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LARGE CROWDS ATTEND REVIVAL

FAR REACHING REVIVAL, PEOPLE COME FOR MILES TO HEAR FAMOUS EVANGELIST

Have you heard Bob Jones at the city auditorium? If not, you are about the only one in Plainview who has not. Tremendous crowds greeted the famous evangelist at all three services Sunday.

The address in the afternoon to Women Only attracted a wonderful crowd. This was a most timely address and one that will be felt for years to come.

Sunday night the gallery was thrown open to accommodate the wonderful crowd that came out to hear the evangelist. Even with the gallery open, extra chairs had to be brought in.

The song services at each service are proving a very attractive feature. Sunday night Mr. Loren Jones surprised the crowd by introducing a new soloist to Plainview. Though but four years old Miss Edith Gattin was not in the least frightened, and every word of her song could be heard in the big auditorium.

Another pleasing feature of the song service Sunday night was a most beautiful duet by Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. O'Keefe. This was sung with wonderful expression.

An effort is being made by some of the committees to have all the stores close for the morning services from ten to eleven o'clock Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. This will enable the entire community to hear the morning addresses by Bob Jones which are even greater than the messages he brings at night. It is suggested that everyone co-operate with the merchants in doing your shopping early, and especially send in your orders early so all may be able to close promptly at ten o'clock.

Rev. Bob Jones brings a special message each night at 7:45.

Firms Closing for Meeting

The committee did not have time to make a complete canvass and as a few firms were missed the names of firms not listed but wishing to cooperate in the closing movement can have their names added by phoning R. A. Underwood, chairman. The response given the movement was hearty and generous and deeply appreciated by all interested parties.

Barber shops—Blue Bird Barber Shop.

Drug Store and Jewelers—Harp Drug Co., Laird Drug Co., Lamb Drug Co., W. Peterson, A. L. Talley.

Banks—First National Bank, Guaranty State Bank, Third National Bank.

Dry Goods Merchants—A. L. & K. Dry Goods Co., Burns & Pierce, Carter-Houstons, Jacobs Bros., Perkins & Stubbs, Chas. Heinke, Lee Smith Dry Goods Co., The Band Box, The Ladies Store.

Filling Stations, Tire Shops—L. P. Barker Co., L. H. Capell & Co., Frank Howard, McGlasson-Armstrong, Wells & Patton, Knupp Battery Co.

Feed Stores—Ligon & Rector, Murphy Feed Co.

Furniture Stores—Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co., Garner Bros.-Huddleston, Haltom & Haltom, Rogers Furniture Co.

Grocery Stores—Beck's Cash Grocery Co., Boyd Grocery Co., Franklin Grocery Co., Glenn Grocery Co., Gibbs Grocery Co., Hawthorne Grocery Co., Looper Grocery Co., Market Grocery Co., McClain Grocery Co., Northcutt Grocery Co., Price & McCallon, Sewell-Maples Grocery Co., Warren Grocery Co., White Seed Co.

Hardware and Variety Stores—Clements-Lowe Variety Co., Cox & Thompson, Donohoo-Ware Hardware Co., Butler Hardware Co., Franks Necessity Store, Jarvis-Tull Hardware Co., Plainview Hardware Co.

Lumber Companies—Long Bell Lumber Co., Higginbotham-Bartlett, Rockwell Lumber Co.

Markets—Beck's Market, Gouldy's Market, Green's Market, Hawthorne's Market, Plainview Market.

Tailoring Companies—Buckhorns Tailoring Co., Dollar Bill Tailoring Co., Waller Tailoring Co.

Produce Companies—Gibbs Produce Co., Hawthorne Produce Co., Ivey Produce Co., Neal Produce Co., Rucker Produce Co.

Other Firms—Beery Studio, Boyles & Son Music Store, Graves Saddlery Co., Green's Tin Shop, Palace of Sweets, Perry & Cram, Plainview Electric Co.

Central School Has Lunch Room

A modern lunch room has been installed at Central School, through the co-operation of the Parent-Teachers' Association, and hot lunches are served daily at 15c, the meal consisting of three courses.

COUNTY SCHOOL FAIR APRIL 7th

FAIR WILL BE HELD IN HIGH SCHOOL INSTEAD OF CITY AUDITORIUM

Prof. W. E. Patty, Superintendent of Plainview schools, requested us to state that the County School Fair and all literary events will take place at the high school building instead of the city auditorium, as previously announced.

The fair and interscholastic events will be held here on Saturday, April 7th and all schools of the county will be here to take part in the literary and athletic events.

SAYS ALIENS SMUGGLED INTO U. S. BY AIRPLANES

El Paso, March 24.—Smuggling Aliens into the United States in airplanes has become a serious problem to immigration authorities, according to Robert Carl White, Second Assistant Secretary of Labor, who arrived here today after visiting immigration inspectors along the Mexican border from Tia Juana, east of El Paso.

Chinese especially are being smuggled in airplanes from Mexico to the United States, White said.

Mr. White left this afternoon for San Antonio.

WEST TEXANS TO TOUR WEST INDIES

CRUISE WILL BE UNDERTAKEN FROM GALVESTON ABOUT JUNE 15

Galveston, March 24.—A cruise about the West Indies Islands, starting from Galveston, will be taken about June 15 by members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, it was announced here Friday by William M. Woodall of Austin, who is in charge of the trade extension bureau of the chamber. Mr. Woodall was here to arrange details for chartering a steamer for the cruise and to make other preliminary arrangements.

It is expected 200 members of the chamber will make the trip, Mr. Woodall said. In addition, the trip will be open to other Texas business men who are to go along, and it is possible that arrangements may be made for a party of Galvestonians, who have been planning such a jaunt, to join the West Texas party.

The cruise, Mr. Woodall said, will last about seventeen days. It is planned to spend two or three days in Havana, then to visit Manzanillo, Santiago, Kingston, Jamaica and ports in Haiti and Santo Domingo, and possibly Porto Rico. One of the important phases of the trip, it was said, will be discussion of plans of organizing a greater Chamber of Commerce, to represent the entire state.

Mr. Woodall intends to maintain headquarters in Austin, whence he will direct preparations for the trip.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION BILL FILED BY NEFF

Austin, March 24.—Gov. Neff today approved and filed the bill providing for acceptance of benefits of the Federal act for the promotion of vocational education in Texas. The act became effective immediately.

