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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, OCT. 7, 1937

NUMBER 2

PLANS ARE ANNOUNCED FOR BURKBURNETT'S ANNUAL FALL GARDEN SHOW

Wichita Farmers Are Planting Certified Cotton

Farmers in our cotton production areas, as well as those in other countries, are fast learning the value of planting Texas Certified or Registered Seed according to a bulletin just issued by Commissioner J. E. ... state department of agriculture.

Wichita County farmers planting bushels of State Registered Seed this year in their efforts to solve the serious problem of cotton quality.

Argentina, Greece, Italy, ... and Ecuador the foreign countries reports.

Theatre Community Class Makes Progress

At 7 o'clock promptly, this class will begin its worship program with a special song, then a prayer by someone in the class.

Auxiliary Gives Husbands Party

Members of the Auxiliary of the ... department were hostesses of the voluntary firemen at a ... of Mrs. J. J. Blackstone.

All Persons Who Drive Commercial Car Must License

Operators of Part Time Jobs Are Warned Of Campaign to Enforce Law

AVAILABLE IN BURK

All persons who operate commercial cars were warned this week that the state highway would soon start the strict enforcement of the chauffeur license laws in this district.

Mechanics in car repair departments who occasionally deliver cars, ambulance drivers, delivery truck drivers, school bus drivers, utility truck drivers, and all other similar drivers must have the license, regardless of how infrequent their trips in the trucks and cars may be.

Thomas Funeral Home Will Move To Wichita Mon.

New Unit Added at Walters, Okla.; Family To Move

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas, prominent citizens of Burkburnett since their arrival here in 1923, will move to Wichita Falls next Monday to take active charge of the funeral home in that city that was established in that place last August.

Mr. Thomas and his son have been associated with the funeral home since 1924. The established their home in Burkburnett in 1931, and expanded the enterprise last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas have been prominent leaders in church, civic and social work here. Mr. Thomas is an active member of the Burkburnett Rotary club and the chamber of commerce.

Cotton Report Is 1824 Bales In Burk

The Farmers Co-Operative reported 910 regular and the Burkburnett gin 914 round bales in the weekly cotton report for the season's total Thursday at noon.

Legionaires' Honor List Is Growing

The Legionaires of Oscar Frye post of Burkburnett continued to add the membership honor list this week as the drive picked up in speed, and fourteen members were signed up for the next year's dues.

Those signing up this week were George S. Kent, Edgar C. Whiteacre, S. M. Butts, S. E. Ferguson, William Wilhoit, Ben Givens, L. A. Hatch, Paul Schroeder, Preston H. Johnson, T. A. Banning, Joe Podburger, R. C. Tevis, M. E. Lewallen, and Tex Willis.

Police Recover Wichitan's Car

Bill Stapp, chief of police, announced Thursday the recovery here this week of a Chevrolet coupe stolen in Wichita Falls, and the arrest of the 22-year-old man in Oklahoma on the charge of abducting the theft of the car.

When Suttles returned to Burkburnett, the police found that the descriptions tallied, and ordered the Altus police to arrest and hold the man taking Suttles' car.

Burk Negro Jailed On Drunk Driving Charge

Sixty days in jail and a fine of \$50 and costs were imposed by Judge Irvin J. Vogel in the 78th district court Wednesday morning upon a Burkburnett negro who entered a plea of guilty on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

Evidence for the state was outlined by District Attorney Howard Martin. He said the defendant had taken on a pint of wine and a half pint of whisky shortly before his automobile figured in a collision with two other machines in Burkburnett.

Riley Machine Works Installs Electric Welder

Walter Riley of the Riley Machine Works, has recently installed a heavy duty electric welding machine. By the installation of this equipment, he is now in position to offer to his operators of this area a complete machine shop service, specializing in oil field work.

One of the big items manufactured and sold by the Riley Machine Works is a truck winch, which is a compact unit and light in weight—a desirable feature for the lighter trucks.

Methodists Hold Home-Coming

Members of the Homebuilders class of the First Methodist church held the annual home coming and guests day at the church in the form of a luncheon at the church basement Wednesday noon.

