

# THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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## WARD COTTON COMMITTEEMEN WILL BE NAMED

The county and community cotteeemmen will be named for Foard County during the month of December, according to Fred Truscott, county agent.

The county is divided into two communities. The committee for the eastern part of the county is composed of T. C. Matlock, Thalia, T. F. Lambert of the county, and John L. Hunter Sr. of the western section. The committee for the western section is composed of Tom Callaway of City, E. A. Dunagan of the county, and R. S. Haske of Vivid.

The community cotteeemmen are elected, they will elect cotteeemmen for the county. The present cotteeemmen committee is composed of L. Davis and H. W. Gray.

The cotteeemmen contract signers are to vote and will receive a check within the next few days where and when the election will be held.

## Death of Mrs. Henry Johnson Died Dec. 7

Mrs. Henry Johnson died at her home in the city of Dallas, Texas, on December 7, 1935. She was 83 years of age. Her husband, Henry Johnson, died in 1910. She is survived by her son, J. A. Johnson, and her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Johnson. Her funeral services were held at the First Baptist church in Dallas on December 10, 1935.

## Peggy Thompson Wins Window Contest

Peggy Thompson won first prize in the Christmas window contest conducted in Crowell last night and received a cash prize of \$2.00.

The winners were: Miss M. Lilly, second, \$1.00 cash; Mildred Donaldson, third, \$1.00 cash; David Solis, fourth, \$1.00 cash; and Self M. O'Connell, fifth, \$1.00 cash.

## Large Crowd Present at Christmas Party

A large crowd was present for the Christmas party given by the community cotteeemmen at the home of Mrs. J. M. Allee on December 10, 1935.

The party was a success and was enjoyed by all present. The cotteeemmen presented a variety of entertainment, including singing, dancing, and games.

## One-Act Plays to Be Presented Wednesday

Three one-act plays will be presented at the high school auditorium on Wednesday night, December 12, 1935.

The plays are "The Worm," "A Different Kind of Christmas," and "The Christmas Eve." The plays were written by Mrs. Ben G. Oneal and are being presented under the direction of Mrs. J. M. Allee.

## LEAVE FOR ARKANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Calvin and their family left for Arkansas on December 11, 1935. They are on their way to visit their home in Arkansas.

## INFANT DIES

Emma Mae, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Knight of Crowell, died on December 11, 1935. She was 23 days old.

## Truscott Invites Attendance Friday at Rogers Program

The people of Truscott have extended a cordial invitation to Crowell and Foard County citizens to attend the Will Rogers Memorial program that will be held tomorrow night, Friday, in the Truscott school auditorium, according to a letter received from L. P. Jones, chairman of the Will Rogers Memorial Fund campaign at Truscott.

The program for the evening will include vocal and instrumental numbers arranged by Mrs. Owen Powell. Prof. Barr will render an accordion solo and vocal numbers will be provided by a quartet composed of Steve Mills, Guinn Hickman, Lewster Hickman and Wayne Young. A vocal solo will be given by Hugh Maddox.

A talk will be given by Lewis Williams, county attorney of Knox County. George Self of Crowell will be master of ceremonies and will pay a tribute to Will Rogers. Volunteer remarks about Rogers will also have a part in the program.

The program is to begin at 7:30 o'clock and a free-will offering will be received at the time of entrance to the auditorium.

## TICKET CASE IS TAKEN FROM MARGARET DEPOT

The loss of the ticket case and all of its contents was discovered last Thursday morning at the Santa Fe depot in Margaret. Later in the day, section hands found the case under a railroad bridge less than two miles south of Margaret. All of the tickets were recovered.

Fent Stallings of Slaton, special agent for the Santa Fe, arrived here Friday to work with local officers in investigating the robbery.

## BOB LILLY IS GRID CAPTAIN FOR '36 SEASON

Members of the 1935 Crowell High School football squad and their coaches, Grady Graves and Walker P. Todd, were honored at a banquet given last Thursday night at the Premier Hotel by the Crowell Rotary Club.

The group joined in a general sing-song before enjoying the evening meal. Mrs. Arnold Rucker was accompanist. The first number on the program consisted of vocal numbers by Misses Peggy Cooper, Doris Oswald and Peggy Thompson, with Miss Mary Elizabeth Hughton as accompanist.

Eli Smith served as toastmaster and introduced members of the squad, the coaches and a few others. A talk concerning Rotary was given by I. T. Graves, president, after which Miss Frances Henry Johnson gave two readings.

Bob Lilly, captain-elect of the squad, was presented with a letter from the principal, C. V. Allen. Coach Grady Graves provided a humorous talk, after which members of the squad elected Bob Lilly, 1935 center, as captain for 1936. He was chosen on the first ballot.

Brief talks were made by Aldon Horn, 1935 captain and the new captain.

In his excellent address, Mr. Allen discussed qualities that bring success in life the same as they do in football.

After urging the gridsters to beware of "short-cut" methods, either in football or the game of life, the speaker discussed a number of qualities necessary to bring success.

Preparation was the first of these. "You must have the ability to work hard to win out," he stated. Self discipline and the development of a spirit of obedience were also mentioned as essential to proper preparation in playing the game of life.

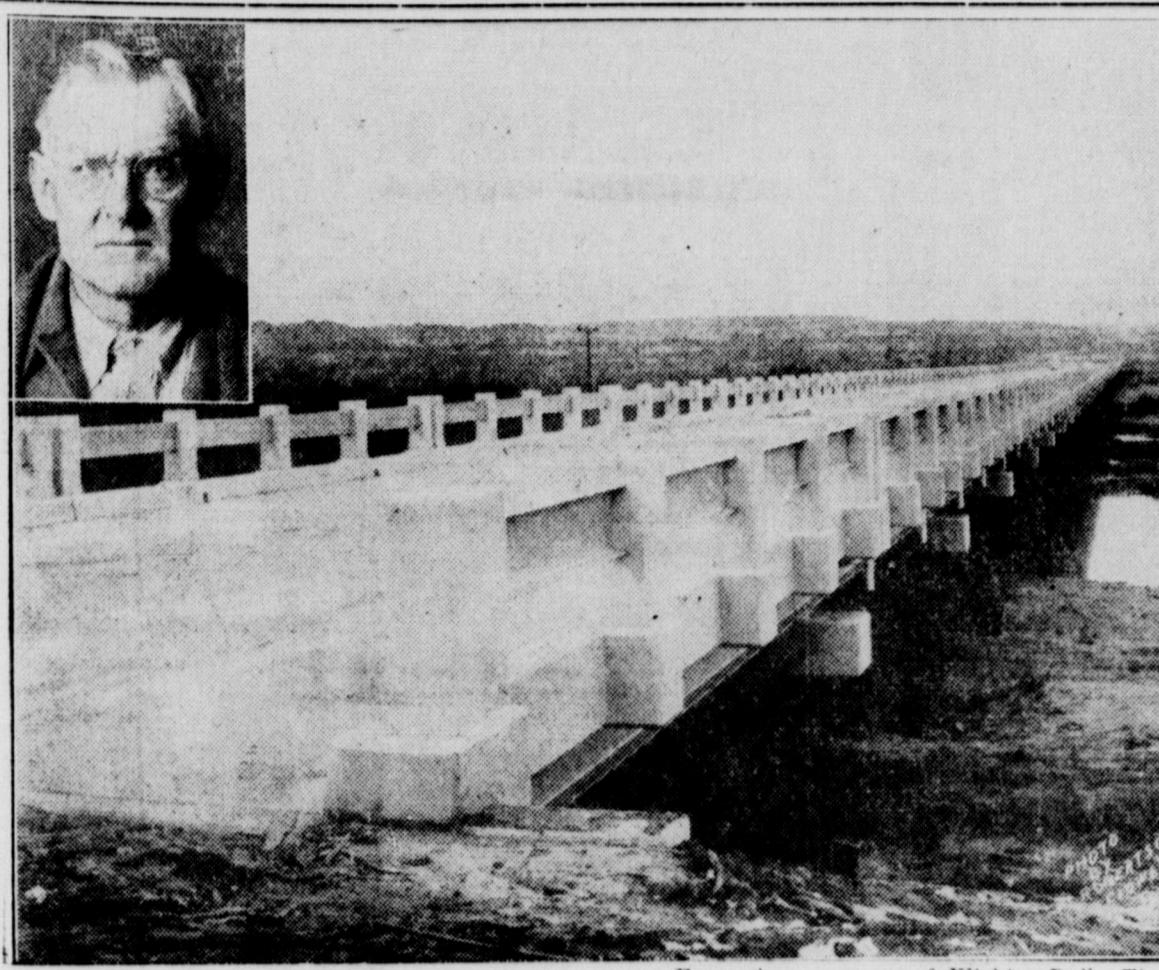
In playing the game, Mr. Allen mentioned the necessity of the right attitude, proper confidence, observance of rules, teamwork and fighting spirit. With respect to teamwork, he said that a football game could not be won without teamwork and neither could the battle of life. "Many battles in life are won in the last minute, the same as they are in football," he stated in urging the Wildcats to always maintain a fine fighting spirit.

"It is all right to mix your plays in life in order to find the winning play, but as a whole it is best to play 'straight football' and not depend upon lucky deceptive plays to take you to your goal," he added.

"Failure to obey football rules brings penalties, but the penalties of football are nothing to compare with the penalties resulting from disobeying the rules of the game of life," Mr. Allen said.

In concluding, the speaker said: "Success does not open her doors to those who are not willing to pay the price of admission. She has no bargains at her counter—no short cuts to her goal. 'Pay the price or leave the goods' is her motto."

## New Bridge Across Pease River Now Open to Traffic



—Engraving courtesy of Wichita Daily Times

The new Pease River bridge on State Highway No. 16 between Crowell and Quanah was officially opened to traffic Monday. The dedication program at the bridge that was to have taken place Tuesday has been postponed until after the Christmas holidays, according to information reaching local county officials.

In the inset is W. P. Brothers of Fort Worth, partner of Ernest Loyd who was contractor for the bridge. Mr. Brothers was superintendent of construction. The picture of the bridge was taken from the Foard County side of the river.

The bridge and approaches have a total length of slightly more than three-fourths of a mile. It is seven and one-half miles north of

Crowell. Mr. Loyd secured the contract for the bridge in February of this year on a bid of \$71,776.97. Construction was started in March. Record rises on the river in the spring caused considerable delay in construction.

A rise on May 18 rendered the bridge being replaced useless when a 350-foot section was washed away. Another rise on May 30 cost the life of Chester Robinson of Vernon, state highway engineer in charge of construction. He was drowned when swept from a trolley-basket device that spanned the washed-out section. Two other men were carried into the river at the same time, but were able to swim safely to shore.

The new bridge has a 22-foot roadway, six feet wider than the

old bridge. Fifty-one bents are connected with heavy steel I-beams on concrete caps. The heavy cross-tied piling was driven to depths of between 30 and 40 feet. The structure has a concrete floor and railing consisting of concrete posts which are connected with 12-inch galvanized iron.

Due to rises on the river this spring, the original plans were changed by the highway department. Instead of forty-six 28 ft. 6 in. steel I-beam spans, the number was increased to 51 in order to eliminate about 115 feet from the dirt dump approach of over 500 feet on the south side. The plans were also changed to add one foot to the height of the bridge.

## NEW MOTOR VEHICLES

New motor vehicles registered in Crowell during the past week follow: A. W. Lilly, Ford sedan; Jim Shook, Chevrolet sedan; W. L. Morgan, Chevrolet sedan; P. T. Gamble, Ford sedan; C. H. Barry, Chevrolet sedan; G. D. Self, Ford sedan; Hamp Stepp, Ford sedan.

## Rehabilitation Quota Increase in Foard For Farm Families

The quota of rehabilitation clients for Foard County has been increased to where every farm family in distress will have an opportunity of working back to independence, according to information received by C. W. Price of Quanah, Foard County supervisor of the Resettlement Administration, who says enrollment of new clients will begin at once.

Long-time plans will be worked out as rapidly as possible, but in the meanwhile, direct grants for subsistence will be made. All families accepted for either the permanent or the temporary program must be approved by the county advisory committee.

The supervisor will be hard pushed within the next few weeks to enroll the new clients, but he expects to continue working out farm plans with the object of getting all families started on a permanent program early in the new crop season. Making the loan is merely the beginning of the supervisor's job. He must see that the client grows his living at home and cans enough food to carry him through the winter—an average of 125 quart cans of food for each member of the family. Cash crops are permitted only after enough has been set aside for food and feed.

A considerable number of families in this territory were accepted for the program this spring, and most of them started at that time on standard farm plans. New families will be started on similar programs. They will be required to make their own arrangements for renting land, after which loans will be made by Resettlement.

The Texas Agricultural Association, represented by 1600 farmers from two hundred counties, at its meeting in Dallas last week, commended the Resettlement Administration and called upon Oklahoma farmers to join them in pushing through the Bankhead-Jones farm tenant bill, which would make an adequate sum available for purchase of farms and equipment for worthy tenants, without a down payment. Until some such legislation is passed, the Resettlement Administration is confining its efforts in most cases to loans for teams, equipment and supplies. These loans draw five per cent interest and are repayable in one to five years.

## L. F. Campbell Leases Rialto Building Here For Lengthy Period

A deal was completed Monday in which L. F. Campbell, owner and operator of the Rialto Theatre, leased the theatre building for a lengthy period from W. S. Leon of Haskell, who recently purchased the building from W. R. Womack.

In connection with the lease, Mr. Leon has agreed to recondition the building. The improvement program which is scheduled to start shortly after the first of the year will include the addition of cushion seats, carpets and redecoration throughout the interior.

