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THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

Election Approves School Bond Issue

Measure Carried Saturday With 5 to 1 Ratio—Count Stands 120 for, 22 Against

Balloting at the grade school building here Saturday, electors of the Wheeler Independent School district showed fair interest in a measure authorizing issuance of school improvement bonds in the sum of \$20,000. In a total vote of 142, is found 120 tallies favoring the proposal and 22 against.

In addition to the bond issue voted Saturday, the school board has asked federal aid on the basis of 45% of a \$25,000 building program. The request has been accepted by state WPA authorities and is now in Washington for final approval.

If this 45% aid is granted, amounting to \$12,250, it will enable the board to not only fully consummate proposed building plans, but to also take care of some outstanding obligations of the district.

The bonds approved Saturday will be applied on the construction and equipment of two new school buildings for the use of present pupils of the district and others that may later be admitted from adjacent rural districts.

Wheeler Physician Moving to Oklahoma

Dr. Wm. I. Joss, County Practitioner for 25 Years, Will Join Erick Hospital

Friends and clientele in Wheeler and throughout the county will regret to learn that Dr. Wm. I. Joss is moving away from Wheeler. He and Mrs. Joss are leaving this week for Erick, Okla., where the doctor will be associated with Dr. G. H. Stagner in conducting the Erick Hospital. Dr. Joss will also engage in general practice throughout the surrounding community.

Removal of Dr. Joss takes from Wheeler one of its well known citizens and a man held in high esteem by scores of friends and acquaintances. He came to Wheeler county 25 years ago, first residing on a ranch near this city. Three years later he moved to Wheeler, where he has since lived. For the past 14 years he has been associated with Dr. H. E. Nicholson. Nine years ago the Wheeler hospital was established by them.

Their partnership is being dissolved by mutual agreement.

Dr. Joss declared yesterday that he deeply regretted leaving his many friends in this county for another field, but felt the change would be to his advantage. He expressed keen appreciation for the friendship and confidence enjoyed, while a resident of the community and will retain pleasant memories of his associations here.

Mrs. Joss, though a comparatively newcomer to Wheeler, has acquired a large group of friends during her residence here and formed social and civic contacts difficult to replace.

Best wishes of people of Wheeler and vicinity will accompany Dr. and Mrs. Joss to their new home.

Townsend Meeting to Have Program

According to J. D. Merriman, president of the local Townsend Old Age Pension club, a program consisting of music, songs and addresses will be offered at the Townsend rally in the district court room here tomorrow (Friday) night, at 8 p. m., when Dr. Miles Frost of Pampa will deliver the principal address.

The program outline is:

Call to order, president; invocation, Rev. Taft Holloway; reading minutes; Amarillo waltz, violin, E. D. Guyner; welcome address, Newt Bowers; song, Auld Lang Syne, assemblage; purpose of the meeting, A. C. Wood; Arkansas Traveler, violin, C. E. Loter.

Principal address, Dr. Miles Frost; music; enrollment of new members; benediction, Elder C. C. Merritt.

The meeting is free to everyone and the general public is invited to attend and learn of a movement that is stirring much interest throughout the nation.

A similar rally is being held at the city hall in Canadian tomorrow night, also. One or more delegates from Wheeler expect to attend the Canadian meeting.

Mrs. Nelson Porter and daughter, Frances, and Dennis Porter motored Monday to Dallas to attend to some business. Mrs. Porter was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Bess Laughlin, while there. They returned Wednesday evening.

McCASLAND FAMILY REUNION ENJOYED ON EASTER SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland had a family reunion during the week end when all their children and their families except one son, Jim McCasland, were home for Easter.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Chester Hampton and daughters and son, Adell, Alverne and Billy, Wheeler; Gus Ware and three children, Mobeetie; Marshall Adams and son, Robert, and F. E. Morris and children, Gene and Coleene, Amarillo; T. A. Greenhouse and children, Charles and Virginia, Briscoe; Clarence Holt of Lefors and Lindsay McCasland.

Popular City Pair Wed Last Saturday

Miss Rose Bowden and John Ficke Slip Quietly Away for Elk City Nuptials

Miss Rose Bowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bowden of Brownwood, and John M. Ficke, only son of the late John Ficke and Mrs. Ficke of Wheeler, were quietly married Saturday evening, April 11, at Elk City, Okla. The Rev. Don E. Scholer, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church at that place read the beautiful and impressive ring ceremony uniting the young folk in matrimony.

Mrs. Ficke has been a member of the Wheeler grade school faculty during the past year and is elected for another term. She graduated from the Brownwood high school in 1930 and from Oklahoma university at Norman in 1934, and taught school at Milfay, Okla., one year before coming to Wheeler. Since locating here she has acquired a large circle of friends who admire her winsome manner and charming personality.

Mr. Ficke is well known in Wheeler, where he has spent most of his life and obtained much of his schooling. During his senior year he was a member of The Corral staff and played on the football team. Since graduation he has been employed at the Citizens State bank as bookkeeper and teller. With his application and industry, John Ficke bids fair to achieve a leading position among the younger business men of Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ficke will make their home for the present with Mrs. John Hood, a cousin of the bride.

County Democratic Meet Next Tuesday

Executive Group Session Called to Organize County Committee on April 21

The Times has been authorized by A. B. Crump, county chairman, that a meeting of the Wheeler County Democratic Executive committee is called for next Tuesday, April 21, beginning at 10 a. m. in the commissioner's court room at the court house for the purpose of discussing plans for the approaching election and the organization of the county committee.

As prescribed by law, the precinct presidential primary convention, to be held at each voting place in the county, is dated for Saturday, May 2. The election, beginning at 10 a. m., is for the purpose of choosing delegates to the county convention on the following Saturday, May 9. This convention will meet in the district court room of the court house in Wheeler at 10 a. m. on the above date.

Large Easter Crowd at S. B. Davis Home

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Davis and family, living in the Allison community, entertained a host of relatives and friends at their home on Easter Sunday. A bountiful dinner was served picnic style at the noon hour. The children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt in the afternoon.

Among the relatives present were a son, Dick Davis, a daughter, Mrs. Oscar Conwell and family, a daughter, Mrs. A. C. Martin and son, Mrs. Davis' mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Keith and family, all from Borger; a sister, Mrs. Clarence Box, husband and children, Hollis, Okla., and a brother, Floyd Barnes and children of Briscoe.

In the afternoon Mr. Davis' cousin, Mrs. Ella Green and daughter, Irene, and son, Arville, and wife from the Washita community came.

Friends present included Mrs. Earl Helton of the immediate neighborhood, and Marvin Dixon and Jack Moble from Washita.

Mrs. Glenn Scott and children of Mobeetie are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Beene, this week.

WATER FLOW IN OIL TEST WELL

Depth Is 3,235 Feet in Mixed Formation—Hole Half Full of Water

Drilling ahead with the 10 3/4 inch at a depth of 3,235 feet in a hole half full of water, was the substance of information obtained today from the Porter No. 1 oil test well, south of Wheeler.

It is said that a wide variety exists in the formation, ranging from sandy granite wash, through lime layers to blue shale and redbeds.

Because of the rather hard structure and depth of the diggings, drilling progress has slowed down appreciably. It was learned late this evening that underreaming for the 10 3/4 had been started. It will be run on down from the present 2,631-foot level to about 3,226 to shut out the water and facilitate the deeper drilling contemplated from the beginning of the test.

This operation will likely require considerable time—two to four weeks—especially if cementing is found necessary.

First Round Grand Jury Nets Four Bills

April Term District Court Gets Under Way Monday on Non-Jury Week

Beginning its seven weeks April term Monday, district court sessions of the week are devoted to non-jury matters. Several cases have been heard and disposed of by Judge W. R. Ewing, presiding.

The grand jury chosen to work during the term also began its hearings Monday, with W. H. Taylor as foreman. Continuing its labors until Wednesday afternoon, at which time recess was declared until Monday, the jury returned four indictments.

As has been previously stated in these columns, next Monday marks the opening jury week when civil matters will be heard. The following week will be given over to criminal cases.

Jury—Third Week

V. G. Agan, J. H. Burrell, H. V. Bentley, Roy Berton, Jack Clark, C. C. Crowder, T. J. Clay, S. B. Davis, Wayne Fleming, George Topper, P. L. Farmer, Ed Farmer.

R. A. Greenhouse, H. J. Garrison, L. L. Hiltbrunner, H. S. Hogan, H. C. Hawk, Doyle Jeffus, A. C. Johnson, W. A. Jolley, G. L. Key, Thomas F. Kelley, J. B. Love, Jewell Lyle, Loyd Lee, W. A. Lankford.

C. A. Mason, P. A. Martin, O. C. McPherson, W. N. Pharis, Glenn Porter, Robert Roach, H. H. Reeves, J. O. Sims, W. J. Stephens, J. A. Tucker, C. W. Wells, Fay Wilson, C. A. Whitener, H. M. Wiley.

J. R. Cooper, E. A. Deering, A. H. Dyson, T. K. Fields, Leonard Green, Bill Godwin, L. S. Griffin, I. T. Goodnight, Claude Hiltbrunner, Acie Henderson.

GILMORE AND ASHLEY IN PAGEANT AT W. T. S. T. C.

Helen Gilmore and Edith Ashley of Wheeler are among those who will appear on the program of the Texas Centennial pageant April 17, under direction of the physical education department of the West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon.

The first act of the pageant represents the struggle of Texas people with nature. The second act depicts the customs and recreations of the many nationalities that have helped to make the state. Act three deals with the coming of the machine age and act four is a group reproduction of the Ship of State today, concluding with the singing of "Texas, Our Texas."

There are 150 taking part in the pageant.

Mrs. Roy Esslinger spent Sunday in Shamrock with Mrs. Travis Borgardner.

SOUVENIRS FROM DAYS OF "CROSS OF GOLD" — "CROWN OF THORNS"

One day this week, A. B. Crump, Wheeler business man and Democratic county committee chairman, was exhibiting some political relics of a bygone day. In the lot was a campaign handkerchief and lapel buttons of William Jennings Bryan's race for president in 1896. The older generation will remember that Bryan's famous speech employing the expressions—"Cross of Gold" and "Crown of Thorns," made him the outstanding political figure of his day.

PAMPA SPEAKER COMING SUNDAY

Rev. Lance Webb to Occupy Local Methodist Pulpit in Place of Pastor Kirby

Information has just been received at this office from Rev. J. Edmund Kirby, pastor of the Wheeler Methodist church, stating that Rev. Lance Webb, pastor of McCullough-Harrah M. E. churches, Pampa, will occupy the pulpit at the local church both Sunday morning and evening. He is substituting for Rev. Kirby, who is engaged in evangelistic services in the Pampa churches.

Sermon subject for the Sunday morning hour, 11 o'clock, is "The Greatest Thing in the World." The 8 o'clock evening sermon subject is "Cushions or Crosses."

Membership of the church, states Kirby is asked to keep in mind these services, and an invitation is extended those not attending church elsewhere to hear the Gray county minister, whose ability as a speaker is highly rated.

QUAIL SCHOOLS ARE GIVEN 21 SUBJECTS AFFILIATION

Friends of Carl Chaudoin, former superintendent of the Mobeetie schools and now head of the Quail consolidated schools, near Wellington, will be glad to learn that the Quail schools this week received affiliation in 21 subjects. J. D. Wilson, deputy state superintendent, inspected the institution and granted 19 1/2 credits. O. T. Ryan also awarded 1 1/2 credits in vocational agriculture, following an inspection of that department. One other credit is being asked for in home economics.

This is said to be one of the most outstanding records ever achieved by any school in the state within one year. The Quail school was organized last year and since that time has been classified and affiliated. A \$41,000 high school building is now under construction.

The district re-elected all seven of its trustees, who were appointed last year; has re-elected all 21 of its teachers for another year, and will employ the same bus drivers and janitors for another term. A band director is being employed to direct a school band and other music classes. Enumeration shows an increase of 35 over last year.

Supt. Chaudoin has made an outstanding record since joining the Quail educational plant last year. During his three years at Mobeetie, affiliation was obtained in 19 1/2 units.

CLUB OFFICERS TRAINING SCHOOL HERE ON SATURDAY

Miss Ruby Mashburn, district home demonstration agent, will be in Wheeler Saturday, April 18, to conduct an officers training school for home demonstration club members. The school, to be held in the court room, begins at 10 o'clock a. m. and continues until 4 in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reid of near Clovis, N. Mex., came Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. Vera Tucker, and family, returning Tuesday.

Panhandle Improving; Rain Falls On Anniversary of Famous Black Duster

Welcome Shower Moistens Region Tuesday, a Year to a Day Since Dusty Roller Swooped Down from the North.

True to its reputation for sudden and extreme changes—sometimes within a few hours—Panhandle weather brought a pleasant surprise, Tuesday, when a welcome shower of rain marked the anniversary of a noted manifestation of the elements.

Exactly a year ago, Sunday afternoon, April 14, brought what old-timers declared was a scene never before observed in Wheeler county. It was a black dust storm. Originating somewhere to the north, the huge rolling bank of greyish-green and black colored sediment rode a gale across the Panhandle and far into the state before its fury was spent.

Certainly this section experienced sandstorms—before and since. They were composed of good, clean sand, and maybe a few small pebbles. But that monster, made of "furrin" filth and snaking low across the landscape near the close of a clear, pleasant spring day, excelled as a nuisance anything ever known here.

As a matter of fact, dust and sandstorms were far worse last season than this, beginning earlier in the year and continuing until the first rain, which came on April 18, four days later than the one on Tuesday of this week. Also, there were some dust storms last year after that rain—and, of course, there may be this year.

Because of their prevalence during

Guest Preacher



REV. LANCE WEBB Pampa pastor, who will occupy the Wheeler Methodist pulpit next Sunday morning and evening.

MISS LULA CLARKE BREAKS ARM AT EASTER SERVICES

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Trout and son, Jackie, and Ben Trout left Saturday for Oklahoma City to take Misses Lula Clarke and Inez Shipman, who are students in Draughton's Business college there. The Trout party returned that night.

On Monday Mrs. Trout received a wire, stating that Miss Clarke, her sister, sustained a fracture of both bones in her left forearm early Sunday when she stumbled over some loose wire while attending sunrise Easter services.

The unlucky victim of a peculiar accident arrived Wednesday in Wheeler to spend a few days while recovering from the injury.

OLD AGE PENSION MAN AT SHAMROCK

Supervisor Fisher, Amarillo, to Conduct Information Clinic Saturday Afternoon

From Jaunita Reeves, county investigator, comes the announcement that J. S. Fisher of Amarillo, district supervisor of the Texas Old Age Assistance commission, will conduct Saturday afternoon in Shamrock, beginning at 2 o'clock, a period of instruction concerning manner of application and general information relating to the state old age pension program.

Fisher has made an exhaustive study of the subject and is prepared to give facts and figures of interest to his hearers. Applicants and prospective applicants for old age pensions are afforded an opportunity in this meeting to obtain valuable information.