P. T. A. Stunt Night Presented Thursday At the School Stage

Members of the Parent-Teachers Association will sponsor a benefit program at the high school auditorium Thursday night with every club in the city co-operating with a stunt. The funds will be devoted to the social work program of the organization this year.

Pioneer Burk Citizens Dies

J. R. Griffin, 83, prominent Burkburnett pioneer citizen died at the home of children in Slaton, Texas, near Lubbock Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The pioneer came to Burkburnett almost the same year that the city was founded and had lived here until recently.

Bargain Night To Be Postponed At Palace This Week

Due to the demand for an extra day showing of the picture "Saratoga" which will be exhibited at the Palace theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, the bargain day which is regularly held each week at the theatre will be postponed this week.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Rummage sale of the Federated missionary society has been postponed indefinitely. The date will be announced sometime in the near future.

Benefit Program To Be Sponsored By Association With Clubs

TICKET SALES STARTED

Members of the Parent-Teachers Association will sponsor a benefit program at the high school auditorium Thursday night with every club in the city co-operating with a stunt.

The clubs will each be given a part of the program and they will present either clever entertainment or some joke on the members of the club itself.

Texans May Hunt In Red River Bed

A special license has been passed by Oklahoma to give Texans permission to hunt in the Red River area during the entire 30 days season starting October 9.

Devol School Will Present Operatta

Under the direction of Mrs. Jessie Hines, a cast of forty young people will present the operatta "Sunbonnet Girl," October 26, at the Devol High School.

Junior Club Studies Life of Pulitzer

Members of the Junior University club studied the life of Pulitzer at the meeting of the organization last Monday night at the home of Miss Westbrook.

Fire Losses Low For First Nine Months In Burk

The fire losses for the first nine months in Burkburnett were near record low with \$135.88. The highest month of the year was September with a total of 99.98.

Burk Girls Are Honored At School

Misses Maurine Goodwin, Mary Frances Clark of Burkburnett are members of the college chorus at Mary Hardin-Baylor.

LOCAL CLUBS WILL SPONSOR EXHIBITIONS OF BEAUTIFUL BLOSSOMS GROWN IN GARDENS

Elaborate plans for the annual fall garden show were announced by Mrs. R. C. Tevis and Mrs. B. F. Gilchrist, co-chairmen of the executive committee of the show Thursday morning.

City To Close Tax Remissions On Delinquents

R. P. Reagan, city secretary, announced Thursday that there would be no further extension of the remission of interest on the delinquent tax payments after next Sunday, October 10.

Police Department Assesses 12 Fines

During the past month the Burkburnett police department assessed 12 fines for a total of \$47.50 with most of the offenses charged in drunken cases.

Long Time Resident Burkburnett Dead

Mrs. C. O. Mayes, 59, a resident of Burkburnett for the last 19 years, died at her home early today after a lingering illness.

Firemen's Auxiliary Holds Meeting

Members of the Firemen's auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Robert Dunn Friday and planned a party for the husbands. Mrs. W. C. Keisling resigned as secretary and treasurer.

Infantile Paralysis Case Diagnosed Here

Frances Peyton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Peyton, residents of the Wichita-Burkburnett road, is ill with the infantile paralysis, according to Dr. Phillip Carpenter, the family physician.

Infantile Paralysis Case Diagnosed Here

Misses Maurine Goodwin, Mary Frances Clark of Burkburnett are members of the college chorus at Mary Hardin-Baylor.

