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MR. AND MRS. O. M. MONKRES

## Former Foard County Couple Are Honored on 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Monkres, former Foard County residents, honored recently by their children with a reception at home at 5625 Los Santos Long Beach, Calif.

The couple were married Jan. 31, 1919, in Sivelis Bend, Cooke County, Texas.

Jackie Eddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Eddy of Crowell, is employed at the State Capitol in Austin as an assistant sergeant-at-arms for the Senate. He is under the sponsorship of Senator Jack Hightower of Vernon.

Jackie is a junior government major at the University of Texas in Austin.

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School will be dismissed for the

## F. A. Davis, 90, Died in Hospital After Long Illness

### Funeral Services Held Tuesday at 1st Christian Church

Felting A. Davis, 90, long-time resident of Foard County, died in the Foard County Hospital Sunday, February 16, after a long illness.

Funeral services were conducted at the First Christian Church Tuesday afternoon with Minister R. C. McCord officiating, assisted by Rev. Warren Everson, pastor of Bethel Church.

Interment was in the Crowell Cemetery with Womack Funeral Home in charge.

Pall bearers were J. W. Whitley, Jack Powers, James Sandlin, Dick Todd, Cecil Driver, and Buster Borchardt.

Felting Arthur Davis was born October 2, 1878, in James County, Tennessee, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Washington Davis.

He married Miss Lena Raser in Crowell August 10, 1924. She died May 2, 1961. Mr. Davis was engaged in farming until his retirement. He was a member of the First Christian Church of Crowell and was an elder emeritus.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. Fairy Allen of Oklahoma City and one brother, Jim L. Davis of Crowell; also 5 nieces and 4 nephews.

## Miss Marta Navarrete to Visit Here Friday Before Return Home

Miss Marta Navarrete of Ecuador, South America, will be in Crowell Friday to say goodbye to her friends here. Miss Navarrete came to the U. S. 2½ years ago with Mr. and Mrs. John Wyss, who were returning from a tour of duty in Ecuador as Peace Corps volunteers.

She attended Crowell High School for one semester, then entered Texas Woman's University in Denton for 4 semesters. Since October, she has worked in the statistical offices of Braniff Airlines in Dallas.

Before March 1, Miss Navarrete will be flying back to her own country where her mother and two sisters anxiously await her return, but she hopes some day to become a U. S. citizen.

Crowell people have been very gracious to Marta and she says "Crowell is really my U. S. A. home." She will be visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moody Bursley.

## News About Our MEN IN SERVICE

Captain Fred Aurbach has returned from a year's tour of duty in Vietnam. He was chief medical supply officer in the 67th Evacuation Hospital in Qui Nhon. His wife, Patricia, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cates of Thalia.

## Major Cooper Receives Bronze Star Medal

U. S. Air Force Academy, Colo.—U. S. Air Force Major Billy R. Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper of Crowell, has been decorated with the Bronze Star Medal at the U. S. Air Force Academy.

Major Cooper distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious service as a member of the office of the assistant chief of staff for intelligence, U. S. Military Assistance Command, Vietnam.

The major, now an instructor in the department of political science at the academy, was commissioned in 1953 upon completion of Officer Candidate School, where he was named a distinguished military graduate.

A graduate of Crowell High School, he received his B. S. degree from Texas Technological College and his M. A. degree from the University of Maryland. He is a member of Pi Sigma Alpha and Alpha Phi Omega.

Major Cooper's wife, Anne, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Fairbank of Arlington, Va.

## Jim Henry Gets Contract for School Cafeteria Work

Board Also Sets August 25 for 1969-70 Opening Date

A contract was awarded to Jim Henry of Crowell for the construction of a 14x40 foot brick addition to the Crowell school cafeteria. The awarding of the contract took place at a meeting of the school board Monday night.

The new addition will be made along the north side of the building.

Work will begin as soon as possible and the construction will be handled so as not to interfere with the regular daily operation of the cafeteria.

The cafeteria enlarging is being done with a \$4,160.00 federal grant.

Sets Opening of School The board also adopted the calendar for the 1969-70 school year, which is as follows:

Classes will begin Monday, August 25, with the first semester ending December 19 at the beginning of the Christmas holidays. Classes will resume January 5, 1970. Commencement exercises will be held May 15.

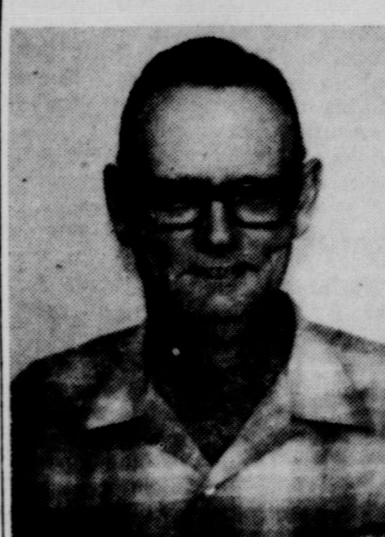
The following holidays will be observed: November 27-28: Thanksgiving. December 20-January 4: Christmas holidays.

March 6: Teachers Oil Belt meeting. March 27-30: Easter holidays. The board urges all patrons to visit the public school system during Public School Week March 3-7.

## Robert Kincaid Family Moves into New Brick Home

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kincaid and two children, Elizabeth and Adam, moved into their new brick home on North First Street last week.

The new four-bedroom home was built by Joe Morgan of Vernon.



WOODROW FIELDER

## Woodrow Fielder Receives S. C. S. Cash Award

Woodrow Fielder of the Crowell Soil Conservation Service received a cash award as a part of a work unit award presented to the Friona work unit. The award was presented to the unit for performing an "outstanding job of applying conservation practices and providing technical assistance to district cooperators in the Farmer County Soil and Water Conservation District during 1968."

It was announced by John McAllister, district conservativist of the Crowell SCS office.

Mr. Fielder worked in Friona from July 1966 to November 1968. He and Mrs. Fielder moved to Crowell last November and are living in the home of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper at 321 N. 2nd Street.

McAllister added, "We are proud to have Woodrow as a part of the local SCS staff. We are indeed fortunate to have a man of Woodrow's capabilities to help us in assisting cooperators in the Lower Pease River Soil and Water Conservation District."

## Only 30 Per Cent of Foard Vehicles Are Inspected

Deadline for Having Vehicles Safety Checked Is April 15

"With the April 15 deadline for obtaining inspection stickers drawing near, only 30 per cent of the registered vehicles in Foard County have been inspected," stated Captain Alan Johnson, motor vehicle inspection supervisor of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

According to the latest figures, only 535 of Foard County's 1,612 registered vehicles have been inspected.

"Unless there is a rapid increase of inspections, long waiting lines will be forming at inspection stations as the April 15 deadline approaches. The authorized inspection stations are ready and capable of handling the inspection of Texas registered vehicles if owners will not wait until a few days before the deadline," Johnson added.

"Any driver operating a vehicle on public roads after April 15 that is required to be inspected will be operating in violation of the law," Johnson added.

Captain Johnson called attention to the fact that since the beginning of the inspection program in 1951, vehicles having a defect that was a causative factor in fatal accidents decreased from 13 to 3 per cent.

Johnson said, "The purpose of the motor vehicle inspection program is to discover any maladjustment which might become a link in a cycle of events leading to an accident and, by removing the link, prevent the accident."

## COUNTY RECEIVES RAIN LATE LAST WEEK

### Frank Weatherall Died Feb. 11 in Weatherford

### Funeral Services Held in Crowell Thursday Afternoon

Frank Weatherall, 70, long-time resident of Foard County, died Tuesday, February 11, in Weatherford where he had been living for some time.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m., Thursday, Feb. 13, at the United Methodist Church in Crowell conducted by the pastor, Rev. Walter Driver.

Music for the service was provided by a duet composed of Mmes. Leslie Thomas and Howard Ferguson, with Mrs. Paul Shirley playing organ accompaniment.

Masonic graveside rites were conducted at the Crowell Cemetery by the Crowell Lodge with Leslie Thomas serving as worshipful master. Womack Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Serving as pall bearers were J. T. Hughton, J. W. Bruce, Ted Reeder, T. S. Haney, Fred Youree and Henry Black.

Frank William Weatherall was born October 2, 1898, at Lavon, Collin County, Texas. He came to Foard County with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Weatherall, in 1910. He was a veteran of World War I. Mr. Weatherall was a member of the Crowell Methodist Church, the American Legion and Crowell Masonic Lodge.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. L. Y. Tate of Weatherford, Mrs. C. E. Merriman and Mrs. John Cogdell, both of Crowell.

A slow rain—the first appreciable amount of moisture received here since November, fell over this section last Thursday and Friday. Official measurement by the government gauge was .98 inch. Reports from over the county are that nearly all areas received about the same as Crowell.

The rain fell slowly and soaked in to the land, with practically no run-off. Most farmers and stockmen are needing water in their stock tanks, but they will have to wait until another rain.

In the last week in November, a combination of rain and snow brought 2.14 inches of moisture, and light showers during December totaled .61 inch. January's total rainfall was .10, and last week's rain brought the total for the year up to 1.08 inches.

Snow Sunday Night The cloudy weather prevailed over the area Saturday and Sunday, and a surprise snow of about one inch during the night Sunday brought a small amount of additional moisture. The snow melted Monday and the cloudy skies continued all day.

## Three True Bills Returned by Grand Jury Last Week

The February term of the Foard County grand jury met in the court house last Thursday and returned three true bills.

One true bill for forgery and passing was returned against one person and true bills on swindling and theft were returned against another.

R. G. Rasberry served as foreman of the grand jury with the following serving as members: L. A. Andrews, Don Morgan, Ben Byrd, F. W. Taylor, R. A. Miller, Kenneth Halbert, Duane Naylor, Earl Ingle, R. T. Carroll and Delton Coffey.

## Miss Zonell Eddy Completes Ten Years with Gulf Oil Co.

Miss Zonell Eddy, IBM data transmission operator assigned in the Midland district office, has completed 10 years of service with the Gulf Oil Company.

