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New Telephone System Due For Completion This Year

Southwestern Will Complete New Plant in Floydada

District Commercial Manager Riddle Expected to Release Details Soon

Best Available

"Bank" System To Be Installed Within the Year, Seems Certain

Though details of the plans have been released for the construction of a common battery telephone exchange in Floydada and the installation of this type of telephone for homes of subscribers here, Western Bell Telephone Company definitely has such plans in making which will be released

G. Riddle, district commercial manager of the company at Floydada, this week did not have information which he was willing to release to the press relative to the matter.

It is known the company has in mind to construct a telephone exchange office with ground floor quarters; it will be in keeping with the plans of other forward-looking exchanges located here, and that it is hoped to complete the transition to the present to the common battery type of telephone within the

latest developments in telephone science, the best materials, the finest workmanship will be used to make the telephone exchange in Floydada the best available. Mr. Riddle said here last

bring you this new service will have a new switchboard installed to meet present and future needs, test outside lines, install new telephones for every home user in the city," he said. "The service, more convenient, and accurate, is the aim of the exchange which will cost many thousands of dollars.

A telephone system similar to the one planned for Floydada, announced of which was made several days ago in an advertisement, "How Floydada's new telephone system will improve service," was completed and "cut in" by the local telephone company on the north plains. It is believed that details of the plans for the building to be constructed at this location, and the approximate date for completion, was made known in a conversation with Mr. Riddle in a conversation the last of the week. Other details of the plans for work will also be made available at an early date, he said.

South Plains Bankers Meeting At Lubbock On San Jacinto Day

Lubbock was chosen as the next meeting city at the annual meeting of the South Plains Bankers' Association held at Lubbock San Jacinto Day, April 21. And a new banker, Jno. K. Crews, president of the Hale County State Bank, was elected president. There were about 200 bankers from the various cities, present.

Attending from the local area were E. L. Norman, O. M. Watford, Moore, Lewis Norman and Edene Hay. Miss Hazel Parrish presided over the meeting as a guest.

North Siders Will Sing at Lone Star Sunday, May 2

North Side Singing Convention will be held on Sunday, May 2 at Lone Star, Texas. The Lone Star County Singers in a note to the Hesperian this week, in which everybody is invited to come, their dinner and have a good time at Lone Star.

President Calls Meeting To Plan Program

Arthur B. Duncan, president of the Old Settlers' Association, called a meeting of the various members, to be present at the meeting Saturday, May 1, at the county court room at 2 o'clock in making out a program for the Old Settlers' Reunion which will be held May 28.

They're 'Tops' At Floydada High School



Worth Shipley



Trueman Kirk

Worth Gwendolyn Shipley and Trueman Kirk last week were named by Superintendent A. D. Cummings as valedictorian and salutatorian respectively of the graduating class, 1937, Floydada High School, and Kirk is honor boy.

Superlative grades have marked their scholastic work throughout their high school careers and both have had important parts in the student life and activities of their class and the school.

Maurine Hay to Be Sponsor From Floydada at Westexas Convention; Morse Speaker

District Deputy Grand Matron Eastern Star Visits Floyd Chapter

Floydada Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, had as a distinguished guest Friday night, Mrs. Mary Paulkner, of Estelline, District Deputy Grand Matron, on an official visit.

A social hour followed initiatory work. Punch and cake were served with lilacs as plate favors. Bridal wreath, lilacs and pot plants were used in decorations for the hall.

Wheat "Laid By," Mr. Farmer Hitches Up For Planting The Row Crop

The week for the small grain crop has been an ideal one, and while the wheat farmer watches to see what his crop is going to do for him now that he has done all that he can do, the row crop man hitches up and begins putting seed into the ground.

For the most part, it has been maize and other feed seeds, or an occasional farmer is seen or heard of who is planting cotton. Thousands of acres of early feed plantings will have been made before the close of the week, but the cotton put into the ground will cover a much lesser acreage.

Temperatures moderately low, some dust and wind over the weekend, ample moisture in the ground for wheat and for planting is the story told in a general way. On the three hundred fifty to four hundred farms where irrigation wells are available the pumps have been going for the most part, largely on wheat but numerous ones, also, on row crop lands.

Caliche From Blanco's North Hill Hauled To Road Bed This Week

Workmen, engineers, excavators, caterpillar tractors, power plows, elevator graders and whatnot that have been straining away gnawing out a deep gap on the north side of Blanco Canyon for three weeks, Tuesday arrived at the caliche deposits in such quantities that truck crews could be put to work, hauling the material to the roadbed north of the canyon. The first caliche from the hill was dumped on the eye roadbed in southwest Floydada Tuesday.

Traffic has not been diverted from the Blanco crossing and will not be if it can be avoided. Commissioner McCleskey views the work going on, although nearly forty thousand feet of dirt, caliche and rock is to be moved, culverts to be put in, a bridge to be built and the bed for the water stream of Blanco Creek to be changed before the work is done.

Miss Maurine Hay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hay, has been chosen sponsor for Floydada at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention in Brownwood and will appear in the big pageant "Follies of 1937" on the stage the evenings of May 10 and 11, there. An elaborate setting is being arranged and artists of a wide area will appear in entertainment features each evening. A West Texas Beauty Queen will be chosen.

Alton Morse, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Morse, will be the speaker representing Floydada in the "My Home Town" contest, having won this privilege in elimination contests held in Floydada High School, where he is a student.

The sponsor and speaker will accompany delegates chosen to attend the convention, along with J. M. Willson, director of the regional organization from Floydada.

Mr. Willson, it was announced by R. W. Cothern, secretary of Floydada Chamber of Commerce, has been nominated by the board of directors of that organization to serve for another year as a member of the board of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Five Years Suspended Result Of Trial Last Week Of Mack Shipley

Several Residents of Floyd County Witnesses in Trial of Former Floyd County Man at San Angelo

Mack Shipley, of Big Lake, and a former Floydada man tried at San Angelo Tuesday, April 19, for the murder of a child of Winningham in July 1935, received a five year suspended sentence. The first trial sometime ago resulted in a three year sentence but a new trial was granted by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Mr. Shipley was serving as deputy sheriff of Reagan County when the accident occurred. Mr. Shipley said on trial, according to witnesses, that his gun was discharged accidentally while having trouble with the child's father, and the discharge killed the child who was asleep in the back seat of the father's auto, and, according to testimony brought out, did not know the child was in the car until arrest for its death.

DESIRABILITY THAT FARMER HAVE VOICE IN HANDLING FARM PROGRAM DISCUSSED

Featured in the monthly meeting of the Floyd County Farm Association in Floydada last Saturday afternoon was a discussion by W. B. Jordan of the desirability and need for the farmer to have a voice in regulating the farm program. W. H. Nelson, president of the association, presided at the session, at which those present were entertained by several selections by the Baker Accordion Trio.

J. C. Penney Will Double Floor Space

Contract Let to Re-Model Fifty Foot Frontage On South Side Square

Take Long Lease

Manager Hale Expects Improvements to be Finished in Thirty Days

Immediately following the announcement by J. C. Penney Company this week that a long term lease had been taken on fifty-foot store frontage on East California Street (south side square) from Thomas Montgomery, workmen began a big job of repairing and remodeling the building immediately adjoining Penney's present quarters on the west. This additional space will be joined with the quarters now being used to exactly double the floor space and the frontage that will be used by the company.

Manager Hale yesterday said he anticipated completion of the repairs and remodeling within thirty days. R. H. Willis has the contract.

Not only will the adjacent building be repaired and remodeled but a very considerable amount of work will be done on the building now occupied by the store. New window floors, new fans, new arrangement of the stock in the store, more new fixtures, will be put into use when the work is finished. The two buildings will be thrown together to make one store fifty by 100 feet in size, with balcony in front for the business office and balcony in the rear for one of the departments for sales.

"Under the terms of our new lease on the enlarged quarters both Mr. Montgomery, the owner of the property, and ourselves will expend quite a bit of money to make the house up-to-date and the merchandising arrangement the most convenient for sales people and the public," Mr. Hale said Wednesday. Continuing he declared, "We expect to have a very modern and complete store when we get through with our program, although it may be inconvenient for the immediate present, being somewhat torn up. The fact that our organization has taken another long lease on its quarters in Floydada and in the arrangement is doubling its merchandising quarters is indication of our belief in the future of the plains area and this community."

Two Shops Move

In order to make room for the additional quarters for J. C. Penney two shops which have been fixtures on the south side for a number of years took new quarters. Of these the Rainer Shoe Shop moved three doors east of its former location to the building adjoining the Swenson Barber Shop, and Holmes Studio is taking up quarters on West Side in the building with Young's Cafe.

Rainer had completed his move and was set up for business again Saturday. Holmes Studio is setting up in its new quarters this week.

Experiments in Sugar Beet Growth on Farms of Floyd County Planned This Year

Floyd is one of four counties on the plains in which the growth of sugar beets will be tested on several farms to get a line on the probable volume of production that can be expected and a test of the purity and sugar content of the beets when grown under plains conditions.

Announcement of the test were made the first of this week following conferences recently held, in which were H. M. Bainer, Santa Fe agricultural agent, of Amarillo, D. F. Bradthauer, county agent of Floyd County, and agents of Hale, Swisher and Deaf Smith County. In all of these counties promise of one or more co-operating farmers has been given. In Floyd County it appears that at least a dozen, perhaps more, experimental plots of one-quarter of an acre will be planted. The plantings will be made in such a way that the crop can be cultivated and handled with the type of farming implements available in this section. Otherwise the crop will be handled on the basis of instructions that will be given by the county agent, acting on suggestions and advice from sugar beet mill operators.

"Plantings will be made just as near the first of May as possible, and the curly top resistant variety will be used," Mr. Bradthauer said this week. "The crops will be carried through to determine the tonnage and then analysis for sugar content and purity will be made in

Officers In Liquor Raids File Complaints In Floyd and Motley County Courts

Floydada Residence, County Line Station Yield Evidence For Complaints

Two raids last week-end in which Floyd County officers had part netted intoxicating beverages on which complaints were filed against two in Floyd County and two in Motley County.

In Floydada Friday morning at 10:30 four agents of the State Liquor Control Board with Sheriff F. N. Clark, and Deputy H. B. Alexander and Walter Hollums searched the residence of Wayne Kelley, on North Twelfth Street, and confiscated eighty-two pints of whiskey, four pints of gin, eleven quarts of wine and ten cases of beer. Complaints charging Mrs. Rose Kelley with possession of the liquor and Wayne Kelley with the sale of liquor in dry territory were filed. Fourteen cases of beer were confiscated at the County Line Station in the edge of Motley County. No hard liquor was found. Here two men were arrested and complaints filed in Motley County. Sheriff Carlisle, of Matador, led the searchers there, and Sheriff Clark of this county and the Liquor Control Board agents were his aides.

Keeps Tradition



Chosen to speak at the June 21 commencement exercises at Brown University is Charles Evans Hughes III, above, grandson of the chief justice of the United States. Young Hughes, in speaking at Brown, will maintain a tradition established by his grandfather and followed by his own father.

Floyd Co National Creditors Dividend Fri., Sat., Monday

Where is your receiver's certificate representing your interest as a creditor in the Floyd County National Bank?

An announcement last week that the third and final distribution of assets of this institution, will be disbursed, was made by Fred B. Cable, receiver. 2.15 per cent will be the amount of the dividend to be paid depositors and others having approved claims who surrender their certificates.

The checks are available now and the distribution will be made, so far as possible, on Friday, Saturday, and Monday. Mr. Cable is anxious that all interested parties call at the bank building on that date if possible. Deliveries must be made as soon as possible, he said. The payment of this final dividend will complete the termination of the affairs of the trust, the receiver said. The certificates mentioned in the first paragraph must be surrendered when the creditor is given his check for the final distribution.

Charles Newton Leaves For Gainesville Home

Charles Newton, for three years a member of the staff of The Hesperian, left the latter part of last week for Gainesville, Texas, where he will make his home and engage in the farming and live stock business.

No successor had been named for the place vacated by Mr. Newton this week.

Shipley and Kirk Floyd High School Honor Grads 1937

Leaders in Scholastic Work Also Outstanding in Student Life

Worth Gwendolyn Shipley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Smith, will be valedictorian of the graduating class of Floydada High School and Trueman Kirk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ohmer W. Kirk, salutatorian and honor boy. A. D. Cummings, superintendent of Floydada school system, announced yesterday.

With a grade of 98.16 Miss Shipley leads the class in scholastic attainment and in addition has been an outstanding pupil in extra-curricular activities. She was valedictorian of the class when it graduated from the grammar grades.

Trueman Kirk's grades for the year are 97.88 and he has been outstanding in the school in football, tennis and debate.

Martin E. Brown Opens Household Supply On South Side This Week

Martin E. Brown heads one of the newest business ventures in Floydada being opened this week on the south side of the square, where he is stocking radios, refrigerators, electric gas and oil stoves, washing machines, vacuum cleaners, and a wide assortment of appliances for the household both for city and rural homes.

Widely experienced as a salesman of appliances of the type which he will merchandise, Mr. Brown enters the business as no novice. He said this week he plans to feature the Kelvinator as a refrigerator, and in an announcement asks the public to pay the new store a visit.

His former experience includes work as sales clerk, and as operator of a radio repair shop. More recently he was associated as salesman with F. C. Harmon.

MARKETS

| Poultry | |
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| No. 1 Young Turkeys, | 10c |
| Old Tom Turkeys, | 8c |
| No. 2 Turkeys, | 6c |
| Colored Hens, over 5 lbs., | 12c |
| Colored Hens, 4 to 4 1/2 lbs., | 10c |
| Colored hens under 4 lbs. and all Leghorns, | 8c |
| Cocks and Stags, | 4c |
| Ducks and Geese, per lb., | 4c |
| Guineas, each, | 10c |
| All No. 2 Poultry Half Price. | |
| Grain | |
| Wheat, | \$1.21 |
| Good Matze Heads, ton, | \$25 to \$28 |
| Threshed Matze, cwt., | \$2.00 |
| Eggs | |
| Eggs, per dozen, | 14c |
| Cream | |
| Butterfat, No. 1 lb., | 26c |
| Butterfat, No. 2 lb., | 24c |
| Hides | |
| Free From Holes | |
| No. 1 Hides, lb., | 7c |
| No. 2 Hides, lb., | 3 1/2c |
| Hogs | |
| Top Hogs, per cwt., | \$9.70 |
| Packers, top, per cwt., | \$8.00 |

\$1,600,000 Sought Here For Project

Electricity For 700 or More Rural Farms Objective Of Sponsors

Ask REA Funds

Answer From Federal Agency Not Expected Before July First

Floyd County farmers in an application which has already gone to Washington for study of the Rural Electrification Administration are seeking a project of \$1,600,000 to carry out a proposal for a huge electrification program for 700 farm homes in the county.

