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Money-Raising Programs Scheduled for 1956 March of Dimes Campaign

The program for the March of Dimes for January has been planned by the executive committee, and preparations are underway for carrying it out," Guy Todd, campaign chairman, stated Tuesday.

The envelopes that have been mailed to the individuals are being sent back, and everyone is urged to send in his contribution as soon as possible.

The first program for the campaign will get underway Thursday, January 12 (tonight) at the

high school gymnasium, with basketball and volleyball games between the Thalia and Crowell mothers, a basketball game between the high school boys and the colored boys, and a colored boxing bout. Mrs. Marvin Myers is the coach of the Crowell mothers' team, and Mrs. Cecil Carpenter coaches the Thalia team. Paul Barree will have charge of the colored team. Thayne Amnett, Gordon Erwin and Glen Taylor will have charge of the boxing bouts.

The next event scheduled will be a Grade School basketball tournament, sponsored by the Thalia Parent-Teachers Association, at the Thalia gym on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 19, 20 and 21. Sandwiches, cakes and pies will be sold at the games, and anyone wishing to contribute food of this type is urged to do so. The entire proceeds of the tournament and sales derived from the concessions will be given to the polio fund.

On January 26 at the Thalia School, a home talent program will be sponsored by the Thalia and Riverside Home Demonstration Clubs, and the proceeds of this event will also be given to the March of Dimes.

Mr. Todd states that he appreciates the wonderful work that the people of Foard County are doing on behalf of this worthwhile campaign and urges them to contribute as much as they can.

Subscriptions to The Foard County News Received Since Jan. 2

Subscriptions to The Foard County News received since January 2 follow:

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LIONS CLUB

The Crowell Lions Club enjoyed a talk given by John Wright of Thalia on "The March of Dimes" campaign, and a film shown by Dr. M. M. Kralieck on polio, at its Tuesday noon luncheon. Jack Spikes was in charge of the program.

Two visitors, Mr. Wright and Lee Black, were present.

BIG ELEVATORS

Any one of the aircraft carrier USS Forrestal's big elevators is the size of two average suburban lots.



SAVES THREE FROM FIRE—Alert Johnny Roe risked his life twice to rescue three small negro brothers from a burning farm house near Memphis, Tenn. Roe, 18, a Memphis State College freshman, was home for the holidays. At first he thought it was a grass fire in the distance, though he'd check, and found the Sanders farm house ablaze. Roe braved the flames twice, brought out five year old Gerald and baby Sanders on his lap. On the second trip, Roe found Jimmy, 3, huddled and terrified in the closet, and carried him to safety.

Guy Morgan Sells Cattle at Auction Sale in Frederick

Guy Morgan sold four head of his registered Domestic Mischief Polled Hereford cattle in the Red River Valley Hereford Breeders' Association sale at Frederick, Okla. Jan. 4.

One bull, 15 months old, sold for \$355.00, another younger bull brought \$315.00. The two bred heifers averaged \$192 each. The older bull created considerable interest because of his size for age, weighing 1,340 pounds at the time of sale, which is extraordinarily large for a calf that is pasture raised on his own dam and having only been in the feed lot since September 1.

ATTEND EASTERN STAR SCHOOL AT CLARENDON

Five members of Crowell Chapter No. 916 Order of the Eastern Star, attended the Eastern Star school of instruction at Clarendon on January 7. Those making the trip were Mesdames Zerne Cates, Jim Moore, Vera Thomas, Verda Bell and Marietta Carroll.

Three A certificates and two B certificates were awarded the group.

Sam Baugh to Be Principal Speaker for Football Banquet January 27th

The annual football banquet, sponsored by the Crowell Booster Club, will be held at the High School cafeteria on the night of January 27. The guests will include the members of the 1955 Wildcat football team, their dates, and the three coaches and their wives; Mr. and Mrs. Thayne Amnett, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Erwin and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Taylor.

Basketball Teams Split Conference Games With Chillicothe

The Crowell basketball teams split conference game with the Chillicothe Eagles here Tuesday night. The boys dropped a heart-breaker by the count of 44 to 42 and the girls took an easy victory by the score of 46 to 21. The boys came out on top in their games, 35 to 34 and 40 to 21, respectively.

Telephone Operators Return to Work Friday

The strike of telephone operators and other employees of the General Telephone Company ended last Friday and local operators have returned to work, effective last Friday night at 10 o'clock.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Charles W. Moncus, brother of Mrs. R. J. Thomas, and a former resident of Foard County, died at his home in Harlingen on Monday, Jan. 2, following a short illness. Interment was in Harlingen.

Mr. Moncus was born at Gatesville, Coryell County, in 1893. He moved to Foard County with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moncus, when he was four years of age and resided here until 1918, when he moved to Harlingen.

He was married to Miss May Simmons in Crowell in 1915. He had been a member of the Calvary Baptist Church for the past 37 years.

Survivors include his wife, two sons, one daughter, four grandchildren, two sisters and four brothers.

New Minister Began Duties at Christian Church on January 1

The First Christian Church has recently called Gene Segroves to minister to their congregation. He comes to the Crowell church after serving churches in Illinois, Missouri and Texas, and directly from the Memorial Christian Church in Ardmore, Okla.

Mr. Segroves received his religious education at the Lincoln Bible Institute in Lincoln, Ill., with additional work at the Ozark Bible College, Joplin, Mo., and the Dallas Christian College, Dallas, Texas, of which his brother, J. T. Segroves, is president.

Mr. and Mrs. Segroves have two children, Carlene Jean, 3, and Gary Gene, eight months. Mr. Segroves has been active in youth work as manager and teacher of various Christian service camps throughout Illinois, Oklahoma and Texas. He is an enthusiastic sports fan and participated actively on the softball and basketball teams sponsored by the Memorial Church.

Open House Sunday
Open house was observed at the parsonage Sunday afternoon, and refreshments were served to visiting church members and friends by the Ladies Missionary Society.

Mr. Segroves will have his study in the parsonage, and those who wish counsel or desire to visit, are welcome at any time. Regular office hours will be from 9 to 12 a. m.

His sermon topic for Sunday morning services will be "Rejected Invitations." This message will be based upon the lives of four men who knew of Christ, but rejected Him, Mr. Segroves said.

Revival to Start at Free Will Baptist Church Next Sunday

A revival meeting will start at the Free Will Baptist Church next Sunday and will continue through the following week, it was announced Tuesday. Rev. H. H. Has-ton of Paducah, pastor, will do the preaching for the revival.

Everybody is invited to attend these services, it was stated.

Jim Fite Succumbs in Calhoun, Ga., Jan. 6

Jim C. Fite, 80, uncle of M. F. Crowell and a resident of this county in the early 1900's, died on Friday, Jan. 6, at his home in Calhoun, Ga., according to a telegram received by Mr. Crowell. Funeral services were held in Calhoun on January 8.

Church School Attendance Report

Sunday school attendance for last Sunday at the various churches follows:

Assembly of God	82
First Baptist	133
Down Town Bible Class	57
First Christian	71
Crowell Methodist	132
Foard City	51
Total	526

RUN-AWAY BOYS PICKED UP HERE

Deputy Sheriff Jack Lyons picked up three teen-age Wichita Falls boys here last Wednesday night. The run-aways were en route to California, they told the local officers.

DOWN TOWN BIBLE CLASS

Dr. Myrddin Lewis of England, evangelist for an 8-day series of evangelistic services held at the Premier Hotel, delivered the message at the Down Town Bible Class Sunday morning. He was introduced by the regular teacher, Leslie Thomas.

Special music for the opening exercises was furnished by a trio composed of Mrs. Howard Ferguson, Mrs. Delmar McBeath and Bob Johnson. They sang two numbers with Mrs. Paul Shirley as accompanist.

There were fifty-seven present, including three visitors, J. C. Self of Wichita Falls, W. C. Tisdale of McAllen and Dr. Lewis. They were introduced by George Self.

SCHEDULE FOR CROWELL

A representative of the Social Security Administration, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance, of Wichita Falls, will be at the court house in Crowell at 2:00 o'clock p. m. on the following dates: January 24, February 28 and March 27.

Persons who desire information or assistance in Social Security matters are invited to meet with the representative when he is in Crowell.



GENE SEGROVES

J. L. Bradford Dies Following Long Illness

Funeral Held in Baptist Church Friday Afternoon

Funeral services for J. L. Bradford were held in the First Baptist Church last Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. T. Aly, assisted by Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald, pastor of the Thalia Baptist Church.

Mr. Bradford, pioneer resident of this community, passed away in the Foard County Hospital last Thursday, January 5, following an illness of several months.

Funeral bearers were C. L. Cavin, Ray Hysinger, Abb Dunn, Earl Ingle, J. A. Stovall and L. A. Andrews. Included in the list of flower bearers were Mrs. Earl Ingle, Mrs. W. J. Murphy, Mrs. A. B. Owens, Mrs. Luther Denton, Mrs. Lee Blevins, Mrs. Jimmy Russell, Mrs. Bernice Sanders, Mrs. Oran Ford, Miss Margaret Curtis and Miss Marjorie Brock.

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

Special music for the services was a duet, "The Old Rugged Cross," sung by Mrs. W. F. Statter and Mrs. Clark Hitt, with Mrs. C. T. Aly as accompanist.

Jonathan Lester Bradford was born in Fulton, Ky., on March 22, 1886. He came to Texas with his parents and lived in Coryell County before moving to Foard County in 1905.

He was converted and joined the Baptist Church at Margaret in 1913 and was a member there until moving to Crowell.

On August 11, 1915, he was married to Miss Mattie Pierce. Two daughters were born to this union, both of whom survive.

Mr. Bradford lived an exemplary Christian life and was a highly respected citizen during his long residence of over 50 years in this community.

From 1937 until ill health forced him to retire last year, he was employed by Foard County as custodian of the court house.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Alton Cavin of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Leroy Gibson of Quanah; three grandchildren, Kirby Cavin, Ridley and Michael Gibson; three sisters, Mrs. Jim Owens of Margaret, Mrs. Oscar Taylor of Levelland, and Mrs. E. E. Rambo of Odessa; one brother, Mack Bradford of Quanah, and a number of nieces and nephews. One grandson, Kerry Brad Cavin, preceded him in death.

Ginning of Cotton in Foard County Almost Completed

Harvesting of the 1955 cotton crop in Foard County is almost completed, according to figures released by the five gins in the county. It is estimated that there will be 25 or 30 more bales ginned this season.

Figures released from the gins Wednesday morning showed that a total of 6,901 bales had been processed in the county.

The five gins are the Farmers Co-Op. Gin and the Crowell Gin of Crowell, West Texas Gin Co. gin at Margaret, Farmers Co-Op. gin at Thalia and the Rayland Gin at Rayland.

Receipts at Post Office Show Increase in 1955

According to figures released by Postmaster Alva Spencer Wednesday, postal receipts at the local postoffice were \$592.13 more in 1955 than in 1954.

Receipts for 1954 were \$14,583.55 and for 1955 they were \$15,175.68.

Lubbock Man Killed in Auto Accident West of Crowell Last Saturday Night

Haskell Loyd Vinson, 35, of Lubbock died in a Paducah hospital at 4:20 a. m. Sunday from a head injury received in an automobile accident 14.6 miles west of Crowell on Highway 70 around 11:30 o'clock Saturday night.

