

**G** for their greatness,  
Goodness, and grit;  
Look, you know they've got it  
By the hard way they hit.

**S** for steadfastness,  
Sturdy, staunch, strong;  
And there you have "Mustangs"  
Now tell me what's wrong?

### TWO DATES LEFT IN FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Two open dates remain in the football schedule after Nov. 13. There are eight conference games to be played; Sept. 18—Wellington at Wheeler; Oct. 2—Clarendon at Clarendon; Oct. 9—Mobeetie at Wheeler; Oct. 16—Memphis at Memphis; Oct. 23—Lakeview at Wheeler; Oct. 30—McLean at Wheeler; Nov. 6—Shamrock at Shamrock; Nov. 13—Lefors at Wheeler.

Only two non-conference games remain. On Sept. 25 the Pampa Gorillas will play Wheeler's second team here. This is an afternoon game. On Oct. 16 Kelton will meet the second stringers at Wheeler. This game will either be a night or an afternoon game.

### MUSTANGS' NUMBERS

Do all the football boys look alike in their football togs to you? If they do, perhaps these figures will help you.

26	.....Emler, end
32	.....Tillman, tackle
40	.....Whitener, guard
31	.....Tucker, center
29	.....Green, guard
24	.....Shipman, tackle
25	.....Maxwell, end
20	.....B. Groves, halfback
37	.....Ford, fullback
42	.....Norman, quarterback
33	.....Derryberry, halfback
23	.....B. Noah, tackle
34	.....Williams, guard
21	.....J. D. Badley, guard
38	.....Weeks, center
36	.....Cole, halfback
39	.....D. Groves, quarterback
22	.....Robinson, quarterback
28	.....Young, fullback
41	.....Page, tackle
27	.....Puckett, halfback

### SPORT SLANTS

By a Mustang

If you want to see how a future football team is developed, just step out and watch the Colts practice. Under the direction of Robert Mayne, they have been making splendid progress on the fundamentals of the game.

The Pep Squad is practicing daily on drills and yells and will be ready to go tomorrow night. They are expected to help the Mustangs very much. The boys are very grateful to you, girls.

Another word to express the school's feeling toward the high school band. Not only the football boys but also the school is very grateful to you.

It seems that the Mustangs have started at last. From the showing made Friday night the fans seem to think the "hosses" will win the conference this year. More power to you, boys.

From a report gathered from the Colts-Kelton football game, the Wheeler boys were outweighed several pounds to the man. The Colts played splendidly and held the Lions to a score of 18-0.

More excitement for Wheeler fans: the Ponies will meet the Pampa Gorillas here Sept. 25. It should be a dandy game, football lovers.

Coach Bob Clark said if the Mustangs won the conference this year they could have their pictures made. Maybe it's a hint, Mustangs.

Wheeler high school's football captain, W. J. Ford, with the help of 10 other players, completely ran over Miami. The Warriors were yelling "Stop the big guys," although to their sorrow, they didn't.

Bobby Groves is leading the scoring so far this year with three touchdowns and W. J. Ford runs second with one touchdown and three extra points.

### PONIES WILL MEET GORILLAS, SEPT. 25

To find out what reserve strength they have, the coaches from Wheeler high school have scheduled the Ponies for a game with the Pampa Gorillas. This encounter will take place Sept. 25 on the Mustangs' gridiron at 3:45 o'clock.

A small admission of 10 cents to cover cost of the Pampans trip and to help make trips for the Ponies will be charged.

The Ponies, with the help of two new players, John Wright and Alvin Hampton, are improving every day and are expected to make it tough for the Gorillas.

The Ponies are working out every day in preparation for this game. Last year they were defeated by Pampa to the tune of 43 to 7. It seems that they are wanting some revenge and they may get it, too!

### Line, Plus Backfield Cruises to Victory

Behind a hard-blocking line, the Wheeler backfield, Ford, Groves, Norman and Derryberry, cruised to a 27 to 0 victory last Friday night on the Wheeler gridiron.

The Mustangs scored once in every quarter, Ford kicking three of the extra points. Ford was the most consistent gainer but scored only one touchdown, while Groves was high point man with three counters.