County Agent D. F. Bradthauer this week made public the fact that engineers representing the county's 700-farm plan for electrification had filed the application and that a study of the proposal is being made, with the probabilities that a water survey of the area, exhaustive in detail, likely to be one of the first outcomes of the sizable proposal for the expenditure of funds.

A. H. Kreis of Baker, Gus deCordova of Allmon and Ed Whitfield of Lockney, are named as sponsors of the proposal in the application. Morrison Engineering Company, of Waco, filed the application on behalf of the Floyd County signers, Mr. Bradthauer said.

It is not expected that preliminary engineering details, including the study of all angles of the application, will be completed in time for advice from the Rural Electrification Administration before July 1, Mr. Bradthauer said.

The application followed an intensive campaign in an area of the county covering approximately the northwest, west, south and southeast part of the county in the shape of a huge halfmoon that will reach something more than half the farm homes in the county. Some seven hundred signatures, perhaps more, were obtained to the preliminary applications.

Panhandle Firemen To Hold Annual Meeting In Floydada May 24-25

The Floydada Fire Department, headed by V. L. Elliott, fire chief, is making plans for the Panhandle Fireman's Convention which will be held in Floydada Monday and Tuesday, May 24 and 25. "Between 300 and 400 firemen from the various Panhandle towns are expected to attend the convention," said Mr. Elliott, Wednesday afternoon.

The feature entertainment of the two day session will be a barbecue Monday night, followed by a dance. The morning sessions will be taken up with business meetings and speaking.

Various contests will be staged, the principal one a pumper drill, in which the winning team will be given a \$75.00 prize. Other contests will include a one man hose drill, a two man hose drill and a six man hose drill.

WILL SHURBET ILL

News that W. O. Shurbet, of Lasara, former Floyd County resident and son of J. H. Shurbet, is ill at a Harlingen hospital, was received Tuesday night by relatives here. An operation for appendicitis with complications was performed some time late Tuesday, the information said.

District Governor Of Lions Visitor With Club Tuesday

Elmer D. Harris, of Dalhart, governor of Lions International for District No. 2-T, paid an official visit to Floydada Lions Club Tuesday when he had luncheon with the club and addressed them briefly, also meeting with the directors in a session following the club luncheon.

Lionism was never on better footing either in membership, organization or financially, the distinguished visitor told the local club, and complimented the youthfulness of the organization here on its accomplishments in the brief period of its existence. From Floydada the district governor left for Big Spring where he is aiding in the preparations for the district conference beginning Sunday and continuing through Tuesday.

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COOL WEATHER FOR WHEAT

Some years when wheat looks good but does not produce like it promises, it is said too hot weather too early in the season is responsible. On the other hand cool, late springs seem to fit right in with the needs of the growing wheat crop.

Cool weather, ample moisture, are the rule on most wheat crops in this section and have been during practically all of March and April. Further north, in the big wheat producing state of Kansas and in some of the neighboring states the conditions have not been so propitious.

WHAT INTERESTS PEOPLE?

The writer recently attended a meeting of newspaper workers, principally people charged with the publication of newspapers that interest country people in this area.

Conscious that times have changed and new problems confront news workers as well as workers in other lines the group spent much time in study of new successful plans and ideas in newspapermaking.

However, the study of human nature and its reactions marked this session to an unusual degree. Human nature has changed so little since the recorded time of mankind on the earth, but men still give it thought and ponder deeply how to catch the fancy of the fleeting moment and harness it to their own well-being. A flair for knowing what interests or will interest folks means the difference between successful and unsuccessful newsmen. How well they know it and strive, some to hold, others to attain, the art!

NOT JUST A FAD

There are fads on the farm the same as in town and as in the city. Some fellow starts a catchy thing like "cow, sow and hen," and everybody takes it up, probably a town fellow taking credit for it all.

Apparently, this business of trench silos is not just a fad. First experiments by farmers who carefully measure their efforts and their dollars indicate the idea a huge success. Trench silos that dot the country now will be multiplied several fold within a few more years. First cost, cost of upkeep, cost of filling, small wastage—all the things that count seem to be fulfilled.

WANT TO BE A NOTARY?

Would you like to be a notary public? Do you wish somebody in your neighborhood or your business organization would qualify? Lots of times it saves a trip to another part of town, to another community. Perhaps a half day or day's time.

The process of becoming a notary is a sim-

ple one. If you are a grown person of reasonable responsibility you'll have no difficulty in obtaining an appointment. Simply write your representative or your senator requesting that the legislature name you or the person you want to this office. Theoretically it is not so simple as that. As a matter of practice it is. Even persons who have long since moved from the community—even deceased individuals—often are named. For the senator or representative has no way of knowing definitely and shoots with a scattergun, asking the appointment of all and sundry who are or have been or apply to be notaries public.

If you want to be a notary public write your representative or senator. Applications must be in at once. May 1 usually is the deadline for applications. June 1 is the date on which appointments become effective.

COLORED BUSINESS CARDS

Paper makers are attempting to get some "pep" into the business card business. White, square business and professional cards have been the rule since the mind of man runneth not to the contrary. They have represented the ultimate in man's effort to be conventional. To take a chance on being laughed at by some business man on whom one calls by having an odd card of some sort has tied the card buyers in a slavish sort of way.

Manufacturers would change all this and an advertising campaign to do so, to get some pep into the card business has been started. Colors, they say, is the solution where cards otherwise get no attention.

Where it will get to cannot be vouchsafed. People are susceptible to change, to new ideas. Sometimes it takes ten years to introduce a new thought or even a most obvious idea. Perhaps the cardboard manufacturers may get the job done within that time.

WHERE WILL CAPITAL GO?

Once it was that capital went where the natural advantages were the greatest. But this is changing up and factories are being built where the best-planned community is. Rapid transportation and communication have changed a lot of the rules that formerly prevailed.

One of the things that go to make up a "best-planned" community is a sound and sensible citizenship who will insist on a sound, just, not overburdensome, unfair or confiscatory taxation. Fact-finding in this field seems to indicate that many Texans are not as much concerned as they ought to be about fair treatment for property rights (which are bound up in human rights, and when you unscramble the two you make a mess.)

A sensible public policy in Texas—particularly a sensible taxation policy—must prevail for the promotion of ours as the first-ranking industrial state of the union.

HOW TO GET RICH

The best way to get rich is to back a plan that will make it possible for farmers to make money. Somebody said "Everybody is better off when farmers make more money because their spending helps business men, city workers and investors," and there is no good argument in rebuttal. It is just that way. Increased farm income helps everybody. More business for industry, more work for labor, more profits and wages all around.

To be free to enjoy supreme happiness one must first be bound by the ties of wholesome friendship.—Matador Tribune.

As A Farm Woman Thinks

By Nellie Will Spikes

A little fellow named girl wailed "I don't like country people. I don't like country people." The dust of the road, stirred up by her feet, settled on her tear-streaked face. In the road was a white-topped truck. Seated in the back was the little girl's grandmother with the small children. Creaking wagons loaded with household and other possessions were moving slowly along, drawn by at least a little herd of mules. "That Texas cattle," the ranch man of the west denotedly called them, was kept on the move by the boys of the family.

This little procession had left the old home in Parker County and was creeping toward a new home in the Golden West. Seated on an old horseback was the little girl's mother. Her hair had fallen off great patches of bald, on the old mare and her bones almost stuck through the bare skin.

Now this little girl had been in Weatherford with her grandparents in the country. Her mother had said, "Nellie I am going to ride horseback a few miles. Jewell, just two can ride in my lap, you will have to ride with your grandmother."

But no Nellie climbed out of the back and walked, crying as she went. These were not the only tears shed. As the girl gazed up, leaning under, laughing cousins would tease "I do not like country people," and tears would flow as fast as they did that day in May.

My place in life has been mostly on the farm and, "I do like country people," I have been one of them. Known the joys, the sorrows, the hard work, the disappointments, pleasures and know that my life has been made richer with it all. I thank God for country people.

I used to think I did not want flowers, when my eyes were closed to their beauty, and my body lay at rest, but I have changed. Nothing can express the heartiest sympathy, as the pure white lilies, the crimson carnations, glowing with love, the soft sweet roses speaking beautiful words of comfort.

My friends are giving me my bouquets now. Glowing words of praise and encouragement, happy smiles, whole bouquets tied with silver and gold ribbons of love.

Rain, on the farm, wheat fields drinking up the water like a sponge, young leaves on the ash trees looking like green lace, tiny plants pushing their way through their brown beds to sunlight above. The ground near the cherry tree covered with petals of tiny white blossoms off by the silver raindrops. But the tree does not need the petals now, a little green ball has taken their place. Some day this cherry tree will flaunt its berries of red and there will be cherry pie when the farmer gets in at noon.

Many chores made more unpleasant by the mud. But the farmer does not see the mud. He sees fields of white with fleecy cotton, gold with maize, the wheat fields a billowing ocean of golden ripe grain. He sees his cattle, sheep and horses grazing in the sudan and prairie grass. He sees debts paid and money in the bank.

As the farmers wife plods through the mud she has visions of young chickens and turkeys will have

FLOYD COUNTY 14 YEARS AGO

News items taken from files of the Floyd County Hesperian published in Floydada, Texas, twenty years ago.

The Pats beat the Leans, in their annual baseball set-to played yesterday afternoon on the baseball diamond, the heavyweights producing a few more hits and running the bases with a little more vigor than their lean antagonists. The final score was 23 to 21.

The game was played for the benefit of the public library fund of the 1922 Study Club. Mrs. T. R. Webb's division. Dr. L. V. Smith and O. P. Rutledge were opposing pitchers at the opening of the game. Rutledge qualifying according to the official physician, as being more fat than lean. W. D. Lee was the heavyweight catcher and Leon Collins for the leans.

Col. Thomas Montgomery, returned the latter part of last week from New Orleans, Rome Georgia and other points. He attended the United Confederate Veterans Reunion at the Crescent city and visited his boyhood home in Georgia while away.

Ava Bell Gamble entertained a few of her friends at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Gamble, on her ninth birthday last Monday afternoon from four to six o'clock. The afternoon was spent in playing games.

Refreshments were served to the following: Gwendolyn Snodgrass, Ruth Rutledge, Ruth Jenkins, Dorothy Snodgrass, Hazel Parker, Hazel Probasco, Vivian Stegall, Josephine Daniels, Eloise Gordon, J. W. and Arthur Earl Gamble.

Gifford Willis, son of Mrs. B. C. Willis and Miss Lennie Widener, daughter of D. H. Widener, well known families of Lakeview, were married in Floydada Saturday night, Elder J. J. Day officiated at the wedding.

Attorney Kenneth Bain spent the first of the week in Hereford where he represented a client in the District court of Deaf Smith county.

grain. She was beautiful fragrant flowers and delicious vegetables. She was beauty in the silver arrows of rain falling from soft grey clouds, the lake of water in its setting, green pastures blurred by the mist. She was money for her comfort, for sickness, clothes, and education for her dear boys and girls. Money for her home church for the spread of God's kingdom of Love and Peace.

"When God had finished the stars and whirled of colored suns.

He turned his mind from big things, to fashion little ones. Beautiful tiny things (like babies) He made, and then—

He made the central ones, in case the minds of men Should stiffen and become dull, humorless and glum.

And so forgetful of their maker be as to take even themselves quite seriously.

Caterpillars and cats are lively and excellent puns. All God's jokes are good, even the practical ones. And as for ducks, I think he must have smiled a bit. Seeing those bright eyes blink, on the day he fashioned it. And he's probably laughing still at the sound that came out of its bill.

The above lines from Frederick Williams Harvey express well my idea of ducks. They waddle around, puddle in every mud hole, run their bills into the mud eating curious things. Each duck as it swims on the water is a boat. They stick their heads in the water tails up, permit. They fight and splash the water like children. They are of more interest than any other barnyard fowl.

Just In Fun

Artist says "not one great figure grew out of the depression." Oh, well, who cares about the public debt?

Supreme Court's recent decision called "classic." But after all it was Waterman.

Amateur working again on Passamaquoddy tidal project, which ought to settle the fact that Maine is still in the Union.

Scientist says all atmosphere will disappear from earth in 2,000,000,000 years. Well, that ought to clear some things up.

New invention measures fatigue. At last something with which to differentiate between the white collar worker and the sodbuster.

"Ol' Man River" Gets Face-Lifting Job Costing Uncle Sam \$170,000,000

Gigantic Mississippi Channel Development Extends 600 Miles Between St. Paul and St. Louis

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Quietly, unobtrusively, "Ol' Man River" is undergoing a vast transformation these days.

Up here on the Mississippi, Uncle Sam is doing a face-lifting job that's making history—a \$170,000,000 job project, if you please. And when it's finished, it'll rival the Boulder Dam or the TVA in scope and importance.

Since 1931 the federal government has been at this task, attempting to create a nine-foot channel down the "Father of Waters" to St. Louis. And the engineers are having exceedingly good luck, too. More than half of the dams now are practically ready for spring navigation.

To gauge the full importance of that, one must consider the immensity of this Mississippi project. It is a stupendous undertaking. It involves construction of 26 dams, will cost approximately \$170,000,000 and will take many millions more to maintain. It will not be completed before 1938.

Through the War Department, engineers are whacking away at this great river from the Twin Cities to St. Louis, mainly to accomplish three ends. These are:

- 1—Aid river navigation from the Twin Cities to the Gulf of Mexico. 2—Supplement food control work on the lower Mississippi. 3—Control Mississippi river stages above St. Louis.



WASHINGTON LETTER

BY SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

WASHINGTON.—Whether or not the proposed farm tenancy bill passes Congress and this generation of sharecroppers profits from the paternalistic attitude of the New Deal, the National Youth Administration has plans for their children to lead a fuller life.

Directing its efforts to the estimated 3,000,000 young people between the ages of 16 and 25 who were on relief in the spring of 1935, the NYA already has spent all but \$25,000,000 of its \$71,000,000 grant, \$25,000,000 relief appropriation in the bill before Congress. NYA expects to get \$100,000,000 with which to carry on.

The new program for the benefit of sons and daughters of farmers is not designed especially for the children of sharecroppers, but it is expected that many of that group will take advantage of the opportunities offered. No fancy notion this, to graduate the under-privileged child of poor farmers from college with degrees in arts or sciences, but an attempt to teach them how to keep a farmhouse and work with modern agricultural technique.

In co-operation with state agricultural colleges, NYA will make it possible for needy farm children to enroll as special students for those elementary courses most in line with their educational background.

These students will be paid out of federal funds a wage not to exceed one-half the security wage prevailing in their home communities, but one which will cover the cost of room and board, textbooks, medical care, and working equipment. Similar to the C. C. C. wage allowance, each student will have in addition \$5 for his or her personal expenses.

