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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

Modern New Hospital Building In Wheeler

Dr. H. E. Nicholson and Dr. Glenn R. Walker Announce Plans for Large Structure

Another substantial improvement is in prospect for Wheeler. This fact became known today when Dr. H. E. Nicholson of this city and Dr. Glenn R. Walker of Mobeetie announced a proposed new hospital building. Construction work is to begin as soon as the site is cleared.

It will be located across the highway north of the City Drug store and one block west. Workmen started this morning to raze the old two-story residence, owned for many years by Nicholson and Dr. E. Holt, which stands on the corner. Nicholson acquired full title to the property this week.

Need for larger quarters, with modern conveniences, is one of the principal reasons for erecting a building especially adapted to the purpose for which it will be used.

Estimated cost of the enterprise is given at between \$10,000 and \$12,000. To be built in an L-shape, the building will measure 85 feet on the east side, or front. Depth will be 32 feet to where the south side extension of 32 feet more commences.

Offices will be situated in the north end, and clearly divided from the remainder, which will contain six private rooms, two wards with three beds each, operating room, nurse's room, storage space, laboratory, X-ray quarters, the kitchen and other accommodations.

Constructed of brick and tile, it will be strictly fireproof. A commodious basement is planned under a portion of the building. Three to four months will be required for completion.

With Dr. Nicholson, who has been located in Wheeler for a number of years, will be associated Dr. Walker, now living at Mobeetie, but who frequently assists in local cases, especially surgery. Walker expects to take up his residence in Wheeler within the next few weeks, probably about the time the new hospital building is ready for occupancy.

When in operation, the new Wheeler hospital will augment present city facilities for care of the ailing and afford excellent accommodations to all who need transient treatment or hospitalization for an indefinite period.

Grist from Criminal Week District Court

Two Jury Cases Heard; One Draws Suspended Sentence, Other Ends in Hung Jury

Monday morning of this week marked the opening week of criminal docket in the current term of district court. The first case, using a jury, was that of Marvin Short, charged with tapping a pipeline near Keller-ville. A 5-year suspended sentence was imposed after a verdict of guilty was brought in.

The next jury case was that of C. C. Winters, Twitty garageman, charged with theft of tools from the Osage Tool Co., Shamrock. Several hours deliberation resulted in a hung jury. New trial date has been set for May 18.

Four non-jury pleas of guilty were entered and drew penalties as listed below.

J. D. Williams, driving while intoxicated; fine of \$25 and costs; driver's license revoked for 60 days.

Elmer Murphy, same charge; \$50 fine and costs; license revoked one year.

Ollie Burrell, same charge; fine of \$50 and costs; license revoked for 60 days.

Leroy Robinson, passing forged instrument; 5-year suspended sentence.

A number of indictments were quashed on a plea of the defense that certain members of the former grand jury had failed to pay poll taxes and were thereby disqualified.

The present grand jury has not been in session this week, but is expected to re-convene Monday.

Next week will be devoted to civil cases.

Jury—Fifth Week

Loyd Anglin, I. C. Boren, Worth Beal, Fay Bearden, Ode Cain, C. E. Carter, L. R. Cruce, J. B. Corcoran, J. F. Cook, J. F. Daberry, R. H. Dennis.

L. W. Davidson, Claud Davis, Harl Etter, Walter Flynt, Tom Forrest, J. H. Gordon, H. M. Glass, J. G. Gabriel, L. J. Hudson, Richard Harvey, D. B. Howe, O. M. Johnson, C. A. Linkey, A. C. Newberry, W. L. Newman.

Roy Puckett, Shelby Pettit, Clide Peterson, D. P. Rives, Frank Rogers, O. L. Rankin, Cleborn Turner, George Warren, N. A. Whitehurst, J. E. Wood, C. R. Weatherly, J. C. Zell, J. B. Zybach, W. C. Sivage.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE FOR MRS. KELLEY WEDNESDAY

Mrs. T. J. Kelley was pleasantly surprised Wednesday, April 29, when neighbors and relatives gathered at her home northwest of Wheeler with a covered dish dinner, in honor of her birthday.

The afternoon was spent gathering violets on Sweetwater creek and eating ice cream. The guests were all invited to go through the Kelley dairy. The honoree received many beautiful gifts.

Those attending were Mesdames J. H. Birchfield, J. A. Patterson, T. J. Lewis, D. C. Camp and W. H. Kutch, a daughter, all of Wellington; Mrs. A. E. Hall, Mrs. Lewis Richardson and Miss Ola Kelley, a daughter, Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kelley and children, Mrs. J. H. Gordon and daughter, Fannie Jo, Mrs. W. J. Blassingame, and Ward and Clyde Kelley all of Wheeler.

Legion Convention Over the Week End

Pampa Will Entertain Members of Legion and Auxiliary Units Saturday and Sunday

Announcement has just been made by Van W. Stewart, Perryton, 18th district commander, that arrangements are complete for the entertainment of hundreds of Legionnaires and Auxiliaries who will visit Pampa on Saturday and Sunday, May 2 and 3, for the annual spring convention of the 18th district of Texas.

Featured in the list of celebrities who will attend the convention is Mrs. Melville Muckelstone, National President of the American Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. Muckelstone, who is a gifted speaker, will deliver an address at the joint meeting of the Legion and Auxiliary to be held in the city hall at 9:30 a. m., Sunday. This meeting is open to the public.

Other Auxiliary officials who will be present are Mrs. F. H. Carpenter, Sour Lake, Texas, National Auxiliary vice president; Mrs. W. J. Danforth, Fort Worth, National Executive committee woman from Texas; Mrs. Tillman Jones, Post, Texas department president; Mrs. Will M. Benton, Amarillo, member state child welfare committee; and Mrs. Van W. Stewart, Perryton, a past department president and a member of the state finance committee. The business sessions of the Auxiliary will be held Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Floyd Sloan, Amarillo, district president, presiding.

The members of the Pampa Legion Post and Auxiliary Unit will finance the convention out of their activities and as a consequence, no registration fee will be charged. The entertainment consists of a parade on Saturday afternoon, Forty and Eight wreck and dance Saturday evening; post officials and service conference at the 8:00 o'clock Sunday morning breakfast; joint public meeting at 9:30 a. m., Sunday, with the separate business sessions of the Legion and Auxiliary in the afternoon.

Ernest S. Goens, Tyler, Texas department commander; Fred E. Young, Austin, Texas department adjutant; Floyd L. Sloan, fifth division commander of Texas; Dave Horger, grand chef de gare of the Forty and Eight; and many other distinguished Legionnaires from Texas and adjoining states will be present at the convention.

West Post No. 138, American Legion, of Wheeler expects to be well represented at the convention. Twenty-five or more members plan to attend.

COMMUNITY CHILD HAS A MULTIPLICITY OF LIVING ANCESTORS

To have great-grandparents living is somewhat unusual, but to have 10 grandparents living at the time of one's birth is downright unique.

Such, however, is the distinction of little Larry Lindon Jones, born Sept. 22, 1935, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones, who reside on the Johnson Ranch, nine miles northwest of Wheeler. The father is 26 years old and the mother is 21.

At the present time, eight of little Larry Lindon's ancestors are living. They are Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones, Wheeler; Mrs. W. D. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Scott, Turnersville, on the paternal side, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradshaw, Wheeler, and Mrs. D. B. Jordan, Hollis, Okla., on the maternal side.

Two great-grandparents have passed away since the youngster's birth: Mrs. M. S. Bradshaw, 85, Wheeler, on March 9, and D. B. Jordan, 77, Hollis, Okla., on April 12, 1936.

GENEROUS RAINS SOAK PANHANDLE

Precipitation Varies Over County from 1 to 4 Inches—New Road Damaged

Late Sunday evening and early portion of the night saw a most welcome spectacle in Wheeler and throughout the county. Reference is made to the splendid rain which soaked the county along with most of the Panhandle.

Coming over from the east, rain began falling here about 5 o'clock and continued intermittently until 10 o'clock. Estimates place the fall at two inches. Although at times the downpour was quite heavy, by far the greater part of the moisture went into the ground.

East of town a few miles, especially in the vicinity of the newly-completed 4-mile stretch of highway beyond the paving, a veritable "goshin-drownder" did considerable damage to the freshly built roadbed and washed earth away from culverts. The road construction crew spent the greater part of two days repairing the mischief done by rushing miniature torrents.

Twitty and the south part of Wheeler county report rather heavy rains.

Mobeetie and vicinity, long in need of rain, received one and eighth inches.

This rain was especially welcome in that it comes at a favorable time to put farm land in shape to be prepared for planting and the moisture will be helpful in quick germination of crops.

Wheeler Man Enters Race for Office of Commissioner, Pct. 1

Ed Watson Seeking Nomination to Public Office for First Time in His Life

Entry of Ed Watson into the commissioner's race in Precinct 1, Wheeler county, introduces one of Wheeler's best known citizens, a man whose friends are numbered by his acquaintances. Watson can easily be classed as one of the later pioneer group of citizens, having come to Wheeler county in 1911. For the past 19 years he has resided in the town of Wheeler.

Watson's activities have always been of a nature to bring him much in contact with the public. He has been in the cotton ginning business, in one capacity or another, during his entire residence in Wheeler county. As such, he has had occasion to serve the public and learn the wishes and moods of his fellowmen.

This experience will aid Watson materially in discharging the duties of a county commissioner, if chosen for that office in the Democratic primary July 25.

Fortunately or otherwise, Ed Watson cannot "point with pride nor view with alarm" his record as an office holder, since such does not exist because he has never before sought nomination or election to any public office. He does not profess to be a politician nor an habitual office seeker.

On the other hand, Watson is a reputable private citizen who believes that, if elected, he can serve the people of Precinct 1 in a business-like way, and pledges his whole-hearted attention to the duties of the office. He will endeavor, at all times, to cooperate with the other commissioners and county officers generally, working to achieve a safe, sane and economical administration of the position he will occupy in county affairs.

Watson asks the vote and support of his friends in the coming primary and will be deeply appreciative of all favors, whether successful or not in his campaign.

Local Officers Join Chase After Traxler

Alleged Bad Man Eludes Pursuers in All-Night Game of Hide-and-Seek

Rated as one of the "bad men" of this region, Pete Traxler, Oklahoma desperado credited with holdups on Highway 66 in the vicinity of Groom, Texas, led Wheeler county officers a merry chase Wednesday night.

Notified by Pampa officials that Traxler had escaped their dragnet and was headed this way, Sheriff Raymond Waters and Deputy Kid Dewesse sought to head him off. First contacted near Mobeetie, Traxler got the "breaks" and made his get-away for the time being, only to be chased into the Briscoe and Allison regions after assertedly passing through Wheeler at a high rate of speed. He is thought to have found refuge in the broken country of northern Beckham county.

MORE THAN \$30,000 IN CHECKS ARRIVE

County Agent's Office Receives Parity, Rental, Special Pool Slips Today

Many Wheeler county farmers will hear pleasant news tomorrow (Friday) when they read this issue of The Wheeler Times or receive their notice cards that crop control checks aggregating \$30,637.62 reached the county agent's office today and will be distributed immediately.

The bunch of government slips good for cash are divided into three divisions, as follows:

Parity, 42 checks, \$1,265.23.
Rental, 20 checks, \$507.18.
Special Pool, 1,891 checks, \$28,865.21.

According to Jake Tarter, county agent, notices of receipt of these checks will be placed in the mails Friday morning, and payment will start, of course, when claimants make their appearance in his office.

County Odd Fellows Attend Association

Among the several hundred Odd Fellows and Rebekahs from over the Panhandle who attended a two-day convention of the orders Tuesday and Wednesday in Amarillo, the following Wheeler county men are reported as present:

J. D. Walker, Twitty; Bill Cadenhead, Smith Drew and Earl Morrow, Magic City; Curtis Willoughby, Center; T. L. Gunter and Bill Perrin, Wheeler; O. T. Glasscock, Lester Parrish, Henry Sims, Reuben Burkhalter, W. E. Tarbet, Claude Tarbet, Prentis Beasley, Harley Beasley, Dean McMurtry, Howard Leake, Oscar Nix, Gordon Stanford, Ewell Hardy, John Daberry and Andrew Neal, Shamrock.

Walker of Twitty, Glasscock of Shamrock and D. M. Spector are members of the executive committee of the Panhandle association of Odd Fellows.

SOFTBALL SEASON STARTED TUESDAY

Royal Drug Smothers Gas House Gang Under Avalanche of Tallies

Wheeler's softball season opened unofficially Tuesday evening when Manager Tony Puckett's "gas house gang" was defeated by the Royal Drug squad under the guidance of Manager Buford Conwell. The drugists made a last inning rally just as darkness settled down and swamped their opponents.

Batteries: South Side—Roy Puckett, Barney Burgess; Royal Drug—Chester Lewis, Theodore Conner.

A list of membership in the five teams, together with their managers, will be published soon.

A tentative schedule of games for the month of May will be found elsewhere in this issue of The Times.

CALENDAR OF ELECTION DATES OBTAINING IN WHEELER COUNTY

Through courtesy of A. B. Crump, Democratic county chairman, The Times is able to offer the following calendar of election dates. Since this is a national election year, and one in which more than usual activity will be in evidence, it is believed this schedule will prove of interest to the general public as well as candidates. The general election laws, from which these dates are taken, contain other requirements not applicable to Wheeler county, which are of no local value.

Given by months is found the following provisions:

MAY
First Saturday, May 2.—Precinct primary conventions to select delegates for county convention, which meets on the 5th.
First Tuesday afterwards, May 5.—To select delegates to state convention, which meets on the 6th.
Fourth Tuesday, May 26.—To select delegates to national convention to nominate president and vice president.

JUNE
Not later than First Monday, June 1.—Candidates for party nominations for state offices must file application with state chairman and candidates for district offices must file with district chairman.
Second Monday, June 8.—State executive committee to meet to certify names of candidates for nominations to state offices to county chairmen and select place for holding state convention.
Saturday before Third Monday, June 13.—Last day to get name on official ballot for county and precinct nominations.

AUGUST
All candidates—losers and winners—must file sworn statements of all expenditures and receipts within 10 days, August 4, after election; one with county clerk and one with county judge.
Candidates before second primary, August 19, file reports of receipts and expenditures. Same regulations as in first primary govern absentee voting.
Fourth Saturday, August 22.—Run-off primary.

SEPTEMBER
Sept. 1.—All candidates file statement of expenditures 10 days after run-off primary.