Miss Eddy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eddy of Crowell, will be presented the appropriate service award by Max B. Moseley, district services manager, at a luncheon scheduled in honor of the occasion at the Petroleum Club in Midland.

## Funeral Rites for Mrs. Carl Zeibig Held Sunday

## Pioneer Foard Resident Died Friday in Wichita Falls

Mrs. Carl Zeibig, 77, resident of Foard County for many years, died in Wichita Falls Friday, Feb. 13, following a long illness.

Funeral services for Mrs. Zeibig were held at Womack Funeral Home on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. and continuing as long as necessary to feed the large group expected to attend.

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## PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK SET FOR MARCH 3-7

One of the features of the observance of Public School Week March 3-7 will be the annual open house at the Crowell school system on Thursday night, March 6. The open house will be held from 7 to 9 p. m.

In connection with the open house, the band parents organization will host a pancake supper at the school cafeteria beginning at 5:30 p. m. and continuing as long as necessary to feed the large group expected to attend.

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## Four New Vehicles

Four new vehicles were registered here last week: Feb. 10, Emmitt Martin, 1969 Chevrolet pickup; Feb. 11, Jimmy D. Werley, 1969 Ford pickup; Feb. 13, Glenn Halsell, 1969 Oldsmobile 4-door; Feb. 13, John Glenn Halsell, Jr., 1969 Pontiac 4-door.



KING AND QUEEN—Joe Haynie and Miss Betty Linda Whitfield, shown above, were crowned King and Queen of Candyland at the sweetheart banquet at the First Baptist Church Friday night. Runners-up for the honor, based on Sunday school attendance, were Sharla Haynie and Richard Statter. Master of ceremonies, Junior Carroll, introduced Rev. John Gillispie, who presented the honors. An entertaining and inspiring program was presented by Derrell Monday and John Powell from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.



The Crowell High



WILDCAT

Editor ..... Harriet Halbert  
 Senior ..... Renee Cooper  
 Junior ..... Gary Cates  
 Sophomore ..... Micke Owens  
 Freshman ..... David Stapp  
 Sports ..... Peggy Welch  
 Society ..... Jo Driver  
 Sponsor ..... Mrs. Jean Halbert

Weekly Schedule

Monday: 3:30, Drama Club.  
 Tuesday: speech field trip to one act plays in Munday.  
 Friday: slave sale.

Senior Class

Last Wednesday was "picture day" as many seniors got out of classes in order to be in pictures for the annual.

In English, most of the seniors completed their reports; a few seniors will give their reports this week. Also this week, seniors will write a theme based on the play, "Pygmalion."

Last week was busy in civics. Monday, the civics class viewed two films on "American Liberty."

Mr. Jones made a new assignment: the members of the class are to include at least two newspaper clippings in the notebook. Frequently students will be tested over the material. Also, last week, members of the civics class received world atlases. Students are in process of learning all the countries of the world.

At a future date, seniors will discuss having a class party.

**KEYS CUT** while you watch  
**SHIRLEY-YOUREE DRUG**

Junior Class

The junior class of CHS was in few events last week. This is the season in which there is a lull in the activities. Basketball has just ended and the favorite sport of the football boys, track, has just begun. The following boys, Buz Rasberry, Mike Clifton, Gary Eddy, Barry Branch, and Gary Cates, will be training while Larry Swan will be competing in the UIL spring events. Several other juniors will be entering literary events.

Sophomore News

Sophomore favorites, class officers, guy and doll, and other personality pictures were taken Wednesday along with other group pictures.

English II classes are learning about objects. A test was given Thursday over the study of verbs. Homemaking II classes went to Vernon Monday and Tuesday to select materials for their projects. Sophomores going were Elaine Jackson, Carolyn Moore, Charlotte Walker, Sherry Prince, Mallen Moya, Molley Lopez, Shirley Robinson and Brenda McGee.

Speech I Class

Last Thursday and Friday, the Speech I class told stories to the 1st-3rd grades. The speech classes are studying the various kinds of short stories and this gave them a chance to try their skill at storytelling. Stories were told from "Andy and the Lion" and "The Live Dolls." The students really enjoyed this opportunity and want to express their appreciation to the teachers and students for letting them come.

Pictures

Pictures of the following groups and their officers were made last Wednesday: FHA, FFA, Library Club, the newspaper staff, Student Council, Spanish Club, choir and Drama Club. Class officers, favorites, guys and dolls, most courteous, friendliest, wittiest, best dressed, most athletic, and Mr. and Miss CHS were also made.

FHA

Last Monday and Tuesday, the Homemaking II and III girls took a field trip to Vernon. The girls looked at the different cloth materials from various department stores, and they chose the mater-

ials for their projects. Mrs. Brown, homemaking teacher, accompanied the students.

Sports

Now that basketball season is over, there is a new turn in sports with the girls playing volleyball and the boys running track. The girls' only game will be on March 25. This will be the district tournament and it will be held in the local gym. The boys will begin entering track meets on March 1 and continue each Saturday until the district meet at Holliday on March 29.

Senior Spotlight

The first senior spotlight of the year is Larry Ellis, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Ellis. The 5' 11" senior has blue eyes and brown hair. His favorites include: food, mutton; color, green; song, "Peanuts" by the 4 Seasons; actor, Andy Devine; actress, Eva Gabor; hobby, loving; and subject, civics. Democrats are the chief dislike of Larry. He has been a member of FFA for all his four years in high school, has served as its president and is presently reporter for the organization. Larry was a powerful member of the fighting Wildcats. This year he is serving on the annual staff as photographer and is reigning as Mr. CHS. Larry attends the Church of Christ in Crowell. He plans to attend college after his graduation.

Richard Staser, 6' son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Staser, also plans to enter college after graduation. Richard has been an active member of FFA for four years. Two of these four years, he has served as secretary. This year, he became a Lone Star Farmer, a classification that is the highest award given to FFA members by the state. Richard is also serving as treasurer of the senior class this year. For one year he was in Drama Club. Among Richard's favorites are: food, steak; color, red; song, "If I Can Dream;" actor, Frank Sinatra; actress, Raquel Welch; hobby, hunting; and subject, VA IV. His chief dislike is work. Richard takes an active part in the First Baptist Church where he is president of the young people's department and usher.

Southern Assembly

Jack Huff presented a program, "Organ Facts and Fantasies," to the student body last Monday. Mr. Huff holds bachelor and

master degrees in music and has had an extensive performing career here and abroad. He has played organ and piano in every media, ranging from church to the concert hall. He is currently a member of the Tucson Symphony Orchestra.

Congratulations

If you notice a special gleam or sparkle in Zerne Gafford's eyes, it's probably a reflection from the diamond ring on the third finger of her left hand. Zerne is engaged to marry Raymond Lance of Fort Worth.

Menu

Monday, Feb. 24: oven fried sausage with cheese sauce, candied sweet potatoes, green beans with cheese sauce, cabbage and pepper salad, hot rolls and butter, pineapple cobbler.

Tuesday, Feb. 25: lasagna, tossed combination salad, peanut butter cookies and peach half.

Wednesday, Feb. 26: barbecued weiners, cheese wedges, pinto beans with bacon, celery, corn meal muffins, butter ice cream.

Thursday, Feb. 27: spaghetti and meat balls, fresh spinach salad, hot rolls and butter, Jello, and whipped cream.

Friday, Feb. 28: hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, onion and pickle slices, French fries, baked beans, applesauce cake.

Truscott

AND GILLILAND  
 BY MISS RUTH BROWN

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank from Sunday through Tuesday were D. W. Eubank of Hobbs, N. M., and Louis Eubank of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gillespie and Bob of Crowell visited his mother, Mrs. Marie Gillespie, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Corder of Sherman visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Corder, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sewell of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Glasscock over the week end.

J. H. Eubank of Farwell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank Monday through Thursday.

Visiting Mrs. Lily Black Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cash of Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rake visited in Vernon last Wednesday.

Ray Black of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens last Thursday.

Thursday, Mrs. Estes Robinson and Shirley Robinson took Estes Robinson to Oklahoma City, Okla. where he caught a plane back to Germany.

Don Salyers returned from duty in Vietnam last week. Mr. and Mrs. Salyers and daughter are now in Virginia visiting his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rogers of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rake last Thursday.

W. W. Clark of Quanah and J. P. Clark visited friends in Truscott Monday.

J. R. Brown is in the Quanah hospital.

Vernon Jones went to the sale in Haskell Saturday.

Fred Cash of LCC visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Westbrook and children visited her mother, Mrs. Sally Tolleson in Quanah Sunday afternoon.

J. C. Eubank returned from the Knox City hospital Friday.

Seth Wood of the 6666 ranch visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens last Tuesday.

Mrs. Lloyd McLaughlin of Carlsbad, N. M., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank, last week. She returned home with Mr. McLaughlin on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Westbrook and Richard went to Wichita Falls Friday to visit his mother, Mrs. Tom Westbrook.

Visiting in the J. C. Eubank home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Howell of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith and children, Davy and Vana Lee, of Amarillo, Mrs. J. H. Eubank of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eubank and children, Rhonda, Dlynn, Gina and Allan of Meadow, Mrs. Susie Pitts of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Jimmy Castleberry and children, James and Leslie, of Farwell.

Eating Out Costs

Americans spend about \$30 billion a year for food and beverages served away from home. About \$18 billion of this is spent in restaurants, cafeterias, lunchrooms and refreshment stands. Another \$6 billion is spent in institutions such as hospitals, colleges, homes for aged and children and camps. Hotels and motels account for \$3 billion and another one billion goes to such places as drug and department stores, delicatessens, movies, private clubs and factories.

Got something big to mail? The News has an assortment of large kraft envelopes, up to size 10x16.

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**Foard County News**  
 Crowell, Texas, February 20, 1969

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**  
 \$3.61 per year in Foard and adjoining counties.  
 \$5.15 elsewhere.

