

# THE KNOX COUNTY HERALD

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## County Farmers Receive \$1,931.01 From Government

During the past eleven months of this year 1934 the office of the county agent, W. W. Rice, has been a disbursing station for farmers of Knox County, through which a total of \$1,931.01 has been received by the farmers. This sum has been paid in the following manner:

1st payment cotton checks	76,535.24
2nd payment cotton checks	56,911.22
Total cattle payments	55,264.00
Total sheep payments	1,140.00
1st payment hog checks	5,628.90
2nd payment hog checks	122.15
1st payment wheat checks	2,329.50
Total	\$191,931.01

It is evident from the above figures that the new administration is doing a great deal to assist the farmer. It is universally known that when the farmer is not prosperous

neither is the nation. The figures quoted above show the sums paid to the farmers through six different projects. The cotton plow up of course began in 1933 but the remaining five were all new in this year. They represent payments to the farmer for over production as well as payments to him for under production, designated as "drouth".

It is likewise to be remembered that the total in the above figures change every day, the total growing larger. The cotton payment checks have not all been received and with the arrival of checks each day, the sum paid to the farmers increase.

The Herald is indebted to County Agent, Walter Rice, for compiling and furnishing us with the above quoted figures.

## Business As Usual

by A. B. Chapin



## Mrs. Armstrong 92 In May

Mrs. Sarah Jane Armstrong, oldest citizen in the Knox City territory, will celebrate her 92 birthday in May, 1935. Although bedfast, Mrs. Armstrong is cheerful and shows a ready response when friends call to see her.

Mrs. Armstrong was born in Tennessee, however at the age of five years she with her parents came to Texas where she has remained the 86 consecutive years. The family settled in Bastrop county. It was there that the child Sarah Jane grew to womanhood, married and became a widow. She buried her husband in 1874 then became both father and mother to her brood of five children.

Three of the five children are now living and from those three, Grandmother Armstrong has a host of relatives including a large number of grand children, 20 or more great grand children and 3 great, great grand children. From the latter to Grandfather Armstrong are five generations of one family not often reached, and when accomplished seldom remains but a few years.

It is easy for Grandmother Armstrong to recall days of the Civil War. Her husband, during the four years of fighting, was employed by the Confederate Government, transporting cotton to Mexico. She and her two small children remained at home alone where she toiled constantly at carding, spinning, making clothes and providing food for the babies. "It wasn't easy," says the little old lady, "But we made it."

Mrs. Armstrong moved to Knox county in 1903, having lived here constantly for the past 31 years. She recalled her first ride in an automobile and the terrible fright it gave her. "It was muddy," says Mrs. Armstrong, "and my two grandsons Walter and E. F. Branton, were not too good at driving and we skidded all over the road."

Other memories recalled and a clever word picture was given of the first passenger train that roared through the Knox Prairie. According to Mrs. Armstrong, every body gathered at the depot to see the train. Filled baskets were carried and a big picnic was enjoyed. Women bareheaded were blown about until they looked as though they had forgotten to comb their hair. "But we sure had a good time," the little old lady continued.

Mrs. Armstrong states that the greatest pleasure in life was going to church and that her second was her children. Since she is now unable to be up and about (she has been bedfast for 12 months) she states that she is looking forward to meeting her Savior. She greatly praises her daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. L. Armstrong, with whom she now makes her home, for her loving, tender care during her helpless days.

About a year ago Grandmother Armstrong suffered a light stroke and since that date she, although paralyzed, is unable to be up.

Mother Shaver and Nick spent the weekend with Mrs. J. J. O'Brien Roosevelt Oklahoma. Monday Nick's birthday and his sister Orla cooked him a special dinner while sister here, Mrs. Phillips likewise fixed him a special dinner. But Nick could be a only one place at a time and remained in Roosevelt the occasion.



## Fate Of Bankhead Act To Rest With Farmers Friday

### AMERICAN LEGION TO DISTRIBUTE CENTENNIAL HALF DOLLARS

The American Legion, Department of Texas, has undertaken to distribute 1,500,000 United States silver half-dollars at \$1.00 each, the profit, 50 cents on each coin, to be used to erect a State Memorial Historical Building and Museum for the purpose of preserving for posterity the glorious history and countless natural resources of our state.

The Citizens State Bank is receiving a small shipment of the newly coined half-dollars and the boys of the local Legion post will distribute them here at the set price of \$1.00 each. If you want one of these half dollars, speak early to one of the Legion Boys about it.

