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## Twenty-One Members of Friona High School Senior Class Express Desire to Go to College Next Year

The Senior Class of the Friona high school for 1932 is composed of 21 members, 13 of whom are young ladies. The Star has made an effort to learn the intentions of each of these young people as to their future so far as educational activities are concerned, but we have been unable to secure an interview with each of them.

Following is a list of names of the class members, with their intentions as to further schooling so far as we have been able to learn:

Miss Frances Lacy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lacy, living four miles northwest of town, has taken the full four years of high school work here. Is planning to attend Southern Methodist University.

Meryl Harry, son of Mrs. Bertha Harry, of Friona. Had complete high school course at Friona. Plans to attend some college next term, will work in Friona through summer.

Weldon Whitefield (known as Mike), son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitefield, farmers, living nine miles southeast of Friona. Had four years high school. Will attend college next year, probably A & M.

Miss Roba Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mitchell of Friona. Has had two years of high school work here. Was editor of the Warrior during this term. Plans to attend college.

Wayne Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Johnson, living north west of Friona, and has taken four years of high school work in Friona. Plans to attend college.

Albert Crawford, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lange of Friona. Albert has taken four years of high school in Friona, and plans to attend State University next year.

Lex Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. W. Alexander, farmers, living in the Lakeview district. He has taken four years of high school here. Plans to attend some college next year.

Wilmot Crow, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Crow, of the Lakeview district. Has had five years in high school. Will attend college next term.

Dennis White, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. White, whose farm home is four miles south of Friona. Has taken three years of high school in Friona. Planning to attend college next term.

Miss Ola Lee Calloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Calloway, living on their farm in the pea community northwest of Friona. Miss Calloway has taken four years of her high school work in Friona. She is planning to attend college.

Miss Helen Schlenker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlenker, Rhea community, has taken four years of her work in Friona high school. She plans to attend college.

Florence Ford, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Ford, lives west of Friona. Miss Ford has taken all her high school work in Friona, and plans to attend college during the coming year.

Mella Schlenker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schlenker, Rhea district, has taken four years of her work in Friona high school. She is planning to attend college.

Miss Elizabeth Massey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Massey, living seven miles south of Friona. She has done her high school work in the Friona school. She also has been in the Friona school on account of her trouble, but has made up her work, enabling her to come back with good grades, and she probably attend some good school next year.

Other seven members of the class, whom our representative had the opportunity to interview, are Elmer Greer, Friona; Lucile Benger, Friona; and Miss Erma Helmer, Miss Pearl Highfill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Highfill, living southeast of Friona; Miss Noble McLennan of Black district; Miss Rachel Terry, of the Black district; and Miss Wana Vestal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Vestal, living south of Friona.

We regret that we were unable to secure more information concerning the plans of these seven young people but they have each made excellent grades in their studies and have been active in all the activities of the school.

## ANOTHER PIONEER CITIZEN GONE

The people of Friona and vicinity were deeply saddened Thursday morning when it was learned that another of their highly esteemed pioneer citizens had answered to the call of the infinite in the death of John Gischler.

Mr. Gischler had been in poor health for several years and for the past two years had been blind. During the past few months he had been confined to his bed and had gradually weakened until death came.

The Star will give a more extended and detailed account of Mr. Gischler's life and labors in next week's issue.

## Had Successful Revival.

The series of revival meetings that were held at the Church of Christ on Prospect Avenue and Sixth Streets during last week came to a close Sunday night.

The meetings were under the direction of Evangelist Claude McClung, who did the preaching and whose vivid presentation of the gospel truth won the hearts of his hearers and created a large attendance during the entire series of meetings.

Thirty-two additions to the church were secured, 16 of which were on confession of faith and subject to baptism, the remainder coming in by letter.

Evangelist McClung preaches continuously throughout the year, having his dates set several weeks in advance, which fact necessitated the closing of the meeting on the exact date set at the beginning. From Friona he went to Tyrone, Oklahoma, where he began a series of meetings on Monday night.

## Chicken Raising by Electricity.

O. G. Turner is utilizing a small space in the theatre for brooding chicks by electric light and gas heat. The chicks are taken to this apartment direct from the incubator where they are placed in coops and apartments in the inclosure and kept under electric light night and day. Feed and water are placed in reach and they can feed and drink. They are kept here until about 4 weeks old and then taken to the Turner farm.

Any time some chicks are drinking, eating and sleeping. It is interesting to watch them when first placed in the sunlight, but they quickly accommodate themselves to conditions. He plans to raise 2000 and perhaps more.

Mr. Turner plans to plant 300 acres of cotton and has most of the land in readiness and is only awaiting a good rain.

## R. L. Smith Says Wheat Fair.

R. L. Smith was in town Wednesday morning from his farm 13 miles southeast, looking after business matters and doing some shopping. Mr. Smith reports farming conditions in a fair way in his locality, with quite a bit of row crops planted and wheat looking fair, but a little more rain would do much good.

Mr. Smith also stated that his brother-in-law, A. W. Farley, who moved to Arizona about a year ago, has returned and gone to Oklahoma, but will again make his home on his farm 2 1/2 miles southeast of Friona soon.

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## A Good Program.

The Mother's Day program at the Congregational church Sunday evening was pronounced by all who heard it as a good program and most appropriate to the occasion.

The program committee deserves compliment for the effort put forth in arranging the program and O. F. Lange has received many compliments for the able way in which he directed the program as leader.

There was good singing by the choir and one number by a male quartet, and a solo by Lex Alexander entitled "My Best Girl."

A number of appropriate readings were given, all leading up to the special feature of the program—the Mother's Day address by Prof. Wayne Eubanks. He has a masterful delivery and command of language and his address was filled with the best of sentiment, calling attention to the reverence and esteem due mothers of the land and world. His address was heard with deep interest and many high complimentary remarks have been heard concerning it.

The congregation highly appreciated the attendance of a number of friends from other congregations in town and extend a hearty invitation to all of them to visit with them again.

No worship service was held Sunday morning. Sunday school adjourning to attend the baccalaureate services at the school house.

The coming Sunday we will have with us Dr. Robert Allingham of Amarillo, who will preach at 11 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend and hear Dr. Allingham.

## Postmaster J. A. Guyer Replaced by D. H. Hanson

There was a great deal of surprise manifested in Friona last week when the report became current that Friona had changed postmasters over Sunday and that John A. Guyer, retiring postmaster had given place to his successor in office, Dayton H. Hanson.

Nothing had been said so far as public information was concerned, of any contemplated change in post masters by the postoffice department, and many were the conjectures as to why this change had been made at this time. Had there been a change in administration at Washington there would have been little thought of the matter. While the surprise at the change has gradually worn off, very little information as to the why of it has been received other than Mr. Guyer had handed his resignation to the department and that Mr. Hanson had been chosen as his successor temporarily until examinations has been held as to the qualifications of those who may become application for the position.

Mr. Guyer has served the people of Friona and locality for the past seven or eight years, and it was with deep regret on their part that he has withdrawn from this service, as was evidenced by the many expressions heard on the streets and elsewhere.

The cheerful and efficient services of Mrs. Guyer and Miss Alice, who have much of the time assisted their husband and father in the work of the office will also be missed by the patrons of the office.

Mr. Guyer being a man of few words, has said as little concerning his plans for the future as was said regarding his retirement, thus little is known as to his future endeavors.

Mr. Hanson, the new official, is one of the pioneer citizens of Friona and vicinity, and is well known by all the older residents here.