Also painfully but not seriously injured were Mrs. Betty Hinkle and Mrs. Hinkle's 7 1/2-year-old son,

Purchase of Safety Stickers Lagging in Foard County

Foard County motorists are not getting their 1956 Safety Stickers as fast as they should, according to information furnished by the two Foard County safety inspection stations. These officials estimate that there are approximately 1,200 motor vehicle owners in the county who have not yet complied with the law.

The inspection of lights, horns, brakes, stop lights and windshield wipers will be the same as in 1955. The two inspection stations in Foard County are the Self Motor Company and the Borchardt Chevrolet Company.

Motor vehicle owners must have this sticker by April 15, or be subject to the penalties of the law.

Motorists are urged to get this new 1956 Safety Sticker while there is still plenty of time and not wait until the last-minute rush.

Five Traffic Accidents Reported in Foard Co. During December

Captain K. B. Hallmark Jr., commanding officer of the Wichita Falls district of the Texas Highway Patrol, has released Foard County's rural traffic accident summary for December, 1955.

The Highway Patrol investigated a total of 5 accidents with the following breakdown: 2 property damage, and 3 personal injury.

Captain Hallmark reported a total property damage of \$3,625.00 with four persons injured and none killed. This is an increase of 5 accidents for the same period in 1954.

PLEDGES SOCIAL CLUB

Gordon Graves of Crowell recently pledged Lords and Commoners, social club at Tarleton State College in Stephenville.

He was one of 72 students pledging various social clubs at Tarleton.

First Semester of Crowell Schools to Be Completed Tuesday, January 17

According to Superintendent Grady Graves, the first semester of the Crowell school year will be completed January 17. Final examinations for the first semester will be held next Tuesday. Due to the exemption program, the average daily attendance will not count on that day. Only those children who are required to take

their exams will be expected to attend school on Tuesday.

HOSPITAL NOTES

FOARD COUNTY HOSPITAL

Patients In:

Mrs. Mary E. Andrews.
Wanza Wheeler.
Carroll Polk.
W. E. Ryder.
M. L. Owens.

Patients Dismissed:

Jessie Adams.
Mrs. Luther Denton.
J. H. Lanier Sr.
Edgar Long.
Mrs. M. N. Kenner.
Mrs. Curtis Ribble.
Mrs. Bill Gafford.
Mrs. L. M. Glover.
Mrs. W. R. Ferguson.
Patsy Meechell.
Duane Orr.
Mrs. Will L. Johnson.
C. R. Richards.
Mrs. Carl Zeibig.
Mrs. Susie Roberts.
O. O. Iseng.
Mrs. Manuel Villa.

Marriages and Births in Foard County in '55 Show Increase over '54

1955 saw an increase in the number of marriages and births recorded in Foard County.

Vital statistics records in the office of J. A. Stovall, county and district clerk, show that there were 39 births recorded and 44 marriage licenses issued during last year.

This compares to 32 births and 36 marriages recorded during 1954.

Mr. Stovall stated that there had been no births recorded in his office since October 23.

District Court to Convene February 13

According to J. A. Stovall, district clerk, the February term of District Court will convene on February 13.

Mr. Stovall states that the docket is very light with several civil cases, including three divorce cases, slated to be disposed of at this term.

"Butch." Mrs. Hinkle received a head and neck injury, and her son only minor injuries.

Foard County Sheriff Sherman McBeath, his deputy, Jack Lyons, and two officers from Paducah investigated the accident. McBeath said that evidently Vinson, who was traveling east, lost control on the curve, or either dozed at the wheel and the 1950 Ford he was driving rolled over at least two times. Vinson was thrown from the automobile, but Mrs. Hinkle and son remain in the car. The Ford was a total loss, according to McBeath.

A Paducah ambulance was summoned and the injured were taken to the Paducah hospital.

Vinson was employed by the Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma Bus Company of Lubbock. He is survived by his wife and four sons, Johnny Mack, Ira Loyd, Larry Hayne and Tommy Wade Vinson of Lubbock. The body was returned to Lubbock for final rites.

Bank Deposits Show Increase Since Last October

Deposits in the Crowell State Bank at the close of business December 31 totaled \$2,861,784.53, which was only \$16,248.04 lower than the total deposits for the same period last year.

Last year at this period, the total deposits were \$2,878,032.57. Deposits for the local bank have increased \$223,679.24 since the last bank call which was on October 5, 1955.

The decrease in deposits since one year ago can be traced to the continued short crops made in the county, and also to the slump being suffered in the cattle and hog markets.

Unusual as it may seem, Foard county last year received more rain than usual, over 33 inches, and yet, both major crops, wheat and cotton, were short due to a lack of moisture. The rains last year came at times to be of least benefit to the growing crops.

Wheat and other grain crops in the county are at a standstill at the present time, but there seems to be nothing wrong with conditions that a rain would not quickly relieve. Hurt at this time are stockmen who need the wheat and oat grazing for their cattle.

Business here last year was reported about as normal, with several business men reporting a bigger Christmas business than they have had in several years.

MOVES FAMILY HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kirk and small daughter, Doris Lee, have established their residence in the Audie Brown home. Mr. Kirk is the new manager of Cicero Smith Lumber Company and has been here for several weeks, but Mrs. Kirk and Doris Lee didn't come until January 1. They are formerly of Mangum, Okla.

The Crowell High



WILDCAT

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C. H. S. AND C. G. S. STUDENTS YOUR COOPERATION IS NEEDED

Your cooperation is needed to help thousands of polio victims, who for years must continue their struggle to walk again. You are needed to pursue March of Dimes research, which developed the Salk vaccine. March of Dimes cards were distributed to all the students in the Crowell High School and Crowell Grade School to aid in the fight against polio. Help by putting at least one dime in the envelope and give a small child a chance to walk again. To help the polio fund, there will be basketball and volleyball games between the Thalia and Crowell mothers. Another feature will be the high school boys and colored boys boxing bouts. This will take place in the Crowell gym

DR. HAROLD ROSE, JR.,

Chiropractor

TUESDAY—THURSDAY—SATURDAY

8:30 — 11:30 A. M.

Jonas Building

Crowell, Texas

Thursday night, Jan. 12, at 7:30. Please come and join the March of Dimes.

NEWS, VIEWS AND INFO

Just to start this little chatter off with the right kind of clatter, here's a cozy little reminder. Report cards are out next Thursday. Only two more days to cram for final Tuesday, Jan. 17. Backward Polly says, "I don't have the grades I want or should have." Next semester, Polly, how about studying every day and quit cramming for exams at the last minute?

Anyone who missed "The Corn Is Green," produced by Maurice Evans last Sunday at 3 p. m. on channel 3 missed a real treat.

We are missing Dwain Orr who had an operation at the Foard County Hospital. We're glad to have Jimmy Williamson in his accustomed place after his having undergone an operation.

Susy says that she likes to watch TV into the wee hours but her parents object. "Susy, if you can keep up your health and school work, go ahead. But staying up late every night is neither right nor justifiable."

It suddenly dawned on me that I must be a representative of the majority of CHSites—just reading a book when I have to for a report. Well, TV, radio, movies and plays entertain me so well, I'd almost forgotten how much fun it could be to curl up with a good book on a chilly evening.

The other day, I went into the library, and the librarian helped me find a good book.

The library staff does such an excellent job of classifying the books, making attractive arrangements, and giving advice on what to read for so few students to take advantage of facilities.

There is a lore of entertainment on the library shelves. Why not enjoy some of it?

Whom should we see strolling down the halls of CHS last Monday? Sue Meason and Frances Kincaid. Welcome home, CHSites!

We hear that a certain CHS site visited "Big D" (Dallas) during

the holidays. As she went through the big new Republic National Bank building, she happened to notice that attractive girls were conducting tours through the bank, so she immediately joined a group and did her eyes bug out as she noticed the lovely woods and harmonizing tones of brown and gold used throughout the building. She even saw the door of the vault which weighs 80,000 pounds; yet it is so perfectly balanced that it has finger tip control. She found out that it is really true that the sidewalk in front of the bank is heated. The Neiman Marcus window with the little French girl, Madeline, lying on a bed on New Year's morning, with a large black and white dog which pulls the cover and awakens her, also fascinated this "country girl."

Well, since we're recovered from New Year's Eve (some of us have, anyway), maybe we can buckle down to work and at least try to pass our exams. It seems that a few of us wee tots need the credits if we hope to graduate in June, or is it May? Oh well, what does it matter? If we hope to graduate.

Mr. K. Kringle seems to have done fairly well by the CHSites this season, what with all this new jewelry and new clothes blossoming out on the backs of the favorite ones.

CHRISTMAS TEA CHEERS JUNIOR CLASS

One of the highlights of the holiday season was a Christmas tea for the junior class, their class sponsor, James Welch, and other guests, in the home of Nelda Brooks.

Gifts were exchanged by the group as the traditional Christmas carols were being played.

The guests were then directed to the dining room. The tea table was covered with white ruffled taffeta, with a red poinsettia among gold Christmas balls and ribbon. The punch bowl, surrounded by red lights and greenery, was filled with iced drinks, covered with red ice sprinkled with golden glitter, Christmas cookies and candies also filled the table.

After a pleasant hour of visiting, the group of approximately 35 completed the evening by attending the local theater.

CLUB NEWS

Sub-Junior Adelpian Club
 The Sub-Junior Adelpian Club met at the club house on January 4. The leader, Nelda Brooks, presented the program, "Teen Age Problems." Carolyn Monkes held a discussion on "Your ten big problems." Nelda closed the program with "To a has been." Delicious refreshments were served

by the hostess, Ginger Rasberry.

Sub-Junior Columbian
 The Sub-Junior Columbian Club met Jan. 4 in the home of Alta Nell Bartley.

The executive board, Barbara Fairchild, Betty Knox and Marilyn Stone, submitted their report for next year's officers. The report was unanimously accepted by the members. The officers for next year are as follows: president, Betty Knox; vice president, Marilyn Stone; recording secretary, Roxie Ann Adkins; corresponding secretary, Jeanie Johnson; treasurer, Sandra Campbell; parliamentarian, Gayle Taylor; critic, Jo Frances Long.

An interesting program was given by Jo Frances Long and Barbara Fairchild. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, and the meeting was adjourned until January 18.

or roast duck with dressing and gravy rank as a king's dish with C. T.

A reformed hillbilly, C. T. had much rather listen to rhythm and blues than some square tootin' out a tune on a cider jug.

Although not easily embarrassed, he not long ago left the English room looking like a thermometer. Just ask any English IV student about it.

Pat Cates
 By attending Crowell High, Pat Cates is carrying out a family tradition. Her mother, father, and older sister were all loyal CHSites. A brownette with a flawless complexion and beautiful brown eyes, Pat seems too pretty to be the "brain" she is. In addition to finishing high school in three years, no easy feat, Pat has maintained an A average and can truthfully say that no subject has been especially hard for her. Although bookkeeping is her favorite subject, her ability with the sewing machine and stove is a credit to Mrs. Kerner and the homemaking department. Many of the clothes she wears are products of her own talent with needle and thread. Not content to be confined to such feminine things, Pat became an expert with the plow after harvest time.

