

HASKELL COUNTY FARMERS TO ORGANIZE FOR SOIL CONSERVATION WORK

Farmhouse Near Rule Wrecked By Tornado Sunday Afternoon

LIGHT TO HEAVY RAINS ACCOMPANY STORMS IN AREA

Heaviest Precipitation Is Received In Weibert and Surrounding Section

Considerable property damage was inflicted in a small section around Rule, while beneficial rains were received in parts of the county last Sunday afternoon when small tornadoes and high winds struck this section.

North of Rule the farm home occupied by David Hunt was demolished by a cyclone, two automobiles parked near the house were wrecked, and barns and outbuildings damaged by the "twister". Nearby, another farmhouse was blown from its foundation. Midway between Haskell and Rule a small poultry shed on the farm of John Pittman was wrecked by the high winds. In the Mattson section northeast of Haskell, two young mares belonging to J. S. Stanford were struck by lightning and killed during a heavy down-pour of rain. In other sections of the county slight damage to property was caused by the high winds. Offsetting the damage was rainfall estimated at two inches which fell in the Weibert section and east of that place, and lighter rainfall in the east and southeast parts of the county, and precipitation gauged here at 44 of an inch. Scattered hail which did practically no damage accompanied the rain.

Twelve persons who had gathered at the home of Mr. Hunt for a family reunion Sunday, escaped injury when they took refuge in a storm cellar during the storm. Wreckage from the demolished farmhouse was strewn over a half-mile area. Mr. Hunt also lost a number of hens and chickens killed in the storm.

The tornado which struck the Hunt farmhouse was plainly visible in Haskell, ten miles away, and during the afternoon observers counted four separate tornadoes in the west part of the county, and one "twister" south of Haskell. Fortunately, the disturbance struck in sparsely settled areas, and caused little damage with the exception of the storm near Rule.

ALDERMEN APPROVE CITY WARRANTS TO PAY CURRENT BILLS

Warrants Bearing 6 Percent Interest Redeemable at Local Bank

At the regular meeting of the City Council Thursday night, aldermen passed a resolution authorizing the payment of current obligations of the city with warrants redeemable at face value at the Haskell National Bank. Interest of 6 per cent annually will be paid to the banking institution, but no interest will be allowed individual holders of the warrants, according to terms of resolution.

A contract for leasing the municipal swimming pool to Al "Dutch" Jordan of this city during the council meeting.

Other business transacted during the session included adjustment of tax renditions, authorizing payment of dues in the League of Texas Municipalities, and approval for payment of bills against the city totalling several hundred dollars.

With Mayor F. G. Alexander presiding, all members of the Council were present for the meeting.

Haskell Youth Enlists in Field Artillery

Rudolph Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Miles of this city, enlisted in the United States Army this week at the Abilene recruiting office. Mr. Miles will be assigned to the Field Artillery service branch at Fort Frances E. Warren, Wyoming.

Mrs. Henry Wilson and little daughter, Janice Ruth of Amarillo are visiting in the home of Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robertson.

ABSTON TO STAND TRIAL IN BAYLOR ON MURDER COUNT

Third Trial of Defendant In Murder Case Scheduled at Seymour

Clarence (Puny) Abston, twice convicted of murder in connection with the slaying of an aged O'Brien woman in 1936, whose sentences were set aside and new trials granted by the State appeals court, is due to stand trial in Baylor county district court at an early date in the third hearing to determine his guilt or innocence on a murder indictment voted by a Haskell county Grand Jury.

Abston, charged with Grand Jury indictment with complicity in the slaying of Miss Rebecca Coursey, 78, in O'Brien early in May, 1936 was first tried in Haskell shortly after Miss Coursey's death. A jury in district court assessed the death penalty. This verdict was set aside and a new trial ordered in the appellate court's decision. In a second trial, at Claremont in Kent county, Abston was assessed a 50-year prison sentence. An appeal resulted in this verdict being denied and a new trial ordered. The case then was transferred to Baylor county, where the district court term began Monday.

Charged jointly with Abston in the slaying of Miss Coursey, Adolph Matura, a Bohemian emigrant farmer who admitted beating the aged woman and whose testimony was used by the State against Abston in his first trial, was executed in the State Penitentiary in July, 1937.

Abston, who has been in custody of Haskell and Kent county officers since his arrest in connection with the case three years ago, was removed from the Haskell jail to Seymour Sunday.

Benefit Burial Association Is Organized Here

Announcement is made this week of the organization of the Holden Benefit Association, by W. O. Holden, owner and manager of the Holden Funeral Home in this city.

Purpose of the benefit association is to provide a modest yet impressive burial for members of the association at a cost within the reach of every person in this area, regardless of financial circumstances.

"This burial plan should practically eliminate financial difficulties often experienced by bereaved families," Mr. Holden explained, "and we believe that we can materially aid a large number of families in this territory who are at present, due to circumstances beyond their control, unable to aid themselves when an emergency arises."

Any white person living in this section between the age of 1 month and 75 years at the date of application will be considered for membership in the association. Mr. Holden said. Such membership entitles each member to all of the services of the Holden Funeral Home. Full details of the plan are listed in a large advertisement in this issue of the Free Press.

Two Youths Face Court Charges In Theft of Pistols

Two Haskell youths, both 15 years old, were taken into custody by members of the sheriff's department Saturday in connection with the recovery by officers of three pistols stolen from automobiles in this city several months ago. Hearing of theft charges against the youths will be held in juvenile court, Sheriff Dotson said this week.

Haskell Speaker



Paul Crawford, brilliant HHS Senior and talented young speaker, will represent Haskell in the "My Home Town" speaking contest at the annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Abilene next week. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Crawford. (Photo courtesy Abilene Reporter-News).

Rochester Will Be Host to Singers of County on May 21

Regular monthly program of the Haskell county Singing Convention will be held at the Methodist Church in Rochester Sunday, May 21st, beginning at 2 p. m. The church building has recently been repaired, and Rochester people have been looking forward to entertaining singers of the county for some time, convention officials said in announcing time and date for the Rochester gathering.

All singers of the county are urged to attend and take part in the afternoon's program. Outstanding talent from adjoining counties will also have a part on the program.

Haskell Student Gains High Rank In State Contest

Miss Florence Hammer, a student in Haskell high school and a first year contestant in the state meeting of Future Homemakers, was awarded Superior Ranking in the contest, "Providing Food for the Family" at the State Rally in Galveston this past week. Mrs. Myrtle Meyer, teacher of Home Economics was notified Wednesday of this honor.

In the contest, there were one hundred eighty three schools represented. Haskell competed in Class A group in which there were four rankings. Beaumont received the place of Highly Superior with Haskell next in ranking.

This was a contest of balancing menus, selecting dishes and appropriate decorations for serving the meals and arranging a systematic work sheet for meal preparation.

Miss Hammer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hammer and is an outstanding pupil in scholarship.

MISS GAYLE ROBERTS WILL HEAD ADVISORY COUNCIL AT TSCW NEXT YEAR

Denton, May 9 — Miss Gayle Roberts of Haskell was recently elected to serve as president of the Student Advisory Council at Texas State College for Women next year.

Selected for the position on the basis of scholastic attainment and college activities, Miss Roberts' duties will include service on the Council and supervision of all student advisors in guiding and directing incoming students.

A junior student at the college, Miss Roberts is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts.

Virgil Reynolds left for Austin Friday where he joined Mrs. Reynolds and children in a visit with her parents, Hon. and Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant.

Mrs. Joe Meacham and Miss Elizabeth went to Amarillo Saturday to visit in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Caple. They returned to Haskell Thursday.

FINAL DRIVE FOR WTCC DELEGATES IS SLATED TODAY

H-D CLUB MEMBERS ELECT DELEGATES TO DISTRICT MEET

Plans Also Set In Motion For Annual Haskell-Knox Encampment

Election of Haskell county delegates to the annual meeting of Home Demonstration Clubs in District 3, and plans for the coming encampment of Knox and Haskell county Home Demonstration club women were highlights of the regular meeting last Saturday of the County Council of H. D. Clubs, held in the office of Miss Mildred Vaughan, county home agent. Roll call was answered by 22 members, representing nine clubs in the county.

Mrs. S. G. Perrin, Council chairman, and Mrs. A. C. Denson were elected as delegates to the district 3 meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association, to be held in Benjamin today (Friday). A large group of Club members from this county is also expected to attend the district meeting, where reports of activities from all counties in District 3 will be given, and nine district presidents will be nominated.

During Saturday's business session of the Council meeting Mrs. Tony Patterson, chairman of the Haskell-Knox County Women's Encampment, which will be held this year at Midway schoolhouse, appointed the following committee on Meal Planning for the encampment: Mrs. J. B. Smith, Mrs. Floyd McGuire, and Mrs. Odie Bland.

Attending the County Council meeting were representatives from the following clubs: Blubornet, Center Point, Hutto, Jossilet, Mattson, Marcy, Midway, New Mid and Foster.

New Fruit and Vegetable Mart Is Opened Here

Featuring a complete selection of garden-fresh fruits and vegetables, the Stop and Shop Fruit Stand was opened in Haskell last week, located in the old Thomson filling station building one block north of the Haskell National Bank building. Henry Morris is proprietor of the establishment.

Mr. Morris states that fresh fruits and vegetables will be the principal stock of the new store, and assures patrons that all seasonable items will be featured in their stocks. He invites housewives of the city to include the Stop and Shop market on their shopping tours.

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT FOR BOYS TEAMS IS SCHEDULED AT RULE

Trophies Will Be Awarded Winners in Senior and Junior Divisions

An Invitation Softball Tournament for Junior and Senior boys teams will be held at Rule Saturday, May 13th, under the sponsorship of Ed McMinn, vocation agriculture teacher in Rule High School.

An excellent playing field will be available for the tournament, and suitable trophies will be awarded winning teams in both divisions. Entries are expected from practically all schools in the county, due to the fact that the Rule tournament is among the first of the season.

Playing will begin promptly at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. Team coaches will meet at the school building to draw for places on the day's schedule.

Sale of Convention Badges Will Be Pushed By C.C. Workers

A final canvass of the business section for advance registration of Haskellites for the annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Abilene next week, will be made this morning by a committee of six workers from the local Chamber of Commerce. Headed by Dr. T. W. Williams, convention delegation leader, the group will include Sam A. Roberts, Chesley Phelps, John Couch, Guy Collins and Hill Oates.

Registration badges sell for \$1.00 each, and entitled the bearer to admission to all business sessions during the three-days convention, and to a round of entertainment features, including dances Monday and Tuesday nights at two leading Abilene hotels, and revues at which "Miss West Texas" will be selected.

From advance indications of interest in the coming convention this city's delegation will be one of the largest ever to attend a regional meeting. Ralph Duncan, local C-C secretary, said Thursday. In charge of delegation plans, Dr. T. W. Williams has announced that plans are practically complete for a motortrip from this city to make the trip to Abilene Tuesday, second day of the convention. All persons who desire to join in the caravan are requested to notify the local C. of C. office as early as possible. Hatbands and badges will be furnished the delegation before starting time, Duncan has announced.

Three Men Charged After "Lost" Tires Found By Officers

In connection with the recovery of thirteen new automobile tires which were lost from a truck on March 14 on the highway between Haskell and Weibert, charges have been preferred against three local men, according to Sheriff Olen Dotson.

J. C. Mills of Munday, owner of the truck, reported the loss to officers after he had discovered the tires missing and had driven back along the highway immediately after missing the tires.

MISS GERALDINE CONNER ELECTED SOCIAL CLUB REPRESENTATIVE AT TECH

Lubbock, May 9 — Miss Geraldine who is a sophomore home economics student at Texas Technological College, has been elected representative to the association of women students for Las Vivarachas, social club. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Conner of Haskell.

Drunk Driving Charges Filed Against Two Men

As the result of a collision on the highway between Sagerton and Stamford Monday afternoon, Sheriff Olen Dotson arrested a Jayton resident, who was charged in a complaint filed by the officer with driving an automobile while intoxicated. After an examining trial the defendant was released under \$1,000 bond to await action of the Grand Jury now in session.

Similar charges were filed Saturday against a Haskell man, Sheriff Dotson said. The local man also perfected bond to await Grand Jury investigation.

On WTCC Program



Dr. Walter M. W. Splawn, above, Washington, D. C., chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission and former University of Texas president, will be principal speaker at the first general assembly of the 21st annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Abilene May 15-17.

Threatening Clouds Cause Singers Meet To Be Postponed

With an estimated 1,500 singers from Haskell and adjoining counties in attendance, the afternoon program of the annual county singing convention scheduled at the First Christian Church last Sunday afternoon was canceled because of threatening weather.

