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Tornado Sweeps Through State of Texas Tuesday

Two Score Are Dead in Toll That Storm Takes in Scattered Sections of the State

Dallas—At least forty-four persons were killed Tuesday in a series of tornadoes which struck in widely scattered sections of Texas, with the probability that the toll will be swelled when disrupted wire communication is restored.

The communities of central Texas, near Waco, including Frost, a town of 1,000, which was demolished, bore the brunt of the storm, which apparently swept on, into south central Texas, striking at Runge, near San Antonio.

The list included twenty-eight unidentified dead, two unidentified dead at Frost.



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Trend Toward Population Loss in Small Towns

General Indications in Partial Census Reports Indicate That Towns in This Section Lose

The smaller towns and cities in this section of Nebraska are seemingly barely holding their own in population or showing small losses as the check of the census returns is made public from the office of Supervisor Harley O. Parsons at Lincoln.

In Cass county in the towns that have been completed and listed, Greenwood is the only one that has secured a gain over the last census in 1920, altho Louisville will show a substantial gain in population altho the returns from that place have not as yet been checked.

The town of Elmwood shows 515 for 1930 as against 553 for 1920 and Stove Creek precinct of which it is a part has 993 inhabitants as against 1,078 at the 1920 listing.

The population of Greenwood as given is 494 as against 340 at the census ten years ago while Salt Creek precinct has 850 persons as against 687 at the last census and eighty-seven farms are listed in the precinct.

The returns show that the town of Nehawka has 298 residents with no figures available as to the 1920 population.

The population of Alvo is given as 158 for this year as against 179 at the previous census while the population of Greenwood precinct is given as 507 with 571 as the figures for the 1920 returns. There are 121 farms listed in the returns.

South Bend village has a population of 99 under the present returns as against 143 at the previous census while the return from South Bend precinct show a population of 544 as against 627 at the last census. One hundred farms are listed.

Avoca town has a population of 222 for this census as against 231 at the last census and Avoca precinct 592 population as against 667 in 1920.

Mr. Pleasant precinct has a population of 568 in the present census, showing a gain as they had but 516 at the 1920 census.

The population of Weeping Water precinct is given as 616 for this census with no comparing figures for the previous census.

The returns from Sarpy county state that Papillion has a population of 718 as against 666 at the 1920 census, Fort Crook, including the army post has 719 persons as against 779 ten years ago. Gretna, in the west portion of the county has 477, while at the 1920 census they were credited with 491. Bellevue village has a very pleasing gain in population with 1,917 with the 1920 figures at 695. La Platte precinct has a population of 467 for this year with 387 as the figures for 1920, a very pleasing gain.

The completed returns from this city have not as yet been released but on the three wards that have so far been reported the population of this city will be near the 4,000 mark.

FUNERAL OF MRS. GRADOVILLE
From Tuesday's Daily—
This morning the funeral services of Mrs. Frances Gradoville were held, the cortege leaving the home of the son, Peter Gradoville at 8:45 and the requiem mass celebrated at the Holy Rosary church at 9 o'clock, the Rev. Father Jerry Honcik being the celebrant.

The church was filled with the old time friends and neighbors and the wealth of flowers attested the deep feeling of love and esteem in which the departed lady was held in the community.

The interment was at the Catholic cemetery near the city and the pall bearers were selected from the old friends, they being: Henry Stark-John, Joe M. Sedlak, William F. O'Connell, Henry Grimm, G. H. Karhousk and George Weaver.

Those attending the funeral from out of the city were: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pitner, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. John Wrabitz and children, Nadine, Florence and John, Mrs. Harry Williams, all of Omaha. The deceased lady was born at Priban, Bohemia, on June 24, 1858, and was married in her native land to Thomas Skoda, the family coming to American in 1880. They first settled near Wahoo and where they made their home for a number of years, the husband and father preceding the wife in death. Later Mrs. Skoda and family came to Plattsmouth and where she was married to John Gradoville. She is survived by the husband and five sons, Fred Skoda of Omaha; Tom of Atlantic, Iowa; J. J. Skoda, Leigh, Nebraska; Ralph Skoda, Plattsmouth, and Peter Gradoville, Plattsmouth. There are also two sisters surviving, Mrs. Prohaska, residing in the old home in Europe, and Mrs. Rose Kirvaek of Los Angeles.

PREPARE FOR C. M. T. C.

Mr. J. A. Capwell of Plattsmouth, who is the County Chairman for the C. M. T. C., has just received a copy of a letter written by President Hoover commending the Citizens' Military Training Camps. The letter reads as follows:

"THE WHITE HOUSE
Washington
April 19, 1930.

