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# THE DAWSON COUNTY COURIER

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Volume I

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## National Music Week Slated To Begin Sunday, May 3rd

### Lamesa Makes Good Showing At District Meet

The following is a list of the winners from the Lamesa schools and the number of points:

Senior Boys Declamation—Johnnie Marr, first; Senior Girls Declamation—Mary Cameron, third; Ward School Junior Girls Chorus—Lottie Lockhart, first.

Class A High School Senior Essay—Allen Salsler, first.

Ward School Junior Essay—Elizabeth Arnett, second.

Girls debate lost on first round to Post.

Lamesa Volley Ball team lost in semi-finals to Floydada by small score of two points.

Lamesa High School track and field team won the general championship in track and field events with a total of 30 points.

The nearest competitor was Brownfield with a total of 23 points.

Slaton was third with 22 points. Douglas Hill won first in both the 100 yard dash and 220 yard dash.

George Addison placed first in shot put, and second in javelin throw.

Jake Salsler made fourth place in Discus.

Olen Norris and Carl Wiggins placed in the 440 yard dash by winning third and fourth places respectively.

Lamesa's relay team composed of Norris, Wiggins, Costin and Hill was easily the winner of first place.

Cecil Key and Naomi Pearl representing the local school in the regional typewriting contest, both made good records, and their combined average was the highest for the region.

Cecil's record was 66 words per minute for 20 minutes while Naomi's record was 53 words per minute. Cecil's record broke the old record, thus setting a new record.

Reports show that Lamesa won second place in the meet, being defeated by Lubbock schools by five points.

When it is considered that Lubbock Public Schools, by virtue of their population of over 4,000, enter as a city-county unit, the local school authorities are pleased with the showing and point out that Dawson county when considered as a whole was far ahead of the leader.

The music memory team of the elementary schools ranked third.

The following qualified for participation in the State meet to be held on May 7, 8 and 9th at Austin: Cecil Key and Naomi Pearl—typing; Johnny Marr—Declamation; Douglas Hill, Mason Costin, Olen Norris, Carl Wiggins and George Addison in track and field events.

The one act play was sent to the local schools during the meet and now rests with a large number of other cups in the trophy case in the High School Auditorium.

### Dawson County Receives Good Rains

A fine steady gentle rain fell here Monday and Tuesday and Tuesday night. Although most of Dawson county received a fair amount of moisture during the former rains, received a fair amount of moisture parts of the county reported that it was not quite enough.

However with the last rain all parts of the county received it and report the ground in fine shape for spring planting.

Many farmers have already planted; others are waiting about two weeks. General rainfall average was a bout 1 1/2 inches. Some parts of the county received as much as three inches and others only about three-fourths inch.

A. C. Wodward, left for San Angelo, Saturday.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Sunday School Attendance for Sunday, April 26, was as follows:

First Baptist .....360  
 Methodist .....272  
 Church of Christ .....101  
 First Christian .....86  
 Presbyterian .....52  
 Assembly of God .....51

Note—If all S. S. Superintendents will call 345, we shall be more than glad to publish the attendance weekly.

### 2,500 Head of Cattle Shipped From Here

2500 head of cattle were shipped from Lamesa, Tuesday afternoon to Nebraska and Kansas by Tom Good, who shipped 25 cars, and Arthur Clayton, who shipped 20 cars to his ranch in Vine Creek, Kansas.

Despite the mud and the rain two chuck wagons were present, and the cowboys and other men did full justice to the good food that is always to be found there. One chuck wagon was furnished by Tom Good and the other by Arthur Clayton.

An extra train of cars was ordered to carry the cattle to their respective points.

### HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL

Dawson County's Home Demonstration Council met Saturday in the office of the Home Demonstration agent with five clubs represented.

Tentative plans for the summer encampment to be held at Two Draw Lake at Post in June were discussed.

Mrs. D. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Watson, Misses Frances Burns and Darbula Watson visited in Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

### Sixty-Eight High School Students to Receive Diplomas

This list is not complete but merely tentative; other names may be added or some printed here may have changed status as the final examinations are to be given.

#### BOYS

Rupert Austin, Nolan Adams, George Addison, Guthrie Allen, Eugene Barrett, Loyd Burns, Melvin Carroll, Loyd Coats, Rayburn Collier, Walton Crawley, Richard Davis, Ellis Duke, Joe Evans, Alton Freeman, Wilford Ham, Douglas Hill, Howard Huddle, Hilton Jack, Cecil Key, Arlie Lowmire, Lawrence Matthews, A. J. McDaniel, Arther Nolen, Olen Norris, Ruben Parker, Flavil Pruitt, Jake Salsler, John T. Sanders, Alton Scott, Leonard Scott, Leroy Senter, Cecil Tune, William Underwood, Carl Wiggins.

#### GIRLS

Gladys Alsbrook, Elsie Lee Andrews, Louise Billingsley, Marguerite Boldin, Okylene Bullard, Mary Cameron, Mary Cooper, Christine Cozzert, Christine Creswell, Louise Cozzens, Ruth Cunningham, Lucy Etheredge, Rebecca Goodloe, Lola Greer, Oleta Herndon, Maggie Hill, Mary Dee Hill, Lemoine Ingram, Florena Littlefield, Beatrice Mitchell, Eleanor Montgomery, Laverne McKay, Opal McNew, Jaunita Paulk, Naomi Pearl, Nelva Powers, Pearl Ragsdale, Katherine Ray, Ruth Self, Pearl Lee Shillingburg, Hazel Sims, Lois Thorp, Mayna White, Gladys Wyatt.

### RESERVE OFFICERS MEETING

The regular meeting of the reserve officers branch troop school was held in the City Hall Thursday night April 23 with Lt. T. C. Horne instructing. A good attendance was reported. Those attending were Lt. Col. Louis B. Reid, Captain John B. Bennett, First Lts. T. C. Horne, Ray Lewis, Roy G. Loveless, W. A. Stephens and J. F. Prichard; Second Lts. R. Dyer, Kirk, Clarence E. Parks and Louie White.

### Bill Passes House TO Repay Famers Pink Boll Worm Cotton Losses

#### About \$75,000 Available For Dawson Co.

Sum of \$300,000 provided for West Texans; measure pushed through despite efforts to halt it; East Texas amendment ruled out of order.

On April 27 the house passed a bill to appropriate \$300,000 to reimburse West Texas farmers for losses sustained in 1929 and 1930 as a result of the pink boll worm quarantine. Vote was 79 to 35.

