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Hermleigh, Scurry County, Texas, Thursday, November 8, 1928.

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MR. AND MRS. RUFUS MIZE, OF GERMAN SCHOOL

SCHOOL TO OPEN MONDAY 19TH.

German school is scheduled to open Monday the 19th. Its opening was delayed on account of a crop was to be gathered and the children were busy with the cotton patch, owing to the scarcity of help this year.

Mr. Mize's tenth year class will be in this school. He says that when there was anything on the ground except a pretty place to school. Aided by the support of the good parents, succeeded last year in building a beautiful new two room building which is well equipped for a small rural school.

A very practical school especially is he well fitted for a rural school. In addition to an educator he is an agriculturist, a good farmer, a good man, a fine example for a rural body. Christine Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal, spent the summer in school at Normal in Canyon, as the assistant teacher. She will be Miss Neal's second year at the school.

50TH ANNIVERSARY

Today was the 50th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson. The golden anniversary occasion was celebrated by the serving of a big turkey dinner. The inclement weather prevented the home effect of the long plan- ning, but a great time was enjoyed. Those attending were:

Shaw, Mrs. Brawley, C. Patterson and children, Major Kimzey family.

4-H CLUB RE-ORGANIZES

The 4-H Club of Hermleigh met November the 7th. As this meeting was for the purpose of reorganizing, the following will hold office for the following year.

Miss Chlodelle McMillan, president; Miss Lillian Thompson, vice-president; Miss Marian Snowden, secretary; Miss Edith Stevenson, reporter; Miss Farris Stevenson, song and yell leader, and Mrs. Ray Patterson, local leader.

We are hoping the ensuing year will bring even more of a success than the past year, although the past year was a great success. Much information was gained and many prizes were won. — Reporter.

BUYS BUSINESS BACK

Mr. H. G. Towle, for nearly thirty years a prominent Jeweler in Snyder and who sold his jewelry business last spring, has bought the business back and is again at his old stand where he has been rendering the people of Scurry County a service for all these years. Scurry County people would not know how to spend Christmas with out Mr. Towle to buy their Christmas jewelry from. Mr. Towle is one of the best known men in the country.

Ben Stevenson, as happy as a girl could be, was in the office here late yesterday after receiving her pennant and check for \$8.00 which she won at the State Fair this year. Ben is a second year 4-H girl.

"Peter, Peter, pumpkin eater, had wife and couldn't keep her. He put her in a pumpkin shell, and there he kept her very well — by sitting on top of the pumpkin!"

KASCH COTTON CLUB ACTIVITIES

The Kasch Cotton Club had an interesting meeting here last Friday night. Owing to sickness, bad weather, the show and other things, the crowd was comparatively small, but interesting topics were discussed.

The Club's aim is to standardize on Kasch cotton. The Kasch cotton being one of the three leading varieties of cotton in the state, and probably the best adapted to our climate and soil of either of the other two varieties, has been chosen by the club as the standard cotton for the country provided, of course, they can interest enough people to plant the one variety.

The present plan is to interest as many farmers as possible to place orders for block seed and make that the bases of club planting, letting those who prefer plant seed from Kasch cotton grown and ginned here this year. This plan will likely carry well and the community be planted to one variety of cotton—Kasch.

It was brought out in the meeting that any one variety of cotton planted in any given community, will raise the market price to near one cent on the lb., or, rather the planting of every variety lowers the market from one cent to a cent and one-half. It is estimated that by planting block cotton seed that the bale of cotton will sell for \$5.00 more money and the seed will sell for \$27.00 more money. This may sound like pencil work, but even if it is, it is a challenging suggestion. Other farmers are doing this and why not ours?

Should this carry according to the plans of the club, we shall be the first farmers in the county or in near by counties to do this.

This plan on the part of the cotton club has the warm support of the Hermleigh Chamber of Commerce.

Those attending the meeting were: Oscar Barfoot, Jeff Hodnet, Will Kubena, J. W. Bowlin, J. E. Bowlin, E. C. Brackeen, Roy Coston, Roy Smith, B. F. Caswell, D. R. Layman, Rufus Mize, Walter Moore, W. O. Logan, County Agent, F. D. Mueller and E. T. Stevenson.

J. I. Chorn, while engaged in a sweet conversation Monday received the bitter part of it at the 'miserable end' of a wasp.