For the convenience of those with physical handicaps, the meeting is scheduled at the Baptist church, which is easy of access, without steps or stairs to climb.

Robbery at Porter's Last Thursday Night

Thieves Pry Lock from Rear Door —Take Cash and Quantity of Merchandise

Shortly after opening for business, last Friday morning, George Porter, proprietor of Porter's Department store here, found the place had been entered during the night by burglars who gained access through a rear door after prying off the lock.

Initial survey disclosed the loss of about \$10 in cash and a quantity of men's and women's clothing and shoes.

Sheriff Raymond Waters was notified of the robbery and made an inspection of the premises. Notices to peace officers in surrounding towns, together with thorough investigation of all possible leads, had not discovered the guilty party or parties up to late today.

Subsequent check-up of stocks revealed careful discrimination by the burglars, with a preference for the better grades of merchandise. Men's pigskin and suede jackets, several boxes of socks, the highest priced shoes, women's spring coats, suits, and underwear comprised the loot.

As near as can be determined, merchandise totaling between \$175 and \$200 in value was taken. Porter did not have insurance to cover the loss.

Not to Return Jail Escapee at Present

Pat McClendon, Captured in Oklahoma City, Held by Federal Authorities

Word has been received by Sheriff Raymond Waters that Pat McClendon, who escaped from the Wheeler county jail here about a year ago and was recently captured in Oklahoma City after a shooting scrape with the officers, will not be returned to Wheeler county for trial at this time.

McClendon is being held by federal officers on two charges under the Dyer act in connection with the alleged transporting of a stolen automobile and a truck, both from Texas, into the Sooner state.

If conviction results on either one or both charges, penalties assessed will be exacted before the man becomes available for Wheeler county authorities. Charges here include the original theft, plus that of jail breaking in connection with his escape.

MRS. J. A. BRADSHAW'S FATHER DIES SUNDAY IN OKLAHOMA

D. B. Jordan, aged 77 years and six months, passed away Sunday at his home near Hollis, Okla., following a week's illness with the flu. Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the Dodsosville, Texas, Church of Christ, with the pastor directing the last rites.

Mr. Jordan was the father of Mrs. J. A. Bradshaw, living northeast of Wheeler. She and her husband had spent a week with her father, helping to care for him. They returned Tuesday morning.

Others from this county attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Olen Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones and Mrs. Ira Passons.

Republican Meeting Here Tuesday, May 5

The Republican county convention of Wheeler county will be held at the court house in this city at 3 p. m., Tuesday, May 5. So states a notice received from Frank Exum of Shamrock, Republican county chairman. This convention will be composed of delegates and alternates elected from each voting precinct of the county. These will be named in precinct conventions to be held Saturday, May 2, at 7 p. m.

The precinct conventions will be open to all qualified voters, regardless of previous political affiliation, who believe in the principles of the Republican party and will support, in good faith, the nominees of its national convention.

The county convention of May 5 will send one delegate and the same number of alternates to the Republican state convention to be held in Fort Worth, May 26, at which the 25 delegates and 25 alternates from Texas to the Republican national convention in Cleveland will be elected.

BOB CLARK GETS ARM BROKEN

Coach Bob Clark received a fractured right arm this afternoon while engaged with his duties on the playgrounds of the Wheeler schools.

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BUSINESS STIMULUS

"It's an ill wind that blows no one
good," according to the old saw. And
it also seems to be a rare flood that
hasn't its mitigating effects.

The floods that recently swept the
country, killing many persons, devast-
ating the homes of hundreds of
thousands, and doing untold millions
of property damage, were as bad as
any in our history, and the worst of
recent times. The mitigating effects
lie in the fact that they have made
necessary a tremendous amount of
rebuilding—and that industry, notably
the long-lethargic heavy indus-
tries, will be stimulated accordingly.

One almost inevitable result of the
floods will be a long-time program
of flood-control projects, to stop such
catastrophes in the future. Such a
program will entail tremendous ex-
penditures over a period of years,
and bring business to all basic indus-
tries.

A more immediate result will be
the great job of repairing machinery
in flooded factories and places of
business. Electrical equipment, ma-
chine tools, meters and other instru-
ments, etc.—no one yet knows how
much of this kind of goods was ruined.
Some of it can be repaired, much of
it must be replaced entirely. In
either case, industry is going to find
a vast number of rush orders on its
hands.

It is estimated that insurance cov-
erage of flood damage to businesses
amounted to only 1 per cent. A
similar situation exists in regard to
flooded homes. So businesses and in-
dividuals will have to dig into their
own pockets to pay the astronomical bill.

CHURCHES CAN HELP

The chances are that not a driver
in America forswore any bad driving
habits for Lent. Yet, when one con-
siders Christian duties, it might easily
be argued that good driving prac-
tices—the kind that spare lives and
avoid accidents—are certainly among
them.

At Eastertime, according to statis-
tics supplied by the National Bureau
of Casualty and Surety Underwriters,
we enter a period when the automo-
bile accident record shows the be-
ginning of a sharp yearly rise. This
rise customarily continues through-
out the following months, reaching
a peak in October, November or De-
cember.

The churches of America are in a
strategic position to advance the
cause of traffic safety. The concept
of the good neighbor could not find
a more fitting application than
among motorists. Their actions on
the road may be matters of life and
death to others. Their obligations to
drive with regard for the safety of
others are the obligations of a prac-
tical Christianity.

The national traffic safety move-
ment needs to mobilize all organiza-
tions interested in the rights and
happiness of their fellow men. Our
churches should be in the vanguard
of the volunteers, and some already
are. If every occupant of a pulpit
could prevail upon every parishioner
to take the lead in recognizing and
accepting his duty to drive and walk
safely, we would have a staunch
army on the side of traffic intelli-
gence and sanity.

ROGUE
THEATRE

TIM McCOY

"Fighting Shadows"

He was haunted by a shadow, and
hunted by a killer but he saw
justice duly executed.

Leon Errol in
"HONEYMOON BRIDGE"

Fri.-Sat. April 17-18 Sat. Mat.

Rose Marie

Jeanette Nelson
MacDonald Eddy

A picture we are proud to pre-
sent. One of the year's best.

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Calendar of Historical Events



"He who has good health and owes
nothing is both young and rich."

APRIL

16—Wilbur Wright, father of
aviation, born, 1867.

17—United States navy cap-
tures its first British ship,
1777.

18—House invents the stock
market ticker, 1846.

19—Battle of Lexington starts
the Revolutionary War,
1775.

20—Captain Cook discovers
New South Wales, 1770.

21—Sam Houston whips the
Mexicans at San Jacinto,
1835.

22—"In God We Trust" adopt-
ed as motto for all United
States coins, 1864.

THE FAMILY BUDGET

It would be interesting if some re-
search organization were to deter-
mine just what the American merchant
has done to help keep down the cost
of living.

The findings would be startling and
are a far cry from the time when the
prices of necessities—to say nothing
of luxuries—were based on "what the
traffic would bear." Today the aver-
age merchant works on a smaller
profit margin than ever before—and
makes an adequate total profit
through greater turnover.

Both independent merchants and
chain organizations have done their
part to take some of the headaches
out of the family budget. The cost
of living has gone up and down since
the war—but the causes were beyond
the merchandisers' control. It would
have risen much more, and consti-
tuted a much graver problem to the
consumer, had the modern "small
profit—large sales" policy not been
developed.

As a result, the American home
owes the merchant a vote of thanks.
So does the American producer,
whose market has been broadened by
aggressive sales promotion coupled
with moderate prices. The trend
toward still greater efficiency in
merchandising continues—and we all
benefit from elimination of charges
between producer and consumer.

ALLRED'S SENSIBLE STAND

There has been some criticism of
Governor Allred for his steadfast re-
fusal to summon the Texas legisla-
ture into a special session to enact
more taxes for financing old-age pen-
sions in Texas. While there may be
much for which to criticize the old-
age pension law as it now stands...
there is no basis for criticism of Gov-
ernor Allred's attitude toward a spe-
cial session at this time.

A business man sets no price upon
the article he sells until he knows the
cost. No legislature can be expected
to enact a just and sensible tax to
finance old-age pensions in the state
of Texas until it knows just how
much money will be necessary to
finance these pensions.

The cost of a special session of the
Texas Legislature is approximately
\$100,000. Allred's refusal to multi-
ply this cost is a sensible and laudible
stand. There is sufficient revenue in
the state treasury from the liquor
tax to pay immediate pensions. When
the amount necessary to discharge
the obligation of the old-age pension
is determined, it will be time to
summon the legislators. But not
until then.—Cisco Daily Press.

LIFE BEGINS TODAY

"I think I can point out the exact
moment when a man begins to grow
old. It is the moment, when, upon
self-examination, he finds that his
thoughts and reflections in solitude
turn more to the past than to the
future. If a man's mind is filled with
memories and reminiscences instead
of anticipation, then he is growing
old."

This comment from William Lyon
Phelps, himself 70 years old, should
serve as a warning and a promise to
those men and women past 50 who
lack initiative and courage to face
the future.

Whether you are 7 or 70, the years
already spent are mere memories; all
our aspirations and ambitions are
applicable to the time yet to be
lived. Life consists of tasks being
accomplished and yet to be accom-
plished.

There is, for each of us, much work
to be done. Barring ill health, there
is no reason why the man of 50 or
60 or even 70 should not accomplish
worthwhile tasks of use to self and
society. To sit back and sigh away
the remaining years is to admit de-
feat, an evidence more of cowardice
than of submission.—Tullia Herald.

Point of Etiquette

Lady: "Why are you so excited,
little boy? Can't you stand still?"
Little Boy: "Lady, is that any
question to ask a gentleman?"

PENSION WITHOUT VOTE

We are not in the habit of quoting
Tom F. Hunter or paying too much
attention to what he says, but in an
open letter to county judges and
commissioners he points out some
facts about the pension amendment
that again demonstrates the mess we
are likely to get into if we allow
amendments to be written as this
one was. We passed it without a vote
on how it should be paid, and we are
likely to regret it.

We have urged voters to demand
that amendments be fully prepared
before we approve them, rather than
allowing the legislature to work out
the new law in their own manner,
and the statement of Tom Hunter
causes us to again insist upon direct
action on amendments.

Many challenge the constitution-
ality of the act, Hunter says. It is
said that some are waiting for the
first payment and a refusal in order
for jurisdiction on the question of a
denied pension.

Some say the act provides that
none shall receive a pension if they
own property of a value in excess of
the amount named, while others
claim that the amendment makes
eligible all over 65 years of age not
an habitual criminal or drunkard nor
a ward in a state institution. An-
other argumentative portion of the
law is in regard to the amount of
the assistance, whether it is not to
exceed \$15 or may vary in accordance
with the applicant's standard of
living.

This may never be worked out in
the manner in which most of us
thought it would when we voted for
the amendment. It leaves a great
opening for political machines to
grasp power through the pensions.
It is law, now, and we should make
the most of it, but it is a lesson in
amending the constitution hastily.
Hereafter, if legislators ask us to
pass a law and let them work out the
details later, we should think twice
before granting such a request.—
Hereford Brand.

ELECTRIC COST LOW

The advocates of government own-
ership certainly would give a visitor
from Mars a false impression if he
were to listen as they rave about the
"high" cost of electric service.

Here are the facts without any
varnishing or coloring to dress them
up:

It costs the average American
family less than ten cents a day for
electric energy. For this sum the
consumers of electricity light their
homes, secure energy for electric
ranges, refrigerators and other elec-
trical appliances and gadgets. The
entire cost is less than two of the
articles which the late vice president,
Thomas R. Marshall, said the coun-
try needed most, "a good five cent
cigar."

Incidentally, the man from Mars
after checking up on government
spending, would discover that the
nation's tax bill in 1934 was about
\$9,500,000,000 while the nation's resi-
dential electric lighting bill was only
\$677,000,000, less than 8 per cent of
the tax bill.

A 4 per cent reduction in taxes
would save more money for the
country than a 50 per cent reduc-
tion in residential electric rates.—
Public Service Magazine.

Our Exchanges

Items of interest culled from news-
papers on The Times'
exchange list.

"Well, I know I wouldn't ever take
a prize at a beauty show," a local
woman said at a party the other eve-
ning, "but at least I am safe in the
respect that no male affinity ever
took a shot at me because of the
overcoming intensity of his devotion."
—Ochiltree County Herald.

It is predicted that the Panhandle
is to now have seven "fat" years in
comparison to the seven "lean" years
through which we have been passing.
Prediction is that bountiful rains will
fall and that crops will again bless
this section. If there is any section
which certainly thrives on the prom-
ise of next year it is the Panhandle.
While hope is not entirely given up
for some wheat this year, unless it
rains within the next fifteen minutes
this hope will continue to wane very
rapidly.—Canyon News.

Etta Sue Berkley, 8-year-old former
student of Lefors school represent-
ed the Kellerville school in story tell-
ing in the Wheeler County Interschol-
astic League meet Friday and won
first place. Etta Sue is now a stu-
dent at Kellerville school.—Lefors
News.

A deed was filed at the Hemphill
county court house this morning for
the transfer of one section of land in
the east part of the county. J. M.
Shaw of Canadian has sold a section
of land to Gene Howe, publisher of
the Amarillo News-Globe, for a con-
sideration named as \$4,800. This
land is located in Section 141, Block
41, H. and T. C. and adjoins 2,640
acres which Howe purchased in 1932.
—Canadian Record.

Floyd and Crosby county lambs
marketed this week showed the
growers such a nice margin of pro-

fit that the sheep industry in this
section is sure to get a boost from
their experience. Briefly 427 head of
milk and wool lambs that showed an
expense to their owners ranging
from \$1.50 to \$2 per head and raised
from ewes that sold from \$4 to \$6
per head the past twelve months,
sold for enough to net around \$6 per
head.—Floyd County Hesperian.

Pampa's biggest fire in years razed
the 72-room Frey hotel Sunday night.
None of the hotel was saved and total
damages neared \$30,000. A high,
chilling wind hindered the local fire-
men considerably in fighting the
blaze which threatened nearby build-
ings.—Pampa Advocate.

The McLean schools won the county
Interscholastic League champion-
ship in the meet held here last Fri-
day and Saturday; the high school
winning with a score of 181 and the
ward school with a score of 157.—
McLean News.

Juanita Hutson was fatally injured
when the car in which she and Mrs.
David Ramey were riding plunged off
the road across a ditch within three
blocks of the main business section
of town. Mrs. Ramey is reported to
be improving in an Amarillo hospital.
The victims of the accident were
rushed to an Amarillo hospital Sun-
day night for emergency treatment
after an examination by a local doc-
tor. Miss Hutson died early Monday
morning from a fractured skull, severe
bruises and internal injuries. She
never regained consciousness.—
Panhandle Herald.