Press Clarke the Tailor has installed a new Hoffman Press this week. Press is elated over the new furniture and states that he can do nothing but the best tailor work now. Read his advertisement in this issue of the Herald.

Mrs. C. H. Keck and sister Miss Fay Boyles of Rule were guests of Mrs. Joe Averitt Monday.

### Community Christmas Program

Plans are going forward this week for a community Christmas program, which is being sponsored by the Knox City schools and the place and date will be announced next week. In the program this year the entire congregation is urged to take part in the singing. The following are the carols to be used and the order in which they are to be given:

- It Came Upon a Midnight Clear, Verses 1, 2, and 4.
  - There's a Song in the Air, verses 1, 3, and 4.
  - While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks, verses 1 and 2.
  - Little Town of Bethlehem, verses 1 and 4.
  - Hark the Herald Angels Sing, verses 1 and 3.
  - Silent Night, Holy Night, verses 1 and 3.
  - Oh Come All Ye Faithful, verses 1, 2 and 3.
  - Joy To The World, Verses 1 and 3.
- These songs are all to be found in the New Cokesbury Hymnary of the Methodist church and the Pilot Hymnal of the Baptist church.

There will be a nation wide election Friday December 14 on the Bankhead Act. The local election will be held in the city hall by the local cotton committee composed of W. H. Cornett, G. A. Branton and E. L. Park.

Those who will vote are: any person who signed a 1934 and 1935 Cotton Acreage Reduction Contract, any person who is or was eligible for tax-exempt certificates in 1934, any person who presents proof that he owns and has a present right to produce cotton, on a cotton farm, or any farmer who signs and files a witnessed written statement that he has made arrangements to produce cotton on a cotton farm in 1935 (that is he has entered into a lease or share-cropping agreement to grow cotton on a cotton farm in 1935).

### BANKHEAD ACT REFERENDUM BALLOT

County Community  
Are you in favor of continuing the Bankhead Act for next year (June 1, 1935, to May 31, 1936)?  
Yes No  
(Mark one square with an (X) showing which you want to vote.)

Reverend and Mrs. Jim Sharp and their two smallest children were in Knox City Sunday night. The preacher attended church at the Methodist church while his wife and babies visited with friends. They spent the night in the J. A. Wilson home.

Reverend Sharp was in route to Vernon to take his parents home with him for the remainder of the year, at which time they will then go to Mississippi for the remainder of the winter.

The Sharp family is located in Stanton this year, this being their second year in Stanton.

Mrs. L. L. Davis and son Lloyd Leslie returned home last Saturday from Chandler Arizona. They were accompanied home by Miss Billy Harris, daughter of Mrs. Dollis Harris, who will remain here for a visit with her many relatives.

The Skating rink has moved into the Benedict building north of the Bank and opened for skating last Saturday. The building is a little smaller than the former floor however, skaters find it rather enjoyable there.

Mrs. J. H. Finley and the C. B. Stovall family spent several days last week in Amarillo. Brother Stovall also went to Lubbock where he attended the B. T. S. Convention.

### AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.  
Preaching, 11:00 A. M. and 7 P. M.  
Leagues, 6:30 P. M.  
Woman's Missionary Society, Monday 2:30 P. M.  
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7 P. M.

We have come to labor with you for another year, and hope to have perfect cooperation on the part of the entire membership. We are doing our best to get acquainted with every body just as early as possible. We do not want to be a stranger, any longer than it is possible to know each other.

If we give you our best service, we shall need to have your presence at every service. We assure you that we shall at all times have messages prepared to the best of our ability. We hope to serve you both in the ministry, and pastoral work. We want to get into the homes of all the people as early as possible. Let's meet at the Methodist church, next Sunday morning, on time, and make it a great service.  
Yours for the Master  
B. J. Orsborn, pastor.

Reverend S. H. Young, new Presiding Elder of this District of the Methodist church, preached in the Knox City church Sunday morning. He delivered a fine message to an attentive audience which was followed Sunday night by a splendid sermon by the pastor Brother Orsborn.

Brother Young was pastor of the Snyder church this last year and goes into the work of Presiding Elder without experience. He leaves a record of excellent preaching and carries with him a spirit that will no doubt bring him into favor with the membership of all the churches in his new line of duty.

There was a joint meeting of the pastors and the district Stewards of the Stamford District Methodist church held in Stamford Monday. Reverend and Mrs. B. J. Orsborn and Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bridges of this city attended. Dinner was served at noon in the basement of the church which Brother Orsborn enjoyed very much.

