





Items from Neighboring Communities

MARGARET (By Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook)

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hysinger Chillicothe attended church Sunday. Bobby Joe Hunter has returned San Diego, Calif., after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter Jr. From there he is going to France by way of the Panama Canal. C. F. Haseloff took Mrs. W. R. Curley to Vernon Thursday with her granddaughter, five Ann Middlebrook, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Owens and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Allen spent a week-end in Lawton, Okla., visits of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sikes and children of San Angelo are

visiting relatives here.

Sgt. Lester Little and wife and Joyce Dean Smith spent the week-end in Olton with Mr. and Mrs. John Wozencraft.

Mrs. Bill Bond and baby son were brought home from the hospital Friday.

C. F. Bradford of Hamlin visited relatives here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Little and Bobbie, and Helen Smith of Vernon visited Dick Smith and daughters Friday night.

Mrs. Curtis Bradford visited Miss Lanora Bradford in Vernon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas of McLean visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn and relatives over the week-end.

Mrs. Woodrow Williams of Hillsboro, Oregon, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley, and other relatives.

L. S. Bledsoe returned Sunday from the Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Choate of Hamlin visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carter of Dallas visited relatives here Sunday.

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Ben Bradford of Thalia and Carl Bradford of Vernon visited their mother, Mrs. Sude Bradford Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Moore attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Blalock, in Iowa Park Friday.

Mrs. Cora Barnett and Mrs. Mary Tabor Black spent Tuesday with Mrs. W. A. Priest.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Edwards Jr. of Wichita Falls visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy, over the week-end.

Mrs. Jimmie Moore of Wichita Falls is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wesley, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Moore had a family reunion Sunday, all their children being at home except one daughter, who is visiting in Kansas. Also two of Mrs. Moore's brothers, Royce Blalock of Dallas and Roy Blalock of Lufkin, were present.

VIVIAN (By Mildred Fish)

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Fish and daughters, Elaine and Jane, of Amarillo, spent from Thursday until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish.

Mrs. E. T. Evans spent last week with her son, Earl Evans,

and family of Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Klepper and son, Bill, of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish Saturday evening.

Othalee Nelson of Pampa visited his uncle, R. L. Walling, and wife, one day last week.

Wm. R. Henderson of Vernon spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. W. O. Fish and family.

Fay Denton of Crowell spent Friday night and Saturday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish.

Miss Rosalie Fish of Abilene spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish.

Mrs. W. O. Fish and son, John, and daughter, Mildred, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christian and sons of Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Miss Dolores Gilbert of Abilene spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Gilbert, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling spent last Wednesday in the home of her mother, Mrs. M. C. Gaudin, and family of Vernon.

THALIA (By Minnie Wood)

Lewis Lindsey of Granite, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lindsey last week-end.

Carol Ann Allen of Amarillo spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sims and daughter, Betty Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tarver and daughter, Wanda, have moved to Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and Waldon spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Garrett of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gunter and daughter, Frances Ray, and Carolina Jones of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones last week-end.

Billy and Weldon Hammonds made a business trip to Floydada last week.

A forty-two party was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sims by Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKinley and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore, Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey and daughter, Martha Gay, visited Mrs. Gamble's sister, Mrs. McWilliams, and husband of Cleveland last week-end.

Mrs. Ramsey of Vernon spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ramsey.

Mrs. Bill Hammonds has gone to Dallas on account of the illness of her mother.

Jimmie Johnson, S. 2-C, has returned to U. S. Naval Training Center at San Diego, Calif., after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Johnson.

Betty Short is home after a visit with Mrs. Rep Snowden of Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thomassen and daughter of Creighton, Nebr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm recently.

Maggie Fay Evanson and Peggy Evans of Crowell visited Mary Jo Short Saturday.

300 Young French Farmers Will Study American Farming

Amarillo, Feb. 18.—Texas co-operative farmers have agreed to take a part of the 300 young French farmers that are coming to this country soon to study American farming methods, according to announcement made today by Donald W. May, educational director for farm co-operatives in the southwest area of the United States. The French government, working with the French co-operative movement, is paying the expense of these young Frenchmen to this country for a period of 4 to 6 months.

These farmers from France will be placed on American farms for the period of time they are in the United States to work and to observe agricultural methods, with the plan of adapting these practices to French agriculture when they return to their homeland.