DEATH TAKES AGED DALLAS UNCLE OF WHEELER WOMAN

Mrs. Ed Jones of this city reports the death of an uncle, J. F. Agee, Dallas resident, who passed away April 21 at Bowie Memorial hospital, Weatherford, Texas, following a three weeks illness. Mr. Agee, who would have been 94 years old next September, was a distinguished Confederate veteran and well-known citizen of Dallas.

Interment was made in a Fort Worth cemetery, where the last rites were spoken on April 25. Six grandsons of the deceased were pall bearers.

Other relatives in the Panhandle besides Mrs. Jones are a great-niece, Mrs. Conner Smith, Wellington; a great-nephew, Clyde Gold, Pampa, and Mrs. Resa Gold-Davis of Amarillo.

New Crop Regulation Method and Benefits

County Agent Jake Tarter Explains System—County Committeemen and Their Location

Work sheets have arrived, and sign up will start Wednesday, May 6, by local committeemen.

Farmers are requested to measure all lands on the farm in cultivation, as the following described lands will be classified in the work sheet, which is the papers to be made out when the first sign up is made by themselves and local committeemen.

Cotton base—which includes the cotton permitted to be planted plus the rented acres in the old AAA contract.

Acreage in corn planted in the year 1935 and land rented in case there was a corn-hog contract on such lands.

Wheat—in case the wheat is not under wheat application contract.

Grain sorghums—which includes all kafir, maize, hegari, or any other grain classed as grain sorghum.

Truck and vegetable land—in case such crops have been grown for sale. Orchards and vineyards.

Woods waste or road land—which includes barnyards and house grounds as well as section lines, or other roads, and turn rows.

Pasture and range or lands in native grass.

Wild hay—which is native prairie.

If the cultivated acreage is measured, then the acreage of the bases such as cotton and corn, subtracted from the total acreage in the farm, will leave the acreage in roads and other waste lands.

As an example:

There is 160 acres in the farm with 40 acre cotton base, 20 acre corn base, and 110 acres in cultivation. Then 50 acres would be left for other crops which might be classed as grain sorghums if such is the crop that has been grown on the land, and 50 acres would remain as grass land, roads and house and barnyard, or turn rows.

Fifteen per cent of grain sorghums is to be diverted in case there is an

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County Scholastics Show Moderate Loss

Census Returns Indicate 160 Fewer Pupils for County—Local Gain Is Revealed

Scholastic census figures compiled in the office of B. T. Rucker, county superintendent, show a slight loss for the county as a whole. Last year the entire county registered 4,076 scholastics. This year's returns are 3,916, making a loss of 160.

Allowing 1.5 pupils to the family and an average of 3.5 persons in a family, would give approximately 400 loss in county population.

Figures from the five independent school districts—Wheeler, Shamrock, Mobeetie, Kelton and Lela—are worthy of special mention. These districts in 1935 reported 2,256 pupils; 1936 total is 2,191, showing a net loss of 65. Wheeler is the only one of the group to tally an increase, having 467 last year and 495 this year; gain, 28. Shamrock had 1,085 in 1935 and 1,072; 13 minus. Mobeetie a year ago turned in 318, this time 267; 51 minus. Kelton last year had 211, now 184; minus 27. Lela's loss was negligible, dropping from 175 to 173, only two short of 1935.

Returns for the county are subject to revision by the State Department of Education census division. Rucker states, however, that such revision is not expected to materially affect the final figures.

Common School Districts

1—Hay Hollow	17
2—Briscoe	256
3—Rock	42
4—Gracey	189
5—Heald	56
6—Bethel	102
7—China Flat	25
15—Myrtle	37
19—Locust	58
22—Corn Valley	69
23—Mt. Zion	35
24—Pakan	42
25—Pleasant Hill	68
26—Sweetwater	16
27—Ramsdell	34
28—Benonie	27
29—Union	70
30—Plainview	43
31—Twitty	86
32—Magic City	200
33—Center	100
34—Dixon	33
35—Liberty	44
36—Mt. View	43
37—Spring Creek	6
38—Davis	27

Total

Independent School Districts

Wheeler	495
Shamrock	1,072
Mobeetie	267
Kelton	184
Lela	173

Total

Common School Districts

Ind. School Districts

GRAND TOTAL

3,916

Sunday Morning Fire Burns Crowder Home

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crowder had the misfortune to lose most of their clothing and household goods in an early Sunday morning fire which destroyed a tenant house belonging to his father, J. T. Crowder, located near the parental residence, east of town. The blaze started from an oil stove which exploded as Mrs. Crowder was preparing breakfast while Crowder was busy in the milk lot.

Fortunately, none of the family were injured by the fire, which quickly consumed the dwelling.

Mr. and Mrs. Crowder were occupying the house temporarily while a new home is in course of construction on their land just east of the J. E. Willard farm home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meek and son, Wendell, left Friday evening by auto for Washington, D. C., where Wendell has a job. Mr. and Mrs. Meek will return early next week.

MAYBE SO

From indications today, J. C. Moore has designs on the matrimonial racket; he claimed to be seeking a wife for a friend of his. Since his duties as chief inspector of old age pension applicants (men) he is hunting new fields to conquer.

Because he had been in Amarillo that day may account partly, at least, for Cliff Weatherly's assertion that rain fell so fast east of Wheeler Sunday night that water rose in his car while driving up hill . . . anyway it appeared to him uphill when looking ahead.

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TEXAS IN LIMELIGHT

"This is Centennial year in Texas." Unquestionably before 1936 shall have taken its place in the procession of years that lie in the past, scarcely a nook or cranny of the nation will not know of the big event. Even the world will be cognizant of the fact that the commonwealth established by Crockett, Bowie, Travis, Austin and Houston is celebrating its 100th birthday.

Many methods of publicity are being used to inform the peoples of the earth about the Centennial celebration, the magnitude of Texas and its vast resources. One of them is described as follows in The Texas Weekly, magazine published by Peter Molyneux:

Write-a-Letter Week

"Not Texans alone are wanting to know things about the biggest state in the union. The wide publicity given the Centennial celebration has resulted in people all over the United States being suddenly seized with the conviction that they ought to know more about the Lone Star State. This feeling is reflected in the letters received at Centennial headquarters in response to newspapers and magazine advertisements placed in some of the country's leading publications.

"Residents of all the 47 sister States of Texas, and of foreign countries, are finding out things about Texas, and, like Oliver Twist, they are asking for 'more.' And they are going to get more. For instance, the week from May 11th to 18th has been set aside in Texas as Write-a-Letter Week.

"Because people of other states are displaying so much interest in Texas, and because school children and club members of Texas have shown such a decided inclination to help appease this appetite for information about Texas, special material has been secured by the school and club division of the department of information of the Texas Centennial to insert in mail going out of the state. This material includes a three-color pictorial folder on Texas, small stuffers on the Texas Centennial celebrations, six colored pictorial stamps, and a colored windshield sticker. The purpose of Write-a-Letter Week is stated as being 'assist Texans in bringing to residents of other States the many interesting features of the Lone Star State as it goes on parade during the Centennial year,' and it may well be expected to do that.

"This of course, is designed primarily to publicize still further the Centennial celebration, but, as has been the case with much other Centennial publicity, it will do more than that. The persons who want to know about the Centennial in particular are in most cases the same who want to know about Texas in general. This Write-a-Letter Week is cited here merely as an instance of the manner in which the interest of out-of-State people is being aroused in Texas' Centennial celebration and in Texas itself.

"There are plenty of other examples: Some of the most widely circulated magazines in the United States are carrying stories on Texas; newspapers are finding material for feature stories in Texas and the Centennial; books on Texas are being published at a greater rate than ever before."

RESERVES VS. DEPRESSIONS

During the five years of depression, says the United States News, American business dipped into its reserves to the tune of \$26,500,000,000.

That was the volume of its spending OVER AND ABOVE its income during the period. Most of it was spent in 1931 and 1932, when conditions were at their worst. The tapering off started in 1934.

The money was accumulated during years of good business, when substantial profits were earned, when there was no unemployment problem, and when depression was a word associated with 1907. All through those good years, business executives wisely built up a "rainy-day" reserve. They realized that prosperity, permanent as it seemed then, might not go on forever, that another depression might come, and that business overhead might some day be greater than its receipts.

The 26 billion dollars of reserves thus kept factories open that otherwise would have closed. It kept men at work, that would otherwise have

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Calendar of Historical Events



"Big words seldom go with good deeds self praise is the worst praise"

- APRIL 30—Louisiana is the 18th state to be admitted to the Union, 1812.
- MAY 1—Kate Smith, favorite radio singer, born, 1908
- 2—England issues a charter to the Hudson Bay Company, 1670
- 3—First air passenger service in the United States starts, 1919.
- 4—Last of Seminole Indians are deported from Florida, 1858
- 5—G. A. R. designates May 30th as Decoration Day, 1868
- 6—Plague of frogs infests Jamestown, N. D., 1859.

been discharged, to swell the vast rolls of the unemployed. It paid dividends that saved thousands of people, of whom a large proportion were widows and minor children, from utter poverty and distress. In many cases, only the existence of reserves enabled corporations to meet fixed charges, such as bond interest, and so saved them from bankruptcy.

It is the building up of such reserves that federal legislation now threatens, through proposed taxation to force industry to dispose of surplus earnings at once, or give a big percentage of them over to the tax collector. In the light of the experience of the last five years, it seems inconceivable that such a bill should be suggested—and even more inconceivable that the American people should countenance it.

SPRING IN THE HOME

Spring is here! And it's about time for householders to start their semi-annual housecleaning. While doing that, they should keep a weather eye out for the common fire hazards that multiply in homes during the winter season.

Dangerous hazards can be found on every floor of the average home. Start in the attic—look at those dog-eared magazines, finger-marked books that no one will ever read again, the battered furniture you inherited from Aunt Millie and put out of sight as rapidly as possible. By disposing of such junk, the chance of fire can be greatly reduced.

Then come downstairs and go through the closets. There you'll find clothes of the 1920 vintage—worn-out dust mops and cleaning rags and paraphernalia—waste matter of a dozen different kinds. Fire likes nothing better as a starting point.

The cellar probably resembles the attic—plus a few special hazards of its own. Paints and varnishes, often found in topless cans, are usually inflammable and some are actually explosive. Gasoline, benzine and solvents have caused many a big fire—store them properly, if you don't want your house added to the destroyed list.

Now go outside. Are there piles of twigs and boughs or rubbish heaps about the premises? Or an abandoned auto or idle machinery surrounded by old papers, tumble weeds and trash? If so, the fire demon is lurking just around the corner, waiting to get to work.

And so it goes, in homes and places of business and abandoned houses and uncut fields. A relatively small number of ordinary hazards are responsible for the great majority of all fires. Make your spring "house cleaning" a personal fire prevention campaign as well.

COMMUNISM OR FASCISM?

"We are racing toward dictatorship! Communism or Fascism will be our lot if something isn't done."

This is the warning given to American workmen by Matthew Wool, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, in Liberty Magazine. In making his own case, Wool makes the case for every American who wants no form of "ism" in this country, nor any form of dictatorship.

"Whether we admit it or not, we Americans are rushing toward governmentalism or a form of state socialism," Wool says. "We are turning our backs on individual rights, contract rights, property rights, even states rights."

"We are setting up a new form of society."

Building his case step by step, Wool points out that "one by one, under the stress of emergency, the great towers of democratic strength in this country have gone down and towers of dictatorial strength have arisen in their places. This is invariably the first step toward a socialistic state, whether of the Communist, or the Fascist or Nazi type."

"Government is already moving rapidly toward the full control of industry. The trend toward dictator-

ship is no longer a trend; it is a race. True it has been slowed down here and there by judicial opposition. But it is only a matter of time before courts, no matter how august, change in personnel until they reflect the will of the power which appoints them. Judicial opposition alone will not permanently protect us."

In those few words, Wool makes as fine a case for maintenance of the American system as has been made. He speaks for organized labor, but he sees plainly that property rights and human rights are the same. The fall of liberty means the fall of our entire structure.

SIDELIGHTS

By
HON. MARVIN JONES

Payments to Veterans

World War veterans will receive a settlement of their adjusted service compensation very soon after June 15, according to the treasury department. Under the law passed at the present session of congress, the bonds by which payment will be made cannot be delivered before June 15, which is the date they become effective. The bonds have been printed and have been sent to the federal reserve banks for distribution.

Because of the mailing problem which would be created by the release of 2,000,000 letters all at one time, the payments will be mailed in large batches. Within a short time after June 15, every veteran who has had his application approved is expected to receive a registered letter containing his settlement. Applications are being received daily, and it is estimated that there will still be 700,000 applications on hand when payments are started. These are ones which have recently been received or about which correspondence has been necessary. They will be taken care of as quickly as possible.

The letter which the veteran receives will contain the bonds in denominations of \$50, and if there is a sum less than \$50 due, this will be in the form of a treasury check. No other person except the veteran can sign a receipt for the letter containing the bonds. Bonds may be converted into cash by application at any of a large number of post offices throughout the country. The list of these has not yet been announced but there will be 250 or 300 of them.

Local Post Office Payment

The treasury department explains that it is not necessary for the veteran to call at one of these post offices in order to have his bonds converted. If he does not live near one of them, he can make application to his local postmaster, who will certify to his identification. The bonds desired to be cashed will be forwarded by the local postmaster to the nearest post office making disbursements. A check will be sent back immediately to the veteran.

It will probably be more satisfactory for the veteran to cash his bonds through his local postmaster so as to avoid any problem of identification.

All bonds will be dated June 15, 1936, and will run to June 15, 1945. They may be exchanged for cash at any time during the first year at their face value, and if held one year from the date of issuance they may be exchanged with an additional three per cent interest. The law provides that the bonds shall not be transferable, and cannot be assigned toward purchases. They are payable to the veteran only, and can be cashed only by him.

The department says that every effort is being made to deliver these bonds in order that veterans who desire the cash now may receive it with the least possible delay. The Farm Credit administration reports that they are receiving many inquiries from veterans who wish to use their payments toward purchasing farm homes.

Our Exchanges

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

Life begins at forty and so do fallen arches, lumbago, bad eyesight and the tendency to tell a story to the same person three or four times. —Tulia Herald.

The roll of thunder Monday afternoon fell upon hopeful ears. The bombardment was soon followed by a splendid spring rain that cheered drooping spirits like nobody's business. A rain in the Panhandle in the springtime can do more to put pep and hope into Panhandlers than any other thing.—Memphis Democrat.

