

The WOMAN'S Page

Series Of Showers Dot Week's Social Calendar

Affairs For June Brides-Elect Honor Two RCA Teachers

Maudie Meredith Is Shower Honoree Tuesday Evening

Nineteen hostesses entertained with an elaborate reception and shower Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. G. N. Shirey...

Mrs. Roe McCleskey Is Honored With Farewell Shower

Mrs. Roe McCleskey was honored with a farewell party and shower at the home of Mrs. Mal Jarboe last Wednesday evening...

Social Calendar

FRIDAY Friendship bridge club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Walton Hale May 24 instead of the regular meeting date. SATURDAY The Floyd County chorus will meet at 3 p. m. Saturday at the First Christian church annex. THURSDAY 1929 Study club will gather Thursday May 23 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBrien for a hayride...

Bernice Dallinger Is Honoree Monday At Polk Goen Home

Miss Bernice Dallinger of Plainview, teacher at Andrews Ward school for the past two years, was honored Monday evening with a shower and announcement party at the Polk Goen home...

Upon going into the crystal which was arranged in an attractive setting at the entrance the secret was revealed, "Bernice - Leslie, June 2."

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YWA Entertains At Mother-Daughter Banquet Monday

Members of the YWA of the Baptist church entertained their mothers at a Mother-Daughter banquet at the church last Monday evening.

Members and their guests attending were Lyndell Mae Glynn and Mrs. R. L. Glynn; Donnie Beth Nichols and Mrs. B. Nichols; Irene Daily and Mrs. Fred Daily, Alene Warren and Mrs. J. L. Warren, Estelene and Modene Hartsell and Mrs. A. J. Hartsell, Betty Newell and Mrs. W. D. Newell, Leona Peck and Mrs. Morgan Wright, Dorothy Nell Swinson, Mrs. J. B. Houston, Mrs. L. W. Chapman, Edith Shirey and Mrs. G. N. Shirey, Mrs. R. S. Wilkerson, Irene Gilbreath, Mary Frances McRoberts, Martha Yearwood, Francis Field and Margaret Tubbs.

Maledon Lieder, Anna Beth Edwards Wed

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Husbands Of South Plains H. D. Club Women Entertained

SOUTH PLAINS, May 13 — Members of the South Plains Home Demonstration club entertained their husbands with a buffet supper and "42" party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Davenport Friday evening, May 10.

1934 Club Dismissed For Summer Months

The 1934 Study club met in their last meeting of the year with Miss Fannie Mae Ball and Nancy Hadfield, hostesses. They entertained with a supper in the backyard of Mrs. Geo. V. Smith's home, Tuesday evening at 8:45 o'clock.

Thursday Evening Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. Stewart

Mrs. Aubrey Stewart was hostess to the Thursday Evening Bridge club at her home last Thursday night.

Mrs. J. H. Exum Is Birthday Honoree

A surprise ice cream supper was given Tuesday evening, May 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Exum on the occasion of Mrs. Exum's 48th birthday. Gifts were presented to the honoree.

County Chorus Will Meet Saturday For Practice

The Floyd County Home Demonstration chorus will meet in a regular meeting May 18 at 3 p. m. o'clock at the annex of the First Christian church.

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At a meeting of the chorus May 4, only 18 members were present. Was your club represented?

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CARD OF APPRECIATION

We deeply appreciate the kindness of friends who lend their sympathy and aid during the illness and death of Mack Parker. Mrs. D. D. Shipley. Mr. and Mrs. John Shipley. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shipley. Mr. and Mrs. Mac Shipley. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Curry. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Pullington. H. L. Haines.

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Brother Tax-Takers Attend Convention Together At Angelo

Texas' only brother act in tax assessor-collector circles put in its appearance at the state association's annual convention here today.

Hollis B. Moore, 37, of Henrietta, in North Texas, and Frank L. Moore, 40, of Floydada, on the Plains, were among second day registrants.

The younger of the two is serving his first term as Clay county assessor-collector. Frank Moore is conducting his fourth in Floyd county. Last election he won over two opponents in the first primary.

Hollis Moore was a registered druggist before entering politics. He served three terms as district clerk there.—San Angelo Times.

Too Late To Classify

FOR RENT—2 bedrooms. Telephone 142P

1940 P & G-Servel Electroflux Contest Will Open On May 20

Three hundred and sixty households throughout the United States and Canada will be awarded new deluxe Duchess model Servel Electroflux refrigerators in this year's Servel Electroflux and G Soap contest, it was announced yesterday by R. F. Forester manager for C. H. Elliott & Company. Cash prizes amounting to \$21,000 will also be awarded.

The contest will be conducted from May 20 to June 30 on a weekly basis. Sixty refrigerators and \$3,500 will be awarded each week during the six-week period.

"We are happy to announce that we are going to participate in this year's Servel-P and G contest which has proved so popular among households throughout the country," Mr. Forester stated. "This is the third year the contest has been jointly sponsored by the manufacturers of these two well-known products.

"The enthusiastic reception of this competition by housewives for the past two years has demonstrated that the need of scientific household refrigeration is being recognized everywhere.

SCOUTS NEED JOBS

Boy Scouts need jobs. Scoutmaster Dave Fogerson of Troop 64 reports that 15 members of his troop plan to attend summer camp in June, and need work in order to make part of their camp fees.

Any person having odd jobs which may be done should contact the scoutmaster. The Boy Scout camp will be from June 9 to 16.

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"There is a marked increase in the number of 100 per cent boxes and also in the general appearance of nearly all boxes," Mrs. Smith said. "Many mail boxes are perfect with the exception of the support, which, in these instances, is not painted. The number of 100 per cent boxes would be doubled if each patron on the highways would put his name in his box."

The roads on all routes are in excellent condition, for which route carriers and the postmaster are due thanks to the commission and their maintenance crews.

Hesperian Ads Pay

Inspection Gives Rt 5 High Place

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Route Five Leads

This year rural route No. 5 Carrier G. N. Shirey, merit praise for having a larger number of 100% boxes than any other Floydada rural route. The patrons receiving the highest ratings on their boxes are J. Smith, Rural Route No. 1; H. J. Nelson, Rural Route No. 2; J. H. Farmer, Rural Route No. 3; T. J. Michael, Rural Route No. 4; Jim Rezinck, Rural Route No. 5.

