

C. H. S. ELIMINATED PANHANDLE ASSOCIATION MET HERE

LOCALS NEAR VICTORY OVER CANYON IN SPITE OF OFFICIALS.

Daily papers of Saturday morning of last week carried a story of Clarendon Hi's elimination from the district championship race by Canyon's entry by a score of 6-3, in Friday's game at Canyon.

This information didn't half tell the story, although on account of the circumstances surrounding the game it will probably stand in the record book of the interscholastic league.

BULLDOGS WALLOP OKLAHOMA AGGIES

BEAT JUNIOR A. M. 16-7 IN GAME AT GOODWELL—PLAY WILDCATS FRIDAY.

The Bulldogs of Clarendon College scored another victory when they met the team of Junior A. & M. of Oklahoma at Goodwell, Oklahoma Saturday.

Clarendon College has turned out a surprisingly good team, thus far, and it is growing in power as the season advances.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLES' ORGANIZATIONS CONFER ON PROBLEMS OF WORK.

The Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. division of the Panhandle Baptist Association held its regular meeting here Sunday, with a good attendance and with much interest shown by those present.

Sunday School was held in the usual manner, Sunday. Reverend Edgar Owen of Lelia Lake occupied the pulpit for the preaching service.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH HAS RALLY

SPECIAL SERVICES OF DAY WELL ATTENDED. SUNDAY SCHOOL GAINS "PEP."

"We hope the pep we aroused Sunday in the Rally Day Services will furnish us momentum for some time to come, and we think it will," said Reverend A. B. Crocker in speaking of the interest shown by the large crowd that attended the Rally Day services at the First Christian Church Sunday.

Special music, welcome addresses, talks and promotions among the churches were interesting features of the Sunday School program.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Aiken and daughter, Miss Gloria Jane of Los Angeles, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Land and family of Hedley were among the shoppers in Clarendon Monday.

AGRICULTURAL CLASS MAKES ROPE AS ONE PROJECT.

The latter part of last week, there was quite an interesting display of rope that had been made by the members of the Agricultural Class of the Clarendon High School found in the window of the Rexall Store.

SCOUT EXECUTIVES CONFER SATURDAY

A meeting of the chairmen of the various committees of the local Boy Scout organization Saturday afternoon.

LOCAL CHAIRMEN DISCUSS BOY SCOUT AFFAIRS IN CALLED MEETING HERE.

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The boys of Troop Three are working for the fifty-hour community Good Turn Medal which is awarded for fifty hours of good turns for the community.

CHURCH PROPERTY DAMAGED.

Some time last week the Methodist Church was entered and an electrically lighted cross was torn from its place in one of the primary Sunday School rooms.

HEAD ON COLLISION CAUSES SLIGHT DAMAGE.

The head-on collision of two Fords driven by Paul Smith and I. B. Pierce, Saturday night, fortunately resulted in no personal injuries to the occupants of the cars.

Mrs. G. W. Antrobus returned last week from a three weeks visit in Dallas with her daughters who are making their home there.

Messrs. James and Charles Trent left Tuesday morning of this week for a three weeks hunting trip in the Southwest part of New Mexico.

DISTRICT COURT DOES FAST WORK

MUCH WORK DISPOSED OF THIS WEEK TO SATISFACTION OF ALL CONCERNED.

The third week of District Court is doing a great deal of work as the time draws close for the end of the session.

This week, six cases have been tried with fair results to the persons who have had themselves before the jury in question.

MIXED CHORUS MEETS FRIDAY

Plans have been completed for the first meeting of the Community Mixed Chorus that the Lions Club is sponsoring.

COMMUNITY CHORUS TO HOLD FIRST MEETING IN W. T. HAYTER HOME.

The Community Chorus will hold its first meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hayter at 8:15 Friday evening, November 5.

PROCLAMATION.

I, H. W. Taylor, by authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Clarendon, do hereby proclaim Thursday, November 11, 1926, a holiday in Clarendon.

WALLACE AND COMPANY TO OPEN STORE AT HEDLEY.

H. T. Wallace, manager of the local store of Wallace & Co., stated the fore part of this week that their plans had been completed for their opening of a store in Hedley in the very near future.

SIMS PARENT TEACHERS.

The Sims Parent Teachers Association will meet Tuesday, November 9th, at three o'clock in the Central Ward Building.

