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BAPTISTS HOLD MEETING HERE

Brownfield Association in Annual Session; Many Visitors Are Attending

Two or three hundred visitors have been here the past two days attending the Brownfield Baptist Association, which met Tuesday night.

Rev. J. W. Partin of Wilson preached the introductory sermon at the first meeting. On Wednesday morning, the associational letters were read, and the sermon was delivered by Rev. J. M. Hale of Brownfield. Those present declared it to have been a most able discourse. The women's meeting was held in the afternoon, and they always have a most interesting program. This was no exception to the rule.

At night, the report on Civic Righteousness was brought by Dr. J. J. Kellam of Dallas, and he spoke to this report. He confined his remarks solely to the liquor traffic, prohibition, and the efforts being made to repeal the Eighteenth Amendment. He opened up his guns in great style for about fifteen minutes and set forth some truths that every good citizen, and especially every young man and woman, in Tahoka should have heard. This was followed by a great sermon by the new pastor of the Tahoka Church, Rev. L. L. Hays.

Lunch was served at the church at the noon hour on both Wednesday and Thursday.

The association is in session today but will close this afternoon.

LUBBOCK CARAVAN WILL VISIT TAHOKA FRIDAY

The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce announces that a big Fair Booster Automobile Caravan, accompanied by the Lubbock High School Band, will visit Tahoka Friday, September 16, from 10:45 to 11:15 A. M. It will be in O'Donnell from 11:45 to 12 noon.

The purpose of this visit is to advertise the 19th Annual Panhandle South Plains Fair, which is to be held September 26 to October 1.

The members of the caravan will have rollers and other novelties to distribute to the school children, and of course a band program will be given.

The people of Tahoka are invited to turn out en masse to greet the visitors.

Miss Cavenss Weds Early This Morning

A wedding of unusual interest was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cavenss at 6:30 this morning when their daughter, Jeanette, was given in marriage to Mr. Henry L. Dixon of Winters.

Prior to the entrance of the bridal couple, Miss Hazel Connolly played "The World is Waiting For the Sunrise," and Mrs. B. M. Hays sang "At Dawning." The bride and groom entered to the strains of Paderewski's "Minuet," played by Miss Connolly. Dr. J. J. Kellam of Dallas united the couple in marriage with a most impressive ceremony.

The young couple left immediately for New Haven, Conn., expecting to make the trip to New York by boat. Mr. Dixon is to be a student and assistant teacher in the chemistry department of Yale University.

Miss Cavenss graduated from Tahoka High School in 1928, and from Simmons University in 1931. She was a member of the local high school faculty of the year 1931-'32.

Mr. Dixon is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Dixon of Winters. He received his B. A. degree at Simmons U. in 1931 and attended Yale the past year.

The bride wore a suit of brown wool, with hat, shoes, and accessories to match. The waist was part of her mother's wedding dress. She also wore a corsage of sunburst rosebuds.

Those who witnessed the ceremony were the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cavenss, and her brother, Bob, Mrs. E. J. Cavenss and Leola of Jacksonville, Mrs. Hansford Tunnell and Mary Margaret; Mrs. O. J. Hull, Doris Lynn and Clarice Hull of Lubbock; Margaret Killian, Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hays, Wolford; Ruth Childs, Willie Lois Nevels, Hazel Connolly, and Berta Hill, Tahoka.

Pay up your subscription now!

Co-Op Manager Will Open Office

J. B. Magee, new manager and classer of the Tahoka branch of the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association, arrived Monday and will open an office within the next few days. Mr. Magee is from Corpus Christi. "I will be glad to serve the members of the organization and all other farmers in every way that I can," Mr. Magee asked the News to state. Negotiations are under way for a suitable office, and as soon as one is secured, Mr. Magee will be ready for active work.

Former Tahoka Woman Is Dead

Mrs. Lillie Sanders, about 56; for many years a resident of Lynn county, died at the home of her son Ben Sanders, at Goodnight Sunday night. She was buried beside her husband, W. B. Sanders, who died in 1918, in the Goodnight cemetery Wednesday. She had been in poor health for many months and until recently was under treatment at a Lubbock sanitarium.

Mrs. Sanders lived in Lynn county, seven miles east of Tahoka, for a number of years and was well known here. Two sons, Doyle of near Lubbock and Ben of Goodnight, and a daughter Miss Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Sanders, both of Edith, attended the funeral. These two Messrs. Sanders and Messrs. Sid and Dee Sanders were brothers-in-law of Mrs. Sanders. Among other relatives in the county are Ira Hammonds, Leslie Hammonds, and Mrs. Charlie Finch, cousins.

Many friends here regret to hear of this good lady's death.

Attentive Audience Hears Rev. Smith

An attentive audience listened Sunday morning to Rev. H. C. Smith's thought-provoking discourse on the theme, "There is but one step between me and death." Miss Lucille Slaton, with her usual charm, sang the simple solo, "Have Thine Own Way, Lord."

On account of illness the church school worship period had no musical feature, but it is hoped that next Sunday will bring something worthwhile.

At the night session, Bro. Smith brought another of his beautiful Old Testament lessons, this one based on the character of Hagar. His subject was announced as "The Lonesome Flapper."

The regular social church night scheduled was postponed out of courtesy to our Presbyterian brethren who are engaged in a series of meetings. At a steward's conference Sunday the local M. E. meeting was indefinitely postponed.

Let us have an increase of twenty-five in church school next Sunday—and on time!—Reporter.

MORGAN H. D. CLUB MET WITH MRS. TOWNSEND

Mrs. J. N. Townsend was hostess Tuesday, Sept. 13, to the H. D. club in the High School auditorium at Morgan. After the business session in which the ladies voted to have a picnic supper with their families Saturday night in the open section near the Morgan school house.

There were five members present: Mesdames F. M. Davidson, Pal Cato, M. L. Cade, Shine Miller and J. N. Townsend. Fourteen visitors were present. Those from other communities were: Mes. James Rayburn, W. T. Brown and W. D. Eads. From the Gordon community were: Mrs. Hill Corbell, president of her club, and Mrs. Lewis Manly.