Arrangements are being made to hold the convention on the first Sunday in June, according to Hallie E. Chapman, secretary of the county-wide organization. The First Christian Church will again be used for the convention, and the full program which was scheduled last Sunday will be given on that date, with possibly some additions, Mr. Chapman said, and plans will also be made to accommodate all visiting singers.

Future Homemakers Will Give Pageant At the M. E. Church

In observance of Mother's Day next Sunday, the Florence Fields chapter of Future Homemakers of Haskell High School will present a pageant at the First Methodist Church Sunday evening, and will also announce their selection of "The Outstanding Mother of Haskell."

The pageant to be given will have for its theme "The Great Mothers of the Past", and will be directed by Mrs. Myrtle Meyers, chapter supervisor and instructor. The Mother selected as the most outstanding in Haskell will be presented at the conclusion of the pageant and immediately preceding the evening preaching service.

Organist To Give Concert At M. E. Church on Sunday

Charles Kiker of Wichita Falls, nationally known organist, and Arthur Davis, also of that city and recognized as a leading violinist of the Southwest, will present a forty minute concert at the First Methodist Church Sunday evening. The concert will begin at 6:45 o'clock.

There will be no admission charged, and the public is cordially invited to attend the concert. The program is sponsored by Mrs. C. M. Kaigler.

Jno. L. McCollum spent last week end with his parents and accompanied J. R. Kennedy to Dallas Monday who also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCollum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sprowls and daughter of Happy, Texas visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Foote and other relatives this week end.

Sheriff John Turner of Parker county was a business visitor in Haskell Tuesday.

Miss Joeline Vannoy, home demonstration agent of Crowell visited Mr. E. R. Wilson this past week.

DISTRICT DELEGATES WILL BE CHOSEN AT MEETINGS MONDAY

MATTSON SCHOOL GRANTED CREDITS IN AFFILIATION

Nineteen Affiliated Credits Granted to District In Three Years

Mattson Rural High School has been granted three additional credits in High School affiliation, Supt. Elmer C. Watson was advised this week in a report from the State Department of Education, following a recent inspection by a deputy state superintendent.

Additional credits were granted in Junior Business, General Mathematics, and Homemaking. This gives the Mattson school a total of 19 credits earned during the three years that Mr. Watson has been district superintendent.

The Mattson school also gained recognition in the Class B State Track Meet held at Denton last week, when L. D. Holcombe of Mattson tied with Adams from Mertzon for the Class B high jump title. Holcombe and Adams both cleared the bar at 5 feet 11 inches, but neither was able to clear the additional inch without knocking off the marker at 6 feet.

Supt. Watson and athletic Coach Coody accompanied the following Mattson entrants in the State Meet to Denton: Holcombe, Burl Darnell, Elmer Watson, and Leon Mapes. All of the youths made good showings in the divisions entered at the meet.

Cow Stolen From Rochester Farmer Found by Officers

A cow stolen from O. A. Riddle of Rochester in July of last year was recovered last week by Sheriff Olen Dotson. The animal had been sold to a farmer living east of Jacksboro, Texas, more than nine months ago, local officers recently learned. Accompanied by Mr. Riddle, the Haskell officer went to Jack County last week to claim the animal.

Floyd Tidwell, former Haskell county resident who was convicted on a felony charge during the January term of District Court, has made a statement admitting theft of the cow Sheriff Dotson said Monday, who added that the matter would be referred to the current Grand Jury for investigation.

Summer Band School Will Begin 8 - Weeks Session on May 30th

The Summer Band School of the Meacham School of Music will begin Tuesday May 30th, according to announcement made this week by Director Joe Meacham. An eight weeks instruction course will be given to students enrolling for the summer session, to prepare them for entrance in the School Band at the beginning of the next school term.

Prospective students are asked to make application for entry in the Summer school at the earliest date possible.

MISS MARY ELEANOR DIGGS ELECTED MEMBER STUDENT COUNCIL AT TEXAS TECH

Miss Mary Eleanor Diggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Diggs of this city, was recently elected a member of the Students Council at Texas Technological College, Lubbock. Each Spring twenty girls are chosen to serve the following year. Points governing their selection are high averages, personality and leadership. Their election also makes them Council members in the dormitory.

Mary Eleanor was also recently initiated into Las Leales.

Miss Marguerite McCollum from Grandfalls visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. I. McCollum this week end.

Mrs. Wallace Irvin of Midland is visiting in the home of her father, G. F. Mullino.

Four Precinct Conventions to Be Held at Points In County

Plans for organizing Haskell landowners under the far-reaching new soil conservation law were set in motion this week when the Commissioners Court ordered precinct conventions to be held in the four precincts of the county on Monday May 15th. Purpose of the precinct conventions is to select a representative member on the County Soil Conservation Committee.

Time for holding the precinct conventions has been set at 2 o'clock p. m., at the following places in the county:

- Precinct 1—Rochester.
- Precinct 2—Mattson school.
- Precinct 3—Paint Creek school.
- Precinct 4—Center Point school house.

The four representatives chosen by precincts will immediately select one of their number to attend a district convention to be held at Stephenville on May 22. At each of five district meetings to be held in the state on the above date, a member of a state board will be chosen and this board will hold its first meeting to organize and transact business at Temple May 29.

As a result of the program the Federal Soil Conservation Service is expected to spend several million dollars annually to prevent erosion of Texas' lands.

Farmers will co-operate with engineers and experts in erosion prevention, contributing mostly the labor.

WITH LOAN FUND GONE, FSA GETS MORE REQUESTS

Supervisor R. E. Skipworth Estimates 312 Farmers Eligible for Loans

The Farm Security Administration made loans of \$898,344 during April to 2,455 low-income farmers of Texas and has virtually exhausted the seven million dollar loan fund allotted the state for the fiscal year ending June 30, according to R. E. Skipworth, county supervisor.

"While it is almost two months until the probable allocation of more funds, we are having a large and steady stream of requests for loans," Mr. Skipworth said. "\$71,396.17 of this money loaned went to Haskell county farmers."

"There are 2417 farmers in the county and probably 312 of them are eligible to use our loan service to bring about more profitable operations," he stated. "With our funds for this year, we have been able to assist only 138 of them. Many whom we are able to reach are headed for the relief rolls where they will be expensive public charges. Others not in danger of actual destitution can build up much greater buying power with the aid which the FSA is set up to render."

Mr. Skipworth said that last year's repayments to FSA in the state equaled the money loaned, even though loan payments are spread over five years.

Machinery Repairs Halts Drilling On Amerada Deep Test

Drilling progress on the Amerada No. 1 Chas. Kleiner wildcat test east of Haskell has been slowed down considerably by engine trouble which developed this week with drilling halted on several occasions while necessary repairs were made.

The test was reported down 5,050 feet when drilling was halted Tuesday, in a formation of black shale and sand. Reported originally contracted to 5,000 feet, operators have not indicated how far the test would be carried below that depth.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Brown are the parents of a young son, who arrived in their home Wednesday night.

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More Affiliation Is Gained

H. H. S. has obtained four and one-half credits of affiliation this year, according to a notice received recently from the State Department, based on the report of Mr. Baird, Deputy State Superintendent who visited our school recently. These credits include one each in typing, general math and second year band, and one-half credit each in commercial geography, community civics and Texas history.

These were the only subjects we were seeking affiliation in, and so we feel that we have accomplished something in reaching the requirements in all of them in one year. We now have a total of thirty units of affiliation.

Jr.-Sr. Banquet Is Hillbilly Affair

The annual Junior-Senior banquet of Haskell High proved not only different this year, but also one of the most enjoyable socials that has been held in the history of this school. Being a hillbilly affair, all the guests including the members of the two classes and the teachers, were dressed in costumes that were typical of mountaineers.

Long tables that were covered with red and white checked tablecloths. Representing centerpieces were crock jugs filled with wild flowers. The food served family style was all on the table, and the menu consisted of apple cider, meat loaf, beans, tomato sauce, sauerkraut, fresh green onions, lettuce, tomatoes, cornbread, buttermilk and six-layer jam cakes.

Cards upon which were printed the program and menu were shaped like miniature flour sacks. In the school colors, black and gold, Corn-cob pipes served as plate favors and in each senior's pipe was his prophesy.

After the invocation by Mr. Bredelove, Scott Whitaker was master of ceremonies and the following program was given:

"I've Got That Million Dollar Smile"—Orchestra.
 "I Like Mountain Music"—Entire Group.

Toast To The Seniors — Mary Lou Johnson.
 Toast To The Juniors — Eugene Rogers.

"When Pavy Was Courtin' Maw"—Jean Conner.
 "Toast To The Faculty"—Madge Leon.

Toast To The School—Mr. Wimbish.
 "Beautiful Texas"—Orchestra.
 Speech by Superintendent—Mr. Bredelove.

"Old Apple Tree" and "Makes No Difference Now"—Pat, Mike, Molly and Texas Rose—(Gerry Akins, Margaret McClintock, Emma Pearl Graham, and Wanda Dulaney).

Reading of Prophecies — Individually by Seniors.
 In the hillbilly contest, Earline Stodghill received a majority of everyone was forced to wash his hands before entering the lantern-lighted basement of the First Methodist Church, which was the scene of the banquet. A hillbilly orchestra played while each individual located his place card at the

shirt tail" parade in the business section of town followed.

There was no necessity for the Seniors to express in words their appreciation to the members of the Junior Class and their sponsor, Mr. McCollum for this affair, because the smile on every guest's face was enough to show anyone their sincere enjoyment.

Those attending the unusual social were as follows: G. C. Burson, Cullen Heath, Madge Leon, Jack Simmons, Joyce Hambleton, Mary Beth Menefee, Paul Crawford, Joe Maples, Eugene Rogers, Jim Bob Webb, Quinton Bailey, Frankie Doris Bledsoe, Paul Roberts, Mary Jo Free, Amelia Beth Hammer, Dorothy Coleman, Billie Doris Murphy, Bobbie Nell Cass, Pauline Jenkins, Irene Jenkins, Frances Holmesly, Mary Louise Curry, La Verne Hise, Marie Ballard, Erwin Thompson, Earline Stodghill, Betty Jean Bressie, Eula Faye Glass, Curtis Ballard, Milton Wilfong, Neva Mae Gay, John Tinkle, Elise Henson, Jack Watson, Frances Merie Edwards, Dorothy Josselot, Louise Pierson, Dorothy Welsh, Christine Lowe, Ray Buford, Orlus Akins, W. C. Holt, Eva Jo Ratliff, Lon McMillin, Wynona Post, Selma Steinrath.

Louise Cook, Theo Moore, Doris Waggoner, Frances Kaigler, Thurman Howeth, Fern Tinkle, Helen Crawford, Mary Louise Holland, Louise Hill, Lois Holmesly, Laverne Bynum, Dorothy Rose, Emma Pearl Graham, Edwin Jeter, Jean Conner, Paul Kuenstler, Bonnie Dell Hisey, Buster Ghobson, Ruthie Mae Sheets, Anita Coburn, Dale Harris, Flossie Hexter, Louvenia Shelby, Chester Via, Doris Parks, Joe McGowan, Mary Lou Johnson, Norman Hancock, Helmi Coleman, Gerry Akins, Wayne Laird, Leatrice Wheeler, Lois Lackey, Naoma Morgan, Jane Holt, Ray Ulmer, Bradley Buford, Curtis Jordan, Zeldon Thomason.

Frances Carruth, Margaret McClintock, Nettie Lowell Harrell, Bernard Phelps, Anna Rose Chapman, Eulis Hayes, Sam Henshaw, Fred Barnett, Roy Frierson, Robbie Jo Tolliver, Marie Mobley, T. R. Odell, Harrison Head, Joe Lardner, Lela Reynolds, Wanda Dulaney, Mr. Whitaker, Mr. McCollum, Miss Vick, Miss Riley, Mr. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Bredelove and Mr. and Mrs. Wimbish.

Music Week Program Given In Assembly

In observance of National Music Week, Mrs. Wimbish had charge of the assembly program last Friday and the following numbers were presented:

"America The Beautiful"—Student body, led by Mrs. Short from Rule and accompanied by Frances Merie Edwards.

Piano Solo, "Traumeri" by Shumann—Mary Lou Johnson.
 Vocal Solo, "Slumber Boat" and "Goodnight My Love"—Wanda Jane Short.

Piano Solo, "Liebrestraum"—Franz Listz—Frances Merie Edwards.
 Trombone Solo, "Francy Free"—Jim Bob Webb.

Piano Solo, "Prelude in C Minor"—Martha Post.
 Vocal Solo, "Gypsy Love Song" and "The World Is Waiting For The Sunrise"—Jean Conner.

