

## Community Fair Here Big Success

### BUILDING NEARING COMPLETION

Mrs. Hugh Vaughn is erecting a new home on street. The pretty building will likely be completed week. Building in town checked some-what by depression of the time, but building is being done notwithstanding. Hugh is among who are abreast of the time. You can't stop the feeling which is determined to go on. The best of doing is what builds up our cities.

### HOSPITAL OFFERING

Ladies of the Central Baptist Church will prepare a box for the Baptist Sanitarium at Inadale. This box is to consist of sheets, pillow cases, and regulation sizes are: 22 x 90; pillow cases, 23 x 36, small size. The box will be prepared at home of Mrs. C. Karnes on Monday of this month. We invite you to come and help in this worthy cause.

### FIRST BAPTIST REVIVAL IN SESSION HERE

The Revival meeting under the auspices of the First Baptist Church, in which the Rev. Clung is doing the preaching, has progressed nicely through the past week. Rev. Clung is an able preacher, touching his hearers with his every message. This type of preaching usually results in good.

The Rev. Leslie, judging from his long-pastorate here and from the progress his other churches have made, is an good pastor.

### CONFERENCE

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Hermleigh Charge will convene at Inadale September the 27.

Bro. Lipscomb will preach at 11: o'clock a. m.

Dinner on the ground, and business session at 2 p. m. The Pastor will preach the following day, the fifth Sunday.

M. H. Hudson.

Miss Gladys and Leonard Bulard entered school at Snyder Monday.



### A. PARKER HAS BIRTHDAY

"Dad" Parker, as he is known celebrated his eightieth birthday last Saturday. He said he didn't know the community could have a big picnic the same day he was having a birthday.

Forty children, grandchildren, relatives and close friends ate at that exceeding well set table Saturday noon. The occasion was much enjoyed by all.

Mr. Parker is one of our best citizens, having lived long enough to learn how to be a good man. The editor ask him Tuesday afternoon how old he was, and the reply was about like this, "I am old enough to know how to be a good citizen." This was well said, "Dady" Parker, may you live on, and on, and on. And may others of us be fitted to take your place when at last you are called to go.

The personnel in part is as follows: Mrs. L. C. Murphy, Mrs. Jack Rea and family, Mrs. H. B. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Will Cross, Dr. W. A. Palmer age 82, Old settlers of Scurry County; Mrs. R. P. Creswell and son, Mrs. C. B. BoBo, Eldon Parker, nieces and nephews; Mrs. C. L. Rea, daughter; Claud, T. J., and Ollie McNeght and family, grand children; Mrs. Hoyte Murphy and family, Mrs. E. D. Mahoney and family, Mrs. J. E. Neal and daughter, Christine, Mrs. Price Bankhead and daughter, Mrs. Dora Jones; friends.

### SCHOOL ADDS 9TH TEACHER

The Hermleigh school has this week added Miss Ethel May Wheeler to the faculty of eight. The school has grown in the last year until eight teachers cannot handle it. It will be necessary to have nine this year.

Miss Wheeler is a sister to Mrs. Kerr, the Supt.'s wife. We are glad to welcome Miss Wheeler both to the school and to the social circles of the town and school community.

Elmer Gardner butchered the second prize pig, of the Fair this week. It dressed 66 2-3 percent pork.

### FARM BUREAU HAD BIG MEETING TUESDAY

The Farm Bureau meeting which was announced to be held in Hermleigh Tuesday was held in the District court room at Snyder instead. It was said by some that the sentiment of the Hermleigh men against the organization was so strong that it was not considered safe on the part of the speaker to speak here. Now that was saving too much. The sentiment is exceeding strong against the organization, but our men are not of such a temperament as that.

The meeting as held in Snyder was not as quiet and pleasant as some religious services have been conducted in times past, for men are on their toes concerning this great loss they have sustained. Those who have been in the organization from the beginning think they have gained in former years more than they lost at this time, but those who were filling their first contract are badly hurt. And not only are they hurt, but hurt at a bad time. With the poor prospects for cotton which we have before us, it is no time to endure losses on last years cotton.

What the Farm Bureau has done is but a repetition of what other similar organization have done, and what all similar future organization will do. Men who promote these organizations are as weak and frail as any, and all other men are, and they are certain to make mistakes and lose good men's money. Granting that this is a misfortune on the part of the organization and not a fault, the results are the same. The country's money is gone and we must all alike suffer the consequences.

When the working class of people learn to deal only with men whom they know, they will find business safer. These high powered salesmen who come to you from Chicago or New York, come to you for what they hope to get out of you; and this one thing the Herald wishes it might impress upon its readers, lay off of these new things, and these slick tongue fellows whom you do not know. This is wholesome advice. Now is a good time to learn this lesson.