On her list of likes are swimming, football, movies starring Grace Kelly and Charlton Heston, sport clothes, music by Bill Haley and the Comets, barbecued chicken, and books by Grace Livingston Hill. A member of the Sub-Junior Adelpian and FHA clubs, Pat is noted for her dependability. Any job she does, she does well.

No matter how many things she has to do, Pat is never too busy to say "hi" or to help someone. While Pat has many hobbies, her chief one is her husband, Dwayne "Chumpy" Cates.

Because Pat has combined school activities and homemaking so successfully, we think that not only is she a credit to CHS, but to all American teen-agers.

BASKETBALL BITS

The Crowell High School freshmen with the 8th grade boys acting as reserves made an excellent showing in the Quanah invitational basketball tournament last week end. They defeated Childress 47 to 37, Vernon 43 to 42 in a double overtime game, and lost to Quanah in an overtime game 56 to 55 in the finals. They received a nice trophy for second place, Jimmy Rader's ball handling and the backboard work of Gerald Bradford and David Carpenter stood out for the Wildkittens.

The freshmen girls, led by Judy Vaughn, Patricia Prosser and Gayle Taylor, defeated Lockett freshmen 45 to 14 here last Thursday night. The Crowell grade

by the hostess, Ginger Rasberry.

Seniors of the Week
C. T. McDaniel
 Instead of referring to C. T. McDaniel as the senior boy of the week, I could adequately cover the subject with the word, pest, for he is known throughout the halls of CHS for his mean . . . pardon me . . . mischievousness. However, it is my solemn duty to write something nice?? about this boy.

All kidding aside, C. T. is one of the best liked students of Crowell. With his Herculean good looks (he has twice been elected one of the "beasts" of Crowell High), it's no wonder that he is popular with the girls; nevertheless, the girls aren't too popular with C. T. Perhaps his resolution to become a confirmed hermit has something to do with it.

Because of his love for sports (golf is his hobby, boxing is his favorite spectator sport, and football and hunting rank tops as participating sports), C. T. would like to be a combination teacher and coach, unless he studies engineering.

Physics and algebra, his favorite and most difficult subjects, fit in with this engineering idea.

Like any typical boy, C. T. will eat anything edible, but quail

School boys, led by Fredrick Youree, defeated Lockett 47 to 15. The Crowell grade school girls lost to Lockett 49 to 21.

The Crowell High School basketball team journeyed to Benjamin on Monday night. The Crowell five stomped the Benjamin team, 78-48. Crowell went in the lead on the first and held it all the way. The Crowell girls lost to the Benjamin five.

KNOTHOLE NEWS
 Say, what happened this week? It seemed as if nobody knew, and if they did, they surely didn't tell.

We have a new steady to tell, Bobby Davis and Twila Parr. Say, all you freshmen girls, what do Gail and Zonell have planned for you Friday night? The scandal bug knows.

O. K., all you boys, you've had your chance and missed. Gail's leaving school this Friday.

Latrell's eyes are bright; Ronny has a car.

Say, Rickard, those freshmen want a class meeting.

There were a lot of kids in Vernon Saturday night: Maxine - Dan, Sandra - Jackie, Betty Jane - Ray, Bobby - Twila, Ray - Dianne, Sandra - Lowell. Lot of stags over there too.

Say, "Twicher," we hear that you have been receiving love letters from two of your sweethearts. Why don't you write them back?

Well, well, another football jacket lost. Larry has lost his. Wonder who found it?

Hey, Barbara, why don't you get in earlier on Friday nights. Staying at home on Saturdays doesn't agree with you.

J. T. and Perky have been seeing a lot of each other lately.

We all heard that Ray and C. T. had the writer's cramps.

It seems as though Lowell Page and Mike Wishon also have the writer's cramps.

Betty - Ray, Jackie - Sandra had fun at Maxine and Dan's Sunday night.

What would Dwain do without Geraldine to help him with his lessons.

Thaxton, how did you make out with Mary Ann?

C. T., who were you with Sunday night?

Jana, did you get tired Sunday night?

Spider Bell, do you have any idea what kind of car the game warden has?

Wonder who asked Jo Ann for a date Saturday night?

Doris and Jon spent a peaceful Saturday evening watching TV.

Carolyn must be sick. She hasn't done anything to make Jack mad lately.

Gayle Taylor seems to have an interest in the Wishon's part of town.

Jo Ann has a liking for young preachers, or is it new red-white Fords?

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"Not yet, Mrs. Davis," Ray replied. "I can't decide on the full back."

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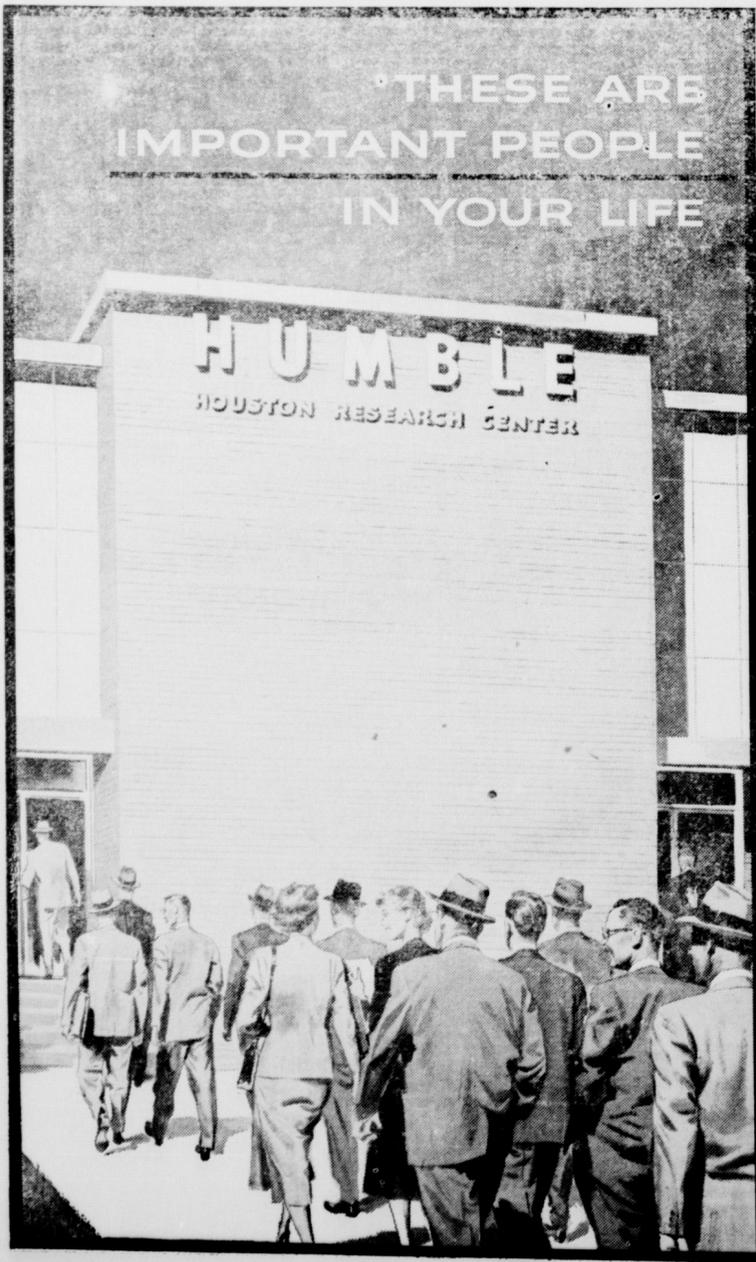
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MRS. W. O. FISH

Miss Dorothea Fish returned to Canyon Monday to resume her work at West Texas State College after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Berny Fish, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fish, Bill Fish and Mrs. W. O. Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Burks and daughters of Ogden Tuesday night. Delbert was dismissed from the Paducah hospital Tuesday after receiving treatment for a broken heel when he fell from a scaffold while building a bridge Saturday morning.

Miss Bernita Fish returned to Paducah Tuesday to resume her duties as a teacher in the Alamo school after spending the holidays with her father, Egbert Fish, and Herbert.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling and son, Danny, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. M. C. Gaudin, of Vernon.

Danny Walling was out of school last week with the chicken pox.

Mrs. Henry Fish is taking the school census at Black and also in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish, Egbert and Herbert Fish were Quannah visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Dee Gilbert and Della Ree Gilbert visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gaudin and daughters of Goodlett one day last week.

Darlene Fish of Paducah spent several days last week with her grandfather, A. T. Fish, and daughters.

Miss Bernita Fish, Mrs. Henry Fish, Egbert and Herbert Fish and Mrs. Bert Mathews visited Mrs. Bob Miller of Riverside in the Vernon hospital Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish and children, Robert, Gordon and Martha, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Allison Denton, and family of Foard City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marr spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Junior Chowning, and family of Truscott.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll of Crowell visited their daughter, Mrs. Warren Haynie, and family Sunday.

Miss Bernita Fish, Mrs. Henry Fish, Mrs. Bert Mathews and Egbert and Herbert Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee and Mrs. W. R. Henderson and daughters of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Carr and family of Lockett Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Fish Jr. of Paducah visited his father, A. T. Fish, and daughters Friday.

Joylyn Haynie is out of school

Home Demonstration Notes

MRS. MARY D. BROWN

Last week we held the training meetings for club officers. And next week we will hold training meetings for all club and council committee chairmen. Let me urge you again to make every effort to attend these meetings.

At the committee meetings next

this week with the chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henderson and daughters, Suzanne and June, of Vernon were dinner guests of her brother, John Fish, and wife Sunday.

Mrs. James Sandlin, Mrs. Otis Gafford, Mrs. Jack Thomas and Mrs. Henry Fish practiced volleyball and basketball for the March of Dimes games recently.

Mrs. R. S. Carroll returned home Friday from Des Moines, Iowa, where she had visited her son, R. S. Carroll Jr., and family the past few weeks.

Chun Gafford has returned to Norman to resume his work at the University of Oklahoma after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gafford, and son.

Mrs. Hartley Easley accompanied her mother, Mrs. A. P. Barry, and her sister, Mrs. Annie Bell, who had spent the holidays in her home, to their home in Charlie Tuesday. Mrs. Easley returned home Thursday.

Miss Elmira O'Dell of Quannah spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. Leslie McAdams, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Nichols and daughter, Vonda Gay, of Paducah Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gafford went to Vernon Thursday to be with his sister, Mrs. George Davis, of Crowell, who underwent surgery.

Miss Dorothea Fish, who is attending West Texas State College at Canyon, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Berny Fish, and family.

Mrs. J. A. Marr and Mrs. Warren Haynie and children visited their mother, Mrs. C. W. Carroll, of Crowell Tuesday.

R. S. Carroll, who is employed at Quannah, spent Sunday morning at home.

Mrs. Leslie McAdams was a Quannah visitor Saturday afternoon.

The Vivian H. D. Club will meet with Mrs. W. O. Fish Thursday afternoon, Jan. 12.