MICKIE SAYS—
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IT'S YOUR NEWSPAPER!
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NEWS, GIVE US THE ADS,
AND PAY US TO SEND IT
TO YOU—WERE FOR YOU,
AND WE HOPE YOU ARE
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Four Red Hot specials For Friday & Saturday

72x84 PART WOOL DOUBLE

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Beautiful Plaids all Sateen Bound

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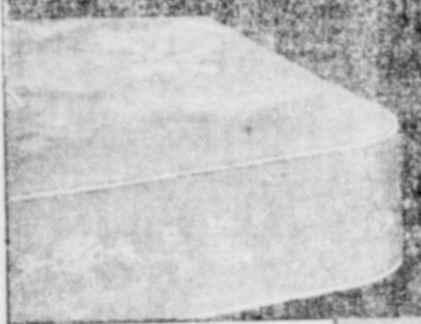
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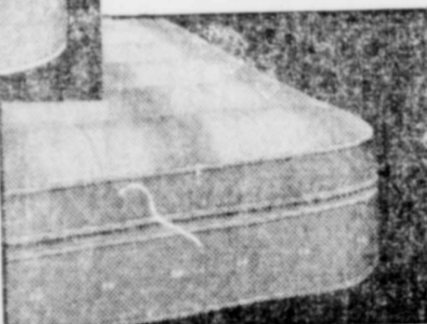
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36 INCH FASH COLOR PRINTS
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40 INCH, 15c GRADE CURTAIN SCRIM
36 INCH CRETONNES

Women's REGULAR \$2.95
Fall Silk Dresses **\$1.95**

Men's 19c Anklets, **10c**
Slight Irregulars

TAFFETA SLIPS, 49c

CH HI-TOP Leather Soled SHOES, \$1.49

66X80 Part Wool BLANKETS, Double, \$1.98

9 Quarter SHEETING, Umblea, 25c

Children's BOOTS \$1.49 to \$3.95

MEN'S FALL FELT HATS \$1.95

Boys' Semi-DRESS PANTS, 98c

Men's and Boys' OXFORDS, \$1.98

Another Big Shipment Men's E. & W. DRESS SHIRTS, \$1.00

Men's Pre-Shrunk OVERALLS, 98c

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QUALITY GROCERY & Mkt.

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- D. R. PEEVEY, Optometrist
- CICERO SMITH Lmbr. Co.
- CANNON DRUG STORE
- CITY SHOE SHOP
- E-Z LAUNDRY
- OIL CITY NEWS STAND
- HILL SERVICE STA.
- BETTY ANNE BAKERY
- THRIFT GROCERY
- PURE ICE CREAM
- ALEXANDER SERVICE Sta.
- CAMPBELL GROCERY
- BOYD Bros. EXCHANGE
- DICKSON'S Service Sta.
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Special Sale of DRUG Needs

Friday — Saturday — Sunday

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| 50c Dr. West TOOTH BRUSH | 29c | 10c Probake BLADES | 4c |
| 50c IPANA TOOTH PASTE | 29c | \$1.00 Size ADLERIKA | 69c |
| \$1.00 Value LUCKY TIGER | 49c | No. 1 Jar Kranks Lather Kream | 49c |
| PINT Rubbing ALCOHOL | 13c | 60c SIZE MURINE | 39c |
| \$1.25 Kelpamalt TABLETS | 89c | 60c SIZE ALKA Seltzer | 49c |
| \$1.25 Creomulsion Guaranteed Relief | 98c | RIT or PUTNAM DYE | 10c |

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SPECIALS for FRI. & SAT.

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| FLOUR, <i>Bewley's Best</i> 24lbs., 52c; 48 lbs., | \$1.79 |
| MEAL, <i>Pure Cream</i> , 20 lbs., | 55c |
| LARD 8 <i>POUND</i> CARTOON, | 89c |
| TOMATO JUICE 50 <i>OUNCE</i> CAN, | 25c |
| Super Suds <i>Large Package, Platter FREE.</i> | 21c |
| COFFEE <i>FOLGER'S</i> POUND, | 31c |
| MEAT SPECIALS | |
| BACON SQUARES sugar cured, lb, | 29c |
| BOLOGNA, 1ge. or sml., lb., | 15c |
| CHEESE <i>FULL</i> CREAM, lb., | 21c |

BETTER AND CUTER THINGS FOR Babies




Here are the things that meet the most particular babies' demand for comfort and cuddliness. Come in and see the many "new arrivals."