Buys Herd of 29 Buffalo

Littlefield, March 23.—J. P. White, manager of the Littlefield Cattle Co. has just bought and shipped in a herd of twenty-nine buffalo. This is one of the largest individual herds of buffaloes in the country anywhere. They have been turned loose in the pastures around the Yellow House ranch headquarters.

Lose Moonshiner; Still Is Jailed

Stamford, March 24.—Deputy Sheriff Gustafson of Stamford and Officer Magee made a raid on a still 23 miles southeast of Stamford this week, capturing a still, 16 quarts of whiskey and four barrels of mash. The operator of the still made his getaway. The still and other paraphernalia were taken to Anson and placed in jail.

Installs 110-hp. Diesel Engine

The Schrock farms southeast of Plainview have installed a large 110-hp. Diesel engine at the irrigation well, supplanting another engine with which it was equipt about several years ago.

Mr. Schrock will irrigate more than 300 acres of land, and the new engine will enable him to pump more water at less cost for fuel.

Negroes Organize Ball Team

The negroes of Plainview have organized a base ball team and are now practicing for games with teams from other Plains towns.

COUNTY AGENT FORMING CLUBS

ORGANIZES BOYS' AND GIRLS' POULTRY CLUB AT ELLEN AND SNYDER

County Agent E. W. Thomas announces the organization of a Boys' and Girls' Poultry club at Ellen school with officers and members as follows.

President, Arthur Line; secretary, Amy Line; members, Robert Porter, Reba Garner, Clara Garner, Jim Line, Ala Mae Young, Vida Mauldin, Jesse Eakin, Opal Dixon, Vannoy Garner, Elbert Dalton, Paine Dalton, Varney Harlan, Merrill Harlan, Marion Young Virgil Young, Frotilla Kittrell, Lucile Kittrell, Lois Joy Harlan, Thurman McDuffey, Velma Eakin, Orton McDuffey.

At Snyder school a Boys' and Girls' Pig club was organized with officers and members as follows:

President, Coy Shaddock; Secretary Willie Sittin; members, Rankin Smelser, Dorothy Slaughter, Robert Lee Parsons, Millard Slaughter, Harold Wilson, Paul Hartzler, Cecil Slaughter, Alta Hartzler, Gladys Rastetter, Pauline Griffith, J. J. Maxey, Willie Lee Morris, Chester Meador, Hoyt Meador.

The Guaranty State Bank of Plainview is furnishing the necessary backing for these clubs.

Commendation from Home

Last week George Clements and J. D. Lowe, two Goldthwaite boys, bought out the Texas Vairity Co., at Plainview, Texas, and took charge of the business last Saturday. The new firm will be the Clements-Lowe Variety Co. Messrs. Clements and Lowe are young business men of ability. George, who recently returned from South America, where he had gone as a geologist immediately after finishing at the University of Texas, on account of his training here and elsewhere is fitted for a business man, and J. D. has had experience in the variety business heretofore, having owned and conducted the Lowe Variety Store at Lometa for several years.—Godthwaite Eagle.

FARMER PAYING HIGHER TAXES

INCREASE FROM 17 CENTS TO 35 CENTS PER ACRE IN TEXAS SINCE 1914

Washington, March 24.—Texas farmers who paid taxes amounting to 17 cents an acre in 1914 last year paid 35 cents an acre, according to figures announced today by the department of agriculture. While this was an increase of 114 per cent, the tax rate per acre in Texas is still less than half the average for all the states. For the average of the rates per acre paid in all the states is 7.09 per cent, an increase of 116 per cent over 1914, when the average for all states was 31.4 cents an acre. Eight years ago the highest rate was 96 cents an acre in New Jersey. In 1922, the highest rate was \$2.22 an acre, also in New Jersey. Arizona farmers pay only 7 cents an acre taxes on farm property, which is the lowest of all. Taxes on farm lands are \$2.22 in New Jersey, \$2.09 in Indiana and more than a dollar an acre in nine other states. Only Virginia, Georgia, Alabama, Montana, New Mexico and Arizona, have a lower rate per acre than Texas. Arizona is the only state whose tax per acre did not increase in the eight years covered by the report.

The increase in taxes is attributed by the department to increase valuation based on war-time prices for land, and to increase cost of local and state government.

Plainview Band Measures Up

Recently Prof. Fred Ihfeldt attended the fat stock show in Fort Worth and heard the A. & M. college band furnish music. He says the Plainview Boys' Band measures up with it, and it has quite a state reputation.

Battery A Defeats Aikona

In a game of base ball Wednesday between Battery A of this city and Aikona, the battery won by a score of 16 to 12, in a driving windstorm.

Will Receive Base Ball Returns

The Lamb Drug Co. will again this year receive base ball returns daily by wire, and post them on a bulletin board in the store.

Organizing Pig and Poultry Clubs

E. W. Thomas, the county agricultural agent, has begun his work, and among other things is engaged in the organization of pig and poultry clubs among the boys and girls of the rural districts.

RANCHER SLAIN; NEGRO SOUGHT

POSSES SEARCH FOR GEORGE TAYLOR, MILL HAND, LAST SEEN WITH CATTLEMAN

Colorado, March 25.—Tom Morrison, Jr., was instantly killed here last night in a difficulty with Geo. Taylor, negro employe for the Colorado cotton mill. Much of Morrison's left breast was torn away by a discharge from a shotgun, said to have been fired at close range.

Taylor has disappeared from the city and a sheriff's posse is today scouring the surrounding country in search for the alleged assailant.

Justice C. S. Thomas early this morning conducted an inquest over the dead body of the ranchman and said that a shotgun fired at close range had been used in the shooting.

Morrison was 32 years old and is survived by his widow and several small children. He was a prominent cattleman of this section, being born and raised here.

The shooting happened in the backyard of the old Morrison home in the south part of Colorado.

Floydada Wins Over Lockney

Floydada, March 23.—Floydada high and Lockney high played a game of base ball Wednesday afternoon at Floydada defeated Lockney by a score of 10 to 4. Campbell for the local team and Campbell for the visitors. Pitching on both sides was speedy.

OFFER \$100 REWARD FOR CAPTURE OF OLD POSEY

Salt Lake City, Utah, March 24.—Acting Governor Crockett of Utah today offered a reward of \$100 for the capture, dead or alive, of Chief Old Posey, reputed leader of the Allen Canyon band of renegade Piutes in Southeastern Utah.