Piano Solo, "Moonlight and Roses"—Eva Jo Ratliff.
 Vocal Solo, "I Love Thee" and "Indian Love Call"—Mrs. Viola Short, accompanied by Mrs. M. H. Post.

T. B. Bagwell and Doren Brown of Rochester were transacting business in Haskell Monday.

Weinert Students Win Award At Denton



These students from Weinert High School, shown with J. V. Perrin, their sponsor, was the winning group of seniors at the annual high school day held recently at Texas State College for Women and North Texas State Teachers College at Denton. A \$25 Chamber of Commerce prize, offered to the group traveling the most "student

miles," was won by Weinert with 34 students who traveled 190 miles. Fifty-seven schools and 850 seniors took part in the day's events. Weinert students in the picture, reading from left to right, are: Front row, Aleatha Liles, Ernia Liles, Lorene Frost, Elsie Cooper, Mr. Perrin, Eula Newsom, Dorene Rich. Second row: J. C. Hawes,

Howard Sloan, Margie Smith, Elizabeth Medley, Frank Cadenhead, Jr., Inez Medley, Vera Marsh, Third row, Hazel Sanderson, Royce Teaff, Kenneth Ferrell, Pauline Ferrell, Huland Edwards, Brucile Frost, Alpha Mary Monke, Fourth row, Vernon Anderson, R. S. Sanders, Sidney Lee Coggins, Pauline Frost, Estella Dunnam, Nancy Lee Drinnon.

Homemakers Enter Various Contests

At eight o'clock Thursday morning we left our hotel (the Buccaneer) to go to the Galvez Hotel. When we arrived there, we went to the Terrace Dining Room where we were to model dresses. From eight till eleven-thirty we walked, sat, stood and talked. When dismissed, we went to town for lunch.

At twelve the first year contestant, Florence Hammer, returned to the Buccaneer Hotel where she took an examination on "Providing Food for the Family." That was the last contest she had to compete in.

Sue Quattlebaum, the second year contestant, entered the quiz "Making The Home Safe," and also modeled her dress. Buena Faye Ratliff entered her dress in the division of unwashed dresses in first year clothing.

Ye Olde Nibble Shoppe

And did I say sometime ago that "spring is come"? Well, blot me out on that and remember I rate the season as Miss Weather changes her garments from day to day.

Buena! Buena! (As they shout in Harlem—so I read). What is there in this murky spring air that inspires all the girl children of H. H. S. to moon over rulers, pencils, papers and house-planning magazine? Dreams? Hopes? There—I have put the finger on it—I think so.

And some of us were darkly disappointed in the observance of our first cyclones.

Rochester and Munday seem to have taken Haskell by storm—well literally.

Sam threatens to feed Sister some of Prof. Watson's Vitamin Q most every day. Why? So he hopes.

Elise Henson leads a busy life. To my annoyance—too busy to give you truly any competition in the great and fine art of kolum-writing. But I'll just cruise along, Elise—since you've helped attain that good looking trophy.

The rink is going. And just when it had inspired me to be poetic—it leaves me weak; I must lie down a minute.

Well, I'm back now and I feel some better, thank you. While I was resting I recited my masterpiece. Wanna hear it?

A bruise upon her knee
 A skint place on her nose
 A dent on her plate—
 All because she tried to skate
 She thought Sonja Heinie, becoming
 She thought Joan Crawford dramatic
 She pitied both of them
 After she had tried-it.
 Not being excited in this afore mentioned art (poetry and skating) I went to "Ice Follies," I watched and bought a pair of skates. "Oh, but my dear, you should always learn on the rink"—that's my friends. So, a quarter I attached myself to and away I go—to the skating rink.

Well, you see the poetry that came to me as I was smelling the roses which my friends' were nice enough to send me.

Bye,
 I Ritabrute Kolum.

Galveston Is Interesting To Girls

We all were sitting on top of the world as the two cars of excited girls crossed the mile and a half causeway to Galveston. All of the tiresome trip behind us was forgotten and our thoughts were of the Rally and Galveston.

The air was filled with the scents of many flowers, most of

Flashbacks On The Hillbilly Banquet

Eula Faye in a poke bonnet and a loose dress grazing her ankles, with a snuff-brush in her mouth. Curtis with a "coonskin" cap on, tail and all, that he said he made out of his mother's coat.

Bradley with his old "flintlock" (or whatever you call a mountaineer's gun).

Sam with a two week's growth of beard.

Mrs. Wimbish with a big coil of black hair, flat-heeled shoes, and a loose-litting long white dress.

Elise, Mary Beth, Margaret and scads of others with huge brown freckles.

Mr. Wimbish with a big quid in his jaw, borrowing a "swig" before beginning his speech.

Fred Barnett with his curly locks parted in the middle and dropping down on his forehead.

Miss Vick with her "city shoes", her fan and her girlish hat.

Erwin Thompson with his jug (and a bunch of others with their

jugs and bottles).

Mr. McCollum with his striped collar and his close fitting (?) shoes and pants.

Mr. Banks with his beard and red shirt.

Neva Mae Gay in a fine party dress and "hair-do."

Earline Stodghill making those grotesque faces nobody else could make.

Paul Roberts going barefoot and carrying his shoes.

Mr. Bredelove in his vest and "top hat" and Mrs. Bredelove in her bonnet.

Mr. Whitaker in his store-bought suit, with his hair parted in the middle.

And Milton with a date!

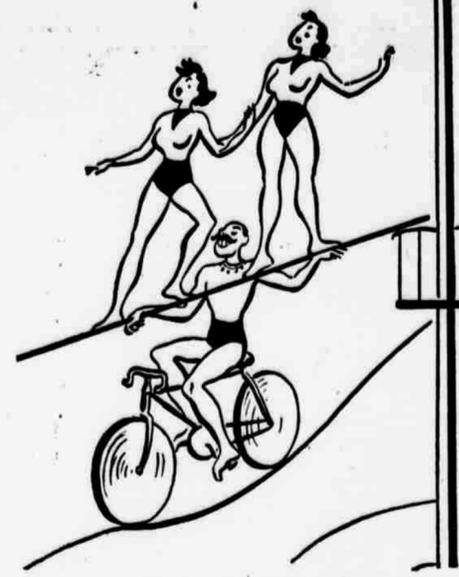
Scouts Participate In Safety Program

Eight Scouts of Troop 35 attended the second annual meeting of the Oil Belt Safety Conference which was held at Hardin-Simmons, Abilene, last Thursday and Friday.

They participated in a contest of the administration of first aid competing against Scouts of other troops in this section. Those who took part were: Theo Moore, J. E. Reeves, Willard Reeves, Vernay Burson, Ed Williams and several grammar school boys.

The purpose of the conference is to forward safety and we are glad that these boys could take part in such a useful program.

S. W. Scott of San Antonio, former resident of Haskell for a number of years and who retains extensive land holdings here, is a business visitor in the city this week.



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Brief News Items From

RULE

HERE AND THERE Mrs. Henry Wilson visited her granddaughter Mrs. Mark Wadzeck in Spur last week. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leon of Rotan were Rule visitors Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Westbrook were Abilene visitors last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mercer of Anson visited in the home of their son Paul Mercer last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lott, Mrs. Ora McCollough and Mrs. Jess Place were Abilene visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cole were Abilene visitors Saturday. Miss Reba Stahl and Mrs. Paul Mercer were Abilene visitors on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. McDonald visited relatives in Turkey and Nocona last week. Mrs. Bobby Marchbanks who has been the guest of her aunt Mrs. S. L. McDonald the past few weeks returned to her home in Seagraves last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kelly of Stamford were Rule visitors on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Breedlove of Haskell spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Breedlove. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rose and family of Stamford visited friends and relatives in Rule Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bradford and little daughter Jane were Rule visitors Sunday. Miss Mildred Carlton of Abilene was the week end guest of Mrs. Jess Place. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mercer visited relatives in Anson Tuesday. Mrs. W. T. Millstead visited relatives in Aquilla last week. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Morgan were Lubbock visitors Monday and Tuesday. Bruce Miller attended the Good-year Convention in Abilene Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Corrie Lott and Mrs. Ruth Davis were Abilene visitors Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Foster Jones of Spur were Rule visitors last week.

Mrs. Arthur Lee left last week for Muskogee, Okla., where she will spend several weeks with her husband who is a patient in the veteran's hospital there. Bill Wanzer of Oklahoma City transacted business in Rule Wednesday. O. B. Cove transacted business in Abilene Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. G. O. May and family of Sweetwater visited his mother, Mrs. G. W. May Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Averitt visited their daughter Mrs. Brutus Hanks of Munday last Sunday. J. C. Davis of Haskell spent last Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Neal and little son Mack Ellis of Hobbs, Texas spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. McCready. G. R. Schumann of Haskell transacted business in Rule Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mason and Mrs. L. W. Davis were Haskell visitors Monday. Mrs. Joe Smith and her sister Mrs. Walter Crawford are visiting friends and relatives in Waxahachie this week. They will be accompanied home by their mother, Mrs. Bob Spurlin. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kinzey of near Lubbock spent last week end with relatives in Rule. D. C. Rogers transacted business in Sagerton Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and little daughter of Wichita Falls are visiting their parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Campbell this week. Leonard Florence Jr. visited his sister Mrs. R. E. Sparks in Lueders last week end. R. K. Denson underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Stamford hospital last Monday. Roy Sellers Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sellers was operated on for appendicitis last Saturday at the Stamford hospital. Mrs. Hartwell Smith spent last week in Seymour with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Billie Smith of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. Carl

and Don of Seymour were guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foster were Haskell visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Edd McMinn and son were Haskell visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lovie Hill and family of Stamford visited relatives in Rule Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gibson were Benjamin visitors Sunday. Miss Lucy Gunter of Nocona spent last week end with Mrs. Tom Edd Simpson. Jack Mills, Rev. Clarence Bounds and F. B. Hill attended the district Rotary convention at Sweetwater this week. Mr. and Mrs. Novis Ousley visited Mrs. Ousley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dean in Anson Wednesday. Misses Louise Davis and Georgia Mae Stitts of Knox City visited Miss Lois Baker Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Neil of Frederick, Okla., visited Mrs. Neil's brother R. R. McCall and Mrs. McCall. Mrs. Rob Simmons, Home Economics teacher in the Rule High School accompanied Jene Cooper, Francis Norman, Zenna McMeans and Jene White to Galveston Wednesday where they will attend a State Rally. W. R. Terry left Saturday for Houston where he will attend a cotton classing institute. Mrs. Ollie McCain, Mrs. Less Lewis and Miss Nora Walters attended the H. D. Council in Haskell Saturday. Miss Vera Mae Wilson of Wichita Falls is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Newt Wilson. Mrs. Paul Mercer and Mrs. Evelyn Zingus were Haskell visitors Monday. Rev. Partin To Deliver Baccalaureate Sermon Rev. J. W. Partin, pastor of First Baptist Church, Rule, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class at Rule High School. Thirty-four students will be graduated. Jay Pumphrey is Senior class president. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simmons are sponsors. Members of the graduating class are: Jay Pumphrey, A. T. Fouts, Evelyn Holcomb, Jean Hertenberger, Martha Schmalenback, Beraldine Barbee, Helen Cherry, J. R. Edwards, Dorothy Johnson, Clay Lewis, Weldon McCain, Evelyn Morgan, Utence Sellers, Clarence Smith, Julia Wilson, Melton Yarbrough, Minnie Faye Yarbrough, J. E. Townsend, Lawrence Simpson, Earnest Simpson, Malery Penick, Adrian Lott, Jack McAdoo, Joe Mathis, Margaret Mitchell, Marie Lott, Noble Land, Virginia Hutchins, Helen Howard, Jene Glass, Duane Ellis, Opal Culppeper, Dick Carothers, Beraline Barbee. Mrs. Leola Tucker Entertains Mrs. Leola Tucker entertained friends with a lovely spring party in the home of her mother, Mrs. John Herron Monday evening. Last week, roses and garden flowers decorated the entertaining rooms. High score prize was awarded Mrs. Corrie Lott with low prize going to Mrs. Alvin Kelly. A salad course was served to Mmes. John Behringer, Newt Cole, Bill Kittley, Walter McCandless, Corrie Lott, Jess Place, Dock Rose, Evelyn Zingus, Walter Hills, Novis Ousley and Alvin Kelly. Hostess To Bridge Club Mrs. Walter McCandless was hostess to members of the Thursday Bridge Club and guests with a party Thursday afternoon. Roses and spring flowers were used for room decorations. High score club prize was awarded Mrs. Jess Place and high score guest prize to Mrs. J. J. Moch. Refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Mmes. John Herron, John Behringer, Jess Place, Bill Kittley, Novis Ousley, Corrie Lott, Newt Cole and Alvin Kelly. Guests were: Mmes. Dock Rose, Walter Hills, J. J. Moch and Clayborn Clark. Seventh Grade Banquet The Seventh Grade class had their banquet at the American Legion last Friday night. Jane Cole was master of ceremonies and Frank B. Hill made the principal address. Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniversary Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Davis celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary May 3rd. They were honored guests at a buffet supper given by their daughter Joy. A silver theme was carried out in party appointments. A two course chicken dinner was served, after which games of 42 were played. Gifts of silver were presented the honored couple by the following guests: Messrs. and Mesdames J. E. Lindsey, L. W. Jones, Mrs. M. V. Davis, M. W. Rogers, W. H. McCandless, W. D. Payne, J. D. Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Leon of Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Trice and Frank Turner of Haskell. Women Answer Query "I wish more women could hear the praise of CARDUI that comes to us every day," said Reporters after questioning women in twelve Southern states. "Of 1279 users, 1206 say they were benefited by CARDUI!" It helps to build up physical resistance by improving appetite and digestion, and thus works to allay the misery caused by functional dysmenorrhea due to malnutrition. Try CARDUI!

