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BRALY SPEAKS AT WEEKLY LUNCHEON; AMARILLO MEN ON PROGRAM FOR MONDAY

Clifford Braly, district attorney at Dalhart, was the principal speaker at the regular luncheon of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce, Monday, held at the Hereford hotel. He complimented the local organization in the work that is being done. With the rich soil that surrounds this place, with the progressive people here, with natural advantages suitable for another railroad, and with large tracts of unsettled land around here now open for colonization, Mr. Braly predicts a great future for Hereford.

President E. B. Black said that Deaf Smith county would soon need several new rural mail routes heading out from Hereford, because of the many large tracts of land near here which are being colonized. He appointed D. F. Ashbrook, L. Baskin and Sherm Williams to work with the local postal authorities on this problem.

County Agent R. O. Dunkle thanked the business men for their co-operation in the successful community settings project that has just been staged in Deaf Smith county. Mayor E. S. Ireland and Rev. James Ross urged the people of Hereford to clean up and beautify the local cemetery. A committee composed of Rev. R. Hill, D. F. Ashbrook and E. S. Ireland, was appointed by President Black to work out plans for this project. Rev. Ross also announced the standard of excellence for the home and garden movement for Hereford. Secretary T. D. Moss announced that two of his assistants, would be speakers at next Monday's luncheon, which will be held at the Stockman's cafe.

Joe B. Elliston Weds Miss Virginia Laird

The wedding of Miss Virginia Laird, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Laird of Blairview, and Joe Bailey Elliston, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Elliston of Hereford, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, in Blairview last Sunday afternoon, the Rev. J. R. Lipscomb of the Methodist church officiating. The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Elliston was tastefully decorated for the occasion. The wedding was a quiet home affair, with only a few close friends and relatives of the young people present. Those from Hereford who attended were Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Elliston and daughter, Miss Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. C. Baird and little daughter, Mary Ann, and Mrs. Seth B. Holman. Mesdames Baird and Holman are aunts of the bride. Egbert Bradly of Hereford, and Miss Eva Skelton of Farrell, supported the bride and groom. The ring ceremony was used and the wedding ceremony was very pretty and impressive. Immediately following the nuptials the happy pair proceeded by auto to Lubbock, where they spent two days, then returned to Blairview and from there came on to Hereford Wednesday.

It is understood that they will leave for California soon, where Mr. Elliston will enter business. Both young people were raised in Hereford and are receiving the good wishes of their many friends here.

Cemetery Clean-up Date Announced Tuesday, May 25

The Hereford cemetery is to be cleaned up and decorated for Memorial Day. The date for the clean-up work has been set for Tuesday, May 25.

The committee in charge of the work consists of D. F. Ashbrook, chairman, Mayor E. S. Ireland, and Rev. W. R. Hill. Every man, woman and child in this community is urged to turn out on that day and help put the Hereford cemetery into sightly condition, and to bring flowers with which to decorate the graves of the departed.

The matter was brought up at Monday's luncheon and the committee was appointed by President Black. Arrangements are to be made at once to put on the campaign, and the committee desires that the citizens be thinking about the matter and getting ready for his cooperative work on the 25th.

Weather Has Been Cold, Wet and Disagreeable

The weather the past week has more resembled October than May. Continued cloudy conditions, with occasional showers and heavy streaks of rain across portions of the territory have prevailed. It has been cold and disagreeable and everybody is praying for warmer and more settled conditions.

Geo. Beams, Jr., Is Distinguished Student at A. & M.

One of the finest tributes to scholarship and devotion to school work accorded a Hereford student in years was received Thursday morning by George Beams from Prof. H. R. Brayton, head of the Inorganic Chemistry division of the A. & M. College of Texas. George Beams, Jr., freshman student at A. & M., is upholding the high reputation of Hereford students established at this great school, and is making a scholastic record in the keenest kind of competition of which his family and all Hereford should be very proud. It takes industry, and application and unusual ability to win the highest honors in anything at A. & M., and the letter which follows is very highly prized by Mr. Beams and his friends:

"I wish to take this opportunity to congratulate you on the exceptionally high grade of work being done by your son in his freshman chemistry. We have recently conducted a chemical contest in which the best all-around student in chemistry was selected from each section. Your son won the honor of representing his section, and Monday night the Chemistry and Chemical Engineering department gave a banquet to the twenty-seven men representing the twenty-seven sections. This means that your son was one of the best men out of a freshman class of 870 students."

"I realize the interest you take in any reports from college, and appreciate the fact that in many cases a son is kept in college only through personal sacrifices of the parents, and for that reason I am writing to tell you of our interest and pride in your son's success."

STORK SPECIALS
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Higgins, May 12, a boy, named Gerald.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conklin, May 10, a boy, named John Leslie.

RULES AND REGULATIONS BETTER HOME AND GARDEN CONTEST ARE HERE GIVEN

Last week Rev. J. T. Ross, chairman of the Better Homes and Gardens contest for the East half of the city, announced his choice of sub-chairmen. Now here comes Mrs. A. Foster, chairman of the Western half, and gives her list of lieutenants. Each of these will in turn appoint a block captain, and the struggle for highest honors is on. Mrs. Foster's list reads: Her between First and Third streets, Mrs. John Jacobson; Her between Second and Third, Mrs. J. H. Hill; between Third and Fourth, Mrs. Henry Hastings; between Fourth and Fifth, Mrs. John McLean; between Fifth and Sixth, John Swartz; between Sixth and Seventh, Mrs. Frank Marrs; between Seventh and Eighth, Mrs. H. G. Conkright; between Eighth and Ninth, Mrs. O. G. Hill; between Ninth and Tenth, Mrs. W. F. Gabbert; Lake street, north to city limits, Mrs. John Burch; Lake street, to railroad, Mrs. W. S. Williams.

At Monday's luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce, Rev. Ross read the final report of the organization committee, which was approved and the following rules were adopted:

DIVISION I (The Home)	
1. General attractiveness	165 Points
2. Cleanliness of front yard and curb	80 "
3. Cleanliness of front yard and alley	65 "
4. Trees and shrubbery	50 "
5. Painting and improvements	80 "
6. Lawn	80 "
7. Flowers	80 "
Total	600 Points
II—The Garden	
1. Location and size	80 Points
2. Plan and variety	100 "
3. Care	100 "
4. Ultimate proportionate production	120 "
Total	400 Points
DIVISION II (Homes Rented)	
I—The Home.	
1. Cleanliness of front yard and curb	75 Points
2. Cleanliness of back yard and alley	125 "
3. Lawn	75 "
4. Flowers	75 "
5. General attractiveness	100 "
6. Care of trees and shrubbery	90 "
7. Painting and improvements	35 "
Total	575 Points
II—The Garden.	
1. Location and size	75 Points
2. Plan and variety	100 "
3. Care	100 "
4. Ultimate proportionate production	150 "
Total	425 Points

Further: Your committee had before it the suggestion that the term "garden" be construed either as vegetable or flower garden. After due consideration, we have come to the decision that the term "garden" shall apply only to vegetable gardens and that flowers of whatever quantity

Some Golf Shooters Beginning to Get Awfully Good

Really, something will have to be done with Johnathan Pitman, Brack Williams, Frank Marrs, Doug Fox, et al. That quartette has been scraping the skin off the heels of Old Man Parr on the local golf links for a couple of weeks, and Sunday they threw the Old Man for a loss. Mr. Williams shot a 36, par, in the forenoon, and in the afternoon Mr. Pitman came right along and duplicated the feat. Frank Marrs was only a stroke or two behind, with Doug Fox right on his heels. The four are playing very fine golf and will make some out-of-town followers of the royal and ancient game look to their laurels this summer.

The local tournament has narrowed down to Frank Marrs and J. J. Clark. A feature of the tournament the past week was the struggle between Mr. Clark and Homer Fox. After the pair had played twenty-eight holes, and still tied, they gave up, exhausted, and pitched a dollar for it. Clark winning Wednesday Clark eliminated Harry Rice by eight strokes in a tight battle.

Meanwhile Marrs won from Johnathan Pitman Sunday by three strokes after a brilliant battle. And immediately thereafter Pitman turned a round and parred the course!

The championship will be settled between Marrs and Clark this week. However, it is a settled fact that the Leans have already won from the Fats.

C. C. Acker was this week appointed by the executive committee to fill out the unexpired term of A. Herbst, as secretary-treasurer of the club. And Wednesday Dow Mercer's new super lawn mower, purchased to keep down the weeds and the fairways in good shape, arrived and Thursday morning Dow had his two horses hitched thereto and had it work. By the end of the week the fairways will be clean and smooth and pretty.

The Hereford Golf club is growing in membership and enthusiasm, and a great summer's sport is in prospect.

committee thanked. The report in full is as follows:

Hereford, Texas, May 10, 1926.

To The Hereford Chamber of Commerce:

We your committee appointed to work out the Standard of Excellence for the "Better Homes and Gardens" contest, beg leave to report as follows:

We recommend that homes of entrants be divided into three classes, to-wit: Homes owned by entrants of five rooms or more be designated as Class 1; homes owned by entrants of four rooms or under, be designated as Class 2, and homes rented by entrants of all sizes be designated as Class 3.

We further recommend that the standard of excellence shall have two divisions: Homes owned and homes rented. But the awarding of prizes (if any be given) shall be on the three classes named above.

We further recommend that the judging shall be on the basis of 1,000 points, as follows:

AMARILLO METS WILL PLAY HERE SUNDAY; TURN OUT, FANS, AND BACK THE BOYS

Building Activity Shows an Upward Trend Here

Building in Hereford is now on the upward trend, and the 1926 figures promise to far surpass any of previous years. The Kemp Lumber company this week started the construction of a new lumber yard near the freight depot in Hereford. Several cars of lumber and other building materials have already been unloaded, and work is moving rapidly on the erection of office buildings for the company. E. W. Harrison is rushing the work on his 50,000 bushel capacity elevator so that it will be ready for the huge wheat crop which is in prospect of the Hereford country. Lee Lambert is erecting a brick business house on Main street between the Ford Motor company and the Star Theatre. The three brick business buildings that F. H. Oberthier has just completed on West Third, are now occupied by the White Face Printing company, Kenney & Oberthier, agents for electrical supplies, and Jennings' Cafe.

The following people are erecting modern homes in various parts of Hereford, and these homes range in price from \$2,000 to \$10,000: Austin Hill, six-room stucco residence; Davis Stewart, six rooms with bath, stucco residence; R. F. Guthrie, seven-room stucco; Renfro Bros., two modern five-room residences; Boyd London, a four-room home; J. E. Beyer a seven-room residence; Mrs. W. F. Diebel a five-room modern residence; Mrs. C. W. Murray two residences, and R. H. Wommack a \$1,000 extension to his home in West Hereford.

The above improvements do not include the huge paving program that is scheduled to start within a short while. Around forty blocks in the residence and business sections will be paved this summer, and will represent an expenditure of approximately \$210,000. Extensions of water mains and sewerage facilities will be approximately \$15,000.

New homes are going up in various parts of the county, and the development in the Hereford country seems to be only in its infancy. With crop prospects brighter than they have been for years, with thousands of acres of rich pasture land on the market for colonization, and with prospects good for two or three oil well tests during the coming year, 1926 is liable to be the banner year for this section.

Vogele Busy Selecting His Fair Committees

N. C. Vogele, superintendent of the Deaf Smith county fair, has been busy during the past several days selecting his committees for the various departments of the Deaf Smith county fair to be held here in September. A list of prizes will be worked out immediately. A number of concession companies have been negotiating for space at the Deaf Smith county fair, but so far, no contracts have been signed with any of these.

Dates for the Deaf Smith county fair will probably be set for September 16, 17, and 18. According to custom, this county has held its fair just before the one at Amarillo, and the Tri-State fair at that place starts September 21. Plans are under way for one of the best county fairs that has ever been held in this section.

The county commissioners have purchased the spacious sales pavilion and are remodeling it for a first class fair building. All the exhibits, both livestock and agricultural, can be shown in this one building as soon as the overhauling job is finished.

D. L. McDonald, who is superintendent of the Hereford show to be held in connection with the fair, states that one of the best Hereford shows of the Southwest is being planned. With the exceptionally large number of line bred Anxley 4th Herefords, a real show can be staged.

Some Folks Are Always Trying to Pull Something

Here's a good one: Recently Otho Beene stored some oats in a friend's barn. Shortly afterwards one of the new farmers who has just come here saw the oats and asked the owner of the barn to sell him some. "I've got Beene's," began the friend—"Aw, get out." Interrupted the newcomer, "don't you think I know the difference between oats and beans?"

The outstanding baseball event of the season is announced for Hereford next Sunday afternoon when the Amarillo outfit will invade the Whiteface stronghold and face Galbraith and Tate in West Park, beginning at 3:30 o'clock. The locals are working out daily and are preparing a hot reception for the haughty invaders. Fats Cursinger, veteran of many seasons, is arranging to come home from Panhandle and take over the captaincy of the Whitefaces. He will play second base, and has called on every member of the team to turn out every afternoon between now and Sunday and practice hard for the big game. Charlie Bennett has also reported and is trying to get in shape to help out the boys.

The loss of the game at Lubbock last Sunday has in no wise discouraged the fellows. All in all, they made a remarkable showing against the Panhandle Champs. Lubbock defeated Amarillo 6 to 0 and Hereford held them to a 7 to 0 score. Seven errors behind Tate and Galbraith accounted for the defeat, and the errors were caused by nervousness and the fact that the boys were really playing their first big game before a large crowd, on a strange field. There will be a different story Sunday, on the local lot.

Hereford is full of baseball fans, who have been hollering for a team for years. They have a real one now, and what is needed is support and attendance. There should be a capacity crowd Sunday, and arrangements are being made to put in ground rules, if necessary. The line-up at Lubbock last Sunday follows: J. M. Posey, first base; B. McNabb, second base; Carroll, shortstop; Wallace, third base; Ralph Smith, right field; J. Russell, center field; A. Russell, left field; Young, catcher; Tate and Galbraith, pitchers. Tate pitched four innings.

Score by innings: R H E
Hereford 000 000 0 4 7
Lubbock 201 201 10x 7 7 3
Tate, Galbraith and Young; Raliff, Moore and Allen.

Amarillo's baseball team will probably get a chance next Sunday to face Galbraith, Hereford twirler, who won such a reputation a few years ago in high school circles over this section. Many of the former Sandies who used to try to solve the deliveries of Galbraith will be in the Amarillo lineup Sunday when the Mates come here for a game with the Hereford Independents. Tate will probably be used along with Galbraith and this lad will not be an easy target.

Dope shows the two towns to be just about equal in strength. Amarillo recently lost to Lubbock 6 to 0. Last Sunday the Hereford Independents dropped a game to the Hubbers 7 to 0. Galbraith and Tate only allowed seven hits, but their team mates made seven boos, thus enabling Sled Allen's crew to get a run for each hit. Amarillo will face a different team next Sunday. "Fat" Cursinger arrived late Tuesday and will take up his old position at second base and will aid in the coaching of the Independents. The local lads all have confidence in Cursinger and he is expected to put much punch into the team. The locals are working out every afternoon, and are making plans for a real battle Sunday. A record crowd is expected.