An effort to strike out the enacting clause was over whelmingly defeated without a record vote.

A motion by Representative Petch of Fredericksburg to postpone consideration of the bill until after the general bill had been acted upon also was defeated.

Approximately 23 counties were in the quarantined area but only 11 counties will receive reimbursements, according to Representative Metcalfe of San Angelo, floor leader for the bill. They were Howard, Glassecock, Dawson, Martin, Ector, Midland, Andrews, Ward, Brewster, El Paso and Crane.

A federal bill has been introduced to the house by Congressman Marvin Jones in which it is proposed that the Federal government pay one-half of the money. This money will not be available until the first of September at the earliest.

### H. E. Williams Elected President Hardware Dealers

H. E. Williams was elected president of the Panhandle Hardware and Implement Dealers Association which closed its 22nd convention held this year in Amarillo April 23rd. A feature of the convention was the inspection of the United States Helium plant. Mr. Williams succeeds Dan H. Wilmut of Roswell as president of the association. Those attending the convention from Lamesa were H. E. Williams of the Williams Hardware Co. and Mon D. Thaxton of Thaxton Hardware Co.

### Lubbock Selected for Next District Meet of Lions Club

A telegram from the Lions Club delegates at Port Arthur states that Lubbock has been selected for the district meeting of 1932 and recommended for the state convention of Lions for 1933.

### Word Received of Affirmation of Sentence of Ira McKee

In a telegram which was received here this morning by county and state officials, the death sentence of Ira McKee was confirmed. McKee was sentenced to death here last May for the killing of W. R. Billingsley of the Sparger community. McKee will be brought here in about a month for the setting of the date for his execution.

### ATTEND LIONS CONVENTION

D. Hull, Sherman Hill, J. R. Flaniken and Guy Travis left Sunday morning for Port Arthur to attend the State Lions Convention this week.

### ANNUAL EVENT WILL BE SPONSORED BY LOCAL STUDY CLUB

Music Week, which is a national observance week, opens on May 3 and continues the whole week to May 10. Special musical numbers and programs will be featured throughout the week and all people are asked to attend at least one of the places where Music Week is being observed.

#### Sunday

Beginning Sunday, May 3 Music Week will be observed by all the local churches with special music. Sunday afternoon, starting at 3:30 p. m., there will be a community sing song to be held on the Court House lawn, weather permitting. If not it will be held at the Methodist Church in which everybody is invited to participate. V. Z. Rogers will direct assembly singing.

#### Monday

Special music will be featured at all the missionary societies of the different churches.

#### Tuesday

The Luncheon Club will observe Music Week with special musical numbers.

#### Wednesday

Special music will be a feature of the Lions Club weekly luncheon.

#### Thursday

Mrs. Allen G. Barnard will present her pupils in a recital at the Grammar school auditorium from 8:35 to 9:30. Those appearing on the program will be Robert Kilgore, Blanche Murphy, Mary Ellen Lambeth, Lenore Bartlett, Elizabeth Arnett, Bobbie Cleveland, Nell Francis Simpson and Mrs. Dee Hull. The public is cordially invited to attend this program.

Beginning at 8:00 o'clock there will be a concert on the Court House lawn weather permitting, at the Bandstand, in which the Blue Bonnet Choral Club, under the direction of Mrs. A. G. Barnard; the municipal band and the city orchestra will participate and entertain you.

#### Friday

The Study Club will observe National Music Week with a grandmothers meeting. This is an annual affair of the Women's Study Club, at which time all grandmothers of the county are in attendance.

Friday will also be observed at the Grammar school with a program from 8:35 till 9:00 a. m. This program is under the direction of Miss Peti Raisa, who has invited all interested mothers and visitors to attend.

### Farmers Co-op Society to Hold Meet Saturday, May 2nd

There will be a general meeting and election of new directors for the Farmers Cooperative Society No. 1 at the Court House on Saturday May 2 at 2:00 p. m. All members are urged to be present.

### Winners in Living Room Contest Announced to Public

The winner in the Class 1 living room contest this year is Mrs. N. F. Peterson of McCarty community. Class 2 living room contest was won by Mrs. J. H. Adkins of Liberty community. Living rooms in Class 1 are improved at a cost not exceeding \$50.00; those in Class 2 are improved at a cost exceeding \$50.00.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Meek received word Wednesday from their daughter in Amarillo, who has been critically ill following an operation; that her condition is much improved.

### Big Parade Saturday Following Election Of New City Officials

Boys Week, which officially opened Sunday, will be observed by Lamesa boys with a big parade to be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30, with all boys in Dawson county participating, not to mention dogs, ponies, and goats.

Order of the parade is as follows and all boys will please take notice:

The general assembly will be held at 2:30 with the parade proper beginning at 3:00 o'clock, and will meet at Methodist Church. The elected mayor of the day will lead the parade followed by other city officials, who in turn will be followed by the municipal band. Amos and Andy, and Madame Queen will be next in line, with the clowns closely following their heels. Mickey McGuire and his gang will be behind the clowns to see they behave themselves, and Smitty and his pals will keep tag on Mickey McGuire. Skeelix and the Alley Rangers follow with other comic character behind them. Animal stunts will be next with the Tin Pan Band under the direction of Von Makemuchnoise pepping the animals up. 4-H clubs follow the tin pan band, their heels being trodden on by the rural schools. Boy Scout troops are next followed by the High School and Grammar school respectively. The cowboys and Indians bring up the rear.

The above order of parade is only tentative and may be changed in any manner that may seem fit to the directors. Committees will welcome any suggestions or ad-

ditions to the program. All boys will please bring your ponies, dogs, donkeys, goats or what have you and fall in line. The cooperation of every boy in the county is urged to help make this parade a big success. The program committee is composed of Joe Spikes, G. E. Ezmon and Ernie Parkman; get in touch with them.

Election of city officials begins Thursday. The elected officials will be sworn in and will reign with full authority Saturday. Polls are open from 3:30 to 7:00 p. m.

Nominees for the various city offices are as follows: For Mayor—J. M. Wood, Johnnie Marr, Fleet Barrow, Joe Evans, and Loyd Morgan; Commissioners (Two to be elected)—Stanley Wilkes, Robert Koger, Lex Carroll, C. L. Schmidt, Herbie Heffernan, Pap Manning, Joe E. Hardesty and Robert Ross; Chamber of Commerce secretary—Nelson Williams; Fire Chief—Lamar Cole, Braswell Gilbert, Pat Ridgway and Billy Warren; City Marshal, City Secretary, traffic cops, etc. will be appointed by the mayor and commissioners.