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F. F. A. ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF 1938-39

The following milestones mark the progress of the Paint Creek Chapter for its first year of existence: 1. Organization of the Paint Creek Chapter, August, 1938. 2. A recreational trip to Leuders, Texas, August 15. 3. Won second place on Chapter booth at Haskell Fair. 4. Election of Nanny Bell Sandefur as Chapter sweetheart. 5. Father and Son Banquet held in January. 6. Won second in Chapter Conducting Contest at Federation May 14 at 8 p. m. 7. Attended the John Tarleton contests entering three teams. 8. Attended the A. & M. contest and entered three teams. 9. Won second place in one act play at Breckenridge. 10. Obtained affiliation in both vocational agriculture I and vocational agriculture II, a total of 3 units. 11. 75 percent of members eligible to Future Farmer degree. 12. Maintained a spirit of cooperation during the year. —By Billie Lane

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THE CHATTERBOX

While the Ag boys were on their trip to A. & M., William Prewitt Smith, Julia Wilson, Melton Yarbrough, Minnie Faye Yarbrough, J. E. Townsend, Lawrence Simpson, Earnest Simpson, Malery Penick, Adrian Lott, Jack McAdoo, Joe Mathis, Margaret Mitchell, Marie Lott, Noble Land, Virginia Hutchins, Helen Howard, Jene Glass, Duane Ellis, Opal Culppeper, Dick Carothers, Beraline Barbee. —By John Bray

7TH GRADE AGGIES STUDY FARMERS' PROBLEMS

In the year of 1938-39, the Seventh Grade Aggies have spent much time studying on the Farmers' Problems. Half of the class will be farmers or farmers wives. Therefore we try to study the problems that most farmers around here and other places have trouble with. We have been taught a great deal about poultry, the soil, cattle industry, and many other things that are of vital interest to every farmer. I think the most interesting thing we have studied is beautifying the home. Many of our homes are very unattractive. With a good windmill and plenty of water we

COMMENCEMENT CALENDAR IS GIVEN

There will be a two hour free program Friday evening, May 12 beginning at 8 o'clock. This will include numbers from the band and numbers from each grade. Everyone is invited. The Baccalaureate service will be held in the school auditorium May 14 at 8 p. m. The Commencement exercises will be held Monday evening at 8 p. m. in the Paint Creek auditorium. The Speaker to be supplied. The Seventh Grade Commencement exercises will be held Friday morning, May 19, in the auditorium. The Senior play "Eyes of Love" will be presented Friday evening, May 19, 1939 beginning at 8:00 p. m. There will be a small admission charge.

Chevrolet Sales Show 30 Per Cent Increase to Date

Chevrolet dealers' retail sales of new cars and trucks reached 21,743 units in the first 10 days of April, 24 per cent above the total for the same period last year, it was announced at Detroit this week. This brings Chevrolet's year-to-date sales total to 213,427 units, a gain of 33.6 per cent over the 159,697 sold through April 10, 1938. Used car sales in the same period totaled 41,482 units, a gain of 4.86 over the sales one month ago, making an aggregate new and used car total of 63,225 for the period, the announcement said.

Midway Hens' Demonstration Club Meets On Thursday

Miss Mildred Vaughan spoke on "Planning the Whole Home Food Supply" at a meeting of the Midway H. D. Club Thursday. She said, "Sixty percent of the Texas farm families do not have an adequate diet and only twenty-five percent have a good diet, when it is possible for from sixty to ninety per cent of it to be produced at home."

Charley Richards, former resident of Haskell county, who is now living at Santa Anna, was a visitor here the first of the week. Mr. Richards served for several years as deputy sheriff in this county.

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Know Your County Officials

Table listing county officials: Dennis P. Ratliff (District Judge), Ben C. Chapman (District Attorney), John A. Willoughby (Court Reporter), Mrs. Hettie Williams (District Clerk), J. C. Davis Jr. (County Judge), W. H. Murchison Jr. (County Attorney), Roy Ratliff (County Clerk), Mike B. Watson (Assessor-Collector), Olen Dotson (Sheriff), Matt Graham (County Superintendent), Willie Lane (Treasurer), G. R. Schumann (County Agent), Miss Mildred Vaughan (Home Dem. Agent), Ab Hutchens (Commissioner Prec. No. 1), John S. Rike (Commissioner Prec. No. 2), John R. Watson (Commissioner Prec. No. 3), R. H. (Bill) Rife (Commissioner Prec. No. 4)

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Friday and Saturday

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SOCIETY

Miss Anna Mae Lees is Bride of Raymond Davis

Sunday evening, Miss Anna Mae Lees became the bride of Raymond Davis. The wedding ceremony was read by the Baptist parsonage by the Rev. H. R. Whitley. Attending the couple were the groom's brother, Willie Davis and Mrs. Davis, Miss Ruby Stodghill and C. G. Hinson.

The bride wore a dress of dusty rose lace with black patent accessories. Her corsage was of rose and dahlia tones.

Mrs. Davis is the daughter of Mrs. Ollie Lees. She received her education in the Haskell Public Schools having graduated with the class of 1938. For the past year she has been employed by the Style Shoppe in Haskell.

Mr. Davis also received his high school education in Haskell. For the past seven years he has been connected with Smith's Auto Supply business. They will make their home in Haskell.

The Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club

"What can I do in a community to make motherhood safe," was the roll call for the Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club members on May 4 in the home of Mrs. B. Seltz.

Miss Nora Walters gave an interesting report on the dairy product school which was held in Haskell April 26.

Our next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Floyd King. A demonstration will be given by Miss Mildred Vaughan on "Plumbing for the Farm Family". Visitors are welcome.

Those present were: Mmes. Will Hines, A. C. Denson, Less Lewis, Homer Turner, Ray Lewis, Joe Holcomb, A. D. Lewis, Homer Hines, Floyd King, O. J. McCain, T. L. Brown, B. Seltz, and Miss Nora Walters. Reporter

N. E. Pogue of Childress who was formerly in the jewelry business in Haskell was a visitor in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Maples Named Honoree of Gift Shower

Ladies of the Bible Class of the Church of Christ named Mrs. Carl Maples, formerly Miss Katherine Lovelady, honoree for a gift shower Friday afternoon. The affair was held in the home of Mrs. Bob Herren which was attractively decorated with pink, orchid and blue hydrangeas and pink bridal roses.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. John Crawford, Mrs. Ona High of Stamford, the honoree and Mrs. Lynn Pace. Mrs. Henry Morris presided over the hand-painted bride's book, a gift of Mrs. Herrens.

The following program was given:

Reading, "The Negro Wedding"—Mrs. H. C. Hobart of Stamford.

Solo, "You're The Only Star In My Blue Heaven" and "Funny Old Hills"—Tiny Sue Busby accompanied on the guitar by her sister, Margery Busby.

Reading, "Pioneer Mothers" and "Home"—Josephine Parish.

Solo, "I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen"—Mrs. Henry Morris accompanied on the accordion by Mrs. Bob Herren.

"How Carl Proposed to Katherine"—Mrs. John Crawford.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served with corsages and miniature wedding bells as plate favors.

Others present were: Misses Gladys Fouts, Lucille Akins, Vada Thomas, Janey Lytle Martin, Odell Williamson, Frances Lane, Mary Pearsey, Ethel Frierson, Sibil Scott, Frances English, Hazel Wilson, Elsie Bradley, Marjorie Ratliff, Eula Faye Glass, Mary Grindstaff, Ethel Irby, Mildred Vaughan, Eunice Redwine, Evelyn Treat, Stella Coburn, Mmes. Marvin Letz, Leon Pearsey, T. W. Williams, J. R. Cooper, F. L. Daugherty, Ira Hester, Don Campbell, R. D. C. Stephens, Claude Menefee, Jess Collier, Tom Davis, Sam Chapman, James Kennedy, Con Stork, A. C. Boggs, Grace Davis, Ira Johnson, Glenn Merchant, Sam Herren Jr., Odie Bland, J. W. Young and J. G. Malphurs.

W. M. U. of First Baptist Church Meets Monday

The W. M. U. ladies of the First Baptist Church met May 8 in a special program for Ministerial Relief in Texas.

Program subject, "That They Come Not To Winter Time—Unsheltered". Directed by the president, Mrs. Leon Gilliam. Hymn, "Have Thine Own Way Lord". Choir director, Mrs. W. M. Whitaker. Prayer, Mrs. H. R. Whitley. Devotional, "The Prophet's Chamber". Mrs. R. J. Reynolds. "Appreciations" Mrs. Chas. Smith, benevolence chairman. Sun Beams sang two songs. Piano accompaniment, Mrs. Tom Holland. Sun Beams Scripture Questions, directed by Mrs. J. A. Gilstrap. "The Old Shepherd at Sunset". Mrs. R. C. Couch. Solo, "The Old Rugged Cross". Mrs. J. M. Littlefield; "Grandpa Edwards" Mrs. Jim Tyler. Prayer for Aged Preachers and Widows of Texas, Mrs. John Ellis. Hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers."

A round table discussion by old ministers wives and daughters followed. Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, minister's daughter led the discussion on Pioneer Days. Mother Bryan told of her conversion and her devoted husband. Mother Arbuckle told of her prayer faith in the church while she was in the hospital. Mrs. I. N. Alvis spoke on her appreciation for the church and told of Bro. Alvis' ill health and his restless hours were calm by her reading the scriptures.

Mother Perkle told of her father as a pastor in pioneer days.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to: Mmes. I. N. Alvis, Edd Fouts, Mother Arbuckle, R. P. Glenn, Mary E. Oates, K. D. Simmons, Jim Tyler, R. L. Burton, J. A. Gilstrap, Grandmother Bryan, John Oats, R. J. Reynolds, J. M. Littlefield, Pinkie, B. M. Whiteker, R. J. Paxton, H. B. Cates, Ida Crawford, Jim Fouts, Chas. Smith, Ada Stewart, Tom Holland, Jim Crawford, Leon Gilstrap, R. Dehard, Edd Cass, John McMillin, H. R. Whitley, Tom Jenkins, John Ellis, John E. Robinson, R. C. Couch, Jesse Josselt, Yantis, T. G. Reece.

Dairy School Held in Basement of Christian Church April 26th

Three kinds of quick cheese were made in the dairy school held in the basement of the Christian Church at Haskell on April 26th with 30 women present from 9 clubs.

Miss Vaughan, home demonstration agent making cream cheese. This cheese is made with rennet and is find for sandwiches. Mrs. S. G. Perrin making "Popcorn type Cottage Cheese." This is made from clabber milk cut in cubes, heated slowly, then drained. When cream is added makes an excellent cottage cheese.

Nora Walters making "Processed Cottage Cheese" using separated milk clabber and heated to 100 degrees F for 30 minutes, stirring most of the time, strain. 1 teaspoon soda, 1-4 cup butter and salt to taste. Let stand two hours. Then cook adding 1-2 cup cream and cheese coloring. When pimientos or Caraway seed are added it makes a very delicious flavor.

Mr. Schumann, County Agent spoke to the women on diseases of the dairy cow that through the use of milk humans can contract the disease. Mastitis, it is possible to get sore throat. Cows with T. B. people make take through the use of milk from a cow that has the disease. Bangs disease and undulant flavors. Undulant flavor is the most dreaded of all these diseases.

