

Our Viewpoint by L. E. B.

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Do you know that the man who does the most howling about taxes in Parmer county only paid \$3.50 state and county taxes last year?

School is now out and the kiddies are all excited over vacation. Teachers are leaving and the old routine has gone by the board.

Joe Mims, civics teacher and coach who has accepted a position as principal at White Deer, will follow the revival trail this summer as a Baptist minister.

Mr. Heath, the new superintendent, will of course be busy most of the summer here in Friona. The other teachers will be variously occupied during the summer.

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Mrs. Howard Morris was the honoree at a bridge party and shower tendered in favor of Mrs. R. H. Kinsley Tuesday afternoon, May 19, when twelve ladies met at the Kinsley home.

Woman's Club Meeting

The Friona Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. E. B. McClellan Wednesday, May 13, with a large number present and one visitor. The following program was rendered:

Response, an original poem composed by member. Your favorite feature of all the national parks; route to Wing cave; description of chief features; Mrs. J. R. Maples.

Special attractions of this park and how it differs from all other parks; Mrs. Dilger. After the program refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. E. B. McClellan and Mrs. M. Lacy.

In the original poems read during the response that written by Mrs. Minnie Goodwine was voted by the members to be the best. It is as follows:

It is Spring. The tracery of tender leaves upon the bough. Forest of shady lanes a month from now. The grass creeps up as if to softly listen. Where sparkling dewdrops cling and coolly glisten. The flowers lift shining faces to the sun. The lark his cheerful spring song has begun. We breathe with joy the ill-scented air. And watch the growth around us everywhere. All nature seems to sweetly sing. Of glad fruition—it is spring. MRS. GOODWINE.

Vernon Edwards and wife of Ada, Oklahoma, are visiting L. H. Ruth and family. Mr. Bennett of Amarillo was a Friona visitor Monday.

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Hoping that I have convinced all who read this letter that Friona should have the court house, I am, yours truly,

JEANNETTE WILLIAMS.

P. S.—Another point I wish to mention is that since the county seat is so near the boundary line there are more jail breakers than there would be if the jail was further from the state line, since the jail is so near the state line those in jail are inspired by the thought that if they can succeed in getting across the line the Texas officers can not get them as soon as they would if the prisoners had to go further to reach the line and thereby give the officers more time to catch them. If the county seat were nearer the center of the county officers who were called to various points of the county could get there quicker than they can now as they are situated.

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Our native State, Texas, is still the home of many of our classmates. Flossie Stanford lives with her husband on a farm near Amarillo. Carrie Adams directs physical college, Ruth Harry is a graduate nurse. Inez Campbell, Mildred Hughes and Bernice Johnson are all married and live in Texas.

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Summerfield

BY MRS. L. JOHNSON

Dr. Barnett of Canyon delivered the commencement address at the school auditorium last Friday evening. Marylea Huntley, Cleve Mehar, Jr., Ruth Lookingbill and Gertrude Atchley were members of the senior class.

Misses Thelma Humphries and Eva Blakemore chaperoned a party of eight girls on a horseback ride last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lookingbill and daughter, Ruth, and Maud Noland motored to Tulsa for the week end and for a visit with relatives and friends.

The seventh grade students went to Hereford Wednesday night where their graduating exercises

were held at the high school auditorium.

Miss Wilma Skypola of Westway spent Sunday with Beatrice and Pauline Faugleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knox and baby son of Hereford were Sunday visitors in the parental B. A. Atchley home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Davis and family left Saturday for Wheeler county and other points where they will visit relatives and old friends for two weeks.

Mrs. Alton Lookingbill spent the week end with relatives in Hereford.

Prof. A. M. Walker was a business visitor in Canyon Monday.

Mrs. Inez Humphries left Sunday noon for Canadian after a few days visit with her brother, Gerald Morgan, and family.

The W. M. S. entertained the seniors and faculty with a bun party at the school house Monday night.

The hail storm which struck the south neighborhood last Saturday night did quite a lot of damage to wheat.

Lawrence Jensen of Amarillo visited over the week end with his sister, Mrs. Faugleman and family.

Miss Glen Curry and Mack Noland are numbered among the high school graduates from this community.

Mrs. Godsey and Miss Ollie Godsey of Bovina called on friends in Friona Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Magness of Farwell visited Saturday in the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Magness.

