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## 1949 Crowell High School Wildcat Football Squad



Back row, left to right—Thayne Amonett, coach; Billy Lynch, Charles Pittillo, Joe Williams, Rouse Todd, Jim Paul Norman, James Weathers, James Bice, Bobby Lax, Jimmy Rasberry, Hack Norman, Gordon W. Bell and F. L. Ballard.  
Second row, left to right—E. W. Kidd, manager; Harold Ribble, Bobby Brock, Bobby Brock, Billy Caddell, Jon Sanders, Jim Tom Cates, Buster Laquey, V. W. Latimer, Billy Johnson and Kenneth Polk, manager.  
Bottom row, left to right—Ginger Johnson, Jimmy Franklin, Gene Paul Pogue, L. C. Gordon, Tim Wilson, Leon Pechacek, Don Gobin and Leroy Bice.  
(Photo by Ashford Bros.)

### Social Security Information Must Be Correct

Check your social security number on your pay envelope or check stub. Make sure that the number agrees with the number on your social security card. This advice was given workers at the Social Security Administration office of the Social Security Administration. Mr. Tate stated that most employers conscientiously try to report each worker's social security number correctly, but it is only human to make mistakes occasionally. "When a worker has social security taxes deducted from his pay he is paying premiums on an insurance policy. This insurance policy provides financial security for the worker's old age after retirement. It also provides insurance payments to eligible survivors if a worker dies," Tate said. "Eligibility for benefits hinges on the length of time a worker has been employed in jobs covered by social security. The amount of benefits payable depends on the worker's wages credited to his account. It is to the worker's advantage to have credit on his wage record for all wages earned. If wages are reported under the wrong social security number," Tate concluded, "he may not be credited with those wages. Later he and his family may lose benefits which should be theirs."

### M. Davis Buys Irrigated Farm Near Petersburg

E. M. Davis, who recently sold his farm southeast of Crowell, to Neal Johnson and C. C. Wheeler of Thalia, has bought an irrigated farm on the Plains near Petersburg. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have moved some of their household belongings to their new home and are staying there part of the time. They have been residents of Foard County for many years and through they regret to change homes they are very proud of their new farm home on the Plains.

### HUNTERS RETURN

Grady McLain and Jack Welch of Foard County returned Monday from a hunting trip to the mountains of Colorado, northwest of Durango.

Another party composed of Mrs. Weiss, Ted Reeder and Dock Howard and Bill Long of Post, returned Sunday from the same hunting grounds. Both parties had good luck in bagging both deer and elk, but they were forced to leave the elk in cold storage on the top of the mountain on account of a big snow storm.

### HOBO STEW

A hobo stew will be held at the Gambleville School House on Thursday evening, Oct. 29th. The public is cordially invited to attend and each one is asked to bring something for the stew.

### Fire Insurance Premiums Are Lowered When City Has Good Fire Record Credit

Crowell has a good fire record credit of 20 per cent, which is due to a large extent by the excellent work of the Crowell Volunteer Fire Department. When the fire insurance premiums are lowered, all those who carry fire insurance on property within the city limits are benefited. Texas has a unique system of fire insurance and charges based on the record of individual cities and towns. Statistics are kept showing fire insurance premiums writ-

## Crowell High School Football Team Defeated the Chillicothe Eagles Last Friday Night, 15 to 0, at Chillicothe

The Crowell High School football team played its best game of the season at Chillicothe last Friday night when it defeated the Chillicothe Eagles by the score of 15 to 0. The Wildcats really defeated the Eagles by a larger margin than the score indicates as they drove down to Chillicothe's one-yard line two other times that failed to produce touchdowns. However, one of these drives resulted in a safety and two points. It wouldn't be fair to mention individuals as outstanding stars for Crowell in this game. However, due to the fact that the backfield met get most of the recognition in telling how the touchdowns are made, something should be said about the "good ole Crowell line." Line Captain James Bice led the fight that outlasted their larger opponents. It looks like Coaches Thayne Amonett and Gordon Erwin have found another guard, Billy Caddell, that can almost match all-district Bice. Crowell's two tackles, Hack Norman and Jimmy Rasberry, continued to look like all-district players. Charles Pittillo, right end for Crowell, was just about as brilliant.

Crowell received the opening kick-off and with Jon Sanders, substituting for James Weathers at right half, doing most of the ball carrying, the Wildcats drove thirty yards on ground plays but failed to make their passing attack work. Chillicothe came back with several good gains but a pass interception by Jon Sanders gave Crowell the ball on their own thirty-five yard line. The rest of the first quarter was fought on the first terms in the middle of the field. In the latter part of the second quarter, the Wildcats got to rolling and drive down to Chillicothe's one-yard line, but a fumble cost Crowell a score. Billy Earle Lynch, fullback, was Crowell's best ground gainer in this drive. In the third quarter, Crowell wasn't long about getting the ball downfield again. However, a fumble on their own forty yard line gave Chillicothe a chance to score. Two good passes from Lloyd Morrison, quarterback for the Eagles, to James Boone, left half, carried the ball to Crowell's ten-yard line. At this point, Jimmy Rasberry, Crowell's kicker, got off a 65-yard punt over the Chillicothe safety man, that helped Crowell immensely. It wasn't long until running plays by Weathers, Todd, and Lynch, carried the ball to the Eagle one-yard line again where Chillicothe held for the second time. On an attempted run from behind their own goal line, Charles Pittillo and Jimmy Rasberry drove James Boone, left half, for a Crowell safety and two points. Chillicothe had to kick from its own twenty-yard line. F. L. Ballard, Crowell quarterback, made a nice return behind good blocking that carried back past midfield. Todd picked up eight yards on a running play, and as he got up off of the ball, a Chillicothe boy covered it, to cause the Chillicothe Coach to come on the field and contest the play. Weathers broke through the line on the next play for twenty-five yards placing the ball on the Eagle twenty-yard line. Runs by Todd and Lynch drove down to the one-yard line for the third time of the game. Ballard plunged over center for Crowell's first touchdown. Lynch kicked the extra point to make the score 9 to 0 for Crowell. With Todd, Lynch and Weathers, alternating in the ball carrying, it wasn't long until Crowell had the ball on Chillicothe's twenty-yard line. Ballard faked a hand-off and came around right end on a hidden-ball play behind Rouse Todd that resulted in a twenty-yard gain and another touchdown. The final score was 15 to 0.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

**Foard County Hospital**  
Patients in:  
Mrs. J. A. Stovall  
Mrs. Tom Vecera  
Charles McNeese  
Mrs. Minnie Loyd  
Lawrence Gloyer  
Mrs. Gordon Erwin and infant daughter  
Patients Dismissed:  
Mrs. Marion Hord  
Mrs. Cleve Gordon  
Pete Campbell  
Allie Martin  
Mrs. Bill Manning and infant daughter  
J. R. Bevers  
Mrs. Kittie Polk

### Assembly of God Church to Have Special Services

Rev. Warren Everson announces that there will be week-end services at the Assembly of God Church on Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Rev. H. A. Conner of Waxahachie will do the preaching at the services. Rev. Conner is state secretary of Young People of the Assembly of God Church. He held a meeting in Crowell about a year ago. The public is cordially invited to attend all or any of the services.

### TUCKER INFANT DIES

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Tucker of Wichita Falls died Sunday in a hospital there. Funeral services and burial took place in Margaret Wednesday afternoon. The baby is survived by its parents; a sister, Georgetta; and a brother, Roderick; grandparents, Mrs. Etta Tucker of Caldwell, Idaho, and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wesley of Margaret. Mrs. Tucker was formerly Miss Anita Wesley.

### Candidate for Place on Board of Education

W. J. Stone, Nocona, Montague County, Texas, is a candidate for the State Board of Education from the Thirteenth (Congressional) Educational District of which Foard County is a part. Stone announced for this place after he was petitioned by more than 1000 citizens representing each of the fifteen counties of the district to make the race for the State Board created by the Gilmer-Aikin laws passed by the current legislature. The new twenty-one member elective State Board will replace the old appointive board of nine members and they will in turn appoint a State Commissioner of Education to take the place of the elective State Superintendent of Public Instruction under the present system of education for the State. This job pays no salary.

### George Carpenter Dies in Hospital in Dayton, Ohio

George Carpenter, 57, of Midway, Ky., former Foard County resident, died in a Veterans' Hospital in Dayton, Ohio, last week. Funeral services were held in Versailles, Ky., on Friday, Oct. 21. Mr. Carpenter was the son of the late H. C. Carpenter and Mrs. Emaline Carpenter, who formerly lived here. Survivors include his wife and five sons, Cecil Carpenter of Thalia, Verne and George of Dayton, Ohio, Russell of Midway, Ky., and William of the U. S. Navy.

### Jeff Hardin Will Manage Slaton Shows

Jeff Hardin, manager of the Riabto Theatre for the past five years, has been transferred to Slaton by L. N. Childress, new owner of the chain of theatres recently purchased from C. D. Leon. Mr. Hardin left Friday for Slaton and Mrs. Hardin joined him on Sunday. Mr. Hardin will have charge of two shows and will be assisted by Mrs. Hardin.

### EDITORIAL

The sticky mud that resulted from recent rains in this area has done more than any other factor to emphasize the need for more street paving in the City of Crowell.

Fortunately, the paving problem is one that can be solved with the joint cooperation of the residents of the city since there are paving contractors who are now ready to begin the preliminary work as soon as the signal is given.

This preliminary work consists of laying curbs and gutters for the streets that will be surfaced at a later date. Since the asphalt topping must be put down when the weather is warm enough to permit it to settle, a delay must be taken into consideration.

A number of Crowell residents have already expressed their desires for the beginning of a paving project which will be an immeasurable aid in the modernization and beautification of the town. These property owners realize that paving, curbs and gutters will greatly increase the value of their property if they ever desire to sell.

City officials have been informed that paving contractors will come to Crowell in the near future to further discuss these plans of putting down the necessary curbs and gutters. However, these officials have their hands tied until they hear the general opinion of all property owners.