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| Sweaters, 98c | Bonnets, 59c |
| Bootees, 25c | Sacques, 59c |
| FROCKS for little tots, infants' sizes, 49c | |
| Warm Sleepers, 98c | |
| Delivery Blankets, 25c | |
| Flannel Gertrudes, 25c | |
| Rubber Crib Sheets, 25c | |
| Pepperell Blankets, 98c | |

Majors Variety

"Where You Get the Most For the Least"

Oh, Boy! Look At These Bargains



Let's Go To Burk Motors Before It's Too Late!

You'll have to hurry if you want to buy one of these sensational used cars. Whatever your preference of style and make in an automobile, you'll find just what you have in mind at Burk-burnett Motors, and you'll save money, too!

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| Ford Coupe, '30 (clean) | \$175. |
| Ford Coach, '37, | 600. |
| Ford Coach, '34, | 300. |
| Chevrolet Sedan, '32, | 175. |
| Chevrolet Coupe, '34, | 275. |
| Chevrolet Coupe, '31, | 150. |
| Dodge Touring Sedan, '35 clean | 400. |
| Dodge Tour. Sedan, '36, clean | 575. |
| Dodge Sedan, '34, | 325. |
| Plymouth Sedan, '35, | 450. |
| Plymouth Sedan, '33, | 250. |
| Plymouth Coach, '34, | 275. |
| Plymouth Coupe, '34, | 250. |

Burkburnett MOTORS

Friday-Saturday Specials

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| POTATOES, Idaho, per pk., | 29c |
| FOLGER'S Coffee drip or Reg. No 1 | 29c |
| Campbell Tomato Juice, 50 oz., | 22c |
| MARSH MELLOWS, No. 1, | 16c |
| RICE, Whole Grain, 3 lbs., | 25c |
| APPLES BUTTER, Riley's, lb., | 35c |
| BEEF, Ground for Loaf Meat, lb., | 12 1/2c |
| JELL-O, all flavors, each, | 5c |
| BEEF STEW Meat, lb., | 10c |
| PORK CHOP, Salt, lean, lb., | 28c |
| APPLES, pk., | 30c |

QUALITY GROCERY AND MARKET

Miss Bess McGluuls & Mrs. Lottie Young

CANNON DRUG

"WE MAKE OUR OWN ICE CREAM"

SPECIAL! FRIDAY ONLY
BANANA SPLIT, 7c

SPECIAL! Saturday and Sunday Only
Full Pint of—
Vanilla Ice Cream, 7c

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| 50c CALOX, and | |
| 50c Dr. West Tooth Brush for, | 59c |
| 60c MARROW OIL SHAMPOO, | 49c |
| 60c ALKA SELTZER, | 49c |



Scott Colton shows Suzanne Kaaren proof that his well contains oil in Universal's "The Wildcatter"

To be shown at Tex Theatre Sunday and Monday.

Burk City Manager Delivers Speech On Electric Utilities

(Speech Made By Manager R. P. Reagan at the State Meeting of Municipalities at Mineral Wells.)

Several years ago when Burkburnett was trying to build a light plant, one of the officials of an electric company made the statement to me that there were 36 Municipal Light Plants in the State of Texas and that every one of them was mismanaged. I completed the statement for him; "yet they are all making money." There was no "come back" there.

Let me say here that in my own opinion that municipal light plants have been grossly misrepresented by both side. The machinery people have painted the picture too rosy and the privately owned utilities in their onslaughts against the erection of a municipal plant have made the picture too dark. The most logical way to consider them is to arrive at a medium that conforms with common sense and treat them as any other enter-



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NEW BUS SCHEDULES EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 7TH Oklahoma Transportation Co.