One cotton plantation was paid close to \$200,000, and one wheat grower received nearly \$100,000 from the AAA, the past two years. One sugar producer received more than a million dollars. It would seem that a more equitable way could be developed, in which the individual farmer's need could enter into the picture; which would help in the matter of other alphabetical expenditures.—McLean News.

The "forgotten man" is the local publisher who works his head off

for the good of the community, and then sees the mail order printing houses get the jobs that would have kept the wolf from the publisher's door.—Donley County Leader.

Yes, or the advertising that belongs in a newspaper, to further help the town, supplanted by circulars printed out of town, or some other practically worthless guttersnipe.

It seems that a certain gathering where there were 200 teachers assembled, this question was asked: "Who was the greatest woman in history?"

The judges were unanimous in awarding the prize to the one who made this reply:

"The wife of a farmer of moderate means, who does her own cooking, washing, ironing, sewing, brings up a family of boys and girls to be useful members of society and still finds time for intellectual improvement." Community Weekly.

Lee R. Powers, 43, prominent White Deer farmer and stockman, died in Worley hospital a few minutes after 10 o'clock, Sunday night. He had been a resident of White Deer for 20 years. He had been ill with pneumonia for over two weeks and his many friends had feared for several days that the end might come.—White Deer Review.

Approximately 28,000 acres of the D. F. Urschel ranch, north of Canadian, has been leased for pasture by six Hemphill county ranchers. They are: Frank Chambers, Jep Todd, Bruce Waterfield, Elmer Melton, Tom Conatser and Jack Lawrence. There are 45 sections in the ranch. Other Hemphill cattlemen are moving cattle to pasture in various sections. Mathers brothers have shipped 500 cows to Pawhuska, Okla., to pasture in the Osage country. Wiley W. Wright has shipped all his cows and 400 head of yearling steers to the Hayhook ranch, north of Pampa.—Canadian Record.

District Attorney Lewis M. Goodrich of Shamrock, was a visitor in Miami yesterday. He stated that district court was in session at Wheeler this week.—Miami Chief.

A mixture of prairie dog poison caused the death of a mule which belonged to T. W. Brown, and almost

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cost the life of eight others. Brown, after mixing the poison, left it in a horse trough where it was discovered by his stock. The animals devoured enough of the mixture to render them all in critical condition, but eight of them were saved.—Wellington Leader.

Organization meetings to complete the set-up for the administration of the new Federal Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment act will be held in Ochiltree county next week. This action was decided by the Ochiltree County Farm council at their meeting Tuesday afternoon. The council was designated as the official body to supervise the formation of the administrative body for the new farm program.—Ochiltree County Herald.

Congressman Marvin Jones writes from Washington that plans for the new postoffice building are nearing completion, and unless something happens this week to cause delay, the plans will be completed by Saturday. After the plans are completed it will take about three weeks before the advertising may start for bids on the building. According to the schedule, it is likely that bids will be opened near the first of July.—Canyon News.

A sizeable deficit in the Gray county officers' salary fund will be the result of application of the new legislation and salary hikes, unless an unexpected upturn in fees is made in the next nine months. The deficit must be made up by transfers from the general fund.—Lefors News.

O. H. Johnston of Magic City was in Wheeler Tuesday on business.

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Fred Stone

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Thursday, May 7



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WHEELER, TEXAS

Honor Students for High School Named

Estelle Scott, Dorothy Burgess Are Once Again Valedictorian, Salutatorian of Class

Once again identical records will be written in the history of the 1936 graduating class. Just four years ago in the seventh grade graduation exercises, Estelle Scott was valedictorian and Dorothy Burgess acted as salutatorian. At the senior class exercises this year these girls will again officiate in this capacity.

Estelle Averages 93.5

With an average of 93.5 for her four high school years, Estelle will give the valedictory and Dorothy the welcome address. Dorothy's average was 87.8. Capitola Wilson ranked third, with Mazie Bean fourth in the total grade.

Both Estelle and Dorothy have attended all their school years at Wheeler. Both girls are members of the Spanish and Home Economics clubs. Last year Estelle was secretary of the Home Ec. club as well as an officer in the Spanish club.

Dorothy Mae was president of her class during the freshman year and secretary for the junior and senior years. During all their high school term, both have been active in the Pep Squad.

Both Active in League Work

Having leading roles in both the junior and senior plays of their class, Estelle and Dorothy have proved

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Baptist W. M. S. Honors Seniors With Banquet

The Women's Missionary society of the Baptist church honored the seniors of the Wheeler high school with a banquet in the basement of the Baptist church Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Prof. H. D. Boggen of Wayland college, Plainview, was the main speaker of the evening, the subject of his lecture being education. Prof. Guy Woods of the same institution entertained with a few musical numbers and songs and he also played the accompaniment for the quartet, composed of four girls from Wayland college. Prof. Woods is the head of the music department at Wayland. The welcome address was given by Mrs. Lee Guthrie and the response by Cecil Sherwood, class president.

The menu consisted of: Cherry cocktail, chicken a-la-king, stuffed potatoes, beets, vegetable salad, rolls, butter, iced tea, ice cream and cake.

The following seniors were present: Evelyn Balch, Mazie Bean, Dorothy Burgess, Rutha Mae Conner, Cozette Crofford, Cordie Lee Farris, Adell Hampton, Opal Morris, Helen Sanders, Estelle Scott, Mable Sherwood, Laney Mae Tillman, Wilma Tinney, Gladys Warren, Nerine Young, Beulah Compary, Julia Lou Tinney, J. R. Burke, Junior Jamison, Ocie Pace, Cecil Sherwood, Chlorene Morgan, and sponsor, Miss Bernie Addison.

Marvin Recovering from Operation

Marvin Montgomery, a senior at W. H. S., is recovering nicely from an appendix operation performed on Sunday, April 19. He is at the Wheeler hospital.

Juniors Complete Final Preparations for Revue

DELEGATES LEAVE FOR AUSTIN PRESS MEET

Delegates to the Austin convention of the Interscholastic Press association left Thursday morning. Martha Alice Wiley, Beatrice Miller and their sponsor, Miss Bernie Addison, went with Supt. J. L. Gilmore in his car. Earl Gilmore accompanied the group. Due to the printing of the school paper with a commercial publication, neither The Corral nor its staff are eligible to enter the contests being held in connection with the meet.

For the benefit of the delegates attending who cannot enter the contests, as well as for those of the contest papers, a convention will be held. This will consist of three two-hour sessions of talks and discussions on problems of high school journalism.

In addition to these business meetings, there will be a Quill and Scroll reception Thursday night. A dinner-dance will be given Friday night for the attending delegates.

BOY SCOUTS TO GIVE PLAY "TIME WILL TELL"

The Boy Scouts will present a play, "Time Will Tell," at the gymnasium, probably on the night of May 4. This is one of the many things they have been trying to accomplish this year.

Those taking part in the play are: J. D. and Raymond Badley, Harrison Hall, Guy and Gerald Robison, Albert Gunter, H. E. Young, Earl Gilmore, Howard Nations, Amos Page, Clowes Jones, R. J. Puckett, Troy Lee Carver and Theodore Cooper.

Also included on this program will be a Court of Honor conducted by C. A. Clark of Pampa. As each boy takes his test he will be given a badge.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME OF SECOND GRADE TEACHER

The house in which Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crowder were living while a new one is under construction was destroyed by fire early Sunday morning.

All of their clothing and personal valuables were destroyed.

Mrs. Crowder is the second grade teacher in the local public school.

Miss Addison Gets New Bookcase

A small, new, movable bookcase has been built for Miss Bernie Addison by H. E. Cole. It is now being used in the English and journalism room. It holds a new set of encyclopedias and other reference books.

Program to Include 3 Different Shows

Artists to Exhibit Talent in Style Show, Amateur Hour, One-Act Comedy

Final preparations are being made today for the Junior Revue, to be held in the gymnasium-auditorium tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. Garlands of flowers, festoons of colored paper, vari-colored lights and gayly decorated tables are going into place in preparation for one of the largest festivals held this year.

Headlined by three different shows, this entertainment promises to be one of the most unusual ever presented in Wheeler. Outstanding artists in every field will exhibit their talent.

Style Show

One of the novel numbers is to be a style show, showing the latest fashions for ladies and children. Among the beautifully gowned young girls and misses, will be seen models from the leading department stores of Wheeler and prize-winning frocks from the home economics department of the high school.

A high light of the program will be an unusual amateur contest, conducted to discover new talent. Prizes will be awarded to the winners of the men's division and winners of the girls' division.

Rib-Tickling Comedy

"The Right Answer," a mirth-provoking, rib-tickling comedy in one act will cap the evening's program. The cast will consist of members of the junior class, which is sponsoring the show.

Proceeds of the show will go to the junior class in order to enable them to defray expenses of the annual banquet given by the juniors honoring the senior class and the annual junior day on which they will go to Palo Duro park.

Tickets are on sale by members of the junior class. Practically all of the reserved tables are already sold. However, tickets may be procured at the door for 15 cents per person or 50 cents per table.

Sandwiches, coffee, cake, pie and ice cream will be on sale at all tables by uniformed waiters. Paper hats, fun-makers, confetti and other novelties will be given as long as they hold out to assist in the evening's enjoyment.

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Trip to Carlsbad Proves Almost As Eventful As That to San Angelo

From all reports, the senior trip to Carlsbad proved almost as eventful as the girls' trip to San Angelo rally. All of the students claim that the softest beds for the cheapest money are to be found in one of the Carlsbad show houses. The group paid 26c to see a movie and all fell asleep during the feature.

The trip covered from wading mud knee deep, to straightening the bus out and bringing the major part of the provisions back. Unusual dinner rings, as well as other trinkets, were purchased by the girls.

Among other things, Ford was told by the proprietor of a beer garden that he was too young to buy Coors. Three of the boys tried to meet some of the local belles but were foiled with a frigid stare.

A few of the expressions by the travelers concerning the cavern were: "It was inexplicable," according to Opal Morris. Wilma Tinney says, "It was really worth the trip." Ford Newkirk claims, "The cavern is bet-

ter than the Shamrock caves." Slangily Jack Tate contends, "Boy, they were really keen." Farrell makes the statement: "They've got some good looking women."

The San Angelo trip was reported lots of fun by Mr. and Mrs. White-ner as well as the girls. Due to the large number of girls attending it was extremely hard to find any boys. A few of the students were boys.

A barbecue given in the municipal park proved to be quite an event. Some interesting shows were attended, including "Saga of the Alamo," which was centered around the bloody massacre of the inmates of the Alamo.

According to Dorothy Lee, Martha Alice and Juanell, the town was very pretty. The surprising fact was that no bluebonnets were seen but those cultivated in the yards.

While in Lubbock, on the way back, the group visited some of the Wheeler boys and girls who are attending college there.

Seniors Leave Amid Tears of Watchers

Mrs. H. E. Young Accompanied Group As Chaperone on Visit to Carlsbad Cavern

With a tearful crowd watching, the seniors left for Carlsbad last Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Mrs. H. E. Young chaperoned, as Miss Bernie Addison, senior sponsor, was ill.

Friday night was spent in Roswell, N. Mex., where the group attended a show. The trip through the cavern was made Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The students were awestruck with this marvel that Mother Nature had created.

Saturday night was spent in a tourist camp in Carlsbad and the preview of "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," which was shown in technicolor, was seen. The homeward journey was begun Sunday morning and they arrived home late the same night—tired but exceedingly happy.

It seems that some time during the course of Friday night the boys picked up the peculiar expression—"Well, good!" That is probably all anyone has heard since the return of the "prodigal sons and daughters."

COLTS

Working diligently, the first, second and third grades are practicing on their May Day program. It will be given on May 11. Exhibit of work that has been done this year by the pupils will be arranged so the people may see what they have accomplished.

The third grade section A, under the instruction of Mrs. John Hood, is taking up a study of Japan and China.

"They seem to be very interested in this study," stated Mrs. Hood in an interview early Wednesday morning. The pupils have just finished their language books and flower books. They studied flowers that bloom in the fall and through the summer months. The little folks have made some very attractive scrap books.

The second grade has not started anything new as it is so near time for school to close. Since Mrs. Crowder's house in which she was living burned, she has to make out a new register. The two sections of the second grade are planning a picnic for the end of school. They will go to the Stanley Grove and take their lunch. They expect to go on Tuesday of the last week of school.

Mrs. John Ficke, teacher of the first grade, was called home Wednesday because of her mother's illness. Mrs. J. Edmund Kirby is teaching in her place this week.

To the disappointment of members of the sixth grade, the physical education program which they were to have sponsored was called off. Some time in the near future a spelling match will be had between the two sections of the sixth grade.

The seventh grade has finished their weekly test books they purchased the first of school. These were standardized tests put out by the state department. Mrs. Allen I Smith plans to have her pupils review from now until school is out. Junior Robinson from Oklahoma enrolled in the seventh grade last week.

A grunt, a groan,
I just hit
My funny bone.

JOURNALISM MAGAZINE RECOGNIZES WHEELER

In the April-May issue of the Quill and Scroll, national honorary journalism society magazine, The Corral and a member of the staff received recognition.

A description of the detachable tabloid method of printing the local school paper was included in the idea column of the periodical. Also the advisability of having each student contribute two items for the gossip each week was suggested as a means of improving the humor column.

Martha Alice Wiley, associate editor, received honorable mention in an editorial contest which she entered. The material for this contest was submitted last month.

Home Economics Girls Report Splendid Trip

Although they captured only one honor, the home ec. girls who attended the state rally at San Angelo reported a marvelous trip.

Juanell Perryman, Martha Alice Wiley, Dorothy Lee Burke and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Whitener left Wednesday morning and arrived in San Angelo that night.

None of the girls placed on their dresses. However, Dorothy Lee was in the finals. Wheeler placed fourth on the group entry which included three school dresses, three tailored dresses, three evening dresses, two child's play garments and two hobby books.

Martha Alice responded to a toast for District No. 1 during the banquet at which 500 girls were present.

There were 1,300 representatives at the rally. Wheeler competed with 96 schools in Group B.

While passing through the towns the various colleges were inspected. McMurry, Hardin-Simmons and the Abilene Christian college at Abilene; Texas Tech at Lubbock W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon; Plainview and San Angelo Junior colleges were some of the colleges which the party visited. The group returned to Wheeler Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock.

JUNIORS PLAN TO VISIT IN PALO DURO ON MAY 7

Early Thursday morning, May 7, the juniors will for a day bid farewell to Wheeler to spend the day at Palo Duro. All year the next-year-seniors have looked forward to this trip. The seniors are convalescing from their Carlsbad week end and now it's all a memory, but to the juniors the day is yet to come.