A few days ago there was something in The Amarillo News-Globe about the Hereford ball park not being of regulation size. Secretary Moss sat himself down and addressed a

Mary Pickford As Ragamuffin

The sassy, mischievous imp who is beloved by millions throughout the world is back on the silver screen. Mary Pickford has forsaken the ruffled laces and bejeweled gowns of costume plays and has returned to the type of role that made her famous. "The World's Sweetheart" is again the curly haired, prank playing, impetuous Irish lassie in "Little Annie Rooney," her latest United Artists Corporation picture which comes to the Star Theatre Friday and Saturday.

"Little Annie Rooney" starts with a fight and ends with a fight. In between are laughs galore, a tear or two, much suspense and many heart throbs. It's an ideal story for Mary Pickford and her characterization of Little Annie is one of genuine artistry played as no other actress could play it. "Little Annie Rooney" is declared to be Miss Pickford's best picture in her recent screen career. It is the type of picture which should please everyone, has been given a sumptuous production and the photography by Charles Rosher and Hal Mohr is beautiful throughout. The coming of "Little Annie Rooney" is an event of magnitude in the present theatrical season.

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THIS WEEK

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

MR. LEWIS, GO TO THE ANT
MAUNA LOA
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Sinclair Lewis, a novelist, thinks he doesn't believe in God, and that his unbelief is important. Last Monday, in the role of a clergyman, upside down, just to prove that "there is no God." Mr. Lewis publicly defied Divine Power to strike him dead. He said, with lack of good taste, "I defy Him to strike me down within the next ten minutes."

Nothing happened, so Mr. Lewis and the sort that listen to such childishness doubtless believe that something important has been demonstrated.

Mr. Storey, of the Santa Fe, manages railroads from Chicago to the Pacific, with hundreds of thousands of railroad ties, and ants everywhere busy between the ties. One ant says: "They say that a mysterious W. B. Storey runs this railroad, but I know there is no such person. And just to prove it I defy him to come and strike me dead."

At the end of ten minutes that ant

would feel as proud as Mr. Sinclair Lewis.

It would not mean that Mr. Storey couldn't strike down the ant, or that the ruler of this universe couldn't strike Sinclair Lewis dead, if it were worth while.

The point is that it isn't worth while. Just what the power is that manages this and other universes, with their billions of suns, man cannot know, except for the teachings of faith.

The ancient philosopher said: "If the camel had a god his god would have four legs and a hump." Man, like that imaginary camel inclined to create God in a brown image, has invented many kinds of gods, attributing to them the baser human passions—revenge, jealousy, etc. Whatever supreme power may be, it is surely beyond man's comprehension, as W. B. Storey is beyond the ant's comprehension.

Mauna Loa, great Hawaiian volcano, is showing us how those Pacific islands were built up, from below the sea. From the top of Mauna Loa melted rock once more comes rushing down burying under lava fifty feet deep the native village of Hoopioia, hurrying the inhabitants to the Hawaiian heaven, causing the ocean to boil several hundred feet out from shore and destroying, of course, millions of fish, as well as the one small native village.

Thus, for hundreds of millions of years, old earth has been shaping itself, from the inside, with volcanoes and upheavals indescribable. All of England was once at the bottom of the sea. Tiny marine creatures built Britain's chalk cliffs when those cliffs were at the ocean's bottom. For millions of years more the work will go on. It is evident to science and common sense that, while the earth may have been created, roughly speaking, in six days, it was not quite finished in that time.

A large "class" of automobile offenders, including the young lady who just couldn't keep her foot off the beautiful and agile dancer, Lillian B. Accelerator, were to inspect the white sheeted figures in the morgue, Judge L. P. Russell, of Los Angeles, leads the "class" and invented it. He thinks reckless drivers will pause and reflect when they see what a body looks like, after the automobile hits it.

Teachers in Paris had a similar

idea. They took entire classes of boys to see those that had been killed by the most dreadful diseases, or even to the insane asylum to "inspect" victims of schizophrenia and other ills. It must be a painful cure.

The Department of Justice will investigate what is called "The Two Hundred and Fifty Million Dollar Fertilizer Trust." The department might find out what particular influence, and whose money, kept a prominent automobile manufacturer from getting Muscie Shoals, when he announced his plan to give the farmers cheap fertilizers. That plan, of course, would have ruined any fertilizer trust. There were indications, at the time, that some one was a good spender.

North-East Corner (Fairview-Union Schools)

At this writing we are having some showers that are appreciated by the farmers as they were needing some moisture but there was not anything suffering. We hope it will continue until we have an abundant moisture for planting.

Most everyone has their ground in excellent shape for row crops and the wheat prospects are very flattering so we have cause to rejoice for we have been hit pretty hard the last few years.

A sermon was delivered last Saturday night at Fairview by Rev. A. M. Dowell to a crowd of fifty. One young lady professed Christ at the close and all went away feeling that it was good to have been there.

Brother Dowell preached at Palo Duro Sunday morning and night to a large crowd. Our Sunday school had one hundred and eight in attendance and we urge many more to come that have not been attending.

Some of our folks attended the singing at Ward Sunday, but owing to the day being our regular preaching day there was not as many attended as there would have been otherwise.

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Those who attended report an excellent song service and crowd.

Miss Louise Younger of Sunset, Texas, is visiting in the Bowen home this week. She was teacher of the primary room at Fairview last year and we are glad to see her back in the community.

Miss Leanda Bowen visited her friend, Miss Ota Ware last Friday.

Mr. J. M. Ware and family visited in the Otto Smith home Sunday.

Mr. H. J. Oglesby went to Hereford Monday for jury service.

Mr. L. C. Moore and family had a number of relatives from Happy and Pampa with them for dinner Sunday. Joe Dowell took dinner in the Hammer home last Sunday.

John Davis went to Amarillo Saturday on business.

W. B. Bowen and wife Sundayed in the home of J. C. Allred and family.

The Dalhart Texan predicts the Panhandle wheat crop will be 25 million bushels.

As a result of booms in the rubber and tin industries in British Malaya, the cost of living there has jumped nearly 15 per cent.

The Times say Scurry county farmers spent \$250,000 for feedstuffs last year. To encourage the farmers grow more at home, the Times is offering a prize of \$50 in a maize growing contest.

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Dimmitt, Castro County News

The Castro County Poultry Show, which was held in connection with the school fair May 8, was a decided success, and a great stimulus to the poultry industry of the county. There were some thirty-four entries and the birds exhibited showed good blood. The people of this county are certainly wide-awake poultry breeders, and new ones coming to the front frequently. Many breeds were among the entries. A list of the awards will be found in another column of this issue.

Messrs Avery and Carson especially, with many others, deserve credit for putting over this first county-wide fair with such marked success. Of course, the merchants helped out by donating the premiums, but these two men did practically all the work as well as furnishing a good part of the expense money out of their own pockets. We feel that their efforts will bear fruit far out in the future.

B. D. Woodie and I. B. Brooks were business callers at Muleshoe Monday.

Parts of Castro county have had heavy rains during the past week. Some hail is reported but no considerable damage.

News of the death of Mrs. Frank Venhaus of the Nazareth community, came as a surprise last Tuesday morning. She was apparently in good health and went to Tulla Monday but developed acute indigestion and died during the night. Their many friends extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Castro County Fair and Poultry Show a Success.

Several of the schools of Castro county took part in the county school fair and poultry show which was staged here in Dimmitt Saturday, May 8.

All of the school exhibits were simply splendid and shows credit to those schools entering the fair. The various school displays show that many of the schools of our county are doing a splendid grade of work and the general trend of the work shows that the teachers are teaching the boys and girls to use their hands as well as their heads. The only education that pays is the kind that can be used in every day life. Let us make our educational system more practical and of the kind that will prepare our people for better citizens.

All of the schools entering the fair made a splendid showing but Jumbo stood first among the rural schools of the county, therefore winning the picture offered by the Dimmitt Mercantile, the picture offered by the Star Grocery and the baseball offered by T. W. Malone. Sunnyside ran Jumbo for a close second, while Cleo was not far behind. The Flag school exhibited some of the best maps of South America and the United States that was put in the fair. Of course Dimmitt had a fine exhibit scoring the highest in the primary exhibit, but she did not compete with the rural schools. Next year she will.

To the schools that did not bring an exhibit to the fair, we missed you and sincerely trust that you begin now to make preparation to be represented next year.

The poultry show was simply fine when I say there were 34 entries made. It shows much interest among the poultry producers of this county. Those winning the prizes were as follows:

Cock Birds
1st. No. 13—Barred Rock—J. E. Turner, \$2.50.
2nd. No. 2—White Rock—Robert Hembree.
3rd. No. 15—Buff Orpington—Mrs. Frank Shepard.

Hens
1st. No. 26—Single comb Leghorn—Rankin Reynolds, \$2.50.
2nd. No. Ansona—Mrs. E. R. Rothwell.
3rd. No. 29—Single comb Leghorn—Elvis Burch.

Pair
1st. No. 2—White Rock—Robert Hembree, \$3.00.
2nd. No. 14—Buff Orpington—Mrs. Frank Shepard, \$2.00.
3rd. No. 13—Barred Rock—J. E. Turner.

Pen
1st. No. 22—Black Minorcas—S. C. Hucklebay, \$3.00.
2nd. No. 14—Barred Rocks—Mrs. J. E. Turner, \$2.00.
3rd. No. 25—White Cornish—Mrs. Jim Bagwell.

Baby Chicks
1st. No. 33—Rhode Island Red—H. H. Honchens, \$1.00 bottle parasite remover.
2nd. No. 27—White Leghorns—Rankin Reynolds, box of Walko tablets.
3rd. No. 16—Buff Orpingtons—Mrs. Frank Shepard.

Broilers
1st. No. 12—Buff Orpingtons—W. W. Coughran, \$2.00.
2nd. No. 31—Anconas—Mrs. E. R. Rothwell.
3rd. No. 24—White Cornish—Mrs. Jim Bagwell.

W. M. Gourley of Silverton, Rev. C. B. Meadors of Abilene and Mr. Vogele of Hereford, were the judges. We wish to thank the Hereford band for their splendid music and their part of the program.

We wish to thank the ladies, Misses Ewing, Alkman and Bachelor of Hereford, who judged our school exhibits and Superintendent Earl W. Wilson, for his assistance in securing judges.

Let us all work a little harder for the next fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnam and daughters and son, Carl, motored to Plainview last Friday.

Will Simms and niece, Miss West, of Floydada, were in Dimmitt last Friday.

The modern home of W. R. Woodburn has been completed and they are now occupying it.

Miss Mary Cowsett has been on the sick list the past week.

son, made a trip to Plainview Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stalcup spent Sunday in Plainview.

Messrs McMinn and Jess A. Young, of Hamlin, Texas, are here improving their farm southwest of Dimmitt. In order to keep up with Castro development they subscribed for the News.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Richardson and children and Elgar Laird, of Amarillo, took 6 o'clock dinner with Mrs. Mayes Miller Sunday.

Bruce Gerdis of Tulla, was a business visitor in Dimmitt Tuesday.

F. M. Seale of Corsicana, is here visiting his cousin, Mrs. E. R. Rothwell of the Bethel community.

C. A. Skelton, of Hereford, was a business visitor in Dimmitt Tuesday.

Rev. Lipscomb of Plainview, was in Dimmitt Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Sharp and Mrs. Marvin Peele, of Lubbock, accompanied Mrs. J. R. Miller, mother of Mrs. Ray Sheffy, to the home of the latter Monday and were dinner guests in her home.

Mrs. R. B. Boren was caught in a big rain at Flag Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. White and family spent Mothers Day with Mrs. White's mother, at Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rantz visited Mrs. Rantz's mother at Abernathy Sunday.

Jumbo not only won in the school exhibit but also the ball game with the Dimmitt team last Saturday, 12 to 8.

The line-ups were as follows:

Dimmitt:
Earl Hembree, catcher
Bill Mitchell, pitcher
Roy Bell, first base
Andrew Murphy, second base
Brooks Fowler, left field
Murphy Hardy, center field
Clyde Shepard, right field
Claude Longbottom, short stop
Jumbo:
R. Ricketts, catcher
Brad Spencer, pitcher
A. Hunter, first base
Marow Spencer, second base
P. Carmichael, third base
E. Sanders, left field
L. Andrews, center field
C. Pinkert, right field
Cherry and Webb umpires.

The last meeting of the P. T. A. will be held the night of May 14. Every citizen and patron is invited to attend. There will be a social hour after the business and program.

"Play Ground Recreation"
"If those who are the enemies of innocent amusement had the direction of the world, they would take away the spring of youth—the former from the year, and the latter from the human life."

Song—Misses Lorene Tate and Lenora Hastings.
"Constructive pleasure vs. destructive pleasure—Mrs. L. P. White.
Reading—Tina Mae Wright.
"Health in Play"—Mrs. Edwin Ramey.
Music—Ruth Wright.
Reading—Katherin Duree.
Come.

Work was started on two new frame and stucco buildings on the lots owned by G. A. Barnett and Donald Duree on the west side of the square. Mr. Barnett is building a 25 by 70 foot building for the corner for his stock of dry goods. Mr. Duree will have a 40 foot building for a post office. Both these men suffered losses in the disastrous fire of February 8. Dimmitt needs more fire-proof buildings of this kind.

Woodridge and Son are contractors for the post office, and Panhandle Lumber company for Mr. Bennett's building.

J. A. Keele of Childress, who is a contractor and builder, is building a new home on his place 5 1/2 miles southwest on the Flag land. With him are J. L. Wallace and Mr. King, carpenters.

It is reported that the team of old men picked up around town last week gave the first team a wallop to the tune of 18 to 23 at the end of the ninth inning. Then some star players quit and the Jackrabbits walked ahead.

The smooth-mouth line-up follows:

J. C. Howard, catcher
I. B. Brooks and others, pitcher
G. A. Barnett, first base
Buck Shuford, second base
L. P. White, third base
Dow Duree, left field
Judge Sheffy, center field
Edgar Ramey, right field.

The smooth-mouths promised a return game any time.

Mildred Baker, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baker, who live near Dimmitt, is suffering from two broken arms and a cut through the lip caused from a fall over a wire. The boys had stretched a wire and Mildred, while playing, tripped over it.

Doctors Lemmon and Lemmon, surgeons of Lubbock were in Dimmitt Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Harmon and Max Gray are attending the Hardware Dealers' convention in Amarillo this week.

T. D. Moss of Hereford, attended the fair and poultry show last Saturday.

A. B. Boren, of Vaughn, New Mexico, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Boren and Jackie boy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wright and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Maples and family, motored to Lubbock last Sunday taking Mr. Wright's mother, Mrs. J. M. Wright home.

M. R. Avery and children, Venpis and Mariam, and Kenneth Turner, motored to Kress last Sunday afternoon.

As a result of a fight at a ball game in Nazareth last Sunday, two boys from Tulla paid fines here Monday, amounting to some \$2 dollars on charges of disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Jackson and children spent Sunday with relatives in Floydada.

L. P. White made a business trip to Hereford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett of Idalou, visited in Dimmitt last week.

The correspondent wishes to correct an error that occurred in the Brand last week. Mr. Brooks has not accepted a position in a barber shop in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Buttolph and Mrs. C. B. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Malone, visited in the W. R. Woodburn home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Reynolds and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gollehon, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Huckabay and son, Mrs. E. S. Umberson and son, and Mrs. M. A. Ferguson and son, enjoyed a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Reynolds Sunday.

A service, pronounced by many to be the most impressive ever attended, was held at the church last Sunday in observance of Mothers Day. The Sunday school did not convene but the program was given at that hour instead.