His ability or qualifications for handling the affairs of the post office are well known and the patrons of the office look forward to a continuance of the same efficient and courteous service under his administration, to which they have been accustomed under that of Mr. Guyer.

## Wheat Said to Promise Fair Yield This Year

Judging from reports of some to the Star office from various sources and from many people who have had opportunity to estimate wheat conditions, the present crop will not average more than 50 per cent of last year, and plenty and timely rains must fall in order to provide so good a yield.

One man who has had opportunity to observe in many parts of the county, says that in his opinion there are localities that will make almost as good an average as last year, while other localities will make scarcely no yield at all. In other parts of the territory wheat is badly damaged, but with plenty of rain may make an average crop.

Another man living southeast of town says his wheat looks promising. While the straw is short, the heads, just coming out of the boot, are a fair size and the straw will be long enough to save the grain by combine. He says, however, there is much wheat in his neighborhood that will make a very poor yield.

## Boy Scouts of Friona Doing Good Work

Rev. O. B. Annis, Friona scoutmaster, is demonstrating his ability for that position by the work accomplished with the boys under his care, and the chamber of commerce, sponsor of the local scout movement, has cause to be proud of its choice for scoutmaster.

This was demonstrated Tuesday night when Rev. Annis and his patrol put on a program at the Methodist church building in the presence of a few members of the executive committee, the parents of some of the boys and a few other invited guests. The program opened with the singing of America by all present, followed by a short two-act play by eight of the boys of the patrol, who did their parts exceptionally well considering the short time they had for preparation.

The program also included an investatory ceremony for three of the boys who had completed the first division of work. The entire patrol then gave a review of scout rules or laws and repeated in concert the scout obligations.

Following this, Rev. Annis, with the assistance of Mrs. O. F. Lange and some other ladies, served the boys and guests with refreshments of ice cream and cake, after which a few short talks were made by some of the guests.

The closing exercises consisted of singing America the Beautiful, by all present, and the scout benediction by the scouts, and the meeting adjourned, all guests well pleased with the evenings demonstration and with compliments to Rev. Annis for his splendid efforts.

Taylor Oglesby of Hereford spent Friday in Friona.

Mr. Pittman of Hereford was looking after business interests here Friday.

## Made Trip to California.

Ex-Mayor J. L. Landrum returned Saturday morning from an absence of a week spent in California and on the road to and from that state.

Mr. Landrum had never visited that country, and while he did not see so many wonderful sights as he expected, he did enjoy the trip. He said the mountains were not so lofty as he expected and there was more desert. After reaching the irrigated districts things were beautiful. He noted that there is no building nor extensive improvements being pushed. He said the walnut groves were the most attractive sights he saw and the orange groves appeared to have received little attention.

In the cities he saw many business places vacant, and many close-out sales were advertised.

There seemed little demand for labor and "depression" was evident. He failed to see Bill Kirk, former Friona boy, at Needles, as he had hoped. Judging from his report of his trip the West has nothing on the Plains in the way of prosperity.

## Visiting Relatives Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Williams and baby son, of Emporia, Kansas, arrived here Wednesday for a few days visit with Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Bertha Harry, and other relatives.

Mrs. Williams was formerly Mrs. Bessie Perry and has a wide circle of friends and acquaintances here, she having attended the local high school. Mr. Williams is in the bakery business in Emporia.

## Half Inch Rain Visits Friona; Will Aid Crops

During the past week the Friona territory has been threatened at various times with falling weather, but none of any consequence came until Wednesday afternoon, when a slow, steady rain began falling and continued throughout the afternoon.

It is estimated that about a half inch of moisture fell at that time, all of which sank into the soil as it fell. The fall was apparently heaviest to the southeast and east of Friona, and extended westward for at least seven miles. It extended northward, however, only about two miles, but so far as it reached it had done a lot of good for growing wheat and row crops that are being planted.

## Rhea Pastor Here Sunday Night.

Rev. Allmon, pastor of the Lutheran church in the Rhea community, has responded to an invitation to preach at the Congregational church here Sunday night.

Rev. Allmon will be the chief speaker for the Laymen's Union meeting on that date and place. You are invited to hear him.

## Ira Miller In Town Monday.

Ira Miller, one of our progressive farmers from the Lakeview district southeast of town was a business visitor here Monday. Mr. Miller has been in poor health the past winter but is feeling better now, which fact his friends are all pleased to know.

## Full House Hears Rev. Joe Mimms Deliver Baccalaureate Sermon to Graduates of Friona High School

### G. G. COLDIRON PASSES AWAY

During the still, quiet hours of early Tuesday morning, one of Friona's oldest and most highly respected citizens, G. G. Coldiron, passed from the scene of this world into the Great Beyond.

Mr. Coldiron had been a resident of Friona and vicinity since the year 1926, and was past 73 years of age at the time of his death. He was a life-long member of the Primitive Baptist church and led a consistent Christian life.

He leaves to mourn his death four sons and four daughters, his wife having preceded him in death several years ago. The sons and daughters are as follows: Henry Coldiron of Fannin county; W. W. of Hall county, and J. E. and D. H. of Friona. The daughters are Mrs. Hudgens, King county; Mrs. Goodman, Fisher county; Mrs. Henry White, San Antonio, and Mrs. C. D. Carter, of the Friona community.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at the Friona Cemetery, where interment was made. The Star extends its sympathy to the bereaved sons and daughters.

### Mass Meeting at Bovina Monday.

The Star is authorized to announce a mass meeting of Parmer county citizens to be held in the high school auditorium in Bovina Monday night, May 23, at 8:30 o'clock.

The object of the meeting is to organize a taxpayers association for the county. County Treasurer Walter Lander of Farwell, and other speakers will be present to discuss information concerning the tax situation, and Friona people and citizens from all parts of the county are invited and urged to attend.

### Called to Rochelle.

B. T. Galloway, one of our hardware merchants, was called by wire to Rochelle last Saturday morning on account of the sudden death of his brother-in-law who lived at that place. Mr. Galloway returned to Friona Thursday.

### Planting Row Crops.

Massie brothers, Ed and Bill, were in town from their farm three miles northeast Wednesday morning. Ed stated that they were busy planting their large row crops, and that some more rain in the near future would do them much good.

### Date Cancelled.

In another column of this issue of the Star is made the announcement that Dr. Robert Allingham of Amarillo will preach here at the Congregational church Sunday morning.

Word has been received from Dr. Allingham that he will be unable to be with us on that date owing to an imperative call to assist with an associational meeting in Oklahoma. Dr. Allingham will be expected to renew this appointment in the near future.

### Mabel Reed Improving.

Word has been given the Star office to the effect that Miss Mabel Reed, who was reported last week as seriously ill at Lenox, Iowa, is gradually improving, and her permanent recovery is now hoped for.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Reed, who hurried to her bedside on receipt of the information of her illness, are still with her and will remain there until she is able to be about again. Miss Mabel's many friends here are rejoiced to learn of her improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beazley and son of Clovis, New Mexico, called on old friends and relatives here Friday.

It was an immense throng that filled the large high school auditorium Sunday to its utmost seating capacity and left scores of interested hearers standing in the rear and along the side aisles to hear the splendid and eloquent baccalaureate sermon, which was delivered by Rev. Joe Mimms, a former coach and instructor in the Friona high school.

The services opened with the professional march, with Prof. Armstrong at the piano, during which the procession with 20 splendid young people of the senior class and as many more of the junior class participating.