The group is expected to arrive in the United States in time for the 1946 harvests. Plans are being made to place these young men in all types of agricultural areas where they will learn various crop methods including the production of grains, cotton, citrus and dairying.

George Bernard Shaw wrote "Caesar and Cleopatra."



RESERVE BOARD . . . Comdr James K. Vardaman Jr., naval aide to President Truman, nominated for a 14-year term on the Federal Reserve board of governors. Vardaman, a former St. Louis banker, is the son of the late U. S. senator of Mississippi.



"WINNIE" AT HIS FAVORITE PASTIME . . . Former British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, vacationing in Florida, spends some of his leisure moments at his easel. In addition to being a statesman and author, Churchill is a recognized artist. He is shown completing an oil painting of an ocean and cabana scene at a surf club near Miami.

Your Horoscope

February 18, 19.—You are a very conscientious person and are a favorite wherever you are. You have a well balanced mind, and are interested in science. You are rather slow but steady and do not go to sleep at your work. You are conservative and always look out for a rainy day, although you are not stingy. You have a beautiful character and a sweet nature.

February 20, 21.—You are faithful to your duty, loyal to business and always on the look out for the interests of your employer. You never shirk your work in any way, but are rather negligent about your social engagements. If your job requires overtime work to complete, you will gladly do so without overtime pay and your boss knows that it will be done right.

February 22, 23, 24.—You are very sweet and lovely and you win the love of others even though you fret and stew about minor details. You are generally honest but you may be very unreliable and inexact. When you tell an untruth it is usually about yourself.

Esquire Sketches Texas' Stanchest Friend, Severest Critic

Observing J. Frank Dobie, Professor of English at the University of Texas, as he walked down Congress Avenue in Austin, a thoughtful old gentleman remarked, "There goes Texas."

Thousands of Texans would agree with this simple statement from Stanley Walker's March Esquire article, "Portrait of a Texan." "For here is a man," says Walker, "who finds no contradiction in being an aristocrat in tastes and a thoroughgoing democrat in manner and action. He looks Texas—that is, like the best of Texans. His eyes are blue, and disarmingly honest. His wind-tanned skin is clear and firm. He is a short man, stocky, and he walks with a rolling gait, as do so many men who have been in the saddle. He smokes a pipe. His humor is dry. Innocent of pretense, he would be at home in any spot on earth, given a little time." Eastern critics refer to Dobie's writings as literature. And in England Dobie's success as a professor was outstanding. Yet his soundest accomplishment, according to the Esquire piece, is that he, more than any other man, discovered Texas for the Texans.

He taught that the coyote, to the Southwest, may have an importance as great as that which Bernard the Fox had to English life. The nine-handed armadillo would repay study. Even the jack-rabbit might have its charm. Texas flowers and shrubs were another absorbing field. Old stories, worn threadbare by retelling around the fireside, were often good enough to preserve.

Dobie appreciates the cold fact, the tall tale, the preposterous lie, for what they are, comments Walker. If he did not enrich the lives of a few of his students, then their lives were not worth enriching.

An historian, naturalist, teacher and critic, J. Frank Dobie demonstrates the finest qualities of the Lone Star State. He is a sort of symbol, a bridge between the old Texas and the new, concludes Esquire's "Portrait of a Texan."

THOUGHTS OF SERIOUS MOMENTS

It is the will, and not the gift that makes the giver.—Lessing.

The heart of the giver makes the gift dear and precious.—Luther.

The best thing to give to your enemy is forgiveness; to an opponent tolerance; to a friend, your heart; to your child, a good example; to a father, deference; to your mother, conduct that will make her proud of you; to yourself, respect; to all men, charity.—Belfour.

ANSWERS (Questions on page 2).

- 1. Chester Bowles. 2. Spanish. 3. Artificial. 4. Infantile paralysis. 5. Russia. 6. Henry Wadsworth Longfellow. 7. The Psalm of Life. 8. Samuel Francis Smith. 9. Alfred Tennyson. 10. Abraham Lincoln.

Large advertisement for WEHBA'S groceries featuring various products like CIGARETTES, FLOUR, POTATOES, COOKIES, NABISCO crackers, and other household items with prices.

Advertisement for THE NEW IMPROVED INFRA-RED DISCOVERY lamp, highlighting its benefits for temporary relief from aches and pains.