The house was beautifully decorated with much green foliage, while a wreath of white flowers in the center of the back wall did honor to those mothers who have crossed over to their eternal home.

Rev. Meador took the service at the 11 o'clock hour and preached a good sermon on the subject of Mother.

Following is the program:

Song, "God Bless Our Mothers"—Congregation.
Welcome address—Superintendent Carlos Reynolds.
Prayer—S. P. Crawford.
Welcome Mothers—Dorothy Maples.
Song—Dorothy Maples, Gladys Hyatt, Millicent Hastings, Bennis Avery, and Declmae Ramey.
Song, "Home Sweet Home"—Little folks.
Reading, "Making Mother Happy"—Claude Longbottom.
Solo, "Little Old Fashioned Mother"—Noel Gollehon.
Reading, "Nobody Knows but Mother"—Alvin Hastings, Buel Ayers, John Henry O'Neil, W. T. Fuller and Mariam Avery.
"This is Mothers Day"—Zonell Brooks, Leona Hastings, Sallie Maline Brashers, Joan Barnett, Ruth Wright and Eleanor Montgomery, Coma Hyatt and Ione Lile.
Musical Grading, "Mothers Songs"—Mrs. Carlos Reynolds.
Solo, "She is Calling Me"—Buel Ayers.
Quartet—J. O. Ayers, J. R. Gollehon, A. M. Brownlee and Ona Roberts.
The Senior class presented their play, "Mr. Bob," last Thursday evening to a very large audience. Each pupil is to be complimented for they all did their part well and kept the audience in suspense and laughter all the way through. The proceeds will go to help pay their graduating expenses and they wish to thank the public for their support.
Primary grades will give their program Wednesday night, May 19. Seventh grade exercises will be Thursday night, May 20.
The revival meeting which has been in progress for the past two weeks, closed with last Sunday night's service. Although the meeting did not bring the results hoped for, still the religious life of the community has been built up and strengthened by the strong spiritual sermons of Rev. Bruce Meador, who is the conference evangelist of the Methodist church in the district. The Rev. Meadors made many friends who are hoping he may return some time soon.
The Priscilla Art club spent a very busy afternoon last Tuesday with Mrs. H. E. Rantz. There had been so much else to do for the past several weeks that there had been very little needle work done that the afternoon was a busy one. The time of meeting has been changed from Friday to Tuesday. Those present were Mesdames Edna Tate, R. B. Boren, Donald and Dow Duree, Henry Stalcup, Ernest Harman, N. G. Jackson,

Bill Webb, L. P. White and Miss Luella Thomas, of Plainview.

Will and Miss Anna Sims, of Lockney, and Miss Bob West visited in the W. R. Woodburn home last Saturday.

Mrs. F. J. Owen presents her piano and expression pupils in a recital Saturday evening, May 15 at the school auditorium. The public is cordially invited.

The baccalaureate sermon for the Senior class will be Sunday or May 16, at the school auditorium and Rev. Ross, of Hereford, will deliver the sermon. The commencement exercises will be on Friday evening, May 21 and President McDonald, of Wayland college, will give the commencement address.

The Dimmitt Ladies Aid met with Mrs. B. D. Woodie last Thursday afternoon and a fair crowd was present and took part in the discussion of the Sunday school lesson. These are fine lessons that are being studied in the Sunday schools now, and great truths are being brought out every Sunday and most of them have been shown in the study at the ladies aid. If you want to get a greater part of these truths, join the aid. During the social hour Mrs. Woodie served a regular luncheon as she always does. Mesdames C. H. Buttolph and J. W. Bell, were the best Bible students present.

All who missed the regular meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society last Wednesday missed the most interesting meeting of the year. Rev. Coughran met with the ladies and made the lesson very clear and plain and a study course to be taken up soon. Every one who possibly can, are urged to come to the meeting each Wednesday afternoon at the church at 3 o'clock. We will look for you. Will you be there?

Fire At Dimmitt

Fire originating in the tailor shop owned by Walter Simmons, in the O'Neil barber shop, some time Monday night, and burned most all the tailor shop equipment together with quite a few suits and other clothes left there for work. The barber shop and Mrs. Stalcup's beauty parlor suffered quite a little smoke and water damage. The only reason that the building and contents were not a total loss, was because of sheetrock walls and ceilings. The floor was partly burned. Loss was probably \$900 or a \$1,000, partly covered by insurance.

More Hard Luck

Edwin Ramey is mourning this week. The wild gander died.

Mr. Ramey has made quite a study of the habits of wild geese, especially the Canadian. He has had one or two captives on the ranch for some two or three years. This year, he had a wild gander that he penned with a tame goose. The goose is setting on twelve eggs that will show the characteristics of a cross breed.

But a day or two ago a Jersey calf kicked the gander and broke his neck. So now the geese (and Edwin too) are in mourning. Edwin says he will try to get another by next mating season. Many naturalists are watching the results of Mr. Ramey's efforts. The eggs are expected to hatch within the next week.

Here and There

Mr. Raymond Griffith has been here several weeks improving a piece of land he purchased from Mrs. W. B. Green. His wife came Wednesday and we give them a hearty welcome to our community.

Mrs. Stagner spent a very pleasant afternoon with Mrs. J. B. Harlin Wednesday.

We are proud of the fact that one of our Frio girls, Miss Helen Estes is making good in the Hereford high school, she being one of the three who had the honor of having her English note book sent to Austin.

Epidemics are still raging. The Earl Lance children are entertaining the whooping cough for a few weeks.

Mother Mosey and son, spent Saturday night in Hereford.

Mrs. Childers, after having spent a week in Littlefield visiting, has returned to her daughter, Mrs. Mack

Dixon, where she will visit for some time.

It seems the Applegate boys are finding some attraction in the Wyche community as they spent Saturday evening over there.

Mrs. C. E. Tice and Mrs. Ray Kincaid attended the May day exercises at the Central school. They enjoyed the program very much.

Miss Claudia Parrish and Miss Althea Wilder, were guests of Miss Gladys Jones last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Fulkerson visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Springer Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Springer went calling on Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Beavers last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Kemp, of Colorado, have returned to their home after visiting Mr. Kemp's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kemp.

Mrs. C. E. Tice, visited Joe Greer's Wednesday. They practiced songs for Mothers Day at Frio.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kemp were very happy over the occasion of having all their children at home last Sunday. Those present out side the children still at home were, Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Kemp of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gregory, of Slayton, Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp, Adrian;

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster of Canyon.

Since it rained out the school picnic as was planned, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lindsey and Mr. and Mrs. Bell and children, enjoyed the dinner they had prepared together.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey of Jumbo, enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Albert Springer.

Little Master Billy Roberson of Hereford, visited his aunt, Mrs. J. B. Harlin, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hardy, Sunday.

Ladies: If you hear a rap on the door, don't be alarmed, it is either a peddler or a candidate.

Miss Nettie Lee Green and mother, took supper Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Greer.

The little tots at Frio put on quite a show at singing Sunday night when unknown to their mothers, they found some red crepe paper and used it freely on their faces and knees. They certainly were a clownish looking bunch.

Mr. Frank Jacobs received word last Monday of the death of his mother.

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Ford Doings

Sunday school and church were omitted Sunday, the entire community going to Ward, where the big singing was held. It would be difficult to tell how pleasant and entertaining the day really was, with perfect weather a number of good singers from adjoining counties, besides the home talent, both house and yard filled to overflowing with interested listeners, together with the excellent basket dinner, which was spread at the noon hour. It would be hard to think of anything better. As it was Mothers Day, several appropriate songs were sung. Singing closed at 5 o'clock, people leaving for their homes, with one more pleasant memory to keep.

There is a new house, windmill and other improvements being put on a farm just east of the G. E. Benson farm. Ford reporter hasn't found out who will live there, but will try to find out soon. We hope it will be one more of the kind of neighbors we already have.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Major spent Monday and Tuesday in Panhandle and Goodnight with relatives.

Raymond Orr came in one day last week to visit his brother, Bob Orr, Raymond is from Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney McCaskey and children and Miss Velma Lynn, were Amarillo shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Benson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Major.

Mrs. Richard Parker and little daughter, Billie, spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Fielding Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith and Miss Hazel Smith, made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

L. E. Major went to Clarendon Thursday, returning home Friday, with a truck load of cotton seed.

George Benson made a flying trip to Vega Sunday morning.

Wheat in this community is looking fine. There are several hundred acres planted and will most likely make a high yield per acre. The largest fields are on the J. E. Hill ranch, with smaller fields to be seen in every direction.

Joel

We forgot to mention last week that we had changed the time of our Sunday school to 4 o'clock except on the first Sunday in each month, when we have preaching it will be held at 3 o'clock. Please keep this in mind and be there on time every Sunday. Owing to a misunderstanding, most of the regular attendants did not get to Sunday school as they thought there was to be no Sunday school on account of the singing convention at Ward. Progressive had no Sunday school, so the J. Y. Park family attended our Sunday school and were a big help as Mrs. Park taught the primary class as the teacher was absent. Visitors always welcome. Come again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bolts spent Sunday in the Percy Welliver home in town. They report Mr. Welliver in a very serious condition.

Mrs. Ray Batiford and children are the new members of our Sunday school and we are pleased to have them cast their lot with us as we need them and they need the help of the Sunday school.

The Bolts children spent Sunday with their former school mates, the I. I. West children in Hereford.

Walter Galley attended the singing convention Sunday at Ward.

Walter London and family, spent Sunday with Mrs. London's aunt, Mrs. Joe Stagner and family, of the Easter neighborhood.

The W. T. and Guy Smith families thinking there was to be no Sunday school, took their diners and spent the remainder of the day on

the creek bank near Mr. Curtisinger, who also joined them.

Mr. W. F. Easter is visiting his granddaughter and family, Mrs. Walter London this week.

Cecil Walker and Miss Manning, attended a 42 party at the Joel home Monday night.

Mrs. Minnie Walker in company with her brother, Henry Cox and wife visited the V. V. N. ranch Monday. She enjoyed the long ride, and seeing new country. Their brother, Tom, came back with them for a short visit.

Progressive

There was no Sunday school at Progressive last Sunday afternoon, as a large number of folks of this community attended the Deaf Smith County singing convention, held at the Ward school house last Sunday. Folks from far and near attended the convention, and we heard lots of good singing. The next singing convention was invited to Summerfield, in September.

Miss Jarnigan, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Boling of the Fairview community, since the Progressive school closed, spent last week end visiting in the Progressive community, accompanied by her friend, Miss Younger.

A number of the young folks gathered in the home of Misses Lois and Lucille Parks Sunday evening, where they indulged in some good singing.

Our Mothers Day program which was postponed, on account of the singing convention at Ward last Sunday, will be given next Sunday afternoon, May 16 in connection with the Sunday school. Come, you are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hershey visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Higgins last Tuesday afternoon.

The Progressive Canning club ladies had a business meeting in the home of Mrs. Ira Ricketts last Thursday afternoon. Mr. Dunkle was present and also the girls and boys who belong to the agricultural club.

The Progressive Canning club was organized a year ago and Thursday was the day for the election of new officers.

Program for singing, Sunday evening, May 16:

- Opening song—Mrs. Lewis.
- Song—Ida May Knox.
- Childrens song—Mrs. Lewis.
- Quartet—Jesse Monighan.
- Song—Mr. Garret.
- Song—C. C. Bowman.
- Male Quartet—Knox family.

Song—Mr. Monighan.
Duet—Ida May and Bill Knox.
Quartet—Mrs. Bowman.
Song—Mary Ella Hershey.
Vocal duet—Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Bowman.
Song—Lois Counts.
Reading—Doyle Monighan.
Song—Elmer Patterson.
Closing song—Margaret Bowman.
Benediction—Mr. Sharp.
Several folks of our community attended the play given by the Seniors of Hereford high school, "The Dream That Came True." They pronounced it fine.

Plainview has abolished its free tourist park.

A domestic science expert informs the world that the way to take the wrinkles out of prunes is to rub them several nights with cold cream.

The champion absent-minded man of the world was an aviator who jumped out of his airplane and forgot his parachute until he was half way down.

Taking the Oath

A good many new golf courses open this spring and a good many golfers are busy swearing themselves in.

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What's Doing in West Texas

Haskell—B. M. Whiteker, exhibit manager, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will leave this city for Philadelphia on May 14, where he goes to assemble the All-West Texas Agricultural and Industrial Exhibit at the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition. Most of the material for the great exhibit, the largest ever sent out from West Texas, has already been expressed.

Amarillo—Final plans for the announcement of program for the 8th annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, convening here May 12th of Homer D. Wade, assistant manager and convention secretary. Already 15 special Pullman trains have been signed up for the convention.

Fort Stockton—The Orient railway re-organization statute was discussed at a meeting of the commissioners court of Pecos county on May 10, attended by the full court. Porter A. Mahaley, manager, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, addressed the court.

San Antonio—U. S. Pawtke, chairman, traffic bureau, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has returned from New Orleans, where he appeared as special counsel in the celebrated Cotton Compress cases, opposing the contentions of Houston and New Orleans interest.

Clisco—R. Q. Lee, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, began his Orient Railway-Wichita Valley agricultural diversification tour here on May 10. The trip is a continuation of his section-wide campaign begun nearly a year ago. The present trip carries President Lee into Throckmorton, Munday, Crowell, Truscott, Benjamin, Knox City, Rochester, O'Brien, Rule and Wetnet. He was accompanied on the trip by E. H. Whitehead, publicity manager, and Col. C. C. French, livestock expert.

Crowell—More than 500 delegates attended the Lower Panhandle-Green Belt district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce meeting here on May 11. Vice President Joe Wheat, of Seymour, presided.

Alpine—This city will send a special rubber exhibit to Philadelphia to be included in the All-West Texas Exhibit at the Sesqui-Centennial International exposition.

Plainview—A. E. Boyd has been named general chairman of a special committee to work up a delegation of 500 citizens of Plainview to attend the eighth annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Amarillo in June.

Plainview—1,480 people attended the formal opening of the new building of the Texas Utilities company here last week.

Wichita Falls—Amarillo and Wichita Falls were the two leading Texas

cities in building permits for the past week, the permits in each city passing the \$1,150,000 mark. Houston stood third with permits less than one-third as much as those taken out in Amarillo and Wichita Falls.

Abernathy—An initial investment of \$500 in sheep four years ago last year brought \$1,200 in gross profits to Frita Funch, local farmer, according to County Agent David F. Eaton.

Lorenzo—A Poultry association is to be formed in Crosby county, to operate along the same lines as the Eastland County Egg and Poultry association, one of the most successful in the state.

Spearman—Geo. L. Hyde is organizing a North Plains band to accompany the North Plains delegation to the Amarillo convention and the same will head delegations from Spearman, Follett, Booker, Lipscomb, Perryton, Lieb, Grand Plains, and Beaver county.

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

To clean black satin, boil three pounds of potatoes in one quart of water to a pulp, strain through a sieve and brush the satin with it on board of table. Don't ring out. Fold and lay in cloth for three hours and iron on wrong side.

When making new curtains it is a good plan to make the hems at top and bottom of equal width. This makes it possible to hang them upside down after a time, and they last much longer than they would if always hung one way.

Coal should be kept in a dry, airy place. It will burn longer and make a brighter fire than when kept in a close cellar without ventilation.

