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TREE SETTING COMMITTEE MET TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The Committee of the Tree Setting Campaign met Tuesday afternoon in the office of the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of checking up on the work already accomplished in the city and county.

Mrs. Claude Gowan reported that 300 trees had already been set on Highway No. 9, Big Spring road. Mrs. A. J. Gilliam reported that over 100 trees had been set in her district alone, North 5th street, and that others are planning to set trees later.

W. T. Webb reported that almost every school in the county had set trees around their grounds.

The Stanton Highway, on the south, it was reported that trees had been set out for a distance of one mile on both sides of the road, and on the Stanton road that trees had been set for two miles out on both sides of the road. A report from Sparenberg stated that 300 trees have been set and that the school is now engaged in setting out 78 more. The Methodist Church, of that place 35 and Mr. Turner a druggist over 100 trees.

J. W. McCauley, a farmer living one mile south of McCarty had set out 418 trees. It was also reported that nearly all farmers in the county were taking great interest in setting out trees.

Mr. Dyer, chairman of the committee, urged in his talk that several hundred trees be set out in the next thirty days, which will wind up the campaign.

The committee are urging the people to have their yards landscaped before they set out any shrubbery. An effort is being made to get a landscape artist from Tech College in Lubbock to come to Lamesa and give a free lecture on landscaping and tree setting for the public.

Those present at the meeting were: J. D. Dyer, chairman, W. T. Webb, G. M. Roberts, J. E. Barron, J. W. Smith, Jr., Wm. A. Wilson, and Mesdames M. Q. Martin, R. R. Townsend, A. J. Gilliam, and Claude Gowan.

SCHOOL CENSUS TO BE TAKEN

The task of taking the school census in Dawson county is now underway and it is the duty of every citizen to see that every child is enrolled so our schools will receive every cent from the State they are entitled to receive.

Last year the schools received \$17.50 from the State for every scholastic and it is hoped this year. Every child we fail to include in the census costs our schools that amount. Every child who is six years of age before September 1, 1932 should be included.

Leslie Pratt is the census enumerator, and all people are urged to get in touch with him if any of their children are missed. It will be easy to miss quite a few children as folks are moving from one community to another unless cooperation is received from all. In 1931 we had 1171 scholastics in this district and we would have that many or more this year.

It is planned to complete the census within this month.

Troop 22 Meets

Thirteen scouts and one visitor Victor Miller, attended the regular meeting of Troop 22, Friday evening, March 4th. Absent scouts were: Fleet Barrow, Frank Veasey, Edwin Speck, Allen McClain, J. M. Wood, C. L. Schmidt, Harold Veasey, Cecil Medlin and Pat Ridgway.

The Eagle Patrol had charge of the program but was not able to give all of it, because of the absence of some of its members. The part that was given was as follows: Assembly by the troop bugler, patrol contest check up, inspection, won by Beaver Patrol, the initiation of Harold Lambeth, Edwin Speck, Elton Roberts, and Dixie Kilgore. A game, hatball, and a song "Softly Falls the Light of Day," sung by the whole troop.

The S. D. Lewis Home Burglarized

The home of S. D. Lewis in the Wilson community was entered by burglars Saturday afternoon, while the family was in town. The entire house was turned upside-down. The burglars taking all the clothing, bed clothing, all their canned fruit and vegetables and cooking utensils.

So far none of the articles have been recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierce and Mesdames O. P. Duff and Elbert Boyd were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

New Manager for Stone Dept. Store

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wisdom of Abilene have moved to Lamesa to make their home and work for the Stone Department Store. Mr. Wisdom will be manager of the store, taking the place of Monroe Foster, who received a promotion last week by being transferred to Memphis, Texas. Mrs. Wisdom will have charge of the Piece Goods Department.

Mr. and Mrs. Wisdom will make their home for the present with Mrs. J. W. Howell at 308 North Houston street. Their children will remain in Abilene until school is out before joining their parents here. Mr. Wisdom states that he is liking our city fine and intends to make a good booster for Lamesa.

March 15 Cemetery Beautification Day

Dawson County Citizen! Don't forget Tuesday, March 15th. This day has been designated as "Cemetery Day" and all citizens are urged to take part in planting shrubs and evergreens for the beautification of our City of Dead.

Much improvement has been made recently in our Cemetery, but there is so much yet to be accomplished and the treasury funds being so limited, property owners and friends are going to be forced to give much personal attention and spend some money in order that the Cemetery may be properly cared for.

Date Set For School Board Election

On Saturday, April 2nd, there will be an election for trustees held for the Lamesa Independent School District.

This is a very important election as there are four trustees to be elected. There are seven members and a majority are to be elected at this time.

Any one desiring to run can file his name with the secretary of the board or you can present any one you desire by presenting a petition signed by five qualified voters. This must be done not later than March 28th or five days prior to the election.

The election will be held at the County Court Room and the same law will apply as to other elections. A large vote is hoped for at this time.

Mark this on your calendar and be sure to cast your vote as only a small percent of the voters have voted heretofore.

This is your opportunity to secure the board you desire.

Waffles To Leave ON EXTENDED TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Waffle and daughter Belle will leave soon on an extended tour. First they will go to South Texas and from there to South Dakota. They will stop in the cities along the way and make pictures. They plan to return to Lamesa about September 1.

51 PERCENT OF COUNTY AND STATE TAXES PAID IN DAWSON COUNTY TODAY

Up to March 1st, 51 percent of the County and State taxes of Dawson county had been paid. The same time last year there had been a little over 70 percent paid. The Tax Collector is this week urging all who can pay their taxes to do so before the first of April as more interest will be added after this date.

FREE TREE PLANTING LITERATURE AT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICE

Valuable literature on tree planting and culture are available free of charge in the Chamber of Commerce office. Any one interested and desiring this literature may call at this office and obtain it.

WILLIAM A WILSON ILL

The Chamber of Commerce office has suffered the absence of its secretary for the past several days, due to a severe attack of influenza. Though Mr. Wilson was unable to receive at his office, he conferred with citizens on important matters in his home. The many bits of information compiled, the directing of civic improvements, and keeping in touch with out of town interests by Mr. Wilson reminds the citizenship of the community just how necessary a Chamber of Commerce with an alert and interested secretary is. A wide awake town can not keep step with the times with out this service. Mr. Wilson is greatly improved now and is back on the job.

Organ Recital Friday Evening

Dr. W. R. Waghoon who is head of the Music Department at Texas Tech will give an organ recital, Friday evening at 7:30 in the First Methodist Church auditorium. Dr. Waghoon is an organist of unusual ability having studied abroad as well as under the best of our own nations instructors. His coming is made possible by the Women's Study Club and is being sponsored jointly by the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.

Oscar Kelly Out For Commissioner From Precinct 3

Oscar Kelly is this week announcing for the office of Commissioner of Precinct 3, Dawson County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

For 31 years Mr. Kelly has been a tax payer in Dawson county and thirty years of that time he has lived in Precinct 3.

For the past 16 years Mr. Kelly has been a director of the Fairview School which is well known for its scholastic standards. For the past 18 years Mr. Kelly has been in charge of and has taken the school census of the Fairview district. During that time the census has always shown to be correct in every detail.

This same painstaking care exhibited in these school matters Mr. Kelly promises for the office of Commissioner. Mr. Kelly has considered well before seeking the office and feels he is fully qualified to give Dawson county an efficient and economical administration if elected. He states that he intends to see each voter in his precinct personally before the election.

I am seeking the support of my friends and will deeply and sincerely appreciate their influence and vote in the July primary.

OSCAR KELLY

Arrangements Made To Secure Federal Loans For Dawson

A special session of the Commissioner's Court was called Monday afternoon at the request of Mr. Tanner who is District Manager for the Federal Crop Loans to be made here by the Government. Mr. Tanner has charge of six counties: Dawson, Borden, Garner, Howard, Martin and Andrews with headquarters in Lamesa. The court assigned the room originally used by the County Agent to be used as an office. T. D. Randle and Miss Margarite Dobbs will be on duty after Thursday to take applications. The County Committee is composed of W. K. Crawley, chairman, T. D. Randle, and W. P. Avriett. At this meeting the Commissioners Court made all necessary arrangements to carry out the plans of the loan committee, and to cooperate with them in making the loans.

ATTENDANCE IN SCHOOL INCREASING

The attendance in the local schools have improved in the last two weeks only a few are absent now from illness. Four teachers were sick only one day each. The school is now going along nicely with their daily routine.

Johnny Wells of Palestine is visiting Edwin Smart this week. Mrs. Roscoe Holton was called to Fort Worth Monday because of the illness of her mother. Miss Gladys Hastings is pending this week in Fort Worth. Graham Horner of Hallsville, formerly of Lamesa is visiting friends here this week.

