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Passenger Train Wreck.

Last Saturday night, eight miles west of Clarendon, the westbound passenger train was wrecked by the front of the tender giving away. The wheels and axle were wrenched from the truck frame, spreading the rails and tearing up the ties. Luckily, the engine remained on the track and none of the couplings gave way, hence none of the coaches were overturned, and no one was hurt, except a rough shaking up and a bad scare. In all five cars were derailed, but the roadbed clogged with ties and trucks brought the train to a stand-still before the sleeper was derailed. That the coaches did not turn over and pile up together was partly due to the slow speed just at that time. The train was to meet the southbound passenger at Southard a mile and a half ahead, and conductor John Scott walked ahead, after an ineffectual attempt to use a telephone, carried for emergency use, and had Conductor Harrington sidetrack his train and take two cars back to Goodnight for the steel gang and telegraphic orders. The southbound then pulled down and a transfer was completed some four hours after the wreck occurred, each minute seeming an hour to the editor of THE CHRONICLE, who was on the wrecked train enroute to Dalhart in response to a message saying his daughter, Mrs. C. S. Harrington, had taken a turn for the worse. He arrived in Dalhart eight hours late.

The southbound passengers were crowded into the sleeper and brought to Clarendon. The wreck was cleared up about five o'clock next afternoon.

Kansas City, Kans., Still Corrupt.

W. M. Rose, who resigned the office of mayor of Kansas City, recently, pending state ouster proceedings against him for non-enforcement of certain laws, and who was later ousted by the supreme court, which disregarded his resignation, was re-elected mayor by 1,600 plurality at a special election Tuesday.

The issue of the election was the enforcement of the prohibition and anti gambling laws. Rose was supported by the element which demand the licensing of joints and gambling halls.

E. E. Venard, Rose's republican opponent, who has been acting mayor since Rose resigned, was supported by the temperance people. Many women voted, and most of them supported Venard. The question of Rose's right to hold the office of mayor will now be tested.

Mexican War Veterans.

Dallas was selected for next year's meeting place of Texas Mexican War Veterans' association.

President Abe Harris and the secretary, Mrs. Moore Murdock, of Fort Worth, were re-elected.

Mr. B. F. Draper, of Jacksboro, father of Mrs. W. P. Blake, of Clarendon, was chosen vice-president. Colonel Buck, owing to his feeble condition, requesting that he be not again elected.

Senator Smoot, of Utah, sent his regrets at not being able to attend the reunion. He was thanked for his successful efforts in getting the \$20 per month pension bill through the senate. The measure is now pending in the house.

Commencement Exercises.

The commencement exercises of the Clarendon Public Schools were completed at the opera house, Thursday, 8:30 to 10 p. m.

The program, as announced in these columns, was executed most pleasingly, until a cloud, which threatened to be "stormy" put in its appearance, and Bro. Dickey's and Judge O'Neill's addresses were (according to O'Neill) "providentially eliminated," or words to that effect.

Special praise is due every one of the seventeen members of the class for good work.

The salutatorian, Mr. Neville Williams, was well prepared for his work and acquitted himself like a man of riper years.

The class-poet, Little May Woodward, said many beautiful things about each one of her classmates, and Miss Adrain Brown, as historian, had found in her researches that almost every member of her class is a "blood relation" to some one or more of earth's great and good men.

Miss Mary McLean's valedictory address was just splendid, being well prepared and well delivered.

The diplomas were presented in a brief talk by Hon. J. H. O'Neill and as each one rose to accept the much prized document, showers of beautiful bouquets were thrown from the audience or laid gently at their feet.

The musical numbers by Misses Graves, O'Neill, Burkhead and Houk were well received.

Altogether it was a glorious occasion and will be long remembered.

We bespeak for the young men and women of the graduating class, lives of usefulness and joy, and for our public schools continued success.

Date For Coleman Lecture Cancelled.

Panhandle, Texas, May 4, '06 Judge G. F. Morgan, Clarendon, Texas.

Esteemed Sir and Bro:

Yours of 2nd just handed me upon my arrival home last evening. Physical conditions will prevent my possibly meeting the date mentioned. My wife having been injured during my absence. I regret this very much, Judge, but during our lives there are conditions that arise over which we have no control, and to which we bow with the best grace possible. The cancelation of date may be made through the different churches. I herewith send you a slight token in the way of an old cane, the description accompanying it, as a remembrance of our meeting. Again assuring you of my regret at being unable to meet with you, I am,

Very respectfully,
T. G. COLEMAN.