From the News . . .  
**THIRTY YEARS AGO**

News items below were taken from the Thursday, Feb. 23, 1939, issue of The Foard County News:

The approach of kite flying days has prompted the West Texas Utilities Company to invite youngsters hereabouts to notify the local office in order to prevent possible accidents from entangled kite strings in electric line wires.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carvel Thompson, Foard City, a boy, Jan Edwin, Feb. 22.

The first donkey basketball game to be played in this county will be staged in the Thalia High School gymnasium Wednesday night, March 1.

A large number of boys are expected to be present for the first spring grid training session to be held on the Crowell gridiron Monday afternoon, Feb. 27, at which time Coach Grady Graves will search to replace those taken from his 1938 regional championship team.

The old age pension payment for January amounted to \$1,042 to set what is probably the highest payment made in Foard County since the pensions were started in 1936. This sum was paid to 79 persons, also a probable new high for the number of payees.

Ray Shirley and Margaret Claire Shirley went to Dallas Saturday to see Glenn Offield, who is there in a hospital.

Leon Speer was in charge of the program of the Crowell Rotary Club Wednesday at noon at O'Connell's Lunch Room.

On Friday night, Feb. 24, at 7:30 o'clock, there will be a home talent program in the Crowell High School auditorium given under the auspices of the local P. T. A.

Arnold Cox of Good Creek spent Sunday with his cousins, Buddy, Lois, Joyce and Rudy Hinkle of Foard City.

Floyd Webb visited with friends in Bowie last week.

J. C. Wisdom and Gerald Davis visited in Denison a few days last week.

H. T. Faughn and Tom Lawson returned last week from San Antonio where they purchased several thousand onion plants. The onion plants will be put out by a number of Rayland farmers.

G. L. Cole received a letter last week from his brother, Kinloch Cole of Tsingtao, China, the first in many months.

The City of Crowell received the fifteen per cent fire insurance credit, which is the lowest rating awarded to any city by the Texas Fire Insurance Commission, according to a letter from the fire insurance commissioner.

The two Crowell riders entered in the Nocona-Golden Gate Pony Express race, starting Wednesday, March 1, will be ready for the grueling grind of the long ride after two weeks of conditioning and making other preparations, according to Leon Speer, business manager of the Crowell group. The two Crowell riders are George Cates and Delton Coffey, both experienced and seasoned horsemen with several years experience on the range behind them. Hayden Coffey and Mr. Speer will make up the remainder of the Crowell team. Mr. Coffey will act as stockman and both will drive the motor vehicles for transporting the horses.

Future Teachers to Meet in Austin

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes will make the keynote address Friday afternoon, Feb. 21, for some 6,500 Texas teenagers expected to be in Austin for the 20th annual convention of the Texas Future Teachers of America.

A convention highlight will be the selection of "Mr. FTA" and "Miss FTA" of Texas, each of whom will receive \$1,000 college scholarships. The winners will be selected in speech competition at the convention, from 13 boy and 13 girl finalists.

**INSURANCE OF ALL KINDS**



**Hughston Insurance Agency**

**Coaching Clinic Slated March 7-8 at WTSU**

Ernal Allen, offensive backfield coach for the Dallas Cowboys, will be a guest lecturer representing the professional football ranks at the sixth annual West Texas State University Coaching Clinic March 7-8.

Also heading the clinic will be John Ray, new head football coach at the University of Kentucky and former assistant at Notre Dame; Bob Bacarini, head coach at Henderson County Junior College at Athens; and Kimmie Keeling, head coach at Lubbock Estacado High School.

Several hundred high school, college and junior college coaches from at least six Southwest, Rocky Mountain and Midwest states are expected to attend the West Texas clinic. The clinic will end with a West Texas intra-squad football scrimmage March 8 at 2:30 p. m. in Buffalo Bowl.

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and Mrs. Jack McGinnis  
a great number of relatives  
and Fort Worth from  
Friday until Friday.

and Mrs. August Rummel  
home Thursday after  
their daughter, Mrs. James  
and children in Borger. The  
moved Friday to Hobbs, N.

and Mrs. J. E. Ingle and  
Mrs. A. B. Owens and  
daughter Denton were visitors  
Wichita Falls Wednesday.

and Mrs. Tom Ward of  
the visited his mother,  
L. Ward, and sister, Mrs.  
uehn, and husband Sunday.

rainfall in this area this  
was from 1.2 to 1.4 inches.  
weren't happy over it, but  
no one's fault but your  
and I'm sure everyone was  
and Monday morning to find  
pound covered with snow.

any Robertson spoke to the  
Club in Crowell Wednes-

and Mrs. Walter Murphy  
las visited his brother, W.  
phy, and wife Wednesday.

Roy Payne received pain-  
sures and shock when the  
was riding in was in a col-  
with a large gravel truck  
anoke Wednesday, while on  
way home from Dallas where  
and spent a week with her  
roy Don Payne, and family.

eward Kajs attended the re-  
meeting in Wichita Falls  
the week end and his wife  
her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
t Woolf, and family at Wind-

ard Kempf and daughter,  
Price, of Farmers Valley  
Sunday with his sister, Mrs.  
Bowers, and husband.

Frank Halecnek and Mr.  
Mrs. Billy Joe Halecnek and  
went to Wichita Falls Sun-  
to visit their husband and  
r, Frank Halecnek, who is  
g with his son, Raymond,  
family while recuperating af-  
having had eye surgery.

Buddy Swan and her sister  
Quannah visited Mrs. John  
Wednesday morning.

and Mrs. Jimmy Carr and  
ter, Becky, of Vernon and  
Claude Carr of Five-in-One  
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.  
Miller.

s. Lewis Hunter and chil-

dren of Sweetwater spent Satur-  
day with Mr. and Mrs. John L.  
Hunter.

Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Martin have  
been attending the bedside of her  
mother, Mrs. May Brummett, in  
the Sunshine Manor in Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Haseloff  
of Dumas spent the week end  
with her mother, Mrs. W. R. Mc-  
Curley and sister, Mrs. O. C. Al-  
len.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McGinnis  
and Joyce Ann visited Sunday  
with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Thom-  
as, and family of Borger in the  
home of their mother, Mrs. R. A.  
Johnston, in Quanah.

Anyone wanting to send a card  
to Mrs. Joe Coufal address it to  
Mrs. Robbie Coufal, Room 606,  
The Methodist Hospital, Houston,  
Houston.

Mrs. James Bowers visited Mrs.  
Jim Ewing in Crowell Tuesday.

Visiting Mrs. Ignac Zacek Tues-  
day was her brother, Fred Kveton,  
of Abernathy. He also visited his  
niece, Mrs. Elizabeth Coufal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Murphy vis-  
ited Mrs. Nettie Tarver Pearson  
in Vernon Saturday.

Jim Samuels of Wichita Falls  
and Raymond A. Bell of Vernon  
visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.  
Arthur Bell.

Mrs. T. L. Ward spent Wednes-  
day with her brother, Buck Clark,  
and wife at Rayland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker of  
Floydada visited Mrs. John Ray  
last week.

Mrs. John L. Hunter visited her  
mother, Mrs. J. W. Owens, in Ver-  
non Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Moore at-  
tended the wedding of his nephew,  
Jimmy Moore, and Miss Diann  
Lewis, in Vernon Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bowers vis-  
ited their daughter, Mrs. Joe G.  
Baker, and family at Quanah last  
Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tamplen and  
Cindy of Vernon spent Sunday  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
A. B. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Henry and  
children, Brenda and Stacey Dale,  
of Crowell visited his sister, Mrs.  
H. L. Ayers, and family Sunday.

Tom Smith visited his mother,  
Mrs. J. S. Smith, in Vernon Fri-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bradford  
spent Sunday in Knox City vis-  
iting his brother, Ben Bradford,  
and wife.

Merritt Carruth was in Wichita  
Falls Thursday for a checkup and  
came home with a good report.

Jo Ray of Westport, Conn.,  
came Thursday for a few days  
visit with Mrs. John Ray.

Mrs. Jim Owens and Mrs. Ray  
Hysinger visited in Childress Wed-  
nesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller went  
to Knox City Monday to visit his  
sisters, Mrs. Dicie Carr, Mrs. Cres-  
sie Miller and Mrs. Ben Bradford  
and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tamplin vis-  
ited Sunday with their grand-  
daughter, Mrs. Betty Gibson, and  
children in Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Black of  
Vernon visited the L. B. Robert-  
sons Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger at-  
tended the funeral of Mrs. Carl  
Zeigbig in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Guild of  
Abilene visited the Sam Kuehns  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bradford  
spent Saturday in Vernon with  
his brother, Carl Bradford, and  
wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Denton  
of Crowell spent Sunday with her  
mother, Mrs. W. Ingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Machac  
and son, Clinton, spent Sunday  
visiting his father, Charles Machac  
and sister, Mildred, at Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Carruth  
visited Otis Browning in the Pa-  
ducah hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis of  
Wichita Falls spent Tuesday with  
her mother, Mrs. Ignac Zacek, and  
her sister, Mrs. Joe Coufal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Huddleston  
of Howley visited Mr. and Mrs.  
Ray Hysinger Monday.

Miss Jo Nell Bradford of Wich-  
ita Falls visited Saturday with  
her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Curtis Bradford.

Mrs. Bruce Gardner of Albu-



Pictured is Governor Preston Smith signing the proclamation as he proclaims the week of February 16-22, 1969, as FFA Week in Texas. To the right of Governor Smith is Bill Sarpalis of Boys Ranch, President of the Texas Association, Future Farmers of America. G. G. Scroggins, Executive Secretary of the Texas Association is pictured at the left.

querque, N. M., came Sunday for  
a visit with Mrs. John Ray.

August Rummel visited Edd  
Haseloff at Lockett Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Moore vis-  
ited her brother, J. F. Shivers,  
and wife at Five-in-One Sunday  
after he had just returned from  
Temple where he had surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owens spent  
the week end in Bowie visiting  
Mrs. Lays Gordon and Mr. and  
Mrs. Alfred Ragsdale.

