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Our Viewpoint

by L. E. B.

LET'S GO!

School is just starting and fall is just around the corner. With the advent of cold weather, which is promised by the wonderful cold nights we are now having, things will begin to pick up again in the business world. People will start buying their fall and winter needs and the merchants who advertise and let the world know what they have for sale and what is asked for it will be the ones to get the lion's share of trade.

Are you going to sit idly by and watch your competitor in a neighboring town draw your business away from you? Every day our local post office is flooded with circulars from out of town merchants asking our people to trade with them. These circulars are mostly thrown on the floor as soon as the recipient lays hands on them. You never see any copies of the Friona Star lying on the floor of the post office. Our subscribers take the paper home and read it. If you advertise in the Star they will take your ad home and read it too, but if you send the circulars for which they have not asked the floor will be their resting place.

Don't take our word for this. Ask you own or any other postmaster.

Right now is the time to begin advertising for fall business. Come at and tell the prospects what you have to tell them in the right way through newspaper advertising.

Just as the early bird gets the first worm, so does the early fall advertiser get the first buyers.

Say, the other fellow pulled a good one on us. He asked us how to spell Texas, and we spelled it T-e-x-a-s. He says that spelling has been changed and that now it is spelled T-a-x-e-s. Guess he's right. If the legislature does not stop convening we sure will be the State of Taxes all right.

We notice from the State-Line Tribune that Editor Graham has just returned from a fishing trip. The lucky stiff! No, we won't call his "Ananias" over his fishing story. We can tell some tall fish stories too, and we wish we had been along.

We picked this up from a piece of advertising and it hit us so strong that we reprint it for your consideration:

"The greatest gift a father can give his children is an education which will prepare them to take their rightful places in the world, among other educated men and women, and which will enable them to enjoy the rewards and the pleasures that come with the ability to earn a good living.

"Today's children will face a world vastly different from that in which we live. It will be a world of specialization. Business will be conducted on a scale ten thousand times as great as today's scale. In the struggle for success, the boy without training cannot reasonably be expected to win over the trained man.

"Tomorrow's great men are the children of today. Tonight you will dine with a boy or girl who are just boys and girls. But tomorrow that child may be a great musician, minister, physician, college president or business and industrial leader. In the children of today slumbers the genius of tomorrow who will thrill the world with its greatness. In little beds tonight all over the country the greatest men and women of tomorrow are sleeping.

If there is genius in your child give it a chance."

The great trouble with most of the political programs for tax reduction is that when they suggest reducing one item of taxation they seek new methods or sources of taxation to produce a greater total tax than before.

While business, agriculture and labor are receiving less gross income, the tax spenders not only refuse to reduce tax bills but actually increase the tax load.

The last Congress, the most expensive peace-time Congress on record, appropriated \$10,200,000,000 to be raised by the American people from a greatly reduced income.

Tax figures in Oregon are typical of those of many other states. Local taxation in the state increased 44.4 per cent from 1920 to 1930. Bonded indebtedness jumped 87.2 per cent in the same time, while property assessments in the state increased only 8.1 per cent and the population 21.8 per cent.

J. J. Curry of Amarillo visited friends in Friona Sunday.

Woman's Club to Meet With Mrs. Goodwine

The Friona Woman's club will begin its meetings after the summer vacation on September 9, when Mrs. Minnie Goodwine, assisted by Mrs. Fred White, will be hostesses at the Goodwine home south of town. The event is president's day and the program will be as follows:

Song.
Club collect: Membership.
What I pledge my club this year.
President's message: Mrs. Kinsley.

What is going on in the world today: Mrs. Wilkinson.
Vocal trio: Mmes. Hanson, Crawford and Reeve.
Parliamentary drill.
Reminiscences: Charter members.

DIFFERENCE IN STATE TESTED AND CERTIFIED SEED LAWS EXPLAINED

Instances of misunderstanding on the part of seedsmen and farmers regarding the two state seed laws led R. V. Miller, seed certification chief in the department of agriculture to explain the respective fields of the two laws. With the seed harvest approaching, after which seed will be put on the market for planting next year's crop, it is expedient that we review the laws which cover field seed, it is explained.

There seems to be misunderstandings as to what the two Texas seed laws cover. A number of instances have been reported in which local dealers offered seed under the impression that it was certified, and farmers purchased it with that understanding. This led to some disappointments. One farmer purchased what he understood to be certified ribbon cane, and found after planting it was a mixture of ordinary sweet sorghums. This complaint was brought to the certification division. Since there has been no ribbon cane certified, the seed he purchased obviously was not certified. Investigation showed both seedsmen and farmer mistook the tested seed label for a certification label, attesting varietal purity.

Each of the seed laws is of extreme importance. The tested seed law furnished information which can be obtained from analysis of a representative sample of seed, without reference to strains or varieties; germination, that is percentage of seeds which will sprout under actual growing conditions; amount of inert matter, dust, chaff, etc.; weed seed, noxious weed seed, and other field seed present.