If approved by the general citizenry, the curbs and gutters will be finished in time for the surfacing to go on the streets in the early Spring.

Those property owners desiring information on the proposed project and those wishing to have their streets paved may obtain this information at the office of the Foard County Chamber of Commerce.

## Crowell Wildcats Will Meet the Archer City Wildcats on the Home Gridiron in a 9-A Conference Game Friday Night

The Crowell Wildcats will be playing one of the best class A football teams in Northwest Texas tomorrow night when the Archer City Wildcats come to Crowell. The game time is 8:00 o'clock. The Archer City boys have lost only one game this season and that was by a margin of six points to the Burk Burnett Bulldogs, a team that is undefeated in district play. The Archer City team played this game without the services of Danny Powell, star quarterback and passer. Powell received a shoulder injury last week in work-out. However, he will see service in the game here Friday night.

Coaches Thayne Amonett and Gordon Erwin, realizing that Crowell hasn't won a football game from Archer City since 1945, have been working overtime this week getting the Wildcats ready for another upset. The Crowell boys haven't lost a home contest this season and they will be fighting hard to keep this record. Crowell should have the edge on the line in this game. However, the Archer City line has a ten-pound weight average advantage. Danny Powell and Bobby Patrick, star backs weigh 175 and 170 pounds, respectively, and are recognized as the best backs in District 9A. This team has a 38 to 0 victory over Seymour this season, and has also defeated the Wichita Falls Rowdies, Jacksboro, Chillicothe, and Henrietta. The probable starting lineups for the Crowell-Archer City game for Friday night, Oct. 28, at 8 o'clock, is as follows:

PROBABLE STARTING LINE-UP			
No. CROWELL	Wt.	Position	Wt. ARCHER CITY
60 Jim Paul Norman	152	Left End	150 Albert Wilson
63 Hack Norman	170	Left Tackle	205 Melvin Brown
56 James Bice	155	Left Guard	155 James Adams
53 Harold Ribble	136	Center	180 James Farmer
72 Billy Caddell	140	Right Guard	160 Gene Usury
64 Jimmy Rasberry	170	Right Tackle	168 Richard Petit
61 Charles Pittillo	155	Right End	165 Jack Eustace
55 F. L. Ballard	145	Quarterback	175 Danny Powell
57 Rouse Todd	156	Left Half	170 Bobby Patrick
58 James Weathers	140	Right Half	145 Scotty Knox
59 Billy Lynch	160	Full Back	160 Bob Knox

**Crowell Reserves**  
Linemen: Joe Williams, wt. 150, No. 52; Leon Pechacek, wt. 142, No. 74; V. W. Latimer, wt. 145, No. 66; Billy Johnson, wt. 148, No. 70; Bobby Stinebaugh, wt. 138, No. 51; Bobby Brock, wt. 140, No. 38; Tim Wilson, wt. 134, No. 42; and Dowal Parks, wt. 146, No. 69.  
Backs: Jon Sanders, wt. 140, No. 50; Buster Laquey, wt. 138, No. 54; Don Gobin, wt. 134, No. 67; Jim T. Cates, wt. 138, No. 68; and Leroy Bice, wt. 140, No. 27.

**Archer City Reserves**  
Linemen: Andrew Baggett, wt. 140, No. 57; Pat Ross, wt. 145, No. 60; Charles Crawford, wt. 145, No. 63; Gary Wilhoit, wt. 130, No. 66; LeWayne Clifton, wt. 140, No. 67; and Don Taylor, wt. 195, No. 70.  
Backs: Billy Green, wt. 130, No. 50; Teddy Robertson, wt. 120, No. 52; and Darrell Byrnes, wt. 185, No. 69.

**OFFICIALS:** Rufus Emmons (Texas A. & M.), Matador, referee; Paul Enlow (A. C. C.), Matador, umpire; and Raby Webb (Howard Payne), Matador, head linesman.

## Heavy Rain Falls Over Entire County Last Week-End

Rain which fell last Friday night measured .36 of an inch in Crowell, but was heavier at Thalia and other parts of the county. Rain, which was general over the county and West Texas, and began falling slowly Saturday night and continued through Sunday and Sunday night, measured 3 inches by the Government gauge at the Crowell State Bank. Cotton was damaged to some extent, but the moisture was just what the wheat fields needed and will insure early pasturage for stock. The rain was accompanied by a norther and a drop in temperature, but the sun came out bright Tuesday morning and the weather became warmer.

### INFANT DIES

Word has been received here of the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Allen of Grady, N. M. Mrs. Allen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Durham of Littlefield, former Foard County residents, and a granddaughter of Sim Gamble of the Thalia community.

## Martin O'Connell Observes 80th Birthday Tuesday

M. O'Connell, pioneer business man of Crowell, observed his 80th birthday Tuesday at his hamburger stand on the east side of the square. Mr. O'Connell has been a business man of Crowell since 1909 when he established and operated a bottling works for two years. In 1925, Mr. O'Connell built the brick building which is now occupied by Kane's Bakery and operated a confectionery and later, assisted by Mrs. O'Connell, he operated a cafe for 12 years in that location, selling it in 1943.

Mr. O'Connell's birthday was really celebrated Sunday when Mrs. O'Connell had a birthday dinner for him at their home, attended by relatives. The weather was bad and many did not get to be present.

Those who attended were their son, Bryan O'Connell, wife and son, Bryan Thomas, of Lubbock; their daughter, Sister Mary Margaret, of Fort Worth; Mrs. Walter Ross of Flomot, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Halenack of Margaret, Mrs. Ross Malone and children of Vernon and Sister Marion Celeste of Ft. Worth.

### RETURN FROM DALLAS

Dr. and Mrs. Hines Clark returned home Sunday from Dallas where they were called last week on account of the illness of Dr. Clark's brother, C. S. Clark, of Fort Lavaca. Mr. Clark underwent an operation Friday and was resting well when Dr. and Mrs. Clark left Dallas Sunday. Mr. Clark is a former chairman of the State Board of Water Engineers, a position he held when Crowell citizens started efforts to get a supply of good water for the town several years ago. His interest and influence in the project was a great help to the City Council in starting and completing the job.

## Annual School Carnival Will Take Place on Hallowe'en; Big Parade at Five P. M.

The annual Crowell School's Hallowe'en carnival will be held on Monday night, Oct. 31, Hallowe'en, on the east side of the Court House square and on the street east of the Court House. A street parade will precede the carnival and will form at the First Christian Church, starting at 5 o'clock. The parade committee is composed of Mrs. J. B. Fairchild, Mrs. W. L. Baze and Mrs. Henry Fish. Either of these ladies may be contacted for further information concerning the parade. Food and entertainment booths

## Tragic Accident Friday Fatal to Patricia Ann Carr

Funeral Held at Thalia Church with Burial Here

Funeral services were held at the Thalia Baptist Church on Saturday afternoon for Patricia Ann Carr, 14-month-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr who lost her life when she fell from a moving car Friday afternoon.

Rev. N. B. Moon, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Crowell, and Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor of the Methodist Church of Crowell, officiated at the services. Interment was in the Crowell Cemetery under the direction of the Henderson Funeral Home of Vernon. Pall bearers were Willie Wright and Clarence Light.

Survivors include the parents; one brother, W. C.; one sister, Wanda Lou; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sifton of Kirkland; and the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carr of Thalia. A number of uncles and aunts also survive.

## Death Claims Mrs. A. H. Culbertson in Fort Worth

Mrs. A. H. Culbertson of Fort Worth, wife of A. H. Culbertson who is co-owner of the Texas Natural Gas Co., died at her home on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 22, after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Culbertson was a member of the Arlington Heights Presbyterian Church of Fort Worth and formerly served as secretary of the Fort Worth Presbytery.

She was a native of Albert Lea, Minnesota, where she attended public and private schools. She and her husband, now an independent oil operator, moved to Panhandle, Texas, in 1925 from Minnesota. After living there for three years, they went to Fort Worth and had resided there since that time.

Survivors include her husband, and three sons, Albert H. Culbertson Jr., and Gene W. Culbertson of Fort Worth and Jerry Culbertson of Crowell, and two sisters, Mrs. Oscar Peterson and Miss Florence Lien of Albert Lea, Minn.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Monday at Gause-Ware Funeral Home in Fort Worth with interment in Greenwood Cemetery. The funeral was attended by the following friends from Crowell: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and son, Joe Vernon, Charles Branch, Mrs. T. V. Rascoe and Mrs. O. R. Boman.

### ROTARY CLUB

The regular meeting of the Crowell Rotary Club was held Wednesday at noon at the DeLuxe Cafe. Visitors attending this meeting were Henry Jones, new owner of Ferguson Drug Store, R. B. Lilly of Foard City, and Rotarians J. R. Weiss of Lubbock, Wayne Cook, D. L. Hickey and E. R. Blair of Quanah.

The program was in charge of Pete Yates and James Weiss told of his hunting trip to the mountains of Colorado last week. According to James, a snow storm in the Colorado mountains produces extremely rough weather. A harrowing experience James related, was the climb to the top of the mountains on horseback.

### INVITED TO HOMECOMING

Mrs. Mamie Ray Boyd of Crowell, ex-student of Southwest Texas State Teachers College now living in Foard County, this week is being invited to attend the College's annual Homecoming in San Marcos, Nov. 4 and 5.

Attaching 2,500 alumni back to College Hill this past year, Homecoming this year may well establish an attendance record, Morris Willson, alumni chairman, says.

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like to express their appreciation to the many business men who have demonstrated their staunch loyalty to the team which represents CHS by sponsoring the Wildcats. They deserve commendation for their fine spirit.

First, we would like to mention the business men and business firms who provide the announcer at the football games on Friday nights. Having a public address system to explain the game as you watch, makes the game more interesting. The names of these business firms are Stovall Grocery, Brooks Auto Supply, Ferguson Drug Store, and Bird Dry Goods.