Nineteen years ago Monday,
America made her biggest mistake
by breaking into the European war.
War supply manufacturers forced our
country into the conflict, made all
the profits, and we will be paying the
price of victory for 150 years to
come. Our boys were sent over to
"make the world safe for democra-
cy." Look at Europe today bristling
with fighting machinery and repudi-
ating past war debts to the nation
that saved the hides of the Allies!—
Donley County Leader.

C. A. Noel, 54, resident of Carson
county for the past 23 years, died
suddenly at his late farm home four
miles north of White Deer, Saturday
morning. He was found dead in his
bed about 7 o'clock when Mrs. Noel
went to wake him for breakfast.
Death was attributed to angina pec-
toris.—White Deer Review.

Boyd Scott came near having a
serious accident last Saturday night
on the highway going to Pampa. It
seems he had turned out on a side-
road to pick up a friend and in com-
ing back to the highway struck loose
dirt and overturned his car. Scott
escaped without injury, but the car
was wrecked quite badly.—Miami
Chief.

The sandstorms are bad, and there
is no sense saying they are not, but
I had much rather have them than
the floods and tornadoes that have
visited other sections of the country
this year. Neither are they to be
compared with the earthquakes of
California or the tropical storms of
the Gulf Coast. A few good rains
will fix us up, but it takes more than
rain to repair the destruction that
comes from other sources.—Wellington
Leader.

Mussolini should remember the
fate of two other overly ambitious
wops with the same ideas as himself
—Julius Caesar and Al Capone.

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as you pass the cathedral?" the Scot
replied, "I thought it was the Bank
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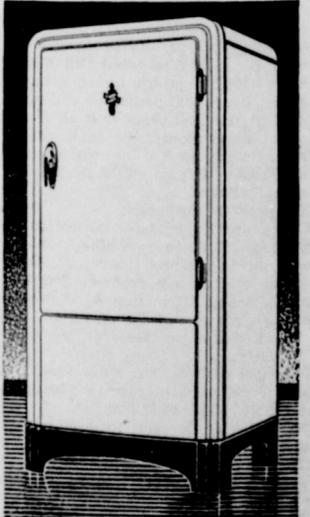
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Local News Items

Miss Leet Womack has been ill for several days.

Bud Love of Mobeetie underwent an operation at the Gaines hospital Friday.

Alford Murphy is recovering from an attack of pneumonia at the Gaines hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Miller of Jowett were in Wheeler Wednesday on business.

Dr. H. E. Nicholson motored Tuesday to Amarillo and attended the annual meeting of the Panhandle District Medical society.

Rev. Taft Holloway will go to Crowell Monday to conduct a five-day B. T. U. course. He will return Saturday.

Miss Elsie Weeks is recovering nicely at the Wheeler hospital from an operation she underwent last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradshaw returned Tuesday from Hollis, Okla., where they were called to see her father, D. B. Jordan, who was seriously ill, passing away Sunday.

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Miss Edith Ashley, a student at W. T. S. T. C., spent the Easter vacation at Wheeler with relatives and friends. She returned Monday to Canyon.

Miss Edith Barnett, a student at Texas Tech, returned to Lubbock Monday after spending the week end at the A. Finsterwald home, northwest of Wheeler.

Mrs. E. J. Muse of Gageby came Sunday to visit her daughters, Mrs. Jerome Brigman and Mrs. Chester Lewis, and family for a week or 10 days.

Mrs. Bessie Kennedy returned home Monday from Skellytown, where she spent Easter with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Allison, who brought her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Jones and children went to Pampa Sunday and visited their daughter, Mrs. Curtis Chesher, and husband. They returned home that night.

D. E. Holt, J. D. Merriman and Jim Hyatt motored Wednesday to Gray county, where Mr. Merriman made three oil test locations on the Holt lease, near Lefors.

Dr. Glenn R. Walker of Mobeetie expects to move to Wheeler in a short time. He will be associated with Dr. H. E. Nicholson at the Wheeler hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Stewart and daughter, Louise, of Amarillo and Margie and Dorothy Jean Esslinger spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Russ, Miss Ruth Ewing and Miss Parilee Clay motored Saturday night to Lawton, Okla., where they attended the Easter pageant, returning home Sunday.

Mesdames D. O. Beene, Roy Puckett, J. I. Maloy, Melvin Howe and Miss Gladys Gunter went to Pampa today to attend the district meeting of the school of instruction of the Eastern Star lodge.

Miss Edith Barnett, a student at Texas Tech, returned to Abilene Monday after spending the Easter vacation with Miss Betty Finsterwald at the A. Finsterwald ranch, northwest of Wheeler.

Misses Betty Finsterwald and Anna Mae Puett returned Monday to Lubbock, where they are students at Texas Tech, after spending the Easter vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Finsterwald, and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Puett. Milton Finsterwald took them to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Miller and children, Bill and Beatrice, spent the week end in Elk City and Butler, Okla., with relatives. Mr. Miller participated in the Knights Templar Easter services held at the First Christian church in Elk City at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Johnson and daughter, Juanita, of Taloga, Okla., spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bolton. Mrs. Bolton and Joan Richardson went home with them to spend a week. Mr. Bolton will go after them Friday and they will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee went to Miami Sunday, where he attended Easter services with the Knight Templar group from Canadian. They returned by Mobeetie where they were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hunt who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lee to Pampa in the afternoon.

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Mrs. W. R. Brigman left Tuesday for Wichita Falls to visit relatives for a while.

Mrs. J. G. Cowden had the misfortune last Thursday to injure her foot and ankle in a fall.

Miss Iona Hanna of Mobeetie is spending the week in Wheeler with friends.

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Kenneth Clepper, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Clepper, of Briscoe has been ill this week.

Miss Mildred Watts of Pampa spent the week end in Wheeler with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Keehn and daughter, Lois, of Pampa were Sunday guests at the W. F. Wright home north of Wheeler.

Noel Bryant, a student at Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bryant.

Miss Gladys Noah returned Monday to Lubbock after spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noah, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Adams and son, Robert, of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Adams, during the week end.

Miss Margie Selby from the A. Finsterwald ranch spent the week end with Mrs. Ray McPherson and family.

Mrs. Alvie Kirby of Hollis, Okla., came Friday to make an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt Green spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Holly, south of Wheeler.

Miss Cleo Boyer, Wendell and Joe Field Meek, students at McMurry college, Abilene, returned Tuesday after spending the Easter vacation at the C. J. Meek home.

Rev. Taft Holloway leaves Saturday for Canyon, where he will appear on a program of the B. S. U. Plains conference to be held at the Baptist church.

Mrs. Derwood Lewis and baby of Oklahoma City came Monday to visit her mother, Mrs. Vera Jamison, and Mr. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lewis, and family for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Morris and children, Gene and Coleen, of Amarillo spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCasland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Weeks, jr., of Shamrock motored Saturday night to Gatesville and visited relatives until Monday evening.

Miss Ruby Lee Williams returned Monday to Canyon, where she is a student at W. T. S. T. C., after spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams. Mr. Williams took her to Pampa.

Mrs. Bronson Green and son, Jimmy, and Miss Helen Green went to Amarillo Saturday with the former's sisters, Mrs. Marion Reynolds and Miss Juanita Reeves of Shamrock. They all returned home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith of Amarillo were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Weatherly. Mr. Smith is making arrangements to farm the Smith place east of Wheeler this year and is staying here most of the time.

Those from Wheeler who attended the Baptist Workers conference at Kellerville Tuesday were Mesdames J. H. Richards, Cleo Gaines, W. W. Jenkins, Ernest Dyer, Roy Esslinger, W. O. Puett, Rev. Taft Holloway and Rev. A. C. Wood. The conference will meet with the Baptist church at New Hope in Collingsworth county in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tilley and daughter, Bonnie Ray, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Tilley, motored Sunday to Amarillo where they were Easter dinner guests of the mens' mother and sister, Mrs. John Tilley and Mrs. O. D. Ernest and family. Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Tilley, came home with the Tilley party Sunday night. She spent the week end in Amarillo.

Baptist Circle Met Monday
The Estelene Johnson circle of the W. M. S. of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Roy Esslinger at her home Monday afternoon. Mrs. George Porter conducted the Bible study and Mrs. J. H. Richards read the devotional.

During the business session it was decided to have a group meeting of the circles at the church next Monday afternoon.

Those present were Mesdames J. H. Watts, George Porter, J. H. Richards, Cleo Gaines, Ernest Dyer, C. R. Brown, Forest Galmor, C. R. Weatherly and the hostess.

Wheeler County AGRICULTURAL News and Notes

By JAKE TARTER, County Agent and JOHN WENMOHS, Asst. Co. Agt.

Farmers will be able to sign up under the new Soil Conservation program as soon as the necessary forms arrive. When these forms arrive they will be distributed to the local committeemen and farmers will sign up with their own committeemen, as these are the only persons with whom a farmer can sign up.

In the meantime it will be a good idea for farmers to check the list below which gives the crop classification as they will be considered under the new program. All crops are classified as either soil depleting, soil conserving, or soil building.

Under soil depleting are listed the following crops: corn, including broom corn and sweet corn; cotton; tobacco; Irish potatoes; sweet potatoes; rice; sugar cane; commercial truck and canning crops, including melons and strawberries; peanuts, if harvested as nuts; grain sorghums, sweet sorghums and millets; small grains harvested for grain or hay, as wheat, oats, barley, rye, and small grain mixtures; soybeans if harvested for crushing.

Under soil conserving crops we find the following: annual winter legumes, including vetch, winter peas, bur and crimson clover; biennial legumes including alfalfa, kudzu and sericea, with or without nurse crops as rye, oats, wheat, barley, or grain mixtures, when such nurse crops are pastured or clipped green; summer legumes, including soybeans, except when produced for seed for crushing, velvet beans, crotalaria, cowpeas and annual varieties of lespedeza; peanuts when pastured; perennial grasses including Dallis, red-top, orchard, Bermuda, carpet, or grass mixtures, and sudan grass, with or without such nurse crops as rye, oats, wheat, barley or grain mixtures, when such nurse crops are pastured or clipped green; winter cover crops including rye, barley, oats and small grain mixtures, winter pastured or not and turned as green manure or if harvested and followed by summer legumes.

Soil building crops are: annual winter legumes including vetch, winter peas, bur and crimson clover, turned under as a green manure crop; biennial legumes including sweet and alsike clover, perennial legumes including alfalfa, kudzu, sericea, and annual varieties of lespedeza; summer legumes including soybeans, velvet beans, crotalaria, and cowpeas, if forage is left on the land; winter cover crops including rye, barley, oats, and small grain mixtures turned as green manure and followed in the summer by an approved soil-conserving crop; forest trees when planted on crop land in 1936.

Wheat compliance is being checked by Frank O'Gorman in the south portion of the county and by Millard Brown in the north portion of the county. These men request that wheat contract signers please be prepared to help measure both rented and sown acres so as to expedite this work and keep down expenses. This is for those wheat farmers who signed a wheat application in the fall of 1935.

Cutworms have appeared on vegetables on several farms. On those farms where cutworms have not been noticed it would be a good idea if onions and leafy tender vegetables are examined to see if cutworms have started. Wherever there is trouble with cutworms the following mixture will give good results; grind up 3 lemons, rind and all; mix with one teacupful of sweet syrup; then mix one teacup of water, add 1-10th of one ounce of strychnine; mix this thoroughly and stir in 3 pounds of coarse wheat bran. Apply the above mixture broadcast over the infested surface of the vegetables.

Down on the Farm In the Spring

Birds are re-building in the old hickory tree, From the tips of green branches they sing! Soft-throated warblers are calling to me— Down on the farm in the spring!

Blossoms of cherry trees, dainty and pink, Spill fragrance on light airy-wing! Of flowers and perfumes the sweetest, I think— Are found on the farm in the spring!

Eternal hills flaunt proudly their green, There's springlets where long mosses cling! And deep wooded haunts! Have you ever seen A maple flash silver in spring?

The blue of the sky keeps luring me so; Memories fill me with yearning! Each set of the sun finds me wanting to go— And now that it's spring I'm returning!

—MARIE WATERS.

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COMPOUND 4 lb. carton -----	50c	SYRUP Penick, No. 10 can ---	58c	CARROTS diced, No. 2 can -----	9c
COMPOUND 8 lb. carton -----	99c	VANILLA Extract, pint -----	15c	ONION SETS per gallon -----	15c
Huskies, whole wheat flakes, 2 for ----	25c	PEACHES gallon can -----	48c	IVORY SOAP 3 bars -----	17c
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Educational Notes

Reported by B. T. RUCKER
County Superintendent

District Sing-Song

County Superintendent B. T. Rucker is in receipt of the following self-explanatory letter from Deputy Supt. J. D. Wilson concerning the sing-song at Canyon, May 1. The meeting place is West Texas State Teachers college.

"I have asked County Superintendent Carl G. Clift of Amarillo to be director of our District Sing-song program. He will make arrangements for a very interesting program. We have planned this meeting in order to properly prepare the children for the State Sing-Song meeting at Dallas.

"If possible, we would like to have every school in the Panhandle represented.

"I wish to urge each county superintendent to discuss the matter with the school superintendents and principals of the county and work out plans by which each county will be represented at this great event. We believe in doing things in District 1, and with your assistance we will be able to make this the best meet-

ing ever held in the Panhandle of Texas."

This list of songs has been selected for the district meeting, and in the order in which we want them used. Please see to it that the children memorize these songs and are able to sing them. Caution them about following directions with reference to the victrola so that we will get the proper time and pitch.

Entire Group—Texas, Our Texas (as recorded), Beautiful Texas (one verse), Texas, Pride of the South (one verse).

Junior Chorus—Sing a Little Song When You Are Happy (as recorded), Over the Heather (as recorded), The Leaf and the Bird (as recorded), Battle Hymn of the Republic (one verse).

Entire Group—The Blue Bonnet, Flower of Texas (one verse), Rounded Up in Glory (chorus and first verse), Will You Come to the Bower (one verse).

Senior Group—Star of the Summer Night (as recorded), Old Black Joe (one verse), O, Susanna (as recorded), Billy Boy (as recorded), Whoopee Ti Yi Yo (as recorded), Old Chisholm Trail (as recorded), Home Sweet Home (as recorded), The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You (as recorded).

According to word from Supt. Clift, plans are to accommodate

2,500 school children. Every school, both rural and city, throughout the district, is asked to participate in the event.

Wheeler county's quota is 200 children. However, it will be perfectly satisfactory should this number be exceeded. It is desired that all children who know the songs and can come, should be present.

This will be one of the great educational gatherings of the Panhandle this spring. Potter county is declaring a holiday for its schools and plans to send every child possible. The museum opens at 12 o'clock noon and Dr. Hill has arranged special guides for each county.

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Davis Items

(Mrs. Zura Bullock)

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus McCathern and small daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wooley and daughter, Bettie Rae, were Sunday afternoon callers in the Harold Nixon home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Usrey and son were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Homesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merrick and son motored to Quanah, Thursday to take his mother and aunt, Mrs. Tom Bell. They returned by way of Mangum, Okla., and spent the night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Shinn. Mrs. Merrick and Mrs. Bell will spend a few days with their brother at Quanah before going to Gatesville, Mrs. Bell's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bass and son spent Sunday with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenney and daughter, Eldene, were Sunday guests of his father, Charlie Kenney.