If you want your umbrella to last double the usual time, make it a rule to pour a few drops of oil into the top notch about once a month. This prevents the ends of the ribs from rusting and so prolongs the life of the umbrella.

Use a fork instead of a spoon when blending flour and water. It quickly makes the mixture smooth.

Where much cooking is done on a gas stove it would be wise to buy a sheet iron twelve inches by ten in-

ches and use it over the small burner. It is possible to keep three or even four large saucepans boiling at once by resting them upon the corners of the iron after bringing them to a boil.

Should the voice be lost from the effects of cold, a simple, pleasant remedy is furnished by beating up the white of an egg, adding to it the juice of one lemon, and sweetening it with white sugar to taste. Take a spoonful from time to time.

Stains on knife handles may be removed by rubbing with a paste of whiting and turpentine.

To remove streaks left in white clothes wash in clear water to which a little ammonia has been added.

YOUR BIRTHDAY

May 9th—15th.

If your birthday is this week you have a shrewd, keen intellect—your mind is lucid and clear. Your power for memorizing is very great, and enables you to retain details and particulars of innumerable subjects with surprising accuracy and ease. You face all sorts of difficulties without flinching—and are noted for your persistency in mental efforts.

You are of a free and happy disposition—generous to a fault, fond of peace and comfort, and therefore have no difficulty in making friends. You are very fond of travel—like to know what is going on in the world—want to know the opinions of other people, and you also want them to know yours. You are, however, very set in

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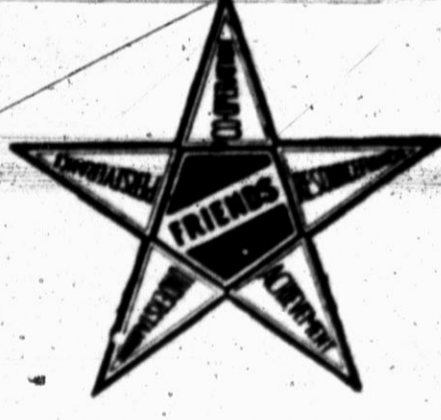

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AIN'T IT THE TRUTH

By A. B. CHAPIN



Hereford Hotel Management Changed May 1

The management of the Hereford hotel, opposite the passenger depot, changed hands on the first of the month when J. H. Nix retired and O. D. Cokerham of Sudan, Texas, took charge.

The new manager of the hostelry is also the owner of the property, which he purchased about a year ago. He is planning extensive improvements to the hotel and may make additions in the way of bathrooms, etc., and stucco the building. He entertained the weekly luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce Monday.

"Applesauce" is Feature of Chautauqua

Probably for the first time in Chautauqua history has a Broadway success been contracted for a Chautauqua circuit before it has run the gamut of the theatre goes in the metropolitan centers of the country. Even yet this great comedy on American life has not closed its run in New York, where it has been enjoying a long run at the Ambassador theatre.

Therefore, Premier Chautauqua patrons are assured of one of the very latest theatrical successes when "Applesauce" comes to Hereford, on the night of June 9, as a feature of the 1926 Redpath-Horner Premier Chautauqua program.

"Applesauce" is from the pen of Barry Conners, and it gets its name from the modern word for "blarney," "the glad hand," etc. It is served without stint, by Bill McAllister, the hero of the play—a lovable, good looking, semi-worthless youth who wants to marry Pa Robinson's daughter, Hazel. Pa and Ma want her to wed the plodding, well-to-do youth of the town, Rollo Jenkins. Bill talks Rollo into thinking marriage is too expensive a business venture for that rich tight-wad to indulge in. Hazel accepts Rollo, but her love for Bill and his applesauce cannot be drowned and—but that would be telling the unusually happy ending of an unusually happy play.

"A happy, sunny play with a message of cheer, sunny skies and silver linings. One of those synthetic concoctions it is of homely American small-town virtues, sweet girlhood, glib young men, and violent jerks at the heart strings that are calculated to send the customers out into the night bigger and better men and women," is the way the New York Evening World described it last September after its opening appearance in that city.

"Applesauce" promises to be a great treat to Premier Chautauqua patrons. There is no doubt that it will be the play that the New York News says it is: "A clever, visible comedy made up of big laughs and little freshets of tears."

Why be blue? Jonah was down in the mouth, but he came out all right.

Statements, Letter Heads, Envelopes, all Job Work, at The Brand.

Weather conditions in the Arctic changes with astounding rapidity.

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Out of Date
"Have you a late paper?"
"Yes mam, just out this morning."
"Haven't you a later one—I want to see the newest styles."

"That's My Baby" At Star Theatre

Next week is laugh week at the Star Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday.

Douglas MacLean will be seen in the role of chief marry-maker as the hero of a brand new Paramount farce-comedy with the popular title of "That's My Baby."

Picturegoers who love to exercise their smile muscles will have plenty of opportunity to do so while watching MacLean trying to woo a girl handicapped with a strange baby, who persists in calling him "Daddy."

Speed is the keynote of "That's My Baby." There isn't a dull moment in the entire production; in fact, the complications pile up so thick and fast that the laughs come in bunches. Besides the baby, who sticks to him like glue despite all his heroic and scrambling funny efforts to get rid of it, MacLean has many other trials to contend with. As luck would have it, the girl's father is an old business rival of his. In trying to win him over, MacLean only succeeds in antagonizing him all the more.

The fun reaches a high pitch of hilarity when MacLean presents the old man with headache powder which proves to be poison! The life-and-death chase that follows brings the picture to an hysterical climax that mingles laughs and thrills at a rate of speed guaranteed to leave the audience breathless with surprise and merriment.

William Beaudine directed "That's My Baby" from the scenario by Joseph Franklin Poland. The story is an original, especially created for MacLean by George J. Crane and Wade Boteler. Margaret Morris has the principal feminine role.

DISTRICT COURT

Citizens Bank of Clovis, vs. North Texas Trust Co.; title and possession; judgment for plaintiff.

Witherspoon et al vs. Terry et al; judgment by agreement.

State of Texas vs. Pedro Reed; dismissed.

Ben C. Aylor vs. S. Nilson; partition.

South West Land & Improvement Co. vs. W. M. Stovall; judgment in favor of plaintiff vs. W. M. Stovall; judgment in favor of Dylitha and Virginia Stovall.

Jury commissioners were summoned on the 10 and jurors selected for the next term of court.

The grand jury returned three indictments: 1. State of Texas vs. J. M. Ashlock, murder; 2. State of Texas vs. Elmer Winkler, burglary; 3. State of Texas vs. Roscoe Winkler, burglary.

Flagg Expects to Celebrate Anniversary

Flagg, Castro county's baby town is expecting to celebrate its first anniversary June 20, according to J. A. Johnson of that place. Plans are being made for a huge celebration.

Col. C. T. Herring of Amarillo founder of Flagg, and a number of other well known speakers, will appear on the program. Ball games, a rodeo, trick airplane flying, a carnival, and other attractions will feature the first annual celebration.

Flagg started one year ago on June 20. It is located in the center of the Flagg pasture, a 35,000 acre tract which was opened for settlement last spring. Most of this land has been sold, and a large part of it will be in crops during the coming season. The bustling little city now has a number of business houses, including a hotel, a grocery store, post office, garage, filling station, a school and church building, and a number of residences.

OPENING DENTAL OFFICE

I have purchased Dr. Lloyd's dental office and am now located in his office over J. O. Newells store.

Having regained my health, I am taking up my profession again.

Dr. D. E. Turrentine.

Agricultural credit societies in India have had a spurt in membership recently, the total enrollment now being 243,000.

Just Arrived

BIG SHIPMENT OF NEW GOODS OF ALL KINDS.

Saturday Special

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Plain White Cups and Saucers, Per Set—

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DANIEL'S VARIETY STORE

Want Ads THIS WEEK

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

A SPORTS WINDOW. OUR WOMEN HOMELY? RUBBER. TOO BIG FOR THEM.

It was decided to put a "Sports Bay," a beautiful window of colored glass, in the \$25,000,000 Protestant Episcopal Cathedral of St. John the Divine, in New York.

As originally planned, the "Sports Window" for the Cathedral included a picture of live birds released from a trap and shot dead for the amusement of "sport."

If, however, a modern Christian cathedral really needs a sports window, why not have a nice stained glass picture of Jack Dempsey knocking out Mr. Willis, the colored man. That, at least, is legal in New York State.

A Thibetan lady named Rin-Chan Lha-Mo says, "Western women are not good-looking." Meaning Americans, English, French, etc.

The lady says our women's noses and ears are too big; noses like kettle spoons, ears like pigs' ears, eyes a silly blue like children's marbles, eye sockets too deep, eyebrows too much like those of monkeys.

This criticism of our lovely females will amaze you, especially if you have ever seen a Thibetan lady with nose flat, eyes on the outside of her face, etc.

If Europe multiplies her combinations in rubber, steel, etc., shutting out poor little America, and making us pay high prices, somebody will have to write a national sob anthem for the United States. Secretary Hoover, first to shriek with alarm when British made us pay more for rubber, says he doesn't believe the United States will be included in the great European steel trust.

They will buy from each other and shut us out. That is sad, but we have a tariff and can do a little shutting out on our own account.

The principal American steel stocks went up yesterday, in spite of the trust, but we have the money.

New Orleans is about to inaugurate an "air field" with ample accommodation for post office, army and civilian flyers. Every city should possess such a field and invite Uncle Sam to send his post office airships there. Postmaster. New and the president will be found eager to co-operate in every way.

The New Orleans flying field is especially important, because of New Orleans' strategical position. An adequate flying field there, with the possibility of establishing a military air base in an emergency, would be most important to the protection of the Panama Canal.

Secretary Work talked plainly and usefully in Los Angeles, telling the big power men, who think they should control the Colorado water and power, that some jobs are too big for them. Mr. Work is not hostile to big business of the right kind. He knows it has built this country, our government confining itself largely to politics and to running for office.

But the secretary of the interior makes it plain that some of America's undertakings are too big for anyone but Uncle Sam. The great Boulder Dam project is one of them. The Panama Canal was another. Even the French, master of engineering, could not manage that.

Mr. Work suggested that those interested in Colorado waters, for irrigation or power, should make their bids, at a definite price. The idea is to have facts to put before congress.

proving that the scheme will pay. Such facts may be necessary to convince some unwilling or dull congressman, but they ought not to be necessary. In the case of a great gold mine, congress would ask only for proof that the gold was there, then the digging would begin.

The Colorado water offers a sure mine of power, fertility and wealth, greater in value than all the gold mines ever found in California. Every congressman of intelligence not interested in anybody's private exploration scheme, will be for the Boulder dam.

J. Lindsay Nunn Puts Acreage Into Pool

J. Lindsay Nunn, Amarillo oil man, and former owner of the Amarillo Daily News, is pooling his Deaf Smith county land with other land holders here, in an effort to get a test for oil in this territory.

Nunn owns six hundred and forty acres west of Hereford and made a recent trip here to lease his section to Judge John P. Slaton, who is blocking some fourteen thousand acres west of this city with a view to turning it over to some reliable company for a test well. Mr. Nunn was very enthusiastic over the prospects for a number of oil tests for Deaf Smith county.

Lucille Hughes To Be Class Valedictorian

Lucille Hughes has been selected as Valedictorian for the Senior class of the Hereford high school, according to Superintendent C. N. Dillehay. Miss Hughes made the highest grades of all of the thirty-one who are scheduled to graduate. She will receive a scholarship. Miss Margaret Thompson was second in her work, and will deliver the Salutatory address at the commencement exercises here on May 26th.

Oliver Rudd made the highest grades of the boys, and thus will be entitled to a scholarship offered by the larger colleges of the state.

Mrs. Joe Trussell, of Brownwood, arrived this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Connell and to be here for the graduation exercises of her sister, Miss Lulu Connell.

Mrs. Harve E. Yantis, of Kansas City is here this week visiting her mother, Mrs. J. B. Jones, and sister, Miss Martha Duncan, who is graduating this year from high school.

Mrs. C. S. Richards left Saturday for Colorado Springs, for a visit with her brother.

Couldn't Finish It.
Warden to convict who is leaving in the middle of prison movie:—"What's the matter, don't you like the new picture?"
No. 15503: "What's 'de idea startin' a serial when you know I'm to be bumped off next week?"

A Short Cut
Taxi driver to passenger: "If ya ain't in a hurry I'll drive around dat crowd o' people."

A Good Reason
Judge: "Have you ever seen the prisoner at the bar?"
"No sir. Not since prohibition."

A woman had just finished polishing her stairs when a collector coming in slipped and fell. The woman has been swamped with letters asking for the name of the polish.

A Chicago woman was adjudged insane because she wouldn't wear clothes. Shun! If that be the case they're all crazy.

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Specials For Saturday, May 15th

Wrought Iron Bridge Lamp It is a full size lamp stand, complete with socket, cord, and shade. \$2.98	Hat Boxes In dull leather finish, with cretonne paper lining. Just right for vacation time. \$1.48	Wrought Iron Fern Stands This fern stand measures 44 inches in height and has large bowl made of copper. \$1.98
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Why not improve 100 farms within ten miles of Hereford this summer? I can furnish money for such.
13-4t J. S. ULM.
Green Bldg., Amarillo, Texas.
- LOST AND FOUND**
LOST—Yellow and white Collie, bobbed tail, answers to name of Kenno. Finder please call 335.
17-1t-pd.
- FOR RENT**
FOR RENT—My furnished home, four rooms and bath, besides one room retained for my use. See me at Western National Bank. E. C. Eubanks. 17-1t.
- FOR SALE**
FOR SALE—Some good Hereford bulls. C. J. Faddock. 17-2t-pd.
FOR SALE—Residence east part of city. See O. K. Higgins. 17-8t-pd.
FOR SALE—Brood sows and weaning pigs. See Ray Jackson, at Hereford Motor Co. 17-2t.
FOR SALE—Eclipse Wind Mill, Mrs. W. M. Megert. 17-1t-pd.
FOR SALE—My residence in Hereford. On account of illness, will sell at sacrifice. Mrs. B. F. Bule. 17-2t.
FOR SALE—Section of grass to lease three miles south and one mile east of Wildorado, Texas. J. C. Womble, Hereford, Texas. 17-1t-pd.
FOR SALE—One McCormick Hay Rake, almost new. Can be seen at Streu Hwy. Co. M. C. Meharg. 17-1t.
FOR SALE—Good seed corn, \$2.00 a bushel. I live 13 miles northwest of town. W. R. Harris, Box 406. 16-2t-pd.
SUDAN Seed, extra heavy, re-cleaned, absolutely free from Johnson grass. \$5.00 per hundred. Lester Galley. 16-4t-pd.
FOR SALE—Dwarf maize seed, government tested. Free from Johnson grass and weeds. O. Wilder, Hereford, Texas. West Way school. 16-16-pd.
FOR SALE—18 ft. Sampson Wind Mill, tower and sixty feet piping. Price \$60. 17-2t-pd.
FOR SALE or TRADE—Ford Cope. Will consider town property.
14-4t F. H. OBERTHIER, Jr.
MAPS—Deaf Smith county maps for sale, 50c each. Thompson & Ireland.
FOR SALE—Land for Sale—Two desirable tracts of land, some improvements on them, well located. Address owner—Box 323 Hereford, Texas. 11-4t
- Easy.**
Tommy: "How did ya make out? Did he give you a job?"
"Bet yer' life! I'm to be office boy."
"How'd ya land it?"
"I told him all my grandmothers are dead!"

