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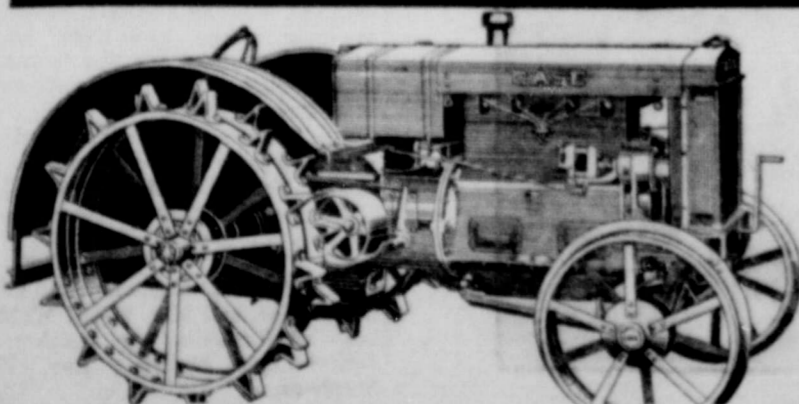
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LUTHERAN NEWS

May 13.—A fine rain fell here Saturday night and most all day Sunday, which will be a blessing to the farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Lovvorn spent Monday evening at the Lindemann home in the Whitfield community.

Mrs. H. J. Ratjen continues to improve after the operation, which took place at Dallas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleton of Amarillo is visiting at the Ratjen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Terrell were in Plainview Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Scheele were in Plainview Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. McCullough were in

Plainview Saturday on business. School will close here Friday with a program.

Mr. K. Sammann returned from the school meet held at Dallas last week.

Mr. Fred Boedeker returned from a visit with his sister and other relatives near Brenham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boedeker were the guests of W. A. Boedeker Sunday.

J. W. Davenport and wife visited his brother and family near Aiken last week.

Mr. Crawford spent Saturday in Plainview with his family.

PROVIDENCE

May 14.—Everyone certainly did

enjoy the rain Saturday night.

Mrs. Clarence Powell and Mrs. Ophie Bennett visited Mrs. Clyde Phillips Tuesday evening.

Noma McPeak spent Friday night with Viola Cassel.

Quite a few from this community attended the dance at Plainview Monday night.

Doris Bennett spent Saturday nite in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Lovvorn attended the play at Whitfield Friday night.

Mr. Hollis Williams visited Roy Bennett the past week-end.

PLEASANT VALLEY

May 13.—Last week was the last week of school at Pleasant Valley for this term. Thursday night, Brother Morgan of the Baptist church of Lockney, gave the Commence Address. Those graduating from the seventh grade this year are: Gladys Collins, Shirley Race, Beula Fay McClure, and Vernon Childress. Friday night two plays were given, a "Tom Thumb Wedding" and "Sally Anne Finds Herself." Mr. and Mrs. Lowrance wants to thank those who helped with the program, those who furnished costumes, and also those who were so kind to furnish flowers for decorating and those taking part in the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Yarbrough are the proud owners of a brand new Chevrolet coach, and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Henderson a new Ford roadster.

Mrs. H. O. Shurbet spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Rose, of Plainview.

Mr. Elvie Lewis came in last week to see his sister, Miss Fav Bloxom.

Mr. and Mrs. F. U. Payne were Plainview visitors Friday of last week.

Hershel Blankenstep and Hollis Harris spent the week-end with J. C. Harris.

Mrs. Fred Shearer of Prairieview and her children spent last Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Marr.

Mrs. T. B. Mitchell is on the sick list this week. She took sick suddenly Saturday night.

Miss Florene Brown of Lockney spent Saturday night, Sunday, and Sunday night with Evelyn Fields.

Edna Collis spent the week-end with Katherine Harris.

Mr. H. M. Orr went to Young county last Friday and returned Sunday evening.

Mr. Willis of Dimmitt visited his brother, Mr. Jess Willis, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Harrison of Knox City came last Thursday for a visit for a few days with their children, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowrance.

Mr. Henry Harrison, their grandson, also came for a short visit.

Mrs. E. J. Blankenship spent last Friday with Mrs. N. T. A. Byers.

Mrs. Harris, Hubbard, and Mitchell were Floydada visitors last Friday.

Mrs. W. E. Lowrance and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Harrison were Plainview shoppers last Friday.

SUNSET

May 14.—Everybody is wearing a smile since the rain.

We had no Sunday school Sunday on account of the rainy weather.

Miss Bessie Wood entertained her pupils last Thursday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood. Ice cream was served.

Mrs. G. Milton and Mrs. S. Yeary were Plainview shoppers last Friday.

Mrs. B. C. Phegley entertained her pupils with an ice cream supper last week at the home of Mrs. Della Wooton.

Miss Helen Upton, Otis Milton, and L. T. Wood spent the week-end with homefolks, returning Monday morning on the train to Plainview, where they are in school.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Milton went to Lockney Tuesday.

There will be a play presented here Saturday night. Be sure and come.

CENTER

May 13.—This part of the world is as wet this Monday as it was dry last week. Think we have had three and a half or four inches of rain. When it is dry enough my the cotton and feed that will be planted. It is generally conceded wheat will be greatly benefitted but a rain three or four weeks ago was needed to make it as good as it would have been.

Bro. Weathers came for both Saturday night and Sunday morning services, but no one else came, hence no preaching.

Those from Center who attended the annual commencement services of Floydada High School were Miss Doris Spence and brother, Donovan, who are members of the graduating class this year. Mr. J. W. Cole attended too.

Mr. Cole has accepted a place in the Graham Chapel school six miles from Post, Texas, for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lightfoot went to Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jackson and Miss Thelma, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jernigan, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Carpenter were among those who attended the meeting at Sand Hill, where Bro. Post was doing the preaching.

Mrs. Jewel Branson spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Carpenter.

Our school closes Friday of this week. We will have nothing more than a club program at most. Had planned some other features but expect the good rain will make us too

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Meeting at Lockney last Tuesday. Messrs. R. C. Ross and T. L. King went to Lockney Saturday, where Mr. King bought a Chevrolet car.

MUNCY

May 13.—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ferguson and family visited in the Vandergriff home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nichols were Floydada visitors Saturday.

Lewis McGuire visited our school Friday afternoon.

Mr. Ervin Hopkins left for Panhandle, Texas, Monday morning.

Miss Flossie Ferguson spent the week-end with her aunt, Miss Olive Smalley.

Mr. W. G. Ferguson and daughter, Flossie, visited in the W. M. Vandergriff home Monday.

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\$5.00 IN GOLD FREE

The Baker Hotel Cafe will pay to the lady bringing the prettiest Bouquet of Flowers, in a vase, to the Cafe by ten o'clock Saturday morning, May 18th, a premium of \$5.00 in Gold. The flowers will be judged by three disinterested persons.

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Saturday—
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"Cheyenne"
 COMEDY—"OFF TO BUFFALO"
 PARAMOUNT NEWS

Resident of Plainview Is Bullet Victim

Mrs. Grace Morrison Dies After Body Is Riddled at Hotel Entrance Assailant Gives Up

Amarillo, May 14.—Mrs. Grace Morrison, 700 Pierce Street, was fatally shot by a gun in the hands of Mrs. Levi P. Stallworth, 909 North Polk Street, in front of the Moore hotel, Pierce Street and Sixth Avenue at 10:20 o'clock last night, according to Mrs. Stallworth's own admission last night to Chief of Police H. L. Gaither.

"I shot her because she was running around with my husband," said Mrs. Stallworth.

Three shots from a .41 calibre single-action Colt revolver were fired in-

to the body of Mrs. Morrison. Witnesses said that four shots had been fired, all at a close range, but that one of the bullets missed its mark.

A number of people witnessed the shooting. They declared that it appeared that Mrs. Stallworth pulled out the gun and, apparently without warning, fired the fatal shots.

Died in Ambulance
 The injured woman died in a Griggs ambulance on the way to St. Anthony's hospital. On examination it was revealed that one of the bullets had entered her chest, another just below the neck, and a third, fired into the right arm, made six separate holes in the body.

Mrs. Ethel Roper, owner of the house at 700 Pierce Street, where Mrs. Morrison was living temporarily, told officers that earlier in the evening Mrs. Stallworth and her mother-in-law, Mrs. E. M. Stallworth, had been at the house asking for Mrs. Morrison and that later Mrs. Morrison had gone out with the two of them, first stopping to lock her automobile which stood at the curb.

Mrs. Morrison, who was about 35 years old, had come to this city only a short time ago from Plainview, where her husband, A. H. Morrison, is living at present. She has a daughter, Audrey, 12 years old, in St. Mary's Academy here.

Mr. Morrison in a telephone communication last night reported that he would start immediately for Amarillo.

R. S. Baxter, 604 Madison street, was driving by the hotel when the shooting took place. He jumped from his machine and seized Mrs. Stallworth, who, he said, had started to walk calmly away, and brought her to the city police station.

