

# TORNADOES MEET SNYDER IN FIRST GAME

## Former Lamesa Residents Drown Near Eagle Pass, Texas

### FLOOD-LIGHTS INSTALLED AT ATHLETIC FIELD THIS WEEK

The new flood-light installation job on the play-ground and athletic field just north of the high school building was installed this week by the erection crew of the Texas Electric Service Company and was tested on Tuesday night and focused and otherwise made ready for use.

The Athletic Association under the leadership of Mr. McCollum has undertaken this added feature to Lamesa High School's equipment at considerable expense to the association with the responsibility covering more than the sale of a large number of season tickets to this season's home games.

The lights worked well, lighting up the field and adjacent areas with an intensity which surprised those witnessing the installation. That there shall be plenty of light at the night games is assured.

The field has been equipped with just a little more than twice the bleacher seating capacity heretofore available and these are arranged on both sides of the field. Spectators will therefore be more comfortable during the progress of the games.

The first game under the lights is that with Snyder High Tigers on Friday night, September 21st. Snyder years and the games have been played among the best ever played in which the local Golden Tornadoes have participated.

The players and team management are trusting that a large crowd of Lamesa county people will be present for this opening game next Friday night.

### Four New Teachers In Lamesa Schools

Four teachers have been elected to take positions made vacant by resignation in the Lamesa Public School faculty for the ensuing year. Miss Elizabeth Rice, graduate of T. C. U. and for some time teacher in the Fort Worth public schools is to teach the courses in languages formerly taught by Miss Mary Roach.

Mrs. Jessie Mae Ownsby, post graduate of C. I. A., and who has taught for several years in central Texas will be in charge of the classes in English formerly taught by Miss Bettye Travis.

Mr. L. P. Stark, graduate of Howard Payne College and student of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and who taught in the Lamesa High School during the term 1924-25 is coming here to teach in the field of high school mathematics, following Miss Mary Boston, resigned. Many former pupils will welcome Mr. Stark.

Miss Evelyn Creath, graduate of the University of Texas and who has been teaching in Martin county has been elected to the elementary school position made vacant by the resignation of Miss Nell Goodloe and assignment of Miss Asalie Key to the Public School Music department of the elementary grades. Miss Creath's assignment is expected to be in the primary grades, in which field she has studied.

Miss Vivian Bryant, graduate of Texas Technological College was elected to a teaching position in the upper elementary grades. Miss Bryant has taught for several years in Dawson and other counties, her last employment being at Woody in this county. Miss Bryant's election brings the faculty membership to thirty-one in the white schools to care for the instruction of 1077 pupils.

### Dallas Is Named Centennial City

Press dispatches Monday stated that Dallas has been named the Centennial City for the celebration in 1936, bidding something more than seven million dollars for the honor.

Dallas, Houston, and San Antonio presented formal proposals in Austin on September 1 to the subcommittee of the Texas Centennial commission. These were sealed bids and were opened at a meeting of the entire commission of an hundred members on Monday of last week.

The three cities were then visited by the entire commission, beginning in Dallas on Thursday, Houston on Friday, and San Antonio on Saturday.

### Electric Rates Are Reduced For Lamesa

A general reduction in electric rates to all residential and commercial customers of the Texas Electric Service Company in Lamesa was announced today by C. S. Blomfield, District Manager, of the company and filed with City officials.

The minimum charge has been reduced from \$1.50 to \$1.00. The new rates will become effective with all bills rendered on and after October 2, 1934.

This voluntary reduction in electric rates is a part of the policy of the Texas Electric Service Company possible rates consistent with sound to give the best service at the lowest business practices." C. S. Blomfield District Manager of the company declared. "It is significant that the company has lowered its rates at a time when the prices of many other items in the family budget are climbing.

"The present reduction in rates is the contribution of the Texas Electric Service Company to business recovery in this area and is made possible only because of the company's faith in the future of Lamesa and other cities and towns in the area it serves.

"With the new low rates, residential and commercial customers will be able to make still greater use of electric service and it is expected that as business recovery gets under way, the increased demand for electricity will offset to some extent the decreased revenues resulting from this reduction. The low residential rate will encourage citizens to electrify their homes more completely, for most of our customers will find that the fullest use of electric appliances will add very little to their electric service bills.

"A number of voluntary reductions in electric rates have been made in Lamesa and the new rates compare favorably with rates in any city of comparable size. Electric rates here have dropped since 1925 to where most customers are paying only about half as much for the same amount of electricity."

### Record Number of Seniors In L. H. S.

A count of those pupils who have enrolled as candidates for graduation from the Lamesa High School in May 1935 shows a total of 121. It is possible therefore that this shall be the school year in which the number of graduates shall exceed one hundred. The principal has not yet had time to check the eligible list of the candidates for graduation and the number quoted is simply a number count of those pupils from this and other schools who have enrolled with the intention of completing the high school courses this term, pending of course, the usual mishaps and conditions which may or may not delay the ambition.

It is stated that practically every other school district in the county is represented in the high school enrollment and in senior class membership and the number from adjacent counties to Dawson is considerable. A more complete report of the class membership of the 1935 candidates will be published later.

The announcement is made that in point of fourth year pupils, the local high school ranks well along in the largest fifty high schools in this state, perhaps not being exceeded by more than thirty. Another record or near record is claimed in the percentage of enrollment in the top class. The enrollment here exceeds ten per cent of the total enrollment of both high school and elementary school and 33 per cent of the high school enrollment.

One nearby district as pupils from it in the three top grade and another has its pupils enrolled in the two top grades and others have pupils in the eleventh grade. The entire number of pupils attending the local schools under the Free High School Tuition Act has not yet been announced.

### FREE BOOK COVERS

County superintendent W. T. Webb announces this week that free book covers will be given to all school children calling at his office. These covers have been donated by Mr. W. B. Collins of the Collins Dry Goods Company and Mr. S. L. Forrest of Forrest Lumber Company.