#### Ford Intercepts Pass

Miami tried only one pass and it was intercepted by Ford for a touchdown. Both teams used straight power plays; no deceptive plays were used.

Miami had the edge on punting, Locke being one of the best punters in Class B football.

Miami did not make a first down against the Wheeler line, while Wheeler made about 10.

#### Miami Team Superior

Coach Bob Clark states that this Miami team is superior to any that he has been up against.

Ford, Groves, Tillman, Shipman and Whitener were outstanding for Wheeler. Locke starred for the visitors.

The lineup for Wheeler was: Emler, le; Tillman, lt; Whitener, lg; Tucker, c; Green, rg; Shipman, rt; Maxwell, re; Norman, qb; Derryberry, lh; Groves, rh; Ford, fb.

### Colts Defeated By Kelton 18-0 Score

The Wheeler Colts were defeated 18 to 0 by a larger, more experienced Kelton first string Friday afternoon at Kelton.

The Colts were nervous at first and could not get their bearings, but after they got started they showed people that they could take care of themselves.

When the Colts came out on the field the people snickered because hardly any of them weighed over 140 pounds, while the Kelton team had some boys that tipped the scale at 160 and more.

Kelton scored in the first, second and third quarters. The Colts made a counter after an intercepted pass by Hall, but the misunderstanding of a play kept them from scoring.

The Colts' lineup was: Carver, le; A. Jones, lt; Wright, lg; C. Jones, c; Nation, rg; Adams, rt; M. Crowder, re; Hall, qb; Weeks, lh; H. Jones, rh; Smith, fb. Substitutes—Ford, qb; Tolliver, c; A. Nation, g; J. B. Crowder, g.

The outstanding players were H. Jones, Hall, Wright and Nation.

### COTTAGE CLEANED BY GIRLS

During the first few days of school the home economics II girls cleaned and re-arranged furniture in the home economics cottage. While doing this they learned the proper way to clean homes.

The girls spent three days washing windows and window curtains, dusting furniture, re-arranging the bedroom furniture and placing bouquets of flowers about the cottage.

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# THE BROADCASTER

KELLERVILLE, TEXAS

News of the school and community as prepared by faculty and students of the Gracey school, Kellerville, Texas, for publication in The Wheeler Times.

## GRACEY SCHOOL

Last year Gracey school standardized with a good score. The main objective of this year's work is to standardize this year with a near perfect score.

The faculty, namely, W. W. Brister, Mrs. Foster Gregg, Maxine Robinson, Mrs. Winifred Rice and Christine Legg, are striving to make Gracey a school that its patrons will praise and honor.

Let each patron take upon his shoulders the responsibility of helping and assume the duty of co-operation and Gracey will prove to be a school that is really worth while.

## Birthday Surprise

The teachers and pupils of Gracey school surprised W. W. Brister with a birthday party Friday morning at the chapel hour. Many nice gifts were received.

Mrs. Blackerby and Mrs. Berlin were room mothers present.

## Boy Scouts Enjoy Outing

During the August holidays the Kellerville Boy Scout troop wandered off to the beloved woods for an enjoyment. The spot chosen was the well-liked Fowler Ranch, where there was plenty of good swimming.

A great trip always depends on eats, no sleep, lotsa' swimming, and mosquitoes. "Yes! we had all those," was a remark by one of the boys.

Let's look forward to a grand year in "Scout Land." Remember—"Be Prepared."

## Ollie McPherson Improves

Ollie McPherson, victim of a dynamite explosion several weeks back, is at his home again. His condition is said to be improved. The staff joins his friends in wishing him a speedy recovery.

## New Classroom

A new classroom has been constructed in the east portion of the hall. This room will be the new home room for the seventh grade. New Imperial chair desks have been purchased for this additional room. A new teacher's desk and chair also have been provided. With this room it is hoped that the crowded condition will be relieved.

## Sewing Club Meets

The Sewing club met Thursday with Mrs. Joe Thompson. This club meets each week.

Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Walter Marshall, Mrs. Jack Boyd, Mrs. W. W. Brister, Mrs. Ovarrels, and the hostess, Mrs. Joe Thompson.

## School Bus Repaired

Our school bus has been re-upholstered. This work makes a great improvement in both looks and comfort.

