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## Crash Fatal To No. 1 Cogdell Well Tahoka Resident Completed Tuesday

#### By Shirley Sargent

Henry Ellis, Henry had decided, was the fact that he was nine and the result of a one track mind. To get something he really vanted, Henry had learned from and long. ring his mother or what he want d came easiest. Why not, Mom?" he begged. Why can't I do it? I want to more than anything in the world. I'd be so good you wouldn't know me." Finally his mother gave in to his endless teasing and what she considered impossible promises.

"All right, all right," she said,



Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Armes had as not a little sister." their guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. pr.of Anton.

## James (Skinner) Connolly, about the Connollys, Frank Brown, also of 62, pioneer Tahoka resident, became Tahoka, and Jet George, driver of THE VERY NICEST thing about the area's first holiday weekend the pickup which was pulling the fatality last Friday night as the car cotton trailer into which the Con- mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Page last tives in Jayton the past week end. he was driving collided with a cotton nolly car crashed, were not injured years old. He possessed another at-tribute Variously described by his mother as stubbornness, stupidity, Clairemont. Connolly was a well known cattle Jet George was enroute home with

the past 27 years. occurred.

Connolly's wife, about 60, also was injured in the mishap and was treated at the Prohl Clinic in Tahoka for a broken collar bone and numerous bruses.

Another companion riding with

Soundly sleeping, he lay back in the chair, in one hand a noisemaker; clutched limply in the other, a large horn. The box in his lap contained piles of confetti.

'We'll see if you can be good for a whole month and then-well, we'll see."

His long-awaited goal was in sight, but Henry had to admire his mother's shrewdness. Knowing that Rita, who was five, would keep close tab on him, Mrs. Ellis put her in Henry's charge for the month. Playing nursemaid to a fiveyear-old was a stern task, even when he could be as nasty as he county during the holiday season. wanted-but taking care of her on his good behavior was purely awful. W. B. ARMSTRONG INJURED All this time she would taint her IN CAR ACCIDENT demands with "Or I'll tell mama."

Rita just barely listened to him way, knocked down a telegraph pole Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armes and their the for me, Henry. Crawl like a rail of the railroad track turtle and pull your head in a shell."

The days crept past Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Blaine and and Henry knew that being good Idren of Seymoure visited their was surely a most terrible experirents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Blaine ence. Then at last the month was d Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bybee dur-over and he heard his mother ask-ing, "Had enough of being good, Henry?' Feeling it to be a trick question, Christmas at Eastland with her he answered casually that would be fun to see the fellows bent the rails on the rail road and Jayton with his parents, Mr. and again, and just sort of all over re- knocked several ties loose.

Jet George was enroute home with buyer and had lived in Tahoka for his cotton trailer when the accident mother, Mrs. Cora Lewis during the past week

> The accident occurred as Connolly and his wife and Brown were driving east from their home on their way to a Christmas visit to see relatives and friends in Hill county.

Apparently Connolly, driving a 1939 tudor Chevrolet, was momentarily blinded by the lights of the pickup George was driving and after sideswiping the pickup crashed is to the left side of the cotton trailer. The Chevrolet driven by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barfoot. Connolly was badly wrecked as the

result of the collision. Connolly lived about 25 minutes after the crash, but was dead before ar. ambulance from Jayton arrived. land. The ambulance from the Robinson Funeral Home in Jayton took the victims to Tahoka where Connolly was taken to Stanley Funeral Home

to await funeral arrangements. Connolly's death marked the first and only traffic fatality for Kent

Only once he told her calmly but W. B. Armstrong was badly bruised desperately, "If I ever have any and suffered several cuts about the children, they'll all be boys or all face in addition to a slight skull be girls. I'm not going to make any fracture as a result of an accident little boy of mine have a little sis- last Friday noon about four miles ter. No sir, I'll give him a turtle north of town. Armstrong apparently or a goat or something he wants, lost control of the car he was driving, a 1936 tudor Ford, left the high-

rail of the railroad track. Armstrong was found by his son-

in-law, who summoned help from passing motorists. Armstrong was

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harris and son of Wichita Falls visited his family of Girard were visiting rela-Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dick Lewis and in Rule with her son, Mr. and Mrs. son of College Station visited his Pete Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sandell, Jr., and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sandell and Frank last week.

Tookie and Nancy Donoho are visiting this week in Lubbock, Big Spring and Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Floy Barfoot of Lamesa spent Christmas in Jayton with

R. A. Moreland, of Texas Tech, is spending the week in Jayton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. More-

Renelie Fuller of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuller, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Fox, Jr. and children of Spur visited his parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Fox during the holidays.