| LOCAL SERVICE BURK TO WICHITA FALLS | |
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| Leave Burk for Wichita Falls | 7:45 A.M. |
| — | 10:00 A.M. |
| — | 11:15 A.M. |
| — | 3:40 P.M. |
| — | 6:00 P.M. |
| — | 7:15 P.M. |
| — | 9:05 P.M. |
| LOCAL SERVICES, WICHITA TO BURK | |
| Leave Wichita Falls for Burk | 7:00 A.M. |
| — | 9:30 A.M. |
| — | 11:10 A.M. |
| — | 1:30 P.M. |
| — | 4:15 P.M. |
| — | 6:30 P.M. |
| — | 9:55 P.M. |
| To Oklahoma City and North | |
| — | 7:25 A.M. |
| — | 11:35 A.M. |
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| From Oklahoma City and North | |
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| — | 9:05 P.M. |
| LYNN WAY STAGES | |
| To Devol, Grandfield, and Fredrick | |
| — | 7:45 A.M. |
| — | 12:01 P.M. |
| — | 3:00 P.M. |
| — | 7:25 P.M. |
| From Devol Grandfield and Fredrick | |
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| — | 10:25 P.M. |

BUS UNION STATION
J. E. LOHOEFENER, Mgr.

prise that a free people might attempt to operate. As my name implies, I am Irish, and I am a strong believer in "Home Rule." I firmly believe that if a town through a majority of its citizens actually want to build a light plant and can finance the construction of it, they have an inalienable right to do so.

Vernon and Wichita
Now let's look into the management of these plants. It would be boresome to you for me to deal at length on what I have done in Burkburnett, consequently I will compare one of our neighbors' municipal affairs with another neighbor, Vernon and Wichita Falls. In 1923 the City of Vernon and the City of Wichita Falls were both in apparently the same financial condition—both healthy. Vernon, in 1923, started from scratch with its municipal light plant. They had the regular run of injunction suits that any city must be hampered with; but they could take it, and did. Wichita Falls contented themselves with letting "Faith" take care of their town. What has Vernon done that Wichita Falls hasn't done? At the close of the fiscal year, 1934-35, the records showed that Vernon had invested \$450,000.00 in their light and power plant. The records further showed that they did not owe a thin dime on it and every cent of the money invested in it came as revenue from the plant itself. Now as to its salable value. Any man in Vernon will tell you that the plant is worth a million; but let's say its present worth is \$450,000. If you thing this figure too high, persuade the people of Vernon to sell it for that and the balance left as your commission will keep you comfortable into a ripe old age.

Plant Valuable
Vernon at that time had in its various bond issues such as school, water works, sewer department, street improvements, city hall, and city park—you will please note there are no light and power bonds in the list—a total indebtedness of \$729,400 of which \$346,960 was for the independent school. That leaves a balance of \$382,500 as the City debt. Vernon could then, and still can, sell its light plant for enough money to pay its entire indebtedness and have its water works, city hall, city parks, and street improvements, besides \$187,000 in cash clear. Now I am at a loss to say what Wichita Falls could offer for sale that would leave her financial condition in such a healthy shape. This condition has been brought about in Vernon on an exceedingly low rate. In fact, Vernon has sold its current for 3 cents after its minimum of 30KW was reached for years. Its Tax rate has been lower than that of Wichita Falls for years. Now what I have been wondering is what this plant could have done if it had been properly managed. So far as I know, and I am sure I would have been told if it were so, there has never been an increase in City Taxes caused directly or indirectly by the establishment of a municipal light plant.

Lubbock
Before I leave the management and financial affairs of Cities owning their own light and power plants, I would like to mention that great "booger," Taxes. The City of Lubbock had a total valuation for 1935 of \$20,712,500 based on 60 percent actual valuation. They had a bonded indebtedness of \$2,162,500 and a tax rate of 55 cents. Yet there is no record of any default in payment of either bond maturity or interest by the City of Lubbock since its corporation. Neither has it ever been necessary to engage in refunding operations for the purpose of extending maturity dates. This can be said of several other cities in Texas who own and operate their plants.

Politics
One of the criticisms of a municipality owning and operating a light and power plant is that it is subject to all the evils of politics. My investigations several years ago into this very phase of municipal ownership proved conclusively to me that this was not true. I find that in most of the cities owning their own plants that there are fewer changes made in the city's hired personnel when there is a change in politics than there is in Cities that do not own their plants.