Mrs. Henry Fish, Miss Bernita Fish, Egbert and Herbert Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mathews of Crowell Saturday night.

week we will make recommendations for the clubs to follow throughout the year. If you are not present then, your club will not be represented when these recommendations are made. If you are a committee chairman, then soon you will be receiving a letter about your meeting, so plan now to come.

Our recipes this week are Fruit Cocktail Bread Pudding and Fruity Lemon Sauce.

Fruit Cocktail Bread Pudding
1/3 cup soft butter or margarine, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 and 1/2 qts. soft 1/2-inch bread cubes, 3 cups or 1 No. 2 and 1/2 can well-drained fruit cocktail, 2 tablespoons sliced maraschino cherries.

Cream butter and sugar together. Add soft bread cubes, fruit cocktail and cherries. Toss together with forks in order to mix ingredients. Bake in an ungreased (9-inch) square pan in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 45 minutes. Cut into 8 servings and serve with fruity lemon sauce.

Fruity Lemon Sauce
1 and 1/4 cups fruit cocktail syrup, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 and 1/2 tablespoons cornstarch, 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, 2 tablespoons lemon juice.

Combine fruit syrup, sugar, salt, cornstarch and butter. Stir until well blended. Bring to a boil and thicken over direct heat, stirring constantly. Add lemon juice. Serve hot with fruit bread puddings.

Yield: 1 and 3/4 cups fruit lemon sauce.

A cygnet is a young swan.
The Isle of Man is in the Irish Sea.

Clothes Dryer vs. Fresh Air . . .

Not often can a machine outdo nature, but when the machine is a clothes dryer, it does, according to Harriet Brigham, Extension home management specialist.

Many women think fresh air is more sanitary. Actually, this is true only in the great open spaces and not always there. In most communities the air is laden with tiny soot and dirt particles, which cling to the washing. A light breeze, which is nature's best dryer, may blow dirt onto the clothes.

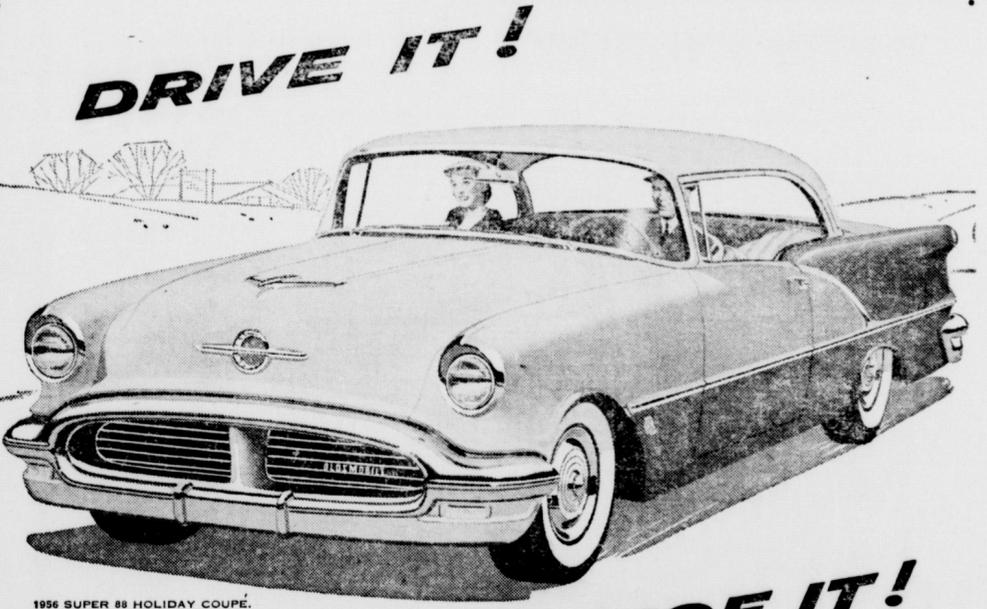
The heat of a dryer has some sterilizing properties. The tumbling action makes towels fluffier than the sun and wind. Unwisely clothes pin marks on garments are eliminated. There is no problem of having to rush half dried clothes into the house because of a sudden shower or dust storm.

Research people say it is better to hang your clothes in the basement, if you do not have a dryer. Clothes are apt to fade out in the open, even if hung in a shaded area. If you own a dryer and have deprived yourself of its labor-saving feature just to take advantage of a sunny day and the gentle wind, take this tip: Automatic clothes dryers work faster, cleaner, safer and are easier on the back.

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Medical Magnet

The United States has become a "medical magnet" for physicians in Europe, Asia, Africa, and Latin America. This is the gist of a survey made by the Institute of International Education and the American Medical Association.

Political Announcements

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1: W. R. (BILL) MOORE.

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS

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Puerto Rico, and the Canal Zone. More than 2,000 were in this country on their own resources, while the rest were sponsored by at least 67 different agencies.

In addition, many other foreign physicians visited this country as observers, professors, or guest participants in research. They represented 21.5 per cent of all foreign educators coming to this country during the year.

This should be cause for some serious thinking among those who find little that is good in American medicine, who are always criticizing it on one ground or other, and who want the government to move in on either a socialized-medicine basis, or on some other basis that would pave the way for socialization.

In other words, free medicine, American style, is the magnet!

Speeding Is Leading Cause of Arrests in Wichita Falls District

Patrolmen of the Wichita Falls District of the Texas Highway Patrol contacted a total of 2,126 traffic law violators during the month of December, 1955. Capt. K. B. Hallmark, Jr., commanding officer, reported that 826 of these were arrested while 1,300 were warned for violation of the state's traffic laws.

Speeding was the leading cause of arrest, with improper passing second, and no operator's license ranking third.

Counties included in the Wichita Falls district are: Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cottle, Foard, Harde-man, King, Knox, Montague, Wichita, Wilbarger and Young.

In the News... 30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, Jan. 15, 1926:

The little snow last week has helped the wheat considerably and indications are good for more moisture within a short time.

Henry Mims, 109, former Texas ranger and cattleman, died Christmas Day in Phoenix, Ariz. Native of Alabama and a resident of Texas for many years, he was one of the few persons scalped by an Indian to recover. This happened to him 60 years before his death.

Rainfall for 1925 as recorded by the government gauge amounted to 24.30 inches.

Mrs. W. L. Huntley of Tulia died last Friday. She was a former Crowell resident and was buried here. She is survived by her husband and two daughters; her father, J. C. Harrison; two brothers, W. H. of Crowell and J. B. of Paducah; one sister, Mrs. H. E. Ferguson, of Crowell.

T. V. Rascoe was elected fire chief at the regular meeting of the Crowell Fire Company Tuesday night. D. R. Magee was elected first assistant chief, and Glenn Shults, second assistant chief.

Mrs. Joe Couch was hostess to the Adolphian Club Wednesday, Jan. 6. New officers were elected as follows: Mrs. J. A. Stovall, pres.; Mrs. Henry Ferguson, vice pres.; Mrs. A. Y. Beverly, recording secretary; Miss Emily Purcell, corresponding secretary; Mrs. L. A. Andrews, parliamentarian; Mrs. G. D. Self, critic; Mrs. John Rator, ass. critic; Miss Lottie Woods, reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coats of Chillicothe are here this week visiting their daughter, Mrs. F. W. Mabe, and family.

Judge G. L. Burk has been confined to his bed for about three weeks and his condition does not improve.

Mrs. T. V. Rascoe and Mrs. O. R. Boman were called to Quinlan this week on account of the serious illness and death of their father.

Mrs. D. L. Reavis returned to Tulia with W. L. Huntley and family and will remain there about a month.

E. T. Evans was here Monday from Swearingen attending to business.

Direct Enlistments for 2nd Infantry Division Now Being Accepted

The United States Army has announced the opening of direct enlistments for the Second Infantry Division, which has been assigned duty in Alaska starting in July 1956.

The Second Infantry Division, currently stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington, is becoming a part of the Army's "Operation Gyroscope," which assigns a home and an overseas base to specified divisions with routine rotation between those bases.

Only men without prior military service are being enlisted for the present vacancies in the Second Infantry Division.

Enlistment must be for the Regular Army and for a period of at least three years. This gives the individual time to receive the full benefits of training, and stabilized assignment both in the United States and on "overseas duty."

Men volunteering for the Second Division must enter the service by January 21. Accepted individuals will receive eight weeks of training activities before joining the unit at Fort Lewis.

Further details on enlistment with the Second Division may be obtained at the recruiting station in Childress.

President Taylor was known as "Old rough and ready."

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Controlling External Parasites of Livestock Called Good Business

External parasites of livestock and poultry are not only a constant menace but also are profit robbers. They lower production of meat, milk and eggs by sucking blood from the animals, transmit diseases and cause loss of energy by annoyance, says Extension Entomologist F. M. Fuller.

The major external parasites can be controlled by using organic insecticides and Fuller believes there is little excuse for allowing them to exist. He points out that losses caused by these pests can be the difference between financial success or failure for many farm enterprises.

As an aid to stockmen, dairymen and poultry producers, the extension entomologists have prepared a leaflet, "Guide for Controlling External Parasites of Livestock and Poultry" which gives in brief form methods and formulas for doing the control job.

Texas Land Prices Continue to Rise

A report by the U. S. Department of Agriculture on current developments in the farm real estate market as of July shows a continued upward trend in market prices of farm land in Texas this year.

Farm land values in Texas rose 6 per cent between March and July 1955, bringing them 8 per cent above their general level as of July 1954.

Nationally, a continued moderate advance in dollar value of U. S. farm land during the first half of 1955 brought farm real estate values back to their previous peak reached in late 1952, following the Korean outbreak.

Compared with a year earlier, farm land values in 36 states showed gains of 2 per cent or more this July and the national average increase was 5 per cent. Largest increases occurred in the central Corn Belt, where gains ranged from 5 to 8 per cent. But

similar increases occurred in Texas, Louisiana, and Florida. Only three states—Maine, Vermont and Wyoming—reported values significantly below a year earlier.

The strength in land values, according to the Department of Agriculture, appears to be based in part on strong demand for additional land to enlarge existing farms and permit more efficient use of farm machinery. More available credit is also given as a factor, plus favorable crop prospects at mid-1955, and a generally favorable outlook in the national economy.

More than two-thirds of the farms and farm tracts sold in 1954 and the first half of 1955 were bought by farmers, and farmers who already owned some land were the principal class of farmer-buyers.

ROTARY CLUB

Program for the Rotary Club Wednesday at noon, in charge of Clinton McLain, was a talk by John Wright of Thalia in connection with the "March of Dimes" campaign now in progress in the county.

Visitors at the meeting were two new student guests, Bud Hammonds and Frank Jefferson, Rotarians Tom Woods, W. E. Hancock and Herbert Smith, of Quinlan, Mr. Wright of Thalia and Henry Johnson of Crowell.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to those who remembered me in any way while I was in the hospital. For the flowers, visits, cards, letters, for the ministrations of the doctors and hospital staff, I say "Thanks."

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lanier of Amarillo visited this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lanier Sr.

JUST LIKE HOME

Each berthing area aboard the Navy's gigantic aircraft carrier USS Forrestal will have its own showers and recreation rooms with easy chairs and writing tables, all done in soft color schemes.