Chief Old Posey, said to have been wounded in Thursday's clash with possemen near Wash Comb, is reported to have led his band to the Dry Wash section some ten miles away.

MAN, BEATEN, SHOT, ABDUCTED

J. W. JACOBS KIDNAPPED BY THREE MEN IN AUTO AT ELECTRA

Electra, March 25.—No trace has been found of J. W. Jacobs, local business man, who was called out of a local hotel at midnight Saturday and spirited away by three men.

Jacobs was told that some broken machinery needed repairing. He was lured away when he went outside.

He broke away and rushed into the hotel, but was shot and carried out before anyone could interfere. The extent of his wound is unknown.

Jacobs has lived in Electra about two years. He is 30 years old and unmarried.

His abductors were roughly dressed and two of them wore large goggles.

H. F. Meadows Fined

On a complaint made by Mrs. Beulah Mae Allen of Amarillo charging assault, H. F. Meadows of this city was arrested and was fined \$5 and costs in the court this week.

It was charged that Meadows used abusive words such as was calculated to breach the peace. Upon being arrested he pleaded not guilty, but upon testimony furnished by the plaintiff he was adjudged guilty and a fine imposed.

Mrs. Allen had been visiting relatives near Lockney and was returning home.

Nance Gets Collar-Bone Broken

J. E. Nance on Thursday afternoon near Hale Center suffered a broken collar-bone when the car which he was driving collided with a truck, as he was returning to Plainview from a trip to Tahoka.

The driver of the truck did not stop, and Mr. Nance was pinned under his car for about thirty minutes before any one came along, and rescued him. The identity of the driver of the truck is not known.

Mr. Nance was brought to the Plainview sanitarium, where an x-ray examination was given him, and the fracture of the collar-bone shown. His car was badly damaged.

White Man and Negro Fight

Saturday morning a white man and negro, who are prisoners in the county jail, had a fight, and beat up each other very badly, both being very bloody about their faces when separated.

WANT NAMES ON TICKET

W. A. DONALDSON, MRS. MARY V. DYE AND MRS. HAL WOFFORD FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES

A petition has been presented to J. F. Sander, secretary of the Plainview Independent school district, asking that the names of Mr. W. A. Donaldson, Mrs. Mary V. Dye and Mrs. Hal Wofford be placed on the official ballot at the election to be held the first Saturday in April.

Mrs. Dye is already a member of the school board, and Mr. Donaldson and Mrs. Wofford are placed on the ticket to succeed C. S. Williams and S. W. Msharg.

The three people named in the petition have been interested in school work in Plainview for many years past. Mmes. Dye and Wofford have been very active in all school matters, having served as presidents of various Mothers' clubs and Parent-Teachers' Associations and a better selection for trustees could not be made.

Work Is Started On New Highway

Silverton, March 24.—J. H. Burson, contractor for part of the new school highway, has commenced work with the hope of completing by August 1st. This will complete a highway from Clarendon to Silverton.

FINE RAIN IS FALLING

INSURES A GOOD WHEAT CROP AND PUTS COUNTRY IN FINE SHAPE FOR OTHER CROPS

A slow rain began to fall in the Plainview country about 9 o'clock last night, and at this time, Tuesday afternoon, continues.

The rain is fine on wheat and will put the country in good shape for the planting of one of the largest feed and cotton crops ever planted on the Plains. The rain is believed to be general.

Texas Kills His Second Man

Kansas City, March 24.—Grant B. McConkey, grocer, and formerly a Texas cowboy was able to cut the second notch in the handle of his revolver tonight after he had shot and killed one of two negroes who attempted to rob him.

On Jan. 28, 1920, McConkey shot and killed Lee Isom who attempted to rob his store here. McConkey shot Isom after the latter had fired at McConkey twice.

McConkey was sitting behind a counter in his store tonight talking to two customers when two negroes entered. One of the negroes pointed his revolver at McConkey, the other stepped to the cash register.

McConkey who carries a revolver wrapped in a towel under his butcher's apron, drew it and fired, one negro fell.

Another bullet from McConkey's revolver crashed through the front window of the store. The second negro escaped with \$5, from the cash register.

"I was a plainsman down in the Texas Panhandle 30 years ago, McConkey declared "There we learned to shoot straight. We met bad men down there and I don't intend to hold up my hands for any fellow up here"

17 TANKS ABLAZE IN OKLAHOMA OIL FIELD

Ponca City, Okla., March 24.—Eight spouting wells with a total daily average production of 5,000 barrels of oil late today were feeding the burning flames in 17 tanks of the Comar Oil Co. in the Tonkawa field, which caught fire early today from escaping gas nearby.

The flow from the wells is directly connected with the tanks. Ten hours of unsuccessful effort to turn the oil into pipelines have failed although experts say this can be accomplished. Company officials say they have no hope of bringing the blaze under control before tomorrow afternoon.

Early estimate placed the amount of oil already in the tanks when the fire broke out at 6000 barrels. Later it was said that none of the tanks of 500 barrels capacity was full and that the exact amount which they contained was not known.

The fire originated in a small hut, commonly known as a "dog house", about 100 feet from the tanks. A lighted stove inside, it was said, ignited gas which had accumulated outside during the night from nearby gas wells.

J. T. and Mack F. Anderson of Cisco were here today prospecting.

COW, HOG AND POULTRY TRAIN

SANTA FE TRAIN WITH EXTENSION WORKERS WILL ARRIVE HERE TOMORROW

The cow, hog and poultry train, which is making a tour of the Plains and Panhandle town will arrive here tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 7:30, and will be near the passenger station, where they will spend an hour and one-half in demonstrations and lectures to those who are interested in the stock farming and poultry industry in this section.

Many good speakers from the A. & M. college of Texas and the Agricultural department of the Santa Fe will be present and address the crowd.

Everybody in Plainview and the adjacent territory should be on hand to get the full benefit of this great message to the people of the Panhandle-Plains territory. It is financed by the Santa Fe at a big expense and they are doing it for the people's benefit. We will have an opportunity to hear some of the best specialists on hogs, dairy cows and poultry in Texas.

Freak Chicken With Three Legs

Mrs. A. D. Anderson living north of Vernon brought a Buff Orpington chicken to the Record office this afternoon that had three legs.

The freak was hatched from an incubator about two or three days ago. It seems to be hale and hearty and has pretty good assurance against falling backward. Mrs. Anderson expresses intention to raise it and see what the outcome will be. Mrs. Anderson has a large incubator and is meeting with success in the chicken business.—Vernon Record.