### PROTRACTED MEETING

At the Church of Christ beginning May 17 a series of meetings will begin. Bro. John T. Smith of Lubbock will do the preaching and Brother C. O. Bankhead of Hobbs will lead the song service. Both are at the top in their line of God's work.

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## Social News of 'The Week'

### WOMENS STUDY CLUB

The regular meeting of the Study Club was held on Friday the 24th with 22 members listening to a good program.

During the business meeting plans were formed to entertain the Grandmothers of the city along with all the members of the club. Mrs. A. G. Barnard stated that beginning May 4th was National Music Week and several musical programs were being arranged in the city.

Mrs. Clyde Branon took charge of the study program and asked Mrs. Dixie Kilgore to take up the study of the "Bridge of San Luis Rey". Following her reading, Mrs. Clyde Branon and Mrs. Jack Phinizy finished the book. All three members gave a very descriptive and fine reading and the book has been much enjoyed by all members.

The next and last book to be studied is by Willa Cather: "Death Comes to the Archbishop."

### MRS. JESS PAULK HOSTESS TO 1931 NEEDLE CLUB

Mrs. Jess Paulk was a delightful hostess on Friday afternoon to the 1931 Needle Club and invited guests in a social meeting.

Games of 42 were enjoyed by Mesdames C. E. Sumner, M. C. Morris, S. C. Albertson, T. A. Palutner and G. M. Terry with Mesdames Conrad Watson and Bill Watson as guests.

At the conclusion of the 42 games the hostess served a salad plate of sandwiches, hot chocolate candy and cake.

Mrs. T. A. Painter will be the next club hostess.

### MISS ANN CANNON HONORED WITH PICNIC

Miss Ann Cannon of Plainview was honored Friday evening with a picnic supper at Mullins by Misses Luella Pickett and Grace Robinson.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Matt McCall, Misses Jewel Towns, Patti Raisa, Helen Mesengale, Messrs. Dan Ogletree, Cecil Speck and Earnest Parchmann.

A delightful picnic supper of potato salad, sandwiches, olives, pickles, potato chips, weiners, hot buns and cake was served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Evans visited in Monohans Sunday afternoon.

### MR. AND MRS. N. P. COCHRAN ENTERTAIN WITH BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Cochran entertained a number of their friends Thursday evening at their home with a bridge party, with two tables of guests enjoying the occasion.

In the games Miss Sally Rutledge held high score for ladies and was presented a salt and pepper set. Mr. Barkhurst held high score for men and received a leather address book.

Hot coffee, sandwiches and cake were served at the conclusion of the games to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barkhurst, Billy Wright, Elmer Cope, Jelly Michell and Miss Sally Rutledge.

### ICE CREAM SUPPER

A most enjoyable social evening was enjoyed Saturday evening by the folks of the Mungler community at the home of R. S. Hogan. About 40 guests assembled to enjoy ice cream and cake. Following this the crowd was entertained with some good music by local musicians.

### ENTERTAIN WITH 42

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McLain were hostesses Friday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Temple and children at a dinner given at the McLain home on North 1st Street.

Following the dinner, games of 42 were played in which the dinner guests were joined by Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Avrllett.

### W. M. S. HOLD REGULAR MEETING

The W. M. S. of the Presbyterian Church met this week at the home of Mrs. A. H. Smith with six members and one guest present. A business meeting preceded the lesson at which time discussion of church plans for the coming year were discussed. Members present were Mesdames Sam Richardson, J. W. Tipton, Daryl Kirk, Elzie Burleson, Louis B. Reid and Mrs. Guy, a visitor from Dallas and the hostess.

A Bible study was the topic for the afternoon.

Mrs. Roscoe Holton is visiting in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Ridgway spent Sunday evening in O'Donnell.

### MISS NADINE McMAHAN HONORED WITH PARTY

Miss Nadine McMahan was honored Saturday evening at 8 o'clock with a party celebrating her 15th birthday anniversary.

Dancing and games furnished amusement for the guests who were: Misses Darthula Watson, Audine Ragan, Francis Burns, Frances Bentsen, Miriam Goodloe, Geneva Ransom, Opal McMahan, the honoree and Messrs. Joe Evans, Melvin and Lex Carroll, Douglas Hill, J. K. Salsar, Robert Koger, Garland Moore, Ross Lowrie, Pat Reece and Flavil Pruitt.

Many beautiful birthday gifts were showered upon Miss Nadine after which the guests were served delicious ice cream and angel food cake.

### MRS. PHILIP YONGE HOSTESS TO TUESDAY BRIDGE STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Phillip Yonge charmingly entertained the Tuesday Bridge Study Club this week at her home on South 3rd Street with three tables of guests enjoying the series of bridge games.

High favor went to Mrs. Tom Burnside, a deck of Congress cards. Refreshments of iced tea, crackers and congealed fruit salad was served to Mesdames Jack Phinizy, Frank Rose, Truman Campbell, Tom Burnside, J. E. Garland, Harland Harp, Louis Reid, Lee Hanson, W. D. Arnett, Robert Guy, Elzie Burleson and Walter Connell.

### MRS. W. H. SMITH HONORED WITH PARTY

Mrs. W. H. Smith was honored with a surprise birthday party and dinner on Friday afternoon celebrating her 76th birthday.

The table was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and the dinner already spread when she was invited in.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russell and son of Liberty, Mrs. J. F. Jackson, Mrs. A. D. Crow and Mrs. Phillips of McCarty, Miss Dollie Smith, her granddaughter and Billy Smith her great grandson, Miss Merl Smith and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Smith with whom Mrs. W. H. Smith makes her home.

A delightful day was spent in merry making and thankfulness.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Bynum of Brownfield were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garland.

Miss Margaret Garland of O'Donnell entertained out of town guests at her home during the week-end.

Miss Hazel McCommas, employee of Stone Dept. Store was called to Lubbock Monday to the bedside of her mother, following an appendicitis operation.

Miss Bernice Ragan of Seagraves visited in Lamesa during the week-end.