The tradition of friendship and cooperation between the school and the town is especially evident by the offers of various persons to donate the use of their cars to carry the boys home from football practice. Many boys who live in the country would be unable to go out for football if these fans did not provide them with this service. Some of the men who have taken football boys home are Jack Turner, James Weiss, Mike Bird, Jack Seale, Homer Johnson, Horace Phelps, Munson Welch, Mae Steele, George Self, M. A. Wilkins, J. A. Stovall, Nelson Oiphant, Ray Shirley, Merl Kincaid, Charles Davis, J. M. Hill Jr., J. T. Hughston, Fred Thompson, Pete Yates, Weldon Hays, Ike Wilson, Glendon Hays, Glen Goodwin, Herbert Edwards, Ernest Johnson, Forest Ryan, Ben Barkley, Jim Cates, Gordon Bell, J. M. Crowell, Marcus Mills, Rev. N. B. Moon, Marvin Myers, Henry Black, Grady Graves, Charles Sylvester, Jack Roberts, George Johnson, J. H. Erwin, Jeff Todd, Charles Branch and Ginger Johnson.

The Crowell football boys were able to spend eight days at a training camp in the Wichita Mountains due to the donations of the following supporters: H. K. Edwards, Wm. Cameron & Co., Shirley-Youree Drug, West Texas Utilities Co., Crowell State Bank, DeLuxe Cafe, Bird Dry Goods, Ben Franklin Store, Dick Todd, James Weiss, Crowell's, Crowell Radio Service, Foard Co., Implement Co., Ferguson Drug Store, John Cogdell, Borchardt Chev. Co., Texas Nat. Gas Co., Foard County News, Crowell Gin, Foard County Mill, Cicero Smith Lumber Co., Hughston Insurance Agency, Mac's

Food Mkt., Cates Motor Co., Farmers Co-Op. Elevator, Gordon Bell, Stovall Grocery, Alton Bell, T. S. Haney, C. N. Barker, Dr. Hines Clark, J. L. Gobin, Leslie Thomas, L. A. Andrews, Fern McKown, Fox - Thompson Grocery, Fisch's Dept. Store, Phelps Motor Co., Magnolia Service Station, Leo Speer.

Business firms who have bought advertisement space that has paid for programs for the home games are Ferguson Drug, Hays Parts Co., Cooper Service Station, Self Motor Co., Bird's, Shirley-Youree Drug, Fisch's, City Cleaners, DeLuxe Cafe, Cameron Lumber Co., West Texas Utilities, Cicero Smith Lbr. Co., Mabe's Shoe Shop, Cates Motor Co., Rialto Theatre, Borchardt Chev. Co., Crowell Service Station, Campbell's Phillips 66, Weiss Farm Equip., Welch Service Station, Texas Natural Gas Co., Crowell State Bank, Brooks Auto Supply.

We hope the business people will continue to support the school in every way. Such cooperation is mutual and demonstrates good citizenship. It means a lot to the school, especially to the boys who fight for CHS.

**CAREFREE CARNIVAL ON COURTHOUSE SQUARE**  
 With a triumphant blare of trumpets and a thunderous roll of the drums from the Wildcat Band, the 1941 Halloween Carnival will open Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Preceding the fun-filled carnival, there will be a parade through the downtown business section.  
 In this parade each class in grammar school will be represented. There will also be representatives from CHS. The Wildcat Band will march and play during the entire parade. The parade alone will be well worth seeing, but after the parade, there is a carnival.  
 This will be a carnival of the likes of which you have never seen before. You'll never regret attending the 1941 Halloween Carnival on the Courthouse Square, Monday night, October 31, from 5 o'clock until everyone goes home!

**SYMPATHY TO JERRY**  
 Mrs. A. H. Culbertson, who has been ill for several years, died at her home in Fort Worth Saturday.

Mrs. Culbertson has been a visitor in Crowell several times since Jerry attended CHS. Each visit, although an effort on her part, showed her interest in CHS.

Last year, she made an inspirational talk at the annual Football Banquet. She was more than willing to do her part for any school project.

Upon hearing of the death of Mrs. Culbertson, the students and teachers who knew her realize that our boys and girls have lost a friend.

Jerry, the students and faculty of CHS extend to you our sincere sympathy.

## We Invite—

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones  
 to attend any picture advertised for the coming week at the Rialto Theatre in Crowell.

We want you to be our guests.

## THE RIALTO THEATRE

The Foard County News

### SPEECH II TO PRESENT PLAY

"Mountain Justice," a domestic comedy in three acts, will be presented in a few weeks by the Speech II class.

It concerns the affairs of a group of hillbillies who are victims of three city slickers who try to seize the land of the hillbillies by underhand means. It is a situation practically everyone can understand and justice is meted out in the end.

The play is directed by Miss Beulah Turney, speech instructor of CHS. Betty Lou Brock is student director; La Verne Owens, prompter; Annie Jo Lanford, house manager; and Anna Rea Owens, publicity manager.

The characters are: Grandma Slocum, Montez Laquey; Pa Slocum, E. W. Kidd; Clementine, Joline Lanier; Johnny Matthews, Billy Johnson; Uncle Elmer, Don Wilkins; Aunt Betsy, Myrtle Bartley; Mrs. Cheatham, Leta Marlow; Mrs. Gather, Clara Jones; Eberly, Robert Hillburn and Jonathan Hatfield, Jimmy Franklin.

This play promises to be one of the funniest plays ever produced by high school players, and a large crowd is expected to attend. Watch for the date.

### MRS. BLACK IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Lola Black, instructor in freshman and sophomore English, has run into a streak of hard luck. Last week she went to the Quanan Clinic for major surgery.

According to several teachers and students who have visited Mrs. Black, anyone can tell she is getting along nicely by her cheerfulness.

The freshmen and sophomores are very fortunate to have Mrs. Payne Statser as a substitute for Mrs. Black.

We feel sure Mrs. Black will be back with us in a few weeks.

### PHOTOGRAPHS MADE FOR ANNUAL

"Smile pretty, watch the birdie." These were familiar sounds as the student's pictures were being made for the annual last Thursday and Friday.

About half the boys in CHS will be forever grateful to Joe Ray and his sport coat. The other half have mortgaged away their lives to Jean Gamble to try to pay for the pictures.

Even though the students had to be caught at odd times and there was some confusion, we are grateful to the staff: Rondyn Self, Joe Ray, Settiff, Jean Gamble and Don Wilkins for their help and suggestions on making the pictures. We always appreciate the ever-patient Jimmy Ashford, CHS photographer.

### CHS BAND PLAYS FOR CHILLICOTHE HOMEcoming

At two thirty p. m., Friday, the Crowell Wildcat Band left for Chillicothe to march in the Chillicothe homecoming parade.

The Chillicothe Marching Pep Squad was at the head of the parade, and the Crowell Wildcat and Vernon High School bands were the two bands that participated in the parade. There was only one mistake, Miss Close reported. Instead of being placed behind the Chillicothe Pep Squad, we were placed behind the Vernon Band, and it appeared that we were competing with Vernon. The parade was approximately twelve blocks long and had many beautiful floats.

After the parade, the band remained in Chillicothe for the ball game, and that's when the trouble began. For instance, ask Don Brisco about oysters, monkeys and "Hunchy." But the wait was worth the 15-0 victory over Chillicothe.

### BLACKEYED CHARLIE

"I ran into a door," said Charles Pittillo when asked where he got his black eye. The door happened to be one of the Chillicothe football players whose knee collided with Charles' eye. He went into the game feeling quite happy, and came out with a blackish-blue eye, slowly swelling to a close, but still joyful because he was on the winning side.

James Weathers is another of the boys who recently received a similar shiner in a ball game. Sometimes we wonder if football is worth being battered up, but when we see Charles' and James' come-back spirit, we are sure that it is.

### NEW PICTURE IN OFFICE

One who is often a visitor in the office might note that the painting, "A Reading from Homer," is now in Mr. Graves' office.

This painting is a world favorite. The setting is in a marble rotunda, and the reader is supposed to be entertaining his friends with passages from Homer.

The painter, Sir Alma-Tadema Laurrenz, had a love for color, finish and detail.

The art exhibit is now on display in the study hall; so let's all go study them to become more appreciative of art.

### JACK HENDERSON POINTS WITH PRIDE TO HIS NEW CEDAR CHEST

To make the chest, Jack ordered the cedar from Tennessee. Upon arrival of the wood he began the long task. After making a frame of two by three by five feet, he covered it with several different shades of veneer wood. On the inside of the chest there is a shelf which raises up when the lid is lifted. It was completed by applying two coats of varnish and shellac. When asked the use of the chest, he answered calmly, "To put my magazines in, of course," but we wonder could it be that Jack has a hope chest?

Scattered through the Henderson home are other specimens of Jack's woodcraft: such as lamps made of cedar stumps, chairs made of oak, and card tables of pine with the tops made of light and dark shades of wood.

### BINDERS FOR ENGLISH III TERM THEMES

Friday, October 21, there was a big commotion in the first period English III class. Yes, students, your themes must be in today! Most of these themes were very interesting.

The covers were very attractive. Jack Henderson, who made his cover of wood for his theme, had the most unusual in the class. The printing on the cover of Charlie Reynolds and Anna Owens was very good. Violet Rummel, Bobbie Abston and Mary Rader had a good selection of snapshots to illustrate the various chapters. Although these themes were hard work, everyone enjoyed reading them.

### RIALTO INVITES

Betty Harper and Bobby Ford are invited to attend the movie, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" starring Fred McMuray, Sylvia Sydney and Henry Fonda on October 26 and 27 at the Rialto Theatre.

### WILDCAT PURRS

Ye olde Locker 13 contained some very dirty dirt this week, some of which didn't quite make this column. We like dirt, but not the kind which might really hurt someone's feelings, or damage a person's reputation. Remember, ye editor has to answer for the unsavory things which appear here-in. Put em in, but let's don't stab someone in the back.

Jackie Raspberry was seen in the show Saturday night with Jack Henderson.

Bobbie Jean Spears seems to be letting her eyes follow Lee Roy Bice.

