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News About Our Men in Service

Pvt. Charles Milton Hall, age 47, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall, entered the service on Oct. 5, 1950, took basic at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. He was transferred Nov. 24 to 3387 Sta. Sqdn., box 454, Keesler Air Force Base, Hattiesburg, Miss., and is now going to radio school.

Cpl. Robert C. Carroll, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Carroll, who volunteered on Sept. 3, 1948, at Fort Ord, Calif., was removed from Korea to a hospital in Japan on Dec. 6, with his hands frozen. His last letter to his parents stated that he was to undergo an operation, but not on his hands. In October, 1948, he went to Ft. Jennings, Ga., to train as a paratrooper. After making six complete jumps, Robert received an injury when his chute failed to open which made it impossible to continue as a paratrooper. After pending 20 days in the hospital he joined the 29th Infantry Regiment of the Army and was sent to Okinawa in March, 1949, and spent 16 months there. There he received a letter for meritorious service rendered his company as a mechanic and was complimented for the highest standard of service. In June, 1950, he was at home on a furlough which was cancelled on July 4 and on July 15 he sailed for Korea. In September he was awarded the Silver Star for knocking out a North Korean tank. He served with the 2nd Division in Korea and the 9th Inf. Regt.

Sgt. Thomas E. Smith, brother of J. D. Smith, foreman of the Big 4 Ranch in the Truscott community, is a tank commander in the 3rd Division in Korea. Sgt. Smith, Navy veteran of World War II, is 24 years of age and went to Korea in September, 1950, and has been injured one time.

Garland Wayne Denton, S. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Denton, who joined the Navy two weeks ago in Wichita Falls, is now at Great Lakes, Ill., taking basic training. His address is Co. 115, 12nd Battalion, 12th Regt. N. S. N. T. C., Great Lakes. Other Crowell boys who joined the Navy at the same time Garland did, are Thomas Templen, James Weathers and Presley Thomson, and Lon Laquey and Rusty McNeese of Truscott, are also taking training at Great Lakes.

Pvt. Kenneth Shook, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shook, volunteered for the Army on July 12, 1950. He was sent to Fort Ord, Calif., and placed in Co. M, 1st Inf. Regt. At present he is en route to Fort Benning, Ga.

Pvt. Thomas F. Athey, 22, was inducted on Nov. 30, 1950, and took his basic training at Fort Sill, Okla., where he is still located with the 653rd Field Artillery.

Pvt. C. F. Bradford Jr., 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford Sr., of Margaret, entered the Army on Dec. 15, 1950. He spent three days at Fort Sill, Okla., and is now stationed at Camp Carson, Colo., for limited service on account of an injured arm.

Pvt. Floyd C. Borchardt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Borchardt, who joined the Air Force Jan. 2, is located at Lackland Air Force Base, in San Antonio, Texas.

Pvt. Don Wilkins is at home inducted Monday on account of the death of his grandmother. He is stationed at San Antonio in the 4th Air Force.

Sgt. Jack Bailey, who is located in Pusan, Korea, writes his family that he is safe and all right. He has been wounded twice since going to Korea, once on Aug. 15 and also on Oct. 1. He is now serving as an M. P.

LEAVE FOR ARMY

Joe H. Scales, G. W. Johnson and Victor Christian left last Friday for Amarillo to be inducted into the Army.

Lead me a hand

FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS

JOIN MARCH OF DIMES

C. H. S. Cagers Defeat Vernon and Chillicothe

The Crowell High School basketball team won a couple of hard-fought games the past week with Chillicothe and Vernon. The Chillicothe Eagles produced unexpected strong opposition here last Friday night in a conference game when they held the Wildcats to a 40 to 33 score. Crowell was leading by only three points at one time in the last quarter. The hustle of the Eagles and accurate goal shooting of the Pannell brothers contributed to their good showing. Roy Whitley and Clinton Marlow were both off form in this game.

What Whitley and Marlow lacked in the Chillicothe game was made up in the Vernon game at Vernon on Monday night. The regular time ended with the two teams tied with 31 points each, but due to the outstanding floor work of Whitley and his two field goals in the last minute of the overtime gave the Wildcats their second victory of the season over their Class A neighbors.

With Martin Langham, Ginger Johnson and James McBeath leading the way for Crowell's "B" squad, two victories were also registered by them. They defeated Chillicothe "B" team 47 to 24 and Vernon 43 to 33.

The Crowell girls made their conference standing at .500 here last Friday night when they defeated the Chillicothe girls 15 to 10 and 15 to 13. This left Crowell, Chillicothe, Archer City and Seymour in a four-way tie for the western half championship. Girls representing Crowell in this game were Betty Barker, Frankie Mabe, Geraldine Schmitt, Mary Bergt, Peggy Weaver, Jozzell Thomson and Mary Matus.

Crowell's basketball and volleyball teams will journey to Archer City Friday night for conference games. The next home games will be Friday night of next week when the Archer City teams return their games.

March of Dimes Campaign Now in Progress Here

Three devastating years of the worst polio epidemics in history have wiped out patient care funds of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and left unpaid bills of \$5,000,000.

So the 1951 March of Dimes, which opened January 15, must raise \$50,000,000 nationally, and \$825.36 in Foard County.

This sum is essential to enable the Foundation and its local chapters to provide financial aid, equipment and skilled workers for the thousands of children and adults who will be victims this year, and for those needing care from earlier years. Also, the Foundation must continue to pay for research in the treatment and prevention of polio, and the training of professional personnel.

"Let us meet this financial crisis, and give freely to conquer this vicious polio enemy," Foard County March of Dimes Campaign Director, Mrs. Inez Spencer, urged.

Popular Quartet of KWFT to Be Here Next Tuesday, Jan. 23

The Stamps-Ozark Quartet, popular entertainers of KWFT, Wichita Falls, will give a concert at the high school auditorium here next Tuesday night, Jan. 23, under the sponsorship of the Crowell Fire Department.

The concert will begin at 7:30 p. m., admission 50c and 25c.

Foard County Men Enter Service Recently

The following Foard County men recently volunteered for service in the Navy and Air Force:

Navy — Thomas Lee Templen, William Presley Thomson, Garland Denton, James Edward Weathers, Joseph P. Bartley and Rusty McNeese, Truscott.

Air Force — John Lewis Hunter, Marion Clark Gobin, Floyd Carl Borchardt, Billy Joe Halenack, Donald Maurice Wilkins, Dowell Lynn Parks, Baxter Wayne Gentry and Bobby Allen Lax.

CROWELL LIONS CLUB

Four Boy Scouts from the local troop entertained the Crowell Lions Club at their Tuesday noon meeting at the Club Cafe. Bob Whitaker, Scout Master and also a member of the Lions Club, introduced the Scouts, Temple Yates, Joe Calvin, Ray Thomson and J. C. McCoy, who demonstrated first aid lessons as taught in the Scout work.

J. B. Harrison of Quanah and Charles Branch of Crowell were guests in addition to the Scouts.

West Texas Rancher



George L. Thompson, former resident of Foard County and a pioneer West Texas rancher, who passed away at his home in Abilene on January 10.

Attend Funeral of George L. Thompson

Crowell relatives who attended the funeral of George L. Thompson of Abilene on Thursday afternoon, January 11, were Mrs. Pearl Carter, his sister; Mrs. Charlie Thompson, Miss Mary Ragland Thompson, Mrs. Crockett Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson.

Mr. Thompson, an early resident of Foard County, died at his home in Abilene on January 10 following a long illness. Funeral services were held in the Chapel of Memories of Elliott's Funeral Home with interment being made in Elmwood Memorial Park in Abilene. Officiating at the rites was Rev. Nemo Golden, pastor of the First Christian Church in San Angelo.

As requested by the deceased, nephews were pall bearers: Carl Thompson of Dimmitt, Marlin Thompson of Crowell, George Thompson of Pampa, Walford Thompson of Crowell, J. T. Carter of Abilene and J. Q. Carter of Abilene.

"Nearer My God to Thee" and "The Old Rugged Cross" were sung by Mrs. Arthur Buhler and Miss Jo Ann Dunlap, who were accompanied at the organ by Mrs. K. L. McDonald.

George Thompson was a rugged individual, generous, kind and tender in his nature, helpful to his fellowman whenever possible. In 1889 he worked as a cowboy on the XIT Ranch. After returning home he attended the old Crowell College. He went to what was then Indian Territory, later to the Shannon Ranch in Crockett County where he was range boss for Mrs. O. K. Shannon. In 1918, he secured his own ranch interests in Crockett County which property he held at the time of his death.

He was married to Miss Ruby Graham of Ozona in 1910. After retirement, he moved to San Angelo and to Abilene about a year ago. He leaves as survivors his wife, one son, George Thompson Jr., one grandson, the sister, Mrs. Pearl Carter, a number of nephews and nieces and many friends. The late Charlie Thompson, a brother of Crowell preceded him in death four days.

Mrs. Langley of Thalia Given Party on 82nd Birthday

Mrs. J. K. Langley of Thalia was given a surprise birthday party on Friday afternoon in observance of her 82nd birthday.

Friends and relatives arrived while Mrs. Langley was away from home and, upon her return, they greeted her at the door with "Happy Birthday."

The pretty birthday cake, decorated in green and lavender, with "82" in silver, was served with sandwiches and coffee by a daughter, Mrs. L. H. Hammonds, and Mrs. Louis Pyle, Mrs. Lerdy Henry, Mrs. Weldon Hammonds and Miss Mona Hammonds.

After the gifts were opened and displayed, the afternoon was spent in genial visiting. Those attending the party were Mesdames H. W. Gray, Dick Swan, J. L. McBeath, H. M. McBeath, Delmar McBeath, Duane Capps, M. H. Jones, Walden Johnson, T. R. Cates Sr., B. A. Whitman, W. G. Chapman, L. H. Hammonds, Leroy Henry, Louis Pyle, Weldon Hammonds and Ruth Hammonds.

IMPROVING

W. Clyde Neel, administrative officer of the Foard County PMA office, is improving satisfactorily after having been found near death from asphyxiation in his room here Saturday morning.

Mrs. W. C. McKown, at whose home Mr. Neel resides, discovered him unconscious, with a gas stove burning high, when she went to straighten his room. He was then taken to the local hospital.

Mr. Neel has been with the PMA office here for the past two years. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Neel, of Dumas are here with their son.

J. D. Johnson, 90, Dies in Hospital

Funeral of Foard County Pioneer Held Here Wednesday

Funeral services were held for J. D. Johnson, pioneer resident of Crowell, at the First Baptist Church on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Johnson passed away in the Foard County Hospital on Monday afternoon, Jan. 15.

Rev. Barnard Franklin, pastor of the church, officiated at the last rites. He was assisted by Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor of the Crowell Methodist Church.

Favorite songs of the family were sung by a choir with piano accompaniment being played by Mrs. Paul Shirley. Pall bearers were grandsons of Mr. Johnson and the flower bearers were all granddaughters with the exception of Mrs. Nell Loyd.

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

John Drice Johnson was born in Cherokee County, N. C., on Dec. 8, 1860. He was married to Miss Nancy Adelaide Garrett in Townes County, Ga., on Sept. 6, 1882. The couple moved to Texas, Grayson County, in 1888, and to Foard County in 1901, where they have since resided. Eleven children were born to the couple, three of whom preceded their father in death, two in infancy and J. N. Johnson, who passed away in 1944.

Mr. Johnson was converted in Georgia many years ago and united with the Baptist Church in Grayson County. He was a consistent Christian all through the years and lived his Christianity. He was loyal to his church and faithful in attendance upon its services until ill health prevented. He was very active for one of his age, until only recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson observed their 68th wedding anniversary in September, 1950.

He is survived by his wife and eight children. They are L. V. Johnson, Crowell; Mrs. W. B. Harrison, Gracemont, Okla.; Mrs. Etta Bell, Carrizozo, N. M.; Mrs. Bertha Meadors, Fort Worth; Mrs. Myrtle Moore, Dallas; Mrs. B. F. Haygood, Birmingham, Ala.; Clarence Johnson, Dallas, and Mrs. Ruby Caldwell, Crowell; thirty-two grandchildren and a number of great grandchildren; one brother, L. N. Johnson, Childress; two sisters, Mrs. John Groves, Anadarko, Okla., and Mrs. J. M. Newby, Amarillo.