### CLUB CALENDER

**Monday:** Missionary Societies of First Baptist, Methodist, First Christian, Presbyterian, Church of Christ, 3 p. m.

**Tuesday:** Blue Bennett Choral Club, 9 a. m. Missionary Society of Missionary Baptist Church, 3 p. m. American Legion Auxiliary, 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 7:30 p. m.; Court House. Bridge Study Club, 3 p. m. Tuesday Bridge Club, 3 p. m. Delphian Chapter, 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 7:30 p. m., Women's Club House.

**Wednesday:** Wednesday Bridge Club, 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 3 p. m.

**Thursday:** Parent Teachers Association, 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 4 p. m.

**Friday:** Woman's Study Club, 2nd and 4th Fridays, 2:30 p. m., Woman's Club House.

### HAM RECIPES

**Baked Ham, Cavalier Style**  
Cover half a Ham with water, bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer, about thirty minutes to the pound. Remove rind, rub brown sugar into fat, and stick in whole cloves. Put into baking pan and pour over ham two cups cider. Bake in moderate oven about 45 minutes, basting several times. Serve with the hot cider sauce, and mashed baked sweet potatoes moulded and garnished with cherry and parsley.

**Summer Baked Ham**  
Cover a ham with boiling water, add 12 cloves, 2 bay leaves, 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon celery seed, 10 peppercorns. One quart fresh currants crushed and a sprig of mint may be added if desired. Simmer, allowing about 20 minutes per pound of ham. Pare off skin, sprinkle ham with brown sugar. Brush over with beaten egg. Cover with bread crumbs. Stick in cloves at even intervals, alternating with rows of green olives halved lengthwise. Bake in a moderate oven, 6 minutes to the pound. Serve cold with sliced tomatoes.

**Ham With Scalloped Potatoes**  
Fill a buttered baking dish, three fourths of its depth with sliced potatoes, sprinkle generously with flour, season with salt and pepper and pour in milk to cover. Place a slice of ham over the potatoes and bake in a moderate oven 45 minutes.

J. A. Head of Granbury, Texas visited in Lamesa this week.

Miss Marjorie Ferguson visited friends in Big Springs, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCarsen who for about a week returned here have been visiting in San Angelo Saturday.

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Mavis Talcum ... 23c	Lysol ... 25c
Tooth Brushes, large & small 15c	Aspirins ... 10c
50c size Hands Cream ... 39c	Mercurchrome ... 10c
\$1.00 size Hands Cream ... 95c	Ponds Cleansing Tissue ... 10c
Johnsons Baby Talcum ... 23c	Lip Stick ... 15c
Mennens Baby Talcum ... 23c	Rouge ... 15c
3 Razor Blades ... 10c	200 yard Spool Thread ... 5c
Listerine ... 10c	Silk Thread ... 5c
Listerine, 3 oz. ... 25c	Hot Water Bottle ... 50c
Listerine, 7 oz. ... 49c	Tennis Shoes ... 89c
Listerine, 12 oz. ... 98c	Unionalls, pair ... 75c
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**Claude M. Evans**  
 Receives Honor  
 at A. & M. College

The Courier is in receipt of copies of the Battalion's Weekly News and Monthly Art Magazine, edited and published by the cadet corps of the A. & M. College. The Battalion carries the report of the annual election of officers of these publications in which Claude M. Evans of Lamesa becomes Editor in Chief. This is a distinct honor to a Dawson County boy and one in which all West Texas may share some pride. Claude is a junior Civil Engineer at A. & M. and becomes Editor in Chief in his senior year, stepping up from literary editor. He is the son of County Agent and Mrs. W. W. Evans. According to the Battalion, Claude had no opponent in the election while other offices were hotly contested.

The weekly Battalion is full of student activity news, is well printed, and well balanced. The magazine is an attractive, artistic piece of work.

These two splendid publications are managed and supported by the large student body on a commercial basis by outside advertising and have a circulation of several thousand copies.

The Courier is proud of Dawson County's young men and women who strive to train themselves for greater usefulness.

**J. D. DYER ATTENDS LEGION AND POSTAL MEET**

Mr. J. D. Dyer attended the Postal Meeting in Lubbock, Friday and also the American Legion meeting. At both these meetings plans were made for conventions.

**Legion Meeting**

At the Legion meeting arrangements were made for the program to be held at the convention. Important state officials were present including the state commander, the National commander, and adjutant commander. During the meeting the national commander stated that the bonus that is being paid to the war veterans was not responsible for the deficit in the treasury as this money was set aside yearly during the war, and that this is the money that is now being used. Plans were made by Mr. Dyer and associates to secure state commander Howell Brennon to be the principal speaker for the opening of the American Legion home here May 1st. Mr. Brennon is a well known speaker of the state. Those attending from Lamesa were Sem Richardson, J. D. Dyer, J. R. Bizzell, Louis B. Reid, Paul Mullinex, W. T. Pinto and J. A. Dunn.

**Postal Meeting**

At this meeting of which Mr. Dyer is president, plans were made for the convention to be held in Lubbock, May 30th. Mr. Dyer has promised us a more detailed account in the future. Look for it in the Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Weaver and son Bill were Lubbock visitors Friday.

Mrs. Alpha Dugan, Miss Irene Wright, Otis Terrace and C. E. Nobles, visited in Big Springs Sunday afternoon.

**At The Theater**



Friday and Saturday

RANGO—A picture made in the jungles of Sumatra, almost on the equator where beasts roamed wild is coming to the Palace.

RANGO is a story of the struggle for existence in the depths of the tropical jungle of a native tiger hunter and his son and a red haired ape and his two year old ape son—RANGO.

This picture is brittle with suspense. A deadly python stealing silently through the night. A lithe black panther lurking in the shadows. A pair of marauding tigers stalking the jungle trails, striking fear into the hearts of the jungle folk.

And for a climax—a scene no camera has ever caught before—a battle to the death of two maddened tigers.



Sunday, Monday and Tuesday

El Brendel and Fifi Dorsay in MR. LEMON OF ORANGE—a laughing riot from beginning to end as El Brendel imitates a gangster and plays his part in notorious night life. Is Fifi Dorsay a lemon Squeezer?—and how! If you fail to see MR. LEMON OF ORANGE you will have missed the funniest picture in months as El Brendel is at his best. Eddie Cantor wrote the dialogue for this picture and you know Eddie!

Wednesday and Thursday

KISS ME AGAIN—the last word in love stories, featuring Bernice Cleve and Walter Pidgeon is coming to the Palace.

In the story Fifi—a cabaret singer and favorite of Paris plays them high until she meets a man who wouldn't fall—her love song "Kiss Me Again" found its way to his heart as it will to yours.