We hear R. C. Sanders is getting tired of just chaffering other boys around while they have dates. Well, there are "oodles" of girls just waiting.

Seen Saturday night at Mary Lou's party were Marcia Kincaid and Martin Langham, also Ginger Johnson and Faye Black.

We hear Tommie and Myrtle had quite a time getting back to Crowell from Vernon by 7:15 Saturday night. Tell us who they were, you two.

Jimmy Hall and Nell Johnson seem to like each other. What you say, Nell?

Mary Cooper seems to be happy since L. C. Gordon moved right across the aisle from her.

Ruth McRae's heart beats for the one and only James McBeath.

If anyone wants to know who "Hunchie" from Chillicothe is, just ask Tommie and Violet.

Congratulations to ex-students J. C. Autry and Dorothy Thompson who are to be married Saturday.

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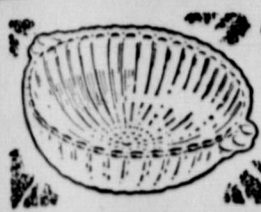


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## THE WILDCAT

(Continued from Page 2)

joying another session of MYF Friday night. Rondyn especially enjoyed the program.

Billy Earle and Faye; Betty F. and Charles; Myra Don and Rouse all had a good time Sunday celebrating "Willie's" birthday even though it did rain.

It looks as though the rain has forced us to postpone our bonfire until the Burk Burnett game.

Buster, why don't you give the girls a chance? They all want two or three.

The freshmen girls in first period Study Hall are getting very eager to write some letters to Santa Claus.

Hack and Margaret are making the rounds together again.

I suppose all the boys will be going to the show a lot now because a jolly, good looking, brown haired sophomore is selling tickets now. This is none other than Patsy Carroll.

Who does Pat Owens dream about now?

Why doesn't Bobby Brock show some interest in girls? (That'll be a Coke, Norma Jean!)

Ann Haynie and Lon Laquey were seen at the ball game Friday night.

I think the pep squad would have appreciated it if some people would have sat somewhere besides in the pep squad's reserved seats Friday night.

I suppose you all missed our school song Friday night. It is the first game in Crowell history that the school song wasn't given at one time or another during the game. Believe me, it wasn't the pep squad's fault, though.

We are still missing Rusty in the halls and classes and hope he will be back with us soon.

We surely were happy to see the large turn-out at the Chilli-cothe game. We believe half the attendance was made up of Crowell fans.

Come out next week. Until then I will sign off saying: Beat Archer City!!!!

### SIDE SPLITTERS

Last summer Iris Abston and Myra Self spent their vacation on a dude ranch. The second morning they were there, they went to select a horse to ride. This they did without difficulty, but they were puzzled when the foreman asked what kind of saddles they wanted.

"I can give you a sidesaddle, McClellan or English," he explained. "The English saddle is flat, and the McClellan has a horn."

"Thank you," smiled Iris sweetly. "but we won't need the ones with horns. After all, we aren't going to ride in traffic."

Mrs. Williams: I wonder what happened to the sugar I had in the cabinet?

Joe Howard: Oh, I fed it to my sick pig.

Mrs. Williams: What in the world did you do that for?

Joe Howard: Why, Mother, haven't you ever heard of sugar-cured hams?

Jimmy Tom: I wish I had lots of money.

Gordon Wood: Why, you know money doesn't always bring happiness.

Jimmy Tom: I know, but if you have lots of money, you can pick out the kind of misery you enjoy!

Jane Cooper: Girls faults are many, Boys have only two— Everything they say, and everything they do!

Miss Close: James, name the seasons.

James Bice: Football, basketball and baseball.

### RIVERSIDE MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mrs. Herman Butler and daughter of Mulshoe are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wheeler and boys.

Mrs. Juanita Huston and children, Peggy and Buzzie, of El Reno, Okla., Mrs. J. C. Lavelle and son, Ronnie, and little Mike Hemphill of Kamay and Vernon visited their grandmother, Mrs. Alice Hundley, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr and children, W. C. and Wanda, of Thalia spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bradford and Mrs. Ben Bradford and grandson, Jimmie Hopkins, spent Sunday with Mrs. Kenneth Bradford's mother, Mrs. Ben Henderson, and family of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cox left Friday for their home at Portales, N. M., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice Jr. and children of Dumas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice, awhile Tuesday night.

Mesdames Bert Mathews and Lena Davis of Crowell visited in the Bob Miller home awhile Friday afternoon.

Paul Kaska and Mrs. Mary Richter spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Freudiger of Me-gargel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford and grandson, Jimmie Hopkins, visited Mr. and Mrs. David Owens of Crowell Friday.

Mesdames Mack Gamble and Willie McWilliams of Crowell visited in the Bob Miller home Saturday afternoon.

Emilie Kajs of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kajs.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus visited in the home of her father, Joe Motl, of Seymour and attended a reception Monday night honoring Mr. and Mrs. Henry Novak, who were married Monday morning.

The following were visitors in the Bob Miller home Saturday night for awhile: Egbert Fish, Herbert and Bernita Fish of Vivian; Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Pittillo

and daughter of Crowell; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore and children of Thalia and Mrs. Travis Davis of Rayland.

### MARGARET MRS. BAX MIDDLEBROOK

Mrs. W. A. Dunn and Mrs. Arthur Bell visited W. A. Dunn in the Quanah Hospital Thursday.

Harry Beidleman of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Clois Orr and daughter Monday. His father, C. W. Beidleman, returned home with him Tuesday afternoon for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Halenack attended a birthday dinner honoring M. O'Connell on his 80th birthday in Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook visited W. A. Dunn in the Quanah Hospital Friday.

Mrs. Earnestine Webb and brother, DuWayne Elliott, visited her husband in Paducah over the week-end.

Mrs. Sallie Morrison of Crowell spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Buss Ingle and children.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford were Vernon visitors Friday.

Mrs. Julia Williams of Stephenville, Mrs. O. D. Cooper of Fabens and Ralph Parramore of Lubbock were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Elliott this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith and son, Mrs. Milton Spruill and daughter and Dick Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. John Wozencraft in Olton Sunday.

The H. D. Club will meet Friday, October 28 with Mrs. Johnny Wright in Crowell.

G. C. Wesley was called to Wichita Falls Sunday because of the death of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Tucker's son, who died in a local hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Norse and son, Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Smallwood and Mrs. Elmer Smallwood of Matador visited Grandmother Pruitt Sunday. Mrs. Elmer remained with her mother this week.

Little Frank Dunn of Dumas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn.

Mrs. M. N. Kenner of Crowell and Mrs. E. R. Roland of Foard City visited Mrs. Bax Middlebrook Tuesday afternoon.

W. A. Dunn was admitted to the Quanah Hospital Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. George Pruitt of Crowell spent last week here with Grandmother Pruitt who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Orr and daughter and Mrs. Clyde James were Wichita Falls visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Owens is in Vernon this week to help care for Mrs. W. J. Owens, who is ill.

Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon spent Wednesday and Thursday here.

W. H. Tamplin has been dismissed from the Crowell hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Elliott of

Paducah spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Elliott.

Mrs. Jimmie Russell and Mrs. Lena Weaver of Crowell visited Grandmother Pruitt Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor visited W. A. Dunn in the Quanah Hospital Friday.

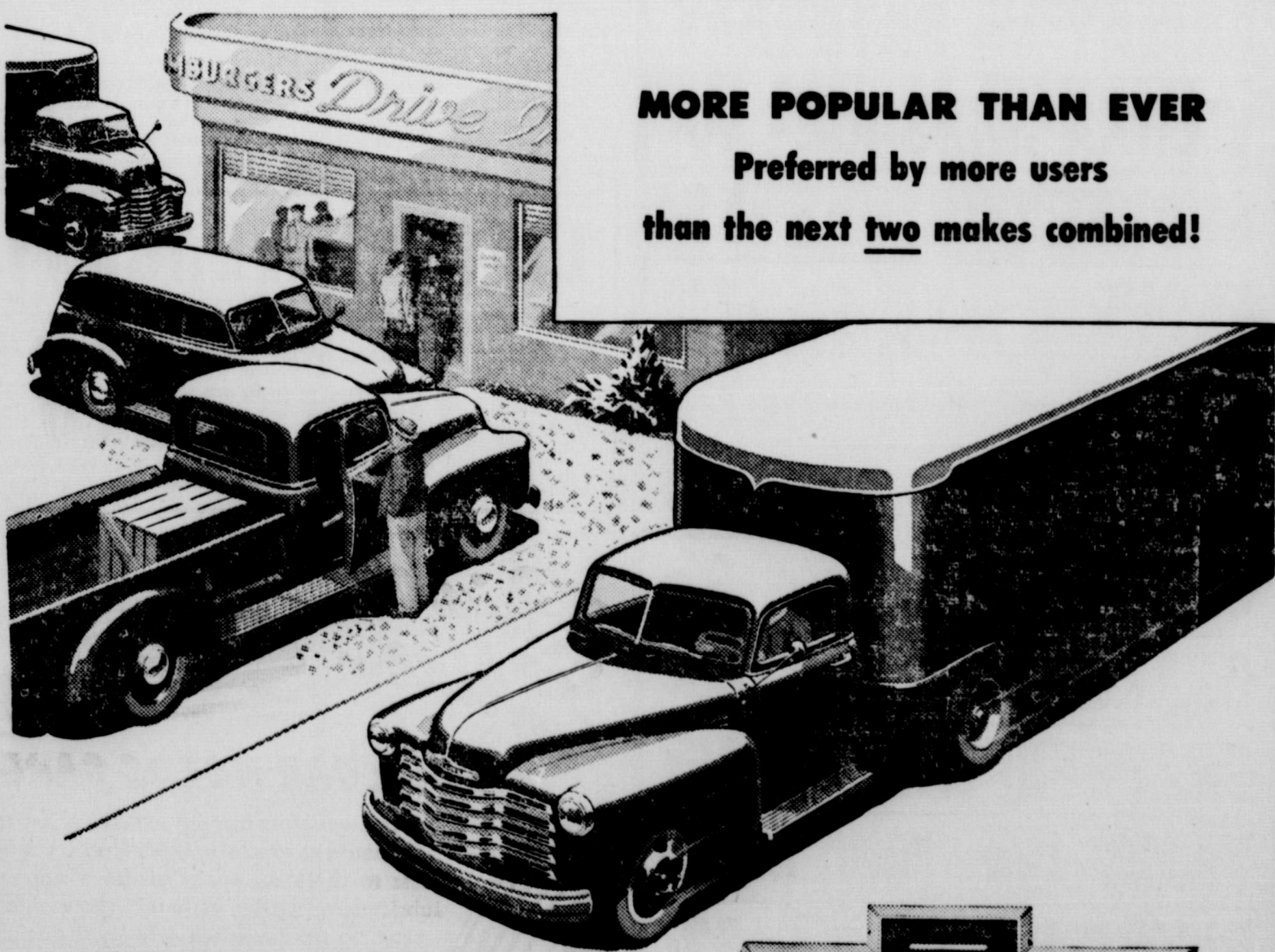
Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cole of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Bax Middlebrook Thursday evening.