Miss Patsy Smith of Vernon  
spent the week end in the L. B.  
Robertson home.

### Special Clothing, Tools May Be Tax Deductible

The cost and maintenance of  
special clothing or equipment on  
the job may be deducted on fed-  
eral income tax returns, Ellis  
Campbell, Jr., District Director of  
Internal Revenue for Northern  
Texas, said this week.

To qualify, the clothing and  
equipment must be required as a  
condition for employment.

Mr. Campbell said the cost of  
uniforms worn by nurses, bus  
drivers, firemen and policemen  
may be deducted. In general, cloth-  
ing that is only appropriate for  
wear on the job is deductible.

If a worker is required to sup-  
ply his own tools and equipment,  
their cost may also be deducted.  
This provision also covers the cost  
of membership dues in profession-  
al societies and subscriptions to  
professional and trade journals.

Publication 529, "Other 'Page  
2' Miscellaneous Deductions," con-  
tains details on this subject. Send  
a post card to Supply, Internal  
Revenue Service, Box 1738, Dallas,  
Texas 75221 for a free copy.

### Small Rural Water Companies Would Benefit from New Bill

The hundreds of small rural  
water companies set up on a non-  
profit base to provide water for  
rural homes all over Texas would  
be exempt from taxation under a  
pair of proposals by Senator Mur-  
ray Watson, Jr. of Mart.

SBR 6 is a proposal to let the  
voters of Texas decide whether  
they want to amend the constitu-  
tion to give the nonprofit water  
supply companies an exemption  
from taxes on their lines and wa-  
ter systems. SB54 would carry the  
constitutional provision into ef-  
fect if it is voted.

Under a program of the Farm-  
ers Home Administration, hun-  
dreds of loans have been made  
for construction of water systems  
in rural areas. The loans are being  
repaid out of water sales.

Organizers used the voluntary  
water company system rather than  
creating water districts which  
would have been exempt from  
property taxes because they are  
governmental agencies. They  
found that organizing costs were  
simpler, and it was not necessary  
to have elections and issue bonds.

But Watson said that in some  
areas, county tax assessors are  
levying taxes on water systems.

### Economy Approach

George A. Goodling, the U. S.  
Representative from Pennsylvania,  
remarked, "Inasmuch as the Con-  
gress has endorsed an economy  
approach in the management of  
government, there is a real need  
to categorize what are necessary  
and unnecessary spending pro-  
grams. . . Just recently, I had  
the Library of Congress run a  
check on the number and cost of  
just advisory bodies that have  
been created by the President  
and/or by Congress from 1964 to  
the present. I was amazed to dis-  
cover that during that time some  
150 advisory units have come into  
being, costing the taxpayer in the  
vicinity of \$1,647,144,000. It  
would appear that the taxpayer  
is paying a nice big hunk of his  
tax money for advice at the gov-  
ernment level."

### Advance Payments

Producers signing up Feb. 3  
through March 21 to participate  
in the 1969 feed grain and wheat  
programs (as well as certain small  
cotton farms) can request advance  
payments of up to 50 per cent  
for voluntary extra diversion, an-  
nounced Secretary of Agriculture  
Clifford Hardin on Feb. 5. County  
ASCS offices can supply details  
on the programs involved and also  
on the advance payments.

Post binders and indexes and  
ledger sheets to fit.—News office.

Bostich B8 and Swingline stap-  
lers and staples.—News office.

### Bill Heatly Raps School Panel on "Blunder"

House Appropriations Commit-  
tee chairman Rep. Bill Heatly  
said Wednesday that consolidation  
recommendations of the governor's  
committee on public school educa-  
tion are "a hell of a blunder."

The powerful house leader ac-  
cused the committee report writ-  
ers of trying to bankrupt the  
small communities of the state.

Heatly unleashed an unrelent-  
ing attack on the report and the  
governor's committee staff at the  
end of testimony from the Texas  
Education Agency before the Ap-  
propriations Committee.

Heatly directed his remarks to  
Paul R. Haas, vice chairman of  
the governor's committee and a  
member of the State Board of  
Education, as Haas answered ques-  
tions from the House budget writ-  
ers.

"I thought the committee had  
more sense than this," the veter-  
an legislator said.

He told Haas: "I'll be perfect-  
ly frank with you; it's not an in-  
telligent report."

Heatly also charged that Glenn  
Ivy, director of the governor's  
committee, "is running around all  
over the state trying to bankrupt  
the small towns" while being paid  
with tax money from these towns.

Haas pointed out the money for  
the committee's operation, includ-  
ing Ivy's salary, was appropriated  
by the legislature.

Heatly said he voted for the  
creation of the committee because  
former Gov. John Connally re-  
quested it.

"I should have known better,"  
Heatly said.

Haas said Ivy's salary was about  
\$1,800 a month with expenses of  
about \$500 to \$600 a month. Heatly  
asked Haas for a written re-  
port of Ivy's salary for the last  
12 months.

Haas pointed out that the di-  
rector only went to speak on be-  
half of the committee where he  
was invited.

When he said that certain mem-  
bers of the committee declined to  
accept financial remuneration for  
their services, Heatly responded:  
"I regret you were financially  
able to go to the meetings."

Haas said: "Well, we expected  
a certain amount of criticism, and  
I can see that we're getting  
it."

Heatly said, "This thing is the  
worst thing that's ever happened  
since I've been in the legislature."

"When you destroy the school  
(in a small town), then you de-  
stroy the community, and you de-  
stroy the church, and then the  
people move, and then what have  
you got? Nothing."

"If you'd just look at the back-  
ground of the governors of Texas,  
you'd find they came from the lit-  
tle schools you say are inade-  
quate."

Haas said the committee looked  
at a school as an institution for  
educating students, not a means  
for keeping a community alive.

He said the committee's objec-  
tive was to make constructive re-  
commendations for education in  
the state.

Heatly replied that "the only  
thing constructive to come of it  
would be to kill it."

(The preceding article was writ-  
ten by Merikaye Presley and ap-  
peared in the Feb. 13 issue of The  
Austin American.)

### College Knowledge Climbs

Higher education plan-  
ners handed the Legislature an  
explosive new issue—higher tu-  
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keep the land.

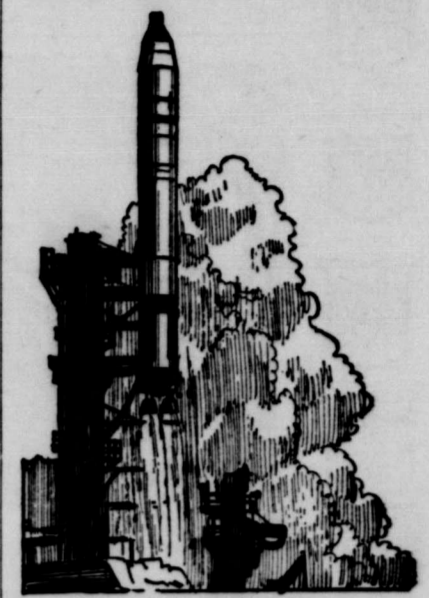
COLLEGE KNOWLEDGE  
CLIMBS—Higher education plan-  
ners handed the Legislature an  
explosive new issue—higher tu-  
itions and steep building use fees  
for college students.

Coordinating board, Texas Col-  
lege and University System adopt-  
ed by a wide margin the finance  
committee proposal to double tu-  
itions and establish a \$165 a year  
fee for students at six proposed

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### FOARD COUNTY FARM BUREAU JACK WELCH, AGENT



tact Mr. Kincaid.

The Easter Seal Society was es-  
tablished in Texas forty years ago  
to assist disabled persons and  
their families in finding and mak-  
ing effective use of all resources  
which will be helpful to them in  
developing their abilities and liv-  
ing more useful lives. The Society  
helps support 21 treatment facili-  
ties where crippled children and  
adults are treated regardless of  
their ability to pay. Wheel chairs,  
walkers, and related services are  
provided to those who cannot pro-  
vide for themselves. Mr. Kincaid  
said the Easter Seal Society de-  
pends on the annual Easter Seal  
appeal to finance this program of  
rehabilitation in Texas. He urged  
county citizens to increase their  
support of the Easter Seal Society  
and its program to help crippled  
children and adults.

Special emphasis is being given  
in 1969 by the Easter Seal Society  
in Texas to locate disabled chil-  
dren and adults who may need  
rehabilitation services and do not  
know where they are available.  
Anyone who could benefit from  
treatment and services offered by  
the Easter Seal Society can con-

As Easter Seal representative,  
Mr. Kincaid is the person to con-  
tact to request rehabilitation ser-  
vices from the Easter Seal Society  
for Crippled Children and Adults  
of Texas. These services include  
physical and occupational therapy,  
speech and hearing program and  
special information services to  
help solve the many problems fac-  
ed by the families of handicapped  
children and adults.

Rep. Grant Jones of Abilene  
has introduced a bill to add at  
least 50 per cent to the tuition  
fees of non-Texas students at  
state colleges while increasing tu-  
ition for Texans only slightly.

Rep. George Hinson of Mineo-  
la has a bill through committee  
to allow school districts to get  
full state aid for students taking  
vocational courses in another dis-  
trict.

Rep. Carl Parker of Port  
Arthur has dropped a bill into  
the House which would allow pub-  
lic employees to have labor unions.

Four House bills to streng-  
then the obscenity law have been  
introduced.







SCRIPTION RATES  
per year in Foard and  
joining counties.  
\$5.15 elsewhere.

**PERSONALS**

...de James of Clarendon  
... Sunday with her moth-  
... E. Minyard.

...rvin Bell spent last week  
... Branch visiting Mr.  
... Jimmy Henry and sons.

...d Mrs. Claudius Carroll  
... funeral services for her  
... m Kitchen, in Lubbock

...d Mrs. John Abshire of  
... spent the week end here  
... Mrs. Abshire's parents,  
... Mrs. Criss Moody.