Ladies of fashion:—In KISS ME AGAIN you will see the latest in beautiful clothes, modeled from a fashionable Paris salon: a style show for ladies; a smile show for men and a love story the whole world has taken to its heart—for her wink wins a captain, her smile wins a general, and her kisses defeat the legion!

Mrs. Jesse Walker was a Crane City visitor Wednesday of last week.

Miss Kathryn Anderson spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Lewis of Louisiana are guests of Mother Holloway this week.

Miss Pauline Davis of Lubbock was a week end guest of Miss Merle Shipp.

Miss Audrey Faye Bailey of Crane City was here over the week end visiting her host of friends.

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### LADIES SHOES

**500 PAIRS** in this lot; pumps, straps ties and oxfords. These come in all sizes and colors. The regular value of these shoes was \$3.95 and \$4.85. You will find the latest in ladies footwear in this lot and at only the pair—  
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### Opening Day Special, 1:00 p. m. Friday LADIES HATS

Never before values like these. Get a hat to match each dress. This lot includes all shapes, colors and sizes. These are what you have been paying \$2.95 and \$3.95 for but while they last we are going to pass them out at, each—  
**25c**  
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### SPECIALS—

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**10:00 a. m. FRIDAY, MAY 1 1c**  
**10:00 a. m. SATURDAY, MAY 2 1c**  
 Large lot while it lasts at the yard. One large lot McCall Patterns. Patterns for almost every thing. Values up to 50c. Hurry for these as they are going at, each.....

## Money Will Buy More Goods Here

### MENS SHOE BARGAINS

Men space will not permit us to tell you all our shoe bargains. If you need shoes it will be money in your pockets to buy here during this big sale. Look at these prices—they cannot be equaled for the quality, all leather shoes we have in these lots.  
 One lot men's dress oxfords. These come in black or tan, blucher style, are all leather and a big bargain at, the pair—  
**\$2.39**  
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### MENS DRESS PANTS

Men this lot all wool summer dress pants, best of material and workmanship, regular \$5.00 to \$7.00 values. They are plain and fancy colors, light and dark, full cut and large leg. Price for this sale at each—  
**\$1.95**  
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### MENS KHAKI PANTS

One large lot all sizes. Men these are what you have been paying \$1.45 for so here is a chance to make a big saving and what you save is like earning that much. Come in and buy these at, the pair—  
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### LADIES' Rayon Bloomers

Here is a real bargain—rayon bloomers at the price you have been paying for jerseys. This lot comes in all sizes and colors. Going at; each—  
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These are silk from toe to top. They are not seconds but guaranteed firsts. Come in all pastel shades. Regular 98c value. Hurry for these at the pair—  
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### CHILDREN'S Hats

One lot all new styles and shapes. These are the regular \$1.49 value, but girls, you can take your choice of this big assortment at, each—  
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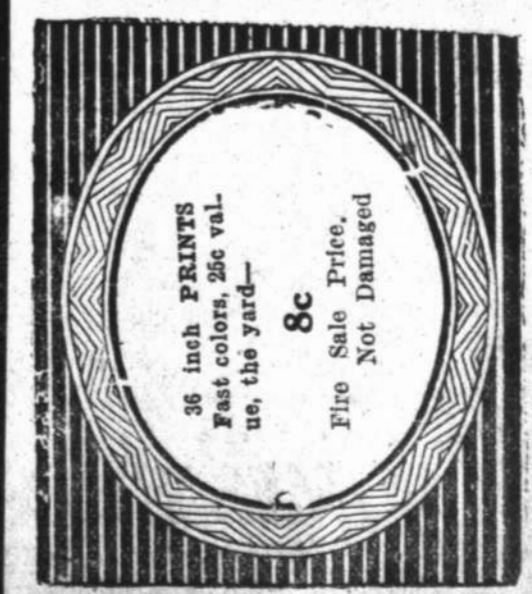
### MEN'S Work Shirts

Men these are the chambray shirts; come in blue and gray colors, are 7 buttons, 2 pockets, and coat style. They are full cut and think of them going at each—  
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A NEWSPAPER FOR AND BY THE PEOPLE OF DAWSON COUNTY

## Grammar School News

Below is a list of Seventh Grade pupils—candidates for graduation. This list is merely tentative and is not definitely official, as there are likely to be changes the last week. Exercises are to be held Friday afternoon, May 15 in the High School Auditorium. The speaker for the graduating class has not been announced.

**Mrs. Stuart's Room—Girls**  
Elizabeth Arnett, Evelyn Cherry, Vanabell Clark, Bobbie Cleveland, Edith Mae Collins, Thelma Duty, Mary Etta Farmer, Nadine Foreman, Roberta Lee Hason, Deola Herndon, Aylene McClintock, Artie Moore, Blanche Murphy, Inez Ross, Norene Townsend, Allie Strickland, Texas Sullivan.

**Boys**  
George Berry, James Garland, Frank Hardesty, R. S. Huddle, J. L. Kidd, Loyd Morgan, Robert Ross, Ferber Salsar, Delmer Sears, Edwin Speck, Kenneth Terral, L. T. Warren.

**Miss Pickett's Room—Girls**  
Reba Broughton, Evelyn Burnside, Barbara Goodloe, Jack Hart, Bobbie Dee Hull, Ruth Merrick, Eugenia Pruitt, Egle Ream, Ruth Lee Stuart, Nettie Elizabeth Underwood, Eva Westmoreland, Georgia Mae Williams, Zella Mae Rust, Ernestine Lay.

**Boys**  
Loyd Baum, Stanley Beal, Lamar Cole, Homer Cozzens, Rex Fenley, Rufus Griffin, Herbert Plonken, J. W. Harp, J. D. Kee, Cyril McGillivray, Eldon Renfrow, George Mitchell, Jack Penley, Eddie Matthews, Elmer Atkins.

A very enjoyable program was held Tuesday afternoon by the school children. The program itself was sponsored by the P.T.A. Music, plays and readings made up the program. A small admission charge was made proceeds of which went to pay off a book debt.

The members of the Sports Club received their emblems in chapel Tuesday morning. These emblems are in recognition of the work done in sportsmanship by the girls. To earn the emblem the girls had to have 75 points for 10 practices and a total of 300 points. Spring and fall sports were entered into by the members.

Music week will be observed in the grammar school with a musical program held each morning of the week. Miss Patti Raisa has charge of the work.