The boxes of the following patrons rated 100%: E. W. Moore, Elbert Parks, T. C. Westfall, Wayne Battey, Mrs. B. C. Willis, T. L. Merriott, Claude Patton, D. M. West, T. R. Elder, H. A. Powell, Mrs. Verna McSwain, W. C. Whittle, Charlie Wright, Tilford Taylor, R. F. Hall, Holt Bishop;

J. H. Newberry, C. Alexander, Grady Maon, J. A. Britton, W. J. Ross, F. L. Hickerson, Greer Christian, J. V. Turner, J. R. Gray, G. W. Switzer, A. B. Forehand, J. T. Carter, J. K. Holmes, Mrs. E. W. Holmes, J. J. Smith, D. E. Welborn, Loren Leibfried, E. W. Lightfoot, C. M. Meredith, N. R. Austin, E. Meek, Mrs. W. A. Huckabee, C. W. Burton, Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Benton Richey; Bob Carter, F. C. Irwin, W. E. Neill, J. A. Jameson, W. H. Bethel, R. L. Hawks, J. W. Lyles, Carl Smith, M. C. Fuqua, W. L. Craft, Mal Jarboe, J. H. Farmer, Roy N. Tyler, N. B. Pace, W. E. Miller, A. J. Womack, D. S. Battey, D. J. Parkey, H. S. Hale, C. O. Spence, F. B. Trowbridge, Walter Hanna, Zant Scott, M. D. Ramsey, W. F. Finkner, C. T. Warren, W. H. Jenkins;

Oren Gross, Marvin Shurbet, Tom Warren, Frank Probasco, Stringer Farms, T. J. Michael, F. B. Sstep, Mrs. Lizzie Kreis, George Stiles, A. H. Kreis, Tom Emert, W. G. Caruthers, Mrs. F. T. Emert, J. R. Hinton, Jim Morrison, J. A. Hatley, S. M. Crawford, W. S. Poole, C. L. Bradford, W. M. Hambricht, T. J. Cardinal, Jim Rezinck, Alfred Ray, J. F. Roberts, J. M. Keith, J. J. Thomas, R. H. Willis, G. M. Woolsey

Welborn Captures Titles In Meadow Lake Golf Tourney

Jeff Welborn established himself at Meadowlake club champion this week, topping Bill Scott in the finals of the championship flight of the Meadowlake tournament.

Welborn had advanced over Odell (Snag) Winter in a quarter final match and drew a bye through the semi-finals. Scott swept into the finals by defeating Lindsey Graham in the quarter-final round and eliminating John E. Smith in the semi-final.

Winners in the first flight were still undecided Wednesday. Orville Harris was securely established as one of the finalists, having eliminated Curly Wilkerson and Taylor Leach on the way up. Burl Holt and Billie Brown are in the semi-finals together, the winner to meet Harris. Holt defeated Curtis Gilliam, Brown eliminating Marion Carpenter, in second round matches.

The Rainer brothers came through with a championship aplode, Elvin dropping Togo Thomas in the second-flight finals while Levon was taking out Truman Fuqua in the third flight wind-up.

Elvin Rainer had advanced to the second flight finals with a win over Dale Strickland, Thomas having dropped Aubrey Stewart in the semi-finals.

Play in the consolation brackets was still underway this week, with no winners yet decided, according to Curtis Gilliam, secretary of the Meadowlake club.

SOUTH SIDE SINGERS TO MEET SUNDAY IN ALL-DAY MEET AT CEDAR

An all-day singing is scheduled to be held Sunday at Cedar Hill with a basket lunch served at noon. This is a regular meeting of the South Side convention with Paye Hart chairman.

All who will be invited to bring lunch and enjoy the day, is the invitation from Earl Rainer.

Miss Fannie Mae Bail Spent the Week-end in Lubbock

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- CARROTS, Large Bunch. **1c**
- SQUASH, White or Yellow, lb. **3 1/2c**
- Green Beans, Krisp & Fresh, lb. **5c**
- Apples, Winesaps, Med. Size, Doz. **15c**
- NEW POTATOES No. 1 Quality, Pound, **3 1/2c**
- FRESH PINEAPPLE Large Size, Each, **19c**
- FRESH Strawberries
- Cucumbers
- Okra
- Bell Peppers
- Vine Ripened Tomatoes

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IDAHO, U. S. No. 1's **10 lbs 24c**

TOMATOES

No 2 Can **6c**

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LIPTON TEA ORANGE PEKOE AND PEKOE

- 4 WITH 1 LB. **85c**
- 2 WITH 1/2 LB. **43c**
- 1 WITH 1/4 LB. **23c**

Snow Drift

3 lb Can **45c**

MIRACLE WHIP Salad Dressing, QUART, 27c

- SHOE POLISH, **8c**
- JET-OIL, Any Color, Bottle, **8c**
- KLEENEX, **25c**
- LARGE BOX, **25c**
- TUNA, **25c**
- CORTEZ, 2 CANS, **25c**
- Fruit Cocktail, Libby's No. 1 Tall Can, 2 For. **25c**
- SPRUP, KOO KOO, 1/2 GALLON, **23c**
- Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 CANS FOR. **20c**
- Shredded WHEAT, NATIONAL, BOX, **10c**
- Pineapple Juice, Libby's, 46 oz. Can, **25c**
- MILK, SWEET or SOUR, Quart, **4c**
- PEARS, Libby's No. 2 1/2 Can, EACH, **19c**
- GRAPE NUTS, BOX — EACH, **14c**
- CORN, Libby's Whole K. No. 2 Squat Can, **10c**
- COMPOUND, SCOCO, 4 lb. CARTON, **39c**
- EXTRACT, 8 oz. VANILLA, WORTH'S, **7 1/2c**
- BEANS, COLORADO PINTO, 5 Lbs., **25c**
- Grapefruit Juice, 46 oz **12 1/2c**

PEACHES Rose Dale No. 2 1/2 Can, In Heavy Syrup, Ea., 12 1/2c

HIGH QUALITY MEATS Steak lb 20c

- CHEESE** Full Cream POUND, **15c**
- PICNIC HAMS, 1/2 or WHOLE, POUND, **16c**
- PORK ROAST, CHOICE CUTS, POUND, **13c**
- BACON, SLICED, POUND, **15c**
- FRESH FISH DRESSED CHICKENS
- SAUSAGE, PURE PORK, POUND, **12 1/2c**
- BOLOGNA, FRESH SLICED, POUND, **12c**
- BEEF ROAST, CHOICE CUTS, POUND, **18c**
- LARD, 100% PURE, POUND, **8c**

Salmon King Bird Pink, No. 1 Tall Can, 14c

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Sally Lea* FROCKS **98c**

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*Fabric shrinkage will not exceed 1%

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Men's SLACKS Ray on and cotton blends — all are Sanforized*! **\$1.49**

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Lavish Priscilla CURTAINS Summery pindot marquisette. Full, 5 in. ruffles. **98c**

Flower Print Handkerchiefs Pretty bouquets to peek out of pockets! Beauties for a nickle! **5c**

SMARTALLS* Built-up front — button back. Sturdy. Girls, 4 to 16 **49c**

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GARDEN CLUB TO MEET WITH MRS. W. KIMBLE

The Floydada Garden club will meet Friday, May 24 at 9:30 at the home of Mrs. Wilson Kimble for a study on "The Hollyhock." The program will be directed by Mrs. E. L. Angus. She will discuss "Hollyhocks for Beauty Sake."