CROP PROSPECTS GOOD IN FLOYD COUNTY

Floydada, March 24.—The recent rains in Floyd county, followed by the freeze of the last few days, make Floyd county's wheat prospects the best in the history of the last few years. One hundred and seventy-five thousand acres of wheat is growing in the county and big wheat raisers say that the recent freeze was the one thing needed for late wheat.

It is estimated that there will be nearly 100,000 acres of cotton planted in Floyd county this year, according to well-informed parties.

COMMUNITY MEET WAS GREAT SUCCESS

Lamar School Has Elimination Contest in Literary Events For Hale County

The new auditorium at Lamar school building was filled to overflowing Friday night for the Declaration contest between the Junior boys and the Junior girls.

Splendid attention was given throughout the entire evening. Winners for Junior girls:

1st place, Dorothy Rushing.
2nd place, (tie) Christine Irick and Josephine McGee.
3rd place, Mary Hal Wofford.

Winners for Junior boys:
1st place, Lovelle Towery.
2nd place, W. B. Rushing.
3rd place (tie) Edgar Brown and Norman Rucker.

The building was opened at 7:30 and all visitors were ushered to the different rooms to see a display of work done by the pupils.

Punch was served by the faculty to the entire crowd immediately after the program.

An interesting talk was given by A. E. Boyd and also some humorous readings by Miss Richbourg.

The school has recently made eliminations in junior and sub-junior spelling.

Winners for junior spelling:
1st place, Nona Conyers.
2nd place, Josephine McGee.
Winners for sub-junior spelling:
(Tie) Lathelle Stevens and Lois Barrow.

Will Elect Three Trustees

An election will be held the first Saturday in April for the election of three trustees for Plainview independent school district, the retiring members of the board being C. S. Williams, Mrs. Mary V. Dye and S. W. Msharg. Petitions have been filed by friends, asking that they be re-elected.

Legion Equipping Club Rooms

The American Legion is from time to time equipping its club rooms at the armory.

Pool tables have lately been installed, much to the delight of the boys.

The base ball team is now getting itself in shape for games with other teams.

SOCIETY

W. O. W. to Meet
The W. O. W. camp will meet Thursday night and as there is some important business to come before them. All are urged to attend.

Birthday Party
Mrs. W. C. Wright, surprised her little daughter, Mable, with a party Friday afternoon, March 23rd, when on her return home from school she found eleven of her little playmates there to greet her in honor of her twelfth birthday.

She was the recipient of many nice remembrances and there was a birthday cake.

Ladies Easter Bazaar
The ladies of the First Christian church will hold their Easter Bazaar, Food and Candy sale in Cozy Cafe building next Saturday, March 31st. Buy your Easter supplies from them.

Community Meeting After Revival
The next community meeting by the Plainview Merchants' association will be held after the present Jones revival closes, and will most likely be at Liberty school house, five miles north of town.

THIRTY-EIGHT CARS IN; SIXTEEN LOADED OUT

During Ninety Days More than Twice As Many Immigrant Cars In Than Out

John Lucas, Santa Fe agent in Plainview, informs us that during the past ninety days thirty-eight immigrant cars have been received and unloaded here, and that sixteen cars have gone out, making a net gain of twenty-two families, most of whom are farmers.

About People You Know
B. M. Johnson, who lived near Hale Center for several years, but moved with his family to Riverside, Calif., more than two years ago, writes "We are reading your articles on the clan; they are very interesting. We have had a splendid winter, and are enjoying California very much. Our two boys are both in school at the University in Los Angeles. Remember us to old friends."

T. H. Anderson writes for us to change the address of his News from Stockholm, Sweden, to Norrkoping, Sweden. He is manager for the International Harvester Co., in Sweden, Russia, and several other European countries. He owns two farms north of Plainview, and he and his wife visit here every few years, she being the sister of Mrs. J. A. Testman.

C. O. Gleeves and family, who moved to Oklahoma City several months ago, moved back to the Plains, and will locate here or at some other town.

H. T. Brotherton and family will move to Dallas, where he will take a position. He has already gone to that city and his family will follow soon.

Bill Lee Gets Two Years
Bill Lee was given two years in the State penitentiary in district court last week at Floydada, as a result of a jury verdict. He was charged with burning the Hi-Way garage here several months ago, and his conviction was on charge of arson.

We understand that Mr. Lee will appeal the case, and has made bond and is at liberty.—Lockney Beacon.

The public school building at Grassland, Lynn county, was destroyed by fire last week.

CHURCHES

St Mark's Episcopal Church
Rev. E. H. J. Andrews, Rector.
Holy Week: Devotional service, daily, 4 p. m.
Wednesday, 4 and 7:45 p. m.
Good Friday, noon, 4 and 7:45 p. m.
Easter day services at 8 and 11 a. m., and 3 p. m.
All are cordially invited.

Lutheran Church Service
At Providence church, Thursday night at 7:30, English services. Everybody invited.

Friday morning, at 10:30 German services.
Easter Sunday at 10 o'clock confessional services, 10:30 regular services.
There will be no regular services in April, with the exception of the 3rd Sunday, when Rev. Weiss of Slaton will conduct the service.

A Great Day at the Baptist Church
We had a great day last Sunday. There were 608 in Sunday school and 112 boys and girls on the rostrum in the Junior choir and they gave us some rousing music under the direction of A. C. Hatchell.

The pastor preached to a very large congregation at 11 a. m. Mrs. Luther Bain sang and Misses Janice Stockton and Harriet Vanderpool played the offertory. The offering through the baskets on the church budget was large and generous.

There was no night service on account of the Methodist meeting at the city auditorium.

Remember the Sunday school next Sunday. We want 650 in attendance. Come and be one of that number.

The pastor will preach at 11 a. m., and urges every member of the church to be present. We expect a great time. Special music will be arranged. You are invited.

HARLAN J. MATTHEWS, Pastor.

Rev. A. W. Weer, will leave Sunday for South Texas, on a visit.

Rev. J. H. Bone of Whitedeer was here the first of the week. He says he favors Plainview for the Tech college, and says Plainview's strongest point is the water we have here.