More new hats this week. Come in and select you one. Prices \$1.95 to \$2.95. Virginia's Hat Shop.

Begin Work On Baptist Church at Black Monday

(From the Hereford Brand)
 Construction of a Baptist church at Black will start Monday morning when excavation begins on the basement, according to C. R. Russ and T. J. Hall of the building committee, who were in Hereford Wednesday looking after the financial matters.

The structure will cost about \$2,000. It will be of stucco and have a basement. Dimensions are to be 38 by 40 feet.

Rev. E. H. Harper, who resides on 25-Mile avenue, is the pastor who holds services there twice a month, every second and fourth Sunday.

Four members of the building committee are C. R. Russ, T. J. Hall, Z. Holley, A. C. Hays and D. R. Bennett.

Poultry Group Elects Voegle to Presidency

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 While the boys of the vocational agriculture class will still play a prominent part as in the past in staging the annual poultry show in Hereford, the Tri-County Poultry association is now officered by matured poultrymen in the district which includes Deaf Smith, Castro, Farmer and Randall counties as result of the election held recently.

It is the purpose of the organization to work hand-in-hand with the Future Farmers of Texas, a group of agriculture students under tutelage of B. H. Hopkins, which has functioned so smoothly in holding successful shows and creating an interest in better breeds of birds.

The new officers are N. C. Voegle, president; Mrs. Edith Hughes, vice president, and B. H. Hopkins, secretary-treasurer.

Seven directors were also named to assist in extending the work. Every poultry breeder of the counties concerned are invited to join the association as early as possible in order to have plenty of time to get ready for the poultry show, probably the first week in January.

The directors are James Cloyd, Jack Wright, R. P. Conaway, R. O. Dunkle, Mrs. W. S. Simpson, Horace Hershey and W. I. Kuker. At a later date a superintendent will be selected to direct details incident to the show.

Heavy Damage Done by Hail Near Westway

From The Hereford Brand
 A devastating hail visited his immediate vicinity, eight miles west, last Saturday evening, according to N. P. Sikes, who was in Hereford Monday to file insurance claim for damage. He estimated his loss at 50 per cent. Other reports state that the severe hailstorm did not cover a wide territory.

Eleven-Mile

Miss Euntha Williams, Reporter.

Mrs. L. M. Williams and children were in Umbarger Monday.

The Deaf Smith county singing convention at the community church May 10 was well attended and all reported good singing.

Ernest Battle spent Monday and Tuesday with J. W. Luckett in Amarillo.

Fred Collet and wife were in Hereford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens of Oklahoma are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Wells.

C. W. Humble of Hereford was here Wednesday.

Ernest Battle and brother and J. V. Wells were in Hereford Saturday.

Mr. Reeve was a Hereford visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Otts visited her mother, Mrs. Campbell, the first of the week.

G. W. Wells and son and L. M. Williams were shopping in Hereford Saturday.

L. M. Turner went to Hereford Wednesday.

O. G. Hill visited his ranch in this community Monday. Frank Vetter of Hereford was in this community Monday.

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George Meador, lyric tenor of the Metropolitan Opera, will be at featured artist on the broadcast of Conoco's listeners' hour over WFAA next Monday evening at eight o'clock. This is the final program of the series which began in December. He will be heard in operatic selections, the type of singing which has won him the acclaim of critics.

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Scherer Items

MRS. B. R. FULKERSON

Misses W. H. Hubbard and McCollister spent Monday of last week with Mrs. B. F. Fulkerson.

All had an enjoyable time Tuesday night when they went to the

creek west of Dean and had a wiener roast, given for the school and teacher, Miss Brunson.

Palo Duro Home Makers club met with Mrs. Dean May 14. Miss Guter talked on attraction of a commercial pattern and cut a foundation pattern.

Miss Brunson left Friday for her home in Claude.

Miss Bessie Gunn of Westway spent the week end with Miss Ivy Ragsdale.

Several of this community felt uneasy Friday night when Sheriff Miller warned us to watch our cars, as jail breakers were in this community. One was captured that night in a wheat field one-quarter mile east of the B. F. Fulkerson home. The other was found Saturday in the Wesley house which is vacant.

Mrs. Hart of Amarillo spent the last two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Dean, Miss Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. McCollister, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford and Jack Hubbard attended a program at Ward Thursday night.