Carl Wright spent the week end with B. B. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowrey McCathern and daughter were guests of her parents Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Philes and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Myers and son were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Sanderson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Davis of Kelton were Sunday visitors in the community.

Harrel Mixon was a Wheeler visitor Tuesday.

Liberty School

(Times Correspondent)

Ray Dorsey spent Saturday night and Sunday with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dorsey.

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Clyde Blocker visited Junior Wilson of Pleasant Mound, Sunday.

Several attended an Easter egg hunt at Wilson's, near Pleasant Mound, and at Myatt's of this community, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Meathenia and family visited in the Joe Turner home at Shamrock Sunday.

Louie Corbin visited home folks Sunday.

Mrs. T. H. Hardin, Mrs. Lou Smith and Verna Grace Smith visited in the N. T. Corbin home Sunday.

Burford Honey visited his sister, Mrs. Weeks, of Heald Sunday.

Virgil Turner spent Friday night with Audy Corbin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan and Nora Lee visited their son and brother, Jason Morgan, of Lefors Monday night.

Miss Mabel Maness visited home folks at Hedley over the week end.

Richard Simpson of Hay Hollow visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Simpson, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham of Mobeetie visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Knutson, Flora, Florence, Annie and Cleo Jones visited in the R. O. Cunningham home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan called in the J. W. Lively home Saturday evening.

Mountain View News

(“Rip Van Winkle”)

C. A. Dysart returned last week from Mineral Wells, where he had been for medical treatment.

Miss Leta Mae Herd spent Friday night with Miss Beula Brewer and attended the junior play at Mobeetie.

The ladies of this community have organized a quilting bee. They will meet every first and third Tuesday. The first meeting was with Mrs. Bill Trimble. They will meet with Mrs. L. W. Williams on April 21.

Miss Evelyn Rush spent the week end with Miss Laverne Dysart and attended services at the Baptist church in Mobeetie Sunday.

Mrs. T. H. Hathaway and Mrs. Allen Leonard visited Mrs. E. V. Herd, Sunday.

Ray Williams returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dysart, Mr. and Mrs. Rosa Hogau and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Rush attended the Workers conference at Kellerville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hathaway and children and Mrs. Jim Hathaway left Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Tom Hathaway's father.

LeRoy Williams spent Sunday with David Dysart.

Miss Betty Henderson visited Sunday with her cousin, Miss Mildred Eubanks, and attended church at Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meadows and children visited in the Jeff Seitz home Sunday.

Kelton News

(Lorena Wall)

Miss Rena Johnson had as Sunday dinner guests, Elvyn Clemmons, Edith Pearl Beatty, Evelyn Harvey, Lorene Harris, Vivian Whiteley and Bertha Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Davidson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wall, Friday night.

Aubrey Buise was a guest of T. J. Clay, Sunday.

H. A. Wynn of Shamrock was a caller in Kelton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clay were shoppers in Shamrock Saturday.

Mrs. G. E. Robertson had as Sunday visitors Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas of Texola, J. D. Rutherford of Shamrock, Mrs. Elsie Mae Hood and daughter and Mrs. Hood's mother, Mrs. Green of Wheeler, Mrs. T. C. Webster, Mozell Clay, Marie Garner, Virgil Oren and Henry Riley.

The Kelton W. M. U. ladies met at the church house Saturday and enjoyed a delicious dinner. Mrs. Lee of Dallas was the honored guest. After dinner was served, Bro. L. T. Davis had charge of the devotional services. He chose 4th Chapter, 1-3 verse of St. John. The main speaker of the evening was Mrs. Lee. She discussed Standard of Excellency of the W. M. U. Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Goff of McLean were visitors in the afternoon. Mrs. Goff rendered a vocal solo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wall visited relatives in Erick and Delhi, Okla., Sunday.

Bethel News

(Cecial Hendrick)

J. B. A. Harvey and Mrs. Douglas Harvey and little daughter, Nellie Ray, were Shamrock visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Hendrick and little son, George Edward, visited in Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ream visited in Alanreed Saturday night.

H. B. Hendrick visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Dayberry, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Henry of Shamrock spent Sunday with relatives.

B. F. Brown, who has been seriously ill the past week, is much improved now.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Bartee and Mrs. Ollie Hendrick called at Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams of Shamrock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Sunday.

Burley Morgan was in Shamrock Tuesday on business.

CLUB NOTES

Happenings of Interest by and for Home Demonstration Club Women of the County.

Largest 4-H Club in County

Nine hundred twenty-seven chicks have already been hatched by the co-operators of the Wheeler 4-H club and they have 525 more eggs setting, was the report turned in Friday, April 10. More than half the girls have not yet set their hens but have their plans all made to do so in the near future. The girls who are so situated that they cannot raise chickens will be given special tasks as soon as school is out. Mrs. Jim Trout is sponsor of this club. It has the distinction of being the largest 4-H club in the county, having 40 members present at Friday's meeting.

Two Meetings Center Club

Center 4-H club met on March 25, with Bill Nelson, sponsor, and A. L. Jones present. The boys repeated their motto and club pledge and then studied the 4-H club laws.

Another meeting of the club was held Thursday, April 9, at 10 a. m., when John Wenmohs, assistant county agent, was present. He discussed cows and chickens and how to feed them; also explained cattle judging. All members report a very interesting study hour.

The next meeting will be on April 22.—TRAVIS DAVIS, Reporter.

“Soul Hazards in the Home,” was the theme of a program by the Wheeler Home Demonstration club at its meeting in the club room Wednesday, with Mrs. J. H. Watts, leader. Roll call was: A common fault of children and a remedy.

Other numbers included: Parents' Responsibility, Mrs. Lula Mae Farley; Teachers' Responsibility, Mrs. J. M. Porter; Have Outsiders Responsibilities, Mrs. J. H. Watts. Round table discussion: When and how do character hazards begin, and at what age and how should the law be expected to help.

During the business session, the zinnia was chosen as club flower. A surprise handkerchief and towel shower was given Mrs. W. W. Jenkins, a member who is leaving Wheeler soon.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Roy Esslinger and Mrs. W. W. Jenkins, to Mesdames J. H. Watts, Jess Carver, John Ficke, C. R. Weatherly, W. O. Puett, Jim Risner, Ernest Dyer, Lula Mae Farley, O. O. Sandifer, J. M. Porter, T. C. Newkirk and Ray McPherson.

“Do outsiders have responsibilities in rearing children?” was a question asked in the bi-monthly club program given by the Davis Home Demonstration club ladies, Wednesday, April 8, in the home of Mrs. Judith Powell.

Mrs. Powell said outsiders have a very definite part, because our children of today are citizens of tomorrow, and as citizens of our country, outsiders should see to the welfare of children in order that they may have the right training away from home as well as in the home.

Mrs. Ethel Anderson, in discussing “Parents Responsibility,” said parents should teach their children obedience, kindness and tolerance of others' rights before starting them to school. Once started to school, they should seek to understand their children's problems and work with the teacher to promote good habits and overcome bad ones.

The finance committee asked the recreation chairman to sponsor a short program in connection with a box supper to be given by the club. Date will be given later.

Those present were: Mesdames Ethel Anderson, Mary Usrey, Charlie Homesley, Zura Bullock and the hostess. Club will meet next with Mrs. Ethel Anderson on April 22nd.

Yard demonstrators in Wheeler county are sorry to lose Annie Dorsey, yard demonstrator for Kellerville 4-H club, from among their number. Her yard plans were well on the way. The yard had been spaded and covered with manure ready to be made into a lawn. She had set 12 shade trees, 19 salt cedars, 5 plums, 2 grapes and 16 roses. Since Annie Fern is moving out of the county, she hopes the people who occupy this house will complete her yard plans.

HIGGINS PICNIC APRIL 21

April 21, San Jacinto Day, will be Centennial day in Higgins. Included in the day's activities will be a Centennial parade in which two well-known bands of 40 pieces each will march, exhibit of school work, an exhibition of pioneer day relics, and Old Settlers Reunion and a Texas Pageant.

A Centennial luncheon at noon attended by several prominent speakers will be included in the program of affairs.

Local News Items

P. A. Clepper of Briscoe was in Wheeler Monday on business.

Kenneth Clepper, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Clepper, of Briscoe has been ill this week.

Miss Helen Gilmore of W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Supt. and Mrs. J. L. Gilmore.

Mrs. J. A. Spikes came home Sunday afternoon from Springfield, Colo., where she spent last week on business.

Mrs. Riley Price and son, Neel of Clovis, N. Mex., came Monday by way of Lawton, Okla., to visit old friends and attend to some business.

W. M. Conner underwent a ruptured appendix operation at the Wheeler hospital Friday. He is doing as well as could be expected.

M. L. Gunter, jr., of Silverton spent the Easter vacation with his mother, Mrs. M. L. Gunter, and children.

W. H. Scott, who underwent a major operation at the Gaines hospital Saturday, is recovering nicely. He was able to be up town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sal Bolton and baby and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bolton, of Borger spent Easter at the G. A. Bolton home. All returned Sunday except Roy Bolton, who remained for a few days.

Misses Jonnie and Geraldine Lewis and Imogene Jamison went to Oklahoma City Sunday to spend Easter with their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Derwood Lewis, and baby. They returned Monday night.

Ralph Holloway of San Pedro, Calif., came Tuesday to spend a few days with his brother, Taft Holloway. He has been visiting his mother, Mrs. J. H. Holloway, and children at Gatesville. Mr. Holloway joined the navy about two years ago and is stationed at San Pedro now. He will return Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Waldo had for their Easter Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Patterson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bradstreet and children, Mr. and Mrs. Turner and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oglesby and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Davee and A. J. Worley. The children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt in the afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Willard and daughter, Elva, Gordon Roper and sister, Ruby Mae, went to Granite, Okla., Saturday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson, who with other relatives, accompanied them to Lawton to see the Easter pageant and spend the day at Medicine Park, returning home Sunday night.

brings the evildoers to their own reward. And if this is not enough, Leon Errol will entertain you in a good two reel comedy, “Honeymoon Bridge.”

Rose Marie

There comes a time in every showman's life when he perks up his spirits and proudly presents a show like Rose Marie. He feels then he has rendered a public service to his patrons and community alike. He gladly receives the compliments of his friends on the merits of the pictures. It is his earnest desire to give more shows like Rose Marie.

Such is the attitude of the Management of the Rogue theatre when Rose Marie is presented to the public next Monday and Tuesday, April 20-21. It is every bit as good as Naughty Marietta and some claim that it is better. Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy are both at the summit of their glorious careers. They were never better. It is a picture that any minister would be glad to acclaim to the public, and one that the Rogue is proud to present.

Movie Chatter

By a Rogue

Fighting Shadows

Tim McCoy comes to the Rogue, Friday and Saturday in Fighting Shadows, a picture built to your liking. It has plenty of the old-time pep for which Tim is noted. It is a picture of the wide-open spaces out in “God's Country” where the air is pure and courage is its own just reward. The hero is haunted by a shadow and hunted by a killer, but notwithstanding these hazards, he rides forth in the name of justice and

Our Merchandise Is Good

Recent burglary of our store proves that our merchandise must be good—thieves don't take chances on inferior stock. But it's a compliment we don't care to have repeated.

Although something like \$200 worth of shoes, clothing, etc., was taken, we still have a good stock to serve our customers with practically every item usually found in a general department store.

Come in and see our Spring merchandise and note our very attractive prices that will save you good money.

FOOTWEAR SPECIALS

- Men's Work Shoes, reg. \$2.98 seller. Special Saturday --- \$2.50
- Ladies Arch Support Shoes, \$2.89-\$3.50 NOW, Special --- \$2

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WHEELER, TEXAS

Burke, Wiley Win In Dress Contest

These Girls, With Juanell Perryman and Sponsor, to Attend Rally at San Angelo

Home economics II and III dress contests were held Thursday afternoon at the cottage. Dorothy Lee Burke was winner in the home economics III evening dress division and will make the trip to the state rally the last of April with Martha Alice Wiley, winner of the home economics II tailored costume contest, Juanell Perryman, winner of the home economics I school dress contest, and the sponsor, Mrs. Gordon Whitener.

Dawn Weatherly Wins Second

In the home economics III evening dress division Dawn Weatherly won second, Cosette Crofford won third, Laney Mae Tillman fourth and Ruth Faye Garrison and Bonnie Adams honorable mention. Adell Hampton won first in the afternoon dress.

In the home economics II division second place went to Nerine Young, third to Mildred Landress, and fourth to Estelle Scott.

Home Ec Teachers Judges

Mrs. Winnie Hinson, home ec. teacher at Mobeetie, and Miss Lavell Coney, home ec. teacher at Briscoe, were judges.

Those in home economics III are Dorothy Lee Burke, Dawn Weatherly, Cosette Crofford, Laney Mae Tillman, Dorothy Tolliver, Ruth Faye Garrison, Bonnie Adams, Ferrol Ficke, Adell Hampton, Elva Willard, Dorothy Burgess and Lilla Mae Crofford.

Those in home economics II are Martha Alice Wiley, Orveta Puett, Estelle Scott, Parilee Clay, Helen Sanders, Cordie Lee Farris, Lula Barr, Nerine Young, Mildred Plattor, Mildred Landress, Laney Mae Tillman, Capitola Wilson, Louise Veale, Margie Bowers, Wilma Riley, Julia Lou Tinney, Evelyn Balch, Delilah Montgomery, Mabel Sherwood, Wave Wallace and Mildred Coward.

SENIORS DECIDE TO MAKE

CARLSBAD TRIP APRIL 24

For the purpose of deciding the exact date they would make their trip to Carlsbad, the seniors met in the room of their sponsor, Miss Bernie Addison, Friday at 12:05. Supt. J. L. Gilmore met with the group.

It was decided that the 24th of this month will be most convenient to those intending to make the trip.

Another meeting was held Wednesday afternoon at 3:15. At this time the seniors were reminded that the calling cards and invitations were here. Two weeks was decided upon for the amount of time for the money to be handed in to the secretary.

AMARILLO EDITOR SPEAKS TO GROUP

John McCarty of Amarillo Addresses Journalism Students on Phases of Newspaper Work

For the purpose of lecturing on newspapers and newspaper work, John L. McCarty, editor of the Amarillo Daily News, met with members of the faculty, journalism students and a few visitors in the home ec. cottage last Thursday afternoon after the dress contests and made a brief talk. Norris Ewing, general manager of the Amarillo Daily News, also made a few brief comments.

McCarty states that he is very proud of the fact that he was reared on a farm. He has done a great deal of newspaper work. However, if he had been told a few years ago that he would some day be the editor of a daily newspaper, he would have thought it impossible.