W. J. Jones and Dewey Darden made a trip to San Antonio and Sabin over the weekend, returning home Monday. They also visited on the Bruce Campbell ranch out from Sabin.

Press Clarke received a message Monday for his brother Tom here of the death of Mrs. Tom Clarke's father in Groesbeck. Mr. Lotterdale died Monday and Mrs. Tom Clarke and other relatives left Knox City Monday night for Groesbeck.

Reverend Green of Sylvester preached at both the morning and evening services in the Knox City Baptist Church Sunday. The attendance was fine and Reverend Green delivered two good sermons.

Sunday was a record day for the Baptist people in another channel. The funds needed to complete the present church building obligation were raised.

All Baptist are urged to be on time for Sunday School next Sunday, teachers and pupils alike.

### WHITE'S ANNUAL SALE IN ON

The outstanding sale event of the year in Knox City is now on in the White Mercantile Company Mr. White has made this annual sale the most looked forward to sale of all dry goods sales.

His first year in the mercantile business Mr. White gave a real sale to his customers and found the response and appreciation so great that he has continued with the sale each year giving it just before Christmas. Read his page circular, which was printed in the office of the Knox County Herald, and you will see a few of the many good prices he is offering you in this sale.

Among those from Knox City who attended the funeral services of little Jean Payne held Tuesday afternoon in Haskell were Mrs. J. V. Jones, Mrs. Press Clarke and Miss Clara Clarke, Mrs. G. T. Hardberger and Mrs. Vance Favor.

Jean Payne was the grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wheatley, former Knox City citizens, now residents of Haskell. The parents of the deceased child live in Throckmorton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dutton and daughters attended the funeral services Sunday of little Mable Barnett of Truscott who died early Sunday morning. Mable was the daughter of J. Barnett and grand daughter of John Cure, well known to Knox City folks. Funeral arrangements were made by Warren of this city.

W. W. Hyde concludes his 28th year as mail carrier from the Knox City office on Monday of next week. Although he will go on the route as usual he will doubtless do so hoping between each box that he will find the next one filled with fruit cake or the like.

Mrs. M. D. Metts enjoyed her (?) birthday Tuesday of this week plugging at the switch board of the telephone exchange. However, her service that day was a wee bit nicer than she gives every day so everyone knows she is a year older now.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Propps and daughters spent Sunday with Mrs. Thacker in Crowell.

### THE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Don't forget we have regular services each Sunday.  
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Preaching 11:00 A. M.  
Preaching 7:00 P. M.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday nights.

There will be a short Christmas program and Christmas tree on Christmas Eve night. Everybody come and lets enjoy ourselves together.

Let's celebrate Christmas the right way. The one who come to bring "Peace on earth, Good will toward men."  
Reverend H. D. Lewis, pastor

### COTTON

Census report shows that there were 5,941 bales of cotton ginned in Knox County from the crop of 1934 prior to December 1 1934 as compared with 52,524 bales ginned to December 1, 1933 crop of 1933.  
H. H. Sullins, Special Agent

# Knox County Herald

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son succeeded in rout-  
 be thief Tuesday night  
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 ne. It seems that the  
 stealing is beginning so  
 lock the garage, cellar  
 se if you don't want to  
 morning and find them

Frizzell is right there  
 to catching burglars.  
 Little Lester Gollightly  
 t shot Sunday night.  
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 night and before he  
 ze off to sleep a car  
 stopped near his gara-  
 afterwards he heard  
 out of his car. His  
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 succeeded in rousing  
 eld family and the  
 their house around

from the south to the Frizzell home  
 in cooperation with the doctor. But  
 to her amusement the four detectives  
 discovered that the running gasoline  
 was water from the Roy Baker car  
 and that Lester Gollightly (who had  
 used the car that night) was well  
 on his way home none the less in-  
 jured from the shots the doctor used  
 to frighten the gasoline thief.  
 Kay says "you should have seen  
 the doctor hiding behind the door  
 facing and shooting holes in the  
 screen door and the garage".

Much worth, little boasting.

Hot words prevent cool judgement.

Our wants far out-number our needs.

"Peace on earth" must come from "good will to men."

The path of least resistance leads to least success.

Be slow to threaten your child, and never lie about it.

"He is the most promising man in town—owes everybody."

Better birth control than peopling asylums and poor houses.

It takes 1,500 nuts to hold a car together, one nut can knock it apart.

It takes 110 pounds of sugar yearly for each person. Our capacity for taffy is probably more.