The door was taken off and made into a double door, with one door opening out and the other in. With the door fixed as it now is, it is better braced and is able to stand more use. The body has been tightened and several minor jobs have made the "Ole Bus" almost new.

Last, but not least, a new sign painted in red, has been placed where the driver can easily signal approaching cars to stop.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

### First Methodist Church

Rev. Gilliam, pastor.  
Marvin Shelburne, superintendent.  
Church services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

### Church of Christ

Rev. Durrett, pastor.  
Church services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

### First Baptist Church

Rev. I. J. Lloyd, pastor.  
W. W. Brister, superintendent and chorister.  
F. G. Cecil, B. T. U. director.  
Church services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

## Bus Routes

The bus routes have been changed for this school year.

Route No. 1 includes Skelly and Royal leases.

Route No. 2 includes West Belco and East Belco.

Route No. 3, Kellerville.

Route No. 4 includes south of school and also Smith Bros. camp.

## McLean-Kellerville

There are 36 students enrolled in McLean high from Kellerville. The McLean bus takes care of Kellerville and Heald high school pupils.

## The Sixth Grade

Pupils in the sixth grade at Gracey this year are: Girls—Juanita Campbell, Ernestine Shelburne, Maxine White, Bessie Lee Mashburn and Virginia Blackerby; Boys—Sherman Shoop, R. W. Osborn, Vergil Ray Smith, Samuel Hendren, R. L. Gilflint Berlin, Walter Harris, Moody, William Marshall, Mullin, John Carter and Carter.

New pupils in the sixth grade who did not go to this school last year are: Bessie Lee Mashburn and Herman Moody, both of Lefors. We are proud to have these two new pupils.

The new books the sixth grade have this year are: My Word Book, Our Music In Story and Song, and My Own Language.

## Teachers' Vacation

Miss Legg spent most of her vacation in Kellerville with Mrs. R. L. Carter of the Phillips Petroleum Co., and was in Amarillo under doctor's care. She also spent a week in Oklahoma with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. John Legg.

Miss Robinson spent most of her vacation at Galveston, with the remainder at her home in Conroe.

W. W. Brister attended the Centennial at Dallas and also visited in Gladewater. He was in Oklahoma City a month with his daughter in the hospital.

Mrs. Rice spent her vacation in McLean. She is thinking of going to the Centennial later in the year.

Mrs. Gregg spent her vacation in Kellerville, McLean and Amarillo.

## Boy Scouts Sell Times

The Boy Scouts of Kellerville are trying to get The Wheeler Times in every home, for it will tell what your children are doing in school, and also give society and general news of Kellerville.

## Teachers of Gracey

There are three new teachers at Gracey this year. Mrs. Winifred Rice, Maxine Robinson and Mrs. Gregg.

Miss Robinson is a graduate of West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon and has an A. B. degree from that place. She specializes in saxophone. Her home was formerly in Pampa. She is the niece of M. M. Robinson, groceryman at Kellerville. She teaches the fourth and fifth grades.

Mrs. Rice took her work at the West Texas State Teachers college, also, and holds a Permanent Elementary certificate. She specializes in primary education, and teaches the second and third grades.

Mrs. Gregg lives in Amarillo but will move to Kellerville soon.

## Seventh Grade Personnel

There are 23 enrolled in the seventh grade this year. They are: Jean Durrett, Kenneth Young, Paul Miller, Clifford Young, Junior Crossland, Jack Harris, Leonard Saye, Jacqueline Lovell, Bonnie Cumble, Cleo Faye Shelburne, Charles Wright, Earline McPherson, Dessie Mae Ford, Harwell Hall, Harley Cumble, Tasso Pugh, Etta Mae Mullins, Harley Barnett, Carl Hendren, Wilford Newberry, Beovia Bullard and Rudell and Marie Smith.

We are very proud of the large enrollment in the seventh grade and are expecting three more: L. J. Hornsby, Marjorie Smith and Alma Berry.

We are going to have a class meeting next week and hope to enjoy our activities as much as we did last year.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Crossland and their 10-year-old daughter, Marion,

have gone on their vacation to Arkansas.