The seniors entered through the south door of the auditorium and passed in single file along the south aisle to the rear of the room, while the juniors entered through the north door and marched in like manner along the north aisle to the rear, where each senior was joined by a junior and they marched in double file along the middle aisle to the front of the room where the seniors turned to the right and the juniors to the left and all were seated in the reserved seats as soon as the last couple had reached their places.

The announcements for commencement week were then made by Superintendent Geo. A. Heath. This was followed by the invocation by Rev. O. B. Annis, pastor of the Methodist church, and the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" by the audience, which stood during prayer and song.

Following the opening ceremonies, the large audience listened to a beautiful and well rendered piano solo by Miss Frances Lacy, valedictorian of the graduating class.

Superintendent Heath, who served as master of ceremonies throughout the service, then in a few well chosen words, introduced the speaker of the occasion, the Rev. Joe Mimms, to the large audience, to many of whom he was already well and favorably known, who at once advanced to the front of the stage and began his sermon, which he prefaced with a few applicable anecdotes pertaining to school life in general and especially to the customary school tests or examinations.

Rev. Mimms' sermon throughout was filled with words of advice, comfort, encouragement and cheer, so vital to the life of universal progress in education and spiritual living for all people and especially for these young people who are about stepping away from the portals of the local high school to enter higher institutions of learning, or to enter the strife and struggle of the business world in an effort to secure a living and a competence.

He told them that the primary object of an education is not to merely secure a living and to prepare to die, but rather to prepare to live in the fullest sense of the word; that all life's pleasures, that it is possible to be attained may be theirs. He illustrated his theme, with examples of illustrious men, many of whom started life's battles with the most meagre of its advantages and by their never-ceasing work and untiring efforts had reached the pinnacle of success in the many and varied lines of human endeavor. He exemplified the fact that unrelenting hard work, assisted and abetted by an unalterable purpose, determination, courage, desire and faith in one's ability and a comprehensive vision, can not fail of placing with in their grasp the goal to which they, as individuals, have aspired.

Not only were the young people of the senior class deeply impressed and interested in this wonderful sermon, but the entire audience sat in tense interest throughout the service, striving to catch every word that came from this young man's lips. If Rev. Mimms follows the plan of this sermon through his ministerial work, we bespeak for him an enviable record.

Dr. A. P. McElroy now has 92 acres of popcorn contracted.

YOUR TAX ASSESSOR

THE DOLLARS YOU SPEND IN NEIGHBORING TOWNS BECOME "TAX SLACKERS" TO YOUR COMMUNITY

The grass is not greener in the other man's pasture—it only looks so. Prices are not lower in the other man's town—you only think so. Buyal. Dealers as well as tradesmen and farmers.

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Black

BY MRS. J. J. CRAWFORD

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McMurry and family spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting her brother, Paul Houston, and family.

The Junior B. Y. P. U. of Frona gave a program at the church Sunday night which was attended by a good crowd. Specials were a solo, "That Wonderful Mother of Mine," by Mrs. Aldon Hawks and a duet by Mrs. T. J. Hawks and Mrs. Russ. Also a duet by Mr. and Mrs. Holly. Mrs. Applewhite of Frona gave a beautiful reading. The program was fine and enjoyed by all and we hope they come again.

The Black boys played the Dimmitt team here Sunday, the score being in favor of Dimmitt. Mrs. Presley has been real sick the past week, but is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell and family of Lakeview spent the day Sunday in the Roy Price home.

Frona Junior class went on a picnic to the canyons Saturday. Those from our community were Nehta Crawford, Ralph Parr, Bud Barnett, Beryl Stone and Irwin Welch, and all reported a good time in spite of blistered faces and sore limbs.

Misses Mary and Dora McCord were visitors in our community Sunday evening.

Zenice Holly was taken suddenly ill at B. Y. P. U. Sunday night. We hope his condition is not critical.

Several from our community attended the services and dinner on the ground at the Church of Christ in Frona Sunday. They report some splendid sermons and lots to eat.

Miss Mildred McMurry spent Saturday night with her sister, Elizabeth, in Frona.

It has been announced that Chas. Hays and Fern Barnett will be our school bus drivers next term. Mr. and Mrs. Clayburne Carr of Summerfield visited in our community Sunday, and were accompanied by Mrs. Carr's father, J. L. Mann.

The club met last Thursday with Mrs. Emma Elmore. A beautiful Mother's Day program was rendered. Mrs. Laura Maples was a visitor and gave a beautiful solo. Refreshments were served in the club colors to 18 members. Mrs. Willie Price asked that the club meet with her next Thursday in honor of her cousin, Miss Cowan, who is visiting her. Mrs. Price is not a club member and the club appreciates the invitation. The next regular meeting will be with Mrs. Aldon Hawks May 19. Mr. and Mrs. Josh Jackson of Dimmitt were visitors in the Crawford and Roy Price homes Saturday afternoon.

Roy Price has moved his place of business in Frona across the street in the Shouse building.

Mrs. George Wylie visited Miss Coldiron in Frona Thursday afternoon.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Speaker Garner in Dramatic Speech Quells House Sales Tax Rebels—Substitute for Defeated Sales Tax Is Quickly Passed.

SPEAKER JOHN N. GARNER quelled the house of representative tax rebels and assured the nation of tax legislation that would balance the national budget. The members of both parties who had successfully opposed the sales tax provisions of the bill drafted by the ways and means committee promised to be good and support the new bill introduced by the committee and as a substitute for the sales tax that had been defeated.

It all came about when the speaker took the floor and delivered a speech that was a combination of tempered argument, impassioned plea and camp-meeting exhortation. As he whirled into his peroration, an exalted house membership answered his appeal for those resolved to lead a new life to arise. In mass the congressmen surged to their feet and took the pledge to pass a tax measure that will balance the budget.

Then the house settled down to business. The ways and means committee introduced its list of new taxes to take the place of the defeated sales tax, and the various items were approved so rapidly that Acting Chairman Crisp had to stop the offering of items in order to give the engrossing clerks time to draw the various amendments.

The new levies as provided for in the house bill covers taxes on the following articles with the estimated revenue:

INCOME TAXES

Table with columns: INCOME TAXES, REVENUE. Includes items like Individual (Increases carried in bill), Increase in normal rate, Increase in surtaxes (wartime rates), Lowering surtax exemption from \$10,000 to \$5,000, Corporate tax (12 to 13 as carried in bill), Corporate tax (13 to 13 1/2 per cent), Corporate tax (15 per cent on consolidated and affiliated returns), Separate exemptions (lowered \$2,000 to \$1,000), Loss deduction disallowed 1931-1933 (preventing carry-over of losses), Administrative changes (10 tax), State tax (Sec. 115-B: removing tax exempt corporate stock), Dividends (Sec. 115-D: removing tax exempt corporate stock), Lubricating oil (4 cents a gallon), Imported petroleum (1 cent a gallon), Malt, wort, grape concentrates, etc., Imported coal, Telephone and telegraph messages, Capital stock and bonds issues of (10 cents per \$100), Admissions over 45 cents (1 cent for each 10 cents or fraction), Safety deposit boxes (10 per cent of rent).