Mrs. Ray Barnard will discuss "The Hibiscus." Mrs. Lon Davis will discuss the country cousin, "Cotton."

The last meeting was held with Mrs. J. M. Gambin Friday, May 11, when a musical program was presented by Misses Sappho and Joy Ward, and Miss Maudie Hart. The program was followed by a social hour.

At the May 24 meeting the roll call will be answered by "Word pictures of the Hollyhocks I have seen."

Save steps. Use want ads. **Hesperian Ads Pay**

Pioneers Plan—

(Continued from page one) combination of colors for their bonnets.

Honoring the pioneers and their fiftieth anniversary the Light Crust Doughboys of Fort Worth will spend the day here and join in entertaining the crowds. A loud speaker will carry the music, speeches and other features of the formal program all over the assembly.

Officials of the rodeo association, careful planning their program so as not to interfere with the proceedings of the old settlers will hold the only matinee performance of four to be given, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the high school grounds.

Center Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. J. E. Green Monday afternoon.

Carbon paper, typewriter ribbons, Hesperian Publishing Co.

Healthy Conditions In County Affairs Says Audit Report

Leslie Surginer Awarded Contract For 1940 Audit Of Records

A healthy condition of affairs prevails in Floyd county's fiscal matters, W. H. Rankin, Houston auditor, said in his report covering the 1939 audit of the county filed with County Clerk A. B. Clark Tuesday.

"The financial condition of Floyd county is exceptionally good, in our opinion," said the report. "Its affairs generally have been administered in an economical and business-like manner."

All officials' books that were audited were shown to be in good shape and are indicated as checking out correctly.

Indebtedness of the county, represented by outstanding bonds and warrants is indicated in the report at a total of \$148,300. Of this amount \$12,800 is bonded debt and \$35,500 is represented by warrants. During the year 1939 the county retired \$10,320 worth of its debts.

Only one office in the county earned an amount in excess of the statutory limit and turned a balance in to the county treasury. This office was that of the assessor-collector, where Frank L. Moore turned in \$5,015.59 excess fees.

L. Surginer To Audit

Leslie Surginer, of Houston, former resident of Floyd county, for the past eight years an employee in the accounting department of the Federal Land bank, will audit the Floyd county books for the year 1940, according to an entry made in the court's minutes Tuesday. Surginer was given license as a certified public accountant early last year by the Texas State Board. He succeeded the Rankin Audit company on the job after that firm had audited the county's affairs for more than a decade.

FLOYDADA HOSPITAL & CLINIC PLEASED WITH OPEN HOUSE

Floydada Hospital and Clinic attendants were well pleased with the attendance at the hospital Sunday. The day, designated as National Hospital day, was celebrated by open house at the hospital.

Many visitors called throughout the day, George McAllister, business manager said, most of whom were people who had not been to the hospital before.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Wilma Lee Dyer is showing some improvement. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyer.

Clarence Whitley is showing some improvement.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crawford, May 9 and has been named Cheryl Ann.

Audene Finley daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Finley of Allied, Texas had tonsil operation Wednesday, May 15.

LIONS CLUB MAKES BOW TO WOMEN OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH AT LAST MEETING

Appreciation for the loyal service, good food and unfailing courtesy was expressed in a standing vote amid applause by the Floydada Lions club to the women of the First Christian church who Tuesday served their last meal to the club's meeting at Fellowship hall. At their next home meeting the club will meet in the basement of the First Methodist church. J. C. Gilliam briefly expressed the thoughts of the club in appreciation to the woman's auxiliary of the First Christian church.

A Mothers' day program was rendered with Rev. J. B. McReynolds cast in the role of paying tribute to motherhood. Mrs. G. E. Bond, with Mrs. Clement McDonald at the piano, sang two songs. "Mothers day fills a real need in our American life," said Rev. McReynolds.

R. L. Snodgrass, chairman of the rodeo committee, reported on plans for the booster trips to neighboring cities and towns, including Matador over the week-end. Ed Johnson reported on the Midland district 2-T convention and John Stapleton told the club of plans for the WPA open house next week in Floydada and Lockney. A report from the nominating committee will be acted upon at the next home meeting of the club on June 4. Next week the club travels in a body to Matador for their regular meeting.

John Hamilton, district attorney, of Matador, was a visitor at the meeting.

FARM WAR PROSPERITY LIKELY TO BE FALSE

No doubt a long war in Europe would have its effect in this country on such things as land values, credit, foreign trade, and general business conditions, Dr. C. W. Warburton, Director of the Extension Service of the United States Department of Agriculture, said in a message to extension workers throughout the country. Though such a war might bring temporary relief for some surplus problems, it is very likely in the long run, to aggravate farm problems.

It would, therefore, seem the part of wisdom, he said, for farmers to inrench themselves for whatever conditions may come, rather than to overinvest in production for uncertain future demand in the face of present ample supplies and prices that are still below parity.

"To that end extension workers in every county year do much to advise farm people and to furnish them the facts about the situation which they need in making their decisions," Doctor Warburton pointed out. "County agents are now at work in all counties of agricultural importance. County home demonstration agents are employed in nearly two-thirds of the counties and many counties have assistant county and home demonstration agents."

The men agents have an average of 8 years' experience in extension work and 6 years in the county in which they now work. The women agents have been in extension work an average of 5 years and in their present counties an average of 4 years.

These agents have organized and are working with committees of local farm people in practically every county, and

8 Floydada Music Pupils On Honor Roll At Wichita

Eight pupils of Mrs. O. W. Kirk of Floydada were listed among the winners in the 1940 National Piano Playing auditions at Wichita Falls on May 5, 6 and 7.