Half of the student's day will be devoted to study. Girls will attend classes in home economics, cooking, canning and preservation of foods, and personal hygiene. Boys will be instructed in scientific farm practice, soil conservation, soil chemistry, dairying, poultry raising, crop diversification and rotation, and the care of farm equipment.

The other half of the student's time will be given to work projects on the agricultural college property. At this point, NYA authorities favor the construction and care of co-operative dormitories. Experimental work in this project has already begun at Louisiana Institute, and NYA students there have completed and are now living in

dormitory buildings they have built. Later these buildings, for the college provides the maintenance will be turned back to the nation with the agreement that they will be maintained as co-operatives for later NYA students.

The only qualifications for enrollment under this plan are the parents of individual boy and girl, based on the opinion of the local agents that they will make good of their opportunities. Those are eligible will get their education in the agricultural college of home state. The courses will last three months.

Editorial Briefs From Other Newspapers

This winter has already seen a number of deaths from the carbon monoxide fumes which pour out the exhaust of automobiles. There have occurred mostly during spells, when motorists are to run the engine for a few minutes before leaving the garage.

A few breaths of air containing two per cent of carbon monoxide will cause unconsciousness, death within three or four minutes. The gas has no odor, taste or color. The victim is paralyzed before he has realized his danger.—New Leader.

Regardless of what they think of the desirability of Deal measures which the Supreme Court has declared unconstitutional, most of them are opposing anything to weaken the unity and independence of the nation. For whatever may be the case in other sections of the country, in Texas the great mass of people still hold the Supreme of the United States in reverence and have an abiding faith in the bulwark of American institutions.—Alice Echo.

Friends of Marvin Jones are expecting his appointment to the Federal courts shortly. He has been a very deserving congressman.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

Well, let's see, it is just over eight months until Christmas. Do your shopping early.—Post.



Above: Area of the Mississippi channel project. A steamer passing through new locks and dam opened at Rock Island, Ill., cost of \$7,000,000.

parallel the river for miles, dredging and earthen dikes, and miscellaneous construction.

AND what will become of "Ol' Man" when the work is finished? Typically, he'll be a very different personality. Instead of row, shifting current through wide bottoms, the Mississippi will become a shallow river. It will be chiefly of a series of shallow lakes, some 20 miles long, 10 miles wide, depending on topography of the valley which the stream flows.

Already these "lakes" are being used as new recreation attractions and the channel work, aside from original aims, should be beautifying the Mississippi. Since the project controls all of the water from Rock Island, Ill., to Wis., it is expected that this area as a vast game preserve thus further enhances the property. And many!

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County In Delegation Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show Thursday

County Herds, with Fewer Entries This Year, Get Recognition at Annual Show

Floydada High School Band accompanied itself creditably on the trip to the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show Thursday afternoon of last week. A delegation of seventy from the county, headed by Mayor Gladness, visited the show. The parade of Charles Kiker was directed by Charles Kiker with the parade the Floydada Dairy Show attended the show and the judging in the dairy department, where several entries from the county were in competition. Herds in this division to Floydada herds were as follows:

Place in Production
County herds represented in the county cattle production contest of the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show placed among the high every division from two to five years and over. In the class of five years and over O. L. Stansell's Allen Premier's Spot placed first in production; in the year and under five class Jack Stansell's Allen Premier's Sweet placed sixth, and O. L. Stansell's Fancy Premier Blue Bird placed eighth.

Stansell's Allen Premier Goldie placed sixth in the three-year-old and Roe McCleskey's Premier placed May placed tenth in the class of cows under two years old. Jersey Awards
Honors in the Jersey division of the Panhandle Plains Dairy Show went to the Tierra Blanca of Canyon, but cattle exhibitor Floyd County breeders took a share of honors. Among the winners chalked up by these exhibitors were the following:

Three years and over: Fancy Combination, owned by O. Stansell, sixth place; bull 12 months old and under 18 months, Fancy Dream, O. L. Stansell, eighth; bull six months and under six months, Glory Allen Combination, Stansell, third; bull, under six months, China Cup's Silver Lady, O. L. Stansell, third; five years old and over: Premier's Spot, O. L. Stansell, fourth; cow, four years old and under five years, Allen's Premier Cow-Pat Stansell, second; Allen Premier, O. L. Stansell, third; Premier Blue Bird, O. L. Stansell, eighth; Allen Premier Dream, Jack Stansell; the Jersey class of three years and under four, Allen Premier owned by O. L. Stansell.

Trains For Joe



Daily cross-country runs now are the order of the day for Heavyweight Champion Jim Braddock. Braddock is shown, at left, with Jack McCarthy at the training camp near Stone Lake, Wis. The road work, incidentally, is in preparation for that battle with the Brown Bomber, Joe Louis, set now for June 22 in Chicago.

placed second; and in the class two years old and under three, Allen Premier Royal Fern, owned by O. L. Stansell, placed third; Premier Surprise Mae, owned by Greer McCleskey, Floydada, placed first in the class 18 months and under two years, and Fancy Premier Pansy, owned by Robert Lee Smith, Lockney, placed third Fair Lady, owned by Thomas Johnson, Floydada, placed third in the heifer class under six months old.

O. L. Stansell's graded herd placed second in championship competition; his yearling herd placed fourth, and his calf herd placed first with N. B. Stansell's calf herd second. As senior get of sire Stansell's entry placed second, his junior entry in this division getting first place, and his produce of dam entry, Allen Premier Brown Beauty won first, with N. B. Stansell's Glory Allen Premier third. Floyd County herd placed second, with Swisher County first.

4-H Winners
In the 4-H Clubs division Greer McCleskey's senior yearling heifer won first place, Evert Patterson's junior yearling heifer won first, and Robert Lee Smith's junior yearling heifers were placed third and fourth. Greer McCleskey's heifer was the grand champion heifer in the show.

Durso's Spook Show Palace Sunday Night

How would it feel to have a ghost sit down beside you? Patrons of the Palace Theatre will be given an opportunity to experience the thrill of a lifetime Sunday night at 10:30 when the famous "Spook Show" with that master of wizardry, Durso, acting as master of ceremonies.

Such things as spooks flying around in the air, spirits moving inanimate objects, ghosts, talking spooks walking, are only a few of the thrills in store for the night. The show will consist of any number of weird, shuddery, spine tingling episodes. Some of the ghosts may even wander into the audience to mingle socially with the guests.

Harmonizing with the stage presentation, the screen offering at the midnight show will be "The Ghost Walks," a mystery drama dealing with party of tourists occupying an eerie mansion on a stormy night. June Collyer, John Miljan, and Spencer Charters have the leading roles in this production.

Pleasant Hill News

Editor-in-chief—Margaret Camden. Assistant Editor—Vance Woolsey.

School News
The pupils are working on a Mothers Day program to be given on Mothers day.

Singing
A small crowd attended singing Friday night at the school house. We wish to encourage many to attend these singings every first and third Sunday nights and every second and fourth Friday nights.

Local News
Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Thornton and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batty.

Mrs. W. H. Furrow and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Furrow spent Saturday and Sunday at Amarillo with relatives.

Mrs. Joe Evers spent the week end with her daughter Myra Nell at Canyon.

Miss Corene Clark of Odell is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Woolsey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Loe, Miss Edna, and B. M. Loe and children spent Sunday at Crosbyton Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fay Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hambricht visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hambricht Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt McClung made a business trip to Jacksboro last week end. They were accompanied by little Miss Jennene Cardinal. Mrs. McClung's mother, Mrs. Cora Kemp returned home with them.

R. Cardinal accompanied with Casey and John Cardinal left Monday for a visit to Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Estep and son spent Sunday with her father at Crosbyton.

FRIDAY NIGHT PLAY AT LIBERTY WILL BE GIVEN BY CENTER DRAMATIC CLUB

Center Dramatic Club will present a play at Liberty on Friday night of this week, April 30, entitled "The Rose of El Monte," which will be the third play for Liberty patrons on season tickets.

The opening hour is set at 8 o'clock. Mrs. R. L. Glenn will direct the presentation of the play.

Mrs. Lewis Ballard and little son, F. L. of Crowell were guests of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker, from Tuesday until Sunday. Mr. Ballard came after them and spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Simpson, of Paducah, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deakins Thursday.

Baker School Closed Last Friday With All-Day Program, Games

Friday of last week was the last day of this year's school term at Baker. An interesting program was arranged for the day.

Flavil L. Yeakley, of Floydada, minister of the City Park Church of Christ, spoke at the opening of the program.

Other numbers of the days program were a short program by the pupils and presentation of diplomas and attendance certificates. A basket dinner was served at noon and games of soft ball was played in the afternoon, Principal Henry Price said.

Miss Verna Lyles has been teacher of the primary department of the school this year.

Blanco Ends School Year
One other rural school in the county that brought its school year to a close Friday was Blanco, where pupils, teacher and patrons spent the day on a picnic. Mrs. Mildred Pinley has been teacher of the school this year.

Antelope News

School Closing Program
School will be out Friday, April 30, and a picnic has been planned for the day. A program will be presented Thursday night, April 29. The program is as follows:

Seventh grade graduation exercises, Valedictory—Helen Ring. Class song—Helen Ring. Reading—"The Echo"—Bradley Boyd.

"Going Fishing,"—G. W. Reznicek. Mayday Pageant, by the entire room.

Reading, "My Goal," Eval Bradford. Dialogue, "Quite a Different Matter"—Kenneth Ring and Sammie Bradford.

Reading, "Mary Ann" Willie Mae Rucker.

A one act play, "Imagination," characters: "Ray," Kenneth Poole; "Bud," Elmer Brown; "Jimmie," J. W. Jackson; "Marion," Helen Ring; "Louise," Ethel Lee Reznicek.

The pupils enjoyed a day at the circus in their school room last week. The sand table was fixed with a parade of the usual circus animals.

The pupils in the second grade told animal stories, and Bradley Boyd read a poem about animals.

The third grade Geography class made a sand table project, of vegetables in connection with their study of a truck farm.

Helen Ring, our seventh grader, deserves honorable mention, as being the only straight "A" pupil for this school year, and also for making a hundred every day for the entire year, in spelling. Other pupils have made excellent records in various subjects but Helen is outstanding in all.

Locals
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Ring and children, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Covington of Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Lakeview visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reznicek and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Brown and son, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Murphy of Lakeview.

J. W. Jackson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Tandy Smith of Crosbyton.

Those who visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Poole, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. E. Huskie, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gully and family.

Mrs. Roe C. Bird of Fairview, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stewart, spent Saturday night and Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson of the Liberty community.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Groves and family have moved into our community from Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom J. Boyd returned from Temple, Texas. Mrs.

Boyd was with her mother, Mrs. M. M. Bradley, who was quite ill but is much improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bosley returned this week from Wichita Falls, Texas where they have been on a visit with their daughter Mrs. Ross Cherry.

Miss Buck Fondy, the former Pearl Burrows, is here on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows, for some six weeks, having arrived Saturday of last week.

STUDENT ASSN. TREASURER

DALLAS, Texas, April 26—Juanita Rushing, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Lee Rushing of Floydada, has been elected treasurer of the S. M. U. Women's Self-Governing Association, members of which are residents of the girls' dormitories. Juanita is a member of the Freshman Club and "Script and Score," campus dramatic organization.

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Lester-Rose Nuptials Said At Home Wedding Sunday

Miss Bonnie Mavat Lester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Lester, twelve miles north of Floydada on the Silverton highway, became the bride Sunday afternoon of Delbur C. Rose, of Lockney, in a pretty ring wedding under an improvised archway of greenery and spring flowers.

The nuptials, said at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Rev. H. H. Hamilton, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Lockney, were held in the spacious living rooms of the Lester home with several relatives and a few intimate friends present. Miss Lucy Dean Rose, a sister of the bridegroom, rendered "Country Gardens" before she began the strains of the wedding march, in which the contracting couple were preceded by the minister to the appointed place for the ceremony, followed by little Miss Jontha Lee Casey, ring bearer with the wedding ring on a satin pillow, and by the bridesmaid, Miss Martha Lester, sister of the bride, and Pat Fairley, of Tulsa, best man.

Those present for the pretty ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Mattison, of Paris, grandparents, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mattison, of Abilene, uncle and aunt of the bride; T. F. Casey, grandfather of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rose, of Lockney parents of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey of Roseland; Mr. and Mrs. Larry E. Holman of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Fairley, of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alexander of Amarillo, and Dr. and Mrs. V. Andrews of Floydada.

The bride wore a blue chiffon dress with white accessories and wore a corsage of white rosebuds, the bridesmaid and pianist wearing corsages of sweetpeas in delicate shades.

Mrs. Rose is a graduate of Floydada High School, Class of 1935, and last month was awarded a diploma in the study of speech by Mrs. Andrews. Mr. Rose completed his high school studies at Lockney and attended Amarillo Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester, parents of the bride, were hosts at a six o'clock dinner honoring the bride and bridegroom at which were present in addition to the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rose and Miss Lucy Dean Rose, of Lockney, and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Mattison, of Paris. The dinner was served by candle light with lovely appointments.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Borum and Bernard Borum, who are engaged in the photographic business, spent Sunday, Monday and Tuesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Borum.

Harold Bishop Weds Miss Ruth Brinkley Saturday, April 17

Announcement was received here this week of the marriage of Harold Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bishop, to Miss Ruth Brinkley, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, at Livingston on April 17.

Mr. Bishop was reared in this city and graduated from the Floydada High School with the class of '33. He is employed with the United Gas Co. Systems and is at present stationed at Livingston.

Thursday Contract Bridge Club With Mrs. L. Britton

Mrs. Loraine Britton entertained the Thursday Contract Bridge Club with a buffet supper Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Following supper the usual number of games of bridge were played in which Mrs. Bill Fowler got high score for the guests and Miss Ruth Jenkins got high for the members. Mrs. Fowler and Mrs. W. M. Causley were guests of the club.

Members playing were: Miss Ruth Jenkins, Mrs. Jim Hardgroves, Mrs. Winfred Cooper, Mrs. J. B. Claiborne, Mrs. Earnest Carter, Mrs. Lewis Norman, Mrs. Fred Nabors, Mrs. Arthur Stewart, Miss Adelaide Scott, and Miss Merle Scoggin.

Miss Eulalia Burrus will entertain the club Thursday evening, May 6, at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Jack Deakins Hostess To Sans Souci Bridge Club

Mrs. Jack Deakins entertained the members of the Sans Souci Bridge Club Wednesday, April 21, with a luncheon at 1 o'clock. Mrs. A. B. Keim and Mrs. L. T. Bishop played guest hands. Mrs. R. C. Wakefield made the highest score in the games.