Men would try harder to reach the ladder's top if there weren't so many women at the bottom of it.

See our stock of used cars before you buy. Ashcroft-Chevrolet.

## Today and Tomorrow

### DEMOCRACY—and us

I hear people saying everywhere that "democracy is on trial." The implication is, of course, that the democratic system of giving every citizen an equal voice in public affairs is still an unfinished experiment, that isn't working out any too well.

Well, we have been running on that a system for considerably more than 150 years, here in the United States. We've had plenty of trouble, but as I look back over my own lifetime, and read what happened before that began, it seems to me that democracy as practiced in this country has worked better than any of the systems that have been tried anywhere else in the world.

I don't think it is perfect, by any means. But neither is anything else that involves human nature and human relations. But any system that in a comparatively short period of time can raise the poorest nation in the world into the richest spread the benefits of civilization and comfort among a much higher proportion of its people than any other system, any where, has ever done, can't be altogether bad.

### IMPATIENCE—trouble

Most of the world's troubles come from trying to do things in too much of a hurry. That is true in the case of individuals; it is particularly true in the case of those groups of individuals which we call nations.

I know that about all the real trouble I have ever had in my life has come about because I was too impatient to wait for results but tried to force events to happen before the time was ripe for them. And I am certain that nine-tenths of the world's troubles today root back to the same sort of impatience.

If it were not for impatience we would not see Russia today under the domination of a ruthless and despotic handful of Bolsheviks, Italy controlled by a dictator, Germany under the iron heel of a tyrant, Grant that the purposes of all these and other dictators is the noble one of making their countries better places to live in—in the future. I prefer a system which gives the living present first consideration.

### REFORMERS—through years

I have no quarrel with those who would remake the world. I can think of quite a few improvements that I could wish we had. But I cannot work myself up to enthusiasm for schemes to remodel civilization, or any minor part of the human scene, by any swifter processes than the slow ones of education and evolution.

The reformer is always a fanatic. That is not a term of reproach. It means merely a person possessed of one idea, who is perfectly sure that he alone is right. Practically all of the progress the world has made has been instigated in the first instance by fanatics. Some times they have been right. Usually the thing they have urged upon the world comes about a few centuries ago after they have sowed the seed.

Any proposal for reforming the social order is a dream until it has been talked about long enough to make a controlling majority of the people believe in its possibility. And even then there is no guarantee that they will like it, after they tried it.

### FOLKWAYS—ingrained

The habits, customs and outlook on life of any given race, group or nation are conveniently referred to as "folkways". They are the ideas handed down from generation to generation, the ways of doing things which have become so natural to the group that they are "in their blood."

Anybody who wants to bring about a radical change in social relations needs to watch his step when it comes to interfering with the folkways of a people. He may succeed, by violence and terrorization, in enforcing outward compliance with the new order, but down underneath the

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folkways will still assert themselves. In the back country of Italy, I was told by a wise Roman, the peasants go to church like the rest of the people, but the folkways ingrained for thousands of years before Christ remain with them. They believe they call "la vecchia religione" the "old religion" of their pagan ancestors.

I noticed that Mr. Hitler is having plenty of trouble trying to regulate the religion of the entire German nation. Mussolini was wiser than to try anything of that sort.

### CHURCHES—salvation

Somehow, I can't escape the feeling that a good many ministers and a good many churches are going outside of their province in taking part in or encouraging efforts at wholesale reformers. I speak as a churchman and a profound believer in the message of the church. But when I hear ministers taking part in economic discussions and encouraging the idea of making the world over night, wonder if they believe that salvation of any kind can be accomplished except one by one.

When I am inclined to get impatient with the slowness of humanity's progress toward perfection I go home and re-read that great old book by John Bunyan, Pilgrim's progress.

Mrs. Williams returned to her home in Merkel Wednesday of this week after visiting her daughter Mrs. E. Q. Warren.

We are glad to see Alvin Hamm with his nose out of the sling again. The nose is doing well only it looks a bit pinkish yet.

## THE BOOK

By Bruce Barton

### OTHERS TAKE UP THE PEN

The Epistle to the Hebrews, which in our Bible is attributed to Paul, was almost certainly not written by him. The style is very different from his, and it does not seem likely that he would have addressed a letter particularly to Jews. The best Greek composition in the New Testament is in this letter, and so delicate and persuasive is it that there are those who think they detect a woman's hand. Some have conjectured that Priscilla (Acts 18:1) might have been the writer. In her home Paul had a lodging, and she and Aquila, her husband, were among his very best friends.