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... M. Bryson and Miss  
... Turnbull of Vernon visit-  
... ing Mrs. Larry Bachman  
... last Saturday.

...rion Gentry and Dirk  
... Foy McRae visited in  
... Thursday with Edd Rail-

...ora Roddy and daughter,  
... Wichita Falls spent the  
... with Mr. and Mrs. Ches-

...rthel Cobb and Mrs. Bill  
... of Abilene visited rela-  
... friends in Crowell last

...d Mrs. John Odell visited  
... ghter and son-in-law, Mr.  
... W. K. Dishman, and  
... Archer City over the

...d Mrs. Bill Gafford and  
... Mrs. Clint White attend-  
... services for Mrs. Gor-  
... ford in Portales, N. M.,  
... ay of last week.

...d Mrs. A. M. Bryson, ac-  
... ced by Miss Brenda Turn-  
... vernon, visited the Rus-  
... sons of Hollis, Okla., Sun-

... R. Allee of Arlington  
... daughter, Mrs. J. E.  
... of Houston have been here  
... her sister and aunt, Mrs.  
... rter.

...Minnie Hlavaty returned  
... me in Vernon Thursday  
... few days visit with her  
... Mrs. Bill Klepper, and

...auline Snow of Corona,  
... here visiting her moth-  
... Maggie Campbell, and  
... s. Sonny Eddy, and fam-

...ddy, student at the  
... y of Texas in Austin,  
... week end here visiting  
... ts, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde  
... and other relatives.

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... bscription to the Wich-  
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... test news from this area.  
... 75 per year.

...Hall of Denton spent  
... t with his parents, Mr.  
... C. D. Hall, and attend-  
... rvice for his uncle, Sam  
... in Lubbock Saturday.

...d Mrs. L. S. Smith and  
... Sam, Mike and Jo Ann,  
... a Falls spent the week  
... her parents, Mr. and  
... t. Ross, and niece, Mrs.  
... rley, and family.

**Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson**  
spent last Tuesday night with Mr.  
and Mrs. Delmar McBeath and  
family in Arlington en route to  
Dallas where Mrs. Ferguson pur-  
chased merchandise for her dress  
shop.

**Mr. and Mrs. Foy McRae** had  
their children visiting them over  
the week end: Mr. and Mrs. Danny  
McRae and Dana of Carswell Air  
Force Base, Bruce McRae of Ar-  
lington, Tommie McRae of Can-  
yon, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion  
Gentry and Dirk of Crowell.

**Miss Jo Nell Bradford**, who has  
been attending Draughon's Busi-  
ness College at Wichita Falls, has  
accepted a position as secretary  
for the Texas Liquor Control  
Board in Wichita Falls and assum-  
ed her duties there last week. Miss  
Bradford is the daughter of Mrs.  
W. F. Bradford of Crowell.

**Mr. and Mrs. Sam Neblett** of  
Seattle, Wash., are the parents  
of a new baby daughter, Lessa De-  
nice, born February 15. The baby  
is the granddaughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. Bradford Holloway of Crow-  
ell. Mrs. Neblett is the former  
Mary Etta Holloway.

**Sgt. and Mrs. David A. Lock-  
wood** announce the arrival of a  
baby daughter, Monica Dawn, born  
Thursday, Feb. 13, in the Foard  
County Hospital. Sgt. Lockwood  
is serving a tour of duty at Ubon,  
Thailand, with the Air Force. Ma-  
ternal grandparents are Mr. and  
Mrs. Milburn Carroll of Crowell,  
and paternal grandparents are Mr.  
and Mrs. Ralph Lockwood of Ran-  
ger. J. A. Garrett of Crowell is  
the baby's great grandfather.

**Local Residents  
Attend Walker  
Funeral in Georgia**

Mrs. J. N. Ribble and grand-  
daughter, Miss Marjorie Walker,  
left last Friday for Richland Hill,  
Georgia, where they will attend  
the funeral of their grandson and  
brother, Billy Jack Walker, who  
was killed in Vietnam Saturday,  
February 8.

**Housing and Urban  
Development Grant  
Made to This Area**

Congressman Graham Purcell's  
office informed the News Tues-  
day afternoon that an urban plan-  
ning assistance in the amount of  
\$32,909 has been made for com-  
prehensive planning in the Wich-  
ita Falls metropolitan area which  
also includes Childress, Cottle,  
Foard and Hardeman Counties.

This amount is two-thirds of  
the total cost for a 12-month pe-  
riod. Edwin Daniel, executive for  
the Nortex regional planning com-  
mission of Wichita Falls, is head  
of the program.

**Vernon Social Security  
Office to Close on  
February 21 and 22**

The Vernon social security of-  
fice will be closed during regular  
business hours on Friday, Feb.  
21, and also from 10 a. m. to 12  
noon on Saturday, Feb. 22, in  
observance of the legal holiday.

**Social Security News**

The number of credits required  
to draw disability benefits has been  
lowered for young workers. If you  
become disabled between 24 and  
31, you need social security cred-  
its for half the time after you  
are 21 and before you became dis-  
abled.

The Texas Easter Seal Society  
provided direct care and treat-  
ment to over 18,000 crippled chil-  
dren and adults in Texas in 1968.  
Your contributions to the annual  
Easter Seal campaign helped make  
the program possible.

**No Accidents Are  
Investigated Here  
During January**

**Foard Is Only  
County in District  
with No Accidents**

The Texas Highway Patrol did  
not investigate any accidents in  
Foard County during the month  
of January, according to Sgt.  
Floyd Etheridge, Highway Patrol  
supervisor of this area.

However, all counties in this  
district were not so fortunate and  
Sgt. Etheridge, in comparing the  
rural traffic deaths of January,  
1969, to January, 1968, of the  
60 counties which comprise the  
Lubbock DPS Region, said that  
there was a 37 per cent increase  
in deaths.

The veteran patrol supervisor  
stated, "If January is a repre-  
sentation of the next 11 months  
in Texas, traffic accidents will  
claim 3,900 lives in 1969, an all-  
time high."

Foard County was the only  
county in the district which did  
not report an accident during the  
month.

The sergeant also issued a re-  
minder that April 15 is the dead-  
line for obtaining the 1969 in-  
spection sticker of all motor ve-  
hicles registered in Texas.

**C. B. Williams Died  
in Amarillo Feb. 11**

C. B. "Bun" Williams, Sr., 79,  
brother of Mrs. W. C. McKown  
of Crowell, died in the NorthWest  
Texas Hospital in Amarillo Tues-  
day night of last week after an  
illness of five months.

Funeral services were held last  
Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from  
the Westminster Presbyterian  
Church in Amarillo, where Mr.  
Williams was a member. Interment  
was in an Amarillo cemetery.

He was born in Pulaski County,  
Arkansas, and was married to Miss  
Katherine Gingles in 1912 in  
Cabot, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Williams  
had been residents of Amarillo  
since 1924, where he was a sales-  
man for Waples-Platter wholesale  
grocers until he retired.

At one time, Mr. Williams op-  
erated the Crowell Grocery Store  
here.

He is survived by his wife; 3  
sons, C. B. Williams, Jr. of Am-  
arillo, Mick Williams of San An-  
tonio and Glenn Williams of Tex-  
arkana; two daughters, Miss Jane  
Williams of Amarillo and Mrs.  
Willa Nell Hadsel of San Jose,  
Calif.; and three sisters, Mrs. Mc-  
Kown of Crowell and Mrs. F. C.  
Brooks and Mrs. William E. Wells,  
both of Amarillo.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

- FOARD COUNTY HOSPITAL**
- Patients In:**
- Bonnie Booker.
  - Mrs. Julie Houck.
  - Ruby Lee James.
  - Michelle Gafford.
  - Charles Michael Branch.
  - Mrs. David Lockwood and  
infant daughter.
  - George Neal.
  - Mrs. R. H. Cooper, Sr.
  - Mrs. S. E. Tate.
  - Mrs. R. J. Thomas.
  - Alma Patton.
  - David Fish.
  - Mrs. Sonny Eddy.
  - Mrs. C. R. Roden.
- Patients Dismissed:**
- Mrs. Dayton Everson.
  - Roy Long.
  - Fred Glover.
  - Johnny Robertson.
  - Mrs. Bud Minyard.
  - Gary Glover.
  - Mrs. W. L. Johnson.
  - Barry Branch.
  - Brenda Sillemon.
  - Mrs. Jack Hickman.
  - Ronald Aydelott.
  - Mrs. Edith Bell.
  - Mrs. Tennie Reed.
  - D. R. Magee.
  - Mrs. Ada Collier.
  - Loy Hopkins.

**Card of Thanks**

I want to thank Dr. Stapp, the  
nurses and hospital staff for their  
care while I was in the hospital.  
Also, thanks to my friends for the  
flowers, cards, visits and prayers.  
Mrs. Bud Minyard.  
32-1tc

**Dried Skim Milk  
Will Whip**

A dried skim milk which can  
be whipped into a low-calorie des-  
sert topping has been developed  
by U. S. Department of Agricul-  
ture scientists. The mixture needs  
no refrigeration or pre-cooling of  
utensils, report Extension foods  
and nutrition specialists. The ex-  
perimental product can be stored  
without refrigeration. Skim milk  
which has been homogenized be-  
fore drying and reconstituted with  
one part powder to two parts wa-  
ter will produce a foam if whipped  
for three minutes.

**New Rules Needed  
in Spending**

The sharp-pencil boys—the ef-  
ficiency experts—are not always  
popular around a plant. But they  
are appreciated by the guy who  
pays the bills, for they are often  
able to trim costs. So it is with  
the General Accounting Office  
(GAO) for which taxpayers can  
be grateful.

GAO, which keeps an eye on  
how Federal Government agencies  
are discharging their financial re-  
sponsibilities, has just issued its  
annual report for fiscal 1968.