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Who is a God like unto thee, that pardoneth iniquity, and passeth by the transgression of the remnant of his heritage? he retaineth not his anger forever, because he delighteth in mercy. — Micah 7:18.

Every town, a local man says, has some individual who thinks that the community parking problem can be solved in the town. This notwithstanding the fact that no town of any consequence has yet solved it.

them, but the parking meters are, after all, the only really satisfactory solution to the parking problem.

We accomplish little in this country in the matter of reducing traffic accidents because we fail or refuse to apply the only remedy there is—that of cancelling the driving permits of habitually careless drivers.

A magazine article we have just read informs us that some 25,000 women are attacked, beaten and raped in this country each year.

The estimated fire loss in this country during the month of August, the last month for which figures are available, was \$50,150,000.

Bargain Rates on Dailies in Effect During Fall Months

The annual fall bargain rates on daily papers in this area are now being offered. The rates will remain in effect until January 1, 1950.

Bargain rates are as follows: Wichita Falls Record-News or Daily Times, one year by mail, \$8.75.

Crowell Catholic Pastor Speaker at District Meeting

Mrs. M. O'Connell, president of the St. Joseph's Altar Society, with Mrs. Joe Drabek, Miss Rosalie Drabek and Mrs. Grady Magee, attended the National Council of Catholic Women's Deacony meeting at Rhineland on Tuesday.

A delightful luncheon was served by the Rhineland hostess group, with luncheon music rendered by Mrs. Francis Albus, pianist.

The Very Rev. Father E. A. Daly of Wichita Falls spoke earnestly as he told of the terrors of communism.

'Top 'o the Morning' Coming to the Rialto

All the charm and gaiety and wit of the Irish are said to be contained in Paramount's romantic comedy-drama, 'Top 'o the Morning,' co-starring Bing Crosby.

Austin Highlights

(By Sen. George Moffett)

The state legislature adjourned on July 6th, 1949. It submitted ten propositions for the people to pass judgment upon at an election on Nov. 8th, 1949.

Another one which I hope will be adopted, provides that a district judge may issue an order at the county seat of any county in his district affecting litigation in any other county in his district.

Another important amendment relates to people who are thought to be mentally unbalanced or insane. The present constitution says that they must be brought to the courtroom and face a jury before they can be confined permanently in an asylum.

A banker points out that \$20 deposited in a bank in 1820 would by this time amount to \$3,310. To which an exchange notes that it is the luck of most people that they forgot to do this in 1820.

The National Safety Council reports that one out of six drivers involved in a fatal accident last year had been drinking, and one out of every four pedestrians killed had "had a few."

IN THE NEWS 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, Oct. 31, 1919:

October rain breaks all records which has measured 11.90 inches by the Government gauge at the First State Bank.

S. W. Gentry has sold a 650-lb. bale of cotton for \$289.09. J. J. Brown sold a 626-pound bale for \$287.80, and Mrs. E. L. Howard sold a 560-pound bale for \$258.00.

Rawleigh Loyd has returned home after one year's overseas service with the A. E. F.

W. L. Huntley has resigned as city marshal and P. S. Lovelady has been appointed as his successor.

Compliance with miners' demands will cost vast sum.—Sen. Fredinghuysen said in the Senate that the demands of the bituminous coal miners for a sixty per cent wage increase and six-hour day, would, if granted, cost the country \$1,131,983,716.

Jim Bomar has accepted a position in a barber shop in Vernon.

W. B. Carter and wife have recently moved from Dallas to Vernon, Mr. Carter being employed by the Frisco Railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleisher returned Saturday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williams in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Oates went to Rule Sunday.

Miss Ruth Martin visited home-folks in Benjamin last week-end.

Ellis Gafford came in the first of the week from Sulphur Springs.

Miss Eva Hallmark came in Monday from Fort Worth to accept a position in the office of T. L. Hughston, grain and cotton dealer.

brought back to a normal condition. Jurors are not medical experts anyway, and are no better qualified to pass judgment upon some cases of mental illness than they would be as to whether the patient has typhoid fever or an internal cancer.

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Care in handling cotton at harvest time pays big dividends, Lichte says. Cotton picked green or wet and taken directly to a gin not equipped to handle such cotton may be reduced in value from \$5 to \$35 per bale.

should not expect the ginner to turn out a quality product at gin unless a quality product is provided by the farmer.

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LOCALS

9x12 wool rugs at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

R. L. Morris, who is employed in Houston, spent the week-end visiting with his wife and children.

Mrs. Clyde King of Amarillo spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. King.

Mrs. J. H. Barnebee Jr. is in Rochester, N. Y., visiting her mother who is ill at her home there.

Bedroom suites, \$74.95 and up at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Max O. Brock of Lawton, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cooper last week. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bowman of Scranton, Pa. The two couples were en route to Carlsbad Caverns on a sight-seeing trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hinds of Mineral Wells were here Tuesday and Wednesday visiting friends.

Two good used Perfection oil cook stoves at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gobin of Pampa are here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gobin.

Another big shipment of extra nice table and floor lamps at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Miss Sybil Gobin of Colorado City spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gobin.

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Frank Weatherall and Mrs. Katherine Whitby and daughter, Jean, attended the State Fair at Dallas Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Roberts have returned from Dallas where they visited in the home of their son, Dr. Tom K. Roberts, and wife.

Mrs. T. W. Cooper of Dallas is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cooper of Crowell. The men are double cousins.

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Mrs. W. H. Mattox and two sons, Leroy and Larry, of Troup, Texas, are here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brisco.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Poland returned home Sunday from Cristoval, Texas, where Mr. Poland took treatment. He is reported to be improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goff of Houston have been here this week visiting Mrs. Goff's brother, H. D. Poland, and family, and also her sister, Miss Rosie Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Jonas of Wichita Falls spent the week-end here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Wright, and family, and Mr. Jonas' brother, F. J. Jonas.

Mrs. W. A. Mussetter of LaGrange, Mo., arrived last Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. John S. Ray, in the Riverside community. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. K. Moore, also of LaGrange.

Dad Short left Monday for his home in Pueblo, Colo., after a month's visit here with friends. Mr. Short was a resident of this county 32 years ago when he worked as a cowboy on ranches in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brothers and three children, Charlie Gus, Jim and Julia Helen, of Shamrock spent last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cogdell. Capt. and Mrs. W. K. Cogdell of Camp Hood also have recently visited in the W. A. Cogdell home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brooks and daughter, Nelda, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith and family, in Grapevine over the week-end. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. John Todd and son, Gary, in Fort Worth and attended the T. C. U.-Mississippi football game Saturday night.

Week of Prayer Is Observed in All-Day Meeting of W. S. C. S.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist Church for the annual Week-of-Prayer program on Monday, Oct. 24.

Mrs. Henry Earl Thomson was leader for the morning program. Mrs. Crockett Fox sang two numbers, "Give Me Thy Heart" and "I Gave My Life for Thee." Her mother, Mrs. C. W. Thompson, accompanied her. Mrs. Moody Bursey and Mrs. Ray Duckworth were devotional leaders and the meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Grover Cole. A period of testimony with quoting of favorite Scriptures was enjoyed.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. Announcement was made that a "Day Apart" would be held at the Vernon First Church on Nov. 8. The speaker will be Miss Louise Eggleston of Norfolk, Va. Her talk will be toward developing the spiritual life of people throughout the U. S.

The afternoon program was under the leadership of Mrs. T. B. Klepper. The meditation was given by Mrs. Claude Brooks and by Mrs. Klepper. The various fields of work in which the society is helping were given by Mrs. Jeff Bruce, Mrs. Mark Henry, Mrs. C. W. Thompson, Mrs. Sam Bell, Mrs. Henry Borchardt and Mrs. Frank Flesher.

Projects for Week of Prayer offering were presented by Mrs. M. J. Girsch and the meditation of "The Art of Silence" and the benediction were given by Mrs. A. C. Haynes.

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

The Friendship girls of the Methodist Church met on Tuesday, Oct. 25, with Jean Whitby as hostess. After a song and a prayer, Rondyn Self gave an interesting article on a Japanese student who is studying in S. M. U. in Dallas. During the business session the girls presented a pair of pillow cases which they voted to send to a children's home in El Paso. Delicious refreshments of punch and cake were served at the close of the meeting.

The Friendship girls met on Oct. 18th with Jane Bruce as hostess. "Our Prayer" was sung by the group after which Mrs. Haynes concluded the theme song with a prayer. Jean Whitby led the meditation on "God's World." Peggy Weaver talked on "Yesu" which means "Jesus." A Korean and an American found they could communicate through the word, "Jesus," and passages from the Bible, although they could not speak each other's language.

Jane was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Jeff Bruce, in serving refreshments to Jean Whitby, Peggy Weaver, Mary Ermine Cooper, Rebecca Calvin, Doris Morris, Clovonne McKown, Shirley Wehba, Rondyn Self, Jenny Wehba, Joyzelle Thomson and Mrs. A. C. Haynes, sponsor.