Mrs. R. L. Wilson and Christine Legg had 6 o'clock dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brister, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kasade from Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McPherson, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McGrady from Wichita Falls are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Joe Thompson.

Rev. and Mrs. I. J. Lloyd were business visitors in Plainview this week.

Mildred Smith is helping Mrs. W. W. Brister this week.

George Saye is on his way back from Rocky Ford, Colo.

Nina B. Smith of Montague is visiting Mrs. J. B. Smith of the Texas Oil company.

## Pleasant Hill

(Norma Webb)

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Mason were Sunday guests of Mrs. Hestelle Simmons.

Mrs. Weldon Weatherly and Mrs. J. A. Weatherly visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mason, Sunday evening.

Miss Elpie Allen returned Thursday to her home in Glendale, Calif., after spending a few nights in the home of her cousin, Mrs. Claude Cox, and family.

Several from this community attended the Baptist association meet in Shamrock Thursday.

Miss Addie Lou Jones is spending this week in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Pond and children of near Kelton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pond and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Dawn Weatherly of Wheeler was the Saturday night guest of Miss Opal Shumate.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anglin spent the past week at the J. T. Anglin home.

Bill Chenault, J. L. Shumate, Misses Dawn Weatherly and Opal Shumate and Mrs. W. F. Webb and daughters, Norma and Melva Ray, motored to Allison Sunday to attend the all day meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders visited in the G. W. Simmons home Sunday evening.

James Hill was the lucky man who hauled off the first bale of cotton that we know of from our community Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anglin and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weatherly spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anglin.

Miss Norma Webb spent Thursday night with Miss LaVerne Cox.

Mrs. John Revious and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Patterson.

## Mobeetie Happenings

(Times Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leake, Evelyn and Edwin of Graham, visited last week with Mrs. Leake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Johnson and sisters, Mrs. John Bailey and family and Mrs. Ted Mason and family.

Mrs. W. E. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Thomas, Miss Chestnut Thomas and Bill Thomas left Monday for Elk City, Okla., to attend the funeral of Walter Thomas.

Miss Elizabeth Green left Monday to attend Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Miss Cleveland Lamon and Miss Robinette Ridgway left Monday to at-



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tend West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon.

Miss Arlie Lee spent the week end with her parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry King of Bayfield, Colo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adcock for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Yelverton and sons, Frank and Howard, of Stephenville spent the week end with her brother, H. T. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hood of Spearman spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Collins.

John Sims, who has been working at Dumas, is home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Anderson and daughter of Pampa spent the week end with Walter Key and family and Al Sims and family.

Mrs. H. L. Daugherty and children of Jowett and her sister, Mrs. C. H. Burton, of Canadian are spending a few days with their mother at Quanah.

Mrs. Manual Bonham and daughter of Corn Valley spent Monday and Tuesday with Tom Arnold and family.

Miss Jeffie Seitz who is working at Pampa was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts visi-

ted Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ing, Sunday.

Mrs. H. A. Eisenmenger returned Thursday from Lefors where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Brooks McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ing of Lefors visited in the home of Willard Godwin, Sunday.

Miss Kate Anderson of Pampa spent last week with her sisters,

Mrs. Walter Key and Mrs. Al Sims. She returned to Pampa Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Sims.

Miss Mary Ellen VanDervoort, sister-in-law, Mrs. Marshall VanDervoort, and daughter, Patricia A. of Plainview came Thursday and visited the former's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Russ, until Saturday.