Levi Stallworth is employed as brakeman on the Fort Worth and Denver railroad.

Officers said that late Sunday night they had investigated a parked car on the north side of town and found Mr. and Mrs. Levi Stallworth and Mrs. Morrison in the car, apparently in argument over something.

TURKEY VOTES \$85,000 SCHOOL BOND FOR NEW STRUCTURE

Turkey, May 14.—The \$85,000 school bond issue in Turkey carried today 100 to 61. Turkey has just completed the first unit of the high school at a cost of \$50,000 and will use \$50,000 of the present issue to complete the building and the remaining portion of the issue will be used to remodel and equip ward schools.

The new auditorium in the proposed high school will seat approxi-

mately 1,000 people. Turkey will have one of the best equipped schools in this section of the country.

School enrollment has tripled in the past twelve months, which necessitated the expenditure of the \$135,000 for school buildings.

The Baptist church has plans drawn and contract let for a building costing approximately \$28,000 and the Methodists are finishing the first unit of their \$30,000 church.

EX-GOVERNOR SAYERS RITES TO BE TODAY

Burial of Long Service for State to Lie at Bastrop—Texas Flag Bought to Half Mast

Austin, May 15.—Friends of former Governor Joseph D. Sayers, who died today at the age of 88, closing a long life of service to his state and country, will take his body to his old home at Bastrop and bury it tomorrow.

Services at his home here and at the grave will be simple.

In his memory the state's business paused during the day. The supreme court, courts of criminal and civil appeals, which met today adjourned out of respect to him, as did both branches of the legislature. The Texas flag was brought to half mast soon after the word of his passing reached Governor Moody, the venerable ex-governor's friend. The governor and Mrs. Moody recalled invitations to the legislators to attend a garden party at the mansion tonight.

At the time of his death, Mr. Sayers was serving as a member of the board of pardons, having been one of Gov. Moody's first appointees. The governor often sought advice from the dean of the surviving governors.

Always interested in the affairs of the state, Mr. Sayers had been active until a few weeks ago, when he was stricken with his last illness. He visited his office in the capitol daily.

The capitol will close at noon and the body will be accompanied to its final resting place by Gov. Moody and many state officials.

Mr. Sayers is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lena Walton Sayers; one brother, Sam Sayers and one sister, Miss Jessie Sayers of San Marcos.

IN MEMORIAM

Nancy Jane Brown was born Jan. 7th, 1853 and passed on to her reward May 8th, 1929, at her home in the Cedar Hill community of Floyd county at the advanced age of 76.

She was born in Lawrence County, Arkansas. Her family removed to Texas shortly after the Civil War and settled near Pilot Point, in Denton County, where she attended the

old fashioned, early day schools and grew to young womanhood.

In the early 70's she was married to Henry W. Brown, son of a pioneer family, who died in 1922. There were six children born to this union, four of which are living.

When Grandma Brown, as she was endearingly known by her neighbors and friends, came to Texas, the Redskins were still making raids in the section where she lived. These trying times and the harrowing experiences so common to the frontier life no doubt moulded her character and life so that the great sorrows of recent years which came into her life did not overweigh or shake her faith in God, but through it all, even the tragic death of her eldest son, Den, she remained calm and composed, submissive to the will of the Divine.

To the children, relatives, and friends who left behind, let us find comfort in the words of our Savior wherein he says: "I am the resurrection and the life. He that believeth on me, though he was dead, yet shall he live again." Verily Grandma Brown believed in God and passed on, unafraid, unshaken in her faith in the resurrection and the life beyond.

Let us so order our lives and follow God, as she did, so that when the time comes for us to journey to that bourne from which no traveler e'er returns, we may go unafraid as did this good woman.

May the life of Nancy Jane Brown in all its beauty, with the sweet fragrance of all its duties well done, and with all its sacrifices made for others, be so emulated in our lives that the world shall be made a better place in which to live by reason of our having lived in it. And, also, so that at our going, through faith, we may with the poet say:

The flood may bear me far,
 I hope to see my pilot face to face,
 When I have crossed the bar.

Contributed by one who has known and loved her for more than forty years.

Mrs. C. D. Brooks of Wellington is visiting her son, T. B. Brooks and wife, of the Brooks Dry Cleaners the week end.

TEXAS SCENIC WEALTH

By Phebe K. Warner
 If all of Texas' scenic assets were crowded up together into the space of one of our average sized states, then Texas would be simply a collection of Summer and Winter resorts. And what a variety they would be. Tropical, semi-tropical and frigid. Rivers, valleys, hills, moun-

tains, lakes, forests, canyons, sea coast. Any thing you could imagine, you would find it in Texas. There is not another State that offers such a variety of beauty as Texas.

But with all of her beauty spots, Texas has so many vast acres of rich agricultural lands that as a state she has been so busy all these first hundred years of her life that she has given very little attention to her scenic assets. Texas reminds us of a really beautiful child that has not yet found it out. She seems utterly unaware of her charms. And so far has not used them to attract attention to herself.

But it's different with a State. There is a certain amount of responsibility that goes with the scenic assets of a State. Beauty might be considered one of a state's natural resources, the same as oil or cotton. If so then why is it not the duty of any state to develop its scenic resources for the good they will do the world and the value they may be to their own people.

Such a problem is facing the people of Texas and especially the people of the Texas Panhandle this very day. There is in the heart of the great Texas Panhandle one of nature's rarest scenic gifts. Why it happens to be there, ask the Gods of Nature. All we know is that it is there. And it will be there forever. It is one asset that no corporation can ever purchase and move away. If they could have done so, the Palo Duro Canyon would have been dug up and moved to some other state long ago. But it belongs to Texas and no one else will ever own it. And if it is ever made accessible to the people and put to the use for which the Creator evidently made it, the people of Texas will have to make that service possible.

There is but one thing lacking. And that is a good highway into, through, and out of the Palo Duro Canyon. And this is what the people of the Panhandle are going to ask of the State of Texas in our next legislature.

In the 50 counties of the North and South Plains which comprise the section known as the Panhandle there are approximately 28,000,000 acres of land. As the name suggests the vast portion of this land is plain Plains, with scarcely a ripple in them. But through the entire territory there is one other feature and that is canyons. These canyons through out the entire Panhandle are unlike most canyons in that they are genuine canyons. They are gorges, great and small, down into the earth, where-as most canyons are found in our mountain regions and are formed by the

mountains being pushed up above the surface of the surrounding country leaving great gaps between them. Such canyons are always hard to reach being hidden away among our greatest mountain scenery.

Not so with our Panhandle canyons. They are right out in the open country, down deep below the surface of the country, where you can plow right up to the brink of most of them before you realize their existence. And of all these canyons the Palo Duro in the center of the Panhandle is the greatest.

Every year three fifths of Colorado's tourists pass with in a few miles of this glorious canyon and never know it is there. Less than a million of our Texas people spend \$8,000,000 annually sight seeing out side of Texas and never visit this glorious spot. What do the other 4,000,000 of our Texas people do. They stay at home and work because they cannot afford the time and cash it takes to go to some other state for a few days vacation and rest and inspiration.

Texas needs the Palo Duro Canyon as a rest room for her tired and worn out people. She needs it as a summer play ground for her children. She needs it as a gate way to the scenery of other states. She needs it to introduce the world to her own scenic assets and to the vast undeveloped territory all along its borders. The people of the Panhandle need a scenic highway through the Palo Duro and into it and of it to link the north and south, the east and west plains together and bring our people into closer touch with one another. That canyon has been as a great social gulf between adjacent counties. They could not work together. They could not even have a successful telephone service because of this great chasm and its inaccessible depths.

Such a highway system would give us cross county connections with three great rail road systems, the Fort Worth and Denver, the Rock Island, and the Santa Fe. It would link together a score or more State and county highways and open up one of our richest and rarest resources, native Texas beauty.

Let's throw open the doors to the Palo Duro Canyon and let the people in. Can we afford to keep such scenic wealth locked up any longer when every other state is calling to our people to "Come and spend your vacation and your money with us."

"IF TEXAS IS GOOD ENOUGH TO MAKE YOUR MONEY IN, TEXAS IS GOOD ENOUGH TO SPEND YOUR MONEY IN." A Colorado hint.

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To the Staff

To close this year without an expression of appreciation to the faithful members of the Longhorn Staff would be an ingratitude. Your work has been done under numerous handicaps and under incomplete organization, but your efforts have not been in vain. The experience you have gained will prove of much value to you; the paper has brought pleasure to your classmates, a feeling of pride to your instructors, and has been a potent influence in the creating and maintaining of a splendid school spirit. You have instituted an activity which will prove more beneficial as the school continues to grow.

For your persistent efforts, sincere concern, and willing responses, let me extend to you an earnest word of appreciation. In so doing, I assure you, I express the sentiment of the entire faculty.

Signed: MRS. R. C. HAITHCOCK,
 Faculty Adviser.