The Friendship Circle met at the Methodist Church on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 25, with Mrs. Henry Earl Thomson as leader of the lesson. The purpose of the WSCS and the way the girls' group is related to the organization was discussed during the meeting.

Refreshments were served by Rondyn Self and Jenny Wehba.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere thanks and love to those who ministered to us in any way during our recent loss of our darling baby, Patricia Ann. Your words of sympathy, the flowers and your presence make it easier to bear. May God bless every one of you. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carr, W. C. and Wanda.

Mrs. A. M. Hiatt and baby daughter, Melodie, of Vernon have been moved from the hospital to their home. The baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hiatt on October 3. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. B. W. Self.

A genuine Zildjian cymbal continues to vibrate for four minutes after it has been struck.

Thalia Principal Releases Honor Rolls for School

Honor rolls for the Thalia Public School was released Monday by Mrs. Howard Bursey, principal, which follow:

High Honor Roll: Judy Johnson, Jo Frances Long, Wanda Moore, Joan Schwarz, Arlos Moore, Louis Kajs, Frankie Cribbs, Loneta Savage, Ivan Cates, Ruth Ellen Short, Phyllis Wisdom, Roxiana Adkins, Patsy McRae, Eldon Whitman, Joyce Wilson.

Mary Hall, Carolyn Lindsay, Max Hammonds, Mary Cato, Vida Jean Tarver, Samuel Cook, Kenneth Hall, Norman Shultz, Brian Wright, Myrna Riley, Carolyn Toole, Mary Werley, Coleman Self, Denton Werley, Rufus Whitman, Don Wisdom and Dorothy Gamble.

Low Honor Roll: Charles Langbecker III, Patty Carpenter, Charlotte James, Mary Ruth Riley, Dolores Abston, Gerald Dene Edens, Mary Belle Price, Wanda Lou Carr, Peggy Cates, Donna Gayle Taylor, Janie Wright, W. C. Carr, Elizabeth McCurley, Edward Speer, Sybil Henry, Barbara Luckie, David Jackson and Loretta Matus.

Perfect Attendance: Clarence Hall, Patty Carpenter, Kay Cole, Gerald Dene Edens, Jo Frances Long, Kitty Sue Pritchett, Mary Ruth Riley, Gary Carpenter, Ivan K. Cates, Joe William Confal, Arlos Moore, Roy Martin Shultz, Mary Belle Price, Ruth Ellen Short, Phyllis Ann Wisdom, Roxiana Adkins, Milton Howard Boyd, David Carpenter, Wanda Lou Carr, Peggy Cates, Cecilia Cole, Neta May Hall, Patsy McRae, Johnnie Joe Matus, Donna Gale Taylor, Don Taylor, Joyce Wilson, Janie Wright, W. C. Carr, Albert Cates, Mary Hall, Phillip Johnson.

Carolyn Lindsay, Larry Joe Riley, Nelson Abston, Gerald Short, Peggy Long, Judith Cribbs, Jerry Cates, Norma Fay Hall, Leslie Hammonds, Jimmie Lindsay, J. M. Cates, Kenneth Hall, David Jackson, Orval Railsback, Norman Shultz, Brian Wright, Loretta Matus, Myrna Riley, Carolyn Toole, Mary Werley, Coleman Self, John W. Wright and Dorothy Gamble.

Honor Rolls for Crowell Schools, First Six Weeks

Honor rolls for the first six weeks of the 1949 term were released this week by Supt. Grady Graves and are as follow:

High School High Honor Roll: Bobbie Abston, Betty Barker, Mary Cooper, Patsy Carroll, Elba Caddell, Kenneth Fox, Lois Eavenson, Betty Guthrie, Ann Haynie, Clara Jones, Jean Hughton, Charla Ketchersid, Marcia Kincaid, Montez Laquey, Rosemary Moss, Neva Lou Potts, Jackie Rasberry, Violet Rummel, Mary Alice Rader, Camille Todd, Joyzelle Thomson, Peggy Traweeck, Wanza Spears, Betty Jo Smith, Rondyn Self, Bobby Stinebaugh, Mary Lou Woods, Peggy Weaver, Melba Ward and Ginger Johnson.

High School Low Honor Roll: Rozella Aultry, Donna Allen, LeRoy Bice, Jane Bruce, Don Brisco, Betty Brock, Billy Caddell, Margaret Caram, Jamile Caram, Lucille Carroll, Duane Cates, Gordon Bell, F. L. Ballard, John Diggs, Thurston Edgin, Peggy Eavenson, Jimmy Franklin, Bessie Franklin, Essie Franklin, Laverne Farrar, John Greening, Eva Rae Geaslin, Bobby Hord, Betty Harper, Bertha Holliday, Glen Jones.

Wanda Jones, Nell Johnson, Bertha Johnson, Evelyn Kajs, Antone Kajs, Naida King, Annie Jo Lankford, Buster Laquey, W. C. Langford, Joline Lanier, Myrtle Bartley, Ruth McRae, Letha Marlow, Virginia McKown, Norma Mathews, Leonard Myers, Pat Owens, Martha Ohr, Anna Rea Owens, Josephine Halencak, Gene Pogue, Floyd Porter, Donald Reynolds, Charlie Reynolds, Lorita Lyons, Doyle Sparks, Jon Sanders, Myra Self, Joe Ray Settiff, Elwin Settiff, Bobbie Spears, V. A. Smith, Mildred Tamplin, Virginia Tamplin, Margaret Thompson, Jimmy Stinebaugh, Laverne Owens, Jenny Wehba, Barbara White, Charles Wishon, Maurine Youree, Don Gobin and Pauline Wheeler.

Intermediate High Honor Roll: Billye McCoy, Robert Graves, Jean Whitby, Wanda Murphy, and Billye Bell.

Intermediate Low Honor Roll: Oleta Lankford, Lucille Sparks, Carolyn Bursey, Lavata Gray, Donna Norris, Joan Fox, Betty Jane Ingle, J. C. McCoy, Ruth Hinkle, Theda Hough, Myrna Sprague, Lula Scott, Maxine Walker, Lavoy Rummel, Bobbie Hudgens, Market

Painter, Pat Davis, Sandra Choate, Dorothy Halencak, Anna Marie Faske, Don Parkhill, Aldon Garrett.

De Anna Ferguson, Joe Calvin, June Ford, Latrelle Duckworth, Nelda Kay Brooks, Mary Lou Denton, Janis Crowell, Patsy Mechell, Francine Coffey, Gail Knox, Patsy Hunter, Doris Cates, David Bayless, Paul Cooper, George Ann Phillips, May Lynn Hough, Jane Williams, Joy Sparks, Carla Manning, Joan Dixon.

Wayne Borchardt, Rebecca Calvin, Vance Barker, Blanche Jones, Genevieve McDaniel, Nita Carroll, Nancy Hallmark, Hazel Langford, Katy Sue Polk, Ann Reithmayer, and Lena Fay White.

Primary Dept. Perfect Attendance: Mrs. Hart's Room — Clark Langford, Charlie Gidney, Jerry Don Eubanks, Michael Whitten, Virginia Hudgens, Margie Rasberry.

Mrs. Hulse's Room — Hershel Barnes, John Robert Lee, Don Keith Lyons, Jon Gary McLain, Roy Lee Washburn, Billie Ruth Gentry, Barbara Goodwin, Joyce Dean Latimer, Donna Jean Maroney, Patsy Ribble, Rachel Woodard.

Miss Nelson's Room — Thomas Crowell, Bill Graves, Bobby King, Roy McGregor, Don Tole, Linda Johnson, Mary Ann Myers, Helen Vessel.

Mrs. Graves' Room — Monte Churchill, Gary Griffith, Marvin Henry, Melvin Ray Johnson, Richard Rodgers, Bryant Thompson, Judy Borchardt, Carol Marie Orr, Barbara Pendergast, Mae Ranner, Dorothy Wehba.

Miss Chesship's Room — Don Hunter, Dale Johnson, Jimmy Lee Rader, Henry Renner, George White, Roberta Hough, Patricia Lax, Virginia Williamson.

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Miss Hunter's Room — James Choate, Jerry Clifton, Noel Wilkins, La Rue Diggs, Shirley Fox, Louis Gordon, Patricia Latimer, Sandra Lee Simmons. Mrs. Cooper's Room — Henry Faske, Gerald Bradford, Robert Fish, Robert Halencak, Julian Harlan, Larry Hord, Dee Ann Christian, Linda Jane Harris, Patsy Ruth Murphy, Vera Porter, Virginia White.

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# LOOPHOLES in the Law

By WILL WILSON

Past President, Texas District and County Attorneys Association



(Editor's Note: This is one of a series of short case histories, all taken from court records, showing how legal loopholes often enable criminals to escape punishment in Texas. Will Wilson, of Dallas, is chairman of a special steering committee of the State Bar, which is working for revision of the antiquated Criminal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure in order to eliminate these loopholes.)

Old John had a little money saved up and was a kindly old fellow. When Slicker Pete came along with a hard luck story, Old John lent him a hundred dollars. It would be just for a few days, Slicker Pete said. He promised to pay Old John back at the end

of the week. Sure enough, when the week ended, Pete wrote out a check to the old gentleman.

But when Old John went to cash the check, he found that Pete not only did not have a hundred dollars in the bank—he didn't even have an account there. It was a worthless check, pure and simple, given willfully and intentionally.

But when Slicker Pete was arrested and then prosecuted for passing a worthless check, he was acquitted.

Why? The laws of Texas require that for a person to be found guilty of passing a "hot check" he must have received something of value at the time the check was given. Pete had received the "something of value"—that is, the hundred dollars—several days before he gave Old John the check.

The State Bar of Texas is working to close such loopholes in the law so that honest citizens will not be so easily victimized by crooks. The outworn Criminal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure now used in Texas are sorely in need of revision.