Evelyn George, who is attending Abilend Christian College, is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jett George.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wade and Sally, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wade and Patsy of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wade and Lance of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cobbs of Levelland were holiday visitors in the L. F. Wade

Visitors in the L. H. Matthews home during the holidays were Mr. and 177 Charlie Champion and sons

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gallagher and

Mrs. W. J. Lane spent Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Shafer and family of Fredicksburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Guinn Donoho and family during the holidays.

Mrs. C. S. Kenady is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Teaver, in Plainview this week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Healer during the holidays were; Mrs. E. E. Healer, Roby, Mrs. Mattie Owens, Anson, Mrs. Cleo De Shazer and children, Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rosco and their rels per day. daughter, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Healer and son, Clairemont, Mr. and Mrs. Royce rison and daughter.

days were Mrs. Garrett's sister, Mrs. H&TC survey. E R. Neeb and daughters, Francis Neeb and Mrs. John Browder and WILDCAT STAKED IN sen Eddie of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. NORTHWESTERN KENT Tom Wilson, and Mrs. Letta Nokes of Cross Plains.

John Fowler, Mrs. W. K. Joiner and Jon Fowler returned Monday from Temple where Jon had undergone an operation.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Taylor and children went to Hereford to visit Mrs. Taylor's parents during the holidays.

carried to Nichols Hospital, Spur, for of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mat- Mrs. Harold Kenady at Aspermont Cogdell, southern Kent Canyon lime treatment. He was alone in the car thews of Cleburne, and Mr. and Mrs. last week end, where she was met by discovery which was completed at the time of the accident and ob- Gerald Fincher and Nancy of Girard. Mr. and Mrs. John Arden Wilson of Tuesday. Fulsa, Oklahoma, who also spent the

Kent County's first oil and gas producer from the Canyon reef lime-Chapman and McFarland No. 1 Cogdell-has been completed for 111/2 barrels of oil per hour, flowing from

open hole at 6,800-39 feet. Size of the choke used on the completion test, the gravity of the oil and the gas-oil ratio have not been officially reported.

The completion test was taken following the washing of the pay zone with 500 gallons of mud acid. After the load and residue from the acid had been swabbed out the well kicked off and flowed at the average rate of 111/2 barrels of pipe line oil per nour for an extended period. No formation water was developed.

Operator ordered the well finished and put on production, using the latest flow of 111/2 barrels of oil per hour at the potential test.

That was at the rate of 276 bar-

Top of the Canyon reef was picked D. Dunn and sons of Portales, N. M., at 6,796 feet. The new discovery is eight miles north and east of the nearest completed oil wells from the Healer and children of Fairfield, Cal- Canyon on the northeast side of the ifornia, and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Har- North Snyder field in central-north Scurry County.

The well is 16 moles north of Visiting in the home of Mr. and Snyder and 467 feet from south and Mrs. W. J. Garrett during the holi- westt lines of section 716, block 97,

Three miles south of the Dickens County line in northwestern Kent County, William Herbert Hunt Trust Estate of Dallas will drill an 8,500 foot Ellenburger wildcat as its No. 1 Girard Trust Company, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 93, block 1, H&GN survey.

Drillsite also is 10 miles west of Girard, 25 miles northeast of the Polar Ellenburger pool in southwestern Kent and 26 miles due north of the J. A. Chapman Pro-Mrs. Tenie Wilson visited Mr. and ducing Company et al No. 1 D. M.

ng the nondays.

Mr. an.d Mrs. C. H. Meador spent mother, Mrs. Mart Rose.

girls visited Mrs. Fowler's mother, Mrs. Jenkins, at Comanche during I do it—you know?" Armstrong has been pulling bolls here this fall and was living with the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reynolds of Tennessee spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lee and but he hated girls, though. Ught Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown and nn went to Henessee, Oklahoma to visit relatives during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinds and Nancy went to Hedley, Texas, to visit her parents during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hogue of Eden visited his sister. Mrs. Lu Dunlap and boys this week.

children visited their younger son, Douglas, in Hendricks Memorial Hosital in Abilene last Sunday, and are in the chair, in one hand a noisending this week in San Antonio, maker; clutched limply in the other, with Mrs. Thetford's sister.

Mrs. Ray Hoover of Jonesboro is bending this week with Mr. and Mrs. P. Brantner and Mrs. Lu Dunlap nd boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Rondal! Cooper and Arnetta are spending the holidays in Abilene with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Robinson sited their children in Fort Worth st week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole Gallagher of onahans visited his father, J. E. Gallagher, her mothes Mrs. Ellerbe, and their son, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Gallagher this week.

She kissed him, saying, "Yes." farm. Henry yelled "Hooray" as he ran into his room. Gosh, it had been

worth waiting for after all-my There were some very important matters to attend to before he was quite ready. They wouldn't take so long, but the waiting would. He started unwrapping his packages. Thanks to mom, life was really fine.