Miss Annabel Allen left Saturday for Abilene where she will enter McMurry College for the fall term.

Eud Herndon and daughter, Miss Emma Lee of Anson are spending this week here with Mrs. Mattie Herndon

"Where Texans Are Texans"

# The Dawson County Courier

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## Schools Have Increased Enrollment This Year

### 120 More Students Enter This Term Than Last Year

The two Lamesa schools opened with increased attendance on last Monday morning. Mr. Roberts, principal of the Elementary School reports an enrollment of 717 this session against an enrollment of 638 at a corresponding period of last session, or a gain of 79.

Mr. McCollum reported 360 this year against 319 at the same stage of the term last term or a gain of 41. Thus the system shows an increase of 120 pupils on the opening day over last year.

Thirty white teachers handled the situation last year but with maximum enrollment and in some instances more than the numbers suggested by the State Department of Education for a standardized school. The increased enrollment at the present time is fairly well distributed throughout the whole school system with the most congested grades being the sixth and eleventh grades.

Four replacement teachers were employed this year to take positions of teachers resigned to go to other fields and one new one has been added because of the growth. The depressed financial condition of the district occasioned by the drought gives the administrative officers of the district much to think about in the face of the increased need for teachers and school equipment for the students of the district.

The school board attitude is that the school must be kept up to standard and the children accommodated with reasonable equipment for as long a period as possible, and there is no expectation among the school officials that the term will be shortened.

### Luncheon Club Hears Reports on Band

The Lamesa Luncheon Club members heard about Lamesa's Municipal Band at the regular Tuesday luncheon at noon Tuesday. The attendance was short on account of so many members being out of town.

Three men talked on the facts regarding the band. Conway King, director, told of the enrollment and number of the band and orchestra. V. Z. Rogers spoke of the credits students in the band and orchestra could obtain as a matter of affiliation. W. K. Crawley told of the business end of the band, how it was financed, operated, etc.

Cecil Speck, adept toastmaster had arranged the program and was in charge Tuesday.

Next week the club will hear about Lamesa's prospects to get a park and its development. Mr. V. O. Key will arrange the program.

Tuesday week will be another of the Club's goodwill evening programs. The ladies of the members will be out again and a good time generally will be enjoyed. S. L. Forrest will have charge of this program and will serve as master of ceremonies.

### ATTEND CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Richardson left last Thursday for Galveston where they attended the State Democratic Convention. They are expected to return today.



## October 1st. Next Big Trades Day

### Pink Boll Worm Claims To Be Paid Off By Sept. 17

Pink Bollworm claimants in Dawson county will be paid off by the 17th of this month according to information received from the Pink Bollworm Claims Board at Austin.

Several claims have awaited adjustment and if by this time no adjustment is made, settlement will be made according to information in the office of the Department of Agriculture, according to the report.

The local chamber of commerce has been busy since the first of January this year trying to aid claimants of the settlement of their claims. A great amount of work has been done in this office during this time and still it is serving in getting final adjustments.

### Minister's Council To Meet Sept. 17

Monday morning, September 17, the Dawson County Ministers' Council will meet in the pastors study at the Methodist church. Some matters of vital importance to the welfare of our community are to be considered. Every minister in the county is urged to be present. The meeting will start at 10:00 A. M. sharp.

A. L. Dennis, Chairman

### Sacred Harp Singers To Meet In Anton

The South Plains Sacred Harp Singing convention will meet on Sunday, September 23, at Anton. The meeting will be held as an all day affair, every body invited to attend.

Mrs. Murray McWhorter returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Austin.

### LOCAL PEOPLE ARE SHOCKED BY TRAGEDY

Coming as a shock to their many friends here was the message that Mrs. T. L. Koontz, the former Miss Zelma Red, and her son, Tommie Lee Jr., and Miss Ione Red, had drowned in a creek near Eagle Pass a week ago. The bodies of Mrs. Koontz and son were recovered early Sunday morning, searchers are still looking for the body of Miss Red.

Mrs. Koontz, an Amarillo school teacher, and her baby were found in a tangled mass of debris a mile and a half from their overturned automobile below Cow Creek Crossing on the Del Rio Highway.

Searchers immediately began hunting for the body of Miss Ione Red, who was in the automobile when the trio left Quemado Valley last Monday night, a week ago, for Amarillo.

The automobile apparently was swept off the highway by raging flood waters that rose over the banks of the ordinarily dry ravine after a five inch rain covered the section.

Searchers staked the doors of the sedan were closed and the windows rolled up, leading them to believe the women and the child had deserted the machine, and attempted to wade across the stream. Belief that a huge wave of flood water swept them to their death was expressed.

The bodies of Mrs. Koontz and her child were found a hundred yards apart.

Mrs. Koontz and Miss Red both reside in Amarillo, but had been to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Red, who reside on a farm in Maverick County's new irrigation district. Mr. and Mrs. Red are also former residents of Lamesa, having made their homes here for a number of years.

Funeral services for Mrs. Koontz and son are being held this afternoon (Thursday) at 4 o'clock in Amarillo.

### School Opens At Sparenberg, Sept. 10

Monday, September 10, was the opening date for the Sparenberg school. Many patrons of the community were present. Miss Pauline Bulsterbaum, county superintendent elect gave an interesting talk.

The teachers of the school faculty are superintendent, X. R. Banks, Mr. Calloway Huffaker, Mrs. Rena Kendall, Mrs. X. R. Banks, and Miss Cleo Smart.

After the opening exercises a Parent-Teachers Association was organized. The following officers were elected: president, Mrs. R. E. Cowart; vice president, Mrs. Rena Kendall; secretary, Mrs. D. Freeman; secretary of Program committee, Mrs. Edmond French.

### Baldwins To Open Store at Artesia, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Baldwin and children left Wednesday of this week for Artesia, New Mexico, to make their home and where Mr. Baldwin will be manager of the new Baldwin Dry Goods Store at that place. Mr. Connelly Baldwin will also assist Mr. Rodney in the operation of the store.