Mrs. James Rayburn and Mrs. Hill Corbell each gave interesting talks. Mrs. Pal Cato, Mrs. Ann Davidson, and Miss Hallie Wall won the contest on "United States." Several tied for first place in the magazine contest. Mrs. M. L. Cade and Mrs. Shine Miller won the paper race.

Miss Hallie Wall, piano teacher from Lubbock, assisted Jessie Townsend in a musical program which consisted of readings, piano duets, vocal solos and piano solos.

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FERGUSON FORCES IN CHARGE AT DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson was declared the nominee for governor at the Democratic State convention held in Lubbock Tuesday. The executive committee reported that the election returns showed that she had received 477,644 votes and that R. S. Stelling had received 473,864 votes, giving her a majority of 3,780 votes.

No protest against the findings of the committee was made on the floor of the convention. Governor Sterling had announced, however, that he would contest the election in the courts, claiming that thousands of fraudulent and illegal votes had been cast for Mrs. Ferguson in the run-off primary.

The Ferguson forces controlled the convention from start to finish. Realizing that no contest over the election returns would be made by Sterling before the convention, Sterling supporters made no serious attempt to control the convention. Many of the Sterling delegates did not attend. Those who were present realized that they were helpless and were accordingly quiescent. The convention hall was crowded, however, throughout the day and thousands of visitors were unable to gain admittance. It was probably one of the most largely attended conventions in recent years.

C. C. McDonald, staunch Ferguson supporter for many years, was elected temporary chairman of the convention. John H. Bickett Jr. of San Antonio was elected as permanent chairman. Maury Hughes of Dallas was selected as chairman of the state Democratic executive committee for the next two years. A member of this committee is elected from each Senatorial district, and a strong Ferguson supporter was elected from each of the thirty-one districts. The committee on permanent organization recommended D. I. Francis of Wichita Falls as a member of the executive committee from that district but a minority report protested against the election of Francis and proposed the name of T. R. Boone, a Ferguson supporter. When members undertook to address the convention in favor of Francis the Ferguson forces booed and hooted them down, and for some time the convention was in an uproar. Boone was elected.

From the thirtieth district, which embraces Lynn county, two caucuses had been held. One had been held in the Lubbock Hotel at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning according to previous announcement. The Sterling men were in control and a set of Sterling men were recommended for the various committees. Just before noon, in the convention hall, the Ferguson supporters called and conducted another caucus in which Ferguson supporters were named for the various committees. The Ferguson slate was recommended by the Committee on permanent organization and was selected by the convention. J. E. Vickers of Lubbock was named as member of the state executive committee. Garland Woodward of Big Spring having been selected by the regular caucus.

The party machinery will be in complete control of the Ferguson forces for the next two years.

Another Olton Suspect Taken

Albuquerque, N. M., Sept. 13—Armed men tonight guarded Jack Sullivan, 25, of Portales, N. M., who was seriously wounded in a gun fight with Texas and New Mexico officers near Mountain Air, N. M., today. A girl companion also was wounded. Both were in a hospital here.

Sullivan, sought in connection with the recent Olton, Texas, bank robbery, was shot in the shoulder and abdomen and twice in the leg. Mary Cuban, 18, of Gonzales, Texas, his companion, was wounded in the legs and one arm.

Officers led by Sheriff G. R. Crim of Lamb county, Texas, attempted to stop Sullivan and the girl on the highway near Mountain Air but the pair sped on. The officers gave chase, firing about 25 shots. Fourteen bullet-holes were found in the fugitives' car.

Sheriff Crim said he believed he recognized Sullivan as one of four men who opened fire upon a posse of officers near Portales Aug. 20. Deputy sheriff Harve Bolin of Plainview was killed and special deputy R. L. Hollis of Portales was wounded. Sullivan denied he participated in the Portales gun fight.

Officers were uncertain tonight whether Sullivan opened fire on them at Mountain Air but he was heavily armed, they said.

Later press reports state that though Sullivan is expected to recover, his right arm may have to be amputated. Sullivan is known to a number of Tahoka citizens, he having lived at Lubbock and O'Donnell several years ago.

ALL-STAR PLAY AT T-BAR THIS FRIDAY NIGHT

"The Girl Who Forgot" is the title of a play to be presented at T-Bar school auditorium tomorrow night, Friday, Sept. 16. Parts will be played by the best actors from Midway, Wells, Newmoore, and T-Bar communities.

Admission will be free and all people of the county are invited.

PREACHING AT SOUTH WARD
The Church of Christ at South Ward will have preaching Saturday night and Sunday evening. The subject Saturday night will be: "Can We Be Saved Outside the Church?" Everyone invited.

T. H. Speight has accepted a position with Levine Bros. and will be glad to wait on his old friends and customers.

Presbyterians In Revival Meeting

Revival services are being conducted at the Presbyterian Church this week by the pastor, Rev. W. K. Johnston, assisted by Rev. J. M. Lewis, both of Lubbock. Some earnest, able, and inspiring gospel messages are being delivered.

The people of Tahoka are invited to attend these services and to lend their cooperation in every way.

South Ward Boy Typhoid Victim

Martin Greenwood, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Greenwood of South Ward, died in the Lubbock Sanitarium about 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from typhoid fever. Funeral services and burial was at the local cemetery Tuesday afternoon at about five o'clock. Elder W. T. Garnett of the Church of Christ officiating.

Young Greenwood was convicted Monday of last week he suffered an attack of appendicitis, and was taken immediately to the sanitarium. A successful operation was performed. During the latter part of the week, however, he became ill of typhoid, thought to have been contracted while he was down at Dublin a few weeks ago.

The many friends and acquaintances of the family deeply sympathize with them in their loss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Speck of Beulah, Mr. and Mrs. R. Griffing of Shallowater, Mr. and Mrs. Martin McGuire of Shallowater, and W. E. Reed and two sons, Bill and Arlis, of Big Spring were here attending the funeral. Another sister of the deceased, Mrs. M. E. Nelson of Corona, New Mexico, was unable to come.