A little before 12 that night Mrs. Ellis, noting the silence, went into Henry's room. His lights were blazing but the boy was asleep in a chair drawn close to an open window. She walked quietly over beside him. A whole month-thirty arduous days devoted to being good -he had worked for this night, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Thetford and now he was asleep with the sum total of his dreams in his lap and fists. Soundly sleeping, he lay back a large horn. The box in his lap contained piles of confetti, while reams of paper streamers were laid neatly over the chair arms. There was a ridiculous paper hat crushed into the chair back by his head, and, on the table near him, there was another horn. It had a white card tied on it labelled sim-ply "For mother."

So, she thought, with tears in her eyes, a little man's plan for one night had included his mother. She shook him gently, settled his hat more perkily on his head, and picked up her own horn. Noise seemed suspended in the air.

"Wake up, little one track mind," she said, sitting him up straight. "Hurry and wake up so you can wish me a Happy New Year!"

viously no one witnessed the crash The front of the Ford was badly mangled and the force of the impact Mrs. T. L. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack King of Rich. land Springs spent Christmas in

of Abilene visited relatives in Jayton his son-in-law at the Lynn Shaffer this week.

holidays with the Kenadys. Mrs. Jessie Alexander and sons of

Roing In The New

Springland, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Berry and son of Amarillo, and Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and family John Frank of Hunmble, were holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Duncan.

Five and a half miles northwest of the Chapman et al No. 1 Cogdell, deepening between 7,600 and 7,700 feet for a test of the Ellenburger is scheduled at the Drilling and Exploration Company, Inc., et al No. 1 Wilson Connell, section 19, block 5, H&GN survey. Drilling continued Wednesday below 7,238 feet, in Pennsylvanian lime and shale.

Willie Lee Healer is visiting in: Lubbock this week.



How would you like a stack of crisp, lovable, spendable fresh. MONEY-available to you EVERY MCNTH! Here's how you can get itwith a membership in the simple, automatic "Money-of-the-Month" Club! WHAT YOU DO: If you're employed by a firm, go to your payroll department and get your signature affixed to the Payroll Savings Plan for the purchase of United States Savings Bonds. Or, if you're self-employed, your bank can offer a similar plan- the Bond-A-Month Plan, WHAT YOU GET: In just ten years, your bonds will mature. In ten years, they'll be worth four dollars for every three invested! U. S. Treasury D

Well be thinking well of you when the midnight bells peal in the glad New Year





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#### GIRARD NEWS

is visiting friends and relatives in Girard this week.

Mrs. Dink Hunnicutt of Lubbock, score was 30 to 19 in favor of Girard

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunnicutt and The Girard Cardinals played a: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dyer of Cotton Mr. M. B. Welborn spent the FOR SALE:-C. W. Fincher of Uvalde, Texas, Jack Hunnicutt and Lynda, Mr. and Springs last Friday night. The girls Arthur Dyer. Elise of Dumas, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. very exciting game with Roaring Center are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Christmas holidays with friends and

Sat. Night Preview And Tuesday Night Ronald Regan - Viveca Lindfors

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1949

Bennie Smith

Bundle Hegira. See

"Night Unto Night"

Sunday and Monday Robert Young - Shirley Temple in "Adventure in Baltimore"

Wed. and Thurs. John Wayne - Gail Russell in "Wake of the **Red Witch"** 

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relatives in Lubbock.





# E.U. W. End Of Month Specials for Fri. & Sat.

#### PILLOWS Size 21x27 Crushed Chicken Feather

Pillows. Floral and striped ticking. \$1.98

### 5% WOOL BLANKETS

5 per cent wool and 95 per cent cotten blankets. Size 70x80. Pink and blue plaids. \$4.49 Value

\$3.98

#### Organdy Curtains Size 42x90 ruffled organdy curtains.

Permanent finish in white. \$3.93 Value.

\$2.98

## OUTING

and dark stripes. 36 inches wide. 39c Value Heavy quality striped outing. Light

3 yards \$1.00

#### WOOLENS

100 per cent wool materials. 54 and 60 inches wide. Solid and plaid patterns.

#### 1-2 Price

12.49	Value	 \$1.25
2.98	Value	 \$1.49
\$3.49	Value	 \$1.75
4.49	Value	 \$2.25

Fine quality combed corduroy. 36 inches wide. Colors; wine rose and blue. \$1.69 Value.

CORDUROY

\$1.39 yard

WOOL JERSEY

All wool jersey, 54 inches wide, col-

ors; blue grey, green, beige, brown and red. \$2.98 Value.

\$1.99 yard

WOOL GABARDINE

100 yards of all wool gabardine. 54

and 60 inches wide. Colors; black,

CREPE

300 yards of dress and blouse crepes.

42 inches wide, fine quality. Values

\$1.00

TAFFETA

150 yards of satins, solid and plaid

taffetas. Colors; red, blue, navy,

black, pink, white and maize. Values

79c yd.