POSTAGE RATES

Increase from 2 to 3 cents in first-class postage \$135,000,000

EXCISE TAXES

Table with columns: EXCISE TAXES, REVENUE. Includes items like Cigarettes (10 per cent), Cigars (10 per cent), Jewelry (10 per cent), Beverages (restoration of 1921 rates), Matches (4 cents per 1,000), Radios, phonographs (5 per cent), Automobiles (3 per cent); trucks (2 per cent); accessories (1 per cent), Sporting goods and cameras (10 per cent), Chewing gum (5 per cent), Candy (5 per cent), Mechanical refrigerators (5 per cent), Yachts, motorboats, etc. (10 per cent above \$15 in value), Miscellaneous: Sale of stocks (1/2 per cent, but not less than 4 cents a share), Bonds, transfers of (1-25 of 1 per cent), Conveyances (restoration of wartime rates).

Table with columns: rates, REVENUE. Includes items like Sales of produce on exchanges (5 cents per \$100), Pipe line (15 per cent of carrying charges), Airplane (5 per cent on manufacturer's price), Total, Amount of savings expected on appropriations, Amount of expected savings in postal service, Grand total, Anticipated deficit 1933, Surplus (with proposed new savings).

The house bill provides for the payment of the levied and excise and sales taxes by the manufacturer direct to the government with the method of collecting the taxes about the same as under the general manufacturers' sales tax which was rejected. That does not mean, however, that the tax will not be passed along in the form of an increased price for the merchandise, and there is nothing in the bill that would prevent the manufacturer from directly including the tax item in his invoice to the jobber or retailer and so on down the line until it reaches the consumer.

The fact that the house has passed a revenue bill does not mean that this bill is to be the law of the land. It is almost certain that the senate will not agree. The senate committee is very likely to substitute for the new provisions of the house bill the manufacturers' sales tax that was rejected by the house, and pass the revenue bill in that form. Should it do so it will mean another fight in the house, then a long conference consideration, and there is no prospect for an early adjournment of congress. Experienced members of both houses are now predicting that there will not be an agreement over a revenue bill earlier than September.

THE Hoover budget will be slashed a quarter of a billion dollars if the house accepts the recommendations already made and to be made by its appropriations and economy committees. Chairman Joseph W. Byrns (Dem., Tenn.) of the house appropriations committee asserted. Just prior to announcing his resignation, on a plea of overwork from the chairmanship of the special economy committee, Mr. Byrns said that body will submit recommendations calling for consolidation and economies totaling at least \$75,000,000 and possibly a sum two or three times that figure.

Chairman Byrns said that hearings thus far conducted by the various committees handling governmental supply bills disclosed that at least \$150,000,000 could be shaved off the budget figures submitted by President Hoover without in any way impairing the efficiency of the government. The committees plan to slash an additional \$200,000,000 from national defense appropriations, Mr. Byrns said.

NORMAN DAVIS, one of the American delegates to the Geneva arms conference, arrived in Washington and went into a series of conferences with State department executives. Although officials declined to make public the nature of the discussions it was learned that Mr. Davis outlined the obstacles which have been encountered in the move to work out a general arms limitation treaty and reported to the department on the plan of action for the future outlined by himself and his associates. As matters now stand, many pressing European problems must be settled before there is the remotest chance for the negotiation of a treaty which carries reductions in land forces.

PRESIDENT HOOVER announced formally at the regular press conference that he is "absolutely opposed to the enactment by congress of additional soldiers' bonus legislation, and indicated that he would veto such a bill if passed. The President's statement follows: "Informal polls of the house of representatives have created apprehension in the country that a further bonus bill of \$2,000,000,000 or thereabouts for World war veterans will be passed. "I wish to state again that I am absolutely opposed to any such legislation. "I made this position clear at the meeting of the American Legion in Detroit last September 21 and the Legion has consistently supported that position. I do not believe any such legislation can become law. "Such action would undo every effort that is being made to reduce government expenditures and balance the budget. "The first duty of every citizen of the United States is to build up and sustain the credit of the United States government. "Such an action would irretrievably undermine it."

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SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE Arthur M. Hyde called his department the "prize boob in the history of finance," because of its policy of making virtually unsecured loans to farmers in the face of rapidly mounting crop surpluses. "Under present conditions," Secretary Hyde said, "my department is now lending more money on thinner security and sustaining more losses than any organization ever has done before in the history of the world. Loans now being made by my department to small farmers who otherwise could not finance themselves could not by the furthest stretch of the imagination be called good business."

The Hyde statement was directed at the farm loan policy under which the Agricultural department makes loans to small farmers for economic reasons. He asserted that the government should not go into the business of making loans to farmers except in cases of drought, or floods or calamities growing out of natural causes. The current type of loans are unjustifiable, he said.

WASHINGTON crime is again brought into the limelight as police attempt to locate extortionists who have threatened harm to the children of three prominent Washington families.



Alice Longworth

This threat followed shortly upon the disclosure that threatening letters had been received by Mrs. Alice Longworth, widow of the former speaker and Sir Wilmot Lewis, Washington correspondent for a London newspaper. The letters threatened harm to Paulina Longworth, seven years old and probably the best known child next to the Lindbergh baby, in the United States, and to Wilmot Lewis, Jr., five years old.

A RECOMMENDATION against development of the navigation and irrigation phases of the \$77,000,000 Columbia river development project at this time was included in a report submitted to the secretary of war for transmission to congress by Maj. Gen. Lytle Brown, chief of engineers.

While recommending that the sum of \$10,000,000 should be expended by the government for the construction of locks and other aids to navigation in the Columbia river when private or state interests are ready to develop water power, Major General Brown took the position that the time was not ripe for the spending of any considerable amount of federal money on this huge project.

THE Missouri Democratic state convention at St. Louis instructed its 54 delegates to the national convention to vote for former United States Senator James A. Reed as long as he has a chance to secure the nomination for President. Missouri's delegation will have 36 votes. Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt is the second choice of the instructed delegation.

STILL hale and hearty, Maj. Gen. Adolph W. Greely celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday anniversary in Washington. His friend, Brig. Gen. David L. Brainard, chatted with him, recalling memories of the Arctic tragedy that shocked the world 48 years ago. To gether they had laid on the ice of Cape Sabine in 1884 within what perishing distance of the icy death that claimed 18 of the party of 25. Brainard was his top sergeant. They are the only survivors of the seven who were taken from the cape June 23, 1884, after ten months of privation and suffering, during which Greely, then a lieutenant, observed his fortieth anniversary.

A TREATY between the United States and Canada for the construction of the St. Lawrence waterway may be ready for signature soon. When the Canadian minister negotiates the treaty, the construction of the waterway will be written.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FARMER COUNTY, TEXAS

The Star is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices under which their names are listed, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries on July 23, 1932:

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Superintendent: CLYDE V. GOODWINE DAVID W. RAY JOHN ALDRIDGE, Jr.

For Tax Assessor: J. W. MAGNESS S. L. (Leo) McLELLAN EARL BOOTH

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: W. W. HALL (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk: GORDON M'CUAN (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: WALTER LANDER (Re-election)

For County Attorney: J. D. THOMAS (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: J. M. W. ALEXANDER (Re-election)

Summerfield

MISS GLENN CURRY

Summerfield Study club met with Mrs. Wilburn Eddlemon Thursday afternoon with 14 present. The subject was Texas Literature, led by Mrs. Clayburne Carr. Roll call, a Texas Writer. The early writers, by Mrs. W. L. Huntley; Literature since the Civil War, by Mrs. C. Carr; Legends, stories and songs, by Mrs. Ray Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Noland, Maude, Otho and Mary Lee Curry attended the singing convention at Walcott Sunday.

Several witnessed a baseball game between Lazbuddy and Summerfield at Lazbuddy, when the score was 15-6 in favor of Summerfield.

