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THINK ABOUT THIS

"Judge this, rather, than no man put a stumbling block in his brother's way, or an occasion of falling."—Famous Roman Author.

THE SALMON AND THE WHALE

Trying to bring home to business men the fact that they are ignorant, very ignorant, in many instances of Business Administration as applied to their enterprises...

COTTON CROP LOOKS GOOD

At the present writing the prospects for cotton are good. Although the crop—the major part of it is just first to tenth planting it has had a fine growing season to date...

THE OLD TIMERS PASS

The old-timers in Floyd County, those who got here early enough to experience the grasshopper days and those other days when less tenacious persons or more timid souls would have gone to some other location—they are fast passing...

And so could be recalled so many of the things of another day, all wrapped up in the lives that have been lived by those sterling characters whose ranks are so fast thinning out...

Mayview News

(Too late for last week) Mayview, June 3.—A good crowd attended Sunday School and an interesting lesson was discussed.

GETTING UP IN THE WORLD



What's Doing In West Texas Today

PAMPA'S building permits totaled \$131,100 for one week recently making the total for the year \$777,640, and placed Pampa second in the Panhandle and among the first 10 cities of the state.

HAMILTON now has 6 miles of natural Uvalde rock asphalt paved streets, and the county will vote on a \$500,000 road bonds issue on July 16th.

TURKEY is adding the finishing touches to the large 200,000 gallon reservoir for the city the contractor is furnishing the pump houses which complete one of the most modern, up-to-the-minute water supply plants in West Texas.

FLOYD COUNTY 14 YEARS AGO

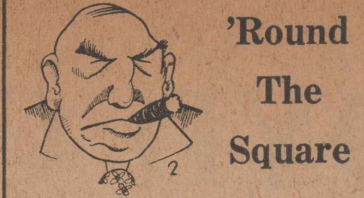
News items taken from files of the Floyd County Hesperian published in Floydada fourteen years ago.

ISSUE OF JULY 15, 1915

G. V. Slaughter, F. E. Savage, H. S. Haines, C. Foster, Raeburn Thompson, John McCleskey and E. T. Green left Tuesday for the Concho Valley where they will spend a week fishing and on an outing.

The TOWN DOCTOR (The Doctor of Towns)

If I were President of a Service Club or a Chamber of Commerce in a town of from two to two hundred thousand population, I would, one week, invite all of the gasoline station attendants to luncheon, the next week, all of the hotel clerks, the next the soda fountain and drug store clerks...



'Round The Square

With Old Battleaxe (Himself)

Well, folks, that guy on California Street liked to have passed out of the picture last week. He rang the telephone, picked up the receiver and in less than two minutes Central wanted to know what number he wanted. Yes sir, in less than two minutes! Our telephone service around is sure getting to be wonderful.

But during this modern age of electricity, we must expect our telephone service to be by far in advance of the city. Why, it has only been thirteen years since Floydada had a completely new telephone exchange.

And most cities the size of Floydada still have the old signal or dial system of phones.

O. B. sure has got a good joke on Central. Last week he was told that the line was busy before he gave her his number. "That's a yoke on Yonnie" said the Sweed as he dropped the fresh egg in his lap.

If all the elbow grease which has been used to crank telephones in Floyd County during the past six months was used during the next three days to cut weeds, by Saturday there would not be a weed in Floyd County. Even all of the Q. A. & P. Depot forest would be wiped out.

But folks, don't blame the local telephone girls for our rotten service. Goodness knows the poor girls must have a nap ever hour or so. One operator says that they have to have two hour shifts to cool off from the bawling out they get because of the poor exchange. But honestly, folks, it's not their fault. They give you the best service they have got—such as it is.

Speaking of electricity—which we wasn't—at last O. B. has found a satisfactory definition for electricity. Electricity, so we are told, is something that starts the Lord knows where and ends in the same place. It is 1-36 of a second faster than its nearest competitor, backyard gossip, and when turned loose in Europe will get to the United States five hours before it started.

