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Several Accidents Reported by Hunters

A few reports of accidents have been going the rounds here this week as having occurred among those who have been here shooting ducks during the past ten days. All appear to have been purely accidental and none fatal or even very serious.

One of these is to the effect that one of the hunters was shot in the foot, producing a wound that necessitated his going to a hospital for a few days, but from which it is thought there will be no serious results.

Another accident is to the effect that one man shot the glass from the rear of a nice new car, and was for some time in deep distress as to just what his wife might do and say when she became aware of it. It is reported, however, that he eased his mind on that score by planning to have a new glass placed in the car while passing through Amarillo on his return home.

It appears that the owner of the gun which was a hammerless repeater and contained a loaded shell, had placed it in the rear of the car without the safety catch being adjusted. Later on in probing around in the car with a shovel the gun was discharged. True to human nature, the man was sure it was not his gun that was discharged, but the barrel was found to be warm and the chamber contained an empty shell, while all the other guns were cold and contained loaded shells.

The Nine Points.

These nine points, subscribed to as famous as the historical fourteen, by many sociologists, may not be. They are, however, equally important as war preventatives, either international, sociological or domestic:

1. Don't contradict people, even if you are right.
2. Don't be inquisitive about the affairs of even your most intimate friends.
3. Don't under rate anything because you don't possess it.
4. Don't believe that everybody else in the world is happier than you.
5. Don't be rude to your inferiors in social position.
6. Don't repeat gossip, even if it does interest a crowd.
7. Learn to hide your aches and pains under a pleasant smile.
8. Learn to attend to your own business. This is a very important point.
9. Shoot square, play the game fair, work and live within your income.—Rays of Sunshine.

Dog License Here.

During the past week the city secretary received a shipment of metal tags to be used a dog license for the city. These tags had been ordered for some time but were delayed in their arrival.

With the arrival of the tags the city is now in position to receive the dog tax that has been imposed by city ordinance, the tax being \$1.00 per year, and C. M. Jones, night watchman, has been authorized by the city commission to collect the dog tax and issue the license tags, and after a sufficient time has elapsed in which every citizen will have time and opportunity to pay the tax on his dog, all dogs not wearing a license tag will be disposed of by the watchman. In order to have your dog safe, better see Mr. Jones and get your license tag at the earliest moment possible.

Back from Kansas City.

Ed Massie, of Massie Brothers, northeast of Friona, returned last week from a business trip to Kansas City. Ed relates, according to report, that while walking along a street in Kansas City, he was accosted by two youngsters, one of whom said: "Who're you goin' to vote for, Me?"

Upon Ed's telling him that he would probably vote for Mr. Roosevelt, the other youngster promptly rejoined, "Yes, and that sun-uv-a gun will crook you out of everything you've got."

Ed says that neither of these urchins could have been over six years old, yet they were apparently rich in political lore of the street corners.

For County Organization.

The West Texas chamber of commerce, with headquarters at Stamford, and in which Friona, as a representative, is pushing the move for the reorganization of county government in Texas and will offer and support a definite plan for this at the meeting of the Forty-third Legislature.

The W. T. C. C. has appointed a central public expenditures committee whose duty it will be to investigate existing conditions and devise and present to the legislature a plan of reorganization, recommending among other things a system of home rule for counties, with a combination of county offices and also a combination of counties, all for the purpose of cutting down operating expenses with a consequent reduction of taxes.

This committee is headed by Van Zandt Jarvis of Fort Worth, and includes the following members: A. H. Brittain, Wichita Falls; Walter Beck, Austin; E. B. McClintock, El Paso; Clint C. Small, Amarillo; Representative R. M. Wagstaff, Abilene, and Representative A. B. Tarwater, Plainview.

It is said that two plans have already been proposed on county reorganization, but neither of them seem to fit the need, in the opinion of the committee, but both represent a tremendous amount of work and thought and should enable the committee to formulate a proposal with a minimum of time and labor.

Visited Star Office.

Miss Marian O'Brian of the Lakeview community, while in town Wednesday afternoon took time to pay the Star office a highly appreciated visit of a few minutes. Miss O'Brian is the Star's very efficient reporter for the Homeland Demonstration Club, and left her report of the club's recent meeting with us while here.

Thanks, Mr. Lange.

We of the Star force were delighted last Friday to receive a present of a package of perhaps the finest pecans we have ever had in our possession, the gift of our esteemed friend, B. Lange, of Llano, and which were delivered by his son, O. L. Lange, of Friona.

These pecans were the largest we have ever seen and of the paper shell variety, and we are sure of a flavor equalled by few and excelled by none. We truly appreciate the pecans and above all, Mr. Lange's kind remembrance of us, and for all of which we tender him our sincere thanks.

Attorney A. D. Smith, who spent last week on a combined business and social visit at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, returned to Friona Tuesday evening.

Duck Shooters Leave Gates Open, Say Farmers

Quite a number of sportsmen from various parts of the Panhandle as well as a number of local shooters have been busy around the lakes in this locality since the duck shooting season opened Tuesday of last week.