Mr. George F. James,
National Executive Secretary
Chicago, Illinois
My dear Mr. James:
"The Citizens' Military Training Camps have through ten years proved themselves important agencies of physical and moral health in the individual and of civic welfare in

the Nation. The willingness of young men to devote a month to this training program for better citizenship is proof of good-will in the generation on which will presently devolve the maintenance of our social and political institutions.
"I commend the Citizens' Camps to all fathers and mothers and to young men of suitable age in the hope and belief that the camps will show themselves as useful in the

future as they have been in the past.
Yours faithfully,
(Signed) HERBERT HOOVER
Mr. Capwell advises all young men who want to take advantage of the wonderful training and physical development available at these camps to submit their applications as soon as possible, as it is expected that a sufficient number to fill the camp quota will apply early this summer, and those who wait may be too late.

The government pays all necessary expenses for attendance at these camps, including cost of travel, food, lodging, laundry, and medical attention. For application blanks or further information, see Mr. Capwell or write to The C. M. T. C. Office, 89th Division, Fort Omaha, Nebraska.
Call No. 6 with your order for job printing.

SEED AND POTATOES
Tested Reid's Yellow Dent, \$2.50 bu.; Dakota 12 Verified Alfalfa, \$15.75; Grimm, 18.50; Nebraska, \$16.75; Sweet Clover, \$4.50; Aloyke, \$18.50; Kafir, \$2; Millet, \$2; Cane, \$2; Rape, 12 1/2c; Sweet Corn, 15c. Late Rural Potatoes, seed and eating, \$2.25; Sudan, \$7.50 cwt. Y. O. Starting Mash, \$4.25; Chick Feed, \$3.—Johnson Bros., Neb. City.



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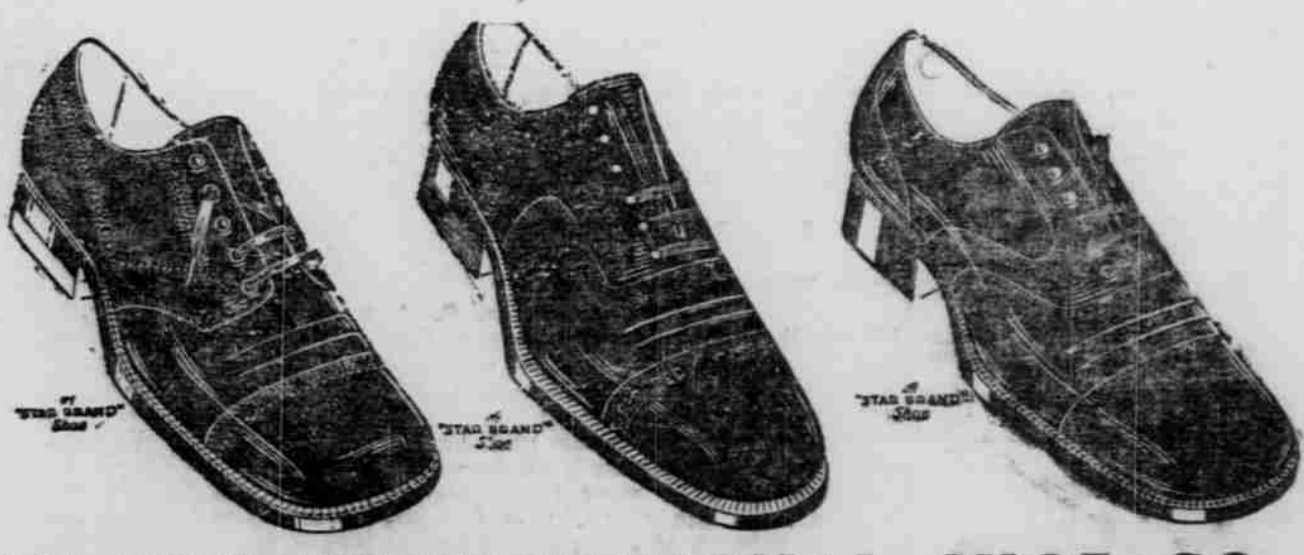
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Public Auction

At late home of Mrs. George Vanderberg, in Murdock, Nebr.

Saturday, May 10th

Commencing at 1:00 O'Clock Sharp

The household goods of the late Mrs. Vanderberg will be offered for sale at Public Auction on the above date. These consist of Beds, Chairs, Rockers, Lounge, Rugs, Carpets, Stoves, Kitchen Utensils, etc. A large quantity of furniture, all in good condition, going to the highest bidder. Terms will be made known on day of sale.

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