Electricity is sometimes known as science gone crazy with the heat, and if you can understand its manoeuvres you can do anything with it except open a can of peanut butter at a picnic or write an editorial column.

Electricity was locked up in ignorance for centuries until Ben Franklin let it out with a pass key, and since then it has been pulling off more new stunts than the Saliva Slingers ever thought of.

With it you can start a conversation or stop one permanently, cook dinner, curl your hair, press your trousers, blow up a battleship, run an automobile, signal Mars, or build a telephone exchange.

Electricity makes a newspaper possible. Newspapers make editorial columns possible and thereby this column of hot air.

Don't put hot foods in the refrigerator. Cool them first to the room temperature. Don't use ice to cool such things as the tops of carrots, the outside leaves of lettuce or thick paper on parcels from the market. Don't waste ice storing vegetables for a short time if you are going to use them immediately.

Campbell News

(Too late for last week) Campbell, July 3.—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Caylor and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Darwin of Whitewright spent last week with their daughter and sister, Mrs. R. L. Powell.

Henry Penland, Leslie Shaffer, Clifton Smith and Houston Braswell spent Sunday night with W. H. Owens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stiles spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bethel.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Keith. Those present were: Virgil of Ft. Worth; Elza and family of Borger; George Jr., of Amarillo; Mrs. Fullwood and children of McAllen; and Mr. and Mrs. Royal of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flippin spent Sunday with J. T. Perry and family. Singing has been organized at Campbell. Everyone meet with us every Saturday night if possible.

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**SOCIETY**

**Club Observes July 4 Meeting.**

Mrs. Fred Brown was hostess to the K. K. Klub at her home Friday afternoon, July 5. The fourth of July idea was carried out in the refreshments and decorations. In the games of bridge played during the afternoon Mrs. Wanda Banker got high score for the visitors and Mrs. Thurmond Bishop got high score for the members. Pineapple ice cream and cake were served by the hostess. Small flags and firecrackers were given as favors.

The following were guests of the club for the afternoon: Mrs. Wanda Banker, Mrs. N. A. Armstrong; Mrs. A. N. Bratton, of Plainview; and Miss Nell Scooby, of Waco. The members present were: Mrs. Thurmond Bishop, Mrs. Otis Abston, Mrs. George Sherrill, Mrs. Ray Clements, Mrs. Polk Goen, Mrs. John Hammond, Mrs. W. H. Hilton and Mrs. Edd Bishop. Mrs. Ray Clements will be hostess to the club Friday afternoon, July 19.

**Bridesmaid In Wedding of College Chum.**

Miss Geraldine Massie was a bridesmaid in the wedding of Miss Marguerite Dorsett, of Plainview and Mr. Beno Sims, of Leonard, which was solemnized at the First Baptist Church of Plainview, Thursday, June 27. Rev. Pat Horton, former pastor of this city officiated.

Miss Massie and Miss Dorsett attended Texas University during the past term and were both members of the Alpha Delta Pi sorority. The wedding was said to be one of the most beautiful and impressive marriages ever solemnized in Plainview. Many prenuptial affairs were given during the past month at Plainview honoring Miss Dorsett, at many of which Miss Massie was a guest. Mrs. W. M. Massie and daughter, Geraldine, and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Martin attended the wedding.

**Attended Opening of Hotel At Plainview, July 4.**

Among those from Floydada who attended the opening of the Hilton Hotel at Plainview, July 4, were: Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Fry, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilliam, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kelm, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. W. Boon Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wimberly, Mrs. Wanda Banker; Mrs. Homer Steen, Mrs. Henry Edwards, Mrs. Calvin Steen; Misses Eddythe Walker, Lucille Mitchell, Wanda Montague, Ruth Crain; Messrs. Randell Alexander, G. E. McWhirter, Z. R. Felton, John Maxwell, Sanford Shaw, Richard Stovall and Clark Meador.