LAMESA TO HAVE ENTRY IN ONCE-ACT PLAY CONTEST IN LUBBOCK

Under the direction of Mrs. Stephens and Misses Merriek and Timmons the students of the High School are working on Once-Act Plays. They will enter one of them in the contest to be held in Lubbock April 1.

Y. W. A. MEETS

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church met in regular session, Tuesday night for a Missionary program. Nine members and one visitor were present. Plans were discussed for sending a delegation to the State Y. W. A. Meeting in Abilene March 26 and 27.

E. C. NIX IMPROVING

After spending several days in a local hospital, the condition of E. C. Nix is greatly improved and he has been removed to his home. Mr. Nix is steadily improving, and is up several hours each day now.

EGG DRYING OPERATION INAUGURATED IN WEST TEXAS DAIRY PRODUCTS PLANT HERE THIS WEEK

New Project Expected To Furnish Employment For 30 People In Near Future

Hemmingsen Bros. Inc., manufacturers of dried and frozen egg products have inaugurated an egg drying operation in the plant of the West Texas Dairy Products Co. It is expected that as rapidly as possible production will reach such proportions that approximately 30 people will be employed in the breaking room and their duty consists of breaking the eggs and separating the whites from the yolks. These two products are then dried, through which process virtually all of the moisture is removed and the dried product is then packed in 200 pound containers for shipment.

Only the very finest quality of egg is used and every precaution is taken to insure the highest possible sanitary conditions during each of the several steps in this operation, so that the finished product in all respects is as pure as the originally perfectly fresh egg used.

John A. Dillon who has established his residence in Lamesa is in charge of the operation in Lamesa and Mr. Barnard Weiner will be in charge of all egg purchases and will have management of the breaking department.

Interesting Facts

Portugal will soon erect its first broadcasting station.

France has 100,000 more railway employees than in 1913.

Africa's Victoria Falls are more than twice as high as Niagara.

Spectacular hot beds are being used by florists, nurserymen and large truck gardeners now.

It is estimated that there are still about 5,000,000 slaves in the world.

A watch plowed up in California after being buried 43 years, was cleaned, and now keeps perfect time.

Telephones enabling passengers to call home or office while traveling are being installed on British trains.

EDD HAYNES MOVES

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Haynes are doing much repair and improving work on their home on South 1st street, in the 800 block. They hope to move in within the next few days.

THE SPHERE OF LUNCHEON CLUBS

By Wm. A. Wilson

In Gainsville, Texas, that fine spirit of harmony and good sportsmanship which should prevail in all community work is graphically expressed in the name of the delightful new country club of the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs—Rowans! The members of these two clubs, with the aid of the Chamber of Commerce and staff has brought about this very commendable community asset. How happily does this name illustrate the advancement of the community.

The luncheon clubs and their proper function in the modern community have aroused a good deal of comment. In many towns where there is a Rotary Club, Kiwanis Club and a Lions Club, there is not always enough work to go around and we see the different clubs wasting time and effort, all trying to do the same thing or in attempting to invade the field of the Chamber of Commerce work. This working at cross purposes has caused embarrassment in some Texas cities—without any one intending to bring about such a situation. In fact, we assume that all these organizations spring from that same worthy impulse in men's hearts, to do something for others—for their home town.

A Rotary Club cannot do Chamber of Commerce work and it was never intended by the leaders of that great order that it should. Sometimes luncheon clubs will attempt to do things that require the services of a full time manager and office staff. The luncheon clubs have not this organization. Too often the club meets, eats and endorses, and the thing is forgotten. The true function of the luncheon clubs is to provide a delightful group-spirit for the en-

Revival At Church of Christ

Everyone is cordially invited to hear Evangelist C. R. Nichol in a series of meetings at the Church of Christ beginning Friday evening March 18th. Brother Nichol is a nationally known evangelist in the Church of Christ. He is also an author, and editor of one of our advanced Bible School Quartettes.

One thing that will be of interest to every one is the fact that brother Nichol spent four months some years ago, traveling in the Holy Land and he will possibly have many interesting things to tell us about that historical country. He is also one of the best Bible Scholars of the south and you will be pleased with his wonderful lessons.

Beginning Wednesday evening at 7:30 we would like to have all that will to meet with us to practice singing and get ready for the meeting. We expect to practice every night from Wednesday until the meeting begins.

If you like to sing, or if you like to listen to singing come.

Luncheon Club Holds Regular Meeting

The Luncheon Club held its regular meeting Tuesday at the Williams Hotel with Sam Smith as Toastmaster.

The male quartet consisting of W. K. Crawley, V. Z. Rogers, Edd Haynes and J. D. Dyer, rendered several vocal numbers.

J. E. Barron gave a very interesting address on the Tree Planting and Civic Program. He encouraged the planting of trees, to give more care to the yards, both front and back. He suggested that we make our yards into an outdoor living room by adding more fish and lily ponds.

Notice To Debaters

There will be a Radio Debate between the University of Texas and the University of Kansas, over station WOAI, San Antonio, on March 16, from 4 to 5:15 P. M. This will be of much interest to debaters of this district. If they will listen in, they will have a chance to get valuable pointers, and perhaps new material for their own use.

Interscholastic League Debates

Four rounds of debate between six Dawson county schools have been held in the courthouse this year. Lakeview has recently withdrawn.

Boys
The percentage of the contesting teams to date are as follows: Liberty: won 3, lost none, percentage 1000. Lamesa: won 3, lost none, percentage 1000. Hancock: won 2, lost 1, percentage .666. Ackerly: won 1, lost 3, percentage .250. Key: won 1, lost 3, percentage .250. Lou: won 1, lost 3, percentage .250.

Girls
Lamesa: won 3, lost none, percentage 1000. Liberty: won 4, lost none, percentage 1000. Hancock: won 2, lost 1, percentage .666. Key: won 2, lost 1, percentage .666. Ackerly: won 2, lost 2, percentage .500. Lou: won 2, lost 2, percentage .500.

The following judges have served during the debates:

W. K. Crawley, M. C. Lindsey, V. O. Key, M. Q. Martin, Vernon Adeock, J. E. Garland, O. B. Norman, Miss Wilma Dyer, Bro. Wells, Mrs. Vernon Adeock, M. C. Medley, J. D. Dyer, Mrs. Manning, Mrs. R. R. Townsend, Miss Cleo Smart, T. C. Horne and Dyer Kirk.

The coaches and directors extend their appreciation and thanks to the above mentioned citizens who have given their time to this contest.

There will be three more rounds of boys debates, March 9, 16, 18, 23 and 25 in the District and county court rooms. The public is invited.

Bob Lindsey, Jr., Director of Debates.

T. E. EVANS PASS AWAY

Another of Dawson County's pioneer citizens has been claimed by death. T. E. Evans aged 69, had resided in Dawson county since 1916 and numbered his friends by the hundreds.

Mr. Evans died last Sunday morning at his home one mile north of Lamesa. Funeral services were conducted at the home Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, by the E. J. W. Braswell. Interment was in the Lamesa Cemetery.

A wife and nine children are left to mourn his death.

Interesting Speaker At Lions Club Luncheon

A. B. Sanders, Superintendent of the Brownfield Schools spoke at the Lions Club Meeting Wednesday at noon. Texas Tech College was the topic of the speaker. He urged the patronage of this fine West Texas institution. Mr. Sanders had this to say regarding the charge of atheism, which was made recently against the college. "He knew nothing about it, but he did know that there were 140 teachers employed by the college and that only four of them had been charged with teaching atheism."

Several of the high school teachers and also several members of the school board were present. Mrs. Barnard and Miss Kirk furnished the entertainment.

Why Plant Trees?

A man came into the chamber of commerce the other day and of course met at once with an atmosphere of tree planting as soon as he entered the office door.

"I wonder if you can't find some thing worthwhile to get on to," said this man, "It seems to me we fellows who are spending our money to keep up this organization are wasting it if it is spent to get trees set out in this county."

Now this fellow is a fine sort of chap and means well. He was sincere in his criticism. But he had not thought that with the beautification of Lamesa and Dawson county homes are made more valuable and attractive. He had not thought that such a program would add to the commercial value of all property. He had not thought that pleasant surroundings such as trees and shrubbery bring give us a more contented people. He had not thought that such a program meant more permanent settlers. He had not thought that even factories and industries followed a well satisfied and happy people. He had not thought that the best investment the chamber of commerce could make with his money was an encourage tree setting in this wide open country.

Yes, the chamber of commerce is working with no apologies on the tree planting program. That is not all it is doing but that is the biggest project at this time.

Sidney Randals has been confined to his home for some time, a victim of the Scarlet fever.