One bus will be used for transportation. Plans are being made to have lunch in the canyon then have the entire afternoon for hiking and games. At 5 o'clock they will leave for Amarillo and there they will attend a show at the Paramount theatre, returning home that night.

Each student is to contribute his part of the expenses. Robert Mayne, the sponsor, and his wife will accompany the class.

JUNIORS HAVE CLASS MEETING

At a class meeting Monday afternoon in Robert Mayne's home room, the juniors held a class meeting. All but about two members were present.

Mayne explained plans for the Junior Revue, the annual junior-senior banquet and the annual junior day picnic.

Tickets for the Junior Revue were issued to members of the class to sell.

HOLLOWAY TO PREACH SERMON FOR SENIORS

Rev. Taft Holloway, pastor of the Baptist church, has been selected by the seniors to preach the commencement sermon on Sunday, May 10. For the past three years Rev. J. E. Kirby, pastor of the Methodist church, has had this honor.

John McCarty, editor of the Amarillo Globe-News has been decided upon as the speaker for commencement night. The commencement exercise is to be in the high school auditorium on May 15.

Imogene Jamison, Mrs. Derwood Lewis, and daughter of Oklahoma City spent the week end with their aunt, east of town.

P.-T. A. Entertains With Tacky Party

Entertaining with an event that proved to be the most hilarious of the social season, the Parent-Teacher association gave a tacky party in the gymnasium Monday night.

Mrs. C. B. Witt and Lynn Gott were in charge of the games. As the outstanding feature, various prizes were offered for the most extreme or best in each division. These awards were donated by a number of local merchants.

Among the business firms contributing were: City Drug store, Russ Ready-to-Wear, Ernest Lee Hardware, Puckett's, Cicero Smith Lumber, Green's Hardware, Crump-Mundy, Garrison Station, W. E. Pennington, Maloy's, Shira's Station, White-way Cafe, Porter's, Lewis Cafe, Beasley's, People's store, Perryman Beauty shop, McIlhany's, Nations', Harrell's, Royal Drug.

Around 40 parents and teachers attended. Amateur hour was another diversion of the evening. The tackiest woman was Mrs. W. E. Pennington and Cliff Weatherly was awarded tackiest man.

Refreshments of bubble gum and suckers were served at a late hour.

Seniors Return from Great Carlsbad Trip Feeling Very "Punk"

Well, seniors, have you had a good time while on your great trip to the Carlsbad Caverns? What do you think now?

All of the class had lead hanging on their eye lashes Saturday night when they attended the show. (Strange, isn't it?)

Seems that 25c is a pretty high price to pay for four to skate 25 minutes. But that is what Jack, Rutha Mae, Cecil and Dorothy were out Friday night, while the others went to a show. Wonder if it was worth the money?

Several of the boys went into a cafe and ordered a mug of beer apiece. The waiter said she was sorry but they were too young and she could not serve them. Ford said, "My goodness, I forgot about just coming 12 this last spring."

No one was supposed to pick up any little rocks from the caverns. Some of the class had some rocks just like the ones in the caverns. Surely, however, they were bought in town.

They all got back safe and sound, but were a little sleepy. Next time they will know how to act, (maybe).

Music Pupils Enter Shamrock Sing-song

Among the 2,000 patrons and school students attending the county-wide sing-song at Denver athletic field in Shamrock, Friday night, April 24, 125 were Wheeler music pupils. Lucille Pringle was the county group director and Mrs. Glenn A. Truax, accompanist.

The program was as follows: Eyes of Texas and Dixie by the county ensemble; three numbers by the Cooper quartet from the Davis school; Riding Down the Old Texas Trail by the string band of Mobeetie; Home on the Range by the ensemble.

Have You Ever Been to Texas in the Spring by Analyce Hill and Wanda Jean Fox; Texas, Our Texas, by a group of the north and south ward students of Shamrock; Beautiful Texas, by the ensemble; special number by a small group of Corn Valley students.

Old Black Joe, by the junior high school of Shamrock; In My Happy Little Home in Texas and Texas Pride of the South, by the ensemble; special number from the Hackberry school; Old Faithful, by the ensemble.

Swanee River, by the Shamrock high school choir, and two songs by Jay Beard of Mobeetie. The entire group sang America as the closing number. The music preceding the program was by the Shamrock Irish band.

SENIORS PURCHASE GIFTS

On returning from the Carlsbad Caverns, Saturday afternoon, the senior class visited a curio shop in Carlsbad and purchased a nail file for their sponsor, Miss Bernie Addison, and a knife for Marvin Montgomery, both of whom were unable to make the trip.

Both gifts had "Carlsbad, N. M.," engraved upon them.

SENIORS SELECT SPEAKER

Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock the seniors met in the room of Miss Bernie Addison, senior sponsor, for the purpose of deciding who will preach the baccalaureate sermon to be held in the gymnasium-auditorium.

Rev. Taft Holloway was selected as the speaker. John McCarty of Amarillo will give the commencement address.

RAMBLINGS ON THE RANGE

Geraldine and Jonnie Lewis were in Shamrock Sunday night.

Lewis Cain spent Friday and Saturday in Canyon.

Luther Lee Owen visited relatives in Hollis, Okla., during the week end.

Mildred Coward spent Sunday with one of her friends near Twitty.

Orblee Gaines of Kelton visited with Alvern Hampton, Sunday.

Bonnie Ray Tilley visited school Tuesday afternoon.

Dawn Weatherly was in Amarillo and Miami, Sunday. She visited some of her friends who are leaving for Scotland, their native land.

Orveta Puett and Dorothy Tolliver were, in Amarillo shopping, Saturday afternoon.

Supt. J. L. Gilmore motored to Pampa last Thursday morning.

Derwood Lewis, a former student of Wheeler high school who is now living in Oklahoma City, visited school Tuesday afternoon.

John Paris of Laketon visited Jonnie Lewis, Sunday evening.

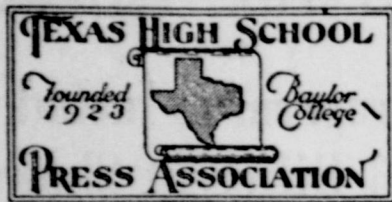
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Aim: To record accurate accounts of school happenings interestingly.



A GREAT CHANCE

Are the various trips which high school students are eligible to take worthwhile?

Under the heading of trips would fall the Fort Worth Track meet, State Home Economics Rally at San Angelo, Interscholastic Press Convention at Austin, and county, district and regional Interscholastic League meets.

Most everyone has heard the adage, "Travel broadens one." One eastern professor claims that from an educational standpoint, he would give any student a year of travel in preference to one of study. At the end of this time, the person would have a larger scope of ideas and would be much better equipped mentally as well as culturally.

Perhaps high school students do not observe their surroundings as closely as older people, but in the end they receive a more vivid impression.

The school spirit inspired on these excursions is worthwhile and the chance to tour proves an incentive for better work. Since only the best students are taken, all strive to reach tops in their study.

School trips are very helpful because they give students goals to work towards as well as greatly improving the standard of the school and giving the winner an opportunity to see his native state.

BOONDOGLERS IN THE STUDY HALL

Whoever he is, or whoever he thinks he is, the boondogglers of the study hall is like the ill wind that blows nobody good. He can spend more effort trying to keep out of work than the average student uses studying. He can, without trying, or perhaps without being conscious of it, keep the more industrious student from being able to concentrate.

Oh, yes, when the teacher looks at him he's busy, or seems to be. His book is open even if it may be upside down.

If you are one of these menaces to study hall peace, an original suggestion is that you try to be a less noticeable with your boondoggling. If you must be idle, try to be very idle instead of "wiggling" so much that the person behind you can't write.

SENIOR SADDLE STRINGS

Name: Ruby Adell Hampton.
 Age: 17.
 Birthplace: Wheeler.
 Height: 5 feet, 5½ inches.
 Weight: 125.
 Schools attended: Wheeler.
 Hobby: Reading and sewing.
 Ideal boy: Brunet and one who dresses neatly.
 Favorite color: Pink.
 Favorite food: Ice cream.
 Favorite author: Zane Grey.
 Favorite subject: Home ec.
 Pet dislike: Sissy people.
 Ambition: Be a home ec. teacher.
 Prospective college: W. T. S. T. C.

Name: Cosette Crofford.
 Age: 19.
 Birthplace: Yantis, Texas.
 Height: 5 feet, 4 inches.
 Weight: 110.
 Schools attended: Yantis, Lamesa, Gilbreath and Wheeler.
 Hobby: Dancing.
 Ideal boy: Good sport and good looking.
 Favorite color: Blue.
 Favorite food: Pineapple.
 Favorite author: Dickens.
 Favorite subject: Home ec.
 Pet dislike: English IV.
 Ambition: Become a home ec. teacher.
 Prospective college: Texas Tech.

IN REVIEW

THE LIGHT THAT FAILED Rudyard Kipling

"The Light That Failed" is a wonderful romance written by that ever famous author, Kipling. The heroine and the hero are both artists but they can never agree on their work.

As small children they both lived in an orphan's home situated in a country village. They played together all of their lives and were lost without each other until Maisie left to attend art school and he to begin his career.

He begged Maisie to marry him at once as soon as she finished school but she would not because she thought more of her work than of him. Another girl posed for him in his work and she fell in love with his roommate. He sent his roommate away because he did not want him to marry this girl, and as a result she hated him very much. Just as Dick had completed his masterpiece he went completely blind. Thinking that she would get her revenge his model, Bessie, ruined his picture. Fate was kind to him in that respect, however, because he never knew that it was ruined. His true love returned to him when she learned of his predicament.

SETTING FOR DRAMA ENHANCED BY TENSE, SUPRESSED LAUGHTER

Hushed laughter interspersed with a strained giggle lent atmosphere to the drama. The setting was illuminated by the cold gray light of morning. A certain tenseness about the actors suggested tragedy.

With a debonair air of unconcern, Junior was standing at the front of the room clicking off some rather monstrous-sounding words. The poor boy meant no offense.

Suddenly with an imperious command in her voice, Miss Clark gestured and said hastily:

"O. D., take him out."

O. D. hesitated and started toward the back of the room. Miss Clark quick to explain, continued with:

"No, I didn't mean Junior." The improvised sergeant-at-arms ushered a small black and white dog from the music room.

Study hall boondogglers are probably the happiest people in the world; yet what does it get them? The world does not progress by their foolishness.

(Editorial which won honorable mention in a recent Quill and Scroll contest.—Author, MARTHA ALICE WILEY.)

SAGE BLOOMS

MAKING OVER AN OLD DRESS

Considering that most of us have plenty of old clothes (or at least what few we have are probably old), there is always the proposition of making over an old dress.

Any old dress is usually faded. Who likes faded clothes? Even old ones? Therefore, the very first thing to be considered is what color to dye it.

Navy blue is a pretty good color to dye things. I know from former experience.

Talking about dyeing clothes, try it on something you dislike very badly. The last old dress I tried to dye drew up so much that I had to give it to my little sister for a doll dress.

After you finish dyeing it, the next thing to do is to decide how you want it made. This is probably the easiest step in the whole process. You never fail to decide to make it at least three inches longer and you want two or three pleats in front instead of the plain skirt. Long sleeves will take the place of those short ones. Now everything is settled; except, perhaps, the possibility of finding enough cloth in the already too small dress to make all these drastic changes, but don't let a little thing like that bother you.

Now that you have decided how you will make it, you begin taking it apart to re-cut it. Ouch! Look at that hole you just cut with the razor blade. Well, that's all right; you can make it up in the seam and it'll never be noticed. Watch those scissors; you just stuck them through the waist. Wonder what makes the material rotten? Guess it wasn't worth the price you paid about five years ago.

After you get it all taken apart, you can start cutting. Tsk! Tsk! Wonder why you can't cut a long sleeve out of that short one? Guess you'll have to cut the pattern down. There, that's better. Going to have to cut down the skirt pattern, too, I guess. Well here goes. That's over.

Now put it together. This is what's funny. All you have to do is sew it up. Now try it on. Whoa! It's ripping!

Oh well, you needed a new dress anyway; why did you ever start making the rotten thing over? You knew it wasn't worth it.

MARTHA ALICE WILEY,
English III.

Ocie declares that Capitola kissed him while coming home on the bus Sunday but she is equally sure that there were no witnesses to this event and furthermore she didn't do it, either.

Caught in The Lasso's Noose

Curtains on the windows,
 Paper on the floor;
 You can tell by merely looking,
 Bodie doesn't work here any more.

Mr. Gilmore doesn't approve of slang in his classes. For more details ask Irene.

It is almost impossible to believe that the seniors were complimented on their behavior while gone to Carlsbad. Perhaps a change in climate helped some.

It seems that Rutha Mae and Dorothy knew some CCC boys in Carlsbad. The boys were there when the seniors arrived and one was still there when the class left camp at 5:30 the next morning.

Wonder how come Beulah to leave her coat in Roswell, Friday night? She found it in a drug store Sunday. Was that the place you left it, Beulah?

Miss Addison (to her English IV students the day after the Carlsbad trip): "You may continue sleeping the rest of the class period."

Initials on the desk,
 Pictures on the wall,
 Tee hee, ha, ha,
 School ain't fun at all.

Farrell Wallace's name was Loose-top before he left Friday. When he came back from the trip he had lost all of the brains that he had. His name was changed to Emptytop.

Once in the caverns the class lost track of Benny Morgan and come to find out he was on the back trail about half a mile, resting.

On the road to Carlsbad there were several signs that read, "Dip—300 yards ahead."

Ocie (seeing the first one): "Well, I thought sure we left Dippy at home. Better stop and pick him up. Bet he is sure tired."

Why is it that you cannot say anything to the seniors without their answering with, "Well, good?"

Ask five certain girls (their initials are D. M. B., R. M. C., B. C., C. M. and J. L. T.) if they had a good time late Friday night. Or was it Friday morning?

Miss Addison thinks some of the juniors memorize the silliest poetry. They must have found it in a first grade reader from the sounds of it.

SPARKS FROM THE CAMPFIRE

We can do ourselves the most good by doing something for others.

He who loses wealth loses much, he who loses a friend loses more; he who loses courage loses all.

It is very dangerous for any man to find any spot on this broad globe is sweeter to him than home.

The capacity to make friends and to be a friend is one of the highest tests of character.

Evening brings peace to the world; night brings rest; but the dawn brings hopes for all.

No man can live happily who regards himself alone.

Each person knows his thoughts, his wants, his needs, but others know what he gets.

Rich is the one that can think of heavenly things.