LIONS JOIN MARCH OF DIMES—Texas Lions Clubs will take the lead in the 1956 March of Dimes (Jan. 3-31) through participation in Blue Crutch Day. Club members in communities across the state will utilize small plastic lapel pins in the form of crutches to enlist financial support for the fight against polio.

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Bert Ekern returned Saturday from his ranch interests in Montana.

The Red Cross Blood Program serves about 3,500 hospitals throughout the country, providing the total blood supply for over 2,000 hospitals and supplementing blood supplies of the other 1,500.

Last year the Red Cross spent 40 per cent of its budget for counseling, financial assistance, communications, and services in hospitals for American troops around the world, and for veterans.

LOW PRICES FOR PORK

Lower prices for pork, feared by many beef producers, aren't likely to have too much effect

on the amount of beef which housewives will buy, the expert report.

On a national scale there will be plenty of feed stocks available. Feeders with lower grades of cattle may find it profitable to put more weight on them, bringing them into the 1,200-pound class.

RECIPE CONTEST

The Texas Beef Council's second annual "Texas Experts" recipe contest is in full swing again, and economical beef dishes from every section of the state are vying for the top honor passed off by cattlemen in the top cattle producing state of the nation.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Crowell State Bank

of Crowell, Texas

at the close of business Dec. 31, 1955, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Table listing assets: Cash, balances with other banks, reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection (\$940,731.84); United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed (\$1,021,900.50); Obligations of States and political subdivisions (94,056.33); Other bonds, notes, and debentures (100,000.00); Corporate Stocks (including \$4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) (4,500.00); Loans and Discounts (including \$3,452.93 overdrafts) (880,814.65); Bank premise owned \$3,100.00, furniture and fixtures \$5,000.00 (8,100.00); Other assets (None); TOTAL ASSETS (\$3,050,103.32).

LIABILITIES

Table listing liabilities: Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (\$2,649,436.18); Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) (65,852.97); Deposits of States and political subdivisions (146,495.38); Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.) (None); TOTAL DEPOSITS (\$2,861,784.53); TOTAL LIABILITIES (\$2,861,784.53).

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Table listing capital accounts: Capital * (\$75,000.00); Surplus (75,000.00); Undivided profits (38,318.79); Total Capital Accounts (188,318.79); Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts (\$3,050,103.32).

* This bank's capital consists of: First preferred stock with total par value of \$ none, Second preferred stock with total par value of \$ none, Capital notes and debentures \$ none, Common stock with total par value of \$75,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes (272,000.00); (a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of (None); (b) Securities as shown above are after deduction of reserves of (None).

I, LEE BLACK, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. LEE BLACK.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

EDNA M. HILL, J. M. HILL JR., MERL KINCAID, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Foard, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of January, 1956.

J. T. HUGHSTON, Notary Public.

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Advertisement for Texas City Explosion with statistics: 'NEW LONDON EXPLOSION KILLED 294 CHILDREN 1937', 'TEXAS CITY EXPLOSION KILLED 512 1947', 'ANNUAL TEXAS HIGHWAY ACCIDENT TOLL 2,000'.

Jan. 13 Set for Formal Opening of Soil-Test Lab at Seymour

Ceremonies marking the formal opening of the new Baylor County Soil Testing Laboratory, located in the city hall at Seymour, are scheduled for 9 a. m. Jan. 13.

According to M. K. Thornton, extension agricultural chemist, the new facility is equipped to make the same soil tests as the State Laboratory at College Station.

Local finances made the laboratory possible. It is located at Seymour to better serve farmers and ranchmen in the area which covers some 15 to 20 counties.



JET CRASHES IN LEVITTOWN — A Sabre jet burns in the street of densely populated Levittown, N. Y., after exploding in mid-air and crashing into a parked car. The pilot, Capt.

T. B. Buechler parachuted to safety. The flaming plane narrowly missed several homes as it plowed into a street. No one was injured.

State Soil Conservation District Supervisors to Meet in Lubbock

Conservation strategy for 1956, speedup of upstream flood prevention work, and water legislation for Texas, will be the big topics of discussion when farmers and ranchers from all over the state meet in Lubbock Jan. 18, 19 and 20 for the 15th annual convention of the Association of Texas Soil Conservation District Supervisors.

Dr. C. H. Wadleigh, chief of USDA's Soil and Water Conservation Research Branch, the main speaker, is expected to discuss research for better control of wind erosion and better use of water in crop production.

will tell about the first completed upstream flood prevention project in the United States—the system of small dams and land treatment measures on Sandstone Creek.

Mrs. Eunice Johnson Halbert of Foard City, a cooperater of the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District, and first woman to win the state SCD speaking contest, will deliver her prize-winning oration. A full program of ladies' activities is scheduled.

Billed as a "working convention," there will be plenty of time for committee work and floor discussion of the many soil and water problems facing Texans.

Both the show and convention will be held in Lubbock's Fair Park Coliseum. Admission is free. Supervisors of the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District planning to attend the Lubbock

PERSONALS

Mrs. Earl Moody of Nocona spent last week end here visiting Mrs. Viola Biggerstaff.

A baby son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bell on Wednesday, January 4, in a Vernon hospital.

Plenty of money to loan on farms and ranches. Liberal pre-shipment privileges. No charge for inspection. See us.—Roberts-Beverly Abst. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Powell and son, John, of Eastland spent the week end here visiting his mother, Mrs. J. L. Rennels.

Dalton Biggerstaff of Lubbock was here Monday night and Tuesday visiting his mother, Mrs. Viola Biggerstaff.

The News will handle subscriptions promptly for the Wichita Falls Record-News or Daily Times on the fall bargain rate of \$10.75 a year for either paper, or \$18.00 for both papers. Phone 43.

Mrs. Jack Bills of Abilene spent the week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weston, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henry and children, Bill and Carol, of Pampa spent Christmas here visiting Mrs. Henry's mother, Mrs. Beulah Holmbe, and sister, Mrs. R. G. Gribble, and husband.

When you receive notice that the subscription to your daily newspaper is about to expire, phone 43, the Foard County News, and we will renew it promptly. We solicit and will appreciate his business.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cates spent Saturday night with his son, W. A. Cates Jr., and wife, in Amarillo. They also visited Sunday with other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodson and Miss Amelia Werley, in Amarillo.

Mrs. S. J. Lewis and son, S. J. of Lockney, former Foard County residents, were here Saturday attending to business and visiting relatives and friends. They visited Mrs. Lewis' sister-in-law, Mrs. G. J. Benham.

Fall bargain rates on the Wichita Falls Record-News and Daily Times are now in effect. Either paper one year, including Sunday, is \$10.75. The News will be glad to handle your subscription, new or old. Phone 43 or drop us a card. 8-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dixon and daughters, Linda Starr and Sallie, spent the Christmas holidays visiting in Oklahoma City, Sulphur and Tulsa, Okla. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Dixon's mother, Mrs. A. B. Tallant of Sulphur.

Fall bargain rates on the Fort Worth Star-Telegram will be \$3.95 for one year, daily and Sunday; \$12.60 for daily without Sunday. See the News office for renewals and new subscriptions.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cobb visited their daughter, Mrs. Bob Whitaker, and family in Quanah Tuesday.

Alonzo Curtis of Oklahoma City spent the week end here visiting in the home of his sister, Miss Margaret Curtis.

Let the Foard County News renew your daily newspapers—that's part of our business. We will also be glad to send in new subscriptions for any of the dailies.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickerson of Abilene visited over the week end with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Thomson of Paducah have been here on account of the illness of Mrs. Thomson's mother, Mrs. C. C. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Daniels and daughter, Miss Nettie Lou Daniels, of Vernon visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. C. C. Fox, last week.

Otilio Castro, resident of Crowell for many years, left Wednesday for his old home in Moroleon Zto, Mexico, for a visit with his three brothers and five sisters, whom he has not seen in 34 years. He expected to be gone for about eight days.

Miss Jolene Wallace, technician student at Baylor Hospital in Dallas, spent Christmas here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Wallace. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Edna Ruth Wallace, who will visit her.

Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Fox and daughter, Laurie, of Abilene spent the week end here in the homes of their mothers, Mrs. C. C. Fox and Mrs. C. W. Thompson. Mrs. Fox is seriously ill at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Henry Earl Thomson.

George Scott of Vernon was here Tuesday afternoon. He has been operating a milk route for the past five months out of Vernon for Borden's, delivering milk to Quanah and Chillicothe. Monday he will begin work on a bread route in Lamesa for the Wholesale Bread Co. of Lubbock. Mrs. Scott and small daughter, Debra Kay, will join him soon to make their home in Lamesa.

MARRIAGE BOOM AHEAD Only 1.5 million marriages occurred in 1955, as compared with 2.3 million in postwar 1946. But by 1960, there will be a new wave of marriages resulting from the boom in births in the 40's. About 2 million a year.—The Kiplinger Letter.

30 KNOTS The speed of the Navy's modern aircraft carrier USS Forrestal betters 30 knots. The huge warship will commence activities with naval forces afloat in early 1956.

The local chapter of the American Red Cross is one of over 3,700 chapters throughout the United States serving people in time of need.

CARD OF THANKS

We are truly grateful to the good friends who did so much for us during the illness of our loved one, J. L. Bradford. May we take this means of saying thank you for the many comforting expressions of your friendship and affection. We appreciate deeply the professional services rendered by the doctors and hospital staff during Mr. Bradford's long illness. May God bless you.

Mrs. J. L. Bradford and Family. 26-1tp

Volley Ball Game and Boxing Bouts Tonight at High School Gym

The Thalia mothers and the Crowell mothers will be opponents in a volley ball game to be played in the high school gym tonight. Thursday, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Proceeds will go to the March of Dimes campaign now in progress.

Other events scheduled for the evening's entertainments are boxing bouts between Crowell High School boys and there will also be matches between boys of the Crowell Colored School.

Everyone in the county is urged to attend to help raise funds for this very worthy cause.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincerest thanks for the numerous ways our friends helped us during the time our mother, Mrs. A. J. Dockins, was so seriously ill in the hospital. We are also grateful to the doctors and nurses and those who offered to give blood.

May God bless each of you. The Dockins Family. 26-1tc

"Black Maria" is the name given to a police patrol wagon.

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convention are H. L. Ayers of Margaret, O. T. Holmes of Medicine Mound, G. Y. Gillespie of Goodlett, W. C. Howard of Quanah, and Grady Halbert of Foard City. Others who will attend include Charlie Boynton, local game supervisor, and Bomer B. Harris, work unit conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service.

FARM PROGRAMS

Farm programs hold the attention of much of America. Both political parties are interested in this election year and a big pitch will be made for the farm vote.

It appears almost certain that some sort of "soil fertility bank" program will be launched by the Department of Agriculture this year.