Barber Knight who has been away in California for the past year, with his family, has moved back to town and is located again in his barber shop here.

Mr. Joe Roemisch will leave in the morning for a business trip to South Texas.

### COMMUNITY FAIR HERE WAS GOOD ONE

Notwithstanding the fact that most people are low spirited, growing out of the fact that the cotton crop is very light the Fair this year was a good one. In many respect it was excellent. The women's department though out was excellent. The 4-H girls work was fine. It was thought that the work done by our girls would be hard to equal anywhere. The 4-H boys exhibits were fine. One could not have gone into the exhibit rooms without being impressed with the skill and energy of the farmers of the community. When we folk in town measure up to our responsibilities in connection with this sort of things as well as these splendid farmers do, we shall have a community well worth while.

The Herald is joined by the other businesses of town in extending thanks to the community at large for the fine way in which the Fair was carried forward.

We are expecting to join heartily with the County Fair beginning today. We extend congratulations to both the county and state Fair.

### CENTRAL BAPTISTS

#### CALL PASTOR

The Central Baptist Church has extended a pastoral call to the Rev. G. W. Parks of Roscoe. It is not known as yet whether Rev. Parks will accept the call, but is anxiously hoped he does. From his friendly attitude toward the call as expressed from the pulpit here Sunday night the church feels confident he will accept.

Rev. Parks is a man of considerable experience as a minister, is well informed concerning the Bible and church history; and from his sermons which have been delivered here to date, he knows something about homiletics, hermeneutics and exegesis. It is thought that the church here will be doing well to secure the services of the Rev. Parks.

The Rev. Parks, it is understood, is a brother-in-law to our own Mr. W. W. Early, their wives being sisters.

Mrs. T. W. Atchley who has been confined to her room and bed for sometime is able to be out again.

Elmer Louder was in Rotan Sunday.

### SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICE

Dear Friend and Customer:

In order to keep our stock complete, and to be able to render the public the most efficient service, we are putting our business on a cash basis, beginning Saturday the 22nd.

From Saturday on, we are asking that those who make purchase at our store shall be prepared to pay cash. Our books are closed.

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 Herald is a popular local week-  
 ly with a circulation of 500  
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Thursday, Sept. 20 1928

Any erroneous reflection up-  
 on the character of any person  
 firm or corporation will be cheer-  
 fully corrected upon its being  
 brought to the attention of the  
 management.

Obituaries, cards of thanks  
 and other things for which a  
 charge is usually made, we will  
 gladly publish free.

**OUR FIRST BIRTHDAY**

We have been here one year  
 this week. We are sure we  
 know less about publishing a  
 paper than we thought we knew  
 one year ago. We are ashamed  
 of our efforts, for we feel we are  
 capable of publishing a better  
 paper than we have published;  
 and shall not allow ourselves to  
 drown in a sea of our own sobs  
 just because we feel we have not  
 been able to do what we wanted  
 to do last year, but shall start  
 the new year with the renewed  
 purpose of measuring up to the  
 standard of our own ambition.

Our difficulty has not been in  
 managing and editing the paper,  
 it has been in publishing it.  
 Editing and publishing are two  
 different things. We are now  
 of the opinion that the bigger  
 job is that of publishing. We  
 have had a year's experience in  
 this, beginning this week, and  
 we are hopeful our work may  
 be lighter and stand up better  
 this year than during the past  
 year.

We have been here longer than  
 any one thought we would stay  
 when we came, and we have  
 done better in a financial way  
 than we anticipated. Both of us  
 were 'fooled,' weren't we?

We are very deeply indebted  
 to our fine list of subscribers for  
 their loyalty to home interests as  
 they are centered in the local  
 paper. We couldn't ask for any  
 better reception than our paper  
 has received of our good people.  
 The credit for this good fortune  
 is due to the loyalty of our sub-  
 scribers and not to any effort of  
 our own.

No one was ever more loyal to  
 his home church than our people  
 have been to the Herald this year.  
 People must have an inherent loy-  
 alty to home enterprises such as  
 churches and newspapers. The  
 average person will stay with  
 his home town paper however  
 small or poorly edited it might  
 be. The way our readers have  
 stayed with us through all the  
 "roughs and tumbles" of this  
 year reminds us of the story of  
 Damon and Pithias. We wish  
 hereby and now to thank our  
 many patient readers for their  
 kindly endurance through the  
 year which has just passed.

We shall make no bold prom-  
 ises for the ensuing year only  
 that we shall do our best aided,  
 we trust, by a year's more ex-  
 perience than we started with  
 last year. We invite our read-  
 ers to visit us while in town.