CLASSIFIED

FOUND—Ladies Purse at home of L. D. Graves. Owner can redeem same by calling at the Courier office and paying for advertisement.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom joining bath. With or without meals. Mrs. Tom Burnside. Phone 288.

For Sale or Trade—One Rockland 1 row planter, One Rockland 1 row cultivator, 1926 model Chevrolet Coupe, One Reo Truck. Will trade implements for one or two ponies suitable for children. Carl Rountree, Lamesa.

FOR SALE—Bundle Feed, Maize and Kaiffer Corn, 20,000 bundles of this feed for sale. One mile and half Northeast of Key. J. H. Grayson farm, see Wulburn Holt. 3-2tp.

FOR SALE—Good Milch Cows with young calves. For cash or good note. J. W. Small, Lamesa.

LOST—Big Black Handbag. Containing men's clothing with some ladies. Lost between Lamesa and Sparenberg about 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, Feb. 22. Reward for return of same to Courier office. 5-2tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Six room house, lot, garage and outbuildings three blocks from square for sale cheap, or trade for teams and tools. See John Pelham, 201, S. 2nd Street.

WANTED—Laundry at 206 S. Lynn street. Reasonable prices, quick service.

WANTED—Clean White Rags at the Courier Office. Will pay 5c a pound for same.

SEWING, Alterations, dairy sewing for children, reasonable. 812 North First St.

A Satisfactory Investment

By Pearl P. Gibson

I have a brother and a sister who are this month receiving their master's degrees in the University of Southern California. Eight years ago the brother and his wife each with B. A. degrees, went to Los Angeles from New Mexico where they had been teaching school. Within a week after their arrival their car in which was a trunk containing all extra clothing, was stolen, the brother had his pocket picked a day or two later, and then came word from New Mexico bank where their funds were deposited, that the bank had closed its doors. Blithely they wired home for a hundred dollars, and both went to work. The brother studied law at night, and four years later received license to practice law. Turning his efforts to building up a law practice that would yield a living for a wife and child, he himself in that city of experienced lawyers must not have been easy, but he did that, and again turned to night courses necessary to get his M. A. degree. The sister has received her M. A. degree at 25 years of age, and has paid almost all of her expenses since finishing high school.

Back of that sister and brother were grandparents who, some fifty years ago, with a young family, the simplest food and pitifully few clothes, paid nine dollars for the work of John Bunyan, that un-daunted soul who gave to the world one of the greatest books ever written, while he was in prison. "The Pilgrim's Progress." If you have not read it, you have missed a great deal. The grandfath-er paid for the book by grubbing land at fifty cents per day.

The first of this year the brother holds for us all we can take away from it—much as the little country girl who, when asked how much milk her cow gave, said "none," but a real smart little girl can take about two gallons from her. I offer this without apology, but because it is true and for what it might be worth to anyone in this time of uncertainty. It is not necessary or desirable that we all have high college degrees, it is only desirable that we meet our problems, whatever they be, with grace, understanding and courage, making investments that pay in satisfaction.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thank-ing our many friends and neighbors for their many kind words and deeds during the long illness death and burial of our husband father, brother and uncle. Especially we thank the ladies who furnished the nice meals and Mrs. Braswell for the kind words he spoke also Mr. Futrell for singing. Mrs. T. E. Evans, Pat Evans, C. Y. Evans and family, Mrs. Lon Higgins, Loree Evans and family Mr. and Mrs. Harry Houston, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Evans, Harry McClure.

Why wait for your neighbor to plant trees? Set him the pace. Our environments help to make us. We can think of no better in-vestment than a surrounding of trees. Do we owe it to our children? It's useless to plant a tree unless we mean to take care of it. If we take care of it we will be repaid for our trouble.

.. At The Churches ..

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Rev. H. P. Cooper
Sunday school9:45
Morning service11:00
Evening service8:00
Announcements
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m.; young peoples meeting Sunday 7:00 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. E. F. Cole
Sunday school9:45
Morning service11:00
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 school9:45
Morning service11:00
B. Y. P. U.6:30
Evening service7:30
Announcements
W. M. U. Meeting, Tuesday 2:30; Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

NAZARENE CHURCH
Rev. J. B. Gathin
Sunday school9:45
Morning service11:00
Evening service7:45
N. Y. P. S.6:45
Announcements
W. F. M. S. meets Friday at 2:30; prayer meeting at 7:15 Thursday.

McCARTY NEWS
By Merle Shipp

Sunday School attendance Sunday was 97. Rev. Burdine, Lamesa preached morning and evening. Large crowd attended the services. He will have regular appointment on every First Sunday in each month.

Rev. Burdine, Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Peterson, and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Echols and family, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Peterson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones and family, Feb. 28. Lois Garrett visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cunningham, Sparenberg, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Carroll, Lamesa, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Echols, Sunday afternoon. Lois Garrett visited Grace Wood Friday night.

Mrs. A. C. Costin visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burton, Lamesa Thursday evening. Della Mae Wood spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Horn Lamesa.

Bernice Costin spent the week end with her brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. Gayland Costin, Ackerly, she attended Mr. Costin's birthday party, Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. George Hardesty visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jones and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Smith, mother of Mrs. R. F. Jackson, left this week for Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Shank Costin and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Piekens and son, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stanley, visited A. C. Costin's Sunday.

J. T. Piekens, Lamesa, was overnight guest Sunday and Monday with Mrs. A. C. Costin and family. Marie Borden was overnight guest of Hazel Shipp and Annie Laura Towns, Saturday.

Mrs. Lucile and Eva Reeves and Walter Collins spent Monday in Lubbock buying spring merchandise for Collins Dry Goods.

O. O. Russell of Tecumseh, Okla. is in Lamesa this week visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. F. Barkhurst is confined to her home this week with the flu.

Rev. D. Z. Little
ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Sunday school10:00
Morning service11:00
Evening service7:45
Announcements
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Preaching Services held in Lamesa on the First and Second Sunday. During months with five Sunday services will be held on Sunday School9:45 every other fifth Sabbath. Morning service11:00 Evening Services7:30
Announcements
W. M. S. meets Mondays at 3:00 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Eugene H. Surface
Sunday school9:45
Morning service11:00
Evening service7:45
Announcements
Ladies' Aid meets Monday afternoon at 4:00

METHODIST CHURCH
William H. Wallace Jr. Pastor
Sunday School9:30
Morning Worship11:00
Epworth League6:30
Evening Services7:30
Church Night Dinner and Devotional, Wednesday Evening7:30
Announcements
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30; announcements for choir practices and aid meetings made every Sunday.

TEACHERS IN TOWN SATURDAY, MARCH 5TH

J. B. Nicewarmer, Weaver; W. M. Yates, Fred H. Brownlee, Lola Bell Johnson, Faye Allen, Alice Rankin, Roma Baker, Fairview; Henry Cash, Mr. Edward Lauderdale, Fivemile; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Peterson, McCarty; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webb, Liberty; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dyer, Dora Lee Richey, Shumake; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Toole, Berlum Ash, Mullins; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Adeock, Lola McWhirter, Natalee; Naomi Smith, Klondike; W. C. Cunningham, Ura Merrick, Delma Martin, Pearl Forrester, Nora Coker, Lakeview; Mrs. L. H. Kinder, Blanche Meek, Hagin; D. C. Lindley, Sunset; C. E. Sims, Hancock; Lester Draper, Opal McKay, Mrs. Geneva Brandeberg, Wilton; Mary McNutry, Janice Little, Eason.

CARD OF THANKS

We are taking this method of extending our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for the kind words of sympathy floral offerings and kind deeds tendered us during our recent bereavement in the death of our beloved baby, May God's richest blessings be bestowed upon each of you is our prayer. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert F. Nelson.

Clyde Brannon left for Marlin, Texas Tuesday, accompanying the body of an O'Donnell resident to be interred at Marlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hill were Lubbock visitors last Thursday. Mrs. Tom Burnside is confined to her home with the flu.

Miss Myrtice Wright is ill with the flu this week. Miss Edna Watson spent a few days of this week visiting in Ft. Worth.

Dr. A. H. Smith made a business trip to El Paso last week. Mrs. J. R. Weaver local florist, has established an agency for her flowers in Tahoka.

R. C. Lott druggist, continues to improve after a prolonged illness and hopes to be sitting up soon. Mrs. Bill Watson of Lubbock is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. E. Eager and family.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for March 13

JESUS COMFORTS HIS DISCIPLES

LESSON TEXT—John 14:1-18.
GOLDEN TEXT—Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you; not as the world giveth, give I unto you, Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Plans a Home in Heaven.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Plans a Home in Heaven.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Jesus Comforts His Disciples.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Jesus Comforts His Disciples.