In view of the fact that some fifty or sixty tickets for this occasion have been distributed and no record kept of the purchasers, and in view also of the uncertainty as to when Mr. Coleman will be able to visit us, all parties are hereby instructed that by returning tickets to the undersigned or to Mrs. Ella Williams they will have their money refunded.

GEO. F. MORGAN.

The Christian church has secured the services of evangelist J. P. Holmes of McKinney, Texas, and will begin a revival meeting on the fourth Sunday in this month. The co-operation of all the pastors and their members will be earnestly solicited.

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CLARENDON, TEX., MAY 12 1906.

Since the settlement of the anthracite strike, 70 per cent of the miners have reported for work. Many mines are not ready for full resumption. Many of the miners have left the district. The old employes are being taken back.

An old friend asks: "How is it that so many servants of the corporations get into the house and senate?" They all went there on free passes. Without the free pass system for conventions and workers in every little town, not one of them would be there.—Ex.

A Chicago news dispatch says 100 separate books, telling the complete story of the San Francisco earthquake and fire, each of them "the only authentic account," are in preparation in various cities of the country. Twenty-one have already been advertised in Chicago. So it appears that the public will be reading about the disaster for some time to come if the eloquence of the book agent prevails.

The truce between Dowie and Voliva, until October, was arranged in Chicago Thursday. Business interests of Zion are to be turned over to a committee of three. Dowie's appointee on the committee is Deacon Lewis. Voliva's man is Deacon Granger. They will appoint the third member. This is considered, by Dowie's followers, as a victory. It is believed by October that the mass of Zionites will return to the Dowie camp.

Some of the Washington correspondents aver that Aldrich and the other railroad senators have proposed to the president that if he will suppress the Garfield report on Standard Oil usurpations and robberies, that they will pass the Philippine tariff bill and the free alcohol bill. It looks as though that report, having been made by an order of congress and paid for by the people, the president has no right, either in law or morals, to refuse to make it public.—Ex.

On the Belen cut-off of the Santa Fe the depots are to be of concrete, and the old mission style of architecture will prevail. At division points the roundhouses, storehouses, shops, reading-rooms, coal chutes and ice plants will be built of concrete. In keeping with the architecture is the giving of names to most of the stations. From Texico westward they are as follows: Clovis, Clacktower, St. Vrain, Melrose, Cantara, Idria, La Lande, Sunnyside, Agudo, Ricordo, Gillespie, Yesso, Largo, Buchanan, Cardenas, Duoro, Casans, Iden, Vaughn, Vaughn Junction, Carnero, Cibolo, Dunmoor, Lucy, Pato, Broncho, Mountainair, Abo, Bodega, Madrone, Filipe, Rio Puerco.

We were compelled to miss Wednesday's paper, but we are sure all our readers will readily excuse the omission in view of our sad affliction and inability to supply our place while absent at Dalhart.

Rev. C. C. Bearden went up to Amarillo Wednesday and sold some residence property, returning the same day.

Dr. Burkhead will go to Hereford today to preach the commencement sermon for the public school of that place Sunday.

Conductors Selwyn Harrington and Jeff Trent were down from Amarillo to attend the funeral.

See my show windows for the handsomest display of hats, collars, belts, and novelties ever seen in Clarendon.

Mrs. A. M. Beville

Conductor Hall Killed.

Conductor Charlie Hall, the oldest passenger conductor in the line of duty, except Conductor Harrington, met an unexpected death near Texline Wednesday morning. He had stopped his train at a freight wreck, which was being cleared and stepping backwards from his own train to an adjoining track, he was knocked down by the tank of a moving engine he did not see, the wheels cutting off one leg above and the other below the knee. He was taken to Trinidad, his home, but died before reaching there. He was a very popular man, having a host of friends at Clarendon, Childress, Fort Worth and other points on the road. Conductor Harrington, one of Hall's most intimate friends, was sent for by Mrs. Hall, and Mr. Harrington went up Thursday night. The funeral will take place tomorrow, Sunday.

Donley County Sunday School Convention.

Members of the Donley County Sunday School Association, met in Clarendon Methodist church, Sunday, May 6, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The convention was opened by prayer, Brother Dickey, pastor of the Presbyterian church, leading.

The first subject as per program for the attention of the convention was: "What do I need in my Sunday School work."

Bro. Bearden being absent the first speech upon this subject was tendered by Bro. E. Dubbs, of the Christian church, who acquitted himself creditably.

Bro. A. M. Beville followed, with a short speech, saying among many other good things, that consecration on the part of the Sunday school teacher, is one of the greatest requirements of any good Sunday school.