Among the out-of-town relatives and friends here for the funeral were C. R. Wilkerson of Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kachelhofer of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson and Mrs. Maggie Johnson and Eugene of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson of Hollis, Okla.; Martie Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ely and family, Mrs. Horace Wooten, Mrs. Lessie Hammock and daughter, Mrs. Tiny Johnson, Mrs. Mary E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and Cass Johnson, all of Amarillo; Mrs. Hazel Walsh of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Johnson of Childress.

H. M. Moore, Lyford, Texas; R. A. Moore Jr. of Dallas; Mrs. Reva Coufal, Jacksboro; Mrs. Rose Garrett and Mrs. Bessie Gribble of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Meadors, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Meadors, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Meadors, James Meadors, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ferguson, all of Fort Worth; Jay Johnson of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howry and family of Goree; Mrs. W. Lilly of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Douglas and Tom Johnson of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Judd Harrison and children of Gracemont, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Will T. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Johnson, Mrs. Eva Smith, all of Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Golden of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson and family of Odessa; Mrs. Robert Craig and Miss Mamie Garrett of Chickasha, Okla.

Glendon Hays Sells Interest in Parts Co. to Geo. Davis

A deal was closed this week whereby Geo. Davis becomes a partner in the parts business of Glendon Hays. The new firm name will be "D & H Parts Co."

Mr. Hays will continue to be manager of the business and Mr. Davis will work at times when he is needed. The business is located in the corner rock building on the west side of the square.

The new firm announces that the stock of automotive and tractor parts will be increased under the new ownership.

V-PRES. AGGIE CLUB

Felix Taylor of Truscott has been elected vice president of the Aggie Club at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls to serve for the 1950-51 school year.

The club is one of some twenty-five organizations on the campus, all of which are an outgrowth of student interest in some major subject. A lively and energetic student body has made extra-curricular activities an important part of the university life.

NEW CARS REGISTERED

The following new automobiles were registered at the office of J. L. Gobin, tax assessor-collector, last week:

Jan. 9, Mrs. J. M. Hill Sr., 1950 Buick 4-door.
Jan. 10, Paul Shirley, 1950 Chrysler sedan.
Jan. 12, Hugh Eubank, Truscott, 1951 Ford fordor.

Greenbelt Water & Sewer Association Holds Meeting Here

The regular monthly meeting of the Greenbelt Water & Sewer Association was held at the Club Cafe in Crowell on Wednesday night, January 10, with the local members of the association serving as hosts. A delicious steak supper was served to a group of 32 men.

The program was opened with several singing and dancing numbers presented by the Dixie Gates family of Crowell.

W. E. Peterson, representative of the Hersey Manufacturing Co. of Dallas, gave a very interesting and instructive talk on water meters. He explained in detail the many ways of deciding the sizes of meters to use in their proper places to get the best and most accurate results in measuring water.

President R. E. Yates and W. D. Power of the State Health Department explained the Civilian Defense program and the association voted to adopt the program and start it as soon as possible. The association adopted the report prepared by the Water Resources Committee of the Texas Water & Sewer Works Association on the water needs of the State.

The next regular meeting of the association will be held in Memphis in February. Other meetings are scheduled for Quanah in April, Matador in June, Vernon in July, Wellington in August and Paducah in December.

Those in attendance and their official positions follow: C. R. Bryson, plant manager, Crowell; H. O. Stanfield, water works superintendent, Matador; D. W. Jefferson, city manager, Crowell; Raymond Hord, fire chief, Crowell; G. L. Cole, water superintendent, Crowell; D. F. Brisco, assistant water superintendent, Crowell; Henry Edgin, assistant water superintendent, Crowell; Roy C. Steele, alderman, Crowell; T. B. Klepper, Foard County News, Crowell; J. A. Patterson, alderman, Floydada; V. H. Boteler, water operator, Floydada; R. H. Simpson, water superintendent, Floydada; Claude Waggoner, Vernon; W. D. Power, S. H. D., Lubbock; W. V. Coursey, manager, Memphis; Calvin Boren, service man, Vernon; C. H. Sitz, pumper, Vernon; Claude Robinson, superintendent, Vernon; W. E. Peterson, Hersey Mfg. Co., Dallas; Harley E. Reed, service man, Vernon; J. E. Anthony, pumper, Vernon; Wayne Upton, distributor, Vernon; Cleve Taylor, service man, Memphis; W. T. Ball, salesman, Childress; Grace Glass, pumper, Paducah; Chester Montgomery, water superintendent, Wellington; John Eagle, water superintendent, Wellington; J. A. Carroll, superintendent, Paducah; Russell E. Yates, superintendent, Wellington; Clyde E. Morris, operator, Memphis; E. H. Scales, Crowell; Floyd Johnson, Southwestern Norman, Floydada.

New Oil Test Spudded Southwest of Crowell

British American Oil Production Co. No. 1 Jesse Herring Johnson in section 5, H&GNRR survey, a 5000-foot rotary test about 20 miles southwest of Crowell in the extreme southwest part of Foard County, is spudded and drilling at 1450 feet in shale when this report was made several days ago.

ROTARY CLUB

The Crowell Rotary Club held its regular Wednesday noon luncheon at the Club Cafe with President Glenn Goodwin presiding. Grady Graves was in charge of the program which consisted of two excellent talks concerning Rotary by past presidents, Herbert Edwards and Grady Halbert. The group singing has been greatly improved since Miss Bobbie Abston has been secured as pianist.

Visiting Rotarians were Bill Reeves and Grady Dodd of Quanah. Other visitors were Boy Scout Executives Milton Wyatt of Wichita Falls and Gene Vaughn of Vernon.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Foard County Hospital

Patients In:

Mrs. R. G. Raspberry and infant daughter
Mrs. Marvin Ryder
Mrs. Oscar Short
Mrs. T. L. Hughston
Clyde Neel
Mrs. Bill Hammonds
Mrs. John Leija
Mrs. J. R. Fleisher
C. C. Wheeler

Patients Dismissed:

Mrs. John Borchardt
Mrs. Denton Lockhart
Jane Bowers
Barbara Campbell
Doris Gilliam
Mrs. J. H. Barnebee Jr.
W. H. Tysinger
Glenn Doyle Goodwin
L. Kamstra
Mrs. Pete Moody

60th Anniversary at Lodge Hall on Saturday Night, Jan. 20, at 7:30 o'Clock

Crowell Masonic Lodge No. 840, A. F. & A. M., will observe its 60th anniversary on Saturday evening, January 20, at 7:30 o'clock at a meeting in the lodge hall. It has been announced by Grady Halbert, worshipful master, and W. B. Carter, secretary.

The Right Worshipful Grand Junior Warden John McKee of Dallas has been secured to make the main address.

Food for a banquet will be prepared and served by members of the Crowell Eastern Star, it was announced Tuesday.

Masons from the Thalia, Vernon, Odell, Chillicothe and Quanah lodges, which with Crowell compose the 90th Masonic District, have been invited to attend. Masons from Paducah and Benjamin have also been invited. A welcome is extended to all Master Masons in this area to attend the meeting.

The Crowell Masonic Lodge held its first meeting by virtue of a dispensation issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the State of Texas, on March 17, 1900, with the following brethren present: J. A. Allison, E. F. Hart, R. R. Bell, Henry Kenner, C. P. Sandifer, J. P. Cormack, C. E. Lindsey, S. N. Bell, Joe W. Beverly, Robert Cole, J. W. Cope, J. F. Hays, F. M. Reinhardt, W. H. Adams and J. C. Roberts. Also T. J. Yongblood and T. M. Holt of the Vernon lodge, and J. A. Stegald, J. A. Sampson, John Gamble, J. H. Self and D. M. Ferebee of Thalia Lodge No. 666.

The first meeting of the lodge was held in a hall prepared in the second story of the Thacker rock building. Minutes of the meeting showed that Mr. Thacker was paid \$8.66 for rent for one month. The lodge met and worked under dispensation from the Grand Lodge from March 17, 1900, to Dec. 6, 1900. At the January meeting in 1901, T. J. Yongblood of Vernon, District Deputy Grand Master, set the lodge to work under a charter with the following officers:

J. A. Allison, worshipful master; J. W. Beverly, junior warden; C. P. Sandifer, junior warden; E. F. Hart, treasurer; J. W. Allison, secretary; Robt. Cole, senior deacon; D. M. Ferebee, junior deacon; F. M. Reinhardt, tiler; C. E. Lindsey, chaplain; W. H. Adams, senior steward; J. R. Meason, junior steward.

J. P. Cormack, who served as the first secretary, died during the time the lodge was operating under the dispensation. J. W. Allison was the second worshipful master and G. A. Burks, now living in Covina, Calif., was the third worshipful master. Of the thirty-eight worshipful masters who have served the Crowell lodge during the fifty years, twenty-five are still living.

New Farm-to-Market Roads in Foard to Receive Seal Coats

As a result of the national emergency, the State Highway Commission has taken action to preserve the investment in the existing state highway system. The program adopted by the Commission calls for 3,100 miles of betterment projects at a cost of \$7,885,000 in 179 counties.

In Foard County the State Highway engineer is directed to proceed in the most feasible and economical manner with the following work:

FM 1030 highway, 2 miles west of Crowell and 2.6 miles north, seal coat, FM highway 262, Thalia northwest, 4.2 miles, seal coat.

Mother of Local Man Succumbs at Ballinger Jan. 13

Mrs. C. M. Wilkins, mother of M. A. Wilkins of Crowell, passed away in the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Huddleston, in Ballinger on Saturday, Jan. 13. The remains were brought to Crowell where funeral services were held at the First Christian Church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with J. Fred Bayless, pastor of the church, officiating.

Pall bearers were Dick Todd, Bill Gafford, Moody Bursey, Fate McDougle, Alton Higginbotham and Ted Reeder. Interment was made in Eastview Cemetery in Vernon.

Flower bearers were Mrs. Lee Black, Mrs. Vestrice Brock, Mrs. Henry Borchardt, Mrs. Floyd Borchardt, Mrs. Dick Todd, Mrs. T. S. Haney and Mrs. John Long.

Mrs. Wilkins was born in Arkansas on March 25, 1875. She lived in Arkansas and Oklahoma before moving to Texas about forty years ago. She resided at Vernon until moving to Runnels County in 1942. She had since made her home in Ballinger in the home of her daughter.

She was a member of the Baptist Church. She was also a member of the Order of Eastern Star. Survivors include the daughter, three sons, L. E. Wilkins and W. A. Wilkins of Dallas, M. A. Wilkins of Crowell; one brother, Willis Bryant of Crossett, Ark., and one sister, Mrs. E. C. Bryant of Crossett, Ark. Six grandchildren and two great grandchildren also survive.

Out-of-town relatives present for the services were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Martin and daughter of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Peters of Plainview; Pvt. Don Wilkins of San Antonio, and several friends from Ballinger.

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Lions and Rotarians to Play Ball Game for March of Dimes

As a climax to the March of Dimes drive in Foard County, Crowell's Rotary Club will contest the Crowell Lions Club in a ball game on Monday night, January 29, in the Crowell High School gymnasium, according to local N. F. I. P. chairman, Marion Crowell.

Game time is set for 7:30 p. m., with all proceeds going to the March of Dimes drive. Local fans are watching with interest the preparations being made by these two athletic groups. Additional details of this game will be announced in next week's edition of this paper.

MARCH OF DIMES

FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS

JANUARY 15-31

THALIA
MRS. C. H. WOOD

Correction — Through an oversight of the correspondent, the following names were not included in the list of relatives who attended the funeral of their brother and uncle, Jim Gamble, at Kermit recently: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble, Mrs. C. C. Lindsey and her sister, Mrs. Jim Samsbury and her husband from Calera, Okla., who spent the night in the Lindsey home on Jan. 5, and attended the funeral on Saturday, Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnson and recently-adopted son visited Billy Johnson, student at John Tarleton College at Stephenville, last week. Billy spent the week

end at his home here.

Rev. H. N. Estes and family visited in Oklahoma City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler spent Monday of last week in the home of their son, Herschell Butler, and family at Chillicothe.

Glen Swan and Harold Short left for Borger last Wednesday where they will be employed.

Lloyd Fox sold his house in Thalia to Howard Bursley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBeath spent Sunday in the home of their son, J. L. McBeath Jr., and wife near Vera.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Banister and son, Johnnie, of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Banister, Friday night of last week.

Rev. Sid Martin, district missionary from Wichita Falls, preached at the Baptist Church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Gray and son, Stevie, and Mrs. H. W. Gray visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray and family at Hereford last week end.

Rev. Hines of Vernon preached at the Methodist Church here Sunday morning and Rev. Lamb from Tolbert filled the pulpit Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walden Johnson and baby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Owens, of Northside last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gable and Mr. and Mrs. Eudale Oliver and family attended a birthday dinner honoring Miss Bobby Ruth Brock in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brock, at Farmers Valley last Sunday.