One farmer living west of town says there have been so many cars driving into his pasture to lakes there that he has been obliged to take his cattle out and place them in another pasture, owing to the fact that it seemed next to impossible to keep the gates closed. He says there were from 12 to 20 cars at these lakes at one time and shooting was so continuous that ducks were not allowed to alight there at all.

All the lakes in the locality seem to have had their share of hunters many of whom have been successful in bagging a goodly amount of game. It is not known that any of these sportsmen have been using machine guns to bag ducks with, but from the rapidity with which the shots follow each other at times it would seem possible that such was the case.

Farmers of the territory do not seem to be indisposed toward this hunting, as it is said the ducks are destroying lots of grain in the fields.

May Have Community Thanksgiving Program

Mayor F. W. Reeve and the City Commission have under contemplation a town and community Thanksgiving celebration and service in which it is proposed that all the people of the territory of whatsoever church affiliation, creed or practice, all social, civic and welfare organizations of the town and community may join.

The plan is that the entire populace shall turn out to one great mass Thanksgiving service at some of the public auditoriums, preferably the school auditorium or the theatre building, where the Thanksgiving services, consisting of prayer, praise and preaching, shall be held at a late hour of the forenoon, probably 11 o'clock.

This service will be followed immediately by a big public basket dinner at some convenient spot in town.

Following the dinner it is proposed to have a good football game and a program of other games and sports, or perhaps an indoor program of vocal and instrumental music, reading and speaking.

If the plan meets with the approval of the people and it is decided to carry it out, later announcements will be made of the complete program in all its details.

Dinner Well Patronized.

The chicken dinner given by members of the Congregational Ladies Aid on election day was well patronized as was also the bazaar, and the ladies express themselves as highly appreciative of the liberal patronage given them.

Attending State Convention.

Mmes. R. H. Kinsley, J. R. Roden and F. E. Sylvester departed by automobile Sunday morning for Corpus Christi where they will attend the Association of Federated Women's clubs.

These ladies will represent the Friona Woman's club and be a part of the delegation from the Parmer County Federation of Clubs. They will return home the latter part of the week.

Iowa People Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Orr of Maquoketa, Iowa, are visiting in this locality, having arrived early in the week. Mr. Orr owns a tract of land southwest of Friona in the Lazbuddy locality, and is out here looking after his property interest and noting the general conditions of the country.

Mr. Orr is a brother of Miss Janie Orr, a notice of whose death appeared in last week's issue of the Star. He and Mrs. Orr are most genial people and paid the Star office a highly appreciated visit while in Friona Tuesday afternoon. They are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed, three miles north of town.

State Highway Notes.

Russ Mitchell awarded \$236,844 contract for paving 13½ miles of highway between Cuero and Yoakum.

West sidewalk of railway underpass on highway 72 at Runge is being widened.

Contract awarded to pave nine miles on Wichita-Mineral Wells highway.

Highway 22 being oil and sand treated from Timpson to Rusk county line.

Paving progressing on lateral highway from Rankin to Iraan.

Surfacing completed on highway 13 between Stamford and Sagerton.

Plans being considered to pave scenic drive at El Paso.

Contract to be let soon for King county paving and drainage work on highway 24.

New right of way for highway 34 between Honey Grove and Ladonia secured and construction will be started soon.

Bids received by highway commission preparatory to starting road and bridge construction program estimated to cost about \$4,000,000.

On some project similar to the above, the funds set aside for the construction of highway 33 thru Parmer county will eventually be spent. But what good will that do the people of Parmer county?

Worth Repeating.

Fire destruction again shows a slight increase. For the first nine months of the year it was \$341,050,639, compared with \$340,713,487 in the same period last year. We will soon learn whether any good results following fire prevention week, which was observed in October. As a general rule the loss goes down during the week and the period immediately following, only to rise again soon after. When it comes to fire the public has a short memory. That shortness costs the nation 10,000 lives and half a billion dollars each 12 months.

Workman's compensation is that form of insurance whereby a state seeks to assure medical care, hospital service and wage income to an injured employee while he is incapacitated. In case of death in the course of his employment, it also assures financial support to his dependents.

Could things be worse? Listen to an Associated Press dispatch from Australia. It tells how the sheep raisers of Northwestern Australia are destroying their sheep after shearing because they cannot get even as much as 12 cents each for them in the market. Things are far worse in Australia than in the United States.

W. C. Fallwell spent the early part of this week over in New Mexico on a business trip.

Democrats Go In By Largest Majority Ever

The national election for this year is now a matter of history and that history could be written in about three lines, but of course no historian or politician wants to do that.

So far as Friona is concerned in this election, we had a most beautiful day for the election and everything went off quietly and peaceably—no disturbance of any kind.