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SPORTSLANTS

By a Cowgirl

FUTURE MUSTANGS HAVE SCRIMMAGE

Score Tied with Bob Tillman Captain of Yellow Shirts; Maxwell Head of White Shirts

With line drives, end runs and passes the future Mustangs had a little scrimmage last Thursday afternoon with an ending score of 6 to 6.

The teams were evenly divided by Coach Clark into the Yellow Shirts, with Bob Tillman captain, and the White Shirts, with Olen Maxwell captain.

The starting line-up was as follows:

White Shirts		Yellow Shirts
Carver	LE	Markham
Page	LT	Bibbs
Risner	LG	McPherson
Thompson	C	Tucker
Weeks	RG	Passons
Shipman	RT	Tillman
Maxwell	RE	P. Ford
Badley	QB	Robison
Norman	RH	Cole
Pendleton	LH	Havenhill
Puckett	FB	Young

SOPHOMORE CLASS GIVES PICNIC AT SHERRILL CREEK

Members of the sophomore class went with their sponsor, Miss Frances Alice Clark, to Sherrill Creek Thursday afternoon. They went in the truck of Tom Owen.

The following attended: Lula Barr, Irene Hunt, Margie Bowers, O. D. Conner, Eugenia Mae Durham, Lois Ficke, Edgar Flynt, Louis Havenhill, Lavell Jaco, Imogene Jamison, Mary Belle Johnston, Clowes Jones, Mildred Landress, Viola Lamb, Jonnie Lewis, Lillie McClain, Amos Page, Mildred Platter, R. J. Puckett, Huffman Walker, Charles Red, Martha Jane Shipman, Aubrey Warren, De-ward Parker, Dorothy Winkler, Troy Shipman, Louise Veal, Leon McPherson and Alton Weeks.

BOYS RECEIVE TRACK SHOES

Two of the Wheeler track team boys, Herbert Whitener and Wallace Pendleton, received track shoes this week. These two boys were the only ones who didn't get basketball sweaters this year.

The small track shoes are of gold with a black W placed on the lacing of each.

WITH THE BOY SCOUTS

There are four patrols in the Boy Scout troops in Wheeler. They are known as the Panthers, the Owls, the Eagles and the Roadrunners.

Members of the Panther troop are: H. E. Young, R. J. Puckett, Albert Gunter, J. D. Badley, Clowes Jones, Billie Burke and Howard Nations.

Amos Page, Arthur Lee Red, Alton Nations, Wayne Rogers, Gerald Robison, Earl Gilmore and Jack Shipman are members of the troop of Owls.

Those in the Eagle troop are as follows: Raymond Badley, Leslie Havenhill, Troy Lee Carver, Theodore Cooper, Herbert Tillman, Paul Ford and Leon McPherson.

Harrison Hall, Guy Robison, J. B. Crowder, Carrol Adams, R. J. Carver, Charles Red and Glen Weeks make up the roster of the Roadrunners.

CAIN WINS IN BOXING BOUT

Boxing against an opponent that lasted two rounds, Lewis Cain won a gold boxing glove at the McLean bout last Tuesday night. Though not knocking the fellow out, Cain was stopped before he did.

Ray Norman also attended the match and boxed, but lost by a decision.

Bus Looks Downcast As Seniors Do After Trip to New Mexico

How the seniors looked when they drove into Wheeler Monday morning has been well described several times but nothing was mentioned about the bus. It looked as downcast as the seniors themselves, if not worse. It was almost entirely covered with mud, the washing off of which was a hard task for someone.

The fender on the left was about torn from the body as a car politely ran into the dear ole bus that had been so faithful and kind to the seniors on their trip. It wasn't the bus' fault for it was on the right side of the road. It was very interesting to note that several, namely: Rutha Mae, Dorothy, Beulah, Estelle, Julia Lou and Chlorene slept through that part of the confusion.

Now let's look inside. The girls were sitting at the back all covered with quilts, sleeping. Suitcases were piled up at the back, what weren't at the front or under the seats. The front floor was mud coated and the rest was dirt and trash. Cookies, lightbread and whatnot could be found on the floor.

Won't someone please feel sorry for the school bus as well as for the seniors? It had to make its round the next morning without much rest.

Coach, Boys Attend Regional

Coach Bob Clark, W. J. Ford and Lewis Cain left last Friday at noon for Canyon, where the boys participated in the regional track meet held there last week end.

W. J. entered the shot put and the discus but was disqualified. Lewis ran the half mile and received eighth place.

They returned home Saturday evening.

3 GRADES HAVE PICNIC ON EAST SHERRILL CREEK

Leaving the schoolhouse at 11 o'clock, Monday morning, the pupils in the fifth, sixth and seventh grades went to East Sherrill Creek. They returned at 3 o'clock that afternoon.

They went in three busses with T. Newkirk, Charlie Bradshaw and Harold Robertson as drivers. Coach Bob Clark, Roscoe Morgan, Miss Ruth Ewing, Mrs. G. O. McCrohan and Mrs. Allen Smith sponsored the group.

Each person took his own lunch from school. For amusement they played baseball, waded stream and climbed canyons.

Wiley, Crump, Donate \$7 to Seniors

As a personal gift to the senior class, A. B. Crump and H. M. Wiley gave the senior class \$7 to spend on the Carlsbad trip. Wiley gave \$5 and Crump gave \$2. These business men were not solicited by the class, but made their donations voluntarily.

Faculty to Present Comedy on May 8

"Fun on the Podunk Limited" is the title of a play to be presented by the faculty on May 8. This entertainment will be given for the purpose of paying for the gymnasium scenery.

The cast will consist of nine men and 14 women. The players are: Farmer Boggs, Supt. J. L. Gilmore; Tom Boggs, Earl Gilmore; Grandpa Wiggins, Principal C. B. Witt; News boy, Coach Bob Clark; Conductor, Roscoe Morgan; Fat Man, Lloyd Davidson; Chinaman, Robert Mayne; Groom and Bride, Mr. and Mrs. John Ficke; Miss Highstyle, Miss Frances Alice Clark; Irish Woman, Mrs. Gilmore; Grandma Wiggins, Mrs. Allen I. Smith; Mrs. Boggs, Mrs. Roscoe Morgan; Mary Boggs, Joyce Faust.

Miss Prim, Miss Ruth Ewing; Susie Olson, Miss Lois Kirby; Woman with a baby, Mrs. G. O. McCrohan; Mrs. Herbly, Mrs. Lloyd Davidson; Mrs. Deafly, Miss Winona Adams; Mrs. Stutterly, Mrs. Gordon Phillips; Woman Suffragist, Mrs. John Hood, and Marguerite, Johnnie Faye Templeton.

The musician and colored porter have not been decided upon yet, but will be chosen soon.

The admission will be 15 and 25 cents.

JUNIORS COMPLETE FINAL PREPARATIONS FOR REVUE

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Wheeler merchants who are sponsoring events in the show are: Russ Ready-to-Wear, The People's store, McIlhany's Dry Goods. These stores will exhibit gowns from their newest stock.

The City Drug store and the Royal Drug store are contributing prizes to the winners of the amateur contest.

Among members of the cast to appear are: Nerine Young, Maudeen Lawrence, Juanell Perryman, Rose Bowden Ficke, Geraldine Lewis, Mildred Landress and Frances Alice Clark.

Those in the cast of the play are: Ferrol Ficke, Wave Wallace, Bonnie Adams, Elva Willard, Orveta Puett, Dorothy Tolliver, Aline Buchanan, Juanell Perryman, Dawn Weatherly and Bill Noah.

In charge of stage production and lighting will be H. E. Young, Wallace Pendleton, Herbert Whitener, Bob Tillman, Raymond Badley, J. D. Badley and Troy Lee Carver.

Among the various children who will display their newest suits and dresses will be: Patsy Beal, Priscilla Beal, Margaret Ann Holt, Jerry Ann Wofford, Mary Leota Phillips, Tommy Phillips, Gene Hall, Louis Craig, Jimmy Bronson Green, Bonnie Rae Tilley, Wanda Tolliver, Patricia Beene, Frances Porter, Patricia Anne Stiles, Gail Marie Foster and Johnetta Hood.

Recent winners and runners-up in home economic classes will show their frocks. Among those will be: Jonnie Lewis, Estelle Scott, Mildred Landress, Juanell Perryman, Lavell Jaco, Nerine Young, Mildred Platter, Bonnie Adams, Dorothy Lee Burke, Dorothy Burgess, Laney Mae Tillman, Dawn Weatherly, Ruth Faye Garrison, Helen Flynt, Clarice Robertson, Cosette Crofford, Ferrol Ficke, Elva Willard, Adell Hampton and Lilla Mae Crofford.

With Bob Tillman captain of the Yellows and Olen Maxwell heading the Whites, the football squad chose up sides and played a game last Thursday afternoon. The resulting score was a tie, 6-6. From all standpoints the game gave a fair showing of the Mustang set-up for next year.

In the near future, before spring training is over, the next year's squad will meet the ineligible in a promised thrill-a-minute tussle.

Track is gone but not forgotten. Wallace Pendleton and Herbert Whitener have small gold track shoes with a "W" on them to remind them of the season. A better showing was expected of the local boys at the regional than resulted. W. J. probably would have taken honors in shot but for being ruled ineligible, due to overstepping the circle.

Lewis should also have gone places, but he didn't.

Boxing is through for another season. Perhaps it is just as well from the black-eye standpoint. Several little gold boxing gloves proudly rest on some of the boys brawny chests.

Still can't get over the heavy-weight bout featuring Walter Adams. It was rather good and Walter deserved being acclaimed winner.

Basketball plans are being made and an even larger squad than last year are planning to work out. According to some of last year's stars it is imperative that the player train to be any good.

What are these rumors about a possible training camp in New Mexico for about three weeks before school? It's a grand idea, getting the football boys in shape for the first game that starts the season soon after the opening of school.

WENDELL MEEK RECEIVES POSITION AT WASHINGTON

Wendell Meek, an ex-graduate of Wheeler high school and a former Boy Scout here has gone to Washington to fill a government position. Several years ago a number of the Boy Scouts took the exams that were necessary in order for them to get a position with the government.

For the past three years Wendell has been attending McMurry college at Abilene. He was one of the outstanding athletes there, having won varsity sweaters in both football and basketball for the past two years.

HONOR STUDENTS FOR HIGH SCHOOL NAMED

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their merit as actresses. In grammar grade the girls were in county interscholastic events a number of times.

While Dorothy's hobby has run more to athletics, Estelle has been interested in writing. Dorothy has played two years of junior basketball and her last two years have been devoted to the senior team of which she was an enthusiastic player. In her seventh grade, Estelle won \$7.50 on an essay she wrote.

Each girl has been a member of The Corral staff. Also they have taken a decided interest in the activities of their class as well as those of the school.

Bethel News

(Cecial Hendrick)

Mr. and Mrs. Eeer Oneal and daughter, Peggie, visited in the home of his father, Rev. H. A. Oneal, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hendrick of Shamrock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rance Hendrick, Monday.

C. E. England and Quinn Hendrick were in Shamrock Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Bartee went to Shamrock to the show Tuesday night.

Weldon Phillips spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, of Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Hendrick and little son, George Ed, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Henry of Shamrock Saturday evening.

Miss Myrle Copeland is spending a few days with her niece, Georgia D. Williams, at Lela.

Mrs. Wilson and children of Shamrock visited Sunday with Mrs. Strasmore Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of Shamrock visited their daughter, Mrs. Oscar Hignight, Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Lynch and Mrs. Euel Lynch visited in Amarillo Monday with relatives.

Miss Viola Jones and Miss Mitchell of Wheeler attended club at Mrs. E. S. Harvey's, Thursday.

A large crowd from here attended the countywide sing-song Friday night at Shamrock.

Rance and Quinn Hendrick were in Wheeler Monday on business.

Mrs. Dewey Gray of Amarillo is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Lee Lynch.

Mobeetie Happenings

(Times Correspondent)

Mrs. John Dunn and daughter, Maurita, went to Canyon last Saturday to attend the district meeting. Maurita won first in junior declamation. They were accompanied by Misses Lillian Davis and Ethel Brasuel.

Floyd Studer of Amarillo spent Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Elliott.

J. B. Oswalt spent Friday night with Drummond Thomas.

Mrs. N. J. Tyson was a caller in Wheeler Saturday.

Miss Ruth Crump of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Crump, and family.

Jack Montgomery of Miami was a Tuesday business caller here.

Mrs. O. W. Elliott and daughter spent the week end in Pampa with relatives.

Dr. Glenn R. Walker attended the regular medical meeting in Pampa Tuesday evening. He was accompanied by Mrs. Walker and Miss Daisy Crump, who attended a show.

Miss Clara Finsterwald of Wheeler was a caller here Tuesday afternoon.

H. L. L. Anderson of Denver, Colo., spent several days in Mobeetie last week looking after business interests.

Grandma Hood returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hathaway, Friday, after spending several months in Panhandle.

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CLEVE REED

Ernest Lee of Wheeler transacted business here Tuesday afternoon.

Judge W. R. Ewing, Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. A. Cole of Pampa attended the meeting of home economics classes here last Saturday. Mrs. Ewing gave a very interesting talk on the early days of Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Long of Reydon, Okla., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Hunt.

Mrs. Andy Crocker, Mrs. Leslie Carpenter of Pampa and Mrs. Hazel Schendele of San Diego, Calif., spent Friday with the former's sister, Mrs. O. W. Elliott, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neece spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hathaway.

Mrs. L. W. Love transacted business in Wheeler Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waters to Amarillo Sunday, where they visited with their sister, Mrs. A. B. Guynes, and family.

Trey Hardin, manager of Puckett's store here, transacted business in Wheeler Tuesday afternoon.

Geo. B. Dunn, John Dunn and J. K. Ribble were Canadian business callers Tuesday.

Delores Ahler returned home Tuesday after spending several days with her cousin, Maurine Hunt.

Those attending the Clarendon district conference in Wellington Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Scribner, Mesdames N. M. Hunt, J. E. Collins, Brannon, Lee, Heare, Misses Ailene Lee and Mary Bell Heare, Mr. McCauley and Rev. Young and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gordon and daughter.

A delicious fried chicken dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunn, Thursday evening of last week. Games were enjoyed until a late hour. Those seated at the bountifully filled table were Messrs. and Mesdames Trey Hardin, H. L. Flanagan, O. W. Elliott, N. M. Hunt, E. E. Johnston and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Flanagan Is Club Hostess

The Blue Bonnet Study club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. L. Flanagan. A very interesting book review was given by Mrs. Jim Hathaway on "So Red the Rose," by Stark Young. Mrs. L. W. Love gave the biography of Young and Mrs. Godwin the characters and setting of the story. Two piano duet numbers by Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Flanagan were greatly enjoyed.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. Leonard Green, guest, Mesdames Hunt, Brannon, Hathaway, Dunn, Godwin, Love, Scott, Hardin, Oats and the hostess.