Lee Curry and family left Sunday night for Panhandle where Mrs. Curry's brother, Bill Davis, had been killed in a car accident near Panhandle late Sunday afternoon. W. A. Davis, the father, suffered bruises and Mrs. Davis, the mother, a broken arm. Mr. Davis is a retired farmer of Clarendon.

Mrs. Officer, mother of Mrs. W. Edmon, and Mrs. Kenneth Poso, a sister, and family of Hale Center spent Sunday in her home.

Mrs. Ben Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Burns of Hereford, visited with her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Houser of Westway spent Sunday in the Lewis Jay home.

The Taylor quartet of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett and family of Progressive, visited the Noland home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Powell and Gwendolyn of Ford visited the Oglesby Sunday.

Lonnie Nance and family, brother of Mrs. J. A. Noland, and Miss King of Amarillo spent Sunday evening with her.

John Helseman and family and Jay Sanders and family of Big Square spent the week end in the Louie Huckert home.

The Santa Fe steel gang has moved to Black.

Chas. Roberson returned from Albuquerque where he has been employed by the Santa Fe.

J. B. Saunders brought Mrs. Saunders home from Amarillo Saturday, where she had been receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. Ira Lawrence and Peggy Sue of Holbert, Okla., visited her sisters-in-law, Mmes. Henry Kendall and Marvin Madden, Sunday.

Lawrence Johnson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and daughter spent Sunday in the Carl Frye home at Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carr spent Sunday in the A. R. Mahlin home.

Walter Hawkins and family, Dinson Hill and family spent Sunday in the Atchley home.

J. L. Mann of Glasgo, N. M., visited his daughters, Mmes. Carr and Mahler, recently.

Mrs. B. C. Roberson was in Hereford Sunday. Miss Ruth, who taught at Wyche, returned home with her aunt to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of El Dorado, Okla., Mrs. L. Johnson of Holbert, Okla., Ray Hicks and family of Dimmitt visited the D. Stewart home Sunday afternoon.

C. and J. Gandy, brothers of Mrs. J. R. Oglesby, of Plainview visited her Monday.

Woodrow Welty and Jack Streun have returned from a visit in Belen, N. M.

Mrs. Lee Kendall who has been confined to her bed several weeks, is able to be up for short periods.

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Purchase With a Smile.

By JANE LACY It's a poor rule that doesn't work both ways. The merchant's pledge of "Service With a Smile" should find its reciprocal in a customer's promise to "Purchase With a Smile."

If anything is done about it, however, we who stand on the buying side of the counter must initiate the move. For the inviolable rule of business is that "the customer is always right;" and neither the merchant nor his salespeople will suggest that buying and selling could be made indefinitely more pleasant if the customer returned smile for smile.

I have observed petticoated shoppers whose only claim to consideration was their station on the purchaser's side of the counter. Of breeding and polish they possessed much less than the girl behind the counter who gave them graciousness for arrogance and smiles for insolence. These "shoppers" tremendously enjoyed the sport of tearing down well arranged stock, only to decide in the end—that they had decided in the beginning—not to buy today.

Sometimes, perhaps to create an impression, such shoppers will order dresses, shoes and what not delivered to their homes. And the next morning their telephone for a "pickup".

When we buy a dress for \$12.98 the transaction—so far as the shop is concerned—is final. It doesn't change its mind tomorrow and telephone us to bring our bargain back. And when the shop girl smiles at us, her friendliness is sincere. She isn't trying to create an impression or to overwhelm us with the superiority of her breeding and position.

Life would live better and merchandise would cost less, did we buy only what we meant to keep and did we respond to the merchant's promise of "Service With a Smile" with an equally sincere pledge to "Purchase With a Smile."

Northwest News

By PEARL HOOVER

Bob McCoy and Charlie Overstreet of White Deer, took dinner in the J. R. Overstreet home last Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Landers and son called in the J. R. Overstreet home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Overstreet were visitors in Hereford Saturday.

Mrs. Homer Clevenger and daughters called in the Will Wink home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Morrison and daughters called in the J. E. Morrison home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Porter are moving to the O. G. Hill place, six miles south of Hereford. Allene Norris spent Wednesday night with Ruth Hoover.

The ladies' club met Wednesday afternoon, but only four were present. The county demonstration agent meets with the club the first Wednesday of each month, and the health nurse meets with them the third Wednesday of each month.

George Bippus and Violetta and Herbert were shopping in Hereford Monday.

Mr. Hammons is erecting a new house on his farm and is making great progress.

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Lesson

BY DR. J. R. NUNN

May 15.

JACOB AT BETHEL

Genesis 28:10-17

Genesis 28:10. And Jacob went out from Beer-sheba, and went toward Haran.

11. And he lighted upon a certain place, and tarried there all night, because the sun was set; and he took one of the stones of the place, and put it under his head, and lay down in that place to sleep.

12. And he dreamed: and, behold, a ladder set upon the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven; and behold, the angels of God ascending and descending on it.

13. And, behold, Jehovah stood above it, and said, I am Jehovah, the God of Abraham thy father, and the God of Isaac: the land whereon thou liest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed;

14. And thy seed shall be as the dust of the earth, and thou shalt spread abroad to the west, and to the east, and to the north, and to the south; and in thee and in thy seed shall all the families of the earth be blessed.

15. And, behold, I am with thee, and will keep thee whithersoever thou goest, and will bring thee again into this land; for I will not leave thee, until I have done that which I have spoken to thee of.

16. And Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, Surely Jehovah is in this place; and I knew it not.

17. And he was afraid, and said, How dreadful is this place! this is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.

Golden Text: I am with thee, and will keep thee whithersoever thou goest.—Gen. 28:15.

Place: Beer-sheba, in the extreme south of Palestine. Bethel, west of Al and south of Shiloh, 12 miles north of Jerusalem.

Introduction.

"At the time of which we write Isaac was 137 years old; and though he was destined to live yet 43 years longer, the decay of his sight, and other infirmities, brought the thought of death very near to him. Under these circumstances he resolved formally to bestow the privileges naturally belonging to the first-born upon Esau. With this, however, he coupled, as a sort of preliminary condition, that Esau should bring and present to him some venison. Possibly he regarded the finding of a sign, and the preparation of it, as a token of affection."—Alfred R. Shelm, Ph. D.

Rebekah's ears were quick; she overheard Isaac's reply. Esau, with characteristic earnestness and energy this morning, had a plan to obtain for himself the first-born's blessing. Jacob, her favorite son, was fully leading him in two deceit, she bade him cook goats' kids which she had so as to imitate venison. Esau had Jacob clothe him in skins best clothes and shag on and on of the kids on his hairy neck, to imitate in to skin, and so she blind and impersonate Esau.

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might marry some heathen woman if he did not go to Haran. So Jacob went away, with Isaac's renewed blessings ringing in his ears.

Jacob Fleed from Esau.

"And Jacob went out from Beer-sheba." Beer-sheba, in the extreme south of Palestine ("From Dan to Beer-sheba" was a proverb from the whole country), was Abraham's home for many years, before he went to Hebron and later to Beer-lahai-roi. When Isaac came to the headship of the family, he settled down in Beer-sheba, opening up the well which Abraham had dug. Notable wells have been discovered on this site in modern days. "And went toward Haran." Haran, where Terah died and from which his son Abraham had set out for Canaan on his great pilgrimage of faith, was a city on a tributary of the Euphrates, about 280 miles northeast of Damascus. Jacob had before him a journey of about 450 miles, which he must make on foot, carrying what goods he possessed, and getting his food where and by what means he could. Only a hardy and resourceful man could have done this.