**North Circle Met Monday With Mrs. Amburn.**

Twenty members of the North Circle attended the meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Amburn. The Bible study was led by Mrs. J. P. Williams. The Circle will meet Monday afternoon, July 22, with Mrs. T. S. Stevenson.

**Wilson Family in Reunion Here July 3 to 5**

Fourth of July and a family reunion of the Wilson family—all of the sisters and brothers of Mrs. Fannie Montague—were celebrated together in the homes of Mr. and

Mrs. Leslie Surginer and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garrett, from July 3 to July 5. The party enjoyed a barbecue lunch on the canyon, July 4.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wimberly, Hagerman, N. M., Chas. A. Wilson, South Plains, Mrs. C. W. Gound, Weslaco, Mrs. Minnie Reeves, Plainview, Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Fairview, Rev. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, O'Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. A. Wilson, Knox City, Mrs. H. L. McKinstry, Hagerman, N. M., Mrs. Fannie Montague. Among the nephews and neices in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Harrington Wimberly and little son, Altus, Okla., Miss Margaret Wimberly, Tulsa, Okla., Miss Wanda Montague, Amarillo, Chas. and Florence Wilson, Knox City, Joe Earl Wilson, O'Donnell, Miss Elizabeth McKinstry, Hagerman, N. M., Edna Beth Wilson, Fairview, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Surginer and Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Garrett.

**Daughter Given Party On Birthday.**

Mrs. Claude Price was hostess at a party Saturday afternoon, June 29, honoring the seventh birthday of her daughter, Edna Earl. Mrs. Price was assisted by Mrs. Zell Probasco, Mrs. W. H. Watson, Mrs. P. V. Price and Mrs. F. M. Price. The children played games and then refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were: Kathleen, Tootsie, Kenneth and Melton Hodge, Frances and Billy George Probasco, Irene Probasco, Gladys, Mary May and Jimmie Lee Watson, Harvey Price, Ophelia Gilliland, Mar-Quinita and Brookseneil Price and Mrs. A. R. Cardinal and two children, Geraldine and Armond Louis.

**Campbell News**

Campbell, July 10.—Trustees finished painting and shingling the school house Monday. Several from this community spent the 4th at Ralls and Silver Falls. There were too many combines running for much celebration. Miss Ethel Owens spent the week end in Ralls with Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Hawkins. Mrs. Garner is staying with her sister in Plainview, who was seriously injured in a car wreck last Sunday week.

The Ladies Missionary Society met Monday evening with a large attendance. We invite all ladies of the community to be with us Fourth Monday afternoon. Glen McKinzie, of Electra and Clint Umsted, of Aubrey, spent a few days this week at the Owens home. Much enthusiasm is being shown in our Sunday School since our contest has been on. We urge each member to be present each Sunday and bring a visitor.

**Sunset News**

Sunset, July 8.—Only 34 were present at Sunday School Sunday. Rev. McGahey filled his appointment at both morning and night services. Miss Lola Knierim and Bessie Shearer spent Sunday afternoon with Lowell Haverty. Brother McGahey took dinner in the Calahan home Sunday, other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Casey, and Grandmother Calahan of Wichita Falls. George Knierim visited with Lowell Jarrett Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. G. Milton and daughters, Mrs. Esley Yeary, Linnie and Lillian are visiting different points in New Mexico. Miss Ruth Childress spent Wednesday evening with Vera Willson. Happy Lyles who has been working near Kress has returned to his home.