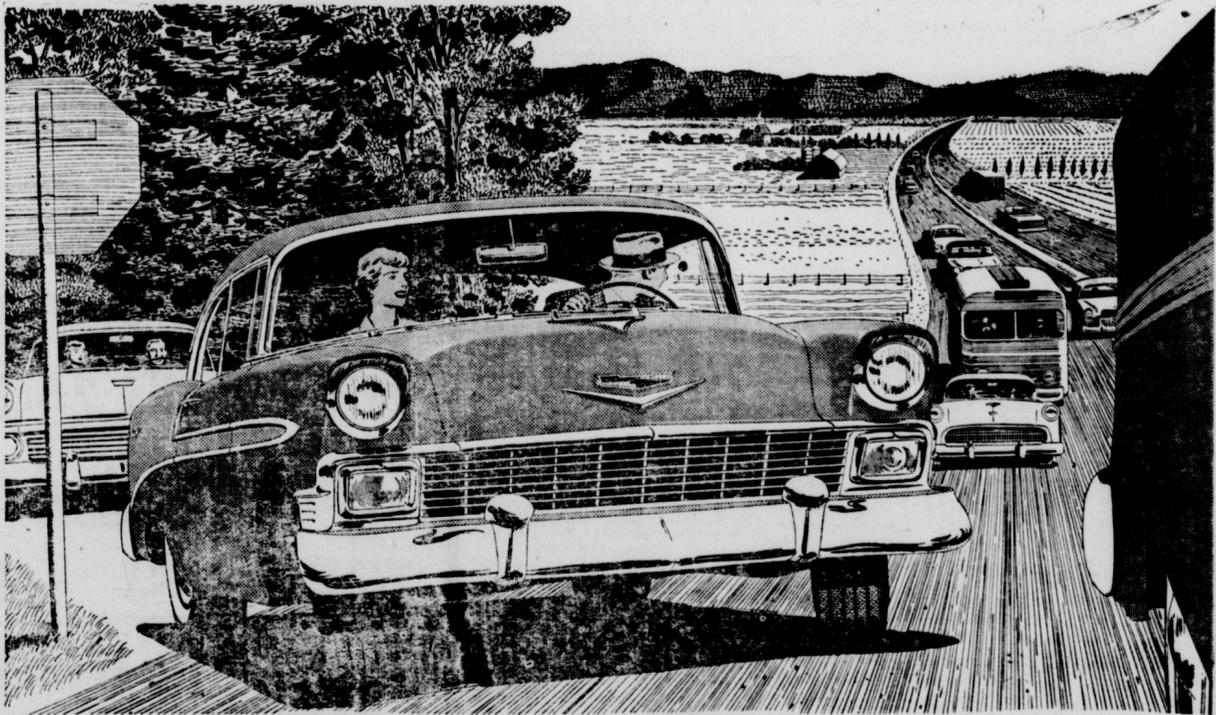
And the fears of Texas cattlemen that had put into this program will be grazed seem to be justified.

The version which now holds favor of high U. S. Department of Agriculture officials would allow grazing.

Texas cattlemen believe that this land should be removed from the production of livestock as well as from the production of crops.

The "soil bank" is going to be with us in some form this year and cattlemen who oppose the grazing provision are expected to put up a strong fight to get them removed from the plan.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Burson of Gadsden, Ala., spent Wednesday night of last week with his cousin, Mrs. E. J. McKinley, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Phillips of Littlefield were greeting friends in Thalia last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wisdom visited their son, Lew Wisdom, and family in Childress Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunn and family visited Arlie Dunn and family in Pampa Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ruth Hammonds of Vernon.

C. C. Wisdom was a Quannah visitor one day last week.

Mrs. Roland Taylor and mother, Mrs. Mary Reed, and Mrs. J. C. Taylor were Quannah visitors last Thursday.

Kenneth Oliver, Rufus Whitman and Don Lamb, students at Midwestern University at Wichita Falls, spent the week end with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Crews Cooper and daughter, Renee, and Mrs. Rob Cooper of Crowell visited last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooper here.

Mrs. Zola Greening of Crowell and her mother, Mrs. Mollie Williams of Crowell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gamble Sunday.

Mrs. Grover Nichols of Crowell recently visited her sister, Mrs. H. W. Banister.

Charlie Hathaway recently attended the funeral of his uncle, his father's brother, in Troy, N.

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M. R. E. and Woodroe Johnson of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Frost of Vernon were out of town guests at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Hudgens have moved to the Jesse Moore home here from Vernon.

Homer McBeath and Lee Mason visited Pete Gamble in a Wichita Falls hospital Wednesday of last week. Mr. Gamble was brought to his home here last Thursday.

Mrs. Alene Williams of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gamble here Saturday.

Ray Short of Borger spent from Thursday to Tuesday with his father, G. C. Short, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Deloyan May of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmie Tarver, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hogan visited her brother, Roe Bird, and family at Hale Center last Saturday. Roe returned home with them Sunday. He is a teacher in the Hale Center school and has been ill and unable to teach since November.

Bob Adkins and Charlie Blevins attended church in Altus, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swan in Riverside community Sunday.

The Dalton Thompsons of Crowell visited Mrs. May Self and Roy Sunday.

Charlie Hathaway is visiting at Gainesville this week.

Mrs. Will Johnson was taken from the Crowell hospital to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Douglas Tucker, last Saturday.

Mrs. E. J. McKinley and her sister, Mrs. Bertha Grimsley, and daughter, Mrs. Tommy Patterson, all went to Temple Sunday to be with their brother and uncle, Otis Burson, who submitted to surgery in the hospital there Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz and daughter and Edward Shultz and son and Miss Joye Weeks of Ver-



DIONNE QUINTS SETTLE FAMILY DRIFT — The most famous sisters in the world, the surviving Dionne quintuplets, have been on the outs with their family. Oliva Dionne, father of the girls, shown here with Annette, Marie, Cecile and Yvonne (l-r) has explained that the "misunderstandings" have been

corrected and a belated exchange of Christmas gifts as well as a visit by three of the girls to their family home in Callander, Ont., has settled everything. Mr. Dionne blamed the situation on what he calls "intruders," but he refuses to identify them.



by VERN SANFORD Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex.—It seems that all areas of state government—executive, legislative, administrative and judiciary — are affected by the insurance debacle. There are Federal overtones too—and of course political.

Developments were numerous as the state moved to close five more insurance or related firms and slipped another under state conservatorship. All this in the wake

non visited Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Farris and children of Lawton, Okla., spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. W. B. Fitzgerald, and family and their small son, Dickie, remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lindsey of Wilson, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long one day last week.

Woodroe and R. E. Johnson of Amarillo spent the week end with their mother in the Douglas Tucker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Hall of Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Naylor of Etter spent the week end with their son and brother, Duane Naylor, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Adkins spent Sunday with her nephew, H. L. Waggoner, and family in Vernon.

J. M. Jackson, Duane Naylor and Cap Morris have returned home from a fishing trip to Padre Island. Mrs. Jackson spent the time with her son at Lubbock and Mrs. Naylor and children stayed with her mother, Mrs. Cap Morris, at Clarendon.

Candy Cooper of Memphis spent part of last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooper, here. Her parents, the Bob Coopers of Memphis, spent the week end here and Candy returned home with them.

Mrs. Richard Kuhlman of Washington, D. C., visited her sister, Mrs. Percy Taylor, and family last week. They all visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cole at Waggoner Ranch Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Grimm were Wichita Falls visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Whitaker and daughter, Sarah, of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wisdom, last week.

Mrs. Raymond Oliver of Hale Center is here this week with her mother, Mrs. E. H. Roberts, who was brought home from the Crowell hospital last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Abston of Crowell and daughter, Mrs. Bobbie Ruth Bills of Abilene, visited Mrs. O. M. Grimm Sunday and they all visited Mr. Grimm in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver were Wichita Falls visitors last Friday.

Roy Long of Crowell visited in Thalia last Thursday.

Mrs. Jay Phillips of Anton has returned home after visiting her mother, Mrs. J. K. Langley, and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Gray and children spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Bullman, at Northside.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Gamble visited Mrs. Frank Wood and children in Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Duane Capps and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Street, at Five-in-One.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glover of Crowell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Short, Sunday.

E. J. McKinley visited his sister, Mrs. Lena McCauley, and family at Idalou Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eley and Edward Shultz and son and Miss Joye Weeks of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shultz and Mrs. E. H. Roberts Sunday.

V. E. McCurley was brought home from the Vernon hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Whitman visited this week with his brother, Hines Whitman, and family in Lovington, N. M.

ty Commissioner J. Byron Saunders was selected. He succeeds Garland A. Smith, chairman for the past two years. Smith nominated Saunders for the post.

One of the first moves of the new commission was to suspend the license of the U. S. Life Insurance Co. of Waco. It is one of the companies under the direction of A. B. Shomake, who is president of the U. S. Trust and Guaranty Co. as well as U. S. Automotive Service. Both of these firms now are in receivership.

Another Shomake concern, Southern Medical and Hospital Services, was placed in conservatorship. This means that a state conservator — virtually the same as a state liquidator—will operate the company until the insurance board determines further action . . . possibly the selection of new management.

Licenses also were revoked for Dallas Fire and Casualty Co. and American Atlas Life Insurance Co. of Dallas. American Atlas appealed to the district court. This suspends the order against them pending a court hearing on the appeal.

While the Insurance Commission was taking action, Secretary of State Tom Reavley seized the books and records of the Mercantile Investment Corporation, a holding firm, and Merchants National Security Corporation, its subsidiary, for investigation of their sales of securities. Both firms are in Dallas.

In Austin, District Judge J. Harris Gardner instructed a grand jury to make a full investigation of insurance affairs.

Several legislators had urged either grand jury action or a special session of the Legislature to consider insurance matters.

The Senate general investigating committee is resuming its investigation of the U. S. Trust and other insurance matters. House general investigating committee members will hold a three-day session beginning January 19.

Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd wrote district and county attorneys in the 13 counties in which U. S.

GOOD NEWS FOR BEEF PRODUCERS

There is good news for Southern beef producers. Ten experiment stations over the South recently finished a study that shows that there will be a demand for 156 pounds of meat

Trust and Guaranty Co. operated, reminding them that a grand jury inquiry into possible criminal violations need not wait for completion of the state audits.

Federal agencies disclosed that they have begun investigations of the interstate operations of U. S. Trust and Guaranty Co.

And in Washington, U. S. Senator Price Daniel called on Federal agencies to determine if use of "U. S." in the trust company's name violated any Federal law or regulation.

Four Insurance Department examiners have been promised a quick hearing on charges they conspired to defraud the public. Suspended without pay by the Board are Larry W. Blanchard, Robert R. Butler, William J. Noad and Lee L. Pfeffekron.

They were charged in an Austin district court with knowingly making a false examination report in 1952, showing the new defunct General American Casualty Company to be solvent.

Other defendants named in the suit by the state's insurance liquidator were the officers and directors of General American and the banks and surety companies involved in its operation.

Insurance Commission agents are being sent to all Texas military installations to check reports of insurance being sold at higher than state-prescribed rates.

Some servicemen, the commission was told, were paying as much as three times the state rate for automobile insurance.

With candidates for top political offices already talking it up, more stringent regulation of insurance companies will play an important part in the campaign platforms of 1956 in Texas.