## HONOR PUPILS FOR SECOND 6 WEEKS LISTED

The honor roll for the second six weeks of school in Crowell has been announced as follows:

**High School**

"A" Honor Roll—Camille Graves, Mary Jane Turentine, Riley Griffin, Billie Brown, Zenna Ferguson, Lena Gene Green, Lula Weger, Mary Frances Green, Wynona Hembree, Hughes Fish, Adolf Slovak.

"B" Honor Roll—Mabel Hall, Onnie Rhoad Braswell, Prudence Coffey, Vernon Gibson, H. K. Edwards, Elmer Nichols, Fern Peerce, Marjorie Spencer, Banks Campbell, Therese Gamble, Helen Harwell, Marjorie Bradford, Oleta Sparks, Ruth Ferguson, Myrthall Ketchersid, Mary Lou Fudge, John Egbert Fish, Dorothy Pauline McKown, Mary Byrl Bell, Edith Hutchison, Frank Meason, Oleta Faye Zeibig, Edward Brisco, Hazel Todd, James Welch, Edward Roark, Christie Griffin, Carl Connell, J. W. Connell, Juanita Brown, Virginia Mae Coffey.

**Grammar School**

"A" Honor Roll—Robert Bommar, Tom Andrews, Ted Crosnoe, Thelma Moore, Jany Dee Coffey, Margaret Long, Charlie Clark, Wanda Liles, Gene Fox, Alice Burks, Elsie Vecera, Verne Joy, H. C. Brown, A. Y. Bell, Joe Wallace Beverly, Edna Lou Brisco, Doris Campbell, Iva Ruth Gafford, Beverly Hughton, Billy Klepper, Virginia Moseley, June Billington, Margaret Claire Shirley, Virginia Thomas, J. T. Hughton, John Clark Long, Charles Nelson, Truman Taylor, Charlie Thompson, Marie Miller, Lee Ford Stone, Glendon Hayes, Rovenelle Crane, Clela McDaniel, Dorothy Jean Thompson.

"B" Honor Roll—Wayne Cantup, Mary Louise Cauthon, Thelma

## BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. William Edward McDaniel, Crowell, Nov. 30, a girl, Genevieve.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie L. Green, Crowell, Nov. 30, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Roosevelt (Pete) Bagley, Crowell, Nov. 19, a boy, J. Linn.

To Mr. and Mrs. Warren William Everson, Crowell, Dec. 4, a boy, James Warren.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Joe Klepper, Crowell, Dec. 5, a girl, Talba Dell.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dock Wiley Johnson, Crowell, Dec. 7, a boy, Andrew Wiley.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Alvie Langston, Crowell, Nov. 29, a girl, Viola.

To Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Odel (Joe) Smith, Crowell, Dec. 5, a boy, Joe Vernon. (Born at Vernon.)

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ledford, Crowell, Dec. 9, a boy, Arthur Junior.

## PREPARATIONS MADE FOR HIGHWAY 16 WORK

Grade stakes on the new right-of-way on Highway 16 from Crowell to the Knox County line are being driven this week under the direction of Tom Seale, who has completed his work as state night-work engineer in charge of construction of the Pease River bridge.

The Works Progress Administration has approved the local application for grade drainage work on this route, however, no working orders have yet been issued.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Frank Gillard of Truscott, who is in a serious condition, showed a slight improvement this morning.

Mrs. Bill Buchanan of Thalia underwent a major operation Monday and is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. Weldon Burleson of Panama and baby were dismissed from the hospital Wednesday. They were removed to the home of her mother, Mrs. B. W. Mathews of Vivian.

Mrs. Ross Bevers was dismissed from the hospital Sunday and moved to her home in the Foard County community, following an operation.

## Electra Will Play Here Friday Night

The Electra High Tigers will play the Crowell Wildcats in a basketball game at the local gymnasium tomorrow night, Friday, beginning at 7:15 o'clock.

Although the present cage squad does not have a regular back from last year, Coach Graves' quintet for this season has defeated Oklahoma in the only two games played so far and gives promise of providing Crowell High with another strong and fast cage team.

## Letter Arrives in 3 Days from Honolulu; "China Clipper" Used

A letter mailed in Honolulu on Dec. 5 reached Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beverly in Crowell on Sunday, Dec. 8, nearly two weeks earlier than ordinarily required. The letter from Mrs. Alex Anderson, sister of Mrs. Beverly, reached San Francisco Dec. 6 aboard the "China Clipper," which completed its first regular air mail flight between the United States and the Philippines at that time.

After years of preparation, a regular air mail route is now operated by the Pan-American Airways between the Philippines and the United States.

The "Philippine Clipper," second of the Pan-American Airways' fleet of trans-Pacific planes, costing \$1,200,000 each, took off Monday for Manila. It is a sister ship of the "China Clipper." The giant planes have a wingspread of 130 feet and four motors each.

The letter received here had one of the new 25-cent "Trans-Pacific Air Mail" stamps.

## Ex-Students' Ass'n. to Be Discussed at Banquet on Dec. 26

Plans for the organization of a Crowell High School ex-students' association will be made Thursday night, Dec. 26, in connection with the banquet that is to be held at the Premier Hotel for members of the graduating classes of 1930-31-32 and '33, according to Miss Jim Lois Gafford of the Class of '33, which is sponsoring the event.

Miss Gafford stated that members of the classes who have married are urged to bring their mates. Graduates who are now living away from Crowell are to make this banquet a "home-coming" affair. Plates are 65 cents and reservations should be made with Miss Gafford before Dec. 21.

## CAGE CIRCUIT IS FORMED FOR THIS SECTION

Organization of the Northwest Texas Basketball Conference and perfection of a schedule for its five teams were completed at a meeting in Vernon Tuesday night. Quanah, Electra, Wichita Falls, Vernon and Crowell are members of the conference which replaces the "Big Seven" of last season. Electra is a new member of the loop. Harrold, Olney and Childress, Big Seven members, are not in the new conference. Crowell won the initial Big Seven championship last season.

Marshall May, Vernon High basketball coach, was elected president of the new conference.

The following schedule for six weeks was adopted:

Jan. 10—Wichita Falls at Quanah; Vernon at Crowell.

Jan. 14—Crowell at Electra; Vernon at Wichita Falls.

Jan. 21—Electra at Quanah.

Jan. 22—Wichita Falls at Crowell.

Jan. 24—Crowell at Quanah; Vernon at Electra.

Jan. 28—Crowell at Vernon; Quanah at Wichita Falls.

Jan. 31—Electra at Crowell; Wichita Falls at Vernon.

Feb. 4—Vernon at Quanah; Wichita Falls at Electra.

Feb. 7—Crowell at Wichita Falls; Quanah at Electra.

Feb. 14—Quanah at Crowell; Electra at Vernon.

## Crowell Scene of IOOF and Rebekah Meeting Next March

Crowell was selected as the location for the next quarterly meeting of the Hardeman-Foard Association of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs at the meeting of this association at Truscott Tuesday night. Included in the organization are lodges from Quanah, Crowell, Goodlett and Chillicothe of Foard and Hardeman counties and Truscott of Knox County.

The Truscott meeting was reported as being one of the best the association has enjoyed this year. Lewis Williams, county attorney of Knox County, was the principal speaker on a program which also included several musical numbers. Refreshments were served. The meeting took place in the Truscott lodge hall. A large crowd was present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burrow and Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth attended from Crowell.

The annual election of officers will take place at the meeting here next March. Present officers are: Bob Reed of Quanah, president; Clyde King of Crowell, vice president; Miss Lou Faulkner of Quanah, secretary-treasurer.

## HELPY SELFY LAUNDRY UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

The management of the Helpy-Selfy Laundry has been taken over by Mrs. J. E. Atcheson. The laundry was formerly operated by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Page. It is located two blocks west of the square on Highway 28.

## CAGE GAMES TO BOOST ROGERS FUND IN FOARD

A double-header basketball program will be held Monday night in the Crowell gymnasium for the benefit of the Will Rogers Memorial Fund in Foard County. The admission will be 15 and 25 cents and all receipts will be applied to the Rogers Memorial Fund which is to be used for hospitals for handicapped children. The first game will begin at 7 o'clock.

One of the games is to be played between the Crowell High Wildcats and a team of local all-stars, including star players of the past few seasons at Crowell High.

The other game which promises to be one of the highlights in local basketball history will be played between quintets captained by Jack Thomas and Gordon Bell.

Bell's team must be composed of players who are 20 years of age or older. Thomas will lead into action a team that is scheduled to typify the "spirit of youth."

Candidates for Bell's quintet include George Cates, Grady Graves, Eli Smith, Tanner Billington, Vern Walden, Lewis Sloan, Sam Mills, I. T. Graves, Walker Todd, Hill Haney, the captain himself and possibly others.

Thomas' talent includes such names as John Todd, Jack Russell, Hack Norman, Fred Snears, Lorraine Carter, George Owens, Lance Middlebrook, Ernest Spears, Clyde Russell, and J. H. Lanier Jr.

Both Captains Confident

This cage classic is creating much interest and all indications point to a mighty and colorful struggle. Fans still recall stellar performances of "Jumping Jack" Thomas, the youthful captain and eagerly await the opportunity to again see him in action.

"Bell may have been one of the hottest shots in basketball history at Baylor University, but that's not worrying me or any of my boys," stated Captain Thomas. "We've really got 'class' on our side and we're going to prove it to the embarrassment of that bunch of old men who are young in ideas only," he added in commenting on the forthcoming battle.

When pressed for a statement, Capt. Bell said: "We respect the ability of our opponents, but we can equal or better anything they've got in the way of athletic skill. Coupling this skill with the far greater intelligence in our group, simply means that the 'pride of Good Creek' and his boys are due for an awful licking Monday night."

Over \$400 Raised

Slightly more than \$416 have been received in Foard County for the Will Rogers Memorial Fund and with the campaign nearly over, it is hoped that this amount can be increased to \$500.

Jim Minnick, local rancher and close personal friend of Will Rogers, has very successfully led the campaign for funds in this county. He has the honor of being on the "Will Rogers Memorial Commission"—a group of Rogers' nationally prominent and responsible friends. Mr. Minnick left Wednesday for Norman, Okla., where he will spend the next several weeks.

If you have not already contributed to this worthy cause, and wish to do so, then send or leave your contribution with The News, the local bank, or either local drug store. Also attend the double-header basketball program Monday night. You will really get your money's worth in enjoyment and will at the same time aid in this great campaign.

Additional contributors to the Memorial fund during the past week follow:

George Hinds, T. P. Duncan & Son, H. C. (Boss) Roark, Glenn Offield, H. K. Edwards, Claude Callaway, H. E. Davis, Fred Renolds, J. L. Miller, C. E. Gafford, Raymond Cate, G. L. Cole, Gerald Knox, Jno. C. Roberts, Lynn Easley, R. L. Taylor, J. H. Self, J. B. Easley, Frank Weatherall, Frank H. Crews, Henry Johnson, J. R. Beverly, Frank Hill, Cecil Watson, Roy C. Steele, Gordon Bell.

F. C. Borchardt, Floyd Borchardt, W. A. Jones, G. H. Patton, M. N. Kenner, J. E. Stone, Ross Bevers, Tom Vecera, E. V. Halbert, A. W. Barker, C. P. Safford, Lewis Sloan, Bill Bell, J. W. Cook, L. D. Fox, W. W. Kinsey, W. A. Cogdell, V. G. Sparks, A. B. Curtis, J. W. Bruce, R. H. Cooper and family.

E. W. Brown, Merl Kincaid, Floyd Thomas, Clint White, Curtis Ribble, George Cates, Dr. R. L. Kincaid, Homer McBeath, Amos Lilly, Herman Greening, Tom Beverly, Frank Gillard, R. D. Oswald, Dr. Hines Clark.

Dr. J. M. Hill, G. E. Mapp, L. A. Andrews, J. H. Oatis, E. L. Ribbie, E. M. Crosnoe, Alvin Spencer, Virgil A. Johnson, J. W. Thompson, B. F. Hinds, D. C. Greer, A. Weatherall, Ragsdale Lanier, C. W. Beidleman, Neal McMullan, S. T. Ferguson.

### Items from Neighboring Communities

#### MARGARET

(By Mrs. John Kerley)

Bill Solomon and family moved Monday from the S. Moore farm to the Woodman building in town. Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford visited John Bradford and family of Riverside Sunday.

William Thornton is visiting his sister, Mrs. Hershell Crum, and family of Liberty County.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clapp and children of Crowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Maxbold of Quanah came Wednesday of last week. They spent Saturday night at home and returned here again

rebuilt in a more modern type and will be nicely finished when completed, and will be occupied next season by Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wright. Edwin Maxbold of Quanah and Mr. Hendrix of East Texas, are two of the workmen.

Mr. Cado and several others from Denton and Rusk counties arrived several days ago and are pulling bells near Raggedy Creek. Kenneth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Other Ferguson, has been quite ill several days. Mrs. Stella Churchwell isn't much improved. Miss Opal Priest also has the flu, and Bill Solomon and Mrs. Suddie Bradford are improved after having the flu several days.

Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Priest of Vernon spent Sunday of last week with his mother, Mrs. Cora Priest, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hendrix moved to the Alice Evans residence in town last week from the J. D. Wright farm east of town.

The play, "One Girl in a Thousand," was well rendered by the Methodist young people Saturday night, \$16.50 was taken in. They expect to put it on at Thalia next Saturday night.

H. C. son of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Payne, was taken to Crowell for medical treatment Saturday. A community Christmas tree will

Sunday for his work. They are also visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wright.