The members present were Mrs. Polk Goen, Mrs. Geo. McAllister, Mrs. A. E. Guthrie, Mrs. Marvin English, Mrs. R. C. Wakefield and Mrs. Terrell Loran.

Mrs. Marvin English will entertain the club Wednesday, May 5, at 1 o'clock.

San Jacinto Day Featured On Program

San Jacinto Day was featured in the Andrews Ward P. T. A. program, Wednesday, April 21, with Mrs. L. G. Mathews as principal speaker for the occasion. Mrs. Mathews recalled the history of the Thirteenth Decisive Battle of the World and its effect upon later Texas History. She also, gave some interesting remarks about the billion dollar monument which is being constructed on the San Jacinto battleground, 20 miles from Houston, which was dedicated on San Jacinto Day, April 21.

The Rhythm Band in their uniforms of blue overalls and straw hats pleased the audience very much with their opening selections, "The Rain Song", "Beautiful Texas", "Where the Potomac Stream is Flowing" and "The Eyes of Texas". The band was organized and trained by Mrs. J. N. Johnston and is composed of little first grade pupils from her room. They were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Noel Landers.

Mrs. Richard Stovall gave a very pleasing and instructive talk on "Good Taste and Good Manners". She said in part, that parents need not expect their children to have nice manners unless they were examples before them each and every day. And that they need not scream and nag at their children and expect them to have gentle manners. The first requirement she said for good manners is kindness and thoughtfulness of other people and their rights.

Miss Fannie Mae Rees, Home Economics Teacher at High School, introduced five of her pupils who modeled costumes they had made during the year under her supervision. The first girl introduced was Juanice Cothern who modeled a tailored suit which she had made from old clothing. She also gave a short talk on "Personal Grooming". Louise Harris modeled a suit which she had made in class. She made a talk on "The Care of the Hair". Doris Jordan wore a print dress which she had made as a home project and she gave a talk on "The Care of the Hands". Bobby Municy modeled a pink silk dress which she made over from a last year's dress. And Berna Johnson modeled a banquet dress she had made as a home project.

When the room count was made Mrs. J. N. Johnston's room was given the book for the fourth time this year, for having the largest attendance of mothers.

The last meeting of the year will be held on Wednesday afternoon, May 12, at 3:30 at the school building. The meeting was moved up a week on account of falling on the week of the closing of school.

Miss Farris Home For Week End Gives House Party

Miss Audrey Farris who was at home from Lubbock for the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Jno. Farris, entertained with a house party for several guests. A dinner party was given Saturday evening. Those enjoying the week-end at the Farris home, were: Misses Ione Gill and Juanita Haines, of Miami, students of Tech. College; and Miss Ruth Jenkins; Messrs Roddy Curry, of Lubbock, and Lucian Moorehead, of Plainview.

Eighty-Four Party Given At Hilton Home Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Conner entertained with an Eighty-four party and buffet supper Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hillen.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Eubank, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McCausley, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Groves, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hillen, Mrs. Sam Thurmon, Mrs. B. Hatley, Mrs. Ama Shanley, Messrs Fred Bell and Roy Eubank.

MRS. STANLEY HOSTESS TO BLUE BONNET CLUB

The Blue Bonnet Needle Club met Thursday with Mrs. Sease Stanley, Mrs. C. Y. Gorman was a guest of the club. Mrs. Paul Sims, Mrs. Olin Splith and Mrs. Frank Cline were admitted as new members. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The regular members present were: Mrs. Poyner Roberts, Mrs. J. E. Norman, Mrs. P. F. Fuqua, Mrs. B. F. McIntosh, Mrs. E. L. Teague, Mrs. M. E. Brown, Mrs. E. B. Ratner, Mrs. R. B. Shultz and Mrs. Modrel Williams and the hostess, Mrs. Stanley.

GARDEN CLUB WILL MEET ON FRIDAY, MAY 7

Floydada Garden Club will meet on Friday, May 7, at 9:30 o'clock in the Park Florists Shop, where a brief program will precede a visit through Mrs. Goen's green house. Roll call will be answered with "contributions to my flower garden," to be followed by a Mother's Day story by Mrs. Lorin Leibfried.

Social Calendar

MONDAY

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet Monday afternoon, May 3, at 3 o'clock at the church for a business session.

The Circles of the W. M. S. will meet Monday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at The First Baptist Church for the regular business and Mission program. Each member will bring a dish and lunch will be served at 12:30.

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Church annex for the regular Mission program. Mrs. Noel Landers will be in charge.

Hester West Circle will meet Monday evening, May 3, at 7:30 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage for a Bible study, "Jesus the Ideal Church Member."

WEDNESDAY

The Sans Souci Bridge Club will meet Wednesday, May 5, at 1 o'clock with Mrs. Marvin English.

THURSDAY

The P. T. A. of Lockney meets Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for a book report by Mrs. Fred Rogers, and to organize a County Council. All county parents invited.

The Althean Sunday School class will have an all-day meeting Thursday, May 6, with Mrs. W. C. Sims. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. The annual election of officers will be held and the remainder of the day will be spent quilting.

The Muncy Needle Club will hold an all-day meeting today with Mrs. W. E. Grimes. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

Stitch and Chatter Club will meet today at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Bert Battey.

The 1922 Study Club will meet Thursday afternoon, May 6, at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. I. Cannaday. A program on health will be given with Mrs. A. N. Bratton as leader.

Thursday Contract Bridge Club will meet Thursday evening, May 6, at 7 o'clock with Miss Eulalia Burrus.

FRIDAY

The Sunbonnet Girls Club will meet Friday afternoon, May 7, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. C. Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Honor Guests At C. E. Banquet

The Christian Endeavor of the First Christian Church honored Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Reid with a banquet last Friday night, at the church annex. Mr. and Mrs. Reid have served the past year as sponsor of the Endeavor and are planning to leave Floydada in the near future.

Virgil Williams as a guest delivered a farewell and Mr. Reid responded telling of the enjoyment he had experienced in the work.

Others who had part on the program were Brooksennell Price, Mrs. Noel Landers, Bettie Newell, Ruby Tribble, and little Miss Marion Landers. Miss Irene Probasco acted as Master of Ceremonies.

P. T. A. Council To Be Organized At Lockney, May 6

Mrs. Joe McCollum, president of the Parent-Teachers' Association of Lockney, has issued an invitation to all Associations and parents and teachers of the county to meet at Lockney on Thursday, May 6, at 2:30 o'clock at the City Club rooms.

A County Council to make plans for the 1938 District Convention which is to be held at Floydada is to be organized at this meeting. Mrs. Fred Rogers, of Plainview, vice-president of the District P. T. A., will give a book review.

ENTERTAINS NEEDLE CLUB

The Thrifty Nifty Needle Club was entertained April 22 at the home of Mrs. W. C. Boren. Mrs. Floyd Ballard received a set of friendship quilt blocks as a gift of the club.

Refreshments were served to the following: Miss Pearl Croft, a guest; members were Miss Grace Hodges, Mrs. Ethel Carmac, Mrs. H. E. Davis, Mrs. Minnie Boothe, Mrs. Mae Griggs, Mrs. Gertrude Warren, Mrs. O. L. Pawver, Mrs. Floyd Ballard, Mrs. Dorothy Pawver and the hostess, Mrs. W. C. Boren.

The club will meet Thursday, May 6, with Mrs. O. W. Boothe.

REAGANS ENTERTAIN DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Reagan entertained a number of guests Sunday, they were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill and daughter of Tahoka, Mrs. B. H. Howard and son Unis Howard of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Howard and children of Lubbock, and master Bob white of Floydada.

Mrs. Eldridge Reviews Book 1929 Study Club Open House

More than a hundred guests were entertained at an open house meeting of the 1929 Study Club Thursday evening when Mrs. Jno. E. Eldridge was presented in a book review, "Gone With the Wind" at the American Legion home at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Eldridge talented book review artist condensed the contents of the enormous book and gave the review in an hour and fifteen minutes without losing the effect of the beautiful love story of Scarlett O'Hara, the heroine, about which the story was written.

"The novel, 'Gone With the Wind' by Margaret Mitchell, said Mrs. Eldridge, 'has been characterized as the amazing novel of the year, more than a million copies have been sold.' Miss Mitchell was seven years in writing her story; not working on it all the time, but picking it up and throwing it down from 1929 until 1936."

"While not a war novel, it deals with life during the Civil War and the Reconstruction days which followed. The author's descriptions are graphic; her pictures clear at all times; her characters, very interesting and very human."

"Miss Mitchell is herself a Georgian, and she gives, a true picture of Georgia plantation life during the War between the States. The book has elicited much comment, and like modern novels, some of it is favorable, while some of it is adverse criticism."

A social hour preceded the program and Mrs. J. D. McBrien and Miss Fannie Bolding, who were hostesses on this occasion, received the guests. The tea table was covered with a lace cloth and Mrs. Terrell Loran presided at the punch bowl which was surrounded with baby breath and lilacs in the club colors of orchid and white. She was assisted in serving by Mrs. A. B. Keim and Mrs. Ralph Tucker.

The program was begun with a medley of seven southern melodies sung by Mrs. Ed Bond, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. E. C. Thomas, with Mrs. A. D. Cummings accompanying on the violin. Then a reading, "A Lesson with a Fan" was given by Marjorie Oden. A vocal duet, "My Daddy and My Mamma" was sung by Lanel Teague and Kenneth Shaw. Marjorie Oden gave a second selection, a reading, "The Lying Little Daisy."

"The Old Bachelor" was read by Tom Roy Snodgrass. The program was concluded with a duet, "If you were the Only Girl in the World" sung by Gene Arwine and Marty Lou Bond followed by an encore, "What are Little Boys Made Of."

F. H. S. Band Entered In West Texas Contest At Lubbock On Friday

Contests, Parades, Orchestras, Part of Two-Day Colorful Program of High Schoolers

Thirty-two members of the Floydada High School Band, accompanied by their director, Charles Kiker, and a number of parents, will go to Lubbock Friday where they will participate in the ninth annual contest of the Western Texas School band and orchestra association. There are 50 counties in the association and more than 40 bands are to compete in the contests which are to last through Saturday night. D. O. Wiley, band director of Texas Tech, is to be general director of the contests. Nine members of the F. H. S. band are to enter the solo contests. They are Mary Francis McRoberts, alto horn; Alice Rawlings, alto horn; Olin Watson, clarinet; Beth Newton, saxophone; Doris Collins, saxophone; Greer McCleskey, baritone horn; Leeman Norman, cornet; Pat Collins, cornet and Joe Arwine, pianist. Maurice Hart who is pianist for the band will accompany the solo contestants.

One selection which the band will play is Tounhauser by Wagner which is considered a very difficult number.

Those chosen as judges for the band contests are Herbert L. Clarke, the "crown prince" of John Phillip Sousa fame and now director of the Long Beach, California, Municipal Band; Earl D. Irons, director, North Texas Agricultural College; L. M. Calavan, and Ellis B. Hall, Amarillo Academy of Music.

A parade composed of 25 bands will be staged downtown at Lubbock Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and the marching contests will be conducted on Tech's athletic field in the evening, and later the contestants will be guests at a spring football game between Texas Mines of El Paso and Tech.

Miss Worth Gwendolyn Shipley, senior student in Floydada High School will accompany the band and represent her school as duchess at the Athletic Fiesta to be held Friday afternoon on the Texas Tech athletic field at Lubbock.

Saturday afternoon massed bands will rehearse at Senior High School, starting at 4:15 o'clock, and at 8 o'clock the several hundred selected musicians will join in a public concert at the auditorium.

Superintendent and Mrs. A. D. Cummings and a number of the High School teachers will accompany the band.

Marriage Of Grace Adair Announced

Announcement was made here this week of the marriage of Miss Grace Adair, daughter of Mrs. N. E. Adair, to Clarence Key on Tuesday evening, April 13, at the Methodist parsonage at Carlsbad, New Mexico. Rev. J. E. Jordan, pastor of the Carlsbad Church performed the ceremony. Both are well known young business people of Artesia, New Mexico, she being owner of the Vogue Beauty Shop and he is associated with his father in the Key and Son Furniture business. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Key of Artesia, New Mexico.

Mrs. Key was reared in Floydada but has been making her home in New Mexico for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Key were guests of her mother who resides here and her brother, Dan Adair and family of Plainview from Sunday evening, Tuesday, when they returned to Artesia where they will continue to make their home.

Hales Are Hosts To Friendship Bridge Club Friday Night

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale were hosts to the Friendship Bridge Club Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Following a buffet supper the usual number of games were played in which Mrs. B. K. Barker and L. T. Bishop were high score winners.

The members present were: Mrs. L. T. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Keim, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Olin, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arwine.

Mrs. J. B. Grundy Hostess To Class

Mrs. J. B. Grundy entertained the members of the Sunbeam Sunday School class, of which she is teacher, with a Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock party.

Refreshments were served to the following: Francis Ruth Garret, Doniece Cline, Leatha Joye Cartwell, Georgia Cothern, Margie Sims, Billie Jean Swinson and Mrs. Grundy.

Garland Foster, who has been teaching school at Elm Springs, recently returned home to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Foster. He has been employed at the Looper Grocery having begun work Monday.

Miss Fleeta Clements, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, is a guest in the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Hay.

Cape Ensemble



No. 1 favorite in the spring mode are cape ensembles. This one, worn by Gloria Stuart, is made of feather-weight gray woolen, flecked in green and red. The padded collar and hemline and the striped edging of green and red around the lining of the cape are interesting details. Matching green accessories are worn with the ensemble.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Thacker and daughter, Mary Lee, returned home Friday night from Big Spring and Port Worth. Mrs. Thacker and daughter visited at Big Spring with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sullivan, while Dr. Thacker and his brother, Pat, made a business trip to Fort Worth.

A. L. Bishop, Mrs. Nora Cox and daughter, Thomasine, and Mrs. L. T. Bishop and sons, James Thurmond and Joe Dan, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Young, of Amarillo Sunday. Mrs. Young is Mr. Bishop's daughter and Mrs. Cox's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Solomon and son, Dannie, of Matador, were guests of his mother, Mrs. J. B. Solomon Sunday.

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Wayland Campaign Will Be Launched Here Monday Night

General Public Invited To Meeting to Raise Repair Funds for School

Rev. J. Pat Horton, of Plainview, will be one of the principal speakers here Monday night at a meeting of the First Baptist Church of the Floyd County Baptist Association, and the general public is invited to hear him and others as the campaign is being launched in the association for repairs at Wayland College.

Our state Executive Board has chosen us an open field to raise money for repairs at Wayland and this is our opportunity," Rev. Vern Shaw, pastor of the First Baptist Church here said this week, in announcing the forthcoming rally extending the welcome to the general public.

Wayland College is our christian college and we are now beginning to do our part," he said. "The thirty-three churches of the association are expected to be our hosts and we are honored to have them."