Mrs. Lillie Marlow and son, Arthur Lee, spent the week end in Crowell with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pigg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson visited his mother in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hudgens of Rails were Thalia visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bell and Mrs. Effie Hodge of Anton and Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Higgs of Springfield, Colo., were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ford.

Mrs. Delmar McBeath and children, Paulette and Larry, have gone to San Antonio for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Luther Jobe, and family. They were accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Howard Ferguson, of Foard City.

Raymond Werley has been released from the service to help his mother farm after the death of his father here recently.

Mrs. L. H. Hammonds honored her mother with a surprise birthday party in her home here Friday, Jan. 5. Mrs. Langley was 82 years old and is very active in church work. She received many useful and lovely gifts. Refreshments of a beautiful birthday cake, sandwiches and coffee were served to about 20 ladies.

J. T. Hudgens and family moved from the E. J. McKinley house to Vernon last week and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Railsback moved into the house vacated by them.

Mrs. Ruth Hammonds attended a birthday dinner honoring her brother, Joe Coe, in his home in Vernon last Friday.

Mrs. Charles Stewart and daughter, Nickie Sue, and Mrs. Ballard of Crowell visited Mrs. C. H. Wood Wednesday of last week.

Middle Age and Beyond . . .

BY DR. JUNE M. COOK

Our body machinery runs night and day from birth to death. No matter how perfect it was to begin with or how we take care it, certain parts are apt to show the effects of wear and tear during middle age and beyond. This is one reason why an annual examination by a chiropractor is particularly important for people over 45. If we know what our limitations are, we can learn to adjust our ways of living to avoid overstepping them.

For women who are undergoing the natural physiological changes which usually begin between the ages of 40 and 50, a thorough Chiropractic examination is advisable. Certain diseases usually do not appear until later life and then develop slowly. Hardening of the arteries, chronic kidney disease, and extreme nervousness may gain headway in the body before a person is aware that something is wrong. If the trouble is detected in its early stages, an individual, by following his Chiropractor's instructions, may be able to continue to work and enjoy life for many years to come.

Modern Chiropractors meet the problem of disease and illness through the physical and mechanical approach, rather than through the chemical or drug approach. Under modern Chiropractic, the technique is painless. Frail, sick, aged and even infants are cared for without pain. Its record in the alleviation of suffering and restoration of health is most gratifying.

One of a series of articles published in the public interest to explain and illustrate the practice of Scientific Chiropractic, written by Dr. June M. Cook, Chiropractor, whose office is located at 308 East Commerce Street, Crowell, Texas. Telephone 117.

Announcing New Partnership

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Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Rob Doyle and sons, Gerald and Larry, and Pete Marsh of Crosbyton and Earl V. Marsh of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. John Daniel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Hopkins and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Daniels and son, Billy, and Billy Ray Dunn.

Earnest Dunn had the misfortune of wrecking his car one night last week. Two occupants were in the car, but neither was seriously injured.

Billie Jean Love and Anna Ruth Daniel spent Sunday with Leta Merl Scott of Crowell.

Pedie Brown of Crowell spent last Wednesday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Daniel, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hinkle of Crowell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Minnie Milburn, of Crowell and Mrs. Ada Brown of Paducah Sunday afternoon.

Billy Daniels and Kenneth Hopkins made a business trip to Crowell Saturday night.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Daniels and children Friday night were Bobby Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Brown and children and Ann Wishon, all of Crowell.

Mrs. Bill Hlavaty of Vernon spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. L. Farrar.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McLain and sons spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Chilcoat and sons of Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farrar spent Sunday afternoon with W. A. Patton and daughters, Alma and Truda, of Crowell.

Cloma Lea Brown of Crowell spent last Tuesday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Daniels, and family.

Mrs. C. T. Schlagal of Crowell spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Owens, and husband.

Fate McDougle went to Abilene Saturday night where he met Pvt. Don Wilkins of San Antonio, who was en route to Crowell to attend the funeral of his grandmother of an uncle in Borger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker and W. J. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morrow of Clarendon, Mrs. Leon Taylor and Mrs. Bud Myers and sons attended the burial services of an uncle in Seymour Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Haggood of Borger spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morrow Jr. of Clarendon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and Mrs. Leon Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooper of Artesia, N. M., Mrs. Maggie Parks, Mrs. Mary E. Walker, Mrs. Maggie Hobgood and Johnnie, all of Borger, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laquey of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Ward of Slaton visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pogue and Mrs. Ettie Pogue, Pogue Laquey is now in the Marine Corps.

Farris Caddell spent the week end in Fort Worth with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Caddell, and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pogue and children spent the week end in Abilene with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carroll.

Chester Casey visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carroll of Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and daughter of Vivian spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hammonds and daughter, Mona, and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hammonds and daughter, Kay, left last Wednesday for an extended trip to South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hogan have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Paul Vecera, who has been ill at Des Moines, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ford and sons, Dale Ray and Montie Kea, of Goodlett spent Sunday in the home of her father, G. C. Short, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Judy Tole of Wichita Falls were visiting friends in Thalia Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wright and son, Bryan, visited her sister, Mrs. W. P. Derrington, and family at Plainview last week end.

Mrs. John W. Wright honored her mother, Mrs. H. W. Banister, Saturday night with a surprise birthday party in her home here. Guests for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tole and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins of Riverside, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wisdom, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lewis.

Cpl. and Mrs. Charles E. Wood of Fort Sill, Okla., spent Saturday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood, who took them back to Fort Sill Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Long and son, Edgar, left Monday for Hot Springs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wisdom went to Paducah Sunday of last week where her brother, J. A. Porter, died suddenly of a heart attack. He was taken to Gainesville for burial. Mr. and Mrs. Wisdom and 2 daughters, Mrs. Otto Whitaker and Mrs. Bill Mixon, and husbands of Borger attended the funeral at Gainesville Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. J. L. McBeath and Mrs. Delmar McBeath and children attended a prayer group meeting at Odell Tuesday.

TRUSCOTT
ELBA JOYCE CADDELL

Mrs. E. J. Jones and Mrs. Farris Caddell visited Stan Westbrook in the Knox City hospital Thursday evening.

O. L. Caddell of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Farris Caddell and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jeter spent the week end in Fort Worth with her son, Merle Tatum, who is recovering from a broken leg.

Mrs. H. A. Smith worked a few days in the Crowell hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Moody of Ranger spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Irene Gerald, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henderson.

Bill Owens spent a few days in Dallas with his father, M. L. Owens, of Crowell, who underwent an operation Monday.

Mrs. H. A. Smith visited the nurses in the Quannah hospital one day last week.

Joe Orr and daughter of Margaret spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins.

Mrs. C. M. Guyinn is spending a few days in Spur with her sister, Mrs. Emily Pickins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins and baby of Vernon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins, Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Eubanks, Mrs. Denie Eubanks, Mrs. Carleton Browder and Mrs. W. T. Blevins were in Quannah Thursday.

Mrs. W. W. Ellis of Spur is spending a few days with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Browning were in Breckenridge one day last week.

Charlie McNeese returned to Post to begin work again, after having been quite ill for several days.

Rusty McNeese and Lon Laquey are now stationed in the Great Lakes, Ill., Naval Training Station.

Miss Winnie Turner of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner. Winnie is attending the St. Anthony Hospital taking nurse's training.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Turner and daughters spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner.

H. A. Smith spent last week in Seymour with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Barham.

Miss Karen Turner of Amarillo is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Turner.

Mrs. V. W. Browning attended a PTA meeting in Iowa Park Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradshaw and children of Wingate spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Kyle, and children.

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Dr. Dunie Whatley and H. D. Has-ton of Paducah and John Allen Greening of Crowell visited Billy Daniel Sunday afternoon.

H. R. McLain took his son, Johnny, to Vernon Monday for an eye examination.

Don Welch returned to school this week after a week's illness of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Charlie Biddy and Mrs. J. T. Rasberry of Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Merriman last Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Merriman and Mrs. C. N. Barker and Mrs. Jim Merriman were visitors in Vernon Monday.

Doc Borchardt, who has been in the Vernon Hospital, returned home Saturday.

R. B. Lilly and Fred Traweck made a business trip to Paducah Monday.

Henry Fish and Herbert Fish of Vivian visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allison Denton and children last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lilly and Mrs. Roy Ferguson and daughter, Linda, made a business trip to Vernon last Thursday. While there Mr. Lilly and Mrs. Ferguson visited Doc Borchardt, who was in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Traweck and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lilly were visitors in Quannah last Tuesday.

Mrs. Delmar McBeath and children, Paulette and Larry, of Thalia returned home Friday night from San Antonio where they visited their aunt, Mrs. Luther Jobe, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Thompson and son, Jimmie, attended the funeral of Mr. Thompson's uncle, C. W. Thompson, in Crowell last Monday. Other members of the Ed Thompson family who attended the funeral were Mrs. Ed Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gresham of Childress, Carvel Thompson of Dimmitt and Bob Thompson of Cleburne.

Mrs. Ed Thompson has been in the Wichita Clinic for the past two weeks where she underwent minor surgery but is home now and doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ferguson visited Mr. and Mrs. John Rader and family of Crowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Myers and son, Robert Les, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Rader and sons of Crowell Saturday night.

Pfe. Herman Athey, who is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., and his wife of Amarillo and David Gambin of Amarillo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Athey and daughter, Martha. Mrs. Athey and David remained for a longer visit.

Rev. and Mrs. Rufus Nalls and children, Larry and George, of Benjamin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler and children Friday night.

OIL WELL LIBRARY

Now there's a lending library for oil wells. An enterprising gentleman in Shawnee, Okla., has more than 22,000 well samples filed away in rows of catalogued shoe boxes. The samples are rock and earth portions through which the drill bit has passed. By checking over the file, drillers and geologists may obtain valuable geologic information which often helps to avoid drilling failures. The library's value is estimated at \$100,000.

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GRAPEFRUIT New Texas Sack **39c**

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Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Whatley and three sons of Phoenix, Ariz., visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley, Mrs. J. W. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Downing and son of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Marr visited his sister, Mrs. Emil Kainer, and family of Paducah Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haynie and daughter, Joylyn, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie, of Truscott Sunday.

Mrs. C. S. Lewis of Paducah spent Wednesday and Thursday with her brother, A. T. Fish, and daughters.

Mrs. Alice Cashion of Pasadena, Texas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley, recently.

Mrs. Dave Boren returned to the home of her son, Ernest Boren, and family after visiting her son, Irvin Foster, and wife and Mrs. M. H. Bishop in Mena, Ark.

Ernest Boren, Johnnie Marr, Arthur Sandlin and Allen Fish were Vernon visitors Thursday.

Misses Lula and Deulah Bowley of Crowell visited their brother, Clyde Bowley, and wife Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. O. Fish, John and Bill Fish visited Mrs. Jim Christian and sons, Clark and Victor, and Dee Ann Christian of Crowell Wednesday night.

Mrs. S. J. Lewis and son, S. J., Jr., of Lockney visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin Monday.

J. M. Marr of Crowell visited his son, Johnnie Marr, and wife Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish visited their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Denton, of Paducah Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boren and son, Dwayne, visited their brothers, Leonard and Earl Boren, and families of Wichita Falls last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Sandlin of Corpus Christi visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, recently.

Raymond Marr of Petersburg spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Marr.

Mrs. Darvin Bell visited Mrs. Arnold Rucker and Mrs. J. R. Edgington of Crowell Saturday afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Fish and Mrs. W. O. Fish visited Mrs. Bert Mathews and Mrs. Laura Keller in Crowell Thursday afternoon.

Gerald Knox and Dan Callaway of Crowell visited Mr. and Mrs. James Sandlin and family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sandlin and daughters, Barbara and Jeanette, left Tuesday for their home in Levelland after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom King of Crowell Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Marr visited Mrs. S. J. Lewis and son, S. J., Jr., of Lockney Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Carroll and son, Calvin, of Pasadena visited his mother, Mrs. J. W. Carroll, and his sisters, Mrs. Arthur Sandlin and Mrs. Clyde Bowley, and husbands recently.

Mrs. W. O. Fish visited Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lewis of Paducah Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carroll of Crowell visited their daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Marr, and husband Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boren and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Marr were Fort Worth visitors recently.

Mrs. Elry Jones and sons, Coy, Loman, Lee Allen and John Eldon, of Brownfield visited her sisters, Mrs. Clyde Bowley and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, and husbands and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Carroll, recently.