The new store will be run along the same line as the Lamesa store carrying all new and up to date merchandise, and ready-to-wear for both ladies and men. They plan to open about the 20th of this month.

### Abilene Presbytery Meets This Week

The Rev. Eugene H. Surface left Monday for the semi-annual Session of Abilene Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., which was held with the Baird church, September 11 and 12. The Presbytery comprises some twenty-five counties in West Texas, going as far east as Strawn. Mr. Surface is the Stated Clerk of this official body of the church. This meeting was designated as "The Fiftieth Anniversary Session," it being fifty years since the organization of the Presbytery. Mr. Surface prepared from the records a historical paper which was read during the session.

Mrs. Clyde Herring of Plainview is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carroll and children returned Saturday from a week's visit in Southeast Texas.

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JOE ALEXANDER, EDITOR

**WANT ADS**

**FOR SALE:** Two business lots in Lamesa, located across street from Davis Furniture. If interested see F. H. Nathan, 610 S. Dallas St. --- 4tp.

**WORK WANTED:** Will do cafe work, housework or laundry work. Gladys Osborn, Camp Mesa, Cabin 4.

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FEEDS and SEEDS

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Be it ordered by the court that voting precinct No. 1 be and the same is changed and its lines shall hereafter be as follows:

Precinct No. One, Dawson County, Texas, the voting place to be in the Court House in the City of Lamesa and in the District Court Room. Said voting Precinct shall be and bounded as follows:

Beginning at the center of the Court House Square of Dawson County; thence South parallel with the East and West line of said Square to the North line of South First Street; thence west along the North line of said South First Street to the Southwest Corner of Square; Thence South along the East line of Austin Street continuing said Course to the South line of Survey 6, Blk. 35 Tsp. 5 North, T & P Ry Co Survey. Thence West along the South line of said Survey 6 to the S. W. Corner of said Survey 6 same block and township; thence South along Block line distance of nine miles to the Southwest corner of Survey 7 Block 35, Tsp. 4 North, T & P Ry Co. Survey; Thence East along section line to the north east corner of Survey 13 Block 35 Township 4 North; Thence north a distance of two miles to the north east corner of Section No. 1 Blk. 35, Tsp. 4 North; Thence west to the southeast corner of section No. 48 Blk. 35 Tsp. 5 North; Thence north distance of five miles to the Northeast corner of Survey 24 same block and township; thence East one mile to the Southeast corner of Sur. 18 same Block and township; Thence North a distance of two miles to the North east corner of Sur. 7 Block 35 Tsp. 5 North; Thence West a distance of 6 miles to the S. E. Cor. Sur. 6 Blk. 35 Tsp. 5 North; Thence North along the East boundary line of Sur. 6 to a point that would intersect a projection of the North line of South First Street of Lamesa, Eastward to said Section line; thence West along the North line of South First Street to the S. E. Corner of said Court House Square; Thence North along the East line of Square to a point opposite the center of the Square.

Thence West to the center of the Court House Square the place of beginning. Be it ordered that Sparenberg Voting Precinct No. 12 be re-established and hereafter described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of section number 18 in Blk. No. 35

**Women's Club Column**

By Miss Madeline Cox County Home Demonstration Agent

"Sufficient rain has now fallen in many parts of Texas for fall gardens to be planted," says Mr. J. F. Rosborough, Extension horticulturist, "and now is the time to clean off the weeds and prepare the soil for fall gardens in other parts of the State." Seed should not be planted unless the soil is supplied with moisture to a depth of six or eight inches. Seed planted following a light rain will germinate, but if there is not enough moisture to sustain plant life the sprouting plants will die, Mrs. Rosborough says.

To prepare the soil, plowing should be shallow, not going deeper than four or five inches. Immediately following the plowing, the soil should be pulverized to prevent clodding.

Rotted stable manure is the best fertilizer, as this material serves to retain moisture and prevents the ground from crusting in the heat of September and October. If the fertilizer is thoroughly dried out, there will be no burning of the young plants as commonly supposed, Mr. Rosborough says. He adds that three or four wagon loads to a one-half acre is none too much. Where possible the seed bed should be allowed to settle for several days after the manure is applied so that the soil will be more compact and germination hastened.

In addition to the turnip greens and collards commonly grown in fall gardens, other leafy vegetables recommended are mustard, iceberg lettuce, Swiss chard, and the Copenhagen market variety of cabbage. Carrots, beets, radishes and turnips furnish a variety of root crops. Pinto beans are the quickest type of bean to make a crop, but they are slightly stringy.

**To Give Canning Demonstration**  
On Friday and Saturday, September 14th and 15th, Mrs. Ima C. Hensarling, representing the Kerr Glass Company will give demonstrations on canning vegetables. The demonstrations will be held at the Westland Hotel. All home demonstration women of Dawson county are urged to attend the demonstrations. The public is invited.

**Council Women Hear Mrs. Barry, Extension Sociologist**  
It was the pleasure of Mrs. J. H. Adkins, Dawson county Council chairman, Mrs. Claud F. Gowen, council secretary, and Miss Madeline Cox, Home Demonstration Agent, to hear Mrs. Maggie W. Barry, Extension Sociologist speak in Lubbock Monday afternoon. Mrs. Barry spoke to a group of council representatives and Home Demonstration agents of district two.

Mrs. Barry discussed in her efficient manner, the organization of county councils. She stressed important points to consider in planning our year books for the coming year. Mrs. Barry is very much interested in boys and girls 4-H club work. She stated that the selection of sponsors for their work was a most important part of their organization.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. H. McMullan and daughter Mrs. Olan Fry and baby, of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elmo of Brownfield were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Umphreys this past week end.

Mrs. Walter Jones, who is ill at a local hospital, has as her guests, her brother, M. C. Vanston of Wichita Falls, her sister, Mrs. Claude Canon of Dennison, and Ross Edward Jones of Texline.