Mrs. Ferguson received 184 votes and Mr. Bullington received 168 votes at the Friona polls. Judge Aldridge, for county judge, received 300 votes to 57 for Mr. Kinsley, the Republican candidate. Mr. Rushing for clerk received 313 votes to 38 for Mr. Sympton, and so on down the line or up the line, which ever one chooses to call it.

Regardless of the fact that it seemed to be all one way in the election, the election officials state there were a comparatively few straight tickets cast. Some Democrats would vote practically a straight ticket with only a few exceptions where they would shift to the Republican ticket, while Republicans, many of them would scratch their tickets for the same offices and vote for the Democrats. Such voting made a vast amount more of work for the officials without materially changing the results of the election.

The statement that Mr. Roosevelt carried 75 states out of the 48 seems to have gone unchallenged here, but it seems to be a mistake that the price of wheat jumped 15 cents per bushel locally Wednesday morning, and the usual price seems to prevail.

Plenty of good natured jesting is being passed around and the Republicans and Bullington Democrats are taking their part in a jovial way, the Republicans evidently taking it for granted that it was coming to them on the same grounds that they handed it to their neighbor Democrats four years ago. Such is life, and politics is a part of life.

Just Common Expression.

Two men met on the street in Friona Tuesday morning. One said, "It's a fine morning."

The other replied, "Yes, it's a very pretty morning, but somebody is going to be 'snowed under' today."

This remark was not witty nor humorous and neither was it intended to be, but was just a common remark, which was probably made by thousands of Americans in all parts of the United States on that morning.

An Enjoyable Dance.

The dance given in the Hicks building on the night of the election by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilkison, was well attended and all present spent a most enjoyable evening dancing while waiting for the election returns to come in. Mr. Wilkison expressed himself as well pleased with the evening's entertainment and its results.

Dalhart Poultry Show.

Dalhart will have its fourth annual Trans-Canadian poultry show December 1-2-3. Inquiries are coming from several states as to particulars. Prizes include first, second and third in all classes of chickens, turkeys and eggs, in addition to sweepstakes prizes and many special prizes.

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The Three Mysteries.

Friday night at the Halloween carnival the physics department had in their booth three mysteries. They were the disappearing fish, a colored bottle with substance flowing out of it, and a faucet suspended by a string with water running out of one end and fire coming out of the other end. This booth took in \$7.15. Only one other booth took in more money than this booth.

Junior Booth at Carnival.

The junior booth which was located at the north end of the hall was one of the most attractive places at the carnival Friday night. Everyone enjoyed playing Hokun and winning prizes. This booth took in about \$3.00.



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The Treble Club.

The Treble Club is going to have a Thanksgiving program Wednesday morning before Thanksgiving. The program will include:
Song, Give Thanks; Club, Business meeting.
Origin of Thanksgiving: Edna Earl Curry.
Quartet: Stella Lansdown, Hazel Furlong, Frances Hartsfield and Flora Hartsfield.
Thanksgiving Story: Pearl Houlette.
We will meet from 10 to 10:30 o'clock.

Harmonica Club.

Tryouts are being conducted in the boys harmonica club for harmonica pins. To be able to get pins a student must play, using single tones, the scales for "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," "Oh, Suanna" and "My Bonnie."
The following boys have received pins: Charles Allen, George Landrum, Lee Armstrong, Morris Lacy, Roy Hughes, John Terry, Paul Helmke, Maurice McFarland, Price Brookfield, Stanley Massey, Alvin Thompson, Nat Taylor, Denham Smith, Melvin Elliott, Douglas Short, Ardean Falwell, Cecil Cummings and Ira Bengier.

Grade School Basketball Team.

The grade school boys are using their gym period for basketball work. They are making marked improvement in passing and cutting. For the past few days they have given particular attention to defense work and to a simple tip-off play.
The following boys are working for places on the team: Eugene Dixon, Cecil Cummings, Carroll Loflin, Alfred Wedel, Denver Smith, Carl Blankenship, Ardean Falwell, Douglas Short and Kenneth Houlette. The team hopes to play its first game soon after Thanksgiving.

Grade Reports.

Second Grade. Last Monday the room mother for the second grade, Mrs. Young, brought each boy and girl a bar of candy. She also brought apples which the P. T. A. gave the pupils because they had brought more vegetables to be canned than did the pupils of any other room.
Sixth Grade. The following pupils made 100 in spelling last week: Edith Mosley, Gladys Jones, Stanley Massey and Price Brookfield.
Seventh Grade. The seventh grade now has monitors to see that the flowers, book shelves and desks are properly cared for. At 3:40 p. m. after the monitors have performed their duties they check in a space for that day on a chart prepared for that purpose. The class has selected gold and blue for its colors.
Third Grade. In spite of the fact that it is cotton picking time, the third grade had an average attendance of 94 per cent for the past two weeks. Only two of the pupils are picking cotton each day. The pupils have been enjoying dramatizing some of the interesting fairy tales they have recently been studying. Labels to use on the mothers canned fruits and vegetables have been cut free-hand and painted by the pupils. This should decorate the mothers cellars and pantry shelves as well as furnish useful activity for the children. The class enjoyed having Mr. Heath visit Friday morning while the process of borrowing in subtraction was being learned. Each pupil hopes to have it learned so well by the end of the week that it will have become automatic.