Congratulations Seniors

By the time you are reading this article, the high school life of the present seniors will have ended. As these seniors leave their Alma Mater, I am sure that each one of them feels a pang of regret. Older folk always say the happiest days of their life were their school days. The seniors will say the same thing, when they are a little older. As these seniors graduate to enter into a profession, or to enter college, as the case may be, they will immediately feel a longing for a few more days of those happy experiences, and intimate friendships of high school days.

They are starting out on the sea of life; leaving their friends behind. Of course, they are glad to be off, but still it is so sad to put aside old friends, and old habits.

For eleven years these seniors have been equipping themselves with knowledge to meet the trials and vicissitudes of life. It depends largely upon the efforts put forth by the seniors in gaining all available knowledge, as to whether they will be successful in the future. They have a fair education in material things. Those who heard Rev. Stephens' remarks Sunday night, concerning a symmetrical life, will realize that in order for a life to be well rounded it must have sound morality as well as knowledge. If not, it is like a huge stationary engine turned loose full throttle, without any load to carry. Their life is useless.

We congratulate the seniors upon their graduation. Probably as yet they do not realize the help that their high school education will be in life. But those who have never had the opportunity an education affords realize what they have missed. Those who have had that opportunity realize what it means to one's success and happiness. It is what makes life worthwhile. Without it life is merely an existence. As one great educator has said, "Education is not an adding from without, but a bringing out from within." It brings out what is good in man; the things that will make him a success. No great man has ever reached his peak of success without an education. It may not have been obtained in what we call schools, but it was gathered in the school of life. The seniors may think that their education is ended when they receive their diploma; but it is only begun. The knowledge that they have gained in school is only a foundation for the knowledge they must gain in the school of life in order to be successful and happy.

We congratulate the seniors!
 We wish them the very best of success!

Mr. and Mrs. Haithcock Entertains Friends
 Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Haithcock were host and hostess to a few friends on Wednesday evening, May 15th. The occasion was a delicious three-course dinner followed by a few games of bridge. White and pink roses with honey-suckle were effectively used in decoration.

The guests were Misses Grace Wise, and Melba Thomson, Messrs. Olin Harris, Charley Mosely, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Reid.

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is dedicated to the

Graduating Class of 1929

of

Lockney High School

Baccalaureate Services for Graduates Sunday

The Baccalaureate service for the graduating class of Lockney High School was held Sunday night, May 12, at the Baptist church, with Rev. J. E. Stephens, pastor of the local Methodist church, preaching the sermon.

In spite of the rainy weather, a large crowd was present and attested to the interest of Lockney's citizenship in the graduates and their school affairs. Because of the road conditions, five of the seniors who live in nearby communities were unable to be present.

The church was prettily and simply decorated in senior colors, gold and white, and baskets of white carnations, class flowers. The program for the hour was as follows:

"Prelude in D Flat _____ Chopin
 Processional, "Marche Pontificale
 Godard
 Hymn, "Come Thou Almighty King"
 No. 75
 Invocation _____ Elder J. E. Arceneaux
 Anthem, "Eye Hath Not Seen"
 A. A. Gaul
 Quartette, "My Task _____ Roy-Ashford
 Scripture Reading, Elder J. E. Arceneaux.
 Sermon _____ Rev. J. E. Stephens
 Anthem, "Grateful, O Lord, Am I"
 Roma
 Benediction _____ Rev. E. D. Morgan

The anthems were sung by a group of junior girls who formed the choir, and the quartette was sung by Messrs. D. V. Biggers, Edgar Morgan, Miss Gene Dyer, and Mrs. L. D. Harris. The subject of Rev. Stephens' sermon was "A Perfect Life, or Life in Its Symmetry", with the scripture text from Revelation 21:16—"The length and the breadth and the height of it were equal." Here the reference is made to the Holy City and the description used as representing glorified humanity in its completeness.

From the address the graduates received a beautiful conception of life and the fullness thereof. In brief Rev. Stephens said:

"Life, to be beautiful, symmetrical, complete, must be far in its reach, broad in its sympathy, and high in its inspiration. Each successful life must have a goal, an ambition, a life work, toward which to bend every energy. As this goal becomes more and more absorbing, less important, duties will gradually be neglected, and the success of the one great work will be assured. The goal, after attainment, will be worthless if in its pursuit one has thought only of himself. To be broad, one must be in sympathy with people and sacrifice for others. Life itself will be worse than useless, however, if in accomplishing one's work, his soul fails to have the high reach, the uplifting inspiration which can come only from a right relation with God."

The Freshmen girls chaperoned by Miss Simpson, had very thrilling times last Saturday. They boys had their vacation the week-end, just preceding, so the girls decided to have a real time, too. They rode horses to Sterley, ate their breakfast there, which consisted of sandwiches and fruit. After breakfast, they rode around the countryside until late in the afternoon. They returned home a very tired, but happy bunch.

Basket Ball Dinner
 The first team basket ball girls honored the second team with a luncheon in the English room at the high school Wednesday, May 8. This compliment came as a return favor to the girls who entertained with a party on April 12 at the home of Mrs. T. H. Stewart.

The affair was both unique and original, bespeaking the cleverness of the hostesses. The luncheon table was centered with the champion's loving cup which contained a bouquet of beautiful roses. Cut flowers were given as favors. A program of short talks concluded the luncheon and gave the girls an opportunity for reminiscences of the basket ball season.

The girls to whom a three-course luncheon was served were: Gertrude Collier, Evon Griffith, Martha Meriwether, Mildred Ramsey, Juanita Dagley, Maurine and Arline Watson, Anice and Alice Stewart, Glenna Collins, Elsie Meriwether, Oneta Comer, Clara Gunn, Dorothy Glass, Mary Leda McAdams, Opal Ashby, Ruby Cox, Gene Dyer, and Misses Bridges and Newman.

Seniors Have Pictures Made
 On Thursday and Friday of last week the seniors had their pictures made. This has been an annual affair in the school. Each person had his picture taken separately, and the head of each picture will be skillfully worked into the frame of a clock. When these pictures are completed we, the seniors, wish that you might see one, and express your thoughts concerning the senior boys and girls of 1929.

Home Economic Classes Present Program

Last Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock the Home Economics classes presented a varied and interesting program at the school auditorium. The evening's entertainment consisted of:

1. An old fashioned style show.
2. Review of garments made this year.
3. I Faw Down and Go Boom—Carl McAdams and Edgar Morgan.
4. Reading, "Me and My Down Trodden Sex"—Estelle Byars.
5. Play, Tuning Up for the Wedding."
6. Flapper Chorus, "I Want to Go Places and Do Things."

The money cleared from this entertainment has been deposited as a Home Economics Club fund for next year. We might take this means to thank you for your support and aid this year and to announce to you that we expect to have a bigger and better program next year.

SENIORS GUEST AT EARTHQUAKE PARTY

Thursday, May 8, the seniors were guests at a party at the home of Mrs. T. H. Stewart given by Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Jones, and Mrs. Collier. The party was indeed an unusual one of its kind. When the invitations were received some of the seniors were not certain of their going since the party was announced as an earthquake party, but by eight o'clock a large majority had arrived. Those present were indeed in the midst of an earthquake. Several shocks were experienced by a jolly bunch of "42" players.

The first shock was felt only by the losers in the first game of "42." When time was up and the winners had moved on, a small package was placed on each table to be opened. The losers were to wear the contents. Upon opening the packages, a set of dance caps were revealed and placed on the heads of the mortified losers. Several other such shocks were experienced—sometimes favoring the winners and sometimes, the losers.

After a series of eleven games of "42" delicious refreshments were served consisting of brick ice cream and cake, carrying out the class colors, gold and white. The seniors desire to thank Mesdames Stewart, Jones, and Collier for the interest

Commencement Exercises Friday, May 17

Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium, the Senior Class Commencement program will be given. The High School Girls' Chorus will render musical numbers. Miss Frances Savage is salutorian and Miss Margaret Collier is validatorian. Mr. L. F. Sheffield of West Texas State Teachers College will deliver the address.

Alumni Association To Be Organized

At the Seniors' dinenr party Sunday evening, Mr. Fay Guthrie suggested that Lockney High School organize an Alumni Association. After several discussions of the matter, Arthur Cox made a motion that Lockney High School organize an alumni association. His motion was seconded by Winfred Fowler and carried unanimously. The following committee was appointed to nominate the necessary officers: Opal Ashby, chairman, Edgar Morgan, Winfred Fowler, Mary Nell Meador, and Frances Savage.

Friday morning at 10:30 in the high school auditorium the nominating committee will give a report and the association will be organized. All of the ex-graduates are invited to attend this meeting.

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT

Examinations are being given Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Those who have made A or A—average are being given exemptions; very few, however, are enjoying this privilege. Averages will be made and promotions and failures decided upon so that report cards may be passed out for the last time this school term Friday morning, May 17.

That they manifested in the seniors and their work. These are only a few, however, of the ones who have encouraged the seniors and shown them that work is not all in school life.