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Concho Cut—303 Can GREEN BEANS 2 for 25¢

CONCHO—303 Can TOMATOES 303 can 15¢

GIANT TIDE ONLY 69¢

IMPERIAL SUGAR 10 lbs. 95¢

MRS. TUCKER'S 3 lb. can 69¢

WHITE SWAN COFFEE 1 lb. can 89¢; 2 lb. can \$1 69

PUFFIN BISCUITS 3 for 33¢

GRAYSON OLEO 2 lbs. for 39¢

ZESTEE—20 Oz. Glass GRAPE JELLY 33¢

Fancy Delicious APPLES lb. 17¢

ORANGES 5 lb. bag 33¢

CARTON TOMATOES each 21¢

Maryland Sweet YAMS pound 10¢

Ranch Brand BACON 2 lbs. 69¢

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CAR FOR SALE—1949 model Chevrolet pickup, new motor.—Wolford Thompson. 27-1tp
CAR FOR SALE—Milch cow and calf, Jersey and Durham mixed.—Eugene Naylor, Rt. 1, Thalia, ph. 25-2tp
CAR FOR SALE—Baby bed with mattress. Also wheel chair.—Mrs. Jack Powers, phone 166-R. 26-2tp
CAR FOR SALE—Mrs. J. A. Johnson's home on North First Street. Also 3 bedroom suites. Call 233J for showing. 19-tfc
CAR FOR SALE OR LEASE—Thompson's Service Station, Cafe and hotel, 600 West Commerce.—Wolford Thompson. 27-2tp
CAR FOR SALE—Second hand cars, Ford, Plymouth and Chevrolet.—Gilbert Choate, Choate Salvage Shop, Margaret, Texas. 11-tfc
CAR FOR SALE—Registered Hampshire ram, born in December, 1951. Price \$35.00. Papers furnished.—Mrs. M. S. Henry. 26-2tc
CAR FOR SALE—Four registered Colored Hereford bulls of Domestic Mischief breeding, 10 months of age.—Guy Morgan, Phone 28-J. 26-3tp

Lodge Notices

Crowell Chapter No. 276, RAM
Stated meeting on Thursday after second Monday in each month.
January 12, 7:00 p. m.
JOHN W. WRIGHT, H. P.
W. B. CARTER, Sec.

CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE
Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members urged to attend.
ED MANARD, N. G.
C. A. LANGFORD, Sec.

Crowell Chapter No. 916, OES
Meets second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month.
Jan. 24, 7:00 p. m.
Members please take notice. We welcome all visitors.
ZERNE CATES, W. M.
LOTTIE RUSSELL, Sec.

THALIA LODGE NO. 666
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday night, Jan. 21, 7 p. m.
Members urged to attend. Visitors always welcome.
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FOR RENT—Furnished 3-room house and bath. Call 36-R. 26-1tp

Notice

NOTICE—INCOME TAX SERVICE, experienced, qualified.—W. B. Carter. 25-tfc
WORK WANTED—Fencing, gravel and dirt hauling, painting any kind of repair work.—Bud Inyard. 24-tfc
GARAGE OPEN—I have opened the Everson Garage on West Commerce and will do any kind of motor vehicle repair work. Will appreciate your patronage.—Veron Garrett. 25-2tp
NOTICE—The Egenbacher Implement Co., Knox City, your international Harvester dealer. All kinds new and used farm machinery. See us for a better deal. Day phone 2761; night phone 292. 25-tfc
SEWING MACHINE Clearance sale—All makes and models—Eechi, Pfaff, Elna, Brother, Domestic and Singer. Save up to 200.00. All 1955 stock must be moved! Liberal trade-ins, low bank rates. We specialize in repair of all makes—20 years experience. Write or phone Vernon Sewing Machine Co., 1619 Main St., Vernon, Phone 2-2557.—Henry Morgan, Mgr. 25-4tc

Salesman Wanted

WANTED AT ONCE—Man with car for Rawleigh business in Foard County. Buy on time. See Hicks, Rochester, Tex., or write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXL, 40-301, Memphis, Tenn. 24-3tp

Trespass Notices

TRESPASSING of any kind or cash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. 1-57
TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by me.—W. B. Johnson. 25-tfc
NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by C. S. Wishon, pd. 6-55
NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Fard Halsell. 25-tfc
TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting or fishing on any of my land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Leslie Adams. 25-tfc

LEGAL NOTICE

The State of Texas :
County of Foard :
TO those indebted to, or holding claims against the Estate of Ed Tharp, Deceased:
The undersigned having been duly appointed Independent Executor of the Estate of Ed Tharp, Deceased, late of Foard County, Texas, by the Honorable Leslie Thomas, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1955, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence in Crowell, Foard County, Texas, where she receives her mail, this the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1956.
MILDRED THARP MAGEE,
Independent Executrix of the Estate of Ed Tharp, Deceased. 25-4tc

FARMING PROSPECTS FOR '56 ABOUT LIKE 1955

Texas farmers and ranchers enter 1956 facing the prospect of another year about like 1955. Continued dry weather over the state makes the agricultural picture even more uncertain than usual for this time of year. Beef cattle producers face a situation which looks favorable since all the forecasts of the outlook for agriculture for 1956 indicate that beef consumption will continue high.

HIGH INCOME GROUP INCREASES 90 PER CENT

During the past five years, the \$10,000-and-up income group has grown by 90 per cent. This class, which is economically important, includes the upper middle class, the well-to-do and the so-called rich. But it represents only 7 per cent of the total number of families in the country.—The Kiplinger Letter.

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MARY K. CHOWNING

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Jones and family of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wisdom and children of Abernathy have recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and others here.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins and daughter, Lee Ann, of Vernon spent last Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins, and others here.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll of Crowell spent awhile here Tuesday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Marion Chowning Jr., and family and others here.
Doris Spivey of Abilene spent last Monday here visiting her father, Bill Stoker, and brother, Mike, and sister, Mrs. J. M. Chowning, and husband here.
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Corder and son, James, have recently visited his sister, Mrs. Henry Phillips, and family in Stinnett.
Buster Laquey has returned to Louisiana after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Laquey.
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jennings and children, Linda and Ann, of Hale Center spent last week end here visiting friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haynie and children of Cisco spent last week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Haynie, and others here. Their daughter, Donna, returned home with them after spending several days here visiting her grandparents here.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie spent last Sunday afternoon visiting their son, Warren Haynie, and family in Vivian.
Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Morton were in Breckenridge Sunday and Bro. Morton conducted a funeral.
Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Glidewell of Truscott and their daughter, Mrs. Elmo Glasscock, and family of Dallas have recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ony Brummitt and family in Borger.
Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Ellis and children, Judy and Larry, have recently returned home from a visit with relatives in Colorado.
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith recently visited her sister, Mrs. Seth Woods, and husband near Guthrie.
Mrs. W. W. Clark is in the hospital in Quanah at the time of this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. George Riethmayer of Margaret and daughter, Ann, who attends Midwestern University in Wichita Falls, spent last Sunday afternoon visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Chowning and Mary K.
Mrs. C. M. Gwynn and Mrs. Oscar Solomon were Quanah visitors Wednesday.
Mrs. Roy Daniel was a Vernon visitor one day last week.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins spent awhile Saturday visiting their son, Lee Blevins, and family in Vernon.
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley spent several days this past week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Doc Abbott, and daughter, Linda, in San Angelo.
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins have recently taken Mrs. Blevins' sisters, Mrs. C. Stowers of Hariman, Tenn., and Mrs. Jim Choate of Margaret, to the home of Mrs. Choate, after Mrs. Stowers and Mrs. Choate spent several days here visiting in the home

Riverside

MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward visited their son, Louis Ward, and family of Wichita Falls Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Millard Phillips of Littlefield visited in the L. H. Hammonds home Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McGinnis of Lubbock spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGinnis.
Mr. and Mrs. George Wesley spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. B. F. Brooks, and family of Dallas. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Moore, and family of Iowa Park.
John Matus and daughters, Mary and Loreta, were Wichita Falls visitors Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phillips of Amarillo are visiting her brother, Jack McGinnis, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice visited his sister, Mrs. Virgil Fuller, and his father, Grandpa Bice, of Roosevelt, Okla., Thursday.
Sgt. Gerald Gray of Sheppard Air Force Base in Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gray and of Mr. and Mrs. Blevins.
Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Brown and daughter, Ruth Ann, of Electra spent Thursday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown and Mary Ann, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker spent Thursday night visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Devotie Ford and son in Spur.
Mrs. Ruby Hickman, Mrs. J. R. Brown, Mrs. W. O. Gorder, Mrs. J. G. Adcock and Miss Mary K. Chowning attended the all-day covered dish luncheon of the Knox County H. D. Clubs' council in Benjamin Friday.
Mrs. Jack Hickman, president of the Truscott H. D. Club, has announced that the first meeting of the year will be Thursday, Jan. 12 at the community center and all members are urged to attend.
Mr. and Mrs. Macais of Hobbs, N. M. and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Caram and family of Fort Worth spent last week end visiting Charlie's sister, Mrs. Pete Quintana, and family here.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farris Caddell and son, Walter Jr., of Munday spent last week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Caddell, and Linda here.
Mrs. R. N. Cowden and Mrs. Calvin Boone of Wichita Falls spent several days this past week visiting their mother, Mrs. A. P. Smartt, here.
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Quintana and children, Jimmy and Linda, spent the week end visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Caram, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Caram and family, Dan Caram and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peno and Louis Caram, and family, all of Fort Worth.
Mrs. Ed Nolen, Mrs. Pat Stephens of Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Golden of Fort Sill, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Nolen of Guthrie spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Nolen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Trimble, here.
Mr. and Mrs. Tony Olivera of Del Rio have announced the birth of a daughter, Saturday, Jan. 7. The announcement was received here by her sister, Mrs. Pete Quintana. Mrs. Olivera is the former Margaret Caram, a former resident of this community.

Rayland

MRS. BUCK CLARK

Levi Walker of Mission and Bill Parrish of McAllen visited friends in this community last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Hudgens of Ralls visited their son, Robert, and family over the week end.
Mrs. Jack McGinnis visited her sister and family, Mrs. E. Blevins, of Keller last week. She accompanied Mrs. Maxine Lindsey.
Mrs. Max Reinsch of Galveston is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Ewald Schroeder, and husband and her mother, Mrs. Mary Gfeller.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Light of Pampa visited her brother, Henry Bice, and family Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kajs and son and Eugene Kajs of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Portwood, all of Wichita Falls, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kajs, and family Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice and Floyd visited their daughter, Mrs. John Showers, and family of Elliott Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whitten visited their son, Loyd, and family of Crowell Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Swan Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Matus are attending the bedside of George Petrus in a Vernon hospital.
Mrs. Bob Miller underwent major surgery in a Vernon hospital last Thursday. Mr. Miller and Mrs. Charley Machac are attending her bed side.
Mr. and Mrs. Ward Kuehn visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jones, of Vernon Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Swan visited her sister, Mrs. Will Johnson, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Tucker of Five-in-One Sunday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flowers and her mother, Mrs. Mary McGinnis, of Vernon visited their brother and son, Jack McGinnis, and family Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Veceera and family of Crowell visited her brother, Charley Machac, and family Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cribbs spent the week end with her brother, J. F. Belew Jr., and wife in Vernon.
Joan Lindsey of Vernon spent the week end in the home of her uncle and aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGinnis.
James McAdams of Vernon spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Kuehn.
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Landsfeld and family of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kajs Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips and family and Mrs. Otto Schroeder and Emma visited Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Schroeder Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Skelton of Vernon are visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. N. Swan, and Mr. Swan.
Mrs. Josie Phillips has returned to her home at Anton after spending last week with her mother.