The general program will open at 8 o'clock. Preceding it a luncheon being planned for 7 o'clock for the committee of the association.

It is important that committeemen be present at this luncheon, Rev. Shaw said, urging that the entire county and association attend in great numbers the general program that follows it. The program arranged is as follows:

Song and Praise Service.

Prayer.

Preliminary Remarks by Vern Shaw.

Wayland College Present and Future by G. W. McDonald, President Wayland College.

Life in Wayland College by Miss Mildred Mathis.

Music by Wayland Quartet.

Advantages of Wayland College by Mrs. L. V. Smith, Floydada, Texas.

Special Music by D. C. Hamilton Educational Director First Baptist Church, Plainview.

Is Wayland College an Asset or a Liability? by Rev. Pat Horton, Plainview, Texas.

WOMAN'S COUNCIL HONORS MRS. REID WITH SHOWER

Mrs. C. I. Reid, who is planning to leave Floydada in the near future, was honored with a handkerchief shower by the members of the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church, at the conclusion of their meeting held Monday afternoon at the church annex. Mrs. L. H. Dorrell and Mrs. Zell Probasco acted as hostesses and served delightful refreshments at the conclusion of the meeting.

The annual election of officers was held and Mrs. W. M. Houghton was made president of the council; Mrs. J. C. Wester, vice-president; Mrs. Victoria Asher, treasurer; Mrs. Zell Probasco, secretary and Mrs. W. D. Newell, reporter.

Monday afternoon, May 3, the Council will meet again at the church annex at 3 o'clock for the regular Missionary program, led by Mrs. Noel Landers.

M. E. SOCIETY MEMBERS ATTEND DISTRICT MEET

Mrs. Lorin Leibfried who was recently elected Superintendent of the Texas Conference gave a report of the Conference meeting which was held at Stamford April 14, 15 and 16, at the all-day meeting of the Missionary Societies of the First Methodist Church of the Plainview District, held Thursday at Petersburg. Mrs. J. E. Eldridge was elected District Superintendent of Spiritual Life.

Others from Floydada who attended the District meeting were Mrs. H. G. McChesney, Mrs. C. L. Travis, Mrs. Olin S. Miller and Mrs. E. E. Hinson.

METHODIST SOCIETY HELD MEETING MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church and completed the study of "Matthew," with Mrs. G. F. Klebold as leader. The subject of the lesson was, "The Life of Jesus as Portrayed by Matthew."

Mrs. J. E. Eldridge discussed the "Life of Joseph and Mary"; Miss Lillie Solomon discussed, "Places Where Jesus Lived"; and Mrs. J. H. Green, "The Story of Jesus' Prayer Life."

A business session will be held Monday afternoon, May 3, at 3 o'clock at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Jones and son, Frankie, visited in Memphis last Sunday, guests of friends there.

Sunday Home-Coming And Fellowship Day At New Baptist Church

Rev. M. M. Robinett, Pastor, Says New Church Home Completed Except for Stucco Finish

Sunday will be home-coming and fellowship day for the congregation of the Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. M. M. Robinett, pastor announced this week, and an afternoon program beginning at 1:30 is being planned as one of the outstanding events of the day. Representatives of other congregations of this city will be asked to have a part in the program of the afternoon and there will be special music now being arranged.

The afternoon services will be in addition to the regular services of the day, including Sunday School at 10 a. m. preaching at 11 a. m., and in the evening. Dinner will be served at the noon hour.

"Our church home on West Houston Street is nearing completion except for the stucco finish," Rev. Robinett said. "While its outside appearance is crude for the present it is our plan to allow the building to settle before we apply the stucco coat, thus avoiding cracked walls. We are proud of our place of worship and hope to have people of the entire community join us in this happy event when we will celebrate the home-coming."

HESTER WEST CIRCLE GIVES BUFFET SUPPER

Members of the Hester West Circle were entertained Monday evening at the Methodist parsonage with a buffet supper.

Those present were Mrs. Carl Rodgers, Mrs. Francis Wester, Mrs. Alpha Boothe, Mrs. Fred Nabors, Mrs. Elva Bailey, Mrs. M. L. Solomon; Misses Mary Louise Thurmon, Beatrice Davis, Maurine Hay, Clare Bell Yearwood, Bill Abernathy and Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Eldridge.

The circle will meet again Monday evening, May 3, at 7:30 o'clock at the parsonage for a Bible study, "Jesus the Ideal Church Member."

Dr. C. M. Thacker and Judge H. D. Payne spent the latter part of last week in Dallas and Fort Worth on business.

LOCAL ODD FELLOWS HAVE PART IN CELEBRATION OF FOUNDERS DAY IN MATADOR

Several local Odd Fellows joined in the observance Tuesday night with the Matador Odd Fellows Lodge of the founding of the I. O. O. F. fellowship in the United States by Thomas J. Wildy 118 years ago.

Among those who went to the Motley capital from Floydada were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. King and son Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilkinson, J. N. Gullion, Tom W. Deen, Rev. J. E. Eldridge, S. W. Woolsey, Misses Ina Sims, and Wilma Deen.

The anniversary marked the ninety-ninth year of Odd Fellowship in Texas.

CAMPBELL SOCIETY MET WITH MRS. R. L. McNEILL

The Campbell Missionary Society met last week with Mrs. R. L. McNeill. There were thirteen members and three children present. Mrs. W. H. Bethel, who was a delegate to the Northwest Texas Conference held recently at Stamford, gave a report of the meeting.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, May 6, with Mrs. J. W. Lyles, Mrs. W. H. Bethel, Mrs. E. C. Hayden and Mrs. C. M. Lyles will discuss topics from the book, "Parables of Jesus."

NAZARENE CHURCH PROGRAM

We are soon to put on a Sunday School trailer to give transportation to children on the outskirts of the town section. Remember, Mother's Day transportation furnished aged people. We will be delighted to call for shut-ins. Get in touch with us. N. E. Tyler.

Rev. G. W. Tubbs will fill an appointment at Sand Hill Sunday, May 1, at 11 o'clock. Sunday school will be at 10 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend.

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FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING

Many people believe in giving flowers to those they love while their friends are living and not after they are dead. This means congratulations, good wishes, compliments and real flowers, of course. This is dedicated to Worth and Trueman who have worked hard and won their goal—valedictorian and salutatorian. Not only have these two worked hard but they have made friends, kept friends, and helped keep up the school spirit the four years they have been in high school.

To them (Worth and Trueman) belongs the highest honor given in High School. They are the sole owners of their titles won by hard work. To you, Worth and Trueman, we wish to express our best wishes. May you ever do as well as you have thus far! To you belongs the highest honor in school!

ARTICLE ON SOMETHING YOU KNOW NAUGHT ABOUT IS HARD ASSIGNMENT

This is the worst part of working on a paper—having to write an article on something you know nothing about. Oh, well here goes! I wonder why most everyone thinks that to enjoy a flower he must hold it in his hands. Instead of admiring the flower while it is growing in the yard, we pluck it, smell it, either throw it away or put it in water where it soon wilts. Of course there are many places for cut flowers. Perhaps you have a friend who is ill, perhaps this is to be a gift for your mother on Mother's Day, but these are all proper places for flowers which have been cut.

I have been guilty of picking a flower just to satisfy my fancy (which lasts usually only a minute or so) and so have you! From now on let's turn over a new leaf (Spring must be here) and try not to pick flowers! Especially let's refrain from picking other people's flowers. Flowers are really more beautiful growing than withering, don't you think?

WHIRLING F

The Whirling F. had its regular weekly meeting Monday, April 19, with our vice-president, "Snake Hips" Baker in charge. The members present were Billy Stanforth, Irvin Allen, La Von Rainer, Pud Cox, Harold Brown, James Wilson, Billy Probasco, Maurice Davis, Estelle Baker and W. H. McClung.

The Whirling F. had a prom Monday, April 26, which was at the home of Lilburn Cox. The pledges were invited to attend. Your Whirling F. Reporter.

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High Eighteen Senior Grade Averages Given For Leading Graduates

Report Includes First Five Terms of School Work; Finals Not Yet Taken

The following averages are for the Seniors that have made the highest grades during their senior year. These grades were taken from their report cards and included only the first five terms of school. The last term cannot be averaged in as it is not put out until after the final examinations. The grades are the ones appearing on the report card and not as to the subjects. Some of the subjects taken are freshmen subjects and some are senior subjects.

The first eighteen are:
 1. Worth Shipley, 96.16; 2. Trueman Kirk, 97.88; 3. Modelle Haney, 95.91; 4. Alton Morse, 95.59; 5. Virginia Simpson, 95.57; 6. Evelyn Hicks, 94.95; 7. Florrie Conway, 94.73; 8. Alice Rawlings, 93.70; 9. Betty Newell, 93.68; 10. Billy Stanforth, 93.60; 11. Irvin Allen, 93.48; 12. Kathryn Daniel, 93.08; 13. Louis Boothe, 92.12; 14. Mary Emma Collins, 91.85; 15. Ruby Harrison, 91.71; 16. Reda Mae Gary, 91.28; 17. Elnora Miller, 91.00; 18. Marie Finley, 90.33.

The star appearing by five of these names shows that they did not carry at least four subjects during the entire school year. Some of them carried only three, some carried three the first half, and some carried five the first half and three the second half. As the rules for highest honors state that four subjects must be carried for the entire year, these were not eligible for honors.

Should an error appear in these averages or some name be left out it is done by an error or oversight and not on purpose. These averages were made by four seniors who have excellent grades in their school work. These grades did not include the mid-term examination grades nor the averages put on the cards by the teachers as the close of the mid-term.

SPRING OF '37

Spring has really come as you have certainly saw (and heard). These warm sunny days seem to do something to everyone's spirit, disposition, et cetera. A few minutes roaming around over the campus makes apparent the 'gray abandonment' of the forlorn students. Spring seems to improve some people's dispositions just the right amount. But not so with certain others who are affected to an extreme degree. Sometimes I believe they are actually silly. What about that girl who handed out blank sheets of paper to gaily everyone? And then what about those girls who sang songs, read notes—especially that note that Edna Mae read asking her to the banquet (to those blank sheets of paper. Yes, this surely must be a case of reading between the lines.

Then there are others who are fairly dancing with energy and vitality. They run and skip around, bumping into a dignitary of the school ever so often.

Of course, there remains the serious minded who are, nevertheless, delighted over the spring season. The boys, too, are affected by spring, but they run about so much that it is too difficult for ye old reporter to keep track of them. No hard feelings, however. Spring has its bitter as well as its sweet. But let's remember that we will have the Spring of '37 only once so let's make the most of it.

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Juniors Stepping Out Preparing Their Play

Oh boy! are those Juniors really going to town? They really are stepping out in the Junior play "The Elopement of Ellen". The cast is as follows:

Richard Ford, a devoted young husband, Wilson Womack; Molly, his bride of two months, Frankie Sanders; Robert Shepard, Molly's brother, Charles Neil; Max Ten Eyck, Keith Tye; Dorothy Markel, engaged to Max, La Nell Shirey, Jane Haverhill, maid, Beth Newton, John Hume-preacher, Reid Strickland.

Now you seniors, do you want a good banquet, by which to remember your High School days? Then you had better give your most loyal support to these striving, hustling Juniors. It's all for you, you know, so pep it up and help us. We really need it and would appreciate it.



The F. F. A. boys had one of their monthly meetings last Tuesday night and carried out a good program. The boys were honored by a welcomed visitor, Mr. Mitchell, who has been attending college at Lubbock. He has been teaching us this week.

The first year class has been studying about different diseases of animals, how they can tell them; how they will be affected, and all about them.

The two second year classes have been studying about animals in this same way.

Boys Doubles Team Of FHS Loses Close Game To Region Champions

The boys' doubles tennis team from Floydada—winner of district three—represented this district in the regional meet held in Canyon last Saturday, April 24. They won the right to advance into these matches by defeating Lynn County for the championship last week end at Lubbock.

In the first round or the semi-finals the Floydada team had the hard luck of drawing the strong team from Panhandle, who had gone to the finals of the regional meet the year before. The Floydada team lost in straight sets by a close score of 6-4; 6-3. Both of the players from Floydada were badly off of the form that they showed in the district meet. They couldn't play the good tennis that they had showed in the past on the cement courts.

In the other part of the tournament Amarillo defeated Kirkland—winner of district four—in straight sets, very easy. This put Panhandle and Amarillo in the finals. Panhandle won this match in straight sets by a score of 6-4; 6-4; 6-4. This gives Panhandle the right to represent this region in the state matches to be held in Austin. Those making the trip to Canyon included: Mr. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. King, Orba Miller and Trueman Kirk.

The debate team that defeated Floydada in the finals at Lubbock by a 2 to 3 score won the regional meet at Canyon. They won the first match by defeating the winner from district four by a three to nothing score and then defeated the winner from district two in the finals held on Saturday night.

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Senior Play Date Set For May 10; 'Crashing Society' Is A Comedy

Adventures of a Poor Family Who Suddenly Become Rich Furnishes the Fun

The senior play titled "Crashing Society" will be presented on May 10 at the high school auditorium. This is on Monday night following the Saturday night of the banquet.

This play is a comedy in three acts. Throughout the entire play the serious parts are supplied with the best of comedy, acted by some of the best actors in the Senior class.

This play is, as the title suggests, about the hard adventures of the poor family from Jerkwater who suddenly became rich and went to New York to "Crash Society." Their adventures in New York will make you laugh and sometimes feel sorry for them. Many of you remember Harold Brown in the Junior play last year as the leading comedian. In this play he is also the leading comedian or the poor husband who has a society wife that wants to teach him the manners of society in one week. Playing opposite him, we find Joyce King or his wife who wants to "crash society." We find many other seniors that fill in the cast perfectly and support these two in a fine manner. The cast includes:

Adam Dunningan—Harold Brown; Elsie Dunningan—Joyce King; Marguerite Dunningan—Modelle Haney; George Dunningan—Maurice Davis; Christabel—Jerry Gamblin; Scruples—Scruples—Lilburn Cox; Miss Gadgett—Mary Loooper; Mrs. Van Witherspoon—Mary Emma Collins; Mr. Van Witherspoon—Trueman Kirk; Cyril Witherspoon—Irvin Allen; Agatha Mulrooney—Brookslen Price; and Miss Louise Miller—Kathryn Daniel. Miss Cade is coaching this play and promises that it will be one of the best plays put on this year.

With this cast this should be the best play ever put on by a senior cast. Many remember some of these in the Junior play last year and will want to see them again. Don't forget the date—May 10—and come to see the Seniors in action for the last time in high school.

Kampus Kaypers

Well, another week is here and time for more of that so-called—Adolph, are those notes of Ernestine's very good reading? You had better watch him, Ernestine.