Pleasant Hill

(Helen Sanders)

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Durham and children, Philip and Alice Marie, of Chillicothe, Texas, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. W. M. Sanders, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Anderson and children of Mars, Penn., and her mother, Mrs. H. C. Cooper, of Sno-mae, Okla., spent the latter part of last week and the first part of this week with Mrs. Cooper's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Anglin, and sons.

Mrs. Bell Green and son of Wheeler spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Jane Quinn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shumate and daughter, Opal, were Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pond and children.

Leolde, Coy and Clyde Revious are ill with the flu at this writing.

Mrs. Harville of Wheeler spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. T. Anglin and her mother, Mrs. H. C. Cooper.

Mrs. Jess Moore and daughter, Margaret, and Mrs. Roy Weatherly and daughter, Anita, were Thursday afternoon guests of Mrs. Burley Mann and daughter, LaJune.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anglin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Murry Sanders and children spent Sunday in the W. M. Sanders home. The Anglin family later visited in the J. T. Anglin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chenault and children visited the Curtis Pond family Saturday night.

Grandma Quinn had among her visitors Sunday, Mrs. H. C. Cooper, Mrs. J. T. Anglin and Mr. Crowder. The Rev. Nuttie Frost of Brinkman, Okla., filled his appointment here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hill and sons had for their Sunday guests Mrs. W. W. Underwood, Isaac Underwood and family, Vera Lee and Max Jones of near Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Hill and children.

Norma Webb and Darlene Gaines were guests of LaVerne Cox, Sunday.

A quilting was held at the home of Mrs. Arnold Waldo, Thursday afternoon, with many women attending.

Norma Webb called at the Curtis Pond home Tuesday afternoon.

The school bus was unable to reach all of the students Monday morning because of the road being torn up by the rain of Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders and Helen visited in the J. T. Anglin home Tuesday night.

Helen Sanders spent Thursday night and Sunday night with Adell Hampton of near Wheeler.

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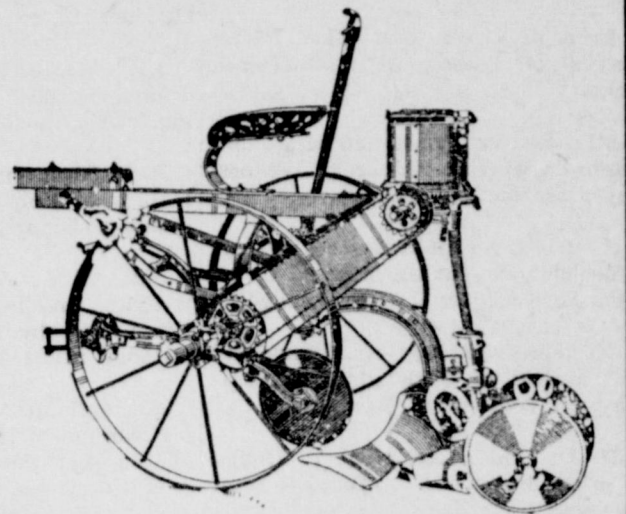
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Local News Items

Mrs. Woody Green of Heald was in Wheeler the last of the week.

Harmon Weeks was quite ill the first of the week with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Britt returned Monday night from a business trip to Pawhuska, Okla.

Mrs. R. D. Underwood and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Trout, east of Wheeler.

Richard Carter of Wellington is visiting his sisters, Mrs. Melvin Howe and Mrs. Glenn Williams, and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Keeney and baby and John Paris of Laketon spent Sunday evening in and near Wheeler with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fooshee and children, Louise and Junior, who live southeast of Wheeler were in town Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Marchbanks and children, Mrs. J. D. Simmons and Miss Dean Jenkins of Kelton were Wednesday business callers in Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wofford and Mrs. Clarice Fisher moved Tuesday to the Pettit property, recently vacated by Dr. Joss.

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Zack Coleman underwent a major operation at the Gaines hospital Monday, from which he is recovering rapidly.

V. V. McGaugh of Elk City, Okla., came Wednesday to be present when his brother-in-law, J. N. Green, underwent an operation at the Gaines hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchanan have moved to the Cox apartment from the Beal property in the west part of town. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wilcox have moved to the Beal house.

J. D. Merritt and brother, C. C. Merritt, went to Pampa Monday evening where the former told of his missionary work in Africa to a large group of people that gathered at the Church of Christ on Francis street.

Mr. and Mrs. Bun Cole of Frederick, Okla., spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. C. C. Robison, and family. They left Tuesday for their former home at Springfield, Colo., where they may remain.

Mrs. John Hood and daughter, Johnette, and Mrs. Hood's mother, Mrs. J. N. Green, motored Friday to Turkey, where they visited the latter's son, R. C. Green, and family. They returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fulks, Mrs. George Fulks and two children, Mrs. Ben Fulks and daughter and son, Marie and Ben, all of Briscoe were Wednesday business callers in Wheeler.

Dr. and Mrs. F. N. Reynolds honored their daughter, Celia Dee, with a birthday dinner Tuesday evening, April 28, at 8 o'clock. Guests were Miss Dorothy Mitchell, Pampa; Buster Walsler, Kelton; L. B. Warren, Pampa, and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Guthrie and son, Lee, left Sunday for Fort Worth to take the former's daughter, Mrs. L. H. Derrickson, of Matador to consult a specialist. Lee Guthrie will go through the clinic, also. They are expected home by the last of the week.

J. D. Merritt, a missionary from Africa, and his mother, Mrs. J. S. Merritt, of Davis City, Iowa, who have been visiting their brother and son, C. C. Merritt, and family the past week left Tuesday for Fort Collins, Colo., where they expect to spend a month with relatives. They went by way of St. Francis, Kans., to visit another brother and son.

Movie Chatter

By a Rogue

Two In Revolt

Who doesn't like a horse and dog story? One of the best of its kind will be shown at the Rogue theatre, Friday and Saturday, May 1-2. This story deals with Warrior, the horse, and Lightning, the dog, and tells what they were and did from birth, through their wild life and back to domestication. Intermingled with this is a captivating love story.

Exclusive Story

Then on Monday and Tuesday, May 4-5, we see the maneuvers of a popular pair of stars, Franchot Tone and Madge Evans. Exclusive Story is an interesting picture with plenty of action and story. The old favorite, Stuart Erwin, plays his part to our entire satisfaction. No movie audience will be disappointed with this picture.

Farmer In the Dell

You won't be disappointed on "Watch Night." For our patrons who don't want to take the risk of missing this event, on Thursday night, we have an excellent picture. Fred Stone and Jean Parker play in this homey picture that everybody will like. Farmer In the Dell is based on the story that ran serially in the Saturday Evening Post. The story material was furnished by the author of "State Fair," the late Will Rogers picturization. You will be interested, too, in the intimate glimpses behind the scenes of a Hollywood studio.

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Local News Items

Matt Clay of Shamrock was in Wheeler today on business.

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Bronson Green and Glen Porter played golf Tuesday at the Shamrock links.

Mrs. Clarice Fisher and Mrs. Neva Sampson were in Shamrock Wednesday afternoon on business.

J. R. Carver of Shamrock was in Wheeler today in the interest of his campaign for tax assessor collector.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herd announce the arrival of a daughter, Georgia Gay, on Wednesday, April 29.

R. D. Underwood went to Hobbs, N. Mex., this week to attend to some business.

Peggy June is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Buchanan. She arrived Monday, April 27.

Mrs. J. B. Green of Canadian is spending the week in Wheeler with relatives.

Jack Obenhouse has been working at the Lewis garage this week, as Carl Davis was ill with the flu the first of the week.

Miss Edith Cooper and sister, Mrs. Dennis Powell, of Pampa were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cooper, and children.

Mrs. Perry Walker of Briscoe, who underwent a major operation at the Wheeler hospital Friday, is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt Green and her nephew, Henry Golden Shoop, of Kellerville went to Pampa Saturday on business.

Mrs. Inez Garrison and Miss Reba Wofford went to Shamrock Wednesday evening where they were guests at the Bluebonnet Bridge club at the home of Miss Mary Smith.

Marvin Montgomery was able to leave the Wheeler hospital today. He is convalescing from an appendicitis operation performed on Sunday, April 19.

Mrs. Orvil Green of Canadian is a patient in the Wheeler hospital. She is recovering satisfactorily from a major operation she underwent Saturday.

Mrs. Holt Green went to Kellerville Monday to take home her sister, Mrs. L. J. Shoop. She was returning from Sanatorium, where she visited Mr. Shoop, who is under a doctor's care.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of voters in the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1936.

STATE OF TEXAS

For Senator, 31st District:
CURTIS DOUGLASS

For Representative, 122nd District:
EUGENE WORLEY
(For re-election)

For District Attorney:
LEWIS M. GOODRICH
(For re-election)
CLIFFORD BRALY

COUNTY OF WHEELER

For County Judge:
W. O. (Olliver) PUETT
(For re-election)

For Sheriff:
RAYMOND WATERS
(For re-election)
CLAUDE HILTBRUNNER

For District Clerk:
HOLT GREEN
(For re-election)

For County Attorney:
HOMER L. MOSS
A. C. WOOD

For County Clerk:
F. B. (Dick) CRAIG
(For re-election)

For County Treasurer:
HATTIE WOMACK
(For re-election)

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
JOHN H. TEMPLETON
(For re-election)
J. R. (Rube) CARVER

For Commissioner:
Precinct No. 1—
W. W. ADAMS
(For re-election)
D. G. (Doug) SIMS
ED WATSON

For Commissioner:
Precinct No. 2—
JIM TROUT
(For re-election)
H. H. WALSER

Mrs. Roe Green spent Wednesday in Shamrock with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Porter made a business trip Wednesday morning to Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore, jr., and children of Briscoe were Monday business callers in Wheeler.

J. C. Moore, jr., and his two children living near Briscoe are recovering from an attack of the mumps.

R. Y. Sims and sons, R. A. and W. I. Sims, of Mobeetie were in Wheeler Monday shopping.

Mrs. W. L. Williams, Mrs. Glenn Williams and baby and Mrs. Melvin Howe and baby motored to Shamrock Tuesday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Gilliland of McLean were in Wheeler Saturday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Perryman, and son, Jack.

Cecil Perrin of Shamrock was in Wheeler Monday on business. While here he visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Perrin, and son, Bill.

Miss Cleo Pike of Lela came Sunday to stay at the G. W. Porter home and help Mrs. Porter with the house work, as she has orders from her doctor to take a much needed rest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Turner and daughter, Joyce, of Pampa were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Merriman, parents of Mrs. Turner.

Dr. J. L. Witt of Groom and his sister, Mrs. A. F. Smith, and daughter of Amarillo spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Witt and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Witt.

Atty. Clem Calhoun and Marshall Adams of Amarillo were in Wheeler today, attending to business and visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Adams.

M. M. Craig, sr., returned home Tuesday evening from Jacksboro, where he spent four weeks with his daughter, Mrs. F. H. Stamper, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Shipman and daughter, Miss Inez, and Miss Loula Clarke were Sunday guests of the former's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Tarvin, at Mobeetie.

Mrs. A. W. Myers and children, Miss Emalea and Mr. and Mrs. Opal Myers, of Mobeetie were in Wheeler Monday enroute home from Hollis, Okla., where they spent the week end with their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Allison Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Robison are expected to return to their home in Corn Valley in a few days from Burlington, where they went on account of Mr. Robison's health. He has been improving rapidly and plans to drive their car home.

Mrs. J. M. Kirby and daughter, Mrs. J. B. Rector, and son, Ben Kirby, and Mrs. Kirby's mother, Mrs. J. P. Hunter, all of Colorado, Texas, came Friday to visit the former's sons, Rev. J. Edmund Kirby and family and Hobby Kirby. They returned home Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowers returned Sunday from Houston and Trinidad, where they spent a week with their daughter, Mrs. L. I. Johnston and husband, who accompanied them to Dallas on an over-night trip. Mr. Bowers transacted business in Houston while Mrs. Bowers remained at the Johnston home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tilley and daughter, Bonnie Ray, went to Amarillo Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. Tilley's sister, Mrs. Jesse McCracken, and family. Mrs. Tilley and daughter remained over night while he came on home. A nephew, Orvil McCracken, brought them home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Weatherly and children, Dawn and Joe, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Weatherly, motored Sunday to Amarillo and visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pryde, who are returning to Scotland, their native land, in a short time. Mr. Pryde, an old friend of the Weatherlys, is in ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hilgers and two children of Memphis, came Wednesday to make their home in Wheeler. They have rooms at the W. M. Hampton home. Mr. Hilgers is employed by the telephone company and will take W. W. Jenkins place as lineman. Jenkins has been transferred to Quitaque. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins will move to their new home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wood of Pampa, who recently announced their secret marriage which took place at Spearman, on Jan. 24, came Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. A. S. Hubbard, and children. They also visited his sisters, Mrs. C. B. Witt and Mrs. Bill Owen, and other relatives while here. Mr. Wood is employed by the Bourland & Williams Rig company.

Educational Notes

Reported by B. T. RUCKER
County Superintendent

The State Department of Education, through the rural aid division, has informed the county superintendent that rural aid is to be paid on a percentage basis. For this school term it will be on an 87% basis. This means that 87% of the original grant will be paid.

Standardization tests are being given in the rural schools of Wheeler county this week. This is one of the qualifying items which a school must meet if it is to be recognized as a standard school by the State Department of Education. Indications are that about 75% of all rural schools standardize during the present term.

The Texas Centennial district singing, to be held in Canyon tomorrow, Friday, May 1, is expected to attract a number of Wheeler county people. At least two special numbers will be offered by county pupils. The four Cooper boys, known as the Davis quartet, from the Davis school will be one of the groups to appear on the district program.

WHEELER METHODIST FOLKS ATTEND DISTRICT MEETING

Eleven delegates and members of the local Methodist church motored Tuesday to Wellington and attended the Clarendon district conference, in session Tuesday and Wednesday. Rev. J. Edmund Kirby and Mrs. J. M. Porter appeared on the program. Others making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bryant, J. H. Gordon and two daughters, and Mesdames Tom Britt, J. D. Merriman, Jack Badley and John Dickie.