This test does not give evidence as to varietal purity since it is impossible to determine varietal purity from an examination of a given sample. The information obtained by this test, however, should be sought by purchasers. Seed which germinates 80 per cent is twice as good as seed which germinates 40 per cent; and Johnson grass and other weed seeds are too plentiful to be purchased. If a farmer wants weed seed he can collect them along the road side. The white tag, containing this information, evidences tested seed. Certification, on the other hand, is attested by a red tag.

The certification law is widely different from the tested seed law. It is based on the fact that varietal purity cannot be determined by sample analysis, hence field seed inspection of the growing crop is the backbone of the law. Under this law, the production of all firms voluntarily applying is measured by the yardstick of recognized breeding principles. In purchasing sorghums, hegar, milos, kafirs, sudans, su-mack, feterita, cotton, oats and wheat, the red tag assures the purchaser he is obtaining seed practically 100 per cent pure in strain.

In case of doubt, the farmer should communicate with the department of agriculture for a list of qualified certified seed producers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Farris have returned from Oklahoma where Mrs. Farris has been for some time visiting relatives.

Miss Vanloh Leaves.

Miss Florence Vanloh of Burk-burnett, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Sikes, this summer, will leave for her home Sunday.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Sunday school is showing good interest in all departments. Mrs. Burton is asking for more space for her beginners. In spite of the regular Sunday showers our average attendance was 20 for the month of August.

Sunday evening training department made an average of 50 with the seniors leading. The average for August was 15.

Each auxiliary and department of the church will begin with new officers following our annual election Wednesday evening.

Our church is glad to welcome the school teachers, both new and old, into all departments of our services.

A group of our folks attended the workers conference at Dimmitt. The Y. W. A. girls with Mrs. Dilger as pianist delighted the audience with two beautiful numbers. They were invited to sing at the district meeting at Pisin-view in June. Those singing were Misses Goldina Highfill, Virginia Short, Velma York and Benna Burton.

Friona Baptists entertain the annual associational meeting of Tierra Blanca Baptist association and expect 200 messengers. September 16 is given to women's work. Mrs. Leigh of Dallas will be principal speaker. September 17 is given to church reports and routine business. There will be reports covering all phases of our church work. Rev. Lindsey of Tulla is moderator.

Bros. Highfill and Dilger and some of the young men are placing concrete steps at the rear entrance of the church and it is a great improvement.

Rev. Landstrom, pastor, is busy with local work and has been assisting Rev. Jones of Homeland this week in a revival, with good crowds and interest.

The pastor and family took Sunday dinner in the Robinson home, nine miles east of Friona.

You are invited to attend services each Sunday. Enter into our friendship, enjoy our fellowship and join us in worship.

Beautiful Yard Contest Winners Are Announced

Winners in the beautiful yard contest sponsored by the Friona Woman's Club are announced by the judges as follows:

First: Ruby Kinsley.
Second: O. F. Lange.
Third: E. F. Sylvester.
Fourth: L. R. Dilger.
Fifth: J. C. Wilkinson.
Honorable mention was given H. A. Bennett, Marvin Whaley, Earl Watkins, J. W. Parr, W. H. Warren, D. Hanson, S. Taylor, Mrs. S. K. Smith, Rev. Beattie and E. S. White.

Judging took place Wednesday, August 26, and judges were J. C. Temple, Farwell, and B. H. Hopkins of Hereford.

Winners in the country homes division were Oscar Turner first, and Mrs. Minnie Goodwine, second.

The contests sponsored annually by the woman's club are resulting in great improvement in Friona yards. Much interest is taken in the contest and competition grows keen as the contest near the end.

Down town business houses have not as yet taken much interest in beautification, only three having made attempts at improvement. The judges recommended that Rockwell Bros. Lumber Co., M. A. Crum and the Friona State Bank be congratulated for their efforts.

CHEAP FEED BEING FED TO SWINE

Wheat farmers of Wheeler county are bringing in feeder hogs to be used as a market for their grain, according to the report of the farm agent of that county, E. Lee of Wheeler and A. I. Baird of Mobeetie are going to feed out 800 and 600 head respectively as demonstrations, using 30 cent wheat for grain, and tankage and cotton seed meal for protein. The county agent will cooperate with them in watching the development of the demonstration and keeping records of the demonstrations. In this way it is planned to show the value of livestock as a grain market in Wheeler county.

By the Camera

Certain diseases are diagnosed in a very early stage by the camera. For instance, a rash, invisible to the eye, is easily shown up by the lens.

Tonsil and Adenoid Clinic Big Success

The tonsil and adenoid clinic held under auspices of the Parmer county health association this past week was a tremendous success. Dr. R. R. Willis operated on 23 children during the two days that the clinic was forced to last.