Bro. W. H. Cooke at this point electrified the convention by a series of humorous and sensible remarks. He said it shouldn't be the case that pupils drop out of Sunday school so early. He believes parents should say: "Children come with me to Sunday school" rather than say: "Children, go on to Sunday school." He says also that one of the greatest needs of a Sunday school is love and its manifestation in various ways on the part of the teacher for his pupils.

Bro. Hightower made a few pointed remarks.

Next to speak on this was J. H. O'Neill and it is not saying too much when we say he made one of the best talks of the convention. He seems to believe in the scriptural saying: "Bring up the child in the way he should go and when he gets old he will not depart from it."

Bro. Rogers, pastor of the Clarendon Baptist church, next adds some thoughts and emphasizes others already made.

After a short talk by Bro. Patterson the convention was treated by members of the Christian church, to a song entitled: "Are you Walking in the Footsteps."

The subject: "Qualifications and Preparation of the Primary Teacher" coming next on program, Miss Gabie Betts made a good talk thereon, laying stress upon the importance of illustrations by means of story telling. She says one great element of a successful teacher is love for the pupils.

Mrs. Dr. Gray says upon the same subject that teaching in the primary classes should be simple and thereby adapted to the children.

Prof. H. M. Pile, of Rowe, showed clearly in his remarks that he was a teacher of many years experience. He says that man is composed of the mental, moral and physical, and that the ultimate success of the man or woman depends upon the development of his three-fold nature. It is, he says, the peculiar province of the Sunday school to develop the moral man.

Dr. Burkhead believes the good effect of anything said (having reference to the Sunday school teacher) depends not only upon the meaning of the words pronounced but upon the manner of speaking as well. He gave a very apt illustration of this concerning the Dutchman and his letter.

At this point the evening session of the convention adjourned by singing and by prayer, Bro. Rogers leading.

The remaining part of the program was rendered Sunday night commencing at 8 o'clock.

A short business session was held before resuming the program.

The names of officers for the association the coming year as elected are as follows: Bro. Blair, of Rowe, president; A. M. Beville, vice-president; Miss Bessie Sloan, secretary; Miss Maggie Kinslow, treasurer.

The committee of five who were appointed by the president, to write out a set of rules for the government of the association are as follows: W. H. Cooke, J. H. O'Neill, W. B. Dodson, E. Dubbs and A. M. Beville.

Another committee consisting of three members were appointed by the president. It is the duty of this committee to set a time and place for the next meeting of the convention. This committee is made up of the officers of the association.

The convention is next delighted by a quartette given by four of the college boys. The subject, "Graduation from the Sunday school. When and how?"

Bro. Dodson delivered an eloquent address along this line comparing ancient conditions without Christianity with present conditions in connection with Christianity, showing how the world owes its progress in great measure to Christianity. One of the important points brought out was that the increase of kindness, sympathy and virtue is largely due to Christianity.

As a fitting climax to the great interest manifested throughout this session of the Sunday school convention, Dr. Burkhead made one of his electrifying, vertebrating addresses on "How to make a Sunday school convention effective after it closes." He says, "Talk about it; Talk about it;" etc.

Notwithstanding the weather Sunday was not of the best type, the Methodist church both Sunday evening and Sunday night, at each meeting of the convention, was crowded almost to overflowing.

Everyone seemed to be in the best of spirits, and to have acquired a fresh, supply of enthusiasm and a better stock of ideas, with which they will soon be recording some of the many good effects growing out of the Donley County Sunday School Association. WADE WILLIS, Sec.

Cards of thanks in public print on occasions of sickness and death hardly express the sincere gratitude that private notes do, but the expressions of sympathy and the kindly aid and proffered help in our sad affliction this week came from so many at both Dalhart and Clarendon that we cannot reach all by note, and beg their pardon for this method, assuring them that we are most truly grateful, and that such tender sympathy and condolence will be most fondly remembered, as it is now lovingly appreciated.

MEMBERS OF BLAKE AND HARRINGTON FAMILIES.

College Notes.

Reported for THE CHRONICLE.

Bounds Howe, who attended College until recently, came down from Claude on a visit Thursday.

Mrs. Jessie Hill, of Memphis, came in the 4th and spent Saturday visiting the Brown and Shaw families.

Miss Agnes Brummett returned Sunday night from her little visit to Claude, and is again busily at work.

W. E. Garrison made a flying visit among us last Friday night. He was on his way from Childress to Silverton.

Prof. Johnston gave final examination to the Seniors in Astronomy this week. Various other examinations are being held, and pupils are being kept busy.

The play given Friday evening, "The Millionaire in Disguise," was well rendered and a nice sum was taken in though the attendance was unusually small.

Walter Kight, who attended the College last fall, was married to Miss Etta Miller of Seymour Tex. The young couple stopped on a visit here Thursday.