Miss Regini Climer of Kansas arrived Thursday to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Voth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crawford ate Sunday dinner in the Hubbard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Dean and Jack Hubbard were Sunday dinner guests at the Walker home.

Mrs. B. R. Fulkerson, Mrs. Lee Crawford, Miss Ivy Ragsdale were in Hereford Friday to do some shopping.

Easter News

By MISS LOUISE FRYE.

Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Fred Walton Friday. Miss Drennon met with the club and gave instruction in preparing vegetables for the table. After the program a social hour was enjoyed when the hostess served ice

cream and cake.

Mozelle Whitfield, Alice and Opal Mobley graduated from the seventh grade Friday night at Dimmitt. Alice gave a reading.

Mrs. Bert Turner and daughter and Mrs. Ed Williams and children arrived last week from California to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith and other relatives and to join their two sons who have been visiting here some time.

L. O. Norton and Mr. Kelly of Amarillo were dinner guests in the Coconaugher home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Saxon Sunday.

Miss Martha and Ben Medley and Louise Frye attended graduation at Dimmitt Friday night.

The trustees received a shipment of books this week to be added to the school library. Most of them are for the lower grades.

We received from two to three inches of rain Saturday night accompanied by some hail. Floyd Hacker, Dow Mercer, Burl France and Judge Buck suffered the greatest damage.

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Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

Sunday, May 24, 1931.

MEANING OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Luke 22:7-23

7. And the day of unleavened bread came, on which the passover must be sacrificed.

8. And he sent Peter and John, saying, Go and make ready for us the passover, that we may eat.

9. And they said unto him, Where wilt thou that we make ready?

10. And he said unto them, Behold, when ye are entered into the city, there shall meet you a man bearing a pitcher of water; follow him into the house whither he goeth.

11. And ye shall say unto the master of the house, The Teacher saith unto thee, Where is the guest-chamber, where I shall eat the passover with my disciples?

12. And he will show you a large upper room furnished: there make ready.

13. And they went, and found as he had said unto them; and they made ready the passover.

14. And when the hour was come, he sat down, and the apostles with him.

15. And he said unto them, With desire I have desired to eat this passover with you before I suffer.

16. For I say unto you, I shall not eat it, until it be fulfilled in the kingdom of God.

17. And he received a cup, and when he had given thanks, he said, Take this, and divide it among yourselves.

18. For I say unto you, I shall not drink from henceforth of the fruit of the vine, until the kingdom of God shall come.

19. And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he brake it, and gave to them, saying, This is my body which is given for you; this do in remembrance of me.

20. And the cup in like manner, saying, This cup is the new covenant in my blood, even that which is poured out for you.

21. Now behold, the hand of him that betrayeth me is with me on the table.

22. For the Son of man indeed goeth, as it hath been determined;

but woe unto the man through whom he is betrayed.

23. And they began to question among themselves, which of them it was that should do this thing.

Golden Text: This do in remembrance of me.—Luke 22:19. Time: Thursday, April 6, A. D. 30. Place: Bethany and the upper room in Jerusalem.

Introduction.

"It is not because we look upon it as a sacrament imparting a mysterious spiritual grace; it is because the vision of Christ which we get when we partake of these emblems of his suffering, and the prayers to Christ that rise from our hearts when we recall what he has done for us, inspire us with a new devotion to him and put within us a courage to face our duties and trials, that we emphasize the importance of being faithful in celebrating this ordinance."—Frank M. Goodchild, in "Around the Lord's Table."

Jesus' Last Days.

"And every day he was teaching in the temple; and every night he went out and lodged in the mount that is called Olivet."—Luke 21:37 (revised version.) This verse summarizes the sections of Luke between the Triumphal Entry and our lesson of today. Chapter 21 contains also the incidents of the widow's mite and the prophecies of Jerusalem's fall. Luke's account of the supper follows the parallels of Matthew and Mark rather closely; but he adds some new material; verses 22:15 and 16, for example; and he alone mentions that it was Peter and John who were directed to make the preparations.

The Upper Room.

"And he will show you a large upper room furnished." Supplied with couches and tables for the feast. "There make ready." The lamb was to be cooked, the wine and unleavened bread, and bitter herbs were to be obtained, with the cup and dishes.