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaf Smith County

The Brand is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices under which their names are listed, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in 1926:

For State Representative, 123rd Dis:
LEE SATTERWHITE
of Panhandle, Texas

For District Attorney:
B. N. RICHARDS
of Dallam County
J. D. THOMAS,
of Farmer County

For District and County Clerk:
A. L. BIGGS
J. G. (GANO) HASTINGS
MONT E. BAKER
L. H. FOSTER

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
CLAUDE BENTON
(Re-election)

For County Judge:
EARL W. WILSON
(Re-election)

For Tax Assessor:
IRA RICKETTS
W. A. (AL) MILLER
J. H. DANIEL
ALBERT MURPHY
(Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
J. H. HEAD
MRS. E. F. CONNELL
J. H. WEEMS
MRS. RUSSEL DANIEL

For Public Weigher:
E. W. HARRISON
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
C. J. PADDOCK
(Re-election)

W. A. KNOX
WES BRADLY
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
H. G. CONKWRIGHT
W. R. (BOB) HIGGINS

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
HERMAN A. GRAY
(Re-election)

J. T. GUINN
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
W. T. WOMBLE
J. C. ALLRED

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Castro County

The Brand is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices under which their names are listed, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in 1926:

For District and County Clerk:
MRS. R. B. BOREN

For County Judge:
J. F. EASTER
M. R. AVERY

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
BILL BURNAM
(Re-election)

Mrs. Emma A. Newby

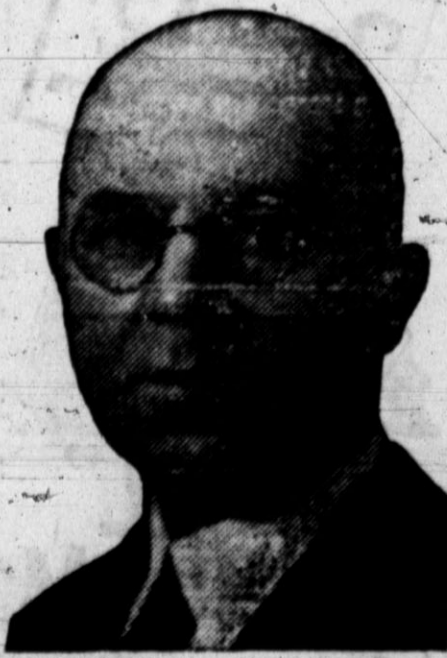
Mrs. Emma Arimtha Newby died at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on May 3, and her body reached Hereford May 10 after a week on the road.

Funeral services were held Monday at the E. B. Black Undertaking Parlors about seven in the evening, and the body laid to rest in the Hereford cemetery.

Mrs. Newby is survived by two sons and two daughters, Mrs. J. H. Nix, of Hereford, and a son with whom she was living in Oregon, and a son in Grady, New Mexico, Ed Newby.

Wallick Carnival Co.
Hits Cold Weather

The Wallick Carnival Shows, under auspices of the Hereford Firemen, opened a week's engagement here Monday on the vacant lot opposite the Star Theatre and The Brand office. The cold, wet and shivery weather held down the attendance the first of the week, but Wednesday night the crowds turned out and the sounds of revelry continued up close to the midnight hour.



Elmer L. Williams
Director Law Enforcement, Better Government Assn., Chicago, at Chautauqua.

Amarillo Mets Will Play Here Sunday

(Continued From Page One)

letter to J. L. McCarty, sports editor of the News, Thursday morning Mr. McCarty came back as follows: The Wall Editor of The News-Globe receiveth the following wail:

Dear Mack:
The gang down here asked me to write you and put you and the Amarillo baseball club straight concerning the baseball diamond in Hereford. We read this morning in The News that our diamond is not of regulation size. Now, whoever told you this must have been green or had already started thinking up an alibi to use for the Mets if they happen to be unable to solve the puzzling delivery of Galbraith and Tate.

It is exactly sixty feet and six inches from home plate to pitcher's box; sixty-six feet, three and three-eighths inches from pitcher's box to second base; the bases are all exactly ninety feet apart. The Tierra Blanca stream, which is a half mile to the south, is the boundary line of the outer garden. If one of your men happen to hit one over it, we furnish a new ball and give the batter credit for a home run. Now we believe that our diamond, except for the outfield, is laid off according to the rules and regulations of the national game, but if your fans and ball players still think they will not have a fair chance, we might be able to invent a ground which would move the pitcher's box back to second base, just for this special game.

Will you kindly give this some publicity so that the people of Amarillo will know that the game here Sunday will be played on a regulation field, and if there is some "Doubting Thomas" in your midst, come early Sunday and we can measure the diamond and shape it to suit you. I am, Very truly yours,
T. D. MOSS,
Secretary Hereford Chamber Commerce.

So waileth the wailer.
It is nice that the Mets have some real help in figuring out alibis for defeats. For instance, Sunday some wise-cracker in the stands declared he was just positive that the umps would win the Pampa game for Amarillo. The umps didn't get to make a decision until a dozen runs had been scored. Oh! He did announce the batteries and call Play Ball!
I am moving to Hereford.
That's all! I am moving!
Members of the Metro squad know of my weakness for fishing, especially about "play ball time" Sunday afternoon when perch are just dying for something to bite. Often ball games have to go by with a substitute score-keeper, especially if the perch are biting good.

Now that "Doc" Moss writes that the Terra Blanca creek is the outfield boundary for the Hereford regulation baseball park, everything is settled. I'll turn the sport pages of The News-Globe over to some of the blah-blahs, who insist upon directing them, and get employment on The Hereford Brand.

INTERMEDIATE C. E.

Leader—Woodrow Gilbreath.
Topic: What Opportunities Does Summer Offer Our Society.
Scripture Reading: James 1:22-27, John 4:30-38.

Song
What is the only safeguard against loss of interest during summer months—Alva Mae Norton.
What is the value of planning ahead—Charles Jowell.

Song
What principle should guide in looking for opportunities for members of the society—Mrs. Foster.

Song
Lord's Prayer.
Business.
Song.
Benediction.

At Hereford Chautauqua Beginning June 8th



"APPLESAUCE," a Mixture of Laughter, Tears and Sunshine. Second Night Premier Chautauqua.

IN CONFIDENCE

Should a Woman Pay?

Dear Miss Flo:—Don't you think a woman, with any sense of economic independence should pay her own way when she goes out with a man she knows is not earning as much as she? All the girls are laughing at me because I insist upon paying my own way with such men. They say men inevitably think less of a girl who accepts their companionship on that basis. On principle, I'd feel like a gold digger if I permitted a man in that class to spend money on me.

Of course, the boys all object to my independence, and invariably we quarrel about it, but I simply can't stand the idea of being under obligation to anybody. I want to be independent and take care of myself. Dora.

Far be it from me to say whether or not you are right in carrying your spirit of independence so far. While personally, I'd like to see the idea popularized—I have my doubts if it ever can be done.

You see, in theory, men really do admire that extremely rare feminine trait—Independence. They like to declare their principles that a woman should stand shoulder to shoulder with a man, doing her share, and not hang like a millstone around his neck. They sincerely believe they have more respect for the woman who earns her own way—and insists upon earning it, if necessary, even after marriage. They have no use, in theory, for the clinging-vine type. They admire the sturdy, self-reliant, self-sufficient, independent women like you. BUT—have you ever noticed those self-reliant women usually have to be self-reliant, fight alone, work alone, walk alone live alone and eventually even play alone, while some tiny, slim, satin-skinned girl, with huge eyes, and cunning lip, is surrounded with men anxious to obey her slightest whim—actually begging to be permitted to protect her from the cold, heartless world? As a matter of fact, those are the very girls who need no protection—they always take care of themselves. The more absolutely "feminine" woman is the more determined she is that some man shall take care of her—and she is the little grafter who gets the best of this world's goods. The really frail women is the sturdy, square and sportsmanlike one, who scorns to take advantage of a man because he loves her or is married to her—the women who are too decent to stick up for their "rights." Oh no, men don't know a lot about woman's nature, and sad and disheartening though it may be, I've come to the conclusion that men don't especially admire independence in women.

It's the nature of man to dictate and be foremost. They'd rather do without lunch all week than have the

girl they take out for dinner pay her own check—or refuse to allow him to buy her flowers. That's that—and human nature being what it is—you can't expect to change it.

I'm not advocating that women be parasites or gold-diggers in the slightest degree. Independence is a most admirable quality—but it can be carried too far.

Oldest Fiddler



A fiddling contest was held at Rome, New York and William Smith's, "Listen to the Moaning Bird," was him the county champion. "Billy" who has been fiddling the roughest bow for 75 years thinks he's the oldest fiddler in the country. Is he?

Old Cardwell Irrigated Farm Being Transformed

A gradual transformation of the 80 acre irrigated farm in South Hereford, formerly known as "The Cardwell place," but now owned by L. Baskin, is taking place. The land is being put in a high state of cultivation, dozens of different kinds of crops planted, and some 20 acres turned into a vegetable garden. All this under the skillful hands of R. W. Crosswhite and his family, who live on and farm the place.

Buildings are being painted, others torn down and rebuilt, a bungalow barn and double garage built, and the place cleaned up in general. Before June 15th this will be one of the most attractive places in the county.

Since purchasing the original 67 acre tract, Mr. Baskin has bought additional acreage so that the place now contains 80 acres all under irrigation. Water is being piped into the house, bath, toilet and sink installed, electric lights placed in the house and about the yard and buildings, etc.

Several acres are being planted to melons, so Mr. Baskin says the object in view for lighting up the premises is in order that the big improved Tom Watson water melons might grow faster.

Success at Home



Ten years on big city newspapers, last of which were as managing editor, convinced this publisher, A. A. Hoopfinger of Dover, Ohio, that success in the small town held as great rewards as in the city. So he returned to Dover, bought the local paper and in five short years put it across so successfully, that the bigger field heard and called again. He is the new editor and publisher of The American Press, New York. He expects to retain his Ohio properties.

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Cheaper Irrigation Methods In Plainview Field

A recent story on small-farm irrigation methods used by a Plainview farmer printed in the Amarillo Globe, and seems so applicable to the Hereford irrigation problem that it is reproduced herewith:

Experiments with a cheap irrigation plant that may revolutionize farming operations on the South Plains in the shallow water belt near Plainview, are being conducted by L. P. Barker, business man of Plainview, on his farm south of the city.

A plant costing a total of \$1,768 has been installed on the farm and twenty acres placed under irrigation already with an idea of placing more land under the same plant later on. The total cost of drilling the well, installing complete the pumping machinery and the cost of the power plant which in this case is a small farm tractor. Exclusive of the tractor the plant costs \$1,200.

The well is 122 feet deep, the first strata of water having been found at 48 feet. At 63 feet the second stratum was found and at 102 feet a twenty foot sand was drilled into. This formation for water is found all over the Plainview country and the capacity of the wells depended only on the size of the well, the ability of the pump and the horsepower applied to the pump.

The plant installed on the Barker farm was tested recently upon its completion under the direction of engineers and it was found that an acre could be given an inch of water for a fuel cost of 17.9 cents in one hour and nine minutes. The well showed a volume of 450 gallons per minute with the small tractor of well known make furnishing the power.

The pump used is the first of its kind in Texas, but has been in use for several years in California. It requires no casing, the tube carrying the centrifugal pump being placed in the hole just as it is drilled. It can be pulled out in the event of a cave-in having no projections or bolts to prevent. In case it is desired to lower the pump that also is possible.

The outstanding feature of the irrigation plant is the power plant. Any ordinary farm tractor furnishes the power for operating the pump, thus giving the farmer who wishes to put in such a pumping plant an opportunity to utilize his tractor power eliminating the necessity of making a large investment for a stationary power plant that can be used only for the purpose. Since an irrigation plant operates at best only a very few days out of the year this is quite an item farmers say, while with the tractor they can use it for general purposes.

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irrigating and all. It is possible with the plant Mr. Barker has installed to connect the tractor with the pump in a very few minutes, alignment being simplified by the pulley arrangement on the pump.

That every farm in the vicinity of Plainview will have at least a few acres set aside for irrigation enabling farmers to raise such crops as require a profusion of water is the prediction of well informed observers of this section. As a stabilizer of farming conditions it is looked upon as the greatest, and farmers are displaying a great interest in the plant installed by Mr. Barker since it appears to meet their requirements as to cost and up-keep better than any plant that has been introduced in the Plainview country.

Wyche

The farmers have all been busy in their fields the last few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders and family and Mr. and Mrs. West Bradley, visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Rose and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed East and family moved to the Sunny Brook farm last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald moved into our community last week on the place Mr. East vacated.

Those who attended the singing convention of our community are Mr. and Mrs. Cook and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Paddock, Harve J. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Cox and family and Raleigh Junior, Hough.

Mrs. J. J. Clayton and children and L. E. Woolery and family attended the Mothers Day program at Frio Sunday.

Jess Lindsey, Jack Spenser, Miss Edna Hall and Miss Ethel Decker, visited Montie Cook Sunday evening.

The gathering at Mr. Houghs' Saturday night for singing was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Cook and daughter, Montie, visited Mrs. Cox and daughters, Friday afternoon.

Mary and Mildred Hough spent Friday afternoon with Lavada and Alma Cox.

Cameron, New Mex.

E. E. White purchased a Chevrolet truck and is freighting lumber to build a granary 14x50 feet.

Mr. Pierce of Logan, who is representing the Togatad products, spent Tuesday night with the J. D. Cameron family.

Mrs. M. T. Johnston left Friday for Chillicothe, Texas. Her sister, Mrs. M. A. Johnston, accompanied her to Clovis, where she took the train.

An interesting Mothers Day program was recited at Wheatland, Sunday. There was dinner on the ground and singing in the afternoon.

R. A. Love is visiting relatives in Texas this week.

Mr. H. Jones of Clovis, is building a granary for J. Z. Isler.

The Rev. Burton of the Nazarene church, is conducting a meeting at New Hope. Large crowds are attending and the interest is good.

Reid Isler and family spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Isler. Miss Ruby Harbour spent Sunday night the guest of Ella Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lockname were shopping in Clovis Saturday.

Some much needed road work is being done by the farmers in the Wheatland community and on to the Caprock toward San Jon.

Several of the ladies met at the home of Mrs. M. A. Johnston Thursday in honor of Mrs. M. T. Johnston, who left Friday.

Mrs. Josie Crecellus and Mrs. Ella Isler, called on Mrs. S. Dunn Friday.

Mrs. Bunch spent a few days last week at the home of her son, Joe Bunch, at Grady.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Dunn, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Derthrage Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Isler called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Isler, Sunday evening. Mrs. Josie Crecellus went home with them to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Conway, of San Jon, called on Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cameron, Friday evening. Their son, Albert, remained to spend the week-

end with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cameron made a business trip to San Jon Saturday. Miss Ruth Conway came home with them and she and her brother, Albert, returned to their home at San Jon Sunday with their parents, who came up to spend Mothers Day, which they and the J. D. Cameron family enjoyed with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cameron.