Miss Vaughan also talked to the women about wholesome milk on the farm. The care of milk utensils. Also how to churn cream to make good butter and how to wrap a pound of butter to make a nice package. Reporter

Announcement Party and Gift Shower Held Friday Night

An announcement party of the approaching marriage of Miss Anna Mae Lees to Raymond Davis and a gift shower were given Friday night in the Midway gymnasium with Mrs. C. B. Ramsey, Miss Melba Fay Ramsey, Mrs. Ed Roberts and Miss Ruby Stodghill as hostesses. Bouquets of roses and honeysuckle were used for decorations.

Guests registered in a bride's book presided over by Miss Stodghill. Mrs. S. P. Herren Jr. gave a reading, after which the evening was spent in playing games.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. Carlos Conner, Frank Norman, Doyle Norman, Sam Collins, Jim Reeves, Alvin Singleton, Howell Miller, Dudley McKeivain, Carl Norman, Roy Miller, B. T. Weaver, W. P. Hines, R. H. Stone, Nathan Foster, Bill Lees, Emmit Howard, S. P. Herren Jr., Ollie Lees, Taylor Sego, C. V. Oates, C. Childress, Angie Herren, C. G. Euron, Misses Emma Pearl Grapson, Earline Stodghill, Adlene Conner, Golda Woods, Amrion Miller, Irene Miller. Those sending gifts were: Mmes. C. F. Graham, Edd Stodghill, Wayne Lewis, John Darnell, Claude Jenkins, Wayne Laird, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor, Col. S. P. Herren, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvin Letz, and Miss Sarah Lee Walling.

Refreshments were served to: Mesdames Jim Best, A. C. Sego, M. M. Clark, Taylor Sego, J. O. Yarbrough, J. R. Wade, Hershel Allen, J. E. Adams, E. M. Server, Willie Harrell and the hostess.

Foster H. D. Club Meets On Tuesday May 2

"Running water in the house is the most convenient household need," stated Miss Mildred Vaughan, the county home demonstration agent at the meeting on Tuesday May 2. The club met in the home of Mrs. J. M. Harrell.

Each member is to have a quilt pattern at the next meeting May 16th, when the meeting will be with Mrs. Gommill.

Refreshments were served to: Mesdames Jim Best, A. C. Sego, M. M. Clark, Taylor Sego, J. O. Yarbrough, J. R. Wade, Hershel Allen, J. E. Adams, E. M. Server, Willie Harrell and the hostess.

W. M. S. of First Christian Church Meets On Monday

Mrs. Virgil Meadors was hostess in the home of Mrs. R. B. Fields to the W. M. S. of First Christian Church Monday, May 1st. During the business period the president used Motherhood for the devotional theme. Scriptures read and contrasted were Job. 14:1-6, Proverbs 31:26-31.

Mrs. J. M. Glass was director for the presentation period. The devotional theme was "Anointed to Serve", Luke 4:18-19.

Mrs. Tommye Hawkins and Mrs. Roy Ratliff sang "My Mother's Bible."

The topic for study was "The Church and a Better India."

Mrs. J. B. Post told of "Our

Education and Medical Work in India."

Miss May Fields told of "Our Churches in India." Mr. W. P. Ratliff gave some interesting "Pictures of Indian Christians."

During the fellowship period the hostess served iced punch and cakes to eleven members.

South Ward Parent-Teacher Association To Meet

The South Ward Parent-Teacher Association will meet Thursday, May 18, 1939 at 3:30. We urge all members to be present at this meeting for the election of officers for the coming year, and other important projects that need the attention of the organization before the coming vacation.

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Mrs. Bert Welsh Hostess To Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Bert Welsh was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club and guests this week. For house decorations she used snapdragons, larkspurs and hydrangeas. At the conclusion of the games, Mrs. Wallace Irvin was presented high score prize for guests, Mrs. Ralph Duncan high club prize and Mrs. J. C. Chrisman a house guest prize. Cut prizes were given by Mrs. T. W. Williams, Mrs. A. E. McMillen, Mrs. Ben Charlie Chapman and Mrs. Clay Smith. Refreshments were served to the above guests and Mmes. French Robertson, Jack Mickle, Walter Murchison, Ernest Kimbrough, Herman Henry, Gaines Post, William Ratliff, Buford Cox, and Marvin Bryan.

Knitting Club Meets In All Day Meeting Tuesday

With Mrs. Giles Kemp as hostess the Knitting Club met in an all day meeting Tuesday. Roses were used throughout her home. Each member carried a covered dish for the luncheon. The afternoon was spent in knitting. Two guests were present, Mrs. W. D. Kemp and Mrs. Raul English with the following members: Mmes. Sam Herren Jr., Douglas Brown, George Herren, Carl Arbuckle, E. R. Wilson, Bob Herren, G. R. Schumann, Sam Chapman and S. P. Kuenstler.

Jerry Johnson Has Party On Tenth Birthday Friday

Jerry Johnson celebrated his tenth birthday Friday with a party in the afternoon. Friends were invited to the home of his mother, Mrs. Jack Johnson for an afternoon of games. Cookies and punch were served to: Collins Welsh, Mildred Chapman, Stella Frierson, Billy Barnett, Charles Crandall, Jane Ritchey, Louise Spencer, Sue Mickle, Walter Murchison, Ernest Kimbrough, Herman Henry, Gaines Post, William Ratliff, Buford Cox, and Marvin Bryan.

Sixth Grade of South Ward Has Weiner Roast

The 6th grade of the South Ward school had a weiner roast after planting flowers. Those who were present were: Chester Pat Speer, Raymond Mobley, M. L. Cook, Bobby Glenn, Herman McCurry, J. W. Reed, Melvin Driver, David Anderson, John Cochran, Robert Cooper, Charles Cooper, T. C. Patterson, Patsy Kaigler, Cora Faye Hayes, Billie Jo Morgan, Joan Barton, Emma Sue Thompson, Margaret McCasland, Lovanna Smith, Wynline Quantlebaum and teacher, Miss Velma Hambleton. All who attended enjoyed it very much.

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Society

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Miss Gladys Crume has been selected as Supervisor because of her special qualifications. She has had special college courses in dramatics and Shakespeare. She is an English teacher, also, and possesses her bachelors degree.

The club is educational in purpose and is designed to give grade and Junior High School children a combination course in Speech, Dramatics and Story-telling based on the works of the famous bard, in simplified form and in such a way that it will appear like play to them. At the same time it prepares them for their High School English studies.

Club membership is limited to thirty. Eligible candidates will be selected among children from the third to the ninth grades.

Prizes will be offered at various stages and diplomas in Elementary Dramatic Arts will be awarded each child who has finished the prescribed course.

The grand finale will be a home talent Shakespearean Play in simplified form or Pageant having the children portray the Shakespearean characters.

The National Junior Shakespeare Club now reaches into practically every State and has been immensely popular. Aside from the fact that members of the Club are improving their education and mastery of English, the social feature is thoroughly enjoyed by the children. Parents and teachers have endorsed the plan with enthusiasm.



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Representatives From Seven Counties Attend Federated Club Meeting

Meeting at the Methodist Church Friday representatives from Federated Women's Clubs of seven counties, Jones, Shackelford, Stone-wall, Throckmorton, Knox, Jones, and Haskell enjoyed a most instructive as well as entertaining program. The Magazine Club and Senior-Junior Club of Haskell were hostesses for the Club Institute. The decoration committee, Mmes. H. M. Smith, O. W. Maloy, H. K. Thornton, Ed Day and Marie Womble used garden flowers in the reception room. Conner Nursery and Floral decorated the stage with large baskets of gladioli and lilies and potted hydrangeas in pastel colors.

Mrs. Grover C. Johnson of Wichita Falls, presided and directed a program with a central theme "To Learn". The Harmony Club under the direction of Mrs. Viola Short gave two numbers: "The Prayer Perfect" and "Dear Land of Freedom". Mrs. M. H. Post was the piano accompanist. Mrs. J. C. A. Gnost of Wichita Falls talked on the need of such work, "Conservation of Natural Resources" was the subject discussed by Mrs. A. F. Jackson of Throckmorton. Mrs. J. U. Fields, president of the Haskell Magazine Club conducted a club council on parliamentary laws. Mrs. Fields as State Parliamentarian of First District very efficiently directed this round table discussion.

At the lunch period visits were made to the Conner Floral Company where each guest as a courtesy from this company was presented a potted red geranium. Visits were made to the Trice Hatcher also.

Mrs. J. W. Akins, organist from Wichita Falls gave a beautiful organ recital. After hearing her, guests readily understood why she has been invited to play at the World's Fair in New York with all expenses paid, and a handsome gift in addition.

Mrs. Joe E. Schaded of Paducah very cleverly told of "The Near East". A native of Beirut, Syria, Mrs. Schaded and her family made a trip home every seven years and she has recently returned from one. With a charming personality she described the Lebanon Mountains, saying that their beauty surpassed that of any other mountains. Beirut has the fourth largest university in the world, an American endowed institution. There are no public schools in Syria, and private instruction is received at a very dear price in private schools. English, French and Arabic are three languages that are compulsory in each school.

Writers who picture Syrians as "black ghosts" and similar comparisons are not portraying real pictures. It is true some of the poorer classes adhere to old customs, but the picture is not a typical one.

Concluding the program, Mrs. Johnson especially stressed the State Meeting to be held in Wichita Falls this year. As a West Texas meeting, club members must be loyal in attendance to prove to other parts of the state that a State meeting can be held in this section.

Coco Cola and Dr. Pepper Companies very fittingly served drinks "The Pause That Refreshes" to conclude the program. Guests were invited to the homes of Mrs. J. U. Fields and Mrs. F. T. Sanders to view their antiques and collections of glass. Those attending were: From Wichita Falls, Mmes. Grover C. Johnson, J. C. A. Guest, J. W. Akins Jr.; from Stamford, Mmes. Bartlett Hollan, Milton Payne, H. C. Michael Jr., D. Hassen; from Anson, Mmes. Jack Booth, D. L. Stephens, O. J. Cooper, C. A. Struve, W. A. Wyche; from Hamlin, Mmes. J. Henry Littleton, G. Harvey, H. O. Cassie, W. Earl Smith, Heflin Miller, L. S. Sparks, Loyd Sebastian, Tom Beague; from Madison, Wis. Mrs. Gaines Post; from Aspermont, Mrs. C. G. Bingnam; from Benjamin, Mmes. G. H. Beavers, J. W. Melton, O. W. Driver; from San Antonio, Mrs. S. W. Scott; from Munday, Mmes. Jack Mayes, J. R. Burnison, Lawrence Kinsey, Jim McDonald, H. F. Barnes, Fred Broach Jr.; from Weinert, Mmes. H. Weinert, Fred Monke, R. H. Jones, P. F. Weinert, Ernest Griffith, Sam Bird Jr., J. F. Cadenhead; J. A. English, Miss LaVerne Burgess; from Rule, Mmes. Morris Neal, C. A. Jackson, Jas. E. Lindsey, L. W. Jones, J. O. Westbrook, J. E. Goer, M. W. Rogers, S. M. Davis, Edgar Ellis, W. H. McCandless, Veola Warren Short, J. M. Steele, W. D. Payne, J. E. Parsons and Miss Wanda Jane Short; from Knox Co., Mmes. B. B. Campbell, T. E. Robbins; from Gooey, Mmes. W. M. Taylor, Roy Jones, Sam Hampton; from Rochester, Mmes. L. M. Kay, Misses Marjorie Sue Kay and Dahila Dean Wadcock; Ed Day, W. M. Reid, John Oates, T. W. Williams, R. J. Reynolds, Server Leon, John Rike, Frank Spencer, J. A. Bailey, R. H. Darnell, Jno. W. Pace, A. C. Pierson, E. Martin, D. H. Parsons, J. M. Diggs, Joe A. Jones, R. C. Couch, J. R. Cooper, E. M. Kimbrough, W. H. Murchison, Sam A. Roberts, W. A. Duncan, W. H. Pit-

Methodist Missionary Society Regular Meeting Monday

On May 8, the women of the W. M. S. met in the auditorium of the church. Preceding the program of which Mrs. T. C. Cahill was director, Mrs. Guy Mays, president presided over a short business session. The president expressed her pleasure at the cooperation shown in the serving of the banquet on last Friday night. In addition to being a success socially it was a decided success financially. The entire Society joins with Mrs. Mays in thanking each and every one who contributed in any way to this affair.

Mrs. Cahill director, had arranged a most interesting program. With Mrs. Patterson at the organ all joined in singing "Stand Up For Jesus". The singing was followed with a prayer by Mrs. Breedlove.

Mesdames Littlefield and Lewis next favored the group with a duet using the song "Sweet Peace". Mrs. P. D. Sanders who gave the devotional, chose for her subject "Search the Scriptures." We are always happy when Mrs. Sanders gives a devotional. Her talks are most inspiring and coming from one whom we all love and delight to honor, causes them to be most impressive. Mrs. Sanders concluded her remarks with a prayer. Mrs. Littlefield next favored the Society with a solo, using the song "Send The Light."