The 4-room house on the J. D. Wright farm one mile east of Margaret, consisting of 2 large rooms and two shed rooms, was torn down last week and is being held at the school auditorium Christmas Eve.

Mrs. Fred Taylor went to Rayland Wednesday to assist in the care of her mother, Mrs. J. C. Davis, who is ill.

Mrs. Carl Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hendrix were called to the bedside of Mrs. Fannie Burleson of Wichita Falls last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradford of Rayland spent from Wednesday until Friday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wright.

Mrs. Henry Blevins was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Smith, of Fort Worth Friday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sikes.

Cecil Ray Moore returned to school at Denton the first of last week after spending several days with homefolks.

Rev. Marvin Brotherton, J. P. Davidson, Fred and Frank Priest and Lee and Herman Blevins attended the District Epworth League assembly at Crowell Sunday afternoon.

#### VIVIAN

(By Rosalie Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Lewis and son, James Lester, of Memphis spent Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fish and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keller of Skelleytown spent from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Keller's sisters, Mrs. Egbert Fish and Mrs. B. W. Matthews.

Melvin McAdams of Quanah spent the week-end with his brother, Leslie McAdams, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. David Boren and children of Megargel spent Sunday in the home of his mother, Mrs. M. E. Boren.

Fred Mabe of Crowell spent the week-end with Garland Raspberry.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Lewis and son, Marvin, spent Friday with Mr. Lewis' brother, W. A. Lewis, of Roaring Springs, who was injured in a car accident one day last week.

Mrs. Bonnie Bailey and son returned home Sunday after visiting her brother, David Boren, of Megargel.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carroll and children and Herman Sandlin, Dorothy Nell Beggs, Franklin and Evelyn Evans and Marion Benjamin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll of Gambleville Sunday afternoon.

Miss Rosalie Fish and Joyce Marie Matthews visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Davis of Crowell Saturday evening.

Mrs. Walter Simpkins and son, Dwain, of Paducah returned home Tuesday of last week after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walling and sons, Delbert and Jack Langford, and Othalee Nelson, attended the funeral of Mrs. Walling's niece, Mrs. Billie McNeese, of Acme.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Everson announces the arrival of a son,

Jimmie Wawen, born Wednesday, Dec. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Burleson announce the arrival of a son, daughter, Rita Ann, born Saturday, Dec. 7.

#### GAMBLEVILLE

(By Opal Carroll)

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll and Opal, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jonas, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley, and Mr. and Mrs. Clester Whatley visited in the Lewie Henderson home at Vernon Sunday evening. Mrs. Lewie Henderson died Saturday night at 9 o'clock. She is a sister to Mrs. F. J. Jonas, and to Clester Whatley, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley. She formerly lived in this community. She leaves a husband, two little girls and one little boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carroll and children, Lucille and Marshall, and Herman Sandlin, Dorothy Nell Beggs, Helen Evans, Marion Benjamin of Vivian visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll and family Sunday evening.

Miss Mildred Solis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Solis, has returned to Canyon to attend school again after a visit with her parents on Thanksgiving.

Raymond Gibson of Black spent Saturday night and Sunday with Milburn Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nichols and children of the Black community spent from Thursday night until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Clester Whatley and family.

Mable and Dorothy Hall of Black spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. Claudius Carroll, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Edwards spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards of Thalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim V. Gamble and daughter of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett Thursday.

Culan Monkres of Vernon spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble spent Friday with their daughter, Mrs. Willie Garrett, near Crowell.

R. D. Stewart of Crowell visited Elton Carroll Monday night.

Hulan Monkres of Vernon spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger.

Lewie Henderson and children of Vernon spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whatley and Mr. and Mrs. Clester Whatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Claudius Carroll and son, Eugene, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall of Black.

#### RAYLAND

(By Annise Davis)

Mrs. Buck Clark took her small daughter, Gloria, to Vernon Saturday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Droigk spent last Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. A. Graf, and family of Lockett.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Neill and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Neill of Thalia and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Self of Talmage, spent last Sunday in the Truett Neill home here.

Miss Juanita Mansel spent from Wednesday until Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Edna Williams, of Vernon.

Will Wood and daughter of Thalia spent last Friday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Truett Neill, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ward of Thalia spent last Friday with her sister, Mrs. L. D. Mansel, and family.

J. N. Pierce was brought home Friday from a Vernon hospital where he had been for treatment for a sprained ankle and hip. He was crippled when he slipped and fell from the top of the boiler here 8 or 10 days ago. He is improving nicely.

Dr. Coleman of Vernon was called to see Mrs. J. M. Roberts, who is ill.

Mrs. J. C. Davis has been on the sick list several days. Her daughters, Mrs. S. G. Presley, of Chillicothe, and Mrs. Fred Taylor, of Margaret, stayed with her last week.

Rev. Charles Gilbert of Decatur filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church here Sunday and Sunday night. Large crowds attended each service.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Abston visited Mrs. W. J. Abston of Riverside Sunday. Mrs. Abston is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ross of Five-in-One visited in the A. T. Boazley home Sunday.

The Baptists will begin a Bible study school here on December 30, continuing through January 3rd, beginning at 7 p. m. each night. Everybody is invited to attend.

#### FOARD CITY

(By Mrs. G. M. Canup)

Mrs. Elmer Davis of Dallas arrived here Monday to be with her mother, Mrs. Ned Stone, who has been ill for several months.

C. G. McLain and Dick Crosnoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Owens at Lockett last Sunday.

Several of this community have been sick with flu.

M. E. Welch of Anna is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Welch, Jack Welch, who is attending school at Texas Tech, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Callaway of Crowell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Callaway.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Halbert attended a farm agriculture meeting at Dallas a few days last week.

Mrs. J. H. McDaniel spent Saturday with Mrs. Claude Callaway of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Billington

and Mrs. John Todd of Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Owens of Lockett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Owens.

J. W. McDaniel of Truscott spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel.

Mrs. W. R. Ferguson of Crowell visited Mrs. E. V. Halbert a while Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Ned Stone is improving some, and also the O. N. Baker family, who have had the flu for several weeks.

The W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. T. F. Welch Monday, Dec. 17. All members are urged to be present and visitors are welcome.

#### TRUSCOTT

(By Mrs. D. C. Hutton)

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Barton Abbott is ill with scarlet fever at their home here.

Deane Hutton was in Knox City Tuesday, having some dental work done.

The district meeting of the I. O. O. F. and Rebecca lodges held their convention here Tuesday night.

Mrs. Wiley Pippin of Chillicothe is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. P. Smartt, this week.

John Black made a business trip to Benjamin Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldan Boone and

son, who have been visiting Mrs. A. P. Smartt, left Tuesday for their home in Wichita Falls.

Friends of J. B. (Julian) Madole are very sad over his tragic death in an automobile accident in Wichita Falls last week. His body was laid away in the Gorce Cemetery.

The last P. T. A. program of this year will be given Thursday night at the school auditorium.

The Baptist Missionary Society had their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. J. M. Young Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. Stephens, Baptist minister of Graham, preached here Wednesday night.

There will be a Will Rogers memorial service at the school auditorium Friday night.

R. L. Smith and family moved to the Binch home Monday.

The Methodist Missionary Society held its Christmas party in connection with its regular work Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Claude Gerald and sons, Charles and Kenneth, and Mrs. B. L. Bates visited Mrs. Frank Gilland at the hospital in Crowell Sunday.

J. L. (Dad) Bates has been ill and was taken to Knox City Sunday for treatment.

Betty McKinney, 7, of Newburg didn't have to undergo an operation, because she coughed as she was preparing to remove a whistle she had swallowed.

Dayi, of El Aziz, 127-years-old has outlived seven wives, has children, 32 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

General George A. Custer, who was a cadet at West Point receiving 812 demerits, only 23 short of the number which meant dismissal, committed 453 offenses.

Uncle Billy Isom, Civil War veteran of Linton, Ind., said it was more important to dig potatoes in his garden before the freeze than to celebrate his ninety-third birthday.

Albert Carmanico, Ottawa wrestler, is a champion doughnut eater. He ate 104 doughnuts in minutes.

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| Name                     | No. Tubes | Kind                         | Table Cabinet | Price               |
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| R C A                    | 6         | metal, electric, table       | -----         | 42.00               |
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| R C A                    | 7         | metal, electric, table       | -----         | 65.00               |
| R C A                    | 8         | metal, magic brain           | -----         | 82.10               |
| R C A                    | 10        | metal, magic B and Magic eye | -----         | 129.95              |
| Zenith                   | 6         | farm set, set only           | -----         | 69.95               |
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## WOMACK BROTHERS

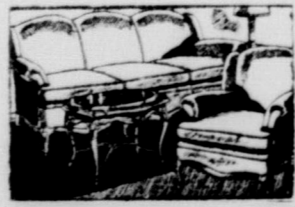
# WOMACK BROS. BIG SALE

Began Last Friday, and Will Close Dec. 24th at 6 P. M.

While we have sold many pieces, we still have a good stock to select from. We have bed room suites, living room suites, dining room suites and breakfast room suites, cedar chests, trunks, lockers, zipper bags and suit cases.

All kinds of odd tables, most of them in solid walnut or veneered, matched "butt" walnut; coffee, occasional, reading, radio and end tables.

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While you are privileged to buy for cash far below their real value, why not consider some of the items named below as gifts?

| Bed Room Suites       | Wool Rugs 9x12 size               | Living Room Suites            |
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| FOR CASH              | FOR CASH                          | FOR CASH                      |
| \$34.69 Up to \$80.69 | \$15.00 to \$38.50                | \$32.75 to \$81.25            |
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AN AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC IRON and a "NEW" Coleman "Kerosene" Lamp Free AS ADVERTISED LAST WEEK—TO ONE BUYING LARGEST SINGLE BILL DURING THIS SALE, FOR CASH. READ LAST WEEK'S PAPER

# WHAT YOU ARE GOING TO DO ABOUT CONDITION OF YOUR SCHOOL?

HOW can the Crowell schools continue to operate with DELINQUENT taxes amounting to—

## \$35,000

Only through sacrifice of the teachers and members of the local school staff have our schools been able to function in the past several years.

No additional indebtedness has been created by your school district, although two SELF-LIQUIDATING projects, the gymnasium and stadium, have been added to the system without involving any additional cost to the taxpayers.

### IT'S UP TO YOU

It is impossible for your school board to keep YOUR schools in operation without your co-operation and ACTION on your part is imperative at this time.

If you can't pay all of your current and delinquent taxes, then pay a part of the amount.

In making this appeal, we sincerely thank those who have made efforts and sacrifices in keeping paid up. Such co-operation has kept the schools going and sacrifices from OTHERS is absolutely NECESSARY if our schools are to continue in operation.

NO PENALTY—NO INTEREST—NO COSTS

For a limited time, payment of delinquent taxes will be accepted without interest, penalty or costs.

SAVE by paying your school taxes NOW!

## Crowell Ind. School District

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Items from Neighboring Communities

THALIA

(By Minnie Wood)

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray and Mrs. Matthews visited Rev. C. R. Cox, Mrs. A. Stovall, Mrs. W. L. Cox, Mrs. A. W. Gray, Mrs. Clyde Bray, Mrs. C. H. Wood, Mrs. E. S. Flesher, Mrs. L. A. Roberts and Miss Minnie Wood attended the Harvest Day program of the W. M. S. at the Methodist Church in Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Scott's baby, George Louis, had the misfortune of drinking gasoline Saturday night and is in great danger of developing pneumonia as his lungs are blistered.

HERD OF JERSEYS AT TEXAS

A. & M. HOLDS U. S. RECORD

College Station, Texas, Dec. 11.—When it comes to the production of butter fat, which is the yardstick by which the efficiency of dairy cows is measured, the Jersey herd of the Texas A. & M. College holds the highest record in the United States for a herd of its size and breed.

RIVERSIDE

(By Bonnie Schroeder)

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Young and children spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Corzine, of Odell.

FRIDAY NIGHT

Dec. 13—7:30 p. m. at THALIA School Auditorium

The college mess hall is the largest consumer of its products, taking about 6,000 1/2-pints of sweet milk a day in addition to a large volume of milk chocolate, cottage cheese, butter milk and ice cream.

PROTOS FOR CHRISTMAS

Your package will not be complete without your photograph—a gift that only you can buy. Think it over and COME IN EARLY.

Christmas money GOES FARTHER

WHEN YOU SHOP FIRST AT THE Rexall DRUG STORE

So many gifts to buy... and only so much money to spend on them. That's the problem. Simplify it by shopping first at the Rexall Drug Store where you get the most in style and quality for your money.

GOOD CREEK

(By Viedie Phillips)

Mr. J. T. Cox and sons, A. L. and Carl Cox, left last Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lou Haynes, of Dallas.

WATCH YOUR KIDNEYS!

Be Sure They Properly Cleanse the Blood YOUR kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as nature intended—fail to remove impurities that poison the system when retained.

NOTICE

I have taken over the management of the HELPY SELFY LAUNDRY. We will endeavor, as it has always been the policy of this LAUNDRY, to give you service that will please you.

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(Mrs. Clint Simmons)

Mr. J. K. Albin and daughter, Monte, Paducah spent part of last week with friends here.

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## SUBSCRIPTION LIST GROWS AT FOARD CO. NEWS

The fall subscription campaign for The Foard County News is progressing in a very satisfactory manner. Many renewals are received each day, either for The News alone, or for some of our many clubbing offers which bring a saving to our readers. Many new subscribers are also being added.

If you have not attended to the matter of securing your reading matter for next year, see us at an early date, for we can save you money on this important item for 1936.