Football Banquet.

Thursday evening, November 3, at 7:30 o'clock, the Friona Chiefs met with some members of the pep squad and other girls of school, members of the high school and

grade school faculties, and Dr. R. R. Wills, to be elegantly served at a banquet given by Miss Gardner and the home economics department.

The banquet was composed of three main courses. The intermissions were filled with speeches, Mr. Heath being the master of ceremonies. All the boys who were not be with the Chiefs next year were called upon for talks. Mr. Eubanks, Mr. Stevens, Mr. Heath, Mr. Davis, Dr. Wills and Moss Virginia Short, yell leader for the pep squad, favored the group with short but inspiring speeches. The group especially wishes to express its gratitude toward Dr. Wills for his speech, and never-failing cooperation toward the football squad.

It was previously intended that this banquet should be the closing event for the football season, but the town quite emphatically stated that it wanted to see another exhibition of the class of hard-hitting football taught by Mr. Stevens. Consequently, on Friday, November 11, Armistice Day, the Chiefs will make their seasonal clash with the Happy eleven.

All the speakers at the banquet, including the boys, expressed a desire to continue the season and top it off with a victory over Happy, who last year defeated us. The home economics department with Miss Gardner, really deserve the thanks of all concerned for putting the banquet over in a big way which would be a credit to any organization.
LLOYD BREWER.

Help Yourself by Helping Others.

The home economics classes are learning the art of home-making according to plans, but they are also putting this knowledge into active service by doing kind deeds for others.

Last week the faculty men's basketball suits were discovered to be absolutely white. Knowing that to play a basketball game in white suits would not be an honor to any school that always waves red and white, these men humbled themselves to ask aid at the home economics department. The first year girls basted and stitched red ribbon on the basketball suits, making them red and white.

When the new high school king, Clifford Crow, looked in the wardrobe of the royal family for the robe left there by his predecessors he was greeted by a vacancy. The mothballs in which it had been packed surely turn to fairies and took the royal robe to Fairyland, for it was not to be found. Again the first year home economics girls had a chance to practice sewing. They made the robe and had the ermine in place in due time.

Any modern person knows that an attractive work room is much more pleasant and comfortable than a dull, non-decorated room. Hence the home economics instructor has curtains in the making for that department. These are being made by the girls who are taking courses in home economics.

The football boys are fighting many hard battles and are bringing home many victories this season. They celebrated these with a banquet. The home economics girls prepared and served the feast.

The P. T. A. had an honored speaker, President J. A. Hill, of W. T. S. T. C. at a meeting some time ago. The second year home economics girls served a six o'clock dinner on that occasion. They also prepared and served refreshments for the P. T. A. on that night.

Oh, the home economics girls are learning by studying and making more nearly perfect by doing. Learning and forgetting is worthless, but there are values untold in learning and remembering.

El Circulo De Espanol.

El Circulo de Espanol met Wednesday night, November 9, at the

home of Dorothy Crawford. The following program was given:
Response: Important City In Spain.
Geography of Spain: Seva Welch.
Spanish Customs: Rosella Dixon.
Literature and Art: Maurine Furlong.
Spanish Song: Club.

After the business meeting there was a social meeting in which games were played. At an early hour refreshments of cocoa, sandwiches and macaroons were served.

A Trip to Amarillo.

Our home economics instructor, Miss Marie Gardner, has returned from a trip to Amarillo where she met fifty other home economics teachers from schools over the Panhandle. These teachers and the district supervisor, Miss Syble Thomas, met to discuss problems concerning the teaching of home economics. Miss Gardner returned from this trip rather hurriedly but reported an enjoyable and profitable time.

Senior Booths.

Friday night, October 28, at the Halloween carnival the seniors joined the various organizations in school by having two booths, the Midget Show and the Gypsy Van.

The first was very unique. Two small midgets were seen and listened to and enjoyed by a large number of people. The midgets were a farmer and a Gypsy. The farmer gave the people some valuable information concerning the current topics of the day, the depression, taxes, presidential election, etc. The gypsy sang a song and gave a little reading. A large number also visited the gypsy van and had their fortunes revealed. This was done

by handing pieces of parchment to visitors, which was placed over a candle, where the reading of the fortune mysteriously appeared. Everyone looked to the senior class to continue their policy of always being winners, and it is universally agreed that they had quite adequately carried this to perfection Friday evening, judging by the large admittance receipts.

Choral Club Sings In Chapel.

The high school Choral Club presented "A Shanty in Old Shanty Town" in a novelty number, "Bull Dog on the Bank" for high school chapel program Thursday afternoon. The choral club has begun work on an operetta, "Tea House of Sing Lo" to be presented before Christmas. The club is to appear before the P. T. A. in the December meeting, giving a group of Christmas carols.