J. I. CHORN HAS GOLD DOLLAR MADE 1851

When they were married in of 1851, J. D. Chorn, J. I. Chorn's father, gave his newly made bride five one dollar gold pieces which were made that year. Mrs. Chorn kept these pieces of money all through the Civil War, and when her boys were twenty one years of age she gave each of them one of these long kept gold dollars. Our own J. I. Chorn still has his dollar. He plans, when the dollar has finally out lived him, to give it to his youngest son with suggestions concerning how he wishes it to be kept.

This is rather an interesting series of instances and is being passed on for the interest it might be to others.

'TOTS' CHAPEL PROGRAM

The "Wee Tots," under the supervision of Miss Pearl Martin, gave the chapel program at school Wednesday. Our Supt. credited them with having rendered the best chapel program since the opening of school.

We were glad to have so many visitors at the chapel service, and invite them back again. We appreciate very much the help of Mrs. Patterson and Miss Coston in connection with our chapel programs. — Reporter.

Receiving message that their daughter-in-law was very low, Father and Mother Coston left Wednesday for Temple where they will pay her a bed-side visit.

The Halloween party planned by the Missionary Ladies of the Central Baptist Church was deferred until a later date, on account of inclement weather. A big time was lost to a goodly number who had gladly received invitations to attend.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

The adjourned Fourth Quarterly Conference of the Hermleigh circuit will convene November 17, at the Methodist Church in Hermleigh.

Bro. Lipscomb will preach Saturday at 11: a. m. Dinner on the ground. The final business session at 2: p. m.

M. H. Huison.

A "HE" DEMOCRAT NOW FOR HOOVER

(Editorial)

The warmest political campaign of many years came to a close in the event of the election Tuesday. The most vital issues in the history of the politics of our country, were involved in this campaign. Each man stood staunchly at his post. The issues were such that the principles of old-time Democracy, so much cherished by all Southerners, became a secondary matter with most of the Democratic people of the South.

We were seriously concerned in this matter and, although we cast our vote with much reluctance, as did many others, we were true to our principles, and fought hard, though pleasantly, to the end. But now that we are "gloriously" defeated, we are of that type of Democrat that will fall into line with the majority with out a single "grunt" or 'grumble'.

"Tis done!
The Great transactions done!
"Herb is Al's Victor,
And Al's course is run."
"Not to the strong is the battle,
Not to the swift is the race,
But to the true and the faithful,
Victory is promised through grace."

Since we have lost we shall fall in line as a "he" Democrat for Hoover.

The Rev. Leslie, First Baptist Church pastor, was in to pay the Herald a visit Monday. Every body is always glad to have the ministers come around.

Mr. S. P. Miller of Lubbock spent Saturday night here, guest of Dr. and Mrs. Ward.

Who is going to be the first to suggest a Thanksgiving service for Hermleigh people? Last year passed without such a service.

Hugh Clift spent the week at home. An epidemic of scarlet fever caused his school to close for a few days.

Oscar and Mrs. Hooper, accompanied by Mrs. C. H. Grace, Mrs. Hugh Mason and son, Harrauld, and Mrs. W. D. Hooper were in Sweetwater Monday.

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track the turkey trail to a number of turkey roosts where thefts were made. Snyder bought \$18,000 worth of turkeys in one day, and Hermleigh furnished the turkeys, according to Watts,

tioned families. Mr. Barfoot wears long white mustache reminding those who see him of the philosophers and sears of the days gone by.

and McMillan in a warm domino game. Perhaps more meetings of this nature would be good for our people. "Living together well," is a fine art, indeed.

THE SCORPION FOLK

Alvin Light of the Pep Gargage was in Roscoe last Thursday on business.

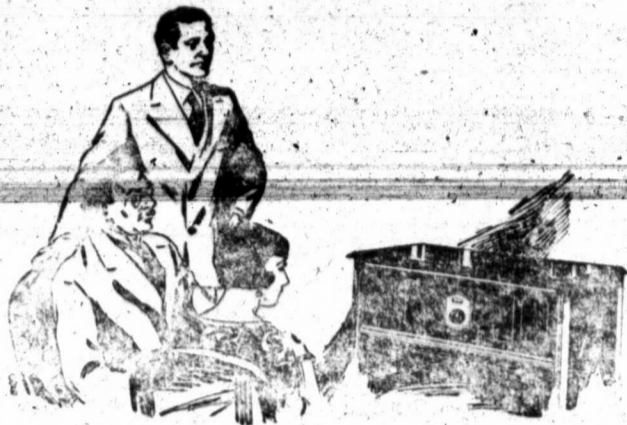
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Grace and little Miss Mary Jane were in Snyder shopping, last Thursday.

