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CHINA GROVE HAD BIG SINGING SUNDAY

The regular fourth Sunday local singing convention met at the China Grove Church last Sunday. A large and enthusiastic crowd attended, at the invitation made public last week by W. A. White, president of the class. This was perhaps one of the nicest singing meets held with any of the community classes in recent months.

Little Walter Grubbs, 8, of Colorado, sang bass in a trio with his mother and 10 year old sister. Walter is perhaps the youngest bass singer in the state.

NEW GARAGE TO OPEN

Mr. A. L. Cobb has leased the Hugh Mason garage and will open it to the automobile driving public here Saturday. Mr. Cobb is a popular young business man and is planning considerable improvement of the Mason building before opening Saturday, he says.

EAPTEST W. M. U.

The W. M. U. met Monday March the 25th., with Mrs. E. J. Ely, in a social with six members and one visitor present. Mrs. Ward led in the devotional after which a short business session was held. The regular Missionary lesson in Royal Service was given.

The social hour was spent in contests and an Easter egg hunt. The egg were hid by Charlotte and Max Mobley and Francis Patterson.

Delicious refreshments were served.

The W. M. U. will meet next Monday at 3 o'clock p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. A. Louder.

GOT GOOD, SLOW RAIN

At last Hermleigh has had rain. Seven dry months have past but the rain has come at last. A fine moisture is being put into the ground. Not more than one inch of rain has fallen, but it has come in such a fine way that the benefits are great.

SCHOOL WINS IN LITERARY EVENTS

The fact that Miss Clarice Harkins and Jim Pott Norman are to represent Scurry County in extemporaneous speaking and in junior declamation at the District Meet this year, is a thing over which Hermleigh people should be rejoicing.

As it is understood, our school won more in literary events this year than in any previous year at the County Meet. This is to the credit of Miss Callis, of the English Department, and to Miss Coston of the Expression class.

The debate in which Misses Agnes Early and Chlodelle McMillan, and Messrs Dorris McMillan and Terrell Bowlin represented our school, lost at the Track Meet only by a technicality. The work they did was very highly recognized. We place more value on literary attainment than on anything in connection with our school work, and therefore should be much elated over the work now being done by this department in the school.

It is a thing of interest to know that the work done in the literary department of the school this year is by our own home girls. Miss Callis, English is the daughter of former Mayor Callis, and Miss Coston, Expression, is the daughter of our own Roy Coston. These fine young ladies are to be commended for the work they are doing in our school.

"QUARTET SINGING-MEET"

W. A. White, president of the China Grove singing class, at the song-meet last Sunday said that it was becoming popular all over the country for singing classes to organize and meet in groups of four communities, each entertaining the class once each month. This kind of a forward movement is well in keeping with the general ongoing of things today, and we are suggesting that Mr. White and his class take the initiative in organizing a 'Quartete-Singing-Meet.' This would suit the Hermleigh class well, we are sure.

INADALE WOMEN HAVE CAR WRECK

Mmes Suddath and Cleckler and their little daughters of Inadale were shopping in Hermleigh Tuesday when the rain came up. They anticipated no danger and started for home on the slippery road. They had driven about five miles out when the car slipped off the road and turned turtle with them. No injury was done to any of the occupants of the car except slight cuts on the face of one of the children. The car was slightly injured.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Sunday, March 24, was a day of much rejoicing at the W. W. Early home on College Street when all the children and grandchildren together with a number of friends gathered in to celebrate the 35 anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Early.

This also being Mr. and Mrs. John Sheehan's 13 anniversary, the two families celebrated jointly the momentous occasion with a big turkey dinner with all the trimmings that go to make up a real feast, ice cream and cake topping off the meal.

Those present to enjoy this great day were: Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rodgers of Snyder, T. C. and Mrs. Hopper and two daughters, Ena Marie and Lenora, J. B. and Mrs. Early and two sons J. B. Jr., and J. W. all of Snyder. Miss Faye Moore, W. W. Early Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Sheehan and sons, John Jr., Dick and Jim B., Mrs. Jim Kelly, Misses Agnes, Ila, Vera, and W. W. and Mrs. Earley.

All of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Earley's children and grandchildren were present to enjoy this great day with their parents except one daughter, Mrs. A. Noles of San Marcos, Texas.