**RETURNS TO TEXAS**

Sam M. Braswell, for 18 years owner and editor of the Clarendon News, sold this newspaper several months ago and moved to Colorado where he again entered newspaper work, however, his stay in Colorado was short and he has returned to Texas and is now one of our closest neighbors. He assumed his duties as editor and publisher of the Paducah Post on December 1. The paper is owned by E. A. Carlock, veteran publisher of West Texas.

We join in welcoming Sam Braswell and his wife back to West Texas and glad that he is a close neighbor.

**BLAMING MR. MOFFETT**

Of all the big-city papers in Texas that are sore about the liquor control bill which the legislature passed, the sorest is the Houston Press. It just can't get over it.

It has been looking around for somebody on whom to center its criticism, and it has decided that George Moffett, representative from the Chillicothe district, is the real author of the big cities' troubles.

It has a double mad at him. It is mad about the liquor bill. It is mad because there has been no legislative redistricting since the last census, a fact for which Mr. Moffett is largely responsible. A recent issue of The Press contained a lengthy article about the Northwest Texan and his legislative activities, also an editorial about him, entitled "Small Town Dictators."

The Press might as well reconcile itself. The legislators and senators from the largest cities are not going to be allowed to dominate the legislature, as to liquor laws or anything else. The constitutional amendment sponsored by Mr. Moffett will be submitted in November of next year, and it is virtually certain of adoption. It will restrict the more populous counties to seven members until one of them passes the 700,000 mark in population. After attaining that figure, it can have an additional legislator for each additional 100,000 inhabitants.

There is something more back of this proposal than the inherent antagonism of the rural individual, the small town individual and the lesser city individual, toward the big city. That something is the knowledge, based on the official records, of the reactionary attitude of most of the members from the large cities. Most of the forward-looking efforts in legislation in recent years have encountered the stubborn opposition of these big-city members. Most of the corporation-dominated members of both houses are those who represent the big cities.

The three most populous counties in Texas have about one-sixth of the total population. To give them representation on a straight population basis would enable them to bulk entirely too large in legislative affairs.

There is no danger of the legislature being dominated by "rural" legislators, as The Press seems to fear. There are a good many Texans outside of the four largest cities who are not rural either in residence or in their outlook on public questions. Texas has 70 communities of 5,000 to 100,000 population, with a total population of over a million. That is adequate safeguard against the rural domination which the Houston Press regards with such fear. It is likewise adequate safeguard against big-city domination.

Mr. Moffett lives in one of the smaller towns of Texas, but he has a knowledge of governmental affairs and a sincerity of purpose that many of the large-city legislators lack. In his efforts at Austin he has been serving, not so much the small town as against the city, but all Texas.—From Wichita Daily Times.

## Information for Convenience of Foard Cotton Producers

The following table has been prepared for the convenience of cotton producers who wish to determine the amount of subsidy payment due on cotton already sold. These figures represent the average price per pound as reported on the ten markets.

To determine the amount of subsidy payment due on a bale of cotton, find the date in the table below, on which the cotton was sold and subtract the price listed on that date from 12 cents and the result will be the amount per pound due in subsidy payment. For example:

A 490 pound (net lint) bale of cotton was sold on Oct. 15th. From the table it is determined that the average price on that date is 10.84 cents per pound. Subtracting 10.84 from 12.00 leaves 1.16. Therefore 490 pounds at 1.16 per pound equals \$5.68 subsidy payment.

It will be noted that the period from Nov. 14 to Nov. 25 indicates a price of 12 cents or more; consequently there will be no subsidy payment due on cotton sold during this period or on other dates that the price is above 12 cents.

| September |       | October  |       | November |       | December |       |
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| Sept. 3   | 10.39 | Sept. 4  | 10.45 | Nov. 1   | 11.18 | Dec. 2   | 11.95 |
| Sept. 5   | 10.42 | Sept. 6  | 10.48 | Nov. 4   | 11.14 | Dec. 5   | 11.98 |
| Sept. 7   | 10.44 | Sept. 8  | 10.49 | Nov. 6   | 11.21 | Dec. 6   | 11.94 |
| Sept. 10  | 10.60 | Sept. 11 | 10.58 | Nov. 8   | 11.48 | Dec. 7   | 11.95 |
| Sept. 12  | 10.51 | Sept. 13 | 10.49 | Nov. 12  | 11.80 | Dec. 9   | 11.78 |
| Sept. 14  | 10.38 | Sept. 15 | 10.55 | Nov. 14  | 12.02 | Dec. 11  | 12.07 |
| Sept. 17  | 10.45 | Sept. 18 | 10.44 | Nov. 16  | 12.10 | Dec. 12  | 12.00 |
| Sept. 19  | 10.63 | Sept. 20 | 10.58 | Nov. 19  | 12.02 | Dec. 13  | 12.06 |
| Sept. 21  | 10.46 | Sept. 23 | 10.48 | Nov. 21  | 12.21 | Dec. 15  | 12.02 |
| Sept. 24  | 10.55 | Sept. 25 | 10.49 | Nov. 23  | 12.05 | Dec. 16  | 12.01 |
| Sept. 26  | 10.44 | Sept. 27 | 10.41 | Nov. 26  | 11.99 | Dec. 17  | 12.01 |
| Sept. 28  | 10.41 | Sept. 30 | 10.40 | Nov. 29  | 11.96 | Dec. 19  | 11.90 |

## Honor Roll—

(Continued from Page One)

Lee Thompson, Maxene Thompson, Joe Mark Magee, Joyce White, Virginia Hough, Minnie Ola Ballard, Theda Wright, Frances Henry Johnson, Mary Housouer, Sibyl Clapp, Mary Catherine Lankford, Julia Pape, Elizabeth Briscoe, Pauline Branch, Billy Ownbey, Leroy Gibson, Oran Johnson, Clyde Eddy, Jack Fitzgerald, Pauline Adams, Daniel Briscoe, Wayne Cobb, Charles Davis, Ralph Flesher, Dorene Gibson, B. J. Henry, J. M. Hill, Syble Mullins, Daurice Ray Naron, Marjorie Pechacek, Reed Sanders, Stanley Sanders, Halley Sellers, Edward Tarrentine, Rylie Adams, Ruby Adams, Julie Halenack, Isabelle Lankford, Jean Orr, Clonita Russell, Kenneth Archer, Mellard Carroll, Rudolf Halenack, Harry Harwell, Bobbie Joe Myers, Donald Ward, Willford Ellis.

Perfect Attendance—Robert Bommar, Marvin McKown, John Lee Orr, J. C. Rader, Leroy Steele, Maxene Thompson, Joe Mark Magee, George Burress, Virginia Hough, Ted Crosnoe, Theda Wright, Thelma Lois Moore, Jany Dee Coffey, Frances Henry Johnson, Margaret Long, Charlie Clark, Wanda Liles, Alice Burns, Gene Fox, Que Meason, Glendon Russell, Julia Pape, Mary Catherine Lankford, Verne Joy, Billy Ownbey, Leroy Gibson, H. C. Brown, Billy Bradshaw, A. Y. Bell, Joe Wallace Beverly, Daniel Briscoe, Edna Lou Briscoe, Doris Campbell, Wayne Cobb, Ralph Flesher, Iva Ruth Gafford, Dorene Gibson, Fay Griffin, J. M. Hill, Billy Klepper, Joe Wells, June Billington, Rita Jo Bruce, Julie Halenack, Isabelle Lankford, Jean Orr, Clonita Russell, Virginia Thomas, Kenneth Archer, Mellard Carroll, Harry Harwell, J. T. Hughton, John Clark Long, Leland McKown, Bobbie Myers, Chad Nelson, Alton Roark, Donald Ward, Ray Burrow, Mary Evelyn Edwards, Dorothy Jane Greening, Wanda Jo Ketchersid, Mary Katherine McMillan, Ray Davis, Gene Fitzgerald, Clay Vessel, Alma Lee Bryant, Wanda B. Cobb, Billy Scott Bruce, Nalley McClure, John Thomas Raser, Sandra Jo Bell, Mentie Edith Briscoe, Recie Bea Stone, Pat McDaniel, Billie Joe Copeland, Doris Evelyn Denton, Avalon Jane Smith, Velma Stiz, Bobby Cooper, Edgar B. Spears, Larry Dan Campbell, Horace Todd, Harold Thomson, Charlene Larkford, Oleta McHary, Faye Oldham, Louis Mills, Naomi Eubanks, Leta Jo Carroll, De Alva Thomas, Bobbie McDaniels, Glendon Hays, Marie Miller, Lee Ford Stone, Rovenelle Crane, Oleta McDaniel, Dorothy Jean Thompson.

**Haystack Popular in Mexico**

Because donkeys are more plentiful than pitchforks in most parts of the central plateau of Mexico, the haystack is one of the most remarkable features of the landscape. The stack is invariably shaped like a loaf of home-made bread, with a slightly bulged top, and cutaway ends. Instead of pitching hay with a fork, the Mexican farmer drops it into position with a burro. As the stack mounts higher and higher, the work of the burro grows increasingly difficult. He climbs up one side of the stack with his load of hay, drops the load on the top, and then descends to the other side. When the stack attains the desired height and length, its ends, which have served as a ramp, are cut away with a machete.—Detroit News.

## Pensions Chief



Orville S. (Dick) Carpenter, Dallas businessman and State Auditor, was named executive director of the old-age assistance commission by the new three-member board November 20. As State Auditor, Carpenter made a survey in September and reported to the Legislature on the "Cost and General Plan for Old Age Pensions." The pension law reflects his report in many ways.

Carpenter came to Austin when Allied appointed him August 1 to reorganize the Office of the State Auditor. Surveys on pensions, liquor, and fees were presented to the Legislature. Other reports have been on taxation, bank deposit interest, and a number of minor subjects.

At present the State Auditor is conducting audits of the Banking Department and State Treasury.

Mr. Carpenter will resign as State Auditor and take the pension directorship when the new law goes into effect next February.

## No Assistance from Agents Required for Old Age Pensions

Austin.—State Auditor Orville S. Carpenter, recently named Executive Director of the Old Age Assistance Commission effective February 14, declared this week that no one, regardless of race or color, would be discriminated against, and stated that old people will be able to get pensions without assistance from agents.

"Many inquiries regarding our policy toward negroes and Mexicans have been received. Inquirers have asked whether or not members of these races would receive the same amount of pension as members of other races. We want it clearly understood that there will be no discrimination against anyone because of race or color," Mr. Carpenter declared.

"No attorneys, unofficial agents, or firms will be needed to help old people obtain pensions. Applications will be handled through local agents. These have not been named.

"Old people will be able to get their pensions July 1, 1936, if funds are available. Application forms will be prepared February 14, 1936, and will be given to local agents. All applications will be handled through local men; however, the law provides that an applicant can appeal to the Commission if he or she is turned down.

"Pensions will be given those who are entitled to them if and when funds have been provided. The new law does not go into effect until February 14," State Auditor Carpenter explained.

Mr. Carpenter expects to visit Washington this week and have the Texas pension law approved by the Social Security Board. From Washington he will travel to New York and study the state pension system there, which is the largest and one of the oldest systems in the United States.

## WHEAT CONTROL ASS'N. MAKES STATEMENT OF OCT.-NOV. EXPENDITURE

The statement of expenditure of the Foard County Wheat Production Control Association during the months of October and November, 1935, follows:

**October**

Committee help, county community committees for services in securing wheat applications \$46.50. Clerical Assistant \$96.00. A total of \$142.50.

**November**

Committee help, county community committees for services in securing wheat applications \$130.50. Clerical Assistant \$75.00. A total of \$205.50.

## WILL ROGERS MEMORIAL FUND

Local Committee for Foard County

To The Foard County News: Wishing to have a part in perpetuating the memory of one of our most beloved and useful citizens, I enclose herewith my contribution to the Will Rogers Memorial Fund. I understand that this gift will be added to others from Foard County and will go without deductions whatsoever to the National Fund to be expended also without any deduction, as the Memorial Committee may determine.

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

## PLAY AT THALIA

The Thalia school auditorium will be the scene of a three-play, "A Girl in a Thousand" which will be presented Friday night of this week by the Young People's Department of the Methodist Church at Margaret.

The play was well received when presented last Saturday night. The admission is 15 cents.

**WEDNESDAY**  
 Dec. 18—7:30 p. m.  
 High School Auditorium

**THREE**  
 One-Act Plays  
 "The Worm"  
 "Elmer"  
 "A Different Kind of Christmas"  
 COMEDY—DRAMA  
 15c and 25c

**EL PASO TO STAGE SENTENNIAL EVENT**

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 11.—Brilliant festivity will feature the gay Sun Carnival, New Year's day celebration at El Paso which will open 1936 with an official Centennial year event.

The Sun Carnival will carry Centennial year interest to the far southwestern corner of Texas, being planned to depict in parade and pageant the section's thrilling history which is recorded back to the days of the cliff dwellers. Fifteen cities of West Texas, Southern New Mexico, and Southwestern Arizona will join El Paso in the carnival.