The letter is general, but its definite purpose is to convince thoughtful Jews that they will lose nothing by embracing the new faith but, on the contrary, will gain. It says: "You can have all that you cherish most and even more in the Christian faith. Do you love your Law? Well you may but here is the same law written more beautifully. Do you love your temple, your priesthood, your traditions? Everything you have cared for is here, and all the better."

It is noble in its conception of the basic principle of all heroism—faith. Read this grand roll call in chapter eleven:

They were stoned, they were sawn asunder, were tempted, were slain with the sword; they wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins; being destitute, afflicted, tormented—they wandered in deserts, and in mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth.

Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witness, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patient the race that is set before us.

Other of the apostles now began to write. James, the brother of Jesus, had never felt wholly satisfied with Paul's doctrine of faith; he wrote a letter, a strange one for a man of such devotion to the law, of which one might almost say that it was not religious at all, so little did it regard form or ceremony.

Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this. To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world.

A younger brother of Jesus named Jude, also wrote a short letter. It was rather an apology for not writing a longer one which he had to mind to write on "our common Christianity." John, the son of Zebedee, also wrote, though later three letters. One a remarkably sweet and beautiful letter addressed to no one in particular, and two short ones. Peter, also, wrote two letters and rather fine ones, as might have been expected of this blunt courageous man. But no one employed this method to the extent the Paul did. His letters were copied and read and became a kind of unofficial manual for the administration of the churches.

John Milford made a business trip to Fort Worth the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Russell have moved into the Olive White house.

Mrs. C. A. Hull is in Fort Bliss visiting her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ashcroft spent Sunday in Abilene.

Misses Wille and Hazel Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Whitford spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Paducah.

R. C. Lawson of Olney was here the first of the week to see his brother Otto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Terry left Monday evening for Houston to return in a few days.

Mrs. P. B. Baker spent Tuesday in Munday attending to business interest as well as visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bullion of Seymour were guests of her sister Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Caussey Sunday.

Mrs. O. W. Caussey and son spent Monday and Tuesday night with relatives in Seymour.

We are glad to have Mrs. A. G. Varnell a new subscriber to the Herald this week.

Mr. Kermit Coker of Memphis Tennessee was in Knox City over the past weekend in the home of Reverend and Mrs. B. J. Orsborn.

Slightly used Crosley radio, regular \$35.00 specially priced at \$15.00 at Ashcroft.

## Texas Theater

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1934

### John Wayne

## The Man From Uta

With Comedy

SATURDAY NIGHT PREVIEW  
 SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY  
 DECEMBER 15, 16, 17, 18

### Will Rogers

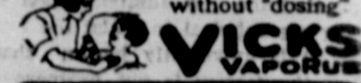
## Handy Andy

With Comedy and News

Miss Gladys Buckholt and T. G. Edwards and son are in Wichita Falls for the week.

## Chest Colds

Best treated without "dosing"



STAINLESS now if you prefer

## Have Your Winter Clothes Cleaned Now

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## Santa Claus Headquarters

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See a liberal Trade-in allowance for your old tires.

## Service Station

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Knox City, Texas

## SPECIALS

Friday and Saturday  
 December 14 and 15

Flour American 12 pounds .57  
 Beauty 24 pounds 1.00  
 48 pounds 1.93

Sugar 10 pounds Bulk .51  
 10 lbs. Domino Cane Bag .54  
 25 lbs. Domino Cane Bag 1.33

Coffee Folgers 1 pound Can .32  
 2 pound Can .63

Spuds Idaho's per peck .27

Oats Crystal Wedding .19  
 Glassware in each pkg.

Corn Oxford Fancy Sweet .10  
 per can

Coffee 1 lb Package .21

Crackers Saxet Soda Wafers .19  
 2 pound box

Apples Delicious 150 size per doz .28  
 Wine Saps 150 size dozen .23  
 See Our Fruit Before You Buy

Oranges Red 200 size per dozen .28  
 Ball 344 size per dozen .23

Flour Duchess 48 pound bag 1.55  
 Heart-o-Wheat 48 lb. bag 1.73  
 Heart-o-Wheat 24 lb. bag .93

P-Nut Butter Armour's .27  
 quart jar

Syrup East Texas Sorghum per Gallon .65  
 Pure Ribbon Cane per Gallon .69

Salmon tall can Chum per can .10

Chili Home Made per lb. .18

See our Christmas Trees before you buy

## J. M. Edwards SELF SERVICE GROCERY

# Letters To Santa Claus



Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a doll, writing paper, nuts and candy.  
Edna Irene McDaniel