One of the Wheatland truck drivers made a trip to Clovis Thursday and had considerable tire trouble and could not get back till dark. He made the round trip with the school children after dark. However, several of the parents had gone to the school house and brought their children home about dark.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Antle made a trip to Clovis Wednesday. Mrs. Antle related to the writer the sad circumstances of the death of their only son, which occurred March 27 at Guthrie, Oklahoma. He was driving home from work on a very stormy night when his car turned over and he was killed. His home was at Oklahoma City.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Deaf Smith:

By virtue of an Order of Sale is-

sued out of the Honorable 90th District Court of Stephens County on the 8th day of April, 1926, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of T. B. Yarbrough, versus O. S. Martin, No. 6586 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in June, A. D. 1926, it being the 1st day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County in the State of Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

All of section No. 18 and the southwest one-fourth of section No. 8, Township No. 2, North of Range No. 1 East, Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation League No. 436; South one-half of section No. 24, Township 2 North, Range 1 East, Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation Leagues Nos. 438, 437, 453 and 454; all of sections 17, 16, 19, 20 and East one-half of section 8 and the southwest one-fourth of section No. 9, and the North one-half of section 21, all in township No. 2 North of Range No. 1 East Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation Leagues Nos. 436, 437 and 455; all of section No. 7, Township 2 North Range No. 1 East Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation Leagues No. 436 and 435 and the North one-half of section No. 22,

Township 2 North Range 1 East Capitol Syndicate sub-division of Capitol Reservation League No. 437. Said Deed of Trust being recorded in the deed of trust records of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in Book 26, page 309.

Placed in my hands for service, I, Claude Benton, as Sheriff of Deaf Smith County, Texas, did on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1926, levy on the above described property.

Levied on as the property of O. S. Martin to satisfy a Judgment amounting to \$64,312.35 in favor of T. B. Yarbrough and cost of suit.

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First Presbyterian Church Jas. T. Ross, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Mr. C. O. Lee, superintendent.

Senior Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m. Preaching services both morning and evening. Mr. Paul Simms, one of our Endeavorers, and a candidate for the Gospel Ministry is to preach at the morning hour. Those who have heard Mr. Simms know that his message will be interesting and worth while. Let us give him a good hearing. In the evening at 8:15, promptly, will begin the service of that hour. Let every member of the church plan to attend both services.

In the afternoon at the hour of 3 the pastor will preach at Jumbo. In this connection we join with many others in congratulations to that community on having voted the bonds for a beautiful and modern brick public school building. No community need ever regret the wise investment of time and money in the things of the soul.

At the morning hour of worship, the pastor of this church will preach the Baccalaureate sermon for the graduates of the Dimmitt high school. Hence will be absent from the city at that hour. Let every one cooperate to hold the service here to its usual level and indeed make this an extraordinary occasion for both the church and the minister of the hour.

Inter-Sunday activities: Wednesday 2:30 p. m., Mid-week prayer meeting. Thursday, 8 p. m., Choir rehearsal. Mrs. Homer Fox, director, Mrs. H. L. Broadwell, pianist.

If any person in this church feels that you have been left out of the various activities of the church for any reason, the pastor desires to know it and also to know just what kind of church work you like. The progress of the church to which you belong awaits this information from you. Let everyone stand in his place, round about the camp.

The public is always welcome to these services. Come.

First Christian Church T. Morgan, Pastor

Our Mothers Day program was fine. The three bouquets of flowers were awarded as follows: Mrs. Bruner, the oldest mother; Mrs. Vaughn, mother of the youngest children; Mrs. Winterroud, the youngest mother.

The Sunday school again showed an increase. Folks we are still growing. Growth means life. Now would not you like to have part in a living growing Sunday school? Come, we need you.

Your minister was given a very glad surprise last Sunday morning. He was notified that he was the elected delegate to our state convention, being held this week in Dallas.

There will be no preaching services at this church next Sunday. But all other services will be held as usual. The Senior C. E. will have charge of the morning services at the Presbyterian church. Brother Paul Simms will do the preaching. All are urged to go to the C. E. service and hear Paul preach.

Methodist Church J. O. Haynes, Pastor

"SHALL WE LOSE OUR SABBATH?" will be the pastor's subject Sunday morning. You are invited to hear this message on this subject that is so vital to the interests of us all. "A VERY PERSONAL QUESTION" will be the subject at the evening hour, eight o'clock. Come and bring a friend. Special music, as well as good congregational singing, at each service.

Several young people responded to our call last Sunday, and it seems that the new league composed of the older young people is assured. The first program of the new group will be given next Sunday. The meeting will be at seven o'clock in the basement of the church. All young people seventeen or above, are invited. Let's make this a real worth while organization. The group will probably have an outing next week. The high school league also will meet at seven o'clock. The Sunday school needs you, and you need the Sunday school. Profes-

sor Humble will act as superintendent next Sunday. Be on time. Spring is here, and our congregations are good, yet there are many of our people who have not got started to regular church attendance. Good health prevails, and there is no good reason why our people cannot come. The rains have fallen, and the prospects for an abundant harvest were never better. Every child of God, from a deep sense of gratitude for His blessings, should welcome the privilege of coming to the sanctuary to worship Him. He has been exceedingly good to us. Let us not disappoint Him.

The Sunday School Lesson

For May 16, 1926
(By Joseph O. Haynes,
Methodist Pastor)

Subject: Abraham and the Strangers.

Scripture lesson: Genesis 18:1-8, 16-19.
Golden Text: Gen. 18:18, "All the nations of the earth shall be blessed in Him."

Entertaining Angels

One of the things that we noted about Abraham's character in last week's lesson was that he was unselfish. He was constantly concerned about the comfort and happiness of others. Witness his sacrifices for Lot, and his refusal to take pay for service rendered to the kings.

True to his nature, when Abraham, sitting in the door of his tent, saw three strangers approaching he hastened to receive them as his guests. He gave them royal entertainment, going to considerable inconvenience and expense for their comfort. Doubtless he thought of them, merely as fellow-men, and was entertaining them as such. But they turned out to be angels. We are reminded of the words of Jesus, "I was a stranger and ye took me in," and "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of these my brethren, even these men."

An angel is a messenger. These men brought to Abraham a message that he should not merely be the father of a son, but the father of a great nation. It was just the message that Abraham was longing to hear. Anyone who brings you a message from God is His angel. That message may come through the personality of the preacher speaking the words of life from the sacred desk; of the Christian father or mother giving Godly admonition; or of the magazine or newspaper writer instilling high ideals; or of a companion courageously standing for the right and inspiring noble purposes; or of the little child innocently speaking the truth of God; it matters not in what form it comes, the bearer of the message is the angel of God.

Hospitality

The writer of Hebrews admonishes us, "Be not forgetful to entertain strangers; for thereby some have entertained angels unawares." That, and similar admonitions must be interpreted and applied by each generation in the light of the conditions under which that generation lives. It would manifestly be unwise and unsafe for you today to invite into your home to spend the night every stranger who comes to town. It would foster the chronic pauperism and professional holism which are already too wide spread. Besides, society today is replete with vicious characters who would return rapine and murder for hospitality. I am sure that God does not want us to invite any such hazard by indiscriminately bringing strangers into our homes. But the spirit of hospitality is what counts. It is a kindly feeling towards all mankind. Not that sort of feeling that begins and ends in mere feeling, but that which has expression in kind deeds, that is willing to sacrifice to help every case of real need, that will seek systematically, scientifically and religiously to rehabilitate every wrecked life and home; that will go out of the way any day or any night to cheer a lonely heart or to give a discouraged soul a new lease on life. The essence of true hospitality today, as has always been the case, is found in the heart of him who is unselfish and is constantly and wisely seeking the welfare of others.

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Abraham, The Friend of God
Why did God choose Abraham to be the progenitor of His chosen race? Certainly not because Abraham was perfect. Measured by the standards of our day, we may find many imperfections in the life and practices of this man. He was a polygamist; and down in Egypt he falsified and subjected Sarah to humiliating indignities in order to save himself. But even with his faults which were largely the results of the low ideals of his day, he was evidently the best man of his day and the best material available for God's use. There were certain qualities in the man that made him eminently fitted to be God's man.

His was a commanding personality. Although pious far in excess of the men of his day, he was no namby-pamby weakling. He spoke with authority. God said, "I know him, that he will command his children and his household after him." I am wondering if we do not need more fathers of that type today. One thing that God's people needed to learn in order that they might be fitted to be God's chosen people was obedience. That principle Abraham instilled into them in their early history, by himself being obedient to God, and then seeing that his children were obedient to him.

He was a man of faith. He never doubted God. He never questioned God's purposes even though he him-

self had to suffer to carry them out. He believed that God was all wise, and that he could safely commit his own and his family's future to Him. We need more fathers who really believe that. Such a faith was a fundamental necessity for His people. No wonder God chose such a man to be the father of His chosen nation. He was a man of fidelity. He was faithful to every trust God placed in him. He was called a friend of God. The one essential of friendship is fidelity. We never want to claim a friend who is untrue. Neither does God. Abraham was dependable under all circumstances where God trusted him. It is refreshing to find such a man. God can safely entrust the destinies of His people to him. And today God delights to honor the man or woman of fidelity. He says, "Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life."

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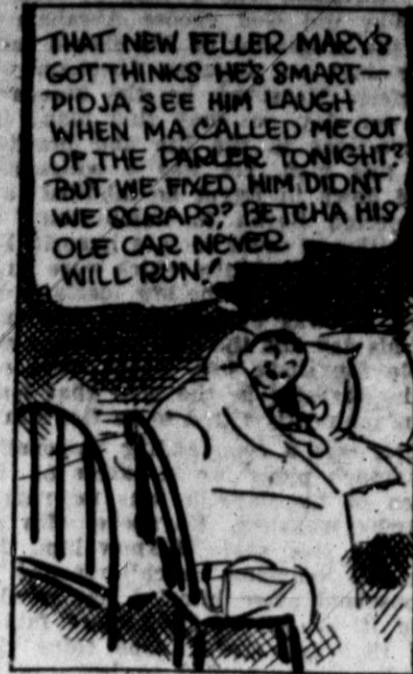
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Central School's Health Program Makes Big Hit

The Health Day program given by the pupils of the Central school on April 30 proved to be one of the most entertaining and interesting school events held here in several years. The program was opened with a salute to the flag, songs, Maypole dance and marches. The written contests were grouped into three divisions, the first and second grades writing on "Observation Lists," the third and fourth grades on Health Habits, and the fifth and sixth grades on the life and works of A. W. Gregg, local landscape gardener. The winning papers in the three divisions are shown below. Bill McLean took second prize in the Observation Lists; Alta Mae Elliston second in the Health Habits, and Ora Mae Thurmond second in the Gregg theme contest. Some of the themes about Mr. Gregg told of his work for the city parks, and one in particular about the beautiful appearance of Gregg Park in winter time, covered with snow; while others referred to the fact that he had scooped out walks through the snow from 25-Mile Avenue to the school, etc.

The students all took keen interest in the work and the athletic exercises especially were full of pep and fight from start to finish. Mrs. Garrison, principal, and her corps of Central school teachers deserve a lot of praise for their work in arranging this program.

Lorraine Horn Evelyn Plummer and Ruth Bowsher were given red ribbons on their observation lists. Louise Jowell wrote an excellent theme. Dorothy Fullwood should be given credit for her excellent penmanship and her description of the winter beauty of Gregg Park.

The Winners

- List of Beautiful Things:
1. Lorraine Horn, second.
2. Evelyn Plummer, second.
Contestants winning blue and red ribbons:
Rooster Fight: (blue) Charles Bell, Vernon Hull; (red) Omar Jay Dendy, G. L. Willis.
Sack Race: (blue) Donald Hicks; (red) Bruce Keith.
Small boys 50 yard dash: (blue) Mead Smith; (red) Herbert Boardman, J. L. Sawyer.
Three-legged race (blue) Herbert Boardman and Gerron Wheeler; (red) Robert Jacobs and Henry Jowell.
Wheelbarrow race: (blue) Prentice Hughes; (red) Bennie Murray.
All Four race: (blue) L. R. Russell, Bill McLean; (red) Jimmie Ashlock.
Little Girls' 50 yard race: (blue) Theda Lou Wilson, Jimmie Clark, Alta Mae Elliston, Anita Jowell; (red) Wilma Arthur, Juanita Bailey, Maxie Hughes.
Girls Relay race: (blue) Ruby Vaughn, Imogene Cloer, Maurice Warren, Lois Shark, Etha Short, Pauline Blaylock, Ora West; (red) Katherine Poff, Ina Sullins, Eugenia Ringer, Elva Brumley, Imogene Higgins, Ara Fay Womack, Dorothy Marie Thomas.
Girls Bicycle race: (blue) Jimmie Clark.
Boys Bicycle race: (red) C. J. Radden.
High Jump—Girls—Thornton Shirley; (red) Billie Hill.
Boys High Jump: (blue) Wayne Paris.
Vaulting: (blue) Berry Jacobsen; (red) Tolver Thurmond.
Boys Relay: (blue) Sherman Morgan, C. M. Purcell, George Smith, H.

D. Blythe; (red) Melvin Harris, Keller Muse, Johnnie Womble, R. K. Bruner.
Large Boys 50 yard dash: (blue) J. George Smith; (red) Johnnie Womble.
Large Girls 100 yard dash: (blue) Ruby Vaughn; (red) Katherine Poff.
Large Boys 100 yard dash: (blue) Keller Muse; (red) Harold Broadwell.

The Themes

Health Habits

Nancy Copkwright

May the first was set aside for Health Day, and I think we should tell you what we have learned this year. The Health Habits we have learned to observe are the following: Keep the body clean; eat proper food; take proper exercise and sleep properly.

Everyone should keep the body clean. We should wash our teeth three times a day, because it keeps our teeth from decaying, and it gives us a good breath. The way we brush our teeth is up and down; the kind of brush we should use is according to our gums. If our gums are soft, use a stiff brush. Every one should take a bath once a day. It opens the pores. If people let them stop up, it will make them very sick and they will maybe die. The little pores are little holes in the skin, which takes out impurities. Keeping the body clean is one of the most important things in health. Then we should keep the body clean merely for self respect.

Everyone should eat properly. They should eat many vegetables. Vegetables are the best things one can eat, for proper health. People should eat many kinds of vegetables. Some of these are the following: Cabbage, turnips, spinach, carrots, celery, and any kind of greens. They should drink three glasses of milk a day, because it makes us healthy and strong. Milk has the health food in it people need. They should eat fruits also. It gives them the acid that they need.

Every one should take proper exercise. They should take exercise every day. Play is a good exercise. It exercises the whole body. Make up some fancy steps and try to walk a rail. All people should swim lots. For it is a very good exercise. It exercises most of the body. Exercise makes children grow as well as anything. It makes them strong and healthy and well; it makes their muscles grow. Children need a healthy body. If they do not have one, they should take exercise by playing.

Every one should sleep properly. Sleep with the windows open, so as to get fresh air, and not have to breathe the same air some one else has breathed. Children should sleep on their side so as to breathe through their nose more easily. If they sleep on their back they will breathe thru their mouth, and that will give them

germs. They should not sleep in the clothes they wear to school or any other place. For it makes them all wrinkled, and you should, for the sake of other people, sleep in your night gown, pajamas or what ever you wear. Children this age should sleep this hour:

- 5 to 6 years, 13 hours.
- 8 to 9 years, 12 hours.
- 9 to 12 years, 11 hours.
- 12 to 15 years, 10 hours.

If they do as this says, they will be healthier. Other things beside us need rest. The animals need rest and other things do to.

A Brief Sketch of the Life of A. W. Gregg

By Fay Tinker

Mr. Gregg was born September 15, 1845 in Pennsylvania, Indiana. On account of poor health could not do office work when he grew up. Mr. Gregg decided to study landscape and gardening in order to be out next to nature.