Mrs. Pinkle Brack and Mrs. Matt McCall were sponsors of Tuesday's chapel program. A very interesting and enjoyable program was rendered by the kindergarten and 1st grade pupils. Numbers on the program included music singing and readings.

Miss Ruth Lee Stuart has been announced as valedictorian of the graduating class. Miss Roberta Lee Hanson is a close second as salutatorian with a slight difference of 3.12 average lower than Ruth Lee.

The seventh grade class girls have decided that their graduation dresses are to be uniformly simple styles. This individual costume has as yet not been chosen. The boys will also be dressed uniformly.

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# Good Seed Pays

By  
W. W. Evans, County Agent

GOOD SEED pays in Dawson County as demonstrated by a large number of farmers who have increased the quality of grain and cotton and who have secured larger yields by the use of pure seed. The carry over supplies of cotton officially reported indicate that short weak staples are not as saleable as the medium length strong, hard bodied cottons. Mebane types appear well adapted to this section and more and more of this kind of cotton is each year being planted which has proven that since cotton staple length is important in selling cotton the better varieties of improved cotton are having a favorable influence in improving the prices received for cotton.

There is appearing in grain sorghums a disease known as head smut which greatly affects yields and the germination of seed when planted. This smut has the appearance of the grain head massing together. The grain thus affected is off color and weak. Another disease is grain smut commonly called oat nut and the smut is black or dark blue. In the case of head smut the seed is heated to a temperature of 132 degrees for 15 minutes and the grain or black smut is treated by diluting formaline, one pound to forty gallons of water and sprinkling and turning the grain. Perhaps a better plan is to plant state certified seed which is supposed to be free from disease.

## COUNTY JUDGE CONVENTION

During the County Judge and Commissioners convention on the 16th and 17th of this month which met in Abilene, Judge Philip Yonge and Commissioners H. L. Hohn and C. M. Burton prepared and submitted the following resolution which was passed by a unanimous vote of the convention.

"Be it resolved that the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Convention go on record in favor of the bill now with the Legislature of Texas for an appropriation to reimburse the farmers of West Texas for money expended by them for the sterilizing of cotton seed and the fumigation of lint cotton for the years 1929 and 1930, on account of the quarantine by reason of the Pink Boll Worm, and that a copy of this resolution be furnished the Speaker of the House, the Lieutenant Governor of this state, Representative G. E.

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Lockhart and the Authors of the bill, Lee Saterwhite, Penrose Metcalf and Carl Rountree.

Mrs. W. Q. Richards of Paducah was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Westmoreland.

Miss Ruth Hines who is attending Tech College visited her parents Rev. and Mrs. Hines here during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLaughlin visited in Big Spring Sunday afternoon.

## Summer Is Here

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5.25-21	8.57	8.57	16.70
6.00-20H.D.	11.50	11.50	22.30
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4.75-19	9.70	9.70	18.90
5.25-21	12.95	12.95	25.90
COURIER TYPE			
30x3 1/2	\$3.97	\$3.97	\$7.74
4.40-21	4.55	4.55	8.80
4.50-21	5.15	5.15	9.96

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**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Rev. J. T. Stricklin  
Sunday school ..... 9:45  
Morning service ..... 11:00  
Evening service ..... 7:30  
Announcements  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening; young peoples meeting Sunday afternoon.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. E. F. Cole  
Sunday school ..... 9:45  
Morning service ..... 11:00  
B. Y. P. U. ..... 6:45  
Announcements  
W. M. S. Circle meeting 4:00  
Monday; Intermediate G. A. at 4:10  
Monday; R. A. at 4:10 Tuesday;  
teachers and officers council, 7:15  
Wednesday; Junior G. A. 4:00  
Wednesday; prayer meeting, 7:30  
Wednesday.

**MISSIONARY BAPTIST**  
Rev. W. B. Wages  
Sunday school ..... 9:45  
Morning service ..... 11:00  
B. Y. P. U. ..... 6:30  
Evening service ..... 7:30  
Announcements  
W. M. U. Meeting, Tuesday 2:30;  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

**NAZARENE CHURCH**  
Rev. J. B. Gattlin  
Sunday school ..... 9:45  
Morning service ..... 11:00  
Evening service ..... 7:45  
N. Y. P. S. ..... 6:45  
Announcements  
W. F. M. S. meets Friday at 2:30; prayer meeting at 7:15 Thursday.

**JOE EVANS OPENS POLITICAL BATTLE**

To the Boys of Lamesa  
"I am opposed to spitting on the sidewalk."

My friends, solicit my candidacy for the office of Mayor of Lamesa for one day; Saturday, May 2nd, which is the last day of National Boy's week observed annually throughout the nation. As a student in high school I am interested in the science of government and in the elvle welfare of my community, and being interested, have visited the city hall and offices where government is administered to familiarize myself of the duties, affairs and responsibilities that are entrusted to the holder of this office.

One who is not acquainted with these things is more than likely to become discouraged by the overwhelming responsibility of the office and be awed in the presence of that august body of Big men, now at the head of our local government. But I find heart in the old adage:  
The giant oak from a little acorn grew.  
So don't become discouraged, but remember,  
The oak was once a little nut like you.

I will depart from the old custom of making meaningless campaign promises by saying that if selected I will conscientiously enforce law and order and cooperate with my colleagues in office to carry out the mandate of the law.

Boys, I solicit your vote and influence.  
Girls, I will appreciate your influence.  
Respectfully yours,  
Joe Evans

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Rev. D. E. Little  
Sunday school ..... 10:00  
Morning service ..... 11:00  
Evening service ..... 7:45  
Announcements  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Eugene H. Surface  
Services held in Lamesa on second and fourth Sundays. During months with five Sundays, services will be held on every other fifth Sabbath.  
Sunday school ..... 10:00  
Morning service ..... 11:00  
Evening Service ..... 8:00  
Announcements  
W. M. S. meets Mondays at 3:00 p. m.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday school ..... 9:45  
Morning service ..... 11:00  
Evening service ..... 7:45  
Announcements  
Ladies' Aid meets Monday afternoon at 4:00; Mrs. J. L. Schuler conducts Juniors' meet each Sunday

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. W. C. Hinds  
Sunday school ..... 9:45  
Morning service ..... 11:00  
Epworth league ..... 6:45  
Evening service ..... 7:30  
Announcements  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30; announcements for choir practices and aid meetings made every Sunday.