Cheap Rates to Austin
Notification has been received that all Texas railroads have granted one and one-half fare for all contestants and delegates to the University of Texas Interscholastic League State Meet, to be held in Austin, May 3-5, according to T. H. Shelby, director of the Bureau of Extension. Tickets will be on sale at all points in Texas, advices state, May 1, 2, 3, and 4, with return limit May 8. The rate has been granted on the identification certificate plan, and only contestants eligible to enter the State meet, or members of their families, and delegates will receive identification certificates.

WILL ENTERTAIN THE DEMONSTRATION TEAM

Board of City Development Will Give Banquet At Ware Hotel Wednesday Night

The cow, sow and hen special demonstration train of the Santa Fe railroad will be in Plainview Wednesday night, at 7:30 o'clock, and will give a demonstration and lectures at the train, to which all people are invited.

Experts from the A. & M. college will be with the train and deliver the lectures.

The train will spend the night in Plainview, and the Board of City Development will entertain the visitors with a banquet at the Ware Hotel.

Britain Starts to Pay
Washington—The first payment by the British government under the recently negotiated debt refunding agreement was made last week at the New York Federal Reserve Bank.

Although the formal agreement has not been signed, the London government made known its desire to make at once the \$1,128,057 payment necessary to reduce the debt to an even 4,600 million dollars, the figure upon which the 62-year-funding plan was calculated.

Will Feed Rural Children Free
J. B. Gilliland of the O'Keefe Inn informs us that he will feed free all country children under twelve years of age who come to town on monthly Dollar Sale Day, when accompanied by their parents.

Will Continue Best Service
Postmaster F. L. Brown has handed us a letter from Postmaster General New, in which he tells of the deficit in the postal funds, caused by the large increase in the volume of mail being handled throughout the nation, and urges that the greatest economy possible be exercised for the present fiscal year which ends June 30, after which additional funds will be available.

Postmaster Brown says he and his force will use economy in order that the service of the local office not be lowered, and asks the people generally to co-operate so that this can be done.

Mrs. Casey Hughes and children returned last week from a visit in Dallas.



Cosmopolitan Corporation Presents

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"WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER"

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TWO DAYS ONLY

Friday and Saturday, March 30-31

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HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA OF TEN PIECES WILL PLAY AT 8:00 P. M.

BOTH DAYS

Prices 30c and 55c

The Olympic Theatre

CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM IS EXCEPTIONALLY STRONG ONE

Lectures, Musicals and Plays for Week's Season in Plainview Beginning May 23

The following is the line-up of the attractions at the annual chautauqua to be given by the Redpath-Horner bureau in Plainview, beginning May 23, so Mr. Horner has written to us.

Oney Fred Sweet—Known as the man who has held 100 jobs, is a correspondent of one of the large Chicago newspapers. He would go out and work two or three weeks on a job, disguised and then go back and write a feature story for the Sunday paper. He has done everything from acting as dog-catcher to a clown in a circus. He has found that regardless of the job, it is the man who works at it hard and learns to do it well, who is happy and successful. In other words the theme of his subject is love your job and apply yourself. You can appreciate the possibilities of interest in such a lecture as this.

M. T. Yamamoto—Will return from Japan in time for the opening of chautauquas. It seems to me that this subject is especially appropriate for this summer. It covers of course the relationship of Japan to the rest of

the world, and especially America.

Homer C. Bobbitt—Who, by the way, comes from Iowa, a real agricultural state, so they boast, asks the question, "Is Farming a Business?" and then by having concrete illustrations and figures taken from farms in the community proceeds to discuss the proposition.

Chester M. Sanford—Puts a lot of life and interest into the subject: "Vocational Training." This topic when handled by one who understands his job as does Mr. Sanford, is intensely interesting and it occurs to me a most timely discussion. The sad part of it all is that he cannot stay and lecture two or three days, for obviously, one lecture merely lets him open up the field.

Professor Morris—With his dray load of paraphernalia and equipment illustrates and demonstrates some of the mysteries of radio, wireless, and electricity.

For entertainers, we have Jess Pugh. He was over the circuit a few years ago. You probably remember him: He has been growing a lot. At present, he is in New York and will likely do theatrical work entirely after this summer.

Youna, the Silent—Will give an hour of juggling. He does more things and says less than any man we have ever had.

Al Baker—Ventriloquist as well as Magician will be on the circuit.

Harding's Friends Are Active

The movement for renominating President Harding, which first took tangible form in recent conferences among a group of his friends in Washington, has developed to a stage where details of the personnel and program of a pre-convention organization in his behalf are receiving attention.

For the present, these discussions relate to the choosing of those who are to head the organization, and to various features of the country-wide speaking trip the president himself is expected to make in the summer.

Attorney General Daugherty's announcement in Miami that the president would be a candidate again is expected to hasten the work of formulating a definite program and a definite backing with which he can go before the country.

As it now stands, the plan for Harding's trip contemplates departing from Washington in June for a speech-making swing that will take him to about twenty principal cities. He has been advised to make his speeches a clear and direct accounting of his stewardship.

Faith In the Board

Throughout West Texas all town candidates for the institution feel that the board which will decide the location was wisely selected and that it has at heart the entire west and the state in designating the town and section which can best serve the state for a tech college and West Texas far an agriculture college. All West Texas is behind the institution and while forty or more towns will be sadly disappointed when they hear the tidings from Austin after the decision has been made, these towns will be game losers and will combine their resources, their powers, and their patronage to make the Texas Tech. College the most powerful educational institution in the Southland.

High School Popularity Contest
The recent contests in high school resulted as follows:

Gladys Daniels, prettiest girl.
Frances Bier most popular girl.
Raiford Danies most popular boy.
Garland Clark, ugliest boy.
Votes were sold, and \$149 was realized.

Henry Hoyle, who lives six miles northeast of Plainview, will plant 300 acres in cotton this year. He has two hundred acres in wheat, which is looking good.



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 2. I was lost in sin; Je - sus took me in, Free - ly all my
 3. Je - sus gives me pow'r for each try - ing hour, Ev - 'ry day gives
 4. When He comes a - gain to this earth to reign, I shall be with

die a - lone; And His pre - cious blood like a crim - son flood Does for
 sin - ner - s' sake; Oh! what peace He brings! How my glad heart sings; Je - sus
 vic - to - ry; Oh! how sweet to walk! Oh! how sweet to talk With the
 Him I love; I shall dwell some day with my Lord for aye In that

CHORUS.
 all my sin a - tone. It is glo - - ry, won - drous
 died my soul to save. One who died for me.
 Home pre - pared a - bove. Yes, it is glo - ry.

glo - ry, Je - sus saves my soul to - day; I'm so hap - py, I'm so
 yes, it is glo - ry. Yes, I'm so hap - py.

py, Oh! so hap - py; He's the Truth, the Life, the Way.
 hap - py, Yes, I'm so hap - py.