Mrs. Ada Rike presented "The Frightful Urgency in China" by Bishop Moore. Our schools and churches in China, costing many millions of dollars and representing many years of toil and sacrifice have been almost completely destroyed, but the church is not discouraged. "If God Is With Us, Who Can Be Against Us." Mrs. Haynes, substituting for Mrs. Warren, told of the "Soochow University and the War". This is one of our largest schools and seems to have suffered most. The location has been changed several times and no one knows what the future may be, but one can only hope and pray. Late war bulletins from the battlefield were read by Mesdames Kimbrough, Irby and Thomson.

Mrs. Ethel Irby gave the prayer of dismissal. The following ladies were privileged to hear what one and all thought to be one of the best programs of the year: Mesdames Littlefield (a visitor), F. T. Sanders, Kemp, Mays, Cahill, Darnell, Haynes, P. D. Sanders, Ada Rike, Lewis, Breedlove, Hellums, Patterson, Thomson, Harrison, Wair, Kimbrough.

On next Monday Miss Ruby Fitzgerald will present 40 children in a program of songs and readings. A pageant will also be presented. The ladies of the town, especially the mothers of the children who will compose this entertaining group are cordially invited to be present. Remember the time, 3 o'clock and be sure to be on time. Reporter

Miss LaVerne Bynum Entertains Friends With Slumber Party

Friday night following the Junior-Senior banquet, Miss LaVerne Bynum invited a few of the Senior girls to her home for a slumber party. Breakfast was served to: Misses Mary Jo Free, Christine Love, Mary Beth Meneff, Eula Faye Glass, Wynona Post, Joyce Nell Hambleton, Madge Leon, Mary Louise Holland and Frances Merle Edwards.

Mrs. W. R. Snow and daughter of Abilene visited in Haskell Wednesday morning en route to their home after a visit in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Ada Rike and daughter, Mrs. Gaines Post were in Sweetwater Wednesday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. R. H. Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Flannery and granddaughter, Miss Maureen Melton of Weston are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Thompson. Mrs. Harold Spain also of Weston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fouts.

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Approaching Marriage of Miss Lucille Foote and Maurice Gannaway Announced

Monday evening the approaching marriage of Miss Lucille Foote and Maurice Gannaway, both of this city was announced by her mother, Mrs. R. L. Foote. The party was given in the home of Mrs. C. M. Conner who was also a hostess. Receiving with the hostesses were Miss Foote, Mrs. Gaines Post, Miss Mary Emma Whitaker, Mrs. Ed Spruils, Mrs. Ada Rike, Mrs. R. H. Spruils and Miss Eleanor Foote. Miss Hazel Foote presided over the registry.

Bronze and white were carried out in party appointments which included snapdragons, lilies and gladioli. The dining table from which refreshments were served was covered with a lace cloth and was centered with lilies and a miniature bride and groom.

The following program was presented: "Flower Song" — Miss Letha Liles of Weinert. "Rosary" — Vocal solo by Miss Jean Conner. "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life." "At Dawning" — Vocal solo, Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead of Weinert. "Schubert's Serenade" — Vocal solo, Miss Mary Emma Whitaker accompanied by Mrs. O. E. Patterson.

Reading—Nancy Louise Spruils of Happy, Texas.

Toast to the Bride — Mrs. Gaines Post of Madison, Wisconsin. Guests for the evening included. Mmes. A. C. Haynes, J. E. Walling Jr., R. A. Lane, Ira Hester, A. C. Pierson, George W. Wimbish, J. U. Fields, Myrtle Meyer of Haskell, Mmes. H. T. Sullivan, J. F. Cadenhead, Ernest Griffith, R. Y. Mobley, W. D. Hinson Jr., E. R. Ingram of Weinert and Jim Killingsworth of Ranger, Misses Wilda Phippen, Beulah Cass, Beatrix Molen, Elyse Bradley, Lucille Akins, Janie Lyle Martin, Wynelle Hellums, Vada Thomas, Myrtle Pearsey and Frances Kaigler.

Miss Foote is a teacher in the Weinert Public Schools having taught there the past two years. She is a graduate of Haskell High School and a student at Texas University.

Philatelic Class of Methodist Sunday School Enjoys Party

On Tuesday evening the members of the Philatelic Class of which Mr. F. T. Sanders is the teacher met in the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis for a class party. The entire home was beautifully decorated with masses of cut flowers. They, with the brilliant lighting throughout the entire suite made a very beautiful scene.

Tables were arranged for games of 84 which were enjoyed during the entire evening. The hostesses Mesdames Lewis, Harrison, H. M. Smith and Thomson served delicious refreshments of cake and brick ice cream, the refreshments carrying out the color scheme of white and pink.

The following members and guests enjoyed this lovely party: Messrs. and Mesdames A. J. Joselet, F. T. Sanders, Rev. and Mrs. Haynes and Hugh, E. L. Harrison, H. M. Smith, R. H. Darnell, Mesdames Patterson, Williams, Ballard, Stone, Irby, Thomson, Gillette, Freeman, Martin, Kimbrough, Miss Ruby Fitzgerald, Messrs. Alexander, Kennedy, and Holden.

Next Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching dates. Will meet for Sunday School at 9:45 and the Lovely sisters and Mrs. Woodrow Turnbow and sister will render a Mother's Day program in song between the Sunday School and preaching hours. Let's have a good turn out. I am sure all will enjoy the singing program as well as the Sunday School and sermon.

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CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Attend Church Sunday in honor or in memory of Mother. All of the services of this Church Sunday will honor Mothers. The Church will be specially decorated for Mother's Day. Wear a colored flower if Mother is living and a white flower if she is dead. 9:45 A. M. Church School. Obey Mother's wishes and attend the Church School. There is a class for each member of the family.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. The oldest and the youngest Mother present will be presented a gift. The subject of the sermon will be "Mothers' Builders Of The Race."

7:30 P. M. Leagues. Bring your Mother to the Leagues. Each League will have special Mother's Day programs. 8:00 P. M. Evening Worship. The Florence Fields chapter of the Future Homemakers of America will present a pageant. "Great Mothers Of The Past", honoring Mothers. The club's selected outstanding Mother of Haskell will be presented. The Minister will use as the subject of his sermon: "Mother's Desires For Their Children."

Monday, 3:00 P. M. The Women's Missionary Society. Mrs. C. B. Breedlove will direct the program. Every woman of the Church is invited to see the Children's Pageant, "Spring Time", directed by Miss Ruby Fitzgerald. Wednesday, 7:00 P. M. Church Night. Attend this thirty minute spiritual service. Bring the family. Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. Choir Practice. Each member is urged to be present.

Friday, 8:00 P. M. The Friendly Fellowship Class will have a class social in the basement of the Church. All the younger men of the Church are urged to be present. "The family is the primary unit of our social order. The home may be made a miniature Kingdom of God." A. C. Haynes, Minister.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

W. Russell Coatney, Minister. Bible School—9:45 a. m. Morning Worship — 10:45 a. m. Sermon—"Marks of a Christian." Evening Worship — 8:00 p. m. The minister preached to the Rule Church last Lord's Day morning. We had a fine fellowship together. Last Tuesday evening he spoke at the Junior-Senior banquet in Mattson High School. I was impressed by the fine group of students and teachers I met while I was there. A delegation from the First Christian Church attended the Revival Meeting at the Central Christian Church in Stamford. They are having a fine meeting. We urge all of our people here to try to attend the meeting in Stamford. It will be a very rich and worthwhile experience. Come to Church Sunday. It will do you good. We need you, and you need us.

MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM AT ROSE CHURCH ON SUNDAY

Sunday morning at ten o'clock there will be a Mother's Day program at the Rose Church. Preaching services will begin at eleven. Everyone is invited to come and take part in the day's program.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. G. Malphurs, Minister

"And wisdom is justified of all her children." (Luke 7:35) Children of a wise woman prove to the present generation that their mother deserved a seat among the great. Such mothers cannot be forgotten by their offspring. Moses justified his mother, Jochebed; Samuel answered fully, and justified the prayer of Hannah; and Timothy justified the "unfeigned faith" of Eunice, his mother. When we look into the face of a good and great man we give credit first to his mother. If he wishes to let the world know that because of death his mother does not deserve the credit of his greatness, he will need to wear with his red rose the date of her death. Otherwise credit will go to his mother.

Mother's Day has its advantages. It also has its disadvantages. It's advantage is that it keeps alive the memory of an inferior or careless mother, that would otherwise be forgotten. In an age of broken homes, in a nation where children are the spawn of the state and old parents charges on the government, the observance of Mother's day once a year is an advantage. The danger of Mother's Day lies in the fact that those who have good mothers are likely to put off showing their respects until that day when "severely" doing it. Natural and frequent expression of devotion to mother are liable to become formal and periodic once a year, instead of daily, weekly or monthly. Better occasionally, though, than never.

Again, it is fortunate that Mother's Day comes on Sunday. The Lord's day is the day to worship God, not for worshipping mother. Good mothers, who are ordinarily regular at worship, are tempted to stay home with careless children; and children, who are faithful, are tempted to absent themselves from worship to have a big dinner with mother. Mothers who honor God first love their children most; children who put God's worship first honor mother most. There should be no conflict.

FELLOWSHIP MEETING TO BE HELD AT GILLIAM

A fellowship meeting will be held at the Gilliam Four-square Church Sunday evening at 2:30. Delegations from Weinert, Goree, and Knox City are expected and the pastors, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Suddenth extend a cordial welcome to the community and all that want to come.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

C. Jones, Pastor. Prayer Meeting each Wednesday night. Business session first Wednesday in each month. 10 a. m. Bible Study School. Study, John 3rd chapter. 10 a. m. Sermon by Pastor. Mother's Day program. 7:45—Song Service. 8:15—Sermon. We are always glad to see you at our Church. Come.

Mrs. George V. Wimbish, Mrs. Scott W. Greene Jr., Mrs. R. O. Pearson and Miss Madalin Hunt attended a meeting of Delta Kappa Gamma in Seymour Saturday. Eighteen chapters were present for the celebration of the second birthday of Kappa Gamma Chapter. National officers were also present and appeared on the program.

Family Budgets Should Be Based On Past Records

Families who have tried to keep a budget, and failed may be encouraged by the stand taken by Louise Bryant, home management specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, who thinks the budget should be made to work for the family rather than the family working for the budget. Miss Bryant suggests an easy way to get into the budget-keeping business, too. It is to keep records of expenditures for a year and use them for setting up the budget for the following 12 months.

"From the records you find out how much you had to spend, and that helps to figure the amount you expect to have for the next year," she points out. "Then you break down the total into amounts spent for various items, such as food, clothing, transportation, medical care, education and recreation, and so on."

Business methods in the home are necessary now that home making is recognized as a business, she believes. Many wives could make a considerable contribution to the happiness and welfare of their families by applying business methods to their activities. "We need several million 'home corporations' in Texas," Miss Bryant said. "These corporations, to be successful, should be set up with the woman of the house as business manager, while the husband and children make up the board of trustees."

Ray Thomas from Crowell was in Haskell Monday.

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- Kraut, 2 lb. can 2 for 15c
- Hominy, 2 1-2 lb. cans 2 for 15c
- The Buttered Crackers—Toasties, large pkg. 18c
- Skylight High Patent Flour, 48 lb. sack \$1.19
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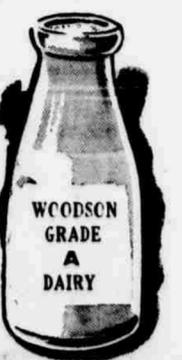
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GEMS OF THOUGHT

If you would convince a man that he does wrong, do right. Men will believe what they see. Let them see. —Thoreau

Mother

You may have been only a freckle-faced, dirty-eared, touselled-haired boy to most people in your native town, or about the countryside over which you roamed if you were born on a farm. But to your mother you were a king of royal blood. To the teacher at school you were reserved a common pest in need of a seat on the chair reserved for dunces. In the eyes of your mother you were the height of all that was loving and thoughtful, and one who would become qualified to sit in the highest executive office in the nation.

As the annual observance of one of the sweetest holidays in the year approaches—Mother's Day—this finds mother thinking the very same thoughts. Your mind and your interests have wandered far afield so far as your thoughts of her are concerned, and there may have been since first saw you at her breast and a little later at knee more or less neglect of her. You haven't been always as promising and considerate of her as you told yourself as a boy you would always be. But Mother is not thinking that. She is recounting the joys you brought to her heart in your childhood days, the sunshine you cast into her world, and the happiness your presence and your smile brought, joys that no other smile and no other happiness can bring—a mother like those she had from you. There are never two sides to a boy's life in his mother's heart—if there are memories of neglect in connection with it.