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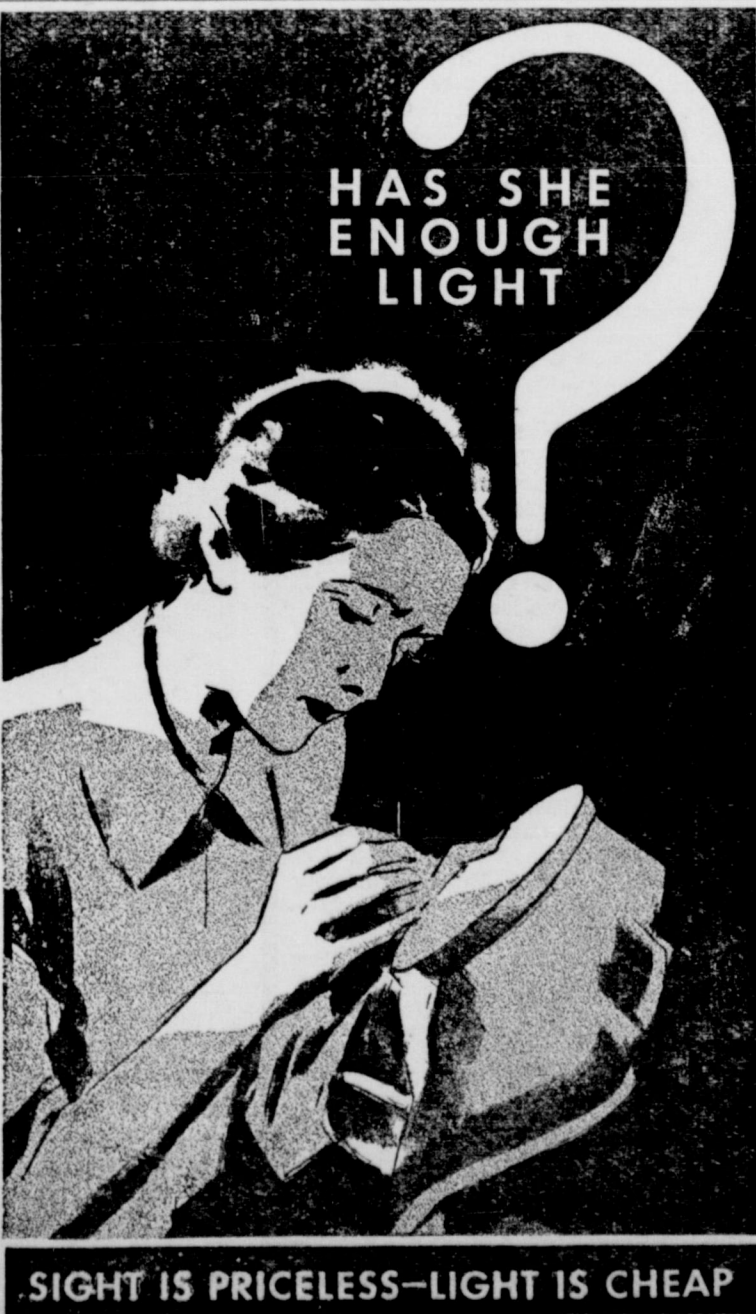
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We, the undersigned members of the Wheeler County 4-H Club Livestock Judging team, wish to make known our appreciation of the many favors shown us by friends and well-wishers. To the firms and individuals who helped finance our trips to College Station, we are deeply grateful. Especial appreciation and thanks are due Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tarter and Mr. and Mrs. E. Goule for the food and shelter provided us in their homes.

And, in conclusion, thanks are extended to everyone who in any manner assisted us in pursuit of our work which has brought to Wheeler county considerable distinction and to us a share of credit that repays for the long hours and close application to our task.

Sincerely,  
JAMES PASSONS,  
ERNEST ERSKINE,  
J. C. ERSKINE,  
W. C. BURRELL.

Norma Jean is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peterson of Mobeetie. She arrived Wednesday, Sept. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Galmor are the parents of a son, born Sept. 16. His name is Bobbie Don.

**WANT ADS**

- FOR SALE—Gerhard upright piano; good condition. Price \$100.00. Mrs. Tom Helton, Briscoe, Texas. 39t4p
- FOR SALE—Quantity of home-made lard; market price. C. A. Mason, Wheeler. 39t2p
- FOR SALE—Sand and gravel. Jess Carver, Wheeler, Texas. 27tfc
- FOR SALE or TRADE—Toggenberg male billy goat, 1 year old; a real good one for service now. Also some kids. J. R. Brooking, 407 N. Choctaw, Shamrock, Texas. 40t1p
- FOR SALE—Row binder, late model. See Zack Coleman. 40t3p
- FOR SALE—Used radios in good shape at bargain prices. Also Beatrice cream separator. Wheeler Auto Supply & Electric Co. 40t1c
- FOR SALE—Fresh milk goats, priced right. Charley Melton, Mobeetie. 40t2p-tfc
- FOR SALE—Underwood No. 5 typewriter, good as new; never used. T. E. Laymon, Mobeetie. 40t2p
- ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS—We have several small electric refrigerators taken in on gas refrigerator deals. They are priced to sell; come and see them. Wiley's. 34tfc
- FOR RENT—Unfurnished room; large enough for 2 persons; reasonable. Julius Carter. 40tfc
- PRIVATE INSTRUCTION—Classes for children of pre-school age now open; will coach and prepare for school work. Mrs. E. A. Buchanan, at her home. 40t2c
- PUBLIC enemy No. 1—ALCOHOL 17tfc