"Washington Report," official  
publication of the Chamber of  
Commerce of the United States,  
says the report bears out the con-  
tention that these fiscal and man-  
agement experts are mighty use-  
ful.

During that year, GAO says  
that its examination of govern-  
ment procedures, operations and  
buying habits results in savings  
of \$232,834,000—almost a quar-  
ter billion dollars. It came from  
reviews in 13 federal departments  
and nine agencies.

As a result of GAO recommen-  
dations, corrective actions have  
been taken by the departments  
and agencies involved. Some  
changes were made in policies  
and procedures through revised  
directives and instructions.

"Washington Report" com-  
ments: "It would appear that, with  
their reckless spending habits, all  
federal agencies and departments  
could use some new rule books  
when it comes to dispensing tax-  
payers' money."

Statement pads, 30c ea.—News  
office.



**TRAVEL-MATES**—Avondale's  
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tern 9499 also includes instruc-  
tions for a jacket, shorts, and  
slacks.

**Surveying Crew  
Gets a Taste of the  
Wild, Wild West**

**By Ruth Brown**

Some men who were making  
a survey in connection with the  
salt water retention dams may  
have been convinced last Thurs-  
day that the old West still lives,  
according to Jack W. Brown, who  
is still laughing.

He and his father were bring-  
ing in a cow and calf. J. R. Brown  
had the calf, which had a broken  
leg, in the pickup and was heading  
back home. On the north side of  
the river he encountered a man  
helping with the survey. He was  
warned that a wild, mad cow was  
coming, and he gathered up his  
instruments and got in the pick-  
up. A group of about four men  
were on the south side of the river  
and listened to the warning by  
continuing their survey.

In a few minutes along came  
the cow and the cowboy, full  
speed. He yelled at the surveyors  
to get out of the way. One man  
walked around to the front of his  
car and three others walked be-  
hind a cedar tree, all leaving their  
instruments in the open.

Within a few seconds, the cow  
butted the man by the car and  
ran him on top of the car; then  
she turned and chased the other  
men. "She not only chased them,  
she caught them," Brown reports.  
They scattered in all directions,  
with one running directly into the  
horse.

All this was happening at a fast  
speed and Brown was so intent  
after the cow he could not stop,  
although he did turn to look back  
and laugh at the scattering of  
men and equipment, which was  
when the cow came at his other  
side and whacked his boot with  
her head, hurting his ankle. He  
was so busy with the cow he did  
not have time to go back and see  
if anyone was hurt. No surveyors  
were out the next day, however,  
and one wonders what stories they  
told about their hazardous duty  
in the sparsely populated breaks  
of the Wichita River where boom-  
ing jet planes split the sky and  
brush popping cows split survey-  
ors.

**Miss Zerne Gafford  
and Raymond Lance,  
Jr. to Wed June 7th**

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gafford of  
Crowell have announced the en-  
gagement and approaching mar-  
riage of their daughter, Zerne,  
to Raymond Lance, Jr. of Fort  
Worth. The groom-elect is the  
son of Mrs. Adele Lance of Lock-  
ett and Raymond Lance, Sr. of  
Altus, Okla.

The couple will exchange wed-  
ding vows on June 7 in the First  
Baptist Church in Crowell.

Miss Gafford will be a spring  
graduate of Crowell High School.  
Mr. Lance, a 1965 graduate of  
Lockett High School, is employed  
by Tyson Buick of Fort Worth.

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**Junior Adelprians**

The members of the Sub-Jun-  
ior Adelprian Club entertained  
their mothers and the eighth grade  
girls and their mothers at their  
annual Mother's Tea last Wed-  
nesday afternoon. Guests includ-  
ed Mrs. Jeff Bell and Darla, Mrs.  
Jackie Brown and Ruth, Mrs.  
Mike Bird and Trudy, Mrs. Bill  
Dodd and Deann, Mrs. Beverly  
Gray and Karen, Mrs. Travis Ve-  
cera and Rhonda, Mrs. Jake Wis-  
dom and Chindy. Several mothers  
of the club members were also  
present.

After welcoming the guests,  
Harriet Halbert gave a short talk  
on the accomplishments and pro-  
jects of the club. Darry Worley  
then gave a program on "Moth-  
ers." Following this, Pam Carter  
moderated a revue of spring fash-  
ions. Serving as models were Jan-

Crippling strikes one family in  
five, according to the Texas East-  
er Seal Society for Crippled Chil-  
dren and Adults. The society,  
which carries forward a year-  
round program of direct services,  
education, and research, is con-  
ducting its annual Easter Seal  
Campaign March 1 to April 6.

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## Large Crowd at Friendship Meeting of Eastern Star

Some forty visitors from Quannah, Paducah, Vernon and Seymour attended the annual dinner and friendship meeting of Crowell Chapter No. 916, Order of the Eastern Star, Tuesday night, Feb. 11, in the Masonic hall.

W. R. Moore gave the invocation preceding the 6 p. m. dinner. Mrs. Vera Thomas, worthy matron, welcomed the guests and introduced Mrs. Lorene Howard of Quannah, Mrs. Mozelle Boren of Paducah and Mrs. Ama Powers of Seymour, all members of the fraternal visitation committee, Grand Chapter of Texas, OES.

The local organization voted to send drawsheets to the OES Home hospital in Arlington.

Mrs. Wilma Gamble was installed as Adah by Mrs. Lottie Estes, installing officer, and Mrs. Alyene Pittillo, installing marshal.

Mrs. Thomas read a poem entitled "Our Friend." Mrs. Gwen Gentry directed a skit, "The Postman Rings Twice."

Mrs. Mae Naylor and Mrs. Gentry draped the altar in memory of Mrs. Lucile R. Dufner and Mrs. Delma R. Halley, past Grand Matrons. Mrs. Lona Pittman led in prayer.

Serving as pro tems were W. R. Moore, worthy patron; Mrs. Pearl Moore, associate matron; Mrs. Gwen Gentry, associate con-

ductress; Mrs. Maggie Gentry, Electa; and Mrs. Gladys Moore, warder.

Carrying out a Valentine motif in decorations, hostesses included Mmes. Ona Lee Taylor, Beulah Holcombe and Pittman.

## Camp Fire Girls Host Father-Daughter Box Supper Friday

The Wi Nu Ka Camp Fire girls held a Valentine Father-Daughter box supper in the basement of the Methodist Church Friday evening at 7 p. m. Tables were laid with white paper tablecloths with red streamers, and were centered with large net hearts bounded on each side by red cardboard cupid on styrofoam bases.

Place cards for the fathers were large hearts decorated like faces with a black pocket comb sewed on as a mustache. The girls had decorated their boxes in a Valentine motif, and had decorated a large cake with candy hearts and arrows.

Betty Collins, president, presided. A pantomime skit, "Tale of Whoa," was presented with every girl taking part.

Fathers and daughters present were Leonard Toile and Vicki, Fred Collins and Betty, Ray Quintero and Sylvia, Jim Paul Norman and Kimberly, Ray Santos and Sulema, Ralph Don Adams and Melinda, Vernon Garrett and Stacy, Joe Cerda and Lydia, Ray Shirley and Kristi and Donald Werley and Connie. The guardians of the group are Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Shirley.

## Hobby Club Has Program on 'China Painting' Monday

The Foard County Hobby Club held a monthly meeting at the community center Monday night, Feb. 17 with the program being a discussion and demonstration on china painting presented by Mrs. Dessa Black.

At a previous meeting, the club endorsed a plan to add to its monthly program a "show and tell" period. This time was enthusiastically accepted and enjoyed by all.

Some members have several hobbies and crafts, therefore, the club membership believes many future programs can be constructively planned for the enjoyment of all its members.

Out of town members attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ratcliff of Iowa Park who displayed a large and interesting selection of old bottles and glass.

Saturday, March 29, was set for the next hobby, swap and trades day to be held at the court house south of the court house.

## West Side H. D. Club

Mrs. Charlie Wishon led an interesting recreation period at the beginning of the January 28 meeting of the West Side club when it met in the home of Mrs. Homer Ketchersid. The opening exercise was the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison and led by the hostess.

A program on putting in sleeves was given by Mrs. Ketchersid. She was also elected THDA delegate to the district meeting. Mrs. Oscar Gentry received the hostess prize.

Next meeting is Feb. 25 in the home of Mrs. L. G. Simmons.

## W. S. L. Meeting

David Stapp will present piano selections at this Thursday's luncheon meeting of the Women's Service League.

Miss Martha Villarreal, popular Clarendon Junior College student, was guest speaker at last week's meeting. Friday night, the losing attendance contest team entertained the winners with a dinner at the home of Mrs. Cornelia McDaniel.

## Squeeze Gone from Tomato Buying

A machine may someday take the squeeze out of buying tomatoes. U. S. Department of Agriculture scientists are working on a machine which will help provide more uniform, better-quality tomatoes. The homemaker won't need to squeeze the fruit because the machine will look inside to see how ripe the tomatoes are, reports foods specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown us during our recent sorrow of our wife and mother, Mrs. Carl Zeibig; for the cards, food, prayers and everything done for us.

Carl Zeibig  
The family of Isla Mae Thompson  
The family of Lee Allen Zeibig  
The family of Nora Carl De-Jarneatt. 32-1tp

Renew that dry stamp pad with some stamp pad ink. Only 60c a bottle at the News office. tfc

## Taxpayers Ask Internal Revenue

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q—I have a stock sale to report. What form do I use and where can I get a copy?

A—Stock sales and other sales or exchanges of property should be reported on Schedule D. The net profit or loss from these sales should be entered on line 5, Part II of your form 1040. Copies of Schedule D are available at local IRS offices as well as many banks and post offices.

Q—My refund was held up last year. What can I do to avoid the same thing happening this year?

A—File a complete, accurate return and send it in early. Refund claims filed now can be processed and the refund issue in five to six weeks. A major reason for refund delays last year was incomplete returns. Over one and one-half million returns were received with a missing or an incorrect social security number.