New Pastor For Baptist Church

Rev. L. L. Hays, pastor of the Baptist Church at Irving, a suburb of Dallas, for the past three years, who was recently called to the pastorate here, filled the local pulpit Sunday morning and evening and indicated his acceptance of the call. Mrs. Hays and the little ones came out with him Saturday and they will move into the parsonage as soon as their household goods arrive. They hope to be moved before the end of the present week. Brother Hays is getting initiated into his new work by acting as the host pastor for the Brownfield Baptist Association in session here, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

The new pastor is a young man. While he has been engaged in the ministry several years, Irving was his first pastorate after leaving school. He is a man of strong ability and speaks with much force and vigor. He and the church here are looking forward to many years of strenuous and fruitful work together.

FEDERATED CLUBS MET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

On Friday, Sept. 9th, the Federated Clubs of Tahoka met at the American Legion Hall, the Phebe K. Warner Club taking charge.

On entering, punch was served. The meeting was started by singing "Texas, Our Texas." Then the roll call. Mrs. Callaway gave an inspiring talk as president. Miss Cavenss and Mrs. Knight from Les Savantes and the Junior Phebe K. Warner Club, respectively, spoke. Mrs. Haney, Mrs. Swan, Mrs. Slaton and Mrs. Nevels gave interesting papers. Miss Slaton and Miss Maddox sang delightful songs. The meeting was then adjourned until Sept. 23.

DR. KNAPP PRESIDENT OF SOUTH PLAINS INSTITUTE

Lubbock, Sept. 13—Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of Texas Technological College, was elected president of the South Plains Teachers' Institute which has just closed its session in Lubbock. Nineteen counties participated in this annual meeting and the attendance usually exceeds the one-thousand mark.

THEATRE WORK PROGRESSES

The work of repairing the old English Theatre building is progressing nicely, according to D. B. English, and he expects to be able to announce an opening program in these columns next week.

T. C. LEEDY, 86, PASSES AWAY

Pioneer Citizen Died Thursday Of Last Week; Came Here 26 Years Ago

T. C. Leedy, a resident of Tahoka for 26 years, died at the family residence here Thursday afternoon of last week, after a lingering illness of many months, and was buried in the Tahoka Cemetery Saturday morning.

Funeral services were conducted from the family home, Rev. H. C. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiating. A large number of friends followed the remains to their last resting place, and the esteem in which the aged man was held was manifested by the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. Leedy was born in Huntington, Indiana, on November 21, 1846, and was therefore almost 86 years of age. He removed to Llano county, Texas, in 1875 but returned to Indiana two years later for his bride. Returning to Texas, he continued to reside in Llano county until 1880, when he and family removed to Coleman county, where they remained until 1895 and then removed to Collin county. During all these years spent in Llano and Coleman counties, Mr. Leedy was engaged in the sheep business. He and family removed from Collin county to Lynn county in 1906. In Collin county and for many years in Lynn county Mr. Leedy was engaged principally in the nursery business. During the past several years he has been gardening and raising plants for the market here in Tahoka.

During all these years, his wife, who survives him, has been a faithful and devoted companion. Surviving him also are the following children: Mrs. Roy Maxey of Plainview, Miss Amanda and Jake Leedy of Tahoka, Mrs. V. C. Johns of Electra, and Miss Grace Leedy of Kansas City, Mo., all of whom were present at the funeral.

Mr. Leedy was a man of fine intellect and broad information. Quiet and unassuming, he enjoyed the respect and esteem of a large circle of friends. Honest, kind, and tolerant, he was regarded as an exceptionally good citizen. Until a few months ago, when he became ill, he was a familiar figure on our streets, going about quietly in the pursuit of his business. He is greatly missed among the walks of men.

The News joins many friends in extending condolences to all the bereaved.

Men's Bible Class Has Fifty Present

The Men's Down Town Bible Class, which meets each Sunday at 9:45 A. M. at the American Legion Home, is still functioning splendidly, even under the great handicap of having been pastorless for several months.

Our last Sunday's attendance exceeded fifty. Besides the usually highly instructive exposition of the Scriptures by our teacher, Mr. G. E. Hogan, we enjoyed the following special musical treats: A male quartet composed of X. R. Banks, R. C. Forrester, C. T. Burnett, and J. E. Thompson, and a spiritual number by the well-known Rudd brothers and Messrs. Duckett and Frank Bryan of Central.

A traveling bag was presented to Miss Helen Applewhite, who has been serving as pianist for the class the past few months and who was preparing to leave for Denton to enter the C. I. A.

We were also gratified to have with us our newly-called pastor, Rev. L. L. Hays, who dropped in with us before filling his appointment at the Baptist Church.—Reporter.

Grider Named As Centennial Head

Judge G. C. Grider has accepted an appointment as County Chairman of the Texas Centennial Committee for Lynn County and will at an early date complete county and precinct organizations for a campaign to acquaint voters with the pending centennial constitutional amendment. The county committee will appoint chairmen for every precinct in the county.

The State Constitution as originally framed, however, made no provision for State support of a centennial celebration, and the amendment would authorize the legislature to appropriate funds for assisting in such a celebration in 1936, but especially provides that it shall not apply to any other exposition or celebration of any kind.

The committee believes that all that will be necessary to secure an overwhelming majority for the centennial amendment will be to inform voters as to its purpose and that with attention properly directed to it, every patriotic Texan will favor a creditable celebration of a kind to reflect the heroic sacrifices of the first century and the wonderful possibilities for the future.

Friend Praises Mr. Leedy As A Citizen

In the passing of T. C. Leedy to his last reward Sept. 8, Lynn county has lost another grand old pioneer. He was born Nov. 21, 1847, in Huntington county, Ind., where he lived until he came to Texas in 1875. He put in a sheep ranch in Llano county. Two years of pioneering and he returned to the old home in Huntington county, where he married Miss Amanda Hardman. The young couple came back to Texas to the frontier home, where they lived for several years, and then moved to Coleman. The crash in wool from 80c to 6c sent our friend into the nursery business in Collin county.