Adam and Eva Being Presented Tonight

"Adam and Eva" is being presented this Thursday night, May 16, by the senior class under the direction of Miss Carma Thomas, class sponsor. This is the final play of the season and like all the others of the year will be a success.

This three-act comedy is full of situations of human appeal and the well-chosen cast renders them more interesting. The variety of types of characters makes the play refreshing and entertaining.

The between act numbers will be enjoyable and different. The Symphonic Six which has proved a popular group will again be featured. There is also T the magician who is sure to please.

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Baccalaureate Dinner

Despite the fact that a fine rain fell Saturday night and most of Sunday, the graduating class enjoyed a six o'clock dinner given at Roy Griffith's Confectionery Sunday evening, May 12. The class had their guests the room mothers and their husbands, Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Morgan, and the faculty and their husbands and wives. After the first course, consisting of a full dinner, a short program was rendered. With D. V. Biggers serving as toastmaster, the following program was given: An Unknown Quality by J. D. Orr. This proved to be a toast to Pop. Freshmen Frolics by Winfred Fowler. Winfred caused our minds to go back to our first year in Lockney High School, when we felt that we knew more than any one else in school. Sophomore Sophistries by Opal Ashby. By the second year we lost part of our "know it all" feeling and began to enter our real high school work. Junior Jollities by T. H. Stewart, Jr. Of course, our junior year was fresh on the minds of most of the class, but still there were events that caused our hearts to beat faster when they were refreshed in our memory by T. H. Innings and Outings by Elvie Cook. This number recalled to our minds all the happy moments that we have spent together this year, our last year here together. All of the above numbers made us feel as if we were traveling along the road again. These past events in our school days caused our guests, too, to feel as though they had been along in class with us for the past four years.

Since this was also Mothers' Day,

Grammar School Graduation Exercises

On May 15, 1929, at 8:15 P. M. the graduation exercises of the seventh grade class were held in the high school auditorium.

With Miss Richardson at the piano, the graduates followed by their teachers, marched to their places in the auditorium, after which the following program was rendered:

Invocation _____ Elder Arceneaux
 Song, "Voice of the Woods" _____ Class
 Salutatory _____ Wood Stevenson
 Class History _____ Lela Comer
 Violin Duet, "Minuet in G" _____
 Kenneth Hohlaus and Rowan Ward
 Class Prophecy _____ Weldon Dodson
 Valedictory _____ Modell Brown
 Address _____ Rev. Morgan
 Presentation of Diplomas _____ W. D. Biggers

Diplomas were presented to the following graduates: Louise Arceneaux, Modell Brown, Agnes Cooper, Lois Good, Maxie Kirk, Dezzie Norris, Lula Visage, Doveine Williams, Mary Wofford, Nettie Mae Wilkinson, Mildred Golladay, Mauretta Brotherton, Lela Comer, Gertrude Gordon, Willie Hill, Esther Mae Hodel, Evelyn McDonald, Carrie Lee Prickett, Lucille Quisenberry, Ouida Townsend, Louise Keeling, Weldon Dodson, Kenneth Hohlaus, John Smith, Lowell Williams, Thurman Rigdon, Ben Whitfill, Wood Stevenson, Wayne Davis, Rowan Ward.

Winston Wofford gave a reading that was very appropriate on this occasion. Our class mothers have worked for us faithfully since the beginning of school.

The guests were called on for short talks. Mr. Fay Guthrie, an ex-student, gave a talk in which he stated that he would like for the graduating class of '29 to organize an alumni association. A number of seniors were called upon to express their opinion of the matter, and all seemed to be favorably impressed with such an organization. A nominating committee composed of members from the senior class was appointed by the toastmaster for recommending suitable officers for the organization.

A second course was then served, consisting of sherbet and cake carrying out the class color scheme of gold and white. This closed the program for the evening and the happy group went at once to the church for the baccalaureate services. Everyone reported an enjoyable evening, but a sadness lingers over all of us as this is probably the last time for all to be together.

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PRAIRIEVIEW

May 13.—The farmers are rejoicing over the fine rain which fell over this locality Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Puckett of Lakeview, and Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Shearer and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wood.

Grandma Lemaster, who has been very sick is better at this writing. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. H. O. Davis, Mrs. L. V. Brittain, and Mrs. J. R. May were callers in the Hudgin home Tuesday afternoon.

The 4-H Club girls met Tuesday morning with Mrs. Julia Kelley and Mrs. Willie Sammann. A very interesting meeting was held. We had our cooking and sewing lesson and planned for the club encampment which will be held at Plainview the first Thursday and Friday in June.

Mrs. Kelly met with the women Tuesday afternoon at the club house. Mr. and Mrs. Koen Baley and children visited in the Aycock home Tuesday.

Several from this community attended the Haines carnival at Plainview the past week.

There were no church services at this place Sunday on account of the rainy weather.

Rev. Pipes and wife were guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wood.

LONE STAR

May 13.—We have had a good rain, and we feel as if we will make a good wheat crop. At least we feel better than we did a week ago. Some of the farmers of this community will probably begin planting their cotton and row crops right away.

Ronch Allen was taken very sick Friday and a doctor was called in, but he is doing very well at the present writing.

The trustees of Lone Star have signed contracts with Mr. J. B. Allen and Miss Lillie Wingo to teach another year. They declined to sign a third teacher until the school situation is settled at Sterley. At present it looks as if Lone Star will have only two teachers next year.

Mr. W. H. Workman is sick and has been taking treatments from a chiropractor. Joe Reeves is also taking the same kind of treatment.

A number of people from Lone Star attended the programs at Roseland Thursday and Friday nights of last week.

Mrs. E. C. Brown and daughter, Doris, were in Plainview last Thursday shopping.

Miss Lorene Workman spent Friday in Lockney visiting the high school.

Robert Smith went to the sanitarium at Plainview last Tuesday and

had his tonsils removed.
 Bro. L. A. Blair of Plainview, and his wife spent Wednesday and Thursday with the Rexrode family. Bro. Blair preached at the Sterley Baptist church Wednesday night.
 The bond election was held at the school house last Saturday.

ROSELAND

May 13.—The good rains that fell here Saturday night and Sunday will be of great benefit to wheat and other small grains. A large acreage of feed and cotton will be planted now.

School closed last Friday. A program was given Thursday night by

the Intermediate and Primary rooms. Friday night a play was rendered by the older pupils.

Mr. W. B. Byars of Dallas, Texas, visited his brother, F. S. Byars, and family last week.

Measurers, P. M. and M. M. Smitherman and families, and James Smith and family attended the ball game at Irick last Friday.

Mrs. W. A. Whitlock, Frank Roberson, Guy Sams, G. C. Hilburn, C. H. Rose, J. C. Wilson, B. Madison, Eula Malone, H. L. Barton, Misses Lola Barton and Anna Sims, of Roseland Club attended the Home Demonstration Home Improvement Contest held at Floydada Friday. They brought home several prizes.

Mrs. R. D. Harper is driving a new Dodge sedan.

Several from the community went to Campbell to the ball game Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Busby of Lockney attended the play at Roseland Friday night.

IRICK

May 12.—A much needed rain fell here Saturday night and Sunday. The people of this community are in better hopes for a wheat crop.

Our school closed last Friday. The contents of the well filled baskets were enjoyed by all but I believe that the ball game with South Plains

had more excitement for us than any other feature of the day. South Plains run us a close race, the score being 12 and 13.

The graduation exercise was held Friday evening in the auditorium. Rev. Cormack delivered a splendid address to the young folk.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Price took supper with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Glass and family last Tuesday night.

Several from this community attended the baccalaureate sermon at Lockney Sunday night.

Miss Gladys Ellis of Plainview and Earl Hampton took supper with Miss Edith Glass Friday night.