**MISS UNDERSTANDINGS  
 BREED TROUBLE**

We can't keep from being as  
 game as a cock. Monday after-  
 noon we became in possession of  
 a little pamphlet which seemed  
 disposed to criticize Free Mason-  
 ery. We publicly deny the truth-  
 fulness of the statements and re-  
 commend that writers keep sil-  
 ent concerning things of which  
 they are necessarily ignorant. We  
 consider Ancient Free and Ac-  
 cepted Masonry second only to  
 Church of the East Born from  
 the dead. It is the cleanest or-  
 ganization in the history of man-  
 kind. Its history is co-extensive  
 with both the Jewish and Chris-  
 tian religions, and, excepting the  
 primitive church, the church of  
 the first century, it is probably  
 the purest in its motives and ob-  
 jectives of all other institutions  
 with which a like number of peo-  
 ple have been connected through  
 a like number of years. Those  
 of you who know nothing about  
 the order, keep quiet. Wise idea  
 by joe.

It seems to us that religion in  
 life would be very superior to  
 religion in theory. We are  
 getting sick and tired of a  
 religion which argues its theory  
 with hungry men and women.  
 "Pure religion and undefiled,  
 visits the fatherless and widows  
 in their afflictions."

The Rev. Hudson spent the  
 first few days of last week at  
 Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Claxton and  
 Mr. and Mrs. Burris visited Mr.  
 and Mrs. Fred Lankford Sunday.

The party at Ray Bowlin's Sat-  
 urday night was well attended  
 and all reported a good time.



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 forgetting that it is still you who are making us success-  
 ful here in Snyder.

We feel that we would not be grateful for your part in  
 our success unless we put on this sale, and to show our  
 appreciation we are making lower prices during this Semi-  
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 grand parents.

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 cause we want to make business



Want Ads

Want ads run in the Herald get the most attention. If you have anything to sell or want to buy something let the public know about it.

**PROSPECTIVE BUYERS WANTED.** We have several prospective buyers for improved farms. List yours for sale. We may sell it next week. Louder Realty Co.

**PROSPECTIVE BUYERS WANTED.** Permanent work all guaranteed. T. N. MIMS.

**SALE.** Singer Sewing Machine. Almost new. For sale. Bargain. See A. W. Adair.

**SALE OR TRADE.** Two good horses. T. A. Martin. East of China Grove.

**MOVING.** I have moved to the new house in the east part of town. Am still using my Maytag. Bring your washing to me for the cheapest and best service. S. Sligh.

**RECREATION FACILITIES.** All the buildings are being remodeled and beds are secured. Good dining accommodations. Plenty of food well cooked. L. Boone.

**SALE.** 190 acres of land. Cultivation. On black land. No waste land. 4 1-2 mi. of Hermleigh on highway. Lots of water. K. P.

W. U. PROGRAM

Serving Others Intelligently and Lovingly

Monday afternoon, Sept. 10, at three o'clock.

I gave my Life for thee. Mrs. W. H. Ward.

Mrs. Chas. Adams.

Hospitals - Mrs. Eimer.

Miss Verna Louder.

will pick a box consisting of sheets and pillow cases for Baptist Hospital at Abilene.

Members of the Central Baptist church are urged to send their sheets and pillow cases for this box.

LEAGUE PROGRAM

No. 10.

Hallie Rea.

Reading - II Cor. 6:4-10

Loan Fund - Henrietta

Denial Week - Vira Bar-

ful Givers - Mr. Nor-

Station.

**FARM FOR SALE.** Sandy land farm 2 1-2 miles from Hermleigh. 118 acres. H. R. Lewis, box 433.

**COW SALE.** 30 milk cows, good grade of jerseys. Also 17 grade heifers. Write box 1029, Abilene Texas, or call at my home 1620 Anson Ave. Will sell one or all to one man.

**FOR SALE.** Ford car with starter. In very good repair. Will sell or trade for stock. See JOE KUSS, route 1.

LOCAL MINISTER HOLDS SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL

Elder Bankhead has just recently closed a very interesting series of revival services at the Turner school house 10 miles west of Snyder. The interest in the meeting was good and the results for good permanent, it is understood.

The Rev. Saunders, Baptist minister of Snyder, had recently closed a fine meeting at this place and, according to Elder Bankhead, left the community in the very best kind of religious attitude, making it easy for his meeting.

The writer is a minister and knows how to appreciate religious work. A religious worker will always leave a community in better shape than he found it in. If he doesn't that is sufficient

evidence that he has other motive than those prompted by "Pure and undefiled religion." It sounds good to hear these kind of reports.

B. Y. P. U.

FORE WORD

The B. Y. P. U. will meet Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, at the Central Baptist Church. All young people are cordially invited to come and be with us.

We are planning to have many good times this fall and winter, with parties and etc. We also want to make it a great training service for Christ. Come and help us and let us help you.

PRORAM

Subject: Doctrinal Meeting- The Atonement.