**Santa Claus Letters**

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I want a table tennis set, sensational kick-back game, 146-piece printing set, 3-in-1 gym outfit, genuine geyroscope top, climbing tank, speed clock for velocipedes, scooter. With love,  
 Roy Joe Cates.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I want a big doll, nuts, stick of candy and fruit. Mother says that I could stay down at grandmother's when Christmas comes and I want a little kitten too.  
 Your friend,  
 Mary Ellen.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I am a little girl 3 years old and have tried to be a good little girl. I am expecting a visit from you. Please bring me a big doll, a little wagon, scissors and a little iron.  
 Love,  
 Jimmie Ruth Alston.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 We are two little boys, I, Clark, am 8 years old, and I, Victor, am 6 years old. We go to school at Foard City. We want you to bring us a blackboard, chalk and eraser and two Pop-Eye school companion and set of blocks, candy, nuts and fruit. Please don't forget our baby nephew, Billy Wayne Barton, at Electra.  
 Your little friends,  
 Clark and Victor Christian.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I want a doll and a bed, candy, fruit, a wagon, a pet cat and rat, Christmas tree, a dress, a ball, bird, rabbit, dog, and car and table and dishes. Your friend,  
 Modean.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I want a doll buggy, a doll, candy, fruit, nuts, some fireworks. I am 8 and have tried to be good all year.  
 Your friend,  
 Evelyn Bradford.

Dear Santa Claus:  
 I am writing you to let you know what I want you to bring me. I want a big doll and doll bed, some candy and nuts.  
 With love from,  
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 Movie Classic 1 year  
 Needlecraft 1 year  
 Open Road (Boys) 2 years  
 Parents Magazine 6 mos.  
 Pathfinder (weekly) 1 year  
 Pictorial Review 1 year  
 Progressive Farmer 1 year  
 Romantic Stories 1 year  
 Screen Book 1 year  
 Southern Agriculturist 1 year  
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 Judge 1 year  
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Select One Magazine

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 Country Home 6 mo  
 Christian Herald 6 mo  
 Dixie Poultry Journal 1 yr  
 The Farm Journal 1 yr  
 Gentleman Magazine 1 yr  
 Good Stories 1 yr  
 Home Circle 1 yr  
 Home Friend 1 yr  
 Household Magazine 1 yr  
 Illustrated Mechanics 1 yr  
 Mother's Home Life 1 yr  
 Needlecraft 1 yr  
 Poultry Tribune 1 yr  
 Progressive Farmer 1 yr  
 Southern Agriculturist 1 yr  
 Successful Farming 1 yr  
 Woman's World 1 yr  
 Woman's World 1 yr  
 Everybody's Poultry Mag. 1 yr

**GROUP-B**

Select Three Magazines

American Poultry Journal 1 yr  
 Country Home 6 mo  
 Dixie Poultry Journal 1 yr  
 The Farm Journal 1 yr  
 Gentleman Magazine 1 yr  
 Good Stories 1 yr  
 Home Circle 1 yr  
 Home Friend 1 yr  
 Household Magazine 1 yr  
 Illustrated Mechanics 1 yr  
 Mother's Home Life 1 yr  
 Needlecraft 1 yr  
 Poultry Tribune 1 yr  
 Progressive Farmer 1 yr  
 Southern Agriculturist 1 yr  
 Successful Farming 1 yr  
 Woman's World 1 yr  
 Woman's World 1 yr  
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# Locals

For the kids at M. S. Henry & Co. \$9.50 Congoleum rugs for \$8.00 and \$8.45.—Womack Bros. Extra long warehouse broom at Ringgold's Variety. Cedar chests and card tables at M. S. Henry & Co. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hooks visited relatives Sunday in Lefors, Texas. Felt yard goods 45c to 55c per yard—Womack Bros. Will pay 14c and 16c for hens Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13 and 14.—Crowell Poultry & Egg. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blanton of Vernon visited in the home of Mrs. G. W. Walthall Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Otis Ross were visitors in Wichita Falls Wednesday. Mrs. H. S. Chandler of Wichita Falls was here last week visiting her sister, Mrs. E. W. Burrow, and husband. Personal stationery in cabinets will make a nice Christmas present. Come in and see our stock.—The Foard County News. Claude Callaway made a trip to San Antonio this week with G. B. Moore to inspect the Medina irrigated section near that city. Mrs. W. R. Tuttle and Mrs. E. L. Howard visited in Quanah last Friday in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Dave Thomson. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Powers and daughter, Annie, of Los Angeles, Calif., visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ab Fox. They were en route to Tulsa, Okla., to visit relatives. Miss Opal Barry of Wichita Falls was here to attend the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill. Mrs. Hartley Easley and Misses Nona and Gladys Owens accompanied her home the first part of the week. T. L. Hughston made a business trip to Fort Worth this week, going down Sunday morning. He was accompanied by Mrs. T. M. Beverly who will visit relatives in McKinney. Within a short time, it will be known whether or not Foard County has another good oil producer. An oil bearing lime has been reached at a depth of about 3,637 feet in the Texas Company No. 10 L. K. Johnson test west of Crowell. The No. 9 well was completed near the present depth of No. 10.

# 1936 OPPORTUNITIES

People who are interested in the available opportunities for the most promising during the New Year should investigate the Holiday Plan offered by the Business College of Wichita Falls, Texas. Many men and young women entered this training school a few months ago and are now in positions of trust and responsibility. 1936 promises continuation of improved conditions and employment. Write for special information.

# WICHITA FALLS BUSINESS COLLEGE

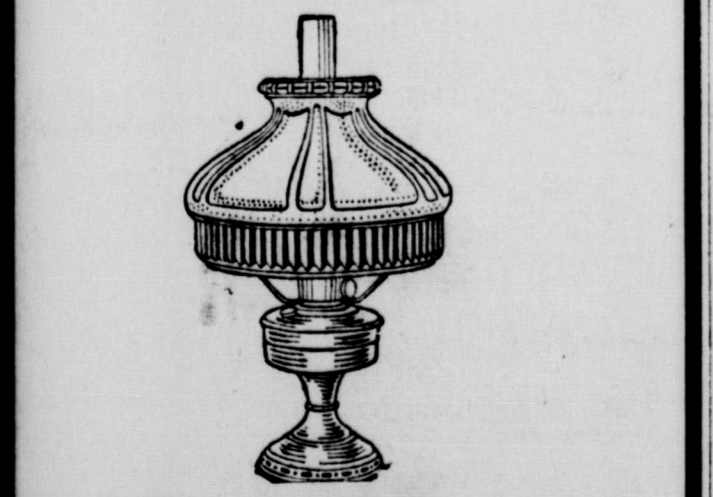
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# M. S. Henry & Co.

Furniture for Every Nook in the Home

A good milk cow for sale at a bargain.—M. S. Henry & Co. Mr. and Mrs. Dow Miller were here this week from Wink, returning home today. Read our full page ad last week for big sale prices.—Womack Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Self and daughter, Miss Allison, spent Wednesday in Dallas. Tuesday marked the 46th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cook of Crowell.

Will pay 14c and 16c for hens Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13 and 14.—Crowell Poultry & Egg. Personal stationery in cabinets will make a nice Christmas present. Come in and see our stock.—The Foard County News.

Just received a big shipment of hot oven pottery, an ideal Xmas gift. 35c to \$1.25.—M. S. Henry & Co. G. D. Owens of Lubbock was here Wednesday looking after his farming interests. He returned home this morning. Furniture for every nook in the home.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Rev. Martin T. Pope, pastor of the First Christian Church at Hobart, Okla., filled the pulpit Sunday at the local Christian Church. Mrs. B. F. Hooks and daughter, Miss Rachel Hooks, of Quanah, Texas, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Hooks' son, Gus Hooks, and wife.

You will find just the gift you want at M. S. Henry & Co. Personal stationery in cabinets will make a nice Christmas present. Come in and see our stock.—The Foard County News.

Flash lights 45c to \$2.25.—M. S. Henry & Co. A few changes have been made in the Wallace Barber Shop during the past week. The three chairs that were parallel to the west wall are now parallel to the north wall of the shop. Xmas tree light sets at M. S. Henry & Co. Semi-Weekly Farm News (Dallas) and The Foard County News, both for one year—\$2.00. You can buy it for less, this sale.—Womack Bros.

Mrs. Beulah Klepper and son, Otis, and Miss Margaret Curtis visited Mrs. Klepper's son, Ira, at Fort Hill, Okla., Saturday. Ira, who is with the U. S. Army, was ill in a Fort Hill hospital at the time. He is recovering satisfactorily. Our sale is still on.—Womack Brothers.

Mrs. J. W. Bell was returned home from Dallas last week by her husband. Mrs. Bell had been in Dallas for seven weeks for medical treatment. She is recovering satisfactorily, but will return to Dallas Sunday for an examination. Furniture for every nook in the home and the price is right.—M. S. Henry & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patton of Minneapolis, Minn., and Carroll Mills of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, were in Foard County this week looking after farming interests. They were guests Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bell.

Mrs. Willie Ball of Dallas visited Saturday night and Sunday morning with her sister, Mrs. F. A. Davis, and her brother, John Rasor. She attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dwight McFarland, who was buried in Quanah Sunday afternoon. She accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Rasor.

Mrs. D. S. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roberts and B. R. Todd, all of Thral, and Mrs. Ross Durham of Houston, daughter of Mrs. Roberts, visited from Sunday until Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Todd. Mrs. D. S. Todd is the mother of Jeff Todd, Mrs. Roberts and B. R. Todd.

Mrs. M. W. Clark of Truscott, wife of the pastor of the Methodist Churches of Truscott and Foard City, was in Crowell Monday visiting Mrs. Paul Shirley, Mrs. J. M. Allee, and other old-time friends in Crowell. Rev. and Mrs. Clark lived in Crowell 28 years ago at which time he was pastor of the Crowell church.

### ATTEND FUNERAL SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. J. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gentry and Misses Lottie and Grace Russell of Crowell, and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Grimsley and Mrs. J. A. Stovall of Thalia, attended the funeral of Miss Merle Green, 19, of Levelland, who died in the hospital at Lubbock Thursday of last week. The funeral was held at the Methodist Church in Levelland Friday afternoon.

Miss Green was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Green of Levelland and a sister of Cone Green, former teacher in the Thalia school. She was a student in Texas Tech at the time she was taken ill.

# Rialto Gets Early Release on Famous Paramount Picture

The Rialto Theatre will be one of the first theatres of the State to show "Millions in The Air," a Paramount picture described as "the surprise hit of the year" and a production better than "Every Night at Eight."

This picture, featuring a great all-star cast, will be shown at the Saturday night preview, Sunday and Monday. "Special Agent," with Bette Davis and George Brent, will be shown Tuesday and Wednesday. Gary Cooper and Ann Harding appear in "Peter Ibbetson," which is being shown tonight and Friday.

# Mrs. Bagley Died at Vernon Sunday

Mrs. Jo Neta Bagley, 58, former resident of the Margaret community, died at a Vernon hospital Sunday after a brief illness. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Vernon Church of Christ, with Elder R. L. Colley in charge. Interment was in the East View Cemetery of Vernon. Pall bearers were W. A. Dunn, Roy Ayers, E. W. Chaney, J. B. Gatewood, L. A. Goodman and L. D. Campbell.

Mrs. Bagley had been making her home with a son, Clyde Bagley, of Vernon. Survivors include the following children: Miss Lucille Bagley, Clyde and Taylor Bagley, and Mrs. P. D. Chaney, all of Vernon, and Corana Bagley of Williams, N. M. The following four brothers also survive: John Mobley, Fort Worth; Oscar and Lee Mobley of Stephenville, and Luther Mobley of San Bernar, Mo.

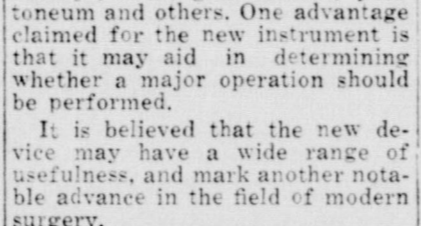
# A HUMAN PERISCOPE

Inner secrets of the human body may be revealed by a new instrument, a sort of periscope, developed by Dr. J. C. Ruddle of Los Angeles, and recently exhibited before the American College of Surgeons at its recent convention in San Francisco.

The instrument consists principally of a very slender metal tube, with a tiny electric light on one end, and an eyepiece on the other. The tube is inserted in the abdominal cavity, or other part of the body which it is desired to explore. Only a small opening is required to admit the periscope, and air is pumped into the body with a small atomizer to hold open the place being examined.

The organs readily examined by this means include the stomach, kidneys, liver, gall bladder, peritoneum and others. One advantage claimed for the new instrument is that it may aid in determining whether a major operation should be performed. It is believed that the new device may have a wide range of usefulness, and mark another notable advance in the field of modern surgery.

# BRITISH WAR CHIEF



Alfred Duff Cooper, former financial secretary to the treasury, who has been named war minister of Great Britain by Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin. His wife is the famous beauty, Lady Diana Manners.

# TIGERS' SOLE OWNER



Walter O. Briggs, a well known manufacturer, is now sole owner of the Detroit Tigers, having bought the half interest in the ball club held by the late Frank Navin.

# WITH FIRST BRIDGE

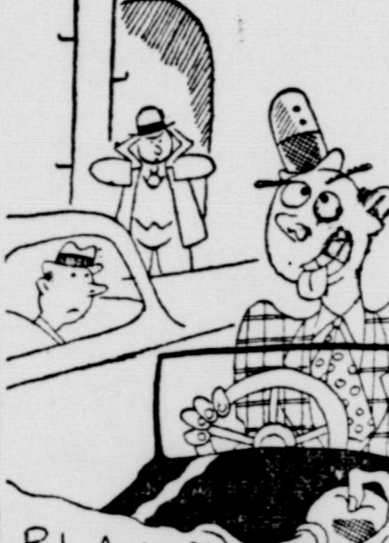
W. A. (Ras) Connor reports that he and a brother, B. D. Connor, who now lives at Madisonville, Texas, worked on the first Pease River bridge in 1890. "I was about 13 then and drove a team for a week on some dirt work," Ras stated. "At that time his home was in Old Margaret."