Congratulations are in order for Worth and Trueman. You have worked hard and both deserve the honor.

It seems that Bobby Muncy does not like her name in the paper. Pretty soon it will be a happy occasion for the students in F. H. S. especially the Seniors that graduate. Well it's only about three weeks until that glorious moment of graduation, so you Seniors stick with us until the end.

It seems that Gee is getting to be a popular word. We wonder why?

James, could I borrow your bicycle? But maybe you are partial to some people, especially girls.

What girl in shorthand class just can't seem to get up early? Mary Emma, you have the cutest laugh in Economics. Have you got a copyright or a patent on it? You should have.

Avon, who did I see you with last Thursday after school? Not really, we don't believe it.

Usually it's the break up and the down fall of China, but for unexpected reasons it's the break up and

Junior-Senior Banquet Theme Yet Undecided

Definite plans have not been made concerning the theme of the Junior-Senior banquet. Several suggestions for themes have been made and committees are working over ideas, and selecting the best for the fast-approaching banquet.

There is a decorations committee, a program committee, and theme committee. These committees, cooperating with the sponsors of the Junior class, are striving to make this banquet one of the best given in several years, for there are possibilities that it will be the last.

We are eager to entertain our upper classmen as they are about to leave F. H. S. Boys, and get your dates now for that day of days or rather night of nights—May 8!

down fall of Edwin? Eh, Edwin.

Elwanda I would like lessons in letter writing, one about three pages long.

All right Lyndell, explain those notes we've heard about?

Who has a friendly quarrel every morning in bookkeeping class? Richard and Naydene had better explain.

Flash! Leeman Norman (Fleecy) hasn't seen Beth Newton for three days. Now isn't that nice? Fleecy how did you ever survive?

Who knows more about racing than the horse himself? Ask Robert Scott for further details.

A retraction should be made over last week's Kampus Kaypers in one item. A Junior pin with the initials M. A. F. belongs to a junior girl with the initials of C. M. Pardon us.

What's the use of paying to get in anything when it's just as easy not to.

The band fairly went to town last Thursday at the Dairy Show. Where was Bettie Newell, we couldn't hardly see her behind that big saxophone.

All ye Seniors prepare yourselves for May 8 (Junior-Senior Banquet). It seems that these themes "Negro Life in My Home Town" are causing much excitement.

Leeman was so crazy about Bob Burns' "Bazooka" that he finally succeeded in buying him one—and did the kids have fun with it!

The band members surely thought it was fun having a police escort in Plainview the other day.

I wonder who had the most fun at the Dairy Show.

There are a certain five kids that sure had thrills at the carnival at Plainview.

These snappy Juniors really love to present plays. Don't ever fail to see any of their plays, cause you'll be missin' a lot!

It seems there are quite a few looking forward to the Junior-Senior Banquet.

Who likes to break out windows, or stick their boots out the window? Well, I think either is about as much of a pleasure.

Several F. H. S. students enjoyed a visit to Languish Falls, Sunday. There was the enjoyment of flats, locked cars, and everything.

We hear that a lot of kids are now having standing dates with Miss Miller at 3:15. Too bad! Tut! Tut! No sit down strikes.

Has anybody heard the joke about the time the Scotchman left a quarter on the store counter. No, and you never will.

Mr. and Mrs. Irby Carruth and little son, Bruce, made a brief visit in Floydada last week with her sister, Mrs. Lon M. Davis, and Mr. Davis, while enroute home from Quanah, where they attended the funeral of his father, J. E. Carruth, who died at his home at Olton.

Five Delegates From Floydada Attend Texas Home-Making Ed. Rally

Foods III and Clothing I Girls Will Conduct Nursery School In Laboratory Soon

The local chapter of Future Homemakers of Texas sent five delegates to the Homemaking Education Rally for Texas High Schools in Port Worth Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Those trying for the H. E. I. a contest, which was Flower Arrangement, were Verda Frances Turner—1st; Ernestine Dillard, 2nd; Marion Beedy, 3rd; Ruth Tribble, 4th.

For the H. E. II contest, which was marketing for a given menu, were Elnora Miller, 1st; Bobbie Muncy, 2nd; Ruth Tribble, 3rd.

Those trying for the H. E. III, a contest, which was family relationships, were Ethel Westfall, 1st; Elnora Miller, 2nd.

For the H. E. II, a home project, Elnora Miller won first place.

In the H. E. I, which was play equipment, those winning were Verda Frances Turner, 1st; Ernestine Dillard, 2nd; and Virginia McKinney and Jaunice Cothorn.

Those entering the H. E. II contest, which was the construction of play suits, were: Reda Mae Gary, 1st; Bobbie Muncy, 2nd; Benja Johnston, 3rd.

These girls were accompanied by Miss Wilbanks, and Miss Rees. Miss Wilbanks will be one of the judges in the clothing division of Class A schools.

The clothing department entered all the groups entries which were: Exhibits of school dress, play suits, and tailored dresses. The Future Homemakers' entries were: an original song with music, an emblem for the state organization, a year book for the club year 1936-37; and a one-act play. All these entries were original and were submitted by students. There were no group entries for foods.

The local contests were judged by college graduates who had majored in Home Economics.

Special projects have been planned by Miss Wilbanks and Miss Rees for the students to do while they are absent.

The Home Economics Department is going to conduct a nursery school in the lab soon. The Foods III girls and the Clothing I girls will have charge of the children. They will be kept up at school a certain number of hours each day. They will

be furnished play equipment made by the Home Eco. girls. A show will be made of the children and their mental reactions to certain things. Besides playing, they will be given luncheon and a regular rest period in which they may (we hope).

Band Attends Dairy Show, Parades, Plays On Down-Town Street

April 22, 1937, was Floydada day at the Dairy Show, at Plainview. The Floydada High School band attended the Dairy Show in the afternoon. Many people of Floydada went to Plainview with the band.

The band marched in the city of Plainview, and played, "Little Old March," "The Booster," and "The Boy".

The members of the band and the people from Floydada went to the Dairy Show grounds following the parade.

BRADY MEN ROUNDING UP ASSETS OF FLOYD COUNTY NATL. BOUGHT RECENTLY

O. L. McShan and Warren C. Sanderford, of Brady, arrived at Floydada last week and began the work of organizing the assets of the Floyd County National Bank purchased by S. W. Hughes of Brady recently at receiver's sale. The assets purchased consist principally of notes and liens that were in the files of the bank when it was closed. They will spend an indefinite period here, Mr. Sanderford indicated.

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Jackson to Coach Squad at Flomot And Teach There

Leader of WTSTC Most Successful Team to Try Hand at Teaching

Leo Jackson, of Floydada, captain of the 1936 football squad at West Texas State Teachers College and a round athlete, will take over the duties of coach of athletics at Flomot High School and principal of the school, it was announced out of Canyon this week.

Last year, Flomot Longhorns were runners-up for the regional district title. Eight of the regular squad returned. Jackson will have material returning next year to see whether or not he can coach football as successfully as he played the game.

From his position at the center, Jackson piloted a team that won seven victories, two ties, and a defeat—one of the school's best seasons. His vacant post at center will be filled by captain-elect, Sid Archbanks of Childress.

Jackson not only received recognition as one of the Southwest's outstanding centers, but he has the speed, balance, and coordination applied with his massive 200 pounds necessary for the boxer and wrestler at his. In the national A. A. U. bouts in January in Amarillo, Jackson won the unlimited heavy-weight division and proceeded to fight for the tryouts there. In the past three years, Jackson held the All-Southwestern unlimited heavyweight championship wrestling.

Fairview News

The different rooms at school are working on their last day programs. The high school room is getting up a three-act play, characters to be announced next week. The other rooms are working on a joint program, and they all promise to be very interesting and entertain-

ing. Sidney Johnston preached at an evening hour at the Baptist church on "The Birth Travail of a Soul," a message looking forward to the revival meeting to start Saturday night, May 1. The morning service was devoted to the observance of the Lord's Supper, with an appropriate sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby and family spent the week end visiting with relatives in Spur. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Walls and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Esther Walls of Irick. Mr. Walls is convalescing nicely after appendectomy at the Plainview hospital. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree. Dorothy Jean and Joe Rushing ended a birthday party for Geneal Glover at Campbell last Sunday. Juaneal was eight years

He's Radio Station



Student at the California Institute of Technology, C. Roxall LeGrand, above, is probably the only walking radio station in the United States. LeGrand, who built the apparatus he carries in this photo, can send and receive messages over a distance of 50 miles. His portable set weighs 12 pounds.

the proud parents of a seven pound son, El Quinn, born Saturday, April 24 at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor of Dumas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Conner. Mrs. Taylor is a sister of Mrs. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Crabtree had as Sunday guests Rev. and Mrs. Sidney Johnston and sons, Carroll and Seth. Word was received Monday morning of the serious injury of J. M. Hicks at Dumas where he is employed in the oil fields. Mrs. Hicks and the children are with him at St. Anthony's Hospital at Amarillo. Mr. Hicks and Gordon Bullard spent Thursday night and Friday visiting their homes here, returning to work last Friday night.

Miss Edith Crabtree is spending the week visiting her uncle and family Mr. and Mrs. Mitt Bullard at Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Edell DuBois had as guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McMeans of Amarillo. Mrs. McMeans is a sister of Mr. DuBois.

Mrs. Carl Mooney has been ill for the past week, but is considerably improved now.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Percy had as Sunday guests their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Perry and daughter, Charlene of Irick.

Mrs. E. M. Meyers of Canyon, formerly Miss Pauline Rushing of this community, is the mother of a seven and one half pound boy named Al Rushing Myers, according to word received from her mother, Mrs. S. L. Rushing, who is with her.

Eldon, Adolph, Kenneth and Lois Burgett and Bettie Joe Perry spent Sunday visiting in the Lakeview community.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Stapleton are

family had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fowler and son of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar King and Otis King of Floydada and Misses Dorothy Lee and Rubye Brown.

Bob Saunders of California is spending a few days with his brother, Derrell Saunders and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. Davis of Portales, N. M., is spending several days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Reeves and family.

Nearly the entire membership, both men and women, of the Baptist Church met Tuesday for a general clean-up before the meeting. The floors were oiled, screens fixed, woodwork polished, and the entire church washed and mopped. At noon the tired workers enjoyed a picnic lunch in the basement.

Center News

This cold weather reminds us we still live in West Texas where we can sweeter one day and freeze the next.

Quite a lot of planting is being done this week. Early maize, sudan, and forage crop and roasting ear patches.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wade came Thursday and spent till Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Glenn then all of them went fishing on the canyon and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Teague of Mt. Blanco.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk and family visited in the Cumbie home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Murff spent from Friday till Sunday night, with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Coltharp of Kress.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield entertained friends Sunday.

Mr. Anderson went to Plainview and Amarillo last week.

Mrs. Anderson visited Mrs. Montgomery one afternoon the past week. Sunday is our regular church day again.

Our Dramatic Club expects to present their play "The Rose of El Monte," at the home auditorium Thursday-night and at Liberty Friday night.

J. C. Dickey returned home Saturday from a visit of some three weeks in Oakland, California, where he had been the guest of relatives and taking medical treatments.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School lesson for Sunday, May 2. Abraham as the "Emigrant." Golden text—By Faith Abraham, when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheritance, obeyed.—Hebrews 11:8. Lesson text.—Genesis 12:1-9; 13:14-18.

Genesis 12:1-9—Now the LORD had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will show thee:

2 And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing:

3 And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee; and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.

4 So Abram departed, as the LORD had spoken unto him; and Lot went with him: and Abram was seventy and five years old when he departed out of Haran.

5 And Abram look Sarai his wife, and Lot his brother's son, and all their substance that they had gathered in Haran: and they went forth to go into the land of Canaan; and into the land of Canaan they came.

6 And Abram passed through the land unto the place of Sichem, unto the plain of Moreh. And the Canaanite was then in the land.

7 And the LORD appeared unto Abram, and said, Unto thy seed will I give this land: and there builded he an altar unto the LORD, who appeared unto him.

8 And he removed from thence unto a mountain on the east of Bethel, and pitched his tent, having Bethel on the west, and Hai on the east; and there he builded an altar unto the LORD, and called upon the name of the LORD.

9 And Abram journeyed, going on still toward the south. Genesis 13:14-18—

14 And the LORD said unto Abram, after that Lot was separated from him, Life up now thine eyes, and look from the place where thou art northward, and southward, and eastward, and westward:

15 For all the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed for ever.

16 And I will make thy seed as the dust of the earth: so that if a man can number the dust of the earth, then shall thy seed also be numbered.

17 Arise, walk through the land in the length of it and in the breadth of it; for I will give it unto thee.

18 Then Abram removed his tent, and came and dwelt in the plain of Mamre, which is in Hebron, and builded there an altar unto the LORD.

Time and Place—Abraham's first year in Canaan, B. C. 1928, when he was seventy-five years of age. Ur in southern Chaldea, Haran in Mesopotamia, Shechem in central Palestine, Bethel twenty miles south.

Lesson Comment Abraham is the typical emigrant. He is by no means the first emigrant, pushing out from his homeland into a far-off country. But he is typical because he sought to better his condition, with vision and with faith, and he reached out for something larger and finer.

He typifies also the aspect of em-

gration which has been so much an incentive in the movements of mankind; namely, his going forth because of religious convictions to seek an environment not only for better living, but also for a larger freedom of faith.

Can we read this story of Abraham, freeing our minds from all artificial and predetermining conceptions? Can we strive to see him as he was, a man of his own time, with some of the defects and shortcomings of his time and environment? By no means an ideal character, because the Bible, with its honest realism and impartiality, records against him grievous sins and deceptions, Abraham nevertheless was far more than a man of his own time, a man who had discovered a great truth concerning life and one so far ahead of his day that in some respects the world of today still lags behind him.

In such matters as war and peace, in fact, we have never attained to Abraham's simple philosophy or his noble practice. It is in this way that we discover the true meaning of these stories of the Old Testament, and receive the richest and highest lessons from them.

Abraham appears in our lesson as a man of destiny. But his destiny is not a matter of chance. If the story suggests that he is favored of the Almighty and that there are great blessings in store for him; and if there would seem to be in all this a certain partiality toward

Abraham as an individual, one hastens to point out that his coming greatness, and that of the nation that he would found, was not based upon any such narrow conception. Abraham was not only to be blessed, but he was to be a blessing. His destiny was one of responsibility as much as one of success and achievement.

The significant thing about Abraham is that we see in him and in his acts, despite his weaknesses and errors, the attitude of faith and the quality of living upon which human affairs can be built.

Nothing ever was established upon unbelief and negation. The men who have gone forth to enlarge the world's boundaries and experiences have always been men of a sort of faith. It might not be a deeply religious faith, but it was a faith sufficient to lead them in the quest of something yet unrealized.