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a wagon.  
Ray Tidwell

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me skates, saw, scabbard and gun.  
William Wooley

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me some skates, fire crackers, nuts and candy and fruit.  
Bart Simmons

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me some candy, and gun and fruit.  
Luther Thomas

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a pair of skates and building logs.  
Junior Plumlee

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me an air gun, foot ball, drum, cowboy suit, fire crackers, skates and fruit.  
Waymon

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me skates and tinker toys, drum and truck.  
Elvis

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a pair of skates and a ball.  
Billy Joyce Milford

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a chair and table, doll buggy, skates, and dishes and nuts, candy and fruit.  
Elsie Coates

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me some skates, cowboy suit and tinker toys and scabbard and a gun.  
Milton Gene

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a doll.  
Evelyn

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a doll and buggy, cooking set, bicycle, nuts, candy and fruit.  
Artie Francis Clark

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a doll and a doll bed and a doll buggy.  
Hazel Virginia Tate

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a tool chest, and some Lincoln logs and a football.  
Rufus Gene Phillips

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a cooking set and a doll, nuts, candy and fruit.  
Regena Louise Danle'

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a tool chest, foot ball, fire crackers, scabbard, gun and fruit.  
Billy Joe Averitt

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a pair of skates and a drum.  
Martha Jane Jones

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me some skates, fire crackers, nuts candy and fruit.  
Bibbie Jo

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a cowboy suit and a little pony.  
Henry Vaughn Favor

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a tricycle and some nuts and candy and fruit. Be sure and bring the tricycle if there is one for me.  
Your friend,  
Marvin Pack

## NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the shareholders of The Citizens State Bank of Knox City Texas will be held in the office of said bank at 2:00 o'clock P. M. the second Tuesday in January, the same being the 8th day of January 1935 for the purpose of selecting a board of directors, and for such other business as may properly come before such meeting.  
J. M. Averitt,  
Cashier  
Jan. 4

## Mitchell News

Mrs. J. W. Carver and daughter Olean have returned home from a visit with her daughter Mrs. Buster Nance in Robstown.

Mr. Dick McGregor spent Saturday night with relatives in Haskell. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gore of Needmore visited his aunt Mrs. Lydia Carver Saturday.

Mr. John Lee is here on business from Abilene.

Mr. Charlie Collier and family spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Phillips and children of Knox City have moved into our community.

Mrs. Teague and family have moved to Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox of Electra visited in the home of Charlie Collier last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weaver of Robstown visited their friends Mr. and Mrs. Teague here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carver and family spent the day Sunday with friends in Rochester.

Mrs. Chad Wilson and infant son were dismissed from the Hospital Tuesday and went to the home of her mother Mrs. S. M. Clonts.

Patients in the Knox County Hospital this week include Mr. Barr of Olney, Mrs. Hibbets of Throckmorton, Leroy Sibley of Knox City and Mr. Tucker of Truscott.

A. P. Oliver has returned home from the Hospital and has gone to the home of his son, Ben. A. P. expects now to stay with Ben the remainder of the Winter.

Mrs. Ab Stephens was able to sit up some Tuesday, the first time now in three weeks.

Mrs. J. H. Finley is spending this week with her brother Charley Dowling on the ranch.

## Your Health

Austin, Texas Dec. 12.—The number of deaths in Texas due to automobile accidents during the past five years more than equals the number of Texans killed during the World War, according to a statement issued by the State Department of Health. Last year over twelve hundred persons met death in this manner and from the figures compiled so far for 1934 the number of deaths will be even greater.

Most of the automobile accidents occur on weekends or holidays. This is a surprising fact since fewer pedestrians are abroad and traffic congestion in towns and cities is less on Sunday than on other days of the week. This paradox may be explained in part from having more inexperienced drivers on the road, together with their failure to observe traffic rules.

Some of the most frequent violations of traffic rules are: exceeding the speed limit, driving on the wrong side of the road, failure to give right of way, and running without lights. The observance of rules and regulations is not enough to prevent accidents. The car itself must be in good shape, especially the brakes and steering connections. The common sense must be used in all situations.

The consequences of an automobile accident are so disastrous that no one can afford to stand on their legal rights in a situation of impending danger. Only if you have conceded such rights and have made every possible effort to avoid an accident, can you consider yourself blameless in case of accident.