Mrs. Fred Sanders and son Jack, visited her mother in San Angelo for a few days last week.

Tsp. 4 North; Thence along section lines in an easterly direction to the northeast corner of section No. 17 Blk 34 Tsp. 4 North; Thence in a southerly direction along section lines a distance of three miles to the northeast corner of section No. 32 same block; Thence west a distance of two miles along section lines to the northeast corner of section No. 36 Blk. 35 Tsp. 4 North; Thence in a southerly direction along section lines to a point where the east line of Section No. 1 Blk. 35 Tsp. 3 North intersects the south boundary line of Dawson county, Texas; Thence west along the south boundary line of Dawson County to a point where the east line of section No. 37 Blk. 36 Tsp. 4 North if extended would intersect the south line of Dawson county; Thence in a northerly direction along section lines a distance of about 5 miles to the northwest corner of Section No. 18 in Blk 35 Tsp. 4 North for the place of beginning.

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1-2 cup of butter  
1 tablespoon soda  
1 cup thick sweet cream  
1 1/2 tablespoon salt  
1-2 cup sour cream  
1-4 tablet, cheese color  
1 small can pimentos.

Place milk on a slow fire, continue to stir until it forms a soft curd separated from the whey. Drain in a sack or culander. Add salt, soda, and butter, let stand two hours. place in a double boiler then cook until this is like cake batter, remove from fire add sour cream, cheese color and chopped pimentos. Beat until firm and pour into buttered mold, set five days, said Miss Madeline Cox, to the members of Shumake and Midway home demonstration clubs, which met in the home of Mrs. Jim Gibson, Tuesday, September 11.

Visitors: Mesdames W. C. Langham, R. H. Stricklin from Key, Ernest Adcock, W. G. Whitehead, from Mt. Olive.

Tuesday, September 25th at 3 P. M. the home demonstration club will meet in the home of Mrs. J. W. A. Cox. Books and Magazines will be the subject.—Mrs. I. J. Brandon, Shumake H. D. Reporter.

**Attend Drouth Area Meeting at San Angelo**

Seven people from Dawson county attended the Southwestern Drouth Area meeting in San Angelo Tuesday of this week. The purpose of the meeting was to acquaint the leaders of each county with the set-up and workings of the Relief Administration of the Nation. Col. Lawrence Westbrook, assistant Relief Director of Washington was present and spoke. Harry Pettie in charge of the cattle and livestock buying program was also present and spoke. So was Mr. Williams of the Farmers' Loan Bank of Houston. These men all spoke and outlined the set-ups of the various departments of aid.

Those attending the meeting from Dawson county were Tom Burnside, M. Q. Martin, Philip Yonge, Elmer Barron, W. L. Marr, W. D. Arnett, and Wm. A. Wilson. Those who attended report that very much the same procedure as heretofore will be followed in matters of relief.

Miss Bernice Williams underwent an operation for appendicitis at a local hospital Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Jones underwent a major operation at a local hospital last Saturday. She is doing nicely.

Mr. E. W. Hardin, president of Amarillo Hardware Co., and Amarillo civic leader, and Judge Hamilton, president of the WTCC from Farwell, Texas, were visitors at R. Yates Hardware Tuesday. These gentlemen were enroute from a meeting in San Angelo to their homes.

R. L. Meyers was ill for a few days this week.

**MONTHLY STATEMENT**

Receipts and disbursements of General Fund, City of Lamesa, Texas for Month of August 1934.

RECEIPTS:		DISBURSEMENTS:	
Water	1,477.85	Salaries	810.00
Sewer	588.95	Labor	168.75
Service	35.00	Postage	5.00
Taxes	445.02	Gas & Oil	43.74
Fines	2.50	Supplies	12.51
Occp. Tax	6.25	Repairs	99.70
Misc.	9.90	Freight & Express	32.18
Cash Bal. 8-1-34	2,113.16	Lights	104.21
		Power	454.80
		Tel. and Telg.	17.50
		Meter Dep. Refunds	77.00
		Fuel	4.20
		Transf. to Sinking fund	400.52
		Transf. to Bond Fund	44.50
		Bal. Tax Assessing	50.00
		C. W. A. Meat Storage	18.75
		Printing & Adv.	30.41
		2 1-4 yds. gravel	5.65
		Horse Feed	23.10
		Misc.	27.45
		Cash Bal. 8-31-34	2,248.60
	\$4,678.57		\$4,678.57

I, J. L. Cotten, City Secretary, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Given under my hand and seal of Office this the 6th day of September A. D. 1934.

(SEAL)

J. L. Cotten,  
Secretary.

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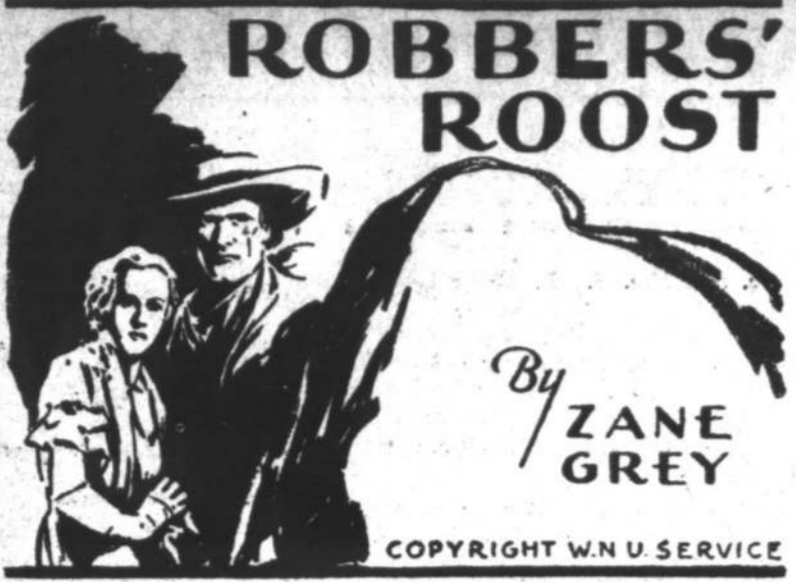
5. When the painting is completed, you pay for the labor and material in full with the proceeds of your loan, or you can have the bank make such payments direct if that was your original arrangement.