**Locals and Personals**

Irene Simpson visited with Elsie Myers Sunday. The ladies of the home Demonstration club are planning to entertain their husbands at the school house Saturday night. The club met last Friday, July 5, and an interesting discussion was held after which refreshments of lemonade, ice cream and cake were served to: Madames Esley Yeary; J. C. Simpson, Bill Harper, Betty Willson, Lucy Harper, J. G. Shearer, Charlie Willson, John Smitherman, Mrs. Hewett, Mrs. McLeod and Misses Vera Willson and Bessie Shearer. We wish to express our deep appreciation for the kindness shown us in the death of our loved one. It is friends like you that lighten the burdens of life in hours of sorrow. Mrs. E. E. Brown and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown and children. Exterior scenes used in "Trial of Mary Duggan" When "The Trial of Mary Duggan" comes to the screen of the Palace Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, July 22 and 23, with Norma Shearer heading a big special cast of notables, audiences will see a departure from the original stage version. Bayard Veiller, author of the famous murder drama, personally directed it for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. He altered the action of his play so as to incorporate a number of exterior scenes that will run as a prologue to the thrilling courtroom sequences. "For the purpose of condensing the trial dialogue I told part of the story outside the courtroom," Veiller said. "This did not deviate from the established plot but eliminated considerable preliminary testimony and made the witness chair dialogue more dramatic and intense." With Miss Shearer in the huge cast are H. B. Warner, Raymond Hackett, Lewis Stone and many other famous stage and screen personages.

Reeves Scott left Friday for Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, where he will spend a month in the Citizens Military Training Camp. John D. Teague, of Lubbock, returned home Wednesday of last week after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Teague. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Travis of Hale Center, formerly of Floydada, have returned here to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Foster and son, and Mrs. Foster's sister, Miss Thelma Lusk, all of McKinney, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bagwell from Thursday until Saturday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Baker of Hamlin were guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker, during the Fourth of July holidays.

**CARD OF THANKS**

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Floyd, ss: I, Jas. K. Green, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. JAS. K. GREEN, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1929. (SEAL) ROBERT EUBANK, Notary Public. T. S. Stevenson, C. Surginer, R. E. L. Muncy, Directors.

**REPORT OF CONDITION OF The Floyd County National Bank of Floydada**

In the state of Texas, at the close of business on June 29, 1929.

RESOURCES table with 12 rows including Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, Other bonds, etc. Total: \$732,658.63

LIABILITIES table with 7 rows including Capital stock paid in, Surplus, Undivided profits, etc. Total: \$732,658.63

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barton and Mrs. Bill McKinnon of Weinert, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker of Rochester were here Sunday to attend funeral services for E. C. Henry.

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**Sunday School Lesson**

**G. T. Palmer**  
Ezekiel Teaches Personal Responsibility.  
Lesson: Ezekiel 18:1-32:1-20.  
Golden Text: Each of us shall give account of himself to God.—Romans 14:12.  
Unto Ezekiel and his people in Babylon there came the news of their own fate which had come to Jerusalem. The city had fallen, and the hopes of God's chosen people seemed to be blasted forever. It was a dark and tragic hour. It was a time of testing for even the bravest of hearts. No doubt many serious questions came into the minds of the people. And it was true then as it is true now that there was an effort to shift the responsibility, and to place the blame upon other lives. Human nature has not changed with the passing of the centuries and today we are found trying to evade personal responsibility. It was during this time of calamity for the exiles that Ezekiel brought his message of warning, and set forth the importance of personal responsibility.

**A Watchman**  
Ezekiel spoke in a language which the people were able to understand. Watchtowers were built at the borders of the country and a watchman stationed there to give warning of the approach of an enemy. If he saw the enemy coming it was his duty to blow the trumpet and to give the alarm. So the prophet was a watchman to warn his own people of approaching danger. We cannot afford to minimize the importance of the watchman in the life of the nation. Our own lives are protected and our interests guarded because thousands of the watchmen are at the post of duty by day and by night. Many calamities have been averted because the watchman gave the alarm and the warning was heeded. It is necessary that the watchman possess courage and perseverance. He must not go to sleep while at the post of duty, and his message of warning must be clear and definite. It is no easy task that of being a watchman. Now in sense at least, God has called one of us to be a watchman. We are faced with the fact that we are our brother's keeper. Parents and teachers are appointed to be over children, and to keep them in the right way. The statesman must safeguard the rights of the nation. The preacher must not be afraid to speak out in no uncertain manner regarding the evil he sees approaching. If the man fails his people are deceived and he himself suffers the consequences. It is his duty to give warning. Then it is imperative that here and now each one of us discharge our personal responsibility to God and man.