The day he was twenty one years old, our own J. R. Coker was married. He says it would be impossible for him ever to forget that remarkable incident when the cupid, before he knew what the curious sensations of cupid were, was so gracefully exciting him; but perhaps, next to that birthday incident, he will remember this fiftieth-ninth one. Tuesday was his birthday.

The young Dr. Ward who visited here last summer, Mr. J. S. Farr, B. Y. Rea and Mrs. Norman also had birthdays Tuesday. From Sept. 19, to November the 10th., according to the signs of the Zodiac, Mars is the controlling planet. The baby President 'born' the 6th., will 'not recognize obstacles, will not heed disappointments, and his relentless march of ambition will know no stopping place this side of success.'

Mrs. Will Caffey is among the best of our good Hermleigh women. She remembered the Herald with a gift of a nice bundle of rags, something badly needed in every print shop. Thanks, Mrs Caffey.

The Rev. Parks of Roscoe was in his pulpit at the Central Baptist Church here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Rev. Parks is an absolutely solid man good scholar, and a good preacher. His sermon at the eleven hour Sunday, on the subject of "Missions" attracted quite a bit of attention.



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NACHLINGER VARIETY

"good cotton seed" Friday night, Joe Nachlinger placed his cotton seed on Hermleigh market. Joe ably guarantee his seed bas that his cotton has done. If cotton seed can be what the weed can en has the variety of cot this country, he said in ous way characteris. The following is a of the Nachlinger va of cotton as attested this it, it will not go down. inger planted Kasch cot the club members say.

Dr.

W. H. Ward.

Physician and Surgeon.

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Hermleigh Texas

year.

It will come up in dry soil and grow off well. If there comes too much rain and the lice eat it up, it finally survives and grow on. If a raging army of boll worms invades the field it will not retreat, but will out general them and produce a crop of cotton. If at last the blast of Jack Frost fires its machine

A HERMLEIGH FAMILY

Mr. A. A. McMillan was in town Saturday. It is not an infrequent thing for him to come to town, but however often he is on the streets we are always glad to see him. He is not only one of Hermleigh's best citizens, but he is also one of the county's best men. He and Mrs. McMillan have succeeded in rearing one of the largest and best families in all West Texas. This fine family of thrifty, moral and stalwart young men of his are a real asset to American life. Few parents have made a greater contribution to society than these.

The McMillans have one of the best improved farms in all the country, and are among our best farmers.

The large McMillan home is builded after the modern apartment style. It is perhaps as well or better designed to meet the convenience of a large family as any farm home in the country.

Mr. McMillan is unassuming and yet is sufficiently commanding in his appearance. He takes a pleasant yet positive stand in connection with the ongoing of everyting about him. Good citizenship is every community's gretest asset.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sturdivant are the happy parents of a pretty 8 pound baby girl, born last Thursday the 1st.

Mr. A. A. McMillan left for Tahoka Monday where he will attend an important Masonic meeting.

Arlie McMillan returned last Friday from a vacation visit of near three weeks.

A. A. and Mrs. Bullock of Snyder visited in the Appleton home here Sunday.

The Rev. Hudson filled his regular first Sunday appointment at Inadale Sunday.

Jess Louder and the children came in early Sunday morning to spend the day with kins-people here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Vernon and children spent Sunday in Big Springs guests, it is supposed, of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sturdivant.

Mrs. Forrester visited with her daughter, Mrs. Fort Kelly, here last week-end.

J. H. and Mrs. Lynde spent last week-end in Hamlin.

Our good friend J. T. Vaughn left Sunday for the Plains. He will locate there.

J. J. Lee has been tuning his "attitude" up so as to be ready to play on the "fiddle" of either victory or defeat after the passion play of the Presidential campaign has passed away.

Mrs. J. J. Henry returned Friday from Midland where she spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Hall. Mrs. Hall has been sick of the flu.