Jacob's Response to God's Goodness.

In return for God's wonderful promise, Jacob did two things, and in doing them showed his fundamentally religious nature, so different from Esau's. He rose early—and it is well worth while to note how many of the Bible's great characters it is said that they rose early in the morning. Taking the stone which he had used as a pillow, he set it up as a memorial pillar, consecrating it by pouring on top of it some of the oil which every Eastern traveler carried. In the second place, Jacob made a grateful vow to God, promising that if (we may well read it "since" for the "if" implies no doubt) God would be with him, provide for him, and restore him to Isaac's home again, Jehovah should be his God, that pillar should be God's sanctuary, and of all that God should give he would surely give back a tenth to God.

Jacob at Bethel.

"And he lighted upon a certain place." Named Luz at the time, but called Bethel, or "House of God," by Jacob (verse 19). "And tarried there all night, because the sun was set." As Bethel was about fifty miles north of Beer-sheba, this was the second or third night of his journey. "And he took one of the stones of the place." Jacob was traveling along the rocky backbone of Palestine, where flat stones are very abundant. "Bethel is the stoniest spot in all this stony land." "Upon that hard bed was given to Jacob a revelation which powerfully influenced his future conduct."—Rev. D. Rowlands.

The Heavenly Stairway.

"And I dreamed." The dreams and visions of the Bible furnish some of the most notable and meaningful passages. The student will at once think of Joseph's boyhood dream of Solomon's dream in the temple, and of the dream of the Pisanos, the dream of Piliate, Stephen's vision of Christ, Peter's vision at Joppa, Paul's vision of the man of Macedonia, and his vision on shipboard. John's vision of the New Jerusalem. But of them all, none is so famous as Jacob's. "And, behold, a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven." "Every ladder should stand upon the ground. The ground is a very good place to start from, but a very poor place to stop on. Woe to him who lays out a plan which has nothing in it but this world. This world and the other must be consciously connected in every true man's life."—Henry Ward Beecher.

The Divine Promise.

"And, behold, Jehovah stood above it." From that time Jacob felt more deeply the presence of God in his life. He had learned that Jehovah was not only in Beer-sheba, but was with him wherever he went. "How happy are they who, through all the events and vicissitudes of chequered life, have been able to keep the eye of faith firmly fixed on this God above the ladder—God at the summit of his own creation, directing and controlling all that befalls both his church collectively and believers individually."—Rev. J. R. Macduff, D. D.

"And, behold, I am with thee." That was why the ladder reached from heaven to earth, to show that God was ready to come all the way down to our common human needs. That is the meaning of the God-man, Jesus Christ. Jacob must have been very lonely, more lonely than ever in his life before, and this knowledge of God's presence with him was just what he needed; it is just what we all need, and Christ alone can give it to us. "And will keep thee whithersoever thou goest." That keeping would mean safety wherever Jacob might go, and it means safety for us of today.

A Life Changed by a Single Event.

"In the night something took place which made a difference in the whole life of Jacob, a thing God would be completely forgotten, and in the night; the angels realizations were present Jacob had seen the spot which good spot to go to, to be only a shrine of the night was heaven and earth—the God of God."

How often in human experience that takes place which makes a difference in the remotest dream of a young man who experienced it. A young porter walked down the streets of Greensboro, N. C., years ago with never a thought of God. He heard singing, and through curiosity he stroiled into the meeting house. He was won for God that night

NOVEL WRAPS

By CHEER NICHOLAS



A pleasing venture in fashion's activities is the creating of novel little capes and scarfs of colorful sheer velvet. These cunning fancies are all that fancy dare picture both as to color and unique design. The winsome cape sketched at the top is made of transparent velvet with self fabric tiny roses completely bordering it. Another new and voguish type of wrap done in high-key colors of turquoise, coral and green or in any of the delectable pastels is the circular scarf with long pointed ends which are drawn gracefully around the shoulder. They are very lovely worn with prints, or triple sheer or satin blouses.

W. R. Ely Says Gas Tax Will Build Roads

One of the best attended meetings of the Panhandle Press Association in Amarillo last week was the first of the convention, when W. R. Ely, chairman of the state highway commission appeared on the program and spoke before the assembled newspapermen of the Plains country on "Road Building in the Panhandle." Probably greater interest was shown in Mr. Ely's address than in any other one feature of the three days' convention.

Pioneer Traveling

Oxen, mules and horses were used in crossing the continent before the railroads were built. Oxen had the most endurance and the least speed. Mules came next, while horses had the least endurance but the most speed.

Great Lakes' Area

The Great Lakes have a water surface area of about 95,000 square miles, of which 33,940 square miles lie on the Canadian side and 60,770 square miles on the United States side of the international boundary.

Immense Loss to Nation

It is estimated that losses in soils on the farms by erosion in the United States amount to \$200,000,000 annually, the central states making the largest contribution.

Marvel of Nature

The Grand canyon of Arizona was cut down, according to scientists, through millions of years by the Colorado river, which still flows in the bottom of it.

Off Gold Standard

A purchaser of jewelry remarked that the firm which sold him a gold ring had apparently gone off the gold standard some time previous.—Hartford Times.

Combination of Names

The town of Kenova derives its name from three states, "Ken" from Kentucky, "O" from Ohio, and "Va" from Virginia, yet it is in West Virginia.

Many Observers at Work

Government weather maps are the result of observations made at 200 stations from Alaska to the West Indies.

The Comptroller's Report.

Did citizens take time to read it, they would find Comptroller Sheppard's annual report of the state's fiscal year ending August 31, 1931, a most interesting document.

It reveals, for instance, that every department of state government spent more money from September 30, 1930 to August 31, 1931, than they did in the previous fiscal year. Legislative expenses increased from \$258,951.34 in 1930 to \$707,321.08 in 1931; the judiciary spent \$2,721,340.53 in 1931, as compared with \$2,512,328.30 in 1930; the cost of operating the executive and administrative departments rose from \$911,313.66 to \$1,049,233.66; support of the free schools became three-quarters of a million dollars more expensive; it cost approximately \$500,000 more to operate the penal and eleemosynary institutions of the state. Law enforcement and maintenance of the militia increased almost \$600,000, and the comptroller's figures do not reflect the cost of military occupation of the East Texas oil fields; that expense was incurred after August 31, 1931.

We did spend almost six millions less for construction and maintenance of state highways. But since the highway commission gets none of its money from the state's general revenue fund, that lone example of economy will not be reflected in the state's revenue requirements or its tax rate.

In a year when private business was curtailing expenses, cutting corners, reducing overhead and economizing in every possible way, the state government went ahead and spent more money than it did in the fiscal year of 1929-30. If the reduced costs of supplies and materials is taken into consideration, it becomes apparent that the state actually indulged in a spending spree.

There is ample opportunity for tax reduction in Texas. — This Week's Opinion.

"LOOK YOUR BEST IF YOU WOULD BE HAPPY"

"There was a time when women dressed and prettied themselves in the hope of making themselves more attractive to some man, but today they value more and more the compliments of their women friends, the esteem of women whom they meet, and their own self respect," says Miss Katherine Cooper, well known beauty specialist who is at the City Drug Store this week.