"And they went, and found it as he had said unto them; and they made ready the passover." This upper room was on the roof of the house, reached by outside stairs, and many think that it was part of the home of Mary, the mother of John Mark, "then a young man, who later wrote the Gospel bearing his name. From this supper, John Mark is supposed to have followed Jesus and the apostles into the Garden of Gethsemane (Mark 14:51, 52). To this upper room, according to tradition, the apostles returned after the ascension to engage in the ten days of prayer for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit (Acts 1:13). Thither Peter went after his deliverance from prison and found the disciples gathered there and praying for his release (Acts 12:12). It was in that house, probably, that Mark was converted by Peter (1 Peter 5:13). Probably,

also, it was there that Barnabas came into his first contact with the apostles, and was converted (Acts 4:36, 37; Col. 4:10). Probably Paul, when accompanied by Barnabas, lodged in this home when in Jerusalem (Acts 15:2). It was generally supposed that Mark had in this home that intimate association with Peter which seems to be reflected so clearly in the Gospel by Mark. This Gospel itself may have been written in the same upper room."—John W. Good, Ph. D.

Jesus Preparing for the Supper. The heart of the apostles must be made ready for the new rite, so they might see its meaning and prize it. To that end all his actions in the upper room served. First, he washed the disciples' feet, thus rebuking them for their ambitions for superiority in position. John 13:3-16. Second, he spoke solemnly of his departure as they partook of the Passover meal, saying that the next time he ate it would be when "it was fulfilled in the kingdom of God, and that he would not drink of the wine again until the kingdom of God should come. Third, he showed them how easy it was going to be for them to forget and betray or deny him, by stating that one of their number whose hand was on the table with him was already a traitor, and telling Peter about his coming weakness and denial, Luke 22:34. It was after these things which were not incidental, or accidental, that Jesus instituted the Lord's Supper; spoke the message of John 14-16, and offered the great intercessory prayer (John 17).

In Remembrance of Me.

When the Israelites, under the leadership of Joshua, had passed over the Jordan into Canaan twelve men were sent back, by the Lord's command, into the bed of the river to get twelve stones, and these stones were set up for a memorial of that great deliverance. By these stones the event will be kept fresh in the minds and hearts of generation after generation. In like manner our Lord gave this new ordinance. Luke's record makes it very clear that he meant it to be kept per-

manently in the word "do this", which has in it the idea of continuation. And equally clear is the nature of it, "in remembrance of me". To quote MacLaren, "It is a memorial, and if we are to take our Lord's own explanation, only a memorial. There is nothing here of sacramental efficacy, but simply the loving desire to be remembered."

And how significant it is that Jesus chose to be remembered in terms of his suffering—the broken bread and the wine poured out. It puts the Cross at the center to become the most important, the most characteristic, the most inclusive of all the facts about him. It is as if he said, "If you forget everything else, don't forget the Cross." In the thought of Jesus the world could not really see him and know him except in terms of the Cross. Leave that out and you leave out the real Christ. "Remember that," said Jesus when he said of the broken bread, "This is my body," and of the wine, "This is the new covenant in my blood."

Why Observe the Lord's Supper?

First, it is commanded and, therefore, loyalty demands it—at

its institution Jesus said as to the first emblem, "Take eat"; as to the second emblem, "Drink ye all of it"; and to the entire ordinance, "This do in remembrance of me." Three divine commands: what loyal Christian can disregard them?

Second, it commemorates and, therefore, love demands it—nothing else so truly and so vividly pictures the broken body and the shed blood of the dying Lord as the two elements of this holy ordinance.

Third, it anticipates and, therefore, hope demands it—what a down-flashing from heaven and far look into the glory yet to be there is in the words, "Till he come!" Not a table of the Lord is spread here but that it points onward and upward to the ultimate banquet in the heavenly kingdom.

"As often as ye eat this bread and drink this cup, ye do show the Lord's death till he come."—1 Cor. 11:26.

A memorial and a prophecy.

Miss Bonnie Curry who has been attending McMurry college at Abilene, returned home Monday.

OLD SETTLERS OF PLAINS MEET MAY 23 AT PLAINVIEW

Uniquet features and relics of early times, covered wagons, top buggies and contrasting numbers of the pioneers and the modern, will be seen at the third annual round-up of Plainview pioneers at Plainview Tuesday afternoon, May 23.