Mr. Gregg is a great lover of flowers, and likes to make things grow. In his little home town of "Hereford, on Twenty-five Mile Avenue," he made a small park. In this little park are many beautiful trees and flowers. The president of Plainview Chamber of Commerce, liked his little park so well that he got permission to copy it as a model bit of civic attraction on a small scale.

Mr. Gregg planted the lawn at the Christian church, and because he does his work so well, many people get him to work their yards, plant their lawns, and flowers. Mr. Gregg planted two willow trees at the Baptist church, one bearing his name, and the other that of Rev. Hill. He also planted two trees at the Presbyterian church and one at the Christian church. Mr. Gregg takes great pride in his home as well as others. Last year it took first prize in the "Home Beautiful" contest. People say he is an artist because he can take any plot of ground and make it beautiful.

Mr. Gregg says he spent his four hardest years in the gold mines of California. He invested \$1,000 in gold and lost it.

Mr. Gregg has always been a great hunter. He got the wild goose fever in Washington and Puget Sound, and still has it. It is said that he expects to live to be a hundred years old, and on the day of his hundredth birthday, go duck hunting. He has killed enough wild geese and ducks already to feather his nest and that of his young ones. Mr. Gregg has always spent an out door life and has no bad habits.

"In a little old town there's a little old man.
In a little old home gleaming white.
Each day has its care,
But there's happiness there—
For there's youth in his heart,
Though there's white in his hair,
And no one that knows him
But offers a prayer
That heaven will keep him each

night.
There is cheer in his voice—there is life in his laugh.
His features are covered with tan.
There's peace in his hours.
His garden of flowers,
And somehow there's more of the sun than of showers."

The beautiful things I have seen

By Thomas Burkett

Grade H. I.

Birds I have seen:

1. English sparrows.
 2. Robin Red Breast.
 3. Meadow lark.
 4. Black bird.
 5. Crane.
 6. Hawk.
 7. Gold Finch.
 8. Red Head woodpecker.
 9. Yellow-bellied sapsucker.
 10. Quail.
 11. Mocking bird.
 12. Canary bird.
 13. German Roller.
 14. Turtle dove.
 15. Duck.
 16. Killdeer.
 17. Martins.
 18. Snow bird.
 19. Blue bird.
 20. Scissor-tail.
 21. Bull bat.
 22. Geese.
 23. Jenny Wren.
 24. Bob White.
 25. Snipe.
 26. Dog own.
- Butterflies I have seen:
1. Snout butterflies.
2. Moarch butterflies.

3. Short Swallowtail (female)
4. Short swallowtail (male.)
5. Veined Swallowtail.
6. Danus Swallowtail.
7. Great Purple hair streak.
8. Diana.
9. White Striped calico.
10. Mimic.
11. Cloudless Sulphir.
12. Brine Stone.
13. Scarlet Admiral.

Flowers I have seen:

1. Irene Graves brought some pretty pansies to school.
2. We have some petunias in our window box and they are very fragrant.
3. I saw some violets in Mr. Thompson's yard.
4. Cherry tree in blossom.
5. Pretty geranium.
6. Pear tree in bloom.
7. Peach tree in bloom.
8. Plum tree in bloom.
9. Apple tree in bloom.
10. Violets in bloom.
11. Maple tree in bloom.
12. Elm tree in bloom.
13. I saw a pretty squirrel.
14. I saw a pretty lawn.
15. I saw some pretty cattle.
16. I saw a pretty little Jersey calf.
17. I saw many pretty buildings and houses in Amarillo.
18. I saw Panhandle Inn.
19. I saw the Cimarron river when it was running.
20. I saw pretty spring (Canadian.)
21. I saw the Canyon Normal.
22. I saw many pretty buildings in Canyon.
23. I saw a field of broom corn.

I saw some goldfish.
I saw Carson Motor Company.
I saw Palo Duro hotel and the pretty filling station.
I saw some geraniums.
I saw some pretty rabbits.

Cream

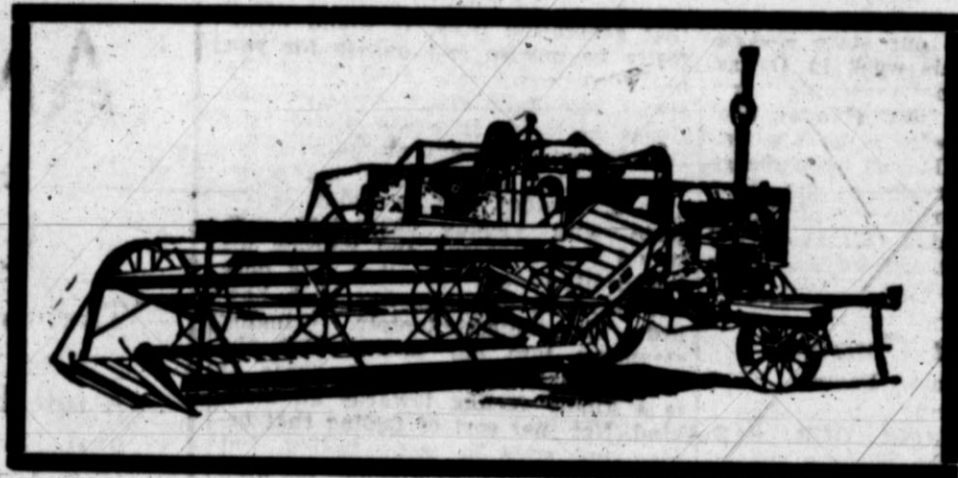
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List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1926 for Taxes of 1925, in Hereford Independent School District, Deaf Smith County. Reported in Compliance With Provisions of Chapter Ten, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925.

Name of Owner	No. Acre.	Cert. No.	Surv. No.	Original Grantee	Acres Del.	Total Taxes, Not Including Penalties
Alexander, Tom E.	1354	1834	64	NW 1/4 G Graber	160	86.80
Betts, Ernest	894	1253	152	S 1/2 Wm. Breeding	320	65.10
Carter, E. Sr.	206	217	67	B S & F	640	128.00
Carter, E. Sr.	801	1767	88	E Carter	640	192.00
Carter, E. Sr.	139	1033	89	B S & F	20	4.00
Harris, J. H.	37	917	83	A B D M	640	130.65
Harris, J. H.	840	918	82	L A M	640	192.00
Holberg, A. E.	827	1834	64	SW 1/4 R J K	160	86.20
Kropff, J. J.	359	1834	63	NW 1/4 W W & S	160	88.00
Rogers, E. E.	148	1231	107	NW 1/4 B S & F	160	38.80
Rudd, J. V.	359	1834	63	Npt. E 1/2 of NE 1/4 W W & S	50	21.70
Spradley, J. W.	36	916	85	S 1/2 A B & M	320	110.00
Tice, C. E.	873	1234	114	N 1/2 SW 1/4 C L A	80	32.00
Chesser, Etta Mae	150	1233	111	No. 1 B S & F	5	1.50
Cunningham, Posey	885	1243	130	NE 1/4 Wm. B	160	36.00
Donavon, Frank	151	1234	113	B S & F	640	178.00
Hanlan, Mrs. J. W.	156	1233	151	Spt. B S & F	200	40.00
Smith, Mrs. A. M.	286	333	37	N 1/2 NE 1/4 S K & K	80	20.00
Townsend, C. E.	290	337	45	S K & K	640	128.00

Name of Owner	Block No.	Lot No. and Div.	Total Taxes, Not Including Penalties
Allen, E. V.	3	10 H	2.00
Arnold, W. B.	78	4-18 Whd	1.00
Arnold, W. B.	88	S2-3 Whd	15.00
Arnold, W. B.	79	Whd.	1.00
Arnold, W. B.	80	Whd.	1.00
Arnold, W. B.	81	Whd.	1.00
Arnold, W. B.	82	Whd.	1.00
Arthur, C. P.	3	6-8 Ev.	16.40
Baker, Omer	4	2&7 Mab.	26.00
Bell, A. G.	76	1 H	22.50
Bell, A. G.	90	H	2.00
Bell, A. G.	89	1-6-9-12 H	2.00
Brislin, Mrs. H. L.	69	7-9 H	6.00
Burkett, J. D.	4	9-24 H	31.30
Burkett, J. D.	18	5-7 H	10.00
Burkett, J. D.	24	13-17 H	10.00
Burkett, J. D.	42	3 Ev.	7.40
Burleson, Frank	10	10-11 Rick	1.00
Carter, W. H. A.	7	38 Wom.	1.00
Dalton, S. J.	41	9 H	20.00
Davis, W. B.	9	7-8 Wom.	1.00
Dent, George	29	3-6 Whd.	3.10
Dent, Minnie Est.	13	3-4 H	6.00
Dent, Minnie Est.	14	38 1/2 H	10.00
Dent, Chas.	5	22-24 Ev.	2.00
Elliston, N. G.	10	4 Ev.	.50
Ferguson, C. C.	8	1 Ev.	30.00
Foster, A. A.	72	1-2 H	28.00
Garrison, G. P.	40	5-6 H	28.00
Godwin, A. A.	A-1	1-3 Mab	18.00
Guinn, G. H.	54	1-2 H	30.00
Guthrie, B. F.	58	1 H	30.00
Guthrie, B. F.	27	N22 1/2 H	54.00
Gyles, J. E.	13	9-13 H	23.50
Gyles, Wilson	21	1 Ev.	.50
Hardy, M. L.	17	27-30 Ev.	30.40
Harris, J. H.	61	1 H	20.00
Hubbert, Mrs. J. N.	6	14 Wom	5.00
Jackson, H. C.	1	3 Wom	21.50
Johnson, Mrs. A. E.	52	4 H	31.20
Keesee (Helra)	14	Rick	12.00
Masonic Hall	24	(2nd Story) 1 H	32.00
McCord, J. B.	19	7-9 Whd.	20.50
McKee, O. L.	2	8 Mab	7.90
McMurray, J. H.	4	Rick	9.70
Murchison, Mrs. A. P.	63	7-12 H	19.00
Oden, Lillian	9	1-6 Wom	8.00
Phillips, W. V.	A-1	7-11 Mab	20.76
Richards, C. S.	2	7-8 H	20.00
Rogers, Roy	13	9-12 Whd	20.00
Rogers, Roy	20	(Mill only) 13-15 H	59.50
Russell, W. H.	44	3 H	24.00
Sawyer, Mrs. Annie	16	3-6 Whd	16.50
Smith, Owen P.	61	3 H	32.50
Smith, W. T. (Red)	7	6-7 Wom	10.00
Sullens, J. J.	2	1-2 Rick	2.00
Sullens, H. E.	13	2 Rick	11.00
Turner, C. H.	C-1	10 Mab	2.00
Van Zant, Samp.	4	Ept 19 Wom	12.50
Vaughan, Oscar	24	2 Ev.	18.80
Vaughn, D. P.	16	1 Ev	49.10
Weems, J. H.	1	3 Wel	20.00
Weinerlich, H.	4	E98' 17 Wom	20.00
Wood, Tom	7	W139' 8 Wom	16.00
Abernathy, Mrs. M.	" 3 in W 1/4	Ev.	4.50
Arnold, B. S.	" 26	11-14 Ev	1.50
Atwood, Louise	" 35	34 Ev	1.00
Barker, J. F.	" 33	25-26 Ev	3.00
Bryan, W. P.	" 9	6-7 Wom	3.00
Campbell, W. O.	" 26	18-20 Ev	1.50
Beckham, Mrs. Susie	" 24	NE 1/4 Ev	5.50
Carter, Lee	" 12 in W 1/4	1-2 Ev	2.00
Copes, L.	" 39	23-24 Ev	1.00
Culp, I. W.	" 79	H	4.00
Dillard, I. N.	" 4	16 Wom	2.50
Dodson, S. J.	" 17	21-22 Rick	2.50
Dodson, C. W.	" 20	1-9 Whd	10.00
Donowa, Frank	" 4-3	1-3-8-10 Mab	2.00
Donowa, Frank	" 1 in 15	1-3 Mab	1.00
Donoway, Frank	" 2 in 3	Mab	2.50
Donoway, Frank	" 3 in 3	Mab	2.50
Donoway, Frank	" 18	1 & 4 Mab	5.50
Dower, N. C.	" 36	13 Ev	2.00
Ellis, L. R.	" 1-15	6-7 Mab	2.60
English, Margaret	" 2	9-10 H	20.00
Estock, F. A.	" 17	5-6 Whd	5.00
Exchange Nat'l. Bnk.	" 39	3-9 Ev	4.00
Exchange Nat'l. Bank	" 17	17 Ev	1.00
Exchange Nat'l. Bank	" 35	5 Ev	1.00
Forrister, L. M.	" 93	Whd	22.50
Forrister, L. M.	" 1	1-2 H	12.00
Galney, Mrs. W. M.	" 2	N 1/2 Wom	11.00
Galney, Mrs. W. M.	" 9	9 Ev	1.00
Gollahorn, Mrs. A. B.	" 28	11-12 H	20.00
Green, S. T.	" 70	7-8 H	5.00
Hancock, L. N.	" 21	4 Ev	1.00
Harding, E. J.	" 37	8 Ev	1.00
Harding & Perry	" 37	3-4-9 & 10 Ev	2.00
Hemstead, F. T.	" 1	2 DeAt	2.00
Higgins, Mary A.	" 3 in 16	4-5 Mab	1.00
Higgins, Mary A.	" 8	8-11 Wom	1.00
Hilton, Mrs. S. P.	" 1-17	20 Mab	.50
Hilton, Mrs. S. P.	" 3-17	1-5 & 11-15 Mab	1.50
Hollinsworth, J. M.	" 3	Wpt. 4 & Ept. 3 Wom.	3.50
Howard, C. E.	" 8	4 Ev	2.00
Hume, H. E.	" 21	3 Ev	1.50
Hurt, Blanch	" 17	3 Ev	1.00
Hurt, Blanch	" 33	28-29 Ev	2.00
Jenkins, Alice G.	" 36	7 Ev	1.00
Jenkins, Alice G.	" 4-3	6-7 Mab	1.00
Jenkins, Alice G.	" 14	5 Mab	3.00
Jewell, L. M.	" 30	20 Ev	.50
Johnston, Mrs. Friona	" 5	11-14 Wom	7.00
Kaetsel, G.	" 1-25	3-6 Ev	1.00
Kaetsel, C. J.	" 2-25	12-16 Ev	1.00
Kowomoor, C. F.	" 2-25	1-2 Ev	1.00

Mooney, M. J.	" 2-17	41 Mab	1.00
Meffert, C. B.	" 1	Ross	5.00
McBroom, T. M.	" 26	11-12 Whd	10.00
McGhee, J. H.	" 26	15-17 Ev	3.00
Nix, Albert	" 31 1/2	7-8 Ev	2.50
Offord, Ewd.	" 5	7-9 Ev	2.50
Onstead, J. H.	" 5	20-21 Ev	2.00
Onstead, J. H.	" 85	1-20&26 Ev	8.00
Owen, Kate H.	" 31	14 Ev	1.50
Pert, H. G.	" 1	S 1/2 DeAt	3.00
Powelson, Mrs. C. I.	" 3	Ept 4 Wom	3.00
Raynor, Mrs. W. H.	" 15	18 H	35.00
Stoddard, W. A.	" 28	7-8 H	20.00
Story, J. W.	" 31 1/2	3-4 Ev	2.50
Tabler, L. O.	" 33	15-24 H	15.00
Thomas, O. E.	" 21	2 Ev	1.00
Thompson, H. L.	" 1-17	8-12 Mab	1.50
Till, Beatrice	" 2-17	16-20 Mab	2.00
Witherspoon, Mrs. C. G.	" 24	20-22 H	7.00
Witherspoon, Mrs. C. G.	" 16	9 H	9.00
Woodlee, B. D.	" 85	6-7-33 Ev	2.00
Wooten, J. W.	" 1-16	1-2 Mab	2.00
Unknown	" 78	3 H	2.00
Unknown	" 5	15-16 Ev	2.00
Unknown	" 7	8 Ev	1.00
Unknown	" 10	7-8 Ev	2.00
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Unknown	" 21	6-10 Ev	2.00
Unknown	" 2-25	11 Ev	1.00
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Unknown	" 37	5-7-11 Ev	1.50
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Unknown	" 20	1-4 Whd	8.00
Unknown	" 3	8 Wom	2.00
Unknown	" 8	4-12 Ross	1.00
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Unknown	" 5	Ross	1.00
Unknown	" C-1	6-7 Mab	1.00
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Unknown	" 2-15	8-9 Mab	1.00
Unknown	" 2-16	9 Mab	1.00
Unknown	" 3-16	36-40 Mab	1.00
Unknown	" 3-16	47-50 Mab	1.00

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH:

In the regular meeting of Hereford Independent School Board, Hereford Independent School District:

We certify that we have examined the following 5 pages of Collector's report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Hereford Independent School District, Deaf Smith County, for the year 1925, which are delinquent for the taxes for 1925, and find the same correct, and that C. Benton, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes shown thereon, as follows, to-wit:

Hereford Independent Tax	\$3,215.45
Penalty	321.55
Total School Taxes	\$3,537.00

Given in open session this the 29th day of April, A. D. 1926.