F. D. and Mrs. Miller spent the week-end in Loraine.

T. W. (Jack) Helbert, former resident and meat market owner of Hermleigh, was this year elected as Sheriff in Colorado County. Mr. Helbert still owns property here. His friends will rejoice to hear of his recent victory at Columbus.

There is one good thing about each year as old 1928 the hope that the passing of twelve more months will bring a better year.

There is one good thing about bankruptcy—the fact that one didn't break soofer.

The darkest part of the night is just before day, it has always been said.

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B. Y. P. U.

Last Words of Jesus With His Disciples.

Song-What a Friend We Have in Jesus.

Song- God Will Take Care of You.

Bible Quiz Leader-Mr. Newman.

Leader-Clarice Harkins.

Recitation of John; 14-- Mrs. Jim Kelly.

Song - Just When I Need Him Most.

Resitation of John; 15--Agnes Early.

Song- His Promise To Me.

Recitation of John; 16--Naida Gleastine.

Song-- The Comforter Has Come

Recitation of John; 17--Gay Nell McMullan.

Song--Does Jesus Care? John; 19, To Be Told-- Thurman Leech.

Those who are interested in the pure block seed order which is now being made up, will please place their order with Mr. Lewis at the First State Bank here.

Mrs. H. C. Murphy has been sick at the home of her son, Mr. Hoyte, for the past few weeks.

Mother Murphy is becoming slightly feeble these latter days it is understood.

The kindergarten school, under the management of Mrs. Chas Adams, is progressing nicely.

CHINA GROVE

Sunday School and Church were well attended here Sunday. The singing in the afternoon and the B. Y. P. U. in the evening were also well attended.

The Halloween party at the Leonard Allen home Wednesday night was well attended and enjoyed all present.

Mr. Earl Brown and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Murket.

Mrs. Hairston spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Obie Beene.

Orvil and Mrs. James of Lorraine spent Sunday in the T. C. James home here.

Rev. Harden was a pleasant caller at the Hairston home Sunday.

Mr. Walter Wood and family spent Sunday in the Louis Seale home.

Chas and Mrs. Seale of Colorado spent Sunday afternoon with J. A. and Mrs. Seale here.

Mr. Clarence Cates spent Friday in Louis Seale home.

Frank and Mrs. Sturdivant spent Sunday afternoon in the A. M. Murket home.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott spent Sunday in the Anton White home.

Edna Wilson paid Lulamae Seale a business call Monday.

We are sorry to report the death of our friend and neighbor Mrs. McGee who died Friday.

Mrs. Obey Beene has sick for some time is better at this time.

Mrs. J. A. Seale who has been sick for some time is improving.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

B. Y. P. U.

Subject: "Loves Measurement." Scripture Reading; Eph. 3: 14-19 by Mr. Morgan.

1. "Love the Chief Supper of the Christian Faith--Mrs. Morgan.

2. "The Breadth of Love"--Bethel Carley.

3. "The Length of Love"--Bill Etheredge.

4. "The Depths of Gods Love"--Mary Blackburn.

5. "The Height of God's Love"--Jessie McCray.

Special Song.

Solo --Irene Crumly.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Elder W. H. Harper will preach at the Church here Sunday at 11 and at 3.00 p. m. Every one invited to attend.

Messrs J. H. Lynde, Ker, R. B. Tuckes, and J. were among those renewing subscriptions this week.

The vote in Hermleigh Sunday was nearly three to favor of Hoover. Hoover to be the next President.

Miss Pearl Vernon spent week-end in Big Springs of her sister, Mrs. Ray S.

NOTICE!

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LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject. "Friendships or Warships."

Leader. Miss Ollie Coston.

Song.

Scripture Reading, Isaiah 49: 1-6 John 15: 13, 17

Song.

Prayer.

1. Leader's Address. "Friendships or Warships."

2. "Warships Destroys Wealth" Farris Stevenson.

3. "Warships Destroy Life." Verda Coston.

4. "Warships Destroys Love..." Vira Barfoot.

5. "Co-operation Through Friendship." R. S. Norman.

6. "Friendship Develops Love." Mr. John H. Lynde.

7. "Friendship Produces Peace." Brent's Norman.

League Benediction.

Miss Ruth Clift whose school near Plainview has been dismissed for a few weeks on account of cotton harvest, is home for a two weeks visit, arriving Monday.

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