The students were sponsored by the Floydada chapter of the National Guild of Piano teachers. The auditions were held at Hardin junior college in Wichita Falls, and 205 piano students participated.

Judging the auditions was Guy Allen, eminent pianist and president of the Birmingham Conservatory of Music of New York City.

Floydada students were Kenneth Shaw, elementary A, with a grade of excellent on 15 compositions; Patricia Gail Kirk, elementary A, with a grade of excellent on 14 compositions; Lovene Jones, elementary A, with a grade of excellent on 12 compositions; Devina Glassmoyer, elementary A, with a grade of excellent on 12 compositions; Arla Vee Bishop, elementary B, with a grade of excellent on 15 compositions; Wilma Lois Russell, elementary B, with a grade of excellent plus on 12 compositions; Mary Lee Thacker, intermediate A, with a grade of good plus on 12 compositions; Mary Helen Mickey, intermediate B, with a grade of superior plus on 15 compositions; Each pupil was graded superior on all scales and Bach.

To achieve the National Honor Roll ranking, each student had to receive an 85 percent grade (good plus or above) upon playing a complete or 70 percent memorized compositions on his program. Each of the local pupils entered received honor roll recognition.

Making the trip with Mrs. Kirk and her pupils were Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Jones, Miss Louise Wyatt and Mesdames O. G. Glassmoyer, Tate Jones, and Arlan Howard.

Irick Schools Are Closed Friday With Dinner On Grounds

IRICK, May 14. — Irick schools closed on Friday, May 10, with a program and dinner on the grounds Friday. Seniors receiving diplomas were Mildred Shears, valedictorian, and Joyce Bennett.

Seventh grade graduates were A. J. Felty, valedictorian; and Marvin Graham, Ella Beth Pemberton and Marshall Langford.

Revival Starts
A revival meeting started at Irick last Sunday night. The meeting is conducted by Rev. O. B. Herring, pastor of the First Methodist church of Lockney, and will continue through this week, closing Sunday night, May 19. Everyone is invited to attend.

Locals
Mr. and Mrs. Pat Caldwell and sons, Kenneth and Marshall Dale, Mrs. Jessie Wilson and Mrs. Caldwell.

well left Friday for Fort Worth to visit relatives and friends. They will be gone a week.

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102 Seniors to Receive Diplomas Friday Night



Senior Class Officers — Leading the graduating class during the current school year have been George Fry Lider (left), president of the class; Leilafaye Hicks (center), vice-president; and Lovelle Ginn (right) secretary-treasurer.

Huge Crowds Hears O'Brien Address Graduates Sunday

Baccalaureate Services Are Held Before Record Crowd At Wester Field

A crowd estimated at more than 1500 persons overflowed the stadium at Wester Field Sunday night as Rev. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church of Stamford and former Floydada pastor, delivered the Baccalaureate address before the largest graduating class in the history of Floydada High school. One hundred and two seniors in cap and gown formed an impressive spectacle as they marched to their places under the lights on Wester Field before the largest crowd ever assembled for graduation exercises in Floydada.

All available space in the stadium was filled long before the services began, and several hundred persons found standing room only around the edges of the field.

Rev. O'Brien addressed the class on the subject, "A Program of Progress," taking as his text the words of the Apostle Paul, "...forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forth unto those things which are before..." from the epistle to Philippians, third chapter and 13th verse.

Words of the speaker were broadcast over a public address system to the audience.

Services were opened with the processional, played by Nelda Fagan, as the members of the class filed to their places. Rev. J. B. Reynolds, pastor of the First Methodist church of Floydada, delivered the invocation.

The audience joined in singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," led by Rev. W. M. Culwell; and two numbers, "Prayer from Haensel and Gretel" and "The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise" were sung by the high school glee club under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Caldwell.

Following the address by Rev. O'Brien, Rev. Culwell led the audience in another hymn, "Jesus Savior Pilot Me" and Rev. Vernon Shaw, pastor of the First Baptist church of Floydada delivered the benediction.

Rev. O'Brien held his audience spell-bound during his brief address. "Do not feel that the successes of yesterday will suffice for the trials of tomorrow," he told members of the graduating class, urging them to "forget both failure and success of the past and concentrate on today."

"Let us live for today with our faces toward the future," he urged in concluding his talk.

The speaker outlined a five-point "program of progress": first: unsatisfaction with present successes; second: concentration of effort; third: a forgotten yesterday; fourth: a promising tomorrow; and fifth: aggressive living.

The Baccalaureate services Sunday night inaugurated a week of commencement activities for the class which will be climaxed with graduation exercises and the awarding of diplomas at Wester Field Friday night.

Successful Fight Waged for Parity Income to Farms

Washington, May 13—Gratification over the successful fight, in which he had joined with Marvin Jones and others from agricultural areas seeking parity payments for farmers, was expressed by Congressman George Mahon last week as the House of Representatives approved an item in the Agricultural Appropriation bill providing \$212,000,000 for these payments.

Continuing the fight begun when the bill was considered earlier this Session, Mahon again made a plea to the House to accept a conference committee report including the \$212,000,000 parity payment item, which had originally been omitted by the House but approved by the Senate and again brought before the House by the conference committee report.

Although final vote on the entire bill had not been taken at the time this story was written, Mahon said that the favorable vote on the parity payment item insured its being included in the bill and that final passage was assured.

The farmers' disproportionate share of the national income, his need for an offset to the advantages held by industry through the tariff, and equal recognition of his problems with the problems of labor for whom minimum wage and hour laws have been enacted were cited by Mahon as justifying an appropriation by Congress for parity payments.

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Andrews Ward 7th Grade Graduation Exercise Tonight

Twenty-Five S. C. District Formed Over Plains Area

Amarillo, Texas, May 14.—Farmers of the Southern Great Plains have organized 25 soil conservation districts embracing a combined area of 8,965,000 acres. H. H. Fennell, regional conservator of the Soil Conservation Service, announced today.

The service is cooperating with technically trained men to assist farmers in taking conservation materials and equipment where available, aims well as available CCC camp labor under supervision of the Service. Similar assistance to other districts will be provided if requested, Fennell said.

In the whole of the country 29 states have organized 246 districts with a combined area of 136 million acres, and the Service is cooperating with 182. It was reported on May 1.

Commenting upon the fact that thousands of Great Plains farmers now are cooperating in the districts program, Fennell said: "Farmers are taking a more active role than ever before in the conservation of their soil, because they know that profitable agriculture cannot be carried out if erosion is allowed to take its toll of soil resources."