Worked on Prairie

Abernathy is the town where McCarty began his newspaper work. He worked on the prairie while attending school at Canyon and in 1923 he went to Amarillo. "I was probably the worst sports writer that ever worked on a paper," he continued as he smiled genially over the audience. In 1929 he went to Dalhart, where he became noted for his editorial writings.

According to McCarty, the characteristics of a good journalist are: alert mental capacity, understanding of surroundings, understanding of job, speed, at least a high school education, working knowledge of the typewriter, tact and enough curiosity to enable one to gather sufficient material. All these things are important factors of a good journalist, he said, but above all other things one must have his heart in his work.

Magnetic Personality

McCarty has a magnetic personality and is well qualified for the position of editor of the Amarillo Daily News because he has the viewpoint of the small community, that of a medium sized town, and that of a town as large as Amarillo.

He lectured briefly and then the remainder of the time was turned over to the audience to ask such questions as they might wish. While answering these questions, the speaker's good humor and friendliness were emphasized and after the discussion was closed, one felt that he had known this man for years.

After a brief talk by Norris Ewing, general manager of the Amarillo daily, the meeting was closed.

Ministers of Churches Visit School

Ministers from the three churches visited school Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. J. Edmund Kirby said the prayer. Rev. C. C. Merritt introduced Rev. Herman Coe of White Deer, who lectured on "Use Your Opportunity."

BOND ISSUE OF \$20,000 APPROVED FOR WHEELER PUBLIC SCHOOLS SATURDAY

MUSIC PUPILS PLAN TO ATTEND SING-SONG

Approximately 1500 school children are expected to attend the county-wide sing-song to be held on the Shamrock football field on the night of April 24. Wheeler hopes to have at least 125 representatives. This program is in connection with the statewide sing-song featuring Centennial songs.

The eight songs which have been selected to be sung on the occasion are Texas Our Texas, Beautiful Texas, Dixie, Old Faithful, Home On the Range, My Happy Little Home in Texas, America the Beautiful and America.

Miss Frances Alice Clark, music instructor of the Wheeler schools is teaching the songs to her music classes.

AMARILLO COMPLIMENTS WHEELER AS MODEL SCHOOL

The Wheeler school plant was complimented highly in an article in the Sunday issue of the Amarillo News-Globe. This story as well as an editorial also appearing in the same date upheld Wheeler as a model school.

These two stories in recognition were probably written as a result of John McCarty's visit to Wheeler on last Thursday afternoon. Much praise was given to the faculty, a few of whom attended college at Canyon with Mr. McCarty.

HOME EC. GIRLS GIVE PARTY

Tuesday night, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, the home economics III girls gave an overall and apron party for members of the faculty and school board. The men had to wear overalls and the women had to wear print dresses. The entertainment was held in the home ec. cottage.

Each student had to direct one game and lead one song during the entertainment.

ROSE BOWDEN MARRIES FORMER W. H. S. STUDENT

Miss Rose Bowden and John Ficke were married last Saturday afternoon in Elk City, Okla. Rev. Don E. Schooler of that city married them.

Mrs. Ficke is the first grade teacher of Wheeler. This is the first year that she has taught in the school.

John, who attended Wheeler high school for two years, was graduated in 1934. He was a member of The Corral staff and the football squad. Since he finished school he has been employed in the Citizen's State bank.

They will make their home in Wheeler.

Plans Are That the Appropriation Will Be Used for a New High School Building

With a \$20,000 bond issue voted for the Wheeler schools Saturday, all thoughts are being centered around using this sum for a new high school building.

To Repair Buildings

Indefinite plans are all that now exist. Part of the money will be used for repairs on the present school buildings. If a new high school building is erected, the 5th, 6th and 7th grades will meet in the grammar grade building if the attendance of the first four grades exceeds that of the remaining three; otherwise the junior high will probably occupy the old high school building.

School Board to Decide

Meetings of the school board are to be held to decide definitely for what the appropriation will be used. Contractors and architects will be selected by vote.

It is possible that the new building will be located between the gymnasium and the high school building.

All arrangements are to be made so that the building will be ready for occupancy by the opening next school year, according to Supt. J. L. Gilmore.

W. H. S. Girl to Speak at District Meeting

The Wheeler home economics girls and teacher, Mrs. Gordon Whitener, will attend the district Home Economics club meeting to be held in Mobeetie on Saturday, April 18. A discussion on interesting ways of earning money to pay for a college education will be presented by one of the Wheeler girls.

The following program will be presented.

9:30-10:00—Registration.
Business meeting.
Sing-song—Song leader.
Reading—"Pioneer Women"—Memphis.

Making the Best of My Hobby—Quail.

The Value to a Home Making Girl of a Visit to the Centennial—Dodsonville.

Music—Wellington.
A Child in Old Mobeetie—W. R. Ewing of Pampa.

Interesting Ways of Earning Money for a College Education—Wheeler.

Clothes of 1836 vs. 1936—Susie Sims.

Lunch.
Special music.
Group singing.
Music by Mobeetie 4-H club boys.
2:30-3:30—Tea.

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Aim: To record accurate accounts of school happenings interestingly.



The Winner Never Quits, the Quitter Never Wins

How many of us would be living in a land of opportunities if the winner had quit? Washington was a man who knew not how to lose. Men with energy and men with a will to do something, like the noble Patrick Henry, were men who never quit.

The story is told of the drummer boy in the great Napoleon's army. The army was being defeated, and the commander told the drummer to beat a retreat. The boy replied that he could not. The second time the command was given him, but the same reply came back.

At the third command, still the drummer replied that he had never been taught to beat a retreat. With a shout the commander said, "Beat a charge, then!" The charge was beaten and the victory won, because the boy did not know how to lose. Often students want to beat a retreat.

But remember the noble lesson taught by the drummer boy. Beat a charge!

Nothing poisons the soul like hate,
 But there's nothing ever done until too late.

The ocean has a fascination for me
 That in my heart secure will forever be.

No beauty can excel the beauty of the sea.

Away
 To pleasant lands,
 Over the blue and misty sea
 Where mystery lurks and dreams come true
 In full.

Kind words and deeds then let us sow

In all the places that we go
 To all the people that we know.

If you try and cannot get fame,
 Then do not let honesty have the chief blame.

A LIMERICK

There was a sweet girl of sixteen
 Who thought she ought to be seen.
 On a banana she slipped
 And her skirt she did rip.
 Oh, shame on this girl of sixteen.

NERINE YOUNG.

SENIOR SADDLE STRINGS

Name: Mazie Bean.
 Age: 17.
 Birthplace: Springfield, Colo.
 Height: 5 feet, 7 inches.
 Weight: 160.
 Schools attended: Wheeler.
 Hobby: Collecting photographs.
 Ideal boy: Dark brown hair and blue eyes.
 Favorite color: Blue.
 Favorite food: Banana pie.
 Favorite author: Dickens.
 Favorite subject: Algebra.
 Pet dislike: Boys walking on wrong side of a girl.
 Ambition: To become a nurse.
 Prospective college: Northwest Texas hospital, Amarillo.

Name: Mable Sherwood.
 Age: 19.
 Birthplace: Shamrock.
 Height: 5 feet, 6 inches.
 Weight: 160.
 Schools attended: Centerview, Porter and Wheeler.
 Hobby: Reading.
 Ideal boy: Tall, dark hair and handsome.
 Favorite color: Brown.
 Favorite food: Ice cream.
 Favorite author: Dickens.
 Favorite subject: Home ec.
 Pet dislike: Civics.
 Ambition: Home ec. teacher.
 Prospective college: S. C. W., Denton.

MILLER TO DEBATE AT PRESS MEETING

C. G. Miller, editor of The Wheeler Times, will debate on the affirmative side of the subject "Does the Publication of a Full School Page Pay?" at the 29th annual convention of Panhandle newspaper men to be held in Amarillo, April 17-18.

There will be 12 debates during the two days, with the editors discussing major topics of the publishing world. These topics will include the influence of personal columns, advertising rates, women's news, the future of the small town, school papers and competition between radios and newspapers.

Other events will be the annual dinner and floor show by friends of the Panhandle Press association, an address by President John L. McCarty, and a speech by L. D. Shaw, Higgins editor.

A Winding Brook

As I walked along the silver stream,
 I heard a low murmur of hidden wavelets,
 The swishing of slow ripples.
 Golden rays swayed to and fro
 Like broken rainbows.
 Pebbles sang as the lazy
 Waters crowded over them.
 Nile moss slowed the drowsy waters;
 Tawny-colored shells filled crevices.
 All are made by Dame Nature's hands
 Supervised by the Almighty.

DOROTHY BURGESS

IN REVIEW

CONISTON

Winston Churchill

Do you like to read love stories? Who doesn't! If you do, then you will enjoy reading this book. It is written in a very interesting style. The author describes the characters until one can almost see them. The conversations add a lot to the book. The setting is in the small village of Coniston, with the beautiful colored mountains as the background. It tells how the hate of two families cause two lovers to be parted for a long time but when you read the book you will find out how they were finally drawn together again. A lesson taught in the book is that one can rise by just being patient and working and striving hard.

Twilight

Twilight comes stealing softly through the gloom
 Like a cat stalking a frightened mouse,
 Imperfectly illuminating, yet not obscuring views,
 Marking the ending or beginning of another beautiful day.

Twilight, a dubious light,
 A light which links night and day,
 Though it creeps silently by.
 It is the marking of another day in Life's short race with time.

FLORENE WRIGHT

Wilma Tinney shopped in Shamrock Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lou Denham, Native Texan, Declares That Modern Life Is too Fast for Her

Mrs. Lou Denham was born in Coryell county, Texas, 74 years ago and is now living in Wheeler with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Tinney.

When asked how long she was going to live in Wheeler, she replied with a smile, "No longer than I have to. These sandstorms are too bad." Mrs. Denham says that she likes the people of Wheeler because they are friendly and good.

Mrs. Denham has four children; she lived in Montague county with them before coming to Wheeler. "Oklahoma is the only state through which I have traveled," but she added with pride, "I love Texas better, even though I don't know what the other states are like."

"This modern life is too fast for me to keep up with," she said with a smile and a shake of the head. Mrs. Denham says the styles of her days were hoop skirts, riding skirts, (not trousers) and powdered hair. The only way they had to go was in buggies and on horseback. "A journey of 10 miles was long enough for us,"

she added.

Entertainment in her days was not only interesting but industrious. They went to cornhuskings, quiltings, spelling bees, parties and dances. "The women quilted and the men did all kinds of farm work. Then at noon we had a grand time at the dinner table," she said.

Mrs. Denham's explanation of the schools she attended contrasted to our present school system is this, "The school that I attended was very different from the one you attend now. We had to study all the time and were never allowed to whisper in the room during class. If we did, we were given a sound thrashing."

Mrs. Denham believes in having sports in schools, although she thinks there is too much athletics in the schools now. She thinks sports help children to get their minds off their work and let their minds rest.

Mrs. Denham enjoys flowers and is tending a garden. One leaves her feeling that he has met a pleasant person.

Caught in The Lasso's Noose

Kids can't study,
 'Cause the words look muddy.
 Teachers can't teach
 'Cause brains they can't reach.
 So add all the trouble
 And then make it double.
 Don't release the lever
 'Cause it's just Spring Fever.

Did you notice the sign floating in the air above the highway between the Crump-Mundy Service station and the Forrester Insurance office, advertising the senior play? Several of the boys had a very hard time getting the sign up Saturday afternoon. Then the high wind tore it down and they were forced to make a stouter one. Finally it had to be moved over to the City Drug store front.

Miss Kirby (in plane geometry class): "W. J. go to the board."

Ford: "Is W. J. in here?"

H. E.: "Yeh, he's so little you can't see him."

Has anyone noticed the little green sock Junior wears on his belt? He says it is his good luck piece.

Mr. Gilmore says he knows it would be wonderful to teach a class where everyone is eager to learn. That's why he wants to teach the first grade, as they all seem to think that the fellow who is talking knows what he is talking about.

This nice summer weather surely is causing the student body to become lazy for some reason. It might be because school will soon be out.

Junior is going to invent a smellivision, put his instrument in a restaurant and sit by it.

When Scotty Risner was asked who went to the sunrise breakfast with him, he replied, "Dudley, Edgar, me, and two other girls."

Wave and Alvis seem to be getting up a case. Everywhere you see one you see the other now. Can you blame them?

Wheeler will get two more school buildings next year. Seniors are saying they don't see why they couldn't have built them so they could have had the privilege of keeping track of their books, as the new building will have lockers. Those seniors seem to get the worst end of everything. Save a little pity for them please, juniors, when you sit back next year and enjoy life.

Mr. McCarty, in his speech, said that mathematics should not be a required subject in school. Miss Addison said "Amen," and you should have seen those journalism students smile.

Mr. Gilmore: "Those of you who don't remember seeing a cloud, look out the windows at those queer things in the sky."

SPARKS FROM THE CAMPFIRE

Blessed are the happiness-makers.
 Use your talent and knowledge; beware of idleness.
 Rome was wrecked on the rocks of greed.
 Kindness reflects in the face—so does deceitfulness.
 Every moment trembles with possibilities; every hour is big with destiny.

Journalism Students to Attend State Meet

Marvin Montgomery, Martha Alice Wiley and Beatrice Miller were the three journalism delegates chosen to attend the state meet which is to be held at Austin, May 1 and 2.

Martha Alice, assistant editor, and Beatrice Miller, editor, were chosen because they had higher averages than any other student now taking journalism. According to John McCarty, editor of the Amarillo Daily News, one's attitude toward his work is what puts him over.

Using this statement as the main factor in making her choice, Miss Bernie Addison, decided on Marvin as the third delegate and all of the class heartily agreed that it was a fair choice. Marvin hands in extra features and stories every week and is very interested in his work. Miss Addison, journalism instructor, will accompany the delegates, who are going with Mrs. Sam Watson.

There will be three group discussion meetings and Thursday night an informal reception will be given by the Austin Quill and Scroll society. Friday night there will be a banquet, dance and vaudeville.

Delegates from Wheeler will not be eligible to compete in the contests because the school paper is published with a commercial paper.

This meeting is a part of the state meet and students from all over Texas will participate.

NEW TEXAS BALLAD

Among new Texas songs which have made recent appearance in music circles is "Under the Texas Star," a ballad composed by Albert E. Bader, the words to which were written by Josie D. Bader.

COLTS

Plans are being made for a May Day program. The first, second and third grades are taking part in the program. The pupils in the grades are gathering the work they have done all year to be placed on exhibition in May for the parents to see. The students will sing songs and give readings in the gymnasium that day, also.

Earl Wayne Richerson, a second grade student, withdrew from school Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, a teacher of the third grade, is able to be back in school this week, after being ill.

The second grade has been collecting pictures of farm animals for making posters. The first and second grade pupils have been making health posters this month. The first grade is also making calendars of April.

Pupils in the seventh grade who are passing, practice during the recess period on the program that is to be given the last of school.