From there he came to Lynn county in 1906 and put in the Tahoka Nursery south of town, which was a dream of beauty in its prime. Mr. Leedy was the father of the fruit and rose growing in Lynn county. Early comers were told this soil and climate would grow a very few things except feed. Mr. Leedy proved that not only fruit and flowers but berries would grow here. It was the joy of the writer to know our friend in the early days of Lynn county, and while he never affiliated with any church, he was a Christian gentleman living his faith in his daily life among his roses, which were the joy of his heart. He leaves a wife, four daughters, and a son to mourn his loss.

The many friends of the family join, in sympathy.—A Friend.

BABY DIES

The eight-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bevers of Tahoka died early Monday in a hospital here after an illness of eight days. Burial was at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at Justiceburg by Bynum-Stahler Funeral home. The child was named Herbert.—Lubbock Avalanche.

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This publication does not claim to be an authority on matters religious, but we have the feeling that too many of us are harboring worn-out and obsolete theories about religion and the teachings of the Bible and do not approach the study of the Scriptures with open minds and hearts and with a sufficiently broad understanding. A literal, strained, narrow, and sometimes warped interpretation of the Scriptures is responsible for the multiplicity of religious denominations that exist in the world and for most of our religious differences and prejudices. The Bible is composed of many books, written by many authors, living in various periods of the world's history, dealing with many subjects, and containing many varieties of literature—some of it historical, some of it prophetic, some of it parabolic, poetic, metaphorical—and when we undertake to give literal, narrow, or strained meaning to many portions of it, in order to make it fit into some of our pet theories, we get in trouble immediately. We need to take a broad outlook and to use a lot of good, sound common sense, when we undertake to study or to interpret the Scriptures. Moreover, we need to have a broad knowledge of the circumstances under which each book was written and the purpose for which it was written before we are prepared in many instances to properly "divide the Word of Truth". Ignorance and narrowness are never more fatal than when they dominate our study and interpretation of the Bible. A broader view, more thorough knowledge, and

a tolerant attitude toward the views of others would dispel most of the bigotry and narrowness that are manifested in a greater or less degree by all religious denominations. Yea, verily, we need more knowledge and wisdom.

Both the Dallas News and The Texas Weekly have pointed out that the increased estimate of the 1932 cotton crop made by the Government last week was due not to an estimated increase in the yield per acre but to an estimated increase in the number of acres harvested. In other words, it was estimated that on account of increased prices fewer acres would be abandoned than was thought would be the case when the estimate of the previous month was made. These estimates are based upon reports gathered by the Government prior to the first of any given month but the estimates are made on or just prior to the eighth of each month. During the period of eight days intervening between September 1 and September 8, the ravages of floods and worms were such as to make it probable that there would be a decrease both in the yield per acre and in the number of acres harvested. It is argued, therefore, that such estimates should take into consideration conditions that may have developed during this eight-day interval. As a result of the last estimate, which is believed to have been inaccurate on account of these new developments, the price of cotton was forced down \$5.00 per bale and the farmers of the South sustained a loss of many millions of dollars. It is obvious that Government cotton reports ought to be just as near up-to-the-minute as possible. This defect in the Government reporting system should be corrected.

At the singing conducted by the negroes of Tahoka at the City Tabernacle last Friday night, some very reprehensible and regrettable conduct was indulged in by some mischievous boys. The negroes complained that these boys under cover of darkness, from the rear and one side of the platform, pelted the women singers in the choir with small missiles, greatly annoying and humiliating them. The fact that the songs and the singing might have seemed primitive and crude to these sapient young sons of Solomon afforded no excuse whatever for such conduct. A man may be marked as a gentleman or otherwise by the way he treats his inferiors. The same is true in a large measure of the boy. It is neither smart nor funny for any person to mistreat even a dog. We don't know who the offending boys were but we are sure that they will not repeat the offense. If they should do so, officers will likely be present to show them where to head in. The good negroes of Tahoka should be encouraged rather than discouraged in every laudable undertaking of theirs, and the good white citizens will hereafter see to it that they are protected.


We believe that our Texas primary election laws should be overhauled. Possibly the poll tax requirement should be abolished and a system of registration substituted. We are not sure about that. But we do believe that a system should be adopted whereby the voter is permitted to express his first and second choice for each office for which there are more than two candidates and the run-off primary abolished. Precautions against the possibility of fraud in counting the votes and making election returns should also be strengthened. A pure and fair ballot is the very basis of democratic government. It should be safeguarded to the utmost.



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The News Twenty-Five Years Ago

From Files Of Lynn County News of September 13, 1907

This week we resume publication of items appearing in The News 21 years ago. The paper has now grown to an eight-page four-column paper and is full of news. We are compelled to condense many items.

The front page is filled with clippings from other papers of the Plains and adjacent territory telling of various plans to build railroads. The Roscoe, Snyder & Pacific railway was under actual construction.

Legal publications bore the name of S. N. McDaniel as county clerk.

A list of letters at the post office uncalled for contained the name of A. M. Sullivan.

Numerous advertisements appeared in the paper, W. E. Porterfield on the west side of the square using a whole page to tell about his dry goods, boots, shoes, hats, caps, notions, novelties, etc. Ousley & Alley, who were operating a store on the first floor of the "new Masonic Lodge building", were preparing to move and were therefore putting on a sale, using a half page of the paper. Another ad. by Alley & Garner offered Buick automobiles for sale, and a picture of the machine appearing in the ad. showed it to have been a marvelous contrivance. The Hardware Store had just received a car load of Racine hacks, surreys, and buggies, of all kinds, open or top, steel or rubber tired. C. M. Whipp and L. M. Hughes were running an abstract office, Hall & Smith were proprietors of a Livery Feed & Sale Stable, Wells & Welcher were selling dry goods, shoes, hats, and groceries. J. L. Yarbrow was the blacksmith and advertised horse-shoeing as a specialty. B. H. Black & Sons were selling dry goods and groceries, Laverne Kershner was breeder of Hackberry Red Poll cattle, and A. L. Lockwood had five Hereford bulls for sale. There were other ads. of various and sundry items.

Skinner & Reed had just sold a quarter section of land ten miles east of Tahoka for \$9.00 per acre bonus, \$2.00 to the State, and another quarter section near the west line of the county for \$4.00 per acre bonus and \$2.00 to the State. The News office is being treated to a shining coat of pea-green paint, Alex Henderson applying it.