Mrs. Stancell, of Wellington, visited at the College one day last week. Her son was one of our former students, and we still have a friend in Mrs. Stancell.

A crowd of young ladies taking the county examination occupied the Library Friday, under Prof. Johnston's care. They went down to the Public School building on Saturday.

Miss Betts dismissed her room at two o'clock on Friday afternoon in order that she and her pupils might attend the closing exercises of the primary grades of the Public School.

Miss Perle Harp returned from Plainview Tuesday morning, while Miss Annie Laurie Buie returned from Canyon Monday night. Both young ladies are at work for the remainder of the term.

Clyde Wright of Silverton, one of our products of whom we are proud, visited his friends at the College over Sunday. Clyde is making a reputation as a rising young lawyer at Silverton.

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TIME TABLE.

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No. 7. Passenger and Express..... 6:25 a. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 2. Mail and Express..... 7:10 a. m.
No. 8. Passenger and Express..... 9:30 p. m.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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The steam laundry is about ready for business and will be started up Monday.

The old rails taken up along the Denver road are being used on the Wichita Valley extension.

Mrs. Gilson, of Philadelphia, came in this week for a summers visit to her mother, Mrs. J. E. Tracy.

Rev. A. J. Bush preached at the Christian Church Tuesday night, and an offering of about \$50. was received for the "Juliette Fowler Orphans Home" of Dallas, Texas.

A fine rain fell Thursday night and garden and farm crops will grow more rapidly than ever. A storm was threatened, thereby alarming a number of people, but there was no damage from the wind.

Geo. Washington's dray team ran away the first of the week and dashed into a hitch rack at the Tracy corner with such force as to break one of the horses legs and otherwise injure it, so that it will be useless.

Jack Mann, foreman of the Fort Worth and Denver bridge and building department, was severely hurt on Thursday while on a tour of inspection near Estelline. Dr. Vardy, of Estelline, was called and dressed the wounds. Dr. Carroll attended Mr. Mann on his arrival here and at last account he was getting along nicely.

The picnic at Lelia Saturday was quite a success despite extremely unpleasant weather, late trains etc. Almost the entire body of boarding students, a large number of the town students and a good many outside friends were in the crowd. A rate of 25 cts. for the round trip was given and the train stopped at the Lake to let them off. The dinner was pronounced beyond comparison, the fishing good and the whole affair a great success.

A little 7-year-old girl of Tom Wilson's, living northeast of town, fell and struck her head against a base-board one day last week, cutting her head so as to cause it to bleed some at the time, but it was not thought to be a serious hurt. It continued to bleed, however, and Sunday night her condition was such that she was brought in to Dr. Standefer, who found that her skull was fractured and the indenture in the bone pressing on the brain. He went to work and trephined the break and she is now rapidly recovering.

On account of the Baccalaureate services at the M. E. Church, Rev. Bearden will not preach Sunday morning. The Sunday school and Communion services of the Christian Church will close in time for all to hear Bro. Dodson. Services at Christian Church Sunday night at 8:30.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

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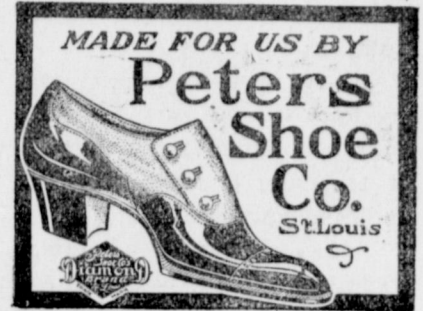
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Grandma Singletary, one of the best old women in the county, died Thursday night at age of 71. She was the wife of Rev. J. W. Singletary, a devoted christian and mother and beloved by all. Rev. Rogers preached the funeral at the residence yesterday.

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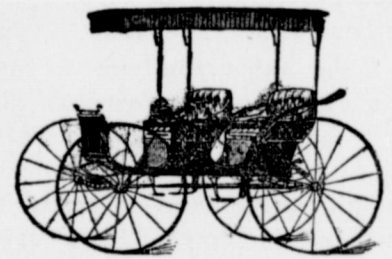
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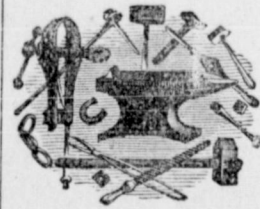
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Giles Gossip.
 CHRONICLE Correspondence
 Prof. Pile of Rowe was in Giles Monday on business.

Miss Katy Jones, of Rowe, is visiting in Giles this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burgis Saturday, May the 5, a boy.