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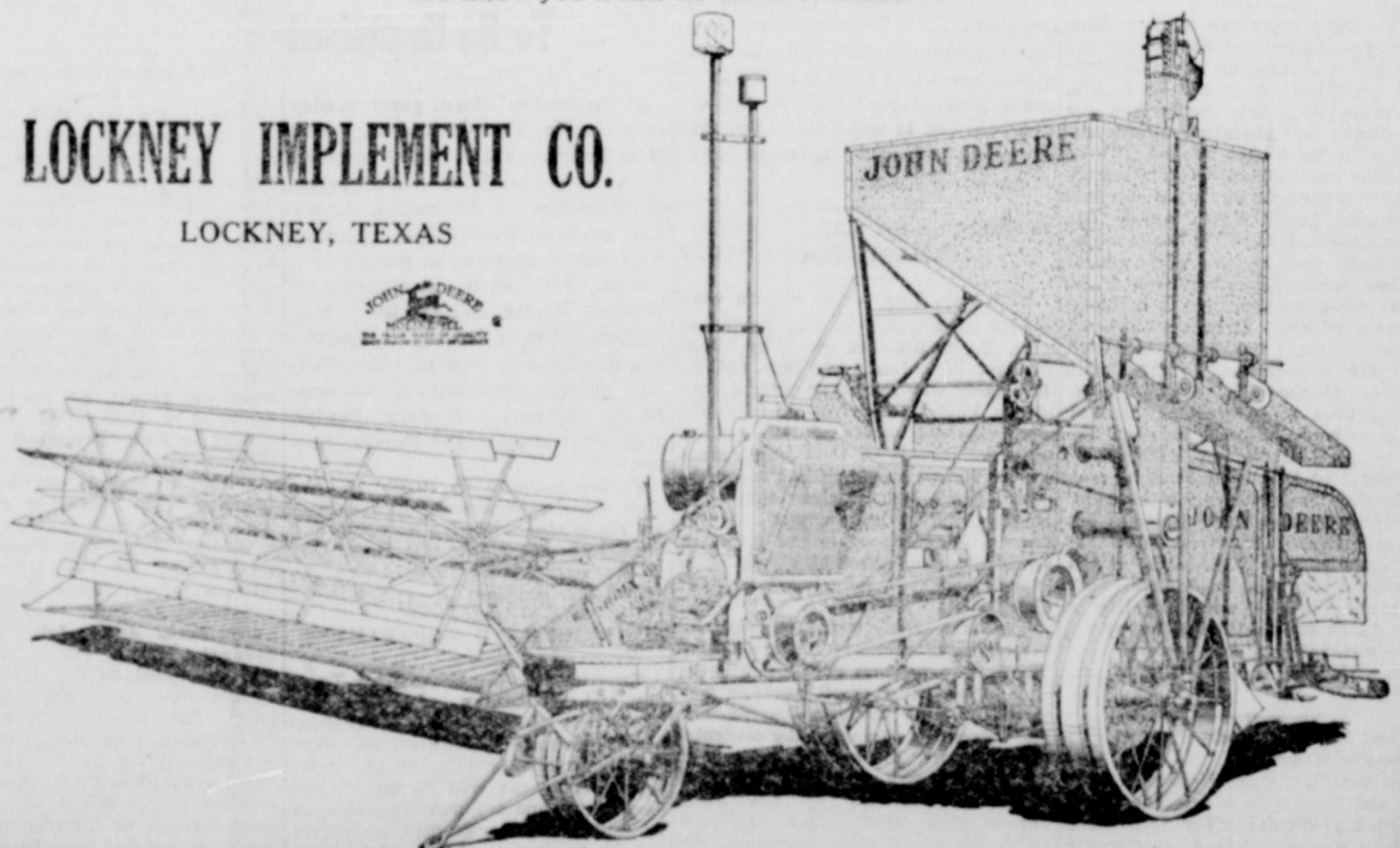
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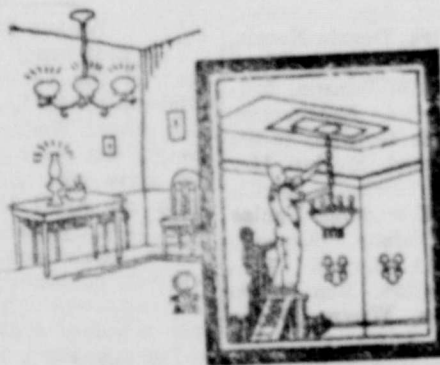
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Intolerance Is Probably the Most Common Fault in Human Nature. Yet, Strangely Enough, It is One To Which No One Ever Admits Being Guilty.

Tolerance is the greatest of all the domestic virtues and the rarest. Not love, not unselfishness, not self sacrifice, not all of the cardinal virtues will go as far toward making a happy home as tolerance, yet those who would die for us if need be will not let us live in peace with our own personal opinions, beliefs and habits.

At the bottom of practically every family row is intolerance. It is what furnishes forth meat for the daily spat over which the husbands and wives quarrel as dogs over a bone. It is intolerance that makes women nag and sets men to roaming and is the answer to the query of why children leave home.

Intolerance is probably the most common fault in human nature, yet, strangely enough, it is one which no one ever admits being guilty. People will confess that they are murderers and thieves and thugs and bootleggers, but never to being bigoted and intolerant. On the contrary, they feel that they are being broadminded and liberal when they interfere with all our cherished individual theories and ways and they count it unto themselves for righteousness when they try to force their own point of view upon us and attempt to make us mere rubber stamps of themselves because they are convinced that they are so much wiser and more intelligent than we are and, anyway, their way is the only right way.

Intolerance is the first aid to divorce. The first great disillusion that any young married couple gets is when they find out that marriage is a reforming process and that each has a lot of little personal idiosyncrasies that the other simply cannot understand. In the days of courtship the man has been led to believe that his lady love regarded him as a combination of sheik and oracle and fairy prince and Sir Galahad. Likewise the girl has been led under the impression that in her lover's eyes she was nothing less than an angel. Imagine, then, the shock it is to a man to ascertain before they have gotten a week's journey away from

the altar that his wife is bent and determined to pull him to pieces and to make him all over according to her own little perforated pattern and that she considers it her sacred duty to stop him from smoking and eating the kind of food he likes and singing while he is taking his bath and playing golf and indulging in a hundred other little innocuous tastes and habits in which he somehow found pleasure.

And consider the body blow it is to a woman's vanity when, even before her honeymoon is over the bride discovers that her young husband doesn't admire her and consider her perfect as she is, as she fondly supposed, and that he is setting about the life work of crushing out her identity and making her a sort of echo of himself.

Yet we all know plenty of marriages which should have been successes that have gone to wreck on just this rock of intolerance. Good, kind, devoted wives who nagged their husbands about smoking until they drove them out of their homes to places where they could smoke in peace. Wives who carried on a 40 years' war with their husbands over a religious creed or a lodge or politics or a fad or a hobby or because they liked automobiles or didn't like them.

And we all know husbands who make their wives' lives a burden to them by raising ructions about the way the wives dress and by attempting to dictate the length of their wives' skirts and whether they shall use paint and powder and lipstick and have their hair bobbed. Husbands who are always interfering about the housekeeping and snooping in the ice box and the garbage can and telling their wives that they peel the potatoes too thick and throw away stale bread and forbidding them to belong to women's clubs and criticizing their family and friends, etc.

These foolish husbands and wives do not realize that by the time a man and woman are grown up enough to get married their habits and tastes are fixed and that we interfere with these at our peril. The wife will not see that it is better to have a contented husband smoking by the fire-side than it is to have an angry and outraged husband slamming the front door behind him and going out to hunt the society of some woman who is more tolerant of tobacco than she is.

The man cannot see that his wife has a hundred qualities that offset the one to which he objects and that it is better to have a wife who keeps herself happy and contented and bright and full of interest by gadding around than one who grows dull and sour by being kept at home and who comes to look on her husband as a

jailer. And isn't all of this struggle between the younger and older generation and most of these tears and wallings and beatings upon the breast and dismal forebodings about what the young are coming to largely a matter of intolerance on both sides?

Intolerance from youth because it refuses to be bound by the law of its elders and because it will not see that there is any viewpoint but its own. Practically every girl and boy thinks that their father and mother and everybody past the age of 40 are doddering dodos who know nothing. Who have never had any experience in life and who are utterly incapable of forming any intelligent opinion about the problems of the modern world.

And it is intolerance that makes us judge the young so harshly. We think many of the things they do are wrong merely because we didn't do them when we were young.—Dorothy Dix.

PROMINENT MEXICAN OF DALHART IS TAKEN FOR RIDE AFTER TESTIMONY

Dalhart, May 15.—Sheriff's posse tonight were still searching for Adolph Esquibel, Mexican, who was "taken for a ride" late Monday night and has not been heard of since.

Esquibel, a former deputy sheriff at Tucumcari, N. M., was employed in an official capacity by the Rock Island railroad here. Monday afternoon he was summoned before the grand jury here, supposedly to testify in a number of bootlegging cases which he is said to have been investigating. It is understood in Dalhart that he was to have been an important witness for the state in several liquor cases to be tried before the district court which opens next week.

Monday night Esquibel was at home with his family when, according to his wife's statement, two or more masked men broke open the front door, fired two shots into the body of the man, then hit him over the head with a revolver and carried him toward the open prairie.

Public Feeling High In a country where six-shooters carried in plain sight are still a common sight, the round-about method of "getting even" with a victim has aroused much comment and public feelings is high.

Officers favor the theory that the deed may have been the work of an organized gang, imported from some large city by a bootlegger's ring believed to exist in this vicinity.

Esquibel was a substantial citizen of Dalhart, an old resident highly respected by Americans and Mexicans alike.

Sheriff George Alexander this

afternoon posted a \$100 reward for any information leading to the capture of the men responsible for Esquibel's disappearance.