At eating time a chuck wagon supper will be served by the cowboy themselves to all present. All pioneers of the Plains are included in the round-up and early settlers of Farmer county are extended an invitation to attend. Bring your clean rags to us.

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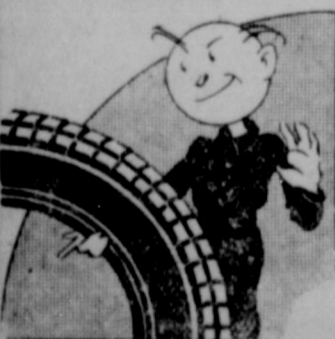
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THE PERFECT CRIME.

By DAYTON HANSON

The great crime story writer, Randolph Chester, was thinking desperate thoughts. His wonderful stories were not read as much as they had been, and he needed some money. He had been foolish and spent most of his money foolishly, thinking, no doubt, that it would go on forever. Ah! he had it! He would perform a perfect crime. It was Chester's habit when in need of a rest and new ideas for his stories, to come to his home in a small village about 200 miles from New York. He went immediately to this village and began laying his plans. His objective was the old bank on the central square. After three weeks of careful planning and work, he had his plans worked out to a second, with no details omitted. He had a key to the side door of the bank that he had made himself from an impression obtained late at night when the watchman

was away, for he had grown careless from years of untroubled times. No attempt had ever been made on the old bank in its history, and it had been built many years ago.

The night before the night of the crime, Chester left the house in his disguise and went to the bank to go over his crime. He got past the watchman easily, and inserting his key into the door he entered the bank, closing the door gently behind him. Once inside the bank, he went swiftly to the large old-fashioned safe that stood in the rear of the building. When a stethoscope and careful manipulation of the dial he opened the safe. Carefully guarding the glow from his tiny flash, he opened the large door and entered the safe. In the back he saw two large canvas sacks, one of which he untied immediately. Suddenly there lay before him many thousands of dollars in gold. This was the deposit of a very wealthy farmer who lived nearby. It was being prepared for shipment to a larger bank. With a sigh of satisfaction and visions of the life to come, he tied the sack and walked out of the safe, closing the door and twirling the knob as he left. With a quick twist of the key he had the door locked and was across the street in the shadows of the big trees growing there long before the watchman returned. He took plenty of time in going home for he was afraid of arousing some dog and maybe have to be questioned as to the reason for being about at that time of night.

The fateful night approached. Chester was nervous as all men are before their first robbery. He was running over the details, wondering if he had failed anywhere. Eleven o'clock was the hour set. He would just have time to catch the midnight special after the robbery. Suddenly the phone jangled, loud and shrill. With an impatient movement he grabbed the receiver.

"Hello. What do you want at this time of night?" he demanded in an irritated voice.

"Why, this is your editor Jessecomb, and I want another one of your stories immediately for publication. Your last one was better than any other you have ever written and the public is howling for another. Get busy and write, you fool!"

"Oh, all right. I'll have one for you in the morning."

Chester walked meditatively toward the table where his typewriter sat. He slipped a sheet of paper into the machine, sank slowly into the chair, and began to type. At first the sheets came out but slowly, but as time progressed, they fell faster and faster. Chester lost all sense of time as the sheets settled about him like a blanket of large snow flakes. His first thoughts of the lateness of the hour was when he finished his manuscript. He noticed that it was beginning to get light outside and his crime had gone uncommitted. Hastily gathering the sheets together he started to read his story. After reading several sheets, he suddenly came to the realization that he had written

SEVENTH GRADE CLASS HISTORY

September, 1924, finds a group of small children entering school at Friona. No one could tell the destiny of any one member. Clyde Sherrieb, Ralph Taylor, May Turner, Virginia Short, Mildred Hughes, Ada Chiles, Edna Reed, and Lora Perry were among this group.

The following year, our second in school, finds Ruth Harry, Carie Adams, Dorothy Landrum, Geneva Massey, Ruby Newman, Joan Clinkscales and Geraldine McFarland in our midst.

Again in 1926 the ranks of this class were larger, as third graders we added to our number Leslie Weis, Olen Ware, Ernest Osborn, Hazel Weis, Opal Ivie and Bernice Johnson.