J. A. Witherspoon came up from Memphis Saturday to repair his windmill.

The social given at Mrs. T. P. Sleeton's was much enjoyed by the young folks of Giles.

The Memphis base ball team failed to put in an appearance Saturday to play Giles.

Jack Owens, of Hall county, was in Giles the 4th. He brought up several hundred steers to put on the Diamond-Tail range for this summer.

Messrs. Coursey and Young are loading several cars of sand for parties in Childress, who will use it to make concrete blocks for building purposes.

Not as many took advantage of excursion rates to attend the Sunday school convention at Clarendon as would have done so if the weather had been favorable.

Claude.

Miss Mattie Grimes was with Mrs. Ola Scoggins at Clarendon several days this week.

Miss Agness Brummett is at home from Clarendon college this week nursing a case of mumps.

Misses Nora Lynch and Viola Wilson spent several days this week in Clarendon, guests of Miss Willie Mae Taylor.

Luke Bagwell has gone to Stamford, Texas, on a visit. He expects to return by the first of July, perhaps before that date.

If the rains continue to come much longer as regularly as they have for the past six weeks farmers will begin to kick. Just about the time the ground is ready for the plow old Jupiter Pluvius opens the flood gates and we get another soaking. There is a time for all things—this is a very good time for a little dry weather.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the president of the Southern Confederacy, is very ill of grip in her apartments in the Hotel Gerard, New York. As Mrs. Davis is nearly 80 years of age, it is feared the attack may be fatal.

R. M. Smoot, who was in the plot to kidnap President Abraham Lincoln, and who sold to John Surratt the boat which it was intended to convey Lincoln across the Potomac, died at Fort Smith, Ark., Wednesday, aged 73.

L. A. McCollister, the editor of the Gordon Courier was taken by his family and friends to the asylum for insane at San Antonio Tuesday, he having lost his balance of mind a few days before, and seemed to grow worse rapidly. His many friends have hope for a speedy recovery.

With an "unloaded" gun a little boy named Tom Taylor at Muskogee accidentally killed Lola Blaylock, a girl eight years old.

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STATE NEWS.

Jacob Washer, aged 53 and head of a Fort Worth clothing firm died Wednesday.

While attempting to ford Trinity river at Dallas Bud Webb and his horse he was driving drowned.

A barrel of counterfeit dollars made of lead, were unearthed by railroad gang south of Denison Wednesday.

Last week young Joe Brierton aged 23, and only married four days, accidentally shot and killed himself at the home of Tom Foreman, his father-in-law, near Vernon

Johnnie Woods, 14 years old, met with a fatal accident at Weatherford Thursday while coasting down a hill near the cotton mill. His bicycle struck a washout and threw him, from the effects of which he died an hour later.

W. D. Yancy, a boilermaker in the employ of the Texas and Pacific railway, dropped dead at the round house in Fort Worth, Wednesday afternoon from heart failure. Mr. Yancy, who had been at work all day, complained of feeling unwell in the afternoon and was told to go home and go to bed. He started to leave, but before he could get out of the round house fell and died without speaking.

Wednesday's Cold Snap.

Snow and killing frosts were reported in six states in the west and south Wednesday. The region visited by the unseasonable weather extended from Iowa to Maryland, and great loss to the growers of fruits and vegetables is reported.

A killing frost was general in Iowa and spread into Missouri and Kansas.

Throughout Ohio the strawberry crop suffered greatly and in the Kentucky blue grass region there was ice on the pools.

Wednesday night heavy frost in the Tennessee river valley of Alabama killed all cotton that was up. In some places the entire crop will have to be planted again.

Vesuvius is again showing activity. Tuesday a dense column of smoke was arising from the crater and spreading like an umbrella accompanied by loud detonations and electrical discharges, which are especially noticeable from Resinau. The main crater is discharging sand and cinders.

Fort Worth Market.

Prices Thursday were:
 Steers from \$3.25 to \$4.40
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The convention is next delighted by a quartette given by four of the college boys. The subject, "Graduation from the Sunday school. When and how?"
 Bro. Dodson delivered an eloquent address along this line comparing ancient conditions without Christianity with present conditions in connection with Christianity, showing how the world owes its progress in great measure to Christianity. One of the important points brought out was that the increase of kindness, sympathy and virtue is largely due to Christianity.
 As a fitting climax to the great interest manifested throughout this session of the Sunday school convention, Dr. Burkhead made one of his electrifying, vertebrating addresses on "How to make a Sunday school convention effective after it closes." He says, "Talk about it; Talk about it;" etc.
 Notwithstanding the weather Sunday was not of the best type, the Methodist church both Sunday evening and Sunday night, at each meeting of the convention, was crowded almost to overflowing.
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