The entire day was spent in talking, feasting, music and all kinds of amusement.—Reporter

No wonder the U. S. doesn't want England to land a "booze" ship here—it would interfere with home trade.

FAIR COMMITTEE TO MEET SATURDAY

A mass meeting of the citizens of Scurry County met in a called meeting at Snyder, Texas in the County Court Room on the evening of March 21st. The meeting was called to order by J. A. Merritt and the purpose of the meeting was stated as being the election of officers and directors for the Scurry County Fair Association, said officers and directors to act as the executive committee.

The following officers were elected: O. P. Thrane, Pres. J. J. Koonsman, First Vice Pres., Harry Winston, Second Vice Pres., Harvey Shuler, Sec.-Treas. J. A. Merritt, Joe Caton and Hugh Taylor were appointed as the directors.

Motion made and carried that September 26, 27 and 28 be the days set for the Fair.

Motion made and carried that the Carnivals be eliminated from the County Fair this year. A number of ways were suggested in which to entertain the people, some being community plays, community contests, home talent rodeo, baseball and polo games.

Another mass meeting was called for Saturday March 30th., 3 o'clock p. m. in the County Court Room, at which time every citizen of Scurry county is urged to be present.

WINS THREE METALS

Leola (Peewee) Caffey is wearing three medals awarded at the School Meet last Saturday evening. She was first in basket ball throw, in base ball, and relay. Miss Leola is one of our finest young girls.

FIFTH SUNDAY SINGING AT PLEASANT HILL

The regular Fifth Sunday Singing Convention will meet with the Pleasant Hill class Sunday. It is a regular convention and the Pleasant Hill folks will be glad to have all attend, we are sure.

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"Dady" Boone said that we
 were a "third party," just be-
 cause we walked down the mid-
 dle of the road. Yes, we are a
 third, fourth, or fifth, are some-
 where along there, we are never
 first.

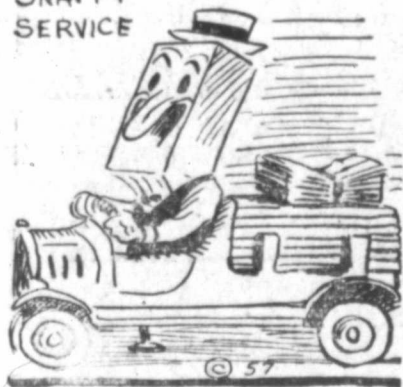
Messrs. Frank Watzel and
 Victor Longbotham paid sub-
 scriptions to the Herald last
 week. Thanks

Mr. W. N. Vick has recently
 grubbed some new land and is
 preparing it for a crop this year.

Bill Der Says

If service were electricity
 This would be a
 Power House.

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**CHICKEN THIEVES
 CONTINUE TO RAGE**

Either sought opportunity, cir-
 cumstances, or a natural dispo-
 sition to do wrong is coming to
 possess our people. All kind of
 things are reported as happen-
 ing right arround us. Last week
 Mrs. J. I. Chorn lost near forty
 nice young hens from her hen
 roost right here in town.

If the church can't get over
 its program of common honesty,
 some expert scientist will have to
 produce a lock which these guys
 can't break. If 'science' can't
 prouduce a lock which the thief
 cant break, how can they expect
 the 'religionist' to cure men of
 such bad habits?

GERMAN SCHOOL NOTES

A few items from the German
 school community, if agreeable
 with the editor.

Spring is here in all earnest-
 ness. The fruit trees are bloom-
 ing, and pasture lands are begin-
 ning to get green.

We had a nice little rain here
 recently which fell on newly
 prepared farm lands. Most every
 one here is through plowing.

John Ritz' and family, Will
 Kubena and daughter, and An-
 nie Kubena left via auto route
 for Shiner, Texas on the 19th to
 attend the funeral of Mr. Ritz's
 mother.

Hy Wimmer and family left
 on the 19th. for Corpus Christi
 to visit relatives. Hy Coldwell
 is at Tahoka doing some improve-
 ment on his farm there.

Messrs Joe Nachlinger, Joe
 Roemisch, Sr., Ghas. J. Lewis
 went to Austin on business, 21st

Catholic Church services last
 Friday were well attended by
 the congregation.

Many folks from here attend-
 ed the School Meet at Snyder
 Friday and Saturday.

I wish more people would re-
 port to this paper and make it
 bigger.—"Observer."