LIONS COMPLETE FOUR PROGRAMS

LION PORTER PRESENTS CLOSING NUMBER TO GATHERING TUESDAY NOON.

Concluding an educational program of the membership of the Clarendon Lions started some weeks past, Lion J. B. Porter spoke to the Lions Tuesday afternoon using as his subject: "Who is a Lion, and the Future of Lionism in Clarendon."

The concluding parts of the speech were given over to the future of the club in the city of Clarendon.

GENERAL ELECTION VERY QUIET TUES.

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INTEREST IN ELECTION IS VERY LIGHT. TEN PER CENT VOTE IS HAD.

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RED CROSS ROLL CALL STARTS 11TH

DONLEY COUNTY CHAPTER ANNOUNCES PLANS TO DOUBLE MEMBERSHIP.

Tentative plans for the Tenth Annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross were crystallized today when members of the local chapter designated Mrs. A. T. Jefferies director of the membership campaign in Clarendon.

The Roll Call will be conducted, according to the President's proclamation, from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving by chapters all over the United States and in the insular possessions.

After accepting the office, Mrs. Jefferies said she would move immediately to complete organization for the campaign.

This year's goal is 600 members. Chapter officials state. Last year 300 persons were enrolled.

"If we can present our Red Cross arguments to the people as they are being presented," Mrs. Jefferies stated, "we will have no trouble in enlisting twice that number."

1926 BOOK CLUB COMES INTO BEING

LITERARY CLUB ORGANIZED WITH TWENTY MEMBERS, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND.

After a preliminary meeting in which a membership was assured, a group of women met Sunday afternoon at the home of Miss Anne Myra Bennett and organized the "1926 Book Club."

Following the list of charter members of the club: Mrs. Selden Bagby, Mrs. G. L. Boykin, Mrs. Sam M. Braswell, Mrs. Charles Dean, Jr., Mrs. Homer Ellis, Mrs. Oscar Jenkins, Mrs. Louis B. Merrell, Mrs. J. H. Morris, Mrs. Loyd Stallings, Mrs. Charles Trent, Miss Naomi Allison, Miss Anne Myra Bennett, Miss Mary Cooke, Miss Catherine Cole, Miss Willette Cole, Miss Lena V. Griswold, Miss temporary committee, Miss Mary Stocking.

The next meeting of the club will be held Tuesday, November 23, at the home of Mrs. Oscar Jenkins.

ARMISTICE DAY FETE IS PLANNED

MAYOR DECLARES HOLIDAY. SCHOOLS AND TOWN PEOPLE TO CO-OPERATE.

Plans are now under way to give Clarendon a proper celebration of Armistice Day. Mayor H. W. Taylor has issued a proclamation declaring a half holiday between the hours of twelve and six p. m., calling on all citizens to enter into the exercises of the day.

There will be an open air program on Kerney Street, beginning at two o'clock. The Chamber of Commerce, the public schools and the city authorities are working jointly to make the program a worth while one.

Short Band Concert—Clarendon Municipal Band. Invocation—Rev. S. R. McClung. Song, "America"—Led by school children.

An Historical Pageant—Public Schools. March—Clarendon Municipal Band. Armistice Celebration and Appeal of the Red Cross—Judge J. R. Porter.

Star Spangled Banner—Clarendon Municipal Band. Benediction—Rev. A. B. Crocker.

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PUBLIC OPINION ALWAYS CRYSTALIZES ALONG THE PLAIN LINES OF PROGRESS

Progress is inevitable.

No corporation or combine is great enough or strong enough to resist its onward march. Public opinion is master in the American commonwealth and nowhere is it more potent than in the Panhandle of Texas, where the men of vision and virility are building an empire.

Possibly there is not a matter incident to the great oil development in this section where millions are considered as hundreds, that is today receiving the comment and attention as the For Worth & Denver railroad's effort to escape a few hundred dollar's expense incident to the paving project in Clarendon where two blocks of the company's property is involved. Public opinion is swift to crystallize for or against corporations or individuals who let selfishness blind them into resisting the march of community or sectional progress and in the Panhandle today there are thousands of loyal citizens to this section who are lining up with Clarendon people in their demand for justice and fair play from the Denver officials. Clarendon's fight is becoming the fight of the whole Panhandle country and we are soon to witness another object lesson, as to whether or not any corporation in the modern times of 1926 can play the part of a sponge, absorbing all the profits of a growing community and ignore the just demands of an outraged public sentiment. Clarendon's depot claims are receiving the same disdainful attention that the railroad authorities accorded Memphis, our sister city, until Memphis rose in unified mass and proved again that might is not always right, nor does it always triumph in West Texas.