So that is, in all possibility, the reason why we have this beautiful holiday, and one of the reasons why we observe it. It affords an opportunity to soften such memories by a display of genuine love and thoughtfulness for the most noble, faithful, loyal and sacrificing friend a boy can have—his Mother.

If she is healthy and near enough for you to be with her this Mother's Day—spend the day in loving conversation and communion with her. One day spent at her side now when memories are about all she treasures, will make amends for those acts of thoughtlessness of earlier years. Ahead of her alone is life's highway, and it is nearing the sun-down for her. One smile from you now will serve to light that road for her as nothing else can; one kiss from you would make of it the path to glory in her tired, steadily losing old heart. If she has passed on to the end of that road, lay some blossoms on her resting place, or write in this Mother's Day as evidence that through the turmoil and strifes of life, and in all your wanderings you have not forgotten the dearest creature who ever had a part in your life.

But a fortnight ago citizens raised their voices in praise and bowed their heads in humble observance of the resurrection. Then we honored Jesus Christ, the savior of men. Now we come to honor the mothers of men. Join in, for your Mother was among them. And if there has ever been anyone approaching the Saviour of Men in all his glory and majesty, and goodness and love it is—Our Mothers.

Travel and Learning

Soon the vacation season will be here, and many thousands of persons will visit various interesting places for the first time, some in our own country and others abroad. While recreation will be the principal aim of many, a majority will expect to learn something of permanent value during their travels.

In order that one may derive the most benefit from his travel experience, it would be well to find out as much as possible about the places to be visited ahead of time. Then when he actually sees the places and objects of which he has studied, he will get a more lasting impression of their significance.

Information gained from guides and handbooks during one's travels is valuable, of course, but it is generally superficial, and lacking in the historical background which is necessary for a full understanding and appreciation of the famous places where history has been made.

The educational value of travel depends largely upon knowing beforehand what one wants to see, and why.

What Does The Average Man Read?

What does the average man read?

Attempting to answer this question The American Newspaper Publishers' Association canvassed the reading habits of a representative group.

The results indicated that men average forty-five minutes a day reading newspapers, twenty-five minutes a day on magazines and one-half of the men average less than one book a month.

In other words men spend twice as much time on magazines as on books, and five times as much on newspapers. This ought to be interesting to those who advertise.

From the standpoint of culture the radio may be deplored, but in the present day of better newspapers the columns maintain much that is neither trivial or ephemeral.

Reliable Road Maps In Prospect

A survey of all public roads in the State has recently been completed by the State Highway Department, according to a statement made today by Julian Montgomery, State Highway Engineer, at Austin. The survey included county roads as well as State highways, and maps are being prepared showing all public roads in the State.

It may be surprising to learn that prior to this survey there were in existence reliable road maps of only 27 counties, Montgomery stated. There were fairly reliable road maps of 75 counties, unreliable road maps of 101 counties, while the remaining 51 counties had no road maps.

The Highway Department is now engaged in preparing accurate road maps of all counties, showing both State highways and county roads. These maps also show all dwellings, schools, churches, and other structures visible from public roads.

The road survey was made by the Highway Planning Survey, conducted by the Highway Department in co-operation with the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, Director of the Planning Survey is G. G. Edwards, and F. Thayer Stoddard is Bureau of Public Roads representative, Montgomery stated.

In the U. S. Navy Department for the first time since 1918, is a sign that reads: "Beware of female spies." Officers said the advice was as pertinent today as it was during the World War.

Although he fell 55 feet to the ground while painting a grain elevator in Higginsville, Mo., Steeplejack James Kelley was only slightly injured.

30 Years Ago—May 8, 1909

Mrs. George Langston of Cisco, president of the First District of Federated Clubs, will visit the Magazine Club on Saturday, May 8. She will be the guest of Mrs. S. W. Scott.

About 3 o'clock Friday morning nightwatchman T. J. Lemmon discovered fire in the store room of Norman's Paint Store. He gave the alarm and soon a big crowd had turned out with the fire boys and begun the fight. The best that could be done was to confine the fire to the one building. The stock was a total loss with \$1600 insurance. Caleb Terrell lost all his household goods and piano that were stored in the building. He had a little insurance.

The machinery of the light plant has been repaired and the plant started up Thursday. We understand that the plant is being overhauled and new machinery will be added and duplicated in such a way that service will be uninterrupted in the future.

The oil mill will finish its season's crush during the coming week.

Alvy Couch, who is connected with the bank at Knox City, attended the commencement exercises here Monday night.

J. W. Flenniken and W. F. Tompkins have opened a land office in the Farmers National Bank building.

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WORDS & PICTURES

Around the World

By William LaVarre



The Best Salesman Is a Pretty Girl

MANUFACTURERS run a constant contest with each other to photograph the prettiest girls in the act of using their products. Magazines vie for prettier "pretty-girl" covers. But here is Miss Matilda Templeton. She sells people the desire to stop and look at the old-fashioned gardens of the Templeton Historical society in Massachusetts. Before Miss Templeton was placed in the gardens few people noticed them, writes Charles Flood. It takes a few minutes to discover that she's not real at all—only a window display trimmed and mounted—and placed behind the flowers.

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LETTERS

From Our Readers

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

A little more than 20 years ago we sent two million fifty nine thousand six hundred and twenty nine of our sons, husbands, brothers, sweethearts, boys and men overseas as cannon fodder to "save

Europe". Two hundred and thirty three thousand one hundred and eighty four were slaughtered, most of the remainder disabled, but not in some way because of the experience. Ask any ex-service man if he knows why he was sent "over there".

We loaned great sums of money to European nations; fifty billions of dollars have not been repaid. They called us Shylock and repudiated their debts—refused to guarantee terms to pay back this money they had borrowed. The

pression is another result of our trying to "save Europe."

Think how many discouraged, despondent, hungry, sick and jobless people in America fifty billion dollars would care for; (Granting that the swindlers, chislers, impostors, crooked politicians and white collar groups would come in for their share of it too.) Not to mention what this fifty billion dollar sum could do to clear away that tremendous forty one billion dollar national debt our Federal Government has run up.

France couldn't pay her debts to Uncle Sam but now she can buy a fleet of bombing planes in the United States. We, the people of the United States paid for the last war in men and money, shall we pay for the next one?

Europe took our money. She "rehabilitated her countries and re-armed them more heavily than has ever been known in history. The history of Europe is the history of war. Museums are full of flags won in battles. Monuments stand erected here and there to Generals who won some victory slaughtering other Generals and their men.

When Columbus landed on the American shores he did more for civilization than all wars. Our forefather came to America to get away from war and oppression. Foreigners from these war ridden countries continue to come to America, "the land of opportunity" and remain to become citizens. No new land like America lies verdant and fair for us to flee to if we willfully plunge or are ignorantly and politically hoodwinked into another great war.

We tried to "make the world safe for democracy" and failed. We have a job right at home awaiting attention, that of keeping out un-American activities and saving America for Americans. Our job here is so big, we have more than enough to keep us ALL busy. It is not merely seeing that one does not interfere with another's business, but it also implies one must take care of his own business. WELL, we have plenty to work on for a long time. A glance around shows that we have need for something much better than now used to work out the problems of: business, farm, employment, immigration, economics, taxation, youth,

age, education, prohibition, religion, morals, recreation, health, housing, radio, press, policies, government and peace.

The most that goes up from false thinking spreads harmful propaganda and is deceiving as are ignorant attempts to do good when trying to help another country in trouble—both processes make men incapable of judging the real needs of their fellow-men. We MUST refuse to be drawn into a world conflict by any of the several schemes devised to get us in. Write to your Congressman: Senator Tom Connally, Senator Morris Sheppard, Representative George Mahon. Address, Capitol Station,

Washington, D. C. and say to them: Sir: I beg you to exert your influence and keep our country out of European war.

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Shall we pay for the next war?
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40 Years Ago—May 13, 1899

The third annual reunion at Plainview, Hale county, of the old soldiers and cowboys will be held at the Plainview fairgrounds, commencing Tuesday, August 15, 1899, and continuing five days.

At the reunion of Texas veterans at Temple recently, there were present eight survivors of the battle of San Jacinto.

The crop outlook in Haskell county is more promising now than at any corresponding time for several years past.

At their ice cream festival last week the Board of Ladies Aid society cleared \$24.30.

Cattle Inspector Roberts of Quannah was here this week looking after matters along the quarantine line.

A. H. Tandy left on Thursday with an outfit of men and horses to work on his ranch in the Indian Territory.

Mr. Ike Winfrey, who has been employed on the X ranch in this county for several years, left this week for Dickens county, where he will establish a ranch for himself.

Parties interested in the Stone-wall county copper mines fifteen or twenty miles west of this place, passed through Thursday en route to the mines to continue the work of prospecting.

Prof. Dan Couch and wife, of Simmons College, Abilene, came up Sunday to spend some time with friends here.

Quite a party of prospectors were here Thursday from Bowie and vicinity. We understand that some of them are looking for a business location and others for farm and ranch lands.

The date for the annual Cow-boys Reunion at Seymour has been set for about the middle of August.

The committees appointed to investigate the railroad proposition submitted to our people recently by Mr. Locke of Abilene, has not made sufficient progress in their work to make any worthwhile report this week.

Regular Stated Meeting of Haskell Lodge No. 682, A. F. & A. M. First Tuesday of each month, 7:30 p. m. Visitors welcome.

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This Sunday your Mother will want you with her. For this Sunday is Mother's Day . . . a day when you can express to her your love. Let this day stand out in her memories. Give her some little gift that will symbolize your love and appreciation. Watch her smile, her eyes . . . and you will know that she is thanking you not for the gift alone, but for the moments of happiness you have brought into her life. And she'll be doubly happy to know that you have not forgotten her. Remember your Mother this Sunday.

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Brief News Items From

Weinert

Rain At Weinert
The rain which fell in this section Sunday afternoon is of untold value to the farmers and stockmen.

W. M. S. Meets At Church
The Methodist Missionary Society met Monday, May 8 at the church.

Those present were: Mmes. Georgia Bell, Annie Mae Medley, Preston Weinert, John English, Alvin Bennett, G. L. Walker, H. C. Vandell, Paul Josselet, Henry Smith, H. Weinert.

Miss Clara Sue Mitchell, a graduate of the 1938 senior class left for Austin last week to enter the State University.

Mrs. Jim Frost of the Sunset community in Knox County was in town Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Teaff a baby girl, Peggy Charlene, Friday May 5th.

Tea Given For Seniors
The Baptist W. M. U. honored the Seniors of the Weinert High School and their sponsor, Mr. Julian Perrin with a seated tea on Thursday, May 4th from 5 to 7 p. m.

The registration book, which was made by Miss Leona Ford an ex-student and a talented artist of Weinert was presented to Mr. Perrin who graciously responded and paid nice tribute to the Senior's mothers who had assisted him in the work as Senior sponsor this year.

The program consisted of two cowboy numbers sung by Phillip Cadenhead, a piano solo by Miss Aleatha Liles, a trio composed of Mrs. Raymond Liles, Misses Aleatha Liles and Eula Florence Newson, who sang several popular songs.

A reading of her own composition was given by Miss Leona Ford. A review of a short story, "Madelon's Fathers" was given by Mrs. H. F. Monke in a very interesting manner.

At the close of the afternoon punch and cookies were served.

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SENIOR CLASS EDITION
This edition of the Roundup is sponsored by the Senior Class which is the last class edition.

SENIOR COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES
The Baccalaureate services for the graduation class of Mattson High School will be Sunday May 21 in the auditorium.

MUSTANG CORRAL
The Mattson Track Team, composed of L. D. Holcombe, Leon Mapes, Burl Darnell, and Elmer C. Watson left Friday morning, to go to Denton, Texas where the Class B Track Meet is held annually.

SENIOR THEATRE PARTY MONDAY NIGHT
The Senior Class was entertained by their room mothers, Mmes. Guess and Weaver last Monday night with a theatre party.

CLASS HISTORY OF THE SENIORS—1939
The Mattson Senior Class originated its union in the year 1936-1937 with the establishing of our school. We were at that time giddy Sophomores.

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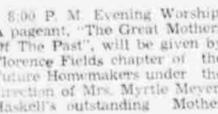
9:45 A. M. Church School. 11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. The oldest and the youngest mother present will receive a gift. The sermon:

"Mother's Builders Of The Race"

7:15 P. M. Leagues. Mother's Day Programs.

"Mothers' Desires For Their Children"

In honor of and in memory of Mother attend the services.