The hopes of the disciples were utterly shattered when Jesus told them about the cross. He had told them that he was going away and that they could not follow him. He consoled them by

1. Pointing to the Coming Reunion in the Father's House (vv. 1-3).
1. He asked them to trust in himself even as God (v. 1). Faith in the God-man, Christ Jesus, will steady the heart, no matter how intense the grief or how great the sorrow. Faith in God and Christ is one and the same thing, for Jesus Christ is not merely another God, but one with God. Christ himself is divine and therefore the revealer of divinity. Jesus Christ is the same object of trust as God himself. The believer should repose in him the same confidence and yield unto him the same submission as to God. Trust in Jesus as God is the secret of a quiet heart.

2. He informed them that he was going to the Father's house to prepare a home for them (v. 2). Heaven is the Father's house. Heaven is an eternal dwelling place. There is in it abundant room for all. There are "many mansions." All who come to God through Christ will find room.

It is a prepared place for a prepared people.

3. He assured them that he would come again and escort them to the Father's house (v. 3). Jesus will not wait for his own to come to him, but will come and call forth from the graves those who have died and transform living believers, taking them all to be with himself forevermore in the heavenly home.

II. Revealing the Way to the Father's House (vv. 4-11).
Jesus informed the disciples that, they knew the way to that place to which he was going. To this Thomas interposed a doubt, in answer to which Christ asserts that he is

1. The way to God (v. 6). He is something more than a mere guide or teacher—he is the way itself. He is the door of the sheepfold—the very entrance to the tree of life.

2. The truth (v. 6). He is not merely the teacher, but the truth incarnate. In Christ's incarnation the spiritual and material worlds were united. Therefore, every line of truth, whether spiritual or material, converges in him. No one can ever have the real truth about anything who does not have Jesus Christ. In him we have especially the truth about God. To pretend to know God while at the same time rejecting Jesus Christ is utter folly. Only as Christ reveals God can we know him (John 1:18).

3. The life (v. 6). Christ is not merely the giver of life, but he is the essence of life. Only those who receive Christ have life in the truest sense.

III. Assuring Them That His Work Was to Continue (vv. 12-14).
Jesus' going away was not to end the work which he had begun. This, no doubt, means that through the ministry of the Spirit-filled disciples the work which Christ began would assume larger proportions. There would be a much greater number of conversions than under his ministry. The means by which they were to get the power to do such wonders was prayer. God will surely answer prayer, not only because he loves his children, but through answered prayer his own name will be glorified.

IV. Promising Another Comforter (vv. 15-17).
The word "Comforter" means literally "one called to the side of another to give help, protection and deliverance." This Comforter is the Holy Spirit. Jesus was the Comforter while here on earth. The Holy Spirit was to be "another" Comforter. The condition upon which they might enjoy the comfort of the Spirit was obedience to Jesus (vv. 15-17).

V. Assuring Them of His Return to Them (vv. 18-24).
Although Jesus went away he did not leave his disciples as orphans. He is spiritually present all the time. The Father and the Son make their abode with the disciple who loves and obeys Jesus Christ.

Trust the Lord
Difficulties afford opportunities for learning God's faithfulness, which otherwise we should not have. It gives me great comfort to remember that the work is his; that he knows how best to carry it on, and is infinitely more interested in it than we are. His word shall not return unto him void: we will preach it then, and leave results with him.—Hudson Taylor.

Gratitude is the continuous echo which our hearts give to God's mercy.

PATRICIA (NATALEE) NEWS

Rev. Peters the Methodist pastor will preach here Sunday.

The entertainment at Mr. Cates Saturday night was enjoyed by many young people.

The Pleasant Valley junior basketball team defeated our juniors on our court Thursday.

The Natalee girls won from the outsiders in games Friday and Tuesday.

Miss Lola McWhirter's brother from McKinney is visiting her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Adeock attended services at First Methodist Church in Lamesa, Sunday night.

Several are missing school this week on account of illness.

Miss Lola McWhirter, Miss Gladys Williams and Ivan McWhirter attended the singing at Wilson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Adeock were judges in the Interscholastic League debates held at Lamesa Wednesday night.

Rev. J. E. Peters filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday and Sunday night, and there was a good attendance at these and other Sunday services.

Miss Lola McWhirter, primary teacher, was ill Monday and Ivan McWhirter taught in her place.

Bad weather has cut the school attendance this week.

Miss Blanche Meek, Hagin teacher, and Mr. Aubrey McWhirter visited Miss Lola McWhirter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Adeock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adeock of Woody.

We are beginning to train for the county meet which is only three weeks away.

Mrs. W. K. Crawley was called to Throckmorton Saturday to the bedside of her father, W. D. Hawley, who is critically ill, following a paralysis stroke.

Mrs. O. B. Norman was called to Sherman last Thursday on account of serious illness of a sister-in-law.

Miss Leva Cason left Saturday for her home in Cleburne after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. John Cason.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Rose of Pampa spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Creighton.

Mrs. Ina Little returned to her home in Childress Monday after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Bill Creighton.

Wright Boyd is confined to his home with the flu this week. Miss Betty McGuire visited friends in Brownfield Sunday.

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Political Announcements

The following are candidates for office subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July, 1932:

For State Senate:
CLYDE E. THOMAS.

For State Representative, 118th Legislative District:
JOHN N. THOMAS
W. R. CAMPBELL

For District Attorney, 106th District:
T. L. PRICE (re-election)
C. H. NELSON

For County Judge:
PHILLIP YONGE, (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
R. DYREL KIRK, (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Dawson County:
GUS WHITE
E. EASON

For Tax Collector, Dawson County:
WILLIE BELLE (Pete) CLEVELAND, (Re-election).

For County Treasurer:
MRS. MATTIE HERNDON
MRS. CHAS. HOUSER

For County Clerk:
S. M. (Marvin) MITCHELL, (Re-Election.)

For Public Weigher:
S. A. (Jack) JACKSON (re-election.)
R. D. (DECK) DAVIS

For District Clerk:
F. A. BOSTICK, (Re-election)
EDNA WATSON

For Commissioner Precinct 1:
OLEN EARNEST, (Re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct 2:
D. L. ADCOCK.
S. B. (SAM) HODGE
R. R. (RAY) JORDAN
H. L. HOHN.

For Commissioner Precinct 3:
J. L. SYPERT.
S. J. JORDAN
OSCAR KELLY.

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:
W. S. RAY
W. W. BEEMAN
L. C. BURKHART
B. F. PAINTER

For Justice of The Peace, Precinct 1:
A. B. COOPER (Re-Election.)

For Mayor, City of Lamesa:
E. B. WARREN
J. R. LOWRIE, (Re-election.)

For Commissioners, City of Lamesa:
J. R. WILLIAMS, (Re-election)
W. L. MARR, (Re-election)
HENRY J. PRICE.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

State of Texas, County of Dawson.

Know all men by these presents: Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas on a judgement rendered in said Court on the 14th day of November, A. D. 1931, in favor of the said J. S. Manning and against the said R. L. Westerman, Julia Westerman, Vivian Westerman, a feme sole, W. J. Beckham, H. W. Beckham, Tom Hooten, and J. F. Wolcott, No. 91831, on the 12th day of February, 1932, levy upon the following described tract and parcel of land situated in the County of Dawson, State of Texas, and belonging to the said defendants, to-wit:

All of Section No. Thirty Six (36), in Block No. Thirty Four (34), Cert. No. 2223, Abst. No. 538, Township No. Four North, of the T. & P. Ry. Co. Surveys situated in Dawson County, Texas.

and on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1932, being the first Tuesday in April, 1932, between the hours of Ten O'clock A. M. and Four O'clock P. M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right title and interest of the said tract of land, which is located four miles north of Ackerly and known as the R. L. Westerman Place.

Witness my hand, at Lamesa, Texas, this 12th day of February, A. D. 1932.

