

Toil and Trouble; Fun and Frolic  
 Mark 35 Years of Service  
 For Superintendent G. E. Thompson

Attempting to record all the highlights that have become a part of the life of Mr. G. E. Thompson during his thirty-five years of service to his school and his community and his country, becomes quite a challenge. One finds something of every emotion among the events of his life—hilarity, heartache, enthusiasm, quiet fun, and deep seriousness.

Not only locally but throughout the country Mr. Thompson is recognized as a wise, capable, and fair man of our times. He has given freely of his time and efforts to help make the Kermit Schools among the best in the country. The spirit of succeeding and working for success reigns throughout his career as an educator.

Genuinely fond of his students and fellow-workers, possessing an ever-present sense of humor, have earned him a special place in the hearts of all.

Because of his affable manner and his administrative ability, he is both respected and admired in the field of education.

The thrill of competition, the joy of victory, the heartache of defeat, the value of learning to fight a clean fight, are all a part of the code that makes him a true sportsman. He has had a goal to achieve, and working toward that goal with his fellow man has made up the joys of his life.



Mr. Thompson, Mrs. Thompson, Mr. Melton at the gym



The Thompsons leaving a program given by the school.



Always leads the Freshmen yells at 1st pep rally



Outstanding Speaker



Devoted member of Lions Club