A fine new boy arrived at the home of Sid Sanders last Monday afternoon. The young gentleman is well pleased with the Plains and will probably make his home here until he is old enough to vote.

George Curtis, the telephone man, came into town last Saturday night from Gail, where he has been putting in a switchboard and telephone exchange. There are 44 houses in Gail and Mr. Curtis says he put in 33 phones.

B. L. Shook's house is under construction this week and promises to be one of the nicest houses ever erected in the county.

The Morgan school house was completed last week and it is an ornament to the community.

Fred and Pearl McDaniel left for Big Spring Monday to attend school there.

Tahoka organized a commercial club last Saturday evening.

Robinson Bros. began moving into their new building on the west side of the square.

O. L. Jones reports seeing a meteor fall about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and it was brighter than the sun and almost blinded him for a moment.

Laverne Kershner sold three-quarters of a section of his place out at Lynn to G. W. Coughran for \$10.00 an acre and bought a section and a half of H. E. Randall in the west edge of the county for \$3,000.

R. E. Morris, deputy district surveyor, did some surveying at Lynn last week for I. W. Meyer, W. H. May and, T. P. Counts.

Rev. H. S. Hathcett of Lynn is attending the Staked Plains Baptist Association at Hope Church twenty miles north of Lubbock this week.

A new windmill tower was raised on the north side of the square Tuesday morning.

Belton Howell celebrated his 21st birthday September 9. The editor was remembered with a piece of birthday cake.

A clipping from the Stamford Tribune stated that in a local option election Haskell county had gone dry by about 323 votes. About 1201 votes were cast.

Ben King's new house in the Shook addition has been completed.

Edith

There was a good attendance at Sunday School Sunday. We invite you to come and be with us Sunday morning. Bro. Garnett will preach for us after classes.

Miss Berta Hill of Tahoka spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sanders.

Bro. Garnett and family spent last Sunday in O'Donnell.

Mr. Egbert Adams of T-Bar spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. J. F. White and family.

Mr. H. O. Hargett and family visited relatives in Ragtown Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dearman and daughters, Pauline and Wanda Louise, of La Feria, Texas, are visitors in the home of H. O. Hargett. Mrs. Dearman is the sister of Mrs. Hargett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Bearden of Lamesa spent a short time in the home of Mr. E. D. Payne and family Tuesday evening.

Mr. E. M. Rudd and family visited with Mr. Ross Matthews and family of Wilson Sunday.

Mr. G. C. Lindley and family, Mr. E. D. Payne and family, Marie, Christine and J. W. Owens spent Sunday with Mr. A. A. Anderson.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sanders, Mary Beth, who has been seriously ill the past week, is improving nicely now.

Mrs. J. F. White has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Culler spent Sunday with Mr. A. H. Nelson and family of New Lynn.

Mr. Carl Sanders and Mr. A. H. Nelson left for Dekalb Saturday. Mr. Nelson, who resides in the New Lynn community, received a call to the bedside of his mother who was not expected to live.

Everyone come to singing Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Bring your friends and come!

The colored choir of Tahoka will be at Edith Sunday night with a musical program. You are invited to be present.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Dobbins of Roscoe were here the first of the week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Grover Stewart. Mr. Dobbins is the banker down at Roscoe and he says they recently had fifteen inches of rain there in two weeks time, as a result of which crops were greatly damaged. But they'll make a lot of cotton and feed any way.

Draw

The Draw community was visited by a heavy rain last week. After the clouds had gone and the government test read on the W. U. Ranch we found the total rainfall to be 10.4 inches. The road which leads to Tahoka from here has been automatically blocked by high water. The Draw lake is higher than it has been in years.

School has been progressing very nicely. However, the flood of rain interfered some the past week.

After checking the honor roll for the past month, we find that Zan Hensley made the highest average in high school with 91. Bervin Caswell was a close second, however.

The Draw basketball team has played two games up to date and in each contest we were compelled to take the short end of the score. New Lynn defeated us on both occasions. The Draw outside team defeated New Lynn outside team in a good, clean game.

Next week the Draw Longhorns are going to meet the Joe Stokes team on the Tahoka court.

All of the Draw teachers attended institute at Lubbock last week with the exception of Mr. P. F. Williams. He was kept at home on account of sickness in the family.

Many Tahoka people will be interested in learning that Rev. J. W. Shepherd, formerly pastor of the Methodist Church here, has just concluded a wonderful revival in his church at Happy, in which there was a large number of conversions and reclamations.

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New Home

Sunday School and church was well attended. Bro. Richburg preached Sunday morning and night.

The Intermediate B. T. S. folk enjoyed a social at Mrs. McCormick's Friday night. The Seniors also enjoyed a social affair that night. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Unfred and Mrs. Hawkins visited relatives near Lamesa Sunday.

Mrs. Hawkins of Big Sandy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Unfred. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hancock had as their guests this week end all of their children, in-laws, and grandsons. Those attending the reunion were: Messrs. and Mesdames Jack Link of Anhtony, New Mexico, Byron Hays of Wolforth, Alvin Seth of Tahoka, Erwin Hancock of Anthon, Henry Heck and son Rodney Fern of New Home, and Misses Beulah and Louise Hancock, who teach at Dixie and Lakeview. Other guests present Sunday were Mrs. Ervin Hancock's father, Mr. J. H. Steger, and grandson Billy of Anthon, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Casey and family of Lubbock, Mr. Percy Smith of Mullin, and Rev. Lawrence Hays of Irving, who has recently been called pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hampton and little daughters visited in Anson and Abilene last week. They report much rain in that section.

Both gins are ready for real operation now. The Farmer's Co-Op Gin ginned the first bale of the season here Saturday afternoon for W. A. Arms of the Joe Stokes community. His bale weighed 510 pounds and sold for 9 cents. In addition, there was a premium of \$12.50 given by the business men of New Home.

We have had an increase of five in our school enrollment since last week. Our school is progressing nicely.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Littlepage were Sunday guests with their son. Sunday night singing was enjoyed by a large crowd. Every one invited to come!—Reporter.

Midway

We are so glad to see the sunny weather after so much rain. Jake Cavender has been sick for several days but is better.