Lakeview Home Demonstration Club

The Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Henry Hollis, Wednesday, May 8th, at 4:00 p. m. The subject discussed was "The Family and Its Food Habits." The following program was given:

Leader—Mrs. Earl Edwards. "What Makes Us Dislike a Food."—Mrs. John Lloyd. "Should You Force Us to Eat a Food He Dislikes."—Mrs. Tom Hopper. Miss Strange gave a demonstration on "How to Make Foods Attractive." After the demonstration Mrs. Hollis assisted by her niece, Miss Georgia Mae Smith, served each guest with delicious punch and cake.

As the Better Home Tour is scheduled for May 29th, our club will not meet again until June 12th, with Mrs. H. B. Hambright. The subject for this meeting will be "Cold Lunches." The demonstration for this meeting will be "Packing a Cold Lunch."—Reporter.

Sam Miller, wife and son left Wednesday morning for a ten days' trip to Eastern Oklahoma and Arkansas, where they will visit with relatives, while Mr. Miller is taking a vacation.

Drs. Colvern Henry and H. H. Ball returned Friday from Uvalde and other parts of South Texas, where they spent several days on a fishing and hunting trip.

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LITTLEFIELD AND AMHERST EFFORTS FAIL
Two Years Before a New Election For County Seat Can Be Called

The Lamb County seat was settled for at least two years Saturday when Olton won the three cornered fight. Littlefield received 1,863 votes, Olton 942, and Amherst 778.

It was necessary for Littlefield to receive a two-thirds majority to win, while Amherst being nearer the center of the county than Olton, the present county seat, could have won with a majority of one vote.

Under existing statutes another election can be called within two years, the law providing that this may be done where a county seat is not located on a railroad serving as a common carrier.

SINGLE VARIETY COTTON COMMUNITIES ON INCREASE

College Station, May 14.—More than a quarter million acres are devoted to the growing of single varieties of cotton on the community standardization plan this year, this acreage being divided among 8318 farmers in 115 communities in 39 Texas counties. This information on the progress of the move to increase cotton growing profits by concentration of varieties has been gathered by E. A. Miller, agronomist in the Extension Service, from questionnaires sent county agents.

"The decline in quality of Texas cotton brought about by increase in planting seed of poorer grades and staples will seriously affect the cotton farmer unless checked," Mr. Miller declares. "It is difficult for an individual farmer to secure a premium for superior cotton, but when an entire community grows one good variety enough volume is obtained to permit pooling and sale according to grade and staple. Last year premiums from such cotton averaged about \$6.85 per bale.

"The acreage in standardized community cotton has almost doubled this year over last. Data from county agents show that there are now 37 gins in the state devoted entirely to the ginning of a single variety, and that 41 gins plan special gin days for the standardized cotton. This is important in order to avoid mixture of seed and cotton from inferior varieties and to reduce the losses from gin cut cotton. The advantages of keeping seed pure and reducing gin cut cotton are almost as important gains from standardization as the premium

obtained.

"This year 29 communities plan to pool their cotton for sale, and 17 expect to market partly at least through the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association to obtain prices based on quality."

FIRE ATE AWAY WOODEN HOTEL AS IF OF PAPER

Firemen Rake Ruins Searching for Bodies; Many Guests of the Hotel Have Not Yet Been Accounted For, Hours After the Fire

Amarillo, May 11.—Trapped by flames which destroyed the Tourist Hotel here early today, five men were burned to death, or killed when they jumped to the pavement from third story windows. Three of the victims were burned to death and two killed when they leaped. At least a score were injured, three seriously.

The dead:
Peter Kearns, Pine, Colo.
Raymond Cozart, Detroit, Texas.
Hoyt Crowe, Tulsa, Texas.
J. P. Puridan, or Peridan, Amarillo.
An unidentified man.

Guests fought their way to safety through scenes of the wildest confusion, screams punctuating the roar of the flames as they swept through the ancient structure, one of the oldest buildings in the business district. Many actually made their way to safety through the flames, while others, blocked, from ordinary exits by the fire escaped through windows.

The most severely injured was a woman, Miss Birdie Rhodes, operator of the hotel, a 25-year-old wooden Amarillo landmark. Miss Rhodes was caught in her room on the third floor, screamed to attract the attention of rescuers, and, failing in that, she leaped to the pavement below.

The fire was discovered about 3:30 a. m., and nearly every avenue of escape was cut immediately by dense smoke and flames.

The only fire escape, a wooden and iron structure, was beyond the reach of most of the victims. Guests who escaped said the fire ate its way through the building as though it was paper.

PISTOL AND SAW BLADES WERE FOUND

Otha Thorn Is Accused and His Bond Is Set at \$5,000—Thorn In Jail

Plainview, May 9.—Two attempts to provide means for a wholesale delivery at the Hale county jail were revealed late yesterday when Otha

Thorn was arraigned before Justice of the Peace J. P. Siler charged with smuggling a small automatic pistol into the jail and giving it to one of the prisoners. His bond was set at \$5,000. Today, he will be arraigned on a charge of taking 12 hack saw blades, capable of cutting steel bars, into the jail and giving them to prisoners.

It is charged he took the pistol into the jail on Sunday, April 28, and the hack saw blades on Thursday, May 2. Only recently, Thorn was released on bond in the sum of \$2,000 on a charge of burglarizing the Schuler Hardware Co. store and the Consumers Filling Station at Petersburg.

Kelley Hooper, deputy sheriff, discovered the plot to effect a jail break, but declined to state how he discovered it. There are nineteen prisoners in the county jail, all charged with felony offences.

It was believed the pistol was to be used to hold up a deputy or the sheriff at feeding time.

In absence of bond, Thorn is being held in the jail pending action of the Hale County grand jury.

TRINITY RIVER CLAIMS SEVEN LIVES, REPORT

Railroad Washouts Cause Passengers To Be Marooned—18 Inches of Rain Had Fallen

Dallas, May 13.—Reports which found their way to Dallas through wrecked lines of communication from Livingston tonight said that seven people were reported drowned there in the swiftly rising Trinity and its tributaries.

The Associated Press correspondent in Livingston reported that almost 18 inches of rain had fallen altogether, that the waterworks system was not working in some parts of the city, that the ice plant was flooded, the electric lighting system out of commission, bridges out and railroad communication at a standstill.

Houses and debris was said to have been floating down Long Cane creek all afternoon. All of the young men and high school boys in the town were engaged in rescue work and four men were reported to have been saved after clinging to treetops for twelve hours. The loss to crops and livestock was immense.

Robin Baker left Saturday night for Sulphur, Okla., where he went for the benefit of his health.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brown of Lubbock visited in the Y. F. Walker home Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

All We Know is What We Hear

(By Rasmitum)

We knew it would happen, as we have our first one to see yet that went off on a fishing and hunting trip that did not catch lots of fish and kill lots of game. When the two Docks returned home they reported a good catch and the killing of lots of squirrels, but they did not bring home any of the proofs of the pudding. Both the frontiersmen, Drs. Colvern Henry and Harris H. Ball, drug in Friday of last week, and on Monday at the luncheon Colvern reported a catch of about eleven bass over 11 inches long, and that something like forty smaller fish had been tossed back, however, he never stated anything about a fish warden being present when the fish were tossed back in the creeks, also that he had killed squirrels galore, but you know these fish stories do not appeal very much to a man unless the fishermen bring along the proof, so we don't just believe all we hear about fishing.

Hub Mason claims all the glory for the good rain that fell over the week end in this section of the country. Hub says that every time he goes away on a trip that he has to pull mud home, and if the farmers of this section had known their "onions" they could have had rain several weeks ago by getting Hub to make a trip. Tab Meriwether asks for a little latitude on this rain prophecy, and says that while he said it would rain by Friday night of last week, that the average weather prophet considers that he hit the mark alright if it rains within three days of the day he said it would, and we guess O. L. Allen will claim the same alibi, and that reminds us of the story about the Dutchman, who went to a protracted meeting and listened to a Methodist minister preacher explain his sprinkling baptism, who said that the converts were led near until the water, instead of down into the water, and the water was sprinkled upon them instead of them being immersed under the water, when the Dutchman got up and said, "now I thoroughly understand the three passages of scripture concerning the Children in the Fire Furnace, Daniel in the Lion's Den, and the Crucifixion of Christ, then the Children were near the Fire Furnace, but not in it at all; that Daniel was looking through the bars at the Lions, but not in the den, at all; and that Christ was not crucified, but was merely near unto the cross." So Tab and O. L. Prophesied near unto the date on which the rain fell, and not the day at all that the rain did fall. That may make a good weather prophet, but that is a very poor argument.