Other common errors were failure to sign the return and failure to include W-2 statements. Missing supplementary forms, such as those to claim the sick pay exclusion or a moving expense deduction, also delayed some refunds.

Q—My paycheck has been smaller the last few weeks. Have taxes gone up?

A—The social security tax rate for individuals increased from 4.4 per cent to 4.8 per cent in January. This may account for the increased withholding from your paycheck.

Q—A W-2 form came last week for my son who is now in the Navy. Does he have to file a tax return?

A—Yes, he does if his income was \$600 or more last year. A return would also have to be filed to obtain a refund of tax withheld even if income was less than \$600. However, if he is stationed overseas, he has additional time to file his return. Taxpayers out of the country have an automatic extension from April 15 to June 16 to file 1968 returns. If your son is in Vietnam, his return isn't due until 180 days after he leaves that area.

Q—I am a widower. Does the fact that my nephew now makes his home with me allow me to file as head of household?

A—If your nephew also qualifies as your dependent then you may be able to file as a head of household. Check your 1040 instructions for details.

Q—Social security tax was taken out of my pay on both jobs I had last year. Is there any way I can get part of this back?

A—If more than \$343.20 was withheld from your wages last year for social security taxes, then the excess can be claimed as a credit on your income tax return. The amount of the credit should be entered on line 18, page 1 of the form 1040. Be sure to attach W-2 forms from both employers showing the amounts that have been withheld.

Q—How much can a self-employed person deduct for contributions to a retirement plan?

A—A self-employed person can set aside up to 10 per cent of his earned income in an approved plan with a maximum of \$2,500, and deduct this on his return. This is explained in Publication 560, "Retirement Plans for Self-Employed Individuals." Send a post card to your district office



OLD WORLD SETTING—A Portuguese tile design reproduced on cotton gives a European flavor to this dining area. The fabric is used for curtains, a counter dado, and covers a panel to simulate a portion of tile wall. A touch of brilliant green in the predominantly blue and orange tile design is repeated in chair cushions. Fabric by Schumacher.

to obtain a free copy.

Q—What taxes can I deduct on my return?

A—You may deduct state and local income, sales, gasoline, personal property, and real estate taxes. Deductions are not allowed for: federal taxes, drivers licenses, state and local taxes on alcoholic beverages, tobacco and certain miscellaneous taxes. Also, the cost of auto taxes are deductible only to the extent they are based on the value of your car.

## Thalia

BY MRS. MAGGIE CAPPS

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cates and Mrs. Georgia Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Aurbach of Midland and Captain and Mrs. Fred Aurbach. Captain Aurbach has just returned from a year in Vietnam. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Buel Samuel of Wichita Falls.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tole over the week end included Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Grisham and Mr. and Mrs. Jady Tole of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Ward and Mrs. S. M. Tole of Chillicothe.

Roy Self and B. F. Tarver visited Mrs. Coyle (Junior) Defoor and children in Wichita Falls Wednesday of last week.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Holland and Ronnie last week end were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holland and sons of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Moore and children of Odell and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holland and children.

Mr. and Mrs. David Carpenter, Rusty and Tammie, of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. G. A. Shultz and Mrs. Nan Sue Dockins and Lori and the Cecil Carpenters, and Tommie and Mrs. Mary Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Adkins of Canyon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carpenter, Tommie and Mrs. Mary Brown last week end.

Mrs. Lela Glasgow of Fort

Worth came Thursday for a visit with her brother, Floyd Webb. They spent the week end with their brother, Louis Webb, and wife of Spark, Okla.

Bob Main of Roy, N. M., came Thursday for a visit with his grandparents, the Ed Paynes, and to look after his farming interests here.

Visitors of Mrs. Flora Short and Billie last week end included Mrs. Ruby Hunter and a friend of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ford and family of Quannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey spent the week end visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ken Ferguson, and husband in Lubbock.

This community was blessed this week with a nice rain which was badly needed. Snow fell during Sunday night and a white blanket over the area surprised most of us Monday morning.

Duane and Marshall Capps of Vernon visited Mrs. Maggie Capps Saturday morning.

Mrs. Myrtle Neill and Mrs. Maggie Hammonds visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shultz in the Taylor home in Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sims visited

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his sister, Mrs. Effie Nash, non Monday.

The R. H. Coopers continue tending the bedside of his er, Mrs. R. H. Cooper, Sr., Crowell hospital. She is to be progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal have been attending the of his aunt, Mrs. Tennie in the Crowell hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sims ed VFW meeting in Vern day night.

Mrs. Ted Reeder of visited Mrs. Maggie H awhile Monday.

Dan Johnson of Amar his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, and Pam of Vern ited Sunday with Mr. W. A. Johnson. Other were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle way of Crowell.

Mrs. Joe Coufal is a past a Houston hospital where surgery recently. Mrs. Coufal is caring for her children while the mother's Her condition is reported satisfactory.

Otis Johnson of Fort visited his grandparents, Mrs. O'Neal Johnson, Mon last week.

## Small World

U. S. Senator Karl Mund South Dakota stated: "In fifty or so years, the capacity of man, figuratively almost literally, has reduced size of our world to a hood. Instant communication the near-instant capabilities modern transportation has deed, made this a 'small world'."

For COLD take 60¢ 17-22c

## NOTICE!

Starting March 1st, all gas service will be discontinued if bills are not paid by the 16th of Each Month. Disconnect orders will be issued. Texas Natural Gas Co.

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Bake-Rite Shortening 3 lbs. 69¢	TIDE Giant 69¢
SUGAR 5 lbs. 59¢	MAXIM COFFEE 2 oz. jar 29¢
CHOCOLATE CHERRIES box 49¢	Cain Coffee reg., drip. lb. 69¢
Crushed Pineapple Geisha No. 2 4 for \$1.00	Salad Dressing Best Maid Qt. 39¢
SYRUP Blackburn's Waffle 1 qt. 39¢	

## Feather in His Cap



SELECTED from among hundreds of children to be 1969 National March of Dimes Boy, Tracy Greenwood, 5, compares headdresses with Randy Palmer, a Kiowa Indian, not far from the Greenwood's Velma, Okla., home. Tracy, victim of open spine and water on the brain, symbolizes 250,000 American babies who each year are deprived by birth defects of their birthright to good health. The March of Dimes is fighting birth defects through research, medical care and public and professional education.

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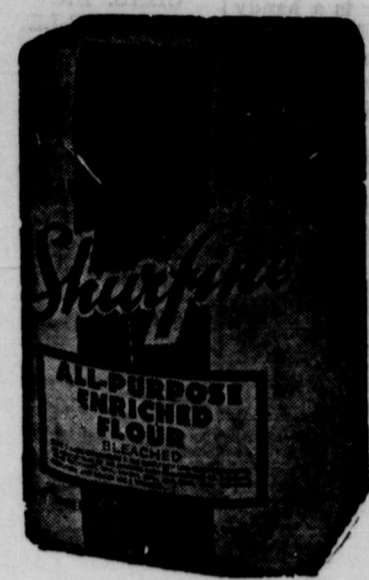
# WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY SALE

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ONLY ..... **39¢**

**CARNATION MELLORINE**  
All Flavors  
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**Flour** Shurfine  
5 lb. bag ..... **39¢**



**Pears** Rosedale  
Giant 2 1/2 Can ..... **39¢**

**Peaches** Hunt's Spiced  
2 1/2 Can 3 FOR ..... **\$1**

**Tuna** Chicken of Sea  
3 for ..... **\$1**

**GREEN BEANS** 5 cans **\$1.00**

**BECK'S CUT**  
**SMOKED SALMON** 7 cans **\$1.00**

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**PIES**  
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Giant 2 1/2 Can **4 \$1**

**CORN Our Darling** 5 cans **\$1.00**

**SH GREEN CUCUMBERS** 2 for **15¢**



**BISCUITS**

**Lettuce** Large Green Heads **2-29¢**

**SALMON** Honey Boy  
Tall Can ..... **69¢**

**Potatoes** Russets  
10 lb. bag ..... **49¢**



**Cokes** KING SIZE  
CTN. .... **43¢**

**CABBAGE** Colorado Green  
FIRM HEADS  
lb. **5¢**

**TEXAS GRAPEFRUIT**  
Juicy Reds  
Each **5¢**

**CHUCK ROAST** Tender, Delicious lb. **49¢**

**TOILET PAPER**

**SOFLIN**  
10-Roll Pac ..... **79¢**

**Sausage** Circle A Whole Hog **2 lb. bag \$1.09**

**CHERRIES** Sturgeon Bay  
can **39¢**

**HI-C ORANGE DRINK**  
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**Pork Roast** Boneless Pork Fine for Slicing  
lb. .... **69¢**

**Bean Salad** pint **39¢**

**Slaw** pint **39¢**

**BUTTERMILK** Carnation 1/2 gallon **39¢**

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## Two Minutes With the Bible

The Sword of the Spirit

"The Sword of the Spirit . . . is the Word of God" (Eph. 6:17). Of all the spiritual armor which believers are told to "put on" in Eph. 6:11-18, there is only one offensive weapon. This is "the Sword of the Spirit . . . the Word of God."

The Bible is called the Sword of "the Spirit," because the Spirit of God is its Author. It is called "the Sword" of the Spirit because, thus written by God who knows all, it can cut deeply. This makes it a formidable weapon against Satan and the forces of evil operating all about us. We are told in Heb. 4:12,13:

"The Word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart."

"Neither is there any creature that is not manifest in His sight: but all things are naked and opened unto the eyes of Him with whom we have to do."

As David said long ago: "O Lord, Thou has searched me, and known me."

"Thou knowest my downsitting and mine uprising; Thou understandest my thoughts afar off" (Psa. 139:1,2).

It is because God knows and understands us so thoroughly that His Word can sometimes cut us so deeply.

How wise, then, to bow before that Blessed Book, acknowledge its condemnation of sin and trust the Savior it presents! And, having done this, how wise to "put on the whole armor of God," not forgetting to "take . . . the Sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God!"