Mrs. Maudie Darvin Bell, I. D. Gilbert, Allen Fish, Johnnie Marr, Ernest Boren, Dave Boren, Arthur Sandlin, J. W. Carroll, Clyde Bowley, Leslie McAdams and W. O. Fish and Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish spent Thursday with Mrs. Maude Raspberry of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish, Herbert Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boren, Mrs. Johnnie Marr, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fairchild, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, Karl ten Brink, E. T. Evans and Mrs. W. O. Fish attended the funeral of Charlie Thompson in Crowell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. C. S. Lewis of Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Fish and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walling and son, Danny, and Mrs. A. L. Walling Friday evening.

Herbert and Bill Fish attended the basketball game in Crowell Friday night.

Mrs. A. J. King and Misses Myrtle and Neoma Fish attended the Ogden club in the home of Mrs. C. S. Gilliland Tuesday afternoon.

MARGARET MRS. SAX MIDDLEBROOK

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Reinhardt of Snyder spent Sunday with Mrs. Jack Roden and Mrs. Sarah Pruitt and son, Bud.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradford and children visited Mrs. Bradford's mother, Mrs. Fannie Boman, in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook of Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley, Saturday afternoon.



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shultz and daughter, Judy, of Vernon spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest.

David Lee Owens of Knox City and Ben Bradford of Thalia visited in the C. F. and Mrs. Studie Bradford homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smallwood of Matador visited Mrs. Jack Roden and her mother, Mrs. Sarah Pruitt, Sunday. Mr. Smallwood returned home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Smallwood remained for a longer visit.

Rev. Grimes of Chillicothe preached at the Baptist Church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nelson and son, Ashley, Mrs. Joe Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ford of Mangum, Okla., spent Wednesday with Mrs. Nelson's sister, Mrs. Mary Hunter, and family.

J. W. Bradford from Fort Sill, Okla., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford, over the week end.

Wayne Lindsay of Odessa spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Hunter, and daughter, Mrs. Bell Blevins.

Mrs. M. O'Connell of Crowell visited in the C. C. Wesley and S. B. Middlebrook homes Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross of Flomot spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shultz and son and Mr. and Mrs. Luckie and children of Thalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shultz Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Joyce Dean Harvey and husband of Vernon spent last week with Mrs. Harvey's father, Dick Smith.

Mrs. Billy Hammonds of Thalia visited Mrs. Clois Orr Friday and attended the H. D. Club at Mrs. Arthur Bell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Williams who spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCurley, and other relatives, returned to their home in Hillsboro, Ore., last week.

C. F. and W. F. Bradford were business visitors in Abilene Tuesday.

Dorothy Burrow returned to her home in Lubbock Saturday after a week's visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn have returned home from Danville, Ark. and Oklahoma City, Okla., where they spent the holidays with friends and relatives.

Jim Owens and J. T. Tamplin moved household goods for Rev. E. R. McGregor to Booker Tuesday.

Mrs. Charlie Huskey of Thalia visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Choate, Wednesday.

Jim Owens took his brother,

Leo Owens, to Wichita Falls Thursday for medical treatment.

H. A. Taylor of Odessa was called home because of the illness of his father, J. H. Taylor, and took him to Wichita Falls Monday for a medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Middlebrook, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bradford, Mrs. J. S. Owens, Mrs. J. I. Malone, Mrs. O. C. Allen, and Mrs. W. R. McCurley were Vernon visitors Thursday.

Joe Orr and Miss Audra Orr attended the funeral of Ed Ladd, Wednesday. Mr. Ladd passed away in the Vernon Hospital Tuesday. He was a former resident of Margaret.

Temporary Suspension of Active Duty Orders Announced by Navy

New Orleans, La. — A temporary suspension of active duty orders for naval reserve seaman recruits and seaman apprentices has been announced by Eighth Naval District headquarters here.

This paves the way once again for hundreds of reservists in the district who are on the road toward selective service induction.

Formerly reservists in these two pay grades could volunteer for active duty after they had received draft notices, provided they had enlisted before Sept. 1, 1950. This permitted them to serve in the Navy instead of being inducted. The Navy cannot now take draftees.

The order was suspended Jan. 5 in order to avoid a bottleneck at recruit training centers. The Navy said the suspension was a precaution against bringing men into uniform faster than they can be accommodated, equipped and trained. The suspension will be lifted at such time as recruit training capacity is again available.

Reservists in the rates of seaman and fireman, and petty officers in certain ratings, still are being accepted as volunteers, the Navy pointed out.

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30 YEARS AGO

News items below were taken from the issue of the Foard County News of Friday, Jan. 21, 1921:

Mrs. T. M. Greening died at her home in Crowell on Jan. 16.

The Poland China hogs of the J. L. Orr family exhibited at the Panhandle Swine Association sale at Lubbock were the best there. The average price for Poland Chinas that sold was \$134, \$25 higher than the red ones.

Mrs. T. W. Cooper was in town Wednesday from the Vivian community where she and her husband are now located in their new home recently built on their land.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edwards and Mrs. J. C. Self left yesterday for St. Louis to buy spring merchandise.

Clifton Hill, an old Foard County boy, and his wife passed through Crowell Sunday afternoon en route to their home at Spur.

Maurice Kenner has bought J. W. Kirby's home north of the T. N. Bell home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox, pioneer settlers of this county, are moving to Norman, Okla., to make their future home and be close to a good college.

M. S. Henry is in Dallas this week attending the hardware men's convention.

Mrs. Arthur Bell and children have gone to Sterling City to visit for a month.

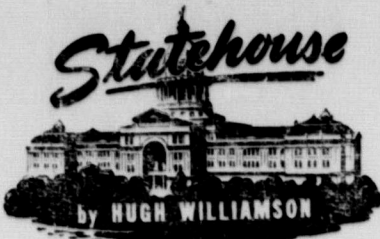
NORTH TEXAS PLATOON

During the period, January 5 through 25, 1951, the Marine Corps Recruiting District of Dallas, which includes Crowell, will enlist a "North Texas Marine Recruit Platoon." This platoon composed of men from North Texas, will be sent as a group from Dallas, to the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif. on Jan. 27.

Men from Foard County may make application to become a member of this platoon by applying at the Marine Corps Recruiting Office located at Room 302, Post Office Building, Wichita Falls, Texas.

LARGE PROPELLERS

In Great Britain, ships' propellers up to three and one-fourth tons in weight are now being made regularly of a 5 per cent nickel-aluminum bronze, which is stronger and gives better service than the manganese-bronze previously used.



Austin, Texas — Casual visitors at the Capitol sometimes get the notion that senators and representatives are loafing.

Especially during this first part of a legislative session, the lawmakers will not likely be on the floor of House and Senate many hours per day or many hours per week.

The truth is, however, that view from the spectators' galleries is deceiving.

At this stage, most of the Legislature's work is done in the members' offices.

Long, thoughtful work must go into the preparation of bills before they are presented on the floor. Later, these bills will be sent to committees, to be carefully studied. Many ill-advised pieces of proposed legislation are killed in the committees, and never get to the floor of Senate or House.

Experienced observers of the Legislature's work are studying the committee appointments, made in the House by the new Speaker, Reuben Senterfitt of San Saba, and in the Senate by Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey of San Augustine.

A man who knows the members of both houses personally, and is familiar with their records, can come near to predicting accurately how they will stand on any given bill, and thus what chance a bill has of passage.

When the committees begin meeting, there will be open hearings on bills. Interested citizens will come and express themselves for and against the many issues now being discussed.

Because of the great number of bills that will be introduced, and the widespread interest in many of them, many committee hearings will be held at night.

The Legislature's timetable is to complete its work in 120 days—but this session is likely to last much longer. This does not mean that the members are dawdling. After 120 days of the grind, they will be tired and they will want to go home. Besides, their pay drops, after four months, from ten to five dollars a day.

The reason for their staying longer is to get the job done.

Summing it all up—the Legislature's work is complex, difficult, and trying. This business of the State of Texas is negotiated under conditions that are often adverse.

Lobbyists, for example, will make all kinds of demands for the persons and interests they represent. Members will get letters from their home districts. On some questions, their constituents will be of divided opinion. The letters must be answered courteously and tactfully.

Texans who are unfamiliar with legislative problems and procedure are sometimes quick to criticize what their lawmakers are doing—or are not doing.

But a longer look at the House and Senate will reveal that the members of those bodies put in long hours of hard work trying to solve problems that sometimes seem impossible.

Where would you go, for example, to look for \$110 million? That's the amount of new revenue the state must have during the next two years—if the present rate of expenditures is to continue.

Changes Made in Beef Carcass Grades

Changes in the Federal grade standards for steer, heifer, and cow carcasses have been approved and became effective on December 29, says the Production and Marketing Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The changes are in line with a USDA proposal made on May 12, 1950.

Under the new standards, the present Prime and Choice grades of beef will be combined under a single grade, to be known as Prime. The present Choice grade will be known as Good, and a new Good grade will consist of beef from the higher quality cattle now graded Commercial.

These changes are being made in an effort to make the grades more closely identify the different kinds of beef produced and preferred by the housewife, says Joe Burkett, County Agent.

Burkett points out that the higher quality young beef in the present Commercial grade is popular with many housewives. Its identification as a separate grade will be beneficial to both the producers and consumers.

He says that less than one-half of one per cent of the total U. S. beef production qualifies for the present Prime grade, but with the combining of the present Prime and Choice grades, the new Prime grade will become an important factor in meat grading.

Burkett says that these changes in beef grade names should have no effect on price. Beef prices are determined by the demand of certain grades. Grades are a uniform guide for use in trading in meats.

These announced changes will affect only Prime, Choice, Good, and Commercial carcass beef grades. The standards for Utility, Cutter and Canner grades will remain unchanged. The Production and Marketing Administration is now taking steps to bring the grade standards for slaughter cattle in line with the revised grade for beef carcasses.

THE MURDER RISES



Health Letter

Texas State Department of Health, Austin, Texas, Geo. W. Cox, M. D., State Health Officer.

Austin — Rheumatic fever is serious because it may affect the heart, said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Age is important. Rheumatic fever usually begins in childhood at about age 5 or 6, although adults may have it. There is a susceptibility to the disease which causes rheumatic fever to be more common in some families than others. The other factors which may favor its onset, combined with an individual susceptibility, are frequent chilling, damp or overcrowded living quarters, and a poor diet.

It is also known that one attack of rheumatic fever does not protect a child from future attacks as, for example, one attack of measles does. On the contrary, rheumatic fever tends to recur. Repeated attacks are more likely to damage the heart. It is not communicable as chickenpox and measles are, and there is no danger of catching it by being in contact with a child who has it.

The physician is the one whose judgment can be relied upon in this matter, and his directions should be followed exactly, no matter how well the patient feels or how slight the attack.

Good nursing is important for rheumatic fever patients. In communities which have visiting nurse service, a visiting nurse can give help of great value to the patient and to the doctor.

The child who has had rheumatic fever, with some degree of heart damage, should not be coddled but should be led to enjoy his home and school life, just as other boys and girls do. While it is important to provide the child with healthful surroundings and to encourage him in healthful living habits, harm can be done by overemphasizing the physical handicap.

If serious heart damage exists, and his activity is limited, he must learn to stay within these limits. But even children whose activities must be rigidly restricted because of a severely damaged heart can have a wholesome interest in life and enjoy many of the pleasures of their more active associates by the intelligent planning of understanding parents, teachers, and physicians. However, rheumatic children do need special help in choosing a life-work which will give them the best chance of avoiding recurrences of acute infection.

With care in choosing work and play, people with rheumatic heart disease, even many with severely damaged hearts, can live reasonably active and useful lives.

New Booklet Explains State-Wide Tax Setup

Austin — Community officials and civic-minded citizens can interpret local property tax conditions as compared to state-wide trends in a new reference booklet published by the University of Texas Institute of Public Affairs. The publication, "Texas Property Taxes—1949," by Lynn F. Anderson, assistant to Institute Director Stuart A. MacCorkle, gives statistics and facts about state, county, city, and school district taxation.

The study points out that: Most counties apparently do not need the additional rate of 30 cents per \$100 valuation which a constitutional amendment will allow them to levy after January 1.

Only 5 per cent of cities with populations over 5,000 and 51 per cent of towns with fewer than 5,000 levied their legal-maximum rates, as did 33 per cent of the independent and 16 per cent of the common school districts.

A copy of the study may be obtained for \$2 by requesting Public Affairs Series No. 3 from Institute of Public Affairs, University of Texas, Austin.

