

TEXAS TOWNS.

DENTON.

Denton, Texas, May 15.—Last Sunday will be remembered as a day of varieties of features, the morning was calm with high rapidly floating clouds. At eleven o'clock the scheduled hour for the baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of Fred Douglas school, the clouds had gotten much lower and the thunder rolled and the lightning flashed, but a large crowd braved the threatening storm and found their way to St. James A. M. E. church, where the teachers and student-body had assembled. Rev. W. P. Crockett, the pastor, delivered a most excellent sermon, doing honor for the occasion and meriting much credit for himself.

At 3 p. m., the scheduled hour for the Odd Fellow's Thanksgiving service, the storm was understood, and the four hour made one think of the flood. The officiating officer announced the postponing of the meeting until May 25th at which time Rev. W. P. Crockett will deliver the Thanksgiving sermon. At six p. m., the sky was clear and the sun shone brightly and a number of members of the church met and had an excellent meeting, after discussing the topics the pastor addressed the league. Mrs. E. D. Moten reported five dollars which she raised in an effort for the society.

Rev. A. J. Ayers and his representatives who attended the Baptist board meeting in Gainesville, last week returned last Monday and reported having had a very successful meeting. Raising above one hundred dollars. Rev. G. L. Jackson, P. E., of the C. M. E. church, Fort Worth District, stopped over a few hours in the city last Saturday with Rev. W. J. Henderson, en route to his appointment at Lloyd. Mr. John Walker of Fort Worth, visited his parents last Sunday and returned Monday. Miss Myrtle Sowell of Fort Worth, was a pleasant caller at the home of Mrs. Minnie Taylor's last Saturday spending Sunday and returning Monday. Prof. J. M. Powells of Revanna has closed his school there and is in the city closing up business, left unfinished because of the illness of his wife, who died shortly after leaving the city. Mr. B. W. Crawford was called to Pilot Point last week to direct the funeral of Mr. Richard Riddle. Mr. Sam Williams of Paris, was shipped here last Saturday for burial, the body lay in the Crawford undertaking parlor over night and was accompanied by a number of relatives and friends to the Lloyd cemetery for burial on Sunday.

SMITHVILLE.

Smithville, Texas, May 15. Mr. Felix Williams, who was seriously ill several days died Tuesday, May 6th at his home. He was a faithful member of the M. E. church and also of the U. B. of F. Lodge. He was well thought of in this city both as a Christian and as a citizen. Funeral services were held at Harts Chapel M. E. church, Elder J. H. Dudley officiated. The family through this method thanks the many friends for their floral offerings and their kindness shown during his illness and death.

Mrs. C. H. Hudson of La Grange; N. G. Williams and H. Webb of Houston, and Chas. Trisdale of Graninger were here last week to attend the funeral of Mr. Felix Williams.

Miss Jessie Vernell of Phelan, was in the city last Saturday, to call on Mrs. Dr. C. Owens.

Sunday was Mother's Day with Mrs. Katy Duval, who was surprised by the visit of her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Duval of Houston.

Departures: Mrs. Julia Mathias to Waco; Mrs. J. H. Dudley, Giddings; Mr. M. J. Stephenson to Brookshire. Let all of the readers of The Express have your money ready when the paper is delivered.

Misses A. T. Roberts and A. D. Smith of Samuel Huston College, Austin, Texas, were the guests of Mrs. Mary White, last Saturday and Sunday. Messrs. Wallace Griffin and MacWilliams were pleasant callers to the home of Mrs. White to visit the Assinities.

Elders Hutchison and Collins were here last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hutchison and Collins were very good.

HILLSBORO.