GUS WHITE, Sheriff, Dawson County, Texas.
By A. N. Randle, Deputy, 432.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER ORDER OF SALE

The State of Texas, County of Gaines.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, 48th Judicial District of Texas, on a certain judgment rendered in said court on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1932, in favor of the Alliance Trust Company, Ltd. (Without Banking Privileges) as plaintiff, and against the defendants, Farmers National Bank of Cross Plains, Texas; Sam Henderson and wife, Robbie Henderson; H. W. Foster; Shell Petroleum Corporation, formerly known as Roxana Petroleum Corporation; Higginbotham Brothers & Company; and Leon L. Shield and J. P. McCard as Independent Executors of the Estate of Upton Henderson, Deceased; and T. W. (Tom) Anderson; Mrs. Metta Kirkland Harrison, a widow; Allan Harrison; Mildred Harrison, a feme sole; Eleanor Henderson a feme sole; Mary Stanberry, a feme sole; and Sam Stanberry; and in favor of the defendants Farmers National Bank of Cross Plains, Texas, against all other defendants herein above named, in the cause of The Alliance Trust Company, Ltd. (Without Banking Privileges) vs. Sam Henderson, et al. numbered 92083 on the civil docket of said court, I did, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1932, at two o'clock, P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the Counties of Gaines and Dawson, State of Texas, as the property of the above named defendants, to-wit:

All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the County of Gaines and Dawson, State of Texas, and known and described as all of Section No. 123, in Block "M", E. & R. R. Ry. Co Survey, and being 358 acres of land in Gaines County, Texas, and 282 acres of land in Dawson County, Texas; and being the same land conveyed to Sam Henderson by O. G. Lawson, by deed dated January 11, 1924, and recorded in Book 17, page 281, Records of Deeds for Gaines County, Texas, and in Book 30, page 54, Deed Records of Dawson County, Texas;

And on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1932, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on said day, at the

court house door of Gaines County in Seminole, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of all the herein above named defendants in and to said property, to satisfy said judgement in favor of the plaintiff, The Alliance Trust Company, Ltd. (Without Banking Privileges), and then to satisfy the judgement in favor of the defendant Farmers National Bank of Cross Plains, Texas.

Dated at Seminole, Texas, this 27th day of February, A. D. 1932.
FRANK KUYKENDALL, Sheriff Gaines County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dawson County—Greetings: You are hereby commanded to summon John McIntosh by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Dawson County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Lamesa, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in April, A. D. 1932, the same being the 11th day of April, A. D. 1932, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1932, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 1092, wherein Hessie Iodys McIntosh is Plaintiff, and John McIntosh is Defendant, and said petition alleging that Plaintiff has been a bona fide inhabitant in the State of Texas for over one year, and has resided in Dawson County for over six months, next preceding the filing of said cause; that the residence and whereabouts of the Defendant is unknown; that Plaintiff and Defendant were married on the second day of June, 1931 and lived and co-habited together as husband and wife until about the second day of July, 1931 and since said latter date have neither lived together or co-habited as husband and wife; that Plaintiff at all times treated the Defendant with kindness and forbearance, conducting herself only as a loving wife should, but not withstanding this kind and considerate treatment on the part of Plaintiff toward Defendant, soon after their marriage and before their final separation, as aforesaid, Defendant began a course of cruel and inhuman conduct toward the Plaintiff which continued down to the time of their separation; that he was guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrage toward Plaintiff, such ill treatment being of such a nature as to render their living together wholly insupportable; that Defendant failed and refused to support the children of Plaintiff by a former marriage, as he had promised before their marriage to do, but instead, the Defendant, soon after their marriage began nagging and quarreling at the children and refused to support them in any manner and also nagged and quarreled at the Plaintiff and refused to support her, leaving both the Plaintiff and the Defendant at times without the bare necessities of life; that Defendant was excessive in his co-habitational demands, thereby impairing the health of the Plaintiff; that all the above conduct on the part of the Defendant toward the Plaintiff bore heavily upon Plaintiff's mind, making her nervous, keeping her mind torn up and distressed, until she could stand it no longer and Plaintiff refuses to live with the Defendant any more; that Plaintiff is entitled to have her prior name of HESSIE IODYS PETERSON restored to her; WHEREFORE Plaintiff prays the Defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition; that on final hearing, she have judgement of divorce; that her former name of HESSIE IODYS PETERSON be restored to her; and have general relief, etc.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Lamesa, Texas, this the 9th day of March, A. D. 1932.

F. A. BOSTICK, Clerk District Court, Dawson County, Texas.

HANCOCK NEWS
By Margarie Dobbs

Miss Jaunita Harvick, who is attending school in Anson, visited her parents here this week end.

Mrs. J. C. Duncan is in the Lamesa Sanitarium suffering with a carbuncle.

Mrs. Edd Oeff, Roswell, N. M. and Mrs. Odiss Frier, Tatum, N. M. are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mr. Jim Key.

Mr. and Mrs. Teague are in Hamlin for a weeks visit.

Mrs. W. J. Beckham and children are in Trent for an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Phillips entertained Saturday night with a party honoring Mr. Grady Phillips, Mrs. Sam Hodges, and Miss Bessie Lischnoe all having put another mile stone behind them.

Cold weather has ruined the chance for a fruit crop in this territory. The weather continues to be freezing, hindering the farmers in getting their land put up for another chop.

Mr. and Mrs. Dryel Kirk and children have returned from a visit in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Forrest and family made a trip to Slacon Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Wallace have as visitors this week, his sister, her daughter and husband.

Miss Olive Meadows spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Cosby in Lubbock.

CHORAL SINGING NEW EVENT IN INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE WORK

Choral singing is a new event in the Interscholastic League work. This is for boys and girls of the rural and ward schools only, and pupils under the age of twenty are eligible.

The following are a few of the most important requirements: All verses of the song should be learned, but the reproduction of numbers of verses recorded on record will be sufficient at the county meet.

No rule is made concerning the pitch in singing. A piano or phonograph may be used in starting.

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KIDNAPING OF LINDBERGH BABY STIRS WHOLE WORLD

No Crime in Modern History Has Aroused Such Universal Indignation—Tops Long List of Abductions

No crime in recent history so aroused the entire American public as the kidnaping of the young son of Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh, Little Charles Augustus, Jr., is the nation's baby. He is a national character and has been since the day he was born. His abduction was a dastardly crime resented by every red-blooded American, grown-ups and children alike.

Every parent grieved with the stricken father and mother. They knew the anguish they endured. They could feel the heart throbs and the immeasurable grief. They could realize what the finding of that empty crib meant to the grief-stricken parents. They knew the darkness that settled over Colonel and Mrs. Lindbergh as they viewed the dirty foot-prints left by the villains, and the ladder on the lawn outside the window, that told so vividly the fate that had befallen their young son. It is one great American heart that grieved with those grief-stricken parents.

A little delicate child, only twenty months of age, had been dragged from the affectionate embrace of his parents, from the tender care with which he had been surrounded, and spirited away into the foul hands of the most detestable type of criminals. There was no more touching incident of the whole dastardly affair than the pathetic appeal of the mother to the kidnapers to feed her sick baby properly. It was addressed by Mrs. Lindbergh to the kidnapers of her son and broadcast through the press of the nation. In it she said:

"To the kidnapers of the Lindbergh baby:
"Here is a heartbroken appeal direct from the mother of the child you stole.

"The baby has been sick and its recovery may depend on the treatment it gets from you. You must be especially careful about the diet.

"Mrs. Lindbergh issued to the press today the strict diet she has been following since the baby fell ill. She did this in the hope you might read this story and that there was some spark of humanity even in the heart of a baby thief.

"Here is the diet, accompanied by the fervent prayer of a grieving mother:

"One quart of milk during the day.
"Three tablespoons of cooked cereal morning and night.

"One yolk of egg daily.
"One baked potato or rice once a day.

"Two tablespoons of stewed fruit daily.
"Half a cup of orange juice on waking.

"Half a cup of prune juice after the afternoon nap.
"And fourteen drops of medicine called viosterol during the day.

"That's all, kidnapers of the Lindbergh baby. That's what the baby's mother wants you to give the boy. Follow her request and you may in some small part redeem yourself in the eyes of a contemptuous world."

The fathers of the nation in spirit trapped with Colonel Lindbergh the woods about the large estate, searching with him for clues that would lead to the recovery of the stolen child. In spirit they repeated his prayers and his curses. To the mothers of the nation the abduction was a real, a personal tragedy. Not one of them but felt with Anne Morrow Lindbergh the devastating blow that had been struck American motherhood, not one of them but suffered the keenest of all agonies—fear for the safety and life of the child she had borne, and not one of them but said in her heart "What if it had been MY baby?"

It is no exaggeration to say that 300,000,000 Americans immediately formed themselves into a searching party, in spirit if not in body, with the sole purpose of restoring the Lindbergh baby in safety as soon as possible to his mother's arms. From the highest to the most lowly, news of the Lindbergh kidnaping was the all-important topic.

It is not often that a President of the United States puts from his mind even for a little while momentous affairs of state because of concern over what has happened to some individual. But that is exactly what happened in this case. Herbert Hoover, in the midst of pondering over the solution of pressing national and international problems, forgot for the moment that he was Chief Executive of a nation and remembered only that he was an American father. So he gave orders that he was to be kept informed of the latest developments in the case no matter at what hour of the night the news should arrive at the White House.

What was true of the President was true of other high government officials, both state and national. The first activity in trying to run to earth the criminals was, of course, on the part of local police near the Lindbergh home in New Jersey.