Advertisement for EXPERT WATCH REPAIRING services, including watch repairs and jewelry services.

Advertisement for DR. W. F. BABER, an optometrist located in Vernon, Texas.

Large advertisement for THERMOIL MOTOR OIL, featuring a special offer on a 25-lb. pail of grease.



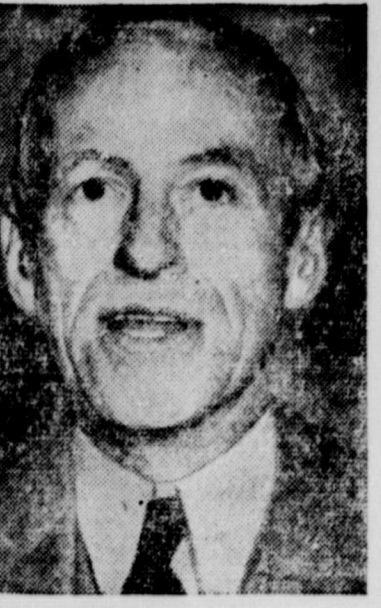
LOCALS

New living room suites just arrived at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Collins and children of Vernon visited relatives here Sunday evening.

Pre-focused flash lites at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co. Mrs. Gail Stout and three children of Fort Worth are here visiting Mrs. Stout's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis.

You will enjoy using a Presto cooker. Place your order with us now.—Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co. Miss Gusta Davis has returned from a week's visit in Wichita Falls and Dallas.

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DISARM OR FACE RUIN... Was the theme of a two-hour speech with which Sen. Millard E. Tydings (D., Md.) interrupted, but did not stop, "EPC filibuster. He demanded that it nations disarm.

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Babies and Young Children Likely to Catch Tuberculosis

Austin.—Speaking of children and their susceptibility to tuberculosis, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said, "Few people realize that babies and young children are very likely to catch tuberculosis if they are kept in the rooms with persons who have the disease in an infectious stage, or use the same dishes, sleep in the same beds, or are handled and kissed by people who have tuberculosis.

Now Ready to Do Your Repair Work I have opened a new automobile and combine repair shop in my building one door north of Barker Implement Co. and am now ready to do your work.

Dr. D. C. Maxfield DENTIST LANIER BUILDING CROWELL, TEXAS

Miss Louise Chatfield, director of nurses at the Hinsdale Sanitarium of Hinsdale, Ill., and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Layland and two children, Mary and Ronnie, of Cleburne, spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week visiting their brother, Nick Chatfield, and family. Mr. Chatfield and his two sisters visited their old home in the Good Creek community while they were here.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts and children, Joan and Jackie, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts Jr. of Clinton, Okla.

Poultry Supplies

- Just received another shipment of those good oil burning brooders. Large capacity, accurate and dependable, only \$19.50 Glass chick founts, fit fruit jars 2 for 15c Metal chick founts, fit fruit jars, each 15c 24-inch heavy metal feeders, saves feed, each 40c 36-inch heavy metal feeders, metal reel, each \$1.00 48-inch heavy metal feeder, adjustable legs, each \$1.35 60-inch flock feeder, heavy metal, each \$3.50 Compressed Air Sprayer, 3-gallon size \$4.95 Carbolineum, per gallon \$1.25 36-inch, 48-inch and 60-inch Poultry Fence.

Beverly Hdw. & Furniture Co. Phone 75

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(Continued from Page One) to order by the man whom first returns had shown to have been elected lieutenant governor. When the final verdict was learned a few days later, however, A. C. Horton took over the office. Horton served as governor most of the time he was in office, while Governor Henderson took part in the war between this country and Mexico.

TRUSCOTT H. D. CLUB

"Cleaning Furniture and Furniture Arrangements" was the subject discussed by Miss Lucille King, Knox County Home Demonstration Agent, when the Truscott Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. R. Owens on Thursday, February 14. A plan of a well-arranged living room was shown. Each member who had a problem in furniture arrangement was given ideas on how to solve that problem.