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## Medicare Premium of \$4.00 to Remain Through June, 1970

The monthly premium older people pay for the voluntary medical insurance part of Medicare will remain at the present \$4 for the period July 1969 through June 1970, Edwin Draughon, social security manager in Vernon, noted this week.

The premium covers half the cost of protection that helps pay doctors' and surgeons' bills and a variety of other health care expenses. The other half is paid out of federal general revenues.

Of the population 65 and over, 95 per cent are now enrolled in the supplementary medical insurance program. Mr. Draughon said, up from the 91 per cent enrolled when the medicare program began July 1, 1966.

A new enrollment period opened January 1, Mr. Draughon said, and will provide another chance for people who missed out earlier to sign up for the protection. For some—those who were born Oct. 1, 1901, or earlier, and those who were enrolled but dropped out before January 1, 1967—it will be the last chance to enroll.

Older people who delay in enrolling, Mr. Draughon said, pay a premium that is 10 per cent higher for each full year they could have had the medical insurance protection but were not enrolled. And those who wait 3 years past their first chance to sign up will not be able to get the coverage at all.

He estimated that the period between now and March 31 will be the last chance to enroll for about two out of three persons 65 and over in the Crowell area who are not yet enrolled for the supplementary protection.

Mr. Draughon said many of the elderly people in the Crowell area who have not yet signed up for the supplementary doctor bill insurance will have received application blanks in the mail. If they have any questions about how to fill them out or about Medicare itself, or if they do not receive a form, the people in the Vernon social security office will be glad to help them.

Scholarships and fellowships provided by the Easter Seal Society have made it possible for hundreds of doctors, therapists, and other professional workers to join the ranks of skilled rehabilitation persons serving the physically handicapped.

## Highway Dept. Issues 1969 State Map of Texas

A field of bluebonnets beside a Central Texas stream enhances the cover of the 1969 Official State Highway Map released by the Texas Highway Department.

Like the bluebonnet, the map is a perennial favorite of Texas motorists. Approximately 1.2 million maps were distributed last year and projections for 1969 call for distribution as high as 1.5 million.

Added this year are 127 miles on the interstate highway system. They include important links on IH 40 from east of Amarillo to the New Mexico border and 20 miles of IH 635 in the Dallas area from IH 35E eastward to IH 30.

Almost 2.1 thousand miles of interstate highways in Texas are now open to traffic.

Reflecting rapid urbanization of the state, a special inset map of the Longview-Kilgore-Tyler urban region is included on the map. The inset is similar to one added last year for the Rio Grande Valley urban region.

In addition, the Beaumont-Port Arthur inset map has been enlarged to include the Orange area.

Texas' new chief executive, Gov. Preston Smith, adds words of welcome to travelers using Texas highways. In his message, he stresses the diversity of the state and invites motorists to use the map in tours on the unexcelled Texas highway network.

Visitors will find expert assistance in planning travel in Texas at 11 tourist bureaus operated by the Highway Department, including the newest at the Roy Bean Visitor Center and Cactus Garden at Langtry. Ten bureaus are marked on the map. The eleventh is in the Capitol Building in Austin.

Three additional pairs of safety rest areas are shown along Texas interstate routes.

Each new safety rest area includes a comfort station, drinking fountains, fireplaces, special travel displays featuring both statewide and local points of interest and handy map dispensers.

Motorists will appreciate the familiar shaded picnic tables and fireplaces.

Altogether, the Texas Highway Department has provided approximately 1,100 safety rest areas, roadside parks and scenic turnouts for the safety and convenience of highway users in Texas.

Safety rest areas are designated on the map with a small green square, roadside parks with the familiar green dot symbol.

Other helpful information on the map includes listings of Highway Department district offices, Department of Public Safety offices, Highway Department tourist bureaus and visitor centers and state parks.

Back again this year is a handy conversion table in Spanish for the benefit of Latin American visitors. The table converts kilometers to miles and liters to gallons.

The official state highway map is one of the most popular of travel-oriented literature distributed each year by the Texas Highway Department. Copies of the map are available at Highway Department tourist bureaus and at department district offices.

Tourist bureaus and visitor centers are located in or near Anthony (El Paso), Lareda, Orange, Waskom, Texarkana, Denison, Gainesville, Wichita Falls, Amarillo, Langtry and in the State Capitol at Austin. Trained travel counselors in these bureaus and centers assisted almost one million tourists last year.

The map also may be ordered directly by sending name, address and ZIP code to Texas Highway Department, Travel and Information Division, Box 5064, Austin, Texas 78703.

"Consolidation" Is Big Word in TEA's Biennial Report

Austin—The "C's" have it when you look at the future of Texas public schools.

In this case, however, the "C" is not a so-so grade on a student report card. It is the symbol of the future—consolidation.

It is also the history of the Foundation School Program which grew out of the Gilmer-Aikin laws of 1949. The 1966-68 biennial report released recently by the Texas Education Agency outlines the still short history of school district consolidation in the state.

The number of public school districts in Texas has dropped from 2,748 in 1949-52, to 1,263 in 1967-68. This rate of decline has been fairly stable since 1964, ranging from slightly less than 1 per cent to 3.4 per cent per year.

While the number of public school districts decreased during this period, the percentage of districts operating accredited programs rose from 91.2 to 93 per cent.

The current status of county school districts is also defined by the agency report. Currently, 130 Texas counties have elective county school superintendents, 104 have county judges serving as ex-officio county superintendents, and 20 have neither elective nor ex-officio county superintendents. There are 230 county school boards now in operation since four counties with ex-officio superintendents do not have boards.

State costs for 1966-68 county school administration tallied out at \$5,337,000.

During 1967-68, the second fiscal year outlined in this report, 102 school districts received aid under the sparse area formula which provides additional state assistance for any school district of

100 square miles or more having fewer than one pupil per square mile. Although there are state aid formulas to help such districts, there are no special allocations for big city systems which are educating the bulk of Texas' students.

The continuing trend toward consolidation of school districts is a significant index of planning accomplished by educational administrators during the 1966-68 biennium, the reports points out.

"As communities strove to utilize available resources better and to provide improved and expanded opportunities for their pupils, the number of school districts declined. The decrease occurred in the number of common school districts. The number of independent school districts remained fairly constant."

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**Foard County News**  
Crowell, Texas, February 20, 1969

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**  
\$3.61 per year in Foard and adjoining counties.  
\$5.15 elsewhere.

**Lodge Notices**

**Allen-Hough Post No. 9177**  
Veterans of Foreign Wars  
Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in the Community Center.

**Crowell Chapter No. 916, OES**  
Meets second Tuesday night of each month. The next meeting will be March 11, 7:00 p. m. Members please take notice. We welcome all visitors.

**CROWELL LODGE NO. 840**  
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting  
Second Monday each month.  
March 10, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

**THALIA LODGE NO. 666**  
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting  
Fourth Monday of each month.  
Mon. night, Feb. 24, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

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NO HUNTING, fishing or trespassing on my land.—Juanita Gafford. pd. 1-69

NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. pd. 1-70

NO HUNTING or trespassing on our land.—Ingram & Moody. pd. 3-69

NO HUNTING, fishing, or trespassing of any kind allowed on T. R. Cates, Sr. land. pd. 4-69

NO TRESPASSING of any kind, fishing or hunting on land owned or leased by me.—Fannie Middlebrook. pd. 9-69

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on our land in Foard and Knox Counties.—Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Barker. pd. 1-70

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on our land.—Mrs. B. A. Whitman and Eldon. pd. 7-69

TRESPASS NOTICE — No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by us.—Johnson & Ekern. pd. 1-70

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on our land.—Glenn Halsell Cattle Co. pd. 1-70

NO TRESPASSING — Positively no hunting or fishing on any of our land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Otis Gaffard. pd. 1-70

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by me.—Merl Kincaid. pd. 1-70

TRESPASS NOTICE—Positively no hunting with dogs or guns, or trespassing of any kind allowed on our land.—Mrs. C. W. Ross. pd. 8-69

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on land owned or leased by C. N. Chatfield Estate. Pd. to 11-69

NOTICE TO PUBLIC—Any non-members caught fishing in the Spring Lake Country Club will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. This lake is for members only and others will please stay out.—Board of Directors.

NO TRESPASSING — Positively no hunting on land owned, leased or rented by us. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCoy. pd. 9-69

**For Sale**

HAY for sale. Phone 24-tfc

FOR SALE CHEAP—100 acre land near Crowell. To see estate. See Clint White.

FOR SALE—Webster case per—the best. Only 65¢.—News Office.

FOR SALE—One Case tractor one chisel plow. See Mr. Tate at the hospital.

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FOR SALE—Motor bike condition, reasonable.—Linder.

FOR SALE—3-bedroom 217 W. Foard, \$3,500. Phone 3013.

FOR SALE—Mrs. W. O. Daniel's home. Priced to sell. McDaniel, ph. 654-4801. 30-tfc

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HAY FOR SALE—100 fall cut Sweet Sudan. Clean, never been wet. E. to.—Goodloe Meason.

Let me figure with you buy: Life, Hospitalization, Life Insurance.—Ora Mas 684-5911.

FOR SALE—30 registered Angus heifers, \$185.00 each. Some bulls \$200.00 up. E. Long, 8 mi. north Crowell. TE9-2520 nights.

FOR SALE — Four mares, 2-year-old Palomino, 1 roan yearling filly. Mare will foal in June for grey horse. Phone 474.—Louise Eby.

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See Herald of Truth Sunday a. m. Channel 6, T. V.  
NOTICE—Drainage work clean out your stock tank Edgin, 684-5171, or Verritt, 684-3311.  
Does an Avon representative on you? We may need in your neighborhood. Write Avon Mgr., Box 100, Wichita Falls, Texas.  
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WANTED—Filling station. See Hopkins Enco.  
WANTED—Ironing to home.—Mrs. John Wilkins 32-1tp  
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