I am sure that I can speak for every Manager of utilities in the state when I say that all would like to avoid the petty politics forced upon them by private competition. This kind of politics varies from town to town and you people who own plants know what I am talking about. I think I can truthfully say that every manager of Utilities would rejoice were it possible to go on about their every day business of giving good service to their customers without having to keep an ear and an eye in Austin to keep from being legislated out of existence. However, such is not the case and it appears to me that such will never be the case.

Supports City
In conclusion, I want to say

CLARA NEWS

By MRS. F. T. GROZIER

Mr. Bates, who underwent a major operation recently in Wichita Falls, is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. Euna Mae Clemmons and her son are visiting Mrs. Wales Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Walkup with their daughter, Mrs. Edith Jones, spent Sunday in Hollis, Okla.

Mrs. L. A. Curtis and her daughter, Miss Curtis of the Clara faculty, left Sunday for Rotan, called there by the death of Mrs. Curtis' brother. Interment was in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

The Clara School Board held its regular meeting last Monday night. Routine business was transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Morris spent Saturday in Wichita Falls, shopping.

Misses Parris, Gibson, Kline and Isbell, Clara teachers, were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Manse Butts Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ross Walkup and family visited Mrs. Etta Golden of Electra last Monday.

Mrs. D. O. Shirley is a visitor in the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. A. E. Walkup.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton and little daughter, Billy Jean, visited with Mrs. Carl Hamilton last week. Billy Jean is recovering from a serious injury received in a traffic accident last August.

Mrs. D. F. Lamb returned Tuesday evening from her visit with her daughter, Mrs. Tatum of Grandfield, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Richardson and son, Leo, returning Sunday from California report a very enjoyable trip.

Mrs. Floyd Gladden, though still on the sick list, her many friends are glad to hear of her improvement.

MRS. CHAPMAN HONORED WITH LOVELY SHOWER

Mrs. M. C. Chapman, former president of Clara P. T. A., was honored Wednesday afternoon with a lovely shower given by her friends at the home of Mrs. C. A. James.

Entertainment consisted of interesting games and songs. A dainty refreshment course was served after the honoree received her pretty assortment of gifts.

Those not present who sent gifts were Mesdames Orville Watkins, D. F. Lamb, Preston Johnson and J. E. Rogers.

Present were Mesdames Paul Schroeder, L. F. Ramming, J. Peoples, Pearson, Oscar Schroeder, Otis Gay, Wright, J. W. Whitney, Tom Williams, Jack Hamner, E. F. Ford, Hermon Lang, C. J. Therber of Iowa Park, Hubert Butts, Bert Miller, N. M. Matthews, Scott Morris, S. M. Butts, R. R. Johnston, Edd Heiserman, Lott, F. J. Grozier, B. F. Ford, Herman Lang, C. J. Thurber.

Rainbows Entertain Grandfield Assembly

The Burkburnett Rainbow assembly entertained twenty-two members of the Grandfield, Oklahoma, assembly Tuesday night in their beautiful initiatory ceremony. The hall was decorated with roses and autumn flowers and the girls in lovely evening dresses of nearly every rainbow color made a gorgeous picture. Mary Blackstone and Betty Joe Shrum were the two new girls added to the assembly. The lodge now has 54 active members. Miss Kesler, worthy advisor and Mrs. Brown of Grandfield responded in their gracious manner in thanking the Burkburnett assembly for the invitation. Mrs. H. J. Exley, worthy advisor of the Burkburnett assembly was surprised by the girls presenting her a lovely purse and handkerchief for a birthday honor. Refreshments were served to fifty-eight members, Eastern Stars and Masons after which an impromptu musical program was given by the Grandfield girls.

that I have noticed one thing in the cities that own their own electric plants. The citizens do not pay any more for electricity than they do where the electricity is privately distributed, and whatever profits are made stay at home. The transfers from the Electric Light fund to the Tax supported general fund and the Tax supported sinking fund in the various Cities is conclusive evidence to any person not dominated by the private utilities, that the municipal electric utilities of the state are fairly well managed.

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