# Four Classes of Indian Pipes

Indian pipes, according to a writer in the Kansas City Times, are of four classes, personal pipes, medicine pipes, council pipes and peace pipes. The personal pipe is smaller than the others. The medicine pipes are usually decorated with fetiches. The council pipe frequently has ornate carving and feathers. The peace pipe has two or more stems, so several persons can smoke it at the same time.

# PUBLIC ENEMIES

# THE HORN BLOWER



Not only is the Horn Blower a nuisance but he is also one of the most dangerous users of the highways. By wrongly assuming that his horn will always give him the right-of-way, the Horn Blower causes many accidents. The good driver drives with his head — not his horn!

# Pneumonia Cause of Many Deaths

Austin, Texas, Dec. 12.—According to Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer, pneumonia causes over 4,700 deaths each year in Texas. It is more prevalent during the winter and spring months.

Pneumonia is usually caused by a germ called the pneumococcus, which many of us have lurking in our throats ready to start trouble when our resistance to it is lowered. We can keep up our resistance by avoiding undue fatigue and avoiding unnecessary exposure to extreme weather conditions. When we go out into the cold, additional wraps should be sufficient to protect us. Keeping the temperature of our homes as low as is consistent with comfort will greatly lessen the difficulties encountered in adjusting ourselves to the cold when we go out.

Another measure of prevention in pneumonia is not to neglect a cold, for the common cold often results in pneumonia when neglected. A person with a severe cold should stay at home and call his physician as a precautionary measure. Then he should follow his physician's advice until the cold has disappeared.

The successful treatment of a pneumonia case often depends upon beginning treatment very early. That is why a physician should be called at once in such cases. A patient may really have beginning pneumonia when he thinks it is only a cold. If the physician's advice is sought for the cold he will have an opportunity to start treatment early if pneumonia occurs in such cases.

# GOOD CREEK PROGRAM

A Christmas program will be held at the Good Creek school Thursday night, Dec. 19. Everyone is invited to attend. There will be a Christmas tree in connection with the program.

# FINE SWEET POTATOES

J. C. Davis of Rayland gave The News a sack of fine sweet potatoes that had been kiln dried at the plant located at Rayland. Mr. Davis superintends the curing of the potatoes.

# ROTARY LUNCHEON

Vern Walden was in charge of the program at the luncheon of the Rotary Club Wednesday. John Rasor and Eli Smith were the speakers. "Fair business competition" was the subject of Mr. Rasor's discussion. Mr. Smith talked on "How we may contribute to fair trade in business."

A committee composed of H. E. Ferguson, Jno. C. Roberts and J. E. Harwell was named to arrange details in connection with the ladies' night banquet Thursday, Dec. 19. Geo. D. Self announced plans for the Will Rogers program at Truscott Friday night of this week. C. H. McClellan of Wichita Falls was a visitor at the luncheon.

# PLAY AT VIVIAN

"Beads on a String," a three-act play will be presented Friday night, Dec. 20, at the Vivian school.

# Finland's National Bath Is Worth Talking About

In some country districts of Finland, both sexes frequently share the same vapor bath, for preparing the "sauna," as it is called, is an arduous task and the steam for one is enough for several people, according to a correspondent in the Detroit News.

All afternoon the housewife is kept busy heating great stones in the bath house oven. Then when the bath is—ready, as the case may be—is ready, she throws water over the rocks, so causing the room to fill with clouds of steam. Wishing to make the most of opportunity, Finnish bathers stay on a platform near the roof, where the hottest steam collects. Once respiration sets in, someone rubs the bather's back with a branch of birch leaves. The aroma from these is quite pleasant and fills the bath house.

After they have steamed well, the bathers like to cool off by taking a dip in one of Finland's many lakes. If there is none nearby, they must be satisfied with a cold shower, or in winter a hurried roll in a snow bank.

The Finns are so fond of their steam baths that farmers often build their bath houses before constructing their home, and all the large cities have public bath houses.

# LET CROWELL MERCHANTS Supply Your Christmas Needs

For your own benefit, as well as that of your town and county, give first consideration to your home merchants.

## CROWELL STATE BANK

# Such a Short Time

—till Christmas, and what would Christmas be without Gifts?

Better check your list over to make sure there is no loved one left off—then bring it to our store and you will be pleasantly surprised to find how easy it will be to select the gift that "Just Suits" every one on your list.

Gifts that combine beauty and usefulness, and best of all, not expensive, but unusual and distinctive.

We are glad to have you come in and look, whether you buy or not.

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### PRACTICAL GIFTS FOR MEN

MEN'S SUITS — Worsted suits you can wear with full confidence in your good appearance. Styled to appeal to men with conservative, but smart tailoring in fabrics that are good looking and sturdy.

A few suggestions—ROBES, UNDERWEAR, PAJAMAS, MUFFLERS, TIES, HATS, SHIRTS, GLOVES, HOSE.

### PRACTICAL GIFTS FOR WOMEN

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MEN!—It's your chance to buy her the sure-fire gift that never lacks enthusiastic welcomes.

Suggestions that will make shopping easy—PAJAMAS, SWEATERS, LINEN SETS, TOWELS, SHEETS, BED SPREADS, SLIPS, UNDERWEAR, GLOVES, PURSES.

## R. B. EDWARDS COMPANY

# Classified Ads

## For Sale

FOR FIRST CLASS sewing and alterations, see Mrs. Brasher at Grandma Todd's apartments. tf

FOR SALE — Sand and gravel, screened or pit run, 8 miles north of Crowell.—Geo. Randolph. 26p

FOR SALE—Bundle hegarri with large heads at farm.—T. M. Haney. 25p

FOR SALE—Medium size girl's bicycle, practically new. Can be seen at Self Motor Co. — Fay Webb. 25p

## Used Car Bargains

- 1934 6-wheel Chevrolet Sedan.
- 1934 Chevrolet Coupe.
- 1934 V8 4-Door Sedan.
- 1932 Ford Coupe.
- 1934 Chevrolet Pick-Up.
- Packard Coupe.
- 1933 Chevrolet Coach.

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**SUPERIOR OIL BURNERS**  
Easy to install in your coal or wood heaters. Greater heat for less money. Burns distillate, the cheapest fuel. Clean and convenient. Price \$7.50.—Capps Garage, Thalia, Texas. Paul Wallace, agent in Crowell. 25

## USED CARS

- 1934 Chevrolet Coupe.
- 1934 Ford Tudor.
- 1932 Chevrolet Coupe.
- 1930 Ford Roadster.
- 1929 Dodge Coupe.
- 1929 Pontiac Sedan.
- 1927 Model T Coupe.
- 1929 Ford Sedan.

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## For Rent

FOR RENT—Five-room house.—Mrs. Edith Bell. 25p

## Wanted

WILL BUY horses, mules, cattle.—Jim Cook, phone 204-M. tf

## POULTRY WANTED

Highest market prices paid for poultry and hides.—Ballard Produce Co. tf

WILL BUY fat mules and mares. See me at Johnson's barn, or call 162-M at night.—T. D. Roberts.

## Miscellaneous

FOUND at tent show Saturday night, 1932 class pin. Call at News office.

PERSONAL STATIONERY in cabinets will make a nice Christmas present. Come in and see our stock.—The Foard County News.

**GUARANTEED** Radio Service at reasonable cost. Leave calls at Womack Bros. Furniture or M. S. Henry & Co.—Ralph Johnson Radio Service, Munday, Texas. 31tf

**SORE THROAT — TONSILLITIS!** Nothing equals a good mop and instant relief is afforded by Anesthesia-Mop, the wonderful new sore throat remedy. Positive relief guaranteed or purchase price refunded at Reeder Drug Store. 33p

WILL TRADE for anything from garden hoe to Caterpillar tractor. If you want anything, see us. If we haven't got it, we'll tell you who has. Yours for swapping.—Bax Middlebrook, with Bursley-Long Implement Co. tf

**DON'T SCRATCH!** Get Paracide Ointment, the guaranteed Itch and Eczema remedy. Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to relieve it, eczema or other skin irritations promptly or purchase price refunded by—Ferguson Bros. 33p

## No Trespassing

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. tf

## NOTICE

Poison will be put out on lands belonging to Furd Halsell & Son soon after January 1 for the purpose of killing coyotes.—Furd Halsell & Son. 28

NO WOOD hauling, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on land owned or leased by me. Any violators will be persecuted to fullest extent of law.—W. B. Johnson. 39p

## CITATION

The State of Texas, County of Foard.

To Those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Rice Harris Cooper, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executors of the estate of Rice Harris Cooper, deceased, late of Foard County, Texas, by the County Court of Foard County, Texas, on the 28th day of October, 1935, hereby notify all persons indebted to said estate to

## MESCAL IKE

By S. L. HUNTLEY



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## CHURCHES

**Christian Science Church**  
Service Sunday at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock.  
The public is cordially invited. Sunday, Dec. 15, 1935. Subject: "God the Preserver of Man."

**Methodist Church**  
Two Sundays remain before the birth of the King of kings and Lord of lords. Shall we feast, make merry, exchange presents, and make profit while the Lord is excluded from the celebration of his own birthday? Such an unchristianity accompanied his advent, when it was recorded: "There was no room in the Inn." One way to remember Jesus is to be in the Sunday services. Another is to remember "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." Everyone should make some contribution to our orphans. We have room for forty who are excluded for lack of funds, your funds. May we not agree to exchange one present less with those who will return in kind to us and instead feed a child a week at the orphanage?  
GEO. E. TURRENTINE.

**East Side Church of Christ**  
Bible Lesson—10 a. m. Preaching—11 a. m. by A. L. Mitchell, pastor, of Vernon.

**Senior B. T. S. Program**  
Introduction—Vera Dawson. Discussion No. 1—Beulah Ivie. Discussion No. 2—Maud Lee Dawson. Discussion No. 3—Miss Young. Discussion No. 4—Roy Ownbey. Discussion No. 5—Herbert King.

**Christian Science Services**  
"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Dec. 15.  
The Golden Text is: "The Lord shall preserve thy going out and they coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore" (Psalms 121:8.)  
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord our God, he it is that brought us up and our fathers out of the land of Egypt, from the house of bondage, and which did those great signs in our sight, and preserved us in all the way wherein we went, and among all the people through whom we passed" (Joshua 24:17.)  
The Lesson-Sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Man, made in His likeness, possesses and reflects God's dominion over all the earth. Man and woman as co-existent and eternal with God forever reflect, in glorified quality, the infinite Father-Mother God" (page 516.)

The Christmas Seal this year depicts a young lady of the 1860's mailing a letter. In those days nobody knew the cause of tuberculosis. But we know today, and what is better, we know how to prevent and cure it. Christmas Seals raise money to help pay the cost of prevention.

While two gunmen were holding up Harry Wood, a hotel clerk in Chicago, the telephone rang. The gunmen dashed from the lobby without getting any money. Wood answered the phone. It was the wrong number.

come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law at their residence in Crowell, Foard County, Texas, where they receive their mail, this the 22nd day of November, 1935.

Robert Hill Cooper, C. P. Sandifer, Executors of the estate of Rice Harris Cooper, Deceased.

**Helps Babies Rest Ends Colic Pains Aids Digestion**  
When your baby tosses about, cries in pain and cannot sleep, why not get at the cause with McGee's Baby Elixir. It neutralizes indigestion acid, ends gas cramps and colic pains and then helps them become cheerful again. They sleep better. McGee's Baby Elixir is made of the purest medicinal extracts and syrup. It cannot harm. Years of use has proven that Simple Directions tell exactly how to use it. Tastes good. Gives relief promptly. Two sizes: 35c, 60c. (adv) FERGUSON BROS., DRUGGISTS REEDER'S DRUG STORE

## Santa Claus Letters

Dear Santa:  
I want a Shirley Temple doll, firecrackers, nuts, fruit and candy.  
Your friend,  
Loia Mae Fox.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a doll and a Christmas tree and a red car. I want a Mother Goose book and a little red ball. I want a knife and a piano. I am 8 years old. I go to Riverside school and am in the second grade.  
Your friend,  
Melba Doris Dunson.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I have a little big brother at home. He is 2 years old. He wants a big truck and a big red ball and a little play car. Please bring us some nuts, fruit, candy and fireworks.  
Your friend,  
Kenneth Ray Dunson.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want fruits and candy. I want firecrackers, fire truck, wagon, football, sparklers, sled, car, candies, wrecker car, a Santa with a racer in his bag, a book and a racer car and train.  
Your friend,  
Gerald Telford.

Dear Santa:  
I want some nuts, a ball, a soaker, firecrackers, some apples, a watch and knife and a car that hauls four cars.  
Your friend,  
Louis Pyle.

Dear Santa:  
I want nuts, fruit, and candy. I want a doll, buggy and a doll bed.  
Your friend,  
Peggy Hook.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want nuts, fruit, and candy. I want a doll, doll bed, doll dress, doll shoes and stockings.  
Your friend,  
Wanda Crisp.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a cowboy suit, tinker toys, fireworks, a bag of apples, oranges and a bag of candy. I have tried to be good all summer and winter.  
Your friend,  
J. W. Wade.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a scooter, nuts, fruit and candy.  
Your friend,  
Travis.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a wagon, truck, nuts, candy and fireworks.  
Your friend,  
Paul Johnson.

Dear Santa:  
I want a doll, a sled, fruit, candy, nuts, fireworks, a Christmas tree and a box of thread. I am 7 years old.  
Your friend,  
Juanita Higgs.