"Erosion control," he continued, "requires the cooperation of groups of land users." Farmers are meeting the challenge of soil erosion through the soil conservation districts. Theirs is the democratic approach to wise land use, for districts are organized by farmers through popular election and supervised by farmers for the common good of all. Assistance of federal, state and local conservation agencies is given only upon request of the district.

Light Crust Doughboys Will Visit Floydada For Pioneers Re-Union

The Light Crust Doughboys, popular radio entertainers, will spend the day of May 28 in Floydada and will help entertain the crowd here during that day, it was announced last week through the Chamber of Commerce.

Claude Henderson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, said the musical organization would spend the nights of May 27 and 28 here and would be in town all day May 28.

F. C. Harmon, Jr., of Dallas spent Mother's day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Harmon.



Honor Students — LaVerne Russell (left) is valedictorian of the graduating class with an average grade of 95.5, a fraction higher than Robert Colville (right), who is salutatorian with an average of 95.2.

La Verne Russell Is Class Valedictorian And Robert Colville Is Salutatorian

Selection of honor students for the graduating class of 1940 was a task for mathematicians when the two top-ranking students turned in four-year grade averages so nearly alike that an excursion into multiple-fractions was necessary to complete the ranking.

La Verne Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Russell, is valedictorian with an average grade for her four years of high school above 95.

Robert Colville, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Colville, will be salutatorian, ranking a bare fraction of a point behind La Verne with an average also above the 95 mark.

The final break-down of grade points gave La Verne an average grade of 95 and 390-600ths as compared to 95 and 129-600ths for the second ranking student.

Both students will appear on the commencement program Friday evening, and both will be awarded a choice of scholarships to various Texas colleges and universities. Awards will be presented by Superintendent Walter Travis at the close of the commencement exercises.

Chapman Shorthorn Brings Top Price At Plainview Show

Defenders Model, a seven-month-old bull showed by Alton B. Chapman of Floydada at the Plainview Dairy Show last week sold for \$200 at the judging ring, topping sales of bulls of all ages for the show.

The shorthorn bull brought a price \$7.50 higher than any other bull of any age or class shown at the ring last week.

Chapman also showed a prize-winning heifer which sold for \$167.50.

Commencement to Be Friday Night At Wester Field

Students Will Be In Charge Of Program At First Open-Air Exercises

One hundred and two seniors, comprising the largest graduating class in Floydada High school history, will receive their diplomas Friday evening when commencement exercises are held at Wester Field beginning at 8 o'clock.

The class sets a new precedent in holding the graduation exercises out-of-doors for the first time in history. Plans for the out-door commencement were made this year in order to accommodate the large crowd of parents and friends who are expected to attend the exercises. In event of bad weather Friday evening, the graduation exercises will be held in the high school auditorium.

The entire commencement program has been planned and will be presented by members of the graduating class and their teachers, with the assistance of Nelda Fagan, pianist.

Theme of the program is "Building a Life." The processional will be played by Nelda Fagan, and Gordon G. Voight, minister of the First Christian church, will deliver the invocation.

"Planning for Citizenship" will be the subject of the salutatory address by Robert Colville.

A saxophone quartet composed of seniors, Francis Jo Terrell, Jane Clark, Lanelle Harmon, and Lula Lee Teal will play, and Maureen Hart will play a piano solo.

A vocal solo by Irene Daily features the program, with a reading, "Manbuilding" by Mary Frances McRoberts. Billy Brown, senior member of the Whirlwind band, will play a clarinet solo.

The valedictory address will be made by La Verne Russell on "Planning a Life."

Awards to the graduates will be made by O. K. Davis, principal of the high school.

George Fry Lider, president of the graduating class, will present the senior gift to the school.

Presentation of diplomas to the graduates will be made by Superintendent Walter Travis, and will be followed by the school song sung by members of the graduating class in chorus.

The processional will be played by Nelda Fagan.

Matador Boosters Visit in Floydada Ahead Of Schedule

Matador Boosters, advertising Matador's second annual Round-up and Rodeo which will be held Friday and Saturday, May 17 and 18, visited Floydada ahead of schedule Thursday afternoon, staging a 30-minute dance and program on the square.

Twenty-five cars and more than 100 people, all in colorful western costumes, were traveling with the motorcade.

The boosters had made a big swing through the country, visiting Paducah, Childress, Estelline, Memphis, Turkey, Quitaque and Silverton before arriving in Floydada late Thursday afternoon, and left here for a swing into Plainview before returning home.

Another booster trip was planned for Friday, and on the original schedule Floydada was listed for a visit on Friday morning. A change in plans brought the boosters here a day ahead of schedule, however.

A large crowd gathered at the square to hear the concert and look on at the dance. Traveling with the caravan was an old-time fiddle band. Heading the band was Riley Rigby of Matador.

Rubber bands, coin wrappers, Hesperian.

Thumbnail Sketches of Graduating Class Members Reveal Interesting Personalities

(EDITOR'S NOTE: — Meet the Graduates of 1940! As a special graduation feature the editors of The Hesperian and the editors of the Hesperette have prepared brief sketches of the high school careers of each member of the graduating class. These brief biographies will be found throughout this section of the Hesperian, dedicated to the seniors of 1940.)

Mary Frances McRoberts: Daughter of Mrs. S. G. McRoberts. Editor of the Hesperette, president of the Girls Social Club, member of the Press Club, member of the Glee Club.

and Home Economics Club during the past two years, member of the Speech Club, member of the Spanish Club during her freshman and sophomore years; a four year member of the high school band and Glee club and one of a charming high school quartette. Hobby is taking pictures, favorite sport is skating.

Leilafaye Hicks: Daughter of Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Hicks. Vice president of Senior class, member of Glee club and Girls Social Club, and Home Economics club. Member high school volleyball team. Hobby is collecting samples (any kind) and snapshots. Favorite sport is swimming.

Robert Colville: Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Colville. Salutatorian of Graduating class. Hobby is horses, favorite sport is swimming.

La Verne Russell: Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Russell. Valedictorian of graduating class with four-year average above 95. Member of Press Club. Hobbies are music, eating. Favorite sport is skating.

Lovelle Ginn: Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ginn. Secretary-treasurer of Senior Class. President of Glee Club, member Social Club, Press Club, Home Ec club, and Pep Squad. Hobbies are eating and going to

school! Favorite sport is volleyball, member county championship volleyball team, and baseball.