Hillsboro, Texas, May 15.—On Sunday, May 4th, the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mass was the scene of a most beautiful and sacred wedding occasion. The contracting parties were Prof. Harvey Scott, Distinguished of Corsicana, and Miss Enora, Denton of this city. Rev. W. C. Bell, officiated. Rev. B. H. Campbell, pastor of St. Paul Baptist church, Alvarado, Texas, reports his charge in splendid condition. He says there will be special services for the Sunday school children next Sunday, and that the church will celebrate their pastor's first anniversary the first Sunday in June. Mr. John Henry Jones, who is at work in Ft. Worth, spent Sunday with his family. Mr. Johnson, brother of Mr. Andrew Johnson, was in the city Sunday. The A. M. E. district conference of the Waco district is in session here this week. Splendid union services were held at the A. M. E. church last Sunday afternoon in spite of the rain and mud. Rev. W. O. Bell, pastor of Mt. Moriah Baptist church gave an inspiring talk on "Race Building," and Rev. T. T. Addison, pastor of Little Zion Baptist church, preached a great sermon on Christian Education. The spirit of union, brought about by the Ministers' Alliance is very pronounced, and much good promises to ensue for all the people.

MILFORD.

Milford, Texas, May 15.—Social: Misses Lurline Beatty and Mathew Sims of Dallas, were in the city. Miss Etta Mae Sims went to Dallas. Mrs. Will Handson of Irene, was the guest of Mrs. Minnie Cooper. Mrs. Mary McDaniel has returned from Dallas. Mr. Henry Beatty of Fort Worth is in the city visiting Mother and friends. Mr. Dock Butler went to Chubburn, en route to Oklahoma City. Owing to inclement weather the Odd Fellow's program was postponed until Sunday. Messrs. L. Daniel and Chas. White

are home again after a two weeks' absence.

Educational and Religious.—Mt. Moriah Baptist church—Sunday morning Sunday school very lively and interesting. Subject was "Sin and its Consequences." At 11 o'clock the pastor Rev. Burton delivered a touching sermon, subject "Mother," and every one was made to feel the love need and loss of a mother. Sunday night teachers, students and patrons assembled at St. James A. M. E. church, where the annual sermon of Kelly Miller high school was delivered by Rev. Harris, subject "The Storm of Life." Music for the occasion was rendered by students of K. M. H. S. The collection was taken by students, Marshall Butler, Daniel Davenport and Wayman Hart. Total collection \$6.06. We appreciate the big hearted spirit shown toward the school by Mrs. Gene Terrell, who gave \$1.25.

GREENVILLE.

Greenville, Texas, May 15.—Rainy weather hindered church work. No little Sunday while the morning services were good, the afternoon and evening did not amount to much. In the mean time there were no closed church doors. Mrs. Rev. C. Clark of Rowlett, Texas, passed through the city last Saturday en route to Point, Texas, to conduct a quarterly conference for Dr. A. G. Winn, P. E. Mrs. Texanna Robinson of Dixon was here Saturday looking for the Express. The District Conference of the Bonham District A. M. E. church opened here Wednesday morning with Dr. A. G. Winn, as presiding elder. Rev. W. G. Brown, pastor. Mr. Claud Tell of Ft. Worth, Texas, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. M. E. Harris, and other relatives. Mrs. Bertha Cooper of Marshall, Texas, here last Sunday and spoke to the children of Mrs. Wilson's room of the Eastward school. Mrs. Cooper is working in the interest of Christian Negro Women's Union. She will return soon to perfect an organization. Those who fail to hear Rev. Fountain's strong sermons that he is delivering at Warren Chapel is certainly doing themselves an injustice. Mr. Sinner, God will ask you about this. Elder L. H. Crawford, is back from New York and reports that the conference was the finest ever witnessed and that interest was at fever heat. In the collection for means to make the fight our delegate subscribed for Hunt Co., \$100.00 and that isn't bad. The local director Mrs. I. B. Brooks gave a banquet for the Y. W. A. in her splendid home one evening last week. Mrs. F. W. Simon, has closed her school at the Center Point Community with oral examination and a ball game between the boys of that community and Dixon, the parents petitioned for Simon's return another school year. Mr. I. B. Brooks is having his store house repaired it will be occupied by Mrs. A. E. Colberson and Mrs. M. Houston. The Matron's Social club was entertained last Thursday by Mrs. Pearl Poe, they report a nice time. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Holly have moved to Dixon, Tenn. Mrs. Bettie Copeland is reported some better at this writing. Mrs. Birgit Brown is visiting her daughter in Okmulgee, Okla. Call at 3015 So. Johnson street, ft. Express.

WEATHERFORD.