In 1927 we had only one addition, Harold Hanson entered the fourth grade.

September, 1928, brought only two new pupils to the fifth grade, Nadean Bengier and Buford Richardson.

When we entered the sixth grade in 1930 we found waiting for us Syble Stephenson, Ewal Walker, Flossie Sanderford, Ross Perry, Douglas Frost and John Blackburn.

Then entering the seventh grade in 1930 it took two rooms to place us. Our new ones this year were Herrick Johnson, Pauline Christenberry, Willie Weis, Martha Slagle, Sam Harder, Arlesia Boren, Ailomay Thompson, Goldina Highfill and Luez Campbell.

We predict for this class of 30 members as successful future, both collectively and individually.

Mrs. Miller of Clovis was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Thompson of Hereford are visiting in the home of H. G. Morris this week. The story of the crime he had intended to commit.

Homeland

LUCILLE ALLEN.

Thursday, May 14, Mrs. David Mosley gave a birthday dinner honoring her mother, Mrs. L. A. Collier, on her 80th birthday. Present were Messrs. and Mmes J. W. Hutton and family, C. L. Vestal and son, R. F. Blankenship and family, Mr. O'Dell and Clyde London.

Revs. R. F. Jones and A. L. Eves have been at Lamesa the past week holding a religious discussion.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson of Panhandle were visitors in the Taylor Green home Sunday. Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Green.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wyatt a son, on Friday, May 15. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haley and family of Friona visited Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Blankenship Sunday. Wana Vestal-visited Lucille Bengier Sunday.

Mrs. O. A. Newman returned home Friday from a visit to East Texas. Her step-mother came back with her.

Mrs. Opal Richardson and daughter, Betty Joe, and niece, Olga and Oleta Sluder, and Mrs. O. J. Nailon of Snyder, Oklahoma,

are visiting in the Allen and Nailon homes this week.

Albert Bell and wife are moving to this community. Mr. Bell is a nephew of Fred Bell, living here. Miss Jettie Blankenship spent Friday night and Saturday with Gladys Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mosley and family and Mrs. L. A. Collier were called to Littlefield Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Collier's son-in-law, Mr. Samples. Mrs. Collier will visit there for a while.

On Friday night, May 22, there will be singing at the Homeland church. John F. Taylor and daughter of Clovis are coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Nailor and children of Friona visited in the Allen home Monday.

Wheat Looks Fine.

Nine miles south of Friona wheat looks fine and received a good rain along with some hail the first of this week. Only slight damage was done by the hail. Gardens are growing nicely and farmers are busy putting in row crops.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Rushing Sunday. Mrs. Clark is Mr. Rushing's sister.

Has Appendix Removed.

H. R. Mahler underwent an operation for the removal of his appendix Sunday in the Hereford hospital. The operation was performed by Dr. R. R. Wills of this city.

If you don't decide today, you will find us here tomorrow. Virginia's Hat Shop.

J. G. Singer of Littlefield and Miss Geneva Brassiere of Muleshoe were looking after telephone interests here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Clement and children, Cecil Roy and Edna Bee, visited relatives at Littlefield Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Clement returned home Sunday evening, the children remaining with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, where they will visit indefinitely.

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Read Down		Read Up	
Lv 9:00 a m	4:00 p m	Amarillo	5:45 p m 11:00 p m Lv
Lv 9:40 a m	4:40 p m	Canyon	5:05 p m 10:20 p m Lv
Lv 10:00 a m	5:00 p m	Umbarger	4:45 p m 10:00 p m Lv
Lv 10:10 a m	5:10 p m	Dawn	4:35 p m 9:50 p m Lv
Lv 10:30 a m	5:30 p m	Hereford	4:15 p m 9:30 p m Lv
Lv 10:50 a m	5:50 p m	Summerfield	3:55 p m 9:10 p m Lv
Lv 11:00 a m	6:00 p m	Black	3:45 p m 9:00 p m Lv
Lv 11:15 a m	6:15 p m	Friona	3:30 p m 8:45 p m Lv
Lv 11:35 a m	6:35 p m	Bovina	3:10 p m 8:25 p m Lv
Lv 11:55 a m	6:55 p m	Far. Texico	2:50 c t 8:05 c t Lv
Ar 11:15 m t	6:15 m t	Clovis	1:30 6:45 Lv

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