## RAYLAND FRANCES LAWSON

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ashford have returned home after a visit with relatives near Paris.

Mrs. H. D. Lawson and daughter, Frances, visited with Mr. and Mrs. DeWit Edwards, last Friday.

Dan Tuggle and Betty Lou Strickland were married last Thursday at Vernon.

Mrs. Cap Tuggle and Frances Lawson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tuggle, Sunday.

Ervin Savage spent the week-end with relatives and friends at Pilot Point.

Junior Poyner was injured last week while working at the Rayland Gin.

Miss Opal Dewberry is on the sick list. She was bitten by a spider and is under a doctor's care in Vernon.

Rev. Leon Patterson of Fort Worth Seminary will preach at the Rayland Baptist Church Sunday, Oct. 30. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Sunday School is at 10 o'clock and preaching is at 11 o'clock.

Lester Martin of Levelland spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. A. H. Martin, and son, Emmett.

J. B. More of Abernathy was a visitor here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Keischnick and children visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Streit, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sitton and children of Quanah visited friends here during the week-end.

over the week-end.

## THALIA MRS. C. H. WOOD

Mrs. H. C. Beasley of Dallas, Mrs. Molly Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Farmer from California, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McElroy and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McElroy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lorange and Mrs. W. D. McElroy of Vernon and E. V. Cato of Thalia were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cato Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister have received announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Banister of Longview.

A. B. Wisdom is in the W. O. W. Hospital in San Antonio.

Bill Swan and family of Borger visited his parents over the week-end.

Houston Adkins went to the Longhorn League meeting in Abilene Sunday.

William Wisdom and family visited his father in a San Antonio hospital Saturday and Sunday.

Merle Moore of Vernon spent Monday night with Glen Gable.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Burson of Levelland visited his sister, Mrs. E. J. McKinley, and Mr. McKinley Tuesday night of last week.

Frank Main and son of Mills, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blevins of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Spence has returned

to her home in Fort Stockton after a few days visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Clyde Self, and family.

Pfe. Bobbie Cooper of San Antonio spent the week-end with his wife and parents here. Bobbie had the misfortune of overturning his car near Seymour Friday night while on his way home. He was not injured and his parents went to Seymour after him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson were Wichita Falls visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wheeler spent Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fox in Vernon. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ruckman.

Larry Wood and Corkey Evans of Denton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Larry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood.

S-Sgt. Wm. H. Hicks and family from Hamilton Field in California spent the week-end in the home of his sister, Mrs. Bud Temple, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds and Mona and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pyle and daughter, Iantha, attended the Dallas Fair last week-end. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dave Shultz and LaVerne of Riverside.

Mrs. Cleve Gordon was brought home from the hospital at Crowell Friday.

Mrs. Luther Marlow and Mrs. Howard Ferguson visited Mrs. Bill

Manning and infant daughter in the Crowell hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Ferguson and Mrs. Howard Ferguson were in Vernon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jobe of Paducah spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Luther Marlow, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson of Clinton, Okla., spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Miller Rader.

Mrs. Luther Marlow spent last Wednesday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Bob Weathers, of Crowell.

Mrs. Virgil Johnson and Mrs. Roy Ferguson visited Mrs. Bill Manning and infant daughter in the Crowell hospital Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar McBeath and daughter, Paulette, of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Denton, Mrs. Jess Autry and daughter,

Rozella, visited Mr. and Mrs. Manning and family Saturday.

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### NOTICE

A representative of the Hardeman-Foard National Farm Loan Association will spend each Saturday in Crowell for the purpose of taking applications for loans and for the transaction of any other business incident to its operations.

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## Weekly Sermon

THE FAITHFUL PROVIDER

by Charles Simmons, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

"Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise; be thankful unto him and bless his name. For the Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations." (Ps. 100: 4, 5).

In this day of mass production, we are prone to think that everything must be done as quickly as possible, with the emphasis on quantity. Our prayer life reflects this attitude a great deal of the time. It's easy to say, "I pray many times each day;" but were they really prayers or short requests of "Help me in this, or I need that." We are turning out a series of "give me's." Prayer should consist of more than petitions; it should also have praise.

At the end of the day, try setting aside a time alone with Him. Let God talk to you through His Word, the Bible, before you talk to Him. Many problems for which you ask Him the solution would be answered if you'd just read the Bible. As you sit in quietness before Him, think of all He has done for you already. Consider His gifts and blessings for which you didn't ask, but which were given you nevertheless.

"Thy righteousness is like the great mountains; thy judgments are a great deep; O Lord, thou preservest man and beast" (Ps. 36:6).

"Who giveth food to all flesh; for his mercy endureth forever" (Ps. 136:25).

"... He shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways" (Ps. 91:11).

As all His care is brought to mind, we are able to cease so much of our worries, for we know through experience that He provides. Instead of thoughtlessly repeating "I need," we can briefly and confidently mention our requests, and then still have time to thank Him for what He is and what He does. "Praise ye the Lord. Praise the Lord, O my Soul" (Ps. 146:1).

## Wheat Grindings - Flour Production

Austin, Texas, Oct. 22 — Wheat grindings in Texas totaled 2,709,000 bushels in August 1949, falling 7 per cent from July and 39 per cent from a year ago, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

After adjustment for seasonal variation, the Bureau's index of wheat grindings dropped 10 per cent from July to 111 per cent of the prewar (1935-39) base period in August 1949.

Wheat flour production in Texas fell 8 per cent from July to 1,159,000 sacks in August, a level 39 per cent under August a year earlier.

## CHURCHES

### Truscott Baptist Church

Schedule of Services  
Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Training Union, 7 p. m.  
Evening Worship, 8 p. m.  
Wednesday Service  
Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.  
R. M. BOWEN, Pastor.

### Thalia-Margaret Methodist Churches

Church School each Sunday morning, 10 a. m.  
Preaching Services  
Margaret, 1st and 3rd Sundays.  
Thalia, 2nd and 4th Sundays.  
Time, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Give God a chance at your life. Attend church regularly.  
E. R. McGregor, Pastor.

### First Baptist Church

N. B. Moon, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m.  
Training Union, 6 p. m.  
Evening worship, 7 p. m.  
Prayer service, 7 p. m., Wed.

### Crowell Methodist Church

Church school, 9:45 a. m. Bring the family and stay for the morning worship service.  
Morning worship service, 10:50 a. m. Subject of the sermon: "The Conversion of Saul." There will be special music. A nursery is maintained for small children during the morning worship service.  
Primary - Beginner, MYF, 7 p. m.  
Junior MYF, 7 p. m.  
Young People, MYF, 7 p. m.  
Evening worship service, 7:30 p. m. Subject of the sermon: "Sound Convictions." Don't miss this sermon.  
Announcements of the meeting places of the Circles of the W. S. C. S. are in the church bulletin each week.  
Board of Stewards' Meeting, Tuesday, 7 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7 p. m.  
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
A cordial, sincere welcome awaits you at each service of this church. We need the church and the church needs us. Come, worship God with us.  
Aubrey C. Haynes, Pastor.

### East Side Church of Christ

Schedule of Services:  
Sunday  
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.  
Prayer and Communion at 10:55 a. m.  
Evening worship at 7 p. m.  
Tuesday  
Ladies' Bible Class at 4 p. m.  
Wednesday  
Mid-week service at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.  
W. L. Baze, Minister

### Church of Christ (West Side)

"For if the word spoken by angels was steadfast, and every transgression and disobedience received a just recompense of reward." (Under law of Moses.)

## U. of T. Developing Improved Cotton Classing Methods

Austin, Texas, Oct. 22—A new University of Texas cotton research laboratory will help meet the inroads synthetic fibers have made in King Cotton's domain by developing improved cotton classing methods.

The new Cotton Research Committee facility is equipped with instruments which measure length, uniformity, strength, fineness, and maturity of cotton. Its air conditioning system is designed to simulate various weather conditions, so the effect of temperature and humidity differences on cotton fibers can be observed.

"There is no such thing as off-grade cotton because all grades of cotton have specific end-uses to which they are best suited. It is the purpose of the new methods for classifying cotton to determine the end-use utilities of all grades of cotton," John Leahy, Cotton Research Committee director, reports.

## RANKS SEVENTH

Austin, Texas, Oct. 22 — The University of Texas with 15,500 students ranks seventh in enrollment among state-supported universities in the U. S., a preliminary survey by Dr. Raymond Walters, University of Cincinnati president, shows.

Cotton has come to be California's most profitable crop. The state leads all the cotton producing states in a yield per acre of 572 pounds compared with an estimated average yield of 312 lbs.



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## Parents Urged to Supervise All Phases of Child's Health

Austin, Texas—Emphasizing the urgent need for parental supervision of all phases of child health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said today, "Much of the impaired eyesight of advanced years could be prevented if sufficient interest in early life were applied and a correction by means of temporary glasses made when required."

Parents, Dr. Cox said, should be watchful for danger signals in the child such as frowning, squinting, persistent headache, eyeache, and watery eyes. If the youngster reads too closely or too far away from the face, that situation may also be significant of trouble.

"No child likes wearing glasses, nevertheless, it is the obligation of those responsible for the future of young folks to have their eyes examined by a reputable specialist if there is a suspicion that normal vision does not exist. It is much better for a child to wear glasses for a few years during early school life than to have permanently defective vision in later life," he declared.

Dr. Cox said that neglect of the eyes is by no means limited to children. Many older persons, some through vanity, indifference, or

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## Tom A. Andrews and Miss Longfellow Are Wed on October 9th

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Longfellow of Siloam Springs, Ark., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Mae, to Tom A. Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Andrews of Crowell.

The marriage took place in the First Christian Church of Tulsa, Okla., where the couple resides, on October 9th with the Rev. H. G. Gantz, pastor of the church, officiating with the single ring ceremony.

A program of traditional wedding music was presented by Mrs. Pansy Chronic and Miss Doris Birmingham sang, "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, James Longfellow, of Siloam Springs, Ark. She wore a ballerina length suit of ice blue satin fashioned with tiny self-covered buttons down the front.

and long fitted sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil fell from a crown of orange blossoms and she carried a white Bible topped with an orchid encircled with pink roses.