The clinic opened in Farwell Tuesday morning and seven children underwent operations. Conditions caused the clinic to suspend the afternoon session, which was scheduled for Bovina, and the following morning opened in Friona school house where 16 children appeared for operations. Dr. Willis worked from 9:30 Friday morning until 7:30 that evening. The Bovina clinic has not yet been held. The work done by the clinic will be of inestimable benefit to Parmer county children in relieving them of many days of illness when cold weather arrives. Miss Richter, health nurse, will in the near future examine all school children in the county and make recommendations to parents of defective children.

Mrs. Echols Entertains Friends

Mrs. Pete Echols was hostess Wednesday afternoon to a number of friends who were entertained at bridge in her home. Delightful refreshments were served to 16 ladies, who were privileged to be present. They were:

Mmes. Fleet, Kinsley, Bauerfeld, Morris, Roden, Wilkinson, Maurer, Lange, Blackwell, King, Lust, Wulfman, Hanson, and Misses Ruby Guilliams, Eleanor Welch and Hendricks.

Junior Woman's Club Meets

The Junior Woman's Club met Tuesday, August 18, at the home of Mrs. Wright Williams, when a very interesting story was told by Mrs. H. T. Magnus, president, after which the remainder of the evening was spent playing bridge. Delightful refreshments were then served by the hostesses, Miss Alice Guyer and Mrs. Wright Williams. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Sloan Osborn September 12th. Each member is urged to be present.

Tri-State Fair Gets Ready for Big Attendance

Amarillo—With the addition of new departments and the enlargement of others, in all of which entries are being made earlier this year than ever before, indications are that housing facilities at the Amarillo Tri-State fair, September 21-26, will be taxed long before the opening date.

Wilbur C. Hawk, president, and his board of directors and superintendents already are faced with the problem of additional space for some of the major departments, particularly the agriculture and livestock and poultry displays, if entries continue to be made at a pace to match the early start.

Free Gate

"With more than \$15,000 in cash prizes offered, super-attractions already contracted for both day and night performances, and the Tri-State Fair's now famous free gate, I predict the 1931 fair will be the greatest in the Panhandle's history," remarked Mr. Hawk.

So popular was the rodeo last year that it was decided to continue this attraction as a regular feature. Leonard Stroud will present his renowned performers and more than 100 head of rodeo stock in six afternoon performances before the grandstand, while the night attraction will be in the form of a gigantic chorus followed by the largest fireworks display ever shown in Amarillo.

As usual, various days will be designated for cities over the Plains country, which will send delegations and bands here on their respective days, and New Mexico boosters already send assurance of a record-breaking attendance from that state.

With favorable weather, directors see no reason why this year's fair will not set up an all-time attendance mark.

Health Hints

Healthy, Wealthy and Wise.

The following suggestions from Danile Kress in regard to diet may serve as a beneficial guide to those who wish to be "rational with rations":

Avoid eating a great variety at any one meal. By eating not too great a variety at any one meal, frequent changes may be made in the meals and that sameness which leads to disrelish of the meal may be avoided.

Thoroughly masticate your food and do not make a practice of eating freely of soft, starchy foods. Eat with such foods something that demands mastication.

Regularity of meals is essential. There should be an interval of at least five hours between meals, as a rule, with nothing between meals. Ordinarily three meals a day are ample. For brain workers whose habits are sedentary, two meals are better than three.

The evening meal should be light and composed of foods that are easy of digestion. When sleeping the stomach should be at rest. Vegetables and fruits do not make the most desirable combination. They should not as a rule be eaten at the same meal.

Sugar and milk used together, or preparations in which they are combined, favor fermentation and should not be used freely.

Milk is a food, not a drink. Eat some food requiring chewing with it or else sip it slowly. If saliva is mingled with it the formation of hard curds is prevented.

Sleep immediately before or immediately after eating retards digestion, so does hard mental or physical work. A few minutes of rest and relaxation before meals and cheerful moderate exercises for 30 minutes after meals has a beneficial influence on digestion. Walking is the best of all exercises.

Meat is not a necessity. The proteins of nuts, grains, legumes and cottage cheese are ample to meet the demands of the body. Nuts, olives and cream serve fats in the best form.

Pepper, mustard and pickles are irritants and should not be indulged in. Extreme irritation and ulceration of the stomach may frequently be traced to their continuous use.

The use of hot foods or hot drinks should be avoided. They tend to debilitate the mucous membrane of the throat and stomach.

Copious drinking at meal time or immediately after should not be indulged in, especially by those who subsist largely upon starchy foods. A half glassful of water may with benefit be taken at or near the close of any meal.

The best time to drink freely of water is when the stomach is empty, at night before retiring or in the morning soon after rising, or a half hour before meals. Drink at these periods aids in cleansing out the stomach or answers the purpose of an internal bath.