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C. W. Clenet spent the week-end with K. D. Brain.
 Horace Robertson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Hubert Jenkins.
 Little Laird Fox is reported as being quite sick with yellow jaundice.
 Mrs. G. W. Brooks who has been quite sick for some time is reported some better.
 Misses Eunice Page, Birtie Blankenship and Ovie Greares went shopping in Lorenzo Saturday.
 The Misses Michaels were shopping in Lorenzo Monday afternoon.

FRESH vegetables, L. J. Warren, phone 233.

AIKEN

March 21.—So far as we can learn we are all still here in spite of the severe wind Saturday night. Some damage has been reported, but nothing serious that we can hear.
 O. M. Cox has recently installed a radio. He has the loud speaker attached.

The Richmond farm, owned by J. O. Crockett, was sold a few days ago to Hefflefinger & Carter of Plainview. This farm consists of a 160 acre tract two miles northeast of the school house.

M. T. and Dee Zimmerman have been attending court the past week at Floydada.

Mer. Jernigan and two sons from El Paso have been visiting H. F. Kidd and family.

No services were held yesterday on account of the cold weather.
 Only a small crowd attended the P. T. A. at the home of Jason Miller last Friday night. The next meeting will be at Geo. Rigsby's the first Friday night in April.

WHEN you want everything to eat phone 233.

PROVIDENCE

March 26.—C. R. Veigel was taking the school census Thursday.

Florence and Ruth Windhelm spent Monday night at the Lovvorn home.

Mrs. Cowart, Della Ratjen, Ruth and Mamie Phillips also Loraine and Mystabelle Lovvorn took in the ball game between Providence and Aiken Wednesday.

Fred Boedeker left Saturday for a month's visit in East Texas. He will also attend the Lutheran conference which will be held starting the 17th of April and lasting several days. He is one of the delegates from Providence Lutheran church.

The Providence base ball team motored to Aiken and played the Aiken school team Wednesday, the score being 17 to 22 in favor of Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. Kramer and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Kramer's brother, Otto Sammann's baby Tuesday in the Liberty community.

Mrs. Nelson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Josie Lovvorn, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sammann and family attended the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sammann's baby Tuesday.

LAKEVIEW

March 26.—Last Sunday was an ideal spring day, but a high wind from the northeast blew up during the night and it is pretty cold at this writing.

Quite a number had put out cabbage and onion plants before the freeze of the 17th and 18th, which of course, were frozen.

Very good congregations attended both Sunday school and prayer meeting Sunday. Next Sunday each class roll will be revised, as quite a number of the old pupils have moved away, so come and get your name on the new roll. Start in with the new quarter and let's resolve to come regularly with well prepared lessons. We noticed quite a few new faces present Sunday and hope they come again. Would be glad to have all the new comers in the community attend.

There will be an Easter egg hunt at Arthur Landers next Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tucker of Wellington is a visitor in the home of her son, Henry Tucker.

Miss Laura Wimberly, assistant in the Black school, near Friona, came home on the 16th and spent the week-end with home folk.

Mrs. W. H. Ragland and Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Moreland of Abernathy, were visiting in this community last Sunday.

Mr. Robert Myers of Center community is working with Harry Ragland.

One set of the silver ware given away by Stambaugh & Co. of Abernathy, came this way, Mr. Roberts being the lucky man.

Limmie Ragland will be busy this week taking the scholastic census of this district.

Mrs. C. S. Smith took her daughter, Murtice, to Lubbock Saturday and had her tonsils removed. She is doing nicely.

Clifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Moore was stricken with paralysis one day last week, and was taken to a Lubbock sanitarium for treatment. He was not doing so well Sunday.

LOCKNEY

March 23.—W. N. Brown sold this week his stock in the Lockney State

Bank to Mr. E. A. Logan of Littlefield, Texas, Mr. Logan is one of the Plains' most prominent bankers, and will prove a worthy addition to our business interests. He will move to Lockney and take active interest in the bank's affairs. The Beacon, on behalf of our citizenship, welcomes Mr. Logan to our midst. Mr. Brown has farming and other interests in the Lockney section, and he is to remain with us. He has been associated with the State Bank for a number of years as the principal share owner, and has many business as well as personal friends in this section.

Mrs. J. M. Freeman spent several days in Plainview this week visiting with relatives.

Carl McAdams sold this week his lumber stock in the Higginbotham-Eartlett Co., to that company, and resigned as local manager. A man from Lamesa will take charge of the yard here, and the change will be made in a few days.

C. R. Wilkinson had the misfortune to lose his Cleveland car by fire last Friday, near Floydada on the highway connecting the two towns. Mrs. Wilkinson was driving the car at the time and all at once it broke out in flames. The fire is thought to have originated from battery shrotage. The car was insured.

Floyd county can support a population of 40,000 or 50,000 people. More people make more wealth, more and bigger towns. We ought to have a farmer on every quarter section in this county, and better, a farmer on every hundred acres. These large wheat farmers should get away from this wheat speculation, which is making them poorer year by year, and retarding the growth of Floyd county. Diversified farming will double and triple the wealth of this county.

The Mothers club held their regular monthly social meeting with Mrs. E. Guthrie with Mesdames Dyer, Ery, Theodore and Roy Griffith, Ira Broyles, Dodson and Guthrie as hostesses for the evening. This being the season of St. Patrick, the decorations in keeping with the occasion were used in the reception rooms, the dining table was decorated with wide streamers and the Shamrock motif with a large Irish potato illuminated with an electric light. All the lights were draped in the green, and the St. Patrick color scheme was carried out throughout the entire decorations.

According to announcement from San Antonio by P. A. Murphy, Chief of Staff, Headquarters Non-Divisional Group, Organized Reserves of the 8th Corps Area, in which various changes of assignments and attachments of various reserve officers was made public, E. C. Nelson, Jr., of Floydada, was named as having been assigned to the 508th Artillery (Anti-aircraft), 18th Corps.—Beacon.

Olton Is Building Up
 J. B. Maxey, contractor, who is building the new brick court house in Olton, informs us that town has quite a building boom on, as a half-dozen new residences are under construction, and Messrs. Carpenter and Fuller are building a store house in which they will do business.