6. Finally, you repay the loan (at not more than 5 per cent discount) on easy terms over an extended period of months as arranged with the bank.

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"Are you Miss Herrick?" "Oh!—Yes," she exclaimed in relief. "Your brother sent us to meet you."



"I'll attend to the baggage, Miss Herrick," rejoined Jim. "Meanwhile Barnes will show you where to eat. It might rest you to walk a little. We have an eight-hour drive."

"Thank you, I've been riding steadily for two weeks and I'm stiff." Whereupon Jim set about collecting the pieces of baggage marked "Herrick."

without it did not appear so tall. She had a wonderful step, a free, swinging, graceful stride, expressive of health and vitality. She did not look slender, as in the long ulster, but superb, broad of shoulder.

say surprisingly. It never occurred to me that a gunman—that is what you are, is it not?—could have any appreciation of the wonder and beauty of nature.

CHAPTER V

They came to a long, level valley, where the white road was like a floor, and the horses went like the wind.

to Utah—that you were from Wyoming, where you had killed many bad men, and that your mere reputation was enough out here to keep rustlers and desperadoes away from Star ranch.

"I wish I was." "My brother will know, if there is anything in what you say."

When he drove past Horseman's camp all that worthy's outfit wore at supper. The road passed within fifty feet of their chuck wagon.

her silvery laugh pealed out. "You are teasing, of course. But I must reward your effort to entertain me."

"Part of the outfit your brother hired to protect his cattle from rustlers," replied Jim. "Funny thing about that is they are rustlers themselves."

"Which?" she asked, laughingly. "The one standing farthest out," replied Jim. "He's got on a black sombrero. . . . Don't look at him. That's Hank Hays. . . . Miss Herrick, drop your veil!"

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# Correspondence From Rural Communities of County

## HANCOCK

Rev. W. I. Taylor filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning and evening. A baptizing was held at the W. R. Miller tank Sunday afternoon. Jack Mears Jr. and Harvard Roberts were baptised by Rev. Taylor.

Rev. C. R. Lemond and Rev. McMicken are conducting a revival meeting here this week. Everyone is invited to attend.

Clarence Ansley returned to his home in El Paso this week after a visit with his cousin Albert Ansley.

Mrs. Rob Butcher and Mrs. Victor Middleton underwent minor operations in a local hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Williams visited their son, John Henry, at Abilene Sunday.

Allon, Emery, Forest and Estelle Freeman of Shumake visited their sister Mrs. Charlie Roberts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mears and family, Mozelle Marnette and Mrs.

J. H. Barnette attended the Baptist annual association at Fairview Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cient McWhorter and Mrs. McWhorter's father, Mr. Turnbull of Roby have been visiting Mrs. McWhorter's sisters, Mrs. Earl Houston and Mrs. Tommy Hamilton this week.

## WILSON

Sunday school was well attended Sunday.

Oscar Singleton and family are visiting in Stamford and DeLeon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Gaithe and family of Arkadelphia, Ark. were the Friday and Friday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ham.

The ladies W.M.U. met at the home of Mrs. John McKee Tuesday.

Several from this community are pulling bolls at Klondike.

Everyone is looking forward to the starting of school.

J. B. Anderson and G. Wyatt left Monday for the school bus.

Dora Leigh Harrison and Pauline Singleton are entering school in Lamesa.

Next Sunday is regular preaching day. Everyone is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunt and family of Ballard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ham.

## RICHARDSON

A. V. Williams and family went to New Mexico last Friday to pick cotton.

A. E. Weekes and family returned home Saturday after a trip to New Mexico.

Warren Batie and Earl Ray left last Wednesday for New Mexico to file on some land.

## PATRICIA

The Friendship Club will meet with Mrs. Herman Dodd Tuesday afternoon. Everyone is invited.

John Wharton and wife of Sherman visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown Saturday.

Miss Opal McNew spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McNew.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. McReynolds are the proud parents of a baby boy born Thursday.

The 4-H Club met with Mrs. W. E. Brown Thursday afternoon. Miss Cox gave a demonstration on cheese making.

W. S. Bingham was a Midland visitor Friday.

The following students will attend school in Lamesa this fall: Jodie and Lillian Adams, Edward Scott, Elmon St. Clair, Eulaine Hightower, Allan and Maurine Brown.

## MIDWAY

Mrs. Tom Stanfield and children of Lamesa spent the week end with relatives here and attended the meeting at Mullins.

Joe Camp and family of Lamesa spent the week end with relatives here.

Little Miss Rose Ann Pelham celebrated her 5th birthday Wednesday by giving a party at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. L. I. Dean. Quite a number of our little folks attended and all reported a fine time.

Mrs. L. I. Dean and children visited relatives in Jones county last week.

## FAIRVIEW

Sunday school and church were well attended and BYPU Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Miller and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hatcher.

School started Monday with new teachers and a good attendance.

Mrs. J. F. Sutton is on the sick list this week.

Miss Odessa Mayberry of Welch has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tipton and little granddaughter Beatrice Tipton, have been visiting in Weatherford.

Charlie Moore left this week for Amarillo to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bridges have moved below town. We hated to see them leave the Fairview community.

Miss Minnie Lee Hill has returned home from Lubbock where she has been taking a beauty course.

## FIVE MILE

Sunday school was well attended Sunday morning. It was regular preaching day but as the pastor was gone to Jones county, we only had Sunday school. BYPU was also well attended Sunday night.

There was a good crowd at singing Sunday afternoon.