Anyone who wishes in the sixth and seventh grade music classes will go to the county sing-song at Shamrock on April 24 to represent Wheeler in singing. They will sing Centennial songs. Miss Frances Alice Clark, instructor, expects about 100 to go.

Students in the first grade have started a new reader, "Play Fellows."

Mrs. John Hood, a third grade teacher, reports that more pupils than usual are absent on account of illness this week.

The third grade students will study about the life of people in China and Japan the remainder of this month.

J. C. Turner Says He Has Quit Practicing Tossing Paper Wads

You have heard of the great things taking place at college. From what can be read between the lines, all of those things must be true.

A big gawky, country-looking guy came stalking into the study hall last Monday with a small fellow under his arm. The large one was J. C. Turner and the other was Lindsay McCasland. Anyway, they explained to Miss Adams how they did at college.

First of all they told of their basketball team, the shortest player was not less than 6 feet, 6 inches. The boys all had sores on their hands where they had hit the ring as they pushed the ball through. The coach remedied that, though, by taping the sore spots.

Then for amusement in school, they write notes to the teacher, to the superintendent and to anyone with whom they wish to make a date. They write notes instead of throwing paper wads. For that reason, J. C. says that he is out of practice and is afraid to remain in the study hall of Wheeler high school longer.

J. C. says that he has a good recommendation out at College. He said that the sheriff recommended to the judge that he should be arrested. Most of the students believe that they will go to college at the same place that the visitors are going to school.

FROM OTHER BRANDING IRONS

April 5, 1921, marked the establishing of McMurry at Abilene. A large program was arranged and the main speaker of the day was Dr. C. A. Spraggins, pastor of Heights Methodist church, Wichita Falls.

The freshmen of the University of Denver published their first paper the second of April.

From the Kingman high school in Kingman, Kans., there will be 72 seniors to graduate this spring.

April 7 is when tennis workouts flared forth in full splendor in Burton gymnasium at Canyon, W. T. S. T. C. "The outstanding aspirants for the Frosh line-up are Phill Hawkins and Max Addison," as quoted from the Prairie. Max Addison is a brother of our local instructor of journalism Miss Bernie Addison.

Twenty-five "Flowers of West Texas as Womanhood," most representative of the beautiful co-eds at Hardin-Simmons university, have been selected to compete in the Brand's annual beauty contest. Twenty of the girls, five from each class, were elected to represent their respective groups in separate meetings at 10:30, Thursday, April 9. The other five candidates for the coveted crown were chosen by the staff, as customary.

There's a girl in the Austin high school who will get three diplomas this spring. She is Martha Palm and will receive a diploma for academic, commercial and secretarial courses. Her courses were so arranged during the past several years that this accomplishment has been made possible for the first time in the history of Austin high school.

SPANISH CLUB SETS DATE FOR BANQUET ON APRIL 28

April 28 is the date set for the Spanish banquet. Wave Wallace has been chosen as toastmistress of the affair. The banquet will be served by the home ec girls in the gymnasium.

Wave Wallace, Rutha Mae Conner and Parilee Clay are on the committee to choose what should be served. Those on the program and place card committee are: Mary Belle Johnston, Mary Genthe and Ruth Faust. Helen Sanders, Cordie Lee Farris and Adell Hampton are to get up the program.

Mrs. J. L. Gilmore, sponsor, is also planning to have some solos and duets.

RAMBLINGS ON THE RANGE

Parilee Clay, Miss Ruth Ewing and Elva Willard attended the Easter pageant near Lawton, Okla., Sunday.

Beulah Compary returned to school Monday after a week's absence. She was injured in a car wreck a week ago.

Anna Mae Puett, Joe Field Meek, Wilton Callan, Lindsay McCasland and J. C. Turner, ex-students of W. H. S., visited school Monday.

Mary Lee Repass, home economics teacher at Panhandle, was a guest in the W. W. Adams home over the week end.

James Passons, Herbert Whitener and Wallace Pendleton attended the show, Eddie Cantor in "Strike Me Pink," at Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

Wave and Farrell Wallace, Marceille Todd, Velma Hestilow, Guy Robison, Mildred Landress, Troy Shipman, R. J. Puckett, Martha Jane Shipman and Bob Tillman were a few of the sight-seers at the Shamrock caves Sunday afternoon.

Miss Dora Mae Wilson returned to Amarillo Sunday after spending the week with Miss Winona Adams.

Parilee Clay saw the play, "Bright and Early," at Mobeetie Friday night.

John McCarty Says Job of Being Editor Is Greater Calling Than Teaching, Preaching

Discharged at one time as sports writer on the Amarillo News-Globe, John McCarty, now the editor of that paper, says, "I guess I must have been about the rottenest sports writer that ever was."

Friendly and informal, McCarty captivated each one present as he conducted a round-table discussion of journalism at the home ec. cottage last Thursday. His pleasant way of speaking and his genial smile made everybody feel at home.

He confesses that he had rather be an editor than anything else because of the great help an editor can be to the subscribers of the newspaper. Of the three—teacher, preacher and editor—McCarty believes that the glory of an editor is greater because an editor has the largest audience.

During his talk, McCarty stressed the point that the most important quality of a journalist is a big heart. He made the statement that a writer should audit his work from his heart instead of his head.

The paper that is in his opinion the strongest editorially is the Christian Science Monitor. His reason for selecting it is because of its wholesome viewpoint.

McCarty said that women don't have the same chance in the field of straight reporting that boys and

FACULTY PLANS TO GIVE COMEDY PLAY ON MAY 1

On May 1 the faculty plans to present a play entitled either, "The Hoodoo" or "The Fun on the Podunk Limited," to raise more money for the purpose of paying for the scenery of the gymnasium.

The cast consists of nine men and 14 women. Besides the five faculty men, Supt. J. L. Gilmore, Principal C. B. Witt, Robert Mayne, Roscoe Morgan and Coach Bob Clark, four outsiders will be asked to take part in the play. They are: G. O. McCrohan, C. J. Meek, Gordon Phillips and John Ficke.

The 14 women to be in the cast are: Mrs. John Hood, Mrs. Roscoe Morgan, Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, Mrs. Clarence Crowder, Mrs. C. J. Meek, Miss Ruth Ewing, Miss Frances Alice Clark, Miss Winona Adams, Mrs. Allen I. Smith, Miss Lois Kirby, Mrs. John Ficke, Mrs. J. L. Gilmore and Miss Bernie Addison.

The admission has not yet been decided upon, but will probably be 10 and 25 cents.

Estelle Scott saw the movie, "Music Goes Round," at Shamrock Saturday night.

Beatrice Miller spent the week end in Elk City visiting relatives.

Juanell Perryman and Anna Mae Puett attended a show in Shamrock Saturday night.

Vallie Harrell, student at W. T. S. T. C., Canyon, spent the Easter holidays with her former roommate, Miss Lois Kirby.

Helen Gilmore, ex-student of Wheeler high school, will be in the aesthetic dancing program sponsored by W. T. S. T. C., Canyon, tomorrow night, April 17, at the college. The Centennial idea is being carried out.

Neel Price, an ex-student, now working in Clovis, N. Mex., was a visitor in the Superintendent's office Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Jonnie and Geraldine Lewis and Imogene Jamison visited in Oklahoma City Sunday and Monday.

men have. He also made the statement that it is harder to make a success in a small town than in a large one.

If he were to reorganize the schedule of school subjects for the benefit of aspiring journalists, the first thing he would do would be to do away with mathematics. Next he would make a brief outline of all the ancient, medieval and European history and put it a book just about so thick. He would organize American history, including civics, and teach it as one subject. He would have the students read all the good literature they could, but enjoy it instead of studying it. In his program he would include all the debating and public speaking available.

McCarty edited the Dalhart paper for seven years before he went to Amarillo to become editor of the News-Globe. He received his education in the Abernathy high school and W. T. S. T. C.

Favorite music of the editor from Amarillo is old time fiddle music. His favorite author is Edgar Allan Poe and his favorite book is Elbert Hubbard's Scrap Book. He invited his hearers to Amarillo to visit him and judging from the smile on the faces of all, it is entirely possible that most of them may take him up.

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SPORT SLANTS
By a Cowgirl

LAST PRIZE FIGHT IS TUESDAY NIGHT

Winners of Each Division to Receive Gold Boxing Gloves at "Golden Glove Tournament"

Tuesday night will end the series of fights held at Wheeler. This is to be closed with a golden glove tournament. Nine gold boxing gloves will be given to the winners in each division.

Each fight will be three one-minute rounds, with one minute rest. S. H. Cavanaugh of Shamrock will referee the fights and will make all decisions.

Proceeds from this fight will go to pay on basketball equipment. Admission will be 10, 15 and 25 cents. Reserve seats, 20 cents. The program will begin promptly at 8 o'clock in the Wheeler gymnasium. Weighing will start at 7:30.

At last Cain has a fighter from McLean. This should prove to be one of the high spots in the boxing circles, along with Connor matched again with the powerful Cunningham from McLean. Charles Red will meet some stiff competition in Clepper from Briscoe as will Parker when he meets Hefley from the same town. Fuller of Shamrock is to be in the heavy-weight class but no one has entered against him yet.

Entries are:

Flyweight—Hooker, Yukon, vs. Miller, Death Valley.

Bantamweight—Red, Wheeler, vs. Clepper, Briscoe.

Featherweight—Parker, Wheeler, vs. Hefley, Briscoe.

Lightweight—Cain, Wheeler, vs. Beck, McLean.

Welterweight—Pace, Wheeler, vs. Finley, McLean.

Middleweight—Cook, McLean, vs. unknown.

Light heavyweight—Connor, Wheeler, vs. Cunningham, McLean.

Heavyweight—Fuller, Shamrock, vs. unknown.

Main fight of the evening will be Sims of Wheeler vs a McLean man, name not known at this time.

Mrs. Joss Donates Library Material

Mrs. W. I. Joss donated about four dozen books, several American magazines and a two years subscription to the National Geographic magazine to the high school library. The books and periodicals will be used for history references and for recreational reading in English.

ORVETA PUETT GIVEN PARTY ON BIRTHDAY

At Ruth Faye Garrison's home Monday night a surprise birthday party was given for Orveta Puett. The guests, who were hidden when the honoree came in, shouted "Happy Birthday," at the much surprised girl.

Through the evening checkers, fortune-telling and group games were played. Later in the evening Orveta cut the immense cake, which was served with punch.

The guest of honor received many nice gifts. Those who attended were: Ferrol Ficke, Dawn Weatherly, Aline Buchanan, Bonnie Adams, Dorothy Tolliver, Orveta Puett, Alvis Jolly, Cecil Parker, Herbert Whitener, Wallace Pendleton, Cecil Sherwood and the hostess.

THREE BOYS TO REPRESENT WHEELER AT PAMPA MEET

Lewis Cain, W. J. Ford and O. D. Connor will go to the district meet at Pampa Friday. Each of these boys won first place in an event at the county meet.

Cain will run the half mile race and represent the school in tennis. Ford will throw the javelin, the shot and the discus. O. D. will throw the discus and the javelin.

These boys were among the faithful few that came out successfully in the track events. Connor won several honors in the district meet last year.

Juniors to Entertain Public On April 30

Remember that on the last night of this month, April 30, the juniors are planning to entertain the public with a real show. It is to be at the gymnasium and will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

For a general admission of 15 cents the entertainment will be as follows: style show with models wearing the latest thing in evening dresses, street suits, children's clothes and men's suits. Next will be an amateur contest with Rev. Taft Holloway in charge. Any one who wishes to enter this, please notify the person in charge soon. Prizes will be awarded for first places for both girls and boys. Then last, but not least, is the one-act play with 10 characters—one boy and nine girls. It is to furnish the fun of the evening.

Also, if you get hungry the food will be good; if you haven't laughed in a week, you will on Junior Night.

Remember that you have a date with the juniors on the last night of this month. General admission is 15 cents, or a table for four for 50 cents. "Come and have the fun of your of the high school.

Lewis Cain Claims Success Is Due to Unceasing Practice

Beginning when in the sixth grade and playing in both Dixon and Briscoe before he came here, Lewis Cain was one of the most outstanding players on the Wheeler quintet.

He attributes his success to practice. As for the place of athletics in the school, he believes that through the various sports' organizations, the spirit which is needed to make a school "go places" is aroused. In other words he's "fer it."

Lewis intends to continue an active interest in sports after he has finished high school.

"His smooth, even temper, his alertness and his ability to grasp opportunity that presents itself make him a successful basketball player," says Supt. J. L. Gilmore.

Mrs. J. L. Gilmore admires the qualities of good sportsmanship which he possesses, but she says that wearing a rabbit's foot shows he is superstitious. (Mrs. Gilmore is not superstitious herself, because she has a black cat for a pet.)

The authorized, personal opinions of Ocie Pace about Lewis is that he is knock-kneed, bow-legged and pigeon-toed.

Seniors to Leave for Carlsbad, April 24

To make a tour of the Carlsbad Caverns, the senior class is planning to leave April 24 at 8:30 a. m. from the high school building.

The class is planning to spend the first night near Roswell, continuing on to Carlsbad the next day. The seniors are going to stay in Carlsbad, Saturday and Saturday night. They will return home some time Sunday.

The senior president, Cecil Sherwood, appointed the following students to select what food that will be taken on the trip: Junior Jaimson, Dorothy Burgess and Evelyn Balch.

In order to have enough money to make this trip, all of the seniors have sponsored basketball games and a play.

STREETS ARE THROGGED WITH EX'S OF W. H. S.

The streets of Wheeler were thronged with ex-students of Wheeler high school over the week end as they came in to spend the Easter holidays at home.

Among them were Anna Mae Puett, Exie Creekmore, Betty Finsterwald, Clyde Adams and Noel Bryant, students at Texas Tech, Lubbock; Edith Ashley, Helen Gilmore, Ruby Lee Williams and J. C. Turner, students of W. T. S. T. C., Canyon; Joe Field and Wendel Meek, McMurry college, Abilene, and Inez Shipman, Draughton's Business college, Oklahoma City.

Athletes Find Training to Be Helpful In Attaining Success as Athletes

An athlete may have a hard time obeying training rules but when he has accomplished them, he is a much better player and sport, according to information gained in interviews with Wheeler high school athletes and coaches.

Among the training rules there are a few that must be obeyed. They are: One must be careful about diet: Candy, fat meats, and heavy food should not be eaten.

One must get to bed early and should not be up later than 9 o'clock. One should not smoke.

One must report for practice on time and every day unless he is excused by the coach.

Heavy foods should not be eaten before a game, according to Miss Winona Adams and Roscoe Morgan.

When asked her opinion as to how well the boys and girls kept in training this year, Miss Winona Adams explained that the girls had made a great improvement from last year.

Mr. Clark says, "It is important to stay in training for all sports and not only just one or two." He seems to think that on the whole the students trained fairly well. "Some," he said, "could not train if they wanted to and I am not going to put up with one who will not do as I say."