\$5.37

\$3.77

green. grey and maroon.

\$6.95 Value

\$4.95 Value

to \$1.98 yard.

to \$1.98 yard.

#### bleached muslin. \$1.73 Each

### Ladies' SUITS and COATS

SHEETS

Size 81x99 sheets. Good quality

Ladies new winter suits and coats. Beautifully styled in Gabardine, Tweeds, and Sharkskins, Regular \$29.95 Value Regular \$39.95 Values Regular \$49.95 Values Regular \$59.95 Values Regular \$69.95 Values \$34.98 Regular \$74.95 Values \$37.48 Regular \$79.95 Values Regular \$84.95 Values Regular \$89.95 Values Regular \$95.00 Values

## LADIES' DRESSES

45 ladies' new winter dresses. All from our regular stock of nationally advertised fashions. Fabrics are woolens, crepes, failles and gabar-

Regular	\$9.95	 \$6.90
Regular	\$12.95	 \$8.90
Regular	\$14.95	 \$9.90
Regular	\$18.95	 \$11.90
Refular	\$19.95	 \$13.90
Regular	\$22.95	 \$15.90
Regular	\$24.95	 \$16.90
Regular	\$29.95	\$19.90
Regular		\$22.90
Regular		\$26.90

#### LADIES' PURSES

One group of ladies' purses. Suedes, Calfskin, Failles and Woolens. Regular \$2.95 \$2.49 Regular \$3.95 \$2.99 Regular \$4.95 \$3.99 Redular \$5.95 \$4.49 Regular \$6.95

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MEN'S JACKETS One rack of men's wool, zelon

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Regular	\$10.95		 	\$7.95	
Regular	\$24.95		!	\$16.95	
Regular	\$26.95	 	 1	\$19.95	

MEN'S DRESS HATS

Genuine fur felt dress hats. Colors;

blue, grey, brown and tan. Sizes 7

\$5.00 Values

\$2.99

### **MEN'S T-SHIRTS**

Men's fine quality cotton knit teeshirts in white. Sizes 34 to 40. 79c Value 2 for

\$1.00

#### SPORT SHIRTS

Rayon gabardine and plaid gingham sport shirts. Sizes; medium, medium large and large. Good selection of colors. Values to \$5.95

#### \$2.99

#### **Army Twill Pants**

Men 8-oz. Army Twill pants. Full cut, boat sail drill pockets, wide belt loops. Sizes 29 to 42.

\$2.49 Shirts To Match .. \$2.39

#### Chambray & Gingham Solid color combed, preshrunk cham-

brays and plaid ginghams. 42 inches wide, large selection of colors. 89c Value

57c yd.

## **RAYON GABARDINE**

44 and 57 inch rayon gabardine. Colors; green, brown, blue, black and navy. \$1.79 and \$1.98 Values. \$1.39 yard

dines.

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Regular	\$16.95		\$11.90
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ular	\$34.95		\$22.90	

\$47.50

#### LADIES' SHOES One group ladies' suede dress shoes. \$14.98 \$19.98 High, low, medium and wedge heels. \$24.98 Colors, black, brown, tan and green. \$29.98 Broken sizes. Values to \$12.95

Regular \$7.95

Regular \$8.95

\$4.77

\$39.98 \$42.43 \$44.98

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1949

JANUARY CLEARANCE

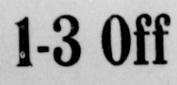
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# Commencing at Jayton, Texas, Friday, Dec. 30

## Ladies - Childrens Men - Boys Wear Wear

## WOOL COATS

26 - Ladies' wool coats. \$19.95 to \$49.50 values



LADIES' SUITS 7 - Ladies' Suits. \$37.50 to \$49.50 Values

MEN'S LEATHER JACKETS Heavy Horsehide and Suedes. \$29.50 Values \$19.95 \$14.95 \$24.50 Value CAPE SKIN \$16.95 Values \$7.50

**BOY'S LEATHER JACKETS** \$12.50 Values \$5.00 Boy's Wool and Dress Jackets Values to \$8.95 Special \$2.95

MEN'S DRESS HATS Values to \$7.95 \$3.95 Values to \$3.95 .... \$1.00

## **Piece Goods** and Household Furnishings

BLANKETS (Lots of Cold Weather Ahead!) BLANKETS

100% WOOL UTILITY BLANKETS \$4.95 Values ..... \$3.95 each

SHEET BLANKETS

Heavy napped, white.

Size 70x90

DOUBLE BLANKETS Extra large 5% Doubles. \$4.49 Value ...... \$3.79 pair

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## COTTON BLANKETS

Cotton Single – Plaids \$1.49 Value ...... \$1.19 each

Cotton Doubles - Plaids \$1.98 Value \$1.69 each \$2.95 Value \$2.49