Buel Draper went to Newmoore Friday as he is one of the All-Star Players, but due to some misunderstanding of some of the players they did not come, so the play will be put on later.

Mr. B. N. Brower, C. Clinton and families called at the C. W. Cleveland home Sunday.

Mrs. Draper is able to be out after a burn caused from a pressure cooker.

Miss Margaret Strain dined with Misses Douthit and Headstream Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Baldrige of O'Donnell visited H. L. Tunnell Sunday.

Spencer and Clem Swann are in Richland, N. Mex., this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Littlepage were Sunday guests with their son.

Sunday night singing was enjoyed by a large crowd. Every one invited to come!—Reporter.

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The first bale of cotton to be ginned at Wilson was ginned by the Wilson Co-op No. 1 gin and belonged to Martin Wuensche. The bale weighed more than 500 pound and he received 8c per pound for it and a nice donation, from the business men of the community. Cotton is opening very fast here and in a very short time the gins will all be busy ginning one of the biggest cotton crops in the history of Wilson. All three gins are in fine shape and ready for business.

Mrs. Chris Schnell has opened one of the swellest cafes in the country, a business that we need and one that we are proud of.

Messrs. Myrle, Aubra and Ed. Redwine and families were guests in the W. B. Bishop home Sunday.

Misses Veda West and Zera Dodson of Ropesville spent last week end in the home of Miss West's mother. Misses Lela Day and Sallie Beth Wright paid the R. C. Forrester home at Tahoka a brief visit Friday.

A large number of Wilson citizens attended the Democratic convention at Lubbock Tuesday.

A large delegation of our local Baptists attended the Brownfield Baptist Association which was held at Tahoka Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Harry Hewlett informed us on last Monday that he expected to be ready for business in his new grocery store the last of this week or first of next.

A little child came into the home of Mr and Mrs. Joe White last Friday to remain only a very few moments, when the Supreme Ruler saw fit to take its soul to himself. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. W. Partin, after which the little body was put away in the Wilson cemetery to await the Master's call.

Clyde Shaw moved his family in to the Forrester home last Saturday that he may be near his work at the gin and so the children might be near school.

Mrs. J. L. Hobbs has accepted a place in the postoffice, taking the place of Mrs. Bernice Hobbs, who recently resigned.

Mrs. S. D. Stephens, who has for several years made his home in Arizona and California but was once a citizen of our community, came in

last Thursday and states that his folks are on their way here. They expect to move on their farm four miles southeast of town and be permanent citizens. We gladly welcome them back into our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Cook have moved into their newly acquired home in the north part of town.

Locals

S. L. Piwetz of Caldwell, Burleson county, is here this week looking after farming interests in this county.

He owns a tract of land southwest of town. Mr. Piwetz says there is not much excuse in Plains farmers letting Johnson grass get a start in their fields. If they would plow up the grass in January or February, or after the crop is harvested, throwing the Johnson grass roots near the surface, the freezes will kill it out.

He says he knows this will work in Burleson county, where this grass is thicker and the season more favorable for its growth and less favorable for killing it out, and sees no reason why it wouldn't work here.

Jake Wilonsky returned last Friday from Kansas City, to which place he had gone the preceding week in company with W. G. Reece of Lubbock and R. N. Kayal of Lamesta to purchase goods for his store. Mr. Wilonsky reports that he had a great trip. Crops were fine through West Texas and Western Oklahoma but he found it very dry in Kansas and crops not so good. He declares that he bought goods cheaper than ever before in his life and he brought a car load back with him. Jake thinks better times are just ahead—really and truly now just around the corner.

H. W. Calaway, the sage of Moor's Draw, was greeting old friends in Tahoka Saturday. The Judge declared that he has not had a square meal since he moved out on the farm. He says he forgot to plant a garden and has therefore had no onions or garlic all summer. As long as he was in town he could forage on the neighbors and manage to get by, but it's different down on the farm. We think he'll be coming back to town as soon as cotton picking opens up good.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Sanders arrived Saturday night from New Haven, Connecticut, where Mr. Sanders has just finished the work for his Ph. D. degree in Yale University. Mrs. Sanders was formerly Miss Mary Greathouse. After visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Greathouse, for a few days they will leave for Haskell, Mr. Sanders' former home, where they expect to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Threet of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Brit Edwards of Bruceville, McLennan county, have been here this week visiting W. E. Sikes and family at Three Lakes. Mrs. Threet and Mrs. Sikes are sisters while Mrs. Edwards is Mrs. Sikes' niece. The men came out to attend the Democratic convention at Lubbock as well as to visit relatives.

Miss Bernice Dunagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dunagan of north of town, underwent an operation for appendicitis last Thursday night at Lubbock. She is reported to be doing as well as could be expected.

N. O. Parker and family returned recently from Gallup, New Mexico, where they have been residing the past several months. Mr. Parker will work at a gin here this fall and do plumbing work.

Central

We're rejoicing over the fair weather that we are having now and maize heading is going on full force.

There are quite a few people on the sick list this week, but we're hoping they will be well and up again soon.

There was a rather nice crowd out for Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Sunday. We had several visitors Sunday night. All visitors are always invited.

Our pastor will be with us again Sunday. Everyone is invited. Everyone remember their overalls.

Everyone who knows Miss Lucille McCord was very sorry to learn of her illness. There are several going to visit her at the Sanitarium this week.

A number of young folks spent Sunday with Mrs. J. B. Butler and family. Everyone enjoyed themselves. There are several who are going to attend the Association at Tahoka. We are expecting a great success of this.—Reporter.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 98th District Court of Travis County, Texas, on a certain judgment rendered by said Court in cause No. 50,974, entitled Geo. E. Shelley vs. F. O. Greathouse, et al., wherein plaintiff Geo. E. Shelley recovered judgment against defendant F. O. Greathouse for the sum of Seven Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-four Dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$7,634.88), together with interest and costs of suit; and for foreclosure against defendants F. O. Greathouse and Carrie S. Greathouse of a certain Deed of Trust Lien on the first tract hereinafter described as same existed on the 19th day of June, A. D. 1926, and since said date; and of a certain Deed of Trust Lien and a certain Vendor's Lien on the second tract hereinafter described, as said Deed of Trust Lien existed on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1930, and since said date, and as said Vendor's Lien existed on the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1930, and since said date;

I did, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1932, at 12:00 o'clock noon, levy upon the following described tracts or parcels of land situated in the County of Lynn and State of Texas, to-wit:

First tract: All of Lots Nos. One (1) and Two (2), in Block No. Nine (9), of the original town of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, according to dedication and plat recorded in Book 13, pages 394 et seq., of the Deed Records of Lynn County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated.