Dear Santa:  
I am 7 years old. I want a typewriter, nuts, fruit and candy.  
Your friend,  
Glenna Mae.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want nuts, fruit and candy. I want a truck, wagon, train, Christmas tree, gun and fireworks.  
Your friend,  
Herbert Buchanan.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want fruit, nuts and candy. I want a Mickey Mouse play watch, a train, a big box of candy, a boys

## FARM RADIO PROGRAMS

The following radio programs will be rendered over WBAP-WFAA from 11:30 to 11:50 a. m. for the week by the co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics of Texas A. & M. and U. S. Dept. of Agriculture:

Dec. 13 (1) Results of Agricultural Experiments, A. D. Jackson, Experiment Station Editor; (2) Rural Education, C. M. Elwell, State Dept. of Education.

Dec. 14 (1) A Spur to a Sound Agricultural Program, Jack Shelton, Vice Director and State Agt., Extension Service; George E. Adams, Assistant State Agt., Extension Service; Mildred Horton, Vice Director and State Home Demonstration Agent, Extension Service.; (2) Book Review, Mrs. F. L. Thomas, College Station, Texas.

Dec. 16 (1) A Future Farmer Skit, Herbert Mills, Sterling City, Texas. (2) Rural Rehabilitation, John H. Caulfield, Director of Information, Texas Resettlement Administration.

Dec. 17 (1) Dressing Up the House for the Christmas Holidays, Myrtle Murray, District Home Demonstration Agent. (2) How Should I Lay Out My Orchard and Plant My Trees?, Dr. Guy W. Adams, Head, Department of Horticulture.

Dec. 18. (1) Live Stock Judging, Dr. W. M. Beeson, Instructor in Animal Husbandry. (2) Ten Commandments for Dog Owners, Dr. A. E. Wharton, Professor of Veterinary Medicine.

Dec. 19 (1) Christmas Gifts that Will Help the Centennial Demonstrator, Omaha Jacks, Extension Landscape Gardening Specialist; Mrs. Bernice Claytor, Extension Home Improvement Specialist. (2) A Challenge to Stockmen, D. W. Williams, Head of the Department of Animal Husbandry.

Dec. 20 (1) Results of Agricultural Experiments, A. D. Jackson, Experiment Station Editor. (2) Rural Education, C. M. Elwell, Director of Information, State Department of Education.

Mickey Mouse ring, a Christmas tree and a toy farm yard, a plunger top and fireworks, I am 7 and in the first grade at Riverside school.  
Your friend,  
Sonny Boy Johnson.

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Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a doll, fruit, nuts and candy. I want a doll buggy, a Christmas tree, wagon, set of dishes, doll bed, doll house, piano, fireworks and a Shirley Temple doll. I have tried to be good all year. I am 7 years old.  
Your friend,  
Jean Telford.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a wagon, truck and some nuts, fireworks, candy, fruit and gun and scabbard for Christmas, and a knife and a watch too. Please will you Santa Claus. I am 8 years old.  
Your friend,  
Frankie.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want candy, nuts and doll bed. I am 7 years old and in the first grade.  
Your friend,  
Mozelle Featherston.

Dear Santa Claus:  
I want a scooter, a pair of boots and a wagon.  
Your friend,  
Milburn.

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Miss Myrna Holman.....Home Demonstration Agent

## Nine Varieties of Vegetables Growing in Garden at Vivian

At least nine varieties of vegetables are now growing in the garden of Mrs. T. W. Cooper, 1934 farm food supply demonstrator for the Vivian H. D. Club. These are collards, celery, cabbage, lettuce, turnips, carrots, mustard, onions and radishes.

Some of the carrots were left over from the spring garden and others planted about the first of September. Those planted in the fall are just a desirable size and are nice and tender, according to Mrs. Cooper. These will be left in the ground all winter since the roots do not freeze.

Several families have secured greens to can, Mrs. Cooper has canned a supply for her own family, and made a gallon of turnip kraut from her green patch and now says that the ones that have been used cannot be missed.

Mrs. Cooper also has a nice supply of celery cabbage. She says that this is the easiest vegetable to ever tried to grow and keeps it practically the year round. She finds it good as a cooked green or as a substitute for lettuce. She says that she likes it better than lettuce. By tying the tops together, some nice heads have been produced. The late cold weather did not bother the celery cabbage, but Mrs. Cooper has her hot bed all ready to plant with it when a hard freeze does come. In this way she plans to keep it through the winter.

The first girl to get started on her clothing demonstration for 1935 is Norma Jean Long, demonstrator for the Thalia 4-H Club. She is planning her clothing for

the year and keeping record of the clothing bought. Some home improvements include built-in closet in her room is to be improved by paper light color, putting in shelve a rod and by adding accessories such as hat and shoe racks.

A recreation period was held. The next meeting is Dec. 3 with all but six members present. Members answered call that they were going the material for a slip, a underclothes or pajamas. Holman gave each member with some good health hints and things to check.

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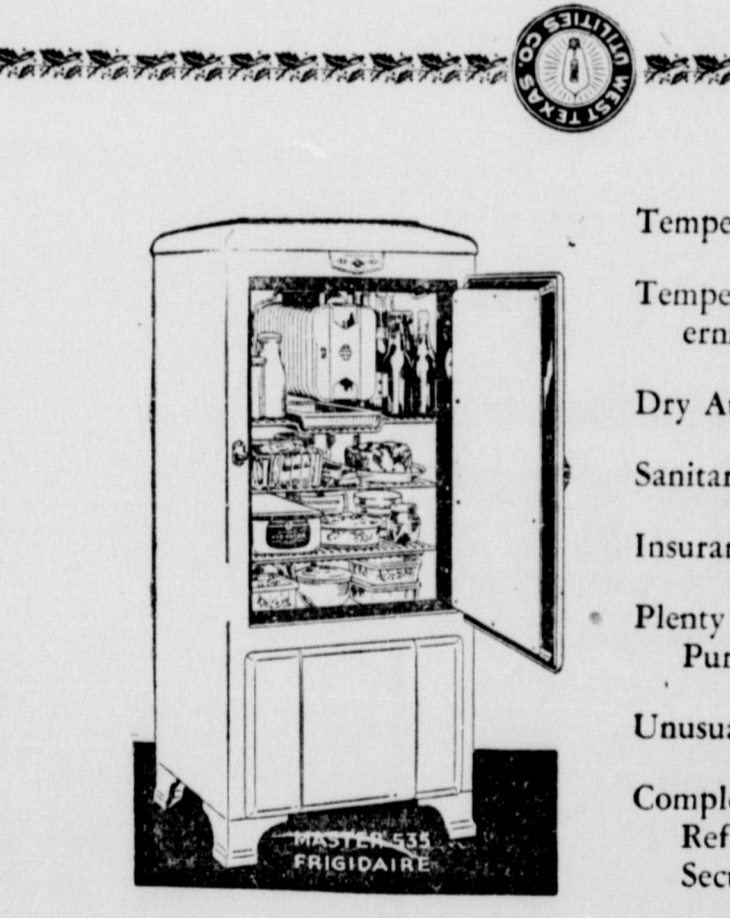
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SYNOPSIS

Hal's father's bitter...  
"look where you're going, like a  
"Dear old party," he muttered. "I'll  
find you a factory, if you'll only  
watch where you're going."  
"Thanks," said Hal with a laugh.  
"Think nothing of it," said Kerri-  
gan. "Pleasure."  
"If you can keep those eyes, or  
whatever they are, turned ahead,  
I might still be young when we  
get to the Coast."  
"S'pose he'd let you drive?" said  
Kerrigan.  
"Doubt it," said Hal.  
Pulsipher snapped his fingers  
as if he'd just remembered some-  
thing. "Hu-hu-hungry," he said.  
"So'm I," said Mrs. Pulsipher.  
"We ought to stop for supper."  
"Let's say the next town," said  
Kerrigan.  
"Yes," said Mrs. Pulsipher.  
"Awful hungry," said John.  
So as they entered the next  
place, there were hopeful stirrings  
and estimates of the degree of  
civilization shown by the build-  
ings.  
"There, whirlwind," Kerrigan  
said to Miller. "A garage for  
princes. All white inside, and a  
mechanic in the white monkey-  
suit. You'll like it there and they'll  
like you."  
In another moment a spasm  
seized Pulsipher, shooting out his  
arm and making him cry. "Whoa!  
Eat, it says: look, that sign, Eat."  
"It looks clean," said Mrs.  
Pulsipher mistrustfully.  
"Clean's a horse-chestnut shell,  
ma'am," said Kerrigan. "Shall we  
try it?"  
"Yes, yes, yes," said Pulsipher  
quickly, so that no one could beat  
him with doubts.  
They got out stiffly. The ladies  
and Pulsipher went in. Hal and  
Kerrigan stayed to hear the mo-  
mentous plan in ferment behind  
Miller's bleary eyes, with Crack  
leaning quietly against the car to  
listen.  
"Ysee," said Miller, "it's  
mountains on the road pretty soon  
and it'd be kinda nice to get them  
valves fixed 'fore we get to 'em."  
"Good idea," said Kerrigan. "A  
Kitty. And so?"  
"Well," said Miller, chuckling,  
at having figured it out by him-  
self, "why don't I go back to that  
garrigue and kinda look around  
and see what it looks like while  
you folks start eatin'? Then if I  
like the look and the price is  
right, I'll leave her there and we  
can put up in this place."  
He ground the gears porteu-  
tously, and the car lumbered up  
on the opposite curb as he turned  
around. By tacit consent they  
watched him go slowly down the  
street. When he turned into the  
garage at the far end of it, they  
moved to the lunchroom door.  
The ladies had disappeared.  
Pulsipher stood at the cashier's  
desk choosing a cigar from the box  
the proprietor offered him. The  
proprietor, a decent little body  
with a wide grin, one misdirected  
eye, and a birdlike desire to please,  
nodded welcome as they came in.  
"Come far today?"  
"Noo York city," said Pulsipher  
proudly.  
"Noo York city," the man re-  
peated with polite interest. "Tour-  
ing folks, 'ey?" He looked plea-  
santly at Kerrigan.  
"Traveling folks," said Kerri-  
gan, his rich voice gentle and  
friendly. "Share-expense."  
"Oh-h-h-h," said the man, deep-  
ly impressed, even a little worried.  
"And you say your driver's out-  
side? Ain't he going to eat?"  
"He's gone down to that garage  
at the end of town to see about  
repairs," said Kerrigan. "Have you  
got a good hotel here—cheap?"  
"Why, yes, yes—I guess so,"  
said the proprietor. He looked at  
Pulsipher, around at the others,  
and back at Kerrigan. "Say," he  
went on diffidently, "I don't like  
to butt into your folks' business,  
but—but has this feller got your  
grips an' all with him?"  
"Yes," said Crack, his indolence  
pierced by direct interest; "and  
our fares to California."  
There was a moment of silence,  
and the proprietor's attention  
sharpened on Kerrigan. "Well," he  
said, "you folks are probably all  
right, but they was a party like

# Crowell High News

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C. H. S. December 12, 1935 C. H. S.

## GIRLS' VOLLEY BALL

Yes, sir, the girls have gone athletic, again. The girls played their first match game with Vernon last Thursday night at the local gymnasium. They were defeated both games that were played. The scores were 15-13 and 15-12. This was the first game for the volley ball team.

## JUNIOR PINS

The Junior Class received their class pins several days ago. The pins were ordered over a month ago. The set, which is of mother-pearl, is in a gold mounting. The guard is a small chain with the figures '37 on the end of it.

## C. H. S. STUDENT

Miss Ibbie Bryan, former student of C. H. S., has completed her first book, "Ibbie's Ideas," which is on sale at Washer Bros. and The Fair in Fort Worth. Miss Bryan gives Christmas programs each Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 5:45; Tuesday at 4:30 and Friday at 5:00, she gives whatever she thinks would be of interest to the public under the name of the "Sophisticated Lady" over Station KTAT, Fort Worth. Miss Bryan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Middlebrook of Margaret, Texas.

## LOCALS

Mary Lou went to Wichita Sunday.  
Mary Elizabeth went to Wichita Monday.  
Miss Mozetta Middlebrook visited in CHS Monday.  
Annie Mae Hall is back in school after several days' absence.  
Ann Mabe visited in Chillicothe Sunday.  
Lois Evelyn Norris visited in Quannah Sunday.  
Quite a number of CHS students attended the play at Margaret Saturday night.  
James Joy spent the week-end in Fort Worth.

you—what d'ye call it—share-expense? They was a party over Lewistown way got hung up by a feller't went to get some repairs. They never did see him again. An' the Chamber'a Commerce had to chip in to get a couple of 'em back 'C'noo York."

Kerrigan looked round at Hal in grave inquiry. In the newly empty silence, Hal felt Barry's eyes on him and he turned to that ready to mock any share she took in this apprehension. But she had no share in it. Her look, full at him, was warm and secure in scorn, without sympathy or appeal; and the faint, untaunting smile at her closed lips said fearlessly, This will happen for all of you; your luggage and your money don't matter; and if yours don't why should these other peoples'—to you? Without haste, her eyes confirmed his unimportance and turned away.  
He swung around toward the door—the thing having happened so quickly that the silence of awe was still fresh on the others. "I'll go," he said to Kerrigan. And without the faintest notion of what he would do—only an angry urgency in him to do something—he posted out by the screen door and helped it slam hard behind him. One way or another, you—whatever you are—you'll pay for all this.

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## Frank Hill Home Is Scene of Silver Wedding Anniversary Reception

The winter social season was ushered in on Wednesday evening, Dec. 4, when Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill celebrated their silver wedding anniversary with an elaborate reception and wedding ceremony.