Weatherford, Texas, May 15.—Rev. Jordan of Mount Zion Baptist church was at his post Sunday. Rev. Smith made a flying trip down in East Texas Saturday. The Odd Fellows and Ruths had their annual sermon Sunday. Rev. Jordan preached a noble sermon. Mr. Clem Smith of Wichita Falls, Texas, was here Saturday and Sunday. Private David C. Howard of Camp Bowie, spent Sunday here visiting friends. Private Louis Johnson is back home again. Little Manda Bell Smith entertained a few of her friends at her 12th birthday party at home last Friday. Mr. B. W. Young of Fort Worth was here Saturday. Miss Stella Bird will give a big ball entertainment soon. Mrs. Addie Wyatt and Little Franklin Ward and Mrs. L. G. Luper and children have returned from Arizona. Mr. Charlie Hatchett and family were here Sunday in their new Saxon car. Mrs. Frankie Simmons is able to be up again.

TATUM.

Tatum, Texas, May 15.—Sunday school was good at both churches. The home Mission Sister's meeting Sunday in the city. The Odd Fellows Lodge had a nice installation sermon Sunday. Mrs. Carrie Whitton is very sick. The young ladies at Zion Hill gave a nice entertainment at their church Saturday night. Beckville String band furnished music for them. The program was enjoyed by all who were there. The Home Mission sisters are preparing to have a grand time on the 19th of June in behalf of the soldier boys, who have come back from the camps and also from France every soldier who has been in camps also from France are invited to be with them. A free dinner will be given to the boys as a free gift. Mrs. Ella Gray was called to Longview on account of sickness. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dixon a fine boy on April 27. Mr. Henson Johnson from Carthage is here from Carthage is visiting Mr. Jule Deckard, this week. Mr. George, Battle of Marshall is here visiting friends and relatives.

McKINNEY.

McKinney, Texas, May 15. C. M. E. church—Rev. J. W. McKinney, D. D., L. D., presiding elder of the Dallas District, held the second quarterly conference the 6th inst. Reports show the church is steady growing in membership attendance. The Star-Jack school is larger now than any time during the present administration. \$388.51 was raised during the quarter. Revival services began last Sunday for two weeks. The pastor is expecting Rev. Mrs. Bullock of Wash-

ington, Ark., to assist in this meeting. Mrs. Bullock has a national reputation as a revivalist. All pastors and members have a standing invitation. The watch word is "God Night with God." Rev. W. Louis Smith, D. D., Pastor.

RIESEL.

Riesel, Texas, May 15.—Services were well attended at New Zion Sunday school program was carried out nicely Sunday night. Rev. Lee, pastor of Sunset was at his church Sunday. He preached an able sermon at New Zion Sunday evening. Rev. Joe Lee, Rev. Sanford Lewis and Rev. Evans were at New Zion Sunday. Rev. Joe Lee, interesting lecture on Mother's Duty. Miss M. V. Johnson of Marlin, was here Sunday in interest of the choir. Mrs. Odessa Scott and Mrs. Eliza Dorsey were in Marlin, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Conroy Miller of China Springs, are here visiting relatives. Deacon Moore and Rev. S. H. Evans were here Sunday taking an active part in Mother's Day. Rev. S. H. Evans was here Sunday taking an active part in Mother's Day. Rev. Evans is a loyal subscriber to the Dallas Express. Mr. Jimmie Robinson was in Mart, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dorsey were in Marlin, Thursday. There will be given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Kennard Saturday night 17th, an ice cream party. The Heroines had their meeting Saturday.

WHARTON.