It is said that the Denver is preparing to make some little improvement which will be in the nature of throwing a milksop to the local community, but The News believes the people will not allow the wool to be pulled over their eyes. They are demanding what is right, and will continue to demand it until the railroad does the right thing.

To prove the rapid crystalization of public sentiment we reproduce below a comment from the facile pen of Mr. T. E. Johnson of the Amarillo News in his last Sunday's "Plain-Speaking" column:

The Fort Worth & Denver railroad is drawing the fire of the Clarendon News for refusing to pay its proportion in paving a street that crosses the railroad property. According to the Clarendon paper the road was willing enough to have the street paved up to its tracks, but when it was proposed to continue the paving it balked. It has asked the district court for an injunction to prevent the work from going ahead. Such an at-

titude by a railroad in sharing the cost of public improvements is hard to understand. Clarendon is one of the important points on the Denver road between Fort Worth and Amarillo. It turns over to the road many thousands of dollars annually. By refusing to pay its cost of paving, which would amount to but a few hundred dollars at the outside, the road will lose the good will of Clarendon citizens. It will not lose their patronage, however, because Clarendon has no alternative; there is no other railroad there.

And that is the secret of such a policy as the Denver is charged with attempting to carry out in Clarendon. If it had competition in Clarendon it wouldn't go into district court to avoid paving a street that crosses its property. Railroads in Amarillo always have been more than fair in co-operating on street improvement programs. The Santa Fe, for example, spent \$60,000, which was more than half the cost of the project, on the viaduct on East Tenth street. Private property, other than homesteads, is assessed paving costs, when owners fail to sign the petitions, and the paving is paid for with penalty attached. Clarendon should have such a provision in its charter that would apply to railroads which wilfully refuse to do their part. In fact, the Clarendon News is of the opinion a way will be found to force the Denver to come through. Nevertheless the road has lost much in good will of its patrons, which will take years to recover. Wise corporations no longer adhere to the "public-be-damned" policy, but co-operate with progressive cities in their improvement programs. And profit by it.

This fellow Sapiro, who gained national distinction in his organization of the fruit growers of California a few years back is in Texas making some very timely and interesting suggestions to the farmers of our state. Most of us can agree with many of his statements, but it appears to the News that he goes too far when he accuses the bankers of being responsible for the present condition of the cotton industry. Mr. Sapiro hasn't lived in the South long enough to know just how much of the cotton troubles is shouldered by the bankers, and his statement sounds quite a bit like some cheap politician's drivel. The News believes that the blame in the South is one to be shared jointly. The farmer plants too much acreage, the landlord insists on too much cotton acreage, and the banker, hitherto, hasn't done all he could have done to keep the acreage within due limits. We are nearly all to blame, and we are all paying for it.

It would seem that the price of cotton is certain to advance under the pressure of the various movements that are being utilized to hold and market the present crop. Ten dollars a bale advance would be of tremendous benefit to the South, and we believe that we shall see at least that much improvement in the market. But let us not forget that the same methods of farming with the same conditions will bring about the same situation another year as in 1926.

Clarendon College is on the threshold of the greatest advance she has ever known. From reports coming from Oklahoma, New Mexico and our own territory 1927 is certain to be a great year for our college, newly advanced to senior rank.

Donley County has practically no hogs. She also has worlds of cheap feed.

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MOST MODERN PRESS IS INSTALLED LAST WEEK

One of the latest and most improved models of presses for clothing was installed last week in Dad's Tailor Shop by Edward Peltzel. This new machine is different from all others manufactured by this same company in that it is operated on roller bearings throughout and gives the operator a clear view of the work in hand. It has been said that work may be done on the press in almost half the time it would take if another press were used. This is the first of a series of modern improvements planned for this plant to make it one of the best in the entire Panhandle.

BALLEW AND NOBLE GARAGE SECURES LOCAL DODGE AGENCY

Plans were completed the fore part of this week by the Allen-Figh Motor Company of Childress whereby the Donley County agency of the Dodge car is placed in the hands of the Ballew and Noble Garage of this city. For the past few months this matter has been handled by a salesman of the Allen-Figh Motor Company here and the establishment of the agency here means the opening of a new business for the city. Many cars have been sold here in the past few months and the agency will prove to be quite a drawing card for the future of the city. Their opening announcement will be found on another page of the News.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. M. Chunn of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chunn of Wellington were here last Sunday for a visit in the home of Mrs. R. A. Chunn.

READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS

WINTER BUILDING

After the rush of crop gathering, see that all the improvements on your place are in the best possible condition to house your farm stock and the implements you used to make your past crop.

Let us show you our plans for a chicken house—barn—or other outbuilding that you may need to make the improvements on your farm up to the minute.

WE WILL BE GLAD TO HELP YOU

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NEW RECORDS

Received this week—A new and complete line of new Edison and Gennett Records. Bring your library up to date by purchasing one or more of these records the first time you are in town.

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Have them pressed and cleaned often and your appearance will always be good.

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Perhaps in your own experience you can point to a time, when, if you had saved you could have shared in an opportunity that would have made you many times better off, financially than you are now. There is only one answer—Start Saving now for the next time Opportunity knocks.

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Friday, 5th
 MARY ASTOR, LOYD HUGHES
 In
THE SCARLET SAINT
 A drama of New Orleans, Big Carnival and Mardi Gras Week, and a love story that is different.
 Also, FAMILY PICNIC, Comedy
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Saturday, 6th
 JOHNNIE HINES
 In
THE BROWN DERBY
 He takes the lid off laughter, in one of the whizziest, dizziest, fastest marathons of mirth that has been shown lately.
 Also, GOOD COMEDY
10c—30c

Monday-Tuesday, 8th-9th
 CORINNE GRIFFITH
 In
CLASSIFIED
 Edna Ferber's great story of "Want Ads" and love. A big pulsing drama of the working girl of today. A story that tells what ever girl fears. It's big, big enough to bring a tear, big enough to make you remember.
 Also, HY MAYER CARTOONS and FOX NEWS.
20c—40c

Wednesday-Thursday, 10th-11th
 RICHARD WALLING, JANET GARNOR
 In
THE MIDNIGHT KISS
 Based on John Golden's stage hit "PIGS." You will enjoy "THE MIDNIGHT KISS." Everybody does. This is a laugh provoking comedy of their problems, and one that you will get a lot of kick out of.
 Also, AESOPS FABLES
10c—30c

OUR SEC. SAYS

A copy of the Pioneer Pecan Press, a publication issued by the San Saba, Texas, pecan growers, has been received in the office and is in readiness for anyone who desires to look through its pages.
 The copy was sent to all chambers of commerce over the entire state by the request of the W. T. C. C. office at Stamford, whose men are interested in seeing the pecan tried out in every part of west Texas in order to find out if such a business could be started in this part of Texas. At the present high prices for pecans that have been high for the past few years, both tame and wild pecans, trees bearing from two to twenty-five dollars' worth of pecans would be a good investment.
 Pecan growing seems to be an experiment in this county up to the present time with unfavorable results. Many people who are acquainted with the habits of pecan trees seem to think that a low flat wet soil seems to be the requirements for a successful tree, but such is the reverse in this county, as a good many trees have been set on a farm east of Clarendon that has a fresh water stream that flows through it with young pecan trees planted down near the water and also up on the hillside away from the water with the hillside trees making the most rapid growth in the two years that they have been planted. The greatest trouble with pecans here is not the drought so much as the hot sun that kills in late August and early September. To guard against this those who have out young pecan trees are urged to build or stick boards down on the south and west sides of the trees, that are high enough to shade the young sprouts for at least the first two years.
 Anyone who is interested in the beginning of a small pecan orchard for Donley County will find a copy of this excellent pecan magazine and many bulletins on the subject of pecan growing in the chamber of commerce office ready for the lending, together with any help that may be wanted as to the pecan industry in Texas.

CLARENDON GIRLS GRADUATE AT BEAUTY CULTURE SCHOOL

Miss Pauline Pierce and Miss Minnie Lee Meek returned to their homes here a few days ago, after studying three months in the Moler Beauty College, Denver, Colorado. Both Miss Pierce and Miss Meek graduated and received their diplomas from the college, and they are now prepared to do all lines of beauty culture. After completing the course in Molar College, Miss Pierce took a special course in permanent waving. Miss Meek specialized in facials and scalp treatments. They plan to work together, each doing the work in which she specialized. Their plans for the future are not definitely settled, but they will possibly be in Amarillo.