J. R. McCauley was a Big Spring visitor Thursday.

W. E. Cox, student of Simmons University, was a visitor here over the week-end.



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**MAN WANTED**—Because of the resignation of J. W. Adams we have a splendid opportunity for an industrious farmer or one who is used to dealing with farmers. No investment needed. Sales experience not necessary. We train you. High pressure men not wanted. Write at once for details, McCombs & Company, 216 McCombs Bldg. Memphis, Tenn. 16-1tc

**FOR SALE**—1928 Pontiac two door sedan, excellent condition, new paint, new tires—See it at Camp Del Paso Lamesa. 16-7tp

**FOR SALE**—P. & O. Planter for sale or trade—See A. F. Monfhey, Sparenberg. 16-1tp

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank the kind friends of Lamesa during the illness and death of my wife.  
We especially thank Rev. Little and Rev. Cole for visiting in our home and conducting the funeral services.  
Lester Christopher

**FOR SALE**—Good Maize and Cotton seed.—See J. D. Guye, Pride Texas. 16-1tp

**FOR LEASE**—A ten acre Place, ad a Five Acre Place on Weaver Avenue, opposite Mr. Hollings-head's Place—See Mr. Painter at Morris & Martin's office. 16-1ft

**CORRECTION**  
In the last weeks issue of the Courier the list of officers for the Dawson County Singing Convention were wrong. We are pleased to make the following correction: President, G. C. Clift; Vice President, Herschel Jones; Secretary, Calvin Shipley; Chaplin, Jack Womack.

Miss Esther Edwards of Loraine Texas was here over the week-end visiting Miss Margaret Garland and family.

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Yea, though I walk thru the valley of the shadow of starvation,  
I do fear evil, for thou art against me.  
Thy politicians and profiteers and mergers frighten me;  
Thous preparest a reduction in my salary before me, in the presence of mine enemies.  
Thou annoyest my income with taxes;  
My expenses runneth over my income.  
Surely unemployment and poverty will follow me all the days of the Republican Administration.  
And I will dwell in the Poor-house forever.

**Annual 4-H Meet**  
More than \$5,000.00 in county, state, sectional and national prizes is at stake in the second annual National 4-H Meat Animal Livestock Project contest which will occur during 1931; it is announced by the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work.  
These awards for America's most outstanding junior animal husbandmen are being offered by Thomas E. Wilson, prominent livestock breeder, packer, and chairman of the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work.  
4-H Club members having three years experience, including 1931, who are regularly enrolled in one or more meat animal livestock projects; namely, baby beef, purebred beef animal, market pig, breeding hog, market sheep or breeding sheep, are eligible to compete for the state and national prizes. Less experienced club members may compete for county awards. The project records and the general records of contestants will be the basis on which awards will be made.  
A gold filled medal of honor will be presented to the highest scoring county 4-H Club member in each county in the United States. From the records of county winners, state club leaders will select their state winners. The highest scoring individual in the state will receive a \$50.00 gold watch.  
The winning 4-H livestock club member of each of the four extension divisions of the United States will receive educational trips to the Tenth National Boys and Girls 4-H Club Congress in Chicago at the time of the International Live Stock Exposition.  
Three national winners will be selected from these trip winners by a committee of state club leaders. During the week of the National 4-H Club Congress, \$300, \$200 and \$100 agricultural college scholarships will be awarded the national winners in the order of their rank.  
More than 95,000 farm boys and girls will compete for the attractive prizes being offered in this contest.

**MASONS HOLD MEETING**  
The Lamesa Council 276 met Friday night in the Masonic Hall with fifteen members present; M. D. Webb presiding. The feature of the meeting was the conferring of council degrees. One mason received these degrees.

**HOME MANUFACTURE OF AMERICAN CREAM CHEESE**

Fifteen Dawson county home demonstration club women are finding a profitable use for low-price milk on the farm, in the manufacture of American cream cheese. From 732 gallons of milk, which was worth \$73.20 for butterfat, these women have made 626 pounds of cheese worth \$187.80. Including cost of materials which was 2.05c per pound, the value of the milk used and valueing labor at 25c per hour this cheese has cost \$125.04 or 20 cents per pound.  
Cheese is valuable as a meat substitute in the diet and profitably disposes of surplus milk.

**CANNING RAISES VALUE OF BEEVES**

A 200 pound dressed beef valued at \$15.00 owed by Bush Herndon made 93 quarts of canned roast, steak, stew, liver paste, chili, scrapple, meat loaf, and soup stock worth \$53.80. The cost of cans and condiments was \$9.00 leaving a profit of \$29.80.  
In Dawson County this winter 18 beeves worth \$292.75 on foot were butchered for home use. Approximately half of this meat was used fresh and 1012 quarts of meat products worth \$657.30 were canned for home use.

**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DIRECTORS TO MEET**

The Directors of the C. of C. will meet Saturday morning to select a lady from Lamesa to appear in the "Spirit of West Texas" pageant held at Lubbock May 14, 15, and 16. A director will also be selected to represent Lamesa.  
W. D. Arnett and W. K. Crawley are planning a membership drive for the West Texas C. of C. during the early part of next week.

J. B. Tarleton, jr. was a visitor here over the week-end. He is a student of Tarleton College.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Perry of Lubbock were Lamesa visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McClain, Jr. of Amarillo visited in Lamesa during the week-end guest sof Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McClain.

Mrs. H. G. Stokes of Fort Worth who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDonald the past week returned to her home there Friday.



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## Speech Arts Recital To Be Given Monday, May 4th

The public is invited to attend a recital presenting the private pupils of Arminda Jane Timmons in a Speech Arts program Monday evening, May 4th, at eight o'clock in the High School Auditorium. The program will be a varied one consisting of plays, dances, and readings.

Come and see Fairy Land characters in the persons of Mary Jo Forrest, Edith Mae Collins, Marvin Dell Thaxton, Bo Thaxton, Jean Martin, Betty Jo Bryant, Ramah Eager, Conway King, Maxine Speck, and Bessie Morris. These characters will appear in a one-act play "Fairy Book Land" by Lois Mathis. In other parts of the program will appear Roberta Lee Hanson and Lolis Barnes.

An interesting feature of the program is a summary interpretation of Shakespeare's "The Merchant of Venice" featuring a character interpretation of the heroine of the play, Portia. This will be given by Miss Lunelle Nix.

### MRS. MIKE KEY HOSTESS TO BRIDGE

Mrs. Mike Key entertained Mrs. Ed Eoff of Roswell, N. M., Friday evening at her home with a bridge party.