HUMORIST ADDRESSES TEACHERS INSTITUTE

Canyon, Sept. 12.—Many people in the territory surrounding Canyon have written in asking when Josh Lee, famous humorist of the University of Oklahoma faculty, will be here September 3, 4 and 5 as a part of the program of the Panhandle-Plains County Institute. The public is invited to hear him, according to the statement of Prof. F. E. Savage, who is conducting the meeting.

Lee will give his lecture, "The Pot of Gold" at 2 o'clock Thursday; "Is Popular Government Breaking Down?" will be his subject at 8:15 p. m. Thursday, and on Friday at 1:30 p. m. he will give what is perhaps his most famous lecture, "The Prince of the House of David". The auditorium at the W. T. S. T. C. will hold 1000 people, and all who can be accommodated will be welcome. Josh Lee is one of the best known lecturers in the Southwest.

Revival Continues.

The open air revival which is being conducted in the open air on the lot next door to the Friona State bank is still going on. Rev. Oscar Hines who is conducting the revival says that many souls are being saved and asks that everyone come out and hear the Word.

Singing at Homeland.

The Parmer County Plateau singing convention will be held at Homeland Sunday, September 6. Lots of good singers and lots of good singing. Everybody come and bring a basket dinner and have a good time.

Diphtheria Antitoxin September 4

The diphtheria antitoxin has been received by the Parmer county health association and will be administered free to school children at Bovina Friday, September 4th. The second dose will be administered September 18. Two doses are required for immunization from this disease.

It was announced some time ago that the doses would be given, but failure of arrival of the serum forced postponement of the treatments.

It is requested that parents be sure to bring their children so that they may have the advantage of these treatments which ward off one of the most dangerous diseases of childhood.

Rural Homes Judging Friday

Judging of the yards in the contest for rural homes being conducted by the county federation will be done Friday, September 4. Valuable prizes have been secured for winners of first, second and third places. Thirteen homes will be judged in the county following eliminations in local contests of rural homes around Friona and at Homeland. There were also entries from Rhea, Bovina, Oklahoma Lane and Lariat.

There are probably many attractive homes not listed in the contest, but it is the hope of the ladies of the federation that this contest will make the beginning of increased interest in beautifying our home grounds which will grow from year to year.

Farmers Store Moves.

The Farmers Cooperative Mercantile Company has moved from its location next to Galloway's hardware to the Hicks building. The move was made Monday, August 31, and was in the interests of economy.

THIS FAMILY LIVES AT HOME

Last year Mrs. Ed Holmes of the Sand Hill community in Floyd county had a garden 75 by 30 feet. On this she raised 30 varieties of vegetables. Three hundred quarts were canned of which 68 were tomatoes and tomato juice. According to a report made to Miss Martha Faulkner, county home agent, her expenses for the planting, caring for the garden and canning the products amounted to \$23.70, and her profit on the investment was \$95.

This year Mrs. Holmes enlarged her garden plot to 75 by 60 feet. She has grown spinach, beans, mustard, cabbage, beets, squash, black-eyed peas, English peas, butter beans, tomatoes, carrots, corn, okra, cucumbers, onions and two perennials, asparagus and rhubarb.

Watermelons are being grown for use in preparing watermelon products as well as for present enjoyment and about 50 strawberry and dewberry plants supply the table well and a few over to can.

"We have fresh vegetables from May to frost every year. We expect to have a good fall garden. We have never gone in debt for any groceries," Mrs. Holmes said. The first canning this year was English peas, on June 5th, since when Mrs. Holmes has canned 45 No. 2 cans of beets, 8 English peas, 15 quarts of beets, 15 cans spinach and 7 cans of okra.

Mrs. Holmes has a new plot of ground for her garden and fertilizer about every other year with barnyard manure. The garden is irrigated by water from a nearby well.

The Holmes family have 14 cows and a number of the finest stock registered hogs. They canned 175 cans of beef and pork for last winter's use.

Miss Susie Miller and brother, Guy Miller, together with Mrs. Duke and mother, all of Chillicothe, visited Mrs. F. A. Cannon last Wednesday while returning from the rodeo in New Mexico. Miss Susie and Guy have purchased land near here and will return and make their home on their new farm.

May Be Cotton Substitute

"Kendye" is an Asiatic plant which, it is claimed, produces a fiber which can be used as a substitute for cotton.

Friona Schools Start Classes Next Monday

School will start in earnest on Monday, September 7, when classes begin the year's work. Monday all teachers reported to Prof. Heath, superintendent, and preparations were made to enroll the pupils who reported Tuesday and Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday the teachers attended the institute at Canyon.

In spite of the new high school building which takes the high school out of the old school building, there is barely room to handle the many pupils who will attend Friona schools this year. Some of the classes are so large that it is necessary to have two rooms for them, thus taking all the class rooms in the old building to care for grade school classes. Even the old domestic science room is being made into a class room.