**The Responsibility of Those Who Hear**

All of the responsibility however does not belong to the one who gives the warning. There is an obligation resting upon the person who is warned. Suppose the warning is given and is understood what then? Disregarding the warning means death for the person who is so reckless and thoughtless. It is the duty of the parent, the teacher, the statesman, the preacher, to deliver his message of warning and then it is the obligation of the one who has heard the warning to turn from his evil way and live. What is the duty of those who hear and understand the message of warning? Clearly it is that he should turn from his evil ways and live. Turning is something all of us can do. At the time of the great Johnstown flood several years ago when it was certain that the dam was going to give way several men rode up and down the valley warning the people of the impending danger. Some of them took the warning seriously and rushed to the hills thereby saving their lives. Others treated the warning lightly and paid no attention and made no effort to escape, and as a result all of those paid for their folly with their lives. During the awful flood at Corpus Christi a few years ago hundreds of people lost their lives because they set aside the warnings which they received from the government—that a great storm was coming and that they should go to the hills for protection. Not one life was lost among those who took the warning seriously and moved out of the lowlands to the hills above the city. The preacher comes with his message of warning to human hearts but his message is treated with indifference or with scorn. Why do men not heed the Gospel warnings? Many excuses are given: One does not like the trumpet; another does not like the one who blows the trumpet; still another says he is too busy, and still another says there is plenty of time. Heeding not he shall perish and his blood shall be upon his own head. The trivial excuses which men give for failing to heed will not stand in the white light of the judgment.

**Lesson of the Golden Text**  
Life is invested with tremendous significance because of personal accountability. No individual lives unto himself. Our interests are bound up one with the other. Each individual must give an account of himself to God. At the last great day each individual shall give an account of himself to God. A man shall give an account of his rejection of Jesus Christ. He shall give an account of wasted opportunities, of wasted talents, and of a wasted life. The watchman shall give an account of his failure to deliver his message of warning, and the one who heard the warning shall give an account of his failure to heed the warning. Then it is imperative that here and now each one of us discharge our personal responsibility to God and man.

**Blanco News**

Blanco, July 9.—Harvesting was delayed Wednesday morning because of the light rain Tuesday night. Most of the farmers are through harvesting wheat and are busy preparing their land for the next crop.  
E. V. Flowers who has been visiting his father returned to his home in Cleburne Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arch Williams of Lubbock spent Sunday with her brother L. C. Wheeler.  
Clyde Snell who has been visiting his brother in Fort Worth returned home last week.  
Ray Berry of Rosston is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. D. Christian.  
Mrs. Earl Rodgers is on the sick list.  
Mrs. Nell Jones Brabham of Bledsoe is visiting her brother L. C. Wheeler and Mrs. Wheeler.  
Mrs. W. F. Farler returned home Saturday from Asher, Oklahoma, where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Davis.  
Mrs. Syble Runyon of Fort Worth and Mrs. Gully and daughter, Mrs. Aaron of Floydada spent Tuesday with Mrs. Will Lewis.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ham Smith, Misses Eula Mae and Manola Ray Gilbreath, Myrtle Holligan, Messrs. Richard Gilbreath and Earnest Holligan spent Thursday in Plainview.  
Mr. and Mrs. Walls spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Holligan.  
Mr. and Mrs. Christy of Brownfield spent the week end with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christian.  
Miss Edwina Christian spent Thursday in Amarillo.  
Miss Nellie White and Miss Noma McPeak of Providence visited the Misses Gilbreath Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Daniel spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Simpson.