ABOUT HURRICANES.

There is a close parallel between the hurricane that overwhelmed the Florida peninsula and the Galveston hurricane twenty-six years ago. Both were characterized by extreme intensity. The Florida storm originated in the Caribbean, near St. Kitts; the Galveston storm had its origin east of that island. In each case the hurricane followed almost a straight course until it struck the mainland. Unless one has lived in the hurricane zone he cannot appreciate the majesty and cruelty of this cyclonic force. Nor can he realize the fear it inspires. Man builds, the hurricane destroys. It takes his ships, his house, his crop, even his life, showing no compassion, giving no quarter.
 How hurricanes originate and the extent of their damage will be told in the Magazine Section of The Clarendon News, which will be issued Nov. 18th.

Modern Service Has Not To This Day

Been able to determine the greatest degree of heat that can be obtained by the use of electricity. Along with being hotter, it is quicker and cleaner than other fuels, and in the final analysis, costs no more.
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Friday, 5th
 RICHARD HOLT, ANNA LITTLE
 In
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 Say, I want you to see this wonderful serial, it has everything you want in it, good story, plenty of action, stunts, wild west, and thrills. Also good WESTERN PICTURE. You always get your money's worth.
10c—25c

Saturday, 6th
 BRUCE GORDON
 In
The Brand of Cowardice
 A thrilling tale of romance and adventure. Always a good show at the QUEEN.
 Also, BE CAREFUL, Comedy.
10c—25c
 Show opens 7:15.

CHIEF QUANAH PARKER.

Quanah Parker, noted chief of the Comanche Indians, is to have his last resting place at Cache, Okla., marked by the United States Government. The present session of Congress has appropriated \$1,500 for the purpose and the bill only awaits the signature of the President to become a law.
 Chief Parker was the son of Cynthia Ann Parker, a white woman, who was captured by the Indians in Texas when she was 9 years old, and later became the wife of Peta Noncom, known as the most courageous of all the Indian braves.
 Quanah Parker was a prominent figure in Texas and Oklahoma history. He led the pick of his warriors at the battle of Adobe Walls.
 The story of his life, a thrilling romance, will appear in the Magazine Section of the Clarendon News, to be issued November 18th.

PERSONALS

Miss Anna Moores spent the weekend in Amarillo.
 Miss Jennie Mae Creamer spent Sunday in Amarillo.
 Larry Adams of Amarillo was here the first of the week.
 Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Davidson of Abilene were here Friday.
 Miss Mayme Seery and Miss Anis Milroy drove to Hedley Sunday.
 Mrs. B. M. Davis and Miss Jesse Davis of Hedley were here Friday to shop.
 Mrs. C. H. Tims and Mrs. A. L. Allen of Ashtola were in Clarendon to shop Saturday.
 Mrs. Ida Couch returned home Saturday, after spending the past four months at Groom.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Theral Dunn of Hedley spent Saturday here.
 Dave and James Williamson spent the week-end at their home here. Dave teaches in McLean and James attends high school there.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chunn of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. Stathen Chunn of Amarillo were guests of Mrs. R. A. Chunn Sunday.
 Mrs. V. J. Drew and little son, Jack, left Friday evening for their home in Clinton, Oklahoma, after a visit with Mrs. Drew's Parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Griggs.

THE PAINTED ROCKS.

The Painted Rocks of West Texas are a mystery unsurpassed by any other similar landmark. On the walls of a high rocky cliff, about a quarter of a mile from the Concho river, overlooking this river and the picturesque little town of Painted Rock, the county seat of Concho County, are the peculiarly crude handwritings.
 As to their date or meaning, nothing is known definitely. Cattle herders of earlier days found the writings in existence before the country was settled, and it is the general belief that the picture writings were done by Indians and that they tell of the struggle between the Indians and white men when the white men were crowding the Indians and buffalo off the Texas prairies.
 Read the story of "The Painted Rocks" in the Nov. 18th issue of The Clarendon News Magazine Section.

SCHOOL FUND TO AMOUNT TO \$14.00 PER CAPITA THIS YEAR

In a letter recently received from State Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs, he states that the apportionment for the year 1926-1927 will amount to \$14.00 after an additional amount of 2.50 had been received from the Gasoline Tax. The first payment will be made in the first half of December, before the Christmas holidays. The remainder will be paid in installments that will be strung out through the coming year and the last payment will possibly be made in August 1927, according to the letter. Superintendent Marrs also states that it is possible that the apportionment for the next year will amount to \$15.00 per student.