Mr. Morgan said that the girls sacrificed more this year than he thought they would, but they did very well.

Most of the athletes think the same thing when they were asked if training was worth the sacrifice.

Julia Lou: "Well, I train just to get to play basketball. If you train you

It seems that the next year's crop of Mustangs are going full blast. Reports had it that 22 promising young gentlemen reported for practice yesterday afternoon.

No serious accidents have resulted yet, other than a bum knee for W. J. and a sprained ankle for "Dippy."

Prospects over last year have been boosted up considerably and Wheeler will surely have a winning team. A boy from Briscoe who is coming out next year practiced with the boys yesterday.

Several Magic City boys are planning to join and the local gridsters are going to have rough going to hold their own.

Enough's enough even if it is football. It's all quiet on the track field now. No more do the white-clads sprint around. It seems that track events will never hold the interest that football does in this school.

This activity that originated in olden times in Rome proves a great favorite at other places. The track of the midwest schools is just a small part of the program of the Olympic games held several centuries ago.

A lot of enthusiasm is being aroused over the cage teams for next year. Wheeler is definitely planning to win county boys and girls and then take at least district tournament.

Then there are the boxing matches to be held next Tuesday night, April 21. Remember the prizes are golden boxing gloves. There should be a few tough fights, because the local fisters are working out a lot.

have a better chance of making the team and be a better player."

W. J.: "Yes. You can't do anything if you do not train."

Gladys: "Yes, because you get to play more and if you stay in training you can play better."

Rutha Mae: "Yes, because you can do better in sports."

Lavell: "Yes. You can't take it if you don't train."

Dorothy Burgess: "You have longer wind and will be a better player."

Wilma Tinney: "If you train it will not ruin your health. Basketball is a nice game and teaches one to have friends."

O. D.: "Training naturally makes you a better player and you will not be run-down, with no wind or energy."

Wallace: "You will be a better player and maybe become a star player some time."

Mary Belle: "When you train you have more wind and move faster."

Ruth Faye: "I have not played many times, but it is important to train to become a good player and make the team."

Bob Tillman: "Yes, because you won't ever make a player in any game because you can't endure the strain unless you are in shape."

According to these athletes, training helps students to develop minds, well-developed limbs, sportsmanship, and star players. Training keeps boys and girls in good health, makes them have a better personality, and helps them keep friends. These remarks seem to prove that every athlete should obey all training rules set by their coaches.

We Are a Problem Unto Ourselves

C. C. MERRITT, Pastor, Church of Christ

THAT may strike an unpopular chord, but none-the-less it is not jazz. One reason we make such a poor out at solving one of our greatest problems is because we are unwilling to face the facts about ourselves. How much easier, then, does it seem, for us to pass the buck. We blame other things than ourselves and thus striving to solve our problems from another angle, we arrive at nothing but chaos.

Mar is unwilling to take the responsibility of his own undone condition. He blames others that he is in the mire. He would had long since been to the top of success, honor and happiness if—and that if is always the flip with which the other fellow gets the bean on the chin.

The "world," thinks he, owes him great and gratis assistance. He feels that he deserves honorary degrees; that he should be promoted and endowed and given a free hand to work his will and have his own desires gratified. But, as a matter of fact, the "world" owes him nothing.

Normally he is never content just to live. As is now popularly maintained, he feels that he must have a reason for continuing to live, a destiny, the normal product of an inherent, ineradicable folk-ecstasy. He still continues to recognize that there has entered into his life foreign thought, conduct, desires and consequences. Therefore, he thinks nothing of pruning and purifying himself. Man is over-conscious of himself but not of his blemishes and spots.

Why is all this? Sin is the cause of man's trouble and pride keeps him from facing the facts about himself. There is a true and eternal solution. And that solution is the one the Christ of God produced for us. He

took man's place in the just judgment of the Judge. He not only bears our sins and iniquity, but He also answers for our righteousness. Furthermore, He has promised to supply our every need that we may live as one redeemed from his present evil state. And still further, He promises grace and power that we may apply for such a Substitute. You say, "Humiliation!" Sure. For no proud person can apply for the solution of the "problem of himself" to another. "Pride goeth before destruction." Man has to step one (just one) step lower in order for God to lift him up higher. That step down is humiliation. Then, and only then, can man "lay hold upon Him" who has also laid hold upon man to lift him into a deliverance that is perfect and eternal.

I think it is entirely possible that many have secretly owned the Christ. But deliverance comes only in confessing Him openly before men. It is God's plan. "With the mouth confession is made unto salvation." There is nothing that so symbolizes that complete separation from the past and deliverance into the righteousness of God as does baptism. It is publicly proclaiming your deliverance from yourself and announcing that you have identified yourself with the Christ, the Saviour of men.

No wonder the New Testament scripture proclaims that man's salvation is "Not by works done in righteousness, which we did ourselves, but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and the renewing of the Holy Spirit." Friends, have you had that wonderful deliverance? If not, I beg you to consider the Christ. He alone can deliver and He will deliver you if you cast all upon Him "for He careth for you."

Mobeetie Happenings

(Times Correspondent)

Mrs. O. C. Elliott of Densworth spent the week end with her son, O. W. Elliott, and family.

Miss Georgia Ellis of Pampa spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hooker and baby visited Tuesday with relatives in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Orr and daughter visited her sister, Mrs. Jack Shirley, and family in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dyson and son and Miss Virginia Dyson of Pampa spent Sunday with relatives here.

A. B. Lancaster and son, Richard, were business callers in Wheeler Tuesday.

Misses Parilee Clay and Claudia Johnston of Wheeler attended the junior play here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee of Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Hunt and daughter, Maurita Dunn, attended a show in Pampa Sunday afternoon.

Misses Lillian Davis and Ethel Brasuel spent the week end with their parents in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walker of Miami visited friends here Sunday afternoon.

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Oran Lister and family of Kelton visited in the Newman Riley home Saturday.

Misses Ethel and Eral Merriott entertained a few of their friends with an egg hunt Sunday afternoon.

John Conner of Wheeler was a caller in the community Monday.

J. K. Carroll of Wellington visited in the S. E. Riley home Saturday. Jess Carver of Wheeler visited friends here Tuesday.

Pat Winters of Prairie View was a visitor in the Clarence Westmoreland home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Woods and family of Shamrock were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cantrell.

Miss Zinna Mae Holley is visiting her sister, Mrs. Buford Conwell, at Wheeler this week.

Mrs. C. C. Hart and daughters of Shamrock were visitors in the W. L. Merriott home Sunday afternoon.

Martha Jane and Troy Shipman, Mildred Landress and Bob Tillman of Wheeler and Misses Marcille and Sibyl Todd of Twitty were guests Sunday of Velma and Maryian Hestlow.

V. B. Studer of Canadian was a caller in the community Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Montgomery and son of Shamrock visited relatives here Sunday.

Pleasant Hill

(Helen Sanders)

Mrs. J. L. Shumate and daughter, Opal, were Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Cliff Weatherly and daughter, Dawn, at Wheeler. Miss Shumate remained until Sunday with Miss Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patterson of Perryton and Mr. and Mrs. Murry Sanders and children were Sunday dinner guests in the W. M. Sanders home.

Coy Revious left Monday morning for Tolar, Texas, to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Several families in this community enjoyed an egg hunt at the L. A. Gaines home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Glenn Lile and children of Shamrock and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mason and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mason.

Claude Lamb of near Lela was a visitor in the W. M. Sanders home Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lamb and children returned to their home with him after spending the week end with relatives here.

Mrs. J. J. Patterson was a guest of Mrs. B. W. Hill part of last week. The remainder she spent with her son, Harvey Patterson and family.

Mrs. Jess Simmons and children and Norma Webb were Sunday dinner guests of the L. A. Gaines family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox and children were at Wellington Saturday night and Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weatherly and children had Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anglin and children as dinner guests Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stenbridge and son, Donald, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. John Revious, and children.

Mrs. Jeter Smith of Amarillo spent the week end with her husband here on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pond and children were at the Aubrey Pond home at Kelton Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burley Mann and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weatherly and children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anglin and children enjoyed ice cream at the J. A. Weatherly home Saturday night.

Mrs. John Revious and son, Coy, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. B. Stenbridge, and son, Donald, Friday.

The Tennison family visited in the M. M. Sanders home late Sunday afternoon.

Rev. G. W. Simmons filled his appointment in Amarillo Sunday. Harvey Patterson and children, Nile, Mary Etta and Wilma Dean, and J. T. Pond were guests in the Revious home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patterson of Perryton visited the Harvey Patterson family Sunday afternoon. The former's mother, who had been visiting Harvey the past week, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox, W. H. Kutch and Mr. White attended the funeral of Mrs. Cox's and Mr. Kutch's aunt, Mrs. H. M. Hightower at Vinson, Okla., Sunday afternoon.

Max and Jack Jones of near Wheeler spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Burl Hill, and family.

Helen Waldo spent Monday night with Wilma Jean Cox.

Corn Valley News

(Times Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Bonham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Farmer.

"The Daughter of the Desert," a play, was presented Saturday night. The sum of \$17.00 was taken in.

Miss Joyce Bailey is able to be up. Misses Leta Arnold and Ann Christian of Mobeetie visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ing.

The quilting club met with Mrs. J. L. Bailey, Thursday, with 15 pres-

ent. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ebb Farmer, Thursday, April 23.

An Easter program was given at the school house Sunday night.

Several attended the Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pettit's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beck spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Beck. Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Lester have returned home from Houston, after visiting with relatives for several weeks.

Mrs. Kelly of Mobeetie visited Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Ing, and Mr. Ing.

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GRADUATION PLANNED

The seventh grade held a class meeting recently. They adopted red, white and blue as class colors; the bluebonnet as class flower; Study, Work, Win as class motto. Theme of the graduation will be based on the Texas Centennial.

An outing has been planned for the near future. The seventh grade will have charge of the assembly program next Monday morning.

Oil Rig Burns

Fire developing from an overheated bandwheel did considerable damage to rig and equipment at one of the Phillips wells, just west of the plant, late Monday evening. When local apparatus proved inadequate, new fire hose was rushed from Pampa in response to a phone call. When this arrived the fire was soon brought under control.

Scouts Hike to River;

Enjoy Outdoor Supper

Monday night, W. W. Brister and the Scout troops hiked to the river just south of Derrick's land. While they were there they prepared their supper Texas cowboy style. They plan to later go on an all-night outing.

Berlin Honored at Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Osburn of Pampa entertained a few friends Tuesday, April 7, in honor of George Berlin's birthday. This group of friends have been celebrating this day for many years.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hughes of Skellytown, Mr. and Mrs. George Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Waller of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. George Berlin and the host and hostess.

W. M. S. Meets with Mrs. Lollar

W. M. S. met in the home of Mrs. Lollar, Wednesday for Bible study. There was a very interesting discussion. Plans were made for workers council, which will meet with the Kellerville Baptist church Tuesday.

Look at the Seventh Graders

Saye, boys, look at the Ford that Smith has painted Blacker (by) using Carter's paint. It looks Kinard like it had been in Coff-land in Stead-(man) of at the Fort (ner).

Birthday Party Given for Student

Mrs. D. I. Blackerby honored her daughter, Virginia, with a birthday party Friday afternoon. Many indoor games were played and those present enjoyed the entertainment.

Guests were Misses Reba Leveritt, Ila Jones Wesner, Izella Rogers, Ernestine Shelburne, Mildred Smith, June Blackerby, Verna Frary, Marian Crossland; Messrs. Sherman Shoop, R. W. Osburn, Flint Berlin, Raymond Rogers, Russel Blackerby, C. S. Crossland, Mrs. Lyman Gilliland and the hostess.

Delicious refreshments, consisting of muffins, punch, and pink baskets filled with Easter eggs, were served.

Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Has Party

The intermediate B. Y. P. U. had a backward party Friday night at the church entertainment quarters. The girls dressed as boys and the boys dressed as girls. Pleased and displeased, fruit basket, cross questions and crooked answers and poor Kittie were some of the games.

Cheese and crackers were served to Stanley Lollar, Modelle Lollar, Katherine Belue, Gerald Hollis, Mary Jane Coffland, W. L. Sheldon, Arlene Phean, David E. Davis, Audrey Terrell, Edna Mae Kendall, Harwell Hall, Earl Simmons, Mary Ann Smith, Cleo Faye Shelburne, Bonnie Cumbie, Carl Hendren, Vernon Kinard and the sponsor, W. W. Brister.

Mr. and Mrs. Minnow Regier, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Regier and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lovell and children went to Palo Duro Canyon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cox's wash-house burned last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cox and daughter, Frankie Bell, left for business Wednesday.

Mrs. H. E. Boyce underwent a major operation at a Pampa hospital.

Mrs. J. W. Whitely and daughter, Thelma, Mrs. D. T. Files, Gladys Myers and Mrs. F. M. McCathern and children were visitors in Texola Sunday.

Amasa Flynt spent the week end with his family. He is employed on a brick building at Mangum, Okla.

BLACKBERRY CHAMP

Texas has the champion blackberry county of the United States. Smith county produced in 1934 around 1,852,550 quarts of blackberries. During the same year 2,550 acres were planted in blackberries and dewberries. Eight other counties are among the nation's fifty leading berry producers, and with Smith county produce one-tenth of the total crop of the United States.

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See the calendar at the right. Write the Chamber of Commerce at the various cities for detailed information on events you are interested in.



TEXAS CENTENNIAL 1936

VISIT THESE INTERESTING CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS

(April 14 through April 21, Revised to April 1)

APRIL 12-21—HOUSTON—San Jacinto Association Celebrations. (Ten-day festival will include brilliant parades, banquets, concerts, and patriotic events. A public ball will be held the night of April 20 on Main Street at site of old capital of Texas.)

APRIL 15-21—EL PASO—Schools' Centennial. (Historical pageantry and panoramic exhibition devised to stimulate interest of school children in Texas history.)

APRIL 17—TEMPLE—Bell County Music Festival. (Miss Central Texas and her court of honor to be acclaimed in splendid presentation.)

KINGSVILLE—Historical Celebration. (South Texas city in heart of world's greatest cattle domain, the King Ranch, turns back the pages of history.)

RAYMONDVILLE—Texas Onion Fiesta. (Harvest festival will acquaint Texas visitors with another of State's great products.)

APRIL 17-18—DECATUR—Wise County Centennial Carnival. (Schools and civic organizations contribute in two-day colorful celebration.)

APRIL 18—GEORGETOWN—Agricultural and Cultural Fete. (Economic and educational advancement portrayed in historic Texas community.)

FORT WORTH—Texas Under Six Flags' Pageant. (Pageant featuring massed chorus of 3000 voices, presented at T.C.U.)

APRIL 20-25—SAN ANTONIO—Fiesta de San Jacinto. (Gay festival of San Jacinto annually attracts many thousands of visitors. Climax comes in the Battle of Flowers parade on April 24.)

APRIL 21—Anniversary of Battle of San Jacinto observed in colorful Celebrations in:

KILGORE—Centennial Pageant and Celebration.

