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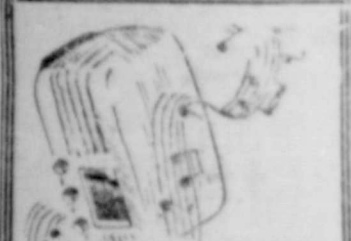
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Hodges Oak Park School News

Editor—Ralph Gay, Associate Editor—Jimmie Heinlin.

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Are You A Mental Wiggler?
Are you an mental wiggler? Can you put your mind on what you are doing? Or does it wander away to other things? Do you day dream? If you do these things you are a mental wiggler. Do you look out of the window during a recitation? Try these things and see how good your mental capacity is to stay on the things it should. School days is the time for us students to develop our mental capacity and not to become a mental wiggler.

FIRE DRILLS

Hodges Oak Park has had their first fire drill. Everyone in school was organized last week for the drills, monitors and captains having been elected for each room. Every child was out of the building in sixty-two seconds. Next time we hope to make it in less time.

4-H CLUB ORGANIZED

The Hodges Oak Park 4-H Club met last Monday with their sponsor, Miss Helen Childress of Eastland. The following officers were elected: President—Maxine Limbocker, Vice President—Nellie Black, Secretary—Norma Baker, Program Chairman—Nellie Black, Recreational Leader—Laura Younce. After some discussion of our goals for the year, we adjourned. The next meeting will be October 7, when we will report on the tin can drive and also give the motto, pledge, and prayer.

Miss Murray is another new teacher this year. She comes to Hodges Oak Park from Coleman South Ward School.

Miss Murray teaches sixth and seventh grade history, sixth grade reading and spelling, and eighth grade reading. She also sponsors newspaper work and 4H Club sponsor.

She received her degree in 1939 and has taught since that time. We think she is very jolly and pleasant, and hope that all of you will like her.

A REMARKABLE MASCOT

Wednesday the eighth grade selected a mascot. They did not have much choice on selections, for a cat is all that unfortunately wandered into the school building. The luckless cat blindly entered the eighth grade room. It was immediately elected mascot.

"LOST"—Eighth grade mascot. A white cat with brown spots. If found, please tell it to reporter to the Eighth Grade, Hodges Oak Park.

CHORAL CLUB ORGANIZED

The Choral Club met Tuesday, September 22, 1943, for the first time this year. Seventy three members reported for the first meeting.

The club has worn black and white uniforms for the past several years, but this year they will have the Hodges Oak Park colors, blue and white. Interest was high and enthusiasm was good at the first meeting. Choral club members are indeed fortunate in having again as their sponsor, Mrs. David Phillips, who has aided them to winning several high honors. Miss Mildred Balch, a Junior college student, will be the accompanist.

The club hopes to make a number of appearances during the year.

JOKES

By Clarence English
Teacher—Frosty, what did you have for breakfast?
Frosty—I drank a glass of milk and I ate six eggs.
Teacher—Frosty, you should never say "at," say "ate."
Frosty—O, well, maybe it was eight eggs I ate.

BOND AND STAMP DRIVE

Watch your step, you of the other schools! Hodges will pass you in the stamps and bond drive.

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CITY COUNCIL ENTERTAINS TEACHERS AND FACULTY

The City Council entertained the teachers of the Ranger faculty last Thursday night, September 15, at 8:00 p. m. with games of forty-two, bridge and dominoes. The party was held at the Recreational Building. After two hours of entertainment, prizes were given to the winners and refreshments of coffee and cookies were served.

Everyone enjoyed this social gathering as it gave the teachers an opportunity to become better acquainted.

ACTIVITIES OF THE PRIMARY GRADES

First Grade
The First Grade has taken a great interest in the purchase of stamps and bonds in order to buy supplies for Uncle Sam. They drew and color pictures of ships, planes etc, they expect their money to buy. Almost all of them are ready for their pre-printer.

Second Grade
The second grade is learning all the patriotic songs they can and have organized the room into a soldier camp, trying to act like good soldiers in all their work. They are making book reports on patriotic subjects, too.

Third Grade
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Society, Clubs

Hodges Oak P-T. A. To Meet Tuesday

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Following the supper games of bridge were enjoyed and at the close of the games high scores awarded to Mrs. John Kindle.

Guests attending the party were Mrs. John Kindle, Fred Yonker, W. J. Van Bibber, Pleas Moore, W. L. Downtain, Ira Wolford, and W. C. Gorman.

Young P-T. A. Has First Meet of Year

The first meeting of the Young School Parent Teacher Association was held in the school auditorium Tuesday, Sept. 21, at 3:30 p. m.

A short patriotic program was presented by pupils of the third grade and a piano solo was given by Joan Deaton. Greetings were extended to the group by the president, Mrs. O. C. Southern and new parents and teachers were introduced.

Names of members serving on committees were read and many plans were made for the year.

PERSONALS

Albert Jackson, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Jackson, and Don Hamner son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hamner, have arrived in San Diego, California, where they will enter the United States Navy.

Mrs. Glen Massey and Miss Sue Turner spent Thursday in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hargrave have received word that their son, Charlie W. Hargrave, who entered the service of the Navy in August is in the hospital in San Diego, California, suffering from an infection on the face.

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 Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon by pastor.
 Training Union 7:15 p. m. Joe N. Graham, director.
 Evening worship 8:15 p. m. Sermon by pastor.

The Nursery meets in the Cradle Roll Department during all the services of the church for all children under four years of age.

MONDAY—
 The WMU will meet Monday morning at 10:00 at the church for an all day meeting for the State Missions Week of Prayer program. The ladies will have a covered dish luncheon at the noon hour.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

A. Bryson English, pastor

Church school at 9:45 a. m. Paul C. MacDonald Supt.
 Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon subject: "The Gospel of A Second Chance."
 Epworth Leagues at 5:30. Evening worship at 6:30. Sermon subject: "My Brother's Keeper."

The Methodist church plans to participate in the "Go To Church" campaign during the month of October. Let's go over the top.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

H. B. Johnson, pastor

Church School, 10 a. m. with Lawrence Bryan Supt.
 Golden Rule Bible class taught by the pastor.
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 Preaching, 11 a. m. by the pastor.

CHURCH OF GOD

W. L. Shires, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
 J. T. Hickman, Supt.
 11:00 Special prayer for Service Men.
 11:05 Sermon.
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 9:00 Sermon "The Whole Duty of Man."
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