**Harmony News**

Harmony, July 9.—Mr. L. A. Williams is in Childress at the bedside of his brother.  
Estelle and Blanche Gary are spending the week in Quanah with their grandmother.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Williams, Raymond Williams and Hudson Couch spent Sunday in Lubbock.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith, of Amarillo, spent the Fourth with friends in the community.  
Miss Nell and Mr. R. K. Erhard were guests in the M. D. Ramsey home over the Fourth.  
Mrs. Chas. B. Trowbridge and daughter, Christine, and Mrs. Chas. B. Smith made a business trip to Plainview last Friday.  
Miss Lucile Snedgrass and Mr. Everett Miller spent the Fourth in Plainview.  
Miss Ruth Johnston and Mr. Zant Scott went to Linguish Falls the Fourth.  
Miss Wanda Teeple went to Amarillo Thursday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Verne Nelson.

**Fairview News**

Fairview, July 9.—The Sunday School and Church were well attended Sunday morning. Bro. Jamison filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church.  
Miss Mabel Culppepper spent Sunday with Miss Essie Baskin.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edd Bullard were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cozby Sunday.  
Miss Anna Austin returned home Wednesday of last week from Lubbock, where she has been visiting friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Horton Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crabtree, of Center, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Crabtree.  
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ruddid and children, of Hale Center, and a number of other relatives spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Austin last week.  
Mr. Vern Austin, who is attending Wayland College, spent the week end here with his parents.  
The new Methodist Church is nearly completed and the members are planning on holding services in it soon.

**Center News**

Center, July 9.—We had a nice rain late Saturday afternoon. It was really helpful to the row crop and came so nice that it did not do any damage to the wheat. Combines started up again by noon Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Gill and baby spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents.  
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bryant; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gill and daughter, Eliza-

R. C. Ross is running Mr. Hoffman's combine for him. Mrs. Ross has a brother staying with her during Mr. Ross' absence.  
Mrs. Jewel Branson spent Friday night with Mrs. Montgomery and Miss Alma spent the night with Mrs. Ruddick's daughter. Mrs. Frost.  
Relatives and friends of Mrs. Tom Noland surprised her on her birthday last week by taking ice cream and cake and spending the afternoon with her.  
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Carpenter Mr. and Mrs. Mankin and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Spence spent the Fourth of July at Plainview.  
A letter from Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Jordan says they arrived in Mississippi all safe last Wednesday and their church people have been caring for them royally since.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tubbs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Veach at dinner Sunday. They all attended Singing at Sand Hill in the afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spence visited Mrs. Carpenter Sunday.  
Mrs. McAda's father, Mr. Vandever, has gone to Memphis to visit other relatives. Mrs. McAda had a nephew and his family visiting her the past week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Crabtree spent Monday afternoon at their farm east of Fairview.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Spence took Sunday dinner at the Jordan home.  
Mr. Austin is here this week having his wheat combined.  
A. L. Hollums celebrated his fifty-eighth birthday Sunday. Mrs. Hollums served a delicious dinner to the children and a few friends. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hollums and son, Melvin; Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Gill and baby; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bryant; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gill and daughter, Eliza-

eth; Rev. and Mrs. Merle Weathers; Misses Gertrude Lightfoot and Bernice Mankin.  
C. O. Spence closed a deal Saturday for a six-acre track of land one-half mile west of Wayland College. There is a five-room brick veneer house with the place which is modern throughout. The outside is very attractive with walks and flowers and everything to make a nice home. Mr. Spence has not decided whether he will move to his new home this fall or not.  
Next Sunday is regular church day with singing in the afternoon.

**Locals and Personals**

W. H. Henderson made a business trip to Lubbock Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Solomon, of Mataro, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Solomon, Sunday.  
Mrs. R. J. Parsons and children, of Amarillo, returned home Friday after a week's visit here with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge and children.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Maury and son, Kenneth, of Houston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Rutledge Friday and Saturday. They were en route to Colorado for a vacation trip. Mrs. Maury will be remembered as Mrs. C. K. Holloway who formerly lived here and Mr. Holloway, now deceased, was county attorney of Floyd County.

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