WEST SIDE H. D. CLUB

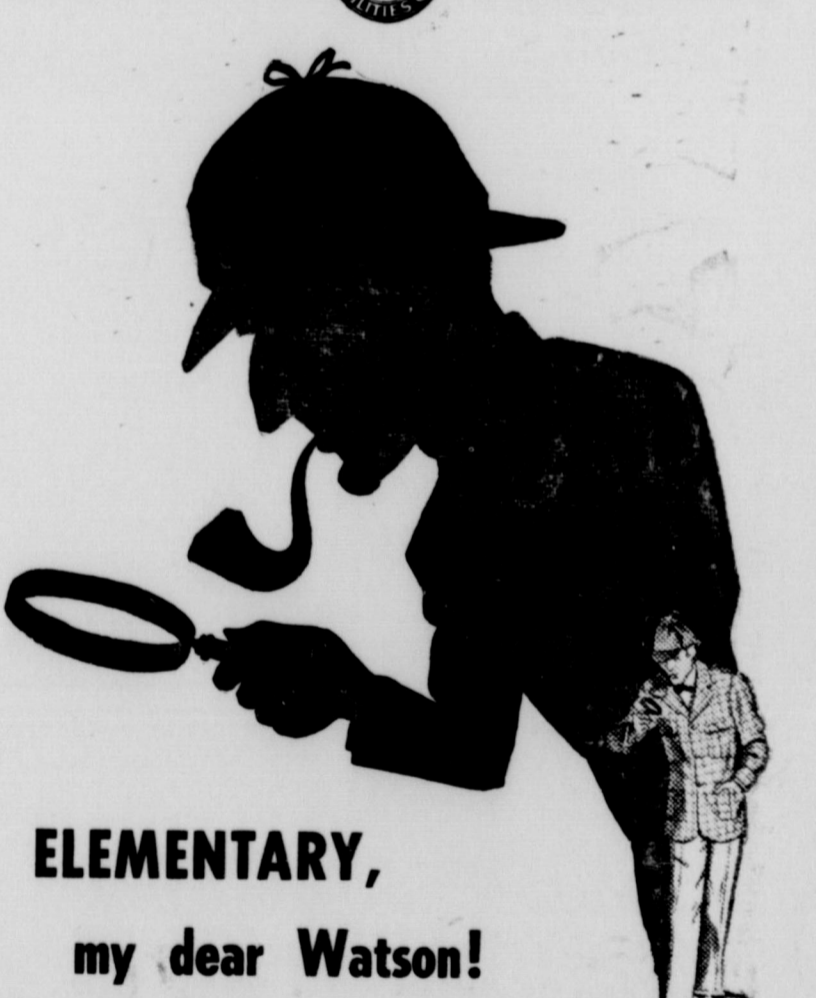
The West Side Home Demonstration Club met on February 13, at the new home of Mrs. G. H. Kincheloe. Miss Elizabeth Elliott gave a demonstration of arrangement of the kitchen to make it more efficient. Mrs. Kincheloe is the kitchen demonstrator of the club and the kitchen of her new home proved to be well-arranged and convenient. Miss Elliott demonstrated plans by which the housewife would not have to take so many unnecessary steps while preparing a meal for her family.

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WHAT PRICE PEACE? "Nothing worth having can be had for nothing. Lasting peace, as the thing most worth having in all the world, cannot be won without paying its price. That is the most important thing of all to get into the heads of all who are concerned with public affairs."

Joe Spencer is visiting relatives in Los Angeles, Calif.



ELEMENTARY, my dear Watson! Here's a problem for you, Watson. What living cost has DECREASED while nearly all other costs have gone right on rising? My dear Watson, the answer is at your finger-tip. What else gives you twice as much for your money as it did 15 years ago? What else is ready day or night, winter or summer, to lighten your tasks and make life more comfortable for you? What else gives you so much service for just a few pennies a day? What else, my dear Watson, but Electric Service? Elementary, my dear Watson. Electric Service—dependable and cheap—is the result of hard work, private initiative and experience on the part of the men and women of your electric company—under sound, steady business management.

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FUTURE FARMERS AT WHITE HOUSE . . . President Truman shown as he received members of the board of trustees of the "Future Farmers of America."

ESSAY ON BLUFFING

A serious subject, bluffing. By the time we reach our senior year bluffing has become an art at which we are all accomplished.

CAN YOU REMEMBER WHEN—

We had an assembly program every week? Ed was a bachelor? Only boys wore levis? Girls wore Tangee Natural?