Miss Carol Jane Sergeant of Tulsa, maid of honor, wore a gown of bronze and gold lame which she complemented with navy accessories. She carried a bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums. Miss Anne Getgood lighted the candles.

Jackson Behling of Tulsa was best man and Conrad Longfellow, brother of the bride, ushered.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Getgood were hosts at a reception in their home. A miniature bride and groom topped the threer-tiered wedding cake. Miss Opal Jones and Mrs. E. C. Britte assisted in entertaining.

For travel, Mrs. Andrews wore a sable mist suit with brown accessories and an orchid corsage. The couple has returned to Tulsa from a wedding trip to Dallas and New Orleans, La., and are now at home at 2922 East Haskell St., Tulsa.

The wedding was attended by Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Andrews, parents of the bridegroom. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Andrews of this city.

### WEST SIDE H. D. CLUB

The West Side Home Demonstration Club met for its October meeting on Thursday in the home

of Mrs. T. W. Cooper. The Bible study program was held on that day.

All members were present with the exception of Mrs. L. Kamstra and Mrs. Tom King. Roll call was answered with the favorite Bible reading. A Christmas program was discussed.

## Charlie G. Hickman and Miss Settles Wed Sunday in Quanah

Charlie Guynn Hickman of Memphis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guynn Hickman of Truscott, and Miss Lillian Jo Settles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Settles of Quanah, were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony read by Rev. Wayne W. Cook, pastor, in the First Methodist Church in Quanah on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 16.

The couple stood in a nuptial space decorated with tall baskets of white gladioli and flanked by lighted white tapers in branched candelabra.

Misses Betty Broyles of Dallas and Dorothy Pilkinton of Fort Worth, dressed in green and yellow formal, lighted the candles preceding the marriage. Each wore a corsage of white carnations.

A musical setting for the wedding was provided by Mrs. R. C. Willingham, organist, and Mrs. Ben K. Howard, vocalist. The latter gave as a pre-nuptial selection, "Always." Mrs. Willingham played Lohegrin's Wedding March. She also played the recessional.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a bridal gown of white satin, fashioned with a tucked yoke, edged by a circular ruffle, and long fitted sleeves which extended into points at the hand. Her fingertip veil fell from a head band caught at either side by white rosebuds. She carried a bouquet of white roses atop a white Bible.

Miss Barbara Faucett of Fort Worth was maid of honor and wore a dress of yellow taffeta, matching hat and gloves and carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations tied with yellow satin ribbon.

Attending the groom as best man was Howard Turner of Lubbock and ushers were Walter Carl Taylor of Truscott and R. C. Edwards of Memphis.

The bride's mother wore a powder blue dress with black accessories while the mother of the groom was attired in a beige dress with brown accessories and both wore corsages of white gardenias.

Concluding the ceremony was "The Lord's Prayer," sung by Mrs. Howard as the couple knelt on the white satin kneeling bench.

A reception was held in the church's parlor following the marriage. Mrs. W. C. Taylor of Truscott, sister of the bridegroom, presided at the guest register.

Mrs. Hickman is a graduate of Quanah High School and attended Texas Wesleyan College at Fort Worth. Mr. Hickman is a graduate of Texas Technological College at Lubbock. He is now assistant county agent of Hall County, and the couple will reside in Memphis.

## Bride-Elect Is Honoree at Personal Shower Given Friday Evening

Miss Dorothy Thompson, bride-elect of J. C. Autry Jr., was complimented by Misses Bobbie Abston and Rodyn Self on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 22, at the Adelphian Club House with a personal shower.

The tea table conformed to the color scheme, red and white, chosen by the bride-elect. Tall red tapers burned in crystal candelabra and red flowers prevailed. Cakes, cookies, sandwiches and mints were served to the following: Misses Thompson, Mary Rader, Rozella Autry, Mary Johnson, Melba Ward, Jean Hughton, Jenny Wehba, Frankie Mabe, Maurine Youree, Joline Lanier, Mrs. Harold Thomson and the hostesses.

## Alpha Club Is Hostess to Crowell Columbian Club

"Friendship Day" was observed Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 19, when members of the Alpha Study Club of Truscott delightfully entertained the Columbian Club of Crowell at a tea given in the home of Mrs. Van Browning near Truscott.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Browning who introduced Mrs. Jack Whitaker, president of the Alpha Club. Mrs. Bill Comegys secured the guests' names for the register. A receiving line composed of Mrs. Seth Woods, Mrs. Marion Chowning and Mrs. Clifford Ohr was formed at the entrance into the dining room.

Colorful autumn flowers were artistically arranged to decorate the reception suite. In the dining room the tea table was laid with a hand-made cutwork cloth and centered with an arrangement of gold and white plume chrysanthemums in a silver bowl, which was flanked by tall white tapers in silver holders. Mrs. A. S. Tarpley and Mrs. George Brown, at opposite ends of the table poured coffee and tea which was served with tea dainties. Mrs. Herschell Barnes, Mrs. Elmo Todd, Mrs. Q. D. Williams and Mrs. Tom Masterson assisted in serving.

Mrs. Oscar Solomon and Mrs. J. E. Stover conducted guests from the dining room to inspect a lovely display of ceramics and which had been fashioned by Alpha Club members.

After being assembled in the living room, Mrs. B. W. Self, pres-

ident of the Columbian Club, presented Mrs. H. A. Smith who stated that the program had been prepared by the Alpha Club. The guest speaker, Mrs. W. L. Willie, of Matador, state chairman of Citizenship, who spoke on the subject, "Women of America, At Home and Abroad."

Mrs. Willie, with five other club women, has recently returned from a good-will trip to Central America and she charmingly gave a resume of that trip and also a recent trip to the National Club Convention which was held in Hollywood, Fla., in June. She stated that the convention was the most glamorous ever held, being held at one of Florida's fabulous hotels. Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt was one of the prominent speakers of the convention.

The outstanding feature of Mrs. Willie's address was concerning the trip to Central America and going through the Panama Canal. Her party was royally entertained by leaders of the various countries in Central America. The women showed lovely and gracious manners and entertained in a lavish way. They are eager to learn everything they can about the people and customs of North America.

Mrs. Willie expressed the opinion that the good-will tour had been an advantageous one and not in vain.

Following her address, Mrs. Willie was presented with a ceramic plate as a gift from the Alpha Club.

With a prayer by a member of the Alpha Club, the "Friendship Day" meeting was brought to a close.

## Shower for Recent Bride Given at Thalia on Oct. 21

Mrs. R. H. Cooper IV, a recent bride, was honored on Friday afternoon, Oct. 21, with a miscellaneous shower given in the home of Mrs. Raymond Grimm of Thalia when Mrs. Grimm, Mrs. Duane Capps, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Mrs. Ira Toole, Mrs. Sim V. Gamble, Mrs. Jady Toole and Mrs. Waldon Johnson were joint hostesses.

The guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Grimm and were then presented to Mrs. R. H. Cooper IV, Mrs. Elbert May, her mother, and Mrs. R. H. Cooper III, mother of the groom.

After registering in the gift register where Mrs. Jady Toole presided, the guests were directed into the dining room which was made lovely with a crocheted lace table

## Bridal Shower Honors Miss Thompson, Bride-Elect, Thursday

Miss Dorothy Thompson, who will become the bride of J. C. Autry Jr., Saturday evening, was complimented at a lovely miscellaneous shower on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 20, at the Adelphian Club House when Mesdames Floyd Borchardt, Howard Ferguson, Dan Callaway, J. B. Raspberry, Harold Thomson and Miss Mary Johnson were hostesses.

Guests were greeted by Miss Johnson and presented to Miss Thompson, honoree; Mrs. W. C. Thompson, her mother, and Mrs. J. C. Autry Sr., mother of the groom-elect.

Miss Rozella Autry, sister of the groom-elect, presided at the bride's book, from where the guests passed into the dining room where the pretty lace-covered table was centered with a solid, low arrangement of red rosebuds. Over the roses, stood an archway with wedding bells hanging from the middle arch.

Mrs. Raspberry, Mrs. Callaway and Mrs. Ferguson alternated with duties: pouring punch and Miss Margaret Thompson, sister of the bride-elect, assisted in serving cookies, salted nuts and mints with the punch.

Mrs. Thomson directed the guests to the gift room and displayed the many beautiful gifts to the young couple. Misses Bettie Guthrie, Bobbie Abston and Betty Barker provided incidental piano music throughout the reception hours.

## Bosses' Banquet Held at Premier Hotel by B. & P. W. Club Thurs.

The Business and Professional Women's Club held its annual Bosses' Banquet at the Hotel Premier on Thursday, Oct. 20. Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe

was guest speaker and made an interesting and enlightening talk on the ten amendments to the State Constitution to be voted on November 8th. He touched lightly on all the proposed amendments but, at the request of the club members, placed special emphasis on the tenth amendment, jury service for women. The senator quoted a fellow legislator as saying that he believed that if women served on juries, more criminals would be convicted, that justice would be more apt to triumph, especially in breach of promise suits.

Cora Carter, president of the club, introduced Senator Moffett. A skit entitled "How not to get a job" was presented by Gusta Davis and Thelma Mae Hunt. Hostesses for the occasion were Mae Solomon, Louise Fisch, Lillie Welch and Alyene Graham.

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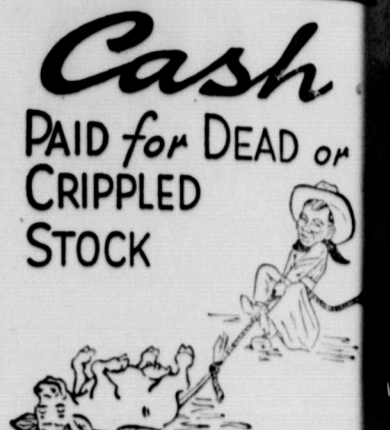
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