One sees in Abraham a strongly developing sense of justice, and a feeling for human values in an age when the circumstances of life tended to involve men and groups of men and groups of men in strife as they sought pastures and watering places for their flocks.

Abraham perceived that there was

a nobler and better way than that of warfare. The remarkable thing is that he showed himself willing to pay the price of peace. When his herdsman and Lot's where in conflict, his plea was, "Let there be no strife. You go to the right hand and I'll go to the left, or you go to the left, and I shall go to the right."

It was a revelation of magnanimity such as later men and later generations have little imitated. We live in a world that has paid, and is paying, an enormous price for war. What a world we might have, if we had a measure of this ancient Abraham's willingness to pay the price of peace!

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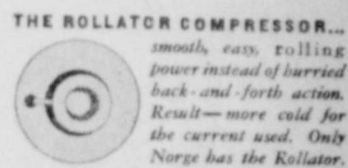
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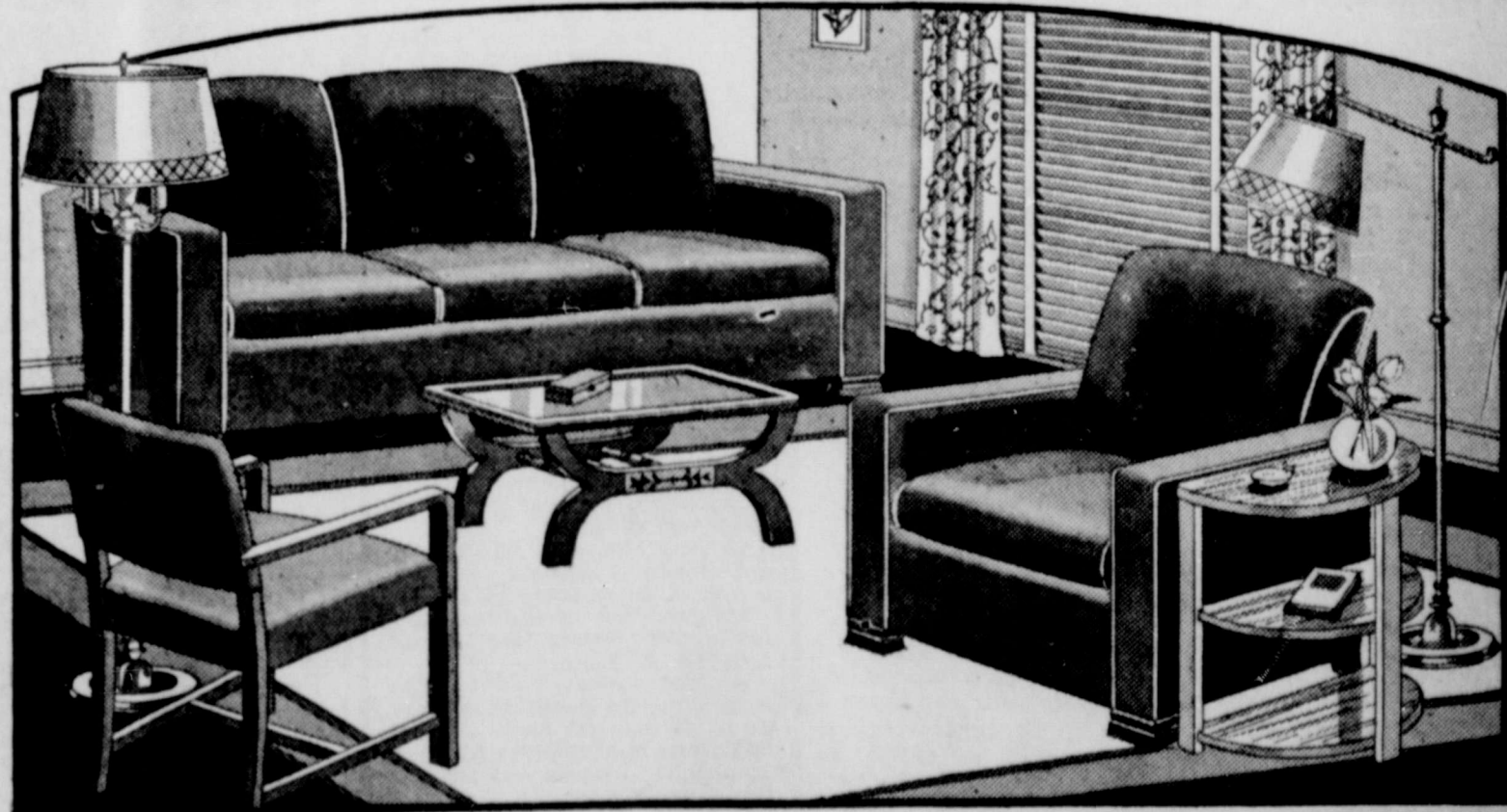


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Maddox In Campaign Of Cottonseed Culling Makes Quite A Record

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According to his record he has culled 19,275 bushels of cotton seed in a period of fifteen weeks. This is enough seed to load fifteen railroad cars with 1,286 bushels to the car, according to calculation—enough seed to plant 38,550 acres to cotton, allowing a half-bushel per acre.

Last year's cottonseed, many of them, were very poor. Mr. Maddox explained, on account of very unseasonable weather, and the need for culling out poor seed in order to get good stands has been quite apparent to most raisers. Special

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Lakeview Eaglet

Motto—When better students are taught, Lakeview will teach them. Editor in chief—Ara Sue Edwards Assistant Editors—Dorothy Hodges, Winnie Ruth Anderson, Junior Conway, Harold Dunn. Sports Editors—Lena Mae Nelson Virgil Kelly.

Krax at the Crowd

It seems that several students have gone on a sucker strike, why so we wonder? Who hit Mr. Cass on the head with the ball? Maybe Ara Sue can tell you about it. Who likes to ride in trucks? Not even Dorothy. Ona Ruth and Mary Bell seem to have a habit of riding in cars without lights.

Can Miss Newsome skate? Just ask Virgil. Why is Ara Sue so anxious to practice the play? Could it be some of the other characters? Mr. Coleman did you get stood up this week end? These girls don't come home all the time when they are supposed to. Ona Ruth surely did have a good back seat and Murillo a good time. What is this all about? Wonder why Marie is always singing "Boo Hoo"?

Sammie is always saying "If that was Friday" can anyone guess why? I think Dorothy might know. Virgil thinks Lena Mae can beat anyone climbing rocks. C. A. how is your popeye patch getting along? You may be a real gardner some day. Junior, you had better not try to ride any more calves. P. A. L. 42 Club The P. A. L. 42 Club met with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harrison Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cass and son, C. A. Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilkes; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith; Louis Wilkes and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. Harrison. Mr. Thomas was winner for the men and Mrs. Wilkes winner for the women. Those who are sick in our community at this time are D. H. Wideman, Mrs. Wayne Batty and Mrs. W. C. Wright. Bill Anderson is improved. School Picnic The school went to Silver Falls on our annual picnic Friday and spent the day skating. At noon, the lunch was enjoyed by everyone present. Those accompanying the students

Dougherty News

R. M. Bullock and son Clifford visited relatives at Memphis last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blankenship of McAllen, Texas have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Allmond. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brownlow, Mrs. U. E. Cook and Mrs. Raymond Holt left Saturday night for a business trip to Athens. Randolph McNeese and family spent Saturday in Sour. Mrs. John R. Mayo arrived Tuesday from Pasadena, California. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Campbell spent Sunday with relatives in Roaring Springs. Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee Mayhew of Amarillo spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kreis. Mrs. Mayhew remained for a two weeks visit with her parents. Raymond Holt spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. K. Holt at Sand Hill. J. R. Yearwood and family of Floydada were Sunday guests of W. M. Webb and family. H. C. Horton and family of Rogers, New Mexico, visited last week with Mrs. Horton's brother Randolph McNeese and family. R. M. Bullock was in Lubbock Saturday. J. M. Brownlow was a business visitor in Sweetwater Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Orland Howard and little daughter Dolores spent the week end with relatives in Oklahoma. O. G. Glassmoyer and family spent Sunday with the Dick Glassmoyers at Wake. Several from here attended the Dairy Show at Plainview last week. Mrs. J. H. Freeman is spending this week at Floydada with relatives. Harvey Jo Powell spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Cullen Bullock and Mr. Bullock of Hillcrest. O. G. Glassmoyer and family and Tate Jones and family were shopping in Lubbock Friday. The young people of the community were entertained with parties in the homes of H. N. Powell and W. H. Owens on Friday and Saturday nights of last week.

Local The closing day program of the two joining rooms, of Mrs. Ross and Miss Newsome, will be given Wednesday, May 12. The program is as follows: A Cinderella play and a Busy Day play by Mrs. Ross' room. Kim and Kiznie's Wedding by Miss Newsome's room. Mr. and Mrs. John Allen returned from Stephenville, Texas to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Conway. Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Brown, of Antelope spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Murphy and family. Those who took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McClure were Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Cage, and sons; Donald Hoyt and David Roy of Pansy; Mr. and Mrs. Conn McClure and daughter Connie of Wake Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Baker; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Poore and Ruby and Odessa Poore. J. H. Poore was called to the bedside of his mother Mrs. Margaret Poore of Craton, Texas, Monday. Mrs. Hugh Mann and smaller children returned home from Wingo, Texas where Mrs. Dunn was called to the bedside of her mother. They were gone a week. Her mother was better when she left. Mr. and Mrs. John Hambright and Margaret visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dickert Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Giles and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Smith. Mr. William Neff's mother who lives at Wake, is visiting with him and family for a week or more. Averages were made this week to determine the valedictorian and salutatorian of the seventh grade. The averages were made on the basis of the work done during the first seven months, and the average thus far on the eighth. Jimmy Smith had the highest average. Fred Lloyd the second highest average but he was closely followed by James Anderson. All three boys will be on the program which is to be held on Friday night, May 14. Birthday Dinner Mrs. E. H. Guffee honored Mrs. W. P. Neff, E. H. Guffee and Edsel Ford with a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Neff. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Neff and family of Wake; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Neff and daughter Virginia Ann of Fairview; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ford and family of McAdoo; Mrs. M. E. Neff of Wake; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barbee and family of McAdoo; Mr. and Mrs. Byron Dunnaway and daughter of McAdoo; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ella Neff; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Guffee of Oilton; James Boothe of Oilton; Adrian West, Ed Buehl, and Aubrey Neff; Osa Ruth Wright; Hasteen Neff; Mary Bell West; Wilma Neil, Lena and Rena Neff of Wake. Church News Rev. C. E. Roark filled his regular appointment here Sunday. Conference was held Sunday night and B. Y. P. U. was omitted. Good attendance at both services.

McCoy News Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cox and son O. L. spent Sunday with his sister Mrs. Thornton of Farmer. Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Payne had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Payne and daughter of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Payne of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Payne and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Blankenship and family of Allmond, visited in the W. H. Brock home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Curry and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. O'Neal had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Curtis O'Neal and Peggy Joan of Shamrock, Mrs. Roy Franklin and children of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Elton O'Neal. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Starks and family spent the week end with Mr. Starks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pittman and family. Mrs. J. W. Jackson spent from Thursday till Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Jackson of Lockney. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Griggs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCravy of Lakeview. Mrs. Robert Smith spent Friday and Saturday in Oilton visiting with relatives. Judge and Mrs. Ross Wideman, of Guthrie, were guests of his aunt, Mrs. W. T. Brown, and Mr. Brown, Sunday.

Half Minute Interviews

J. D. McBrien: "I hate to see Charles Newton leave. He's a first class man and a fine fellow." N. W. Williams: "I saw several old Floyd County boys while in California. We traveled down the ocean-side high-way from San Francisco to San Diego." Austin Heard: "Believe it or not, I saw a man sitting by the road side the other day eating a raw ribbit."

ATTEND CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Steen of this city were among the more than one hundred newspaper workers and their wives who attended the Panhandle Press Association's convention in Amarillo last Friday and Saturday. Miss Jeanne Suits of The Lockney Beacon also attended the convention and made one of the outstanding speeches of the annual convention. This association is one of the largest regional organizations of newspaper workers in this country. Amarillo was chosen as the 1938 meeting place and Albert Cooper of Shamrock was elected president to succeed J. C. Estlack of Clarendon.

SAND HILL CLUB MEETS

The Sand Hill Club met at the home of Mrs. Walter Craft last week with a large attendance. Each lady carried a covered dish and her pollyanna gift. The club meets with Mrs. Walter Knight with Mrs. Marvin Jeter as joint hostesses. The next week we meet at Mrs. A. R. Hannas home with Mrs. Hilary Shurbet as hostess. This will be our last quilting for a while.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their very liberal donation to us in our recent fire disaster, in which all our clothing, complete house furnishing, meat and lard went up in flames. We also want to thank each one who came to the church last Tuesday and worked so faithfully in quilting and making a number of garments to help replenish our wardrobe. Your kindness can never be forgotten. A number of things have been turned in to us that we do not even know the donor of but we thank you just the same and you are indeed our neighbor. May each of you be remembered in time of need as we have. Ben Dillard and wife. Mr. and Mrs. C. Wise and son and daughter, from Fort Worth, arrived last week to make this their home. Mr. Wise will succeed C. I. Reid as agent for the American National Life Insurance Company agency. C. I. Reid made a business trip to Lubbock Saturday.

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FLOYDADA COUPLE ATTEND FUNERAL OF VICTIM OF CAR ACCIDENT AT MEMPHIS

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Messer, of this city, spent Tuesday in Memphis, where they attended the funeral of Curtis Combest, 41, a WPA worker, who was killed Tuesday morning at a grade crossing of the Fort Worth & Denver Railway at Newlin, ten miles east of Memphis. Combest was riding a truck of which Rube Prater was the driver. Prater also was killed. Mr. Combest was a visitor in Floydada last month, a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Messer. Charlie A. Moore, former Floyd County boy, who visited in Canyon last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, spent Sunday and Monday here the guest of his former employer, N. A. Armstrong, and other friends. His home is now at Holdenville, Oklahoma. He is operating as an oil well contractor in that section. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Grundy and son, Billy Doyle, of Vega, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Grundy, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton, Sunday and accompanied his parents on a trip to Amarillo Sunday morning. Mrs. Grundy and little son visited with her parents until Wednesday. Marvin English, manager of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., and R. H. Willis made a business trip to Wichita Falls Saturday. Mrs. Willis accompanied them and spent the day with her sister, Mrs. E. F. Johnson, of Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Williams returned the latter part of last week from a vacation trip to California, in which state they traveled extensively while away. Mrs. William H. Nelson, of El Centro, California, is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Gullion, having arrived Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pennington

of Amarillo, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hilton, Sunday. Mr. Pennington returned to Amarillo Sunday afternoon and Mrs. Pennington remained for an indefinite visit. BORN—to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hancock, of Artesia, New Mexico, a girl, April 22. Mr. Hancock is a former resident of Floydada and a brother of Mrs. Arel Rainer, of this city. Mrs. A. B. Keim spent the week end at Tulla with relatives and friends. They were accompanied by Marjorie Oden, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conner Oden, who visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Avert. Mr. and Mrs. Clay Willis and daughter, Patricia Ann, of Amarillo, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Willis, Sunday. Miss Louise Conner spent the week end with Miss Lola May Grundy of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Hagen and son, Derral, of Clovis, New Mexico, were guests of his parents, Mrs. J. E. Swinson, and family, Thursday and Friday. R. H. Muir, of Amarillo, visited in Floydada Monday with his sister, Mrs. A. A. Beedy, and with his niece, Mrs. James Colville and family. Mrs. George Dickey returned home Friday from a two weeks visit with her nephew, O. D. Rader, and Mrs. Rader, of Crowell. Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Cardwell, of Sweetwater, were guests of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Gilliam, and Mr. Gilliam, Sunday and Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crow and Mr. and Mrs. Arel Rainer spent Sunday afternoon at Lubbock. Mrs. John Maxwell and Mrs. Henry Edwards visited in Amarillo Friday. Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Grundy visited friends at Matador Sunday afternoon.