J. W. HOUSTON, vice-president of school board.
H. G. CONKWRIGHT,
C. O. LEE,
J. O. NEWELL,
C. S. PURCELL,
Members of School Board of said District.

ATTEST: J. E. B. POSEY, Secretary.

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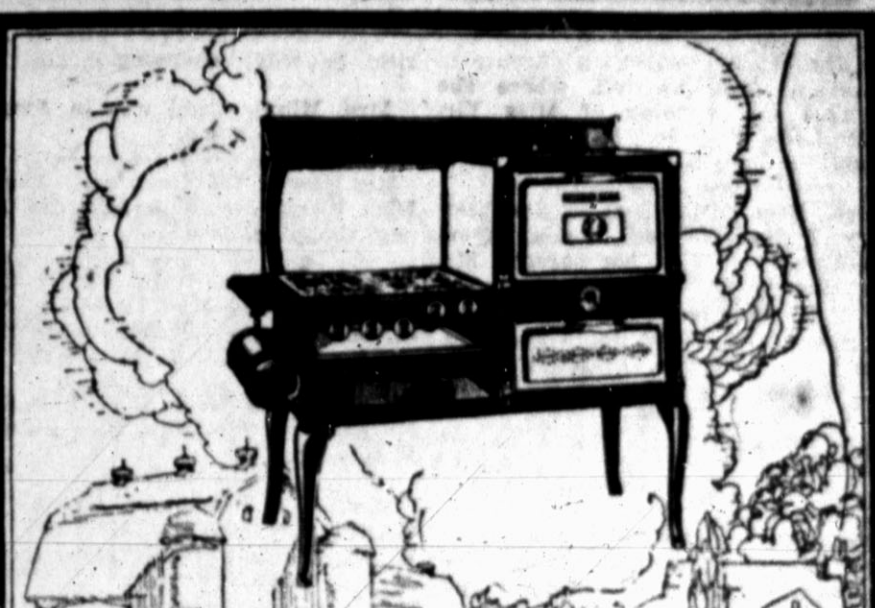
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Ralph Barnett, Manager

TOWN & COUNTY

Personalographs

Miss Eva Skelton came through Hereford Friday afternoon enroute to Plainview from Farwell, where she attended the wedding of Miss Virginia Laird and Joe Bailey Elliston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Zola Henry and daughter, Mary Louise, arrived Monday from Los Angeles, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Price and Mrs. Dow Mercer were in Amarillo Saturday visiting friends.

Big reduction in millinery on all early hats.
Vogele Millinery Parlor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Baird and daughter Mary Ann, and Mrs. Seth B. Holman, motored to Plainview Sunday and attended the wedding of their niece, Miss Virginia Laird, to Joe Bailey Elliston Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Orr and daughter, Miss Lula Orr, and son, Milton, left Sunday morning overland for Chattanooga, Oklahoma, where they are visiting relatives.

Have ten or twelve strong line bred yearling bulls for sale. See them at my place at Black, Texas. E. B. Black.

Mrs. Florence Shore of San Jon, New Mexico, was in Hereford during the week end and Monday, visiting Dr. Florence Miller and having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Black and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wilson, were in Canyon Sunday visiting relatives.

Cotton seed meal \$1.75 a hundred for cash, on Saturday, May 15. Jones & McLean.

Miss Ina Gregg was in Amarillo Saturday shopping.

Judge and Mrs. Clyde Wright and children, of Silverton, were in Hereford for a few hours Saturday visiting Mrs. Wright's father, A. W. Gregg.

If you are looking for a pretty dress hat, visit the Vogele Millinery Parlor.

Mrs. J. T. McDonald and daughter, Miss Blanche, and Miss Gwendolyn Spradley, were in Amarillo Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Rosson left Tuesday for Amarillo where they are attending the Hardware Dealers convention.

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Mrs. A. O. Thompson and daughter, Miss Margaret, were in Amarillo shopping Monday.

Mrs. W. M. Stovall and daughters, Misses Dyaltha and Virginia, were in Amarillo shopping Friday.

Miss Eloise Pitman, who is attending W. T. S. T. C. in Canyon this winter, spent the week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pitman.

On account of bad weather, I have postponed my recital from last week to Tuesday, May 18, and the public is cordially invited to attend.
Dessie Mae Steele.

Robert Anthony of Clovis, was in Hereford Wednesday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Anthony.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jesse and Miss Ruby Faye Bennett of Amarillo are visiting in Hereford this week with relatives and friends.

Just received a shipment of beautiful picture hats, in white and all colors.
Vogele Millinery Parlor.

Mrs. Nester Gass and Mrs. C. C. Ferguson left this week for Crosbyton, Texas, where Mrs. Gass will visit her sister and Mrs. Ferguson will visit her daughter who is teaching there this winter.

Miss Bernadine Price was in Amarillo Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Mingle Ruhl was in Amarillo Thursday shopping.

Mrs. Henry Wilkinson and daughter, Miss Wanda, were in Amarillo Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. N. E. McEntire and daughter of Canyon, and Mrs. Earl Bennett of Amarillo, were visiting in Hereford Sunday in the D. R. Gass home.

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Mrs. Carl Lewis of Slaton, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steckman, in Hereford the last of the week.

Misses Audrey and Velma Carrol, Velma and Veda Williams, Ruth Haber, and Clyde Carrol, Roger Corbett, Paul Simms, Geo. Vaughn and Dale Bodkins, motored to Lubbock Saturday and attended the Christian Endeavor District convention held there Saturday and Sunday, and composed one of the largest delegations present. A banquet was given for the out of town visitors on Saturday evening, and Sunday afternoon Hereford boys played ball there. The next district meeting is to be held in Plainview and Hereford is urged to have many delegates.

Mrs. Gertrude Brotherton was in Amarillo Wednesday and Thursday of last week shopping.

Miss Lenis Anthony and Virgil Beyer of Amarillo, were in Hereford Sunday afternoon visiting their parents.

Harold Spratt, of Amarillo, who is located with the Santa Fe offices there, was in Hereford for the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Spratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and family of Amarillo, were in Hereford Sunday, visiting in the home of Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. C. H. Dyar and mother, Mrs. T. G. Nance, Miss Waldine Wilson, who spent the week end in Hereford with her parents, returned with them Sunday afternoon to Amarillo.

Miss Rella Nugent of Amarillo, is visiting in the home of Miss Victoria Wilson this week, and many social functions are being given in her honor.

Mrs. E. C. Eubanks left Sunday for Santa Fe, New Mexico, where she will spend the next five months in work for the Chamber of Commerce at that point. Mrs. Eubanks occupied a similar position at Santa Fe last summer. While away she expects to visit California and Arizona points.

Young Man: You furnish the girl—we furnish the home.
E. B. BLACK CO.

OIL!

We will still drill three oil well tests near Hereford if the people will get behind the big wheel and help push to a finish.

A. E. CHAMNESS

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beyer spent the week end in Moreland, Oklahoma, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Black were preparing this week to leave Saturday for El Paso, where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. C. E. Birkmeyer, formerly Miss Elizabeth Black. Mr. Black will also attend the sessions of the Scottish Rite assembly. They expect to be away about ten days.

John H. Zivley of Anstia, assistant state fire marshall, made the rounds of local business houses Monday in company with City Fire Marshall, Anderson Witherspoon. Mr. Zivley complimented Mr. Anderson's work in inspecting the local houses very highly. Incidentally, to the surprise of The Brand force, he said the local newspaper office was far cleaner than the average newspaper office.

Double Green Stamps will only be given on cleaning that is paid for at time of delivery.—Orr's Tailor Shop.

W. C. (Dubs) Pitman, who has been with C. S. Purcell, groceryman, since the latter has been in business by himself, resigned his place last Saturday and Monday went to work for his old love, the Hereford Motor company. Mrs. Ray Barber is assisting Mr. Purcell temporarily, until Mr. Pitman's place is filled.

Our Hail Insurance takes effect when written, and not at some future date. Better have it and not need it than to need it and not have it. 8 per cent on Wheat and Oats, if you pay more we both loose money.
13-1f TROY WOMBLE, Agent.

The father and two sisters of R. W. Crosswhite, who is on the Basin Irrigated farm in South Hereford, arrived this week for a visit with their son. They are from Collin county, Texas.

We never failed to pay our losses. Twelve years in business and never had a law-suit. Our adjustments are satisfactory. Rate on Wheat and Oats 8% Note settlement. Why pay more?
GROOM MUTUAL HAIL ASST.
13-1f TROY WOMBLE, Agent.

A. H. Magill of Ontario, California, with his wife and daughter, was here this week visiting his nephew, Phil Arthur, and family. Mr. Magill seemed pleased with the looks and condition of the Plains country.

Kafir Seed for planting—only \$1.50 per hundred. We handle all kinds of grain. —Golden Rule Produce Co.

STAR THEATRE

Friday and Saturday
MAY 14-15
MARY PICKFORD, In—
"LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY"
One of Mary Pickford's Best.

Monday and Tuesday
MAY 17-18
THE HALF WAY GIRL
With—
DORIS KENYON
LLOYD HUGHES

Wednesday and Thursday
MAY 19-20
DOUGLAS MACLEAN In—
"THAT'S MY BABY"
FRIDAY ONLY, May 21
BUCK JONES In—
"DURAND OF THE BAND LANDS"

SATURDAY, May 22
THE SCARLET WEST
With—
ROBERT FRAZER
CLARA BOW
And ROBERT EDESON

Time of shows
Saturday Matinee 2:30 p. m.
Night Shows: 8:00 and 9:30

The Potter County Medical Society has its annual meeting and banquet at Amarillo next Friday night, May 14. Local physicians and invited guests are expected to attend. The banquet is planned to care for around 500 diners.

Stambaugh's Store is undergoing a transformation. With the grocery stock disposed of, the dry goods department has been given the entire floor space. Five carpenters and a couple of painters have been busy all week reconstructing the interior.

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J. A. Taylor and wife of Ames, Iowa, who own land near Kelso in Dear Smith county, passed through last Friday enroute home after wintering in California. They stated they had owned the land twenty years and were delighted to note the growth and development of the Panhandle country.

J. O. Newell was crippling around Tuesday, with a sad and discouraged air about him. Pressed for an explanation he finally told the story. Mr. Newell straddled a horse Monday afternoon and undertook to bring in a cow and young calf from his farm west of town. Coming down the road the cow would break away thru the fence on one side, then the calf would duck under the wire on the other side, etc. The president of the Hereford Independent school board was kept busy all along the route crawling first through one side then through the other of the wire fences, herding his bunch of two.

"I am not used to that kind of work," Mr. Newell said ruefully, Tuesday, easing himself into an arm chair.

Send your cleaning and pressing to Orr's Tailor Shop and get Double Green Stamps.

Baskin and Ino. Mosley Make A Long Auto Trip

L. Baskin and John Mosley drove over to Lubbock last Sunday in Mr. Mosley's Ford coupe.

When they started out from Hereford, this remark was made by a party owning a high priced car, "Do you think you can make it there and back in a day in that Ford?" Yes, we made it all right; left at 7 a. m. and returned at 8 p. m. and all without a single mishap.

The party with the big car did not return until 1 a. m. the next morning and had all kinds of trouble. The going trip was made via Tulla, Plainview, Hale Center, on to Lubbock while the return trip was made via Littlefield.

What looked especially fine all the way to Lubbock; but very little wheat was seen in the Littlefield district; the few patches observed, however, looked fine.

One thing was very noticeable; the land is being broken out almost solid, very little being left for pasture.

The settlements up this way near to Hereford, are more substantial. The buildings are of a much better class and are being well painted. Trees and shrubbery are being planted and the yards and grounds beautified. Chickens, hogs, dairy cows, and on some places, a number of sheep were noticed.

Farming is no more advanced down there than here, and we saw no cotton up. The towns all looked prosperous and the country in general is at least three weeks ahead of the usual spring.

NOTICE
Hereafter, all distillate and fuel oil must be paid for when purchased.
PERCY WEBBLIVER,
By Mrs. Speelman, Agent.
17-2t.

BABY BEEF—Try our tender steak and roast.—Hereford Produce, L. H. Spratt, Mgr. 2-1f
Quick Job Service at The Brand!

Free Musical Program Friday at High School

A free musical program will be offered to the public at the high school auditorium Friday night, May 14, beginning at 8:15 o'clock by three high school organizations, the orchestra and both Glee clubs. Director Ralph Smith has the program in charge and promises a rare treat for the music lovers of the city and community.

Mrs. Frank Venhaus

Mrs. Frank Venhaus of Nazareth died early Tuesday morning, May 11 and was shipped immediately to Emporia, Kansas, her old home. The body was accompanied by her husband.

Mrs. Venhaus was thirty years of age and was survived only by her husband.

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Living Room Furniture

Have just received a large shipment of Livingroom Furniture, consisting of Overstuffed and Feber Suites. These are much cheaper in price and should merit your strict approval. Come in and allow us the privilege of showing the full line. Our prices on these will show a nice saving.

Fine Art Rugs

We have the most complete line of *Art Rugs* we have had the pleasure of showing for quite a long time. We will appreciate a visit from you in this important department of our store. Our showing consists of the latest creations in Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Colonial Velvets, Tapestry, Brussels and many other kind. No trouble to show our goods.

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Get in the Swim

Have you noticed the building activity going on in this community? Lots of new homes and business buildings planned, and various other encouraging improvements.

NOW'S THE TIME! Everything looks favorable. Every red-blooded man cherishes an ambition to build a home some day. **DO IT NOW**—and let us figure with you on the plans and materials.

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