Thanks, Observer. We gladly
 welcome you from your com-
 munity. Our subscription list
 shows that nearly 100 per cent
 of the German School folks are
 our readers. Thanx.—Editor.

Rov Coston was in the office
 here Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. A. Starnes, Culver,
 and Bernice of Slaton are visiting
 the Fargason home here.

Joe Senkirik left Monday for
 the Sanitarium at Glenrose.

Billie Kimzey and Mike Rogers
 both "just had barrels of com-
 pany" Sunday.

Banker Patterson of Fluvanna
 was in town here Sunday.

Victor, the children, and Mrs.
 Longbotham were in town here
 Sunday, guests of the latter's
 parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve
 Kemp.

Esda Stevenson brought us an
 egg measuring 6 1-4 x 8 1-2 inch-
 es Monday morning.

T. W. Ballard is visiting his
 daughter, Mrs. R. H. Dacus here
 this week.

Deerwood Watson, he said,
 has been serving a 'sentence' to
 the farm field for the past few
 weeks.

Mr. J. E. Blakey is the re-
 presentative of the Texas
 Electric Service Company
 in Hermleigh.

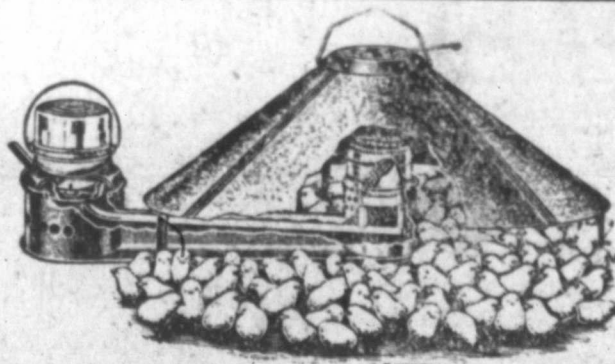
For any information about
 electric light service call
 Mr. Blakey at Snyder, Tex-
 as. Phone No. 235 or at his
 home, Phone No. 312.

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 off. Hatching \$3.00 tray. Chicks delivered
 in to you in Hermleigh.

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Sweetwater Hatherly

with the family a fine dinner, prepared by the twin sisters, Edith and Edna 12 4 H. J. L.

run over by a car. She is doing nicely at present.

your paper of last week. I would like to make this correction. I am sure Mr. Snowden thought

(By Modern Constructor.)

HERMLEIGH HERALD



Eyes Scientifically Tested and Glasses Fitted

Are you sending your Whole child to school? They may have some Eye Defect that causes them to lag in their studies.

H. G. Towle
Snyder, Texas

Walter Moore was a visitor in the office here Tuesday.

Mrs. C. S. Suddath was shopping in town here Tuesday. She paid the office a visit. Glad to see you, Mrs. Suddat.

Mr. H. Stahl of Inadale was in town here last week and renewed his subscription to the Herald. As we know Mr. Stahl, we feel complimented by his renewing his subscription to our little paper.

CHINA GROVE

After a long absence China Grove is back with the Herald readers again.

Sunday School was well attended Sunday. The singing in the afternoon was unusually well attended, people from various communities attending. We cordially invite each and every one to come and be with us on each fourth Sunday.

The party at Mr Delmer Cates Saturday night was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Mr., Mrs. Bennett Dobbs of Colorado spent Sunday afternoon with George and Grandma Seale

Mr., Mrs. Bill Newby spent Sunday with Mr., Mrs. Clarence Newby here.

Mr. Frank Stevenson and wife of Snyder visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Charley Seale and wife spent Sunday afternoon with the former's parents here.

Our school was well represented at the Track Meet Saturday. Some real interesting things were seen.

Mr. Clarence Cates was caller at the Louis Seale home Sunday.

Mr., Mrs. Duck were visited by Plainview relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Richards of Lubbock is visiting with her grandparents here this week.

Miss Rhinehart of near Ira visited Mrs. ada Webb Sunday.

Mr. Clarence Newby and wife were callers at the home of the former's parents here Saturday.

—Lulamae Seale.

Glad to have you back with us again, Miss Lulamae.—Editor.

J. S. Tucker was in town Friday.

R. L. Garton says that he actually has some remarkably big eggs, and if there are those who do not beive it, let them go out to his place and see for themselves.