Freshman Party.

The freshman party was an overwhelming success. About 25 freshmen were present. Games were played until the hostess, Miss Joyce Landrum, served popcorn to the group. The games were then continued until 9:30 when candy was passed around in large quantities.

Freshman Booth.

The freshman booth at the Halloween carnival was in the 5. This room contained three interesting games which afforded much entertainment for the many people who went there.

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IT'S OVER—

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Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

November 13.

THE CHRISTIAN SPIRIT IN BUSINESS

Amos 5:11-15; Luke 19:16-23

Amos 5:11. Forasmuch therefore as ye trample upon the poor, and take exactions from him of wheat; ye have built houses of hewn stone, but ye shall not dwell in them; ye have planted pleasant vineyards, but ye shall not drink the wine thereof.

12. For I know how manifold are your transgressions, and how mighty are your sins—ye that afflict the just, that take a bribe, and that turn aside the needy in the gate from their right.

13. Therefore he that is prudent shall keep silence in such a time; for it is an evil time.

14. Seek good, and not evil, that ye may live; and so Jehovah, the God of hosts, will be with you, as ye say.

15. Hate the evil, and love the good, and establish justice in the gate: may be that Jehovah, the God of hosts, will be gracious unto the remnant of Joseph.

Luke 19:16. And the first came before him saying, Lord, thy pound hath made ten pounds more.

17. And he said unto him, Well done, thou good servant: because thou wast found faithful in a very little, have thou authority over ten cities.

18. And the second came, saying, Thy pound, Lord, hath made five pounds.

19. And he said unto him, also, Be thou also over five cities.

20. And another came, saying, Lord, behold, here is thy pound, which I kept laid up in a napkin.

21. For I feared thee, because thou art an austere man: thou takest up that which thou layest not down, and reapest that which thou didst not sow.

22. He saith unto him, Out of thine own mouth will I judge thee, thou wicked servant. Thou knewest that I am an austere man, taking up that which I laid not down, and reaping that which I did not sow;

23. Then wherefore gavest thou not my money into the bank, and I at my coming should have required it with interest?

Golden Text: In diligence not slothful.—Rom. 12:11.

Introduction.

We are now to have three lessons relating to the vital topic of Christian stewardship, a topic which involves much of our life in this world. First comes the present foundation lesson on right ways of making money; then a lesson on the stewardship of money; and finally a lesson on the stewardship of life. These three lessons are of the greatest practical importance, and should be studied with the greatest care.

The farewell addresses of the greatest Jewish statesman, Moses, recorded in Deuteronomy, contains many wise rules regarding money and its use. Two verses are chosen which forbid the oppression of employes, Dent. 24:14, 15. The principle of this law, if universally applied in modern times, would do more than anything else to solve the problems of business. Mistresses are likely to be lax in paying their servants. Families will run up big bills at the grocer's, having no intention of paying them, and thus leading to many a bankruptcy. Men will borrow from the bank, speculate with the money, and very likely cause the bank to close its doors, with enormous loss to poor depositors and worthy institutions. The Golden Rule is the rule for employers and employes.

Amos, the Farmer-Prophet.

Amos, the rugged and clear-eyed prophet of Tekoa, could not be silent about what he saw in Israel. On one side he saw the poor working like slaves, but always poor, kept below the poverty line, living in their squalid huts, eating the poorer foods, with nothing to spare. On the other side he saw the rich and aristocratic with their fine houses of hewn stone furnished in ivory, their winter houses and summer houses, living lives of luxurious ease, spending their time in carousal and pleasure seeking. These were the people of power, the rulers, responsible for the welfare of all the people; and yet in their ease, they were unconcerned about the suffering of the poor. On one side the poor, benumbed by poverty and toil; on the other the rich and powerful, blinded by luxury and personal ease. Such a picture has its counterpart in the extremes of wealth and poverty in our own day.

Wealth Is Often Worse Than Poverty.

Doubtless there were rich people in the days of Amos who had acquired their wealth by honest and honorable means. Wealth in itself, however dangerous it be, is not condemned in the Bible. But wrong methods of obtaining it are condemned. The judgment of the Lord is upon those who thus come into possession of riches. And the love of money, a passion that leads many to compromise with right and justice, is not a sin of our modern day alone. It was the outstanding sin of the day of Amos, it has been known and condemned through all the centuries of human history.

As regards the individual who acquired wealth by wrongs committed or injustice done, there is no mistaking the teaching of the Scriptures. Such wealth is poverty, not riches, the poverty of soul and of life that comes of the surrender of principles and of high ideals for money's sake. And this holds whether the individual who gets money by compromise of high standards, by dishonesty, or by driving a hard bargain with those who are in need and helpless, has accumulated his millions or his hundreds of dollars. Not how much money, but how it was gained.

The Parable of the Pounds.