Lower Income Tax for Many Retailers
 Washington, March 25.—Thousands of retail dry goods dealers will be relieved of paying income tax on portions of their book profits described as "un-realized income" through a new regulation announced today by Commissioner Blair of the Interior Revenue bureau. The change in the bureau code, it was said, may lead eventually to a more uniform system of bookkeeping among the dry goods merchants in order to comply with the bureau requirements and obtain advantage of the tax exemption resulting from the ruling.

Mr. Blair's instructions to internal revenue collectors stated that the tax payers should keep separate records on actual and book profits and that riders attached to the income tax return should show fully the difference in the amount and on which the tax exemption is claimed.

Has Caught 233 Coyotes
 Since coming to Lynn county a little more than four years ago, W. M. (Bill) Thompson has caught with his dogs two hundred and thirty-three coyotes. One large lobo was included in this number. Mr. Thompson is an expert along this line, and always keeps a good pack of hounds to run down and kill the coyotes. Last week he succeeded in catching four on the Tee Bar ranch west of town.

Mr. Thompson always follows his dogs in his Ford car and is general on hand when the dogs have overtaken Mr. Coyote to assist them in finishing the job.—Tahoka News.

Stove Explodes, Injures Woman
 A peculiar and rather serious accident occurred Sunday morning in the home of Jno. Burson. During the extreme cold Saturday night the water back and connections on their kitchen range froze up and when a fire was built in the morning an explosion occurred which wrecked the stove, blew sections of it through the ceiling and seriously burned Mrs. Burson and Miss Bonnie Burson. Mrs. Burson was badly scalded on the face and neck and one of her eyes being seriously injured. Miss Bonnie's burns, while extremely painful are not serious.—Silverton Star.

We do not wonder that Dr. Cone feels better and better every day, for recent trip of several weeks to America netted him \$29,000.

PERSONAL MENTION

E. C. Lamb went to Houston last week on business.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Knight and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Malone have been spending the past two weeks in Mineral Wells.

Richard Dewey of Hale Center was in a Lubbock sanitarium last week for treatment.
 Mrs. Frank Armstrong was visiting her sister, Mrs. Ross Rodgers, in Amarillo the latter part of the week.

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS LOSS FROM IMPURE SEED

Sweetwater, March 24.—Hundreds of thousands of dollars loss was sustained by West Texas farmers in 1922 from their cotton production because they resorted to the planting of impure and defective seed, according to West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which is making an active campaign before the cotton planting season to induce growers to plant only the improved varieties.

Time was when the long-horned cattle browsed on a thousand hills in West Texas. Cattlemen thought them good enough for West Texas. But with the change of time, development of markets and demand for only the best of beef animals, the old notion was dissipated, until today the long-horned specimen is missing from the ranch and the feed lot. In short, they do not pay a dividend.

The time for the farmer to turn from planting the mediocre specimens of cotton seed is in the offing. The farmer who adopts the new plan will find himself benefited financially and otherwise when the gathering season arrives. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce recently has received from a number of important cotton factors purchasing the bulk of West Texas' cotton that unless some remedial ends are attempted in the present year much of the cotton that is produced in this section will bring the lowest market price and some of it will not even find an easy market. Stress is laid upon necessity for the planting of only the improved grades of seed.

"Like produces like", a truism that is evident everywhere in nature, should warn the cotton grower, is the statement of the factors. The practice of farmers of West Texas taking home every seed from the gin and expecting to get a profitable crop from it will have to cease unless West Texas wishes to remain a producer of only mediocre cotton. The planting of the best seed will shortly bring out a plant that will not bring the best grade of cotton, but will provide seed for the sower for the following year.

Never in the history of West Texas was it so imperative to plant the best cotton seed, according to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The advantages of improved livestock so well known in West Texas should be applied to better cotton.

Manners—At the Table.
 Everyone must eat. Anything that has to be done three times a day, year in and year out, should be done well. Besides, it's far more pleasurable to eat in company than to eat alone. But to obtain the fullest enjoyment from breakfast, luncheon, or dinner, one should be sure of his table manners. Otherwise his relish for food and conversation will suffer. And so will that of others who eat with him.

1: Unfold the napkin only half and lay it across the knees; use it as needed without further unfolding; at the end of the meal lay it still half-folded on the table to the right of the finger bowl.

2: Use spoons to eat grapefruit and fruits served with cream boiled eggs, puddings, jellies and so on; to stir and taste bouillon, coffee and tea, before sipping.

3: Use knives only for cutting, holding the food to be cut on the plate with the fork in the left hand, and cutting with the right hand.

4: One uses the fork to convey solid foods to the mouth; if lettuce leaves are too large to be lifted to the mouth folded, cut them with the aid of the fork. Once the knife and fork have been picked up, they should never be laid on the tablecloth again. When not in use they should be placed on the plate near the outer edge. Neither knife or fork should be so placed that it rests partly on the plate and partly on the tablecloth. Should you be asked to pass your plate, pass the knife and fork with it.

5: Use the fingers to eat bread, crackers and cookies, etc., also to eat corn on the cob, French artichokes, lobster claws, shrimps, relishes such as radishes and bonbons and nuts.

Richest People On Earth
 Washington—The world's richest people, the Osage Indians, are to cut another melon, or, more properly, to have it cut for them, the department of interior announced.

For oil leases and royalties to be made on April 6 each member of the tribe of 2,100 Indians will have its annual income increased from \$10,000 to approximately \$15,000 a year.

Like other oil magnates, they toil not. Long after the land in Oklahoma was set aside as a reservation, the richest oil field in the United States was discovered there. Under government supervision, they have leased the oil rights to various companies for a stipulated percentage of the production.

The government relieves them of the trouble of keeping books and makes all collections and sales for them.

Play Up Your Own Personality

Instead of Borrowing Somebody Else's Listen, daughter. Don't be a copy cat. Don't try to be as like every other girl as peas in a pod.

Study your own individuality and develop that. Try to find out in what small respect you differ from the general rank and file of youthful femininity and accentuate that difference. That will make you stand out from the crowd, so that people will notice you, and remember you.

Personality is a greater asset than either beauty or brains, but instead of appreciating this precious gift, and making the most of it, the average girl throws it away, and does her best to make herself as much like every other girl as possible. This puts her into the alboran class where all the Mames, and Sadies, and Mauds, and Gwendolyns wear the same clothes, and do their hair the same way, and slink around with the same gait, and say the same things, and are all so much cut off the same piece that you often wonder that even their respective mothers can tell them apart.