Messrs White from east of town were seen on the streets here Saturday

J. W. PATTERSON

VISITS HLRALD OFFICE

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patterson were in town Saturday. Mr. Patterson visited with us in the office here. He has 75 acres of wheat which is doing nicely, he says.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson are among the first settlers of this country. In an early day they bought a large acreage of land and paid for it at the rate of about \$200.00 per year. After the passing of the many long windy years of the earlier days here their property was all paid for. Then the country began to change the plans of its operation and now they are taxed to the extent of their former payments on their large acreage here. As Mr. Patterson sees it, his home will never be paid for--the first installments are all paid and now the second insallments begin.

LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject.—Life Known In His Resurrrection, Attained In Our Resurrection.

Leader, Ollie Coston.

Song.

Scripture Reading. Phil. 3:10-14
Prayer.

1. Life. Farris Stevenson.
2. Changing Centers. Verda Coston.
3. Dead, But Not a Dead One
Mr. F. A. Werner.
4. Life After death. Vira Barfoot.

League Benediction.

Tom Sanders went down the street Tuesday morning with a "Kaduey" of some kind in his truck. No telling about Tom!

G. W. Hamil, A. Stahl and T. W. Atchley were among those renewing their subscription to the Herald last week. Thanks.

I. F. Sturgeon is one of the new clerks at the First State Bank here.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

10 lbs. Idaho spuds	25c
4 lb. package raisins	29c
6 boxes matches, red head,	21c
3 loaves bread, Wares or Butter Top,	24c
Gal. East Texas blackberries	63c
T. P. Gas, Saturday.	17c

Highest Cash Price paid for both Chickens and Eggs.

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Come In and Be Convinced.

W. W. Early

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EFFICIENCY

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First State Bank

Hermleigh,

Texas

Locals

Banker Lewis returned late last week from a business trip to Austin. Messrs Nachlinger and Roemisch, a part of the group, remained for a visit in South Texas.

FOR interior decoration use DUCO.—Fargason Bros.

The little child of Joe and Mrs Peterson was carried to a sanitarium late yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Barbour of Maryneal spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward.

Mesdames and Messrs Walter Warniken, Farmer and Mrs. Stevens all were dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Light Sunday.

Mrs. George B. Wood left Sunday for McCamey where she will join her husband.

Mrs. T. A. McGee of Loraine, is visiting her daughter Mrs. D. F. Mueller here this week.

J. J. Henry is visiting in Hermleigh this week.

Mr. Jeff Isan and son, Fred, of the Loraine Merc. Co., visited in the J. E. Fargason home here Sunday.

Clent Hopper had the serious accident of losing an eye this week. He is at the Lubbock Sanitarium.

Hugh Cliff is home for a few days visit, because of sickness in his school community.

The Vineyard boys were in for a visit with us this week. These are good sports—just like their dad.

G. W. Hamil can actually tell when it is going to rain!

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Hermleigh City Election

Tuesday, April 2, 1929

For Alderman.

(Two to be elected)

Joe Roemisch, --re-election.

J. F. Drennan.

For Marsh

T. N. Mims

C. R. Vernon

R. B. Etheredge

For Secretary.

W. C. Fargason.

For Treasurer.

C. H. Lewis

For Recorder

J. R. Coker

HUGE PLANE TO VISIT SNYDER NEW PORT

Snyder, 27th. The largest airplane in the world will light in the Yoder field here Monday morning. Some air stunts will be staged all of which will be of great interest to Scuary County people.

Snyder is broadcasting an invitation to all of West Texas to be present and see the 'world's' biggest airplane light in the new field here, and enjoy a ride in the safest vehicle of transportation known today.

INADALE NEWS

Miss Lavera Hawkins spent Saturday night with Miss Elizabeth Ammons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ammons spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner from Rosco were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Narrell.

George, Mrs Neithercut and Miss Lucile Buckner have returned after a weeks visit in McGregory.

Stella Light, children, Grandmother Ammons, and Aunt Mary Ward all were dinner guests of Mrs. John Ammons Sunday.

Sid, Mrs. Cranfil were dinner guests of Mrs. T. Jeans Sunday.

Messrs, Mmes Suddath, Griffith visited in the Stahl home Sunday

Mr., Mrs Cleckler were Colorado shoppers Saturday.

L. L. Daniel, wife and mother are visiting in Lubbock.

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IMPLEMENTS

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