W. M. HEADRICK NEW STATE MANAGER OF INSURANCE COMPANY

A recent issue of the Little Rock Gazette carried the following note, which will be of interest to readers of the News, inasmuch as the man about whom it was written is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Headrick of this city. A picture of Mr. W. M. Headrick accompanied the article as it appeared in the Little Rock paper.
 W. M. Headrick of Little Rock, superintendent of the Arkansas agencies for the Home Fire Insurance Company, has been made state manager in Texas for both the Home Fire and the Home Accident Insurance Companies of Arkansas and will open a branch office in Dallas immediately according to an announcement yesterday by A. B. Banks, president of the Home Insurance Companies.
 Mr. Headrick was born in Texas and graduated from Southwestern University at Georgetown. He came to Arkansas in 1914 as athletic coach at Hendrix College.
 He served as a captain of artillery during the World War and after the war he was connected with the insurance department of the Bankers Trust Company for several years.
 He became connected with the Home Insurance companies in 1922 and has served as superintendent of agencies of the Home Fire Insurance Company since that time. Mr. Headrick and his family have removed to Dallas.
 The establishment of the Texas branch is a part of a large expansion program planned for the Arkansas companies, Mr. Banks said. Similar branches were established at Los Angeles and San Francisco two years ago and other branches will be es-

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A most complete line of all that is ever needed to make the gathering of your harvest easy for the man and beast. The lightest running wagons on the market and the most up-to-date machinery to assist in the gathering of the crop.
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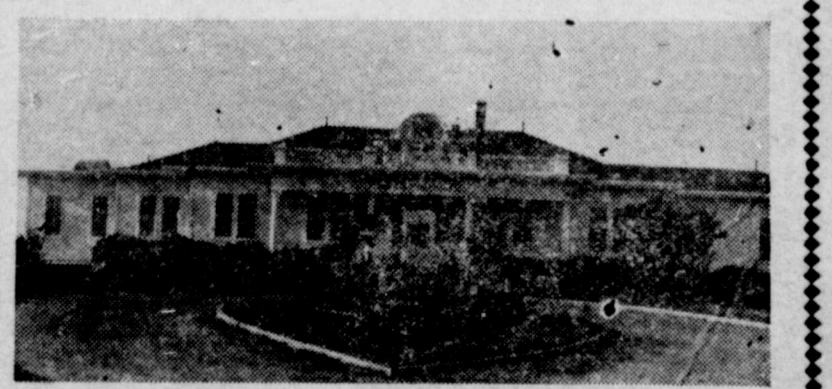
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W. M. S. TO OBSERVE WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Methodist Missionary Society will observe its Annual Week of Prayer on Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 10th and 11th at the Methodist Church at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Also on Wednesday evening at 7:30, the young people, under the direction of Mrs. Nathan Cox, will present a playlet, "Mrs. F. H. E. Ross Helps Decide." On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. J. W. Chisholm and Mrs. E. L. Wickline will be leaders.

vice. There will also be special music at each meeting. The public generally is invited to all of these programs, especially the one on Wednesday evening.

BOOSTER CLASS MET AT MULKEY HOME

Members of the Booster Class of the First Christian Sunday School had their weekly study meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mulkey. The fifth chapter of James was the lesson studied, with S. A. Anderson acting as leader. Those who attended the meeting were the following: S. A. Arnold, O. D. Leisberg, T. C. Johnson, Dr. E. N. Reynolds, W. F. Dubbs, B. W. Moreman, H. M. Faulkner, G. A. Anderson, Judge R. L. Templeton of Wellington, Andrew Jay, Rev. A. B. Crocker, Bob Moxley of Lubbock, Roy Champitt, J. R. Tucker, and the host, Mrs. Mulkey, assisted by Mrs. Moreman, served delicious refreshments at the end of the lesson.

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SOCIETY NOTES

Hallowe'en Masquerade For College Students Saturday.

Spooks, ghosts, and goblins invaded the Girl's Dormitory Saturday evening and caused a great deal of excitement.

The ghosts called at the boys' dormitory at 7:30 o'clock and escorted the young men to the ghost's habitation. They were ushered into the girl's hall amid extreme darkness. They witnessed many ghostly apparitions which made many a young lady's blood run cold.