NATURAL GAS OUTPUT BOOMING

Natural gas marketed production in the United States has increased 356 per cent during the last 25 years. In 1949, production was estimated at 5.4 trillion cubic feet, compared with a 1925 total of 1.2 trillion.

Soil Conservation News of District

Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District, Lower Pease River District Board: W. C. Howard, Grady Halbert, O. T. Holmes, O. H. Brandon, H. L. Ayers.

The meeting of the Lower Pease River Soil Conservation District Board was held Wednesday, January 10, 1951, at 2 p. m. in the county courthouse. Present were W. C. Howard, Grady Halbert, H. L. Ayers, O. T. Holmes and O. H. Brandon, all supervisors; and L. W. Harvel of the Soil Conservation Service.

The minutes of the last previous meeting were read and approved as read.

The following is a list of conservation applications approved by the board: Crowell unit, Jack Brown, Frankie M. Halenack; Quana unit, M. J. Brock, J. L. McMichael, W. C. Howard.

The following is a list of conservation plans approved by the board: Crowell unit, Frankie Halenack, Ted Carter, Mrs. Sue Abston, Cecil Dunn (2 places), Mrs. Nettie Tarver, C. T. Hord, E. C. King, Thomas R. Nichols; Quana unit, Louise Conley, L. A. Nowell, W. W. Cole, T. E. Jackson.

Mr. Halbert called for the various sections of the annual report which individual board members had agreed to prepare. Every man had prepared material for this report. All the material was read and discussed, and the chairman asked Harvel if he had facilities for typing.

The board finished its 1951 plan of operations. It is basically the same as the one used in 1950.

Harvel presented the board with four supplements to the schedule of assistance covering small amounts of grass seed. Appreciation for these seed was expressed by the board.

The board paid a bill of about \$850 for grass seeds ordered at the previous meeting.

Upon invitation of the chairman of the board the local dealer for the Ezy-Flow fertilizer distributor

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Fort Worth Fat Stock Show to Have New Event Jan. 26-Feb. 4

Fort Worth — The skill and daring which the Comanches and rustlers displayed when they made a raid and rode off on the settler's best horses will be re-enacted in a new event in the rodeo of the Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock Show, Jan. 26 through Feb. 4.

This contest, announced recently by President-Manager W. R. Watt, will be a wild horse race.

It is much different from the event of the same designation shown at a few other rodeos where two men rope and hold a horse and throw a saddle on him for one to ride.

Here's how the Fort Worth version of the wild horse race will go: There will be a bunch of wild Mexican and Choctaw ponies in the arena. Twenty cowboys will run in, drive the mustangs into a corner and then climb aboard by grabbing a mane (there will be no saddle, no bridle; it will be Indian style). This is not a team or pair event but it's strictly every individual for himself and while a cowboy is trying to get a horse in position to get on, another cowboy may take advantage of the situation and climb on the horse himself.

After a contestant has succeeded in getting on an animal, he rides alongside of another horse and jumps over to his back. The cowboy who changes from one horse to another the most times and puts on the best all-around riding exhibition will be the winner.

The ponies for the wild horse race are already at the Stock Show grounds.

Good Sheds for Hogs Should Be Provided

Swine influenza and human influenza are closely related. In fact, the virus of human influenza have attended a part of the meeting. He and the board discussed the availability, prices, etc., of the distributor.

The board decided to send special invitations to agency representatives to attend their next meeting. From the Hardeman County portion of the district they are sending special invitations to: Ray Stockard, County Agent, Weldon Herman, PMA; Claude Underwood, County PMA committee chairman, and Bomer Harris of the SCS. Corresponding representatives will be invited from the Foard County portion of the district.

been known to produce swine. Therefore, the same principles apply for the control of flu in swine as in humans.

If good shelters are provided, hogs are in great danger of contracting flu when cold nights follow warm days. Joe Burkett, County Agent, says that hogs, like humans, need a warm, dry place to sleep.

At this time of the year, he recommends that all hogs be inspected daily for symptoms. Once swine influenza appears, it spreads rapidly through the herd.

Infected pigs become listless and go off feed. Their breath is labored and jerky and cough and usually have a high temperature. They appear very sick. The animals usually cover rapidly after five or six days of sickness.

Although swine flu is fatal, it causes a big loss in weight and slows down the rate of gain. He advises putting infected hogs on a laxative diet—one that contains some bran.

Some of the new drugs are effective in helping to control swine. However, they are not expected to take the place of a warm, dry hog house.

GOODBYE TO PAINT SOLVENTS

An odorless solvent to be used in the manufacture of paints is now being made from petroleum chemicals.

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- Receipt Books
- Card Index Trays
- Adding Machine Paper

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PERSONALS

For hospitalization, see Bill Carter.

Mrs. George Wright and Mrs. Bill Marlow have recently returned from Dallas where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore.

Sunbeam Ironmaster Automatic electric irons at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stovall arrived at home last Wednesday from Galveston where Mrs. Stovall had submitted to an operation in the John Sealy Hospital. She is improving at her home here.

We drill water wells. — Tom Greening or W. L. Webb. 26-4tc

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Neel and son, Elmer, and Paul Fielding of Memphis visited relatives of Clyde Neel here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Diggs and son, Wayne, visited their son and brother, Charles Diggs, and family in Sweetwater last week. Charles is employed in the oil fields and his wife is working in the gyp plant.

All - Metal "Ridjid" ironing boards only \$8.95 at Beverly Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Mrs. S. J. Lewis, Mrs. Glenn C. Lewis and S. J. Lewis Jr. of Lockney, former Crowell and Foard County residents, and Mrs. Fred Pierce of Quanah, Mrs. S. J. Lewis' daughter, were here Monday visiting Mrs. G. J. Benham and other relatives and friends.

For hospitalization, see Bill Carter.

Mrs. A. Y. Beverly is visiting in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Beverly and little daughters, Ann and Laura, in Austin. She will also visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Lewis, and husband in Bryan before returning home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Owen Neel and son, Wayne, of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Neel and daughter, Lilith, of Lelia Lake, have been here this week at the bedside of Clyde Neel, who has been seriously ill in the local hospital.

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Social

COLUMBIAN CLUB

The Columbian Club met on January 10 with Mrs. M. O'Connell as hostess and Mrs. M. N. Kenner as leader.

This being the first meeting of the new year, it was the occasion for election of officers.

A parliamentary drill conducted by Mrs. Grady Halbert and "Club Ethics" given by Mrs. C. R. Ferguson provided the program for the afternoon.

THALIA IDLE HOUR CLUB

Mrs. C. H. Wood was hostess to the Idle Hour Club of Thalia on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 11, at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sim Gamble.

Visiting and hand-work provided diversion for the afternoon.

Refreshments of mince pie with whipped cream and hot spiced tea were served to the following members: Mrs. Annie Shultz, Mrs. C. W. Woods, Mrs. Lee Whitman of Vernon, Mrs. Glenn Gamble, Mrs. Leon Taylor, Mrs. Avis Whitman, Mrs. T. R. Cates Sr., Mrs. Clyde Self, Mrs. Maggie Capps, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. W. J. Long, Mrs. Lee Sims, Miss Irene Doty, Mrs. John W. Wright, Mrs. Leotis Roberts of Crowell, Mrs. C. H. Wood, Mrs. Gamble and Teresa Wright.

BAPTIST W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met for their Royal Service program on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Cora Bell Whately. Mrs. Glen Goodwin had charge of the program.

The group sang "Jesus Calls Us." Mrs. W. F. Statter gave the devotional and "The Bible Promises Victory," was given by Mrs. T. W. Cooper. "Isaiah Presents God's Plan" was given by Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin and Mrs. Glen Fox presented "We Know the Way."

Mrs. Bernard Franklin dismissed the meeting with a prayer. Mrs. Whately, the hostess, served refreshments to the sixteen members present.

The W. M. S. will meet next Monday, Jan. 22, in the home of Mrs. T. W. Cooper for Bible study which will be led by Rev. Bernard Franklin. Everyone is invited to attend and are asked to bring their Bibles.

L. F. Wright of Quanah has accepted a position in the meat department of McClain's Food Market. He is a former employee of Driver's Food Store in Quanah. Mr. Wright's family consists of his wife and four children and they will move to Crowell as soon as a house can be secured.

New Bible Class Will Be Started at First Baptist Church

A "Monday Night Bible Class" is to be started next week at the First Baptist Church in Crowell. Each Monday evening from 7 o'clock to 8:30, those interested in the study of the Bible itself are invited to bring their Bibles and enroll in the class. It is open to anyone interested in Bible study.

The class will start next Monday night, January 22, on the Book of Daniel. Emphasis is to be given to the study of "things to come," although other topics will come up for study from time to time.

Barnard Franklin is to be the teacher. Everyone is invited to bring his Bible and come.

"The Outlaw" Coming to Rialto Jan. 21-22

Sensation, too startling to describe, will be experienced when you see "The Outlaw," at the Rialto on Sunday and Monday, Jan. 21 and 22, starring Jane Russell and Jack Buettel.

Balanced Ration for Gilts Greatly Influences Pig Crop

Most Texas swine producers realize the value of feeding well-balanced rations to gilts during the pregnancy and lactation periods, but many fail to provide the correct rations for their gilts before the breeding season.

The ration fed to gilts before they are bred greatly influences the pig crop. It affects the number of pigs farrowed, the size of the pigs at birth, and their rate of growth during the first few weeks of their life.

Probably the most practical and satisfactory ration for gilts is corn or some other grain, along with plenty of protein supplement and free access to a legume pasture, says Joe Burkett, County Agent. If a legume pasture is not available, Burkett recommends providing legume hay in racks for the gilts.

Home Demonstration Notes MARY DEEB BROWN

The Foard County Home Demonstration Council will meet Saturday, January 20, at 2:00 p. m. in the agent's office for their first meeting of the new year. Please come in the basement door in the north side as the other doors may be locked.

On Wednesday, January 24, Miss Bonnie Cox, Organization Specialist for the Extension Service, will be in Paducah, to train all club presidents and council chairmen and vice chairmen. We will leave my office at 9:25 so please make your plans to be here then. Later this week you will receive letters with more details.

On Thursday, January 25, the THDA Chairmen of the different counties in this district will meet here and we plan to serve lunch to them, so don't forget your part in that.

On Wednesday, January 10, eight women of Foard County met to re-organize as a home demonstration club. There are several other women interested who plan to join later. The following women were elected officers: Mrs. J. M. Barker, president; Mrs. A. N. Barker, vice president; Mrs. Tom Callaway, secretary - treasurer; Mrs. V. A. Johnson, reporter; and Mrs. W. M. Cox and Mrs. Glenn Shook, Council Delegates. We are glad to have another club and hope more of you ladies in that community will join. They plan to meet again January 31 in the school house, so do try to come then, if you can for I think you will enjoy it.

At 9:15 on Saturday, January 20, Mrs. M. O'Connell, just north of the telephone office, to re-appoint some chairs. If you are interested in learning this, please attend and bring a covered dish. If you can't come till later, it will be all right as we will be working most of the day. If you do come—bring a tumbler, a light hammer, a screw driver and a pair of scissors.

Winter Care of Shrubs and Lawns

Right now is the time for pruning, watering and fertilizing shrubs, shade trees and lawns, according to Mrs. Mary D. Brown, Acting Home Demonstration Agent. Many people neglect these things during the winter months, but actually the ground needs just as much care now as during the summer months.

It is good economy to store water in the ground now while the household needs are small. Few use the minimum of water at this time of year, and if the plants are watered slowly, the ground will store it up for later use. To get the most from the water, says Mrs. Brown, leave the hose in one spot and run the water slowly for an hour or more. Too many sprinkle the top soil until it looks wet and then move on only to have the water run off instead of penetrating the ground.

Storing water in the ground now will prevent it from cracking and later, when household water needs are larger, this stored water can be used to good advantage.

After watering carefully, look around to see what other care your yard needs. Shrubs that bloom late in the summer such as crepe myrtle, vitex, flowering willow, salt cedar, oleander, althea, elaeagnus should be pruned now.

Of course there are cases where pruning should be done, regardless of the time of year. Mrs. Brown says that injured, dead, or badly diseased limbs should be cut off and burned as soon as they are discovered. Limbs that are chafe or rub across each other should be removed, as well as those which tend to sprawl out awkwardly regardless of the season. The Florida jasmine, abelia and similar plants can be made to grow compactly if the tender tips of the limbs are pinched out now and then.