The high school is housed in its splendid new building and will have ample room to accommodate all pupils in that department. New and modern equipment, together with an excellent faculty, will make our high school one of the best and most efficient in the state.

Shower for Mrs. Wulfman Monday

Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson invited about 30 ladies to attend a bridge shower at her home Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Boyce Wulfman, nee Texanna Kessler, a recent bride.

Seven tables were set for the following ladies: Mmes. G. A. Wulfman, Farwell, mother of the groom; Eads of Farwell; Miss Martha Wulfman, Farwell; Mrs. Glenn Weir, Hereford; Kinsley, Crawford, Hanson, Weir, Fleet, Blackwell, Roden, King, Rushing, Echols, Etheridge, Maurer, Whitley, Warren, Hughes, S. Warren, Lange, Wilkinson; Misses Eloyse Pitman, Esther Reeve, Mary Reeve, H. Meyer, Joplin, Harrison and Fanny Mae Hendrix. Mrs. Boyce Wulfman, honoree.

High score was won by Miss Pitman who later presented it to the bride as a gift. The prize was an ice bucket with tongs.

The house was decorated with a color scheme of yellow and white and refreshments consisting of angel food cake, golden punch and ice cream and cantaloupe were served the guests.

After the bridge games were finished little Miss Doris Ann Lange, dressed as a bride and Marilyn Warren as a groom, presented the honoree a bouquet of flowers tied with yellow ribbon. The flowers were attached to long yellow streamers which Mrs. Wulfman was told to follow as they led to happiness. Upon following these streamers she found many beautiful gifts awaiting her.

Flower Show In Farwell

All lovers of flowers should not forget the flower show to be held at the court house in Farwell Saturday afternoon, September 5.

Anyone in the county who has any varieties of the flowers listed is invited to send a display. All entries should be in by one o'clock. The cut flowers should be placed in quart jars only.

The different communities of the county are especially urged to send community displays. Each community will be expected to arrange its own display.

WILL YOU PLEASE PASS THE WATERMELON SYRUP?

A possible new breakfast table delicacy, Texas watermelon syrup, is the newest food out. The use for surplus melons was suggested in a letter to the state department of agriculture from Arthur L. Traylor, farmer of near Omaha, Texas. Traylor wrote he had made watermelon syrup and found it good. He sought information regarding whether or not this use for melons ever had been tried before.

Flagg News

By MRS. W. T. SUMMER

The county Federation of Women's clubs will meet with Flagg

Tuesday, September 8. An all-day program will be rendered by members of the various clubs over the county, and it is expected that an outstanding speaker will be present. Each and every lady in

the county are invited to be present, and all clubs of the county are especially urged to be present on that day. The meeting will be held at the church house. Our school will open Monday, September 7.

A heavy rain fell here Sunday night, and it was greatly appreciated.

A large number of our people attended church at Cleo last Sunday.

Gwendolyn Armes was a dinner guest of Lorene Simpson Sunday. Mrs. Herring and Jay Taylor of Amarillo were business visitors in Flagg Saturday.

Little Avis Pennington of Plainview is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Senters, here this week.

Rev. Hardesty of Abilene visited in the Senters home last week and preached at Dimmitt Sunday morning.

Mrs. Davis of Tennessee is visiting her mother, Mrs. Senters, this week.

W. T. Summer and wife and Mrs. Senters attended the Workers Conference at Dimmitt Wednesday of last week.

CLASSIFIED

YOUNG PEOPLE WANTED: A quick and practical plan that will enable two young men and three young women to prepare for good incomes in the shortest time and at minimum expense will be gladly explained to those anxious to step into early-paying positions. Clip and mail this at once for Special Plan. First come, first served. Draughon's College, Lubbock, Texas.

and son and her sister, Nola Neill, left on a vacation trip last Thursday to points in New and Old Mexico.

Misses Mary Lee Curry and Maude Noland were visitors of Marguerite Fuller of Hereford over the past week end.

Miss Ruth Smith is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. B. C. Roberson. Miss Smith will teach at Wyche the coming year.

Several from the Friona Community attended church services here Sunday night.

Miss Marguerite Fuller of Hereford visited several days last week with her friend, Mary Lee Curry.

Several of our club ladies have made a fine showing of canned fruits and vegetables. We hope to get a complete list of each and the amount to publish later.

Mrs. E. L. Keith and sons of Borger visited several days with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Davis, last week.

Mr. Goudy of Plainview is visiting his sister, Mrs. Oglesby.

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MRS. J. J. CRAWFORD

The ladies club entertained their husbands at a social at the Baptist church Thursday evening. Games were played, after which sandwiches, ice cream and cake, were served to all those present. All reported a pleasant evening.

J. J. Crawford and daughter, Maurika, spent a few days this week visiting relatives in Roswell and Carrizozo, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Nonnie Smith returned last week from their summer vacation.

Fern Barnett is very sick, caused from a tooth he had pulled a few days ago.