**Jack and June Alfred's Comedians Are Coming**

Popular Tent Theatre Aggregation Here Next Week, Sponsored by American Legion

Beginning next Monday, Sept. 21, Jack and June Alfred's Comedians, the big tent show, will open a week's engagement in Wheeler. The attraction is sponsored by the local American Legion Post. Among the features will be found "Toby," the well known comedian, and Dr. Halderman,



JACK ALFRED, JR.

world's greatest magician whose act alone is said to be worth the price of the show.

A different program will be presented each night. Vaudeville and specialties are introduced between acts.

Location for the week-long tent theatre is on the lot adjoining the American Legion hall. On Monday night, the opening program, ladies will be admitted free with each paid ticket. Admission for children is 10 cents.

**LOCAL YOUNG FOLKS RETURN SUNDAY TO LUBBOCK SCHOOL**

Miss Florence Merriman and Mrs. Cora Hall went to Lubbock Sunday to take Miss Exie Creekmore and Wayland Merriman to enroll at Texas Tech for another term.

Mrs. Hall visited her friend, Miss Lula Mae Craven, while at Lubbock. Mrs. Craig Wofford and son, Joe, of Visalia, Calif., who were guests of the Wofford relatives here and at Shamrock, also accompanied Miss Merriman to Lubbock where they will continue their visit with Mrs. Wofford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Boston, for a while before returning to their home.

Mrs. Hall and Miss Merriman returned that night.

**SOCIAL AND SHOWER FAVORS MRS. DERRYBERRY THURSDAY**

Members of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church and Parent-Teacher association met with Mrs. J. Edmund Kirby, Thursday afternoon in a social and shower for Mrs. Clyde Derryberry, whose home was recently destroyed by fire.

Those present were Mesdames H. M. Wiley, E. Davee, E. T. Cosper, Badley, B. T. Rucker, W. W. Adams, J. M. Porter, John Ficke, Cora Hall, and the hostess.

Among those who sent gifts were Mesdames H. E. Nicholson, D. A. Hunt, M. McIlhany, A. B. Crump, Floyd Pennington, J. F. and C. Bryan Witt, O. O. Sandifer, John Hood and C. J. Meek.

Fruit punch and cookies were served during the afternoon.

**BRITTS ENTERTAIN TUESDAY WITH DINNER-BRIDGE SOCIAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Britt gave a dinner-bridge for the Contract Bridge club members, their husbands and friends at the Britt ranch home, 14 miles east of Wheeler, Tuesday evening.

Five tables of bridge were played. Miss Reba Wofford won high score for the ladies and Al Watson won high for the men.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Ed Watson, Worth Beal, Nelson Porter, Al Watson, Glen Porter, E. Goule, Clint Wofford; Mesdames Cora Hall, Inez Garrison and Clarice Fisher; Miss Reba Wofford, Harry and Deward Wofford and Polly Norris of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee George and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kiker of Allison were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McMillin.

Mrs. F. B. Craig was called to Dallas Tuesday to see her mother, Mrs. W. J. Lewis, who is seriously ill in a hospital there. Mrs. Lewis went to Dallas several weeks ago to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Stewart, and husband. Mrs. Lewis will undergo a major operation Friday. John and Chester Lewis and their sister, Mrs. Harmon Weeks, and husband left early this morning to be there during the operation.

**Local News Items**

Mrs. Jessie Jones is a patient at the Wheeler hospital this week.