Through the agency of the teletype the alarm reached the police of New York, Newark, Jersey City, Elizabeth, Camden, and Philadelphia within a few minutes of the receipt of the first

news at Trenton. All of them quickly swung into action, as did the New York and Pennsylvania state police.

Orders were flashed to every precinct by the police telegraph system to be on the alert for suspicious cars, while the new police radio station WPEG flashed word to the short wave station of the patrolling detective cars to join in the watch.

Similar steps, though on a smaller scale, were being repeated simultaneously in every city for many miles around the Lindbergh home. Posses of motorcycle and bandit squad policemen from Philadelphia, Pa., and New Jersey state troopers, clamped down a heavy guard on every bridge over the Delaware river.

But the circle of activity soon widened beyond state borders. Within a few hours the news reached Washington, the full co-operation of the federal government in hunting down the kidnapers was offered to the New Jersey state authorities. Attorney-General William D. Mitchell hurried to the White House for a conference with President Hoover and immediately afterwards the Department of Justice announced that every agency of the department would co-operate to the utmost with the state authorities.

Following a second conference between the President and his attorney-general, it was announced that the government had placed its prohibition enforcement officers as well as all of the other department of justice agents on the case. All agents in the eastern section of the country, acting under direct orders from the President, transmitted through the justice department's bureau of investigation in New York and Philadelphia, were instructed to be on the lookout for suspicious characters. Between these two offices the states of New York, Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey and Connecticut, were immediately covered with a network of investigation by the most skillful sleuths in the service of the United States.

Although kidnaping is a state rather than a federal offense, the United States government officials had justification for entering the case because of the possibility that the kidnapers might have violated some other federal statute. But one immediate result of this abduction was to cause a widespread demand for speeding action on bills then before congress making kidnaping a federal offense.

One of them by Senator Roscoe C. Patterson of Missouri makes the transportation of a kidnaped person across a state boundary an offense punishable by death. Another by Representative John J. Cochran of Missouri makes kidnaping a federal

offense if state boundaries are crossed and still a third bill makes use of the mails in kidnaping cases a federal crime punishable by a maximum of 20 years imprisonment. Not only was legislation to curb this crime the chief topic in the national legislative hall, but state legislatures began taking measures to increase the state penalties for abduction.

But more striking than the immediate action taken by the constituted authorities of the law for dealing with the criminals who had stolen away the Lindbergh baby was the instantaneous reaction of private individuals everywhere to the crime. It is doubtful if ever before in the history of America have so many millions of her citizens felt the personal obligation to aid in a gigantic manhunt—in spirit if not in reality.

Aviators, who had been buddies of the famous flying colonel, immediately placed themselves and their planes at his disposal to aid in the search. Thousands of amateur detectives were busily engaged in watching for "clews" which might aid the authorities in catching the malefactors. In New York the clergy of three religious denominations joined in broadcasting a prayer for the safe and speedy return of the Lindbergh baby—a prayer which found an echo in the hearts of millions.

Nor was the excitement over the case confined to the borders of the United States. In far-off China, the kidnaping was told in big headlines alongside the news of the Chinese defeat on the Chapei-Woosung battlefront. The French press, to which Colonel Lindbergh has been a hero since his conquest of the Atlantic in 1926, was filled with the story of the crime. Germany forgot for a moment its heated political atmosphere arising from the presidential election campaign and was swept by a wave of sympathy for the parents of the lost baby. All Berlin newspapers published the kidnaping on their front pages, along with numerous photographs, an extraordinary occurrence in that country, where political issues invariably occupy all available front-page space, even when an election campaign is not in progress.

England's anxiety over the fate of the little boy was nearly as keen as America's. The news of the abduction caused a sensation in Mexico where the baby's grandfather, the late Dwight Morrow, had been ambassador from the United States. A stream of telegrams was sent to the Lindberghs from their many friends in Mexico. President Ortiz Rubio, Foreign Secretary Manuel C. Tellez and J. Reuben Clark, who succeeded the late Senator Dwight Morrow as ambassador, asked to be kept closely informed of any developments in the search for the kidnapers.

The abduction was brought home to Mexicans all the more vividly because of the fact that it had occurred on the third anniversary of Colonel Lindbergh's arrival in the Mexican capital on the visit before his last trip to Mexico, in the days when he was courting Anne Morrow in the romantic atmosphere of Cuernavaca.

Just as the news of the kidnaping of the Lindbergh baby circled the globe within a few hours after it had occurred, so had the news of the birth of this baby been an item of world-wide interest. Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Jr., was born June 22, 1930, which also was the anniversary of the birth of his mother, the former Anne Morrow, daughter of the late Senator Dwight W. Morrow of New Jersey. She was twenty-four years old the day her son was born. The baby was born in the Morrow home in New Jersey, in which his parents were married May 27, 1929.

In the four days interval between June 22 and the day the birth certificate was filed members of the Morrow and Lindbergh family participated in an amicable discussion as to what the infant would be named.

That question was settled when the birth certificate disclosed he was to be "Junior." And it was understood to have been Mrs. Lindbergh's choice all along. It was reported, too, that Lindbergh had favored calling his son after his father-in-law, but that for the first time since he hopped the Atlantic three years before he was turned back from his goal.

During his first few months of life, when his parents were making occasional short jaunts by airplane it frequently was reported that Charles Jr. was to accompany them. They did not take the infant on any of these trips, however, though the reports were so persistent that they gave rise to the impression that Charles Jr. would be brought up from earliest youth with the idea of making an aviator out of him.

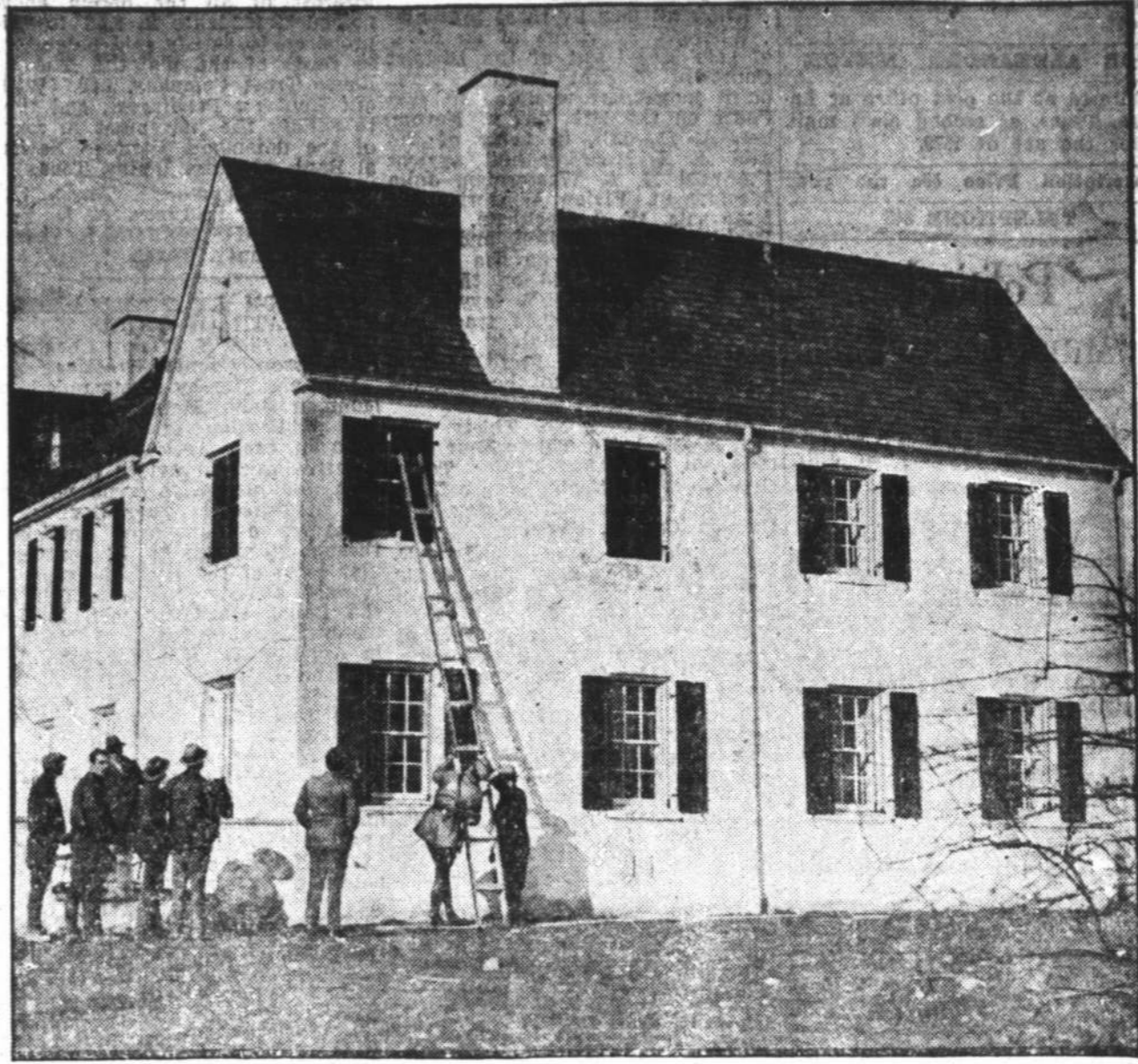
So widely was this conviction held that his reticent father declared in an interview, which was printed in October, 1930, in the Pictorial Review, that Charles Jr.'s future was in his own hands.