All wool car robes in attractive colors for only \$2.98 at the Ashcroft Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hitchcock and small daughter of Albany were here over the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wood of O'Brien and their daughter Mrs. Fred Moody spent Wednesday in Munday, Haskell, and Rule.

1933 CHEVROLET COACH  
1933 CHEVROLET COUPE  
1932 V-8 PICK UP  
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pannel and his mother Mrs. Kelly of Albany were here Sunday visiting his mother and other relatives and friends.

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## The Fact Finders

## and Their Discoveries

By Ed Kress



# The Kennell Football Banquet Big Success

## KENNEL STAFF

Mary Belle Stevenson  
Marlynn Herring  
John Elbert Smith  
Faye Hyde, girls  
Marlynn Edwards  
Mary Belle Stevenson  
Mary Leone Hoge  
Irene Mc  
Elena Fayne  
Mary  
Ernestine

Mr. Wetzel  
Ray Amoen  
Florence Wilson  
Mrs. Otis Cash

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## APPEL PROGRAM

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just had to go to  
every Saturday

## ASK—

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alking in cir-  
so pale, and  
afternoon.  
Clyde Ingra

ham wanted to sit by Mozell Apple  
for.  
Why a certain brunetae sopho-  
more (from the country) was looking  
so scared about Tuesday. (The other  
girls were acting peculiar also.)  
Why Ray Amoen is singing "I'll  
do anything you do."  
Why Travis Thompson didn't  
come to the banquet Friday night.  
Why Florence Wilson just adores  
red sweaters with big blue K's on  
them.  
Who Billy Favor wanted a date  
with Friday night.

—Madame X.

## BIG CAMPAIGN

Campaign against any type of  
make-up is raging on our campus.  
All of the girls of our high school  
have pledged not wear make-up for  
one week. In this pledge, also, we  
are not to wear nail polish, or any  
sort of jewelry. Some of these fair  
damsels have their hair oiled.  
Well, you can imagine how some  
of these girls appear. The majority  
are just as pretty, if not more so,  
with the absence of rouge, lip stick  
and mascara.

The real aim in this is to be ready  
for Christmas which is steadily near-  
ing. The girls are n hopes that their  
complexions will be cleared, and  
their hair looking glossier, to end  
up all in an explanation—We'll all  
be better looking.  
Don't you think so?  
—Marlynn Edwards

## JOKES—

Mr. Shaver: "There's a fly in my  
coffee!"  
Mayme: "Oh what's all right he  
won't drink much."  
Claudia Sue: "Oge! I burnt the  
cookies!"  
Curtis: "That's all right—you can  
put Ugentine on them."  
One day Louise Phillips and B.  
F. Cornett were playing—B. F. Fell  
over the side of a steep hill, but  
Louise only stood and laughed, cause  
she knew he had his "fall" suit on.  
Edward Shaver was driving along  
one day when he met a bog going in  
the opposite direction—  
Ed—Want a ride—buddy?

## WE WONDER WHY

Travis Thompson is so cute.  
Marion Clonts likes Rochester so  
well.  
Rheba Lightfoot, Mary Lou Graham,  
and Rowena Wall left teh foot  
ball banquet before it was over.  
Pauline King looks at B. E. Bryan  
so much.  
All the girls like Herman Reeder's  
eyes so well.  
Arnold Davis is so sentimental at  
times.  
Opal Dee Bohannan likes to drive  
so fast.  
Bill Evans is so concluded.  
Park Swift studies so hard alae'y.  
Mary Lou Graham always has  
copies of songs on her desk.  
Laluse Davis talks so much.  
Dorothy Whiten wears herhair in  
colors.  
A group of girls wrote a letter to  
James Ray Swift.  
We hear so much about Rochester  
lately.  
**A GIFT BOX FOR CLUB ROOM**  
The Hache E. Nimas Club is spon-  
soring a gift box for the room. The  
box is for the entire high school t  
contribute scarfs, chairs, pillows vas-  
es and etc would be appreciated. The  
P-T-A contributed \$5.00 toward im-  
proving the room.  
Louise Phillips, Marlynn Edwards  
and Dorothy Shaver are to entertain  
the club next week.

## GUARANTEED LAUNDRY WORK

Rough dry with flat work finish .6  
Phone 75  
**Knox City Laundry**

## Union Grove News

Mr. Whitten filled his appointment  
here Sunday morning.  
Reverend Sego will fill his ap-  
pointment here over this weekend.  
Everyone is asked to come and take  
part in the service.