G. W. Porter and son, Dennis, motored Tuesday to Oklahoma City on business, returning that night.

Mrs. Lester Hathaway and son, Lee Roy, of Mobeetie were in Wheeler today shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davidson and her mother, Mrs. J. E. Cox, are driving a new Chevrolet car this week.

Buy a suit or topcoat for only \$1.00 per week. Phone 20. Bill Perrin. 40t1c

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith of Amarillo were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump motored Friday to Amarillo on a business and pleasure trip.

Mrs. Nelson Porter, Mrs. Roy Puckett and Mrs. Ed Watson motored Saturday to Pampa on a business trip.

Mrs. Clarence Beasley motored Tuesday to Pampa and visited her mother, Mrs. A. D. Cotton, and friends.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the Baptist church at Briscoe for Mrs. I. E. Byars, who passed away Sunday.

Drs. H. E. Nicholson and Glenn R. Walker motored to Pampa Tuesday evening and attended a meeting of the medical association.

Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Giles, of Gruver, who underwent an appendix operation Monday at the Wheeler hospital is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Miller and son and daughter, Bill and Beatrice, motored Saturday to Elk City and Butler, Okla., where they spent the week end with relatives and friends.

Misses Betty Finsterwald and Anna Mae Puett left Tuesday for Lubbock to attend college at Texas Tech. The former's sister, Clara Finsterwald, took them to Lubbock.

Miss Zell Stewart of Miami was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Porter. She also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, in Shamrock during the week end.

Roy Puckett, manager of the local Puckett grocery store, and Tiley Hardin, manager of Puckett's store at Mobeetie, made a business trip Wednesday to Amarillo.

B. T. Rucker, county superintendent, has been confined to his home since Saturday with malarial fever; however he was much improved Wednesday.

Ernest Megee and Leroy and Enos Morgan who are working near Miami spent the week end at Wheeler with relatives. They returned Sunday evening to their work.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Flynt and daughters, Gene and Mary Ruth, came home Thursday night from Fort Worth where he has been working for about three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Chesher of Miami announce the arrival of a son, Phillip Burl, on Saturday, Aug. 22. Mrs. Chesher will be remembered as Miss Mary Sue Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bowers returned home Sunday night from Kansas City, Mo., where they went Thursday to take their son, Kilborn, to attend dental college.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Puckett went to Pampa Tuesday night and attended the baseball game between the Roadrunners and the Kansas City Monarchs. Score was 7 to 8 in favor of the Pampa team.

Postmaster and Mrs. Chester Lewis returned home Thursday night from Dallas, where they went to see his mother, Mrs. W. J. Lewis, who was quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Stewart.

Mrs. C. W. Bayless of Murchison and her daughter, Mrs. George Barnett, of Gladewater came Monday to spend the week with their brother and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mitchell, and children.

Mrs. Gus Downs and sons, Edwin and J. V., of San Jon, N. Mex., came last Thursday to visit friends and relatives. They were over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Mitchell and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump and Judge W. O. Puett spent Monday evening in Shamrock, where Mrs. Crump visited relatives while Mr. Puett and Mr. Crump attended a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Ted Clay motored Thursday of last week to Edmond, Okla., to take her sister, Miss Texas Miller, to attend Central State Teachers college. Mrs. Clay returned Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jackson and his mother, Mrs. L. B. Jackson of Saint Jo came Saturday to visit their sister and daughter, Mrs. J. C. Perryman, and children, Jaunell and Jack. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Howe and daughter, Mona Cathryn, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams and son, Glenn Carter, and the ladies' brother, Richard Carter, went to Wellington Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. John Breedlove and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Craig, jr., and children and his father, M. M. Craig, sr., and grandchildren, Louise, Lorene and Stella Craig of Miami came Friday night to attend the Wheeler-Miami football game. All returned that night except M. M., sr., and Louise Craig. They are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Craig.

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Miss Marguerite Ficke is the local manager of Harrell's Variety store, instead of Mrs. Clint Wofford, as was stated in last week's paper.

Supt. J. L. Gilmore and son, Earl, motored Sunday to Canyon to take their daughter and sister, Miss Helen to enroll at W. T. S. T. C. for her second term. Mrs. Ida Cowart of Silverton, a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Gilmore, for the past two weeks, accompanied the Gilmore party to Amarillo where she remained to visit relatives. Mr. Gilmore and son returned home that night.