Aubrey Scarborough of Roswell was a visitor in the J. J. Crawford home a few days this week.

School opened here Monday morning with Nonnie A. Smith as superintendent, Miss Bonnie Curry, Intermediate, and Mrs. Oren Bennett, primary.

The car in which Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scarborough and daughter, Maurika, were returning from the mountains last Sunday evening, was struck by a truck just below Bovina. The car, which was a new Chevrolet, was smashed rather badly, but the occupants escaped with only a few bruises.

WANTED—Clean white cotton rags. Bring them to the editor at the Star office.

MISS GUNTER SENDS CANNING INSTRUCTIONS

(From the Hereford Brand)

Miss Emma Gunter, former demonstration agent in this county, and who will assist in the 4-H club and women's club exhibitions at the Tri-State Fair to be held in Amarillo September 21-26, has sent final instructions to club workers here concerning entry for exhibition and competition there.

Owing to the preparation made by club workers before demonstration discontinuance this summer, Deaf Smith county girls and women are eligible to take work to the Tri-State Fair if they complete their projects or club work as it was begun. Miss Gunter urges all who are able to complete their work and exhibit it.

Each club worker must finish their record book for the entire year and send it along with the exhibit to the fair. Labels for canned goods to be exhibited have been sent to Mrs. Bob Wilson where they may be secured free by calling at her home, or writing or phoning her so she may send direct to the user. Miss Gunter sends the two following recipes for club canning and an outline of what is needed in club work histories:

Canned Tomatoes.

Put uniform ripe tomatoes into a sieve or plain sack and lower into boiling water for one minute. Remove at once to prevent cooking. Plunge into cold water to make fruit firm. With a slender pointed knife remove core, taking care not to cut seed cells, then peel. Keep the tomato whole. Pack closely in sterilized jar, add to each qt jar 2 tsp salt and sugar mixture (made in proportion to 2 tsp salt and 1 tsp sugar); fill jar running over with tomato puree. This is made by cooking small or broken tomatoes until tender. Run through sieve to remove pulp and seeds. Cook the puree until the consistency of ketchup. Adjust rubber and lid, set in vessel, cover jar with boiling water and process 25 minutes. Remove jars from water and seal. Tomatoes canned in this way may be served sliced or stuffed for salad. Puree may be used for soups.

Canned Peaches.

Select firm, ripe peaches. Peel, cut into halves and pour hot syrup over fruit made by boiling for 5 minutes sugar and water in proportion of 3 c sugar to 4 c water. Allow fruit to stand in this syrup until cold, then pack, placing the halves into overlapping layers the concave surface of each going downward and the blossom end facing the glass. Fill jar with syrup, adjust rubber and lid and process 20 minutes under water.

Suggested Outline for Home Demonstration Club Girls' Histories:

Introduction. When joined club and why.

Productive demonstration. What productive demonstration did you choose and why? Tell what you did in caring for it and principles applied.

Food Preparation. Show food principles learned. Show definitely what you have done at home in

cooking as a result of your club work.

Food Preservation. Show canning principles learned. Show definitely what you have done at home in canning, amount and kind.

Clothing. Show clothing principles learned. Show definitely what you have done at home in clothing, amount and kind.

Home Improvement. Show home improvement principles learned. Show definitely what you have done in home improvement, exterior and interior.

General. What part have you taken in club work, offices held, etc. Short courses and encampments attended. What has club

work meant to you. Value. 8. To be written on theme page and pinned to year book.

A successful protest against the lowering of the salary of their demonstration agent, Miss Lillian Carmichael, was made recently by the demonstration club women of Nueces county, when a delegation appeared before their commissioners court in an appeal to keep up the work.

Catching Criminals

Fingerprints may have been used 8,000 years ago by ancient detectives, but there were some scoundrels of that time who haven't been caught yet.—Sioux City Journal.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- Binder with Index ----- 25c
- Composition Books ----- 5c
- Note Books ----- 5c
- Mechanical Pencil ----- 25c
- Pencils ----- All Prices
- Ten Dandy Crayons ----- 5c
- Wonderful Tablet Values ----- 5c
- Gluey Paste ----- 8c
- School Bags ----- 49c
- Carter's Ink ----- 9c

RUSHING'S 5c to \$1.00 STORE

BE WELL DRESSED!

WITH CLOTHES NEATLY PRESSED AND PRESSED

During the first two weeks of school we will give a special 10 per cent discount on all cleaning and pressing to students and teachers only.

Sterling Cleaners

Summerfield

BY MRS. L. JOHNSON

Rev. Coe is holding a series of revival meetings this week. There is good preaching and everybody is invited.

Miss Christine Chapman of Lancaster came in Saturday. She will teach the primary grades this school year.

Mr. and Ms. Gerald Morgan of Adrian were Sunday visitors with old friends and attended the ball game between Summerfield and Adrian.