Second tract: All of the West one-half, and all of the Northeast one-

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And on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1932, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of

10:00 o'clock A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the Court House door of said County of Lynn, I will offer for sale, and will sell at public auction, for cash, all of the right, title and interest of the defendants F. O. Greathouse and Carrie S. Greathouse, in and to the said above described tracts of land, the proceeds of which said sale shall be applied to the payment of said judgment.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of September, A. D. 1932. B. L. PARKER, Sheriff of Lynn County, Texas. 3-3tc



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LOST—Over-night bag containing 2 ladies' purses, small change and baby clothes. Reward for return to News office or L. E. Miller. 1tp.

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FOR RENT—A 3-room house just south of the high school building. A. P. Ort. 3-2tc

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GIVE BRIDAL SHOWER

The Y. W. A. of the Baptist Church gave a bridal shower for Miss Jeanette Caviness at the home of Miss Viola Ellis Monday evening. Refreshments were served to about twelve members.

Locals

Mrs. H. C. Crie accompanied her grand-daughter, Shirley Shook, to Lubbock last Saturday to have Shirley's tonsils removed. They returned Tuesday after visiting Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Kershner, former Lynn county residents.

Mrs. A. T. Kent and daughter and Mrs. Ray Wilham of Victoria are visiting in the A. L. Dunagan home north of town this week. Mrs. Kent is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dunagan and Mrs. Wilham a niece of Mrs. Dunagan.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy R. King, who are now making their home at Lubbock, were visitors here over the week end with Mr. King's mother, Mrs. Florence King, and his sister, Mrs. Zoe Lowrey, and other relatives.

Miss Frances E. Dulaney, who is a teacher in the Woodrow school, Lubbock county, is home for a few weeks, her school having suspended in order that the children might help gather the feed and cotton crops.

George W. Plummer and S. P. Burns of Brownwood were here Monday swapping yarns with their old-time friend, George Small. They were on their way up to Lubbock to attend the big Democratic pow-wow.

L. M. Nordyke, county commissioner elect from precinct two, returned Wednesday from a business trip to Dallas. He was accompanied home by his brother, T. R. Nordyke, who will visit here several days.

Miss Lucille McCord was operated on Friday night for appendicitis in a Lubbock sanitarium. She has been in a critical condition, but was reported as being better Thursday morning.

C. L. McNeas came in from Alpine Wednesday morning. He has been there through the summer but will remain at his place in the South Ward community through the Fall.

H. C. Story, nominee for county clerk, is now employed in the county clerk's office, helping Truett Smith and getting on to the ropes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyne Thomas, Mrs. J. H. Holloway, and Mrs. Tom Williams are visiting relatives in Sulphur Springs this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Edwards have moved to Clairmont, where A. P. will manage the Edwards & Lockhart gin this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Electra are visiting his sister, Mrs. J. R. Strain, in the Midway community.

Miss Hazel Spykes, New Home teacher, visited Mrs. Frank Edwards over the week end.

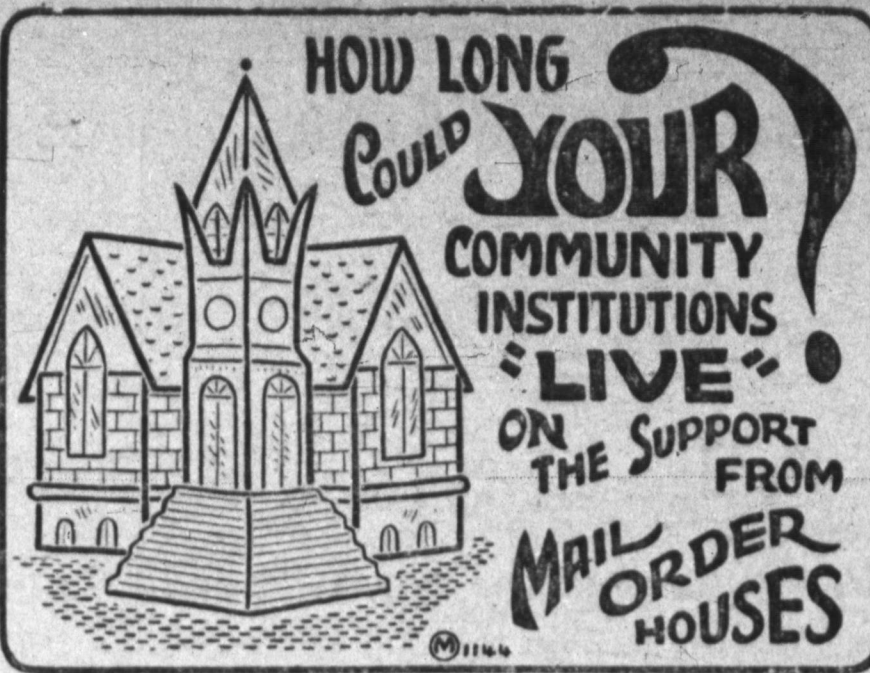
Sheriff Jenkins of Borden county was a visitor in Tahoka Tuesday.

A. M. Tredway of O'Donnell was a visitor in Tahoka Wednesday.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Be it known that we, the Republican Committee of Lynn county, wish to express our heart-felt sympathy for the family of T. C. Leedy, deceased. Bro. Leedy was one of the staunchest Republicans in West Texas, and was one of the sixteen Republicans who voted for President Taft in 1908 when the other 268 votes in Lynn County were Democratic. He was a Republican when to be a member of that party living in a Democratic county meant a lonely life with few political friends.

Jack Alley, Chairman.
 Harry C. Crie, Sec.