**At the Churches**

**WHO KILLED ELMA SANDS?**

America's First Sensational Unsolved Murder Occurred in 1799.

Into the very well where her body was found, tourists still shout, "Who killed Elma Sands?" And echo still sends back the questions unanswered. That well stands in an alley off Greene Street just above Spring Street in New York City.

There is to come a day when that question will be answered. And all the crimes which men have hidden from men will stand revealed in awful clarity. Elma Sands, poor heroine of early days, will face her murderer. All sins must have an answer in that day.

If the Lord Jesus Christ is not able in that day to say that a given sinner is covered by the merit of His shed Blood, there can be no other issue except the lake of fire. And the fact of His gracious Blood as an atonement for the sinner, gives the reason for a faithful preaching of the Gospel of God in which these things are fully revealed.

Subjects for discussion at the Church of Christ next Sunday are: "A Degenerate Church," at the morning hour, and "Between Death and the Resurrection," at the evening hour.

Perhaps you would like to know what the Bible reveals about what our conditions will be between death and the resurrection. Come and we shall have some time to use in the search for these things.

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J. EDMUND KIRBY, Pastor

God has been good to us; much better than we deserve. He has blessed us with rain, which means much to us in a material way. In return for His goodness to us let us remember to give unto Him that which is His, namely, our lives and our obedience to His will.

Attend church Sunday and bring someone with you. Surely in the face of all God has done for you, you should be anxious to support His church with your presence. We expect to see you at church Sunday.

Worship at the church of your choice—but attend church somewhere Sunday.

**ANNUAL CLUB FAIR A SIGNAL SUCCESS**

(Continued from First Page)

Berries—Miss Tamsey Riley; Mrs. P. W. Riley, Briscoe; Mrs. Jim Trout; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Ida Begert, Allison.

Bread and Butter Pickles—Mrs. John McCarroll; Mrs. T. C. Harless; Mrs. C. H. Candler, Briscoe; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. W. E. Tarbet, Three Leaf.

Sweet Cucumber Rings, plain—Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. John McCarroll; Mrs. J. E. Willard; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, China Flat; Mrs. T. C. Harless.

Onions—Mrs. B. W. Brown, Ramsdell; Mrs. T. C. Harless; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds; Mrs. Ida Begert; Mrs. Lena Harvey, Bethel.

Green Tomato Pickles—Mrs. Jim Trout; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. C. H. Candler; Mrs. Roy Oswalt; Mrs. Ida Begert.

Cucumber Relish—Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. Jim Trout; Winnie Kiker, Allison; Mrs. M. G. King; Mrs. T. C. Harless.

Red Pepper Relish—Mrs. T. C. Harless; Mrs. C. H. Candler; Mrs. Joe Harris; Mrs. W. B. Wileman; Mrs. Jess Crowder.

Red and Green Pepper Relish—Mrs. J. E. Willard; Mrs. C. H. Candler; Mrs. J. H. Watts, Wheeler; Mrs. J. T. Reynolds; Maude Keiper.

Other Relish or Sandwich Spread—Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. M. G. King; Mrs. T. C. Harless; Mrs. Valta Tarbet; Mrs. J. C. Widden, Three Leaf.

Beet Pickles—Miss Tamsey Riley; Maude Keiper; Mrs. C. H. Candler; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. J. H. Watts.

Sweet Cucumber Pickles (whole)—Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. John McCarroll; Mrs. B. W. Brown, Ramsdell; Mrs. Fannie Kramer, Heald; Mrs. Jim Trout.

Sour Cucumber Pickles (whole)—Mrs. T. C. Harless; Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. W. E. Tarbet; Mrs. Jim Trout; Mrs. Fannie Kramer.

Dill Cucumber Pickles (whole)—Mrs. J. H. Watts; Mrs. Jim Trout; Mrs. Fannie Kramer; Mrs. T. C. Harless; Mrs. Jess Crowder.

Sweet Pickle Peas—Mrs. Jess Crowder; Mrs. J. E. Willard; Mrs. Lena Harvey.

(Editor's Note: The remaining women winners and the girl winners will appear in next week's Times).

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