The second part of our lesson is a story of a nobleman's dealing with ten of his servants. This nobleman, said Jesus, was going into a far country to receive for himself a kingdom, and desiring that his wealth and his slaves should be profitably employed until he should return, called ten of his servants and gave to each a pound, saying, "Trade ye herewith till I come." After a period he returned a king, having had success in his adventure, and commanded his ten servants to appear before him "that he might know how much every man had gained by trading." The first who came reported that his pound had gained ten pounds and as a reward he was made ruler over ten cities. The second had gained five pounds and received five cities. And so forth until one came who had gained nothing, but returned his lord's pound which he had kept hidden in a napkin. He stood condemned for his faithlessness. Faithfulness is crowned with praise and greater tasks. The man whose industry and thrift won ten pounds was given ten cities, the man who gained five pounds received five cities; the reward was in proportion to the faithfulness and its accomplishments.

Thou Wicked Servant.

"And another came." Christ does not give the reports of all ten servants, but of three representative ones; a man of exceptional ability, a man of mediocre ability, and a man who was unfaithful. "Saying, Lord, behold,

here is thy pound, which I kept laid up in a napkin." A handkerchief, used in that hot climate for wiping sweat from hands and face. In the parable of the talents, the one talent is buried in the earth for security, being far too large for a napkin. This servant represents all of Christ's servants who are unprogressive and stagnant. So far as they are concerned, the world grows no better, and men are drawn no closer to their Saviour. The pound was given to the servant who had proved his ability and zeal by gaining ten pounds, on the principle so often proved true in all phases of life that "unto every one that hath shall be given." The high reward of those who do God's work well is more work to do for God.

Special Lessons.

1. "It is not the money but the love of it that destroys character both among the rich and the poor."—Rev. Blackford Condit, D. D.

2. "George Peabody was a millionaire, but how few can say as he does, in that sentence of his diary carved upon his temporary grave, that it was his daily prayer to his heavenly Father that he might be enabled to use his wealth for his fellowmen!"—F. W. Farrar.

3. "Covetousness, which is idolatry" (Col. 3:5). For what is the essence of idolatry? Is it not a serving and loving of the creature more than the Creator?—Archbishop R. C. Trench.

4. "Let us share our money with others. The habit of large and liberal giving is a great remedy against covetousness."—Rev. James Hastings, D. D.

Summerfield News

BY MRS. GUY WALSER

The Home Makers Study club met November 3 with Mrs. B. E. Roberson, with Mrs. Ray Johnson as leader. Mrs. L. L. Cannon reported 5081 containers of food had been put up by ladies of the community. Mrs. B. E. Roberson gave some ideals of a good club woman. Roll call, What are the rights of a child? (a) Early childhood; Mrs. L. L. Cannon. (b) Distinguished characteristics: Mrs. B. E. Roberson. At the social hour refreshments were served to nine members and two visitors, Mmes. Jess Hines and Lemon, of Black. The club adjourned to meet December 1, with Mrs. Cannon. The club will not meet Thursday, October 17, as that is the day of the county federation meeting at Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Flowers and son spent the week end in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ratcliff.

Wilburn Edlemon spent the week end with relatives in Plainview.

Emmett Blakemore of Progressive visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Blakemore, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frye at Easter Wednesday.

Rev. Coe and family of Plainview were here during the week end Rev. Coe filling his appointment.

Miss Dorothy Fullwood of Hereford spent Sunday in the L. B. Lookingbill home.

Walter Huntley and wife visited in Dimmitt Monday.

Messrs. and Mmes. Guy Walsler, Henry Kendall, Mmes. Joe Kendall, C. R. Walsler, Bob Lance; Misses Ellen Atchley, Mary Lee Curry, Leatrus Walsler, Allie Fae Lance and Clydine Kendall were in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lance, C. J. and Paul Lance visited the C. R. Walsler home Tuesday.

B. Y. P. U. and church services were well attended, 100 attending B. Y. P. U. A special song service was given Sunday night, consisting of a quartet by Maude Noland and Gertrude Atchley, Herbert Atchley and Bernard Kosh. Another feature was by Geo. Storey, Jack Streun, Dollie Welty, Christine Chapman and Edgar Streun. All are invited next Sunday at 7:15.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Behrends sr., returned home last week from a visit with their sons, Andrew and H. G., jr.

Densil Long and Floyd Williams of Texico visited Miss Edna Streun last Monday evening.

Van Edlemon who is in Plainview taking throat treatment, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roberson have moved to Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hackett were guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Helsman at Vega Sunday.

Christine Chapman, Dollie Welty, Edna Streun, Leatrus Walsler, Jack Streun and Jim Clark spent Friday evening in the George Storey home where a song service and popcorn eating was enjoyed.

Miss Hazel Oglesby, a student in Hereford, was at home last week on account of illness.

Herman Stuart of Hereford and Dave Stuart were in Amarillo on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Curry were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Scales of Progressive Sunday.

Perice Williams and family and I. B. West of Clovis visited the Henry Kendall home Wednesday.