After a series of bridge games delightful refreshments were served to Mesdames Ed Eoff, Bill Watson, Wright Boyd, Ray Lewis and Ray Hollingsworth.

## Palace Theater Wednesday & Thursday May 6-7



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Cut, monsieur, that's not! When good Americans die, they go to Paris—and I bring them to life again! And, monsieur, if you care to see, give the latest styles in love.

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### BENEFIT TEA TO BE HELD FRIDAY MAY 1ST

Mrs. J. C. Loveless will entertain Friday afternoon May 1 from 4:00 until 5:00 and from 5:15 until 6:15 in her home at 112 North Travis Street with a benefit tea. Entertaining hostesses will be Mesdames J. C. Loveless, W. H. Hines, G. M. Terry, W. D. Arnett and A. Hull.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Pritchard left Wednesday for Dallas where they will visit for a few days.

Jud Watson, who has been seriously ill for the past two weeks is able to be up and about.

Miss Jaunita Paulk was a Lubbock visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McGuire attended the District track meet in Lubbock Saturday.

Miss Nell Goodloe of Tech visited in Lamesa during the week-end.

## Senior Play to Be Replayed Because of Bad Weather

Owing to adverse weather conditions which prevailed Tuesday night, April 28 the date of the Senior play, "My Once in A-While" will be given again May 13 for the benefit of all those who were not able to attend. Admission tickets will be the same price—25c and 35c. Those who did not attend the first showing have now a guarantee of a good play. Just ask somebody who saw it before and they will tell you that it was the best play that has ever been presented.

Don't miss seeing Douglas Hill as the handsome dashing hero with his Once in a Whiles; Norah and her ill timed sayings; Nolen Adams making love to his Spanish Bunion; and let Cecil Tune teach you how to play peek a boo with his vampire friend, Mary Cameron and you'll declare also that this play is a knockout!

### MRS. F. T. McCOLLUM HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. F. T. McCollum was a gracious hostess of the week when she entertained the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club and invited guests at her home on North 6th Street.

Mrs. A. G. Barnard held high score at the conclusion of the series of bridge games and received as her award a deck of Congress cards.

Congaled fruit parfait and angel food cake was served to Mesdames W. B. Collins, A. G. Barnard, Clyde Branon, Matt A. McColl, Philip Yonge, Truman Campbell, Lee Hanson, Harvey Durham, Bill Watson, Roy Loveless and Aubrey Thomas.

### 4-H CLUB GIRLS PLANT YARDS

Dawson county club girls are working to beautify their homes with shrubs, vines, and trees planted in their yards according to plans they have made with the help of Rozelle McKinney, county home demonstration agent. A yard planting demonstration has been given at the home of one girl in each of seven communities. The girls have learned to set out rooted plants, make cuttings to root and were given instructions for caring for their plants through the summer. In these demonstrations 81 rooted plants and cuttings and 7 American Elm trees have been used.

Mrs. W. E. Cox has gone to Dallas to visit her son who is seriously ill.

Mrs. F. B. Hoopole of Lorenzo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pope of Durant Okla. visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tartar several days last week. J. P. Nystel, secretary of the Abernathy Chamber of Commerce was a Lamesa visitor over the week-end. He accompanied Mr. Charles Hurst down here.

FOR RENT—New Four Room House. Also Maize and bred Sows for sale on fall terms—See J. N. Barron, 805 North 4th Street 16-17p

### SENIOR PLAY PRESENTED TUESDAY NIGHT

Despite a heavy downpour of rain which preceded the presentation of the Senior Play "My Once in A-While" a good crowd was on hand to witness the talent of the high school students. The play, which was under the direction of Mrs. Valeria Sharp Pratt was a distinct compliment to her. Preceding the first act a huge basket of pink carnations was presented to Mrs. Pratt as a token of esteem from the Senior Class. Mrs. James Davis made the presentation. The city orchestra, under the direction of Conway King and Mrs. Allen G. Barnard furnished music between the acts.

Personell of the cast included Douglas Hill, Nolen Adams, Guthrie Allen, Cecil Tune, Richard Davis, A. J. McDaniel, Looise Billingsley, Mary Cameron, Florena Littlefield, La Verne McKay, Louise Cozens, Jaunita Paulk and Hazel Davis.

Furniture was loaned by Higginbotham Bartlett Co.

### TROOP 22 HIKE

Boy Scouts of Troop 22 had a gay time the past week end camping on the Whatley Ranch, twenty miles South east of Lamesa. Numerous activities such as hiking, battle ball, baseball, sling shot throwing and singing provided pleasant recreation for all. For sometime the boys enjoyed themselves by throwing flaming torches high into the air from a high cliff and letting them fall into the creek below, thus making a beautiful spectacle in the darkness of the night. Later in the night an Indian council fire and pow woy was held, at which a party of picnic visitors were present.

The boys on the hike were: Ellis Glen Irwin, Willard McSpadden, J. M. Wood, Edwin Speck, Harold Lambeth, Jim King, Jack Keisling, Clovis Johnson, Roy Skipper, Kenneth King, Zac Davis, Frank Davis, Pat Ridgway, Joe McAllister, Lanham Evans, and Joe Spikes, Scoutmaster.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Next Sundays subjects are: "The Mountains of the Lords House" and "Five Different Kind of Sacrifices."

Why was Isaac offered on a mountain? Why the law given? Why the temple built? Why Jesus' Sermon? Why transfiguration; His prayer; and His ascension on Mountains? Come and study with us of many more great events of the Bible that took place on mountains.

We had another fine audience our last Lord's Day. The work is going, coming and moving right along. We want to increase our number yet in Sunday school.

J. T. Stricklin, Minister

### TO THE READERS OF THE COURIER

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Miss Ezra Glons and small daughter of Las Vegas were visitors of Miss Marie McDonald Sunday. Mrs. Nelson Cope and Mrs. R. E. Echols visited in Lubbock, Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Connell has returned from Fort Worth where she attended the funeral of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burnside have purchased the E. C. Cook house on South 2nd Street.

Audrey Cox returned Tuesday night from a business trip to Dallas.

Mr. M. Hatch and Ed Hatch were business visitors in Seminole last week.

Clarence Gaines has returned to Lamesa after a trip in Northwestern Mexico.

WANTED—Job of house keeping; experienced—See Maude Wright, 701 South 1st Street, Phone 332 16-17p

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