Wharton, Texas, May 15.—As was stated before the many Sunday schools met at Mother Zion Baptist church and we must say that the first time in community that we got together on such an occasion among the Sunday schools that were zoned are as following: St. James A. M. E., Macedonia Baptist, The M. E. and New Hope a general Sunday school was had and a short program was rendered. Mrs. J. T. Holmes of Mother Zion made the welcome address and was responded by Mrs. Flora Johnson of the A. M. E. then Supta. of the Sunday schools were called on to say a few words. Bro. Willie Wordworth spoke in behalf of Macedonia Baptist church. Prof. J. J. Taylor spoke in behalf of the M. E. Bro. John Thompson for the M. E., and one gentleman for the New Hope. They all voiced the appreciation of the coming together and we all believed the day is not far when we will be able to get together more often. We are getting together in Wharton. Mr. Willie Schulz and McCann have started on the home of Mr. Edward Richards. These young men are some carpenters. When you need a home let their figure with you. Miss Anna Skull is in our town and is working at our military shop. Rev. Biddie Allen, his pulpit, Sunday. The reporter will go to El Campo to deliver an address to Prof. Greer's school closing. We will not stop working until every home has the Dallas Express. The Wharton and El Campo base ball game was put off on account of rain. The Germans must sign the peace treaty. The Colored people organize. The following men will leave for Prairie View to help re-organize the alumni association of our school: Hobart Taylor, E. M. Taylor, W. I. McCann and Jas. Valentine. We will bring the bacon home.

GROESBECK.

Groesbeck, Texas, May 15.—Service was good at Heidbranc, also Lone Star Sunday. Mrs. Andy McCreary made a flying trip to Ft. Worth, Saturday morning. Mr. Henry Haney and wife made a flying trip to Kosse, Saturday. Mr. Willie Gray and Mrs. Lena Holmes were quietly married Saturday night. The Blackshear school is progressing for outppearance exercises.

CARTHAGE.

Carthage, Texas, May 15.—Holland's Community. The big June-teenth is the order of the day. All the soldiers back of Panola, Texas, are requested to be present as the celebration is in their honor. Born to Mrs. D. C. Chadwick a son. Private D. B. Brown and J. H. Stevenson will attend the closing exercises at Bishop College. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Thompson made business trip to Marshall and returned Wednesday.

Church Notes.

Sunday school well attended. The B. Y. F. U., and sacred harp singing will give a rally the second Sunday in June.

ORANGE.

Orange, Texas, May 15.—Mother's Day program was carried out at Salem M. E. church. Odd Fellows sermon was preached at Mt. Zion Baptist church by Rev. J. T. M. Lindsey. Salem M. E. choir rendered excellent service. Mrs. Lula Heley is having her home remodeled adding two rooms and a porch. Mr. Pete Bruner and Miss Octavia Nixon were quietly married at the C. M. E. paragon. May 7th. Mr. James Lewis was shot through the arm and left side May 12th. He is in a critical condition. Mr. Isaac Novelle and Cleveland Lee are yearly subscribers to the Dallas Express. Salem has launched a \$500.00 rally for June 22. Rev. S. T. Floyd of Sherman, Texas will conduct a revival at Mt. Zion Baptist, beginning this week.

DEKALB.

DeKalb, Texas, May 15.—We was shocked over the death of Prof. Patterson. St. Paul Baptist church with Rev. Cobb, pastor is taking care of the Women's Conference this week, a nice time is being had. The white Methodist preacher will preach for Rev. Wadkins and people. Missionary rally at Mt. Piggah and a great sermon was preached by Rev. Wadkins to the delight of all.

HILLSBORO.

Hillsboro, Texas, May 1.—Prof. Thompson and Mrs. Elphora Denton were united in marriage Sunday at 9:15 at the home of Mr. Jake Mass. Rev. W. O. Bell officiated. The A. M. E. District Conference is in session at Wade Chapel. Rev. G. W. Burton passed through the city Saturday. Rev. Cindens preached at Mt. Moriah, Sunday. Rev. W. O. Bell's church is preparing to entertain the North Texas R. F. P. U. and S. B. Chrysgas Ga first week in June. Miss M. E. Cyrus tripped to Waco,

Wednesday, Mrs. Mattie Harris of Houston, the sister of Mr. Balus Jones, is visiting relatives in the city. A movie has been opened for the amusement of the Colored people.

TRAGUE.

Trague, Texas, May 15.—The T. C. B. C. met Saturday night at 9 o'clock with our president Prof. W. W. Williams presiding. Owing to the rain some of the members were absent, but we had a crowded house. Money raised \$74.70. Paid to sick members \$4.50. Our club is still increasing. Sunday school was nicely attended at the First Baptist church in South Trague. We had a great lesson. Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Buckley have returned from Louisiana, from a visit to relatives and report having had a nice time.

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