Messrs. and Mmes. Lee Kendall, Joe Kendall and daughters, Ben Davis and family, Hamilton Still and daughters, Rev. Coe and family, Mmes. B. C. Roberson and Huntley attended a program at Frío Sunday afternoon.

Lester Suttles returned home from Olney last week.

Messrs. and Mmes. Emmett Blakemore, Progressive; Ed Peacock, Big Square; G. W. Miller and daughter, Chowell, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Blakemore, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson were in Amarillo Friday.

Mmes. Alton Lookingbill and Walter Huntley spent Wednesday with Mrs. Johnnie Biggs in Hereford.

Russell Mackie of Pampa is visiting his brother, Ed Mackie.

Edna Streun, Allie Fae Lance Maude Noland and Dollie Welty attended a birthday party honoring Wilson Vines at Black Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Walsler are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kendall this week.

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FOR SALE: 1,000 subscriptions, \$1.00 each if sold soon; either singly or in quantities. See the Friona Star.

FOR TRADE: Will trade car for any kind of live stock. See M. A. Crum. 1p

TO LET: Gas heated room with board for two people, \$23.00 each per month. Mrs. E. B. McLellan 16-tfc

STRAYED: One red pig, about 30 pounds. Finder will please notify C. S. Burnes. 1c

STRAYED: Brown Jersey cow, with horns, giving about three gallons of milk daily. Notify J. F. Ware, Friona. 1c

Miss Goodwine In Operetta.

Denton.—Miss Margaret Goodwine, daughter of Mrs. Minnie Goodwine of Friona, has been chosen as a member of the production staff for the first Little Theatre play, "The Torchbearers", at the Texas State College for Women. Miss Goodwine is a speech major at the college and this is her senior year at C. I. A. She has appeared in several plays given by students of the speech department. All plays are directed by students of the department.

Miss Helen Crawford Honored.

Miss Helen Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Crawford of Friona, has been chosen as one of the eight students of the Choral Club at C. I. A. who will go to Fort Worth next week to rehearse with the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra which is to present a concert at the college soon. Miss Crawford is a sophomore at the college and is majoring in piano. She is a member of the Odean club, a musical organization on the campus, and the Public School Music club.

Are You Living In The DARK AGES?

If your living room is dark and gloomy you're still comparatively benighted. There's nothing like light to brighten your surroundings. Take stock frankly—are your rooms hospitable or forbidding? Wouldn't a lamp here, a splash of warm light there, enliven, beautify your home? You owe it to your family, to your guests. Every arm chair should have a reading lamp beside it to prevent eye strain. Proper light for the card table is absolutely necessary. Perhaps a newer, more modern central fixture would help solve your problem—or more suitably placed wall brackets.

Decide upon the type of lighting your room needs—then visit your dealer's display of smart new lamps and fixtures. You'll find just the improvements your home requires—at extremely reasonable prices. The change in your rooms will surprise you.

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ARMISTIC DAY NOVEMBER 11th



Hurt In Car Wreck.

Last Sunday afternoon while enroute to Clovis from the Frona golf links, a car driven by A. Mandell of Clovis, turned over on the highway near Bovina, seriously injuring the driver, Mr. Mandell.

Four other men were in the car with Mr. Mandell, all of whom had been playing golf on the local golf links. It appears, however, that none of the other occupants were injured when the car turned over, at least not seriously. According to reports reaching here, Mr. Mandell was so seriously injured that his recovery seemed for a while to be quite doubtful.

A tire blow-out is said to have been the cause of the catastrophe.

Homeland Club Report.

The Homeland Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. A. H. Boatman November 4, with 16 members present.

The demonstration of canning a beef was given by Miss Rozelle McKinney.

Refreshments were served to Misses Owens, Brewer, Todd, Hall, Williams, C. Wilkerson, M. Wilkerson, Adams, Rule Loflin, Boatman and Cannon, and Misses

Thelma Loflin and Rozelle McKinney.

The club will meet November 17 with Mrs. T. Todd at a discussion of health and healthful exercise will be given.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harry drove over to Lubbock Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Harry's mother, brother and sister, Mrs. Bertha Harry, Merle and Ruth. They report the folk getting along nicely in their new home.

The French minister of war has ordered the issue of sardines, fresh and canned, as a daily ration of French soldiers. This step was taken in order to help fishermen of Brittany through the approaching winter. Perhaps it would be a good idea to feed American soldiers a little more fresh beef and hot biscuits.

A statement was made recently to the effect that American credit had been saved and the dollar made secure. No one will doubt this statement. Credit must be safe since no one can find any, and as for the security of the dollar, one is bagged occasionally, but they never run in large herds anymore.