Late summer, fall or early winter is not a good time to prune, Mrs. Brown warns. The shrubs might start growth which would not have time to harden before the cold weather arrives. Right now is not a good time to prune plants that will bloom in early spring because there is the danger of cutting the flowers off. Bridal wreaths, flowering peach, japonica, flowering quince, primrose, jasmine, redbud, azaleas, and wisteria should not be pruned now.

Red cedars, arborvitae and large growing junipers are difficult to prune at any time. For this reason, the agent suggests that they be planted only where large growth is needed.

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1950 Maid of Cotton — Miss Jeannine Holland of Houston will represent the cotton industry as she tours the United States, Europe and South America. A senior student at Texas State College for Women in Denton, Miss Holland is in New York City where she is being outfitted with a new cotton wardrobe.

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE—Dining room suite, table, buffet and six chairs.—Mrs. Paul Shirley. 26-tfc

Oil-Gas Leases Filed for Record

The following listed oil and gas leases were filed in the office of Mrs. Fern McKown, County and District Clerk, since September 1, 1950:

Calvin Ramsey, Spur, Texas, to D. J. Bisett, Houston, Texas, 74 2/7 acres out of Sec. No. 36, in Blk. 18, H&TC Ry. Co.

Pauline Jimison, et vir, Spur, Texas, to D. J. Bisett, Houston, Texas, 74 2/7 acres out of Sec. No. 36, in Blk. 18, H&TC Ry. Co.

Hartley Easley, et ux, et al, Crowell, Texas, to Skelly Oil Co., 320 acres out of Frac. Sec. No. 14, Blk. X, T&NO Ry. Co. survey.

Elgam Easley Welch, a widow, et al, Quanah, Texas, to C. P. Chisholm, Houston, Texas, all of Sec. No. 30, in Blk. L, S&P Ry. Co. and all of the John M. Barry Sur. No. 2, 1280 acres in all.

Ruth Hammonds, a widow, to D. J. Bisett, Houston, Texas, the west 80 acres of Frac. Sec. No. 37, Blk. 18, H&TC Ry. Co. Sur.

Mark Lowery, et lux, Yuma, Ariz., to F. P. Schwab and C. L. Witherspoon Jr., San Antonio, Texas, W. 1/2 of Sec. No. 61, Blk. B, H&TC Ry. Co.

Grace Mannin, et vir, to F. P. Schwab and C. L. Witherspoon Jr., San Antonio, Texas, 52 1/3 acres out of Sec. 405, Blk. A, and 175.37 acres out of Sec. No. 406, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co.

Clarence N. Barker, et ux, to F. P. Schwab and C. L. Witherspoon Jr., San Antonio, Texas, 86.5 acres out of the D. D. Baker Survey and 160 acres out of the Joel P. Wofford 640 acre survey.

Tom M. Beverly, et ux, Marque,

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Texas, to W. E. Bristol, Wichita Falls, Texas, all of Section No. 442, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co.

C. M. Carroll, et ux, et al, to W. E. Bristol, Wichita Falls, Tex., All of Sec. No. 28, 30, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co., all of Subdivision No. 20, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 31 and 32, of the F. D. Hendrix Pasture, containing in all 2863 acres.

C. M. Carroll, et ux, et al, to W. E. Bristol, Wichita Falls, Tex., the north one-half of Section No. 25, SP Ry. Co.

William W. Carroll, et ux, to W. E. Bristol, Wichita Falls, Tex., the south one-half of Section No. 404, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co.

C. D. Hall, et ux, to W. E. Bristol, Wichita Falls, Texas, 160 acres out of Sec. No. 505, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co.

Ray Hysinger, et ux, to W. E. Bristol, Wichita Falls, Texas, 9.5 acres out of Sec. 389, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co., 10 1/7 acres out of Sec. 368, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co., 436.8 acres out of the David D. Palmer 1476 acre survey.

John A. Marr, et ux, to W. E. Bristol, Wichita Falls, Texas, 131 acres out of Sec. No. 2, Texas Trunk Ry. Co., all of Sec. No. 2, Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Ry. Co.

C. P. Sandifer, et ux, to W. E. Bristol, Wichita Falls, Texas, 194 acres out of Sec. No. 368, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co., 10 1/7 acres out of the David D. Palmer 1476 acre survey.

Grady Halbert, et ux, to J. R. Beverly, Crowell, Texas, 259.4 acres out of Sec. 2, SFIW Co., 5.6 acres out of Sec. No. 1, SFIW Co., 8.1 acres out of Sec. No. 528, Blk. A, H&TC Ry. Co.

Henry Johnson, et ux, to J. R. Beverly, Crowell, Texas, South one-half of the Davis M. Hallmark 640 acre survey.

Henry Johnson, et ux, to J. R. Beverly, Crowell, Texas, 152.16 acres out of the W. J. Sims Survey.

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NICKEL STEELS FOR MACHINE TOOLS

The machine tool industries of the United Kingdom, Germany and Switzerland are requiring larger amounts of nickel alloy steels to meet the exacting demands for high strength, toughness and general reliability in the world-wide demand for up-to-date equipment.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the friends who were so kind in remembering me with visits, cards and flowers while I was ill in the hospital. Such kindness will ever be cherished. Mrs. Pete Moody

O. R. Boman, who has been at San Juan, Texas, for several months, is spending a few days at home.

FAST GROWTH FOR NEW CAST IRON

Ductile Iron, a product of International Nickel's research laboratories introduced early last year, has made good progress in 1950, emerging from the pilot plant stage to become an accepted engineering material. It is estimated that the output from licensed foundries for the year 1950 will be between 15,000 and 20,000 melt tons compared with 3500 tons during 1949.

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leo the inhibited wildcat

a hardy hello to all you poor wildkitties who are dragging around e h s with ashen faces and trunks under your eyes from burning mid night oil this is dead week on the wildcat campus and everyone except me wishes he had been good like me in so intelligent i just lie around waiting for monday morning rush when the wildcat staff needs me

those basketball boys played such a good game friday night i almost wished everyone could know it was i who guided that ball to the basket each time you cant see me you know those volley ball girls were at their best too i think they look better in their suits than the boys but then they dont wear the same suits wish mr graves would look into the budget funds and find a little gold dust all ready to buy knee pads for those poor girls bruised knees

the seniors chose their graduation announcements thursday wish i could be a senior id send a million announcements to my friends and get lots of presents

the home economics girls stunt night is coming up guess ill appear with a stunt dont you guess i ought to

i have changed my comfortable abode in the morgue for a nook in one of mrs sloans desk drawers no one could find me there also the wildcat said the thing was don browns picture just when i thought someone wrote a song about me too

as jon sanders said to booger rasberry as he grabbed him by the neck and imitated peter lorre i will cut this off short like to cut off things short see you next semester

lazy lucky leo

SENIORS SELECT INVITATIONS

"We are glad that the attractive and inexpensive invitations we chose pleased the members of our class," state Jimmy Cates, a member of the committee who helped to narrow the large selections of invitations to six. Other



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needles and thread, are going to learn how to cook.

This is the outline of what Home Making II will be doing for the remainder of the year:

- I. Clothing—10-12 weeks
 - A. Finning my clothing wardrobe—one week.
 - B. Planning and constructing a simple dress or skirt and blouse
 - C. Planning and constructing a child's dress
- II. Home Living—5-6 weeks
 - A. Dating
 - B. When there is sickness in the home—Safety — three weeks
 - C. Child development—2 weeks

ATTRACTIVE BETTY BARKER POSSESSES ATTRIBUTES OF SUB-DEB

Eighteen year old senior of the week is a girl whose pleasing personality and versatility have won many friends for her. I managed to catch Betty Barker on her way to the Wildcat room with her pencil in her hand and mumbling, "I hope we get the paper finished on time," and I asked her if she could spare a few minutes for an interview. She answered with a cheery "yes."

Brown eyes, darker brown hair, and an olive complexion are the characteristics of Betty. She has been on the Wildcat staff for several years—this year being co-editor. For four years our football team was cheered on to victory by the pep squad, of which she was one of the leaders.

During her sophomore year the football team officiated Betty queen, and it became official when she kicked the football ten yards. She has also been attendant to the queens of 49-50 and 50-51. For the past two years she has been Sweetheart of the Lions Club and secretary of the Sub-Junior Adelpian Club. She is a spiker for the Gym Janes in volley ball. Music takes the lead as to the cultural attributes in Betty's estimation, and she plays a saxophone in her spare time is spent in painting pictures of horses and scenery. Rodeos rate high as a spectator sport.

Betty's favorite subjects are

typing and biology. Speaking of food, she could consume a lot of fried oysters before anyone could change her mind about its being the best dish in the world. She likes to study star formations with Buster Laquey. After graduation from the school she has attended for 12 years, Betty plans to attend Hardin-Simmons University to study nursing. She then plans to become an overseas air hostess for the American Airlines.

JON LIKES FRIED CHICKEN, SPORTS

If you've been in CHS one week or four years you'll know the senior boy of the week who is none other than Jon Sanders. He is 5 feet 9 inches tall, dark complexioned, has black hair and hazel eyes.

Jon was co-captain of the '50 football team, and at the present he is captain of the basketball team. He placed on the All-District football team chosen by the coaches of the district, and this spring he will be seen on the baseball diamond batting it out for his school.

Zane Grey's books, geometry, and fried chicken top his list of favorites, and to miss a crisp shot is his pet peeve.

Jon is often heard humming the strains of the currently popular songs, and his favorite dance band is Guy Lombardo's "sweetest music this side of heaven."

Like so many senior boys, Jon's future plans are shadowed, but he wants to graduate and stay out of Korea.

CHIRPS AND SQAWS

A BIG RED CHERRY TO: The basketball team for winning so many games.

The faculty.
Old Mother Nature for such pretty days for tests.

HATCHETS TO: Those future typists who scatter paper far and near. You won't keep a job long.

Those messy little people who wouldn't keep a neat locker for anything.

People who cheat on mid-term exams.

THE A B C 'S

Boys
 Athletic—Jon Sanders
 Brilliant—Glen Jones
 Cute—Billy Cates
 Dutiful—Wayne Shultz
 Efficient—Kildee Cates
 Friendly—Don Brown
 Gadabout—Gin Stinebaugh
 Handsome—Buster Laquey
 Intelligent—Donald Reynolds
 Jolly—Harold Ribble
 Kind—Robert Brock
 Likeable—Fred Barker
 Mechanical—Haek Norman
 Neat—Booger Rasberry
 Outstanding—Bubba Bell
 Pleasant—Jimmy Woods
 Quiet—Charlie Reynolds
 Respected—David Bayless
 Sociable—Billy Caddell
 Tall—Jackie Clifton
 Useful—Jimmy Franklin
 Vivacious—Jim Paul Norman
 Witty—V. W. Latimer
 Excellent—Buddy Hardin
 Young—H. L. Ayers
 Zestful—Ginger Johnson

Girls
 Artistic—Betty Barker
 Brilliant—Eva Rae Geaslin
 Cute—Carolyn Bell
 Dainty—Marine Youree
 Efficient—Melba Ward
 Flirty—Pat Hammonds
 Glamorous—Neva Lou Potts
 Humorous—Martha Ohr
 Intelligent—Wanza Spears
 Jolly—Opal Browder
 Kind—Mildred Tاملين
 Lonely—Virginia McKown
 Musical—Melba Coker
 Nice—Bobbie Abston
 Outstanding—Geraldine Schmit-tou
 Pleasant—Iris Abston
 Quiet—Billie Love
 Radiant—Marcia Kincaid
 Sociable—Posey Autry
 Tall—Peggy Weaver
 Useful—Ann Haynie
 Vivacious—Frankie Mabe
 Witty—Nell Johnson
 Excellent—Mary Rader
 Young—Camille Todd
 Zestful—Jean Gamble

HURRAH! HURRAH! GYM JAMES WON A GAME
 Although the Crowell volley ball girls lost their first conference game to Seymour, they improved by winning the second one over Chillicothe. The girls won

both games that were played 15-7 and 15-12.

All the girls on both teams played a good game. Let's all "pitch in" and give our own girls a hand, for they might come out on top at all the games. The following girls saw action in the games: Betty Barker, Frankie Mabe, Geraldine Schmittou, Mary Bergt, Joyzell Thomson and Peggy Weaver.

WILDCATS BATTER "CHILLI" 40-32

The CHS cagers scored another victory Friday night by defeating the Chillicothe Eagles 40-32 in a close, hard fought game. The Wildcats led the first three quarters by a comfortable margin, but in the last quarter, the Eagles got within three points of the Crowell boys. Last minute goals by Gordon Bell and Clinton Marlow brought the game to a close, and another victorious night for the Wildcats.