Several from this community attended the party at Klondike Saturday night. A nice time was reported by all present.

Prayer meeting was pretty well attended last Wednesday night.

Mrs. S. A. Greer and grandson Leo Spenn from Dallas have been visiting J. I. West and family since Tuesday.

## HIGGINBOTHAM

Mrs. Price of Patricia, Mrs. Boreland and Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun visited in the Newbrough home Sunday.

Everyone present enjoyed the ice cream supper at Mr. and Mrs. House Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall returned to their home in Crystal City. Mrs. Horn and son Ervin accompanied them home.

Mrs. Bodine of Lawn is visiting her daughter Mrs. McCaffety.

Mrs. Washer visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Partain of Weaver Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin visited Mr. and Mrs. Denins of Klondike Tuesday.

## McCARTY

The Baptist meeting started here Sunday evening with Mr. Fred Sanders doing the speaking Sunday evening. Bro. Cole is doing the preaching this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Anderson and family and Mrs. Joe Hardesty and son Jack of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hodge and Adrian Simpson of Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ranson Carnes were visitors in the J. M. of Roby, Hulian Henderson and Otis Ranson home Sunday.

Doyle Ranson and Walter Davis left Monday for College Station to enter A. & M. College for the coming year.

H. L. McCarty and J. F. Henderson were in Lubbock Monday on business.

A number of girls enjoyed a birthday dinner Sunday with Margie Peterson.

Mrs. Jess McCasland is visiting her mother Mrs. Corbin in Lampasas.

Tommy Childers returned home last week from a visit to Houston.

Guy Ranson returned home last week from a three weeks visit with his uncle Jno. P. Hardesty and family at McCauley.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodul visited in the Klondike community Sunday.

## SUNSET

Our meeting closed Sunday night. Sunday school and preaching were well attended Sunday morning.

We are sorry to have to report that Joe Grayson is in the hospital at Lamesa. He underwent an operation last Monday, but is reported to be getting along fine at this writing.

Rev. Willis J. Ray delivered a very fine message Sunday morning, and Sunday evening, which everyone enjoyed very much.

A good crowd from here attended the Association at Fairview Thursday and reported a fine time.

Florine Minnix of Five Mile visited Odessa and Vernelle Wilson Friday.

## LOYOLA

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb left Sunday for Commerce where Mr. Webb will attend school this fall and winter.

The teacherage is being repaired, repainted, and repapered.

Misses Geta and Billie Robinett returned to their home in Calgary Saturday night after spending a week with their sister, Mrs. H. A. Duke.

Miss Mable Wiggins and Miss Montez Corbett are attending school at Lamesa.

Kenneth Earl Duke left Saturday for Lubbock where he will attend school the coming term.

C. L. Wiggins entertained with a

party Friday night honoring his son Carl, who is visiting home folks during his absence from the Marines.

Misses Virginia and Dorothy Bertram returned to their home in Snyder Sunday after visiting in the Bertram home here a week.

Miss Herma Duke is at Mullins this week attending the meeting.

Monroe Robinson and family visited Clyde Raines and family at Patricia Sunday.

There was a party at O. M. Phenans Saturday night. Everyone reported a good time.

## WEAVER

Several of this community started to school at Lamesa Monday.

George Sturdivant came home Wednesday to visit his parents. He left again Sunday.

Mr. Tolbert is getting along as well as can be expected.

Several of this community enjoyed the dance Saturday night at Grady Reeds.

Weaver school will start September 17th. Mr. Roberts and Miss Seals will be the teachers again this year.

## GOLDSMITH

Mrs. Sam Kelton and Mrs. Dewey Gilbert of Moores Hill visited Mrs. W. S. Kelton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie McReynolds of Midland visited in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McReynolds and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stephenson last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Johnson and Mrs. Ted Carroll were Midland visitors Monday.

A large number enjoyed the party at L. D. Greaves Saturday night.

Goldsmith school opened last Monday with a large number enrolled.

Mrs. Brunson will teach the Goldsmith school. Her mother, Mrs. Love has come to stay with her while she is teaching.

## BALLARD

The Missionary Society met with Mrs. M. M. Debnam Wednesday afternoon. Opening devotional was conducted by Mrs. Clarence Ward and two songs were sung. An interesting program, dealing with the church work in the South was rendered by several members.

Julia Carlton has been visiting her sister Mrs. Alvin Hawkins of Key.

Mrs. Lefty Davis honored Hugh Lee Clearman with a dinner Sunday. Several from this community were present. Mr. Clearman is to leave soon for College Station where he will go to school.

Sunday school and church were well attended Sunday. Sunday night the Junior League entertained the older people with a program. It was followed by church conference.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cox and family have moved to Jones County. We hated to see them move.

## HAGIN

Brother Jamar will hold a revival meeting this next week. Everyone is invited. Come and bring someone with you.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Pennington were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Denins Brock, Misses Hazel, Leona, and Gertrude Brock went to Loveland Sunday afternoon.

Several from this community attended the Trades Day in Lamesa last Monday.

The party at Mr. Dearmans was well attended. Everyone reported a nice time.

Marriage license was issued by the county clerk the past week to Dick Ellis and Miss Ruby Bardine.

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**MT. OLIVE**

Sunday school and League were well attended Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ballow of O'Donnell visited relatives in this community Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Esmond of Lamesa visited in the H. E. Esmond home Wednesday afternoon.

Wanda V. Speck of Lamesa and Bill Ballard of Midway spent Wednesday night in the Esmond home.

Z. W. Massey of Granberry is visiting in the W. M. Carmichael home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Atterberry and children spent the week end visiting relatives in Symera and Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Whitehead and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adcock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herndon of Shumake.

Shelby Howell of Midway visited Kenneth Esmond Sunday.

**KEY**

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman of Sparenberg visited Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stricklin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hawkins are the proud parents of a fine baby girl.

Miss Juanita Kerby has accepted a position as teacher in the Five Mile school.