6:00 P. M. Evening Worship. A pageant, "The Great Mothers Of The Past", will be given by Florence Fields, chapter of the Future Homemakers under the direction of Mrs. Myrtle Meyer, Haskell's outstanding Mother

MR. McCARTY TO LEAVE IRBY

Mr. F. M. McCarty who has been principal of the Irby School for the past three years has been elected to the superintendency of the Matton Rural High School. Mr. McCarty is a very good teacher. He has improved and helped this school very much. The pupils are sorry to see him leave and they wish him luck and success with his new job.

WORKING FOR WRITING CERTIFICATES

All students from the fifth through the ninth are working hard on writing these days. Those who show sufficient progress will send samples of their penmanship to the W. S. Benson Company of Austin. Fifth graders who qualify will receive pins. All others will get writing certificates. These certificates are awarded only to those who develop a high degree of skill in penmanship and for that reason they should be greatly prized by those receiving them.

STUDENTS HEAR DUKE OF WINDSOR SPEAK

On May 8 the students in Mr. McCarty's room listened to the speech of Edward, Duke of Windsor from Verdun, France. Speaking as the late war he urged the leaders of the nations to keep peace. He said that he hoped there would never be another war. This speech was very interesting to the students of the eighth and ninth grades who are just now studying about the World War in history.

TRUSTEES AUTHORIZE BUS IN DISTRICT

In their last meeting the school board voted to permit the Matton School to operate a bus in the Irby district next year to pick up any high school student who has completed the grades offered in the Irby School. It was definitely understood by all parties concerned, however, that no pupil whose grade was taught at Irby would be permitted to ride the bus unless the Irby school board gave their consent to the transfer.

I-H CLUB NEWS

The club held its regular meeting Friday afternoon. Mr. Schumann, County Agent, attended the meeting. The boys were glad to welcome a new member, Ervin Poeschel, who had recently joined. The boys gave a good program. Mr. Schumann seemed to enjoy it very much. He gave a talk about a game demonstration. He said that if any of the boys wanted to start a game demonstration, he should fence it a quarter of an acre or more of land and let it grow up with weeds to form a shelter for

the birds. Also, some grain should be planted near the place and not harvest it but leave it for the birds to eat.

The club voted to go on a fishing trip next Friday.—Walter Kretschmer, Club Reporter.

400,000 Tourists Annually Visiting The Boulder Dam

Boulder Dam—one of man's most stupendous engineering projects—is now the objective of 400,000 visitors annually, who come from all parts of the world to view the artificial lake 115 miles long and nearly 600 feet deep, created out of the Colorado River. Winter visitors to the coast on the escorted rail tours may now make side-trips to the Dam; take a motorboat trip off Lake Mead, or walk across the massive dam itself, from Nevada to Arizona, according to F. A. Haas, General Agent of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway.

Costing \$165,000,000, in addition to the great outlay by Southern California communities to pipe water over mountains and desert to the cities on the Pacific slope, Boulder Dam is rapidly becoming one of the major tourist attractions of the West, and a model city, erected by the Government, stands on the side of the lake, which the impounded waters of the once-somewhat Colorado River have created behind the 27-foot structure.

Easy access from Las Vegas Nevada, the buses, or "stages", as they are known in the West, run across the 25 miles of desert to Boulder City, allowing ample time for visiting the dam-site and taking a "voyage" on the lake. The sightseeing phases of the dam are incidental, of course, for in addition to providing water for the Pacific Coast, it will irrigate additional parts of the great Imperial Valley, and also will provide electric power for nearby states. Travelers using the Los Angeles Limited, The Challenger or the Pacific Limited in either direction between Chicago and Los Angeles find all-expense side-trips, conforming to rail schedules, to visit the Dam.

Notable in the Boulder Dam district is the only Government-owned railway in the territorial United States—a line 10.25 miles long, termed the United States Railway—connecting with a spur of the Union Pacific, and running from Boulder City to the dam itself.

The Boulder Dam detours are available to independent travelers desiring to stop off en route. Here, on the desert, they will find air-conditioned hotels and dining rooms, and if they spend a night at Las Vegas, will see in its night life, all the color of the old West, with cowpunchers and prospectors mingling with movie stars from Hollywood and tourists from the East, in such spots as the Boulder Club and the Hotel Apache.

Mrs. Ernest Sutherland of Wichita Falls visited her sister, Mrs. Ada Rice and Miss Ruby Fitzgerald and other relatives in Haskell this week end.

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Locals

Mrs. John A. Couch went to Seymour Monday to spend a few days in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andrus.

Miss Geraldine Norris of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Norris.

Roy Huickabee of Graham visited friends in Haskell this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Chrisman of Alexandria, La., are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Welsh.

Mrs. H. S. Wilson returned this week end from a visit to Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson and daughter, Janice Ruth visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robertson and Mrs. H. S. Wilson this week end.

Mrs. Herman Henry and son, Pat from Winsboro, arrived in Haskell Saturday for a visit with her father, G. F. Mullino.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sherman and children from Cisco visited friends and relatives in Haskell this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henshaw and children of Sweetwater visited in Haskell this week end.

Mrs. Kenneth Sherman and children of Clovis, N. M., are visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Willoughby.

John P. Payne went to Eastland Sunday and accompanied Mrs. Payne and Mary Beth home after a visit in the home of Hon. and Mrs. Clyde Grissom.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killingsworth and Sonny left for a vacation Sunday. They will visit Houston, Galveston and Dallas before returning home.

James A. Greer of Rochester was a business visitor in Haskell Monday.

Mrs. Harvey Stillwell, Mrs. Wilford Kennedy and Walter Stillwell of Goree visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams Sunday.

A. M. Burden of Rochester was in Haskell Tuesday.

Miss Martha Ann Theis of Menard visited friends in Haskell this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Roberts and Mrs. Leon Gilliam were in Dallas Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Mattie Edmondson is visiting her sister Mrs. W. W. Johnson at present. She will soon be going back to her son's home in Muskogee, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Power attended the Oil Belt Safety Conference in Abilene last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. High Lynch and children visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lyles over the week end.

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Soil-Building Progress Noted On Texas Farms

For every ten acres of Texas farm land dissipated last year by the excessive demands of some soil-depleting crop, almost five acres were conserved or rejuvenated through soil-building practices carried out by farmers who complied with the AAA.

That is the conclusion of a preliminary report on the 1938 farm program showing, among other things, that soil-conserving crops such as legumes, alfalfa and green manure crops were grown on 6,300,000 acres, and that more than 1,500,000 acres in the program last year were farmed on the contour to better utilize moisture and keep and from washing and blowing away.

The report indicated that Texas farmers last year earned \$4,900,000 in soil-building practice payments and that they passed up another four million by failing to take full advantage of their soil-building allowances.

More than 13,000 miles of terracing was done on approximately 141,000 acres; about 2,225,000 acres were contour listed or furrowed; 310,000 acres of permanent pasture were established. 300 acres of forest trees were planted; and 2,225,000 linear feet of pasture ridging was done, by farmers who took part in the program, according to the report.

Value of the soil-saving investments is reflected to some extent in tests showing that contour furrowing increases the annual earning power of an acre by \$2.50, on an average throughout the state, and that terracing is often worth from \$5 to \$8 an acre. In arid sections of the state, contour farming is frequently the difference between a good crop and no crop at all.

George Slaughter, chairman of the State Agricultural Conservation Committee, explained that the AAA gives each farmer a soil-building allowance, which must be earned by approved conservation practices at specified rates of pay in addition to payments for holding soil-depleting crops such as cotton, wheat and rice within his soil-depleting acreage allotments.

Curry Chapel

A great number of our folks attended the singing convention in Haskell Sunday. We had 32 present for Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tolliver's family spent Sunday with relatives in Haskell.

Rev. W. B. Arnold went to Rose Sunday and preached.

Mrs. Artie McCormick spent last week with Mrs. G. W. Reid in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Vick Davenport of Smith Chapel visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hill Sunday.

L. W. Hill and Ted Jeter attended the auction sale in Monday on Tuesday.

Henry Johnson, brother of Mrs. Jno. A. Couch and Mrs. J. A. Bailey, who is in the sanitarium in Ft. Worth is improving nicely.

Mrs. Berdie Allen of Knox City, supervisor of WPA library projects in this area, was in Haskell Wednesday afternoon for a meeting of all librarians of this city.

James Mullino of Dallas visited his father G. F. Mullino the past week end.

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes of 800 families in Knox, Stonewall Counties. Reliable hustler should make good earnings at start and increase rapidly. Sales way up this year. Write today. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXD-340-SG, Memphis, Tenn., or see R. A. Greenwade, Rochester, Texas. 4tp



Anniversary Dates

Opposition of members of the Royal family to his marriage to an American woman, the Duke of Windsor relinquished the English crown in December, 1936, and his successor, King George VI was crowned as England's ruling monarch two years ago today—on May 12, 1937. It appears now that the Duke dodged a lot of grief in giving up the throne, with Europe threatened with an outbreak of war at almost any moment.

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FOR SALE—Good used piano for \$15.00. Jack Chenault, Jud Store, Rochester, Texas. 1tp
FOR SERVICE—Registered Big Bone Black Mammoth Jack. White Points, will make the season at my farm near Weinert. Fee \$5.00. Sam Bird Jr. 4tp
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FOR SALE—150 bushels Second Year DPL Cotton Seed. \$1.00 per bushel at my farm 3 1-2 miles north Monday. J. D. McLaran, Rt. 2, Munday, Texas. 2tp
FOR SALE—Plenty of good heavy see Oats and Barley. Free of Johnson grass. See Paul Frierson or Byron Frierson. 4tc
CABINET AND WOODWORK—Let me furnish a free estimate on a modern built-in Kitchen Cabinet, medicine cabinet, cedar chest, or any other woodwork for your home. Satisfactory workmanship guaranteed. A. Torn, Haskell, Texas. 4tc
FOR SALE—Texas Special Cotton Seed. First year seed, 75c bushel. F. J. Josselet, Weinert, Texas. 2tp
Attention Poultry Raisers. More Eggs—Better Eggs. Get a bottle of Eggproducer. Guaranteed to increase egg production. Eliminates all External Parasites. Removes all worms. It must take you money or your money refunded. Sold and distributed exclusively in Haskell by Clifton Produce Co. Haskell, Texas
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LOST OR STRAYED—White male dog, part Spitz. Liberal reward. Return to home of Arthur Hays. 4tc
FOR SALE—3 piece bedroom suite \$15.00. See Mrs. S. A. Norris at Service Cleaners. 13tc

THE TILOTSI Editor Erma McCarty Asst. Editors Lena Steinfath Irene Kretschmer Sponsor F. M. McCarty Published Monthly By The Students of Irby School (Continued From Page 7) OUR NEW PRINCIPAL Mr. Owen Sparkman is to be the new principal at Irby School next year. Mr. Sparkman attended college at Texas Tech and at Sul Ross Teachers College at Alpine. He taught school for eleven years in Throckmorton county. He has not been teaching for the past three years. He is at present operating a filling station at Fort Worth. Everyone feels confident that he will make a good teacher. WINS SECOND PLACE AT DISTRICT MEET Mr. McCarty and son Bernice, Juniors 31; Irby 13, New Cook 9; Mr. George Mueller and son, Edward, went to Breckenridge Friday morning, April 14, for the District Meet. Edward placed second in the senior boys' declamation contest. The school is very proud of Edward's accomplishment.

PLANS FOR THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL Pupils in the higher room are planning on going to Kiowa Peak the last day of school. This mountain is some fifteen miles north-west of Rule. Since none of the students have had an opportunity to visit this place they are hoping to do so on that occasion. One reason they have chosen to go to the peak is because of reading about the old copper mines which is located near the peak. Then, too, some of the boys and girls want to try their hands at mountain climbing. Of course everyone is looking forward to a very pleasant trip. BASEBALL RECORDS The record below is that of the Irby ball teams this year. Although they played but a few games everyone feels that this has been a satisfactory year. The boys played five games and won three for a percentage of 600. The girls went through the season without a defeat and of course finished with a percentage of 1000. Boys Irby 9, Matton High School Juniors 31; Irby 13, New Cook 9; Irby 8, Matton Grade School 4; Irby 10, Hutto 5; Irby 0, New Cook 1. Girls Irby 9, New Cook 3; Irby 6, Matton Grade School 3; Irby 8, New Cook 7; Irby 18, Gauntt 17.

Texas Theatre HASKELL, TEXAS Saturday Preview—Sunday and Monday A LIVING STORY OF A TRAGIC HOUSE! Drama lashing with fury! SAMUEL GOLDWYN presents WUTHERING HEIGHTS MERLE OBERON LAURENCE OLIVIER DAVID NIVEN Released thru United Artists

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