Scripture Lesson - Cor. 1: 17-24. 2. Cor. 5: 17-21. - Mrs. Chas. Adams.

Leader - Virdell Gleatine.

1. The Central Truth Taught in the Scriptures - Agnes Early.

2. Christ Died in Our Place - Clarice Harkins.

3. What it Cost Christ to Save Us - Naida Gleatine.

4. What is Wrong - Marian Snowden.

5. False Teaching of the Atonement - Faye Adams.

6. Because He Loved Us So - Lillian Thompson.

Reading - Zera Davis.

Song "Loyalty to Christ."

Benediction.

Mrs. R. H. Dacus and Miss Maggie spent Sunday in the C. A. Dacus home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin, Lawton, Mattie, and Clyde Dacus and Earnest Mankins left for Coleman county Thursday.

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**GANNAWAY WON FIRST**

The progress of the Hermleigh Fair is like the possible progress of civilization—it has just begun. We had only one community represented by booth, but this one was so nice, indeed, that it lent grace to the whole fair. The ladies of the Gannaway community proved their ability to do anything which they might want to do. It is thought they will win a prize at the County Fair also.

Clyde Rea, who has been visiting in the eastern counties for the past two weeks returned Wednesday evening. The "official visit" was made in Whitewright. Clyde reports a very pleasant trip, and those who know the seriousness and anxiety of his 'heart throbs' join in mutual pleasure with.

Mrs. R. B. Tucker left for Honey Grove, Friday morning.

Mr. King Mason and Miss Lillian Cox were quietly married at the "Herald parsonage" late Saturday evening.

The pretty bride is the daughter of our own Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cox, and the fortunate groom is the son of our own Mr. B. D. Mason. Both persons are well known to all Hermleigh people.

J. W. and Mrs. Harkins are back home from Arkansas. They will be here at the least until spring.

Mr. Jake Wendel whose home is at Wilson, former prominent citizen of Hermleigh was killed last Saturday by a Santa Fe train at Ballenger. He was buried Tuesday at Slaton. Mr. Wendel is related to our own Mr. Nachlinger. Many from here attended the funeral.

Miss Lois Jones who has been attending a school of Pharmacy at Fort Worth this summer, will finish her course and return home this week.

The first bale of cotton was sold last week, and a premium of \$27.50 was raised and paid. Mr. J. P. Loper of near town was the 'lucky man.' The total amount of \$131.00 was received for the cotton.

Mr. Elmer Gardner is joined by all members of the live stock committee in expressing appreciation to those who contributed to the prize offering to the 4-H boys at the Fair Saturday.

J. R. and Mrs. Coker enjoyed a home-coming of all the children last Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Watzel is in a Sanitarium at Lubbock this week.

Ray Watts of Fort Worth is visiting G. W. Hamil this week.

**BIG SULPHUR**

Sunday School and Church were well attended Sunday. Rev. Todd filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Prayer meeting was well attended Friday night.

J. M. and Mrs. Allen and family visited in Rotan Sunday.

Bill and Mrs. Mahoney have returned from East Texas. They were accompanied by John Mahoney of Purdon, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Houston visited Jim and Mrs. Wright Sunday.

Jack and Mrs. Ryan spent Sunday night with Jack and Mrs. Mahoney.

J. E. and Mrs. Bowlin visited Ray and Mrs. Bowlin.

Miss Claytie Boothe was a dinner guest of Mrs. Earnest Henry Sunday.

C. A. and Mrs. Dacus visited R. H. and Mrs. Dacus Monday.

Quite a few from this community attended the speaking in Snyder Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scrum have returned from East Texas.

Mr. J. L. Vineyard and daughter Bertha were among those who attended singing at Lunn Sunday.

Mr. Charley Robertson spent Friday night with Jim Wright.

Clyde and Mrs. Ryan visited Jack and Mrs. Ryan Sunday. Miss Josie Mahoney spent Friday night with Miss Ruth Wright.

Mr. J. E. Blakey is the representative of the Texas Electric Service Company in Hermleigh.

For any information about electric light service call Mr. Blakey at Snyder, Texas. Phone No. 235 or at his home, Phone No. 312.

Mrs. W. H. Powers and Jack made a trip to Ranger and Lone Star this week. Mr. Powers is in Dallas on business this week.

Five bales of cotton ginned date. Williams and Terry Planters Co. one, and Full one.

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|-----------------------------|--------|
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| No. 2 Tomatoes,             | 10 cts |
| Pork and Beans,             | 10 cts |
| Mother China Oats,          | 35 cts |
| 5 lbs. Peanut Butter,       | 89 cts |
| Large can Gold Plume Coffee | \$1.39 |
| 3 Loaves Ware's bread,      | 25 cts |

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Leslie Hill, Terrel Bowlin, Vick & Etheredge.

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