The guests were then ushered into the brightly decorated dining hall. Each ghost was given a number and a contest was conducted in which each one was to guess the name of the masqueraded guests.

Carolyn Laney was the lucky winner and received a prize for having guessed correctly the largest number.

Under the able supervision of Miss Viola Joss and Miss Julia Dean many enjoyable games were played. One of the cleverest features of the evening was the presentation of a great play entitled "The Gathering of the Nuts."

Miss Mamie McLean devoted her time during the evening to the exciting task of telling fortunes. She proved a genius along this line and caused many young co-ed's hearts to beat a little faster when they heard their futures revealed.

Punch was served throughout the evening. At the close of the hours of merriment the guests were given apples and ginger snaps, which were in keeping with the Hallowe'en suggestion.

As the hands of the clock neared the hour of midnight the ghosts departed for their respective homes expressing their hearty commendation of the magnificent way in which they were entertained by the co-eds of the school.—Clarco.

Mrs. Morris Entertains Thursday Needle Club.

Mrs. R. F. Morris was a delightful hostess when she entertained the Thursday Needle Club at her home last week. Hallowe'en decorations were artistically used in the house, with jack o'lanterns to light the rooms. Vases of flowers, in harmonizing colors were among the decorations.

In addition to the usual needle work and conversation, an old fashioned game, "Hurly, Burly," furnished amusement. Refreshments were served in the dining room from an elaborately decorated table, which had a center piece of nasturtiums and was lighted by yellow candles. The party was one of the prettiest of the many social affairs of the Hallowe'en season. Those present were the following: Mrs. C. Y. McDonald, Mrs. W. A. So Relle, Mrs. Crockett Taylor, Mrs. J. T. Putman, Mrs. Sella Gentry, Mrs. A. Chase, Mrs. J. T. Sims, Mrs. Will Ward, Mrs. J. R. Porter, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. J. H. Morris, Mrs. A. O. McCann, Mrs. H. C. Kerbow, Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain, Mrs. B. L. Jenkins, Miss Nora Headrick, and Miss Mary Howren.

Miss Pearl Thomas and the Reverend H. P. Cooper Married

Miss Pearl Thomas, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Thomas of Alameda, and the Reverend H. P. Cooper, pastor of the Church of Christ, were married Saturday evening at the Pounds Hotel, Memphis, the Reverend R. R. Price of this city officiating. The bride has held a responsible position with Little Mercantile Company for the past several months and will continue her work there. During the

time she has been in this city she has won many friends. Reverend Cooper has been minister of the church here but a few months, but he has won distinction in his work. He was a prominent student in Texas Technological College, Lubbock, last year, taking a leading part in student activities.

Dinner-Bridge Club Entertained Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Oscar Jenkins were host and hostess to the Dinner-Bridge Club Monday evening. In a season of really beautiful Hallowe'en decorations, the ones used for this party were unusually attractive. Place cards, favors and the courses at dinner cleverly carried out the color scheme.

Guests at this delightful affair were Mr. and Mrs. Selden Bagby, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. Holman Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Perrine, and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Taylor.

Mrs. Bagby received the high score for ladies; Mr. Bagby received the corresponding favor for men; and Mrs. Homer Ellis was fortunate in the cut for consolation.

Pollyana Class Has Party.

The Pollyana Class of the Methodist Sunday School celebrated Hallowe'en with a party at the home of Miss Eunice Johnson Thursday evening. Black cats, witches and ghosts frolicked in a setting of gay and reasonable decorations. Refreshments were served at the end of a series of games and stunts. Those present were: Misses Roberta Lafon, Josephine Murphy, Mary Naylor, Helen Rodgers, Mary Frances Caraway, Ila Gene Moss, Delphine Jones, Wilfa Lee Alexander, Davella Kelly, Margaret Dillard, Marguerite Gorman, Helen Beth Nidever, Ruth Bairfield and Pearl Holder; and Joe Noble, Haskett Kent, James Smith, Gorman, Bob Jackson, Henry Wilder, John Blackburn, Charles Holtzlaw, Lawrence Whitlock, Nidever, Bill Wood.

Mrs. Letts Gives Pretty Party.