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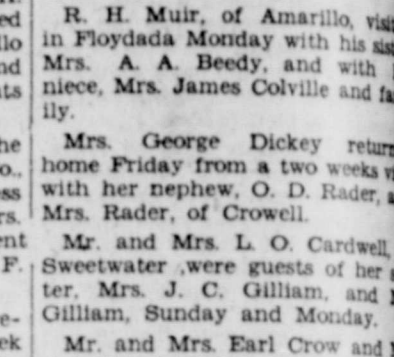
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Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cox and son O. L. spent Sunday with his sister Mrs. Thornton of Farmer. Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Payne had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Payne and daughter of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Payne of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Payne and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Blankenship and family of Allmond, visited in the W. H. Brock home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Curry and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. O'Neal had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Curtis O'Neal and Peggy Joan of Shamrock, Mrs. Roy Franklin and children of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Elton O'Neal. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Starks and family spent the week end with Mr. Starks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Pittman and family. Mrs. J. W. Jackson spent from Thursday till Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Jackson of Lockney. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Griggs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCravy of Lakeview. Mrs. Robert Smith spent Friday and Saturday in Oilton visiting with relatives. Judge and Mrs. Ross Wideman, of Guthrie, were guests of his aunt, Mrs. W. T. Brown, and Mr. Brown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deakins, of Snyder, spent the week end with their son, Jack Deakins, and family.

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ANSWERS TO OUR PUZZLE CORNER

Anna Gramm—Bookkeeper, sales-lady, manicure, stenographer, teacher, governess.
"Sandstorm" words—now, snow, storm, ow, room, won, or, torn, tow, most, worn, worm.
Chain Puzzle—Self explanatory.
M objects—Midget, monocle, man, moustache, mouth, masonry, metal, mongrel, musician, mountain, mountainside, moon, monoplane, material.

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OUR PUZZLE CORNER

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EMPLOYMENT OFFICE
OPENINGS
KEEP ROBE OK
YALE'S LADS
NICE ARM
HE SANG REPORT
ACT HERE
EVEN GROSS

CAN YOU MAKE AN ENDLESS CHAIN BY OPENING ONLY FOUR OF THE LINKS?

PIANIST
TO WHOM SHALL I PLAY?

CAN YOU GET 10 WORDS OUT OF THE WORD SNOWSTORM?

FIND TEN "M" OBJECTS...

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME

ONLY YESTERDAY

I RECHON I DON'T SMELL VERY SWEET MISS MENYON, ON ACCOUNT OF MY MA WANTS ME TO WEAR THIS SACK OF ASA-FETIDA SO I WONT GET SPRING COLDU.

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EAST BOUND
Leave Floydada at 11:35 P. M.; arrive Ft. Worth 9:30 A. M., Dallas at 9:30 A. M.
Leave Floydada at 2:35 P. M.; arrive Ft. Worth 11:05 P. M., Dallas at 12:05 A. M.
Leave Floydada at 9:05 A. M.; arrive Ft. Worth 5:30 P. M., Dallas 6:30 P. M.
Leave Floydada at 2:40 p. m.; arrive Childress 5:40 p. m.; Leave Childress 5 a. m.; arrive Floydada 8 a. m.

WEST BOUND
West Bound for Lubbock at 10:30 A. M.; 5:10 P. M.; 10:50 P. M.
West Bound for Plainview at 10:35 A. M.; 5:20 P. M. and 11:10 P. M. 5:20 P. M. Plainview bus goes through to Clovis, New Mexico.

Call, See or Write Floydada Station for any information.
LUCY CRUM, Agent

LITTLE BUDDY

By Bruce Stuart

GOOD AFTERNOON MRS. JONES I'M VERY PLEASED TO SEE YA!!

AND I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU TOO, BUDDY—WHAT CAN I DO FOR YOU?

PLEASE WILL YA LEND US YOUR SON'S FEET FROG FOR FOUR DAYS? YA SEE—

WE GOT RELATIVES COMIN' TO VISIT US AN' MAM THOUGHT IF WE HAD THE FROG—THEY WOULDN'T STAY TOO LONG!!

DASH DIXON

By Dean Carr

THE TWO GIANT BATS TURN OUT TO BE STONE!!

THESE ARE MADE OF STONE—SEE THERE'S A DOOR BETWEEN THEM—

— THIS DOOR MUST BE THE ENTRANCE TO THE LAND OF THE GIANT BAT—QUEER—THERE ARE NO GUARDS—

THE EYES OF THE GIANT BATS FLASH AS DASH TOUCHES THE DOOR—

THERE IS A ROAR AND A BLINDING FLASH—

CRASH

DETECTIVE RILEY

By Richard Lee

RILEY AND VIOLA ARRIVE AT THEIR HOTEL. A SHORT TIME LATER

WILL YOU COUNT ME IN WITH YOUR PLANS?

I'LL THINK IT OVER THEN LET YOU KNOW IN THE MORNING. GOOD NIGHT!

LATER, WHILE RILEY IS DEEPLY SLUMBERING A SHADY FIGURE IS RAPIDLY CUTTING A SMALL SQUARE OF GLASS FROM THE WINDOW

THE FIGURE FLICKS A TINY GLASS GLOBE THROUGH THE OPENING. IT STRIKES THE FLOOR AND BREAKS WITH A TINKLE. A THICK VAPOR SWIRLS FROM IT.

CAN THIS BE A BOLD ATTEMPT BY THE MANDARIN TO KILL THE FAMOUS DETECTIVE?

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BOY, THAT'S SOME CAR YOU HAVE THERE UNCLE!

YOU BET IT IS!

SUCH CARELESSNESS!

WHY YESTERDAY I HIT SEVENTY!

DID YOU HURT ANY OF 'EM?

Floydada Rotarians Attend Forty-First District Conference

J. Edd McLaughlin, of Ralls, Chosen District Governor at Childress Gathering This Week

A large delegation of Rotarians and Rotary Anns from Floydada attended the 41st District Rotary Conference at Childress Sunday, Monday and Tuesday and report that they were royally entertained.

J. Edd McLaughlin, of Ralls, was elected governor of the district to succeed Fred Wemple, of Midland. J. M. Willson made the principal address at the Tuesday morning session on the subject, "Leave the Wood Pile Higher than You Found It."

Rotary Anns were guests at a lovely luncheon Monday given in honor of Mrs. Wemple. Tables were arranged around a Rotary wheel made of sweet peas and the centerpieces of the tables were made of rainbows of tulle. Monday night a chicken barbecue was served at the Rotary wheel at the Park, followed by the conference ball at the City auditorium.

Among those who attended the convention were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Minor, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stovall, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Lon M. Davis, A. D. Cummings, Walter Travis, J. C. Wester, S. W. Ross and R. C. Wakefield. Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass had as their guest Mrs. A. J. Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Davis were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Irbly Carruth of Canyon.

WANTED—Clean, white rags at The Hesperian Office.

APPRECIATIVE PUPPY, BRAVE FIREMEN, MEET AT JUST RIGHT TIME

A little shepherd dog, sleeping in a storage house at D. I. Boldring's feed mill on East California Street was mighty glad to see such a lot of fine fellows come down and open the door for her Tuesday night about 9 o'clock. At least she must have been glad. Her tail wagged and she grinned from ear to ear.

The occasion was a fire that destroyed a few tow sacks and some trash in the corner of the warehouse, but otherwise did little damage. The blaze was extinguished with chemicals, but not until after it made a lot of smoke and must have been mighty uncomfortable for the little dog for several minutes.

How the warehouse caught fire and what the puppy was doing in there the firemen didn't know.

Widening Approach, Bridge At Crossing On Petersburg Road

Widening the approach on both sides to the bridge on the Petersburg Road across Blanco Canyon was started by workmen under the direction of Commissioner Roe McCleskey this week.

The bridge width will be increased by four feet, Mr. McCleskey said this week, and many yards of dirt moved in to make the approaches to it better grades and wider.

RAINER'S NEW LOCATION ON SOUTH SIDE; HOLMES HAS QUARTERS ON W. SIDE

Rainer Shoe Shop's new location is still on the south side of the square only three doors east of its former location, but Holmes Studio is taking quarters on West Side Square this week.

The changes were made necessary by the long-term lease taken on their former quarters by J. C. Penney Company, an amicable arrangement by which the latter company is enlarging its quarters and preparing for a more modern arrangement for merchandising.

SAND HILL NEWS

The South Side Singing Convention will meet in the Sand Hill auditorium Sunday, May 9, at ten a. m. for an all-day singing, according to the announcement made by Ed Holmes, president of the association.

Basket lunches will be served at the noon hour.

All singers and lovers of good singing are invited to attend.

Birthday Dinner Sunday

Mrs. W. M. Knight entertained a group of young girls with a birthday dinner at her home on Sunday, April 25. Four girls Misses Opal Knight, Viola Burton, Faye and Flora Jeter, were named as honored guests.

Those enjoying the occasion were the following girls: Nita Lue Craft, Grace Marie Graham, Willie Faye Hollingsworth, Erma Fulkerson, Glenna Holmes, Verda Frances Turner, Viola Burton, Opal Knight, Faye and Flora Burton.

Honored at Olton Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cates and children Woodrow, Johnnie, Kenneth, Anna, Clark, Miss Ina, Rae Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Walden, and daughter Pauline, all of Sand Hill, attended a birthday dinner Sunday, April 25, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cates, of Olton.

The dinner was given in honor of Sam and J. C. Cates on the occasion of their birthday. About forty guests were present.

Locals

Oliver, Hiram, Otis, and Ike Brock left Monday for Santa Maria, California, for an indefinite stay.

Misses Virginia and Jewel Yoa-kum spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Nance of Cone.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Guffee spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher of Cedar Hill.

Harmony News

Rev. Apple filled his appointment at the church Sunday.

Wheat is looking good in this part of the county. The rain was very much appreciated and we could use more.

We are having some cold weather as there was some ice reported Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Warren and little son Carlos Scott and Mrs.

Riley spent the day Sunday with Mr. Warren's brother Bud Warren of Floydada.

Lee Mayhew of Amarillo spent the week end in this community with his mother Mrs. E. B. Mayhew.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Burrows of Plainview spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Ramsey took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Chloma Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Harris visited

Mr. Harris parents in Lockney Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. deCordova is getting along nicely. She has come home from the hospital at Lubbock where she has been for treatment from an injury received two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Snell visited their daughter Mrs. Roy Hale and Mr. Hale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gary took Mrs. Gary's mother to Paducah Sunday afternoon where she caught the bus for her home in Quanah. She has been visiting the Garys for

several weeks.

Sam Hampton and family visited V. W. Hennessy and family Sunday.

The Missionary Society met at church Tuesday afternoon in mission study of Africa. This is a real interesting study and is being taught by Mrs. Ollie Apple.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hargis and sons visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pinker and family attended the Dairy Show at Plainview last week.

Specials

- Friday - Saturday
- MEXICAN Style Beans, per can, 5c
 - KC Baking Powder per can, 19c
 - 1/4 lb. Tea with glass special for Saturday, 25c
 - Fresh Tomato Plants, Cabbage Plants and Pepper Plants.
- BESTYETT
- Salad Dressing
 - 1/2 Pint, 12c
 - 1 Pint, 22c
 - 1 Quart, 33c
 - Market Specials
 - JOWLS, per lb., 15c
 - STEAK, per pound, 15c 20c 25c
 - ROAST, per pound, 12 1/2c to 17c

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Camporal Attendance Cut By Bad Weather

On account of a severe dust storm that raged Friday the attendance of the Boy Scouts for the Camporal, sponsored by the Floydada Lions Club, was cut considerably. Only two towns of the Northeast District of the South Plains Council Area were represented, Floydada and Matador, and not all of the members of their troops were present.

"The boys, 44 in number," said Edd Johnson, chairman of entertainment for the boys, "Camped on the vacant lots facing the City Hall, made ready for them and made the best of the situation. It was difficult to award the prizes to a certain troop because of the missing members so we divided the boys up as best we could and they engaged in two contests, the Camp Craft Project and the Inter-Patrol Project."

"The Matador boys and the Floydada boys tied in the two contests so they drew numbers to decide the winner and the Matador boys got the lucky number and received a troop flag. The two troops of Floydada, the Quails and the Eagles, the participating contestants, drawing second places, were each awarded a blue ribbon for the excellent work done in the Scout activities," said Mr. Johnson.

Others who assisted in entertaining the boys were Homer McDonald, W. M. Windsor, J. B. Bishop, E. L. Norman, Nat Henderson, O. M. Watson, Curtis Gilliam, Woody Guthrie.

Mrs. P. M. McDonald Funeral Held Friday

Funeral services held on Friday afternoon of last week at the West Side Church of Christ in Lockney for Mrs. P. M. McDonald, 71, was followed the same afternoon by interment in the Silverton Cemetery.

Mrs. McDonald succumbed to an illness of more than a month at her home. The funeral was conducted by Leland H. Knight.

Mrs. McDonald had been a resident of the county for thirty years or more. Her husband, one son, Wilson McDonald, of Melissa, Texas, and two daughters, survive. The daughters are Mrs. Ellie Gentry of Lubbock, and Mrs. Nora Gentry, of Lockney.

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- CATSUP, 16 oz. Each, 9c
- RAISINS, 2 pound package, 15c
- COFFEE, good grade 2 lb., 25c
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- COCONUT, 1 pound, 18c
- SALT, free running, 10c Box, 5c
- MINCE MEAT, 3 Packages, 25c
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