Virginia Wigginton: Daughter of J. B. Wigginton. Hobby is collecting songs. Favorite sport is baseball.

Evelyn Withers: Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Withers. Tennis player. Member of Press Club. Hobby is collecting poems, favorite sport is tennis.

Laverne Yandell: Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Yandell. Hobby is collecting songs. Favorite sport: horseback riding. (MORE SKETCHES ON PAGE 3)

Chapman Shorthorn: Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chapman. Member of Press Club. Hobby is collecting poems, favorite sport is tennis.

Clara Ginn: Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ginn. Secretary-treasurer of Senior Class. President of Glee Club, member Social Club, Press Club, Home Ec club, and Pep Squad. Hobbies are eating and going to

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Red Cross Chapter to Aid Relief

Committeemen From All Over County To Confer On Raising Quota

Ways and means by which Floyd County people can be reached quickly and given an opportunity to raise an assigned quota of \$440 for relief of civilians in war-torn Europe were studied Monday afternoon by Cecil Hagood, Floyd County Chapter American Red Cross and several members of his executive committee. These committeemen included Earl Crow, E. P. Nelson, Clarence Guffee and Homer Steen, Floydada, and Mrs. N. E. Greer, Lockney. An assigned quota of \$440 is the goal which the committee hopes to raise quickly, to help make up a minimum war relief fund in the nation of ten million dollars.

The call came to Hagood last week-end from St. Louis from Norman H. Davis national chairman in a telegram which declared that with the invasion of Belgium, Holland and Luxemburg the war had entered a phase which will inevitably bring widespread and appalling suffering to millions of helpless men, women and children.

"Mobilize your chapter and community in order that your quota will be raised with out delay," the telegram from Mr. Davis urged.

Hoped Against Hope
In a statement issued with all corners of the nation, Mr. Davis said:

"We have waited hoping almost against hope that the war would not spread but soon would end. Against great pressure we have delayed this appeal for funds hoping that we could without it finance the war relief expected of us. The Red Cross societies of all the countries involved in armed conflict in Europe have requested aid except Germany. We were advised that Germany could take care of its own. The appeals of the other nations through their Red Cross Societies however have increased in recent weeks. Their needs have become greatly magnified. Their resources have become more and more depleted. We must send relief as needed and not too late to be of use. We must send clothing, bedding, shoes, medications, surgical supplies, food. A crisis in the history of the world and threatening the entire world has arrived. Governments may fall. Leaders may be deposed. Countries may be destroyed but people must be aided to survive. Made in the image of God they must be preserved that his will may yet prevail.

"The great heart of America goes out to the victims of all wars. Our sympathies must not be empty expressions. They must be mobilized for action, not the action that destroys but the action that gives life and hope and courage.

"Ten million dollars is the minimum needed and it is needed at once. Civilization has reached the cross roads. Civilization must survive. Make your contribution to your local chapters of the American Red Cross or the American National Red Cross, Washington, D. C."

Meet Again Tuesday
A call for all Red-Cross workers in the county, who aided in the roll call last fall when a county-wide organization went into action, has been issued by County Chapter Chairman Cecil Hagood. The meeting place has been set as the county court room, the time Tuesday, May 21, and the hour 2:30 in the afternoon.

An opportunity to discuss the matter fully and undertake the job as quickly thereafter as possible is planned.

Lions Club Organized At Briscoe Capital

Local Club Members Attend Organizing Conference Held Friday Night; Sanders President

Silverton Lions club, organized last Friday night and application made for charter, will have a membership of more than 20 to begin its career as a service institution in the community.

Homer Sanders, lumberman, was elected president of the club and W. Coffee, Jr. first vice-president, with Ben O. King as secretary. Other officers include Joe Mercer, Lion tamer, W. E. Schott, Jr., tall twister. Charter night will be set for an early date in June or the latter part of May.

Members of Floydada Lions club who attended the meeting and aided in forming the organization at the neighboring capital were M. P. Goen, president of the club here, Eld Johnson district deputy governor, Homer Steen, W. R. Simon and Garland G. Glover.

WEST TEXAS OLD SETTLERS REUNION DIRECTORS PLAN MEETING IN FLOYDADA 27

Directors of the West Texas Old Settlers association will meet at the Floyd County Old Settlers reunion in Floydada on May 28 at 2:30 o'clock. R. B. Smith, manager of the West Texas association, announced in a dispatch from Lubbock this week.

Dates will be set and committees appointed to plan for the annual reunion of West Texas Old Settlers this year, Smith said.

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Jo Derr Honored At Farewell Party Thursday Evening

FAIRVIEW, May 14. — Miss Jo Derr was honored with a surprise farewell party and shower Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Stewart. Gifts for her, packed in a large suitcase with "Texas Tech" stickers and "off to college" decorations, were carried in by Jimmie Hicks. After receiving suitcase full of gifts, Miss Derr was called to the door, where a messenger boy, Verlon Dean Walls had a registered letter for her to sign to receive a package. The contents of the package was a friendship quilt pieced and quilted by the ladies of the Fairview Baptist church. Bouquets of wild flowers and roses were used for decorations. Refreshments of punch and cake were served to about 80 guests.

Miss Derr was re-elected in the Fairview school but resigned to accept a teaching position at Kalgary. We regret very much to lose her and certainly appreciate the good work that she has done in the community, but we admire the step that she has taken in the advancement of her career.

School News

The closing school programs were presented Monday and Wednesday nights to a large crowd. The intermediate room went to Lewis' ranch on a picnic Thursday. The pupils were accompanied by their teacher, Miss Jo Derr and Mesdames Lee Rushing, C. H. Wise, Grady Reeves, Theron Perry, Jack Davis and Orville Stewart.

School closed Friday with a couple of baseball games in the afternoon. The teams playing were outsiders of Lakeview and Fairview with each winning a game.

Church News

A B. Y. P. U. study course was conducted at the church from Friday through Monday. Rev. Lemons was assisted in the teaching by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harmonson of Plainview. About twenty took the course and examination.

Local

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cheves of Clarendon spent Wednesday and Thursday nights with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stewart. Mrs. Jack Davis, Miss Jo Derr, and Mrs. Orville Stewart moved Miss Derr's things to Lubbock Friday. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Freeman and Betty Lee were guests of her mother Mrs. Beulah Anderson Sunday at Irick.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blair and son Byron of Amarillo visited in the home of their uncle, L. B. Cozby and family Sunday. Also Miss Annie Lourie Martin of Floydada and Jake Watson of Lockney were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Perry and daughter of Irick visited in the Cozby home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stewart of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Ewett and son Gerald of Dumas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stewart. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stewart and Betty Gale were guests Sunday.