Sidelights On "Ferguson" Convention

(By E. I. H.)

Yes, I attended the Ferguson convention at Lubbock Tuesday. I went as a delegate but soon discovered that I was merely a spectator. When I got back the kid at home, who had heard part of the proceedings over the radio, had a lot of questions to ask. One of the first things he wanted to know was whether I was a Fergusonite or a Democrat. I assured him that I was a Democrat, and then he wanted to know what "that feller was doing" all that cussing about. He had evidently heard Paul D. Page of Bastrop try to address the convention. He also wanted to know what all those drunks were "boozing" for. I don't think they were drunk. They were just giving natural vent to their pent-up Ferguson enthusiasm.

It was a cheering, boozing convention. They cheered everything that soited them whether there was anything to cheer about or not, and they "boozed" everything and everybody that didn't suit them.

It was a "pour-it-on" convention—or Ferguson rally, rather. They made a god of Jim Ferguson and a goddess of Ma, and they skinned and salted down all the opposition. There was nothing conciliatory or conducive to good feeling and harmony in any of their speeches. Every speech they made was apparently intended to make the opposition sore or sullen. They played poor politics. A little of that kind of stuff might have gone over fine, but they overworked the game. Jim Ferguson, however, had more sense than all the bunch of politicians supporting him put together. His speech did have a note of conciliation in it. Only once or twice was there defiance or bitterness in his address or in the tone of his voice. The little essay which Mrs. Ferguson read accepting the nomination was also conciliatory. It had evidently been dictated largely by Jim.

Tom Hunter was there. They fed him a lot of taffey and invited him to make a speech. He made a speech that they like—at least the first part of it. "Your nominee is my nominee", he told them, and they applauded. But after a little he got on to his hobby—denunciation of the big oil interests, and the crowd soon lost interest.

Young Joe Bailey was one of the heroes of the day. Every time his name was called the crowd clapped and yelled. He was one of the first to be called upon to speak. They managed to applaud him throughout his speech but the applause gradually grew weaker and weaker. Bailey is popular largely because he is the son of his father. He is a pigmy on the platform as compared with his distinguished ancestor. He will probably have a brief political career.

Col. Alvin N. Ousley, former national commander of the American Legion, made the speech nominating Ma for governor. Ousley is a good speaker and he used up most of the superlatives he could think of in praising the nominee. She was hailed as one of the greatest women living, and Jim was given credit for being about the biggest man in America. Like the other speakers, Ousley castigated the "little bunch of politicians" that were fighting Jim and Ma, to the great delight of a majority of the delegates.

John Henry Kirby of Houston was there. He is a lumber king and a big "captain of industry" and a Fergusonite, and so they called on him for a speech. He may be a big man but he is a poor rabble-rouser. He couldn't get up much steam and soon everybody began to yawn and many left the hall. Finally he quit, to the relief of everybody.

C. C. McDonald and Luther Nickels were among the best orators in the convention. They are always armed with a keen scalping knife and they know how to use it. They are adepts at taking the hide, and each did a good job of skinning at this pow-wow Tuesday.

There were a lot of other speeches—Marcellus E. Foster, Wright Mor-

row, S. W. Adams, editor of the notorious Gladewater Journal, Mrs. King of San Antonio, Mrs. Cecil Smith of Sherman, and other women being among the number.

There was one funny thing about the attitude of this crowd. They all stressed support of the nominee, from President to Constable and castigated everybody that they suspected might fail to support Ma Ferguson. Yet, every time the name of Sterling P. Strong, one of the Democratic nominees for Congressman-at-Large, was called, they "boozed" and cat-called to beat the band. It was fine support they were giving this nominee, fine! By the way, it occurs to us that about 50,000 of them scratched Ross Sterling in the general election two years ago, when he was the regular, undisputed Democratic nominee. But that was a horse of another color.

It was a great Ferguson rally, folks, a great rally.

BRIDAL SHOWER IS GIVEN MISS JEANETTE CAVENESS

Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, in the beautiful home of Mrs. W. M. Harris, Meses. Jim Burleson, J. K. Applewhite, W. M. Harris, Hans Tunnell, and Hazel Connolly entertained Les Savantes Club, members of last year's public school faculty, and a few other friends, honoring Miss Jeanette Caviness with a bridal shower.

On entering, the guests registered in the bride's book, which was presided over by Miss Hazel Connolly.

Punch, cake, and mints were served, presided over by Meses Helen Applewhite and Barbara Maddox.

The following program was rendered by members of Les Savantes Club:

Piano solo, "Until"—Miss Hazel Connolly.

Reading, "In a Flower Garden"—Miss Virginia Sanford.

Vocal solo, "In a Cottage, Small"

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—Miss Lucille Slaton. Piano solo, "In the Garden of Tomorrow" and "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise"—Miss Hazel Connolly.
 Vocal solo, "I Love You Truly"—Miss Charline Maddox.
 The bride was the recipient of many useful and lovely gifts.

WIN ROQUET TOURNAMENT
 Willie White, C. C. Johnson, and R. D. Bratton, representing Tahoka, won out in the roquet tournament held at Spur Monday and Tuesday. Sixteen teams were in the contest. The prize was a couple of new balls.

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New Lubrication System Announced By Texas Station

A new system of motor car lubrication, one that eliminates guesswork, has been announced by Ovid Luallin of the Texas Filling Station. The system, known as "Texaco Certified Lubrication", includes a complete line of Texaco oils and greases specially developed for automobile lubrication, together with a system of checking by use of Texaco Chek-Chart, employee training and special equipment. Seven to nine kinds of greases will in the future be used in as many different grease guns in lubricating cars at the Texas Filling Station in order that proper lubrication may be given to all parts of the car. A Texaco lubrication engineer will be here Saturday to explain the system being instituted at this station.

Mr. Luallin also states that a new hydraulic lift has just been installed.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Greenwood and relatives wish to thank all the kind friends and neighbors for lending their assistance during the hour of sorrow and death of their son and brother, Martin Greenwood. May God's richest blessings rest upon each one.

Mrs. F. L. Kelly came in Tuesday night to make her home here with her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Wells.

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