The chosen color scheme throughout the reception suite was green and silver. Mrs. S. J. Ferguson received the guests and piloted them to the guest book, where Miss Opal Barry presided.

Promptly at 8:15 o'clock, Mrs. Roy Perkins lit the altar candles and Mrs. R. L. Kincaid read a beautiful tribute to Mr. and Mrs. Hill.

The vows were renewed before a beautiful improved altar mantled in green and silver with a background suggesting the approaching Christmas season formed by a tiny Christmas tree decked in silver. Rev. Paul J. Merrill of Henrietta preceded the wedding party to the altar. The vows were accepted and sealed with the wedding ring in an impressive ceremony.

Mrs. Hill entered on the arm of her nephew, Thomas Perkins. She was gowning in ivory satin made on princess lines with square neck and Queen Anne collar and wore a close-fitting white velvet hat and silver sash. She carried an arm bouquet of marmoth white chrysanthemums and fern. Her attendants were: Junior bridesmaids—Joyzelle Tysinger and Mary Evelyn Edwards, who were clad in colonial frocks of green taffeta, silver sandals and silver crowns. They carried colonial bouquets. Little Billy Billington, also in a green taffeta colonial costume, scattered flowers from a colonial basket. Mrs. J. C. Montgomery, sister of Mrs. Hill, was matron of honor and wore green crepe threaded in silver. Mrs. F. C. Person, maid of honor, wore green moire taffeta. Both maid and matron wore close fitting silver hats and silver sandals and carried white chrysanthemums. Master Maurice Perkins, nephew of the bride, dressed in a white satin suit, carried the ring on a satin pillow.

Mr. Hill was attended by Allen Sanders as best man, Marion Hughston and Lee Black acted as ushers. The groom and his attendants wore the conventional dark suits and white carnations. Mrs. Arnold Rucker arranged the wedding music and accompanied at the piano when Mrs. Alva Spencer played "Schubert's Serenade" on the violin and when Mrs. Adolphus Wright sang "When Your Hair Has Turned to Silver." She played Mendelssohn's Wedding March as the processional and "The Flower Song" during the ceremony.

A beautiful wedding cake trimmed in green and silver adorned the dining table, which was laid in white Tuscan lace over green satin. Madams W. B. Tysinger and Hartley Easley poured punch and Madams H. Schneider and C. R. Ferguson, assisted by Madams Valmer Bell and Henry Borchardt and Misses Allison Self and Harriet E. Swain, served the guests with sandwiches, cake and punch.

Many beautiful gifts of crystal and silver bearing congratulations and love were received by Mr. and Mrs. Hill. About 175 guests were present for the occasion.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Person of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Hall of Dallas, Mrs. Roy Perkins and son, Maurice, of Fort Worth, Thomas Perkins of Dallas, Mrs. J. C. Montgomery of Abilene, Miss Louise McMinn of Fort Worth, Miss Opal Barry of Wichita Falls, Percy Ferguson of San Angelo, Miss Bernice Lee, W. A. Moody, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bradford of Vernon.

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## Marriage of Dossa Housouer and Lee Black Announced

Announcement was made here this week of the marriage of Miss Dossa Housouer and Mr. Lee Black, which took place Oct. 27 of this year in Walters, Okla., at the Christian parsonage with Rev. Ivan H. Dagan performing the ring ceremony. The couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Spear McCaskill of Wichita Falls. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Housouer of this city and was a member of the 1931 graduating class of Crowell High School.

Mr. Black is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Black, also of Crowell, and is assistant cashier at the Crowell State Bank, where he has been employed for a number of years. After finishing Crowell High School he completed a business course at Draughon's Business College, Wichita Falls. Both Mr. and Mrs. Black have spent the greater part of their lives in Crowell.

## Miss Cobb Is Wed to Martin Kamstra

Mr. Martin Kamstra of Ft. Sill, Okla., and Miss Lorene Cobb of Thalia were united in marriage at the local Methodist parsonage Thursday afternoon of last week, performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Kamstra is the daughter of Mrs. J. N. Keese of Thalia and was reared in the Rayland and Thalia communities. She graduated from Thalia High School in 1931.

Mr. Kamstra is the son of L. Kamstra of Crowell and is a member of Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 4th Field Artillery, Ft. Sill, Okla. Thursday evening a supper was served at the City Hotel by Mr. and Mrs. L. Kamstra to the newly married couple and a few friends and relatives, following which presents were removed from a Christmas tree for the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Kamstra left Sunday for their home at Ft. Sill. Ladies of the West Side Club gave a shower Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. A. Davis for Mrs. Milton Hunter, a member of the club who was Miss Lella Patton before her recent marriage. Guests were met by Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Charlie Hunter, mother of the groom, presented them to Mrs. Tom Patton, who in turn presented them to Mrs. Milton Hunter, her daughter. Miss Jewel Odum presided at the bride's book. Mrs. R. Eubank and Mrs. John Carter poured punch. Mrs. Roy Steele conducted diversion for the occasion. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the bride. Readings were given by June Billington and Evelyn Jean Seales.

## Local Garden Club to Meet Saturday

The Crowell Garden Club will meet in regular session Saturday, Dec. 14, at the Legion Hall at 2:30 p. m. The following program has been arranged:

**Shrub Planting**  
Public Area Foundation Planting—Mrs. M. S. Henry.  
The Care of Trees and Shrubs—Fred Rennels.  
Winter Care of Perennials—Mrs. Mason Brown.  
Question Box.

**Contest**  
Identification of Evergreens—Mrs. B. W. Sals.

**Exhibit—Winter Bouquets**  
Members take note of the following article from the By-Laws: "Any member being absent without excuse shall pay a fine of ten cents." Illness, out-of-town, or working in town constitute legal excuse. It is desired to have the entire membership present.

**Christmas Program**  
at P. T. A. Tuesday  
A Christmas program will be given at the meeting of the local P. T. A. unit next Tuesday afternoon at 8:30 at the High School auditorium. The meeting will be conducted by Mrs. Everett Bell as leader. Mrs. Sidney Miller will bring a Christmas devotional. A group of Christmas songs will be sung by the Mother-Singers. The primary department of the school will furnish a Christmas feature. "Geography as a basis for world citizenship" is the subject to be discussed by Mrs. L. A. Andrews. A report of the state convention recently held in El Paso will be given by the president, Mrs. R. L. Kincaid, who attended the meeting as a delegate.

The fifth grade mothers will be hostesses for the social hour which will follow the meeting. It is desired that there will be a large attendance at this meeting.

## FAMILY REUNION

The Graves family had a reunion in Crowell during the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Graves and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Graves, the first time the entire family had been together in over three years. The Thanksgiving dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Graves. The family consists of the par-

## Typo's Writin's



Another football season, so far as Class B gridiron warfare is concerned, will come to an official end this week with the regional battles. This will be the first time in about seven years that the 9-B winner has not represented this district in the regional battle—

Speaking of 9-B, we believe this district has a distinction that can be claimed by no other circuit in the state. Where you will find another district of eight teams having a total of seventy-one letters in the names of towns represented in it? Such names as these have provided real headaches for headline writers: Throckmorton, Burk Burnett, Chilli-otho and Archer City, Iowa Park, Seymour and Crowell are about regulation size, while Olney has the best size name of the group. Just try fitting the 12-letter Throckmorton name into a single-column 30-point headline and you'll discover one of the reasons why headline writers have no love for long names. To cap it all off, Throckmorton has "Greyhound" for its nickname. Look at the difference in the length of—

Throckmorton Greyhounds, Olney Cubs. If you'll only notice, you will probably find short names featured in headlines a lot more than the lengthy ones, all other conditions being equal. How many times have you seen "FDI" in reference to our president?

**Originality Needed**  
The time will come when Crowell High will have to buy new football and basketball uniforms and have's, hoping that Crowell will officially decide to change its colors before that time comes. Naturally "black and gold" is dear to the heart and memory of fan after fan but other facts overbalance sentiment in this respect, we believe.

**Too Many Cats**  
We have nothing to suggest in the way of new colors, other than that they be something different from the general run in this section. And while we're wishing and suggesting, we would also like to see the executive committee of District 9-B eliminate a certain conflict in nicknames. Since both Crowell and Archer City are "Wildcats" and if it comes to tossing a coin to determine which team must select another name, we hope that Crowell chooses the name, simply because this "Cat" business is overdone just like "black and gold." There's Wildcats, Bobcats and just plain Cats, and then Panthers and Tigers are referred

to as Cats about half the time. Then if we must go only half-way on the name and color change proposition, let's call our boys "Pole Cats" and make the colors black and white, with a fuzzy white stripe running down the back of a black jersey. Maybe you are wondering where the player's number would be placed under such a plan. We recently read where a team had its players' numbers on the seat of their pants. Besides having an original name and color scheme, Crowell could also be the first team in this whole section to feature originality in this respect. No. 77,777 might conform pretty well with the pants for Glenn Shook or Granville Mullins, while No. 7 would be o. k. for Sam Crews.

If the public and school officials fail to respond to the "Polecat" suggestion, then Tom Beverly has suggested a new name that is a really good one—the "Crowell Crows." It combines originality and brevity, together with an appropriate combination for the two names.

And speaking of names, the public often knows a team by a nickname other than its official one. Outside of Matador, we believe the Matador High team is far better known as the "Bullfighters" than as the "Matadors," the official nickname. The Matador Tribune always uses the name "Matadors," but somehow the writers in other papers of this area persist in calling them plain old "Bullfighters."

Although the Crowell coach signs his name, "C. G. Graves," hundreds of Northwest Texas fans who are very familiar with the name, "Grady Graves," would wonder who you were talking about if you mentioned "C. G. Graves." Typo's real name is as long as from here to Foard City, but even the 30 or 40 people who know him would ask who the fellow was if you were to mention the name originally assigned to him.

**Crowell Wins Opening Cage Tilt 29 to 9 Over Oklaunion Hi**  
The Crowell Wildcats won their first basketball game of the season with a 29 to 9 victory over Oklaunion High here last Friday night. Despite the fact that the Wildcats do not have a single regular back from last year's district championship squad, they gave a fine account of themselves and gave indications of maintaining Crowell's reputation for fast and hard-fighting cage teams.

Taking the tip-off, Crowell scored in rapid fire order with Albert Dunagan looping the initial counter. From then on the Wildcats safely maintained their lead, Oklaunion was unable to score a field goal in the last half and scored only one during the entire game.

**OKLAUNION**  
Gibson, f . . . 0 1 0 0 1  
Smith, f . . . 1 2 0 0 3  
Bowden, c . . . 1 0 1 1 1  
Boggs, g . . . 1 1 5 1 1  
Thompson, g . . . 1 2 1 1  
Rainwater, f . . . 0 0 0 0  
Kelleher, g . . . 0 2 1 0  
Mann, g . . . 1 0 0 1  
Rawie, g . . . 0 1 0 0 1  
Ashley, g . . . 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals . . . 1 7 10 5 9

**Referee—Roy Mints.**  
Points by quarters:  
Crowell . . . . . 6 6 9 8—29  
Oklaunion . . . . . 6 2 1 1—9  
**Win Second Game**  
In a return game at Oklaunion Tuesday night, the Wildcats again won, this time by a 31-14 score. Crowell also held the lead throughout this game.

**Here Next Week**  
James M. Willson, governor of the 41st District of Rotary International, will speak at the ladies' night program of the local Rotary Club Thursday evening, Dec. 19, at the Premier Hotel. He and Mrs. Willson, who will also appear on the program, have visited Rotary clubs in over thirty nations. Interesting experiences in various parts of the world will be related in their talks. Mr. and Mrs. Willson live in Floydada.



Also coming from behind in the last part of the game to win. Wichita Falls beat Sherman 6 to 0 at Sherman last week for the bi-district Class A title and will play Dallas Tech Saturday afternoon at Wichita Falls in the State Class A quarter finals. Class A teams remaining in the race are Amarillo, Wichita Falls, San Angelo, Dallas Tech, Port Arthur, Corpus Christi, Tyler and Mexia.

**ON ARMY TEAM**  
Bill Dunagan, who is in the U. S. Army at Fort Warren, Wyoming, is playing center on his company's basketball team which has a record of 12 victories and only two losses. Dr. W. H. Carey of London advises that before and after kissing the lips be painted with iodine to kill germs.

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**Olney Eliminated in B Race; Matador and Hereford Play Friday**  
After being outplayed for three quarters of the game, Newcastle put over a long touchdown pass in the final quarter in winning a 7 to 0 victory over the Olney Cubs on a very muddy field at Olney last Friday afternoon for the bi-district title. Graham will be the star of the game. Last year the Crowell Wildcats represented Districts 9 and 10 in the regional battle with Plano also as the opponent. That game was played at Wichita Falls and Crowell won 44 to 13, achieving the highest honor possible in Class B. Plano beat Handley 7 to 0 last week.

Plainview will be the scene of the Matador-Hereford regional battle Friday afternoon. These bi-district winners won last week over McLean and Panhandle. In a thrilling game at Paducah, Matador came from behind in the last half to defeat McLean 13 to 7. Crowell and Matador played a scoreless tie here in the first game of the season for both teams. Hereford beat Panhandle 13 to 6.

**ALL-DAY MEETING HERE**  
Over 100 Methodist young people of the Vernon District gathered in Crowell Sunday for an all-day meeting held at the local Methodist Church. Rev. Geo. E. Turrentine preached at the morning service, Rev. J. E. Eldridge, presiding elder of the district, conducted the services in the afternoon, at which time delegates to attend the young people's meeting to be held in Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 27, were selected. Lunch was served in the basement of the church at the noon hour.

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