AN APPRECIATION

For two years I was a teacher in your high school; four years I guided the destiny of your boys and girls at Andrews Ward, and for the past five years in high school; I want to say that a more pleasant span could not have been lived. For you gave me cooperation, high ideals, and all things necessary to make one enjoy one's work. In return, I gave to you my best; I hope you have appreciated it.

To the ex-students and students it is with keen regret that I submit this: my last message as principal of Floydada High school. I shall have only to close my eyes and conjure to bring back to my memory your words, songs, yells, contests, and loyal devotion to me. I have enjoyed watching you pass through the grades on to high school; then to college, if you went, and finally to have the pleasure of recommending you to a public where you took the burdens of life upon your shoulders to become a "man among men" or a "lady among women," remembering those fundamental principles I so earnestly tried to instill into your minds in the classroom, on the playground, in the office and every day walks of life by my teachings and precepts.

As for myself, I have lived intensely with the student body. I have worked because I wanted to do so, and if I have wrought anything of value, any worthy desire in your heart, any noble thought, I am indeed happy. The gift of camouflaging was not given to me, but I have always felt that by helping adolescent boys and girls, and dealing with them as I would my own children, be one from the rich or poor, freshman or senior, I was building a living monument to my memory.

I would not forget to pen an extra word to this year's student body as you tried so earnestly to defend me. May I add, your principal, if you need him in the future, will be just as ready and willing to come to your rescue as you were to mine. I wish for each and everyone of you, a happy and a successful future.

O. K. Davis and family.

GIRLS AUXILIARY MEETS AT BAPTIST CHURCH MON.

The Bonnie Ray Girls auxiliary met Monday afternoon, May 13, at the Baptist church. The girls completed all work required for "Queen with a Scepter." Members present were Joy Cardwell, Frances Ruth Garrett, Doneice Gline, Billie Jean Swinson, Mary Frances Jones, Eugenia Martin, Margaret Conner, and Ruth Hamilton, and the sponsors, Mrs. John Hoffman and Mrs. R. C. Henry.

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Homemakers Honor Mothers With Reception, Program At School Thursday Eve

"All that I am and all that I hope to be, I owe to my mother." Realizing how much truth is in this statement, the Homemaking girls honored their Mother's last Thursday evening at the high school.

Misses Marjorie Duncan, Ellie Biggs, Arlene Pyffe, Mary Denison, Jean Sims, Burnice Colston, and Evelyn Daniel greeted the guests, directed them to the table to sign in the hand made guests book, presided over by Miss Loyce Stanton, and then found places for the guests to sit in the auditorium.

Miss Lavelle Ginn was in charge of the following program: Music by the Future Farmers of America chapter; "Toast to our Mothers by Lavelle Ginn; "Activities During the Year" by Helen Ring; Tap Dance, Frances Kelm, accompanied by Louise Willson; "Plans for the Summer Program" by Miss Fannie Mae Rees; "The Three Bears" by Jennie Lou Harper and Lavelle Ginn; Sing Song, Margaret Tubbs directing; "Purpose and Origin of Mother's Day" by Margaret Tubbs; "I want a Girl Just like the Girl that Married Dear Ole Dad", sung by Martha Yearwood; "Mother's Day", a reading by Edna Patterson; the song, "Mother" sung by Mary Frances McRoberts, Margaret Tubbs, Jennie Lou Harper, Frances Field, Lovelle Ginn, and Verona Miller; Billie Johnson gave a reading "White Carnations" which was followed by a short talk skit, "A Family Tale." Those taking part in the skit were; Russell Patterson, Jennie Lou Harper, George Tubbs, Betty Jean Sweptston, Louise Willson, and Kenneth Tubbs. Sharon Fuqua gave a talk on the subject "The Most Important Person" Nelda Fagan played several piano selections that were suitable for the occasion, and the program was concluded with Mary Frances McRoberts reading "Somebody's Mother", while Nelda Fagan played "Home, Sweet Home" and Mary Louise Medlen and others acted out the poem. The lights were turned out and a spot light was used.

The guests were ushered to the Homemaking Department where they were greeted by the officers of the club, Lovelle Ginn, Jean Sims, Verona Miller, Jennie Lou Harper, Margaret Tubbs, and Loyce Stanton. Miss Mary Louise Medlen and Louise Willson pinned red or white ribbons, on each guest as she entered the dining room. Miss Anna Cates poured punch from a crystal

punch bowl Crystal was used throughout the service and table decorations.

The girls assisting in the foods laboratory were Misses Dulon Sargent, Odessa Poore, Bennie Ruth Jackson, Geneva Connelley, and Ruth Felps. More than a hundred were present for the program and reception.

WHAT IF

Hudson were a "House" instead of a "Holmes".
 Carl were an "Adult" instead of a Minor.
 Sammie were a "Badloser" instead of a Goodwin.
 Maureen were a "Lung" instead of a Hart.
 Adron were a "yard" instead of a "Field."
 Edna Earl were a "Cost" instead of a Price.
 Alice were a "Horn" instead of a Bell.
 T. W. were a "Blackberry" instead of a "Newberry."
 Howard were a "Sad" instead of a Merry.
 Harvey Lee were a "Dedberry" instead of a "Newberry."
 Lelaifaye were a "Hobo" instead of Hicks.
 G. W. were a "Rattle" instead of a Russell.
 Leland were a "June" instead of a May.
 Suddle were a "Baker" instead of a Miller.
 Irene were a "Weekly" instead of a Daily.
 Wilson were a "Stock" instead of a Bond.
 Coach were a "Summer" instead of a Winter.
 Yvonne were a "Rain" instead of a "Hale."
 Nolan were a "Weakling" instead of a Husky.
 Billy were a "Black" instead of a Brown.
 Walter were a "Travis" instead of a Travis.
 Robert were a "Borrower" instead of a Linder.
 Hollis were a McRoad instead of a McLain.
 Dulon were a "Lieutenant" instead of a Sargent.
 Raymond were a "Roast" instead of a Ham.
 Kenneth were a "Minnie" instead of Mickey.
 Odessa were a "Rich" instead of Columnar pads. The Hesperian