Yes, it has rained, and now the question arises whether or not the rain was needed half as bad on the crops as it was to sooth the feelings of those who had large wheat acreages. Of course, some of the wheat did not look so good, but all the wheat looked far better than the long faces of the fellows that owned the wheat. It is conceded that the rain came in plenty of time to make a good crop of wheat, and there is one thing that we do know, whether we know anything about farming or not, and that is that there is a good season in the ground for the planting of cotton, sorghum grain, and other crops, and that as soon as the weather clears off so that planting can be done, all those who have not planted will have a chance to plant and get their row crops up and off to a good start. Really the prospects at the present time for a good crop year are very flattering, but we never know what to expect from this great western country until the crops are harvested and sold. However, we have been in this neck of the Plains country for nearly nineteen years, and we have not witnessed a single year that there was not a fairly good crop of some kind raised. It's great to live in a country where you can miss one crop and raise another crop before the year is gone, and it does not take an abundance of rain to raise any of the crops that are planted here. In a month or less time we will have forgot that there was a dry spell, that scared the filling out of the wheat farmers in this section of the country. Of course, there will be some that will say "We would have raised more wheat if it had rained at the proper time," but who knows but what the rust or some other calamity would have made the crop less "if it had rained at the proper time?"

Petitions are being circulated this week, protesting the location of the negro colony in the southeast part of town, on what is known as the Nall land, near the elevators. The white property owners in that part of town do not want the negro population for

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neighbors, and we are in sympathy with them. We know from experience how we would feel if we owned a home in that part of the town, and an attempt would be made to make us receive the negro population for our neighbors, and we think it will be the worst thing for the negroes for them to attempt to colonize in any part of town where the surrounding residents are opposed to them locating. Negroes are not yet acclimated to the small towns of the Plains country, and there are many white people that don't believe that the negro population of the town is essential to the welfare of the town, and believe that the white men of this section can easily take care of all the labor problems that the negro is imported to do, and as this particular section of the country was free from negro inhabitants until the last year or two, it is like "waving a red rag in a mad bull's face" to try to locate a negro settlement next door to white people who do not care to have such a race near them, and to persist in organizing a colony of negroes close to people who do not want them and figure they will be a detriment to the value of their property, will only mean one thing, and that thing is the

negro will take a move sooner or later with only a few minutes warning. It is far better for those who would have the negroes stay in Lockney to use plenty of precaution in the location of the colony, and avoid any race problems that might be prone to arise otherwise.

MATADOR BOYS N DROWNED IN LAKE

Wichita Falls, Texas, May 11.—L. B. Groves, 15, and Neman Birchfield, 14, both of Matador, were drowned in Lake Kemp, near here today.

The boys were fishing when a squall came up. Abandoning their boat, 300 feet from shore, they attempted to swim. Two other Matador boys with them, Elmo Winters and Hardy Williams, reached the shore safely and did not miss their companions until too late to aid them.

The boys were members of a large party from Matador spending the week-end at a nearby resort. Searching parties worked late tonight in an endeavor to recover the bodies.

Mr. and Mrs. John Broyles left Sunday morning for points in Georgia where they will visit with relatives.

Spring housecleaning hint for Husbands

RADFORD paused in the upstairs hall. "What!" he exclaimed, "not through yet —"

From amid the chaos of housecleaning, Mrs. Radford looked up in exasperation.

"Get that coat off and help me put up this bed," she ordered, wearily shoving a stray lock of hair back beneath the towel about her head.

"How do you expect me to be through? I can't clean the upstairs, and spend the best part of the afternoon downstairs talking over the telephone, can I? I've been up and down those stairs forty times."

Radford had weathered many spring housecleanings. Wisely, he pulled off his coat and began to roll up his sleeves.

"I think," he observed sympathetically, "that an extension telephone up here in the hall might save steps and —"

"Then suppose," interrupted his wife grimly, "that you order one for me tomorrow."

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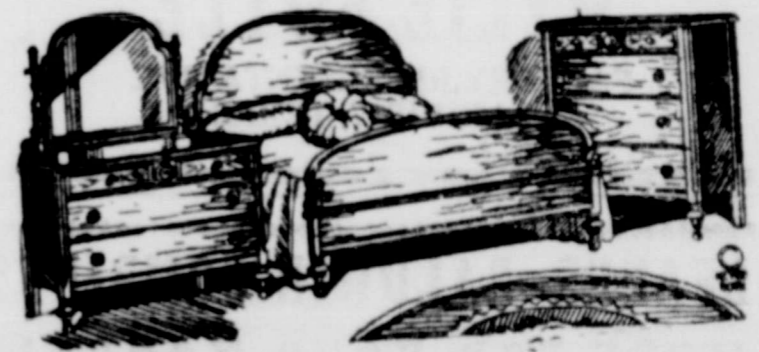
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The school is closing this week, and

a large graduating class will be sent out to take their places in the world as far as school in Lockney is concerned. Of course, there will be some of them that will go on to colleges and further their educations before they enter the business world, but there will also be some that will never attend school another day, and what the people of the Lockney school district have provided for them

in the way of education will be all the education along book lines they will ever receive. These young people are in the making, and Lockney Independent School District should be proud of the fact that they have done all in their power to fit these people so that they can have a chance in this world, and will be able to combat with the world for a livelihood in the years to come. It has been the aim of many of the people of this district to give to the children of this section the very best education that is possible according to the finances of the district and its ability to place an education where the children can get it. The poorest family in the district can give their children just as good an education as the finances of the district will justify, and he or she is received on the same plane in the school as the more prosperous family's child. There are men and women in the Lockney district that would like to see the time come when they could offer to every child that is within reach of our school these same privileges, and every year there are a number of people in adjoining districts that take advantage of our school, and we are glad that they are able to do so, and welcome the child to the school, even when some of these very children's parents try to block the progress of the school. But we can say one thing in this regard, and say it truthfully, and that is, we would be glad if every child, living in these outlying districts, where the children can not receive the benefits of high school education, could be afforded the same privileges as those of affiliated schools. There are many people in the country that see the facts and the justice in the contention that if all who benefit from the school should help care for the school and have a voice in the running of the school, and we have been accosted upon the streets on many occasions in the past few months by people that live in these outlying districts, who have expressed a desire to have their districts consolidated with the Lockney district for high school purposes. We have always believed that this is right and benefits to the children of the small that it is best for every child in this section of the county, and that the common school districts surrounding our district would be far greater than the consolidation of these districts would be to our own children that are now living in the district. For years the Lockney High School has been building up its credits with the State Board of Education and now the children graduating from this school are eligible to all the colleges and universities of the state, and probably of the nation, however, with the installing of the new high school, which will take care of at least three more subjects than it has in the past, the affiliation of the school will be raised to about 30 units of affiliation, which will mean that when a child leaves the Lockney High School as a graduate whether he goes away to college or not, he will have a good education that will be able to take care of him in the years to come, and we want to say just here that the child that fails to get an education today, will have a hard road to travel in this world and that his burdens and tribulations will be more than he can endure when he reaches the time when is physically unable to do pick and shovel work. It has taken years to build the school up to its present standing and affiliation, and any new district formed for high school purposes can not hope to receive the affiliation necessary to give their children the right to enter colleges under a period of our own district, and of those who families are situated so that they can send their children here and give them the work that they can not get in their home district. The writer in the past has been censured in the past by many people who either did not understand the motives, or refuse to accept that which no man, who has studied the proposition thoroughly, can say was not far the best of every child in the entire western section of the country, but we have not taken the view that just because men and women have failed to provide ways and means for the better education of their children by accepting the effort that was made to give these children better educations, that we will not try to help bring about matters that will change the views of these people who have opposed us, so that their children can yet receive the same advantages of our schools that were offered in the past, and the greater advantages that we can offer them in paid taxes in Lockney Independent School District has voted bonds this year for the building of a new high school building, which will be ready for occupancy by the time the fall term starts. This building would not have been necessary had we just desired to take care of the children that lived in the Lockney Independent School District, and whose people paid taxes in the Lockney Independent School District, but the new building was made necessary because we wanted to take care of the hundreds of children that come to our school each year from the adjoining districts where they can not receive the benefits of an affiliated high school. These children do not contribute to the upkeep of the school in accordance to the cost that it places upon the district to take care of their schooling, but nevertheless, we want them in our school, and just because their parents are not tax payers in our district does not make our people mistreat them or give them any less in the way of schooling than is received by our own children, whose parents

do contribute the heavy expense of maintaining a first-class school from five to ten years, and this would mean that practically every child in school at this time would not have any chance whatsoever to receive such affiliation by the time they were ready to leave the school. If we did not want our school to be of benefit to every child in this section of the county, we would protest against the burden of allowing them to enter our schools and sharing with our own children the advantages that we have to offer. It is the duty of every man and woman to want every child, whether it be his or her child, or some other persons child, to get the very best education possible for the child to receive, and those who do not see it that way are very selfish and do not have the right conception of their duty to the future generation and the boys and girls that are to be the men and women of this land in the future. It is to my interest to see that your boy and girl has a chance to amount to something in this world, just the same as it is to see that my boys get advantage of the best that can be afforded in the way of educational facilities, and the father and mother who hampers their children of such an opportunity just lack that much of having their children's best interests at heart. It is the duty of every man and woman, whether they are the parents of children or not, to place the best schooling system possible within reach of every boy and girl in the country. There are families that can not afford to send their child away from home to school, and if the school available to their children is only a seventh grade, six or eight months school, that is all they can give their child, and that child is not given an equal opportunity in life with the child that has advantage of an affiliated high school. It has been our aim every since we have been grown to do all in our power to give every child within our reach the very best opportunity to secure an education; we never had an opportunity to get more than a seventh grade education, and we know what the worth of an education would have been to us, at times we feel hampered and afraid to make ourself known in public gatherings on account of our ability to handle the English language in a proper manner, and all that we have amounted to in this world is what we have dug out by hard work and in an attempt to overcome the handicap which we have been placed under because we were not educated. That is the same trouble that is causing many of us to have hard times in this country.