Gordon Bell captured high scoring honors with 14 points and Jim Norman a close second with 12.

SIDE SPLITTERS

"Do you really love me?"
 "Yes."
 "How much?"
 "Well, here's my check book. You can look over the stubs."

Dad criticized the sermon. Mother thought the organist made a lot of mistakes, and Sister didn't like the choir's singing, but they all shut up when Willie piped up: "Still it was a pretty good show for a nickel."

Mr. Sollis: "And what are you going to be when you grow up?"
 Buster: "Well, after I've been President for a while to please mother and a lawyer a while to please dad, I think I'll be an aviator."

Mrs. Davis: "Coy, pass to the board and find the square root."
 Coy: "What's a root?"
 Mrs. Davis: "I don't know, but I saw a pig doing it the other day."

DID YOU KNOW THAT

There are about 100 steps to the high school building.

There are about 52 light bulbs in the high school.

There are about 2300 books in the library.

The football team uses about 100 footballs in a season.

The janitor has to close at night about 10 windows in cold weather and about 20 windows in warm weather.

The school used 50,900 gallons of water in the month of December.

There are about 800 square feet of blackboard in the school building.

On the average there are about 8 cases of milk drunk a day in the cafeteria compared to 16 glasses of fruit juice.

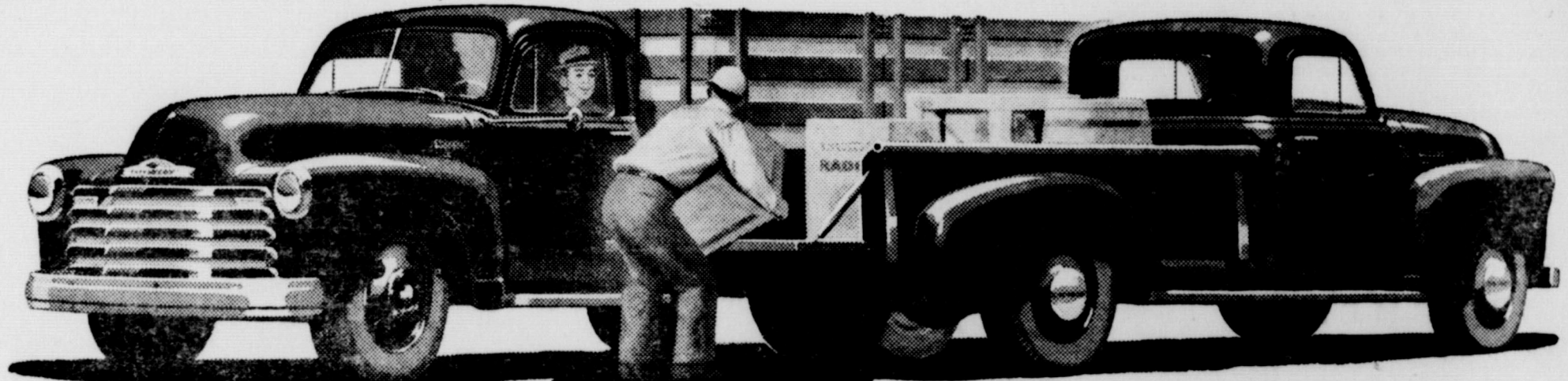
WILDCAT WHISPERS

What Ho! Another semester has come and left, it's passed away and gone; but not so lucky haired fate, this column still goes on. Can stand no more prose that tries not to be true henceforth all wit goes to the winds, I'm giving up the fight. Read on you who dare so to do no guarantee is given, what true you read from here on in show.

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WANTED—Ironing to do at my home.—Mrs. Shelby Wallace, ph. 186-R. 25-3tc

FOR SALE—Two big galvanized water tanks. Also 1948 Ford pickup.—Mrs. George Wright. 26-3tp

FOR SALE—Registered Aberdeen Angus bull, 2 years old.—John Thompson, Gilliland, Texas. 26-2tp

FOR SALE—Upright piano in good condition. Price \$60.00.—Charlie Huskey, Rt. 2, Crowell. 26-2tp

FOR SALE—2 butcher hogs, 1 beef yearling; 1 kerosene heater, \$10.00, 1 double barrel hammer shotgun, \$25.00.—J. R. Pittillo. 26-tfc

FOR SALE—2-room house in northwest Crowell, 2 lots, gravel street two sides, water, gas, storm cellar.—G. L. Cole. 26-2tp

FOR SALE—Practically new two-bedroom house, also one business building, well located. Will sell together or separately.—F. E. Hudson, Phone 122-M. 24-3tp

FOR SALE—1947 Jeep, low mileage, heater and spotlight, good tires. Driven less than 1,000 miles since complete overhaul. Also 1942 Ford coupe, good tires, motor in good condition. See Ike Wilson. 24-tfc

FOR SALE—1948 Ford sedan, 1942 half-ton pickup, one 1948 model Oliver combine, one Oliver 70 row crop tractor with equipment and one Oliver 80 row crop tractor. All in good condition.—Fred Gray, Thalia, Texas. 24-4tp

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WANTED—Ironing to do at my home.—Mrs. Ray Hodges, Greer house on East Foard. 26-2tp

Male Help Wanted

OPPORTUNITY for man with car to make \$100-\$200 per week. Must have good references. Write Box 101, Vernon, Texas. 26-2tp

Lost

LOST—One truck tire, size 650, between Gilliland and Truscott, about two weeks ago. Finder please notify Sheriff's Office, Crowell, Texas. 25-3tp

\$50.00 REWARD

LOST—White and liver spotted female bird dog, 1 year old. Disappeared from Big 4 Ranch on Christmas night. \$50.00 reward for return of dog or information leading to her recovery.—J. D. Smith, Box 9, Truscott, Texas. 26-1tp

For Rent

FOR RENT—Three- and four-room apartments.—Lanier Finance Co. 2-tfc

FOR RENT—Small modern apartment, unfurnished.—H. E. Thomson. 26-tfc

Christmas is not a legal holiday in Kansas.



Notices

NOTICE—We drill water wells.—Tom Greening or W. L. Webb. 26-4tc

FEED GRINDING every day in the week.—A. L. Rucker. tfc

NOTICE—Will care for children in my home by day or in parents' home in the evening.—Mrs. A. H. Lax, Tel. 41-M. 25-3tc

FUR—We want your furs. Fur is a good price this season. Will buy till Feb. 15.—Quannah Poultry & Egg Co., Quannah, Texas, C. E. Dunn, phone 434. 26-4tc

NOTICE

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Lodge Notices

CROWELL I. O. O. F. LODGE
Meets tonight (Thursday) at 7 p. m. at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are urged to attend.
W. J. GARRETT, Noble Grand
H. E. HILBURN, Secretary.

THALIA LODGE NO. 666
A. F. & A. M. Stated Meeting Saturday Night, Jan. 20, 8 p. m. Members urgently requested to attend. Visitors always welcome.

JNO. W. WRIGHT, W. M.
IRA TOLE, Sec.

CROWELL REBEKAH LODGE
meets the second and last Friday's of month at I. O. O. F. Hall at 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend, and visitors welcome.
JUANITA GARRETT, N. G.
MARGARET CURTIS, Sec'y.

CROWELL LODGE NO. 840
A. F. & A. M., STATED MEETING

Second Monday each month. February 12, 7:30 p. m. Members urged to attend and visitors welcome.

GRADY HALBERT, W. M.
W. B. CARTER, Secretary.

GORDON J. FORD POST
NO. 130

Meets second and fourth Tuesday in each month at American Legion hall at 7:30 p. m.

RICHARD DAVIS, Commander
CECIL CARROLL, Adjutant.

Trespass Notices

NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Mrs. R. T. Owens. 10-52tc

TRESPASS NOTICE—No trespassing of any kind allowed on any land belonging to Lee and B. A. Whitman, Thalia, Texas. 24-52tp

TRESPASS NOTICE—No trespassing of any kind allowed on my place north of town.—J. H. Carter. 24-tfc

NO TRESPASSING of any kind allowed on F. L. Reed's place, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Thalia. 51-tfc

NO TRESPASSING of any kind or trash dumping on John S. Ray land.—Mrs. John S. Ray. 45-tfc

TRESPASS NOTICE—No hunting or fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land, owned or leased by me.—W. B. Johnson. 11-tfc

NO TRESPASSING of any kind on Carrie G. Crawford land, 3 miles southwest of Thalia. No trash dumping.—Mrs. T. N. Bell. 28-23tp

NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on any land owned or leased by the Wishon Estate.—Charlie Wishon. 47-52tp

NOTICE—No trespassing of any kind allowed on land belonging to me.—Dr. J. M. Hill. 39-tfc

NOTICE—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—Furd Halsell. tf

TRESPASS NOTICE—No fishing, hunting or trespassing of any kind allowed on any of my land.—T. R. Cates, Thalia, Texas. 25-52tp

NO TRESPASSING—Positively no hunting or fishing on any of my land. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Leslie McAdams. 24-tfc

NO TRESPASSING—No hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land or land rented by me.—Guy Morgan. pd. 8-1-51

NO HUNTING, FISHING or trespassing of any kind allowed on my land.—W. J. Long. 18-52tp

George Washington's cabinet was composed of secretaries of State, Treasury and War.

In Mexico City there are no flies, insects or mosquitos.



Thalia-Margaret Methodist Churches
Church School each Sunday morning, 10 a. m.

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

Truscott Baptist Church
Come thou with us, and we will do thee good.—Num. 10:29.
10 a. m., Sunday — Sunday School.

11 a. m., Sunday — Morning Worship.
6 p. m., Sunday — Training Period.
6:45 p. m. Sunday — Evening Worship.
2:30 p. m., Tuesday — W. M. U. Meeting.
Ralph E. Branum, Pastor.

St. Joseph Catholic Church
Schedule of masses and services: Mass on the first, third and fifth Sunday of each month at 10 a. m. from October to April. From May to September at 9 a. m. Mass on holidays of obligation at 8:30 a. m. Confessions before mass. Catechetical instructions each Sunday after mass. Sick calls—call Vernon 418.
E. J. Shozka, Pastor.

Truscott-Foard City Methodist Churches
Preaching services will be every fourth Sunday at Foard City at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Church services at Truscott are held the first, second and third Sundays of each month. Sunday School at 10 a. m., preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Carl Hudson, Pastor.

Freewill Baptist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m. Church services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody invited.
H. H. HASTON, Pastor.

Thalia Baptist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. B. T. U. at 6 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. W. M. U., Monday at 2:30 p. m. Prayer Service, Wednesday at 7 p. m.

Church of Christ (West Side)
Extending you a cordial invitation. Regular services are held at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. on the Lord's Day. You are always welcome. Preaching services by Lynn Fisher.

First Christian Church
J. Fred Bayless, Minister
John E. Long, Supt. Bible School
SUNDAY SERVICES
Bible School 10 a. m.
Communion-Worship 11 a. m.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Evening Service 7:15 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.
The Christian Church extends a cordial welcome to all services.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
TO: The unknown heirs and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of George P. Warner, deceased; the unknown heirs and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of Hascal A. Hogel, deceased; the unknown heirs and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of H. B. Mahn, deceased; the unknown heirs and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of Clara N. Warner, deceased; the unknown heirs and the unknown heirs of Wm. J. Freese, deceased; the unknown heirs and the unknown heirs of James B. Watson, deceased; the nonresident Defendants, James B. Watson Jr., and John Watson;
GREETINGS:
You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's First Amended Original petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 19th day of February, A. D. 1951, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Foard County, at the Court House in Crowell, Texas.

Said plaintiff's First Amended Original petition was filed on the 3rd day of January, 1951.

The file number of said suit being No. 3023.

The names of the parties in said suit are: H. H. Fish and Winnie D. Fish as Plaintiffs, and each and all of the above named unknown heirs, and James B. Watson Jr., and John Watson, and Miss Marie Whitty, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: A suit in Trespass to try title to the following tract of land, situated in Foard County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Section No. 93, in Block "A," Cert. No. 30-579, issued to the Texas and New Orleans Ry. Co., and patented to B. H. Epperson, assignee, on July 20, 1875, by Pat. No. 97, Vol. 24;

Plaintiffs allege that each and all the parties to the suit are claiming under Hascal A. Hogel, as a common source of Title.

Issued this the 3rd day of January, 1951.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Crowell, Texas, this 3rd day of January A. D. 1951.