Our teachers will leave Thursday for Canyon for a two days institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayburn Carr were in the Lakeview community Sunday visiting relatives and old friends.

Curtis Chapman of Borger visited his sister, Christine, last Sunday.

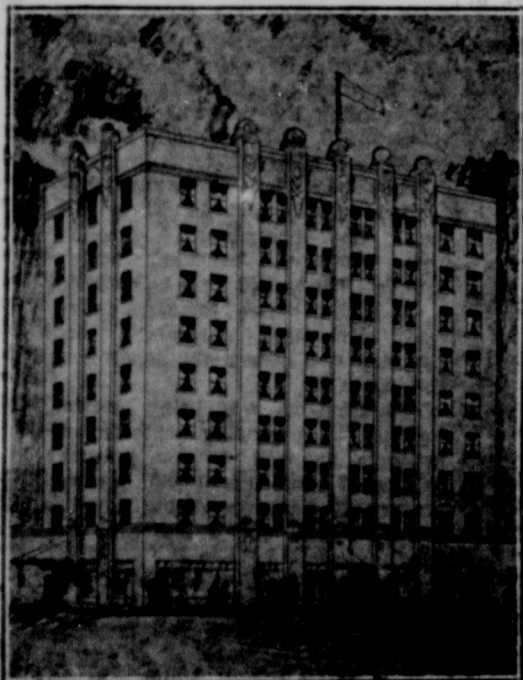
Mrs. Effie Kitchin and daughter, Irene, of Breckenridge visited in the home of her brother, Lee Curry, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helseman and children of Vega spent the past week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Huckert.

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September 6, 1931

TURNING TO THE GENTILES

Acts 13:42-52; Rom. 1:14-16

Acts 13:42. And as they went out, they besought that these words might be spoken to them the next Sabbath.

43. Now when the synagogue broke up, many of the Jews and of the devout proselytes followed Paul and Barnabas; who, speaking to them, urged them to continue in the grace of God.

44. And the next Sabbath almost the whole city was gathered together to hear the word of God.

45. But when the Jews saw the multitudes, they were filled with jealousy, and contradicted the things which were spoken by Paul, and blasphemed.

46. And Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly and said, It was unnecessary that the word of God should first be spoken to you. Seeing ye thrust it from you, and judge yourselves unworthy of eternal life, lo, we turn to the Gentiles.

47. For so hath the Lord commanded us, saying, I have set thee for a light of the Gentiles, that thou shouldst be for salvation unto the uttermost part of the earth.

48. And as the Gentiles heard this, they were glad, and glorified the word of God: and as many as were ordained to eternal life believed.

49. And the word of God was spread abroad throughout all the region.

50. But the Jews urged on the devout women of honorable estate and the chief men of the city, and stirred up a persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and cast them out of their borders.

51. But they shook off the dust of their feet against them, and came unto Iconium.

52. And the disciples were filled with joy and with the Holy Spirit. Rom. 1:14. I am debtor both to Greeks and to Barbarians, both to the wise and to the foolish.

15. So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you also that are in Rome.

16. For I am not ashamed of the gospel; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.

Golden Text: I have set thee for a light of the Gentiles. That thou shouldst be for salvation unto the uttermost part of the earth.—Acts 13:47.
Time: A. D. 48.
Place: Perga in Pamphylia. Antioch of Pisidia.

Introduction.

As always where there were Jews in a city, Paul began his work with them. The synagogue which the two missionaries attended on that memorable Sabbath was doubtless arranged like all other synagogues, with the ark at one end containing the rolls of the law, with a veil and lamps before it. At the same end sat the rulers of the synagogue, whose business it was to arrange the services. First the Shema was recited, a sort of creed in Bible words. Then came a prayer service, followed by the reading of the day's portion from the Law (the five Books of Moses) and also from the Prophets, including the historical books with the prophecies. The synagogue had no definite minister or preacher.

Paul and Barnabas were able and scholarly men, and Paul at least was a rabbi. His sermon began with a summary of the history of the Jews, pointing out the gradual unfolding of God's plan of salvation through a Saviour who should be descended from David. Paul told about the birth of this Saviour, and about the cruel way in which he was put to death by his own people. Then the apostle related the rising of Jesus from the dead, proving his Messiahship and his deity; proving also his power to forgive sins, and his authority to call on all men to follow him. In his sermon Paul stated his leading doctrine, justification by faith—that men are made righteous before God only by virtue of their faith in the atoning work of the Son of God. It was the great, central message of Christianity unchanged from Paul's day to this.

Preach It Again.

Quite different from many a modern congregation, they wanted to hear the same sermon over again. Dr. Bernard C. Clausen of Syracuse, N. Y., had his congregation vote every year on the sermons they want preached over again, and repeats that that receives the largest number of votes. The true work of God, which Paul proclaimed, speaks to the deepest needs of men's hearts. Conscious of sin, men feel their need of a Saviour, and only the gospel of Jesus Christ offers salvation from sin through the death of the Son of God. The history of Christianity through nineteen centuries, in

every land under the sun, proves the universal hunger for just what Christianity has to give. Whenever the gospel message is faithfully given, the cry is "More! More! Again! Again!"