Jimmie Leon Southard, Mary Kate Stricklin and Lily Mae Whitmire entered high school at Lamesa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Towns of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Towns last week end.

Mrs. C. W. Holt has been visiting her son at Hobbs the past week.

**SHUMAKE**

Sunday school was fairly well attended Sunday.

Mrs. Jeanetta Sutfur was honored with a shower given at her former home on Monday afternoon. She received many nice things.

Miss Mildred White left last Saturday for Lingerville where she will teach school this term.

Miss Bennie Speck left Friday for Llano where she will teach another term. She has been teaching there for two years.

Several have been attending the meeting at Mullins. It will continue through the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Houchin have moved over to Mr. Birdwell's place where Buck is working.

Ethan Skeen spent several days at Big Spring last week. He is working at Ackerly this week.

**O. K.**

F. M. Rushing and son, Carl and Luther Brownlow and family are visiting in Henderson county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. Purvis Vandevere of Wells Sunday.

Lee Price left Tuesday for Haskell. Several of the community attended a party at O'Donnell Saturday night.

Mrs. A. C. Bennett of Rotan is visiting her sister Mrs. W. H. Cox this week.

**WOODY**

Sunday was a very busy day, religiously. Sunday school at 10 o'clock after which Rev. Eldridge delivered a very impressive sermon. After dinner quite a few visits were made to the sick of our community. The Baptist revival, which was in progress all of last week, closed Sunday night. Altogether there were 8 conversions. The baptizing will be conducted September 23.

School opened Monday with the largest attendance ever known at the beginning of the school term here. Editor Smith of Lamesa was a welcome visitor and spokesman.

Mrs. Piaro and Mrs. Cox and children of San Angelo visited their aunt Mrs. J. M. Holt last week.

Mrs. Covington and daughter of Cedar Lake have been visiting their son and brother, O. M. Hill and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pritchett of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Green Sunday.

Mrs. W. O. Reeves is suffering from burns she received Monday while canning.

Mrs. E. T. Waldrop is at home after a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Grace Garrett of Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cox have moved to Lamesa. We are sorry to have these good people leave our community.

Miss Myra McMullin left Sunday for Denton where she has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Morris and Saturday after a two weeks' visit in daughters returned to their home Austin, San Antonio, Bertram and Abilene.

Mrs. Guthrie Allen has returned from a visit with her mother in Abilene.

Miss Grace Weaver and Bill Weaver returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Campbell are the proud parents of a baby son born on Saturday morning, September 8th in a Lubbock Sanitarium. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

**DIGEST OF BAPTIST CHURCH**

The following is the digest of church letters in the Lamesa Association for 1934:

Number of churches reporting 15.

Additions: by Baptism, 130; by letter and statement, 154.

Total members in Baptist church, 2258.

Total contributed to co-operative program, 9, amount \$1182.36.

Total contributed for pastor's salary, \$4855.78.

Total contributed to other causes: \$5497.79.

Total value of all church properties, \$40,200.00.

Number of ordained ministers, 14.

Number of BYPU's, 7.

Number of WMU's, 6.

Number of full time churches, 2.

Number of half time churches, 6.

Number of fourth time churches, 8.

Number of churches holding weekly prayer meetings, 5.

Number of churches holding revivals, 15.

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**PERSONALS**

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Mrs. Frank Barkhurst and Mrs. Clyde Backenstoss spent a few days this week in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldrid Travis and Miss Mary Cameron attended the birthday party of John Hardy Morgan in Big Spring Monday evening.

Mrs. Philip Yonge returned last week from a vacation at Taos, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Meyers Jr. left Tuesday morning for Abilene and Dallas.

Dr. and Mrs. Roy Loveless of Slaton visited Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Loveless here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Melva of Slaton were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Waugh.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Towns of Sweetwater were guests of Mrs. J. G. Towns and family Sunday.

Misses Oma Lena Medlin and Myrtis Wright visited in Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hamilton of Loraine were Lamesa visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, former residents of Lamesa, are planning to move back here where Mr. Hamilton will be employed at the Lamesa National Bank.

Miss Bernice Ragan is visiting relatives this week in Big Spring.

Miss Lavenia Estes has returned here to spend the winter. She spent the past few months in Coleman.

Miss Enid Averiett left Sunday for Big Spring where she will be librarian in the public schools this fall.

**ON TEXAS FARMS**

If you are looking for someone who can "make a profit on the hole in the doughnut," as the old saying goes try P. A. Hunter, dairyman and farmer of Brooks county, who is building a new home from adobe and making the hole from which the dirt comes into a trench silo.

Coryell county farmers and ranchmen have been staunch in their support of the AAA program. The county had 1700 cotton contract signers; 2300 Bankhead applications; 168 corn-hog contracts; 1100 applica-

tions for the sale of cattle in the drouth relief program; and when the sheep program is under way they are ready to cooperate with that also.

"There are ways for us to fill our pantries in spite of the drouth," Mrs. Homer Stewart told the Cottle county home demonstration agent. Some of Mrs. Stewart's ways were to exchange lard of which she had plenty for peaches to can; to sew and take her pay in peas; to can; to can beef condemned for removal and use off her farm, but permitted as wholesome for home use.

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**RACING SCHEDULE**

1st Race ..... 1-4 mile

2nd Race ..... 3-8 mile

3rd Race ..... 1-2 mile

The purses, first and second money, will be composed of 50 per cent of the gate receipts plus the \$5.00 entrance fee. The privilege to change any arrangement is reserved by the manager.

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# In SOCIETY

## Delphian Club Opens Years Work

The Delphian Club opened the year's work with a dinner in the home of Mrs. A. E. Jacobs, Tuesday evening, September 11th.

After a lovely dinner served to the guests by Inez Sharp, Virginia Lindsey and Carol Jacobs, the roll was called and answered by high points of each member's vacation.