BAPTIST W. M. U. CIRCLES IN JOINT MEETING MONDAY

"Pioneers of the Kingdom" was the subject of the program for the Baptist W. M. U. which met at the church Monday afternoon for a joint meeting. The Samantha Stanley circle rendered the program with Mrs. J. H. Richards as leader.

Mrs. Jim Risner read the devotional. "Dr. Graves, Pioneer Missionary to China," was discussed by Mrs. J. N. Green and "Pioneer Spirit," was given by Mrs. Lynn Gott and Mrs. W. W. Jenkins.

Refreshments were served to the guests by the Estherline Johnson circle which acted as hostess.

Those present were Mesdames Lee Guthrie, W. W. Jenkins, J. H. Richards, Chloe Gaines, Jim Risner, Forrest Galmore, C. F. Ford, C. N. Wofford, Minnie Farmer, Bessie Kennedy, Raymond Waters, W. O. Puett, J. M. Burgess, George Porter, Roy Esslinger, Ernest Dyer, Lynn Gott, C. R. Weatherly, J. H. Watts, J. N. Green and Chas. R. Flynt.

METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUP COMPLETES STUDY COURSE

The last chapter of the study book entitled "Toward Christian America" was studied at the meeting of the Methodist W. M. S. Monday afternoon. Mrs. W. W. Adams taught the lesson. Mrs. J. M. Porter gave a talk concerning the lesson. Mrs. Ollie Hubbard read the devotional.

Present were Mesdames W. W. Adams, J. M. Porter, J. D. Merriman, Wren, H. M. Wiley, Albert Bryant, E. T. Cosper, Fred Farmer, Jack Badley, J. M. Lawrence, D. A. Hunt, H. E. Nicholson, I. B. Lee and Ollie Hubbard.

At the Churches

METHODIST CHURCH
J. EDMUND KIRBY, Pastor
Preaching at the 11 o'clock hour and evening hour, 8 o'clock, by the pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45.
Epworth League at 7 o'clock.
Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

We invite you to worship with us.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

C. MERRITT, Pastor
The customary services will be observed at the usual hours at this church next Sunday morning and evening.

BAPTIST CHURCH
TAFT HOLLOWAY, Pastor
Sunday school—9:45 a. m.
Sermon—11:00 a. m.
B. T. U.—7:00 p. m.
Sermon—8:00 p. m.
Church conference—8:00 p. m. Wednesday evening.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

PETE LOVE, Pastor
Rev. Homer T. Goodwin of Wellington, will occupy the pulpit at the Wheeler Assembly of God church on Saturday evening, when he will preach to the young people, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Goodwin is sectional representative for young peoples work in the North Plains area and will bring a message of interest to his hearers. The general public is invited to attend this service.

Regular services at the usual hours will be held on Sunday and during the following week.

Friday-Saturday Specials

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GIRL SCOUTS PLAN FOOD SALE HERE ON SATURDAY

Girl Scouts who were present at the regular meeting Tuesday, spent the afternoon working on scrap books, and planning a food sale for Saturday.

Several games were played, and group singing was participated in by the entire patrol. Announcement was made that all girls must advance one step before being eligible to make the trip planned for the summer vacation.

The girls will sell candy, cakes and pies in town Saturday afternoon. All proceeds will go to a fund to finance a summer camp for the Girl Scouts, who assure friends of their kindest appreciation for patronage.

The group adjourned with a good-night circle followed by the singing of "Taps."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish in this manner to express appreciation for favors shown us during the illness and after the death of our loved one. Especially do we thank J. D. Cornelius, J. A. Bradshaw, Ben Trout, O. I. Johnston, J. B. Crowder, Tom Owen and Raymond Waters for kindnesses shown. Mrs. L. Conner and Family.

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A number of lovely garments now in stock. Many more are due to arrive within the next few days.

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Carrots 10^c
3 bunches

Mustard, 10^c
Quart jar

CRACKERS, 17^c
SUNRAY, 2-lb. box

Peanut Butter, 59^c
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Can

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Half One Way and Half Another

C. C. MERRITT, Pastor, Church of Christ

IN THIS "corner" of The Wheeler Times I have had some things to say about the perplexing problems and difficulties of the church. I should not like to be understood to teach that all the church of today has is problems and difficulties. There is a number of encouraging things and many successful climaxes to church work. However, her troubles still remain and we have to work away at them as long as they are here.

Charles Spurgeon described some church people like this: "You are half one thing and half the other. You come into the society of the saints and try to talk as they talk, but you are like a man who has been taught French in some school in England—he talks a queer sort of Frenchified English and Englishified French, and everyone laughs at him."

How much better it would be if, today, members would shoulder their share of the work of the church and see that things are being done and done as they ought to be.

Then, there are the **Nominal Church Members** whom Henry Ward Beecher calls "baldheaded old sinners whose hair has been worn off by the friction of countless sermons that have been aimed at them and have glanced off and hit the man in the pew behind." Some go to church regularly just to keep up a record of being known as "the faithful;" yet many of these go to church when there is a funeral or a special program of some sort. Among these I have seen even elders, deacons and Sunday school teachers who know so very little about the Bible and the lesson that would be pitiable in just the scholars.

While the "sun do mov" we change so very little in some ways. Perhaps what we need today is a movement for

\$200-a-Month Christians
If money talks, why not let it talk? But, here is a thing I have observed, whether money actually talks or not, it sure makes a lot of 60-year-old church members talk; and, move; and, go! For, I've seen just such miracle working effect upon some of them. Perhaps they have been "too old to go to church" for a decade. They are "blind," or "crippled," or "not very strong" and "cannot stand to lose sleep." But, talk about \$200 a month and they become over-night at least 10 years younger; they forget their cane, they miss taking their pill, and actually put on their Sunday clothes.

How Times Do Change
Two hundred years ago a church in the state of Illinois passed the following resolution: "Resolved that Mrs. Justis Rider and Miss Phoebe Harris be expelled from the Baptist church because they favor Sunday schools which are not mentioned in the Bible, and because they have harbored a missionary." That sounds much like history today if one will just substitute the name "Church of Christ" for "Baptist church."

Times have changed for the Baptist church in this particular; but with some (and I'm glad it is only some) of the Church of Christ folks they are just now where the Baptist church was 200 years ago.

In the Lion's club they have what is called the "tail twister" and I'm thinking that there should be a new office created in some of our churches.

Cope and Mrs. Velma Harrison were visitors at the chapel program Monday morning. Mrs. W. W. Brister's kindergarten pupils, June Hoskins, Patsy Clemons and Barbara Marshall gave readings in chapel.

Mrs. M. M. Ward of Bowie will visit Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Crossland until school is out.

Paul Addington moved Saturday to Oklahoma City.

Mrs. S. F. Hendren is confined to her bed with the flu.

F. G. Cecilia has returned to his work after an attack of dust pneumonia.

Local News Items

S. C. Havenhill of Twitty was in Wheeler Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gott and son spent the week in Lela with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Graham of Lela visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. G. W. Porter, and family.

Mrs. J. M. Lawrence and daughter and niece, Misses Willie Dee and Maudene Lawrence, attended the sing-song in Shamrock Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ficke left Friday for Brownwood, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bowden. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Liles and her brother, Wilton Callan, of Twitty visited during the week end with Mrs. Liles parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Callan.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Anderson, who were living in one of Mrs. Sadie Pollard's houses in the northwest part of town, moved Saturday to Shamrock, where he will be in charge of a produce station.

Mrs. J. A. Page of Lefors and sons, Amos and Joe, and Miss Florence Merriman of Wheeler motored Friday to Woodson to visit the former's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pevey. They returned to Wheeler Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. R. Ritchey and daughter, Patsy Rea, of Ryan, Okla., Mrs. W. D. West and daughter, Mrs. Hazel Webb and baby and Mrs. C. E. Collins and son, all of Wichita Falls, came Sunday to visit the ladies' sister, Mrs. J. R. Hale, and family in Wheeler and their mother and brother, Mrs. E. T. Crump and R. H. Crump, and family at Mobeetie. They returned to their homes Monday.

Locust Grove

(Mrs. A. L. Hestilow)

Elmo and Newman Riley were business visitors in Kellerville Tuesday.

Miss Clarice Robertson spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Cash Walker of near Briscoe.

Sherman Shoop spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Holly.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith moved Sunday to Shamrock, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Jack Rives was a Wheeler visitor Sunday afternoon.

Buddy Vanpool of near Sandy Basin was a visitor in the community Sunday.

Miss Martha Jane Shipman spent Friday night with Marcille Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Slaton from Lone Mound visited in the O. L. Slaton home Tuesday.

Frazier Sheegog from Shamrock spent Monday and Tuesday in the home of his brother, Will Sheegog.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Riley and son, Wilson, and granddaughter, Maryann Hestilow, spent Sunday with relatives in Shamrock.

Norma Dee Robertson was the guest of Maryann Hestilow Friday night.

Harold Robertson accompanied the senior class of Wheeler on a trip to Carlsbad, N. Mex., Friday morning, returning home Sunday night.

Miss Beulah Compary attended the senior banquet at Wheeler Tuesday night.

Mrs. S. E. Walker transacted business in Wheeler Thursday evening.

O. D. Richardson was a business visitor in Shamrock Sunday.

Zinna Mae Holley spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Lonnie Shoop, of Kellerville.

Several students from this community attended the sing-song at Shamrock Friday night.

G. L. Case of Corn Valley was a visitor in the community Sunday.

Those attending court at Wheeler this week are Thomas Todd, Clarence Westmoreland and Forrest Carver.

Joel Holland of Shamrock is visiting in the Todd home.

Mrs. S. S. Sullivan of Shamrock visited Monday in the Clarence Westmoreland home.

Raymond Reeves transacted business in Shamrock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Davis of Durham, Okla., are visiting in the W. L. Merriott home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Compary and family were Sunday dinner guests of the Stephenson family at Shamrock.

Mrs. A. L. Hestilow and Miss Lucille Sheegog were Shamrock visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. W. O. Deweese of Wheeler was a caller in the Hestilow home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sheegog spent Sunday in the Edd Mason home at Pleasant Hill.

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Briscoe Attends Sing-song

at Shamrock Friday Night

Friday night, April 24, a group of Briscoe school girls and boys attended the county sing-song at Shamrock. Two of Briscoe's busses went to carry the students who wished to go. Even though we did have to stand up, we surely did our part in the singing.

Miss Hubbard is practicing a group of students in singing this week. We plan to go to Canyon to a state sing-song in one of the Briscoe busses.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Meadows and Elaine Harrell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Treadwell. Mr. and Mrs. Meadows and

Mr. and Mrs. Treadwell and daughter, Lorene, were in Wheeler Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. V. Mix left Saturday for Clovis, N. Mex., where she will visit her sister for three weeks.

C. V. Mix left Saturday on a business trip to Kansas. He will return Saturday.

Mabel Barnes and Dottie Bell Cowan were Saturday night guests of Georgia Cain.

Mabel Barnes was a Monday night guest of Mrs. Bob Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Mix, Mr. and Mrs. Myre Dixon, Dorothy Lohberger and Winnie Barnes attended the show in Shamrock Wednesday evening.

Clyde Wadsworth has gone to California.

Kellerville News

Gracey School, Grade Six

STAFF

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SEVENTH GRADE PLAY

Near the close of the school year, the seventh grade will present "A Little Clodhopper," by Walter Ben Hare. The play contains seven characters. Scenes are in a ranch country and a large city. The plan to get money is most portrayed, but a young man saves the case. The cast includes:

Septimus Green, Harold Smith; Okey Gump, T. J. Saye; George Chigerson, Vernon Kinard; Mrs. Chigerson-Bogg, June Blackerby; Miss Juliette Bean, Mary Jane Coffland; Charmain Carter, Jacqueline Lovell; Judy, Earline McPherson.

Others connected with the play's presentation are: O. L. Fortner and Ray Steadman, stage managers; Jack Carter, art and costumes; James Ford, advertising manager; W. W. Brister, director.

Chuck Wagon Supper

The 4-H club girls and their sponsor enjoyed a chuck wagon supper Thursday evening at 5 p. m. Merchants of Kellerville and McLean, together with some individuals, contributed food.

Between 150 and 200 were in attendance with guests present from McLean, Pampa, Shamrock, Lefors and Amarillo and the surrounding territory. A cowboy parade of 14 horses and riders started from the Skelly Camp and went to McComb's pasture, where the supper was served. The bus followed the parade. Money raised will be used to send girls to Short Course.

Chapel

The sixth grade presented a chapel program Monday morning. They represented the seventh grade graduation. The class marched on the stage to the music of a tin can and some sticks. The orchestra consisted of a portion of the sixth grade.

June Blackerby, represented by Cleo Faye Shelburne, read the class will. All hated to see the seventh grade leave, even though they would learn more ignorance. C. S. Crossland was the preacher. His sermon was "Old Mother Hubbard" and the pitiful old dog. Harwell Hall read the class history and Jacqueline Lovell read the class prophecy. Earline McPherson sang Home on the Range to imitate Mary Jane Coffland.

Personals

J. M. Pickle, grandfather of Mrs. J. M. Culwell, died at Lefors Saturday. He was taken Sunday to Greenville for burial.

Louise Compton spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whiteley while the former's mother, Mrs. J. M. Culwell, was away.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Whiteley and sons, Calvin and Donald, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whiteley, Sunday evening.

Mrs. R. L. Jefferies, Mrs. O. C.

Corn Valley News

(Times Correspondent)

The Quilting club met Thursday with Mrs. Ebb Farmer. Those present were Mesdames E. G. Pettit, E. E. Farmer, Luther Sides, Jack Beck, J. H. Creekmore, Dewitt Swan, Johnnie Biggers, Bill Beck, Bill Farmer, Ernest Beck, Breeding, Carol McClennen, Percy Farmer of Wheeler, Alonzo Beck, Shelby Pettit and Martin Callen of the Sweetwater community. Bob Martin, Perryman Martin, Grady Richerson, F. H. Ing, Manuel Bonham, Morris Boone and Miss Gardener. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. E. Farmer.

Misses Madge and Ruth Richerson and Glen spent the week end in Hedley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pettit spent Sunday in Magic City with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pinnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Farmer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beck. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farmer spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Farmer of Wheeler.

Ernest Deering has been elected principal of the Corn Valley school for another year. The primary teacher has not been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Boone entertained Wednesday night with a party.

Davis Items

(Mrs. Zura Bullock)

It seems after all the repairing on roads around Davis that a lot of it will have to be done over, as Salt Creek was on a rampage again Sunday night.