Graduates of 1940—Top row, left to right: Billy Brown, Louise Billington, Jim Wright, Evelyn Daniels, Adron Fields, Mary Louise Medlen, Frank Jones, Laverne Yandell, Hudson Holmes, and Mary Denison; bottom row: Lula Lee Teal, Delbert Dillard, Eunice Langley, Marshall Patterson, Ruth Simpson, Wilson Bond, Anna Jones, Howard Merry, Mildred Stovall, and M. C. Fuqua.

and see a toss of auburn curls, You'll know it's Margaret Tubbs, the choice of boys and girls.
 There's Jennie Lou Harper, who hails from back East; She best all round, to say the least.
 There's Freda Jane Graham, she's little and short,
 And Arliss Rainer, She's queen of his heart.
 Frances Jo Terrell is full of life For some lucky guy, she'll make a good wife.
 Billy Henry is a wonderful guy, His nice blond hair takes every girl's eye.
 There's Emmett Hinson, tall, dark, and handsome;
 If La Nell were kidnaped, he'd pay a ransom.
 Hollis McLain is really a treasure,
 And his bright remarks are really a pleasure.
 Our tennis champion is Howard Merry.
 The county title in tennis he carries.
 Our senior beauty is Yvonne Hale; To heights of fame, she's bound to sail.
 Maureen Hart is a pianist rare.
 With a freckled nose and curly black hair.
 Kenneth Mickey is a favorite of all; He's not too short and not too tall.
 A really swell guy is Jimmie Wright; He'll get somewhere for he tries with all his might.
 Wayne Collins of a junior is fond, She'll be a pep leader—she's short and blond.
 And William Bertrand says a junior is his choice;
 She has laughing eyes and a gay

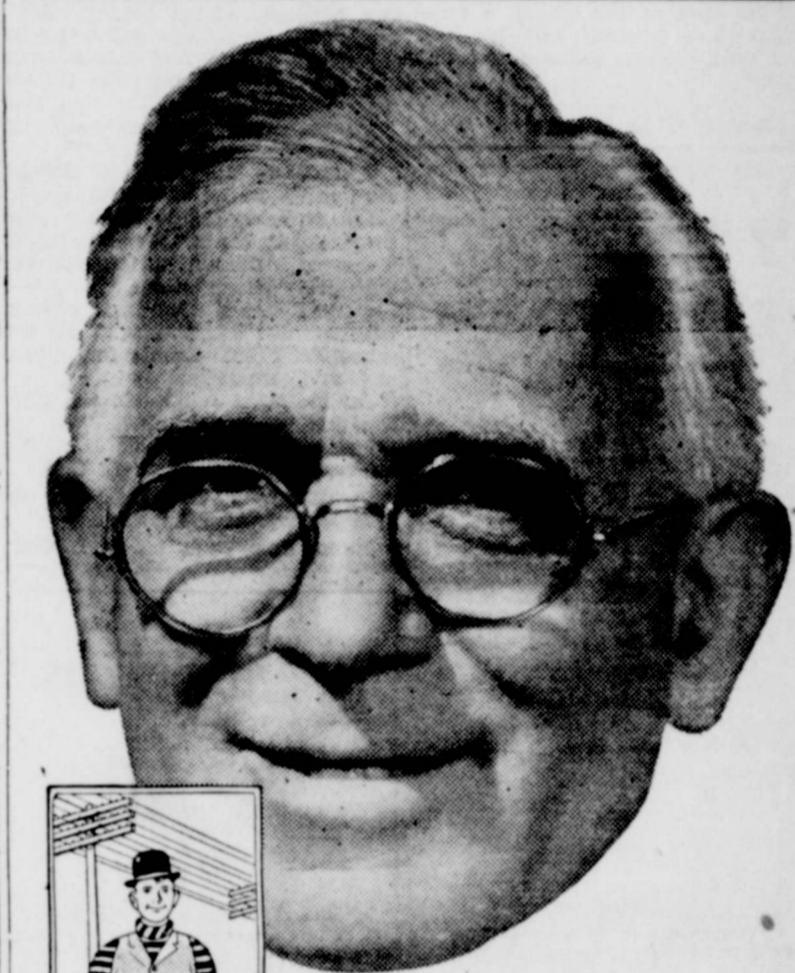
SENIOR CLASS POEM

Here's to the Senior of 1940
 And to Cade and Linder, our sponsors hearty;
 For jolly good times in ole P. H. S.
 These days will be prized among those we love best.
 There's always a sadness about graduation
 That somehow brings a closer relation
 Between the classmates and friends of the years,
 And causes our eyes to fill with tears.
 There's George Fry Linder, our president;
 In athletic contests, to state he went
 Good ole Vice-President, Lelaifaye Hicks,
 About her duties she never kicks.
 And Lovelle Ginn, our Secretary-treasurer,
 Here's to you, our leaders three;
 For your good service, thankful are we.
 They are all swell kids,—
 The group as a whole
 But the qualities of some
 Have never been told;
 There are our two scholars,
 Who have high honors won—
 The Russell's daughter and the Colville's son.
 Those two romancers,
 Harvey Lee and Jean,
 He without her
 Is never seen.
 Those Sand Hill boys, May and Brown
 Just take the cake for being clowns.
 With excellent athletes, our class is blest;
 And Sammy Goodwin is one of the best.
 Two other athletes, Bill Jackson and Carl Minor.
 We're sure you'll not find two guys any finer.
 Here's to the success of our pep leaders three
 La Nell, Jane and Lula Lee.
 And also to our high-stepping majorettes
 Ruth, and Mildred, they're our best.
 Carl Arnold is our "Glamour Boy"
 A look from him fills your heart with joy
 For an all around boy comes Billy Brown
 When anyone needs him, he's usually around.
 Adron Field, who hails from South Plains,
 The hearts of several girls he claims.
 Mary Louise Medlen is easy on the eyes
 And could walk away with any beauty prize.
 Mary Frances McRoberts with skin so fair,
 Has curly hair and personality rare.
 When you hear a merry laughter

and happy is the sincere wish of your sponsors.
 Robert Linder and Grace Cade.
 W. H. (Bill) Hams, former member of The Hesperian staff, was in Floydada Tuesday. He is employed as publicity man with the Association of Southern Refiners with headquarters at Midland.

THANKS FROM SPONSORS

We, the senior sponsors of the class of 1940, wish to express our appreciation to the class for your loyalty and cooperation. We have enjoyed working with you, and we shall miss you in the halls and classrooms of Floydada High School next year. We shall always be interested in you. May each one of you be successful



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*Probably so called because he did the heavy lifting for the lineman on the pole.



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