The principal talk of the evening was made by Miss Thelma Merrick who made an extended tour of the Eastern cities.

Each member's place was marked by her year book which was bound in the club's colors of gold and black with the year's work on a "Bird's Eye View of Texas" entirely outlined.

The club is looking forward to an interesting year ably presided over by our new president, Mrs. Arthur Hull.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Hull, Averiet, L. M. Pratt Lindsey, Rountree, R. E. Simpson and Jacobs.

Members present were Mesdames Russell Clark, C. E. Cameron, O. E. Dunlop, J. E. Eldridge, M. R. Hail, C. A. Holingsworth, O. Lambeth, O. H. Morris, Hardy Morgan, J. L. Morris, Leslie Pratt, A. H. Smith, W. A. Stephens, R. A. Stuart, Ray Williams, E. B. Warren, E. R. Yates, Zachary Davis, Misses Connie Barnes, Louise Billingsley, Pinkie Brack, Juanita Dunn, Thelma Merrick, and the hostesses.

## Miss Midge Dickenson, Connley Baldwin Marry Sunday

Miss Midge Dickenson became the bride of Mr. Connley Baldwin on last Sunday, September 9, in Carlsbad, New Mexico, with Rev. S. E. Allison reading the ceremony at his home. The couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Eldrid Travis, Sol Cleveland of Lamesa, and Miss Laura McKinney of Colorado.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Dickenson, was attractively dressed in a tweed swagger suit with black accessories.

Mr. Baldwin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin, and has until recently been employed at the Baldwin

Store here. Both are former students of the local school.

The couple left Carlsbad immediately after the ceremony for Artesia, New Mexico, where they will make their home. Mr. Baldwin will be employed at the Baldwin Dry Goods Store at that place.

## Lynette Carroll Honored on Birthday

Honoring her little daughter Lynette on her sixth birthday, Mrs. Jesse Carroll entertained at her home on last Saturday afternoon.

Lynette received many beautiful gifts from the guests. Out door games of all kinds were enjoyed after which refreshments of birthday cake and brick ice cream were served to the little guests. Toy spades were given as favors.

Those attending the party were: Wynelle and Jimmie Lee Cotten, Patsy Jo Rountree, Billy Wilson, Kathlena King, Nancy Hollingsworth, Jo Ann Phinixy, Ann McGuire, Sonny McCollum, Sonny Rose, Mary Ellen Tarter, Trinka and George D. Norman, Billy Nix, Dorothy Nell Burleson, Janet Rogers, Dorothy Ross Gibson, Mary Francis Barnard, Dorothy and Billy Bogan Caldwell, Glendine Lafray and Oneta Esmond.

## Miss Midge Dickenson Honored With Shower

Honoring Miss Midge Dickenson who became the bride of Connally Baldwin on Sunday, Mrs. W. E. Cox Jr., and Miss Inez Paulk entertained with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. W. K. Crawley on last Friday afternoon.

The entertaining room was artistically decorated to represent the Baldwin Store, where many beautiful gifts were presented to the honoree, when she was asked to do more shopping before her wedding.

Delicious refreshments of pecan glazed cookies and orange ade were served to about fifty guests.

## Mesdames Cox and Pruitt Entertain

Mesdames W. E. Cox Jr., and Rufus Pruitt entertained a few friends on last Tuesday evening with three tables of bridge at the home of Mrs. Cox.

In the games of the evening Mrs. Harmon Daffron won high score for ladies and was presented with a scarf. Mr. Daffron won high for men receiving a set of ash trays.

Delicious refreshments of golden glo salad, cheese sandwiches, cookies and iced tea were served to Messrs. and Mesdames Maurice Snell, Leonard Scott, Harmon Daffron, J. B. Tarleton Jr., W. E. Cox Jr., and Rufus Pruitt.

## Central H. D. Club Met Wednesday

Then Central Home Demonstration club met Wednesday with a fine attendance. There were three new members and three visitors. In the absence of Miss Cox, Mrs. Claude Gowen and Mrs. L. B. Stuart gave the pressed cheese demonstration.

Mrs. Gus Schmidt was appointed

wardrobe demonstrator. Mrs. Ranson gave a report of her trip to A & M short course and expressed her thank to the club for making it possible for her to go.—Reporter.

## Patricia H. D. Club Meets With Mrs. Brown

The Patricia Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. W. S. Brown, September 6, with 13 members present. Two new members were there.

Miss Cox gave a demonstration on cheese making, following this we elected Miss Eudora Bruce as our wardrobe demonstrator.

Our next meeting will be at the school house the third Thursday in September, at 2 o'clock. All ladies of the community are invited to be with us.—Reporter.

Howard Tredway visited home folks in O'Donnell Sunday.

## McCarty H. D. Club Met September 4th

The McCarty Home Demonstration Club met at the school house Tuesday, September 4th, with twelve members and four visitors present. The house was called to order by the president, then two songs were sung after which Mrs. J. I. Henderson led in prayer.

The secretary being absent the roll was not called. The lesson for the day was to fill out the required budgets and nine of the members completed theirs.

An entertainment was planned for the husbands at the school house, Friday night.—Reporter.

## Wilson H. D. Club Met With Mrs. Murphy

The Home Demonstration Club of Wilson community met last Thursday

with Mrs. E. M. Murphy. They will meet with Mrs. S. D. Lewis, Thursday, September 20th, at 2:30. Miss Cox will meet with them and demonstrate on the canning of vegetables. All members are expected to be there and all ladies of the community are urged to join us.

The club will hold a cheese making demonstration at Mrs. Harrison's Friday, September 14th.

## Dove Supper And Bridge Enjoyed

Couples enjoying a delicious dove supper at the Cason Cafe on Monday evening were Messrs. and Meses. Jake Carroll, Jimmy Cotten, Wright Boyd, Walter Harold Collins, Bogan Caldwell, Miss Prudence Grant and Chris Cotten.

After supper games of bridge were enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wright Boyd.

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