Singing Sunday night was well at-  
tended and enjoyed by all present.  
There are several Union Grove  
song books "The Leading Light" out  
yet. Would like to see these books  
returned, please.

Mr. and Mrs. William Griffith and  
children spent the weekend in Munda-  
y with relatives.  
Miss Floe McBrayer spent the  
weekend in Rule with her grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Gipson.  
Miss Vernie Mae Houston was the  
guest of Misses Opal and Milder  
Reeves of O'Brien Friday night and  
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richey and child-  
ren and Price Gipson spent the week  
end in Murray Texas.  
Miss Inaleene Williams spent Satur-  
day night with Miss Dollie Bee  
Hodges.

Mrs. Busbee left last Friday for  
Louisiana where she will visit her  
parents.  
Anice McBrayer spent Sunday  
with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Gipson and  
family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fowler and child-  
ren of Rule spent Sunday with Mr.  
and Mrs. A. L. Lee and Urie.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and Claude  
of teh Thorp community spent Sun-  
day with her daughter Mr. and Mrs.  
J. C. McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Underwood, Mr.  
and Mrs. Clyde Wilson of O'Brien,  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson spent Sun-  
day with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lan-  
kford.

Mrs. Lankford and Mrs. Thomas  
Hutchinson of Knox City spent Sun-  
day night with Mr. and Mrs. Z. C.  
Williams.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Common of  
Lenders and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tid-  
well and family and Miss Bessel  
Bevel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.  
less Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Marshall are  
eth proud parents of a baby boy  
born December 6.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Jamison are in  
Seymour for a few days this week.

We are glad this week to have Miss  
Grace Orsborn subscribe for teh Her-  
ald.  
Mr. N. L. Mullins returned home  
Saturday from a six months stay near  
San Angelo. He is looking excellent.

Mrs. John Speck, formerly of O'-  
Brien, was buried in Rochester Wed-  
nesday afternoon. Mr. Speck died in  
Crowell.

Two Congoleum rugs 9 by 12 each  
will be given away free on Decem-  
ber 24 at the Knox City Hardware.  
Ask about these rugs when in teh  
Hardware store.  
For Sale: Three mules and one  
mare. Live close to schol house at  
Union Grove 3 1/2 miles west of Knx  
City.  
Dock Gipson

We have just received a new ship-  
ment of Every-Ready radio B. and C  
batteries. Ashcroft Chevrolet.  
**T. S. Edwards, M. D.**  
Surgery and disease  
of women



E. H. Broiles, Editor of the Mexia  
Texas News, Says:

"You hav egot to raise hell to  
get along nowadays. Either you  
must raisehell, jazz it up, advert/se,  
become outstanding, spectacular,  
startling and colful, or you drop  
behind into the dullness of the pro-  
cession."

"Those who get ahead, either in  
politics, business, religion or any-  
thing else are spectacular. They ad-  
vertise. Franklin D. Roosevelt be-  
came president because he dared to  
break precedents and venture out,  
boldly, ahead of the crowd. He ad-  
vertised."

"Huey Long is dictator of Loui-  
siana, Mussolini of Italy, and Hitler  
of Germany because they are show-  
men. Frank Norris, Billy Sunday and  
Almee McPherson are outstanding  
evangelists because they know how  
to advertise."

"Cleopatra used her charms, Na-  
poleon advertiseu his nerve in bold  
type, and Abraham Lincoln advertise  
his roug-and-tumble humanness to  
get along. Charles Lindbergh is  
where he is today because he did the  
spectacular, and Mae West is the  
supreme satirist of her sex because  
she displays her curves to advantage."

"All this is advertising of a kind.  
If you want to get along nowadays,  
raise hell, be outstanding, advertise."

The most enduring love is between  
those of the same sex.

## Notice

I have installed a new Hoffman  
Press and can now give you only  
THE BEST in press work.  
I appreciate your business and  
am glad to have you bring your tailor  
work to me.

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temper gives a poor show.  
Miss Geraldine Norris of  
was the guest of Miss Cl-  
Moseley over the past we-

Five tube Super Hetero  
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crosft Chevrolet.

Mr. Dan Steakley of S  
was in Knox City over the  
with his new bride, Mrs. Ch.  
Steakley.

Miss Oleta Humphries spent last  
week in the Dennis Chapel commu-  
nity with her sister Mrs. Robert  
Hutchinson.

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Fox Bros. Knox City, Texas  
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pany, Abilene, Texas  
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