Jumbo News

BY EDNA HALL

Rev. Sharp preached here Sunday morning and night. Ben Andrew and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Andrew Sunday. Relatives from Olton and Grandmother Kring visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hicks Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hardy and daughter visited the Jim Berry home Sunday. Mrs. Nell Andrew and children spent Saturday night in the F. L. Pinckert home. Mrs. B. M. Hines and son and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Means and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Pinckert Friday. Mrs. Adams and Hope visited relatives at Loveland over the week end. Obie Woolsey visited Bill Kring Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hardy and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Beck visited the W. L. Hall home Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Noland and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hardy and son visited in the Durant home near Easter Sunday. The play, "The Arizona Cowboy" was fairly well attended Saturday night. The Camp Fire Girls and their Guardian, Mrs. Ullman Hunter, entertained their mothers with a dinner at the home economics room Sunday. Those enjoying the occasion were Mmes. Ullman and W. A. Hunter, Wilder, Woolery, Beck, Pinckert, Hall, Matthew, Baird; Misses Athalie, Maurine and Helen Wilder, Juanita Woolsey, Lane and Lavelle Beck, Elaine Dyer, Tracy Andrew, Hazel Battles, Mabel Pinckert, Edna Hall, Pauline Matthew, Mary Ann Baird. Rev. Sharp took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Simpson. The young people's Sunday school class enjoyed an ice cream

Daniel News

BY MRS. JOE THURMOND

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Ford Doings

MISS LA VERNE MANN

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# THE WARRIOR

## Senior Class Prophecy.

As reporter for the Daily Review at Black, in 1932, Albert Conway received the following article for publication:

I, Rachel Terry, after leaving High, entered a school of aviation where I became a licensed pilot. During my flying career I have had many interesting and exciting experiences. In the last year I have had the pleasure of meeting or receiving word of all my senior classmates of 1932. Although it is impossible for me to relate how I enjoyed these meetings, I shall endeavor to give a report of each dear old classmate.

All through these years since graduation I have corresponded regularly with the Ambitious Pearl. Perhaps to the surprise of many, she accepted, as her life guardian and protector, Merle Harry, Merle, a missionary, truly had become a very talented work-

er for the great Ruler of heaven and earth.

It was on one of my flights to pay them a visit that I chanced to meet two more of my classmates. My plane was smoothly sailing along when something went wrong. I came so suddenly and unexpectedly that I was unable to detect the trouble and I was forced to land. This forced landing was in the midst of a vast wheat ranch, although not far from a beautiful home. Soon to my dismay I saw a man striding in my direction and from his appearance he was in a none too pleasant humor. There was something familiar about his countenance, but until he arrived I was unable to discern his identity. No doubt Wayne Johnson was as surprised as I upon meeting. He forgot his anger at my alighting in his waving wheat field and invited me to his home to take dinner. There awaited another surprise, for Wayne had not told me who his wife was. I had expected to meet a stranger, so my surprise may be easily imagined when I saw standing in the doorway our smiling Florence. Yes, indeed, they seem to be happy and prosperous in married life. They told me that the world of medicine enticed another one of my classmates. This girl was a jack-of-all-trades in the way of medicine. She could pull a tooth just as well as give a pill; perform a major operation as well as a minor one. This old fashioned country doctor was none other than Ola Lee Calloway.

I was walking one beautiful morning for exercise when, presently, the clear toll of a school bell summoned the children to their duties. Memory of by-gone days flooded my soul and body, so I decided to visit the "Little Red School House" nearby. The petite figure parked in the doorway proved to be Elizabeth Massey. Long years of work had made her an experienced hand.

After having spent several days visiting these schoolmates I resumed my journey as I was expected in the home of Pearl and Merle. Upon arriving in the city, after having my plane cared for, I found it necessary to freshen up a bit before going to my friends' home. I was very much surprised when I walked under the advertisement "Lacy Beauty Salon." Frances Lacy had decided that she would spend her life trying to improve the looks of people. Upon the death of a wealthy customer who had grown very fond of her, Frances fell heir to her wealth. With this money she erected the finest parlor in the city. She is still a heart-breaker, unable to find a man who meets her approval.

After leaving the beauty salon, my attention was attracted by something down the street that looked like a parrot perched on top of a telephone post. As I neared the post I saw Lex Alexander breaking the record for flagpole sitting.

Because of a newsboy crying "Extra", I bought one of his papers. I saw what it was all about—one of the local ladies had won fame in the field of home-making by getting her a husband. This distinguished lady proved to be Emma Helmer.

Upon arriving at my friends' home I was told that they had been suddenly called away by the illness of their only child who was attending school in another state. They had left word for me to follow them to the Hill Hospital. The name sounded familiar, but Hill is a rather common name, so I paid little heed to it. However when I arrived, out came Reba

to tell me about her success in the medical world. Her theory for success is "kill or cure".

One afternoon when I was very melancholy I decided to attend the little theatre. Little did I expect to be entertained by one of Amelia Schlenker's plays. She had chosen literature as her life vocation.

After leaving the theatre I preferred a stroll in the park rather than returning immediately to my room. Before reaching the park I saw in the distance a tiny object resembling a house. Upon drawing near to this object I was able to understand the situation. Wana Vestal was teaching her home economics class by radio. I stopped for a short visit with Wana and she asked me if I had heard the great musician, Helen Schlenker, play. As I had not, she invited me to accompany her to a concert that night. Three cheers for the musician! Hundreds proved this by crowding the streets and theatres to listen to the melodies of the saxophone player, Helen. She held the people in ecstasy by playing original copy of "Home Economics Blues".

But my pleasure trip could not last forever—home duties were calling. On my homeward flight it was necessary for me to stop in Amarillo. I heard much talk about the famous Art Gallery Hotel, so I decided I would make my headquarters during my stay in the city. I hailed a taxi to take me to my destination. Imagine my surprise when I recognized the driver, Dennis White. He related to me many of his experiences as a taxi driver, which were very interesting. I often wondered how this great hotel received its name, but upon entering I came to understand its originality. Elmer Green had chosen this hotel as a means of exhibiting his arts to the world. I observed all of his works and the piece that struck me most was a portrait of Miss Marie Gardner which he had made in honor of our senior class sponsor. I learned that Miss Gardner was now president of the Friona College of Home Economics. She being this near, I could not think of returning without seeing her. The city of Friona would never be recognized as the same place where the senior class of '32 spent so many happy hours. Miss Gardner and I had a very pleasant visit together discussing events since graduation. She asked me if I had seen Lucille Benger, who also resided in the same city. This I had not, but resolved to do so.

The following day as I was walking by a curious looking building, my hat disappeared for some reason. I looked up to find it attached to an apparatus within reaching distance. Upon removing my hat I found a slip of paper in it welcoming me into a millinery store, my hat having been removed only for the purpose of attracting my attention. Inside the shop I found Lucille—she was unsurpassed in hat designing.

I departed from Friona and as everything went well, it was only a short time until I was back in St. Louis. It was not long until I received a call to take two passengers to Hollywood. These were the two leading screen stars of the age, who had recently been wed. They were now returning from their honeymoon, ready to resume their playing. These outstanding characters were none other than Noble McLean, queen of high school activities, and Weldon Whitefield, now nationally known as "Mike". Little did we know that name would follow him thru the foodgates of movieland.

I later learned that Wilnot (Red) Crow was a plantation owner in Brazil. He had accomplished much in the way of civilizing the country.

This closes the account of my enjoyable meeting with my dear old classmates. I sincerely hope that each and every one of them may see this in print and that it will recall many pleasant memories.

**Laymen's Meeting.**

The next meeting of the Union Laymen of Friona will be held Sunday night in the Congregational church to which the public is cordially invited.