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try today, and the man that says his children does not need a better education than he himself has obtained is just a plain fool and in his heart he knows it is the truth. The day has passed when a boy without an education has a fair chance in this world, every parent in the country that is able to give his child an education should spare no efforts in doing so, those who are not able to provide their children with a good education should move into communities where their children can receive a good education or wage a fight in their own community that would make their community provide for the education of their children. When you give a child an education you give him something the world cannot cheat him out of, you may be able to leave him money and property, but if he has no education he will not have sense enough to keep the money and property you have left him, for those who have educations will be able to cheat him out of his possessions, but if he has that education to fall back on when his property is gone, he can always cope with the world and win his way. You don't know but what your boy is capable of being a Rockefeller, a Ford, a Hoover, a Jim Hill, a Roosevelt, or a Hoover. Only one of these men named had anything to begin with, but they fought the world bare handed and won and three of them are

still fighting the world and winning. Your boy or my boy may be just as capable of winning as they are, but if he lacks education in the affairs of today, he has a mighty slim chance of achieving anything in the years to come.

Lockney has built a school for the benefit of the people of the western part of Floyd county, and those who are not taking advantage of it are just hurting their own children, unless they are able to send their children off to where there are even better schools than the Lockney school. What was done in the past in regard to consolidation in the Lockney school, was done by the men who received the blame and never whimpered, for the good of every child in the western part of the county, because they wanted every child in this part of the county to share equally in the educational facilities that we had to offer, and that is the way the matter stands today, but those of the Lockney Independent School District, who want the children to receive the proper educational advantages are still willing and ready to offer these advantages to those who wish to receive them and are willing to make an effort to consolidate their districts with us for high school purposes. Our board is willing to hear your proposals at any time you wish to make them.

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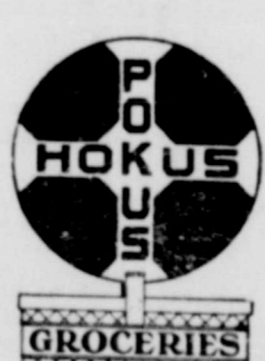
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WHY WAS IT SO?

As the wheels of time rolls it annals round, many things fall into life and business. Just at this writing we have our mind on the Bond Issue, a cause deemed just by many of our progressive and loyal citizens. The battle for its issue was defended and fought beneath the flag of hope from early morn till setting sun. They watched, worked and waited for the final result, but just as the dark cloud that overshadowed the eastern sky and the golden rays of the setting sun produced the last ray of hope as it looked down upon the beautiful rainbow that spread its wings from the sky, the sad news was borne to them that the battle was fought, the developer's hopes were over, and the road bond issue was no more. So the only chance to cheer their weary hearts was to stop at Riley & Brewster's for a supply of fresh groceries and meats to stimulate their almost silent heart, which they did, for we keep plenty on hand and invite your trade on all occasions.

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FAIRVIEW

May 13.—The Senior B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a social at the home of Mrs. Culpepper Friday night.
Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Rushing spent a few days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Tommie Pierce, of Canyon.
Mrs. Sophia Ruddick and two small sons visited their mother, Mrs. E. C. Austin, this week-end.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hodge and families visited relatives in Dallas the past week.
Cedar Hill's baseball team won over the local team Friday by a score of 9-6.

We are glad to welcome Mr. E. C. Austin among us again. He returned from Missouri Saturday, a week ago, and is much improved.
School will close here Friday, May 24th. Thursday night, May 23, the pupils of the Primary and Intermediate grades will give their program. Friday night following the ninth grade with assistance of seven and eighth grades will present their play, "Dean Dubbs' Second Wife."

MAYVIEW

May 13.—The farmers are all wearing a broad smile this morning on account of the nice rain that fell Saturday night and Sunday. Something like three and one-half inches fell, which will greatly benefit the farmers in every way.
The Mothers' Day program, which was to have been rendered at this place Sunday night was rained out.
Work on the new Baptist church at Dougherty is progressing nicely. The foundation was laid Thursday of last week and the building will be started up today and will be finished as soon as possible.

R. L. Spence and family of Dougherty and the Misses McNeill visited in the C. A. Smith home Friday night.

The Mayview school house and ground were sold to Mr. J. R. Readhimer Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Gray and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith.

Dougherty and Campbell played ball at Dougherty Friday afternoon. The score was 12 to 10 in favor of Dougherty.

Mrs. A. T. Emerit and baby are visiting relatives in Amarillo.

ANTELOPE

May 13.—Since the refreshing rain everyone we see is wearing a big smile.

Mrs. B. F. Crump of Spur, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Aston, this week.

Mrs. R. S. Moore and daughters attended the ball game at Dougherty Friday.

Zelma Aston, spent Friday night with Misses Frankie and Pearl Wisdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith attended the ball game at Dougherty Friday.

The ball did some damage Saturday night.
Mr. T. J. Campbell of Mayview made a business trip to Joe Bailey Monday evening.

Mrs. Tillison and daughters of the Wake community spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Aston.

Mrs. Ted Jones visited Mrs. Murrer, Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Oliver Crump has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. M. Aston, the past week.

W. T. S. T. C. News

May 14.—E. Ray Smith was visiting at the college, May 4.

Miss Roy Riley was visiting Mrs. Walling and Willie Wanda, in company with Mrs. Otis Harris and children, last Sunday.

The college year book "Le Mirage" is out for the year '29 and it is a great sensation. Fountain pens are busy every minute writing in the vacant spaces of those books kindly thoughts to be read years hence.

In this year book the Senior College section has pictures of seven people who claim Floyd county as their home. They give their names: Virgil Thomas, Dorothy Thomas, Vera Fry, Emma Lou McKinney, Lela Swain, Delmer Ashworth, and Mrs. Mitchell Jones (Audrey Watson).

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Pope and children were here Thursday with Mr. C. W. Smith. They visited with Alice Smith while here.

McSpadden Lake, which is 1 mile west and 1-2 mile south of the college has been open to the public for fishing for two Sundays in succession. A season fishing right was given to the person catching the largest bass each Sunday.

The most thrilling chapel program of the year occurred Saturday, May 11, when the Red Men (college pep squad) produced a stunt dubbed "Follies of 1945." The he-chorus girls proved to be extremely popular with the audience. The play given afterwards was well produced.

HILLCREST

May 13.—Everyone in this community surely appreciates the showers we have been getting since Saturday. The wheat and the barley look more encouraging now than they did.

A. T. Sweptson returned Tuesday from Oklahoma City, where he had gone with a shipment of cattle.

Miss Claudia Holladay suffered an attack of tonsillitis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones and children left Wednesday for a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer, who live near Memphis, in Hall county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howell and sons of Center were visitors in this community last Wednesday.

Mrs. Fannie Draace and son, J. W. (Dub), returned a few days ago from a brief visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Irene Moore of Irick, Oklahoma.

Misses Thelma and Frances Kinard of Floydada were guests of Miss Ora Scoggin Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lewis are visitors in Floydada over this week-end. Our school will close Friday. We expect to render a short mixed program next Thursday night, to which the public is invited, if the weather is favorable, and we intend to go to the hills for a picnic Friday.

McCOY

May 13.—Miss Lou Berry spent last week with her brother, Charlie, at Tulla.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crop visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Thacker had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Payne and son of Farmer visited Mr. Payne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Payne, last week.

Mr. J. W. Dalton and family of Starkey visited in the home of Will Holleyfield Saturday.

Kelly Holleyfield broke his arm while trying to crank a car last week. He is improving nicely.

Everyone was pleased with the four inch rain which fell Saturday and Sunday.

There was no Sunday school or church at either church house Sunday on account of the rain.

The Mothers' Day program will probably be given next Sunday, if the weather is favorable.

BLANCO

May 13.—Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Newman and family left last Wednesday for Palo Pinto, to attend to business.

Mrs. Collier Smith and daughters, Martha Lou and Virginia Sue, visited in this community, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gray visited in the home of S. F. Smith, Thursday.

Mrs. Alva Smith spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. H. B. Alexander, at Lockney.

Mrs. Wm. Snell visited in the McCoy community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hamilton and daughter, visited in this community, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Smith returned to their home at Stamford, Saturday. Smith's sister, Opal.

They were accompanied by Mr. The rain, which fell Saturday and Sunday will be very beneficial to farmers of this community.

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