Paul Preached First to the Jews. "It was necessary that the word of God should first be spoken to you." In approaching the Jews first with the gospel, the missionaries were following the example of Jesus and the rule of common sense. They were sowing the seed in ground—the only ground—which had been prepared for it by many centuries of providential history. They were approaching the most religious people in the world. They were basing Christianity on the purest religion the world had known up to the coming of Christ. By this beginning with the Jews in every place they obtained a number of trained and convinced believers on which the gospel lever could work as a fulcrum to overthrow the great mass of heathenism.

Paul Turns to the Gentiles. "Seeing ye thrust it from you." The violence of the Jews' rejection of Christianity is here indicated, a violence which had just led them to blaspheme Christ. "And judge yourselves unworthy of eternal life." What stinging sarcasm is here, the Jewish innuendoes against the Crucified turned like a lash against their authors. "You dare to condemn Christ? Thereby you condemn yourselves!" "Lo" emphasizes the critical nature of the decision. It definitely placed Christianity on the free ground of unlimited brotherhood. It emancipated Christianity from the shackles of Judaism. And this change did not frustrate the plan of God. Paul was called for the special purpose of ministering to the Gentile nations.—Paul W. Legon.

A Light of the Gentiles. "For so hath the Lord commanded us, saying, I have set thee for a light of the Gentiles." Paul quotes the most evangelical of the prophets, Isa. 49:6, selecting the key verse in one of the most powerful of Messianic passages. The gospel was to be like light, and the very nature of light is to pulse ever outward, driving away all darkness. "That thou shouldst be for salvation unto the uttermost part of the earth." Paul had come to a distant region, for the central plateau of Asia Minor was barbaric enough; and yet was only beginning to press outward with Christianity, as he well knew. Corinth was beckoning him, and Rome beyond that, and Spain beyond Rome. The true Christian is content with nothing short of the ends of the earth.

Happy Believers. "And as the Gentiles heard this, they were glad." They were glad because of the opportunities opened before them by those gospel preachers. They rejoiced in the good news of the Son of God, their Saviour and the Saviour of all men. "And as many as were ordained to eternal life believed." The Greek word translated ordained is a military term signifying arranged in order, as in ranks. The English work tactics comes from it. The word certainly involves the divine ordering of human affairs, but not in such a way as to exclude human choice, with the guilt that attends evil choices and the rewards that follow a definite choice of the right. It is God's ordaining that those who believe on Christ shall have everlasting life. God selects them and places them in the ranks of the armies of heaven. The opposite of eternal life is eternal death, which is the portion of those who do not believe on Jesus Christ.

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Paul's Indebtedness.

Paul wrote his great letter to whom the wise would regard as foolish. Paul was debtor in the the Christians of Rome when he was at Corinth for three months in the course of his third missionary tour. He opens the letter with a statement of his long-time purpose to visit Rome and preach there, an intention which he hopes to be able to carry out soon; and he gives the reason for this purpose, a reason growing out of the belief expressed at Antioch of Pisidia, that the gospel of Christ is for all men, and not exclusively for the Jews.

"I am debtor both to Greeks and to Barbarians, both to the wise and to the foolish." The Greeks and afterwards the Romans, who in this division are reckoned among the Greeks, regarded all peoples speaking any language but their own as making unintelligible sounds—bar, bar—hence the name "Barbarians." The Greeks are here reckoned as wise, i. e., cultured, and the Barbarians as foolish, i. e., uncultured, those sense that the trustee of a fund or the executor of an estate owes that to those for whom it has been designated. He considered himself a trustee of the gospel (1 Thes. 2:4) and a steward, that is, one who discharges to others that which his employer has designated for them.

"So, as much as in me is." "Just as far as in me lies—physically, intellectually, and spiritually, all my powers are to be used in paying the debt that I owe to all."

The Power of God Unto Salvation. "For I am not ashamed of the gospel." "The boldness of Paul's venture is enhanced when we consider how the gospel was then despised and scorned. A cross was then a term of reproach. This did not daunt Paul. Despite all it cost him and in face of all the ridicule and reproach with which a scornful and skeptical age greeted the cross, he says, I am not ashamed of the gospel." "For it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth." The reason why Paul was ready to preach the gospel, even in the proudest capital of the world, was that it is divinely efficacious in securing the salvation of men. It does what no other system ever

did or ever can accomplish."—Charles Hedge.

"Rome is high in force; Athens is higher; the Cross is highest of all, and it comes shrouded in weakness having a poor Man hanging dying there. That is a strange embodiment of divine power. Yes, and because so strange, it is so touching, and so conquering."—Alexander MacLaurin.

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