FERN MCKOWN,
Clerk, District Court, Foard County, Texas. 24-4tc

Margaret Baptist Church
Joe R. Green, Pastor
C. T. Murphy, Sunday School Supt.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week Service, 8 p. m.

Temple Gethsemane
Assembly of God Church
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Evangelic Services at 2:30 p. m.
Young People's Services at 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday Prayer Service at 7:45 p. m.
Thursday Woman's C. M. F. Service at 7:45 p. m.
Saturday Evangelistic Service at 7:45 p. m.
Daniel Enriquez, Pastor

Eastside Church of Christ
Minister will bring lesson from Old Bible, connecting it with the New Testament, using diagrams on blackboard. You will get much good out of this if you will come and study with us. This coming Lord's Day, "The Language of God's People."
Bible Classes, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; communion, 11:45 a. m.; preaching, 7 p. m.; Wednesday Classes, 7:30 p. m. Come, bring your friends.
C. Y. Pettigrew, Minister.

Crowell Methodist Church
Church school, 9:45 a. m. Bring the family and stay for the morning worship service.
Morning worship service, 10:50 a. m. Subject of the sermon: "Holding Fast to God."
The Primary and Juniors Boys and Girls meet at 6 p. m. All units of the MYF meet at 6:15 p. m. Evening worship service, 7:00 p. m. Subject of the sermon: "The Danger of Drift."
Prayer meeting, Wed., 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Wed., 7:30 p. m. Come, worship God with us.
Aubrey C. Haynes, Pastor.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Sunday morning worship service, 11 a. m. Training Unions at 6 p. m. Sunday evening Worship Services, 7 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00.
Barnard Franklin, Pastor.

Mrs. Martin F. Jones, Secretary.
Glen Goodwin, Chairman Board of Deacons.
C. G. Graves, Sunday School Superintendent.
J. B. Harlan, Training Union Director.
Mrs. Glendon Hays, Pianist.
Miss Betty Barker, Assistant Pianist.
Mrs. Glen Goodwin, W. M. S. President.
Mrs. W. O. McDaniel, Custodian.

Texas March of Dimes Campaign Jan. 15-31
Austin — Governor Allan Shivers emphasized the impact of polio on the family, community, state and nation in officially designating the period from January 15 through January 31 for the 1951 Texas March of Dimes.

The Chief Executive cited the exhaustion of National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis funds by the record 100,000 cases during the last three years. He stressed the state polio fund deficit in caring for almost 2,800 new cases in 1950 alone.

"For three consecutive years," said Governor Shivers' proclamation, "Texas children and adults have been heavily attacked by the virus of poliomyelitis."

"The record shows that 423 more polio patients were reported in Texas during 1950 than in 1949, with 2,778 cases in 1950.

"Every penny raised in Texas during the last three March of Dimes campaigns has been spent for patient care of Texas polio patients and supplemented with \$377,000 sent into Texas from other states by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

"Not only was the last year the second worst polio year in the nation's history, but the cost of providing treatment for these patients continues upward along with the tremendous costs of caring for patients of previous years. Funds of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis must be replenished in the 1951 March of Dimes.

"Therefore, as Governor of Texas, I hereby designate the period January 15 to 31 for the 1951 March of Dimes in Texas, and urge every citizen to contribute as he is able to the success of this worthy campaign."

COLLAPSIBLE OIL TANKS
Air and liquid tight collapsible tanks, drums and small containers have been developed by an oil equipment company. Further experiments will be made before the units are introduced generally. Current plans call for collapsible units ranging in capacity from five-gallon containers to 55-gallon drums and 280 to 10-20,000 gallon bulk storage tanks.

ell, Texas, this the 3rd day of January A. D. 1951.

FERN MCKOWN,
Clerk, District Court, Foard County, Texas. 24-4tc

RIVERSIDE

MRS. CAP ADKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wheeler and sons left Saturday for Odessa where they will reside. Mr. Wheeler has been employed there the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tole and son, Jerry, returned from Dallas Friday where Mr. Tole had been receiving medical treatment.

Visitors in the Cap Adkins home during the day Sunday were Mrs. Houston Adkins and children, Roxiann and Randy, and Peggy Ann Myers, all of Crowell, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lindsey and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Butler of Thalia, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyle of Vernon.

Sam Kuehn and son, Ward, and T. L. Ward visited S. L. Ward in the hospital at Chillicothe Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward spent Monday with their son, Louis Ward and family of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Matus and sons visited Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Grell of Seymour, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Artus Kajs have returned from Corpus Christi where they attended funeral services for Mrs. Kajs' brother.

Robert and Charley Matus spent Sunday at Bonarton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bice spent from Friday until Sunday with her mother, who is very ill at Palestine.

Mrs. Horace Taylor spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting her niece, Mrs. H. G. Cates, and husband. She was accompanied by Mrs. Bob Simmonds of Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Butler and family of Chillicothe spent Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whitten.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward visited S. L. Ward in a Chillicothe hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Deloyd Robinson and son of Lockett, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Poyner of Rayland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Farrar.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Adkins were Wichita Falls visitors Friday where Mr. Adkins underwent minor surgery.

Nadine Farrar of Lockett was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and family Sunday.

Mrs. M. M. Davidson of Sand Springs, Okla., came last Thursday for a visit with Mrs. John S. Ray and mother. Her sister, Mrs. Bruce Gardner, and son, Ray Spruill, of Albuquerque, N. M., are also guests in the Ray home. The ladies are daughters of the late John S. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and family and Nadine Farrar visited S. L. Ward in a Chillicothe hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph King and family of Elliott spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. King.

Mr. and Mrs. David Owens of Knox City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradford, Sunday.

Bennie Lou Hopkins of ACC, Abilene, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Swan spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Skelton, of Vernon.

Ben Bradford visited his mother, Mrs. Sudie Bradford, of Margaret Sunday.

George Washington had red hair, usually covered by a white wig.

THE WILDCAT

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to what depth I'm driven . . .

Was sorry to hear that Billy Abston got his ankle hurt. We hope you recover soon.

Mary M. has eyes only for Melvin M. They were at the ball game Friday night.

Wonder why Dorothy Wilson was so happy Saturday? I heard the reason was because of her phone call from Vernon.

Melba and Kildce were seen together Saturday night. Such a cute couple!

Carroll Polk, Jimmy Harper and Joe Sokora must have a good time in the third period math class. They're the only boys in there. They should have a good time!

Something new! Faye Black and Billy Johnson. They were seen Saturday night in Quannah with Ann Haynie and Ted Brown.

It seems that Wayne Brown and Jackie Rasberry are still going together; as of Sunday night.

You still see Marcia Kincaid and Joe Jones together. My, how long has this romance been going on? Good luck!

Couple of the week — Jimmy Woods and Jean Gamble.

A popular couple seen around CHS is Eubba Bell and Geraldine Schmittou.

At last . . . I think Harold Ribble has found a girl friend. You can always find him and Lavene Shultz together in the halls.

Are Martin Langham and "Posey" Autry still seen around together?

Margaret, are you still interested in "that" senior boy?

Why does Frankie make so many trips to the post office? Could it be to receive that welcomed letter from Ham Tampion?

Who is "Booger" Rasberry interested in? He couldn't be trying to play hard to get, could he?

Jean and Jim Paul are still seen together. What is this leading to?

Well, the Wildcat Whispers still sounds as dull as ever. What I need is information. I've never had enough. If you know any juicy items that should go in, please

put them in locker 77. Enough for now. I'll try again when the next issue goes to press.
Cat's Tail.

PUSHBUTTON REWINDS HOSE

An automatic oil hose rewind for fuel oil trucks—one that is operated by a pushbutton at the nozzle end—is being developed by an oil company. When he finishes loading the customer's tank, the driver-salesman merely pushes a button and guides the hose back to the truck. The device is expected to speed up deliveries.

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Society

MRS. T. B. KLEPPER, EDITOR
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REBEKAH LODGE

Crowell Rebekah Lodge met for regular meeting on Friday night, January 12, with Juanita Garrett, Noble Grand, in charge. Thirty members were present.

Lodge opened in regular form, presentation of United States flag and the pledge of allegiance.

The highlight of the meeting was formal installation ceremony of recently elected officers for 1951. LaVerne Teal, district deputy President, served as installing officer and was assisted by Nannie McDaniel, deputy marshal; Joey Jones, deputy warden; Cleta Manning, deputy secretary; Lydia Bell Beesinger, deputy chaplain; Zola Greening, deputy guardian and Mae Solomon, deputy musician.

ble Grand and officers installed to serve with Mrs. Roberts were Mattie Sue Bartley, vice grand, and Margaret Curtis, secretary and treasurer.

Appointive officers installed are Veatrice Brock, chaplain; Rowlene Choate, conductor; Minnie Bell Callaway, warden; LaVerne Teal, right supporter to Noble Grand; Joyce Naron, left supporter to Noble Grand; Evelyn Parish, left supporter to Noble Grand; Myrtle Naron, outside guardian; Joan Kidd, inside guardian; Mae Solomon, musician; Pearl More, flag bearer; Juanita Garrett, acting past Noble Grand for the current term, was invested with the honors of her office. Veatrice Brock was appointed by the Noble Grand to

serve as reporter for the current term.

Alyene Graham was re-elected team captain and conducted her first drill practice after lodge closed. Mae Solomon was elected Lodge Deputy to succeed LaVerne Teal at the end of her term of office in March, 1951.

Mae Solomon was elected representative to represent the lodge at the annual meeting of the Rebekah Assembly which meets in Fort Worth on March 18, 19 and 20, and Juanita Garrett was elected alternate representative.

During the business session it was voted to have the study club in the homes this year instead of in the hall. It was voted to have a "birthday box" to be conducted each regular meeting to observe the birthdays of the members. It was also voted to give the trustees of the lodge the authority to buy a cook stove for the kitchen.

The meeting was concluded with the customary routine and prayer by the chaplain.

WEST SIDE H. D. CLUB

"Practice in parliamentary procedure gives club women poise and assurance when attending district or state meetings," stated Mrs. Mary Brown at the West Side Home Demonstration Club meeting on January 9.

"Foard County is almost in the center of District 5 and we may have to be hostesses for a number of training schools and other meetings. We need to understand parliamentary procedure and to practice it until it is automatic, so that we can handle meetings with ease and dispatch," continued Mrs. Brown. She advised that each club have a ten-minute drill each meeting.

The West Side Club met in the home of Mrs. G. H. Kincheloe and there were ten members, Mrs. Brown and one other guest, Mrs. Virgil Lyons, present.

The original constitution and bylaws of the club were read. It was decided to revise them but also to keep the original copy in the secretary's book for its historical and sentimental value.

Committee chairmen were appointed and Mrs. S. E. Tate volunteered to act as living room demonstrator. Each member selected a roll call subject to use during the year.

The next meeting will be on Jan. 23 with Mrs. C. R. Bryson. The demonstration will be "Eat a Better Breakfast and Like It."

VIVIAN H. D. CLUB

The Vivian Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, Jan. 11, in an all-day meeting with Mrs. J. B. Raspberry Sr. Year books were distributed and Mrs. Ray Brown, Foard County Home Demonstration Agent, discussed the plan of work for the year.

1950-51.

The next meeting will be on February 8, with Mrs. Darvin Bell. Those who wish to make a "wishing well" are asked to bring a one pound coffee tin, one skein of cotton rug yarn in any desired color or binder twine and a medium sized spool.

Those present for the meeting were Mrs. Darvin Bell, Mrs. Allen Fish, Mrs. T. W. Cooper, Mrs. W. O. Fish, Mrs. I. D. Gilbert, Mrs. Arthur Sandlin, Mrs. Clyde Rowley, Mrs. Leslie McAdams, Mrs. Bert Mathews, Misses Myrtle Fish and Neoma Fish, all members; Mrs. T. S. Patton, Mrs. C. W. Carroll, Mrs. G. J. Benham.

Mrs. Chester Hord and Mrs. Brown, visitors of Crowell; Mrs. C. S. Lewis of Paducah, Mrs. E. Boren and the hostess, Mrs. E. Boren and the hostess, Mrs. J. W. Carroll, Mrs. Johnnie Marr and Mrs. E. Boren.

NICKEL IN NON-FERROUS CASTINGS

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RIALTO THEATRE

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"THE SAVAGE HORDE"

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Sunday and Monday, January 21 and 22

JANE RUSSELL—JACK BUETEL

"THE OUTLAW"

Riot in Rhythm—NEWS, Korea, Last Hour in Seoul

Tuesday, January 23rd

DANA ANDREWS—MAUREEN O'HARA

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