Mrs. A. R. Letts was hostess to her bridge club Friday afternoon, entertaining in her usual charming manner. Tallies and score pads were of Hallowe'en design. The game was played at two tables by the following members and special guests: Mrs. Charles Bugbee, Mrs. E. L. Bigger, Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. Odos Caraway, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Mrs. George Ryan, and Mrs. L. L. Swan. Mrs. Caraway won high score favor and Mrs. Chase drew the consolation. Refreshments appropriate to the season and in keeping with color scheme were served at a table made more beautiful with chrysanthemums, black and yellow candles, pretty place cards and favors.

Mrs. Selden Bagby Entertains Afternoon Bridge Club.

Mrs. Selden Bagby was hostess Friday afternoon to her bridge club, entertaining a number of special guests, also. Lovely chrysanthemums and dahlias were used in the entertaining rooms. Those present were: Mrs. C. W. Bennett, Jr., Mrs. Richard E. Bell, Mrs. Phillips Gentry, Miss Beulah Baird, Miss Anna Moore, Mrs. Parke L. Chamberlain, Mrs. Sam Dyer, Mrs. Homer Ellis, Mrs. Dorr Ellis, Mrs. Oscar Jenkins, Mrs. Holman Kennedy, Mrs. Forest Taylor, and Miss Mary Cooke. Mrs. Bennett received high score favor for guests and Mrs. Dyer played high for club members. Dainty refreshments were served at the end of the game.

Mrs. E. C. Heard Hostess to Kill Kare

Clever Hallowe'en decorations added much gaiety to the occasion when Mrs. E. C. Heard entertained the Kill Kare Club Thursday afternoon. Needle work and conversation were much enjoyed by the following club members and guests: Mrs. Rolle Brumley, Mrs. Andrew Jay, Mrs. B. W. Moreman, Mrs. L. B. Merrell, Mrs. D. L. Kelly, Mrs. Eva Rhodes, Mrs. Bennett Kerbow, Mrs. Ralph Kerbow, Mrs. R. H. Beville, Mrs. Homer Mulkey, Mrs. Joe Cluck, Mrs. F. N. Reynolds, Mrs. Jerome McCarty, and Mrs. James Headrick. Refreshments, served late in the afternoon, carried the Hallowe'en suggestion.

Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain Hostess To Club Thursday Evening.

The newly formed Thursday evening Bridge Club was entertained last week by Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain. Dinner was served at a table that had a center-piece of nasturtiums and pretty Hallowe'en decorations of yellow and black. Bridge was played by the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Will McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jefferies, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, Mr. and Mrs. Parke Chamberlain, Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. George Ryan, Mr. W. J. Lewis, and Mr. Wesley Knorpp.

Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain is Hostess at Bridge-Luncheon.

A smart social affair of the week was the bridge luncheon Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain gave Tuesday for her club. Luncheon was served at one o'clock at the card tables. Autumn flowers made the pretty decorations for the tables and the rooms. Mrs. Chamberlain's guests were: Mrs. L. L. Swan, Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. J. T. Sims, Mrs. Charles Bugbee, Mrs. Sella Gentry, Mrs. G. B. Bagby, Mrs. W. H. Cooke, Mrs. Odos Caraway, Mrs. R. L. Bigger, Mrs. A. L. Chase and Mrs. F. E. Chamberlain. Mrs. Cooke played high and Mrs. Bagby drew consolation. Both favors were lovely.

Reception Honoring Miss Polk

Immediately after Miss Daisy Polk's concert at the College Auditorium Wednesday evening, a reception was given for the artist at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Morgan. In the receiving line with Dr. and Mrs. Morgan were Miss Polk, Mrs. J. L. McMurtry, president of the McDowell Club, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Morris. Members of the McDowell Club and others whom they had invited called in the thirty or forty minutes of the informal reception.

Miss Joveta Wilson Hostess.

Little Miss Joveta Wilson entertained a number of friends with a Hallowe'en party Friday evening. The home was elaborately decorated for the occasion. Rollicking games, contests, and the telling of ghost stories amused the crowd for several hours. Dainty refreshments were served.

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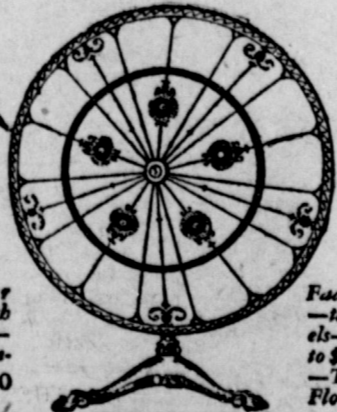
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