SAN FELIPE DE AUSTIN—Colonial Centennial Celebration.

BOWIE—Centennial Folk Festival.

DENTON—"Texas Through the Years" Pageant.

PALESTINE—"A Century of Texas" Pageant.

BIG SPRING—"Rose Window" Opera.

RALLS—Crosby County Centennial Celebration.

SNYDER—Heart of West Texas Centennial Pageant.

LULING—Caldwell County Centennial Round-Up.

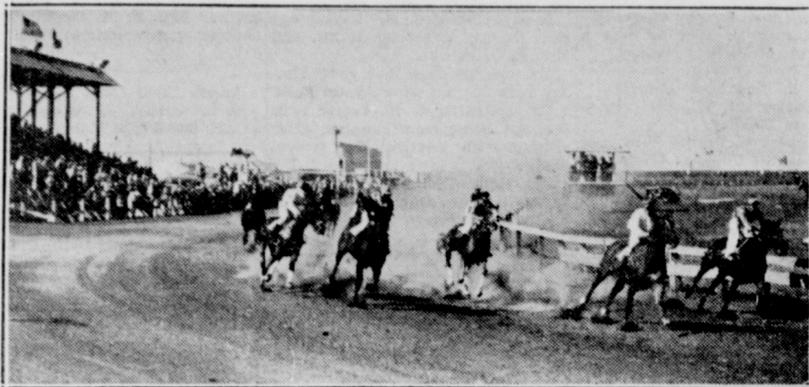
For dates beyond April 21, write State Headquarters TEXAS CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS Dallas, Texas

HARDCASTLES GIVE EASTER EGG HUNT FOR YOUNGSTERS

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Hardcastle entertained a group of young friends with a party and Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon for their son and daughter, Harold James and Joe Ann. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to Georgia Gaye and Jo Ann Porter, Johnnie Beth Roper, Peggy Jo Rodgers, Maurine Herd, Lois and Melba May, Frances Porter, Marjorie and Dorothy Jean Esslinger, Janell Crowder, Marie Herd, Imogene Crowder, LeRoy Herd, Jamie Kirby, Melvin May, James Alton and Richard Lee Gaines and the honorees.

Miss Louise Fooshee spent the week end near Gageby with her grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Fooshee, and went to Canadian Sunday afternoon with her uncle, Paul Fooshee, and attended a show. She returned home Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fooshee, and son, Junior, who were Easter dinner guests at the W. J. Fooshee home.

TRI-STATE MEETING FEATURES THRILLS



Above is a typical scene at the Tri-State race track where thoroughbreds of dozens of states vie for purses and glory at Amarillo. This picture was taken last fall during

the Tri-State's record breaking meeting. It shows the start of race and a part of the huge crowd that witnessed it.

The Tri-State's spring meeting will be held at the remodeled plant on May 8, through the 16th, Sunday excepted.

A. B. Crump motored Sunday to Oklahoma City on business. He returned Monday night.

W. L. Williams accompanied H. A. Talley of Miami to Rotan, Monday to attend a Hereford stock sale. They returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Badley and daughter, Delaine, went to Lawton, Okla., Saturday night and attended the Easter pageant Sunday morning.

Miss Dona Koen, who had spent the week in Wheeler, returned Friday to her home at Wellington.

Paul Wiley, student at A. & M. college, came home Wednesday night to spend the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wiley, and children. He will return Saturday night.

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WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Big work mare, 8 years old; sound and in good condition. Priced to sell. J. A. Bryant, Phone 904F, Wheeler. 16tc

FOR SALE—About 25 or 30 tons good prairie hay, baled. A. R. Meeke, 5 miles north Wheeler. 1414p

FOR SALE—Milk goats. Lee Barry, Briscoe, Texas. 1613p

FOR SALE—Plants—Cabbage, peppers, egg plant, collards, tomatoes. Julius Carter, phone 98. 171tc

FOR SALE—About 2,500 bundles cane; good quality; 2c per bundle. John Ficke, Wheeler. 1811p

FOR SALE—12x16 frame building, the Squeeze Inn store room; can be used where is or move away. Frank Buchanan. 1811c

FOR SALE—Second-hand sheetrock at half price. D. O. Beene, Wheeler. 1811c

FOR RENT—½ section of land 2½ miles east of Allison. Want \$150.00 cash in advance. See John Bryant at Allison, or write F. C. LeDerer, Wellington, Texas. 1613c

JACK SEASON—I will stand the Brady Meadows jack this season at my place, 6 3-4 miles northeast of Gageby. \$5.00 for season; cash. H. G. Vise. 1514p

STRAYED—2 Whiteface yearling steers, from Ernest Lee wheat farm, 1½ miles southeast of Mobeetie. Freshly dehorned and branded H on left hip. Notify Buck Britt or Ernest Lee. 1812p

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of voters in the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1936.

STATE OF TEXAS

For Senator, 31st District: CURTIS DOUGLASS

For Representative, 122nd District: EUGENE WORLEY (For re-election)

For District Attorney: LEWIS M. GOODRICH (For re-election) CLIFFORD BRALY

COUNTY OF WHEELER

For County Judge: W. O. (Oliver) PUETT (For re-election)

For Sheriff: RAYMOND WATERS (For re-election)

For District Clerk: HOLT GREEN (For re-election)

For County Attorney: PAT BEENE HOMER L. MOSS A. C. WOOD

For County Clerk: F. B. (Dick) CRAIG (For re-election)

For County Treasurer: HATTIE WOMACK (For re-election)

For County Tax Assessor-Collector: JOHN H. TEMPLETON (For re-election) J. R. (Rube) CARVER

For Commissioner: Precinct No. 1—W. W. ADAMS (For re-election) D. G. (Doug) SIMS

For Commissioner: Precinct No. 2—JIM TROUT (For re-election) H. H. WALSER

District B. & P. W. Assembly, Childress

Elaborate Program Planned for Centennial Convention April 18 and 19

A special news story to The Times from Childress announces that service clubs, business firms, women's organizations and the junior and senior chambers of commerce of that city are uniting with the Business & Professional Women's club in extending a welcome to the Business and Professional Women who meet there April 18-19 for the District 1 Centennial convention.

The convention proper will open Saturday afternoon, April 18, at 2 o'clock at the Hotel Childress, convention headquarters. Registration of visitors and delegates will begin at 2 p. m. The bluebonnet tea will be held at the hotel from 2 to 6 p. m.

The feature of the entire conference will be the Centennial banquet Saturday night at 7 p. m. at the hotel. Three state officers of the Business and Professional Women's clubs, Miss Blanche McComb of San Antonio, state president, Dr. Minnie L. Maffett of Dallas, state historian, and Miss Grace Fitzjarrald, editor of the Texas Woman and vice president, have said definitely that they will be in Childress for the banquet. Judge J. Ross Bell of Childress, prominent West Texas attorney, will be the main speaker for the evening.

Sunday morning, April 19, at 8 o'clock, the Tejas (Friendship) breakfast will be given at Fair park. The Indian theme will be featured at the affair at which time a chuck wagon breakfast will be served by the Lions club.

Special church services will be conducted at the First Methodist church by the pastor, the Rev. E. A. Maness for the entire delegation at 11 o'clock. The convention will adjourn with the Shamrock luncheon at the Hotel Childress at 1 p. m. that day. Plans for the luncheon have been kept secret by the Shamrock B. & P. W. club members who are acting as hostesses for the final session at the convention.

Miss Viola Jones, Wheeler county home demonstration agent, and program chairman of the local B. & P. W. club, will be the principal speaker at the luncheon.

Awards will be given by the Childress women to the club sending out the best bulletin before the convention and to the club having the best attendance of paid-up membership.

Eighteen towns, including Childress, will be represented at this Centennial convention which is expected to attract about 200 women to Childress. Clubs to be represented are Amarillo, Borger, Clarendon, Crowell, Dalhart, Electra, Hereford, Littlefield, Lubbock, Pampa, Plainview, Quanah, Shamrock, Vernon, Wheeler, Wichita Falls and Paducah.

B. & P. W. MEETING MONDAY EVENING AT FORRESTER HOME

Mrs. Doris Forrester and Miss Ina Scott were co-hostesses at a party given Monday evening for the B. & P. W. club at the former's home.

During the business meeting plans were discussed concerning the B. & P. W. convention to be held April 18 and 19 at Childress. A number from Wheeler expect to attend.

After a social hour spent playing games, delicious refreshments were served to Misses Viola Jones, Blanche Grainger, Hattie Womack, Doris Hooker, Gladys Gunter, Willetta Templeton, Bessie Mae Ficke, Clara Finsterwald, Juanita Stone, Mesdames Grayce Couch, Vinita Myers and Jimmy Mitchener.

Doreas Class Met Thursday

Mrs. Floyd Pennington and Mrs. Jim Risner were joint hostesses to members of the Doreas class of the Baptist church Thursday afternoon at the church. Roll call was "My Favorite Hymn." Mrs. Jim Risner gave "The Origin of the Easter Lily." Refreshments of homemade ice cream and cake were served to Mesdames J. H. Watts, Lee Guthrie, Ray McPherson, E. H. Herd, W. E. Collins, Ernest Dyer, George Porter and the hostesses.

Preachers Report Results of Revival

Now that the revival has come to a close, people are asking questions concerning the immediate results. So, we, your preachers, are making this attempt to answer your questions.

We get anxious about results—over-anxious—too anxious! We want to SEE what has been accomplished. Many of us have yet to learn that results in spiritual things are not to be estimated by what we see. We may think we see much; when, as a matter of fact, God's approval may not be stamped on those things we see. On the other hand, we may feel that little was accomplished when much, really, has been the result.

When a preacher earnestly strives to preach the Word of God, he must just as earnestly strive to leave the results with God. A gospel preacher should be a servant of God—an ambassador beseeching on behalf of Christ. Consequently, then, when he is obedient to Christ, he must leave the results of his faithful work with Him.

But there are visible results from this revival. For one thing, attendance has increased and some have started coming who had been out for a long time. Another thing, the cause of the church has been brought before the people of Wheeler and they are taking an interest with greater consideration and appreciation. This has been heard from many. And that was the greatest aim of this special campaign.

Of course, we desired more results. But in spite of the bad weather and the fact that Bro. Holloway was unable to do his part of the work, to us there were encouraging results.

We wish, therefore, to take this opportunity to thank the people who so readily and willingly assisted in this work; defying wind, sand and the cold. We know, too, that there were many more of you who would have been there with your shoulders to the wheel had it been possible.

Especially do we want to thank Lee Guthrie for the free use of the Rogue theatre for the day services. Guthrie did not charge anything for the extra gas and lights we used. H. M. Wiley also rendered special financial assistance and we appreciate that, also.

So we wish to say this to one and all: You greatly encouraged us by the co-operation you gave. We know that if this helpful spirit continues there are many results of this work yet to come. May we not, therefore, count on you in the future for the same valuable service you rendered in the past? We feel assured that we can count on you.

May we continue to be your friends and servants.

Signed: TAFT HOLLOWAY, C. C. MERRITT, J. EDMUND KIRBY.

MRS. WORTH BEAL HOSTESS TO CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Worth Beal was a charming hostess to members of the Contract Bridge club and a group of friends at her home Friday afternoon. Mrs. R. J. Holt won the prize for high score, Mesdames Don Fisher, Clint Wofford and Ed Watson were awarded the cut prizes.

The Easter motif was accentuated in the tallies and elaborate refreshments that were served to Mesdames Ed Watson, Don Fisher, Al Watson, R. J. Holt, Nelson Porter, Roy Puckett, Clint Wofford, Roe Green, Bronson Green, R. G. Russ, Charnel Miller and Miss Reba Wofford.

Rev. J. Edmund Kirby went to Pampa Monday evening to conduct a revival meeting at the McCullough-Harrah Methodist churches. The pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Lance Webb, and Rev. Kirby were in Wheeler Wednesday afternoon for a short time.

Miss Exie Creekmore, who is attending Texas Tech, came Friday and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Creekmore, and family until Tuesday when she returned to Lubbock.

Spring Session Tri-State On New Track

Amarillo Meet Dated for May 8-16 for Contests Between Fine Thoroughbreds

The dull thud of horses' flying feet will sound on a brand new track next month when the spring race meeting of the Tri-State Fair association at Amarillo will bring once more thoroughbred horse racing to the Panhandle. The dates are May 8-16.

A gradual increase in interest among the stable owners and trainers has made the Tri-State track one of the country's leading minor plants. To meet the demand for more stables and better equipment, officials this spring have started a re-modeling program at the historic plant.

The old course was too close to the grandstand and its curves not quite up to standard. Hence, the first step in the re-modeling plans was to move the track east 15 feet. Mason King, fair racing director, has been in charge of this work and recently said it is his belief the new course will be the best 5-8 mile track in the entire Southwest.

Although 50 new stalls have been added to the plant, the demand for stable space has been so great that Ted Taylor, fair manager, predicts an overflow of horses. During the spring meeting, the overflow will be taken care of in the fair's stock barns.

Officials who were in charge of the races last fall when a new record for minor tracks in Texas was set will be in charge this spring. The feature of the meeting will be a distance derby race for three-year-olds. It will carry a purse of \$500 and will be called the Chamber of Commerce handicap.

BIRTHS

Donald Ray is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams. He arrived Saturday, April 11.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beaty of Twitty are the happy parents of a son, born April 11. His name is George Duain.

James Harold is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Green of Gageby. He was born Monday, April 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Smith of Gageby announce the arrival of a son, Richard Lee, Monday afternoon, April 13.

HANDKERCHIEF SHOWER FOR MRS. JOSS AT BRIDGE MEET

The London Bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Cora Hall for an afternoon bridge Wednesday when Mrs. W. I. Joss was honored with a handkerchief shower, since she is moving to Erick, Okla., to make her home. Bridge was played at three tables with Mrs. Floyd Pennington winning high score and Mrs. Joss received the traveler's award.

A delicious salad course was served to Mesdames Tom Britt, Roy Puckett, Ed Watson, Floyd Pennington, Fred Farmer, Ira Foster, Lonnie Lee, Jim Hyatt, Melvin Howe, Glenn Williams, Mrs. G. O. McCrohan, the honoree, Mrs. Joss, and the hostess.

Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lee spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hill, east of Wheeler.

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Atty. D. O. Beene returned Friday from Austin, where he transacted business.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Nicholson left Tuesday night for Fort Worth to attend to some business. They were accompanied home Wednesday night by their son, Harold, who is a student at A. & M. college. He will return to school Saturday night.

Thank You

Since I am closing my practice of medicine in Wheeler and locating in Erick, Okla., at the Erick Hospital, I wish to ask those who are owing accounts to settle the same with Dr. H. E. Nicholson or leave payment at the First National Bank when paying accounts or notes due me.

I also wish to express my appreciation and kind regards to all my friends and clientele in and around Wheeler, whose friendship I value and cherish very highly.

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