Rotarian Magazine 35th Anniversary

Chicago, Ill. (Special)—Oldest of all service-club publications on the globe, The Rotarian Magazine is currently celebrating its 35th anniversary.

WHAT-NOTS

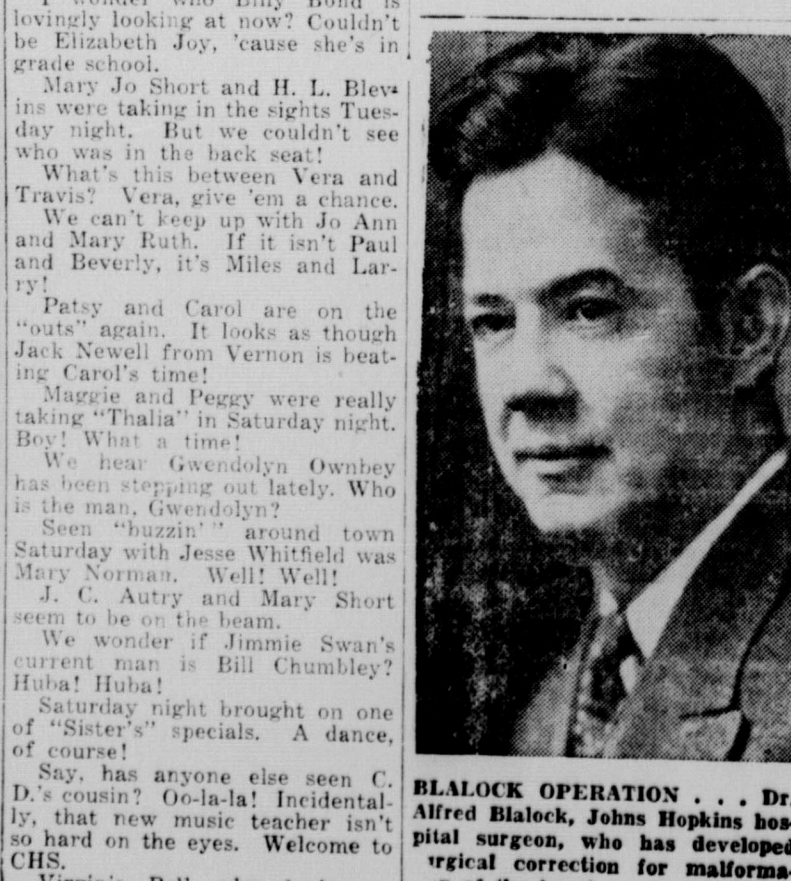
Do you know What one little frozen raindrop said to another little frozen raindrop? So proudly we hail.

THE CAT'S WHISKERS

"You two-timed me one time too often"—Hello, people—glad to see ya, kids—glad to see ya—That song reminds me of many of the people in CHS.

POPULARITY CONTEST TO BEGIN SOON

Spring rolls around every year, and with it comes the annual Senior Class box supper.



BLALOCK OPERATION . . . Dr. Alfred Blalock, Johns Hopkins hospital surgeon, who has developed surgical correction for malformation of the heart.

CASH FOR YOUR CAR WE BUY and SELL USED CARS Sell While the Market is Hot SHIRLEY MOTOR COMPANY KAISER-FRAZER AUTOMOBILES

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER We have received quite a number of parts for tractors and motor trucks. We have an experienced mechanic in tractor and truck repairing and would be glad to help you with your repair needs now.

peared in January, 1911. It represented a national association which the 16 Rotary Clubs of that day had formed a few months before and was published in Chicago where Rotary had had its genesis in 1905.

When you cast your votes, give them to the person who deserves them for outstanding sportsmanship, good personality, friendliness, social spirit, and for being all around "swell" person.

INTERESTING FACTS OF THIS AND THAT No large river flows into any of the Great Lakes but the Saint Lawrence River through which the Lakes drain into the Atlantic is one of the large rivers of the continent.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS Heat Pie Crust Quickly—Quick baking at first gives crisp pie crust. Reduce after the first 10 minutes that the filling may be slowly and well.

Wash Hair Brush and Wash your hair brush frequently in warm soap water which ammonia is diluted with. It will last longer and give better service.

Beware Cough from common cold That Hangs Around Creomulsion relieves because it goes right to the trouble to help loosen the germ laden phlegm, and soothe and heal raw, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

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