The program for the evening will be worship service by Rev. Allmon of the Lutheran church at Rhea. At this service Rev. Allmon will use the same program he uses in his own church and will be accompanied by a number of his parishioners. Music for the occasion will be the same as that used in his regular church services of the Lutheran and the other churches of other denominations in Friona.

A number of people here have expressed a desire that Rev. Allmon give a part of the program in German. The program will be held at 8:30 and the program committee desires good attendance.

**STATEMENT**

Statement of ownership, management, etc., required by Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The Friona Star, published weekly at Friona, Texas, for April 1, 1932.

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**Third Postmaster Examination, Friona, Texas.**

At the request of the Post Master general, the United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination to fill the position of postmaster at Friona, at which place a vacancy is about to occur. It is expected that appointments will be made from this examination unless it is found in the interest of the service to fill the vacancy by transfer or by promotion.

The examination will be held at Hereford, at the hour and date specified in the admission cards of applicants. Applicants must submit to the examiner on the day of the examination their photographs, taken within two years, securely pasted in the space provided on the admission cards sent them after their applications are filed. Tintype or proof will not be accepted.

Applications, forms 2241 and 2223, containing full information as to the requirements to be met and the character of the examination to be given, may be obtained from the post office at Friona, Texas, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. Applications must be properly executed, and must be filed with the Commission at Washington prior to the close of business on May 27, 1932.

**Baptist Church Notes.**

There was a fairly good attendance at all services. At the conclusion of Sunday school the congregation was dismissed so that all who wished might attend the services at the school auditorium. At the regular business meeting last Wednesday night the church in conference decided to begin a revival meeting the first Sunday in June. Further announcements will be made in this regard later.

**REPORTER.**

**Junior Women's Club Report.**

The Friona Junior Women's club met at the home of Miss Orma White Tuesday evening, May 3, with Miss Thelma Osborn as assistant hostess. It being guest day and near Mother's Day, each member invited either her mother or a friend. Those present responded with "Some one thing which I appreciate about my mother." The program consisted of: The origin of Mother's Day; Martha McFarland; Mother's of Men; Mrs. E. B. Willis.

I Love You Truly; Mrs. M. M. Johnson.

Each guest was presented a pink carnation after which lovely refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Earl Brock of Hereford was looking after business interests of the Texas Utilities Company here Wednesday.

Mrs. Smoky Price, Miss Thelma Price, Mrs. Harley King, and small son were in Clovis, New Mexico, Friday.

Eugene Shackelford left Wednesday for Hot Springs, New Mexico, where he will receive medical treatment for about a month.

Mr. Singer of Littlefield was in Friona Friday. He is the employ of the Standard Telephone Company.

Mr. Martin of Clovis, New Mexico, was in Friona Friday.

Smoky Price drove to Hollis, Oklahoma, Sunday to visit his parents. He was accompanied home by his sister, Miss Thelma, also a brother, who will spend some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Price.

S. B. Walker, of Fortales, New Mexico, visited friends here Thursday.

Sheriff Bill Hall of Farwell was in Friona Friday.

Kay Farha spent last week end in Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. Norrid of Canyon was a business visitor in Friona Tuesday.

Attorney A. D. Smith was a business visitor in Hereford Tuesday.

O. G. Turner plans to plant 40 acres of popcorn this season.

Ernest Hines of Canyon was a business visitor here Tuesday.

**Visit Museum at Canyon.**

Canyon, May 11.—A review of the registrations in the visitors book of the Panhandle Plains Historical Society museum shows a large number of people from Lubbuddy have seen the museum during the latter part of April. The names appearing in the book are: Connie M. Francis, Joy Briscoe, Joyce M. Julian, J. Robert Prather, Clyde Prather, Wesley Barnes, Vallie Hodge, Biven Chronister, Mary Prather, Lillian McCurdy, Walter Wagon, Eva Jane Briscoe, Mary Lou Barnes, Flandie Gollman, Mrs. C. E. Merriott and Ernest Merriott.

Many groups of students from over the Panhandle have visited the museum this spring and are making donations to the building fund which must be completed by July 1. Prof. L. F. Sherry is in charge of the building fund campaign.

**Methodist Ladies Sell Cream.**

Ladies of the Methodist church are serving ice cream and cake in the theatre building each Saturday afternoon. They appreciate the patronage of the past few weeks.

**Eleven-Mile**

Miss Eunita Williams, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Williams were Amarillo visitors Monday and called at the Mason home in Hollywood.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wells and daughter, Minnie Alice, left Saturday for Oklahoma to spend a few days with Mrs. Wells' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Mason and daughter called at the G. W. Wells home Sunday.

A light shower fell in this community Sunday.

Earl Porter and T. W. Lynch were in Hereford first of the week.

Donald Livings of Friona called in the home of his sister, Mrs. George C. Messenger, one day this week.

Mrs. Taylor and daughter called at the Terry home Sunday.

Mrs. T. W. Lynch and two children, Lillie Lou and Little Temp, called at the L. M. Turner home Monday.

L. M. Williams and daughter, Estelle, Iona and Albert Stokes and John Burson of Silverton visited the W. A. Whitson home first of the week.

We regret that Mr. and Mrs. Earl Porter are moving from this community to the O. G. Hill farm four miles south of Hereford.

Miss Marjorie Porter called at the Whitson home Monday.

Pat Terry and Miss Jewel Bussell visited Messenger school Friday.

Mrs. L. M. Williams and daughters, Eunita and Estelle, Mrs. T. W. Lynch and children were guests in the Earl Porter home Thursday.

Ben Bates visited L. M. Williams first of the week.

Henry Turner attended a picnic supper at Westway Friday night.

Ben Bates and Chas. Hoover took supper in the T. W. Lynch home Thursday.

Frank Hutchinson is spending a few weeks in the Earl Porter home.

Mr. Stein called at the Earl Porter home Thursday.

Earl Porter and Frank Hutchinson were at the Holcomb grocery Thursday.

Try a Want-Ad in the Star.

## Flagg News

By MRS. G. B. FRAZIER

Mrs. A. D. Floyd spent Friday with Mrs. Ernest Jones.

Mrs. Jones is improving. Mmes. Thomas and Dodson gave their pupils a picnic Friday.

Mr. Dodson took his pupils took his pupils near Hereford. Rev. Coe filled his appointment here Eunday.

Miss Ola Benson and Mrs. Pete Norfleet, sisters of Mrs. Ernest Jones, visited her last week.

This is the last week of school. There will be a program at the school house Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

J. K. Tidmore is in Chillicothe on business.

Mrs. W. A. Senter and Frankie were in Plainview Saturday.

Mmes. Chas. Walker and Doc Jones visited Mrs. Marlar at Mulshoe Friday.

**Easter Items**

By MISS LOUISE FRYE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walton called in the Atwood home Sunday.

W. E. Braly and family visited in the Stuart home Sunday.

Messes. and Mmes. W. E. Braly, Harvey Allison, Geo. Chambliss, M. Slemmons, Fred Walton called

on Grandmother Samms Sunday.

Martha Medley, Emerald Smith, Louise Frye and Hazel Chambliss were in Hereford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and Mr. Lawrence Johnson of Summerfield and H. H. Frye and boys took Sunday dinner in the C. W. Frye home.

Mr. and Mrs. Noland and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hardy and son, Mr. and Mrs. M. Slemmons called in the Roy Durant home Sunday afternoon.

Carl Frye and family attended the Bible Class picnic at the Tom Ivey ranch last Friday.

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