Grandma Shinn returned home Sunday morning from a three-months visit with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Stevens, at Lockhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Haynes and children, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bullock and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cooper and children, W. T. Harrell, Ethelena, Loyd, DeLeon and Helen Anderson, Mrs. Elmer Powell and Marie and Mr. and Mrs. George A. Weems attended the county sing-song at Shamrock Friday night.

Imogene Bass was a week end guest of Jane Kenney.

Mrs. Joe Anderson is ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Sanderson and children returned home, Wednesday from New Mexico where they had gone to take his sister, Veda Sanderson, who has been ill for the past two months. She was improving when they came home.

Leon and Nina Sanderson are on the sick list. They have the mumps.

Mrs. Marion McCathern, Lefors, is visiting in the home of her son, Andrew.

Ernest Usrey is ill with tonsillitis.

BRISCOE BRONCOS

STAFF

Editor-in-chief ---- Winifred Barnes
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Joke editor ---- Dorothy Lohberger

Increase of Credits Affiliation at Briscoe

Now Fully Accredited 4-Year High School—Acquired 18 Credits in Past Two Years

Deputy State Superintendent J. D. Wilson of Canyon arrived about 1:30 Wednesday afternoon and immediately began inspecting subjects which were being submitted for affiliation. He examined materials from the following subjects: English IV, Commercial arithmetic, algebra II, general science, modern history, Texas history and junior business training. All phases of the work exhibited were highly praised by Wilson. It was recommended that credits be given on all the above courses. This made Briscoe a fully accredited four-year high school, having the maximum number of credits.

The Briscoe school has received all of its 18 credits in the past two years, having gained 11 credits in the school year of 34-35 and seven credits during the school year of 35-36.

We know the faculty of Briscoe has put forth every effort in promoting the standards and raising the quality of the school.

The home ec. department in Briscoe school was visited by Miss Sorenson, deputy superintendent of home ec., and Miss Lillian Peek, head of the home ec. department of Austin, who gave us credits in five divisions of home ec.

Since this is the first year that home ec. has been taught in Briscoe school, certainly we feel that a high standard of work has been done in that department.

Briscoe Home Ec. Girls

Go to San Angelo Rally

Five home economics girls including Fay Hammer, Mary Margaret McCarroll, Joy Bill Riley, Dottie Bell Cowan and Georgia Cain, accompanied by the home economics teacher, Miss Lavelle Coney, and Mr. Dyer, left Wednesday for San Angelo to attend the state home economics rally, which was being held there.

The rally began Thursday morning and lasted through Saturday. The different contests were held throughout the session. There were approximately 1,400 girls and boys registered by Thursday afternoon. Thursday night the many boys and girls enjoyed swimming and riding, which was followed by a chuck wagon supper.

Friday night the group enjoyed banquets, which were given at the Cactus and St. Angelus hotels.

Saturday morning the group of boys and girls paraded from the Cactus and St. Angelus hotels to the city auditorium, where the final session was held and all awards were given. In the group C schools, Briscoe was awarded second place in the clothing group exhibit and fourth place in the planning and selection of children's clothing. The latter was won by Fay Hammer.

Grand awards were given to the schools receiving the highest scores throughout the state. Austin was given an Electrolux for first place, and other awards were given to schools receiving the next highest scores.

Seniors

Dorothy Lohberger was born Oct. 29, 1919, at Zybach, Texas. She has attended school at Zybach, Monrovia, Calif., and Briscoe. She played guard on the basketball team for the past three years; also tennis, volleyball and ground ball. Dorothy had the leading part in the junior play last year. She is president of the home economics club and vice president of the civics club.

Her pet aversion is hypocrisy. Her chief ambition is to become an air hostess in California. Dorothy is 5 feet, 1 inch tall, weighs 114 pounds; has blond hair and brown eyes.

Professional Column

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Essentials of Good Club News Reporting

Attention-Compelling, Four Brief Paragraphs, Accuracy, the Measuring Rod

By MRS. ZURA BULLOCK

"Hey! the house is on fire," yells little Johnnie, running from the bathroom in search of his mother. After the excitement he tells her he and a playmate entered the bathroom for a baseball and found the oilburner turned over and the room on fire.

A good club news story is written on the same principle—an "eye-catching" lead, containing some information given at the club meeting. You have the reader's attention—proceed to give details.

A club news story should contain four brief paragraphs: first, the lead, or piece of information given at the meeting; name and title if any of person speaking; to whom they are speaking; date and place of meeting. Second: discuss more fully information given in first paragraph. Third: give club news, such as officers elected or anything concerning the club's activities. Fourth: give names of those present for the meeting.

A home demonstration club reporter is one important medium used to get extension work before the reading public. Keeping this in mind, Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, editor Extension News, College Station, Texas, gives the following formula which she calls "The Measuring Rod": "Does this report carry a piece of information given at the meeting that will be of some use to someone not present at the meeting?"

Read your report aloud and check by above "measuring rod" before sending to the editor for publication. Accuracy cannot be stressed to heavily. The reading public depends on your reports for their information—so do not guess at facts—know them before you write.

A few don'ts for reporters are: Do not use nick-names nor abbreviate; never write headlines. Leave that to your editor; he has more experience. Make it convenient for him by leaving a 2-inch space at the head of the report. Do not give lengthy details. Write on one side of paper only and place your name and name of club on each sheet of your report.

Today's happenings are news; yesterday's happenings are history. The public wants news, so help your editor by reporting promptly, same day of the club meeting if possible, and watch him smile.

Phillip's Wheeler County Deep Test



—Photo Courtesy Amarillo News.

Through the courtesy of The Amarillo News, in permitting use of the above cut, The Times is privileged to present a picture of Wheeler's nearest oil test well. It is Porter No. 1 and is located 1,980 feet from the south and west lines of section 35, block A-8, H&GN survey; approximately 6½ miles south of Wheeler.

It is a cable tool test. Present depth is 3,225, under-reamed several hundred feet last week end cemented on the 10 3-4. Drilling out the plug and further exploration is to be done this week.

The Ordovician formation, final goal of the test, is expected at a shallower depth here than at other

places in the area. Original plans were to drill to the 5,500-foot level if necessary, should the pay not be found at a shallower depth.

The other deep tests of this company here are the No. 12 Elva in southwest Hutchinson County, the No. 2 Wilson in northeastern Moore and the No. 1 Hughes in Hall county. The deepest of these tests was the one in Hall county which went to 8,917 feet; the Moore county test was next at 8,013 feet and the Elva in Hutchinson county, was 5,330 feet.

Shown below the derrick on the rig floor are O. L. Post, driller, (at the reader's right), and J. M. Mullins, tool dresser.

B. & P. W. HEARS REPORT FROM DISTRICT MEETING

The Business and Professional Women's club met Monday evening in the club room at the court house with Juanita Stone as chairman of the program on Health.

Roll call was answered with a health hint, "Keeping Fit" was ably handled by Leet Womack. An interesting report of the B. & P. W. convention that met in Childress was given by Viola Jones and Willetta Templeton. Reading, "I Ain't Afraid," was given by Little Miss Johnette Hood.

Those present were Viola Jones, Juanita Stone, Grayce Couch, Leet Womack, Blanche Grainger, Bessie Mae Ficke, Willetta Templeton, Clara Finsterwald, Hattie Womack and Doris Forrester.

Fishermen to Lake Kemp

A group of men left this morning for Lake Kemp to be present for the opening of the fishing season Friday morning. They were Bob Bowers, J. P. Green, John Lewis and O. Lewis. Holt Green and Judge W. R. Ewing of Pampa plan to join the party late Friday.

SURPRISE SHOWER GIVEN FOR MRS. GLEN PORTER

Mrs. J. H. Templeton and daughter, Miss Willetta, were charming hostesses at a party and miscellaneous surprise shower given in honor of Mrs. Glen Porter, Wednesday afternoon at the Templeton home. The afternoon was spent piecing a hexagon quilt for Mrs. Porter. Guests were Mesdames George Porter, Jim Risner, Bronson Green, R. J. Holt, Cora Hall, Roy Puckett, Nelson Porter, T. S. Puckett, jr., Melvin Howe, J. M. Porter, F. B. Craig and Mrs. H. M. Glass and Mrs. Hershel Glass of Shamrock.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames Floyd Pennington, J. I. Maloy and Miss Viola Jones, and Mrs. B. A. Zeigler, Mrs. Jim Forbis and daughter, Adeline, Mrs. Claude Carnes and Mrs. Otis Robinson and daughter, Faye, all of Shamrock.

Delicious iced fruit punch and cookies were served throughout the afternoon.

J. N. Green was resting easy this evening from a major operation performed at the Gaines hospital Wednesday evening.

Aged Briscoe Minister Dies

Thomas Alonzo Wood, 75, died about 3 o'clock this afternoon. He made his home near Briscoe, and was a Primitive Baptist minister. Funeral services will be held at Ardmore, Okla., on Saturday. Clay-Basley Funeral home, Wheeler, are in charge.

MASONIC LODGE

A stated communication of the Wheeler Masonic lodge will be held on next Monday night, May 4. Labor in the degrees. All Masons in good standing are invited to attend. H. E. GARRISON, Secretary.

NEW CROP REGULATION METHOD AND BENEFITS

(Continued from First Page)

excess acreage of home needs on the farm under normal production, and the domestic needs will be figured by the following rule.

20 bushels for each person in the family to produce pork, beef and milk for the family. 70 bushels for each head of work stock necessary to cultivate the farm.

As an example: There are five in the family; at 20 bushels each, 100 bushels would be required. Four head of work stock, 280 bushels. 100 bushels plus 280 would be 380 bushels needed on the farm. 280 bushels divided by the yield per acre would give the necessary acreage of grain which might be corn or grain sorghums to maintain the farm.

The feature of retiring a part of feed lands is that with normal season, which would make normal production; the production of feeds or corn would be sufficient without the few acres left out, and with short season and short production, then the farmer would have the payment with which to buy feeds not produced.

20 or 35 per cent of cotton lands can be diverted in addition to the feed lands to be diverted, so if a farmer has the land as given above in his farm he will divert as follows:

Fifteen per cent of feed land which would be 7½ acres.

Fifteen per cent of corn land, which would be three acres.

If he diverted 35 per cent he would have 14 acres of cotton diverted on the farm; 24½ diverted acres in the farm.

He can plant this diverted acreage in one block, and if he plants sudan and does not graze such sudan he will get \$1.00 per acre extra, which would be \$24.50 in addition to the diversion payment, and the diversion payment in the AAA program; or the production per acre which the acres diverted multiplied by 5 cents per pound.

Or he can plant this acreage to one row of cow peas and one row of grain sorghums, or corn, provided he does not exceed his acres of either; or two rows of cow peas and two rows of grain sorghums, or corn, and get \$1.50 per acre extra on the diverted acres and later rulings permit that this acreage can be planted on land on which a soil depleting crop was grown in the year 1935.

As an example: If a farmer has the 24 acres to divert he can plant 48 acres one and one, or two and two rows of cow peas and get the extra payment per acre as mentioned above. He would have 52½ acres left to be planted in grain sorghums, and when he planted his 49 acres to peas and corn or grain sorghums this would only take 24½ acres out of his grain sorghums planted, so he would have 28 acres left to plant in grain sorghums.

The acreage and other parts of the program is simple and if the acreage seems complicated he should measure his land, and the local committeeman will have all necessary information when the farmer goes to the local committeeman to make out the work sheet.

The local committeeman will only be in the field from May 6 to May 11, as the allotment of money is only sufficient to pay the committeeman for that period of time, and they cannot serve without pay.

The committeemen will be located at the following places:

R. L. Pike at Midway Station for his district. Howard Leake at the chamber of commerce office in Shamrock.

Floyd Lively at his home on highway 66, six miles west of Lela.

Walter Turnbow at Magic City for the old Mertel district.

Dana McDonald at Twitty for the old Pillers district.

Don Rives will be at Kelton. W. A. Purnell will be at Kelton for the old Mooney district. P. L. Ramsey will be at the court house in Wheeler for his district. W. A. Scribner will be at Mobeetie for his district. Tom E. Laman will be in Mobeetie for his district. Clarence Zybach will be at the

lumber yard at Briscoe for his district. W. O. Traylor will be in Allison for his district. All farmers who do not reach the local committeeman during this period as given above will have to come to the county agent's office unless further notice is given, or go to the local committeeman's home.

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Townsend Club Met Here Monday Night

According to J. D. Merriman, president, the local Townsend Old Age pension club met in the district court room here Monday night with a small but enthusiastic attendance. Music was furnished by the Liberty trio, consisting of E. D. Gaynes and C. E. Lotter, fiddles, and M. L. Clark, Jr., guitar.

Interesting talks, interspersed with music by the trio, formed the major part of the program. Several new names were added to the membership roll.

The next regular meeting will be on Monday night, May 11. A good program of speaking and music will be published in the next issue of The Times for that meeting, to which the general public is cordially invited.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Plants—Cabbage, peppers, egg plant, collards, tomatoes. Julius Carter, phone 98. 17tc

FOR SALE—Three good work horses. Joe Bryant. 19t1p

FOR SALE—Meadow hay; \$9.00 a ton. Edison Sorenson. 19t2p

FOR SALE—Young Jersey bull. See B. A. Melton. 19t1p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Emerson 2-row lister. Joe Bryant. 19t1p

FOR SALE—Pie melon seed. Brannon's I. G. A. store, Mobeetie. W. I. Sims. 20t3p

FOR SALE—Weaned pigs, \$5.00 each. O. I. Johnston, Phone 907L, Wheeler. 20t2p

FOR SALE—Re-cleaned sudan seed, \$3.25 per 100 lbs., delivered. See sample at Browning Service station. W. T. Newsom, Allison, Texas.

FOR SALE—1200-lb. gray smooth mouth mare. Ernest Lee. 20tfc

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SCHEDULE—MAY—1936—SOFTBALL GAMES

TEAMS	South Side	West Side	Royal Drug Store	Court House	Filling Stations
South Side	WHEELER	May 4 May 11 May 18 May 25	May 1 May 8 May 15 May 22	May 5 May 12 May 19 May 26	May 7 May 14 May 21 May 28
West Side	May 4 May 11 May 18 May 25	SOFT	May 6 May 13 May 20 May 27	May 1 May 8 May 15 May 22	May 5 May 12 May 19 May 26
Royal Drug Store	May 1 May 8 May 15 May 22	May 6 May 13 May 20 May 27	BALL	May 7 May 14 May 21 May 28	May 4 May 11 May 18 May 25
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