NATIONAL OUTPUT

During the third quarter of this year, this nation produced goods and services at a record annual rate of \$392,000,000, according to preliminary estimates of the President's Council of Economic Advisors. This figure was \$7,200,000,000 higher than in the second quarter, a rise only slightly less than in the previous three quarter-to-quarter changes.

HER'S MISSING, TOO

Montgomery, Ala.—After helping frantic parents find their straying youngsters all day at the South Alabama fair, Mrs. Dick Gassenheimer, in charge of the "lost children" department of the fair, was ready to leave the fair for her home. She had to help find one more missing child—her own 7-year-old son, Paul.

Voltaire's real name was Francois Marie Arouet.

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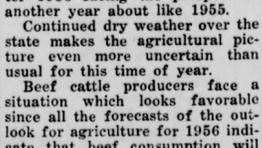
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Former Crowell Girl Wed in San Saba

Miss Carolyn Willis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Willis, former Crowell residents, became the bride of Alan Stafford at 2 p. m. Christmas Day in an informal single ring ceremony held by Dr. R. C. Tomlinson in the First Baptist Church of San Saba.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stafford.

The bride chose for her wedding a sabbidist suit with accents of pink. Her hat and shoes were cable-knit and her carriage was pink carnations. She carried out the tradition of something old, new, borrowed, and blue, and a sixpence.

The bride couple attended school in San Saba and will make their home there. They are both employed by Frontier Theatres, Inc.

GAMBDEVILLE H. D. CLUB

Officers for the coming year were installed at the Gambdeville Home Demonstration Club meeting January 6. Mrs. Andrew Calvin was hostess.

Those selected to serve were: Mrs. Clarence Garrett, president; Mrs. Archie Campbell, vice president; Mrs. Glendon Russell, secretary; Mrs. Cecil Carroll, reporter; Council delegates are Mrs. W. J. Garrett and Mrs. Buster Cates. Mrs. W. J. Garrett and Mrs. Calvin will be demonstrators.

Mrs. Garrett appointed the following committee: chairmen, Frances and Marking, Mrs. Carroll; yearbook, Mrs. Cates; E.E.E., Mrs. C. S. Bartley; and recreation, Mrs. Campbell.

The group chose the Hobo Stew and the buying of school lunches for a needy child as their goals. The names of secret pals were drawn.

Mrs. Calvin served refreshments to nine members.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Glendon Russell.

on January 20 when Mrs. Mary D. Brown will speak on "Family Planning and Spending." Any Foard County woman desiring to join the group is extended a cordial invitation.

FOARD CITY W. S. C. S.

"If you want a vital religious experience, get acquainted with the experts and observe what they have to say," stated Mrs. V. A. Johnson as she brought the second lesson from the current course of study on great saints from all ages to the Women's Society of Christian Service of Foard City on Monday afternoon, January 9.

Before going further into her discourse, Mrs. Johnson introduced Mrs. R. E. Sparks, who reviewed an article written by Dr. Norman Vincent Peale who told some of his early experiences in the ministry.

In the discussion pertaining to the life of St. Augustine, Mrs. Johnson emphasized the fact that the problems which faced the saint were the same which confront us today.

MARGARET M. Y. F.

Margaret M. Y. F. met at the church Wednesday night. Ten were present and refreshments of cake and punch were served by Miss Judy Berchardt.

The M. Y. F. held its regular Sunday night with 12 present. After the meeting, nine of the members visited a sick member, Duane Orr, who is convalescing in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carter. Mrs. Carter served assorted candies, pop corn and soda drinks to the group, composed of James Choate, Jody Berchardt, Eugene Davis, Sandra Choate, Kenneth Bell, LaVoy Rummel, Gerald Bradford, Gary Griffith, Duane Orr, Mr. Orr, and Mrs. G. B. Choate.

RIVERSIDE H. D. CLUB

The Riverside Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Cap Adkins on Tuesday, January

3. The president, Mrs. Grover Moore, conducted the business meeting. The club voted as one of its goals to sponsor the March of Dimes in this community.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Roy Ayers on Jan. 17. Refreshments were served to 10 members.

AUXILIARY MEETS

Mrs. John Matus Jr. was hostess to members of the Rosary Altar Society Auxiliary when they met last Tuesday afternoon in her home.

Father Sebastian Krempel led the members in prayer, followed with a song.

Mrs. Ed Lehman Sr. gave the annual report. Committee chairmen named for the year included Mrs. Ted Kubicek, bazaar; Mrs. Anton Kajs, finance; Mrs. Lonnie Halenak, recreation; and Mrs. Robert Kubicek, church liens.

Refreshments were served to 11 members and four guests.

Margaret

MRS. BAX MIDDLEBROOK

Mrs. Oscar Taylor of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taylor of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rambo of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cross and children of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Bradford and family and Cleo Bradford from Oklahoma were at Mrs. Jim Owens' last week. They were here for the funeral of their brother and uncle, Jonathan Bradford, Friday.

Duane Orr was dismissed from the Crowell hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Earl Orr and daughter, Carol Marie, of Vernon, Mr. Orr and Duane were dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carter, Sunday.

Bob Thomas, W. A. Dunn, Bill Rouse, Jim Owens and Dink Russell were business visitors in Ellett Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hudgens of Ralls spent the week end with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudgens, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and daughter, LaVoy, were dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Gerhardt Shultz, and husband at Lockett Sunday.

The MYF visited Duane Orr at his home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bledsoe visited relatives in Lawton, Okla., Saturday. Their aunt, Sue Devore, came home with them for a visit.

Arthur Owens of Quanah visited his mother, Mrs. Valeria Owens, Sunday.

Bob Thomas went to Lubbock Wednesday for a medical check-up.

Mrs. Bob Thomas, Mrs. Arthur Bell, Mrs. Jim Moore and Mrs. Cecil Carroll attended an OES school of instruction in Clarendon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor have returned home from Dallas where they spent three weeks through the holidays with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hoberchek of Hinds visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blevins of Thalia visited in the R. L. Hudgens and A. L. Rummel homes Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas returned home Tuesday from McLeann where they visited friends through the holidays.

Mrs. Truman McFarland and granddaughter Diane, of Childress visited her father, Rev. Clarence Bounds, and wife Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. R. McCurley and Mrs. O. C. Allen were visitors in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and children of Vernon visited his brother, Tom Smith, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Maddox of Childress visited their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Bounds, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rummel and daughter, LaVoy, were supper guests of her sister, Mrs. Oswald Zoch, and family at Lockett Sunday.

Rev. Bradford of Plainview filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church here Sunday.

Ross Malone and son of Vernon were Friday visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Hopkins and sons, Junior and Larry Dean, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hopkins of Foard City visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Orr of Gambdeville Wednesday.

Wilson Starnes and children of Texarkana visited Mr. and Mrs. Green Sikes Tuesday.

W. A. Dunn, Mrs. John Taylor and Mrs. Cora Dunn attended funeral services for Mrs. Henry Overstreet in Paducah Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hudgens visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Close in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harvey of Vernon visited her father, Disk Smith, Saturday. He returned home with them and spent the week end there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sikes and son, Jimmie, and Richard Ingle of Quanah visited Mr. and Mrs. Green Sikes Sunday and celebrated Mr. Sikes' birthday.

Mrs. M. T. Reinhardt of Midland spent from Thursday until Friday with her mother, Mrs. Jack Roden.

Jimmie Lee Hudgens spent Sunday night with his cousin, Junior Hopkins, of Foard City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Malone and children of Vernon visited Mrs.



RECEIVES GIFT HORSE — Karen Ann McGuire, 12, who submitted a \$24.03 bid for the famed race horse Nashua, admires "Hanover's Wishing Star," a chestnut gelding that was substituted for Nashua. The horse will be a gift of bank officials who were touched by a letter from the Valhalla, N. Y., school girl offering her "life savings" for Nashua when it was disclosed that the horse was for sale.

Jack Roden Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phillips of Amarillo are visitors in the Jack McGinnis home this week.

Joan Lindsey of Vernon visited her cousin, Patty McGinnis, and attended services at the Baptist Church here Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Stowers left Saturday for her home in Harrison, Tenn., after a visit of several weeks with her sisters, Mrs. Laura Choate, and Mrs. W. T. Blevins. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins took her to Fort Worth where she took a plane for home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon visited in the Bax Middlebrook and W. R. McCurley

homes Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Huskey of Crowell visited her mother, Mrs. Laura Choate, Monday.

The H. D. Club will meet Jan. 13 with Mrs. Curtis Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bounds of Crowell were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Bounds Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins of Truscott visited her sister, Mrs. Laura Choate, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Campbell of Arlington, Va., visited over the week end with his sister, Mrs. W. B. Johnson, and husband.

"Mad" Buck Deer Is Cleared of Guilt

For weeks motorists, woods folk, and even some hunters had been intrigued by tales of the "mad" buck's operations along a winding, scenic rural road just beyond the hilly northwest outskirts of Austin.

They could see for themselves as they crept along the narrow, circuitous roadway. For conspicuously on the fringe of the trail, bushes apparently had been hooked and whipped, with bark on some larger trunks stripped down to the whitened inner growth.

Yes, "a mighty big un" counseled the old timers, as they rode comfortably along, disdaining a closer look because of the briars and undergrowth matted over the tricky terrain. Surely, that was no ordinary buck deer bashing his horns against fragile snags and limber new growth, as normal male deer do characteristically carry on during the breeding season.

So, in the area famous as "good deer country," developed the story of the "mad" buck deer. Visions of a monstrous whitetail slashing violently through the brush, overwhelmed not by natural romantic tendency but rather converted into a raging beast, probably dangerous. Yes, literal madness could be the cause.

The call came at night to a Game and Fish Commission employee. "Could a buck deer have rabies?" And the breathless inquirer recalled the extremely rare cases involving deer afflicted with rabies.

Next day, the Director of Wildlife Restoration led a small delegation to the scene, including a few of the observers who had finally relayed the tall tale to the Commission.

Off to the right side of the road, just beyond a water tank, and reflected against the dull cedar brakes, were the sunbaked bushes, plainly whitened by the stripping

operation. First glance could have been convincing since sumac, squaw brush, is a favorite honing growth for buck deer in the fall.

Yes, the very ditch by the side of the road yielded deer tracks when the Director of Wildlife Restoration dismounted. Slowly and studiously he approached some of the barkless saplings.

Ridges on the growth, seemingly from teeth marks, prompted the first suspicion, because buck horns hone surfaces relatively smooth. Also there was no residue at the base of the brush where the rubbings should have dropped.

"Ah!" exclaimed the Director, dropping to one knee a la Sherlock Holmes, "Goat hair!"

P. S.—The unbelieving were further assured that while the area currently provided a fine deer crossing because of the cover growing smack against the roadway, another route probably will be chosen sooner or later since such goat devastation invariably dooms the brush that is circled at the base by their avaricious teeth marks.

PEOPLE ARE MOVING LESS

Since World War II, shifting from state to state and place to place has lessened progressively. In the past year only five million people moved from one state to another, 126 million stayed put in the same house, same city.—The Kiplinger Letter.

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