"Our son," Colonel Lindbergh was quoted as saying, "has hardly reached the age to have his future determined for him, and, in any case, it is a question that he can decide for himself when the time comes.

"Personally, I do not want him to be anything or do anything that he himself has no taste or aptitude for.

When word of the birth of Charles A. Lindbergh Jr. went around the world and even before it was announced, gifts began to arrive at the Morrow home for him in such profusion that they soon became an embarrassment. His parents were quoted as saying that the boy would have to remain an infant for ten years at least merely to wear out the baby clothes which had been sent to him.

Window Used in Kidnaping Lindbergh Baby



State troopers re-enact the kidnaping of Baby Lindbergh, showing the window and ladder used by the abductors.

Four Generations of Lindbergh-Morrow Family



Mrs. Charles Long Cutter (second from left), great-grandmother; Mrs. Dwight Morrow, grandmother; Mrs. Lindbergh and the kidnaped baby.

THE PARENTS



Characteristic pose of Colonel and Mrs. Lindbergh taken after one of their long flights.

Latest Photo of Lindbergh Baby



Photograph of Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Jr., made public by the family after the kidnaping to assist in the search for the child.

FAMOUS KIDNAPINGS

1874—Charlie Ross, stolen in Germantown, Pa., never recovered and supposed to have been killed.

1900—Edward Cudahy was kidnaped by Pat Crowe, who served a prison sentence. Cudahy was returned.

1909—Billy Whittia, Sharon, Pa., recovered after \$10,000 ransom was paid. Kidnapers imprisoned.

1911—Baby Hencks, Chicago. Believed slain. Abductors in Joliet prison.

1911—Lloyd Trezke, Cleveland. Found in California after fifteen years.

1913—Catherine Winters, kidnaped in Newcastle, Ind.; never found.

1915—Jimmy Glass, Jersey City, still missing and believed slain.

1917—Baby Lloyd Keet, Springfield, Mo., slain.

1919—Billy Dansey, kidnaped in New Jersey. Body found in swamp months later.

1924—Roy Borth, kidnaped by moron in Chicago. Found unharmed after a week.

1924—Bobby Franks, kidnaped and slain in Chicago by Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold, who are serving life sentences in prison.

1927—Marian Parker, twelve years old, Los Angeles, kidnaped and slain by William Hickman, who was captured and executed.

1927—Billy Gaffney, four years old, Brooklyn, kidnaped for ransom and never found. Believed to have been slain.

1928—Billy Ranieri, ten years old, kidnaped but later restored to parents. Two kidnapers sentenced to 25 years in prison.

1930—Adolphus Busch Orthwein, thirteen years old, grandson of millionaire brewer, kidnaped from home near St. Louis but released 20 hours later. Kidnapers sentenced to prison.

1931—Marian McLean, six years old, Cincinnati, kidnaped and assaulted, and later found dead in basement. Slayer captured and confessed.

Social News of The Week

R. P. LAVENDER CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Wednesday, March 2nd, marked another pleasant birthday for Robert P. Lavender, popular pharmacist at the Corner Drug Store, when Mrs. Lavender served a buffet supper to many of his "stag" friends in their home on DeAlva street. After some time spent in portaking of the delectable edibles, a smoke and exchanging around tables for what the term favorite the men gathered "scientific bridge," since they do not as women, study rules.

The esteem held for Mr. Lavender, by his friends was forebodingly manifested by the many gifts consisting of socks and handkerchiefs which it is hoped will tide him over the period of depression.

Mr. Lavender goes on record as being in favor of bigger and more Birthdays. It would have indeed been dreadful if this man Lavender had first seen the light on the 29th of February.

MRS. CECIL BRYANT HOSTESS TO FRIENDS

Mrs. Cecil Bryant delightfully entertained a group of her friends last Saturday afternoon at her home on South Austin street. After a pleasant afternoon of bridge Mrs. Lee Hanson was presented with a cream and sugar set for high score and Mrs. Matt McCall a deck of cards for second high.

Dainty refreshments were served to Mesdames, Lee Hanson, Matt McCall, Edd Haynes, J. L. Sybert, Truman Campbell, A. G. Barnard, Jesse Carroll, W. W. Connell, W. B. Collins, Gus Ragsdale, Raymond Hatch, Arnold and the hostess.

MRS. HARVEY DURHAM ENTERTAINS

The Wednesday Bridge Club was entertained last Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Harvey Durham with Mrs. Aubry Thomas as joint hostess.

After several games in play Mrs. A. G. Barnard exhibited high score and was awarded bridge cards as favor.

A fruit salad and sandwich plate was served to club members and Mesdames Sybert, Hanson, Holton, Miss Maurine Morgan, and Mrs. Ina Little of Childress as guests.

MRS. BURLISON HOSTESS TO TUESDAY CLUB

Members and guests of the Tuesday Bridge Club were delightfully entertained at a pretty party Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Elzie Burlison hostess at her home. Pot plants were used as decorations.

In the afternoon games of bridge Mrs. J. E. Garland won high score and received a pair of silk hose.

A delectable plate consisting of molded fruit salad, cold tongue, hot rolls, salted nuts and coffee was served to the following: Mesdames Truman Campbell, J. E. Garland, Lee Hanson, Gordon B. McGuire, Jr., J. L. Sybert, Phillip Yonge, Gus Ragsdale, Will Lamb Cecil Bryant, Earl Moore, L. B. Rice and J. T. Burgess.

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MISSES MORGAN AND GUERRANT HOSTESSES TO ACE HIGH CLUB

Mises Thelma Guerrant and Maurine Morgan were hostesses to members of the Ace High Bridge Club last Thursday evening, entertained at the home of Mrs. Tom Burnside. In the games of the evening Mrs. T. F. Vaughn won high score, receiving two decks of cards.

A dainty salad course was served to the following: Misses Thelma Lee and Helen Norman, Mary Roach, Betty Travis, Marie McDonald, Arminda Timmons, Rozelle McKinney, Lua James, Aileen Graham, Jewel Towns, Marjorie Ferguson, Gladys Hastings, Nell Goodloe, Commie Zell Barnes, and Mrs. T. F. Vaughn, and the hostesses.

MRS. BULAH NORRIS HONORED

Miss Bulah Norris was honored with a farewell "42" party by friends Tuesday evening on North Houston street.

High score was won by Bob Lindsey Jr.

Delicious hot chocolate with marshmallows and waffles were served to the following: Misses Nell Goodloe, Merle Shipp, Margarie Dobbs and honoree, Messrs. Happy Dyer, Bob Lindsey Jr., Henry Norris and Wells Loveless.

DELPHIANS OBSERVE "TEXAS DAY"

On Tuesday, March 1, the Lamesa Delphian Chapter very fittingly observed "Texas Day" with a program arranged by Mrs. Valeria Sharp Pratt in which Texas writers and composers were introduced to the audience in beautifully rendered numbers.

Representing early Texas, six girls from Lamesa Grammar School, danced in costumes of the cowboy and Spaniard.

A one-act play, "The Peddler," written by Hon. Fritz Lanham was given by a cast from the Lamesa High School under the direction of Mrs. W. A. Stephens. This humorous play afforded much amusement for the audience.

Marguerite Flaniken recounted the achievements of Texas pointing that Texas has produced men and women of international fame in art and literature as well as in the political world.

Accompanied by Mrs. Matt McCall, Miss Barbour gave three vocal numbers appropriate to the occasion. "An Old Texas Cowboy Song," "The Bird With A Broken Wing," written by a Texas girl Florence Gholson, and one of Miss Barbour's own composition, "An April Waltz," written since coming to Lamesa. The number was given quite an ovation.

The program was concluded with a vocal solo by Mrs. Lambeth after which the club president, Mrs. R. F. Simpson spoke briefly of the club's observance of "Texas Day."

The hostesses for the evening then took charge and served delicious refreshments of angel food squares and ice cream, using a patriotic motif in decoration.