Worse still, instead of emphasizing her own individuality, and dressing the part, and sticking to her own role a girl is often silly enough to under-study some popular girl and try to make herself over according to the perforated paper pattern of some belle who makes a hit with the men. The inevitable result is a grotesque misfit at which every one laughs.

There are girls who are born full of pep and ginger, with quicksilver in their veins, and laughter bubbling spontaneously over their lips. They are the life of every party. They keep every crowd keyed up to their own high spirits. They can do outrageous things without seeming vulgar, or bold or fast, because they are a part of their personality.

A demure, quiet, sedate girl whose first lisped words were "prunes" and "prisms," who was born without a funny bone in her anatomy, or a particle of humor in her system, and who can't see a joke after it is diagrammed for her, observes that the vivacious maiden has hosts of beaux and is much sought after.

So she decides that vivacity is the thing. She buys her gay sport rigs that swear at her. She hops around meaninglessly. She screams at every thing. In her effort to be gay she giggles incessantly. She tells stale stories and off-colored stories in an effort to be funny, and then she wonders why she isn't a success.

There's the girl who is naturally cute and kittenish. She is very small with big, soulful eyes, and she does the toddling child act for all she is worth. She curls up in the corner of a couch. She twists the button on a man's coat, while she gazes up into his eyes and asks him full questions. She talks baby talk and is always hanging on to some "drefful big man" and asking him to "take care of poor little me."

A large, tall, Amazonian girl takes note that the baby child generally has 'steen husky, able-bodied men volunteering for the job of supporting her for life, so Big Bertha has a hunch that the short cut to the masculine fancy is by acting cunning.

Unhappily, however, when a girl who is 5 feet and 7, and who weighs 160 pounds, tries to be cute she doesn't look like a playful kitten. She looks like a performing elephant. Nor does she allure men when she asks them simple, childish questions. They are disgusted at a woman of her size not having enough intelligence to read the daily papers and keep herself informed of current events.

Now remember, daughter, that there is no one type of woman that is universally fascinating, for there are many men of many minds, and each has a different mind about what he admires in the opposite sex. Therefore, instead of being an imitator, be original, and develop to their highest power such charms as nature has given you. Begin with your looks. Find out what is most becoming to you, and wear that instead of slavishly dinking yourself out in the liverly of your set.

Just now the living skeleton is the vogue and every girl is starving herself to death trying to look like a rack of bones. If you happen to be of the plump kind, don't do it. It will make you look like a hag, and nobody will notice you except to think how homely and anaemic you are.

Of course, if you are naturally slender, you may be as willowy as you choose, but it's a different story if your specifications run toward the bungalow instead of the Gothic school of architecture.

So I urge upon you, daughter, to turn the spotlight on what you are, instead of trying to camouflage yourself so that it will resemble something else. If you are a domestic girl, wear beruffled aprons at home and get busy with a chafing dish instead of trying to pull vamp stuff. If you are a practical, common-sense kind of a girl, don't try to act foolish and babyish. Let your common sense stand out like the shadow of a rock in a weedy land. If you are a business girl, don't dress like a society girl and affect to be working for a fad. Let everybody know and see that you've got intelligence and grit enough to knid down a good job.

The way to make a hit is to be the real, genuine, Simonpure article. That is what everybody is looking for, and when they find it in another human being, they fall on it with cries of joy, and call it personality.—Dorothea Dix.

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HALE COUNTY HAPPENINGS

ABERNATHY

March 22.—Knox Landers living one mile south of town on his farm, met with quite a severe accident one day last week while working on his wind mill. In some way he got his finger caught in the machinery and was entirely cut off. It was very painful.

W. E. Bledsoe, who, for the last five or six weeks was quite sick at one of the hotels at Sweetwater, has so far recovered to be brought home last week. He remained with his daughter Mrs. J. O. Jones for a few days and was doing so well that last Monday he was taken home much improved. It is hoped by his many friends that he will entirely recover from his recent sickness.

The feed dealers of Abernathy report that the demand for stock feed of all kinds is greater than for the past six or seven years and is hard to keep a supply on hand. All kinds are bringing a good price.

The committee, Messrs. Struve, Gilbert and Lindsay, that was appointed at a call meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last week to look after the street work that is expected to begin on the streets soon, went to Plainview Tuesday to see about having the light and telephone poles moved off the streets and placed in alleys so the work on the streets can be carried on without being handicapped with the poles.

The B-Sharp club met with Glenn Davis Saturday afternoon, March 17. On account of the bad weather only a small per cent of the membership was present. Miss Maxey gave us a very interesting and helpful talk on "The Hour of Practice," after this a piano solo, "The Morning Bells" by Burgmuller, was rendered by Kate Arnett, Glenn Smith pleased the club by play-

ing a few popular selections on her clarinet. Mrs. McGueena gave a very pleasant reading by Edgar A. Guest. At the conclusion of the program and business session, the host, assisted by his mother, Mrs. L. H. Davis served delicious refreshments.

The final try out for the declaimers will be held March 30, at the auditorium, this determines who shall go to Plainview to enter in the declamation contest there.

The Senior Class will present "Aaron Boggs, Freshman," at the high school auditorium Friday night, March 23, at 8 o'clock.

The members of the music club entertained a number of invited guests at a St. Patrick's party at the home of Mrs. J. O. Jones, Saturday night, March 17th. The house was artistically decorated in green and white; the games and other entertainment, was in keeping with the day, which caused the cheerfulness of old St. Patrick and old Ireland to pervade the evening relics.—Review.

ESTACADO

March 22.—My, winter has come at last, nipping all the buds and freezing everything. I very much fear it has gotten all the peaches.

Floyd Blankenship spent last week-end in Abilene attending to business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Early and Misses Mary and Laura Griffith of Plainview spent Sunday with homefolk.

Willie Robertson who is attending school at Wayland spent Sunday with home folk.

A number of the young folk attended the play at Lorenzo Saturday night. They report a pleasant time until they started home facing the dry blizzard. It took them quite a while to get the sand out of their eyes and ears, and some say they haven't gotten it all out yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greares, Ovie and Lava Greares and Miss Birtie Blankenship spent Sunday with J. J. Jenkins and family.

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tiful shrub), Fragrantissima (evergreen bush
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eysuckle, pure white flowers red berries)
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