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Schedules Effective March 10, 1932

Rates Effective March 10, 1932

Lv.	Read Down	Rate	Read Up	Ar.
a. m.	p. m.	rate		a. m.
8:30	5:30		Amarillo	3:20
10:05	7:05	1.65	Hereford	1:45
10:20	7:20	2.10	Summerfield	1:30
10:30	7:30	2.35	Black	1:20
10:45	7:45	2.45	Frona	1:05
11:05	8:05	2.90	Bovina	12:45
a. m.	p. m.			a. m.
11:30	8:30	3.30	Farwell	12:20
11:00	8:30	3.60	Clovis	11:00
11:35	9:05	4.25	Portales	9:30
p. m.	p. m.			a. m.
2:50	11:45	7.15	Roswell	5:30
5:00	2:10	9.45	Ruidoso	5:00
9:30	6:20	12.95	El Paso	11:00
a. m.	a. m.			p. m.

Black

BY MRS. J. J. CRAWFORD

Wilson Vines entertained the young people Tuesday evening with a party. A good crowd was present, including several from Summerfield.

J. W. Skipworth of Farwell visited Robt. Buster Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mahler of Lakeview spent Sunday in the F. E. McMurry home.

P. T. A. met at the school house Friday evening, with only a few present, but a good program was given. The next meeting will be on December 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coker and family and Miss Pearl Coker of Summerfield spent Sunday in the J. J. Crawford home.

Mrs. T. Stone and children spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Weizbrod, of Shattuck, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Tom Presley will be taken to the Hereford hospital Tuesday for another operation. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

A. B. Hinds and family attended church services in Hereford Sunday.

Mrs. H. L. McLean was very ill this week.

Lucille Hays and Lois Presley and Irwin Welch and Bud Barnett attended a football game at Frona Thursday, Irwin and Bud being on the team.

Cleveland Hamilton of Rhea spent Thursday night with Irwin Welch.

Miss Netha Crawford was a visitor in Hereford Sunday evening.

Guests In Erwin Johnson Home.

During the past six weeks Mrs. L. M. Kilgore of Joy, Texas, has been a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Erwin Johnson.

E. D. Kilgore and two sons of Brownley, California, have also been visiting in the Johnson home, Mr. Kilgore being a brother of Mrs. Johnson.

The guests left Saturday for Phoenix, where Mrs. Kilgore will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. H. Johnson. Mr. Kilgore and sons will go on to their home at Brownley.

Methodist Church Notes.

At 11 o'clock Sunday morning the following program will be rendered by the Woman's Missionary Society. The public is cordially invited to attend this service:

Leader: Mrs. Gore.
Piano prelude: Frances Lacy.
Song.

Duet: Daisy Dee Parr, Lucille Routh.

Prayer: Mrs. Livings.

Scripture: Ps. 91.

The life of Esther Case; Mrs. Osborn.

Song.

The MacDonald School: Mrs. Routh.

Offertory: Frances Lacy.

Offering.

Song.

Benediction: Mrs. Furlong.

Baptist Church Notes.

There were 105 present at Sunday school and 89 at training service. The senior department is to favor the Union with a special next Sunday evening at the general assembly.

Following is the program for the young people:

Subject: God is no respecter of persons, race or class.

Discussion No.—

2. Alice Baker.

3. Mr. Brown.

4. Orville Case.

5. Wilmot Crow.

6. Melvin Baker.

7. Clarence Jasper.

The training service begins at 7:00 o'clock in the evening and all are invited to attend these services.

A Stunt Social.

The Frona Woman's Club is sponsoring a "Stunt Night" on Friday night, November 18, at the school auditorium. The ladies will charge a small admission of 10 and 15 cents and will give a prize of \$5.00 for the best stunt presented. All local organizations are invited to present a stunt and become competitors for the prize. The public is invited and no one should miss it as it promises to be one of the best shows of the season for the money and the funds will be devoted to a good cause.

For Appendicitis Operation.

John Hart, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hart, living a mile north of town, was taken to the Hereford hospital Wednesday afternoon to undergo an operation for appendicitis. Thursday morning no word had been received at the Star office as to the result of the operation or the condition of the patient. The many friends of the family wish him a speedy recovery.

Congregational Church Notes.

There was a smaller crowd than usual at Sunday school, but there was a goodly number at the church services, which were conducted by Auxley Alexander as leader and who also delivered the message. It was his first attempt in that line, and the audience was well pleased with his work, in which he did exceedingly well and for which he received many compliments.

Following the services a short business meeting was held, and it was decided, as a plan of economizing, to sacrifice the services of a pastor for at least a few months longer. The worship programs will therefore be of home talent production until the congregation sees its way clear to call a pastor. Mrs. R. T. Gischler will have charge of the services on the coming Sunday.

Visiting Relatives Here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Osborn and daughter, Miss Lena, of Hope, Arkansas, arrived here Tuesday, having driven over to spend several days with relatives. Miss Lena has spent several months here during the past two or three years, being at one time employed in the Frona State Bank, and is well acquainted here.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborn will spend much of their time while here with their sons, Claude and Sloan, and with Jess M., at Muleshoe, also Mr. Osborn's two brothers, W. C. and Frank M. They drove to Muleshoe Wednesday to visit and spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Osborn. Miss Lena states that she likes the Plains better than Arkansas.