Hostesses were: Mesdames L. B. Rice, H. A. Gillam, Bernie Holt, J. W. McDonald, J. L. Morris, R. F. Nix, O. Lambeth and Miss Dunn, Mrs. Victor Crawley and Mrs. Lawrence West.

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BALLARD NEWS

Dr. Smith and Miss Setser, nurse vaccinated 36 students for Diphtheria and 5 for small pox at the school February 26. Approximately 15 students are to be vaccinated for small pox. The Dr. and nurse did not bring sufficient serum with them to complete the vaccinations. Dr. Smith will return to give anti-toxin for these vaccinations in 21 days.

Ballard Junior boys entered the Inter-cholastic Class A, and B, Basketball Tournament last Saturday at Lamesa. Klondike Juniors defeated Ballard boys 7-6 in a fast game in the first round.

Miss Ruth Ellen Agnew, Higginbotham, visited the school last week.

High School English Classes are taking up a detailed study of Shakespeare's most famous tragedies during this week and next.

Following basketball season the student body has been divided into sections for supervision play.

Mrs. L. W. West has charge sub-juniors in playground ball. The remaining teachers will supervize tennis, vally ball, and playground ball.

Regular BYPU and Sunday School met last Sunday at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Boyd and children of Carlsbad, New Mexico spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Boyd.

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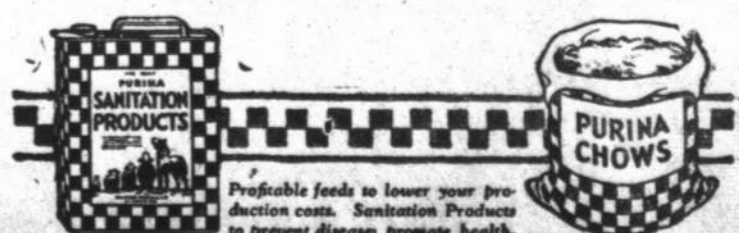
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RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF GENERAL FUND, CITY OF LAMESA FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1932

Water	\$1,393.97	Salaries	\$1,150.00
Sewer	648.05	Labor	56.20
Service	68.00	Municipal Band	235.50
Taxes	1,531.19	Lights & Power	325.62
Fines	12.00	Tel. & Telegraph	18.85
Occupation Taxes	12.50	Fuel	54.75
Jan. Inst. paid by Lamesa		Meter Refunds	55.00
National Bank	14.88	Bal. Fire Truck rep.	294.91
Cash on hand and in Bank		Gas and Oils	17.36
February 1st	1,676.06	Insurance on Bldg. & Furniture	218.46
		Misc. Supplies & Exp.	231.94
		Transf. to Sinking Fund	1,531.19
		Cash on hand and in bank	
		February 29th	1,166.87
Total	\$5,356.65	Total	\$5,356.65

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 7th day of March, A. D., 1932.
J. L. COTTEN.

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TO COURIER READERS:

In an open letter to the citizens of Lamesa, City Commissioner, J. R. Williams after making his bow, says his office being purely a business matter for the people, I feel like the issue should be confined to the city's business and I shall not indulge in the praise or ridicule of any person. He then turns to his typewriter and reels off a lot of figures which clearly shows that the Typewriter is a "very present help in time of trouble." How frail we mortals be! He then suffers a memory lapse and indulges in a lot of claptrap and innuendos by way of an attempt to cast an aspersions on somebody's good name, and tells how he fought off the temptation to pose before the Camera at the City's cost, and if that be not enough to entice him to the name of "Honest John," he swears that he "never operated my car at the cost of the city." The Photo incident is so trivial that grown-ups are not going to become excited over it; suffice it to say that the Photo item was occasioned by the publicity department of the Chamber of Commerce. If this be treason then make the most of it. In his attempt to slur some one for claiming pay from the city for use of his personal car, if Commissioner Williams meant to take a slap at one or either of the two former City Commissioners, he may do so if he sees fit. I am sure they are well able to take care of themselves, but if he meant to include me in his indictment he is getting himself in the plight of the man who says black is white, for he well knows and has in fact had occasion to publicly say and admit to credible persons, that E. B. Warren made no such claim against the city for use of his private car. I will dispose of this matter by saying I will give \$100.00 to local charity if any man woman or child can produce any evidence that there is any basis for his statement in so far as I am concerned.

Commissioner Williams is an old campaigner and seasoned in the arts and wiles of politics but I can not refrain from modestly reminding him that when one starts

out crediting immorality and indecency to his opponent that he is always in danger of hearing, "It's just a case of the pot calling the kettle black."

We have the anomalous situation of a candidate for city commissioner attacking a candidate for Mayor. Quite strange! perhaps this attack was conceived in the fertile brain of the Mayor, written by some handy-andy and merely daddled by Commissioner Williams. But he does declare him self squarely and definitely on the Sewer question. He stands for its continuance and gives as his reason that those of us who are keeping open house and carrying on ought to donate \$12.00 a year on homes and \$30.00 a year in case of business houses, to assist those who own buildings which are temporarily vacant. I believe the Sewer charge invalid in law and unsound in principle. We are morally certain too that he favors the Band Tax for Commissioner W. L. Marr publicly declares he is opposed to the Band Tax and we give him credit for absolute sincerity, therefore Commissioner Williams and the Mayor must be for Band Tax, otherwise the voters would not have been denied the right to vote on its discontinuance. I regard the Band Tax as a festering sore on the body politic.

Commissioner Williams most highly recommends himself and a man of his drive, ambition and swiftness to grasp the main chance ought not to have to travel such a tortuous path of official honors and political fame, but it is feared that he will suffer the fate of Uncle Nebron's mule who, its owner explained to the people, was quite intelligent but never had a chance to learn anything on account of the flies.

F. R. WARREN.
 (Political Adv.)

WANTED—Clean White Rags at The Courier Office. Will pay 5c a pound for same.

E. F. Cole, pastor of the First Baptist Church, was able to preach to his people at both services Sunday. He had suffered from a relapse of influenza and missed a few services on this account.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF CITY OFFICIALS OF THE CITY OF LAMESA, TEXAS, CALLING AN ELECTION OF THE MAYOR AND TWO COMMISSIONERS TO BE HELD ON THE FIFTH DAY OF APRIL, 1932.

Whereas, next April the 5th, 1932 is the time for an election of the Mayor and Commissioners under the law:

Therefore, Be It Ordained By The Board Of Commissioners Of The City Of Lamesa, Texas:

SECTION ONE: That an election is hereby called for the election of a Mayor and two Commissioners for the City of Lamesa, Texas, to be held on Tuesday the 5th day of April, 1932, to hold office for a term of two years or until their successors shall have been elected and qualified as provided by law:

SECTION TWO: That the voting place of said election shall be in the City Hall of the City of Lamesa, Texas:

SECTION THREE: That the following persons are selected to hold such election:

R. E. Simpson and M. Hatch and they shall appoint such Clerks as are necessary.

SECTION FOUR: That the hour of voting shall be from eight o'clock A. M. until seven o'clock P. M. of said day. ATTEST: Done in open session this the 8th day of March 1932. J. L. Cotten, City Secretary.

Approved: J. R. Lowrie, Mayor.

KEY NEWS

Several farmers took advantage of the cold spell to butcher some of their hogs.

Vernon Roberts has been roght sick with bronchial pneumonia. Mrs. Barret and Mrs. Strickland visited the school Monday.

Wanda Burke, Grace May Hogg Jaunita Kirby and Ruth Lea Williams took dinner with Jimmie Southard Sunday. In the afternoon they visited the Orson ranch.

The Key folks gave apounding Wednesday night to a good family among us, who had become destitute on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Kidd took one of their children to Lubbock Monday for an operation. Mr. and Mrs. Williams were with them.

Our debating team is doing fine. They are, Alvis Burke, Chester Gunn, Onal Shipley and Ruth Lea Williams. We are hoping they win.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Grayson are the proud parents of twin boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Barrett Sunday.

Trees, like cotton, corn or any other plant need cultivation if it does its best.

Bill Allen of Amarillo spent the week end in Lamesa visiting friends.

If trees are taken care of and cultivated well they do not need much irrigation.

Allen Brown of Canyon is visiting friends in Lamesa this week.

It will surprise one the response a tree will give to cultivation.

Clarence Parks, and Jesse Carroll made a business trip to Dallas Sunday returning Monday.

Time now to plant trees. They are cheap, the soil is moist and the open spaces are calling for a shade.

Cecil Speck visited friends in O'Donnell Sunday.

It is the duty of everyone to plant a tree NOW.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLaughlin and Eldrid Travis spent Sunday in Lubbock.

The biggest job we know of at this time in Dawson county is the big tree planting program which is underway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waldrip and Miss Jewel Towns visited in Lubbock Sunday.

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